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Just completed the manuscript, perhaps you will want to save it and read it. Love, Bettye

COXHIST1

CORNELIUS JACKSON COX

AND

HULDAH ANN KEMP COX

R FAMILIES AND THEIR DESCENDANTS

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FOREWORD

This record of the Cox families has been based on an oral history by my grandfather, W.C. □ Will □ Cox in

1940, on The Kemps, written by Bettie Ann Cox Helm, his youngest sister; and on information sent me by relatives all over the state and nation. Lette

rs came from Mabel Atchison, Betty Baker of Granbury, Billie Ruth Bell of Weatherford, Zelda Atchison Bennett of Ozona, Nona Blocker, Naomi Brown of Dimmitt, Thomas Sidney Cobb of California, Elbert Lee Cox, Jane Phillips Cox of Virginia, Robert Elden Cox, Nora Cox Drennan of Winnsboro, Blanch Gage of Fort Worth, Louise Gibbs, my Aunt Elsie Cox Gordon, Arlie Gowen of Lubbock, Zona Graves of Stanton, Winnie Helm Hatley of Wingate, Yvonne Johnson of Houston and Austin, Nadine Kelly,

Stella Atchison Kelly of Stanton, Thelma King, Melvin Manwarring of Amarillo, Maye McCredie of Washington,

Gerald McNabb of San Marcos, Wanda Pennington of Tennessee, Madge Robinson of Wingate, Erma Sanders

of Tyler, Erma Smentek, Nadine Atchison Stephens, Delma Streety of Smiley, Lester Sutton of Houston,

Marilyn Swindle of Amarillo, Annie Weavers of Lubbock, Mary Atchison Wilson of Stanton, Jasper and Etha

Woodward and Mark Werner

In tracing the Cox family I have also received information on the Moore family, the Kemp family,

and the Cottens, and have traced other descendants of the brothers of Cornelius Jackson Cox, my great-grandfather.

I have come to share a pride in this vigorous family, summed up by Erma Cox Sanders of Tyler, Texas, who wrote: "The Coxes are great, only stubborn".

Great-aunt Bettie Helm answered questions for me, and her daughter, Winnie Hatley has sent me

materials from the Ledger kept by Jack Cox. The first copy of this history goes to Aunt Bettie.

Bettye Cox Wallace

July, 1973

Happy, Texas

The Foreword was written on a manual Royal t
ypewriter, now this copy is on a computer. Families gr
ow and

celebrate, grieve, move and change. Family c
ontinues to send me more information to add to the reco
rds. I am only one of one of many who want to kee
p memories alive. It is as accurate as I could possibly
make it.

EARLY COX FAMILIES IN AMERICA

Stanley Cox of Kansas City, Missouri publish
ed a book in 1955 titled "Joseph Cox "Ancestors and D
escendants".

He wrote the following:

"The Joseph Cox branch of the Cox famiy
had its beginning in the United Stated in 1708 when Joh
n and

Rachel Cox, lately from England, probably London, were known to be living in New Castle County, Delaware. Shortly thereafter they appeared in the records of the Quaker Meeting in Chester and York Counties, Pennsylvania. It is thought that this John Cox was a son of Thomas Cox, a wine merchant of London. Thomas

Cox's Will was probated in 1711 and devised eight hundred acres of land in the vicinity of Philadelphia to

one of his sons, and five hundred acres on the opposite side of the Delaware River, in New Jersey, to another son. Thomas Cox was known to be a Quaker, and since John, Thomas and Richard were all Quakers,

and their names appeared in the Quaker records of Pennsylvania about this time, it is assumed that they

were the sons of Thomas.

John Cox of Kennett, PA, is named in The Cox Family in America by Henry Miller Cox, page 249, published 1912. John Cox and his wife, Rachel, had three children as recorded in Quaker records. Apparently there were five more, four of them possibly named Joseph, Hannah, Jacob and Dinah.

Sarah b @ 1721 m Nicholas WIERMAN

Benjamin b @1723 m Martha GARRETSON in October 1751

William b @ 1725 m Naomi GARRETSON in November 1748

Samuel b @ 1727 m Hannah WIERMAN on October 22, 1747. (Their son Nathan m Martha Cox, daughter

of Solomon Cox and Amy Hussey Cox, was removed from Quaker Meeting because they were cousins.)

Naomi, b Sep 27, 1729 m William WIERMAN Jun 8 1753

Thomas, b @ 1733 m Martha (JENKINS?)

John, b @1735

Margaret, b @ 1739

Solomon, b @ 1745 m Naomi (Amy) Hussey @ 1766

COX FAMILY CHARTS

Thomas Cox of London b @ 1641 London
m 12 Apr 1672 Christian MATHEWS he d 15 Jan 1711
in

Whitechapel, London Christian MATHEW
S, b 1649 d 30 Apr 1679 of consumption

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John Cox, b @ 1675 Daryton, Berkshire, E
ng. m 1750 Rachel DUSKIN, d 1711 New Castle County,
DE

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John Cox Jr b @1699 England m 9 Oct 17
35 Mary HARLAN b 1714 Pennsylvania John d 1745 in
PA

|
Solomon Cox b 1738 m 1860 Naomi (Amy)
HUSSEY b 29 Apr 1742 Warrington, Penn

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Martha and Solomon, twins, b 29 Jan 1
761 Cane Creek, Orange Co NC
Absolom b 1767 Cane Creek, Orange C
o NC

Mary b 1769 Cane Creek, Orange Co N
C

Ann b 1771 Cane Creek, Orange Co
NC

Christopher Cox b 1773 Cane Creek,
Orange Co NC m Hannah JOHNSON
Thomas Isaac b 5 Dec 1775 NC m Rach
el CARR

|
Naomi □ Amy □ b 1779 Orange Co, NC

|
Stephen b 1779 NC

|
Ruth b 1781 NC Anna
Cox m George FOLLOWELL Sally Cox m John RIC
HARDSON

Nathan Cox m Dorcas KING Stuart (Stree
t?) m Delia HOSKINS

Benjamin Cox m
x m Charlotte E JACKSON

William Co

Elizabeth Cox m William TROSPER
John W KING

Delilah Cox m

George m Betsy Ann McGLOTHLIN
Katy JACKSON

Cornelius Cox m

Ira Cox m Susan LOGSTON
x |

Rhoda Co

Mahaly Cox m Alexander RICHARDSON
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1806 m Catherine □ Katy □ Jackson 1824
Cornelius □ Neely □ Cox b @

Katy was daughter of William Jackson & Mary JESSUP
Andrew Cornelius Jackson Cox

1822

Hannah Cox, twin

1824

Infant son, twin

1824

Joseph Cox

1825

Harvey Cox

1828

Elizabeth Cox

1829

George Henry Cox

1834

Christopher □ Kit □ Cox

1836

Jacob W Cox

1842

Cornelius Jackson Cox 1844

m HulDAH KEMP 1866

Margaret Cox |

1847

CHILDREN OF JACK COX

AND HULDAH KEMP COX

Evelyne Cox Atchison

b 23 Mar 1867

William Cornelius Cox
 b 2 Jan 1869__William Cornelius □Nealy□ Cox, Jr b
 1902
 George Henry Cox
 b 27 Jun 1870 |
 Francis Marion □Pony□ Cox
 b 29 Sep 1873 Bettye Ruth Cox b 30 Aug
 1927
 May Bell Cox
 b 21 Dec 1875
 Clarence Jackson □Tobe□ Cox
 b 29 Jan 1878
 Thomas Fulton Cox
 b 24 Feb 1881
 Infant buried at Pottsville, rep
 orted by Will Cox, date/grave unmarked
 Elizabeth Ann □Bettie Cox
 b 17 Mar 1884

THE HUSSEY FAMILY

John HUSSEY (d 1638) m 5 Dec 1593 Mary
 WOOD (d 16 Jun 1660) in Dorking, Surrey, England
 |
 Christopher Hussey b before 18 Feb 15
 98/99 Dorking, Surrey, England d 7 Mar 1684/85 Hampt
 on, NH
 m bef 1635 Theodate BACHILOR b abt
 1610 in Wherwell, Hampshire, England Theodate d 8 A
 ug 1649
 in Hampton, NH She was dau of Stephe
 n Bachilor b abt 1561 in England, m abt 1590 and his w
 ife, Anne.
 Stephen d Oct 1656 in London, Englan
 d
 |
 John Hussey b 29 Feb 1635/36
 Lynn, Mass. d after 8 May 1707 in New Castle CO Dela
 ware
 m Rebecca PERKINS b 1642 i
 n Hampton, NH dau of Isaac PERKINS b 20 Dec 1571 of
 Hillmorton,

Warwickshire, England d aft 1
5 Jun 1639 and wife, Suzannah ____ who d in New Castl
e Co DE

|
John Hussey, Jr b 18 Jan 1675/76 Hamp
ton, NH d abt Apr 1733 New Castle CO Delaware
m Mar 1702/03 to Ann INSKEEP b abt
1679 probably Fulford, Staffordshire, England, home of
her father,

John INSKEEP and Sarah _____

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Christopher Hussey b abt 1716 New
Castle Co DE d 1774 Guilford CO NC m 5 Sep 1737 Ann
e

GARRETSON in Hokessin, New Cast
le Co DE Anne was b abt 1720, d 1801 in Alamance Co
NC

Anne Garretson's parents were Cas
per/Casperius Garretson b 1676 in New Castle Co d ther
e bef

3 Dec 1726, and Ann Cox dau of Wil
liam Cox b 1695 in England. Casper was a son of Joh
n

GERRITSON JAN DER HOF b abt 1
650 in Gilderland, Holland, the family imigrated to Ne
w

Amsterdam (New York) and the surr
ounding area.

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Naomi (Amy) Hussey, daughter of Christ
opher Hussey and Anne Garretson b 1742 in PA

Amy married Solomon Cox in 1760 in N
orth Carolina.

----This information taken from Quaker Meetings record
s.

SOLOMON AND NAOMI COX

A Journal written by Jehu Cox in 1877, wh
en he was 74 years old, lists fifteen children of John an
d Mary Cox;

The youngest was Solomon, born about 174
5 in Warrington, Chester CO PA, son of John Cox, Jr an
d Mary

HARLAN. Solomon m Naomi (Amy) HUSSEY about 1760 Amy Hussey was b 29 Feb 1742 in Warrenton,

PA the daughter of Christopher Hussey, who was b 1716 in New Castle CO, DE d 1774 in Guilford Co NC,

and who married Ann GARRETSON 5 Sep 1737 in New Castle Co. Amy was 17 years old. Solomon was a

patriot of the Revolution.

Solomon and Amy Hussey Cox moved from Pennsylvania to North Carolina, then to Virginia, Kentucky and

Ohio. They must have lived near Cane Creek, NC, when most of the children were born. (Cane Creek was

renamed Snow Camp by British soldiers who fought the Battles of Cane Creek and Kings Mountain in October 1790). Quaker women cared for those wounded in the battles. Amy died in 1818. Solomon's will dated

1819, was filed Jul 1820 in Eagle Township, Hocking Co OH It was witnessed by Solomon Cox, Jr and

William DIXON. A copy of the Will is on page 63.

Children of Solomon and Amy Cox were:

Martha, twin, b 21 Jan 1761 Cane Creek, Orange Co NC m @ 1778 Samuel COX, (her first cousin) d 19 Mar 1845 Livingston MO Liggett Cemetery near Chillicothe, MO. Samuel was son of her Uncle Samuel Cox and Hannah WIERMAN Cox; b 1754 Martha and Samuel and her father were disowned by Cane Creek Monthly meeting for marrying out of unity to her first cousin; her father for allowing it to happen. Their defense was they did not share the same grandmothers. Her parents moved to Virginia and Martha and Samuel moved at the same time. All their children were born there. About 1805 they moved to Knox Co KY, which became part of Whitley Co in 1818. Samuel died there in 1832. Martha moved with son Nathan to Livingston Co MO @1842 and died 9 Mar 1845

Solomon Jr, twin, b 21 Jan 1761 Cane Cree
k, Orange Co. NC m1) 1788 Martha DIXON
m 2) 23 Aug 1812 Mary Dixon (or anothe
r source: Mary WILLIAMS),
m 3) Temperance HENDRICKS 20 Dec 18
31 d 1844-1850 Livingston Co MO

Mary Cox b 1763 Cane Creek NC Died wh
en her tenth child was born.

Ann Cox b 1765 Cane Creek NC

Absolom Cox b 1767 Cane Creek NC m Mar
y □ Polly □ PRIGMORE .b 1789 Cane Creek,
d 23 Aug 1846 Whitley Co KY

Christopher b1773 Cane Creek m 18 May 1
776 Hannah JOHNSON, daughter of Joseph Johnson Sr w
ho was

b 20 Oct 1755 in Frederick Co VA and Dia
nnah _____ Johnson m 18 May 1776 in Frederick CO V
A

Christopher died 1863 in Monroe Co Indian
a

Thomas Isaac b 5 Jan 1775, NC m Rachel C
ARR b 8 Nov 1794 in Grayson Co VA, daughter of Thom
as Carr

and Miriam JONES Carr. (Stanley Co
x is a descendant)

Stephen Cox twin b 1779 in NC m Mary M
argaret ROBERTSON

Naomi □ Amy □ twin b 1779 NC m Thomas
MAHAN 8 Sep 1800 d 1857 Dallas Co Arkansas

Ruth Cox b June 1781 NC m Joseph JOHNS
ON Jr, a brother of Hannah Johnson Cox

William Cox b 1782 m abt 1782 in NC Mart
ha CANTRELL, dau of Charles Cantrell and Sarah MUR
RY

CANTRELL. William d 1856-60 in Fannin
Co TX; Wm. Sr and Wm Jr were paying taxes with Solo
mon Cox

and other Cox men in 1800-1809 in Knox C
o, KY

The Journal of Jehu Cox is in the possessi
on of the David A RICHARDSON family of Salt Lake Ci
ty.

A quotation reads: □ I have two great uncles by the name of Christopher Hussey and Stephen Hussey....

Here are some of my cousins, I want work done for them: James JOHNSON, Alfred JOHNSON, Sadi e

JOHNSON (their work is done), Carnils* (Cornelius) COX and his wife, Katy JACKSON, William COX

and his wife, Lottie JACKSON, John KING and Delilah Cox, his wife. These were all born in the United

States, some older than I am and some four years younger. The youngest is 84 now, George FOLL OWELL

and Amy COX, his wife. □

*Our Garretson ancestors were a Dutch family who settled in New Amsterdam (New York) and would

have spelled Cornelius □ Carnils □.

Additional records of the Church of Latter Day Saints, in two different scripts, one of which is Jehu □ s, read:

□ Jehu attended to the sealing for my grandfather and grandmother, Solomon Cox and Amy Hussey Cox and

my father, and Thomas Cox and Rachel CARR Cox, and my uncle Samuel Cox and my uncle Solomon Cox,

and uncle Absolom Cox and Uncle Christopher Cox and Uncle Stephen Cox and my grandfather Thomas Carr

and Uncle Benjamin Carr and Uncle Thomas Carr. □

□ Sealing: Joseph Cox and Amy Baker Cox
Thomas ELISON and Aled Cox Elison

William WILSHA
N and Michael Cox Isaac DIXON and Rebecky Cox □

---These quotations are from pgs 21, 22, 21 of Stanley Cox and Gary Sutton □ s book about Joseph Cox.

The Cox men were among the first to join the Regulators in North Carolina. The first battle of the Revolution was May 16, 1771 ten miles from the Cox family farms. Cox men fought with Governor Tryon who successfully led the militia along the Alamance River against the Regulators. At the next Quaker Meeting the Cox men were disowned because the Quakers didn't believe in fighting. Several of John Cox II sons were included. These skirmishes and the disowning caused the former Quakers to join the Patriots against the Crown when the War began in 1775. Whig and Tory troops camped at Cox's Mill and several Cox families were abused and their homes burned by the Tories. By 1779 the devastation caused many Coxes to move to Virginia in Grayson and Carroll Counties. The families of Solomon Cox and Christopher Hussey Jr. settled along Wilson and Fox Creek branches of the New River, now in western Grayson County. These families related by marriage stayed close and intermarried for the next 150 years as they moved through several states. The family moved to Virginia and Ohio, Kentucky and Indiana.

--This paragraph above was sent me by Winnie Helm Hatfield.

Brandywine Crucible, Incorporated

Descendants of Solomon Cox and Naomi Hussey Cox, meeting for a Cox Reunion in Lampasas, Texas formed

Brandywine Crucible, Incorporated in July, 1998 to research and preserve records of the descendants of

Solomon and Amy Hussey Cox. Our English ancestors came to the Colonies where they built flour mills on the

Brandywine River, which flows between Pennsylvania and Delaware. The waterwheel symbol is used on our

stationery, website, and lapel pins. At least one of those mills has been preserved on the river.

CHRISTOPHER COX AND HANNAH JOHNSON/JOHNSTON

Christopher Cox was the sixth child and third son of Solomon and Amy Cox, born in 1773 in North Carolina

some researchers say he first married Lydia Carter. About 1799 he married Hannah Johnson/Johnston in Monroe CO, Indiana. Christopher died aged 90 in 1863 in Washington Township, buried in the Little Union Baptist Church cemetery, Monroe CO, IN. Hannah was born about 1775 and died in Washington Township, Brown County, Ind. Christopher was paying taxes with Solomon, William, Thomas and other Cox men in Knox Co KY fr 1800-1808 Christopher used Cert #73 to apply for 260 acres of land in Knox Co, Kentucky 24th of July 1801 according to an agreement made 20 December 1800; he would have been about 28 years old. Christopher had an area surveyed in 1805 in Knox Co KY, south of the Green River.

Hannah's father, Joseph Johnston/Johnson made an application for a pension about 1833 when the government

authorized pensions for veterans of the Revolutionary War. I transcribed that document, written by the County

Judge of Monroe CO in September 1834, dictated by Joseph Johnston/Johnson, because he could not read nor write. The application was signed by David Johnston, Cornelius Cox and William Followell (who made his mark). Cornelius stated he had known Joseph Johnson from infancy "I being now about twenty eight years of age..." This means Cornelius was born in 1805, not 1800 as was thought.

Christopher was issued Certificate #5801 dated the 21st day of September, 1835 by the Land office at Jefferson, Monroe CO IN for thirty one acres and 34/100th acre of the public lands; the sale authorized by The Act of Congress the 24th day of April, 1820 and signed for President Andrew Jackson. Christopher would have been forty-seven years old. Christopher appears on the 1830 Census of Monroe Co IN with sons Cornelius and Benjamin and a male 70-80 years old, perhaps this was Hannah's father, Joseph Johnson.

My great-aunt, Bettie Cox Helm, confirmed to me that her great-grandmother was Hannah Johnson.

KEMP FAMILY RECORD

Joseph MOORE m Huldah HONEYCUTT/HUNNICUTT 23 Jul 1821 in Illinois.

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Elizabeth Ann Moore b 5 Dec 1825, d 9 Feb 1917 m 23 Apr 1843 William Maxwell KEMP b 22 Mar 1822 in

Wilson Co TN d 6 Dec 1911 in Scott County, Illinois. Their first three children were born in Illinois, the rest in

Texas. The family came by wagons to Texas. Elizabeth Moore Kemp was a cousin of Margaret BEMAN who married John Neely BRYAN and helped him lay out the town of Dallas. He built the first house; its replica is the log cabin now standing on the courthouse lawn. The Kemp farm is now in the City of Mesquite where there is a Bruton Road and an Elam Road, some farm property now belongs to Buckners Children's Home. William and Elizabeth Kemp are buried at Pottsville, Hamilton Co

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William Murphy Kemp, first son of William Kemp and Elizabeth Moore Kemp b 9 Nov 1844 d 5 Oct 1925

m 11 Nov 1866 Margaret COX, (dau of Neely), bur Pecan Wells

Huldah Ann Kemp b 14 May 1847 d 19 Feb 1947 m 21 Jun 1866 Cornelius J □ Jack □ COX, son of □ Neely □

Mary Jane Kemp b 16 Aug 1849 m John GLOVER, d 1869 child birth, bur at Dallas, probably Glover Ceme.

Those three were born in Illinois, the following children born in Texas:

Melissa Margaret Kemp b 5 May 1852 m James Hardy GLOVER, brother of John Glover; bur at Pottsville

Sarah Elizabeth Kemp b 21 Apr 1855 m Cornelius □ Bud □ HAVENS, bur Pecan Wells

Stephen Conrad □ Coonrod □ Kemp b 4 Mar 1857 d 27 May 1942 m 1) Mary Susan KIRK

m 2) Mrs. Elizabeth BECKNER
b 18 Aug 1860 d 16 Feb 1939

Mattie Martha Emaline Kemp b 11 Sep 1859
m John Daniel JONES, d 1947 bur Pottsville

Nancy Patience Kemp b 3 Jan 1862 d 7 Oct 1947
m W.W. GRIFFIS

George Foster Kemp b 15 Jul 1864 d 22 Jul 1955
m Annie Bell SMITH 28 Nov 1883

John Hunnicutt Kemp b 22 Feb 1867, d 1880
of hydrocephalus at 13 years

Francis Marion Kemp b 23 May 1869 d 20 May 1946
m Mattie Ann HOLMAN

Huldah Kemp Cox made three trips to Illinois by wagons from Illinois to Texas during her long life. She was

living with Aunt Bettie Cox Helm at Winters at her death 19 January 1947: age 99 years, 9 months and 5 days.

She was quite deaf. Huldah and Jack are buried beside their infant son at Pottsville in Hamilton County.

The north side of that cemetery seems filled with Kemps.

THE PETERS COLONY

The young Republic of Texas was anxious to settle the lands in north Texas and entered into a contract in 1840

with the Emigration Land Company of Louisville, Kentucky to promote the settlement and handle the bringing in of people. The Colony was advertised throughout the east and mid-west and Europe. The land company assigned this task to two brothers, W.S. Peters and Henry J. Peters who sent an agent named Oliver Hedgecock to Dallas County where, much to the surprise of John Neely Bryan, he set up his agency eight miles north of Bryan's chosen location or his city. The city consisted of Bryan's lean-to shelter and the small cabin of Joseph Beeman, a distance away. Bryan had married the third of Beeman's children, Margaret, 23 Feb 1843 when they rode to Fort English, the present site of Bonham, where an officer could perform the marriage. John Neely Bryan had arrived on the site in 1841; Joseph Be

eman brought his family of ten children in 1842 and built a blockhouse on White Rock creek. The family of John J Cox came the same year. (Who was this John J Cox who arrived in 1842? Was he a relative who sent word back about the good grazing lands?)

In 1843 George Glover brought his family; his children married the Kemps and settled where the Buckner's

Children's Home now sits. In 1844 more members of the Cox families arrived, including Neely and Katie, and, it is believed, Delilah Cox King and her husband, John. Many persons were surprised and dismayed to find such a primitive settlement, and some, discouraged, returned to their former homes. Our ancestor Neely Cox was one of those hardy souls who stayed, his family spreading in a few years over the state. Neely Cox chose land near Elam's station, first called Markham's Ferry, on the Trinity River, and was several miles up the river from Bryan's site. By 1856 the town of Dallas boasted a population of 3000 souls, and was on its way to becoming the city we know.

CORNELIUS □ Neely □ COX

Cornelius □ Neely □ Cox was born abt 1805 in Knox County, Kentucky, the son of Christopher Cox and Hannah

Johnson. He married Catherine JACKSON in Monroe County, Indiana April 1, 1824. Katy Jackson was born

about 1806 in Kentucky, dau of William JACKSON. Elizabeth Ann □ Bettie □ Cox Helm wrote:

□ Neely and Katie became engaged to marry about 1819. When the wedding day arrived the bride, although pregnant,

saddled a horse and rode away, saying, □ I fooled the fellow □. Neely, considered the father of the child, left and was gone

about two years. Andy was born during those two years and named Andrew Cornelius. The Cox family refused to associate

with Katie. When Neely returned he and Katie were soon married. She vowed to make him a good wife, and she did. In

January 1824 when she in labor Neely went to his mother and asked for help, so she rode to his home on the back of his horse. Twins were born; the baby boy did not live. Hannah gave the little girl her own name and placed a string of beads around her neck. Katie never tried to conceal these facts from her children, but talked openly about them with her children and grandchildren. □

MARRIAGE Book A, pgs 30-31
Monroe County, Indiana License issued March 31st 1824:

□ This is to certify that (I) joined together in Matrimony Cornelius Cox and Catherine Jackson on the 1st of April, 1824 William HARDIN, Justice of the Peace (Seal) □

They had about eight children in Indiana before moving to Missouri about 1840, then in 1844 to Texas. Neely

was issued Nacogdoches Third Class Cert. No. 2149 for 610 acres which he patented in Dallas County. He is

listed in the 1850 census for Dallas County, family #217 as a 50 years old farmer with five children; born in IN.

(This reference is from The Peters Colony of Texas written by Seymour V Connor, pg 229) The children married

the neighboring Elam, Bruton and Kemp children. Cornelius Cox and Harvey Cox were chain bearers when

their land was surveyed. Katy died first, then Neely in 1856. Jack told his children he was eleven years old when Neely died of a heart attack as he gathered firewood. He had told his sons to stay on the farm and do chores, but they went with him into the woods where he died. The burial beside Katy is now in the City of Mesquite, the location of the graves lost. Margaret had measles at the time of Neely's burial, so Jack was told

to walk her back to the house as she was too ill to be out, she was eight years old. Jack stood in the yard and

watched his dad's burial. The older brothers and sisters took the young ones into their homes. Bettie Helm, when visited in 1973, told me Jack was spoiled and lived with the brother or sister he expected to treat him best. A correspondent wrote of finding old scattered grave stones in the area when a road was built years ago. Dallas County has no record of a burial place there. Jack lived with brothers and sisters until he was of age. Neely died without a Will; the Probate Records of Neely's Estate, which I transcribed, is added to this history.

RECORDS in Dallas County: Cornelius is listed as one who voted in an election held in Dallas County in 1845. He purchased a Poll Tax in 1847. The genealogists in Dallas Public Library referred me to the White

Rock Cemetery in east Dallas as being also known as the Cox Cemetery. The location is hard to find, since it is behind (to the west) of some lovely homes on the west side of White Rock lake.

CENSUS RECORD: Monroe Co. Indiana, 1830. page 169 Christopher reported:
1 male 15/20 1 male 50/60
1 male 70/80 Solomon (his father? Father-in-Law?)
1 female 15/20 1 fem 15/20
1 fem 50/60 Hannah, his mother?

CENSUS RECORD: Monroe Co Indiana, 1830 page 169:
In the house next to Christopher: C
Cornelius □ Neely □ Cox :
1 male 0/5 Joseph 1 male 5/10
Andrew 1 male 20/30 Neely
1 fem 0/5 Hannah 1 fem 0/5
Elizabeth 1 fem 20/30 Catherine

CENSUS RECORD 1850: Dallas County, TX
pg 28 Household #211-216 Value of real estate \$800.
Cox, Cornelius 50, born in
Kentucky, farmer

in Kentucky	Katherine	47, born
7, b MO	Jacob W	
Jackson	Christopher	13, b
	5, b MO	
Margaret	George	11,
	3, b TX	

The Census included Persons over 20 who cannot read or write Katherine had a check after her name.

RECORDS:

The State of Texas } I, Cornelius Cox of
the county of Dallas, State of Texas, having received a
certificate County of Dallas } from Thos. Wm. W
ard, Commissioner of Peters Colony, for 640 acres of l
and, the

same being my head right as a colonist of s
aid colony, and having obtained a patent for three hund
red twenty acres of the same and having had
surveyed 290 other acres, and sent up the field notes of
the same for a patent, do hereby relinquish
unto the State of Texas all my right, title and interest i
n and to the remaining thirty acres of said certificat
e. Witness my hand for this 15th day of April, 1856.

Attest
: Geo. W. Culp (?) (Signed) Cornelius Cox
(Seal)

The following seems to be an accounting m
ade by Cornelius Cox to a school master, the last docu
ment found dated before Neely's death.

Aug 20 1856

Cornelius Cox

To E. B. Spilman etc

Session	To Tuition and Schooling for	
8.75	\$6.25	\$1
\$.125	Cr by 14 ½ lbs Bacon	
.55	1.80	16

		2 bu corn	
.75 per bu	1.50		
		12 shocks corn	
1.50	1.50		
		1 Chopping axe	
1.75	1.75		
		Cash	
10.00	10.00		-----
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		To clerking	
1 day 1.50	1.50		
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cts per day.			
5.65		□ □ Proportionate part	
for water			
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11.15			

Few records have been found for Neely's sister Delilah Cox b 1804/06 in Ross Co OH, d 1884 in Dallas Co TX. She married John W KING in 1822 in Monroe Co IN and came from Missouri with the Cox families in 1844. Their son was John H. King who married Indiana's Annie SEARS. A known daughter was Melissa King who married Aaron Carlisle FRY; his known son was James Arthur Fry who married Lola MAXWELL; his known daughter, June Fry b 8 Aug 1926 m Jay E SMITH, b 11 Nov 1923. The Smith children were Lon Christian Smith b 7 Feb 1951 and Brad Maxwell Smith, b 19 Feb 1955.

CHILDREN OF NEELY AND KATY COX

Andrew C Cox	1822	Hannah Cox (
twin) 1824	Stillborn son (twin) 1824	Joseph Cox
1825		
Harvey Cox	1828	Elizabeth C
ox 1829	George Henry Cox	1834 Christopher
er C Cox 1836		
Jacob W Cox	1842	Cornelius Jacks
on Cox 1844		Margaret Cox
1847		

ANDREW C JACKSON COX , eldest child w
as b in Indiana in 1822, two years before the marriage
of his parents, □Neely□ Cox and □Katie□ Jackson
Cox; their son Jackson □Jack□ Cox said Andrew was Ne
ely□s son. Andrew came to Dallas County in 184
4 with his parents. Andrew died 15 Oct in 1885; bur Wh
itney Cemetery, Comanche Co. TX

No. 280 Marriage License A.J. Cox to
A. Ratliff Filed July 20 1846 by O.L. Holmes,
Clerk Nac. Co.

State of Texas County of Nacogdoches
To any Judge, Justice of the Peace or regular ordained
Minister of

the Gospel: You are hereby Authorized to
Solemnize the rite of Holy Matrimony between Mr. Andr
ew J. Cox

and Miss Arenna Ratliff, the necessary pro
of of the Consent of all parties concerned have been ma
de according

to law. Due return hereof to me make wi
thin Sixty days from the time of Solemnization.

Given under my hand and Seal of Office at
Nacogdoches this 9th day of April AD 1846

O L Holmes Clerk Co. Court Nac. Co.

Solemnized on the 20 May 1846 by Albert
Wells

---This was transcribed by Mark Werner October 5, 2
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Arenna Ratliff b 26 Mar 1826 in Ark, d 20
Jul 1855 bur Ft Worth. Arenna was the dau of William
Ratliff and

Susan A Ratliff. The children of Andy and
Arenna were raised by Rev. Jesse and Adeline JOHNSO
N near

Fleming, Comanche Co. Jesse Johnson was
an ordained minister, related to Hannah Johnson Cox , c
alled □Uncle□ by everyone. He taught in a subscri
ption school in the city of Comanche around 1855. He
and William Cox were among men listed in the Hog Cr
eek Indian fight in 1870 in Brown County by Comanche
County men.

Andrew Cornelius Jackson Cox and Arenna Ratliff had four children:

William Cox 1846
Nicholas Cornelius □ Nick □ Cox 1850
Catherine □ Cat □ Cox 1848
Amanda Cox 1852

William Cox eldest child of Andy and Arenna RATLIFF Cox b 2 Oct 1846 m 5 Oct 1870 Sarah Adeline SAVAGE b 1848. William d 30 Apr 1914 in Comanche Co

Adeline □ Addie □ Cox b 9 Oct 1871 m @ 1890 Will PHILLIPS

Vachel Cox b @1874
Catherine Cox b @ 1876 m Tom STEWART

Daniel Cox b @1879
Jesse Cox b 21 Aug 1882 Comanche CO

Pearl Cox b 1884 m 1 Jun 1902 Samuel Higgins CARRIGAN

(Elizabeth ?) Lizzie Cox b @ 1887

Catherine □ Cat □ Cox, second child of Andy and Arenna b 2 Sep 1848 Dallas Co d 3 Jan 1929 m 15 May 1867

John Patterson PETTIT b 16 Nov 1836 of Spartanburg SC; son of Henry Pettit (1799-1882) and Mary □ Polly □

LITTLE (1803-1886) John d 20 Oct 1920 Gustine they are bur in Whitney Cemetery, Gustine, Comanche CO

Eleven children:

Mary Arenna □ Mollie □ Pettit b 2 Aug 1868 Gustine, Comanche Co m 23 Jul 1884 Hamilton Thomas Jefferson CONNER at Hamilton Mollie d 20 Nov 1939 in Windy Valley, Donley Co. Tom d 22 Jan 1930 Sudan, Lamb Co bur Citizens Cemetery, Clarendon, Donley Co.

Jessie Arenna Conner b 9 Sep 1885 Comanche Co TX d 22 May 1970 Whittier, CA m 1) Arthur HOLMAN m 2)

Lon William COOK b 22 Jun 1889 Culverson, NC d 15 Feb 1967

Norwalk, CA Children: 1)
Crysteen Holman, Orient Holman 2) Louise Cook, Lon
Cook, Jr.

Jeffie M. Conner b 29 Sep 188
7 Fleming, Comanche Co d 9 May 1946 San Angelo, Tom
Green Co.

m 30 Sep 1906 Concho CO Neh
emiah □ Nick □ Monroe WIKÉ b 23 Feb 1877 NC d 27 Ap
r 1942

San Angelo Four chi
ldren:

Alton Thomas Wike b 10 N
ov 1908 Hedley, Donley Co. d 26 Jun 1979 San Angelo,
m 10 Jun 1939 Elnora Eliz
abeth PAYNE in Tom Green County b 26 Sep 1916 d 21
Aug 1986

A. C. Wike b 9 Dec 1912 L
elia Lake, Donley Co m 19 Jun 1938 Susie Lindell TAN
NEHILL

in Bronte, Coke Co. TX b
9 Oct 1913 San Angelo, d 2002. A.C. d 21 Aug 1966
San Angelo

Children: Carolyn
Sue Wike, Mary Francis Wike,

Jerry Neal Wike b 31 Jan 1
916 Millersview, Concho Co. m 1) Ila Mae m 2)
Opal McIVER

b 16 Jan 1908 Children:
Sandra Kay Wike and Jerry Lynn Wike (by which wife
or one each?)

Troy Scott Wike b 20 Jan 1
920 Millersview, Concho Co m 17 Jan 1942 Helen Authe
l ROBBINS

San Angelo Troy d 8 Oc
t 1990 San Angelo. Children:

Jeffry Scott Wike,
Jerry Lewis Wike, Janis Helen Wike, Glenna Jean Wi
ke

Rex Douglas Wike
, Joanne Elizabeth Wike, June Elaine Wike

Vicey Elizabeth Conner b 12 D
ec 1890 Fleming, Comanche Co d 3 Jan 1965 Amarillo,
Potter Co, TX

m 1) 5 Jan 1908 Walter Harris
on MORROW Coryell Co, b 24 May 1886 Coryell Co d
23 May 1957

Joe Wayne Morrow
b 29 Oct 1913 d 11 May 1963 m 24 May 1941 Vivian Irene VEAZEY

in Donley Co b 10
Jan 1921 Clarendon, Donley Co d 21 Jan 2003 Henderso
nville, TN

Roy Leonard Morr
ow b 5 Feb 1918 Lelia Lake, Donley Co d ? m 3 Dec 19
38 Margaret Sue

EASTERLING in D
onley Co. b 1 Apr 1920 Alanreed, Gray Co, TX d 4 Oct
2001

Pete Jefferson Mo
orrow b 10 Oct 1921 Lelia Lake, TX d 17 Jan 2001 Lubbo
ck, Lubbock Co

m 1943 Imogene W
ISDOM in Amarillo, TX

Ralph Harrison M
orrow b 8 Dec 1924 Clarendon, TX m 24 May 1946 Dor
othy Jo

CHURCM
AN in Donley Co. Child: Ralph Carroll Morro
w

Vicey Conner Morrow m 2)

H. J. COBB

Sadie E. Conner b 15 Aug 1894
Fleming, Comanche Co. d 27 Apr 1976 Big Spring, How
ard Co, TX

m 31 Mar 1912 Elijah Guy GU
FFEE in Donley Co. He b 24 Apr 1886 Bluff Dale, Erath
Co, TX

d 27 Jan 1959 Big Spring, How
ard Co. Children:

Winnie Inez Guffee b 5 N
ov 1913 Donley Co. d 20 Apr 1984 Big Spring, Howard
Co, TX m Loyd

HODNETT b 1909 d 7 May
1982 Howard Co, TX Children: David Hodnet
t,

Richard Hodnett,
Sue Hodnett, Nancy Hodnett, Claude Ross Hodnett, Keit
h Hodnett

Mary Lois Guffee b 26 De
c 1915 Donley Co d 11 Apr 1996 Howard Co. m Roger L
anham HODNE

TT (brother of Loyd Hodnett) d 22 Apr 1973 Howard Co
, TX

Children: Mary
Ann Hodnett, Guy Guffee Hodnett, Roger Lanham Hodne
tt

Sadie Jewell Guffee b 24
Dec 1917 Vigo Park, Swisher Co, TX d ? m 12 Apr 19
36 Thurman

Abbie NORTHCUTT, lived
in Colorado City, Mitchell Co, TX b 9 Nov 1914 d ?

Children: Vera Le
e Northcutt, Charles Abbie Northcutt

Hattie Marie Guffee b 20
Mar 1920 d 23 Mar 2003 Big Spring, Howard Co.

m 1) Jack PRUITT

Son: Kennth Wayne Pruitt

m 2) 19 Jun 1942 Howard
Co. Lester OWENS b 19 Apr 1916 d 20 Dec 1991 Howar
d Co, TX

Daughter: Carolyn Owens

Cora Conner b 7 Aug 1897 Fle
ming, Comanche Co. d 9 Aug 1897 Fleming, scarlet feve
r

Loyed Patterson Conner b 21 A
pr 1899 d 23 Jul 1900 Bronte, Coke Co, TX also died o
f scarlet fever

Grace Conner b 9 Jul 1901 Bro
nte, Coke Co, TX d 15 Feb 1977 Memphis, Hall Co, TX
m 2 Sep 1923

Cecil Clarence AYERS in Donl
ey Co. b 11 Jul 1903 Jayton, Kent Co, TX d 20 Mar 199
6 Amarillo,

Potter Co, TX

Children:

Lola Marie Ayers b 4 Jun 1
924 Oklahoma City, OK m 1) 6 Nov 1943 Donley Co, T
X to George

MOORE b 25 Nov 1922 Cla
rendon, Donley Co d 13 Jul 1993 Amarillo, Potter Co

Children: (1) Jane
t Moore, Lynett Moore (adopted)

Lola Ayers Moore m2) 20
Mar 1999 Charlie D GARDNER in Amarillo, Randall Co.
TX

b 24 Dec 1927 Walnut Springs, Bosque Co, TX d ?
 Joe Elbert Ayers b 27 Apr 1930 Hedley, Donley Co. d 27 Jun 1997 Crosby, Harris Co, TX
 m 1) 27 Oct 1950 Ora Lee WHITFIELD in Donley Co. b 10 Feb 1934 Hedley, Donley Co.
 m 2) Phyllis GOLDEN b 20 Jun 1935 d ? Children:
 1) Carrol Wayne Ayers, Larry Joe Ayers and 2) Melissa Lynn Ayers
 Ralph Carrol Ayers b 15 May 1933 Hedley, Donley Co. m 31 May 1954 Bonnie Mae HUGHES
 in Clovis, Curry CO, NM
 b 14 Nov 1932 Post, Garza Co, TX Child: Melany Ann Ayers
 Burton Dale Ayers b 28 Nov 1936 Hedley, Donley Co, TX m 1) 10 Dec 1960 Mona Sue WESSON
 in Donley Co b 26 Apr 1935 d 15 Oct 1988 Albuquerque, NM m 2) 15 Jun 1945 Edna Walker
 CREANGE in Los Angeles, CA b Los Angeles, CA d 24 Apr 1993 Albuquerque, NM
 Sons: 1) Gregory Dale Ayers (adopted), Michael Clarence Ayers
 Audrey Marilyn Ayers b 12 Nov 1938 Hedley, Donley Co. m Teddy Franklin SWINDLE
 11 May 1962 in Plainview, Hale Co, TX b 16 Aug 1938 Pampa, Gray Co. TX Ted worked as a
 school teacher in Hale Center, TX, □ served US Army, mainly in West Berlin, Germany in the early
 1960s, taught in Hereford, TX and as State of Texas employee at the Health Dept and at the Texas
 Employment Commission. Marilyn worked as school teacher in Hereford, TX and as a State of Texas employee at the Texas Employment Commission, mainly in the state office in Austin, TX,

and worked as technical support manager for the HMO called FIRSTCARE in Amarillo, TX

Daughter: Stephanie Anne Swindle b 13 April 1966 Hereford, Deaf Smith Co, TX

m 26 Apr 1986 Daniel Benton MATHENA in Austin, Travis Co. TX b 3 Mar 1963

Houston, Harris Co, TX

Daughter: Amanda Marie Mathena b 29 Jun 1992 Austin, Travis Co, TX

Daisy Jo Conner b 21 May 1905 Millersview, Concho Co. d 13 Oct 1996 Hesperia, San Bernadino Co, CA m 10 Jun 1923 Donley Co, TX to Wallace Clifford WALLING b 27 Aug 1901 Cleburne, Johnson County, TX d 22 Jan 1984 CA Children: Robert Ray Walling b 9 Feb 1927 Clarendon, d 9 Aug 1995 Everett, WA m 12 Mar 1949

Mary Isabelle MYERS
Wilma Lois Walling b 16 Aug 1929 Clarendon, Donley Co m 1) 7 Mar 1947 James ANDREWS

m 2) 31 Jan 1951 Lawrence Johnson WEDDLE b 26 Feb 1930 Montgomery Co, VA
Child: Catherine Weddle

Thomas Jefferson Conner, Jr.
b 18 Aug 1908 Lamesa, Dawson Co. d 15 Sep 1990 Bakerfield, CA

m 24 May 1929 Mayme WOOD
Tom Green Co, TX b 1905 Jacks Co d 1 Jan 2001 Bakerfield, CA

Connie Max Conner b 18 Apr 1932 Clarendon, Donley Co. MIA in Korea 1950

Barbara Jean Conner b 12 Aug 1934 Clarendon, Donley Co, TX m 1) 24 Apr 1953 Leslie James

FORSYTH in Compton, CA
b 15 Jan 1934 Honolulu, Hawaii

Children: (1) Janice Marie Forsyth, Judy Maureen Forsyth, Joanne Marion Forsyth

m 2) Robert Dean STOWE
b 26 Jul 1929 Springfield, MO d 16 Jun 1990 Taft, CA
William Reece Conner b 20 Apr 1911 Donley Co. d 16 Feb 1936 Los Angeles, CA
m Jewel THOMAS 30 Nov 1929 Clovis, Curry Co, NM b 1912 Jayton, Kent Co, TX

John Henry Pettit □ Big Daddy □ b 20 Jan 1870 Gustine m 1) 24 Aug 1893 Elizabeth Amanda □ Lizzie □ STARKEY d 25 Mar 1936 Levelland, Hockley Co bur Levelland. Lizzie d 1910 bur in Lubbock Co

John Henry m 2) 21 Dec 1911 Lubbock Co Marie LOCKLEAR MATTOX b 23 Aug 1886 Brady, McCulloch CO d 3 Aug 1975 Portales, Roosevelt Co NM bur Levelland, Hockley Co

Jesse Cornelia □ Neely □ Pettit b 18 Dec 1871 Gustine m 21 Oct 1891 William Henry LEWIS d 5 Feb 1966 Canyon, Randall, TX W.H. d 20 Apr 1930 Both are bur Dreamland Cemetery at Canyon

William Andrew Pettit b 16 Jan 1874 Gustine m 11 Dec 1898 Maggie Earl PATTON d 19 May 1944 Maggie b 1881 d 1959 bur Evergreen Cemetery Comanche, TX

James A. Pettit b 18 Jan 1876 Gustine, d 30 Oct 1877 bur Whitney Cemetery, Gustine, Comanche Co TX

Adeline □ Lina □ Pettit b 2 May 1878 Gustine m 3 Nov 1897 Thomas PATTON d 1962, Tom b 1878, d 1953

Both bur Union Cemetery Comanche Co

Veda Pettit b 13 Apr 1881 Gustine m 17 Dec 1902 John A EANES d 1965 bur Oakwood Cemetery Comanche

Catherine □ Kitty □ Pettit b 4 Apr 1883 Gustine m 31 Dec 1899 T.R. PENNINGTON d 1976

Aaron David Pettit b 16 Apr 1885 Gustine m 24 Oct 1903 Lillian BARRETT d 19 Apr 1947 Eastland,

bur Evergreen Cemetery Comanche, TX

Harry Oliver Pettit b 15 Jun 1887 Gustine
m Cora SWANN d 10 Mar 1961 Lubbock, Cora b 20 Dec
1887

d 10 Jan 1972 Ralls, Crosby Co Both bur
Abernathy, Hale Co

Pinckney Absur □Pink□ Pettit b Apr 1889
Gustine m 3 Sep 1911 Nina C BROWN d 14 Nov 1954 Ea
stland

Nina b 1889 d 24 Dec 1970 Karnes Co Bot
h bur Union Cemetery Comanche Co

Nicholas Cornelius □Nick□ Cox third chi
ld of Andy Cox and Arenna b 16 Jan 1850 Smith CO m
29 Apr 1875

Mary Jane □Mollie□ JOHNSON Nick d 2
Jan 1929 bur Union Cem. Gustine, Comanche Co. Moll
ie b 23 Dec

1857 TX d 14 Jan 1921 Comanche CO dau
of Robert Whatley Johnson and Sarah E WHITAKER JOH
NSON

Robert Whatley Cox b 15 Feb 1876 in F
leming, Comanche Co TX m 1) 22 Jul 1900 Bessie CR
ABB

m 2) 2 Mar 1933 Henrietta Hor
tense □Tennie□ SCOTT

Arenna Cox b 12 Aug 1877 m C Columbu
s DAVIS

Jessie Cox b 21 Aug 1879

Joe Cefus Cox b 13 Sep 1880 in Fleming
m 2 Oct 1903 Melinda Lee □Linnie□ BARKER Comanch
e Co

d 9 Jan 1943 bur Big Spring Linnie b 13 J
an 1885 Rusk Co TX d 16 Apr 1966 Big Spring

Lois Cox b 1904

Delphine Cox b 17 Nov 1905 m 6 Jan
1923 Robert Virgel COBB b 21 Sep 1902 Wood Co, d 17
Feb 1948

Robert Leo Cobb b 1924 d b
efore 1983

Robert Virgil Cobb b Aug 1932
d before 1983

Thomas Sidney Cobb b 20 May
1938 Big Spring, lived in Santa Cruz, CA

Dee Cox b 1907

Vernon Cox b 1909

Joe Cox b 1911
 John Henry Cox b
 Jo Nell Cox b 1913
 William Cornelius Cox b 6 Apr 1882 Fleming m 23 Jul 1912 Minnie STEWARD
 Cornelius Wilburn □ Nealy □ Cox b C
 omanche Co m 12 Dec 1915 Katie Elzora DANIEL
 b 1 Jan 1897 Lamkin Comanche C
 o d 5 Dec 1995 Brown CO. bur Stag Creek
 Geneva Cox b m MERCER
 Marvalene □ Missy □ Cox b m JONE
 S
 Maxine Cox b m Weaver
 er Jessy BURNS (he d Jan 2010)
 Mary Ellen Cox b 17 May 1884 Fleming,
 d 6 Feb 1906 Comanche Co m 2 Dec 1900 Elmer WEIDNER
 Berlen Daniel □ Berl □ Cox b 9 Dec 1888
 Fleming, m 1906 Beulah CALLOWAY
 Arthur Hill Cox b 26 Mar 1890 Comanche C
 o m 27 Nov 1907 Viola Francis VINSON d 11 Apr 1978
 Comanche Co Viola b 21 Oct 1890, d 24 J
 un 1976, bur Union Cemetery, Gustine, Comanche Co
 Rena Effie Cox b 6 Feb 1909 Gustine
 m 12 Dec 1927 Floyd BURKS d 9 Apr 1992 San Angelo,
 bur Gustin
 Lucille Geneva Cox b 29 Mar 1912 Gu
 stine m 18 May 1934 Arthur Edward ADCOCK
 Yvonne Sue Adcock b 6 Jan 19
 36 Gustine m 12 Mar 1955 Clovis, NM Thomas Oliver
 HAILE
 b 24 Dec 1930
 Their three girls were married in Taylor Valley, Bell C
 o TX
 Talma Lucille HAILE b 16
 Jan 1956 Comanche, Comanche Co m 12 Aug 1976 Max
 A NEWMAN
 Janet Karen Haile b 23 Aug
 1957 in Brownwood, Brown Co TX m 20 May 1978 Bri
 an K MOON
 Marjorie Suzanne Haile b 1
 0 Jul 1959 in Brownwood m 10 Nov 1979 Timothy Lan
 e PREIN
 Harold Dene Adcock b 7 Feb 1
 938 Dublin, Erath Co TX m Laura Mae HILLIARD

Eva Lee Cox b 28 Mar 1915 Gustine m
17 Dec 1937 Richard C HICKS d 1 Apr 1992 DeLeon bur
Gustine

Lavern Cox b 10 Nov 1924 Gustine m 2
0 Jun 1940 Billy Jack ROLLINS

John Henry Lofton Cox b 30 May 1894 in F
leming, Comanche Co

Andrew Jefferson □ Jeff □ Cox b 21 Aug 18
97 Fleming m 30 Sep 1922 Connie MCCULLOCH b 20 O
ct 1905

m Comanche CO, by Oscar MOORE, in his
home in Hebron Community. A 50th wedding anniversar
y

announcement in 1972 listed children: Fra
ncis SWANN (Mrs. J R) of Coahoma , Preston Cox of Co
manche,

Juanita Deane OWEN (Mrs. Charles) of Pa
mpa, Grandchildren listed were: Marcus SWANN of B
ig Spring,

Mrs Gary BUTLER of Amarillo, Bobby OW
EN, Denton, Beverly OWEN, Pampa, Rhonda COX, Coma
nche.

An obituary from Perryton, Tx reported the
deaths of Charles Glenn OWEN 66, and Juanita Deane O
WEN 62, who died 12 May 1994 in an accide
nt. Mrs OWEN was b in Gustine, m in Pampa in 1950,
moved to Perryton in 1973 Charles b in Breckenr
idge Survivors were Connie BUTLER and Beverly BREW
ER of Booker, son Bobby OWEN of Dallas, five grand
children

Amanda Cox, fourth child of Nick Cox and
Arenna Cox was b 1852 m 31 Dec 1873 G.B. STONE, Am
anda died of measles; her son m Miss MILLER, a
sister of Terrell Cox □ s wife. Amanda was three when
her mother died.

HANNAH COX second child of Neely Cox a
nd Katie Jackson Cox b 12 Jan 1824 Monroe Co IN Her
unnamed twin brother did not survive; brought to Misso
uri @ 1840 by her parents, to Dallas in 1844 m 24 Jan
1849 George MARKHAM of England b @ 1821, a Mexica
n War veteran Her third child was born after he
deserted her about 1854 Hannah d 9 Nov 1885 Dallas
Co bur in Pleasant Mound Cemetery, the PRESTON

plot. Census: 1850 Dallas Co House
hold #147-151:

e 29 b England Hannah 26 b IN Preston
6/12 b Texas Markham, Georg

Preston L. Markham b 15 Nov 1849 Dallas
CO m 1) 15 Feb 1871 Sarah Lee □ Sally □ PRUITT, d 3
1 Dec 1913

(Sally □ s sister Elizabeth □ Lizzie □ m
Nealy Markham.) Sally 25 Jan 1855 d 5 Apr 1921 Fi
ve children:

1) G.C. Markham, 2) Mittie/Mattie
Markham m ___ DODDIE, 3) Ellie Markham m ___
_HALL

4) Stella Markham m ___ HALL,
5) William Henry Markham b 26 Jul 18
73 at Elam m 2 Dec 1892 Izora JONES Dallas CO

She was b 17 Dec 1873, daughter of
William H Jones and Mary Jane BEACH She d 2 Jul 195
3 Dallas William d 21 Oct 1924 in Dallas C

O Seven children, all born in
Dallas CO:

1) Annie Markham b 25 Oct
1893 2) Lida Markham b 1 Feb 1897

3) Linnie Markham b 9 Sep
1900 4) William L Markham b 21 Jul 1904 d 21 Ju
n 1950 Dallas CO

5) Albert Earl Markham b 3
Nov 1906 d 10 Mar 1976 m Verda Pauline BARRETT b 1
1 Jan 1919

Earl Markham b 23 Jan 1
926 Dallas CO

Jackie Ray Markham b 2
Mar 1928 m 21 Jan 1950 Bertie Lou SANFORD Dallas C
O Bertie

was b Birmingham, Jeffe
rson Co AL dau of CA Sanford and Edna HINKLE

Norma Jean Mark
ham b 6 Nov 1950,
b 8 Nov 1951 Linda Ann Markham

Ray Lee Markha
m b 28 Nov 1964 m 14 Nov 1992 Mary Beth COVELL in
Ft Worth

6) Eola Markham b 11 Dec 1
908 d 20 Apr 1981 Dallas CO

7) Leota Markham b 7 Oct 1910
d 28 Feb 1996 Dallas CO

Caroline Markham b @1852 Dallas CO m
1) NEWTON m 2) WHITE

Cornelius Jackson □ Nealy □ Markham
b @1854 Dallas CO m Elizabeth PRUITT d 1922 Dallas
CO

Carrie Markham
Mary Ellen Markham b m 1891 Isaac
c Henry □ Tose □ ELAM b 26 Sep 1866 at Elam Station,
Tose was son of William Curtis
Elam and Mary Jane Johnson ELAM. Tose d 15 May 1945
Dallas

INFANT SON, un-named twin to Hannah Cox,
second son of Neely and Katy Cox, b/d 12 Jan 1824 IN

JOSEPH COX, fourth child, third son of Neely
and Katy Cox b 23 Dec 1825 Salt Creek, Monroe Co.
IN. He

came to TX from MO in 1844, lived near Cranfills
Gap, Bosque Co He donated land for the cemetery
in which

he is buried, died 29 Oct 1902

Joseph m 1) 5 Oct 1848 Narcissa ELAM in
Dallas Co. She b @ 1832 Illinois, d in childbirth @ 1851,
bur

Elam Cemetery (now destroyed) dau of Isaac
ELAM and Margaret LANHAM ELAM

Census: 1850 Dallas County: Farmer Joseph and Narcissa Cox

Joseph Cox returned to Missouri after Narcissa
died, where he

m 2) 9 Jun 1853 Armindah Jane WILSON
Armindah b 11 Nov 1826 MO d 20 Nov 1863 in McDonald
Co

MO bur Jack Roark Farm Cemetery, McMillan
area. Arminda's parents:

Census: 1860 McDonald CO
MO: WILSON, Jacob A (b 1797 New Jersey)

Margaret, b 1804 MO/VA (d 27 Dec 1862 bur McMillan area.)

Census: 1860 McDonald CO
MO: COX, Joseph 32 Farmer Armindah 21

References: McDonald Co Cemeteries Vol. 2 by Joan KUNDEL pg 81 McDonald CO
Marriages 1865-1878 Tax List, Joseph Cox T22 R32
Research by Mrs. Howard W WOODRUFF

-----This information from Wanda Hopkins Pennington in TN

Joseph and Armindah Cox had six children:
Margaret Cox 1854
Francis Marion Cox 1860
William H Cox 1855
George W Cox 1860
Jacob C Cox 1857
Sarah Clementine Cox 1861

Margaret C Cox b 20 Mar 1854 MO m 5 Sep 1875 Robert A DRENNAN in Hamilton Co TX;

Bob b 28 Feb 1851 son of David Drennan (1817-1851) and Sarah PHILLIPS Drennan in Rockwall Co TX Margaret d 12 Dec 1918

in Weed, NM, no marker Bob d 28 Feb 1931 in McCaulley, Fisher Co, Tx

Dick Drennan b @ 1876 m Sue HAYNES Six children: Pearl, Fred, Earl, Hershall

Ethel, Harman Drennan

Thomas Braxton □ Brack □ Drennan b 31 Dec 1878 Hamilton Co m 31 Oct 1896 Mary Ann BRITT,

d 14 Nov 1955 in Seminole
Mary d there 12 May 1958 Children:

Thomas Calvin Drennan b 19 Aug 1899 m 20 Aug 1919 Mary Alnora (Nora) COX at Cloudcroft,

New Mexico d 14 Nov 1955
Seminole. Nora was dau of James Madison Cox and Amanda

McCALL Cox b 24 Dec 19
00 Florence, Williamson CO TX
Thelbert Roy □ Jack □ Drennan
b 20 Jun 1920 b Weed NM m 1) 24 Dec 1943 Bernadine
Marie □ Jean □

TEN CATE TAYLOR, a widow
at Lamesa She had a dau Patricia Ann Taylor, adopted
by Jack

Teri Rae Drennan 22 Dec
1944 who m Carl Buckley MAHANEY
Jack m 2) Mrs. Ell
a RASH PARKER in Aspermont, Stonewall CO
Joyce Arlene Drennan b 3 Jan
1922 Stonewall Co m 1) Carl Hugh WEAKS 1945, divo
rced

Carla Joyce WEAK
S b 11 Mar 1946 Lamesa
Joyce Drennan Weaks m 2) 1
7 Jun 1955 Audie Lee RICHEY in Lamesa
Joyce Drennan Richey m 3)
27 Jan 1967 Stanley STAFFORD in Lubbock
Tonya Michelle S
TAFFORD b 30 Sep 1968

Ora Adaline □ Deanie □ Drenna
n b 13 Dec 1923 m 1) @ 1946 Bill HARRINGTON, div
orced
m 2) 11 Dec 1949 Charles Edw
in □ Doc □ DAVIS; adopted two children:
Charles David Dav
is and Tommie Ross Davis

Calvin Osborn □ Ozzie □ Drenn
an b 2 Jan 1926 Dawson Co m 1) @ 1946 Netha Arlene
DENSON,

divorced
Netha Diane Dren
nan b 3 Jul 1947 m @ 1967 Willard WARE, Sundown, Ho
ckley CO TX

Teresa Nanette Dr
ennan b 3 Jul 1948
Ozzie Drennan m 2) @ 1950 M
rs Charlotte FOGERSON b 28 Dec 1927 in Canyon, Rand
all Co TX

Brett Fogerson Drennan b
16 May 1951 and Kathleen Ann Drennan b 7 Jun 195
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NANCE
BINGHAM

Minnie Drennan @1881 m HA
Tince Drennan @ 1882 m
Belle Drennan @1884 m

Will Drennan, twin @ 1887 m 1)
had two sons m 2) Isle (Atchison ?) had several Chil
dren
Arthur Drennan, twin @ 1887 never
married, called □ Hop □
Chester Drennan b 1890 died in car w
reck 1928
Addie Drennan b 1893 died 1912, at 1
9, runaway horse

William H. □ Will □ Cox b 21 Nov 1855 MO
m 1) Minnie Lee KNIGHT @1877 in Boggy Community
in Bosque Co by J.H. MORRIS m 2) Virg
inia KNIGHT d 9 Oct 1937 Hamilton CO TX Were his t
wo

wives sisters? Six children by the two wi
ves:

Myrtle Cox @ 1897 m Thomas Pate STAN
FORD 14 Dec 1891 (She was twelve!) d 29 Aug 1927 lea
ving

Pate with small children. Pate d 15 Nov
1950. They are buried in Cransfils Gap Cemetery.

The ten children of Myrtle Co
x and Pate Stanford:

William Hiram Stanford, Jack
Stanford, Florence Stanford, Otis Stanford, Clinton Ow
en Stanford,

Melvin Stanford, Ovie Alean
Dean Stanford, Joe Bailey Stanford, twins Fannie Mae S
tanford and

Millie Stanford The tw
ins lived only days, bur Granfils Gap, Hamilton, TX

J.R. □ Boss □ Cox @ 1880 m1) @1900 M
innie KNIGHT b @1880 Three children:

Addie Cox @1892 m Lawrence MA
NGUS Knight Cox @1905 m Jane__ WWII
Ray Cox @1910 m Raydean ___

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Dude Cox @1882
Conley Cox @1885

Rodney Cox @1888
Woody Cox @1891

Jacob Cornelius □ Jake □ Cox b 8 Mar 1857
7 Madison Co MO m 31 Jul 1877 Harriett Jane □ Susan □
NICHOLAS

in Hamilton Co, TX Jake d 12 Sep 1934 in
n Gap, bur Stag Creek Susan b 30 Jan 1860 d 16 Aug 1
942 Pampa,

Gray Co bur Stag Creek They had ten c
hildren and a foster son: W. B. □ Pat □ MORRISON

Mollie Elizabeth Cox b 16 Jul 1878 m 24
Sep 1894 Tom CAGLE d 15 Jul 1964 bur Stag Creek

Henry C Cagle b 6 Aug 1895 Eastland
Co d 12 Sept 1898 bur Stag Creek

Vernon Clarence Cagle b 30 Mar 1901
Okra (Sahana) Eastland Co m 24 Nov 1918 Elsie GLOVE
R

In Ozark, Ark. d abt 1996 bur Stag
Creek

Erma Marie Cagle b 24 Mar 1903 d 16
10 1905, □ from exhaustion and croup □

Thomas Lamar Cagle b 4 Apr 1905 Ok
ra (Sabana) Eastland Co m Mattie VINES in Gap, Coman
che Co

Reuna Hazel Cagle b 15 Nov 1906 m
Robert B ROE d 23 Aug 1940 bur Stag Creek

Alzie Monoco Cagle b 3 Feb 1908 d 1
1 Mar 1909 □ from diphtheria caught from a kitten □ bur
Stag Creek

Rastus Jackson Cagle b 1 Feb 1911
m Jewell CHAMBERS d 24 Jun 1966 from leukemia

Rupert Wilson Cagle b 19 Sep 1913
m Maxine CARTER near Gardner □ s Chapel, Eastland Co

Conova Wanita Cagle b 18 Oct 1915
m 15 Dec 1932 Troy Ardis WEAVER Comanche, TX

Cornelius □ Nealy □ Cox b @ 1880 Comanch
e Co m 12 Dec 1915 Katie Elzora Daniels, b 1 Jan 1897
Lamkin

Mildred Fay Cox b 16 Apr 1920 m Hora
ce Edward MOORE

Elton Calvin Cox b
m Mrs. Norma ROGERS LAMBERT

Mary Frances □ Yvonne □ Cox
m Peters

Kenneth Elton Cox
 Cora Bernell Cox b 21 Sep 1930 m 4 Jun 1947 James Walter GUYNES Cora d 2002

Mindy Cox @ 1883 m 1) _____ THOMAS,
 m 2) _____ RIDER
 Lilly Cox @ 1885 m _____ CHRISTMAN
 Artie Cox @ 1887
 Katie Cox @ 1890 m @ 1910 _____ GASTON

Sudie Cox @ 1891 m @ 1910 Tom ARMSTRONG

Claude Cox, twin b 22 Jul 1896, died at birth, 22 Jul 1896
 Oddie Clyde Cox, twin b 22 Jul 1896 m 7 Nov 1919 Olive Juanita PATTERSON b 27 May 1899 d 30 Jun 1955 bur Stag Creek Oddie had a malformed leg and a peg-leg prosthesis.
 Vera Roberta Cox b 23 Jan 1921 m Forester Lawson CARDWELL
 Children of Oddie Clyde Cox and Olive Patterson Cox:

Olga Clyde Cox b 29 Mar 1922 m 6 Jul 1940 Albert SMITH
 O.C. □ Squeaky □ Cox b 7 Oct 1928 m Joice RHATEN d 19 Feb 1999
 Juanita Jane Cox b 27 Jul 1934 m 6 July 1952 H.M. KELLOUGH d 21 Nov 1947
 Herbert Dolpha Cox, son of Jake Cox and Susan Nicholas Cox b 29 Jan 1904 Comanche Co m 24 Dec 1924 Iris Blanch REGER Altus, OK d 29 Mar 1982 Pampa, Gray Co Iris b 14 Apr 1909 Eliasville, TX d 29 Jan 2000 Pampa

Dorothy Faye Cox b 2 Nov 1925 m 1) 27 Apr 1943 _____ FULTON m 2) Lewis GALLIMORE
 Beverly Iris Fulton b 18 Jun 1950 m 1 Danny MARTIN m 2) Jewel SNIDER
 Pam Martin m _____ BARR: sons Roper Barr and Rodie Barr
 Angie Martin m _____ GIVENS son: Brandon Givens

Helen Lowanda Cox b 27 Jun 1929 m 1) 22 Nov 1946 _____ LOFTON
 Johnny Nase Lofton b 20 May 1948 Pampa m 22 Nov 1970 Cindy BENNETT Pampa, TX

Dolpha Dorn Lofton b 19 Jan 1
950 Pampa m April SCHULTZ Pampa
Lori Gale Lofton m _____
_GWALTNEY

D.D. Michelle Lofton
Helen Lofton m 2) 29 Mar 1
982 _____McDONALD

Charles Herbert Cox b 9 Jun 1932 You
ng Co m 4 Jul 1999 Betty Jean AUSTIN, Pampa

Charles and Betty had two children, and
reportedly three great-grandchildren (in 1999):

Debra Ann Cox m _____KEETON
Chris Keeton, Sha
wn Keeton, Phillip Keeton, Jennifer Keeton
Charles David Cox b Pampa

Kenneth Dolpha Cox b 4 Sep 1935 Kell
erville, Wheeler Co TX m 15 Oct 1991 Margaret

SANDERS in Houston

Kenneth Stevie Cox m Judy __

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Malissa Cox and C
hris Cox, (who has one grandchild 1999)
Kathie Cox m MATHANY Son: Chad Mathany

Francis Marion Cox, son of Joseph and Ar
mendah Cox, b 16 Sep 1858 McDonald CO MO m @ 187
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Carrie RENFRO d 22 Jan 1938, bur O□Don
nell, Lynn Co Four children:

Otho Cox @1880 m Marie WH
ITE; Arvil Cox 1882 m Pearl DRENNAN,

Claude Cox @ 1885, Vera Cox
b @ 1888 m Walter WHITE,

Two children: Loi
s White and Claudie White

George W Cox, b/d 2 Jul 1860, during Wa
r Between the States

Sarah Clementine □Clemie□ Cox b 20 Dec
1861 MO m @ 1878 Charles W □Ches□ ATCHISON in he
r father□s

home in Cransfils Gap, Bosque Co, d 1917
in McCaulley, Fisher Co Five children:

Robert Atchison, Ettie Atchison
on m Charlie SINCLAIR; Cavie Atchison m Bob L
OVE,

Chester Atchison d pneumonia, age 1
6 Isco Atchison

Joseph Cox m 3) 13 Oct 1863/64 Martha A
EMMETT, b 14 Mar 1838 in TN d 31 Mar 1915 DeLeon,
bur

Oliver Spring Baptist Cemetery in DeLeon
Comanche Co Moved from Dallas County to Bosque Cou
nty

@1872.

Census: 1870 Dallas Co Prec 5: Joseph
Cox, Martha, Richard, Mary, Christopher

Census: 1880 Bosque Co TX: Jos. Cox,
Martha, Richard, Mary A, Christopher, Alf, Nancy E, J.
E, Ben

Census: 1900 Hamilton Co TX Joseph C
ox, Martha

Census: 1910 Comanche Co Martha Co
x

Richard Jackson Cox b 19 Mar 1867 MO (C
ensus 1870/1880) m @1889 Mary Jane ROBERTS of MO,
b 1871

dau of Jim and Margaret ROBERTS, d Lore
nzo, Crosby Co. Twelve children:

Augusta Clementine Cox (Clem
mie) b 29 Jan 1890 m ____ SCOTT d 1971

Martha Elizabeth Cox b 10 Jan
1892 m ____ SKERLOCK;

Emily Malvina Cox b 23 Nov 1
893 m __ STANFORD;

Sara Nancy Cox b/d 12 Feb 18
96

Eldora Cox b 21 Dec 1897 d 16
Aug 1902 (Bible record);

Audra Cox b 1 Dec 1899 d 2
2 Aug 1902; (six days after Eldora died)

Etha Delilah Cox b 14 Sep 190
1 m Jasper W WOODWARD,

Rubie Cox b 3 Nov 1903 m ___
_RASCO d 1927 Lorenzo;

Wesley Emmert Cox b 19 Jan 1
906 m Mary J ROBERTS d 1926

08 m _____ WOOLEY; Vera Katherine Cox b 6 Feb 19

910 Gilbert Monroe Cox b 6 May 1

2 m _____ SOUTHERLAND Geneva Lois Cox b 22 Oct 191

MO (Census) m _____ Mary August _____ Gustie _____ Cox b 18 Dec 1868
_____ Pig _____ STANFORD in Hamilton CO

Five children: Pearl, Richard,
Harriet, twins: Ora and Nora Stanford

Christopher Columbus _____ Kit _____ Cox b 1 Apr 1
871 Dallas Co m Elena Gertrude _____ Trudy _____ SCOTT Kit d
18 Mar 1938

bur Coffee, Nolan CO TX. [Other sources
report Kit _____s burial at Plum Creek Cemetery, Nolan CO,
TX.] Trudy

was b 5 Feb 1882 Hunt CO TX, d 2 Jan 196
2, dau of Bernardo Nowell SCOTT and Lourina Penina

MILFORD Called Nina Lou. Trudy _____s siste
r, Julia, married Avva Cox.

-----Information from Wanda Hopson Pennington and E
lbert Lee Cox

Ova Wayne Cox b 31 May 1905 d 7 Apr 198
0 m Mary E RASCO, Mary b 28 Dec 1906 d 27 Jan 198
4.

Mildred F Cox b 10 Dec 1926 _____ d 10 De
c 1926

Wilborn R Cox b 24 May 1928 _____ d 26 M
ay 1928

Elbert Wayne Cox b 17 Jan 1931 m _____

Eunilta Jean Cox b 17 Jan 1963 m
1) _____ RUIZ m 2) _____ SILVA

Ricky Ruiz b 9 Nov 1981
and Autumn Ruiz 15 Oct 1983

Leticia D. SILVA b 17 Jul 19
85 and Christina M. SILVA b 6 Aug 1983

Tommy Joe Cox b 25 Nov 1932 d 199
1

Ruben C Cox b 14 Mar 1935 d 20 Dec 19
84

Frankie B Cox b 22 Jul 1936 d 30 Sep
1992

Roberta J Cox b 14 Sep 1938 d 13 Dec
 1946
 Gilbert L Cox b 21 Dec 1940
 Regina D Cox b 31 Jul 1942 m @ 1960 L
 ee CLAUNTS b 31 May 1938
 Loretta Claunts b 1961 m 1) - ___
 _GRAVES Children:
 Stacy J Graves b 2 Oct 1979
 Crystal G Graves b 26 Jul 1982
 Loretta Graves m 2) James LAFFOO
 N Dau: Heather S Laffoon b 20 May 1985
 Steven L CLAUNTS b 27 Apr 1963
 m Rhonda G COX b 6 Aug 1964 Three children:
 Michael Claunts b 20 Oct 198
 1, Jacob S Claunts b 3 Jul 1984, Megan D Claunts b 13
 Feb 1989
 Patricia G Claunts b 7 Apr 1965 m
 @ 1981 Raul TIJERINA b 16 Oct 1960 Four children:
 Jennifer L Tijerina b 1 Ja
 n 1982; Sylvia D Tijerina b 29 Jul 1983,
 Raul Tijerina JR b 1 Aug
 1987 Fabian L Tijerina b 1 Jun 1992
 Weldon D Cox b 15 Mar 1944 One
 known son: Henry R Cox b 22 Dec 1965
 Roy N Cox b 18 Feb 1907 d __1923 bur Cof
 fee Cemetery, Nolan Co TX
 Joseph Gaston Cox b 15 Jul 1909
 Franklin Emmert Cox b 19 Oct 1911, died
 a bachelor
 Ava Cox
 Mamie Beryl Cox m ___JONES
 Elbert Lee □ Bob □ Cox b 10 Dec 1923 d 2
 0 Dec 1977 m 1) Dora Lee __ b 10 Mar 1926
 m 2) Ella Mae ___ b Aug 30 __
 John William Cox b 4 Sep 1944 Adopted
 Shelia Dell Cox b 9 Mar 1949 m Ste
 ven Gary DENNIS b 18 Oct 1948 Three children:
 Steven Gary Dennis, JR b 12 M
 ar 1966
 Todd Allen Dennis b 14 Dec 1
 967 d 15 Nov 1986
 Sunny Michele Dennis b 7 Sep 19
 70
 Lydia Jean Cox b 13 May 1953 m 1)
 ___ WELCH One child: Jerry WELCH b 19 May 1970

Lydia Jean Welch m 2) Alvie Nels
on ADKINS b 6 May 1954 Three children:

Christopher Earl ADKINS b 19
Oct 1978 Tara Marie ADKINS b 6 Oct 1979
Samuel Earl ADKINS b 19 Dec 1
981

Arnold Lee Cox b 13 Apr 1958 m Ta
mmy Bette COLLINS b __ Feb 1965

Joshua Michael Cox, Sheena L
ee Cox b 6 Nov 1984, Neesha Belle Cox b 1986,
Justin Lee Cox 26 Nov 1988
Tina Marie Cox b 16 Nov 1961

Avva □ALF□ Cox, son of Joseph Cox and
Martha Emmitt Cox, b 1 Feb 1874 Hamilton Co, d 14 D
ec 1964

Roscoe, Nolan Co. bur Coffee Cemetery, L
ake Sweetwater area m 9 Jan 1896 Julia Ladora SCOTT
(recorded in Vol. 1, pg 128 Nolan Co) Juli
a was born 29 Mar 1880 in Ladonia, Hunt Co d 15 Oct 1
958 in

Sweetwater bur 16 Oct 1958. Julia was a si
ster to the wife of Kit Cox. Witnesses to marriage: he
r father,

Bernardo Nowell Scott and H.G. Scott
Children of Alf Cox and Dora Cox:

Ethel Fannie Cox 18
97 Baby Girl Cox 1899
Bessie Gordon Cox 190
3 Vernie Cox 1907

Dudgeon Chapman Cox 1910
Ethel Fannie Cox b 2 Jun 1897 Nolan C
o d 25 Jan 1987 Sweetwater, bur Sweetwater m 25 Aug
1917

Colbert Levi SCOTT, son of James B SC
OTT and Mollie SHARP 23 Jun 1893 Van Zandt Co

d 22 Sep 1961 bur Sweetwater
Jewell Inez Scott b 28 May 19
19 Nolan Co d 6 April 19 1988 Sweetwater, bur Sweetw
ater Ceme.

m 1 Dec 1937 Nealie Urban TA
YLOR in Bronte, Coke Co He b 16 Jul 1906 Hamilton C
o

d 17 Feb 1973 Nolan Co bur S
weetwater

James Charles TAYLOR b 9 Oct 1938 C
oke Co, TX m 1) 8 Jun 1957 Lou Gena LEWIS
She b 19 Oct 1937

Nolan Co d _____ Three children:

Deborah Diana Taylor b 24 May
1959 Colorado Springs, Co;

David Wayne Taylor b 24 Jul 1961
Colorado Springs, Co;

Richard Charles □ Dick □ Taylor b
21 Jan 1964 Albuquerque, NM

James Charles Taylor m 2) 18 De
c 1981 Anna GARCIA

Frances Louise Taylor b 3 May 1940 N
olan Co m 24 Aug 1959 Carl William LAWSON in

Big Spring, he b 7 Jan 1903 in Martins
burg or Martinsville, MO d 21 Dec 1987 Devine, Medina

Co TX bur Evergreen Cemetery, Devine
, Medina Co Carl was son of Nathan Lawson and

Katherine L MEAD LAWSON Two
daughters:

Karen Sue Lawson b 14 Nov 19
62 m Charlie HAZEL in Sweetwater

Carla Dianne Lawson b 23 Oct
1967 Aransas Pass, San Patricio Co

Robert Lee □ Bob □ Taylor b 1 Sep 194
1 Sweetwater m 4 Jun 1960 Virginia K FLYNN Sweetwat
er,

dau of Clifton Leon FLYNN and Margar
et O □ KEEFE FLYNN She b 13 Nov 1941 N
olan Co

Robert Daryl Taylor b 17 Nov 196
2 Brownwood m 25 May 1985 Melissa FISHGRAB in Alt
us OK

Angela Kay Taylor b 17 Mar
1965 Artesia, NM m 2 Jan 1987 Dewey Todd HOWARD
Abilene

Nealie Wayne Taylor b 1 Jan 1947 Nol
an Co m 1 Jun 1968 Marsha Gayle EATON b 22 Oct 1949
in Rotan divorced

A.J. Scott, son of Ethel Cox and Colbert L
Scott, b 6 Jun 1925 Noland CO m 10 May 1947 Johnnie

Myrline DANIEL, she was b 31 Aug 1925 S
weetwater, dau of Robert Little DANIEL and Bertha Ma
e

McCORMACK

Johnny Roy Scott b 18 Apr 1948 Sweetwater m 16 Sep 1972 Threesa Fawn GUTHRIE in Nolan Co

Threesa b 7 Sep 1954 Anson, Jones Co, dau of Jimmie Allen GUTHRIE and Jo Ann STRICKLAND

Joseph Jay Scott b 5 Apr 1973 in Richardson

Melissa Renae Scott b 25 Oct 1977 Abilene, Taylor Co

Billie Merle Scott b 2 Nov 1949 Sweetwater m 1) 17 Mar 1970 Richard Lee CHRISTIE in Sweetwater

Sons: Vance Scott Christie b 19 Apr 1971 and Lex Scott Christie b 11 Apr 1973, both in Lubbock

Billie Merle Christie m 2) 14 Feb 1990 Johnny RUSSWORM Las Vegas, NV No children

Billie Gene Scott b 11 May 1927 Nolan Co m 1) Guandean LOUR, divorced

m 2) 18 Nov 1951 Jo Nell PHILLIPS in Ballenger, divorced Three girls:

Billie Nell Scott b 12 Jan 1953 Hobbs, NM; Linda Gail Scott b 22 May 1957 in Hobbs, NM;

Glenda Sue Scott b 24 Apr 1962 Sweetwater

Billie Gene Scott m 3) 1965 Lillie DORSEY

This ends the descendants of Ethel Fannie Cox, daughter of Avva □ ALF □ Cox, son of Joseph.

Baby Girl Cox, second child of Avva □ Alf □ Cox and Julia Scott Cox died at birth @ 1899

Bessie Gordon Cox, third child of Avva □ Alf □ Cox and Julia Scott Cox, , b 13 Dec 1903 Cranfills Gap,

Hamilton Co d 28 Aug 1968 Sweetwater, buried Sweetwater Cemetery m 12 Sep 1926 Charlie William

HOPKINS in home of Avva Cox in Nolan Co. Charlie b 25 Oct 1902 Roscoe, Nolan Co, d 25 Jan 1988

bur Sweetwater Cemetery Charlie was son
of Emmett William Walkup HOPKINS and Bettie Blanch
e

GEORGE

Betty Charlene Hopkins b 21 Apr 1929
in Sweetwater m 2 Apr 1949 John T BRYANT b 26 Sep 1
924

Sweetwater, son of Luther Forrest □ Jac
k □ BRYANT and Emma E NICHOLS d 15 Oct 1999 Abile
ne,

bur Sweetwater Betty Hopk
ins Bryant and John Bryant had two children:

Deborah Jean Bryant b 11 Jan
1953 Sweetwater m 22 Sep 1972 Raymond B GILMORE,
son of

Kenneth Boyd Gilmore and Em
ma Lea _____ divorced Three Children:

Douglas Boyd Gilmore b 5
Oct 1974 Weisbaden Germany d May 1975 Germany,
bur Sweetwater

Brian Scott Gilmore b 13 F
eb 1976 San Angelo, Tom Green Co TX

Wendy Lea Gilmore b 27 De
c 1978 San Angelo, Tom Green Co TX

John Earl Bryant b 28 Mar 1956
Sweetwater d 8 Feb 1997 Sweetwater, bur Sweetwater C
emetery

Mertis Gene Hopkins b 12 Feb 1932 Nolan
Co m 27 Nov 1954 Gladia Rue WILLIAMS in Sweetwate
r;

Gladia b 18 Jan 1935 Fisher Co dau of Lu
ther M. Williams and Emma SCHLUETER

Geri Denise Hopkins b 16 Feb 1956 S
weetwater m 6 Oct 1979 John M □ Jack □ WINDHAM Ho
uston

Jack was born 6 Oct 1952, son of Billy
Morgan Windham and Naoko MATSURA

Jonathan Morgan Windham b 2
7 Jul 1982 Houston d 27 Apr 2000

Kendall Rae Windham b 30 Apr
1985 Houston

Geoffrey Jerome Hopkins b 27 May 1961 Sweetwater m 23 Jul 1988 Cynthia A BURROWS in Anderson,

Grimes CO TX Two children:
Jennifer Karen Hopkins b 29 Nov 1994 Houston
Kristine Ann Hopkins b 17 Sep 1998 Houston; stillborn, cremated

Wanda Lou Hopkins b 13 Jan 1937 Nolan Co m 29 Jun 1956 James Curtis PENNINGTON in Sweetwater

Jim b 13 Sep 1936 Henry Co TN, son of William Curtis Pennington and Mae COPLEN KILLEBREW

Three sons:
(Twin) James Barry Pennington b 16 Sep 1959 1:06 pm, Sweetwater
(Twin) William Larry Pennington b 16 Sep 1959 1:36 pm Sweetwater, m 12 Feb 1994 to Angela Dawn

□ Angie □ MILES in Paris, TN Angie b 15 Oct 1964 Henry CO TN, dau of Carl W Miles and Beverly J

WALLACE

Steve Curtis Pennington b 25 Jun 1969 Paris TN m 17 Nov 1995 Donna Kaye IRBY in Paris, TN

Donna b 5 Apr 1966 in Henry Co dau of Robert IRBY and Dorothy LINN

Stephanie Linn Pennington b 21 Nov 1997 Paris, Henry Co TN
James Robert Pennington b 5 Dec 1999 Paris, Henry Co TN

Richard Lee Hopkins b 19 Oct 1943 Nolan Co m 26 Nov 1965 Marsha Maxine HERREN Sweetwater

Maxine b 29 Nov 1948 Douglas, Arizona divorced

Two sons:
Tommy Hopkins d at birth in Fort Worth bur Sweetwater
Richard William □ Ricky □ Hopkins b 25 Oct 1962 Ft Worth m 19 Oct 1990 Cynthia Laverne

MULLINS Elk City OK divorced Two sons:

James William Hopkins b
10 Oct 1991 Elk City OK
Brandon Dean Hopkins b 1
4 Jul 1993 Elk City OK

Vernie Cox, fourth child of Avva □ AL
F □ Cox and Julia Scott, b 25 Jun 1907 Bosque Co d 2 N
ov 1916

Nolan Co bur at Coffee Cemetery (Lak
e Sweetwater, Nolan Co)

Dudgeon Chapman Cox fifth child of Alf
and Julia Cox, b 4 Nov 1910 Bosque Co Tx d 1 Jan 199
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Odessa, TX bur 3 Jan 1995 Lawnhaven Me
morial Gardens, San Angelo, Tom Greene Co Served in
US

Army WWII 26th Infantry, 1st Division,
European Theater of Operations; several medals, includ
ing

Purple Heart. Called □ D.C. □ or □ Uncle D
udge □

m 1) 12 Nov 1932 Wanda McCOLLUM Swee
twater; Wanda b 10 Feb 1913 d 12 May 1975 Kerrville,
Kerr Co, dau of Troy McCullum and Lillia
n HUTCHENS divorced One child:

Murlene Lanell Cox b 31 Aug 1936 Swe
etwater m 9 Sep 1954 William Harold GREEN in Color
ado

City, Mitchell Co; William b 26 Jul 19
35 Crowell, Foard Co, son of Herman William Green
and Loree DAVIS GREEN The
ir children:

Karen Lynn GREEN b 31 Jan 1
957 Abilene m 9 Nov 1974 John David EVANS in Odessa
,

Ector Co John b 14 Jul 1
953 McAlester, OK Two children:

Brandon Lee EVANS b 20
Nov 1976 Oklahoma City, OK

Casey Nicole Evans b 15
Feb 1980 in Lakenheath, England, U.K

David Harold Green b 31 Mar
1959 Plainview, Hale Co m 9 Jun 1979 Jamie Ellen GL
ASS

Odessa, Ector Co Jamie b 8
Dec 1959 Odessa, dau of James GLASS and LaWayne __

Kristin Rene Gree
n b 12 Apr 1982 Odessa
David Matthew Gr
een b 27 May 1985 in Odessa

Dudgeon Chapman Cox m 2) 28 Jan 1947 G
oldie Lea GABBERT in Robert Lee, Coke Co TX Goldie
b 28 Aug 1908 d 10 May 1973 San Angelo b
ur Lawnhaven Memorial Gardens, dau of Robert Macky
GABBERT and Elizabeth WHEAT divorced
Jan 1973

Donald Craig Cox b 19 Oct 1947 San
Angelo m 1) 24 Nov 1967 Sara Ann SCRAGGS in
Hollywood FL Sara b 9 May 1950 in
West Liberty KY divorced Jan 1973

Todd Gardner Cox b 26 Aug 19
68 Hollywood, FL

Donald Craig Cox m 2) 30 Jun 1973 D
eborah Ann DICKEY b 18 Oct 1955 Robert Lee, Coke C
O TX

Nora Edna □ Nancy E □ Cox* , daughter of J
oseph Cox and Martha Emmitt b 8 Nov 1875 Bosque Co
m Tom STEWART, records in Hermliegh, S
curry Co.
Census 1880: Nancy E

*[Ref: Bible of Avva Cox: Nora Edna; □ Nancy E □ was n
ickname]

John Elmer Cox b 27 Mar 1878 Bosque Co,
m Celina Olive ASHENHURST, d 1 Feb 1958 Comanche
CO bur Cranfils Gap, their headstones are
elsewhere Three sons reported, five daughters:

One son was Omer Cox □ d 9 Jun 1972,
obit listed survivors: □ Opha of Comanche, Gayle of
Roswell, NM, Mrs. John CROOKS of Ke
nnewick, WA, Mrs. Joy WAGNER El Campo, Mrs. Denis
McGLOTHLIN and Mrs Buster LANGLE
Y of Comanche Grandchildren: Gayle Cox, Verlin Cox
,

Winnel Cox, Joy Cox, Oleta Cox, Sophi
e Cox □ This list is incomplete.

Benjamin Franklin Cox b 19 May 1881 (Bi
ble records) Bosque Co, unmarried, bur Hamilton Co.

HARVEY COX, fifth child, fourth son of Cornelius and Katie Cox, b 1829 in Monroe Co. IN d 12 Jan

1874 Parker Co. age 45, bur Cleburne, his death recorded in Weatherford states (in error) he was born

in MO He built a home in Pleasant Grove, which became a part of Dallas in 1954.

m 1) 19 Dec 1849 Emily Jane ELAM at Elam Station, Dallas Co, b @ 1830 dau of Isaac Elam (her sister Narcissus Elam m Joseph Cox and sister Drucilla Elam m Kit Cox) Emily d @1855 at about 22

years old. Harvey and Emily had three sons:

*F.M. Cox listed on Census as a boy, no other record. Wright Cox 1853

Henry Franklin Cox, who had grandson: Orvil Cox m Helen M. ----

A Will filed by Isaac and Margaret Elam in 1874 named Wright and Henry Franklin Cox as heirs, F.M. Cox was not named, assumed dead. District Court records of Elam Estate, filed Feb Term 1874

states J Wright Cox (b in 1853) has now attained the age of 21 yrs, National Title Company, recorded on pg 13

Harvey Cox sold 40 acres in the Richard Bruton survey 23 Sep 1856 to James T Connor, Deed Book E,

Pg 511 He sold 68 acres in the Cornelius Cox Survey 3 Oct 1864 to Richard Bruton, his brother-in-law.

--Dallas Co Deed Book 1, Pg 577

HarveyCox m 2) 24 Sep 1857 Ellis Co (Vol A, 1850-57) TX Rebecca PHIPPS b 24 Sep 1833 Kentucky,

dau of William Phipps b 1810 TN d 1864 and Rutha BAILEY PHIPPS (b 1813 KY d 1866) □ Aunt Becky □

lived in Ennis as a child, then Bosque Co, then near Keller on old Denton Road. She had only one leg,

had a cheerful disposition. Becky Cox d 8 Jun 1918 Dallas Co, bur Pleasant Mound, Dallas. The P hipps

were on the wagon train from Missouri with the Cornelius Cox family according to Robert Lee (Bob)

HOLLOWAY, a gr-gr-grandson of Harvey Cox. They raised their children on a farm behind the dairy that

Harvey leased just northeast of Keller, TX on the old Denton highway.

Harvey and Rebecca Cox bought a lot in Cleburne, Johnson Co. in 1869, sold it for \$80 to B.B Weatherford in 1870. They deeded 1.5 acres to J.C. Craxton for \$300. The heirs of Harvey Cox received

a pre-emption to 160 acres patented in Tarrant Co.

Six children: Mary Elizabeth □ Mollie □ Cox
x b 27 Apr 1859 Margaret Ann Cox b 28 Apr 1861

Emily Jane Cox b 29 May 1863
Martha Cox b 25 Mar 1866

Andrew Cox b 16 May 1869
Nettie Cox b 30 Jun 1872

Private Harvey Cox was cited with other men of Company H, Sixth Texas by Thomas Scott Anderson,

Lt. Col. Comdg. 6th, 10th, and 15th Texas Infantry for action in the Chickamunga, GA Campaign,
'
19/20 Sep 1863

A list of indigent families of Civil War veterans in Ellis CO TX lists Harvey Cox with seven dependents. (Yr ?)

Census 1860 Ellis Co, TX page 56 Brockville P.O. House 208 Farm 194
Cox, Harvey 28 Waggoner, b in Ind.;
R. Cox 26 b in TN

ld b TX nothing more known of this child F.M. male 9 yrs o

ld. b TX (Wright was spelled □Right□) J. R. male 7 yrs o

b TX Henry T male 5 yrs,

(Those three boys were sons of Harvey and Emily Elam Cox.) Also on 1860 Census,

Cox, M.E. female age 2 b TX (Eldest child of Harvey and Rebecca)

J. Wright Cox, third son of Harvey Cox and Emily Elam Cox, m 11 Jul 1872 Mandy PRUITT 1872:

Dallas CO marriage records book A-C Mandy was a sister to the wives of Preston Markham and his brother, W.H. Markham

Census: 1870 Dallas Co: Cox, Andrew, 19 in household with his brother-in-law

Amos Elam and wife, Margaret Cox Nanny, and one child

Census: 1900 Dallas Co: Cox, Rebecca Phipps 68 yrs old, b March 1832 KY

Edna Fagan 7 yrs old b Jun 1892, a granddaughter living with her

Census: 1910 Dallas Co: Cox, Andrew with his brother-in-law Andrew L Elam, 60 and family

Census: 1930 Tarrant Co: Andrew Elam, 79 with Laura May Nanny PERRY

Mary Elizabeth □Mollie□ Cox, first child of Harvey and Rebecca Phipps Cox b 27Apr 1859 Dallas Co

m 16 Mar 1859 Stephen Alexander LONG at Mt Gilead Baptist Church; she d 13 Jun 1939 Weatherford,

TX Stephen was son of Dr. Stephen Benjamin Long, MD b 1832 in TN and Carolyn J RICHARDSON, she was half Chickasaw Children of Mollie Cox Long and Stephen Long:

Eva May Long m 1907 J C COZBY

Ella Long 1885 m 1906 J C WILLIS

Benjamin Harvey Long 1892 m 1914 Irene

rene HANNAH

Benjamin Harvey Long, Jr b 17
Apr 1933 m Dora Mae FARQUHAR 11 Sep 1953 Parker
CO TX Dora b 6 Dec 1934, dau
of Roy Farquhar

Karen Lynn Long b 15 Jan 195
5 m _____Dobbs

Ben Roy Long b 6 Oct 1956
Vickie Marie Long b 10 Oct 19
57

John Mark Long b 7 Jan 1960
Scott Robert Long b 22 Jan 19
65

Steven Willis Long b 13 Aug 1896 Ft Wort
h m 11 Feb 1923 Sarah Ruth SIMPSON
Reedye Long (dau) b 14 Feb 1903
Ruth Simpson Long b 27 Jul 1904

Margaret Ann Cox second child, second da
ughter of Harvey Cox and Rebecca Phipps Cox was
b 28 Apr 1861 m 14 Aug 1875 Andrew Lee
Roy NANNY, d 16 Aug 1900 in Dallas

Andrew was born 11 Jan 1851 d 14 Aug 193
0 in Dallas County.

Rosa Pearl Nanny b 1881 d 1920 m Ely
KIMBRELL he b 1871 d 7 Oct 1942

Clarence Kimbrell b @ 1903
Walter Kimbrell b @ 1905

Bill Kimbrell b @ 1907
Mack Jay Kimbrell b @ 1915

Violet May Kimbrell b @ 1920
Margaret Kimbrell

Mattie Nanny b 1882 m 1) Nat STEEN b
@ 1879 sons: Bob Steen and Harold Steen
m 2) Earl MARKUM b @ 1880 Childr
en: Earl Markum Jr b @ 1923 and Eva Markum

Nettie Maud Nanny b 7 Sep 1884 Johnson
Co m 6 Jun 1901 Augustus TUCKER d Apr 1961
Ft Worth He b 12 Mar 1878 Dallas Co d
10 Jun 1946 Ft Worth

Willie Lealon Tucker b 30 Jun
1903 Ft Worth, d 13 Oct 1976 Mesquite, TX

Lela Mae Tucker b 3 Aug 1905
Seagoville, Dallas Co d 24 Feb 1993 Dallas Co

Pearl Lorine Tucker b 28 Nov
 1910 Seagoville, Dallas Co d 12 Feb 1959
 Bessie Irene Tucker b 1 May 1
 913 Pleasant Grove, Dallas Co d Feb 22, 1973
 Gussie Violet Tucker b 29 Sep
 1915 Seagoville, Dallas Co
 Bertie Lee Tucker b 30 Nov 19
 26 Elam Station, Dallas m Marion Pittman SHAW
 d 30 Sep 2000 Dallas
 Charles Edward Tucker b 24 A
 pr 1920 Mesquite
 L.J. Tucker b 19 Nov 1922 Me
 squite
 Audrey Elmer Tucker b 21 May
 1924 Seagoville, d 15 Oct 1942 Ft Worth
 Laura May Nanny b 12 Jul 1888 Roanok
 e, Tarrant Co m Elmer PERRY d 23 Aug 1962 Ft Worth
 Elmer b 23 Jan 1886 d 6 Nov 1918 in Ft
 Worth
 Roma Starr Perry b 8 June 1908 m ---
 _VIERBUCHEN in Hughesville, Charles Co Maryland
 d 24 Sep 2000
 Charles Edward Nanny b 25 Feb 1891 T
 X d 15 Jul 1968 Ft Worth
 Walter P Nanny b Mar 1894 Texas d @ 1
 929 Dallas TX
 Bessie Lillian Nanny b 5 Feb 1896 Ft W
 orth m 1) William C. BAKER b 21 Apr 1881
 Joplin MO d 11 Dec 1942 i
 n Galveston TX
 Donald Clay Baker b 4 Jul 191
 9 Kansas City MO m Helen CAMMER d Apr 2001
 Galveston Co
 Vicki Lynn Baker b 28 Nov
 1946 Galveston TX
 Donna Helen Baker b 30 Apr
 1948 Galveston m Richard Lee ROGERS 14 Sep 1968
 Charles Richard Rogers
 9 Aug 1969 Galveston
 Barry Jack Baker b 14
 Mar 1968 Galveston
 Richard Elmer Baker b 22 Dec 1
 920 Dallas Co m 13 Feb 1943 Dorothy Pearl JOHNSON
 she b 7 Sep 1922 d 1 Oct 1995
 Texas City, Galveston Co He d 17 Jun 1992 Galveston
 Co

Patricia Lynn Baker b 4
Sep 1944 Galveston Co m 28 May 1966 Beill Jack PEGU
ES

b 31 Oct 1942
Lanye Alice Pegues
20 Jul 1975 Webster, Harris Co TX
William Paul Baker b 13 Mar 1
927 m Elsie M ----

Gary Paul Baker b
6 Sep 1953 m Debra J TYLER 4 Nov 1978

Mark Allen Baker
b 7 Oct 1957 m Julia WILLIAMS 19 Mar 1982

Bessie Nanny later married Timoth
y George REARDON @ 1914

Timothy George Jr RE
ARDON b 12 May Texas d 1 Aug 1983 Galveston Co

Emily Jane Cox third child, third daughter
of Harvey and Rebecca Cox b 29 May 1863 m Benjamin
Franklin ELAM Jr at Elam Station, Dallas
Co. son of B. Franklin Elam and Angelina Moore ELAM
She d 12 Jan 1894 in Dallas Co Four ch
ildren:

Claude Henry Elam 4 Oct 1884 m
7 Jun 1918 Nettie Miller CAIN

Alice Matilda □ Allie □ Elam b 31
Jan 1886 Elam Station m @ 1906 Charles Benjamin AUS
TIN

Ida Frances Austin b 9 Ap
r 1908 m1) 1929 M PASCHEL m2) 1933 Owen D CAT
ES

Charles Robert Austin b 1
7 Sep 1909 m 1933 Ruth STRICKLAND

Marlin Everett Austin b 1 Mar 1911 m
1932 Ivy MARSHALL

Emma Ruth Austin b 3 Jun
1913 m 1931 Jimmie SIMS

William Austin b 31 Mar
1916

Twins: Franklin Austin
and Fredrick Austin b 10 Apr 1918

19 Clifton Austin b 26 Apr 19
Margaret Estelle Austin b
1 Sep 1922
Margaret Elizabeth Elam b 4 Ma
r 1888 m 15 Aug 1908 Samuel RIZZOTTO in Waco
Dalton August Rizzotto b
14 Aug 1912
Marjorie Rizzotto b 24 Ju
n 1917

Census 1910 Rizzotto, Samu
el 23 yrs old married one year Maggie 22 yrs old
wife

Elam, Emily (Mag
gie's mother) Elam, Claude E 26 yrs old (Emily's
son)

Elam, James R 19 y
rs (Emily's son) Fagan, Edna 17 (Emily's gr-dau)

James Robert Jim Bob Elam
b 11 Sep 1891 m 1) 1912 Lela HUDSON m 2) 1917 Ida
TUCKER

b 2 Aug 1918 three girls:
Emily Lee Elam b 2 Apr 1918, Alma Elam b 12 Jul 1
922

Nellie Elam b 18 Sep 1926

Martha Cox fourth child, fourth daughter o
f Harvey and Rebecca Cox b 25 Mar 1866 m Jul 1892 J
ohn Jessie ELAM b 7 Sep 1858 at Elam Station, He d 1
1 Dec 1930 son of William Barrett Elam and Mary Eliz
abeth ROBERTSON Children:

Lawrence Andrew Elam b 19 Ju
n 1892 Zula Elam b 7 Oct 1893, d 14 Apr 189
4

Zella Elam b 6 Mar 1895 d 1989 m 27 Oct 1
915 Benjamin Harrison STANDIFER

Ola May Elam b about 1897 m
Charles DAVIS

Andrew R Cox fifth child, first son of Har
vey and Rebecca Cox b 16 May 1869 d 17 Sep 1930 Dall
as bur

Pleasant Mound with his mother Rebecca Cox
Andy was born with no fingers on one hand and
was

about five when father Harvey died. He was
as a big man and stories were told of his fights, how he
would

punch men with the nub. His mother had one
leg, perhaps there was a genetic reason for the hand.

Andy m 14 Oct 1900 Elma ARNOLD, a widow
with three children Andy was five years older than
Elma.

He drove a mule car (street car) in Dallas
before Dallas had electric street cars, and was one of the
first

electric car drivers.

Census 1910 Dallas Co: Cox, Andrew head
of family 40 yrs old b Texas married 9 years
Elma
m wife 35 yrs old mother of four
Her father b Germany, mother b TX

In Home: Andrew Cox, son 2 yrs b TX
Emma Arnold, step-daughter 16 yrs b TX

Herman Arnold, step-son 13 b
TX Lee NANNY, boarder, male 60 yrs widower, b TX

CENSUS January 1920 Dallas CO: Cox, Andrew
owns home free of Mortgage 50 yrs old
Trade: confectionery in own home.

Emma Arnold 44 yrs, no trade
Andrew R. son, age 11

*Emma Arnold step-daughter, 27 yrs single
Trade: (County Dipper) wage worker

Herman Arnold step-son 23 yrs, divorced,
truck driver for Packing house, and his son

Gottlieb Arnold 2 ½ yrs

*Emma Arnold, step-daughter of Andy Cox
was a midget with a hump back; m 23 Aug 1900

John WHITE b 23 Aug 1900 near San Angelo;
he attended Dallas Business School in 1921,

worked as postal clerk. No children, together
for life, he was related to Rebecca Phipps

Nettie Cox sixth child, fifth daughter of
Harvey Cox and Rebecca Phipps Cox b 30 June 1872

ELIZABETH COX, sixth child, second daughter of Neely and Katy Cox b 25 Oct 1829 in IN
m 7 Aug 1848 Dallas CO Richard BRUTON
7 Aug 1848 Dallas Co. Richard was seventeen years older

than Elizabeth. She d 27 Jan 1914. Richard b 24 Jan 1812 in Madison, KY. He d 11 Jan 1895, bur Pleasant Mound Cemetery in Dallas. Elizabeth Cox, with her family, and Richard Bruton, a single man, came on the same wagon train to Texas in 1844. Richard built a home in Pleasant Grove which was named by a teacher, it became part of City of Dallas in 1954 Elizabeth and Richard had nine children

(See the Probate Records of Cornelius Neely Cox for more references to Richard Bruton.)

William C Bruton b @ 1849
Lourina Bruton b @ 1850 m
C.M. ELDER, then she died.
James W Bruton b @ 1853 lived in Johnson CO

Mary E Bruton b @ 1855 m
C.M. ELDER, after death of her sister, Lourina
Matilda Bruton b @ 1857
Josephine b
m J. D. Dod MILLER

Nancy Joyce Bruton b @ 1859
Jefferson Davis Bruton b 25 Jun 1861 d 31 May 1932 Dallas CO on the farm where he was born.

m Mary Cornelia PRATT bur Pleasant Mound Eight children:

Henry Bruton b abt 1888
Ada Lee Bruton 14 Feb 1889, unmarried
Emmett Bruton, MD b 2 Jan 1892 d 27 Nov 1964 m 24 Jan 1920 Dovie ETHERIDGE
Lin L Bruton b 28 Dec 1893 d 11 Sep 1960 m 16 Dec 1919 Bessie Pearl BRYANT
Thelma Louise Bruton b 13 May 1900 m 13 Jun 1926 William A BLAIR both died in an

auto accident 7 Sep 1958
Edna Hulette Bruton b 27 Jan
1902, m 26 Mar 1923 Ira Herman BROCHARDT
William Jefferson Bruton b 16
Jul 1904 drowned in a neighbor's stock tank 22 May 19
15

Robert Muse Bruton b 15 Feb 1
910 m 1 Jul 1941 Laura Lien ROBINSON B 17 Aug 1916
Henry Jackson Bruton b 1863 Pleasant
Grove d 10 Oct 1889, age 25 m 21 Jan 1886 Ada

Florence □ Addie □ Elam Three sons:
Ed Bruton , Charles Henry
Bruton and Gus Bruton
Addie Bruton remarried William
Mitchel DANIELS, had Earl Daniels and Eleanor Dani
els.

Alice Samatha Bruton b @ 1866 d 18
77 died in an accident bur Old Elam Cemetery

Census: 1860 Precinct #6, Pos
t Office: Seyene, Dallas CO Tx
Bruton, Richard

48 b KY

Elizabeth

30 b IN

William C, son

11 b TX

Lenna, dau

no information

James, son

7 b TX

Mary, dau

5 b TX

Nancy J dau

1 b TX

Census 1880 Dallas County, Pr
ec. 8, page 5:

father b SC	mother b VA	Burton, Richard	66 b KY
□ b Ohio	□ b IND	□ Elizabeth	52 b IND
X	□ b KY	□ Jeff Davis	19 b TE
X	□ b KY	□ Henry J	17 b TE
		□ b IND	son
		□ b IND	son

CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS □KIT□ COX, eighth child, sixth son of Neely and Katy Cox b 16 Sep 1836 Monroe Co IND m 1) 16 Jul 1857 Drucilla ELAM b Dallas Co b @ 1839 Kit d 20 Jan 1917 and bur Crews Cemetery, Ballinger, Runnels Co Drucilla was daughter of Isaac and Margaret Elam, she d after 1871 buried Old Elam Cemetery.

Confederate war records state Kit joined CSA 3 July 1861 at Seyene, Reserve Company, Dallas Co with 13th Brigade; discharged 1865 from Co B 19th Texas Cavalry. Another record names the 18th Texas Volunteer Cavalry Regiment, Co B, Darnell's Regiment. He applied for a Pension 1 Dec 1913; he was 77 yrs old, lived in Texas 69 yrs. The Pension was allowed 1 Mar 1914. Witnesses for Pension: Hartwell Bolen Cox and William Maxwell Kemp. H. B. Cox was b 1840, son of William Bolen Cox and Anna Hunicutt Cox.

No connection has been found with W. B. Cox and our line; he was relative of Lula Cox Moore, wife of Hartwell Moore. W.M. Kemp was the husband of Elizabeth Ann Moore, parents of Huldah Ann Kemp,

wife of Cornelius Jackson Cox.

Christopher Cox and Drucilla Cox sold 90 acres in the Sarah Perry Survey to James T. Connor March 28, 1860 --- Dallas County Deed Book G, page 284.

Five children of Kit and Drucella Cox:

John William Cox b 17 Oct 1858, d 30 Jun 1932 bur Levelland, Hockley CO TX

Elnora □Nora□ Cox b 24 Dec 1861 m -----CANNON, d 3 Nov 1931

Terrell Cox b 1 Aug 1866 m ___MILLER, (sister to wife of Amanda Cox □ son) d 12 Apr 1937

Matilda □Tilda□ Cox b 25 Dec 1869 (Named for Matilda Elam who was dropped in lye water as a

baby and blind for life.)

Ida Mae Cox b 1 Jan 1871 Dallas CO

Census: Dallas County 1860 Seyene H
household #289-

x, Christ 23 born Arkansas Farmer Co

Drucella 20 born Missouri

J. W. 2 born Texas
Christopher appeared in the Dal
las County 1880 Census

Kit m 2) 16 Feb 1873 Margaret Jane BROW
N b 18 Sep 1847 NC d 18 Jan 1883 Cransfils Gap, Bosq
ue

Co, Tx bur at Blanket, Brown Co TX

Infant son b/d 1873

Lula Elizabeth Cox b 12 Jul 18

75 m ____ MOORE (related to Kemps) d 12 Oct 1949 bur
next to

Her father, Kit Cox in Crews
Cemetery, Runnels CO TX

Andrew Jackson □ Jack □ Cox b
2 Sep 1876, d 12 Mar 1920 m Ida ____, 1878-1967 bur Cr
ews

Arna Columbus □ Lum □ Cox b
4 Jun 1878 Cranfils Gap, Bosque Co TX m 17 Apr 1898
Susan

Catherine YOUNG in Comanche Co TX d 25 Nov 1952 b
ur Anson, Jones Co

Curtis Alton Cox b 10
Oct 1914 m Fern Dale ABBOTT b 12 Mar 1919 Jones Cit
y, TX

d 6 Feb 1987, in Mond
ay, TX. Curtis d 25 Aug 1982 Tulare, CA

Dana Darlene Cox
b 8 Jun 1938 Anson, TX m 15 May 1959 ___ Snyder, T
X

Susan Cox b 9 Mar 188_ Bu
rnet Co TX d 27 Mar 1969 Anson, Jones Co

Mary Alice Cox b 12 Oct 188_
m _____ WRIGHT d 26 Apr 1963

Bulah Cox b 12 Jan 1883 (her
mother died 18 Jan) Bosque Co TX m Malcolm McGINNI
S,

lived in OK

GEORGE HENRY COX, 7th child, fifth son of Neely and Katy Cox b Dec 1838 Indiana, appeared in the Dallas Co Census in 1850. George m 24 Dec 1868 Mary Ann □ Mollie □ TUCKER in Madison Co Mississippi. The Census of 1900 reported George Henry lived in Comanche CO with his daughter, Viola,

on a farm next to the farm of his son, Will and family. George Henry owned his farm and Will and Fannie rented theirs. In 1900 George rode horseback to Fisher CO and bought 35 acres of brush covered land. He returned to Comanche CO and moved his family to Fisher Co. His son, Robert Elden Cox, was born three months later. Vess and Viola were not married yet. George Henry and Vess opened a butcher shop in McCaulley, Will M T Cox did the cattle buying until a fire destroyed the shop about 1905. They became farmers again, caring for Viola and her children when her gambling husband wandered off. George Henry d Dec 1909 months after suffering a stroke at McCauley, Fisher Co; no gravestone His death certificate states he died of paralysis of the throat. His granddaughter Josephine TINNEY wrote he had a severe stroke and just lay there and never moved until he died.

Mollie was b 23 Mar 1846, dau of James A B TUCKER and Mary Ann RATLIFF Mollie d 20 Aug 1894 at Bibb, bur Stag Creek, Comanche Co.

George was a Civil War Veteran 6th Cavalry, Ross Brigade.

John Henry Cox b 19 Dec 1869 MS m 22 Jan 1889 Mary M REDWINE b 1871 d 14 Jan 1955 Sterling City, Sterling CO, bur Lubbock Mary d in Lubbock Children:

Niller Cox 1891,
Etta N Cox 1894, Ben Cox 1905

Mary Catherine Cox b 1 Mar 1871 MS d 13 Jul 1883 LA 12 yrs old Her brother, Joseph, age 5, died twenty-

one days later, August 3, 1883. Little sister Viola Virginia had died 27 April, 1883.

William Madison □ Will □ Tucker Cox b 5 Aug 1875 MS m 27 Dec 1894 Fannie LINDSEY at Bibb d 1 Aug 1949 McAllen, Hidalgo Co Fannie b 30 Apr 1875 d 11 Aug 1950 Children:
1) Maggie May Cox b 26 Sep 1895 Comanche d 7 Jun 1926 m 11 Oct 1912 John Ellis HAMILTON

at Comanche d 10 Aug 1960
Maye M Hamilton b 17 Dec 1914 m 1) 30 Dec 1933 Jack PARKER b 8 Mar 1909 Seymour d 1961

Billie Jean Parker b 29 Sep 1934 Cedarvale NM m George Douglas McNEIL
Jo Ann Parker b 14 Sep 1938 William NM m Donald Eugene BANKS
Carole Parker b 19 Sep 1939 Cedarvale NM m Reagan Eugene WELLS
Robert Wayne Parker b 28 Oct 1940 Cedarvale NM m Sandra DAVIS
Vivian Parker b 19 Dec 1942 Salt Lake City UT m Richard Eugene MILES
Maye Parker m 2) 2 Mar 1966 Walter Harold McCREDIE b 12 Mar 1912

William Ellis Hamilton b 11 Jan 1916 at Ft Stanton m Aug 1939 Violet Glee GOODWIN
Sandra Gale Hamilton b m Jerry HUMPHRIES

Lisa Humphries b
m Glenn SULLIVAN
Sean Sullivan Rory

Fannie Mae Hamilton b 29 Aug 1919 Ft Stanton m Robert Bruce MILTON
John Hamilton b 8 Sep 1921 m 8 Dec 1945 Genevieve CHANDLER
James Robert Hamilton b 21 Sep 1923 Clovis, NM d 14 Apr 1978
m 11 Jan 1943 Betty Jean GOODWIN

Thomas Hamilton b 22 Oct 1924 Clovis, NM m 8 Apr 1944 Odessa V DUNN
2) James Henry Cox b 15 Feb 1897 Bibb m 1) 25 Oct 1925 Edna Etha HENSLEY b 28 Feb 1910 in MO, divorced

James William Marion Cox b 2 Nov 1926 m 1 Sep 1956 Nancy Jane SEAY b 11 Jul 1936
St Charles, MO

Paul Michael Douglas Cox
b 1 Mar 1967 Kansas City KS d 20 Nov 1979, 12 yrs old

3) Martha Ann Cox b 14 May 1898 Comanche
d 5 Aug 1899 15 months old in Comanche CO

4) William Sylvester Cox b 19 Oct 1899 Comanche
m Edna BALES b 6 Nov 1905 Loveland CO

Shirley Ann Cox b 6 Aug 1934
McAllen Tx

5) Robert Elden Cox b 21 Dec 1900 McCaulley
m @1925 Esperanza MARTINEZ b 1 Dec 1904
Laredo, TX

Mary Louise Cox b 15 Nov 1926 Garrapatos MEX
m 6 Apr 1950 Robert Houston HERRINGTON

at Seguin, Guadalupe CO TX b 31 Jan 1930 TN

Linda Joy Herrington b 15 May 1951 Memphis TN m 20 May 1972 Wayne Patrick KELLER
Wayne Keller was b 16 Feb 1946 Son: Devin Patrick Keller b 6 Nov 1973

Robert Elden Cox Jr b 2 Sep 1929 Tampico Mex
m 10 Jul 1953 Yuma AZ Carla Jo Ann PARKER

Carla was b 19 Oct 1932 Alabama
6) Sylvia Lee Cox b 24 Aug 1902 McCaulley
m 25 Oct 1922 Jonas Francis FROELICH d 21 Mar 1977

Jonas Froelich was b 2 Feb 1897 Walker, KS
d 24 Jan 1978

Arthur Fredrick Froelich b 29 Jul 1923 Pharr d 14 Jun 1972
m @1946 Mary Ann YOST

Lisa Ann Froelich b 1 Aug 1947 Hays KS
m 27 May 1967 Ronald Clair BOXBERGER
Ron b 17 Aug 1947 Three

Children: Lea Ann Boxberger b 5 Feb 1969 Russell Ks;

Becky Lynn Boxberger b 16 Apr 1973;
Ronald Herbert Boxberger b 13 Nov 1974 Russell KS

Randolph Arthur Froelich b 1
7 SEP 1948 Russell KS m 10 Sep 1971 Lynnett Ruth Mc
LAIN

Lyn was born 17

1949 Pratt KS

Jeanette Marie Ann Froelich b
27 Feb 1950 Russell, KS m Donald Hearn HUNNICUTT J
R

Don b 24 Oct 1948

Jacksonville FL

Robert Stanley Froelich b 31
Aug 1951 Russell KS m Theresa Sue SLOAN b 5 Feb 195
2 Russell KS

Joyce Gay Froelich b 14 Mar 1
953 Russell KS m David Fred PLIATUS b 23 Jun 1947
Lasha Monette Froelich b 21 J
ul 1960 Russell KS

7) Fannie/Francis Leona Cox b 15 Feb 1
905 McCaulley d 25 Jun 1906 16 months old

8) Albert Luther Cox b 18 Jan 1908 Mc
Caulley d 28 Jun 1976 m 28 Jan 1932 Mildred Lee BUC
K

Mildred Buck b Dec 1912 Kinder, Lou
isiana

Betty Jane Cox b 12 Mar 1933
Kingsville m 1 Aug 1950 Mervin Eugene HEADLEY
b 22 Oct 1928 Louisville KY

Four children:

Janice Fae Headley b 18 Mar
1954 San Antonio, Suzanne Headley b 13 Jan 1956 McA
llen

Rhonda Jayne Headley b 21
Aug 1958 McAllen, Ginger Dianne Headley b 10 Jul 196
0 McAllen

Carole Ann Cox b 2 Aug 1934 m
16 Jun 1954 James Moore INKS B 26 Sep 1929 Austin T
X

Jay Moore Inks b 26 Jun 196
3, Jacqueline Inks b 26 Jun 1964 McAllen

Gerald Buck Cox b 4 Jan 1939 McAllen m 1
6 Sep 1961 Becky Jo COWGILL
b 24 Aug 1942 Quincy IL

Leisa Michele Cox b 5 Oct 1962 Temple TX
Julie Lynn Cox b 26 Jul 1966 San Diego CA

John Albert Cox b 18 Mar 1944
Brownsville m 16 May 1970 Marilyn K TURPIN
b 22 Sep 1943 Springfield MO
Carissa Renee Cox
b 10 Feb 1973 John Albert Cox JR b 29 Jan 1974
Michael Luther Cox b 16 Jul 1949 McAllen

Cathy Jean Cox b 3 Mar 1954 San Juan, Hidalgo CO TX

9) Eugene Fredrick Cox b 20 Sep 1910 McCaulley, d 4 May 1972 m Nina RATLIFF b 11 Jun 1912

10) Katie Ophelia □ Lillie □ Cox b 7 Oct 1912 Donna m Walter Earl WAGNER b 25 Mar 1912 Mission, TX

11) George Richard Cox b 25 Nov 1914 in Pharr m Margarita Terina WAGNER

Dorothy Marie Cox b 18 Feb 1935 m Albert Warner WICKS b 22 Dec 1927 Mission TX
Albert Warner Wicks, JR b 3 Sep 1955 Jo Beth Wicks b 19 Feb 1958

Marvin Stanley Jay Cox b 19 May 1918 McAllen m 7 Aug 1937 Mary Oliver FOX

Joseph Constantine Cox b 10 Oct 1877 d 3 Aug 1883 at 5 yrs old -- 21 days after his sister, Mary Catherine

David Sylvester □ Vess □ Cox b 10 Dec 1879 MS m 23 Dec 1902 Rosa Leona CLOUD at Bibb, d 7 Dec 1937

at Stacy, McCulloch Co bur 8 Dec 1937 Stacy Cemetery near Doole Rosie b 11 Nov 1882 Black Jack Grove,

in Hopkins CO TX Rosie d 17 Apr 1962 San Angelo, Tom Green CO TX Their children raised near Doole.

Leona moved to Ft Worth with Virgie and Jessie during WWII.

Mary Ellen Cox b 20 Nov 1903 Comanche d 30 Jan 1908 McCaulley four years old

Harley William Cox b 24 Feb 1905 McCaulley, Fisher CO He was listed in 1930 CENSUS in Stacy,

McCulloch CO, m 14 Jun 1935 Ruby Gladys CARROLL He d 25 Feb 1988 Pecos TX She b in Nov 1993

* Vickie Katherine Cox b 26 Jul 1936 in Tom Green CO m SULLIVAN

Harvey Samuel Cox b 22 Sep 1906 m 4 Sep 1948 Jewell Lavern VAN HOOSE b 11 Aug 1927 at Bridgeport TX He d 19 Dec 1984 Leona Cloud Cox lived with Harvey after he returned from Alaska.

Leona Lorena Cox b 7 Mar 1908 McCulloch CO m 18 Dec 1925 George Cecil WHEELER at Brady b 5 Apr 1902 d 4 Mar 1979 Ballinger Leona d 28 May 1972 at Ballinger Eight children:

David Andrew Wheeler b 30 Sep 1926 at Doole, TX

George Franklin Wheeler b 15 Jul 1928 at Ballinger, TX

Margie Ellen Wheeler b 19 May 1931 at Ballinger, TX m Barney NORRIS

John Luther Wheeler b 24 Apr 1934 Ballinger d 3 May 1934 at Ballinger

Annie Mae Elizabeth Wheeler b 30 Oct 1935 Ballinger m Don NICKLESON

Rose Marie Wheeler b 3 Mar 1938 Ballinger m William DAVENPORT

Harvey Samuel Wheeler b 25 Jul 1943 Ballinger

Henry Sylvester Wheeler b 4 Jan 1948

Josephine Evelene Cox b 24 Jun 1909 McCaulley m 15 Jul 1928 David Edgar TINNEY b 3 Mar 1897

at Blanco d 4 Sep 1972 Ballinger Ten Children

David Leonard Tinney b 23 Jun 1927 Stacy, McCulloch CO TX

Lester Sylvester Tinney b 28 Nov 1928 Stacy

Eula Fay Tinney b 14 Oct 1930 Stacy m Jack CARTER

Edgar Ray Tinney b 21 Mar 19
33 Stacy d 9 Mar 1995 San Angelo, Tom Green CO
Rosie Virginia Tinney b 2 May
1935 m1) BLANTON m2) HICKERSON
Henry Leroy Tinney b 18 May
1937 Stacy m Mary LEE
Haley Eveline Tinney b 17 Ma
y 1942 Ballinger m ___ WATKINS
Thomas Avery Tinney b 7 Sep
1940 Ballinger
Gerald Wayne Tinney b 24 Nov
1944 Ballinger m Margaret Ann NECESSEY (?)
Mildred Ann Tinney b 23 Jan 1
952 at Melvin, McCulloch CO

Fannie Elizabeth Cox b 3 Mar 1911 D
oolle m 19 Apr 1940 Alvin Lavon TETERS; she d 13 Ma
r 1993

at Ballenger Alvin b 17 Jan 1910 d
10 Apr 1983 Ballinger Five children born in Ballinger:
Harvey Lavon Teters b 31 Jan 194
1 James Branson Teters b 25 Feb 1942
Robert Lee Teters b 21 Oct 1946
Sarah Frances Teters b 8 Dec 194_
Martha Louise Teters b 6 Jul 194
8 m Jerry HAVOSAK

Thomas Sylvester Cox b 17 Jul 1913 Dool
e m 25 Oct 1936 to Floyd Mae REYNOLDS at Melvin
she was b 1 Nov 1913 in Taylor, Taylor T
X d 29 Apr 1971 Ft Worth Tom d 25 Oct 1986 Ft Wort
h

Audrey Jean Cox b 20 Nov 1938 at Bra
dy TX m 8 Oct 1955 J.C. MITCHELL at Ft Worth
he was b 18 Aug 1930 at Commerce, Hu
nt Co TX Six children:

Delores Coleen Mitchell b 6 Dec 19
56 Ft Worth m 28 Feb 1976 Richard Allen SACY at Ft
Worth

Bertha Jean Mitchell b 25 July 1958
Ft Worth m David Paul RUSSELL
Terry Lynn Mitchell b 26 Jan 1960
Ft Worth

Melody Gail Mitchell b 18 Oct 1961
Ft Worth m 27 May 1983 Kenneth Ray FOWLER at Irvi
ng

Ricky Glenn Mitchell b 18 Nov 196
 3 Ft Worth
 Johnny Clinton Mitchell b 19 Dec 1
 970 Ft Worth
 Betty Leona Cox b 25 May 1941 Ballinger
 r, TX m 18 Dec 1956 Frank James BAKER at Ardmore,
 OK
 Thelma Marie Cox b 27 Feb 1915 Doole m
 8 Jan 1938 Robert WOOD
 Annie Virginia Cox b 20 Jan 1917 Salt Gap
 , McCulloch CO TX m 13 Oct 1945 at Fort Worth Thel
 bert
 Walter MOORE He b 10 Mar 1918 at Ball
 inger
 Three Children:
 Linda Ruth Moore b 1 Dec 1946 m Rudy
 MARCELLI at San Antonio, TX
 Thomas Wayne Moore b 30 May 1951 Ho
 pkinsville, KY m Cindy Lou JONES
 John Walter Moore b 25 Aug 1956 in Ge
 rmany m Hilda Jane KOBERG
 James Henry Cox b 2 Mar 1919 Melvin TX
 m 24 Nov 1939 Josephine BARTO at Ozona She
 born 20 Jun 1919 at Oklahoma City OK Ei
 ght Children:
 James David Cox b 3 Sep 1940 Balling
 er TX d 10 Nov 1943 three years old
 Nancy Jane Cox b 16 Jul 1942 m 5 Ju
 n 1980 Edward Carroll HALE Two child
 ren:
 Edward Carroll Jr Hale b 22 Ma
 r 1961 at Ozona, Crockett CO m Laurie Jean BLANDFO
 RD
 Leslie James Hale b 10 Oct 196
 2 at Ft Worth m Karla Katrece WHITE
 Myrtle Leona Cox b 21 Apr 1944 Balli
 nger m 18 Jul 1964 Norman CLEMON
 James Henry Cox b and d 11 Aug 194
 8 at Barnhart, Irion CO TX
 Paul William Cox b 4 Mar 1948 at San
 Angelo, TX m 6 Jun 1970 Victoria Jan WINCHESTER
 Sandra Key Cox b 4 Oct 1958 at San A
 ngelo, TX
 Jessie Mae Cox, dau of Vess Cox and Leon
 a Cloud Cox b 28 May 1922 Doole m 11 Sep 1944
 Horace Branson WOOD at Ft Worth.

Rosie Annie Virginia California Cox, dau
of George H. Cox and Molly Tucker Cox b 10 Aug 1881
MS

d 27 Oct 1884 3 yrs old, drown
ed in Mississippi River

Viola Virginia Cox b 27 Apr 1883 LA d 19
Mar 1926 Los Angeles, Orange Co CA of heart attack
m 1) about 1903 Wash HICKSON (or Hixon
or Dixon) in Fisher Co, TX Wash was a professional g
ambler,

who left her and their daughters, Gladys H
ickson and Grace Hickson. Viola's father and brothers
took care of

them until Wash returned and took them to
Bisbee, Arizona where he deserted them. Viola cooked
for miners

at the gold camp, then m 2) Mr. ST
EPHENS, had two daughters: Meriel Stephens and Mabl
e Stephens.

It is believed that □Violie□ died in Santa
Ana, CA between 1927-29.

----- Information on George Henry Cox
from a group sheet from Betty Cox Baker and Robert El
den Cox

JACOB W. COX, ninth child of Neely and
Katy Cox was b 1842 in Newton Co. MO. (According to
William

C Cox, his nephew, Jacob W Cox m Huldah
DODDY/DOWDY, no children.)

Winnie Hatley found records Jacob married
Huldah Jane MOORE 15 Dec 1861 in Dallas CO. Huldah
was

born 1845 in Green CO IL, the daughter of
James Moore and Lillie JACKSON of Scott CO IL. Afte
r Jacob died she returned to Illinois and married Is
aac SMITH in Scott CO, gave birth to a child and died
Aug. 1879, probably the child also died; bur in Blo
omfield Cemetery, Scott CO, IL.

Jake enlisted 3 July 1861 as a Private, Jo
hn H. Martin, Capt Seyene Reserve Co. Dallas County,
15th Brigade, TST

Remarks: 1 muster roll. Reads: Enlisted in
CSA 4 Mar 1862 Capt. R. N. Calhoun age 21 Dallas, c
ity of residence. In Col. N.H. Darnell's Reg fo
r 12 months, Hays & Williamson Co. Muster Officer, J

.K.P. Record Appraisers: Eams & Gray. Horse \$130, horse eq \$30 Gun \$50. Stationed in Dallas 15 Mar 1862 Jake died in Mansfield Battle, Mansfield LA Apr 8, 1864

CORNELIUS JACKSON JACK COX, tenth child, eighth b 22 Jul 1844 MO, m Huldah Ann KEMP in Dallas Co; served in the army of the Confederate States of America; died 17 Aug, 1916 in Energy, bur in

Pottsville Cemetery. See below for details of his family.

MARGARET COX, eleventh child, third daughter b 20 Jan 1846 Dallas Co m 11 Nov 1865 William Murphy

KEMP in Dallas Co She died 22 Jan 1931 Hamilton Co. He b 9 Nov 1844 Illinois, d 5 Oct 1925 Hamilton Co

buried at Pecan Wells, Hamilton CO W.M. was a son of William Maxwell Kemp (b 22 Mar 1822 Wilson CO

TN d 5 Dec 1911) and Elizabeth Ann Moore Kemp (b 5 Dec 1825 Scott CO IL d 9 Feb 1917) both bur at

Pottsville, Hamilton CO He was the oldest brother of Huldah Kemp Cox, wife of Jack Cox. Margaret Cox

had measles at the time of the death of her father, Cornelius Cox. The family told Jack to take her to the house,

as she was ill. He stood in the yard and watched them bury his father, a short distance for him to watch; he was eleven, she was eight, it was the fall of 1856 when Neely died.

Children of Margaret Cox Kemp and William Murphy Kemp:

Mary Elizabeth Kemp 1866-1941 in Dallas CO m Tom BROWN Eight Children:

		Ulysius Brown
Elgie Brown	Minnie Brown	Alice Brown
		Pearl Brown
Bill Brown	Walter Brown	Eugene (Dock)
Brown		

Henry Foster □ Foss □ Kemp b
 29 Dec 1868 Dallas CO, d 1952 in Brownwood, Brown
 CO TX
 m Martha Ellen HARDIN 25 Mar 1873 at De
 nton, Denton CO TX
 Mary Annice Kemp b 1891 d 19
 74 m1) Frank WILDER m2) John GALYEAN
 George Lawson Kemp b 29 Jan
 1894 in Hamilton CO d 18 Sep 1981 Goldthwaite, TX
 in Mills CO m 6 Jun 1915 Kinn
 ie SPARKMAN in Summerville d 3 Jan 1975 bur Pecan
 Wells,
 Hamilton CO Daughter: Mi
 ra Lee Kemp 1916 m YEAGER
 Margaret Louise Kemp b 5 May
 1896 in Hamilton CO d 1966 m John Franklin MERRILL
 d Cross Plains, Callahan CO
 TX
 John Murphy Kemp b 11 APR 1
 904 in Hamilton CO d 16 APR 1964 m 21 May 1922
 Veda Faye KINCHELOE Seve
 n Children:
 Houston McCoy Kemp
 Horace Lemon Kemp
 Eldredge A Kemp Kinnie Kemp
 Artis Wayne Kemp
 Rebecca Ellen Kemp Mary Alice Kemp
 William Olen Kemp b 30 May 19
 10 at Lookout, Hamilton CO m 5 Feb 1933 Ruby YEAGE
 R
 b 28 Mar 1911 in Mills CO T
 X d 10 Jun 1998 bur Pecan Wells Cemetery
 Melissa Katherine Kemp m ___
 __Kemp, a cousin (1886-1926) d in Hamilton CO
 Carrie Kemp m _____ WALKE
 R 1873-1957 Children: Delia Walker and Lilly Walk
 er
 William Jackson □ Bill Jack □
 Kemp 1885-1962 bur Plainview, Hale CO TX
 Jodie Kemp
 Three children died at birth. P
 ottsville cemetery in Hamilton Co has many Kemp's, man
 y babies.

THE STORY OF CORNELIUS JACKSON □ JACK □ COX

CORNELIUS JACKSON JACK COX, son of Cornelius Neely Cox and Catherine Katy Jacks on was born 22 July 1844 in Missouri and brought to Texas in 1845 by his parents with others in a wagon train.

Jack was the tenth child, the eighth son, only his sister Margaret was younger. Both parents were dead by 1856; his mother was buried on the family farm, or the nearby Elam cemetery, which no longer exists, the graves lost. Jack watched the burial of his father from the yard of the home, his sister Margaret indoors with measles.

This receipt is in the Dallas County files, Cornelius (Jack) would have been eighteen years old.

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TAX RECEIPT \$14.20

R Bruton, Admin Received of Cornelius Cox per
The sum of

----- dollars in Specie, and
Fourteen 20/100 dollars in Co
nfederate Treasury Notes, being the full amount
of War Tax due by
him for the your 1861

Dated May 25th 1862

TA Sweat Collector District No. -----

C.J. Cox joined the 6th Texas Cavalry, Ross Brigade in Rockwall 15 Sep 1862 to fight in the Army of the Confederate States of America. Copies of Muster Rolls are dated through 1863. Notes on the Rolls read: Detached duty in charge of horse ; absent, left with slow train ; Not paid ; Absent: on det (detached) service since May 19, 1864 ; Horse unserviceable .

Report of Col. B.W. Stone 6th Tex Cavalry
CSA Hdq. Oliver's Store ARK Mar. 12 1862:
Action near Pea Ridge, Elkhorn Arkansas
 especially grateful to Maj. L.S. Ross for his coolness
in intrepidity...

Report of Gen. Earl Van Dorn, Commanding
Trans-Miss. Dist Des Arc, ARK Apr 14, 1862:

□ Praise of Ross, who led scouting party; cut off USA train; dispatched Ross to Van Dorn, took 70 prisoners. □

Letter to Col. Coates, Commander U.S. Force from L.S. Ross, Brig.-Gen. C.S.A. Mar 4, 1864:

□ Protests execution of two men of 6th Reg. Tex. Cav. □ Letters demand unconditional surrender of USA

□ Refused at Yahoo City □

Operations against USA in Marion County, AL Texas 6th left Tuscaloosa on 19th of April 1864 under

Lt. Col. Ross. C.J.'s name appears on a Roll of Prisoners of War of Companies of 6th Regiment Texas

Cavalry, Confederate States Army, commanded by Col. Jack Wharton; surrendered at Citronelle, Ala.,

by Lieut. Gen. R. Taylor, C.S.A. to Maj Gen. E.R.S. Canby, USA, May 4, 1865, and paroled at Jackson,

Miss. May 13, 1865. Roll call dated Jackson, Miss. May ____, 1865

[These reports were printed in a major work ordered by President Grant, The War of the Rebellion, Official Records of the Union and the Confederate Armies. These huge volumes are filled with communications by both armies, in the Cornett Library at WTA&M University in Canyon, TX]

Erma Sanders wrote that C.J. fought at Gettysburg. Jack told his sons that war was terrible, to get water he sometimes drank from canteens of the dead

C.J. received 26 acres of land in Dallas County after the Probate proceedings were completed for the Estate of Neely Cox. C.J. Cox sold 34.5 acres in the Cornelius Cox Survey to Benjamin F Elam 9 February 1866 according to Dallas County Deed Book J, page 131; he would have been twenty two. Jack and Huldah moved from Dallas Co to Hamilton CO in 1873, then to Comanche CO where he prospered, buying small farms near his own.

After returning to Texas Jack married Huldah Ann KEMP in her father's farmhouse in Dallas Coun

ty 21 June 1866. The marriage is recorded in Dallas County in Vol. C pg 309. Winnie obtained a certified copy of the marriage license from Dallas County. The license was issued to Jackson Cox and Huldah Kemp. □Jack□ is often the nickname for John, and a close examination reads that the minister, J.W. Pinson, Gospel Minister wrote □I united John Cox and Huldah Kemp.... □

Buckner Orphan Home is on the site of the Kemp Farm. Huldah was born 14 May 1847 in Scott County, IL and came to Texas as a six year old in 1853. Huldah made three trips from Illinois to Texas and back during her long life time. Huldah□s parents, William Maxwell Kemp and Elizabeth Moore Kemp, gave to Huldah

and C.J. Cox 36 acres of land in Dallas Co. in 1868 valued at \$145, also a cow \$10, one mare horse \$50,

sheep \$5 and a feather bed, bedding and \$50 in money. These figures are from a journal kept by Jack, and copied by Winnie Helm Hatley.

Huldah died 19 Feb 1947, age 99 years, 9 months and five days, in the home of Elizabeth A Cox Helm at Wingate, Runnels Co. where she had lived for 25 years.

Bettie Helm wrote a letter to Neva Cox Bowman, daughter of Thomas Fulton □Tom□ Cox in which she described the burial clothing: □I am mailing you her wedding gloves, as you are her youngest

granddaughter I hope you will like them more than a handkerchief, she had given most

all her old things away. We put her away in her wedding dress with a slip, Noma made the

yoke and your mother or Delma made the trimming on the bottom; had lavender gloves.

Mary Atchison gave her a little lavender tie and lavender cap□she looked sweet, I thought.

She had \$200 worth of flowers or more. □

-----A note in the margin added that the gloves were 81 years old.

----Thanks to Winnie Helm Hatley, Bettie □'s daughter, who shared her mother □'s letter and described the

wedding dress which was saved for the purpose of burial of Huldah:

□ A beautiful hand stitched dress; small tucks down the front, gathered, full skirt, fitted bodice. It still fit her.

She was a very small woman, I doubt she ever weighed over 90 pounds. We all loved her and she did us.

She had a great mind until death. Almost deaf and blind, she still made her own bed, dressed, and combed

her hair. She always had long hair, made it up into a □do up□ or bun. She liked to churn the butter. She

smoked a corn cob pipe when a girl, but thought it was a disgrace for a woman to smoke a cigarette. □

C.J. bought land from his brother-in-law Richard Bruton and Elizabeth Cox Bruton in Dallas County in 1868. The Notary was J. N. Bryan. John Bryan □'s wife was Margaret Beeman, a cousin to Huldah Kemp. Margaret helped John lay out the City of Dallas. Jack and Huldah moved out of Dallas County in 1870, so C.J. gave a release to Richard Bruton 21 June 1870 on 260 acres of the Cornelius Cox Survey; Dallas County Deed

Book K, pg 234 R.D. Cox, a grandson, wrote that Jack moved to Hamilton County, and paid a lot of school taxes there. They moved on to Comanche Co in 1881, where he prospered. He owned a general store and feed store in the Bibb Community, and bought several farms. Jack gave a farm to each child when they married,

and to his grandson, Alton Preston, son of May Belle Cox. When Jack died there were three farms left to support Huldah.

[When I was a child, Jack's store was called "the Store at the Crossroads". We visited a second cousin of Daddy who lived in the east building with his family, and kept the store in the west building. The man was deaf and I was astonished to see my Dad signing, since I did not know he could. This was about 1935.

[Bettye Cox Wallace]

Jack loved to play the fiddle, and played for dances, but dancing was against Huldah's religion and she would not go with him to the dances and he quit going. Calvin Helm was given Jack's fiddle.

Jack told grandson Bernice Helm the reason he left Dallas County was because he had become eager to drink with his old buddies when he went into town, and knowing that was wrong, he moved away. A story told to Madge Helm Robinson was about Grandpa having some gold after selling something. He was afraid someone would rob him, so they put it in a little sack and fastened it to little Bettie's underwear. A pile of cotton was in the field and she played in it and lost the little sack. They searched a long time before it was found. Grandma put it in an old shoe and put the shoe in the smoke house with the hog meat.

Madge Robinson, daughter of Bettie Cox Helm remembered Grandpa "as the greatest!", he liked to tease her.

Jack died, 17 August 1916 in Energy while hanging wallpaper. He is buried in Pottsville Cemetery, Hamilton

CO. A stillborn son is buried beside him. Jack was seventy two years old. Huldah was buried there 31 years later at age 99.

CORNELIUS JACKSON COX and HULDAH KEMP COX were parents of nine children:

Evelyne Cox b 23 Mar 1867 m John ATC HISON d 5 Dec 1956

William Cornelius Cox b 22 Jan 1869 m Georgia Ann COTTEN 24 Apr 1890 d 2 Mar 1953

George Henry Cox b 27 Apr 1870 m Maggie Ellen WHEATLY 22 Oct 1893 d 39 May 1920

Francis Marion □ Pony □ Cox b 29 Sep 1873 m Lottie COTTEN 14 Nov 1894 d 28 Jun 1948
 May Belle Cox b 21 Dec 1875 m 19 Dec 1894 Tom PRESTON d 23 Sep 1895
 Clarence Jackson □ Tobe □ Cox b 29 Jan 1878 m 18 Oct 1903 Jessie L VAUGHAN d 13 Feb 1940
 Thomas Fulton Cox b 24 Feb 1881 m Martha HANES d 6 Dec 1932
 Elizabeth Ann Cox b 17 Mar 1884 m Brad HELM 4 Dec 1904, d 26 Oct 1973
 Infant son, stillborn, date unknown, unnamed. Will Cox spoke of this baby.

Census: 1880 Hamilton Co, Texas Enumeration District 70, pg 15

Cox, Cornelius J.	35 born in Missouri
Hulda A	33 born in Illinois
William C.	11 born in Texas
George H.	10 born in Texas
Francis M.	6 born in Texas
May B	4 born in Texas
Clarence J.	2 born in Texas

CHILDREN AND DESCENDANTS OF JACK AND HULDAH COX

EVELYNE COX, □ Evie □ b 23 Mar 1867 in Dallas County m 25 Sep 1886 John ATCHISON in Comanche Co near Bibb. Evie d 5 Dec 1956 Stanton, Martin Co. John was b 7 May 1867 Decatur, Ill, d 8 Jul 1962, bur at Stanton. John farmed and was a grocer and furniture dealer. He served four years as the County Judge of Martin CO, was an elder in the Church of Christ for over sixty years. Jack and Huldah gave to Evie and John 55 acres of land in Comanche Co valued at \$350, a mare at \$40, two cows at \$30, a feather bed at \$15 and \$250 cash. They had eleven children:

Franklin Eugene Atchison	b 17 Dec 1887	d 10 Aug 1936
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28 Dec 1888 Cora Alice Atchison b
 0 Oct 1889 Molissa Alta Atchison b 1
 19 Dec 1891 Esta Ellen Atchison b
 d 20 Jul 1985
 Feb 1893 d Cornelius Forgison Atchison b 11
 d 13 Jun 1986
 4 Apr 1894 Elvie May Atchison b
 4 Nov 1895 Stella Evelyne Atchison b
 d 10 Jan 1987
 16 Oct 1897 Mary Ann Atchison b
 d 27 Jun 1982
 May 1900 d John Thomas Atchison b 29
 d 4 Oct 1970
 4 Apr 1903 Hettie Zelda Atchison b
 d 8 Oct 1985
 7 Mar 1908 Noma Agnes Atchison b 2

FRANKLIN EUGENE ATCHISON b 17 Dec 1
 887 in Comanche Co m Aug 1909 Clara SHIPMAN
 Frank d 10 Aug 1936 □ struck by lightening
 Clara b 24 Nov 1890 in Hamilton Co d 31 Mar 1967, the
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bur at Stanton. Parents of nine child
 ren:

Leo Dail Atchison b 14 Jul 1910 Comanche
 Co m 1 Sep 1928 Daphne COGGIN. Three Children:

Trucene Atchison

Olan Atchison

Jo Ann Atchison

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ine grandchildren in Arizona

Zona Doris Atchison b 9 Dec 1912 Martin Co
 m Dec 1929 Melvin GRAVES at Stanton Four ch
 ildren:

Clarence Graves

Modine Graves m ____ LUNDGREN

Lee Graves

Lucy Graves m ____ MILLER gr
 andchildren: Kerry Miller Kristi Miller

Other grandchildren: Vickie Graves S
 tacy WELLS Gregory Graves Great-grandchild: Stacy
 Wells

Baby Girl Atchison b and d Sep 1915

John Tella Atchison b 8 SEP 1917 Martin Co
d Dec 1941 m 1) Mamie Carrol SMITH, (her mother's
maiden name was Carrol) she d 1951 bur
Midland John and Mamie had three children:

Kenneth Atchison Martha
Carrol Atchison Marilyn Atchison m CLAR
Y

John m 2) Lera JACOBS It was reporte
d John had two grandchildren (1973)

Franklin Eugene Atchison, Jr b 1 May 1921
Martin Co m 15 Sep 1940 Polly HERRON Three childr
en:

Tommy Atchison D
wight Atchison Charles Atchison
Reportedly: seven grandchildr
en

Clara Ruby Atchison b 4 Dec 1923 Martin Co
m Jan 1945 Edgar DAVIS Two children:

Sharon Davis
Don Davis

Clelan Dwight Atchison, twin, b 19 Dec 1926
Martin Co m Aug 1946 Peggy WINSLOW Two sons:
Bobby Dail Atchison Ge
orge Atchison Reportedly: one granddaughter

Wieland Wight Atchison, twin, b 19 Dec 1926
Martin Co m 11 Aug 1948 Gertie HOPPER, Wieland
d 6 Sep 1996 in Midland bur Stanton, 69 yrs
old. A Navy veteran of WWII, retired farmer, foreman f
or

British Petroleum; Martin County commissio
ner 12 years, survived by his wife and sons: Frank Atchi
son

and Wayne Atchison, sister Ruby Davis, broth
ers John Tella, Cleland and Junot Atchison of Midland,
and twelve grandchildren

Charles Junot Atchison b 18 Jun 1932 m Wand
a STRIPLING Two Children,

CORA ALICE ATCHISON, b 28 Dec 1888 i
n Bibb, Comanche Co m 28 May 1906 Oscar Carter TUR
NER

Oscar b 25 Feb 1885 in Dawson TX d 11
Mar 1937 bur in Stanton Cora and Oscar had nine chil
dren:

Jessie Evelyne Turner b 17 Jun 1907 Big
Spring m Andy Darf WIDNER 26 Oct 1924

Andy b 8 Apr 1903 Red River Co d
31 Dec 1971 bur Odessa

Leo Thomas Turner b 20 Nov 1908 Stanton
m Jendo RODGERS 29 May 1936 she b 13 May 1913 Cly
de

Opal Mary Turner b 6 Sep 1912 in Dresden
, TX m 1) _____ m 2) C.C. HOPSON in Oklahoma

Lula Alice Turner b 26 Jun 1914 in Stanto
n m 1) _____ m 2) Lawrence BLACK 30 May 1908

Alton Eugene Turner b 23 Apr 1916 Stanto
n 29 Dec 1934 Imogene MORGAN 29 Dec 1934 Midland

Imogene b 20 Apr 1920

Oscar Forgeson □ Jack □ Turner b 21 Aug 1
918 Commerce, TX m 23 Feb 1940/42 Maurene ROBER
TS

She b Coahoma

John Willard Turner b 28 Jul 1920 in Stan
ton m Mary Lee SEARS 23 Oct 1942 in Arizona

O.C. Turner b 14 Jan 1923 m 1) _____
m 2) Christine McKAY 23 Sep 1947

Alta Corene Turner b 27 Dec 1931 in Stan
ton m Eugene RIEVES 12 Jul 1946, Eugene b 20 Jun 1
926

MOLISSA ALTA ATCHISON, second daugh
ter of Evelyne and John Atchison b 10 Nov 1890 at Bibb
m Lewis HENSON. Lewis d 14 Jun 1949 De
nver (he was a brother of Walter M Henson, husband of
Elvie Mae Atchison). Five children:

Lillian Bell Henson b 27 May 1910 Stant
on m 20 Jun 1928 Mason D COGGINS Stanton b 2 Aug
1908

Mildred Dorris Henson b 15 DEC 1912 M
adisonville, TX m 1) ___ m 2) 2 Apr 1939 James Robe
rt CO
STEY at Lordsburg, NM

Theron Leman Henson b 19 Apr 1914 Ma
disonville, TX Twice married, separated from secon
d

Alta Alverine Henson b 6 Feb 1918 Slato
n m Olvis Clayton JOHNSTON d 12 Nov 1967 in River
side, CA

Lewis Dwain Henson b 6 Dec 1921 Slato
n, TX, separated from wife.

ESTA ELLEN ATCHISON, third daughter b
19 Dec 1891 at _____ m 28 Dec 1913 Claude Cannon
KELLY

Claude b 5 Nov 1889 d 7 Mar 1967 bur Sta
nton. Esta died 20 Jul 1985. Claude an older brother o
f Walter Ernest KELLY who married Stella Atchis
on Esta and Claude Kelly had five chil
dren

Vida Imogene Kelly b 27 Aug 1915 m 2
3 Dec 1934 Charlie Ferdinand ROSS Stanton b 26 Sep 1
912.

Imogene served as County Treasurer in Al
pine, TX. They had two children:

Centennia June Ross b 2 Jun 1936 (b
orn on Texas □ birthday) m Robert Joe CARROUTHERS
b 29 APR 1936 Three chi
ldren:

Robert Steve Carrouthers b 19
Jul 1956
b 27 Mar 1957 Kim Ellen Carrouthers

Scott Alan Carrouthers b 12
Oct 1965

Doris Ellen Ross b 19 Sep 1939 m
Arlie Lee WEATHERMAN b 1 May 1940 Three childre
n:

ViCindy Weatherman b 4 N
ov 1961
1964 Guy Wayne Weatherman b 12 Feb

BiLindy Weatherman b 12 F
eb 1965

Ohmer Claude Kelly b 22 Sep 1916 Stant
on m 24 Jan 1942 Edythe WILSON Edith b 5 Jun 1918
Helen Nadine Kelly b 24 May 1919 Tioga
, Grayson Co m 22 Jul 1943 Joseph Walter STEPHENS,
JR in

Lubbock Helen died in 2001 J.W. b
22 Sep 1916 Four children:

Joseph Walter Stephens III, Ken
neth Kelly Stevens, Diane Carol m PACKER, David Kar
l Stephens

In 2001 their children are listed in
Helen Kelly's obituary: Bradley Stevens, Kimberly Gir
ard Stevens,

Courtney Stephens, C
hristine Stephens, Caroline Stephens; Collin Packer and
Clark Packer John Wallace Kelly b 29 Jun 1921 Sta

nton m 24 Jan 1942 Alyne CLICK Alyne b 14 Aug 1924

Mary Ruth Kelly b 13 Nov 1924 Stanton
m 1) _____CLARK m 2) Woodrow HAYES 2 Oct 1971 in Dallas

CORNELIUS FORGISON □FORGE□ ATCHISON, fifth child, second son; b 11 Feb 1893 at Bibb; d 13 Jun 1986 m 1) 13 Sep 1914 Modine HENSON at Midland; Modine b 2 Apr 1895/96 and d 17 Feb 1922 in Ontario, CA (Modine was second cousin of husbands of Alta and Alvie). Two daughters:

Juanita Atchison b 14 Aug 1916 m 11 Nov 1933 Willie HULL at Garden City, CA

Marjorie Atchison b 5 Jun 1919 m C. G. STINCHCOMB at Barstow, TX

Forge m 2) 9 Nov 1923 Vergie Mae HENSON b 30 Oct 1901 Oscar, TX, (a cousin to Modine, a niece of

husbands of Alta and Elvie)

Ida Virginia Atchison b 19 Apr 1925 Stanton, m 13 July 1947 Charles Roy PETERSON in Sacramento, CA, Charles b 1 Mar 1918 in Valverde, Utah

Noma Yvonne Atchison b 11 Feb 1927 Stanton m 11 May 1946 William Henry MINTON, he b 16 Mar 1927

Bobbie Lou Atchison b 22 Feb 1929 Stanton m 25 Oct 1947 Bobby Joe HILL in Midland Bobby b 4 Mar 1927

ELVIE MAE ATCHISON, sixth child, b 14 Apr 1894 in Comanche Co; m 7 Aug 1910 Walter Mayron HENSON Stanton; he died of heart attack 3 Nov 1943 (younger brother of Lewis, husband of Alta).

Elvie's obituary in 1992 named her survivors as son Ocie, sister Noma (Mrs. Horace) Blocker, 8 grandchildren, 13 gr-grandchildren, and seven gr-gr-grandchildren.

Mayron N □Buck□ Henson b 7 Jul 1911 at Altus, OK; m 24 Dec 1945 Marie MOYE in Corpus Christi

d 11 Dec 1974

Barbara Henson b 28 Feb 1945 m 3 Feb __David YOUNG at Weslaco

Steven Wayne Henson b 26
May 1951 Weslaco
Sarah Henson b 5 Feb 1913 at Stanton m 2
2 Dec 1935 Fayron Fitzhugh ADAMS Sweetwater
Joel Lee Adams, b 12 Apr 1937 Odessa
m 22 May 1964 Sally GUTHRIE in Hollywood, CA
Lowell B Adams b 29 Apr 1938 Odessa
m 21 Aug 1965 Betty CAIN Dallas
Donald Fayron Adams, b 15 June 1955
Crane, TX

Ocie Henson b 9 Nov 1914 Stanton m 16
Feb 1935 Louise SKELTON Westbrook, TX d 10 Feb 199
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bur Abilene A grocery buyer for 21 years
, and an employee of Independent Grocer Association fo
r nine

years [His survivors were Nancy Mah
an, 2 grandchildren, 2 gr-grandsons, 7 nephews, and a n
iece.]

Nancy Henson b 23 Feb 1936 m Vernon
MAHAN 1 Jun 1957 Lubbock

Ettie Idell Henson b 19 Nov 1916 Stanton
m 13 Oct 1934 Thorban ROBINSON They were killed i
n a car

wreck 8 Feb 1964 near Whitehorse, Canada (near
Teslin) bur Stanton.

Jay Wayne Robinson b 12 Oct 1936 Ode
ssa m 24 Dec 1957 Barbara FORD Fairbanks, Alaska

Morris Gale Robinson b 13 Aug 1938 Big
Spring m 7 Aug 1965 Jeannie MORSTON in Palo Alto,
CA

STELLA EVELYNE ATCHISON seventh chil
d, fifth daughter b 4 Nov 1895 Comanche Co m 22 Dec
1915 Walter Ernest KELLY at Stanton Stella d

10 Jan 1987. Walter b 30 Aug 1896 Grayson County
(a brother of Claude Kelly, Esta's husban
d)

Charles Grady Kelly b 7 Nov 1917 d 12
Mar 1921 bur Stanton

Walter Owen Kelly b 18 Sep 1923 m
2 Feb 1941 Maxine CAIN Seagraves, Gaines County

Bobby Owen Kelly b 10 April
1942 Midland m 28 June 1962 Janice Marie SIMS b 15
Aug 1944

14 Dec 1964 Big Spring Nancy D □ Awn Kelly b
Feb 1967 Big Spring Sonya Marie Kelly b 22
Jan 1974 Big Spring Jim Bob Kelly b 15 Ja
1944 Midland m 22 Jun 1962 David PINKERTON
David b 8 Nov 1941
Dana Estelle Pinkerto
n b 30 April 1963 Big Spring
Pinkerton b 21 Jun 1967 Mesa, Arizona
Stanton Roy Wayne Kelly b 8 Sep 1 1952
8 Stanton Walter Terry Kelly b 26 May 195
George Penn (Wilson) Kelly b 19 May 1930
adopted. His mother died when he was two months old.

MARY ANN ATCHISON, eighth child, sixth
daughter b 16 Oct 1897 Comanche Co m 21 Oct 1914 Le
e Monroe WILSON divorced She d 27 Jun 198
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Three children:
Woodrow William Wilson b 27 Aug 1915
Stanton m 4 July 1939 Katherine LAWSON b West Point
, NY

She b 4 Jul 1915
William □ Will □ Lawrence Wilson b
6 Dec 1940 West Point, NY m 22 Jun 1963 Barbara DIE
HL in NJ,
b 25 Jun 1942 Two sons: Mich
ael Lawrence Wilson b 13 Apr 1964 in New Jersey

Patrick William Wilson b 16 Mar 1966 West Point, NY
Kay Wilson b 24 Jan 1943 West Poi
nt NY m 1962 C Wayne STEPHENS San Diego, CA
He b 24 Nov 1942 Nashville, Kentuc
ky Children:

Stephanie Stephens b 10 Feb
1963 in San Diego, CA
William Stephens b 3 Feb 1966
CA Jeneen Marie Stephens b 13 Aug 1966 CA
Ann Wilson b 29 July 1947 Yokoham
a, Japan

Lawrence Lee □ Larry □ Wilson b 3 Feb 1949 Ft Knox, KY
Jan Wilson b 25 Sep 1957 in Frankfurt, Germany

Melba Adelene Wilson b 21 Apr 1917 Stanton m 21 Mar 1941 Elzie Wayman BEEMAN Corpus Christi,

she b 28 Aug 1915 They died in an accident near Rock Springs, WY 13 July 1974, bur San Angelo, TX
Three daughters:

Mary Lynn Beeman b 6 Oct 1942 San Angelo m 25 Aug 1961 John M □ Jack □ SHUPE Littleton, CO He b 9 Jun 1939

John M Shupe, Jr
b 5 Jun 1965 Beaumont, CA

Chrisopher Wayne Shupe b 2 Feb 1968 Beaumont, CA

Rebecca Danielle Shupe b 22 Sep 1970 Beaumont, CA

Vicki Beeman b 8 Oct 1944 San Angelo, TX m 12 Jan 1965 George Walter □ Rocky □ ROCKWELL

Denver Rocky b 14 Aug 1943 in Port Arthur, TX Two children:

Brian Beeman Rockwell b 5 Jun 1969 Houston, TX

Jeanne Kathryn Rockwell b 23 Aug 1974 in TX adopted

Becky Beeman b 16 Aug 1946 San Angelo m 20 Aug 1966 James □ Jim □ KILLINGSWORTH in Denver Jim b 30 May 1945 Lived in Dimmitt and in Amarillo. Three children:

Stephanie Paige Killingsworth b 7 Mar 1968 Hereford, TX

James Patrick Killingsworth b 23 Mar 1970 Hereford, TX

Timothy Chad Killingsworth b 24 Jul 1972 Hereford, TX

Irma Lee Wilson b 2 Dec 1922 Ozona m 1) LeRoy McELROY, who died in 1944 in WWII

George Lee McElroy b 31 May 1943 Corpus Christi m 18 June 1964 Jean RUSSELL Springfield,

MO Jean b 24 Aug 1949
 LeRoy Steven McElroy b 26 Sep 1964 Germany
 Sandy Lee McElroy b 3 Sep 1969 Springfield, Mo
 Irma McElroy m 2) 21 Jul 1946
 William Donald SMENTEK in San Angelo; he b 12 Jan 1
 922 in Chicago: Gr
 egory Stephen □ Steve □ Smentek b 10 May 1946 San An
 gelo m 23 Dec 1967 Nita
 LEVERETTE in Glendale, CA Nita b 9 Jul 1947
 Pamela Chantelle Smentek b 29 July 1970 Fairfield, CA
 Christi Nichole Smentek b 16 May 1974 Fairfield, CA
 Glenn William
 Smentek 14 Oct 1950 San Antonio, TX m 7 Aug 1971 C
 hristine Mary
 SPENDLEY in
 Glendale, CA She b 24 Apr 1951 Burbank, CA
 Ashley
 Glenn Smentek b 12 Dec 1974 Fairfield, CA
 Bruce
 Leonard Smentek b 6 Feb 1975 Travis AFB, CA

JOHN THOMAS ATCHISON, ninth child, t
 hird son of John Atchison and Evie Cox Atchison,
 b 29 May 1890 at Bibb, Comanche Co m 30
 Oct 1920 Mabel Sunshine HAYNIE at Big Spring;
 Mabel b 29 May 1903 in Love Creek, near I
 ra, Scurry Co John T d 4 Oct 1970 bur Stanton.
 Mabel d 11 Apr 1998 in San Angelo, bur
 Evergreen Cemetery, Stanton

Margaret Alawayne Atchison b 30 Jul
 1921 Stanton m 21 Jan 1941 Jack C KEEN lived in An
 drews

1973 Jack managed West Texas Teleph
 one Co Five children:

John Clay Keen
 Mary Beth Keen m BAXTER
 Jack Wayne Keen
 Sunny Lynn Keen m BREWSTER
 Loyce Ellen Keen m ROBE
 RTS

In 1973 Margaret and Jack ha
 d four grandchildren, one was Alawayne Keen

Thomas Carl Atchison b 18 Dec 1925 S
tanton m 16 Jul 1950 Kathleen HARRINGTON Crane, C
rane Co

Kathleen b 25 Jan 1934. Jack was Tex
as Highway Department engineer in San Angelo Five
boys:

Thomas Eugene Atchison
Timothy Bert Atchison
James Harvey Atchison
Matthew Scott Atchison
John Dwight Atchison
Peggy, □ adopted granddaughter □ according to an obitua
ry

HETTIE ZELDA ATCHISON, tenth child, se
venth daughter, was b 4 Apr 1903 Sagerton, Haskell Co,
TX

m 28 May 1923 Raymond Arthur BENNETT.
Hettie Zelda died 8 Oct 1985. They met in Ozona. He w
as

b 9 Feb 1896 in Chaple TX, d 29 Aug 1962.
Zelda shared a birthday with Elvie May Atchison.

Four children:

Ellis Ray Bennett b 16 Dec 1925 Ozona
m 1 Sep 1961 Eunice MOODY in Richmond, VA Ellis
has BA

and MA degrees. Eunice was an RN, she
worked for Shell Chemical:

Hiram Moody Bennett b 26 Dec
1965, a musician, he played the organ since 2 ½ yrs old

Baby boy Bennett, still born, unnamed,
1930

Betty Carroll Bennett b 16 Aug 1933 m
26 Sep 1952 Freddie Wayne □ Pete □ HICKMAN of Rober
t Lee

has BA □ 63, MA 72; high school counsel
or Pete b Oct 1924 Robert Lee; coach.

□ Carroll □ was Betty □ s grandmother □ s
maiden name; Betty has Master □ s degree, worked as hig
h school

consultant. Three children:

Terry Wayne Hickman b 22 Aug 1953
San Angelo, attended Ariz. College

Ozona Grant Duana Hickman b 2 May 1962
Holly Ann Hickman b 27 Sep 1967
Ft Stockton Dr. John T Bennett b 20 Nov 1939, named for maternal grandfather, attended schools in Midland, TX,
Texas Tech, Denton State U; dental school in Memphis, TN; Doctor's degree, practice in Dallas, TX
m 10 Jun 1961 Carol Ann CROW, b 1937
Dallas Three Children:
Beth Ann Bennett b 14 Feb 1967 Memphis, TN
John Chris Bennett b 7 May 1968 (on great-grandfather's birthday)
Michael Bennett b 20 Nov 1969 (on his dad's birthday)

NOMA AGNES ATCHISON, eleventh child, eighth daughter of Evelyn Cox and John Atchison b 27 Mar 1908 Stanton m 22 Dec 1929 Horace Spencer B LOCKER in Stanton Horace was distant cousin of Dan Blocker, famous as "Hoss" Cartwright, the television actor. Horace b Aug 1904 in Hill Co Four children:
Grady Spencer Blocker b 1 Dec 1932 Stanton m 15 AUG 1953 Anita Gail SHANKLE Stanton, she b 20 Sep 1932
Norman Keith Blocker b 15 Dec 1935 Midland m 22 Aug 1959 Jerry Lyne COON Stanton; she b 28 Jul 1936
Charles Thomas Blocker b 5 Sep 1937 Midland m 11 Jun 1960 Sara Jane MOTT Stanton, she b 6 Dec 1939
Lila Estelle Blocker b 10 Oct 1939 Midland m 21 Dec 1962 Henry Edward AKRIDGE Big Spring
Henry b 8 Jan 1929

WILLIAM CORNELIUS COX, second child of Jack and Huldah Cox, was born 2 Jan 1869 on a farm in Dallas Co. m Georgia Ann COTTEN on 24 Apr 1890; she was born 16 Nov 1871 in Coryell County, a few miles west of McGregor, the dau of Joab Harris COTTEN and Leah Elizabeth CRYER Bennett Cotten,

(they were called Pa and Ma.) □ Ma □ Cotton was a cousin of Cynthia Ann Parker, □ that girl that got stolen by the Indians and became the mother of Quannah Parker □.

Will □s parents, Jack and Huldah, gave Will and Georgia 54 acres of land in Comanche County when they married, valued at \$835, also a horse \$40, 4 cows \$60 and \$435 cash, according to Jack Cox □s Ledger now

owned by Winnie Hatley.

Georgia Cox died 24 April 1952 on their 62nd wedding anniversary in Abilene, next door to Alice Cox FREE

She was buried in Stag Creek Cemetery in Comanche County, a few miles from the farm where they lived many years. Will died less than a year later, 2 Mar 1953 in Abilene and was buried beside Georgia at Stag Creek.

Their farm house burned years ago, however several huge trees are left growing beside Hwy 36. Billy Jess and I played under those trees, watching ant lions working in the shallow holes they made. One day we played beside the screened-in front porch and saw a snake under a bush there. Grandmother came calmly out and killed it with a rifle. Their water was gathered from rains into a cistern on the back porch. Grandmother

poured a little kerosene into the cistern to kill any insects, and it only tasted a little strange. They built the

house just west of the home site of Jack and Huldah Cox. A pecan tree stands now in the middle of a field

on the south side of the highway. That tree sprouted from a pecan which was dropped by Jack Cox as he

plowed the field for a crop, snacking from a pocket full of pecans. Aunt Minnie Cox LaRoque told me of

that tree, so I watched for it on trips through the county. For many years a stone-wall protected a well

nearby, the water always cool, even in summer.

Will had peach orchards, vineyards of grapes, boysenberries and blackberries, apples, plums, persimmons, pecans, peanuts, sugar cane, and grain for his livestock. He farmed with horses and mules. They had chickens and sold eggs, milked cows and sold milk, raised hogs, too.

Once during a visit I watched Grandmother, Aunt Minnie LaRoque and my mother wash clothes outside the

screened-in back porch. Grandmother gathered fire wood and placed a black wash pot on top and lit the fire.

While the fire got going the women filled bucket after bucket of water from the cistern on the porch. Another tub was filled to be the rinse water. One woman used a knife to shave a bar of home-made lye soap into the heating water. When the clothes were added, they were swished about with a stick, long since bleached white by the lye. Then the clothes were lifted out with the stick into the rinse water and swished in it. I do not recall them using a wringer, they must have twisted the clothes, and hanged them on the fence and bushes to dry, there were no clothes lines. The white sheets and such were washed first, then printed cottons, then granddad's work clothes. The fire died out and when the water was cooler it was used to wash the

floors of the porch and poured out wherever Grandmother did not want weeds to grow. This was hard, back breaking work, smoke was in the air, heat from the fire was making their faces red. This chore was to be done

every week, all year round. Perhaps they used a starch solution on some of the clothes, that I do not recall.

Their elder son, Roy Dean Cox wrote,
□ We moved to Stephens County in 1900, and back to Comanche Co, to Erath County, where Nealy was

born; to Foard Co in 1910 south of Crowell for two years, back to Comanche. In 1916 my father moved

to Hale Co on the Night Ranch on Running Water Draw for one year, and back to Comanche. (My mother

always wanted to go back to Comanche.) They moved to Crosby Co in 1922 for six years, and back to

Comanche Co.

Earl Ray ROBERTS, a great-grandson, remembered that Will always used the phrase "Bless these comforts..." when saying grace at meals. Will and Georgia were faithful members of the Church of Christ. Georgia would prepare the unleavened bread for communion using a pizza cutter-like tool to cut it in large pieces. Members would break off pieces as the bread was passed to them. While reading his Bible, Will would move his lips, almost whispering the words.

Will and Georgia had five children and raised Alton PRESTON, son of Will's sister May Belle Cox Preston, who died six days after his birth. These five children were:

	Minnie Elizabeth Cox	1891	
Roy Dean Cox	1892	Alice Leah Cox	1896
	William Cornelius Cox, JR	1902	E
Isie Agnes Cox	1905		

MINNIE ELIZABETH COX b 28 Jan 1891 in Dallas Co m 1) Hubert Encil "Hub" LaROQUE 2 Jun 1907 at Bibb He was b 17 Jul 1888, d 4 Sep 1954, son of a music teacher in Comanche; buried in Stag Creek.

Minnie m 2) Ernest B WEATHERBY 31 Dec 1965 in Winter Haven, CA. E.B. Weatherby was b 14 Jan 1901 at Stag Creek. They lived in Cucamonga, CA. They separated 15 July 1970 and Minnie returned to Stevens-

ville, TX to live with Elsie. Minnie lived with Lorene Foster at Clyde before they moved to Gorman where Minnie suffered a stroke on a bitterly cold day and was taken by ambulance on icy roads to Ranger where she died at 3 am on 16 Jan 1979. Services were in Gorman 18 Jan, burial in Stag Creek. Minnie was the eldest child in her family, and the las

t survivor of them. My father, Nealy, called her □ Sister. □

The four daughters of Minnie and Hub LaRoque:

Alma Lorene LaRoque b 27 Mar 1908
m 1) 4 Jan 1930 Elbert Newton ROBERTS in Abilene. He died

20 Feb 1932. Lorene, with assistance of her parents and grandparents kept a little grocery until her

remarriage to Fritz Foster. I have a snapshot of five generations: Huldah Kemp Cox, her son Will Cox,

his daughter Minnie Cox LaRoque, her daughter Lorene Roberts holds her son, Earl Ray Roberts.

The photograph was made in 1932.

Earl Ray Roberts b 1 Apr 1931
in Abilene m 20 Jun 1953 Ann WARD in Austin,

Ann b 5 Mar 1934 in Mason

Deborah Ann Roberts b 9 Aug 1954 in Austin m 12 Jul 1980 Mark Robert WESTFALL

Mark b 5 Jul 1955

Austin Robert Westfall b 15 Aug 1985
Jun 1988

Taylor Ryan Westfall b 30

Marshall Alan Westfall

b 18 Dec 1991

Jeffrey Alan Roberts b 18 Mar 1956 Austin m 11 Oct 1986 Peggy Sue ELLIS
divorced 5 Feb 1998

Jeff died 4 May 2001 in Dallas, a suicide, leaving two sons:

Brian Ellis Roberts b 28 Dec 1989
Blake Alan Roberts b 16 Feb 1994

Kathryn Sue Roberts b 28 Dec 1957 Austin m Vic Allen AKERS 6 Jun 1981, Vic b 1 Sep 1956

Bronson Lee Akers b 19 May 1983
Mallory Megan Akers b 26 Jun 1986

Kenneth Ray Roberts b 25 April 1961 Corpus Christi TX m Paulette EGAN in Houston,

b Rhode Island.

Lorene Roberts m 2) George P Fritz
Fritz FOSTER 16 Jan 1935 in Blanket, TX Fritz worked
for the Civil Service, d 1 Apr 1972 in VA hospital in Big Spring, services in Clyde, bur in Stag Creek.

Lorene d Weds 5 Apr 2000 bur Stag Creek
Lorene and Fritz Foster had three children:

Nevin Malone Foster b 30 Dec 1935 Big Spring, TX m 1) 5 Apr 1957 Linda Mare STONE

in Eunice, NM divorced 1965
Daughters: Sandra Gail Foster b 5 Nov 1957 Kermit, TX

Cynthia Ann Foster b 27 Jan 1960 Kermit

Nevin m 2) Katherine Lee BAYNE 1 Oct 1965 Jal, NM Kathy b in Oil City, PA He is a florist.

Gene Larue Foster b 4 Aug 1939 Abilene TX m 11 Oct 1963 Carolyn Francis SCITERN Gorman
Carolyn b 25 Mar 1942 Gorman is a descendant of a stepdaughter of Joab Harris Cotton),

Gene and Carolyn had two children: Lisa Carol Foster b 5 Sep 1966 Fairview, OK

Joe Allen Foster b 5 May 1972 Ranger TX

Iva Lou Foster b 13 Feb 1946 died by accident in Clyde 4 Oct 1947, bur Clyde, TX

Ola Jewell LaRoque, second daughter of Minnie and Hub, b 30 Jun 1909 near Bibb, d of diptheria

Oct 5, 1910 bur at Breckenridge.

Alice Lucille LaRoque b 20 Nov 1912 near Bibb m 22 Oct 1944 Ben TATUM 22 in Comanche;

d in car wreck in Fort Worth 1 Feb 1956 bur Laurelland, Cemetery Ft Worth, worked in a Hamilton

City bank. Her daughters:

Bernarda Beth B.B. Tatum
b 4 Jan 1947 Waco TX m Paul TANNER in Ft Worth 1968

969 Paula Tanner b 1970 Mary Lucille Tanner b 1
14 Sep 1971 Christi Marie Tanner b

Eliza Louise Tatum b 22 Nov 1
948 Waco, TX m Benny Ray McALISTER Ft Worth 1966
1968 Brian Scott McAlister b
Darren Ray McAlister b 5 May 1971
Geneva Odell LaRoque, fourth daugh
hter b 20 Jan 1917 m 30 Dec 1935 Russell JONES in Bro
wnwood

Russell b 20 Jan 1915 in Sidney, Co
manche Co. Odell became mentally ill after the birth of
Lynn and

d 5 Feb 1969 in state hospital in Au
stin; bur beside her father in Stag Creek.

Lynn LaRoque Jones b 19 Jul 1
940 Ballinger m 15 Jul 1971 Sandra Louise JUSTUS Bar
tlesville,

OK A graduate of Texas Tech
U. Son: Matthew Wade Jones b 1 Aug 1972 Bartlesv
ille, OK

ROY DEAN COX, first son, second child of
Will and Georgia b 21 May 1892 in Dallas Co, accordin
g to his

obituary m 13 Sep 1913 Susan Bessie JANE
S/JAYNES and died 28 Oct 1966, bur in Resthaven Park
, Lubbock

Bess b 20 Nov 1891 d 17 Oct 1975. He was
called Cap and Bud and R.D., my dad called him □ Broth
er □ He

farmed in Comanche CO, moved to Floyd C
O in 1924, farmed at McCoy, Cone and Farmer communi
ties,

until he moved to Lubbock and worked at T
exas Tech in maintenance. Uncle Bud began writing lett
ers to

Cox people about 1965, bought the Stanley
Cox book, and was beginning a genealogy when he died.

His son, Elvis, brought me his papers, whi
ch have been valuable. My thanks to his family. He wr
ote a story

of his family as he remembered it.
He had five children:

Roy Elvis Cox b 9 Aug 1915 in Coman
che Co m Lola WILLIAMS, divorced

Elvis m 2) 30 Aug 1975 Betty DURH
AM. He farmed in the McCoy, Cone and Farmer commu
nities

with his dad. Elvis d 31 Aug, 2000. Hi
s pallbearers were Tim Brown, Todd Brown, Robert Nipp,
James

Williams Nipp, Eric Moore, Ron Cox and Jack
Buried in Resthaven Memorial Park, Lub
bock

Elvis □ two children were:
Roy Cox Lora Dale Cox

Leroy □ Buddy □ Cox b 5 Nov 1917 m
9 Jan 1948 Tama Elvira □ Billie □ HENSON of Crosbyton
Billie b 25 Oct 1927 Crosbyton Buddy
served with USA in China in WWII; died of leukemia 22
Apr

1956, bur in Lubbock. Two Children:
Ronald Preston Cox b 4 Apr 19
51 Paula Jo Cox b 23 Apr 1953 m 20 Oct 1972
Golda Cox b Mar 1920 m 1) a soldier
in WWII, he disappeared; m 2) 8 Jul 1950 R H □ Boots
□

DURRETT

Charlotte Susan Durrett b 24 D
ec 1945 m James Earl NIPP 9 Aug 1966
James Chantel Nipp 26
Nov 1967 Kimberly Susan Nipp b 18 Jan 1972

William Andrew □ W.A. □ or □ Bill □ Co
x b 5 Sep 1921 m 1) 6 Jul 1946 Bernice Elaine ERICK
SON

Bernice b 5 Jan 1921 dau of John W Er
ickson and Myrtle Louisa YENGER Bernice d Jan 1990
in

Lubbock. W.A. joined the Lubbock pol
ice force 16 Nov 1950 and was honored by the Lubbock
Police

in 1952; retired as Captain after 35 ye
ars.

W.A m 2) 1 Jul 1991 Shirley Jackson,
he died 8 Oct 2005. His obituary lists five grandchi
ldren:

Jennifer Brown, Christina Smothers, Allison Moore, Todd Brown and Stacy Roach; two great-grand-

daughters, Kaitlyn DeVault and Averie Moore, as well as step-grandchildren and great-grands

Pamela Elaine Cox b 13 April 1949 m 5 Aug 1972 Timothy Andrew BROWN b 1 May 1948

She taught in Lubbock Children: Jennifer Elaine Brown b 20 Aug 1975

Christina Louise Brown b 20 July 1978 Todd Andrew Brown b 26 Jul 1985

Brenda Louise Cox b 18 Sep 1950 m 1) 27 Dec 1973 Roger Kendall SCOTT b 6 Feb 1950

divorced 1985 Two children: Allison Kendall Scott b 24 Aug 1978 m 27 Dec 1998 Eric Michael MOORE b 6 Nov 1977

Trevor Andrew Scott b 12 Jul 1980

Brenda Scott m 2) 23 Jun 1985 Ricky Lee ROACH b 15 May 1951

Stacy Lee Roach b 21 Jun 1986

Alma Marie Cox b 13 Dec 1925 m 10 Jun 1942 Thomas Ozell MACON San Antonio, Ozell was b 21 Feb 1922, is a CPA in Lubbock No children. Marie and Ozell celebrated 60 years of marriage in 2002.

ALICE LEAH □ ALLIE □ COX, third child and second daughter of Will and Georgia Cox b 5 Mar 1896 on

farm on Walnut Creek seven miles northwest of Indian Gap in Comanche County, delivered by Dr. CARSON

of Indian Gap Allie married three times, she died 24 Dec 1961 in Comanche.

m 1) King Thomas JANES/JAYNES, a nephew of Bess Janes Cox, the wife of Roy Dean Cox divorced

King d 22 Dec 1965 (The □ y □ was added to their name since people called them □ James □.) Four children:

Sheila Almira Janes/Jaynes b 11 Apr 1915 m 1) Sid BERRYMAN in 1935, he died in 1946

Sheila Berryman m 2) 1947 Harvey M ANSELL Sheila d 30 April 1969

Shirlene Mansell b 26 Oct 1948 m 25 Nov 1967 Eddie Dean STARK Eddie b 20 Aug 1948

Rex Darrah Jaynes b 16 May 1917 m 7 May 1943 Jesse Lea FIELDER She b 19 Jun 1922

Rex Curtis Jaynes b 21 Dec 1948 m 19 Sep 1969 Martha KAWOLSKI She b 26 Oct 1949

Michael Robert Jaynes b 17 Dec 1969 and Shannon Lea Jaynes b 2 May 1972

Lois Murlene Jaynes b 19 Feb 1919 m 1) 7 Apr 1940 Carvell Washington GODFREY C.W. b 11 Apr 1911

Lois Godfrey m 2) 18 Aug 1960 Lesley SCOTT Lesley b 17 Aug 1916.

Carolyn Jean Godfrey b 29 Apr 1941 m Robert SUSSMAN in 1957

Michael Raymond Sussman b 27 Jul 1960 Lisa Gay Sussman 17 Jul 1963

David Ervin Sussman b 9 Aug 1965

Billie Sue Godfrey b 25 Jan 1944 m 10 Aug 1961 James Nesbitt STUART

Tommy Sue Stuart b 15 Nov 1963 Rebecca Ann Stuart b 18 Nov 1965

James Nesbitt Stuart, II b 28 Dec 1968

Thomas Carvell Godfrey b 9 May 1948, m Tresa SCHRIVER 18 Apr 1967

Thomas Harry Godfrey b 13 Feb 1968 Jeremy Chris Jan Godfrey b 15 May 1972

Andrew Cornelius □ A.C. Jaynes b 29 Dec 1928 m 17 Feb 1942 Clirican Joan INGERSALL she b 17 Apr 1924

Andrew George Jaynes b 13 Apr 1949 m 11 Nov 1970 Angela Irene HULSTINE she b 20 Dec 1953

Rebbeca Lynn Jaynes b 21 Oct 1971

Patrick Martin Jaynes b 23 Feb 1954

s b 20 Nov 1957

Linda Marie Jayne

b 7 July 1961

Bevin Jay Jaynes

Alice Jaynes m 2) Frank FREE in Abilene in 1930, Frank, a barber died in 1958, buried Abilene Her parents,

Will and Georgia Cox, moved from the Bibb farm into the house next door to them because Grand mother

Georgia had fallen and hurt her shoulder.

Alice Free m 3) B.J. □Bige□ COX of Sidney, Comanche CO, TX. Bige was not related, but known since

childhood. Alice was buried in Abilene 1961 beside Frank Free.

WILLIAM CORNELIUS □NEALY□ COX, JR fourth child and younger son of Will and Georgia Cox b July 20 1902 near Harpersville in Erath Co. His oldest sister, Minnie LaRoque Weathersby wrote:

□Mama was having asthma bad after Alvie was born. Dr. Carson of Indian Gap advised Papa to take

her to a higher dryer country. Well, a friend of ours, Mr. Jack KEEL, had a farm for sale in Erath Co.

seven miles from Harpersville, so Papa bought it. We moved to it in December 1896. Nealy was born

there.□ The family later returned to Bibb.

Nealy finished school in Bibb and may have attended a college in Brownwood for a semester. About

1916 Will was farming in the Running Water community in Hale County and Nealy worked at the Coca-Cola plant in Plainview. He moved to Amarillo and attended San Jacinto Barber College; bought

a two-chair barber shop in Goodnight, Armstrong Co. Nealy met and married Maud NEWBERRY 10 May

1925 in Goodnight at the home of her parents, Jesse Eli Newberry and Della MATTHEWS NEWBERRY

Nealy bought a house from a Mr. Small, which was across the street from the post office/drug store,

store, and I was born in it. My brother, Billy Jess, was born in the house of our grandmother, Della

Matthews Newberry. Nealy moved his shop to the Clarendon-Amarillo highway north of the railway station and used the east side of the building as a Sinclair Service Station and bus stop. In 1934 a new paved highway

was planned from Amarillo to Clarendon on the south of the railroad tracks. Daddy bought a small acreage from Mr. McDowell on the south side of the planned highway, and moved his shop/station on it.

He also bought a house on the northeast side of Goodnight and had it moved near his shop. I stood on a

stool in the pantry of my first home with Mother and looked east to watch a house moved south and across

the railroad to the new location. Daddy wallpapered the house, and Mother painted inside. We spent

Christmas of 1934 in that house, but the outside was not painted until the spring. In 1936 Nealy began work

for McDonald Auto Parts in Amarillo, traveling through the panhandle and into New Mexico selling auto

parts from Monday mornings to Friday nights. The best day of the week was when Daddy came home!

In January 1937 (Bill says it was March) we moved to Canyon, and within weeks Daddy developed

pneumonia. Young Dr. Neblett came to the house to care for him and friends from Goodnight came to

spend nights with him until he recovered. In 1940 the Goodnight house was torn down and lumber salvaged from it to build a house at 2106 7t

h Avenue in Canyon. We moved into it on 4 April, 1940
. Daddy grew ill

from stomach ulcers and died 11 Nov 1952 i
n Temple following surgery, he was fifty. Mother died
of congestive heart failure 19 Aug 1984 in
Amarillo, Potter Co. TX age 83, bur 21 Aug 1984, with
Daddy

in Dreamland Cemetery at Canyon.

Bettye Ruth Cox b Aug 30, 1927 Go
odnight, Armstrong Co TX, started school there and tra
nsferred

To the Demonstration School at West Texas
State College where she graduated in 1944 and earned a
BS

In Art and Secondary Education, Class of 1
947. Bettye met and m 12 May 1948 Hardy Elbern WALL
ACE

of Happy in Canyon. H.E. was b 28 Nov 1
927 in Ralls, Crosby Co, son of Hardy Addis □ H .A. □
Wallace

and Vera Estelle WILLARD WALLACE of R
alls.

Wally joined the Navy in 1945. We marrie
d before he was discharged as an Electronics Technicia
n in Nov 1948. We lived in Concord CA in Na
val Housing, Apt #77 Eniwetok Village, then moved to
housing

Outside Hunters Point Naval Shipyard in S
an Francisco. After his discharge we took a train to Los
Angerles where we visited him mother, Este
lle Willard KREIMER in Glendale before going by train
to Amarillo.

His father, H.A. Wallace was County Judge
of Swisher County, and had found us an apartment in Tu
lia.

I had a job waiting as a fifth grade teache
r in the Tulia School. Mr. T.L. Fore asked Wally to wo
rk as a bookkeeper and assistant parts manager
at Fore Motor Co. The following June Wally became the
parts manager and I became the bookkeeper. withou
t any formal training. I came to love it. In 1956 H.E. b
ecame

owner of Wallace Motor Company, a Ford d
ealership in Happy, TX. After thirty years, we moved th
e deal- ership to Dimmitt where Wally died 9 Sep 199

0 of multiple myeloma, He is buried at Happy, Swisher Co. Four Children:

Mary Elizabeth Wallace b 11 Dec 1952 in Tulia, Swisher Co, attended schools in Happy, TX m 1) 2 Mar 1972 Ronald James SMITH in Lubbock divorced about 1987

Melissa Anne Smith b 6 Jul 1978 in Houston m 12 Mar 2006 Lane Gavin DIAMOND in Tom Ball, Harris Co TX Lane b in Salisbury, Rhodesia, Africa; had lived in South America and Florida before moving to

Houston; son of Sandra Diamond and the late Roy Diamond

Rory Caye Diamond b 23 July 2008 in Houston

Sara Beth Smith b 20 Nov 1984 Houston m 21 Nov 2009 Clinton Waide FERNANDEZ in Cypress, TX Clint b 14 Apr 1977 in Morgan City, LA, son of Beverly Carlin □ B.C. □ Fernandez (b 13 Aug 1942 in

Jacksonville, FL) and Yvonne KLUTTS Fernandez (b 17 Sep 1946 in Poplar Bluff, MO)

Mary Smith m 2) James Ronald HENSLEY 26 Dec 1992 in Houston

Jana Lee Wallace b 10 Nov 1955 Tulia, Swisher Co Attended schools in Happy, TX and WTU in Canyon, with a degree in education . m 11 Jun 1977 Keith Alan GOSS of Tulia in Happy.

Keith was b 28 Jul 1956 in Tulia, son of Herbert and Gladys Goss.

Jana and Keith GOSS graduated from WTSU in Canyon in 1978, live in Canyon. Keith works as a dispatcher for Southwestern Public Service Co in Amarillo.

Sharon Gale Goss b 1 Mar 1982 Amarillo, Potter Co TX, grew up in Canyon, attended WTA&MU

and University of North Texas in Denton m 30 Apr 2005 Curtis IPPOLITO in Lucas, Collin Co

Live in Richardson TX Curtis b 18 Sep 1980 in Kansas City, Mo

Rachel Elaine Goss b 24 Sep 1985 in Amarillo, Potter Co, grew up in Canyon, graduated from

WTA&MU in 2010. Her son:

Gabriel Marcelo ALDAPE b 15 Sep 2009 Amarillo His father is Michael Aldape of Canyon

Miranda Hope Goss b 28 Jan 1995 in Amarillo, Potter CO

Amy Christine Wallace b 25 July 1957 Tulia, Swisher Co, grew up in Happy, m 24 Jun 1976 Gary Don GILLELAND in Happy, Gary b 8 Apr 1957 in Tulia, son of Jack Gilleland and Dawn Gilleland. Gary

graduated Texas Tech as an engineer; worked for SPS and Xcel in Texas and Colorado, and Western

Farms Electric Coop in Oklahoma. Amy attended WTA&M, McMurry College graduating with BS degree from McMurry U Abilene in Special Education, a Master's degree from Eastern New Mexico

University in Portales, NM. Amy taught in schools in Muleshoe, TX and Groesbeck, TX, studied at

Mary Hardin Baylor. Three daughters:

Julie Dianne Gilleland b 11 Jan 1977 in Tulia, attended Muleshoe Schools, Texas A&M College

Station, seeking a nursing degree in Fort Worth, m 5 Jan 2002 Jared HATFIELD in Santa Fe, NM

Jared b 14 Aug 1977 Decatur, Denton Co TX graduated Texas A&M University

Tatum Jewell Hatfield b 21 Apr 2004 in Ft Worth

Landry Ruth Hatfield b 31 Aug 2008 in Ft Worth

Jo Beth Gilleland b 5 Sep 1978 in Haskell, Haskell Co, attended Muleshoe Schools, Jo Beth grad-

uated with honors at McMurry U. in Abilene, graduated from School of Law at Texas U. in Austin,

worked for law firms in Lewisville and London, UK m 31 Dec 2007 Colin Andrew Whyte DR AKE

in North Richland Hills, Tarrant Co TX Colin was born 26 Feb 1974 in Newry, North Ireland,

the son of Rev Leslie Drake of England and Dr. Nollaig WHYTE of North Ireland, UK Colin has a

master's degree in music. They lived in London, UK until 2010, now in Flower Mound, TX.

Jaclyn Faith Gilleland b 16 June 1987 in Amherst, Lamb CO TX attended Muleshoe and Groesbeck schools and Blinn College.

Vann Eric Wallace b 25 Apr 1968 Ft Worth, adopted m 18 Jun 1994 Nita DeAnn GIFFORD Lefors, Gray Co Twins born to them: 18 June 1995, Dyllan Wallace and Dustin Wallace

Billy Jess Cox b 7 Jun 1929 Goodnight TX m 2 Mar 1950 Julia Catherine MORELAND in Hill Chapel of West Texas State College in Canyon, Julia b 11 Sep 1929 Ravenna, Fannin Co, TX Bill graduated from Texas Tech school of Architecture in 1953. Julia graduated from West Texas State College in Canyon, a homemaking teacher and kindergarten teacher. They live in Lubbock. Two children:

William Morris Cox b 16 Jun 1955 Lubbock m 28 May 1977 Lisa Lynn COOPER Lubbock, TX

Lynn was b in Oct 1957, is a Master Gardener. A graduate of Texas Tech, he is an electrical engineer, programs servers all over the world.

Christopher William Cox b 25 Apr 1983 in San Antonio TX m 18 Aug 2007 Michelle Theresa Michi WILDIE near San Antonio Michi b in San Antonio, Bexar Co TX

Mark Cameron Cox b 25 Nov 1986 in San Antonio, TX graduate of Texas A&M

Leslie Gail Cox b 18 Sep 1963 in Lubbock, m 19 Sep 1987 Robby Dale Robb GARRISON in St

Luke UMC in Lubbock Robb b 13 Feb 1964 Lubbock Lynn and Robb are computer programmers,

Leslie became a registered nurse, works at Texas Tech University School of Medicine Hospital.

Ross Matthew Garrison b 25 Mar 1991 Arlington, TX Attending Texas A&M U (2009)

Mitchell Cade Garrison b 9 Jan 1994 Dallas, TX

ELSIE AGNES COX. fifth child, third daughter of Will and Georgia Cox born 11 Aug 1905 at Bibb, Comanche Co TX d 16 Feb 1972 in Stevensville, bur at Ralls, Crosby Co beside Pat Scott. M 1) Wayne

BARNETT at Ralls, divorced Elsie Barnett m 2) Pat J SCOTT They lived in Comanche Co and Hobbs NM; Pat d 1957 bur Ralls, Crosby Co: son, Mickey Don Scott b 11 Nov 1940, adopted

Mickey m 19 Jan 1963 Gloria GLIDER divorced 1974 Four daughters:

Teresa Arlene Scott b 21 Aug 1964 Donna Scott b 17 Feb 1966

Shelley Annette Scott b 21 May 1970 Shauna Scott b Dec 1971

Elsie Scott m 3) Eldon Carl GORDON 1 Aug 1959 E.C. b 21 Dec 1907, operated store in Hannibal community north of Stevensville, Erath Co TX d @ 1964, he bur Hannibal

GEORGE HENRY COX, second son and third child of C.J. □Jack□ Cox and Huldah Kemp Cox was born

27 Apr 1870 in Dallas Co. He married 22 Oct 1893 Maggie Ellen WHEATLY in Comanche Co. Maggie

was born 12 Oct 1875 in TN, d 11 Mar 1920. Jack and Huldah gave G.H. and Maggie 54 acres of land in Comanche Co when they married, a horse valued at \$40, four cows at \$60 and \$435 cash. He died 19 May 1926, bur Pottsville. One son, one daughter:

Robert Raymond Cox b 29 Oct 1894 at
Bibb, Comanche Co d 10 Aug 1957, bur at Hamilton
m 1) 21 Dec 1913 Mattie Ethel BRADL
EY she d 3 May 1972

Yvonne Cox b 22 Jul 1915 Indi
an Gap, Hamilton Co m 15 Sep 1935 Marion Dudley JOH
NSON

Dudley b 26 Aug 1907 in Hill C
ounty and died 22 Jun 1965 in San Benito, TX

Donnie Sue Johnson b 24
Aug 1937 Taft, TX

Thomas Campbell Johnson
b 12 Jun 1939, Taft m 26 Jan 1963 Glenda Frances GRI
MES

in Houston Glenda b 7 J
ul 1941. Thomas and Glenda Johnson died in an acciden
t

28 Apr 1979 near Galves
ton. He was a DVM. They are buried in South Park Ce
metery in Dicki
nson, TX. They left two sons who were cared for by an
aunt and uncle:

Thomas Campbell Jo
hnson, Jr b 1967 Andrew Patrick Johnson b 1970

Robert Raymond Cox, JR b 14 A
pr 1918 at Electra, served with 1st Marine Division in
South

Pacific WWII navigator/bomba
rdier on B-25; died in Marine Hospital, San Diego, CA
7 Sep 1963 following surgery f
or melanoma which had spread to his brain. Buried in
Seaside Memorial Pa

rk, Corpus Christi, TX Robert m 14 Dec 1943 Mildred
THORNTON she was

b 28 Nov 1920

Robert Allen Cox b 4 Nov
1949 Beaumont, TX; adopted at birth. Discharged from
Marine

Corps 1972 after injuries s
ustained in motorcycle accident in Morocco, North Afri
ca

Robert Raymond Cox m 2) Betty FRA
NK who lived in Houston in 1976

Erma Agnes Cox, daughter of G.H. Cox
and Maggie Wheatley Cox b 16 Nov 1898 in Comanche C
o.

m 1) Oscar Reagan BEAL 15 Apr 1922, h
e died 27 Sep 1960 One daughter:

Betty Sue Beal b 20 Jul 1933 E
lectra, TX m James Carson SMITH 27 Nov 1953

James Carson Smith,
JR

Erma Beal m 2) O.B. SANDERS 14 Aug 1
948 in Longview.

FRANCIS MARION □ PONY □ COX, third s
on and fourth child of Jack Cox and Huldah Cox b 29 S
ep 1873

in Hamilton Co near Cransfil Gap m 14 No
v 1894 Leah Lottie COTTEN (sister of Georgia who m
Will) in

Comanche Co Pony d 28 Jun 1948 of kidney
failure in Electra, Wichita CO TX bur there. Lottie d 9
Apr 1955

bur Electra. A relative said that Lottie Cot
ten Cox knew everything about everybody in the Cox f
amily.

Jack Cox thought F.M. looked as fat as a li
ttle Indian pony as a child, so he became known to all a
s □ Pony □.

Jack and Huldah gave Pony and Lottie \$350
cash instead of land as they were moving to Electra to r
un a grocery store, also a horse valued at \$40 and
three cows \$45. Pony died 28 Jun 1948 of kidney failur
e in Electra, Wichita Co TX. bur in Electra
New Section W1.2 lot 488 Their seven children:

Alva Clinton □ A.C. □ Cox b 26 Oct 1895
in Bibb Comanche Co, m 13 Sep 1920 Mona YARBROU
GH at Alexander, Erath Co TX He d 25 Feb 1
981 at Pampa, Gray Co Mona Yarbrough was buried in P
ioneers Cemetery at Indian
Gap in Mar 1990. A.C. was bur in Pampa, but re-buried
by his family in 1993 in Indian Gap when a me
morial stone was placed for his son Jim Bob, who died
and was cremated in California.

AC operated an automobile dealership,
was a graduate of Abilene Christian College and had be
en director

of Daniel Baker Band in Brownwood, and
also the ACC Band. He moved to Pampa in 1934 from A
bilene where he was director of Pampa school ban

ds My father, Wm C □ Nealy □ Cox, felt a special love for A.C., they were double cousins, as their fathers were brothers, their mothers were sisters.

Six Children:

A.C. Cox, Jr b 17 Oct 1921 in Brownwood, Brown Co a Pilot in WWII USAF, Ret. Major.

m 1) Dec 1943 Zelda Mae HURST in Waco, TX Lived in Pampa □34-□42 m 2) Maud SUTTON

in 1969, A.C. died 16 Oct 1974 in NYC, NY bur Green Oaks Mausoleum, Baton Rouge, LA

Dyrenda Dawn Cox b 9 Jan 1945 Waco m 1) Robert WHEELER; m 2) 1973 Alex V ALLIER

Ronald Clinton Cox b 26 Dec 1947 Wiesbaden, Germany, m Vicki GROSJEAN in LA

Melissa Cox b 28 July 1980 Victor Cox b 27 Jun 1983 LA

Richard Egbert Cox b 21 Sep 1923 Brownwood, moved to Pampa m 21 Oct 1944 Eloese

HALLFORD in Tulsa OK Richard d 26 Dec 2000 near Charleston, SC, bur there Richard was a

USAF Lt. a pilot in WWII.

Lori Dianne Cox b 31 Dec 1949 in Tulsa, OK m Aug 1971 Wayne WALTERS in Arlington, TX

Clinton Walters 1976 Brian Christopher Walters 1978

Myron Richard Cox b Aug 1953 Tulsa, m 28 Oct 1988 Rebecca Rollins JOHNS Charlotte, NC

Christopher Devin Cox Clinton Cox b 5 Jul 1960 Arlington TX d same day

William Joseph Cox b 18 Feb 1925 in Brownwood, m 14 Jun 1945 Dora Jane PHILLIPS in Pampa, Gray Co, Tx Jane b 31 July 1926 Newby, Creek Co, OK Joe was a pilot and flight instructor, served

in WWII, Korean War, Viet Nam; decorated with Distinguished Flying Cross and other medals. He

was a flight instructor for the Japanese after WWII. He lived in Pampa, TX., Canoga Park, CA,

Sharon Hill, PA, Japan, Burma, Media, PA, Oklahoma City, Falls Church, Virginia.

Janie Suzanne Cox b 25 Mar 1945 Honolulu Territory of Hawaii m 7 Jan 1984 Felipe IGLESIAS in Madrid, Spain. She speaks several languages, lived in Paris and Spain; worked for Red Cross in Washington, DC under Elizabeth Dole. Three daughters:

Twins: Lara Serena Iglesias and Sophie Antonia IGLESIAS b 8 Jun 1989 in American

Hospital, Paris
Annis Marina Iglesias b 7 Aug 1992 in Tokyo, Japan

Anna Merle Cox b 8 Dec 1927 Brownwood, Brown Co. TX m 1) 1948 Lynn FOSTER in Pampa, Gray

Co, Tx m 2) 7 Nov 1953 Wayne REED b 21 Oct 1919 in Abilene, d 13 Oct 1990 of Lou Gehrig's Disease

Martinsburg, VA bur Arlington National Cemetery. Anna died 25 Sep 1993 in Denver, CO while on vacation with Jane Phillips Cox, bur 5 Oct 1993 in Arlington National Cemetery Her obituary in the Washington Post stated that she was a resident of Baton Rouge, LA since April, 1993. She spent 15 yrs with the Labor Department office of OSHA; was a member of The Society of Tole and Decorative Painters, taught art in Northern Virginia.

Jaynie Kellett Reed b 10 May 1956 Lubbock, TX m 1) 5 Aug 1978 Henry Alfred Rusty BARRHAM

in Great Falls VA Child: Jaynie Barrham m 2) 13 Apr 1991 Thomas BROWN III Arlington, VA

Jaynie worked for Dept of Labor; OSHA, Washington

Steven Wayne Reed b 5 Aug 1960 Lubbock, TX m 1) Terry CALLAHAN 1 Apr 1984 Great Falls, VA

Steven Wayne Reed II

Steven Reed m 2) 24 Jan 1987 Christina Maria HOWARD 24 Great Falls, VA

Mona Lorraine Cox b 21 Aug 1932 Abilene m 22 Aug 1953 Jerry Neil MULLINS Pampa Jerry b 27 Apr 1953 Crystal City TX son of Jasper Edward Mullins and Mabel Beatrice Cox Mullins Sons:

Jerry Neil Mullins, JR b 20 Sep 1954 m Shirla MINATRA Abilene Three children:
1) Neal Mullins 2) Nicole Mullins

3) Lanny Scott Mullins b 7 Jun 1958 Abilene married Bonnie ARVIN divorced 1993 James Robert □ Jim Bob □ Cox b 5 Aug 1934 in Abilene Jim Bob died 16 Apr 1991 Sacramento, CA cremated, ashes scattered in CA; a memorial stone was placed at the family plot in Indian Gap Pioneer Cemetery in Hamilton Co, TX 24 April 1993 when his father, A.C. Cox was reburied from Pampa, Tx

Jim Bob Cox married three times:
m 1) Feb 1955 Nancy Jane ADAMS divorced 1958 Jimmy Ray Cox b 24 Nov 1955 Lubbock m 1) 13 Sep 1980 Sandra ARNOLD div □ d

m 2) 16 Mar 1993 Kim BORRER Jim Bob m 2) Feb 1964/65 Dorothy HUGHES in CA divorced 1965 Julie Lynn Cox b 21 May 1965 Sacramento, CA m 21 Feb 1987 Fair Oaks, CA divorced Jim Bob m 3) 7 Jun 1987 Millie Le MOND 1987 CA divorced 1989

Jesse Joseph □ Jess □ Cox second son of Pony and Mona Cox b 15 Feb 1897 at Bibb, Comanche Co TX

m @ 1918 Nell COSTLEY d 13 Feb 1965 bur Longview, TX cemetery One son:

Jackie Joe Cox b 30 Apr 1920 d 3 Feb 1971 in explosion in Brunswick, GA, leaving three sons,

one daughter

Leah Ann □ Annie □ Cox third child, first daughter of Pony and Mona Cox b 19 Oct 1898 m 28 Sep 1921

Bryan WEAVER, divorced 1927. Annie d 28 Jan 1974 bur Lubbock No children.

In June 1972 Annie wrote me that she spends some afternoons at a maternity home, and felt sorry for the

girls there who □stayed cooped up□ after living active lives. She worked on finishing garments for a

knit shop in Lubbock, and did some alterations in her workroom (her remodeled garage). Annie left

her house to Lubbock Christian College; at her death students were sent to her home immediately and

cleaned it out. All her family papers are gone. She was a member of Broadway Church of Christ,

Lubbock Christian College Associates and National Federation of Government Employees past

Grand Matron of Order of Eastern Star. Survivors were C.H. Cox of Beaumont, A.C. Cox of Pampa and Earl T Cox of Port Neches.

Cornelius Harris □Neal□ Cox fourth child, third son of Pony and Mona Cox b 11 May 1900 Bibb, Comanche Co m 1923 Alice FERGUSON Lived at Beaumont Two children:

□Sonny□ Cox in Beaumont, two daughters

Barbara Neal Cox m _____ANDREWS in Houston, two daughters

Jewell Alma Cox fifth child, second daughter of Pony and Mona Cox b 3 Apr 1902 Bibb, Comanche Co

m 1) Bernie BLACKARD 1925 divorced about 1939, he died in Veterans□s Hospital in St. Louis, Mo.

Patsy Rose Blackard b 9 Sep 1928 m Cloyd William ADAMS, Clyde b 9 Jan 1927

William Bart Adams b 11 Dec 1948, d before 1997

Holly Lee Adams b 19 Jan 1954 m ___McELROY

Barry Wayne Adams b 7 Apr 1955
Tracy Lyn Adams b 16 Mar 1961

m 2) Y.C. JOHNSON @1940 Jewell died 2 Dec 1951 in an auto accident in Electra, bur beside her father. Survivors listed were a grandson Billy Bart, her mother Lottie Cox, daughter Mrs Cloyd Adams, step-son Lloyd Johnson in the Navy, brothers Jess Cox of Gladewater, Alvin Cox of Pampa, Earl Cox

of Port Naches, Neal Cox of Fort Acres; sisters: Mrs Roy Delashw of Texaco and Mrs Annie Weaver

of Alamogordo, NM

Lottie Ethel Cox sixth child, third daughter of Pony and Mona Cox b 11 May 1905 Bibb

m 1) Aug 1926 Lee Roy DELASHAW d 24 Nov 1979 Austin TX Six children:

Leroy Francis Delashaw b 14 Jul 1926 Electra m Gloria Jean MURPHY, b 17 Jul 1927

Diane Delashaw b 27 Jan 1948 m _____ BROGDON

Danny Delashaw
Larry Delashaw

Guy Hodges Delashaw b d Veteran Hospital Amarillo 1954, Potter Co TX No children

James Doyle Delashaw m Verbani a _____

Lana Delashaw b 1957 A pril Delashaw b 1 Dec 1971

John Bill Delashaw, Internist in Long view, Washington m Treasure _____. In June 1972 Annie Weavers wrote from Lubbock that Bill was coming back to visit after living in Washington seven

years. Ethel and I are excited; Bill had rheumatic fever when he was 8 years old, and I took him

home with me to take care of him to try to keep him in bed for a year. He used to tell me when I

got old he was gong to take care of me. His children:

John Bill Delashaw, Jr and Paul Delashaw

Jerry Joe Delashaw m Lou Ann DIXON

Guy Mark Delashaw b 18 Apr 1964
Karen Lee Delashaw b 6 Jan 1966
Linda Lou Delashaw, b 27 Jul 1944 a court reporter in Austin m Henry Dale HYDE b 21 Mar 1942

Darrell Roy Hyde b 29 Aug 1962

Earl Timothy Cox seventh child, fourth son of Pony and Mona Cox b 1 Feb 1908 Beaty, Comanche

Co m Roberta MOORE 1928, a distant relative d Apr 1988

Earl Bert □ Bud □ Cox m _____ (his wife died 3 May 1973) Lived in Port Neches

Three children of Earl Bert Cox and _____ Cox:

Anne Cox m Phil SANDELL worked at Texas A&M, lived at Bryan Three boys, two girls near Port Neches, Hugh Francis □ Franny □ Cox lived no children
Timothy Cox m _____ Son

MAY BELLE COX second daughter, fifth child of Jack Cox and Huldah Kemp Cox, b 21 Dec 1875 in McGirk, Hamilton Co. m Tom G PRESTON 19 Dec 1894 in Comanche May Belle died 23 Sept 1895, six days after the birth of her son, Alton Preston She was buried at Stag Creek cemetery in northwest Comanche Co. There was much anger in the family toward Tom before the marriage, and Tom did not call a doctor to help her deliver the child. Jack and Hulda paid for a doctor who saw May too late to save her, and they paid for her burial. Will and Georgia took Alton when he was two days old into their home and the story is told that one day Tom appeared there and told Georgia that he would return to get Alton. When Will came in, he got his rifle and declared that Tom would NOT take the boy from them. Later, Jack and Huldah gave Alton 43 acres of land in Comanche Co which would have been his mother's. May Belle was given a feather bed when she married and \$435 cash.

Some letters were found in an old trunk and copied by Willie Helm Hatley.

A Letter to T.G. Preston from May Cox:

Bibb

Comanche Co TX 18 April 1893

Mr. T.G. Preston

Dear Friend it is with pleasure I seat myself to answer your kind and welcome letter which I received the 15. Well Tom you asked me to not use your name in mine and Johnnies trouble. You need not be a feard of that I would die before I would tell her what you have told about her to me I

guess we are done with our troubles Any how I dont intend to say any thing to her if she dont to me

This is the first time I was ever in any thing of the kind, and I would not have been in this if some

one had not told some lies on me and I have caught the one that has told them, it is Rhoda Cotton.

Well Tom, there was a dance at Mr. George Atchisons last night and I could of went if I had wanted to but I didnt want to go if I cant go to a dance when you are here, I will not go when you not here.

Pony and Tobe went but me and George stayed at home. You must write to me as soon as you get this

and let me know how you got home and if the folks knew you when you got there. Well I will have

to close but I could write all day and then not tell you all I want to I would have given any thing to

get to talk to you before you went I think you might have brought my horse to me before you left.

Well good by my love May Cox

A letter to May Cox from her brother, F. M. (Pony):

Womack Bosque Co TX 1 Oct 1893

Miss May Cox

Dear sister It is with pleasure I take my seat to write you a few lines. I am well and hoping these

few lines will find you and all of the folks well I went to church this morning Two pretty young girls

came home with Mr. Whiteley, I can hardly write for listening at them talk, but John was listening.

I thought I would write some. I have been picking about 250 pounds of cotton a day. I went to the Gap

last Saturday and came back Sunday. Esther said she wanted to see all the people mighty bad. Dick

Drennan is at work over at the Gap. He said he dont know when he would come home and I dont know when I will come. Mr. Whiteley thinks he will make about 20 bales of cotton and we have picked six. I promised to help him as long as I could make wages. I guess John told all that I could.

I was glad to hear from you, May. If you get out of envelopes you can git 10 cents out of my trunk

some where. Write Soon and tell me all the news. John talks like he wants me to finish this letter, he is complaining with his arm. I am making about a dollar a day but it takes about all of it to keep

me in clothes and horse feed. What is Rhoda and Lottie doing? Tell them hello. Well I will close,

asking you to write. Tell Bettie I wish I was there to quarrel with her. F.M.Cox

Excuse me for this time and I will try to write more next time.

A letter to May Cox from F.M. Cox

31st August 1894:

Miss May Cox

Dear sister I will indever to answer your kind letter which I received some time ago, was glad to

hear that you was well. This leaves us all as well as comon. I would have answered your letter before

now but Grandpa [Kemp] is hear and if nothing hapens Pa will take them down there to morrow and

I will send it by them. Aunt Mollie was buried the 21, George and Berdy Atchison got back on the 28.

Tom Preston and the girls left here the next Monday after you left and Green Preston and family went

with them and Tom come back with them. They came back on the 17th and Tom left again last Saturday-

day. Homer Atchison has not come back yet and if he was here you know I would tell him what you

said to tell him. I think so much of Homer any way, I expect if you want Homer told any thing you

will have to get some one else to tell him, or tell him your self. There was a dance at Mr. Armstrongs

last Friday night. I didnt hear of it till next day, therefore I did not go. Don't expect I would have gone

if I had of heard of it. Well, I expect grandpa can tell more to you than I can write. Tell Foster I

would like to go a fishing but havent the time at present. I expect we will go to picking cotton next

week. If no body turns up I will go to Bibb Sunday to preaching, and every thing. You know that it is

foot washing day You art to be here to go. Well, May probly I will have a dance about the 28 of next

month. At least I have thought something about it. You had better try to come home before then or

you may miss something. If some of the folks from down there dont come up so you can come home,

you can let me know and I will try and come after you. Write and tell me where you will come are not

so I will know what to do. I want you to come home if you will, and I know Mother wants you to come home. I think you can live at home all right and think it best for you to come home. Not that I

think you will be mistreated down there, but you should think of the one who has cared for you in days

gone by. You can get all the cotton that you want to pick if you want to pick cotton. George has far

more than he can gather and others here also, you can come back with Pa. I guess if you will but if

you aint ready to come home just let me know when you get ready. Ma may write some. I dont know

where she will are not. May, if you wont come home I want you to try to conduct your self so people

cant talk about you. Remember that you are not at Bibb now and the people dont know you as well as

they do here, not that I think that you dont know how to do, but I write this that you may think where

you are and what you are about.

Write soon, your brother F.M. Cox

Huldah wrote on the back of Pony's letter (May had troubles with Grandpa Jack over Tom Preston. Huldah's letter indicates that May was staying with Foster Kemp, Huldah's brother in Hamilton Co.)

September 1 1894

Dear child, I set my self to drop you a few lines to let you know how we are getting a long, we are all

up but I am not well, have not been for a week. Will's children have the whooping cough. Well, May,

I want you to come home, for I think that is the best for you, and I dont think it would be treating me

right for you to stay. I did not think that you want to stay when you left and if you stay it will be

against my will. I want you to study and see if you think it is doing me right. I will close. We have

just heard that Foss was bad and Pap and Mother and your Pa will start down in the morning. I must

go to baking something for them to eat. From your Mother

May Belle's answer to Pony about coming back home:

McGirk TX

September 6, 1894

Dear brother, will at last endeavor to write to you a few lines in answer to the letter which you sent me

by Grandpa [Kemp] I was glad to hear from you and to hear that you was well, this leaves me as well

as comon and I hope that it will find you all well. Pony I wrote a letter to send by Pa but he wouldnt

speak to me and therefore I didnt ask him to take it. Foster is getting along as well as he could under

the circum stances, he seems to be resting well this morning. Well, I said morning, it is between

1 and 2 o'clock I have not slept a bit. Tom Brown and Mr. Roberts sit up till 12 and me and Uncle Francis will set up the rest of the night, he is in the kitchen eating some pumpkins as he says.

Well, Pony, I want you to come after me as soon as you can. Tell Mother to not grieve about me for

I will come back to her if Pa never does speak to me again. Grandma has told me how Mother is taking every thing to heart and I cant stand it. Tell her, though, I have been in the best of company

since I came down here. Uncle France wants me to pick cotton for him next week but I dont know what to do; if you cant come before then, I will go to work. The connection and neighbors have volunteered to gather Foss cotton, I guess I will pick some for him if you dont come after me before

his cotton gets ready to pick It isnt ready yet and wont be for a week yet. Well, as I cant think of any news to write I guess I better quit. So come after me as soon as possible. I remain as ever
Your loving sister May

P.S. Foster says tell you to bring his dog when you come if it wont be to much trouble to you.

In December, three months after this last letter was written, Tom Preston and May Belle Cox were married in Comanche. Her son in September, and after six days May Belle died.

Elbert Alton Preston b 17 Sep 1895 at Bibb, taken by Will and Georgia after two days, and May

Belle died 23 Sept and buried in Stag Creek Cemetery. Will and Georgia were parents of Minnie (1891) and R.D. (1892) when they brought Alton to raise Three more children were born to them:

Alice (1896), Nealy (1902), and Elsie (1905). My dad, Nealy, truly loved Alton like a brother.

Alton Preston m 11 Apr 1915 m Leona CHANDLER d 3 Jun 1976, Hamlin Leona b 8 Feb 1900

Gadston, Alabama Their children:

Alverine Lamoine Preston b 1 Feb 1916 m 1) C.B. OWEN who d 1972, Son: Michael Dean Owen

Alverine Owen m 2) Bernice HELM, son of Brad and Bettie Cox Helm

Alton Clinton Preston b 4 Aug 1917 d 17 Jun 1919 b Stag Creek

Nina Lataine Preston b 26 Jun 1919 Sidney, Comanche Co. m 1) __divorced; m 2) __OWENS,

brother of C.B. Owens Nina Owen m3
) Roy RUTHERFORD 4 Sep 1966 Hamlin, Jones Co, Tx.
She d 27 Mar 1998 in Abilene,
bur Hamlin; Roy d 4 May 1984

Garland Reed Preston b 13 Sep 1921 m
Mignon _____ in Jones Co.

Kenneth A Preston b 1946/47 m Bett
y _____. An article in the Fort Worth paper dated Wedn
esday

. 14 Jan 1987 stated that Kenneth was
arrested near Hamlin in Jones County for the murder of
his

wife Betty on Sunday 11 Jan 1987 in
Ft Worth. Kenneth had a daughter by a previous marri
age.

Their daughter: Denise Preston m
_____Brown; had a daughter: Alexandra BROWN

CLARENCE JACKSON □ TOBE □ COX four
th son and sixth child of Jack Cox and Huldah Cox
b 29 Jan 1878 in McGirk, Hamilton Co. To
be (rhymes with □ robe □) m 18 Oct 1903 Jessie Laura
VAUGHAN in Comanche Co Tobe was a far
mer. Tobe d 13 Feb 1940. Jessie d 24 Jun 1940.

They are bur at Sardis in Fisher County
Jack and Huldah gave Tobe and Jessie 54 acres of land
in Comanche Co with a horse valued at \$40
. and four cows valued at \$60. Children:

Thelma Cox b 12 June 1905 Bibb m 19
Oct 1934 Henry KING at Grand Saline Children:
Grace King b m Allen
LOUEN Five children
Lois Ann Louen b

m LOVE Shannon Love
and Jason Love

m DITTO Beth Louen
and Justin Ditto Troy Ditto

Rebecca Louen
Eddie Dale Louen: was in ser
vice in Japan

Three children: B
onnie Louen, Scottie Louen, Eddie Louen
Johnny Louen

Lois King m Wayne PARKER Five children:

Donna Parker m _____ MAXWELL;

Gary Parker, Janet Parker, Randy Parker, Danny Parker

Dale King m 19 Mar 1949 m Oleta R ATLIFF at Roby Three children:

Doyle King had a son: Leslie Kay King

Jack King had a son: Billy Jack King

Ted King

Durwood King m 3 Nov 1952 Geneva PRATHER Grand Saline Five children:

Patricia King, Terry King, Darrell King, Jamie King and Phillip King

Pat King m Martha _____ Oklahoma City Four children;

Christine King, Vernon King, Jeff King, Shawn King

Beatrice King m Kelly HERRON Five sons:

Mike Herron, Tommy Herron, Fred Herron, Joe Herron, Rusty Herron

Merle King m Tony PATTON Two sons:

Mark Patton and Matthew Patton

Wendell King m 1 Feb 1963 Elizabeth _____ Dallas

Martie Kay King

Clarence Lisle Cox b 26 Aug 1906 at Grand Saline, Van Zandt Co m 2 Nov 1924 Laura Belle KING in Smith Co

Elene Cox b m KNIFFEN, seven children

Imogene Cox b m Albert SHAEFFER in San Antonio three children

Jonell Cox b m Homer YATES in San Antonio

Velma Cox b 24 Mar 1908 Hamlin m Aaron Cosby KNIGHT at Edgewood, Tx d 15 Sep 1998

Delton Cox and

One daughter:

Lonnie Francis Cox b 1 Nov 1909 Indian Gap
He did not marry.

Virgil Weldon Short Cox b 17 Mar 1911
Indian Gap m 11 Oct 1936 Lola Mary DOGGETT
d 5 Mar 1974 Grand Saline, bur Lynch Cemetery near Emory; a retired construction worker, member

of Church of Christ Survived by:
Donald Cox of Caddo Mills, Clarence Cox and Horace Cox

of Quinlan; Brenda Lewis of Garland, Cathey Cox of Dallas, Karen Cox and Bettina Cox of Quinlan.

(a fifth daughter died at age five). A brother: W.E. Cox of Grand Saline; sisters Mrs Thelma King of

Canton, Mrs. Velma Knight of Grand Saline, Mrs. Alma Ogden of Floydada, Mrs Oleta Walker of Sweetwater; nephews were pall bearers: Cranston Ogden, Dale King, Durward King, Delton Knight

and Max Cox.

Alma Agnes (Tence) Cox b 12 June, 1914 Bibb m 27 Aug 1935 Ray OGDEN Roby, Tx

Son: Cragson Ogden

Winston Edward (Wink) Cox b 10 Nov 1916 Hamlin, Jones Co m 12 Jan 1940 Mrs. Mae

Ruth SMITH, a widow Son: Max Edward Cox

Wilma Oleta Cox b 19 Mar 1920 m 12 Oct 1938 Doyn WALKER at Roby

Infant Cox b and d 1928

THOMAS FULTON COX seventh child/fifth son of Jack Cox and Huldah Kemp Cox b 24 Feb 1881 at McGirk, Hamilton Co m 23 Apr 1902 Martha

Kate HANES at Bibb. Tom d 6 Dec 1932 in Indian Gap,

is bur at Pottsville. Kate HANES b 25 Dec 1882 Jonesboro Coryell Co, TX, dau of J.H. and Martha

Hanes, she d 13 Dec 1971 in Nixon, bur Pottsville. Jack and Huldah gave Tom and Kate 50 acres of

land in Comanche Co when they married, valued at \$400. one horse at \$40. four cows at \$60. cash and

meat valued at \$112.00

Neva Cox Bowman wrote of her family:

□ They moved to Energy in Comanche County not long after they married, lived there and near Indian

Gap where all of us were reared. Daddy always farmed and was active in the Church of Christ, also community affairs. He served as trustee for years at the small school near us, Mountain View; all of us

went to school there. Daddy played the violin and loved the outdoors, always hunted a lot, was always bringing Indian relics to the house that he picked up in the fields and pastures.

□ After Daddy died Mother lived at Indian Gap until 1943 when she moved to Fort Worth and lived with

all of us at different times until she suffered a stroke 25 Oct 1968. She was in a rest home in Fort Worth

until 6 Aug 1971 when we moved to Smiley. She passed away 13 Dec 1972 in Gonzales County. □

She was almost 89. Tom Cox and Martha Kate Hanes were parents of six children:

Blanch Ella Cox b 25 Feb 1903 near Energy, TX m 1) 15 Jan 1922 Robert Jefferson SMITH, sheriff of Fisher County at Rotan, b in Oklahoma in 1896, killed 27 Aug 1927 at Roby by a prisoner,

bur Roby. Robert was 30 years old. His chief deputy was killed at the same time. Blanche d 2 mar 1994

Blanch and Robert were parents of four children:

Myrlene W Smith b 23 Jan 1923 near Longworth, Fisher Co m @ 1945 Thomas Robert BRYAN

from Ohio; divorced

Thomas Robert Bryan, JR b 5 Apr 1946 m Erika ___ in Germany while in the army.

Thomas Robert Bryan III b Sep 1970

n b 24 Jun 1974
 Michael Douglas Bryan b 9
 Apr 1947 m 6 Apr 1974 Geraldine BRADBURY
 Gloria Diane Bryan b 28 J
 ul 1949
 Jack Riley Smith b 28 May 192
 4 Longworth, Fisher Co TX m 17 Jul 1948 Theresa SUL
 LIVAN,
 d 23 Jan 1973 bur Needles, C
 A Four children:
 Linda Smith b 29 Oct 195
 0 m Sam SIMPSON Two children:
 Jeffrey Simpson 28
 Mar 1968 and Jennifer Simpson b 5 Dec 1969
 David Smith b 4 Aug 1952
 m _____ One son: David Michael Smith 7/1971
 Pattie Smith b 3 Aug 1954
 Nancy Smith b 13 Jan 19
 59
 Bobbye Delma Smith b 28 Oct 192
 5 near Longworth, Fisher Co m 14 Jul 1945 Leonard
 MIZELL of Conroe, Tx divorced
 .
 Robert Mizell b 2 Nov
 1946
 Gary Mizell b 17 Jul 1
 951 m Beth WILLIFORD Three children:
 Three children of Gary Mizell and Beth W
 illiford Mizell:
 Gary Mizell Jr 20 May 1970, C
 arol Leigh Mizell 31 May 1971, Rachel Mizell 30 Nov 1
 973
 Terry Mizell b 6 Jan 1953
 Jerry Mizell b 17 May 1954
 Carlene Ruth Smith b 4 Sep 1927 (seven da
 ys after death of her father, Robert J Smith) at Roby,
 married 13 Apr 1951 Patrick E DUNAVANT
 of Memphis, TX Four children:
 Sandra Dunavant b 28 Aug 1952 m
 9 Sep 1972 John C PARKER III
 Dennis Wesley Dunavant b 2 Feb 19
 54 m 2 Dec 1972 Gwynne Mary WALKER
 Perry Dunavant 26 Nov 1957
 Kelly Dunavant b 14 Jul 1960

Blanche Smith m 2) 10 Sep 1929 James Hayes KEMP, a deputy sheriff at Roby

James b Round Rock TX 1875, d 4 Aug 1941, bur Rotan.

Two children:

Joe Paul Kemp b 14 Aug 1930 Roby m Mildred ROUTH of Irwin PA, in Falls Church VA

William Kemp b 31 Oct 1956;

Phillip Kemp b 26 Mar 1959, Lisa Kemp b 27 Jul 1960

Johnny Lea Kemp b 8 Dec 1931 Rotan m 30 Jul 1949 Norman N HUITT of Arkansas

Brenda Huitt b 15 Sep 1950 m 1) 7 Mar 1969 Dennis H LIENEKE of Missouri, divorced Brenda Lieneke m 2) Herbert BUNCH 23 Dec 1972

Wesley Scott Lienke Bunch b 14 Nov 1970 (adopted by Herbert Bunch)

Steve Bunch b 30

Oct 1974

Richard Huitt b 3 Sep 1952 m 24 Nov 1973 Jeanine GOSS

James Huitt b 30 Jun 1954,

Jeffrey Huitt b 5 Mar 1956,

Mark Huitt b 15 Apr 1959

Blanch Kemp m 3) 20 Sep 1947 Joseph Wesley GAGE Lived 5212 Yearly, Ft Worth in 1973

Madge Robinson saw Blanche at the funeral of Delma Streety in 1986, she was 84.

Carl Emmett Cox, second child, first son of Tom Cox and Martha Hanes Cox b 16 Aug 1904 near

Energy m 9 Apr 1929 Alice Rosemond McPHERSON Carl d 25 Jan 1999 in Comanche Co. bur

Pottsville

They had

seven children:

Charles Bobby Cox b 5 Feb 1930 m 2 1 Jun 1957 Gladys REDD Two sons:

Charles Emmett Cox b 16 Oct 1958 and Jonathan Miles Cox b 29 Oct 1961

Billie Jim Cox b 2 Nov 1931 m 13 Nov 1952 Marlene GARUARD

Billie Jim Cox JR b m 6 Jun 1973 Katheryn _____

Peggy Lorain Cox b 12 Sep 1933 m 29 Jun 1952 Blaine W PENN

Judy Carol Penn b 3 Jan 1954 m 4 Aug 1973 J.T. HANAWALT

6 Cindy Lorain Penn b 2 Dec 195
 Phillip Blain Penn b 10 Jun 19
 60 Perry Maxie Penn b 5 Nov 196
 1 Harold Gene Cox b 9 Jan 1936 m 7 Ap
 r 1955 Cleta Joy MAYFIELD
 Carol Joy Cox b 29 Jan 1952,
 adopted m 29 Feb 1970 Larry CISCO
 Melissa K Cisco 19 Ma
 y 1972
 Mel Gene Cox b 19 Aug 1954 a
 dopted
 Lisa Jan Cox b 17 July 1959
 Jana Kay Cox b 14 Apr 1961
 Patsy June Cox b 20 Feb 1942 m 19
 Sep 1964 Edgar SHIELDS
 Vincent Kyle Shields b 7 Dec
 1965
 Sean Christopher Shields b 2
 Nov 1970
 Lola Alice Cox b 29 Jun 1944
 Gary Thomas Cox b 20 Sep 1947 m 1
 0 Jul 1971 Marsha MITCHELL
 Delma Mae Cox, third child, second daught
 er of Tom and Martha Cox b 4 Oct 1907 at Energy
 m 22 Oct 1925 David Winston □D.W.□ STR
 EETY lived in Smiley TX. d 12 Dec 1986 Their sons
 were mechanics and worked in oil fields.
 David Winston □D□ Streety JR b 27 Mar
 1929 Caldwell Co m Opal O□REAR Louisiana
 D was a mechanic in Raceland,
 LA
 Robert Joe □Bob□ Streety b 26 Aug 193
 7 Gonzales Co m 14 Jun 1960 Jeannette SCHULTZ of
 Goliad Children: Marilyn St
 reety b 8 Jul 1961, Diane Streety b 9 Sep 196
 4
 Robert
 Streety Mar 1969, adopted in Peru
 James Eargle Cox, fourth child, second s
 on of Tom Cox and Martha Hanes Cox b 13 Jan 1910

m Nov 1937 Bessie Faye BACON d 24 May
1994 Sons: Billy James Cox b Feb 1942,
had two girls James
Clayton Cox b Feb 1944 had one girl, one boy

Thomas Paul Cox, fifth child, third son of
Tom Cox and Martha Hanes Cox b 4 Mar 1918
d 27 Dec 1928 perhaps appendicitis; burie
d with his grandparents and great-grandparents at
Pottsville in Hamilton Co.

Neva Cathryn Cox sixth child, third daug
hter b 14 May 1921 (Huldah Kemp Cox's birthday)
at Energy m 22 Mar 1942 San Angelo E Ha
rlan Hank BOWMAN b 8 Dec 1909 Roswell, NM
son of Joseph Maple Bowman and Minnie B
RODNAX BOWMAN. Hank was a Navy veteran,
worked in Civil Service, at Convair (now G
eneral Dynamics). In 1973 Neva and Hank were in
Smiley, TX

Joseph Thomas Bowman b 21 Jun 1944
San Francisco, CA

m 1) 5 Jan 1962 Elaine JETER in Clebur
ne, TX; she b 2 Feb 1944 in Ft Worth, divorced

Daughters: Janette Elayne Bowman
b 31 Aug 1962 Ft Worth

Deborah Jolene Bowman b 10 Au
g 1963 in Ft Worth

Joseph m 2) Freddie Alyne RIGSBY 4 A
pr 1970 Ft Worth

ELIZABETH ANN COX, third daughter and
eighth child of Jack Cox and Huldah Kemp Cox,

b 17 Mar 1884 north of Indian Gap in Hami
lton CO. Bettie married 4 Dec 1904 Bradford

Willingham HELM. Jack and Huldah gave B
ettie and Brad 80 acres of land in Comanche Co

when they married, with one mare \$40 a fe
atherbed at \$15, two cows at \$30 and after deducting

for other things already given them, \$175.
75 cash.

Aunt Bettie d 26 Oct 1973 at Winters, bur
Wingate, Runnels Co. Bettie Helm had a fine sense of h
umor;

when I told her an aunt had temporarily lost her voice, she laughed and said, "That is good! When a

Cox can't talk she is in trouble!" Bradford HELM b 12 July 1878 in Dublin Erath Co son of James

Calvin Helm (1838-1921) who came to Texas from Missouri in 1871 and Roana CARAWAY (1858-1929). Brad d 15 Sep 1969 in Sweetwater, bur Wingate.

Brad and Bettie Helm had eight children:

Floyd Beverly Helm b 18 Nov 1905 Comanche Co m 31 Jul 1940 Esther CHILDERS 31 Jul 1940 d 30 Mar 1953 died at Winters Hospital, a suicide bur Wingate

Two sons:
Kenneth Helm b 13 May 1944 at Winters TX m Glenda BRYAN:

Debby Helm and Beck
y Helm

Gary Floyd Helm b 5 Jul 1949 had polio A barber in Abilene, had two step-children

Madge Evelyne Helm b 9 Dec 1907 Indian Gap m 24 Nov 1934 Carlton W ROBINSON

Robert Lee, TX No children. Carlton died 9 Feb 1975, bur Wingate. He had four children:

Roy Robinson, Harley Robinson, Gracie Robinson, R.V. Robinson.

Merlyne Mae Helm b 28 Jul 1910 Comanche Co m 28 Mar 1929 Joe Dee CATES at Hylton, Tx d 30 Mar 1997 bur Jackson Cemetery Krum TX Two sons:

Jacky Dean Cates b 31 Mar 1930 Wingate m Dot SCHULER in Lubbock d 30 Mar 1997;

lived Tularosa, NM. Children:
Janet Cates, Terri Cates,

Carla Cates and Greg Cates were adopted, Korean born

Garland Dale Cates b 3 Nov 1933 Wingate m Bobbie McINTIRE Denton, TX Five children:

Bobby Dale Cates, Joe Cates, Debra and Larry Cates (twins), Darla Cates: adopted

Media Roana Helm b 18 Jan 1913 at Energy m 21 Nov 1928 Albert WETSEL in Wingate

Albert d 10 Sep 1991, bur Wingate. Three children:

Darrell Wetsel b 7 Apr 1933 Wingate
m Joyce REYNOLDS

Barry Wetsel, no children
Brenda Wetsel m _____ REBER
Two children: Machel Reber and Garrett Reber

Betty Ruth Wetsel b 1 Oct 1934 Wingate
d 5 Dec 1996 in Lubbock with lung cancer.

Betty m 1) Ray HEATHCOT Sons:
Jack Heathcot and Jerrod Heathcot

Betty Wetsel Heathcot m 2) Ray ALLEN

Donna Allen m _____ WESTFALL;
two children:

Heather Westfall and
Mark Westfall

Charles Arlee Wetsel b 30 Dec 1942 Barstow, TX
m Deanne ROAPER

Karen Wetsel m _____ SMITH
Three children: Dana, Ryan and Cody Smith

Mike Wetsel m _____
Three children: Chrystal, Michel, and Heather Wetsel
Elbert Bradford (Bert) HELM b 7 Oct 1915
Energy m 21 Jun 1934 Ruby HOWARD at Wingate.

Ruby was killed in car 30 Sep 1969 (Cox Trucking out of Abilene ran over her truck. That Cox not of our line.) Bert d 31 July 1973 of heart attack at Sweet Water Hospital both bur Wingate

Calvin Harold Helm b 27 Sep 1936 Wingate
m Billie Sue SHAFFER

Teresa Helm m Nathan TEKELL
They had two sons, one daughter

Mike Helm m Pam BRYAN
Caroline Mae Helm b 23 May 1945 Winters
m Jerry Don BROWN, a DVM at Bayfield College
Gavin Brown and Jennifer Brown

Bernice Jack Helm b 13 Feb 1918 Stanton
m 1) Marie WADE 20 Dec 1941 Ballinger, divorced
while Bernice in the service; he lived with his mother, Bettie Cox Helm, until her death.

m 2) Lamoine Preston OWEN, a second cousin,
granddaughter of May Bell Preston

Bernice d of bone cancer 20 Oct 1991,
buried beside his parents at Wingate.

Winnie Maude Helm b 10 May 1921 at Bluff
, Bandera Co m 1) 4 Jul 1942 Bruce Durward GIPSON
El Paso TX Divorced 22 Sep 1944 in A
bilene

Ronald Durward Gipson b Jan 1944
Winters, TX m 4 Sep 1971 Jo Ann PARSON Ft Worth
Rhonda Michele Gipson b 28 N
ov 1975 Ft Worth

Kellie Marie Gipson b 28 May
1980 Ft Worth

Winnie Gipson m 2) 20 Apr 1946 William M
aynard HATLEY Ballinger Maynard b 22 Dec 1923
Belton, TX

Linda Kay HATLEY b 10 Aug 1947 San
Angelo, Tom Green Co m 18 Aug 1967 William

Richard □ Billy □ COMPTON 18 Aug 19
67 San Angelo; Billy b 28 Dec 1946 in Fairbanks,
Alaska, a son of a USAF vet of WWII
vet.

Christi Lynn Compton b 30 May 19
70 San Angelo, TX m 24 Jun 1996 San Angelo

Paul ALEXANDER b 24 Jun 1996 S
an Angelo

Todd Alan Compton b
27 Feb 1978 in San Angelo

Fred W Helm b 23 May 1924 Wingate m 23
Nov 1944 Doyleene BRANNAN at Shep, Tx

Fred died in a car wreck 21 Aug 2007 Thr
ee Children:

Quada Gale Helm b 3 Feb 1946 Winters
m Sammy BIEN, Children: Karri Bien and Jason Bie
n

Mary Ann Helm b 3 Jan 1948 Abilene m
Doug DYER Two sons--

Fred Wayne Helm b 30 Jan 1962, Ft Wort
h, d suddenly Ft Worth 1 Nov 1966,
bur Acton near Granbury

----My thanks to Willie Helm Hatley, she i
s first cousin of my daddy, W.C. □ Nealy □ Cox, Jr.

This completes information on Cornelius J
ackson □ Jack □ Cox and Huldah Ann Kemp Cox.

MEMORIES of JOAB HARRIS COTTEN

The father of Georgia Cotten Cox and Lottie Cotten Cox was J. H. Cotten was b 23 Nov 1828 in Louisiana, son of William Cotten and Abigail Cotten, was called "Pap"

m 1) @ 1856 Sarah F CORDELL Their eight children:

Sara "Puss" Cotten m Jesse R. ADKINS
Alfred Dennie "Adie" Cotten m Laura SHEPHERS

William Bennett Cotten
James A. Cotten

Joseph Danaiel Cotten
Maudie/Maudy Cotten

Dick Cotten
John F. Cotten (died at five months)

Joab Harris Cotten m 2) 6 Jun 1871 Mrs. Leah Elizabeth Cryer Bennett by A H Sherrill, JP.

She was called "Ma". Ma Cotten insisted that the name be spelled with an "e". She had a sister Lucy who married Silas Parker and her daughter was Cynthia Ann, the mother of Quanah Parker the great chief of the Comanche tribe.

Ma Cotten's Bennett children were:

Eliza Bennett, who married Charlie CLARK,

James Calvin "Cal" Bennett
Ma Cotten was living in Hedley, Donley Co TX with Cal Bennett when she died of pneumonia 19 Mar 1926, bur Rowe Cemetery, on the Rowe Ranch

Joab enlisted in the Confederate Army 1 May 1862 in Titus Co Joab Cotten under Col. R Waterhouse, JR Regt and served under Capt Wm C Loving with the Texas Volunteers,

Capt King's outfit; also Goulds Tex. Regt. Served three years. Lived in Texas

continuously since 1845, in Travis Co, Wood Co, Navarro Co, Comanche Co and Hamilton Co

He died d 10 Aug 1910 in Indian Gap

Census, 1880 Travis Co: L.E. Cotten wife 37 b MS keeps house, illiterate

The children of Joab and Elizabeth Bennett were:

Georgia Ann Cotten who married William Cornelius Cox

Rhodie Cotten who married Tim THORNTON and raised five orphan children in Elida, NM;

Leah Lottie Cotten who married Francis Marian □ Pony □ Cox □,

Lewis C □ Lew □ Cotten, and

Reubin A □ Rube □ Cotten b 1881, d 1917 Kaufman, Tx

Anne Merle Cox REED studied the Census Records for birth states reported:

Will Cox reported:

Father born: Indiana

Mother born: Illinois

□ Louisiana Georgia Cotten reported □
□ Louisiana □ Louisiana

□ Mississippi Lottie Cotten reported □
□ Louisiana □ Louisiana

Georgia and Lottie did not agree on birth state of their father.

Minnie Weathersby, Will □'s eldest daughter, wrote of her grandfather Cotten, □ My grandfather was an Indian fighter, fought on up to the Great Divide. Indians shot an arrow through the calf of his leg

into his horse and there was a big scar. I don't know where he was born; he got some medals for bravery and is buried at Indian Gap in Comanche County. My grandmother Elizabeth was born in Baton Rouge, LA; her cousin was Cynthia Ann Parker, the girl stolen by the Indians. □

Annie Weavers, daughter of Pony Cox wrote □ Joab Harris Cotten was a wonderful grandfather.

He was a blacksmith. I □ ve always understood that he was part Indian and he really looked the part.

He died in 1910. □

J.H. Cotten applied for a Civil War pension and sent a doctor □'s letter testifying that Joab could not

longer work as a blacksmith, □ He had a bullet in his heel which caused him pain; received the wound

at the Battle of Shiloh. □ Joab made the application at the age of 72, and had worked in spite of the

pain for many years. He was awarded Pension 22491.

THE STORY OF THE RING

Lew Cotten gave his mother, Elizabeth Cotten a gold ring before 1900 at Bibb, TX. His name was engraved inside it. One day in Gap Elizabeth visited the Kilgores and was helping dig fresh potatoes.

as she finished she slung the dirt off her hands, the ring went with the dirt and could not be found

In the 1950s the place was owned by Era and Dave Auvenshine who found the ring. They gave it to

Minnie Cox LaRoque, a granddaughter of Elizabeth Cotten. It had been lost 51 years. The ring was

passed on to Lorene LaRoque Foster, and then to Lisa Foster, her daughter-in-law, in 1983.

Lorene kept a journal of the Cox and Cotten families.

CORNELIUS COX

□ S PROBATE RECORDS

Cornelius □ Neely □ Cox died the fall of 1856 on his farm in Dallas County, TX. He died without a will,

so the County Court dealt with his relatives and others in settling the estate. These records were filmed

by the Dallas Genealogical Society in 1977. Photocopies of the microfiches are hard to read, so some

of the words are illegible. They were written by pen and ink, some were folded and the county judge

or the clerk made notes of approval or filing on the backs of them. I have numbered each entry.

Spellings are copied. My explanations are bracketed [] Do means ditto, Decd means deceased,

Clk means Clerk, fng means following

(1) NO
TICE

Richard Burton has filed his Petition in my Office Praying for the Letters of Administration upon the Estate of Cornelius Cox, Dec. which will be granted at the

next Term of the County Court of said County to be held at the Court House in the

Town of Dallas in the county of Dallas and State of Texas if there should be no legal objection to it.

Nov. 20, 1856
W.K. Masters Clk Co Ct

(2)
State of Texas]
County of Dallas] Personally appeared before the undersigned authority R. Bruton and after being duly sworn Says upon his Oath that the foregoing Exhibit is true and correct, to the best of his knowledge and belief. This April 19th A.D. 1857

---Richard Bruton
Subscribed and Sworn to before me this April 19 A.D. 1857. Geo. W. Laws

(3)
Daniel M. Helvey has filed in my office his petition praying for Letters of Administration of the Estate of Cornelius Cox late of Dallas County deceased there and therefore to notify all persons interested to come forward at the next term of this Hon. County Court to be holden at the Court House in the Town of Dallas, on the

last Monday in the Month of May, 1857 at which time this petition will be granted if no legal objections are made.

This 4th day of May 1857

W.K. Masters C.C.C.D.C.T.

(4)
State of Texas]
County Court]
County of Dallas]
Term, 1857]

To the Hon. J.M. Patterson Chief Justice of Dallas County The undersigned, a resident of Dallas County & State of Texas would Respectfully Represent to your Honor that Cornelius Cox, who was also a Resident of Said County & State aforesaid, departed

this life without leaving any will, or appointing any person, so far as is known to

your petitioner, to settle the business of said Estate; and your petitioner having been requested by the Relatives of said decedent, to become the Administrator of said decedent's Estate, he would pray your Honor that he may be appointed as such Administrator, at the May Term of said Court, and is in duty bound he will ever

pray, etc.

D.M. Helvey

On the back in a vertical column: R Bruton
Annual Exhibit 1860

Filed Oct 23, 1860 Wm. Harris.

J.M. Patterson Chief Justice

(5)
To the Hon. James M. Patterson, Chief Justice of Dallas County

The under-signed Admin.of the Estate of Cos. Cox. would Respectfully Represent to your Hon. that the personal property of said Estate is liable to waste, there being several head of stock cattle & young horses etc etc. He therefore asks that he may have an order of Court to sell said personality of said

Estate on Monday & Tuesday, July 20 and 21st 1857 on a credit of 12 months, & as is duty Bound he

will pray etc.
Daniel M. Helvey

This June 13th 1857

[On the back in a vertical column: Daniel
M. Helvey Admin. W.K. Masters Clk Approved this
25th

day of May 1857 J. M. Patterson Chief Justice
Issued Letters: Frank Brutherman E.B. Spellman

Recorded June 16th 1857 on page 89
W.K. Masters]

(6)
State of Texas Dallas County
An Inventory of the Estate of Cornelius Co
x, deceased \$ cts

10 yearling calves		
5.50 per head	55.00	
9 head 2 yr old Stock Cattle		9.50
85.50		
2 head 3 yr old Bulls		
8.00	16.00	
9 Cows and Calves		12.00
0	108.00	
4 Dry Cows		1
1.00	44.00	
1 Yoke 4 yr old Oxen		30.
00	30.00	
1 Yoke 5 yr old Oxen		40.
00	40.00	
1 do 4 yr old Oxen		35
.00	35.00	
1 do 6 yr old Oxen		50
.00	50.00	
27 head of sheep		2.
50	67.50	
1 Mare and colt		75
.00	75.00	
1 yearling colt		4
0.00	40.00	
1 2 yr old filly		
75.00	75.00	
1 Mare	55.00	
55.00		
1 Mare and colt		100.
00	100.00	

.00	1 Horse 2 yr old		50
		50.00	
50.00	1 yearling filly	50.00	
9.50	1 3 yr old Steer	9.50	
4.50	5 Bells	4.50	
.250	7 Head of geese	1.75	
55.00	1 Ox wagon	55.00	
1.50	1 Grindstone	1.50	
2.50	1 Cross cut saw	2.50	
15.00	1 Work Bench and Tools	5.00	
1.00 each	5 Log chains	5.00	
3.25	3 Scythe Blades, 2 files and pitchfork		
1.50	3 Beehives	4.50	
1.50	1 Scald tub	1.50	
10.00	1 Set Harness,ing, & Double Tree	10.00	
8.00 each	2 Rifle guns	16.00	
6.00	1 Clock	6.00	
\$1,110.00	Entire Stock of Household & Kitchen furni		
ture		77.80	
1.00	75 bu Wheat	75.00	
.00	300 lbs Bacon	35.00	35
6.00	1 Man's saddle	6.00	
7.00 per Acre	640 acres of land	4480.00	
20.00	1 Plough, 3 singletrees and chains	20.00	

1.00	1 pr Stretchers	1.00	
	1/3 brl Wheatflour	5.00	
5.00	4 Weeding hoes & 1 grubbing hoe		
1.50	19 lbs Iron		
.10		1.90	
	Cash on hand		40.
00		40.00	
	1 chopping ax	1.30	
1.30	1 chopping ax	.25	
.25	1 Bull tongue and hoe		1.
80	1 Shovel plow	1.80	
2.00	1 Horse turning plow	2.00	3
.80	1 Turning plow	3.80	
1.00	1 Set of harness	1.00	
4.25	1 Iron square	4.25	
.75	1 Hand saw	.75	
1.00	1 Hand saw	1.00	
.80	1 Adze	.80	
2.00	1 Boad ax	2.00	
2.00	1 Frow ax	2.00	
.85	1 Hand ax	.85	
1.90	1 Drawing knife	1.90	
1.45	1 Set pf augers	1.45	
.85	1 Scythe and cradle	.85	2
.00	1 Frying pan	2.00	
.35		.35	

.80	1 Tea kettle	.80	
.20	1 pr Pot hooks	.20	
1.00	1 Oven and lid	1.00	
1.35	Crock .25 crock .30 crock .30 crock .50		
.25	1 pitcher	.25	
.20	1 Coffee pot	.20	
.25	1 Set plates	.25	
6.00	6 Set china	6.00	
.25	1 pr Candle molds	.25	
.10	6 Cups	.10	
10.00	1 Rifle gun	10.00	
story U.S.A.	2 books Vol of the World and National Hi		
5.00	1 Bedstead	5.00	
.55	Large spotted sow	5.55	5
1.80	Brandy	1.80	
.50	1 pr Sheep shears	.50	
1.50	13 Shocks corn	1.50	
.75 each	2 bu Corn	1.50	
5.00	1 bundle shingles	5.00	
& Smith	1 Cash note (due 1st June □ 57 on Chinalt		
	40.88		
\$5894.73			

The State of Texas] Personally a
 ppeared before me the undersigned clerk of the County
 Court

County of Dallas] in and for s
aid County, Isaac Elam said County, Isaac Elam, R.J. S
pearman

and B. Spillman appraisers appointed by th
is Court at its May term 1857, to appraise the property
of

the Estate of Cos. Cox, dec□ and after bei
ng sworn in due form of Law say that the foregoing is a
true

& correct Inventory of all the property bel
onging to said Estate which has come to their hands or
knowledge. Subscribed to and swor
n to before me this 15th June 1857 W.K. Masters Clk
E.B. Spillman Isaac Elam R.J. Spearman

[On the bottom of the document: Inventor
y of Cornelius Cox Estate Filed Jun 15th 1857
W.K. Masters CCC Approved this
27th day of Jun 1857 J.M. Patterson chief Justice
Recorded on pages 1-2-3 & 4]

(7) A List of the property sold by Daniel
M. Helvey, Administrator for Cornelius Cox
(dec□d) July 21st 1857

\$	cts		
		J.D. Stratton	
3 bee hives	\$1.00 each		3
.00			
		A.E. Hunt	
1 log chain	1.00		
1.00			
		A.E. Hunt	
do	2.00		
2.00			
		Ja. C. Conner	
do	2.10		
2.10			
		A.E. Hunt	
1 chopping ax	1.30		
1.30			

	A.E. Hunt		
1 do		25 cts	
25 cts			
	Joseph Taylor		
19 lbs iron		8 cts	
1.50			
	E.B. Spilman		
1 Bull tongue & hoe		1.80	
1.80			
	Wm Pruitt		
1 shovel plow		2.00	
2.00			
	Ja. C. Conner		
1horse turning plow		3.80	
3.80			
	Christopher Cox		
1 weeding hoe		25 cts	
.25 cts			
	E.B. Spilman		
1 turning plow		6.00	
6.00			
		
1 turning plow		1.00	
1.00			
	Wm Pruitt		
1 pair stretchers		85 cts	
85 cts			
	Christopher Cox		
1 bull tongue plow		2.10	
2.10			
	Frank L.....		
1 set harness		4.25	
4.25			
	George Paul		
2 sets of		1.00 each	
2.00			
	A Doddy		
1 reap hook		50 cts	paid
50 cts			
	Wm Bruton		
1 do		50 cts	paid
50 cts			
	Christopher Cox		
½ cross cut saw		1.50	
1.50			

	Wm Pruitt	
1 jack plane		85 cts
85 cts		
	Wm Pruitt	
1 plane		25 cts
25 cts		
	Jack Roberts	
1 iron square		75 cts
75 cts		
	Wm Pruitt	
1 bevel plane try square		
80 cts		
	Christopher Cox	
1 hand saw		1.10
1.10		
	A.E. Hunt	
1 hand saw		60 cts
60 cts		
	Wm Pruitt	
1 adze		2.00
2.00		
	Christopher	
1 broad ax		2.00
2.00		
	W.C.Caldwell	
1 frow		85 cts
85 cts		
	Wm Pruitt	
1 hand ax		1.90
1.90		
	Ja A Conner	
1 drawing knife		1.45
1.45		
	Christopher Cox	
1saddle		8.00
8.00		
\$ 58.25		
	Harve Cox	
1 yoke oxen		21.50
21.50		
	Harve Cox	
1 do		15.00
15.00		

	B.F. Barron		
1 2 yr old steer	10.10		10.
10			
	Ja C Conner		
1 2 yr old steer	9.00		
9.00			
	Wa.... B.....		
2 yearling steers	12.00		12.0
0			
	Wa.... B.....		
2 do	13.75		
13.75			
	Wa.... B.....		
2 dp	12.75		
12.75			
	W.F. Barron		
1 grinding stone	6.00		6
.00			
	Noah Newman		
1 bull	9.25		
9.25			
	Jack Lokey		
1 bull	9.00		
9.00			
	Sam □ 1 McDaniel		
1 cow	11.25		
11.25			
	Christopher Carver		1
cow & calf	15.00		15.0
0			
	Noah Newman		
1 cow & yearling	13.00		13.0
0			
	Harvey Cox		
1 cow & calf	16.00		16.
00			
	Harve Cox		
1 cow	10.00		
10.00			
	W.T. Evans		
1 cow & calf	8.50		
8.50			
	Christopher Carver		1
cow & calf	14.25		
14.25			

	Benj Robinson	
1 cow & calf		12.25
12.25		
	Harvey Cox	
1 cow		13.00
13.00		
	Noah Newman	
1 cow & calf		10.75
10.75		
	Harvey Cox	
1 yearling heifer		6.80
6.80		
	Ja. B. Stratton	
1 cow & calf		16.25
16.25		
	Mr Stratton	
1 cow & calf		11.00
11.00		
	Ja A.J. P.....	
1 heifer		11.50
11.50		
	Harvey Cox	
1 cow		13.75
13.75		
	Benj Robinson	
1 2 yr old heifer		11.75
11.75		
	John M Pruit	
1 cow		6.25
6.25		
	Harvey Cox	
1 yearling heifer		7.75
7.75		
	Harvey Cox	
1 bell		1.00
1.00		
	Wm Liang	
1 do		25 cts
25 cts		
	Thos Stratton	
1 do		2.00
2.00		
	Hannah Markham	
head of geese		12 ½ cts
.85		

	Wm Bruton		
1/3	wheatflour	1.00	paid
1.00			John C
1 lot of	augers	55 cts	
55 cts			
	A.C.Hunt		
1 lot of	chisels	60 cts	
60 cts			
	Wm Pruitt		
1 lot of	chisels	1.55	
1.55			
	Wm Pruit		
Sundries		50 cts	
50 cts			
	W... B....		
1 grub hoe &	curry comb & 6	40 cts	
40 cts			
	H Doddy		
2 pair sheep	shears	25 cts each	
50 cts			
	Wm Pruitt		
Sundries		35 cts	
35 cts			
	W... B....		
1 scythe &	cradle	2.00	
2.00			
	Jack Roberts		
1 frying pan		35 cts	
35 cts			
	Christopher Cox		
1 tea kettle		1.60	
1.60			
	Christopher Cox		
1 pr pot hooks		20 cts	
20 cts			
	Christopher Cox		
1 oven & lid		1.00	
1.00			
	Christopher Cox		
Sundries		35 cts	
35 cts			
	Christopher Cox		
1 crock		25 cts	
25 cts			

crock 50 cts	Hannah Markham	50 cts	1
do 30 cts	Hannah Markham	30 cts	1
1 do 25 cts	Christopher Cox	25 cts	
1 pitcher 55 cts	Christopher Cox	55 cts	
1 pr candle molds 25 cts	Christopher Cox	25 cts	
pitcher 35 cts	Hannah Markham	35 cts	1
1 coffee pot 20. cts	Christopher Cox	20 cts	
set of plates, etc 25 cts	Hannah Markham	25 cts	1
cups, etc 10 cts	Hannah Markham	10 cts	
/2 dozen china, etc 1.00	Hannah Markham	1.00	1
1 rifle gun 10.00	Jeremiah Davis	10.00	
1 National History of USA 2.50	Harvey Cox	2.50	
1 book Vol of the World 2.60	Geo Paul	2.60	
1 bed stead 5.00	Christopher Cox	5.00	
1 clock 5.25	Christopher Cox	5.25	

Total was written, crossed out and under it
was written \$ 1408.31

(8) To the Hon. J. M. Patterson, Chief Justice of Dallas County:

Your petitioner would Respectfully Represent to your Honor that he is about to remove from the State,

& asks that the foregoing may be taken as a final exhibit of the condition of the Estate of Cos. Cox,

deceased, which Estate he represents, as the administrator thereof. He further asks that he may be discharged from further liabilities in the premises, & that he be permitted to resign said administration,

and as in duty Bound he will ever pray, etc

Daniel M. Helvey

(9)

The State of Texas]

County of Dallas]

I, D.M. Helvey administrator of the estate of Cos. Cox, deceased, do hereby certify

the foregoing is a true and correct sale Bill of the Property sale on the 3rd day of Oct. 1857. Daniel M. Helvy

Subscribed & Sworn to before me this 12 Oct 1857 W.K. Masters Clk

(10)

To Isaac

Elam

Dr [debit]

Insurance of a mare

to be in foal

By a Stallion

\$6.00

The State of Texas]

Dallas County]

Personally appeared Isaac Elam before the undersigned authority made

oath that Cornelius Cox was fully indebted to him in the sum of Six dollars. (the above accounts) after

allowing all just credits, offsets and Demands. Isaac Elam

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Oct. /57]

Jos. W. Smith, Jr Received the ...nth in account this the 12th Sept 1857

Daniel M. Helvey, admin. of the Estate of Cornelius Cox, deceased

(11)

State of Texas] Personally appeared before the undersigned Clerk of the County Court,

County of Dallas] Daniel M. Helvey Admin. of the Estate of Cos. Cox, deceased, and makes

oath that the foregoing Exhibit contains a true statement of the condition of said Estate so far as the same

has come to his hands and knowledge.

Subscribed and sworn before]

Daniel M. Helvey Admin.

me this 19th Oct. 1857]

W. K. Masters Clerk

A List of Property sold by Daniel M. Helvey Admin for Cos, Cox deceased Oct 3rd 1857

\$ 25.00	James Crutchfield 1 lot 10 hogs	
6.00	James Crutchfield 1 sow & 3 pigs	
9.25	James Crutchfield 9 head hogs	
8.00	Jas. T. Conner	1 boar
	Jas. T. Conner	1 large spotted sow
		5.55
	Richard Bruton	1 sow and boar
		4.00
	Richard Bruton	\$1 worth of hogs on the run
		1.00
	Richard Bruton	1 lot shingles
		5.00
1.50	Richard Bruton	1 lot boards
fork	Richard Bruton	1 iron pitchfork
		0.50

Richard Bruton 1 scald tub
2.00

\$68.00

(12) Estate of Cornelius Cox to Daniel M. Helvey 1856 Dr
To Balance on open acct
\$ 14.00

The State of Texas] Personally appeared before the undersigned authority
County of Dallas] Daniel M. Helvey, and after his oath that the above account is truly owning to him after allowing all just claims & offsets, known to him.
Subscribed & sworn to]
Daniel M. Helvey
Before me this 19th Oct 1857] W
.K. Masters Clk

On the back: Estate of Cornelius Cox, dec'd D.M. Helvey Admin Richd Bruton Admin de bonis non [Abbreviation of the legal term: de bonis non administratis of the part of an estate of a deceased person that has not been administered.]

(13) State of Texas]
To the Hon. J. M. Patterson
County of Dallas]
Chief Justice et al
We the undersigned Relatives and heirs at Law of Cornelius Cox, late of Dallas County, Texas, deceased, Reposing full confidence in the Gravity & integrity of Daniel M. Helvey, hereby Relinquish our claim to the Administration of the Estate of the said decedent, & in favor of said D.M. Helvey ___ and ask that he may be appointed Administrator of said Estate.
Hannah Markham Harvey Cox
Elizabeth Bruton

[On the back of this document: P #155 Daniel M. Helvey Cos. Cox To: Final Exhibit D

Filed Oct. 19th 1857 W.K. Masters, Clk
Approved this 30th day of November, 1857
J. M. Patterson Chief Justice D C T]

(14) To the State of Texas]
In County Court:

County of Dallas]
This petition of Richard Bruton represents
that Dan^l Helvey, former Admin. of Cornelius Cox,
deceased, has resigned his Administratorsh
ip of said decedent, & it is now incumbent on
the parties in said Estate that Petiti
oner should discharge the duties of Admin^r, & expedi
ently considered. Petitioner prays that the
Letters of Administration be granted him at the next Te
rm of
said Court, and is duly bound etc. Richa
rd Bruton

(15) The State of Texas]
County of Dallas]
Know all men by these presents, THAT we
Richard Bruton as principal and Samuel A. Fisher and
James T. Conner as sureties, are held and f
irmly bound unto the Chief Justice of the County of Dal
las,
in the sum of Twelve Thousand ---dollars,
for the payment of which, well and truly to be made,
we hereby bind ourselves, our heirs, execu
tors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly b
y
these presents, signed and sealed with our
seals, the seals being ...this 17th day of December A.D.
1857.

THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION I
S SUCH THAT, whereas the above bounden
Richard Bruton has been appointed Admini
strator De bonis non, of the Estate of Cornelius Cox
Late of Dallas County Texas deceased^l
Now if the said Richard Bruton shall well
and truly perform all the duties required of him by law,
Under the said appointment, then this obli
gation shall be null and void, otherwise to be and remain
n

in full force and effect.
Richard Bruton (seal)

Samuel A. Fisher (seal)

Amos T Conner (seal)

I, Richard Bruton ----do solemnly swear th
at Cornelius Cox died without leaving any written will
As far as I know or believe, and that I will
well and truly perform all the duties of administrator
of the Estate of the said decedent to the be
st of my and ability, so help me God.
Richard Bruton

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 17r
h day of December, 1857.

W.K. Masters Clk Co Ct D.C. Texas

(16) Received of R. Bruton administr
ator of Cornelius Cox, dec□d Two dollars in full for
services in making out Inventory of said es
tate this April the 1st 1859 Isaac Elam

(17)
Dallas Texas April 19, 1859
An Annual Exhibit of the cond
ition of the Estate of Cornelius Cox
& Chenault Yr One Note On Smith
for \$ 27.73 Ben R
□ □ □
obinson bal 4.95 □ □ □ Ben R
□ □ □
Mar..... 41.90 □ □ □ W.W.
□ □ □
Parnell 29.00 □ □ □ James
□ □ □
uton 10.00 □ □ □ R. Br
□ □ □
Haught 6.25 □ □ □ A.C.

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topher Cox	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Chris
57.10					
rkham	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	H. Ma
8.15					
uton	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	R. Br
14.30					
Stratton	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	J. D.
33.29					
y Cox	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Harve
389.50					
18.85	<input type="checkbox"/>	Cash as per R. Bruton Rec ^o d			
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n J. D. Churchfield	<input type="checkbox"/>	J.M. Smith	Rec ^o d on Note o		
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	By Amt Paid			a/c	D.B.Thoma
s					
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Elam	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
6.00					
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10.00					
ox	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	a/c	Joseph C
155.00					

	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	J. P.
Goodknight---	Taxes for 1856			
4.32				
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sor	---	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1857
5.40				
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or Margaret Cox				
3.15				
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	W.K. Ma
sters	Court Cost			
10.25				
				To Cash on hand
284.88	223.17			
\$ 1326.99				

The State of Texas]
County of Dallas] Personally a
ppeared before the undersigned Authority R. Bruton &
after being duly Sworn Says upon his Oath
that this foregoing Exhibit is a true and correct
Account of the condition of the Estate of C
ornelius Cox, Dec^d, to the best of his knowledge and
belief, this April 19th A.D. 1859
Richard Bruton
Subscribed and Sworn to before me this Ap
ril 19th, 1859 Geo. W. Laws, Dpty Clk.

(18) Supplemental Inventory & A List of th
e property belonging to Cox Estate died apoplexy
Oct 3rd 1857

\$35.00	25 head hogs	\$ 35.00
6.00	3 head hogs	6.00
5.00	1 lot shingles	5.00
1.50	1 <input type="checkbox"/> boards	1.50
Roberson	1 note of hand/ 25.00 on John	25.00
5.00	3 head hogs	15.00
\$ 87.50		

The State of Texas]

County of Dallas] Personally appeared before the undersigned clerk of the County Court in & for said County, Isaac Elam and Frank R..... appraisers of the property of the said deceased & present the above appraisement, said under oath, that it is just & true to the best of their ability.

Isaac Elam

Subscribed and sworn to]

R. F.....

Before me thisst Oct 1859] W.K.

Masters Clk

On the back: I accept the written account this 39th day of March, 1859 Richard Bruton, Admin.

a/co Est Cos. Cox, \$11.00 and Dan M. Helvey's

Filed March 30th /59 W.K. Masters, Clk.

Approved this 26 April 1859 J. M. Patterson Chief Justice

(19) THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Dallas

To the Sheriff of Dallas County ----Greetings:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO CITE: R M Bruton Admin'r de bonis non of the Estate of Cos. Cox dec'd

to be and appear at the next term of the County Court, to be holden at the Court House in the town of Dallas, on the last Monday in Sept, 1860, then and there to show cause, if any, why You should not be required to return to this Court an Annual Exhibit in writing of the condition of said Estate under Oath as required by Law, And have you then there this writ. Herein fail not, but due return make as required by law.

Given under my hand and seal of the County Court, of Dallas County, this 11th day of Sept. A.D. 1860 Geo. W. Laws Clerk of the County Court of Dallas County Texas

(20)

The State of Texas

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County of Dallas

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TO THE SHERIFF OF DALLAS COUNTY----

Greetings:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO CITE

R Bruton de bonis non Cos. Cox ---dec□d

To be and appear at the next term of the County Court, to be holden at the Court House in the town of

Dallas, on the last Monday in October, 1860 then and there to show cause, if any, why you should

not return to this Court, an Annual Exhibit in writing under oath of the condition of said Estate, And have you then there this writ. Herein fail not, but due return make as required by law.

Given under my hand, and seal of the County Court of Dallas County,

this the 1st day of October A.D. 1860 Geo. W Laws

Clerk of the County Court of Dallas County, Texas.

(21)

Dallas Oct 23rd 1860

An Annual Exhibit of the condition of the Estate of Cornelius Cox, Deceased

Amt of Notes and Cash as per Last Exhibit \$ 1326.99

640 acres of land as per Inventory 4480.00

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	Amts Paid	C. Cox
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		165.52
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Henry Cox
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	(check mark)
58.21		
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Jacob
Minor now on 12%	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
58.21		

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Margaret	
<input type="checkbox"/>	now on 12%	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
58.21				
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Joseph	5
8.21			<input type="checkbox"/>	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Hannah Markham	
(check mark)				
108.21			Elizabeth Bruton	9
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
6.21			Harvey Cox	11
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
5.52				
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	5.04	for taxes
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	W.K. Masters	
Court cost			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12.10				
	[D.M. Helvey	Original	\$11.00	mar
ked through on this line.]				-----
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<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Jackson		Mi
nor now on 12%	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		108.21
\$ 8,73.65				

Balanc
ce due ----- \$ 442.34

The State of Texas]
County of Dallas]

Personally a
ppeared before the undersigned authority R. Bruton & a
fter

being duly sworn says upon his oath that t
he foregoing Exhibit is a true & correct showing of the
Condition of the Estate of Cornelius Cox,
Dec^d, to the best of his knowledge & belief, this
October 23rd of 1860.

Richard Bruton
Sworn to and subscribed before me]
This 23rd day of Oct. 1860]
W.K. Masters D.C.Clk

TO THE SHERIFF OF DALLAS
COUNTY- --GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREB

Y COMMANDED TO CITE Richard
Bruton administrater de bono n
on of the Estate of Cos. Cox, deceased,
to be and appear at the next te
rm of the Count y Court, to be holden at the Court-hou
se
in the town of Dallas, on the l
ast Monday in Feb A.D. 18 62,
then and there to show cause,
if any, why you should not be required to return to thi
s
court an annual Exhibit in writ
ing of the condition of said Cox Estate.
And have you then and there t
his writ. Herein fail not, but due return made as requir
ed
by law. Given un
der my hand, and the seal of the County Court,
this t
he 8th day of February A.D. 18 62 Geo. W. L
aws

(23) Richard Bruton Administrator o
f the Estate of Cos. Cox dec d
In Account Curren
t with the Said Estate

Dr
CR

To 640 Acres of land as per Inventory \$44
80.00 By 640 acres of land as per inventory 4480.00

Cash pd Joseph Cox acct	135.00
C Cox Notes renewed @ 10% int	215.78
Cash □ Hannah Markham (advance)	108.21
H.Cox □ □ □ 12%	354
.43	
Cash □ Cox	
165.55	

65.15	Andy Cox	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
52	Cash pd H. Cox					115.
	Cash on hand (collection)					244.6
3	Int <input type="checkbox"/> A.J. Cox					
120.00	Cash <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		1
097.01	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	D.D. Thomas		
15.00						
\$6457.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	E.B. Spilman			
11.15						
<u>10.00</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	S.B. Pryor			
Taxes for 1860						5.0
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5						
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1859				5.04
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1858				4.92
Cash pd Helvey, D.M. acct						11.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	R.J. Spearman	<input type="checkbox"/>			8.15
Cash Pd Isaac Elam Acct						2.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		6.00
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<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	C.H.Cox	<input type="checkbox"/>		58.21	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Taxes for 1861				5.70
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	CLKS FEES				10.90
\$ 5318.79						

To Amt to Balance

1138.21

\$ 6457.00

All of which is respectfully submitted under Oath this 7th March A.D. 1862.

Sworn to and Subscribed before me on this 7th March 1862 Geo. W. Laws, Clk

(24)

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Dallas

TO THE SHERIFF OF DALLAS COUNTY ---

GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO CITE R. Bruton Admin do bonis non of Cos. Cox dec'd To be and appear at the next term of the County Court, to be holden at the Court-house

in the town of Dallas, on the last Monday in May A.D. 18 63, then and there to show cause, if any, why

he should not be required to come forward & return to this court an annual Exhibit in writing of the

condition of Said Estate

And have you then and there this writ. He rein fail not, but due return make as required by law.

Given under my hand, and the Seal of the County Court, this the 5th day of May A. D.18 63.

Geo. W. Laws Clerk of the County Court of Dallas County. Texas By Ja. P. Thomas, Deputy

(25) [The following was written two items per line on the right side of a ledger, very difficult to read,

as the copy is black with white letters.]

[An Annual Report of the Condition of the Estate] of Cornelius Cox, Dec'd

1863 By Amt pd D.B. Thomas \$ 15.00

Isaac Elam	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
6.00				
do	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
2.00				
S.B. Pryor	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
10.00				
Joseph Cox	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
155.00				
E.B. Spilman	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
11.15				
J.P. Goodnight	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
32				
		Taxes for 1858		4.

[An Annual report of the condition of the Estate, continued]

Assessor	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
.40					
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1857		5
Spearman, Tuition for Margaret	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	5.15
W.K. Martin	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	10.
15					
Taxes for 1859	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
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do	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
.75					
D.M, Helvey	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
11.00					
W.K.Martin	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
12.10					

Taxes for 1861	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
5.70				
Clerk Costs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
15.40				
Taxes for 1862	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
7.83				
War Tax 1861	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
14.90				
Costs of Court	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
17.50				
Christopher Cox	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Advancement			\$ 165.52	
Hannah Markham	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	108.21	
Harvey Cox	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	115.52	
George H Cox	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	58.21	
Elizabeth Bruton	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	96.21	
Advancement	1863	By	Amt pd	
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		<input type="checkbox"/>	58.21	
C Jackson Cox	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	108.21	
Margaret Cox	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		<input type="checkbox"/>	88.21	--

Joseph Cox	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1863	By
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3.00				
<input type="checkbox"/>	Land on Hand	By		44
80.00				
ministrative Account		By	of Ad	
			50.00	

J.C. McCoy	Atty fee	By	paid by
00		100.00	4630.
Notes & Confederate money on hand		By	Rents,
	?	1916.16
Total & etc			\$ 6546.16

(26)[The left side of the page was not copied.]

Richard Bruton Admin of the Estate of Cornelius Cox dec'd & make last Estate, of said Decedent so far as the same has come to his hands Does tender this his Final A/C current with the Same and all, 640 acres more or less_remaining on hand, Harvey & Christopher Cox to the of Five hundred ,, be subject to distribution among the heirs of said Decedent.... Harvey Cox, Christopher Cox, Jacob Cox, George H. Cox, C.J. Cox,, & are minors_ His .. ask thats be appointed this List aforesaid according to Law, in such case. Made Richard Bruton Admin. ..th day of September 1863

George W. Laws Ct Clk

(27) [Final disposition of the Estate was made by a committee appointed by Judge Patterson, complete with drawings of the land. This report was written and drawn on two pages of a journal.]

State of Texas] To Hon. J. A. Patterson, Chief Justice of Said County The undersigned County of Dallas] Committee serving by Law to report that they have proceeded to divide

two tracts of Land, Apportioning To the E
state of Cornelius Cox Dec 1866

To Wit: DT Su 5T2SR2E N146C This was f
ound to contain 277 ½ acres and is designated in the
plat as Lot B. This tract of Land we Value
atdollars; this tract of land we have divided i
nto

Lots No. 3, No. 4, No. 5, No. 6, No.7, No.
8, No. 9, No. 10. Each contains acres, also Lot
No. 1 containing 35 acres and Lot No. 2, containing
24 ½ acres.

Each of these Lots from No. 1 to No. 10 in
value of \$104. The other tract of (Prairie) Land

No. 45 ½ containing 320 acres we have val
ued at \$1900.00, this tract is designated on the Plot
as Lot A. This tract we have divided into
Lot No. 1 containing 42 acres, Lot No.2 containing
32 acres, Lot No.3 containing 34 acres, L
ot No.4 (Lot B) containing 34 acres, Lot No. 5 con-
taining 18 acres, Lot No. 6 containing 18 a
cres, Lot No. 7 containing 20 acres, Lot No. 8 con-
taining 38 acres, Lot No. 9 containing 44 a
cres, and Lot No. 10 containing 40 acres. Each of

these Lots from No. 1 to 10 inclusive is va
lued at 198 dollars (?). And next proceeded by

lottery to draw for the heirs, and found the
result as seen on the other side of this Sheet. We

also found in the hands of the Administrati
on the Sums of \$624.19 in money that is due to the
Heirs of Said Estate, and partition the sum
s as follows:

	Christopher Cox		\$194.77 less
advancement	\$165.52	Bal 29.25	
	Hannah Markham		194.77 □
do	108.21	86.56	
	Harvey Cox		144.77
□	do	115.52	29.25
	G. H. Cox		144.77
□	do	58.21	86.56
	Elizabeth Bruton		183.77
□	do	96.21	87.56
	Jacob Cox		144.77
□	do	58.21	86.56
	C. J. Cox	194.77	□
do	108.21	86.56	

	Margaret Cox	174.77
☐	do 88.21	86.56
	Joseph Cox	144.77
☐	do 58.21	86.56
	Andrew Cox	74.77
☐	do .00	74.77

Total Amt. 624.19

The State of Texas]
County of Dallas] Personally a
ppeared before the Clerk of the County Court of Dallas
County Texas, Wm. B. Elam, Martin Rigg,
Wm. Pruitt, and Isaac Elam, Commissioners heretofore
appointed by the County Court, to Partitio
n & distribute the Real & Personal Estate of Cornelius
Cox, dec^d, between the Legal heirs and
distributes of said Estate, and present to the Court the
fore

going as the distribution made by them in
accordance with Said Order of Court, and ask that this
may be Received, and they discharged from
futher liability, as such Commissioners.

(signed) Wm. B. Elam Willi
am Pruitt Martin Rigg Isaace Elam
Sworn to and Subscribed before me
This 31st May 1864 Geo. W. La
ws, Clk, C.C.D.C.T. By Jas. P. Thomas, Dpty

THE WILL OF SOLOMON COX

In 1810 Ross County, Ohio and Athens Cou
nty, Ohio gave up land to form Hocking County, Ohio.

A Solomon Cox and a Jacob Cox appeared i
n the 1818 tax list of Hocking County, according to
☐ Early Ohio Tax Records ☐ by Esther Wayg
andt Powell. Solomon Cox wrote his Will 9 September
1819 at Eagle Township, according to Hock
ing County Deed Book A, page 1. The records,
transcribed from Ross County Deed Book o
f 1818 read:

☐ In the name of God, Amen. I, Solomon C
ox, late of Hocking County and State of Ohio, consideri
ng

the uncertainty of this mortal life, being weak of body but sound and perfect mind and memory, blessed

by Almighty God for the same, do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following:

That is to say, first I give and bequeath unto my eldest daughter Martha Cox the sum of one dollar which is her full share of my estate with what she hath already had. I also give and bequeath unto my

daughter Mary Cox and her heirs one dollar which is their full share of my estate with what she and

they hath already had. I also give and bequeath unto my daughter Ann Perkins one dollar which is her full share with what she already hath.

I also give and bequeath unto my son Absolom Cox one dollar which is his full share of my estate with what he already hath. I also give and bequeath unto

my son Christopher Cox one dollar which is his full share with what he hath already had. And I also

give and bequeath unto my son Thomas Cox one dollar which is his full share with what he already

had. I also give and bequeath unto my son Stephen Cox one dollar which is his full share with what

he hath already had. I also give and bequeath unto my daughter Amy Mahan one dollar which is her full share with what she already hath. And

as to all the residue and remainder of my estate, goods and chattels of what kind and nature what soever it may be to be equally divided between my loving

wife Amy Cox and my son Solomon Cox, share and share alike and what live stock there may be

the same to keep or dispose of at their election. And lastly I do appoint my son Solomon Cox and William Dixon, sole executors of this my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

□ In witness whereof I have herewith set my hand and seal this ninth day of September in the year of

Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and nineteen.

Solomon Cox □

The Will was probated in Hocking County in July 1820, according to county records.

The Probate read:

□ To all to whom these present shall come,
Greetings:

Know ye that John Thompson, president and Benj. Beadle and Abraham Bitcher, Esquires, associate judges of the Court of Common Pleas of said County at the Courthouse at Logan, in session on the 3rd day of July, AD 1820. The last Will and testament of Solomon Cox, late of said County, deceased, was proved by Nicholas Cox and Alexander Graves, two of the subscribing witnesses thereto, and is now proved and approved by us, and the said deceased, while living, and at this death, was possessed of goods and chattels and credits within this State by means whereof the goods and chattels and credits, and also the auditing and allowing and finally adjusting the accounts, the administrations of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased, any way concerning his will is granted unto Solomon Cox and William Dixon named in said will, they being first so sworn, will and faithfully to administer the same by first paying the debts and then the legacy contained in said will so far as the property will thereunto extend, or Law direct, and make a true inventory of all the said goods, chattels and make a true account thereof when so required.

□ In testimony hereof, we on the day and year aforementioned, have caused the Seal of our said Court to be hereunto affixed and order these present to be attested.

□ In witness hereof, I, Royal Converse, Clerk of said Court, have set my hand this

3rd day of July AD 1820

Royal Converse, Clerk.

An inventory of the goods and chattels of Solomon Cox was made by the appraisors Appointed by the Court, Joh Ratcliff, Jesse Ratcliff and Ezekiel Ratcliff. A listing of the goods was attached; the total value was \$318 dollars and 62.5 cents.

The Executors made an accounting of debts due to the estate and cash on hand, a total of \$96.50.

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