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May 25, 1930, former Governor William A. McCorkle, in another article, published some corrections to the story which he had given in the Charleston Daily Mail of May 16th, of the previous week, as follows:

THE TRUE STORY OF LORENA

The article which I wrote and published in the Daily Mail some weeks ago, in which I said that "Lorena" was written by Dr. Webster was inaccurate. The article has caused widespread interest. The story as now told, is absolutely correct, for the first time. As I gave it in the Daily Mail it has been supposed to be correct for 72 years. The poem and song is and always will be considered a permanent part of American song literature, and for that reason the information concerning it should be as correct as possible.

I said that Victoria Handley who was the inspiration of Lorena, married a Mr. Seasholes and was the mother or grandmother of two ladies who were well known in this town, Mrs. Noel and Mrs. Hubbard. That was a mistake. Miss Victoria Handley, to whom the poem of Lorena was written was an aunt of these ladies. The Handley family is a very old one in this community, and an older one in Virginia. They were Scotch-Irish people, and for five generations have lived in the Kanawha Valley. The father of the Handley girls was Mr. A. W. Handley. There were four girls in the family: Victoria, who married Col. N. B. Bowyer; Sallie W., who married C. L. Bowyer; Virginia, who married Mr. ^{James} Thornburg; and America, who married Mr. Seasholes, the last of whom was the mother of Mrs. Noel and Mrs. Hubbard.

The facts of the story were given to me by Mrs. Sallie Bowyer, formerly Miss Handley. Mrs. Bowyer is 84 years old. She was the younger sister of Miss Victoria Handley. Miss Victoria was a twin,

and her twin sister who is now 92 years of age, lives in Huntington. She is perfectly clear and active, even at her advanced age. The interview that I had was with Mrs. Sallie Bowyer, a younger sister of Miss Victoria Handley. Mrs. Bowyer is 84 years of age, but her eyes are as bright and her smile as winsome and her mind as conscious of things going on as any woman of forty years.

BREATH OF THE PAST.

I was more than struck with her. She is a wonderful type of the old Virginia woman, alas, now too infrequent. I was delighted with her well fitting shoes and her silk hose and her wonderful neatness of appearance, her little velvet band and bow about her neck, and withal, the evidence of a once beautiful woman. I should not say, "once beautiful" for she is beautiful now. She said that her sister, Miss Victoria, was very beautiful, and when I complimented the dear old lady upon her own splendid appearance, she received the compliment with a blush that would have done credit to a 16 year old girl. When I asked to see a book which she had, she excused herself and tripped up the stairs like a young girl, and came down and read the dim writing, in the book, to me with eyes that were as bright as stars and not oppressed by glasses. She was like a breath of the past, of a day that we remember our mothers, in the old Virginia times. I will not say these women are any better than the women of today. They are no better, but there was a mellowness, a sweetness, a touch of elegance and ~~kindliness~~ and a feeling of repose that somehow or other, the woman of today does not have. Possibly, in the hurry of to-day, the women of that day would not fit, but they were marvelously sweet and pleasant.

Mrs. Bowyer gave me all the facts about the poem. It was

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written by George H. Denny to her sister, with whom he was greatly in love. Dr. Webster did not write the poem. It was credited, by mistake to Dr. Webster, because he wrote the music for the poem. The poem was written by George H. Denny, of Richmond, Virginia. Mr. Denny was a member of the distinguished Virginia family, of that name and was an Uncle, or father, of Bishop Collins Denny, the Bishop of the Methodist church. He was evidently the father or Uncle of Dr. George H. Denny, who was President of the Washington & Lee University, and is now President of the University of Alabama, and one of the ~~most great~~ ^{greatest} educators of the American continent.

Mrs. Bowyer says that Mr. Denny came there, in 1855, as an engineer on the ~~Chesapeake~~ ^{Covington} & Ohio Railroad. With him was Colonel Ruggles, Archibald Blair, and a Mr. Crump. They were there on the road which ran down Teay's Valley, and they worked near the old Handley residence for two years. They abandoned the road for two years, and it was not finished until '59, or '60. Mrs. Bowyer has a daguerrotype of Mr. Denny, an old fashioned picture, which shows he was a very handsome man and about 26 years old, and Mrs. Bowyer says, of all the men she ever met, he was one of the most fascinating. He was distinguished in his appearance and possessed of all the old Virginia courtesy and with perfect social demeanor.

He gave Mrs. Bowyer a book which she brought down to me and showed me, with the inscription written to her by Mr. Denny.

"This book is presented to S.W. Handley by George H. Denny, with the hope that it may exert her to do all in her power to make herself useful and wise, that in years to come she may remember the humble giver, whose wish and whose prayer will ever be she may be happy. August 1st, 1857."

LOVE WAS MUTUAL.

Mr. Denny was wonderfully in love with Miss Victoria, and Miss Victoria was thoroughly in love with Mr. Denny. A touch of humor is in her story about her father, but well illustrating the old Scotch-Irish stock. Mrs. Bowyer says that Mr. Handley, her father, did not object to the love between his daughter and Mr. Denny, because Denny planned to be a preacher, and was not filled with this world's goods; but, with a twinkle of the eye and a smile of the lip, she said it was because he was a Methodist preacher. The Handleys were Presbyterians of the most rigid kind and have been for generations. Mr. Denny was an engineer, and afterwards became a preacher, and such was his intention, when he was courting Miss Victoria. When the engagement was broken off, it was not done with any feeling, but the kindest sentiment existed between the erstwhile lovers, and the letters of Mr. Denny to Miss Victoria were of the most beautiful kind. The correspondence was continued, up to the time of her marriage to Colonel Bowyer.

The song was not written in the old rose brick house, on the right hand side of the road, but it was written in the frame house, which belonged to her father, A. W. Handley and still stands on the ~~left~~^{left} left of Scott Depot. It is now occupied by P. G. Handley, the brother of Mrs. Bowyer, and is in as splendid state of preservation as when the poem was written.

Mrs. Bowyer, with the exception of her sister, is the only one left who can give this information, and it is very seldom that ever information is kept as clearly as is this. This occurred 74 years ago, and generally such information is lost forever, but Mrs. Bowyer, and one sister are still alive, the one 92 years and the other 84 years of age, and they are not living in the glamour of the past

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but with the present ever before them.

I was immensely delighted with my little talk with Mrs. Bowyer concerning this poem, and I am glad to set it right. She lives at Winfield, Putnam County, which, when the road is completed through, will be a delightful little village in which to live. It is very beautifully located. The Court House and the principal residences, are all on the hill surrounded by beautiful, old trees, and it will be one of the most delightful places where one can have a residence, and within an hour's drive of Charleston."

BEUATIFUL WINFIELD.

"A week ago I made a speech at Winfield to the graduating class of the high school. It was a splendid audience. The people around are cultivated and pleasant. How beautiful this country is, and how little we know of it. Near here lived the greatest orator that West Virginia ever furnished, George W. Summers, and one of the greatest in Virginia, and his home in Walnut Grove is but a short distance from Winfield. How we should learn the immediate surroundings of our great country.

I beg your pardon for taking up more of your time, but I think it is important that the history of the song which was so universally popular and in everyone's mouth, and is part and parcel of American song literature, should be correctly given to the public. This is the true history of Lorena, and is the last word, for it was derived from the only people who knew the facts.

It is wonderful how the history of a poem or a song that was so universally sung for a quarter of a century in our country should be so ~~disturbed~~ ^{distorted} but the facts as I gave them, in my former article, were derived from excerpts from different newspapers, from

the Historical Magazine, and from the traditions of 74 years, and were supposed to be authentic.

The essential facts are as I have stated, and, generally speaking, they were all true, except the name of the author. The poem was written here by a man who came from elsewhere, inscribed ~~ed~~ to a beautiful and enchanting woman who lived in our community; but it was written by a Virginian, instead of a resident of Ohio. It is filled with the glamour of the past, and the sweetness of youth, and the touch of the olden day, and it is but right that *it* go down to the future as ^a true and correct story of the love and the sweetness ~~that~~ which accompanied the writing of the poetry."

MONROE COUNTY COURT

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ROCK CAMP, W. VA.

~~HERBERT L. CARVER, JR., CLERK~~
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H. C. McDONALD, ~~DEPUTY~~ CLERK

UNION, WEST VIRGINIA



January 8, 1951

Mr. F. B. Lambert
Barboursville, W. Va.

Dear Mr. Lambert:

I have checked a number of the records here of John Handley's early deeds, etc. I find the earliest deed was dated 1784. Also, in the Handley marriage record there are such names as George, James, Samuel, Logan, Constantene, John, Zenes, Christopher and others.

I expect the best way from Charleston to Union would be to come by Lewisburg, but you will have to check the bus schedules as to the time they leave.

Yours truly,

H. C. McDonald

H. C. McDonald
County Clerk

John M. Morgan d. on Greenbottom
May 25, 1892, at 85, of
La Grippe.

John M. Morgan came from Wexel
County, to Lawrence Co., Ohio, and
from there to Greenbottom, where he
purchased a large farm

He married Chloe E. Gardner
whose people lived above the Town
of Proctorville, Ohio. She died about
1915. Call R. D. Wylie, for exact date.

John M. Morgan was a steamboat
captain, on the Mississippi River
and ferried the Mormons over that
river, on their trek to Utah.

Chloe E. Gardner was a sister
to Mrs. R. D. Wylie, and after
the death of her husband, she
lived with Mr. R. D. Wylie, on
Washington Ave. In her will she
left her property to Mrs. Wylie with
a request that a certain amount
be given to the Wylie children.

Mrs. Wylie d. Feb. 29, 1894. Mr. Morgan
is buried in the Cemetery, at Beulah
Church, Rome, Ohio. Mr. Morgan's relatives
brought suit against her, but she could
not be reached.

In 1935, the former Governor, William A. McCorkle, of Charleston, was writing some intimate recollections, in the Charleston Daily Mail. Speaking of the old Alex. W. Handley home he said "There is a place four or five miles below St. Albans which was the inspiration of "Lorena", a very beautiful poem and the circumstances were very romantic. It is the old Handley house down in Teay's Valley, and a beautiful woman living therein was the cause of a wonderful poem being written.

The information which I received about this poem I obtained largely from Mr. Joseph Ruffner and Mr. Joseph Chilton, both of whom live in Charleston. Mr. Ruffner writes me as follows: 'This is from an old scrap book of mine and was placed therein by me many years ago--the date being forgotten. It must have been twenty-five years ago, at least. I am sorry that I have not the entire song, of which as I remember, there were several more verses. You may not know of it, but the late James Madison Laidley at one time operated a small salt furnace on the south side of Kanawha River at a point closely opposite to my residence, and which he named the "Lorena Furnace, some traces of which are yet discernible."

The excerpt from the scrap book sent me by Mr. Ruffner, is different from what I understand the facts to be, and I give the facts to you as I have heard them from Mr. Chilton, and others. I only give the traditions and legend as I have heard them.

About the year 1858 there appeared in musical circles of the West a song which for years had a run rarely attained by popular melodies. The music was beautiful: the words were singularly touching, and the extreme pathos of the words combined as much as the music to give the song its success. It was sung by everybody,

in parlors, in concerts, , on the steam boats and in the music halls I remember, in both camps during the civil war there was sung the beautiful song of Lorena. It was immensely popular in the northern army and came South through Louisville and Cincinnati, and when I was a child it was sung everywhere in the South. Lorena was peculiar in that it was popular both in the South and in the North. I remember when hearing a brigade of Eastern troops in the Union army, who were garrisoned at Waverly, in Missouri, , then the border, sing "Lorena" in the evening just after the sun went down. It impressed me, child that I was, as the most beautiful thing that I had ever heard. and at the same time it was sung with equal feeling and sympathy among the men that wore the grey. A steamboat on the Ohio was named Lorena, and it was one of the most popular boats at that time, and in my day I have known many middle-aged women who had been named Lorena, because it was popular at the time of their birth.

WRITTEN BY TEACHER.

The facts, as I understand them, were as follows:

The author of the words was Rev. H.D. Webster. He studied for the ministry at the Columbus Academical and Collegiate Institute. He was intelligent and romantic, and even in his college days was a beautiful writer and was the editor of the college paper.

In 1848, being about 24 years of age and full of poetry and romanticism, he was enjoying his first pastorate in this neighborhood and along the Ohio River. He met Miss Victoria Handley, who was a very beautiful woman and a member of the old Handley family, of Virginia. She had all the graces of that family, which throughout many generations, is one of the most charming families both as to men and women, that have ever been in the State. The Handley home was an

old rose brick house. I remember seeing it many times in Teay's Valley. I think it is yet in existence. It is situated upon a beautiful eminence, which was referred to in the song:

"'Twas flowery May,
When up the hilly slope we climbed
To watch the dying of the day
And hear the distant church bells chimed."

Miss Handley fell in love with Mr. Webster, and he fell violently in love with her. Their romance did not go on very well, because the Handleys did not feel that their beautiful and aristocratic daughter and well to do in this world's goods should marry a young Methodist preacher, and so their loving did not prosper. Her people did not favor the preacher's suit, and she allowed her family to influence her choice. She wrote him a last letter, in which she used the words so well remembered with those familiar with the song, "If we try, we may forget." It was eight years after that he wrote:

"For, 'if we try we may forget."
Were words of thine long years ago.
Yes, these words of thine, Lorena,
They burn within my memory, yet.
They touch some tender chords Lorena,
Which thrill and tremble with regret.
There is a future, O, thank God,,
Of life, this is so small a part;
'Tis dust to dust beneath the sod,
But there, up there, 'Tis heart to heart."

The effect of the separation was to crush the young man, and years after the occurrence he wrote to a friend and said, "I doubt if all the dark lines are erased from my heart yet."

IN ANOTHER FIELD.

He resigned his pastorate and sought another field and began a distinguished career. When he was residing in Racine, Wis., he met another Mr. Wenster, a writer of song music, who had written an air; but he was troubled to find appropriate words. Rev. H.D.L. Webster told him he had written a song, and he turned it over to the writer of the air, who was no kin to him, although his name was Weebster. He did not then call it "Lorena". It was called Bertha or Ella, but it was changed to Lorena at the request of the writer of the music.

Miss Handley afterwards married one of the Seasholes, who lived in Teay's Valley in the old house which had been inhabited by three or four generations ~~of~~ by that family. She was the grandmother or great, ~~great~~ grandmother of two ladies well known to the citizens of Charleston, the late Mrs. Hubbard, the wife of Mr. William Hubbard, of this city, and Mrs. Minnie Noel, of Washington, D.C. The Seasholes, like the Handleys, have always been distinguished by their beauty and grace, and these two women had these characteristics of their ancestors.

This song gives distinction to the old house and to Teay's Valley, which is not possessed by the mere legend that Edgar Allen Poe wrote "The Raven" at the old Hansford house. Mr. Joseph Chilton presented to me an old book in which he has preserved the song, "Lorena". Mr. Ruffner has the same song, but not all the verses, and it is not so interesting by reason of the local legend connecting with Teay's Valley and the Kanawha Valley.

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All this is an interesting local matter, and the song is very beautiful. I have not seen it for many years, and I take great pleasure in writing this little article and I am enclosing the words for preservation in newspaper columns.

LORENA.

The years creep slowly by, Lorena
The snow is on the grasa again,
The sun's low down the sky, Lorena,
The frost gleams where the flow'rs have been.
But the heart throbs as warmly, now,
As when the summer days were nigh,
Oh, the sun can never dip so low
- A'down affection's cloudless sky.

A hundred months have passed, Lorena,
Since last I held thy hand in mine,
And felt that pulse beat fast, Lorena,
Tho' mine beat faster far, than thine.
A hundred months, 'Twas flow'ry May,
When up the hilly slope we climed.

We loved each other then, Lorena,
More than we ever dared to tell;
And what we might have been, Lorena,
Had but our lovings prospered well--
But then, 'tis past, the years are gone,
I'll not call up their shadowy forms:
I'll say to them, "lost years sleep on.
Sleep on, nor heed life's pelting storm."

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The story of that past, Lorena,
Alas, I care not to repeat,
The hopes that could not last Lorena,
They lived, but only lived to cheat.
I would not cause e'en one regret
To rankle in your bosom, now;
For, "if we try, we may forget"
Were words of thine long years ago.

Yes, these were words of thine, Lorena,
They burn within my memory yet;
They touched some tender chords, Lorena,
Which thrill and tremble with regret.
'Twas not thy woman's heart that spoke;
Thy heart was always true to me;
A duty stern and pressing broke
The tie which linked my soul with thee.

It matters little now, Lorena,
The past is in the eternal Past,
Our heads will soon lie low, Lorena,
Life's tide is ebbing out so fast.
There is a Future. O, thank God,
Of life this is so small a part;
'Tis dust to dust beneath the sod;
But there, up there, 'tis heart to heart.

Will of John Handley II

In the name of God, Amen, December the twenty-fourth, in the year of our Lord Christ, One Thousand, Eight Hundred and Ten ~~and~~ John Handley, of the County of Monroe and State of Virginia, being weak in body but of perfect memory, and calling to mind the mortality of the body and that it is appointed for all men once to die, I have thought fit to make this my last Will and Testament in the manner and form following, that is to say, first, I recommend my soul to God who gave it, and my body to the earth, to be buried in a decent and Christianlike manner and for these ~~earthly~~ goods or estate which God far above my deservings, has bestowed upon me, I dispose of as followeth, that is to say, first, I allow all my earthly debts to be paid, and Secondly, I allow my son William one dollar to be raised out of my goods after my decease, and Thirdly I allow my son John one dollar to be raised as above and Fourthly, I allow my daughter Margaret Clark and Sarah Keyes the price of a negro woman and child the woman's name Teab, but said negro woman is to choose her master and my Executors is to make the best contract they can with him for said negroes on behalf of my said daughters by giving one year's credit, and if said Executors cannot get what they think a reasonable price from said Master so chosen by said negro, then they are to sell her to any other for the best price they can get allowing the credit above. Fifthly, I allow my daughter Nancy Aken, a negro girl by the name of Liddy. Sixthly, I allow my son James a negro boy by the name of Peter. Seventhly, I allow my son, Alexander a negro boy by the name of Jake. Eighthly, I allow my Daughter, Betsy Walker a negro girl by the name of Eamy. Ninthly, I allow my son Archibald one hundred acres of my land, including the place where he formerly lived, and to begin at a red oak corner betwixt Patterson's and me

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at the corner of the field next^x Pattersons, and thence to run a straight line to the West corner of my field that joins a field cleared by said Archibald, thence along the division fence between said fields forty poles, thence along my fence to ist east corner; thence the course that will include the quantity. Tenthly, I allow my son, Samuel, a piece of land where he formerly lived, being the same where my son, Isaac now lives, and to begin at a red or Spanish oak, corner betwixt me and my son John on a hill side above the Smith shop, thence running bynhe front of said shop and to continue along the lane before the door where the said Isaac now lives a straight course until it strikes the line betweixt me and Samuel Clark, thence along Clark's line to Ewing's and with Ewings to my said son, Johns, and with his to the Beginning. And, Eleventhly, I allow my son Isaac the ballance of the plantation whereon I now live, to be bounded by the lijes of Archibald and Samuel, as before described in this Will, but my widow is to have her living her lifetime off it; and after her decease when he gets fill posession of the said land he is to pay my son, Samuel, one hundred dollars worth of good property. Twelvethly, I allow my grandson, John Masten, when he comes of age a Horse and saddle worth fifty dollars, and a suit of clothes from head to foot. Thirteenthly, I allow Mary my well beloved wife, her living her lifetime, of my land where I now live and a negro girl named Tilda; said negro to be at her disposal at her death with her choice of the mairs and also her choice of the work horses and a year old filly formerly claimed by her. Also, her choice of Three of the Cows and Calves and ^{one} ~~one~~ steer with her saddle and bridle and all her wearing apparel, and zll the farming tools and the household and kitchen furniture, together with all the sheep

and hogs and poltre and the barn and Jacklings, and the grain in the barn with the other provisions laid up for consumption, and if there should be any of the aforesaid property left or remaining after her death except the negro before left to her disposal, it is to be sold and equally divided among my Legatees. And, Fourteenthly, I allow my son John and my son-in-law Samuel Clark the mountain place at Peter's Mountain joining a survey made for John Beechly and one made for George Hutchison and the land of William Brown, equally betwixt them. Fifteenthly, I allow my sons William Archibald and Isaa Bostic land so soon after my death as they can obtain a right for the same, to be equally divided betwixt them. And, Sixteenthly, I appoint my wife, and my sons Archibald and John Executors to this, my last Will and Testament, and I allow them to sell a negro man ~~named~~ by the name of Dave, and the ballance of the Horses and Cattle, and every other article or piece of property not otherwise disposed of in this my will for the best price that can be had by giving twelve months credit, and if there should be any money left after paying my debts, and the legal Expense of Executing this, my last Will they are to pay Ten Pounds if so much left, to my Widdow, and if there should be any more left, I allow it to be equally divided amongst all my Lgeatees, this and no other I allow to be my last Will and Testament Given under my hand and seal the day next precede after the first day and date above written.

John Handley, Executor.

N.B. The word, Archibald,

was interlined before signed,

Acknowledgement in the presence of

J. H. Handley,

James C. Fristy,

Joseph Ewing.

(Return to J.S. Handley,
Teays, W. Va.)

*Return to
J. S. Handley
Teays Valley*

Morgan Grantees

Deed Bk. 6 p. 109

May 16, 1835, James I. Watson
of New York, for \$23, deeds to
John Morgan Jr. and Robert
Morgan, of Cabell Co., 92 a.,
on the Right Hand Fork of
Twelve Pole Cr., about 20 poles
N. W. of John Morgan's house,
Refund without, if ever con-
victed. James I. Watson
By William Buffington (Att.)

Deed Bk. 6 p. 247,

Sept. 12, 1836, William and
James Buffington, Executors of
Thos. Buffington, deed, for
\$60, deeds to Elijah H.
Morgan and Peter Scales, by
sale of certain lands, to be
sold by Will of sd. Thomas B.,
Morgan & Scales, highest bidders,
deed to them, on the E.
side of Guyandotte Creek, and
on road leading up Guyandotte
river, corner to lot purchased
by John Everett Jr., thence up
on the E. side of sd road,
etc. up about 40 rods

to the line of sd. Everetts land
near the bridge below said
Everetts house, with his line
about 40 poles, etc. $1\frac{1}{2}$ acres.

(Morgan lived in Guyandotte
by Census of 1840, no doubt,
on this land.)

Deed Bk. 6 p. 361

Feb. 6, 1835, between James
Wells, and Sarah, his wife,
late Sarah Morgan, of Columbiana
Co., O., and John Morgan, of
Allegheny Co., Pa., in consider-
ation of the equalizing money
for the premises hereafter men-
tioned and \$50, etc., deed
200 acres, part of Lot 29,
Savage Grant, allotted to
Christian Baumgardner, who
conveyed to James McCormick,
who conveyed to Charles
Morgan, by his last will
and testament, dated May
6, 1800, recorded in
Allegheny Co., Pa., who did
devise said 200 acres to
Sarah Morgan

and decreed by Chancery Suit
by Superior Court, in Chancery,
to ~~Sarah Wells~~, James Wells and
Sarah, his wife, late Sarah
Morgan, in the right of the
said Sarah, to the said
John Morgan, etc.

Deed Bk. 6 p 363

June 29, 1836, Simon and
Mary Morgan, of Richland Co.,
Ohio, for \$3300, deed to
John Morgan, of Allegheny Co.,
Pa., for + 25 a., in Cabell
Co., part of Lot 29, allotted
to Christian Baumgardner, etc.,
by decree of Superior Court
in Chancery, etc., July 21, 1820,
John Landley Feb. 1, 1821, did
sell, "for the equalization
money, etc., did sell, etc. and
recorded in Cabell Co., etc.

Read Bk. of p. 480

May —, 1840, John Landley, appt.

by decree of the Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery, for Augusta County, in a suit between William Coleman and others Plaintiffs, and David Morgan, Thos. Buffington and others defendants, of the first part, and John Morgan, of the second part, it was decreed that the said John Landley, as Com. appt. for that purpose, should collect from the proprietors of Sunday lots, originally patented to John Savage, etc., John Houston, and Christian Baumgardner, and others, the sum of \$2900, ratably from the holders of the paying? lots, and sold out, in 1821, and if not paid, Landley after March 17th, 1838, to sell the said lots, or parts of lots, so chargeable, after having advertised, etc., & by a previous decree — July 1820

whereas, 400 a., of Lot 28, Charable
with \$374 (designated on a plat of
partition, filed with the papers,
in this cause, & sold in 1821,
and was granted to John Houston,
and situated on the Ohio River,
at the mouth of Big Sandy, &
purchaser failing to pay John
L., as Com., sold at Public
auction, (after advertising) at
the C.H., June 22, 1838, 210 a.,
being the balance not sold in
1821, John Morgan became the
purchaser for \$324.20, he being
the only bidder, "situated on
the upper side of said lot."
Recorded June 13, 1840

Deed Bk. 7 p. 481

Similar to above, possibly
a duplicate
210 a. Part of Lot 28,
upper side

Deed Bk. 15 p. 495

Dec. 15, 1866, Thos. J. Jenkins,
& Susan, his wife,
for \$4700, deeds a., to
John M. Morgan, of Wetzel County,
on the Ohio River, about 5
miles above the Guyandotte,
river.

Req. at a stake on the Ohio
river, cor. of the land belonging to
the heirs of D. D. Holderby, 1840.

Deed Bk. 17 p. 428

John M. Morgan & Dyke Bowen
purchase a farm on the
Ohio River, just above the
mouth of Sevenmile,

Deed 17 p. ~~428~~ 46

Dec. 27, 1870, the above
parties, by a deed of partition
divide above land, each
keeping his share

See Deed Bk. 24 p. 222, for
data on "Billy" Walker's wife.
Read carefully.

Deed Bk. 24 p. 242

Nov. 8, 1882, John M.
Morgan purchases land
above the Wm. Jenkins land,
on the Ohio

Deed Bk. 2 p. 201.

Deed Bk. 9 p. 446

April 19, 1849.

Robert and Emily Morgan,
John and Martha "
of Cabell Co., for \$
deed to Henry Medders, of
New York, 92 a., on
the right hand fork of
Fair Pole, beg. about 20
poles northwest of John
Morgan Sr's house

Deed Bk. 21 p. 60

June 2, 1879, John M. Morgan
of Lawrence Co. Ohio, for \$16,800,
deeds to Edmund Kyle, three
tracts of land, on the Ohio
River and Seven Mile

1. A tract deeded to him
by Thos. J. Jenkins and wife.
Dec 15, 1866. (Deed Bk A-1, p. 495)

2. A tract deeded by a
partition deed made by sd.
Morgan and Dyke Bowen, Dec.
27, 1870 (Deed Bk. 6 p. 46)

3. Deed from Susan L.
Jenkins, et al, by deed dated,
Aug. 21, 1874 (Deed Bk. F. p. 257)

All 3 deeds in one deed

Beg. at a stake "just
above the mouth of
Seven Mile Creek", cor. to
Dyke Bowen, (extends back
to the "military line" and
with it till it turns
toward the Ohio river, and
up same, at low water
mark to beg. - 472 acres

Deed Bk. 11 p. 101

July 1, 1853, John Morgan, in consideration of certain debts, gives a deed of trust to Albert Laidley, on personal property:

- 1 Black man
- 1 Red Cow, etc.

Showing that a slave was considered personal property the same as a cow, etc., and could be sold at auction the same way. John Williams of Hanging Rock named, indicating John Morgan may have come from that section.

Deed Bk. 19 p. 100.

Feb. 18, 1876, ^{Andrew J.} John Morgan, for \$ _____, deeds to Sarah E. Morgan, 100 a. situated in the Hopkins Survey, and deeded to sd Morgan by Frank Schmiedl and Anna, his wife Dec. 23, 1874 (Deed Bk.

Deed Bk. 30, p. 517

Dec. 11, 1888, F. B. Enslow, Com.
sold a Green Bottom Farm
formerly owned by John M. Morgan
to Joseph Harshbarger. It
seems Morgan had sold same
to Thomas A. King, and he
failed to pay for either
it or the taxes, hence, the
land was sold.

Begins in "Spurlocks Field"
S. E. corner of the Wm. A.
Jenkins farm. Reaches
the Jackson's line, and
that of J. J. Jenkins, ^{deed} etc.

Deed to King April 6, 1887.

It was same sold to Morgan
for purchase money and
taxes.

Isaac Estle Handley (Hanley)
508, Washington Ave.,
23928

I was b. April 1880. son of
Levi Hanley.

b. d. Aug. 22, 1928
m. Clarissa Beams at 85
of Burlington, Ohio. d. Aug. 31, 1928
at 87

Buried at Spring Hill.

* My gr. father was
Isaac E. Hanley (no relation to
others. Spelled
name Hanley)
m.

See monument in
Spring Hill.

Come in afternoon

Mrs. A. B. Neighborgall
26684

See after Christmas:

Chas. H. Handley — 26207
b. March 5, 1889.
m.

b.
son of John W. Handley.

m. Mahelda Beckett dau
of Emma Beckett

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my gr. father was
William Handley

Howard ^{Charles} Handley 28627
b. Jan. 6 1906, ~~Jan~~ Dec. 13, 1950
Son of Owen Handley of
Hurricane ~
m. Gertrude Chapman

gr. father was
Charles Handley of Teays
Valley. d. 1944.
Call later.

Dec. 13, 1930 Mrs. Regina Handley 23186
Does not answer.

Dec. 13 - W. Carlton Handley 44485

C. R. Handley 29483
Born and raised in Pittsburg
Not related

H. L. Handley
25509

See J. E. Handley 508 Wash. Ave.

See Mrs. Pearle Bromley
wife of Wm. Bromley
of Louisa, Ky
She was a Handley

J. Shelby Handley 24413.
b. Oct 3 1880

Call later son of Patrick Henry Handley
who lived at Upland
Mason Co. He m.
Julia Day, dau. of
Hugh Day

My gr. father?
Following were his children:
My uncles &
Augustus A.
John
Theodore

Uncles & Aunts

Sarah
m. Sam Carroll

Jennie

Susie m. Henry Russell
of Huntington

Will of Robert E. Morgan
Will Bk. 16 N 254 Cabell Co
Dec. 21, 1943

All to wife
Jennie Wingo Morgan
her life time. Then to
his three sons;

Robert Herbert Morgan, now
serving, in the U.S. Air Force,
~~in England~~ navy

Rex Anderson Morgan, now
serving in the U.S. Air Force
in England

Everett Ray Morgan, now
serving in the U.S. A/c, in
Shreveport, La. — They to
divide equally

Witnesses

G. G. Bartlett

Chas. J. Morgan

Probated Aug. 23, 1947, by
Jennie Morgan.

Will of P. E. Morgan, Huntington

Wife: Mollie, all my stock
in Cline Lumber Co. -
valued at \$9000, face value,
pers. property, insurance,
etc.

House - 424 Washing
ton Ave.

Two daus. - Ruby and
Joyce.

House has a deed of
trust on it, but same
is not to be sold until
younger is 21, and all
3 are agreed. Each is
get ~~half~~ one third.

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Will of Chloe Edith Morgan
(Wife of John M. Morgan of
Greenbottom)

Will Bk. 6, p. 319

April 14, 1903

After all other bequests
are paid, residue to "my
beloved sister Carrie G. Wylie.

To Eustacia M. Eaton \$500,

" Gertrude L. Sprouse \$500

" John R. Cusack, or
his wife if I should
survive him \$300

" Agnes A. Gardner \$100

" Sadie Irene Fellure
Should she survive \$100
me, otherwise it
is to lapse.

Probated
May 22, 1917.

Carrie G. Wylie to be
executrix.

Witnesses:

J. J. Prichard

Mrs J. F. Cavendish

Codicil - Under date of Aug. 19, 1916,
she makes a "codicil" - a mere note to
her sister - that she wants each of the
children to have \$1000 will stock - names
Ruth, Chloe Edith, and Howard (also 21)

Cabell Co.

Will of Charles Morgan
Will Bk. 6 p. 24

Aug. 1, 1911, I Charles Morgan
of the City of Huntington,

All real estate etc to
"my dear wife,
Lucy Morgan, for her
natural life, and all rents
due, etc. "at my death" and
then to her daughter-in-
law,

Louisa Clemmie Garrett,
of Louisa, Virginia

Geo. W. Winston of Huntington
to be my executor, "my friend."

Witnesses:

Walter Franklin.

Henry Housen.

Probated Oct. 7, 1913,

F. J. McCullough by
R. E. Thornburg Depu

Cabell County

Anna Morgan
m. Wm. Stapleton
1934 (5-294)

Index 4

Thomas Morgan
m. Mrs. Anna Mae Terry
1947 (6-206) 5129

John Edgar Morgan
m. Frances Lorraine Curmille
1947 (6-218) 5425

Robert S. Morgan
m. Mrs. Alice Perry Nelson
1948 (6-221) 5496

Nancy Swan Morgan 22
m. Reps Osborne Robertson Jr.²³
Oct. 2, 1948 (6-238) 5917
He b. Henrico Co

Dorothy Ann Morgan 25
m. Edward Andrew Sigler³⁹
Dec. 10, 1949 (6-262) 6523

Alice Mae Morgan 16
m. Paul Edward Conner 19
Jan. 30, 1950 (6-266) 681
She b. Lawrence Co.
Married at Lesage

All

Morgan Marriages Cabell Co.

Elijah Morgan

m. Mabel E. Russell

Feb. 23, 1835

J. F. Morgan

m. Mary Jones

1872 (2-26)

Kate M. Morgan

m. Franklin L. Noyes

June 13, 1878

Charles Morgan (Col)

m. Mary Brown (Col)

Jan 24, 1883

Morgan M. Morgan

m. Jennie W. Lewis

Dec. 6, 1886

All to 1892

1892-1937

Charles Morgan m. Lucy Garre

1893 (2-112) Colored

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J. Morgan
m. A. Milstead
1898 (2-144)

Jos. A. Morgan 21
m. Minnie J. Moore 21
Aug. 16/1899 (2-153) at Bill
He b. Pulham Co.

S. Morgan
m. M. Johnson
1901 (2-174)

Richard Morgan
m. Laura Scott
1903 (2-198) (Col.)

O. L. Morgan
m. Mrs. Pearle K. Plummer
1904 (2-203)

Curtis Morgan
m. Mrs. Mary L. Zeller
1910 (3-32)

Benj. J. Morgan
m. Mary Miller (3-105)

Harry C. Morgan
m. Ruth M. Simms Simms
1918 (3-117)

Joseph Mc L. Morgan
m. Lillian O. Crudorff
1919. (3-130)

Otto Morgan
m. Mrs. Mary Ellett
1919 (3-131)

Nathan Morgan
m. Mrs. Beatrice Waynes
1920 (3-146)

John Morgan
m. Irma Smith
1922 (3A. 114)

James H. Morgan 22
m. Mary Ann Swann 21-1-
June 22, 1923 (3A. 116)

Jackson Morgan
m. Edna E. Adkins
1925 (4-201)

Jess E. Morgan
m. Margaret M. Gillispie
1925 (4-201)

Leon Morgan
m. Irene Rutledge
1926 (4-203)

John Joseph Morgan
m. Aldine E. Frame
1927 (4-205)

Harry Morgan
m. Fay Colvin
1932 (4-216)

Geo. L. Morgan
m. Mrs. Nannie Kyle
1932 (4-216)

Lewis Morgan
m. Audrey Harbour
1935 (5-207)

Edward M. Morgan
m. Lillie Ritchie
1935 (5-207)

Jackson E. Morgan
m. Mrs. Viola H. Plant
1936 (5-208)

Jennings Morgan
m. [unclear] 1936 (5-209)

From 1937-1950
Males: - none in Index 3.

Females:

Nancy Morgan
m. Ralph M. Dewey
1943 (6-91) - 2252

Joyce Morgan
m. William H. Forester
1943 (6-94) 2307

Mrs. Ellen Riggs Morgan
m. Charley Lattin
1945 (6-146) 3624

Margery Morgan
m. Douglas Peters
1946 (4-186) 4608

All in Index 3

Index 4 - from 1892-1937
Mattie Morgan
m. John L. Bowen
1896 (2-127)

Hester Morgan
m. Amos Evans 1 2-14
1898 Colored

M. Morgan
m. M. R. Carpenter
1900 (2-159)

Mary Morgan
m. A. Stapleton
1903 (2-209)

Daisy Morgan
m. Samuel Bowles
1903 (2-207) Col.

Minnie Morgan
m. (Col.)

Mrs. Eliza Morgan
m. Henderson Osburn
1910 (3-33)

Lara P. Morgan
m. L. Milton Burgess
1919 (3-124)

Sarah Oetha Morgan
m. David Allen Ford
1920 (3-141)

Gladys N. Morgan
m. Herman W. Crady
1922 (3 a-26)

Cora C. Morgan
m. Edw. H. Lowe
1923 (3a-10)

Mabel L. Morgan
m. Elmer W. Canterbury
1925 (4-23)

Clara L. Morgan
m. Edward L. Zilman
1925 (4-68)

Essie Morgan
m. Ulysses Davis
1928 (4-79) Col

Charlene Morgan
m. Mercer C. Mc Pherson
1925 (4-234)

Mrs. Winnie Morgan
m. Stanley Hensley
1929 (4-143)

Ruth Irene Phyllis Morgan
m. Charles Edward Porter
1930 (4-255)

Macil H. Morgan
m. Paris J. Barr
1931 (4-28)

Adriene Morgan
m. Raymond L. Chilwood
1931 (4-58)

Arloa Morgan
m. Joseph C. Wood
1931 (4-357)

Ruby Jane Morgan
m. Harold B. Davies
1932 (4-86)

Application of
James Leonard Vickers, 28 yrs
of age (in)

on record of Lieutenant
Thomas Thornburg b. in Shepherds-
town Sept. 9, 1752, died in
Shepherdstown, May 10, 1793

James L. Vickers b. in
Huntington, Jan. 30, 1899, son
of Robert ~~Edw~~ Vickers b. Dec. 3, 1857,
wife, Victoria Thornburg Vickers,
b. 7-21-67, married 2-18-1890
Grandson of James Lewis Thornburg
b. 10-28-35 d. 8-24-1904
and his wife, Virginia Frances
Handley Thornburg, b. 10-29-1838,
d. 3-16-58. Great gr. son
of Solomon Thornburg b. 6-17-
1791, died 12-30-1854.
his wife Mary Magdalene Staley
b. 1-13-1798 d. 12-30-54
m 1-28-1813

Son of Thos. Thornburg
b. 9-9-1752 d. 5-10-93.
and his wife, Prudence
Collins Thornburg d. Dec. 1808

Prudence (Collins) m. 1785
Great great great grandson
of Thomas Thornburg b. Oct. 1789
d. and his wife

Sarah Shepherd Thornburg
b. 1736 d. 10-18-1780
married 1751

Gr.-Gr.-Gr.-Gr- Grandson
of Thomas Shepherd b. 1705
d. 1776 and his wife
Elizabeth Van Metre Shepherd
b. 1715 d. 1793 m. 1733

5 Gr. gr son of John Van Metre
b. 10-14-1685 d. 1745
and his wife Margaret
Van Meter b. d.

m. 1710, And he the
said Thos. Thornburg No. 4
who asst. in establishing
American Independence while
acting in the capacity of
Lieutenant.

James Leonard Vickers
Johns Hopkins
Medical School - Baltimore

Thornborough
Thornberry
Thornburg

Application filed
3-28-1927

Service Record

In "Historic Shepherdstown" by
Haukai Dandridge p. 252 - & 353,
Thomas Thornburg is shown as a
private in Virginia militia
raised at Shepherdstown, Va.,
as proven, in an article printed
at Shepherdstown, Va. Register,
Feb 8, 1858 in "Virginia
Militia in the Revolutionary
War" by J. S. (?) McCallister
Section 255 p. 190. It is
proven that on May 15, 1781,
Thomas Thornburg was recom-
mended by the County Court
of Berkeley County for the
Office of Lieutenant under
J. Swearingen.

In a manuscript
volume of auditors account
XV p. 6595

Richmond, Va. 24th of
Oct. 1783, Sundry acct;
(Dr to J. A. I. ?)
Militia

Warrant to Thomas Thorn-
burg for his services in the
militia, in 1781, as Lieut.
+2 20, 11, 18 (26 Nov 81?)

Full name of wife of
James Leonard Vickers was
Margaret Dorathea Craighill
(No children listed at date
in 1927)

"En route to Camp at
San Francisco when armistice
was signed in World War
Conducted Military Training
at John Hopkins University -
a Culver (?) graduate

James Leonard Vickers
Sworn To March 25, 1927

Personal for F.B.L.

See service of Abraham
Swartout of N.Y. State, see
application of Carlyle
Dennis Pickens.

See Application
of Lynn Sedgwick
Horner,
Clarksburg,
at Bill Daniel

Also see application
Vance Leslie Horner, descendant
of John Horner, b. at Trenton, N.J.
Oct. 27, 1750 - d. 1819.

Samuel Horner 1724-1766
m. 1745, Mary Leonard

Label
Handley Marriages
1892-1937

Males

(
(ycurgus) Handley

m. H. L. Burge ("Hattie")

1892 (2-103)

F. W. Handley
m. F. A. Sanders

1895 (2-121)

Geo. J. Handley

m. S. E. Fields

1895 (2-121)

Geo. H. Handley

m. Sadie m. Ray

1895 (2-129)

J. W. Handley

m. Ella Lorison

1898 (2-143)

John K. Hanley

m. Blanche Osbury

1900 (2-161)

J. ^{Paul} E. Hanley

m. M. M. Howell

1901 (2-172)

R. L. Hanley

m. A. W. Whittington

1904 (2-202)

Claud Hanley
m. Inez Mc Kenney
1906 (2-221)

Samuel L. Handley
m. Mrs. Mabel C. Word
1907 (3-3)

Knide Handley
m. Kate J. Martin
1908 (3-13)

Charley Handley
m. Beulah N. Conner
1914 (3-71)

Chas. H. Handley
m. Bertha Insko
1914 (3-72)

Shelton Handley
m. Allene K. Stevens
1922 (3A-78)

Robert H. Handley
m. Esther J. Lixon
1923 (3A-80)

Francis R. Handley
m. Regina Puckel
1923 (3A-8)

John W. Handley
m. Mrs. Hattie Bowles
1931 (4-146)

Layke Handley
m. Clara Long (4-148)
1932

Levi Handley
m. Ansdra Austin
1934 (5-138)

Dallis E. Handley
m. Mary E. Blackwood
1936 (5-142)

Ira Handley
m. Arguerite White
1936 (5-142)

All males to 1936
Females to 1936

F. Handley m. Wm. Jordan
1893 (2-109)

Vergie A. Handley
m. Wm. E. Angus
1908 (3-10)

Mamie Handley
m. Edgar Sunderland
1913 3-64

^{jr}
Carrige L. Handley
m. Henry E. Schade
1917 3-108

Virginia L. Handley
m. Alvah Neighborgall
1922 (3 A-128)

Hassie Handley
m. Geo. H. Mayse
1925 4-201

Mrs. Allene S. Handley
m. Ivan B. Kiser
1925 (4-175)

Bertha A. Handley
m. Richard Jr. Covington
1926 (4-45)

Bulah M. Handley
m. Edwin L. Murrill
1927 (4-205)

Lena May Handley
m. Harry C. Martin
1931 (4-214)

Rosalie Handley
m. Earl F. Lake
1936 5-194

Mrs. Blanche Handley
m. Waller R. Slary
1931

All Females To 1936.

Handley Wills
Cabell Co.

William S. Morgan d. Nov. 22, 1946
Aug. 11, 1944.

Probated Nov. 26, 1946

Wife: Mary E. Morgan

Sons:

J. Hanly and
Wm. S. Morgan Jr.

Farm on which he
resided was on the Kanawha
River, Arbuckle Dist., Mason Co.

Gives son Wm. S. Morgan Jr.
\$30000.

Dan. Creatha Morgan Foard

To his 4 gr. children:
\$10000 each

To David A. Foard Jr.

Dorothy Ann Morgan

Nancy Swan Morgan

James Hanly Morgan Jr.

Residue, if any, among
his two sons.

Has confidence in his sons
but requests them to take
care of their "dear mother."
Sons, executors

Roy Albert Doss
Rv. 2 Biville, W. Va.

I was b. March 18, 1890

son of John Edmond Doss

b. July 10, 1856

d. Jan. 28, 1931

m. Gertrude Blankenship,

b. Jan. 20, 1868

d. Jan. 4, 1941.

Dau. of Rev. Marlin J.

Blankenship who m. Almeda

Topping, bro. to John Jeff, Reese,

& "Dock". (Dock & John were
Children: bachelors.)

Roy b. 3-18-90

Pearle Miriam Doss

b. April 5, 1889

d. April 12, 1913

m. Alfus Thompson
(1st wife)

Two children:

1. Marco Edmund Thompson

b. Oct. 25, 1909

m. Ruby Swiley,

dau. of Harve
Swiley of Fall Cr.

whose wife is
living above Fall
Cr. & below Guya
Valley High (midway
between)

2. Oleta Thomson

b. Feb 12(?) 1909.

(Valentine day

I married Hattie Chambers,
b. Dec. 29, 1892, dau.
of Christopher Columbus
Chambers & Laura Ballard
Chambers (Parents of Lee Ch.)

One son,

Paul ^{hham} ~~Marcus~~ Bloss

b. June 28, 1915

d. Oct. 12, 1918

John Bloss was son of
Joseph L. Bloss and }
Eliza Bryant, } from
near Rocky Mount, Franklin
County (County Seal, but
lived a few miles out.
John L. Bloss, was in the
Confederate Army, and had
pneumonia from exposure,
and died of I. B.

Grandmother, Eliza moved
at the beginning of the
war, moved Dublin, Montgomery
Co., then from Dublin, to
Cabell County with four
boys and two girls.

They never left Franklin Co. till after
War.

1. John ~~E.~~ Doss (oldest)

2. Larkin Doss. Single
died of T.B. contracted
from measles
b. about 1858

3. Julius T. Doss,
b. About 1860

d. About 1940.

Buried at Wilson?
Cemetery on Pea Ridge
m. Maggie Dodd, sister
to John Dodd.
Children: 3 boys & 1 girl.

Cline — Lives 1 st beyond
Biville toward Biville
m. Marie Wilson, dau
of Charles Wilson, died

Harvey m.

Topping,

dau. of Medley Topping
died. Lives at the
Country Kitchen, on Rte 10
about 5 mi out

Henderson

m.

Hunkle

dau. of Wm. Hunkle
Lives on Oakland Ave.

Edith — Single

Has a furniture
store on 8th St.,
bet. 8th & 9th Ave
(Doss & Carpenter)

Hennis Bryant was a brother
to Eliza Bryant Hoss
Hennis m.

I don't

know who or where.

~~Joseph L. and Eliza Bryant
Hoss had following children:
John Edmond Hoss
Larkin Hoss
Joseph~~

4. Lee Hoss (Joseph Lee)
b.

d.

about 1940

m. Gertrude
in Ohio.

Lawrence Co.?

Several children
Gertrude lives on
Richmond St. near
Flood Wall.

5. Elizabeth (Betty)

m. Frank Morrison of
Boaters Cr.

6. Anna Hoss

m. Jasper Childers,
bro. to Henry Childers, and
Childers.

One dau.

m. Lacy Patton

Queries. Who were the following?

John Handley²⁹ who married
Sally White⁻³¹, March 5, 1833 Son of Robert.
and Nora
He b. Ireland
Thos. Harrison

Isaac Handley who m.
Eliza McCormick, Feb. 21, 1839

Stephen Spurlock.

James W. Handley m. Eliza — ?

Wm. A. Handley m. A. F. (West)? ^{deceased?}
Had 6 children who d. early.
Sister to Harrison's wife

✓✓ Susan Handley, 16 - b. 1859 (da. Harrison)

m. John Acres 22 b. 1855
May 23, 1875.

✓✓ Samuel L. Handley b. May 28, 1849
m. Mary F. Sheff, b. April 21, 1854
Dec. 28, 1876

He 27 yrs. 7 mos. She 22-8-7

✓✓ Eva A. V. Handley 22 (da. Charles)
m. Joe Switzer 26 bro to Rufus.
March 6, 1884

Address - Eaton, Ohio.

✓✓ Olga Handley 20, dau John & Eleanor
m. J. Alfred Buckner 31 of
Mergs Co. O., son of David &
Martha Buckner. He resident
of Wood Co. A labourer

Ernest O. Handley son of J. G. L. Handley.

Sampson Handley's will was
contested by

Famie Wright - Daughter
Feb. Ada Hick - gr. dau.
Lizzie ^{Summers} ~~Sampson~~ - Who?
Dora Rice - dau. Warren?

Was Charley who d. early a
son?

Will dated March 30, 1888.

Pulnam Co - Will of Albert G. Handley

Names his children:

✓✓✓ Feb. 18, 1895 Charles H. Handley
John H. "
Frank "

J. S. Handley's Will

Feb. 20, 1919

Children:

Lydia - dec'd

G. L. Handley

B. W. "

E. S. "

Shelton "

26684

Isaac Handley
still living — on Wash. Ave
on Crestmont Drive

Lee Handley lived in West Huntington

Chas H. says
Old John Morgan of Greenbottom
His widow survived him
He owned a farm there.
She was a Huntington ^{woman} man

April 19, 1917

See Will of Mary J. Handley
Husband?

Several children (8) gr. children.

Children { Julius, Sarah Sandree
Nelson, John, Lizzie Wright,
Lumie Rood, Charles, Jennie.

John & Sarah Handley Sebrell
Will of John - Feb. 15, 1849

John M. Handley m Sarah J.

Elizabeth Simmons d. Feb. 22, 1878,
on Guyan River. Dan. of Samuel
and Sarah Handley, and wife
of (William) Simmons, (father of Connelzie
etc.)

John Morgan d. on Greenbottom
May 25, 1892, of La Grippe, at 85
married (Death record Cabell Co.

Mr. A. M. McCorkle

m. Elinor S. Handley

3-22-53 A-196-Putnam Co.

He d. July 26, 1866, of T. B. at 66

Wife - Nancy (2nd?)

Charles L.

Addie 83 older says Chast/Th

Mrs Vickers 80 now "

Harvey - Detroit Living
Sect Nat. Casualty &
Accident Co

Ruth - Had a stroke.

Im Race Cemetery

A. J. Hanly

July 5, 1847 O.K.

Nov. 24, 1924

Clyde F. his wife

ELIZA F

Dec 25, 1848 Not correct.

July 24, 1907 9 mar 1925

B'ville Cemetery

Mary Luffin Thornburg -
1839-1922

Moses S. Thornburg

Feb. 20, 1829 1829

Oct. 7, 1907

Mary J. Thornburg

Aug. 25, 1833

Jan. 22, 1904

Daniel Love Cemetery

C. W. Handley.

Frances E. his wife 1834-1902

White Cemetery

S. side of No. 2
Mason Lane

Nancy G. Hamman wife of John Hamman
and dau of Jesse and
Elizabeth White

b. July 1, 1793

d. Aug. 27, 1854 at 61-1-27

Nancy Hamman wife of
R. & E. Wiley d. Nov. 18, 1853,
Aged 17-4-29 Verse.

In Wright Family graveyard
on Norway Ave. a few
hundred yds. East of Colored
Orphan's Home

Lon H., son of A.B. & S.C.

Mc Ginnis b. June 5, 1892

d. April 4, 1893

Allen B. Mc Ginnis

Dec. 25, 1866

April 4, 1893.

Mud River Church

Susan Handley (Sampson's)

b. July 27, 1804

d. Dec. 24, 1863

The Handleys

The Handley name has been spelled in various ways: Han-ly, Hanley, Handley, Handley, etc. John Handly, the progenitor of numerous Handly families in Putnam, Mason, and Cabell counties, was born about 1746, and died, in Union, Monroe County, March 13, 1811. His birthplace is unknown, but he was in Augusta County, in the time of the Revolutionary War. In 1768, he was married to Mary Harrison.

b. 1746

Burned in
old Guyandotte
Cemetery.
b. 1745-6

She died Dec. 4, 1829, aged 84 years. After the death of her husband, she came to Guyandotte, and lived until her death, with her son, Isaac Handly, whose home was on the site of the International Nickel Company. Two of her grandsons were hauling wood with an ox team. They ran away and she fell and broke her hip and died as a result. John Handly was a soldier of the Revolution.

Charles W. Thornburg, a lineal descendant, became a member of the Sons of the American Revolution, on the record of John Handly, and the reader is referred to his application, and also to Eckenrode p. 200. He served in Capt. John Vantress's Company, in Jefferson Co., under command of George Rogers Clark, was Lieutenant in 1782, and was made Major of the militia, by the first county court of Monroe County, held one mile east of the present Town of Union, May 22, 1799.

not of value

John and Mary Handly were the parents of five sons and two daughters. Reed Bk. G. p. 407, in the Kanawha County records, gives their names as follows:

Samuel Handly

Dorcas Handly

Erastus S. Hanly

John M. Handly

Mary Handly

Augustus A. Handly

Thomas E. Handly.

I. Samuel Handly was born about ~~1777~~ 1771, and died Aug. 5, 1851, in his 80th year. He was buried in the old Handly cemetery, at Teays, near his home, between Scary and Hurricane. On August 4, 1797, he was married to Sarah Walker Harmon, daughter of Mr. Thomas Walker, of Greenbrier County, where the Handleys lived, at that time, but later removing to Monroe County, Va., now West Virginia. Sarah was born, in 1779, and died, in Teays Valley, Oct. 14, 1854, "in the 75th year of her age."

She sleeps beside her husband,
in the family cemetery, at Teays.
They had a large family of
sixteen children.

a. Nelson Handley b. April 2, 1798

d.

m. Alitha ^{13 drum} "Letha"

They lived on the Kanaw-
ha River, at or near
Buffalo. The marriage
record found in
County, is as follows:

The Census of 1850, for
Mason County, gives
their children, as follows.

John 22 Labourer

Nancy 19

Lewis 17

Samuel 15

John A. 3 (Probably
a grandson -
J. B. L.)

Thomas Barum 84
(Probably the
father of "Alitha"-
"Letha")

b. Isaac Handley b. Oct. 13,
1799. He married Elizabeth
W. Brown, Oct. 27, 1829. She
was b. 1811 and d.

They had

the following children are
given in the 1850 census.

Sarah E. Handley 18

James Handley 17

Monroe Handley 14

Mary Handley 9

Anna Handley 6

Virginia Handley 4

Alexander Handley 2

c. Sampson Handley b. July 25/1801,
d.

He married, in Kanawha
County, Susan Webster
Billups, Oct. 2, 1823. She
was from Mason County.
He was a blacksmith
and kept a house
of entertainment, on the
old Kanawha Turnpike,
now Route 60, below
Bene Sulphur Springs
or ~~west of Culloden~~
and just ~~east~~ of Bene Sulphur.
He has many descend-
ants living in Cabell
County, and elsewhere.

Their children were:

1. Emily Handley June 23,
b. 1831 ~~Census 1829~~
d.

m. John W. Thorn.
b. 1833 ~~not 9 June 8, 1852~~
Census. burg son of Sal-
omon Thornburg, of
See Thorn. near Barboursville
burg Cemetery.

They were parents
of Susie ~~Moore~~,
who m. Charles M.
Moore.

Willa Florence Thorn-
burg m. John Cyren
who lived at the
old McComas house
in Barboursville.

Claude Thornburg
m. Ida Fox
Bertie m. Thos. B.
Summers (2nd wife
James B. Summers)

daughter of Moses Varnum &
Miller - Ohio
John McCullough
Thornburg m.
Jennie Varnum
Sister of J. J.
Thornburg's.

Lived at Jackson Co. O.
Children - 5 or more
Mrs. Julia Leslie,
at Foster Memorial
Home

2. William H. Handley
b. 1823. Census.

d.
m. Matilda Adaline

Cremons, Nov. 8, 1859

She was born 1832

and died

She was a daughter
of Moses and
M. Cremons.

3. Caroline M. Handley
b. 1827 (Census)

d.

m. Moses Shepherd
June 8, 1852
Thornburg, of
Guyandotte, son
of Hezekiah and
Rachel Thornburg

They had five
children:

Sally m. Moses Darling

One dau -
See Carl

Elizabeth m. Robt. K. Mayberry

He d. buried in
Highland Cemetery

Julia d. infancy. Buried
in Thornburg Cemetery

Willis - Single. Buried
High Lawn Cemetery

near Cross Roads

June (f) m. Floyd Eckman Lawyer
moved to Springfield, O.
6 children 4 girls & 2 boys

See later

License in report
annate

4. Elizabeth Handly
m. Warren Rhee

Children ^{oldest}
Dora - lived
with Lizzie
& Mat Sumner

37 & 23
when married
Lived in Guyandotte
He m-2

5. Ellen M. Handley
b. 1827

d.

m. Clark C.
Brammer. They
lived near the
Russell Creek
Bridge. Mr.
Brammer was
a shoemaker,
born in Lawrence
Co., Ohio, son of
J. and S. Bram-
mer. She and her
first and only
child died at

Adopted Ada
 Dick, dau. of
 A. J. Dick
 Adam. Arville Petit,
 One dau. P.
 Living in Pa.
 Fine girl

6. Frances ^(Fanny)
 Handley b. ¹⁸³⁵ ~~1827~~ ¹⁸²⁶
 m. James H. Wright,
 Feb. 1, 1854,
 of Sugandotte.
 He was a house
 joiner, and was
 born in Rockbridge
 County, Va. They
 had no children.
 He b. 1836.

7. Mary ^{Virginia} Handley
 b. ¹⁸³⁹ ~~1837~~ 1839
 d.
 m. Andrew J.
 Dick ^{Oct 28, 1864} They
 had one child,
 Ada Dick, who
 lived with Mrs.
 "Fanny" Wright.
 and went by
 the name of
 Ada Wright.
 A. J. Dick was
 b. in 1827.
 He had pre-
 viously mar-
 ried. He was
 son of Joseph
 and Eleanor
 Dick

(8. Charles Handley
 d. young)

d. April 3, 1883

d. Alex W. Handley, fourth
^{son} child of Samuel and
Sarah Handley, was
born April 1, 1803, and
d. April 3, 1883.

d. Oct. 26, 1906 married Eliza Sibley
Griffin, daughter of
Solomon Griffin, a
Tavern keeper of Charles-
ton, Va., now W. Va.,
and ~~brother~~ ^{brother} of John
W. Griffin of Cabell
County. They lived
on the old Handley
place at Cade Switch.
They had a large
family of eleven chil-
dren given in the
order of their births:

1. Charles W. Handley.
2. America Elizabeth Handley.
3. Alex. Griffin Handley.
4. Victoria Eliza Handley.
5. Virginia Frances Handley.
6. Henry Clay Handley.
7. Bernah Freylingmeyer Hand-
ley.
8. Sarah W. ("Sallie") Handley.
9. Frederick Geo. Lewis Handley.
10. John Samuel Handley.
11. Joseph Franklin Handley.

Charles Walker Handley, son of
Alex. W. and Eliza Griffin Handley,
~~was born Feb. 3, 1803, died April 3,~~
~~1880~~ was born Jan. 1, 1832
d. 1917. He married Frances
E. Love, daughter of Daniel Love,
June 4, 1857. A daughter,
Ana Handley married Joseph
Switzer, ~~brother~~ brother to Rufus
Switzer, the well known lawyer
of Huntington. Joseph Switzer
moved to Eaton, Ohio, and
probably died there.

America E. Handley, ^{b. Dec. 4, 1833} daughter
of Alex. W. and Eliza Griffin
Handley, brother to Mr. John
Seashole. They lived in Teays
Valley. She died in Charleston,
September, 1911, aged 77 yrs. and
9 mos. Isaac Seasholes was a
cabinet and coffee maker at Teays

A dau.
Emma A. L.
Seashole d.
Sept. 12, 1868
aged 6 mos. and
7 days. b.
March 5, 1868.

Alex
~~Eliza~~ Griffin Handley, ^{b. Feb. 21, 1836.} son of
Alex. W. and Eliza Griffin
Handley married Eliza Hen-
ning of Lewisburg. He served
in the Confederate army.
He served as a captain, and
his brother, Beniah, was a
private under him in Co. A.
22nd Virginia infantry of
Putnam and Kanawha counties
but never lived

Victoria Eliza Handley, daughter
of Alex. W. and Eliza Griffin
Handley, was born Oct. 29, 1838,
married Col. Napoleon B. Bowyer,
known as "Nat" Bowyer, Feb. 22,
1868. He and Cicero L. Bowyer
were brothers, sons of John and
Bowyer, of Winfield, W. Va.
Mrs. Bowyer died in Florida.
There were three sons in
this family, all of whom are
dead.

Virginia Frances Handley, daughter
of Alex. W. and Ediza Griffin
Handley, was born Oct. 29, 1838
and died . She married
James L. Thornburg, son of
Solomon and Mary Thornburg
of near Barboursville, Virginia
Frances and Victoria Ediza
Handley were sisters. The
children of James L. and Virginia
F. Handley were:

Mc Cullough Thornburg,
died Sept. 16, 1861, Age 1 mo. 2 da.

John David Thornburg died
April 22, 1867, age 2 yrs. 4 mos
and 3 days

Infant daughter born
and died Oct. 24, 1878

Victoria J. Thornburg, born
married Mr. R. E.
Thornburg. He was a well-
known physician and
surgeon of Huntington.

Addie Thornburg was
the oldest of the three
daughters, and Ruth
was the youngest.

Charles Lewis Thornburg
married Eula Green. They had
eight children, and many
grandchildren. He was an
amateur astronomer, and was
in charge of a college in

Pennsylvania.

James Harvey Thornburg, son of James L. Thornburg married first, Maggie Depew, and second Hella Drummond, of Guyandotte. He was an underwriter. He had two daughters. The family lived in Detroit, Michigan.

Henry Clay Handley, son of Alex. W. and Eliza Handly, was born May 28, 1841, and died Jan. 28, 1864, while a prisoner, at Camp Chase, Ohio, aged 22 yrs. and 8 months. He served, in the Confederate army, in Co. D. 8th Virginia Cavalry, under General McCausland.

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b. Sept. 8, 1843

Beniah Freylinggrysen Handley,
son of Alex. W. and Eliza ^{Sibley} Griffin
Handley. He was a private in
~~12. 18th Va. Cavalry, under McCausland~~
~~Co. A. 22nd Va. Infantry of~~
Putnam and Kanawha County
He died Dec. 9, 1859, at Union,
~~Lewisburg~~ ~~Monroe County~~, Feb. 25, 1863
The Federals would not permit
his body to be brought home,
hence, he was buried at
Lewisburg. He was not mar-
ried.

Corrected
He was in
Co. A. 22nd
etc.

Corrected. He
d. at Union

1846
b. April 8, 1846

Sarah W. ("Sallie") Handley, daugh-
ter of Alex. W. and Eliza Griffin
Handley, m. Cicero ^{"Pine Camp"} Lewis Bowyer.
Feb. 13, 1868
They lived at Winfield. After
the death of Mr. Bowyer, she
lived with her daughter
Mrs. John Miller, editor of The
Democrat. Mr. Bowyer was born
in the same house, Oct. 5, 1843,
and died Feb. 13, 1928, on their
wedding anniversary. He was
a son of John and Permelia
Brown Bowyer. His mother
had previously married Geo
Coffin of Lewisburg. C. L.
Bowyer is buried to the same

Frederick Geo. Lewis Handley, son
of Alex. W. and Eliza Griffin
Handley, was born June 13, 1849
He married Mary R. Morris,
April 27, 1869 "Mary Morris
was a daughter of Joe Morris
of Cabell County west of Hur-
ricane. Joe Morris was killed
while serving in the Rebel
army, in the Civil War. Fred
Handley lived at Scott Depot
where he was born. Mrs. Sallie
Hereford, wife of Dr. Hereford
of Huntington is his daughter".

John Samuel Handley, son of
Alex W. and Eliza Griffin Hand-
ley, was born Nov. 26, 1857.

He married Leah P. Love b. May
5, 1857, daughter of William A.
and Love, of Teays

Valley, June 4, 1878. John Samuel
("Sam") Handley, died April 22,
1919, aged 61 yrs. 3 months, and
27 days. Their children were:

Eliza Lamore Handley

b. Nov. 30, 1882

d. March 8, 1903.

Garland Handley

b. Nov. 24, 1885

Joseph Franklin Handley, son
of Alex. W. and Eliza Gruffin
Handley, died Dec. 9, 1859, of
aged diphtheria, aged 5 yrs.
8 mos. and 10 days.

~~Frederick S. L. Handley's~~
J. S. Handley's will made
Feb. 20, 1919, named the following
children:

Lydia Handley - de'd
G. L. "
B. W. "
E. S. "
Shelton "

e. Lewis Handly, fifth son of Samuel and Sarah Handley, was born Dec. 14, 1804, died June 25, 1829. He was buried in the old Guyandotte Cemetery, at the end of the Fifth Avenue Bridge, across the Guyandotte River. Any one who has ever visited this old cemetery can hardly fail to take time to read the inscription, on the tombstone over his grave. In memory of Lewis, son of S. and S. Handley, who met with a fatal accident, on board the Kanawha steamboat, with many of his fellow mortals, June 24th, and whilst his tender parents waited around him, full of grief, he expired June 25th, 1829, aged Twenty-four years.

f. James Handley, sixth son of
Samuel and Sarah Handley
was born Sept. 20, 1806

m. Eliza

A dau., b. 1842 ~~1847~~³

Virginia D. Handley,

m. Joseph H. Alexander

Dec. 24, 1863. He was

—27 years old, ^{she 21} son of

Geo. P. and Mary Alexander,

b. in Delaware Co.,

Pa. and resident of

Ashland Ky.

The Census of 1850

shows:

James W. Handley 38 b. Va.

Eliza 31 "

Mary E. 15 "

Frances 13 "

William 11 b. Mo.

Virginia (D) 8 "

Matilda 6 b. Va

Margaret 1 b. "

G. Margaret Handley, seventh child
and first daughter of Samuel
and Sarah Handly was born
Nov. 15 1808, d Dec. 29, 1840.
m. William A. Love (second wife)
Aug. 8, 1839

One daughter, Sarah
Margaret Love m. Charley
Shoemaker.

She b. Dec. 24, 1840

~~She b.~~ April 6, 1919

~~She d.~~

m. 1861 in
Pulham Co.?

He b. Feb. 16, 1836

d. Feb. 25, 1921

Sarah Margaret lived
made her home
with Connelzie Simmons,
brother to Sampson S.

h, Nancy Handley, eighth child,
and second daughter of Sam-
uel and Sarah Handley, was
born April 17, 1810.

M. John M Hampton, ^{Ed. 17, 1832} They
lived in Pillsburg. Mrs
Hampton brought their two
children to their grand-
parents, and they took
scarlet fever and died.
The disease was contradi-
cted from a letter.

v. John Handley, ^{b. 1815} ninth child
and seventh son of Samuel
and Sarah Handley, was born
August 15, 1811 d. March 21, 1852
m. Eleanor S. Summers, Jan 16, 1840
1842. b. 1822. (Census)

They had three children:

Olga Handley, ^{b. 1856}
d. Jan. 17, 1873

m. J. Alfred Buckner 31,
of Mingo Co. O., son of
David and Martha Buckner

Lycurgus Handley,
b. May 17, 1843,
d. at Huntington,
Oct. 17, 1918.

Lycurgus b. 1843

Samuel b. 1849

Olga b. 1856

m. I. Allie West, dau of
John West, of about 1 m. W. of
a dau. Gertrude of S. Cal.

I. Handley m. Joseph
Grippe, May 26, 1891
She 22. He 27. He
b. in Italy. She
was in the C. & O.
Hospital (By. st wif

Other children:

John - m. Lived
at Huntington &
drove street car
Sam - Huntington
Harry - " Single

King is said to have
m. 2.

m. 3 - Hattie Burge and
had a dau. —
Jennie First Handley,
so named because
she was his tenth and
her first child.

Samuel L. Handley 28-7-0
b. March 27, 1849
d. June 6, 1926, at
Yates Crossing, between
Ora and Milton

m. Mary F. Shoff
Dec. 28, 1876.
22-8-7.

m. 2.

z. Mary Handly, Tenth child
of Samuel and Sarah
Handley.

b. Feb. 7, 1813

d.

m.

Poindexler

See Dr. Poindexler.

k. Geo. W. Handley, eleventh
child of Samuel and
Sarah Handley was
born 1814

l. Harrison J. Handley, twelfth
child of Samuel and
Sarah ^{Ann Elizabeth} Handley, was born
Nov. 23, 1816, and
died

He married Sarah
Ann ^{Elizabeth} West, b.

d.

They married Nov. 23, 1843.

Children:

John W. Handley

b. 1824

d.

m. Louisa M. E. Beck
ett, March 14, 1883,
b. 1824, d.

Stonewall J. Handley

b. d.

m. Rebecca M. Beckett,
Dec. 1, 1887. She

b. 1829

d.

Jefferson Handley

b. 1828

d.

m. Mary E. Keaton
Dec. 24, 1885

b. 1830

d.

Nannie C. Handley, dau. of
Harrison and Sarah Ann Best
Hanley, was born April 17, 1810 ~~1826~~
d. ¹⁸³³ m. Henry C.
Clark to 1826.

Lee Hanly — said to be
a son of Harrison and
Sarah Ann Handley.

Susan Handley 16
m. John Acres, 22,
May 23, 1875

m. Martha J. Handly, thirteenth
child of Samuel and
Sarah Handly, was
born March 20, 1819

m. William Davidson
Nov. 20, 1850

They lived in Teays
Valley, at the home
of the late Charles S.
Handly. Peter E. Love
was raised at the
same place

Their children
were Sam, John,
and Sadie Davidson
Charles and William
Davidson. None of
them were married
but Sam, and all
lived to be very
old. These lived

on a fine farm
about a mile and
a half above Martha.
Sam Davidson m.

Nannie Kelley, dau.
of Sam Kelley. They
all belonged to the
Edmwood Baptist Church,
and were very fine
Christian people

A few years before
their deaths, John,
Charley and Sadie
Davidson, sold
their possessions
here and moved
to
Pennsylvania.

n. Elizabeth H. Handley, fourteenth child of Samuel and Sarah Handley, was born July 5, 1820

m. Cornwelzie Simmons
~~They were~~ ^{He was} brother of

Malinda Simmons
and

Sampson Simmons

Elizabeth died Feb. 22,
1878.

Cornwelzie Simmons
had no children

o. William Allison Handley
fifteenth child of
Samuel and Sarah Hand-
ley, was born May 25,

1822, d. Sept. 22, 1889.

He married ~~Edige~~ Adaline
b. May 25, 1810
J. West, sister to Harrison's wife.

Six of their children
died young and are
buried in the Handley
Cemetery, at Teays.

Lived west
of Scott Depot.

1. Annice E. Handley

b.

d. May 22, 1872,
at 2 yrs. 2 mos. and
22 days.

2. Sarah L. Handley

b.

d. Aug. 26, 1868,
at 16 yrs. and 2
mos.

3. Virginia A. Handley

b.

d. Aug. 18, 1868,
at 6 yrs. 2 mos.
and 2 days.

4. Leah W. Handley,
died Sept. 2, 1861,
at 1 yr. 2 mos. and
20 days.

5. Geo. N. Handley

b.

d. Aug. 26, 1868,
at 2 yrs. & 3 mos.

6. William A. L. Handley

N. Albert G. Handley,
sixteenth child of
Samuel and Sarah
Handley was born
July 17, 1823, died
Feb. 22, 1895. He
was ~~never~~ married.
He lived with his
brother, William A.
Handley near the
William A. Love home,
in Teays Valley.
His will dated
Feb. 18, 1895, and
recorded Feb. 27, 1895,
proves clearly that
he was married and
had three children;
Charles H. Handley
John H. Handley
Frank Handley.

II. ~~Erasmus~~ daughter
Horeas Handly, ~~second child~~
of John and Mary Harrison
Handley was born
died . She married
John Craig

III. Erasmus S. Handly, third
~~child~~ ^{son} of John and Mary
Harrison Handley, was
born died
He married Catherine A.
Gardner of Mason County,
Aug. 15, 1830. The Census
of 1850 gives their children
as follows:

Melvinia N. Handley	19
Virginia P. "	17
Susan A. "	15
John M. S. "	13
Patrick H. "	10
Augustus A. "	8
Benj. F. "	6
Mourne "	1

John S. Handley, son of
Erasmus and Catherine Gardner
Handley, was born May 10, 1857
He married Oretta Shueley, at
Mason City, Nov. 12, 1865, She was
born March 5, 1849, in Jackson
County, Va., now West Virginia
Mr. Handley made his will Feb. 12,
1902, in which he named three
children as heirs and his wife
Oretta Handley.

Emma b.

m.

Badgley

Mary E. Mrs. Wm. S. Morgan

John W. Handley, decd

m. Grace —

and left two children

Ramona Handley

J. H. M. Handley

IV. John M. Handly, ^{son} fourth child of John and Mary Harrison Handley was born _____ died _____.

He married Sarah J.

He or another John M. Handly m. Mary E. and lived in Mason Co. This one made his will Oct. 1869, leaving his personal property to his wife, also his home farm "during her natural life, residue to ~~John~~ John S. Handly. If John M. Handly, who married Sarah J. —, was the same as John M. Handly, who married Mary E. —, he was an uncle of John S. Handly. Evidently he left no children.

The latter John M. Handly was shown by Census of 1850 records to have been b. about 1808.

His wife, in 1850 was Sarah b. about 1815.

They had a son, William W. Handly b. about 1835.

V. Mary Handly, ~~fifth son~~
daughter
~~child~~ of John and Mary
Harrison Handly, was
born Feb. 7, 1813 died

m. Pindexler.
See Dr. Pindexler.
(Possibly not right Mary)

VI. Augustus A. Handley,
^{son}
~~sixth child~~ of John and
Mary Harrison Handley,
was born 1813 died

He married Minerva J. ^{6/18}

Mc Ginnis, July 15, 1841.

The Census of 1850,
Shows only two children:

Theodore 6

Eliza F. 3.

VII. Thomas E. Handley was
born died

He was ~~the~~ a ~~seventh~~
^{son} child of John and
Mary Harrison Handley.
He married Olivia
Hampton, Sept. 24, 1833
in County.

They lived at "Midway
City", called the "Wild
Land", at Culloden.

Their children were:

1. Andrew Jackson Handley

b. July 5, 1847

d. Nov. ²⁴~~25~~ 1925 (24?)

m. Eliza Harshbarger
daughter of Jacob and
Harshbarger.

She d. March 9, 1920

Children:

Minnie Handley

b. Oct. 22, 1866

m. Wm. Gerlach
Oct. 17, 1889.

Emma Gene Handley

b. Dec. 9, 1872

m. Henry Beckell
of Putnam Co.,
Dec. 24, 1890.

They lived back
of Hurricane.

John K. Handly

~~b. Dec. 9, 1872~~

b. June 19, 1873

m. — — in Ohio

Both are dead.

He d. about 1925

Geo. Thomas Handly

b. June 9, 1873

William Handly

b. May 27, 1868

d. Dec. 3, 1924

m. Helen McComas

daugh. of James

McComas, Ranger,
Lincoln Co.

Jacob Harshbarger
died in 1865, be-
fore the close of
the Civil War.

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W. W. Handley son of
Thomas E. and Olivia
Handley, was b.

Frederick Handley, son
of Thos. E. and Olivia
m. Mary R. Morris,
daur. of Joseph W. Morris

Minerva Handley
m. Charles Halloway

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Sarah ("Sally") Eliza Handley

Sept. 22, 1892, at Scott,
W. Va., on my gr. grandfather's
old plantation ~~John Handley~~
of F. G. L. Handley, son of
Alex. Wm. Handley.

F. G. L. Handley
d.

m. Mary Rebecca Morris

b. Nov. 8, 1847

d. Jan. 11, 1929

Both Buried in Woodmen
Cemetery

~~John~~
Was a brother
twins of which
Mrs. D. Vickers
mother was one

Children - 11

1. Claude E. Handley

2. Ernest, d. in infancy

3. Gordon B.

4. Stella Griffin Handley

5. Ida Josephine

6. F. G. L. Jr.

7. Frank Alex. Weden

8. Sarah ("Sally") Eliza

9. Charles Morris

10. Mary Rebecca

11. Clifton Stewart