

JAMES DEWITT married (1) _____
born S. C. 1795

Children: Catherine, b. Ala. 1825
James A. b. Ala. 1832, killed in war
Alexander Hamilton b. Ala. 25 Dec. 1833
Martha, b. Ala. 1836
Robert, b. Ala. 1840

married (2) Rhoda _____, born S.C. 1816

Children: Mary A., b. Ala. 1848

ALEXANDER HAMILTON DEWITT, born 25 Dec. 1833, Wilcox County, Ala.
died 17 July 1913, Franklin County, Ark.

MARRIED (1) Rebecca Jane Shepherd born 1838 Clarke Co., Ala.

Children: 2. Philip A. b. 1859 Clarke Co., Ala.

Robert } moved to Texas
John }

b. 1857¹ Rebecca Jane, m. _____ Barrett; moved to Okla.
Louis Shepard, moved to Texas

married (2) _____

no children.

married (3) _____

Children: Charles
Joel Jasper m. _____; 2 children.

married (4) Catherine Gordon Wiggins, born Dale Co., Ala.
22 Jan. 1844, died Franklin Co., Ark. 9 Apr. 1910,
daughter of George W. Wiggins (born Georgia 1815,
died Dale Co., Ala. 1858) and Jane McCall (born
N.C. 1821, died Ala.)

Children: Samuel (No descendants) m. Maude _____

Mary Alena, born Clarke Co., Ala. 13 Feb. 1876,
d. 19 Aug. 1959
Ft. Smith, Ark. married 17 Aug. 1890, James Obediah
McKenzie (b. Tenn. 12 Mar. 1872, d.
Franklin Co., Ark. 20 Nov. 1919)

John Thomas (No descendants) m.
Caleb

12 3
8. 15 1911

4-4-51

Branch, Ark.

Dear Cora.

what a treat it was to hear from you. I am sorry havent wrote sooner but it is a job for me to ever get started to writing.

Well it is very little Edbert knows about the folks. Grandma Harris's maiden name was Martha Milam and the Harris and Shelby family came to Arkansas from Tennessee but we dont know what part of Tennessee. Cora Hilda Sue sure is having her part of trouble.

Her husband is near death. He had tumor on the brain was operated on Dec. 4. He stood the operation abright but he had the kind that grew back. He is paralyded from head to foot in the left side and has been ever since the operation. He has had two heart attacks in the last three weeks.

He is such a good boy and is so good to Hilda. We all just think we

cant give him up. I dont have
any hopes at all for him.

They have one child boy four
years old. Once I am so glad
you are happy so many marriages
now go wrong.

Please excuse bad writing and
misspelled words. Hope to hear
from you again sometime.

as ever

Ethel S.

James Shell m. 27 July 1841 Lucinda White
 v v m. 5 March 1854 Laura Ann Turk

1860 McMinn County, Tennessee, p. 267, 5 June 1860, Calhoun P.O.

Shell, *James	46 m	farmer	R.E. \$1200, P.E. \$800	Born N.C.	1814
*Samantha	36 f			Born Tenn.	1824
Francis E.	18 f				
Obediah	16 m				
Charity R.	14 f				
Martha M.	12 f				
Benjamin T.	10 m				
*Nancy A.	8 f	born 17 Jan. 1852 (Nancy Abigail)		m. 16 Oct. 1870	
Mary A.	6 f			Francis Marion McKenzie	
Lucinda B.	3 f				
Sarah	1 f				

1850 - Wilcox County, Alabama

Dewitt, *James	54 m	farmer	born S. C.	1796
*Rhoda	34 f		S. C.	1816
Catherine	25 f		born Ala.	1825
James A.	18 m		Ala.	1832
*Alexander	16 m		Ala.	25 Dec. 1833
Martha	14 f		Ala.	1836
Robert	10 m		Ala.	1840
Mary A.	2 f		Ala.	1848

1860 - Clarke Co., Alabama, 587, Grove Hill, Ala.

Dewitt, *Alexander H.	25 m	farmer	born Wilcox Co., Ala.	25 Dec. 1833
Rebecca J.	22 f		born Clarke Co., Ala.	1838
Rebecca J.	2 f		born Clarke Co., Ala.	1859
Philip A.	7/12 m		born Clarke Co., Ala.	1859

Also nearby were:

James L. Dewitt	27		
Joseph M. Dewitt	30		
Lewis L. Dewitt	56	farmer	b. Ga. 4000 & 6845
Charlotte	37 f		born N.C.
John D.	24 m		b. Wilcox Co. Ala. (laborer)
Harriett	16 f		b. Wilcox Co.
George	15 m		"
Drucilla	14 f		"
Jane	12 f		b. Wilcox Co.
William	10 m		b. Clarke Co.
Bryant	7 m		"
Eliza	5 f		"

Theresa A.C. Dewitt 19 f, b. Wilcox Co., living as domestic with Isaac Wilson's family, Grove Hill (Clarke Co.) Ala.; Eliz. Wilson 31, b. Wilcox Co. is probably her sister..

Alex. Dewitt later ⁽¹⁸⁴²⁾ married Catherine G. Wiggins
 bur. Low's Creek Cemetery, Franklin Co.

GEORGE W. WIGGINS m. JANE McCALL

CATHERINE GORDON WIGGINS b. 22 Jan. 1844, d. Franklin Co. Ark. 9 Apr. 1910

1840 Dale Co., Alabama

George Wiggins 20/30; 1 female 15/20 (Jane McCall)

1850 Dale Co., Alabama (p/ 423)

x George W. Wiggins, m 35, farmer, R.E. \$1500 b. Georgia 1815
x Jane (McCall) f 29 b. No. Carolina 1821
Evanda J. m 9 b. Alabama
x Catherine G. (Gordon) f 7
Alexander J. m 5
Alpheus P. m 4
George W. m 2

James E. Musslewhite m 21, laborer, b. Georgia
Lemuel Seaggs m 16 laborer h. Georgia

1860 Clarke Co., Grove Hill, Alabama

x Jane Wiggins f 38 farmer, R.E. \$400, P.E. \$400 b. N.C. (illit.)
Levander m 19 laborer b. Dale Co. Ala.
x Catherine f 17 domestic b. Dale Co. Ala.
John A. m 15 22 Jan. 1844
Patrick m 14
George m 11
Mary f 9
Joshua m 7
Calep m 2 b. Dale Co. Ala.

1830 Clarke Co. Alabama

1780-1790
Thomas Wiggins m 50/60, m 1 15/20, m 1 20/30 (might be George W.)
John B. Wiggins m 20/30
Cilliam Wiggins m 30/40

Daniel Wiggins
his hand this 7th
Day of June 1818

Reuben Wiggins George W. Wiggins — Jane Mc Call

Catherine Gordon Wiggins
b. 22 Jan. 1844 d. 9 April 1910

- Evander Joseph Wiggins (1841-
- General Wiggins (1848-
- Joshua Wiggins (1853-
- Patrick Wiggins (1846-
- Caleb Wiggins (1858-
- Mary Wiggins (1851-
- Alexander John Wiggins (1845-

Robert D. James Dewitt —

James (killed in War) b. 1832
Catherine & Martha
Alexander Hamilton Dewitt { 25 Dec. 1833
17 July 1914
fought with Gen. Lee in Tenn. & Penn.
Captured - released from Camp Douglas, Ill.
Louis Shepard

married 4 times

- Rebecca Jane
- Joel Jasper

1. Samuel (born Ala. m. Maude —) dsp

- John Thomas
- Philip
- Robert

2. Mary Alena
b. 13 Feb. 1876 - 19 Aug. 1959 Ft. Smith
Ala.

Caleb

(George Washington) Wiggins + Jane McCall
D.N.C.

1. Alexander Hamilton DeWitt - Catherine Gordon Wiggins

Sgt. - wounded + captured
7th Delaware

B. 25 Dec. 1833 + 17 July 1913
Ala. Ark.

moved from Jacksonville, Fla.
Wilmington + boat to Memphis. 1884

1st wife

Rebecca Jane

- ~~Philip A (Ala)~~
- Robert (Tex)
- John (Tex)
- Rebecca Jane - m Barnett
- ~~D. (Okla)~~
- Louis (Tex)

2nd wife - no children

3rd wife 1. Charles

2. Joel mth

4. Catherine Gordon Wiggins

1. Samuel
2. Mary Alena
3. John Thomas
4. Caleb

(L. Low's Creek Cemetery)
near Branch, Ark.)

Fourth Province Laymen's Conference

(Capt.) Ina Hamilton DeWitt (?)

Alabama

James DeWitt

Booker Mountain Good Shepherd - Watson Dickinson, Fred Roper (Tex)

M.C. (see) Nichols, 116 Merrick Avenue

W. A. (Walt) Woodward Avenue

St. Paul's Parish - H. A. Smith, 302 East

Francis Marion McKenzie
b.N.C.
+ c. 1903 (Tenn.)

1. Elegg ("Bud") married - lived in Tenn.

2. Sally - James Ward (Ark)

3. Francis Marion McKenzie ^{16 Oct 1870} - ^{27 July 1841} James Shell ^{Lucinda White} (Ark)
^{17 Dec. 1851 - 1923} ^{March 1914} ^{17 Jan. 1852 - 1913} ^{24 Aug. 1841} ^{the son} ¹ ² ³

4. Jesse McKenzie - (Tenn - Okla)
Henry (Berthsville, Okla)
Belle Minor (Mrs. Vest + Mrs. Belt) Perry
1 son Paul -
2 dau.

5. Alexander McKenzie - Rose Walter (Ky.)

6. Rev. George McKenzie - Sally Walter (Okla.)

7. - dau
8. - dau
9. - dau

10. John McKenzie

11. - dau

12. - dau. (Laura) m.

1851
1846-1923

Francis Marion McKenzie

M. ~~1866~~ 17 Oct 1870

March 1914

Ac. ~~1888~~

① Nancy Abigail Shell

② Belle Bell (née Minor)



1. Ruie Alice

1. James Obediah McKenzie & Mary Alena DeWitt
2. dau.
3. dau.
4. dau.

1. James Monroe
17 May 1891

2. Alexander Francis
5 July 1895

3. Charlie Gordon
20 Aug. 1900

4. Donald Patrick
26 Sept. 1902

5. Fannie Leone - Roy Miller
18 Oct. 1904

6. Alvin Thomas
12 Dec. 1911

7. Samuel Edwin
24 Sept. 1913

(*) M. c Minn Co. Tenn. 1870 - Athens Township RE PE

	<u>Francis McKenzie</u> m	NC	52	farmer	1500-560
	<u>Amanda</u> f	T	45		
	Amanda f		23		
	Sarah f		20		
	<u>Francis</u> m		18	B. 17 Dec 1851	
→	Jessie m		16	m. Nancy Abigail Shell B. 13 Jan 1852 D. 24 Aug 1913	
	Alexander m		14		
	Geo. W. m		12		
	John m		9		
	Mary f		7		
	Eliz. f		5		
	Laura f		3		

Cora's great-grandparents

	<u>Alexander McKenzie</u>	NC	52	farmer	4800-1400
	Susan	NC	49	Horsekeeper	
	Margarett	NC	29		
	Francis m	T	20		
	Mary f	T	19		
	David m	T	23	farmer	— 300
	Sarah f	T	21	Asst. 1st/keeper	
	Rossie f	T	8 1/2		

in Riceville, Tenn 1860

Meigs Co. Tenn. 1870 Decatur Township

McKenzie, Henry m 26 farmer
 Louisa f 22
 Mary C f 3
 John F m 1

~~McKenzie James m 23 farmer B-~~
~~Mary f 27~~
~~Catherine f 12~~ Rⁱ

McKenzie, Geo. W. (m) ^{Tr.} Ga. 52 farmer 4000 - 1000
 Susan (f) T. 44
 Eliz. F. f 21
 B. F. m 16
 Mary D. f 13
 Ruben N m 11
 George C m 9
 James A m 5
 Robert m m 3

Mary Hurst (Domestic servant - colored)

McKenzie E. G. m T 34 farmer 900 - 630
 Penlisse f T 30
 Benj. F m T 11
 Sonnelia f T 10

McKenzie Jen m 38 farmer 2000 - 750
 Margaret f 31
 Geo A m 8
 Nancy J f 12
 Benj. G m 4
 Elias B. m 1

1790 - North Carolina

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				over	-	under
107	Shell, Fred	Morgan District.,	Burke Co.	1		3
107	Shell, Fred, Jr.	"	"	2		1
111	Shell, Gasper	"	Lincoln Co.	3		1
111	Shell, Henry	"	"	1		3
106	Shell, John	"	Burke	2		4
107	Shell, Simon	"	"	1		0
78	Shell, Stephen	Halifax Dist.	Warren	1		4
78	Shell, Stephen, Sr.	"	"	1		2
143	McKinsey, Alex.	Newbern Dist.	Jones	3		2

1830 - McMinn County, Tennessee

No Shell or McKenzie families listed.

1850 McMinn County, Tennessee, p. 228

<u>McKenzie, Frank</u>	30 m	farmer, born N.C.	cannot read or write
* <u>Manda</u>	25 f	born Tenn.	
Henry M.	7 m	" "	
Margaret	6 f	" "	
Manda	4 f	" "	
Sarah A.	8/12 f	" "	

William McKenzie 28, lived next door and Alex. McKenzie 31, not far away (p. 226).

No evidence of James Shell and family

1860 McMinn County, Tennessee, p. 289, 27 June 1860, Riceville P.O.

<u>McKinzey, F. M.</u>	39 m.	stock trader, No R.E., P.E. \$800 b. N.C.
* <u>Samasedo</u>	34 f	
Henry	16 m	
Margaret J.	14 f	
Artie S.	12 f	
Sarah	10 f	
* <u>Francis</u>	9 m	
Jesse	7 m	
Alexander	5 m	
George W.	2 m	

December 12, 1961

Dear Aunt Cora & Uncle Bob,

Time has certainly gone by fast since September 16. It hardly seems possible that we have been married almost three months. We received your lovely gift. It is just perfect for my silver. Thanks so much.

We had a lovely wedding. My colors were of a Fall theme with browns and yellows. All of the gals were dressed in different shades of these colors and Eloise, maid of honor, wore a light green. She also sang two songs, one being the Lord's Prayer while we were kneeling. It was the first time Dad had been in a white dinner jacket, but we finally got everyone ready for the occasion. Wayne's dad married us. He is pastoring a church in BC, which they recently took after being in Alberta.

Wayne has one more year at Cascade and has faint hopes of working on his MA at Wheaton College or perhaps he might go on to Seminary. Anyway he is planning to continue his education. I'm working full time now and taking a history course by correspondence. I only have one year left so hope to finish my degree before we move to Canada. It won't be many years before Eloise and I will be quite some distance apart. She and her fiance' are planning to go to the mission field after they finish the proper schooling. She will be graduating this spring.

I haven't seem Mom and Dad since the wedding. They had hoped to come to Portland for Christmas but still don't know if it will be possible. They had quite a bit of heavy snow during Thanksgiving and Dad is afraid to leave the livestock in case it should come another heavy snow. If they don't get to come, Eloise will be staying with us for a few days during vacation. Wayne will be working most of the time during this period between terms so it will be impossible for us to go home. We certainly would like to be able to be with Mom and Dad on their 25th wedding anniversary.

I know this must again be a busy time for you with Christmas programs and so many things to do. We pray that God will be with you during this holiday season as people everywhere celebrate the birth of Christ.

Thanks again for the lovely gift. Don't forget Portland in your stops if you visit the West Coast again in the next couple of years.

loads of love and best wishes,

Wayne + Eloise