

THE HINSON FAMILY GENEALOGY

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Pg. 9 - ~~Third line from bottom, "Columbus  
"Robeson Co."~~

Pg. 41, B-2 - Avis Byron died 23 Dec. 1984.

Pg. 43, D - George H. Hinson died 1879, not 1979.

Pg. 59 - Third paragraph, should read "fifteen births" not sixteen.

Pg. 63, #9 - Walter Edwin Hinson died 3 June 1983. He was known  
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Jesse Houston Murphy, d. 11 Mar. 1985

Pg. 90 - Lauryl Dunsworth married Clarence Ellis, 29 Sept. 1984,  
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Pg. 92, #1a - Thomas Wm. Hinson II married Cindy Mae Hunt.  
#1a(1) - Lora Jenice Hinson, b. 22 Aug. 1975.

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1985, Ralls, Texas.

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#2c - Lisa Rene Bryant m. Larry Robbins, Aug. 1982.

Pg. 96 - Jessica Leigh Guilbeau, b. 2 May, 1985.

Pg. 98 - First Paragraph: Albert F. Hinson died in Palestine,  
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1966; divorced, 1979. Had sons, Gary Green, Jr., b.  
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Norman Russell Hinson, Jr., m. Carol (last name unknown)  
1968; divorced, 1971. Carol died 1983. Had one son,  
David Russell Hinson, b. 1970.

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- pg. 101, 41 - Martha Elaine Holder Trout (on her death) - Erin, born 21 May 1984.
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- 43 - Daughter of Paul Wayne Hinson is "Melinda" Hinson.
- 44 - Michael Lee Hinson and Susan Chedoke were born 3 Oct. 1974 and 1975.

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ABBREVIATIONS USED

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| b       | born               |
| ca      | about              |
| d       | died               |
| f n unk | first name unknown |
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| m       | married            |

## FOREWORD

This compilation of information represents many hours of research, many miles of travel, many letters written, and many hours at the typewriter. It is strictly compiled for the enjoyment of the members of the family and is not meant to be a literary work of art.

We have met many nice and helpful people in our travels and in fear of omitting someone, I will not attempt to name them; however, I do want to say a special thanks to Maxine and L.A. Hinson of Columbus Co., N.C., who so graciously took us all over Columbus County, introducing us to present day Hinsons still living in the County.

Also, I want to say a big thanks to my husband, who has assisted and encouraged me in my research. I could not have done it without him.

It was great fun getting it all together, and I hope you enjoy reading it as much as I enjoyed doing it.

Hazel Hinson Buffaloe

## HISTORY

We have always been told in our family that we are of Scotch-Irish descent. A member of our family went to Scotland and Ireland where she was told that the name "Hin" means inlander or people who made their living from the land and never from the sea. Hin was the head of a clan in Scotland and Hinson, of course, was the son of Hin. Some people say that Hinson and Henson are the same, but this is not true. Hin and Hen are two different names with different origins.

When the clans of Scotland became involved in feuding and fighting, the King of Scotland gave them one of three choices:

1. They could change their name, give up their coat of arms and all of their clan traditions;
2. They could move to another country, or,
3. They would be killed.

The Hinsons were not willing to give up their traditions, so they moved to Ireland, hence the Scotch-Irish origin. They were hardshell or primitive Baptist and they left Ireland because of the differences between the Catholics and the Protestants. From Ireland they went to the British Isles and remained there several years before coming to America.<sup>1</sup>

It is said that they had a communion and foot washing ceremony when they landed on the east coast of America.<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Matteel Hinson Ingram, Rt. 3, 204 Elm St., Quitman, Texas 78783

<sup>2</sup>Buel Hinson, P. O. Box 6, Mart, Texas 76664

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deal of confusion in Scotland because involved in leading  
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## HISTORY OF THE HINSONS IN VIRGINIA

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### Coat of Arms:

Arms:---Azure, a chevron between three suns or a bordure ermine. (Burke: General Armory; Ancestral Records and Portraits, compiled from the "Archives of the Colonial Dames of America.")

Crest:- A fleur-de-lis per pale ermine and azure (Burke: General Armory.)



HINSON

The English surname HYNSON (or HINSON) has been adopted as a surname as meaning "the son of hine or hyne."

English words meaning "servant" or "peasant" from the Old English hinaman(n), a man of the domestics. In the early records the name appears thus: John le Hyne, in the Hundred Rolls of 1273, and Henry Hynson and Thomas Hyneson are in the Poll Tax of County York in 1379; in Piers' Plowman is found the following: "And I am his olde hyne."

One William Hinson of Fordham, is said to have lived there in the twenty-third year of the reign of Henry VI. His grandson, Thomas Hinson, married Ann Spring, daughter of Sir William Spring, of Norfolk. Another grandson, Richard Hinson, married Joanna Salisbury, daughter of Peter Salisbury; and their son, Richard Hinson, of Burdnad Inn, Gentleman, married Margaret Howard, daughter of John Howard of Bradish Hall. (Harrison: Surnames of the United Kingdom; Bardsley: Dictionary of English and Welsh Surnames.)

NAME OF HINSON (HYNSON) IN VIRGINIA

The Ancient Charter of May 1609 for the settling of the Colony of Virginia, contains among the list of its members the name of TOBIAS HINSON, grocer. As we already know that among this listed charter group are those persons who did have descendants in America, though the charter originated in England. It also appears that such a charter may not have come to pass had it not been for grocers; they must have had money to invest.

Cavaliers and Pioneers, Abstracts of Virginia Land Patents and Grants, by Nell Marion Nugent:

Pg. 162. Thomas Hinson, 209 acres, Isle of Wight Co., 29 Aug. 1646. Patent Book No. 2, pg. 62, Upon W. side of Benerly Cr. of Newtownhaven River, adj. Capt. John Upton. Due for trans. of 5 pers.

Pp. 245-6. Patent Bk. No. 3, pg. 35. Henry Deadman, 400 acres, Lancaster Co., 100 acres rights assigned by Abraham Moone, being part of a patent granted to Thomas Hinson and by him assigned and sold to Moone. I believe this Thomas Hinson finally settled in Maryland.

Pg. 351. Patent Book No. 4, pg. 115 (172). John Raven, 500 acres on Wwd. side of Petomeck Riv. above Puscetoway, Ely. upon sd. river, sly, upon land called Mr. Wm. Preslyes. 15 July 1657. For trans. of 10 pers., including Paule Hinson.

GEORGE HINSON seems to have been the first Hinson in Virginia to have left any records. He came to Virginia before 14 May 1662. On that date a certificate was re-

corded in Lancaster County, granting land to Toby Horton for transporting George Hinson and five other persons to Virginia. George apparently served as an indentured servant to Will Hutchins of Corotoman, Lancaster County. He witnessed a Power of Attorney dated 21 January 1663 from Will Thather to Will Hutchins of Corotoman, Lancaster Co., in which he signed his name "Geo. Hanson." He witnessed another Power of Attorney dated 2 February 1664 from Elizabeth Hutchins to J. Walker. In a bill recorded in Lancaster Co. on 7 June 1664, Will Hutchins, Planter, of Corotoman, listed as security for a 2640 lbs. tobacco loan, a servant man, "Geo. Hinson," and a crop of tobacco.

George next appeared in Westmoreland Co. when he and George Hardwick were arraigned on 11 December 1678 on suspicion of hog stealing. At their trial the jury declared that they found that the hog had not been stolen. In 1685 and again in 1691, he was ordered to appear in court and in 1691 to serve on a jury. In a deed recorded in Richmond Co. on 3 May 1693, Richard Wood sold land in Richmond Co. to Thomas Reyly described as adjacent to the lands of George Hinson, "the parcel of land being marked out and divided in the presence of George Henson and Alexander Henson." On 31 May 1693 George was exempted from future payment of Richmond Co. levies, "it appearing his eye sight is much decayed and he uncapable of doing his usual labour." The last record of George Hinson, Sr. occurs 30 November 1694 when the suit of Thomas Ryley against him for defamation was dismissed by the court of Westmoreland Co.

In a deed dated 10 July 1696 and recorded in Westmoreland Co., George Hinson, Planter, of Westmoreland Co. purchased 100 acres in Westmoreland Co. from James Neale, Gentleman, of Charles City Co., Md. for a valuable considera-

tion. This tract was near the Courthouse (now Montross).

Children of George Hinson, Sr., probably were:

1. George, Jr.
2. Alexander
3. Robert
4. Alvin
5. John
6. Humphrey

1. George Hinson, Jr. He was of age in 1693, dating his birth prior to 1672. In August, 1695, he was no longer referred to as George Hinson, Jr., indicating his father was deceased. In 1724, he was fined for not attending his parish church. His will was recorded in Richmond Co., 1 February 1727, and named his four children, viz: William, Mary, Frances and Martha.
2. Alexander Hinson. In 1700 he was left land by Humphrey Maley of Richmond Co. His will, probated the 7th of June 1728, names his wife, Elizabeth, sons, Christopher, John and William, and daughter, Ann. I believe him to be the grandfather of our Joshua Hinson, as Joshua had a grandson named Alexander.
3. Robert Hinson. Deed Book 3, pp. 95-96, Richmond Co.: Nov. 5, 1702, between James Kitchen and Elizabeth, his wife, and Robert Hinson of the same, land in Richmond Co. Robert Hinson, Sr. purchased land near Falmouth, then in Westmoreland, in 1702. This land later in Stafford Co. His name appears until 1721.  
Robert Hinson was probably the father of:
  - a. Edmund of Stafford
  - b. Charles " "
  - c. Robert, Jr.
  - d. George

- a. Edmund Hinson: Died Nov. 13, 1742.
- b. Charles Hinson. Will dated Feb. 21, 1749/  
50. Left legacies to his wife, Joyce  
Elizabeth Olefor; after wife's death to  
five children of his brother, Edmund:  
(1) Joseph, moved to Culpepper; (2)  
Isabel; (3) Mary; (4) Lazarus; (5) Ann.
- c. Robert, Jr. In 1736 he witnessed will of  
John Wariner. In 1751, he leased 94 acres  
in Lunenburg Parish, Richmond Co. on Rappa-  
hannock Creek, Cat Point Creek, wife Ann and  
son George.

Robert Hinson Jr's children:

- (1) Tapley
- (2) James
- (3) Haney m. Martin Dye 1786
- (4) Ann m. Dialls
- (5) Elizabeth m. Whitten
- (6) George
- (7) Jesse

All above children mentioned in his will of  
1802, except Haney and George who were prob-  
ably dead by that time.

- d. George. George married Margaret Burchell in  
1746 and they had two daughters, Lettice and  
Mary. Margaret died in 1752. He married  
second Sarah Sullivan in 1753 and had Elizah,  
1754.

The foregoing is not all the information on the family  
of Hinsons in Virginia by any means, but is the majority of  
it. How to relate all these different persons to each other  
is really a puzzle.

However, we assume that George, Sr., of Westmoreland Co. was the indentured servant of Will Hutchins of Lancaster Co., but we don't know for sure. Could he have become a planter and important property owner in that length of time? He could have come from Maryland. There is a tradition in our family that the Hinsons came from Maryland. I am convinced that he is our earliest ancestor in Virginia and that his son, Alexander, was grandfather of Joshua through his son, John. Joshua named his eldest son John and it was the custom in those days to name the first son for his paternal grandfather and the second son the the maternal grandfather. In Joshua's will he names sons, William, James, Presley and John, deceased. These are not in order of birth, as proved in Personal Property Tax Lists. In the Personal Property Tax List of 1795, Joshua is listed with James at home and John as living, probably married, at his own home. It is the same until 1799 when Joshua is listed with Presley and John and James as living at their own homes. Joshua is listed with Presley until 1804. Joshua is listed with son George in 1813. Joshua died in 1814. According to same tax lists, John died either 1809 or 1810, as he isn't listed in 1809 and in 1810 his estate is represented by his son, Austin. ---- Used by permission of Mrs. Roy C. Grigsby.

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(EDITOR'S NOTE: The above-named James and Joshua Hinson are not to be confused with the James and Joshua in our own Hinson line. It was hoped that some connection could be made between our Hinson line and the Virginia Hinsons, but so far, we have been unable to do so.)

CHAPTER I  
\*JAMES HINSON

Our earliest proven ancestor was Joshua Hinson, born ca 1783 in Jones County, North Carolina,<sup>1</sup> however, from what we have been able to determine, we feel that James was probably Joshua's father, and we will therefore begin our saga with James.

It is not known when or where James was born, but from the 1800 Robeson County, N.C. census, at which time he was listed as being "45 and upwards," we would presume him to have been born before 1755. Nothing is known of his wife and we can only surmise that some of his children could have been James, Jr.; Jesse; Abraham; Joshua; and George.<sup>2</sup>

Our first information regarding James is a 1767 survey of a tract of land for James Hinson in Dobbs County, N.C. between Ground Nut and South Prong of Falling Creek, containing 436 acres.<sup>3</sup> Assuming that he would have had to be at least 18 to receive a land grant, we can further pinpoint his birthdate at ca 1749.

On the 5th of December 1778, another survey of 300 acres of land lying on the East side of Thunder Swamp in Dobbs County was made for James Hinson.<sup>4</sup> Also in 1778, Jesse, James, Elijah, and Jeremiah Hinson were in the "Entries for Claims of lands within the County of Dobbs."<sup>5</sup> In this entry, Elijah's land was also located on the east side of Thunder Swamp. In 1780, James and Elijah both sold land on Thunder Swamp in Wayne County,<sup>6</sup> Wayne County having been formed from Dobbs County in 1779. Also, part of Dobbs Co. was annexed to Jones Co. in 1788,<sup>7</sup> so it would seem possible that the James Hinson family could have lived in all three counties without ever moving. The 1860 Columbus Co., N.C. census record shows Joshua Hinson to have been born in Jones Co., N.C., and so the point of all this is that Joshua Hinson was probably the son of James Hinson.

\*Direct line of writer

In the 1790 North Carolina census, James Hinson was in Wayne County, with three free white males 16 years and upwards, three free white males under 16 (Joshua would have been one of these), and five free white females in his household.

Also in the area in the 1790 census were the following Hinson families:

Wayne County: Elijah Hinson, one free white male 16 and up, one free white male under 16, four free white females. (He was next door to James.)

Dobbs County: Jesse Hinson, one free white male 16 and up, two free white females.

Joseph Hinson, one free white male 16 and up, four free white females.

William Hinson, one free white male 16 and up, one free white male under 16, one free white female.

Elizabeth Hinson, one free white male under 16, five free white females.

Aaron Hinson, one free white male 16 and up, six free white males under 16, three free white females.

Jesse, Joseph and William lived next door to each other, according to the census. It is felt that all of these Hinson men were related. Jesse doesn't seem to have any young children. Could he have been older than the others and perhaps their father?

On December 3, 1796, James sold parcels of land in Wayne County to Lewis Whitfield,<sup>8</sup> and on December 26, 1796, bought from Joel Dawson for 250 specie, 5 tracts of land on Coward Swamp in Robeson County, N.C.<sup>9</sup> There is no record of James selling his land in Columbus Co. and no estate settlement could be found; however we think he probably died between 1810-1820.

Joseph Hinson also migrated to Robeson County, as he signed a will in Robeson County dated 10 April 1799, leaving everything to his wife, Raney, and upon her death to be equally divided between his two daughters, Rachel and Charity.<sup>10</sup> This will was witnessed by Jesse Hinson (probably the son of James).

Elijah Hinson was a Revolutionary War soldier. He enlisted 20 July 1778 in Sgt. Bradley's Company.<sup>11</sup> Also, he is shown as Orderly Sergeant, N.C. Continental Line, 1778.<sup>12</sup>

Elijah married in 1780 Susannah Scriven (Screven, Scriven).<sup>13</sup> They were Quakers and we find them listed with their children in Hinshaw's Encyclopedia of American Quaker Genealogy, Vol. I, N.C.: Isaac, b. 9-21-1789; Clarky, b. 4-20-1792; Susanna, b. 10-31-1794; Elijah, b. 8-22-1797<sup>14</sup>; and Borden, b. 3-6-1800. There were evidently two other daughters, Louisa and Patience, as we also find a notation in the same book: "1805,3,9 - Susannah and daughters, Louisa, Patience, Clarkey and Susanna, granted certificate to Concord Monthly Meeting, Belmont Co." (Ohio).

Elijah died in 1802 and his will, in which he left everything to Susannah, is recorded in the Wayne County records of the N.C. State Archives, Raleigh, N.C.<sup>15</sup>

No record other than the land entry mentioned previously was found on Jeremiah Hinson.

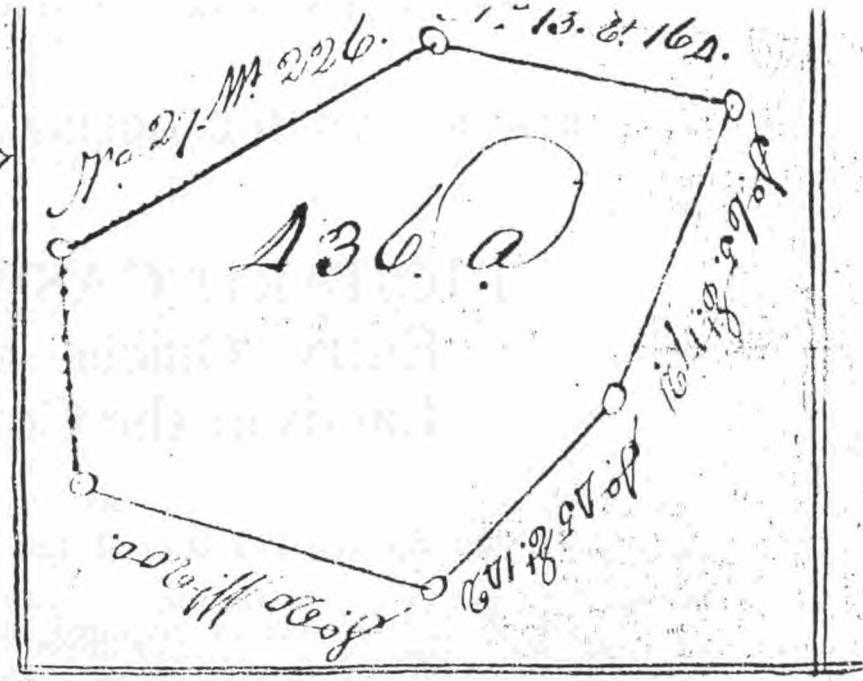
Aaron Hinson apparently remained in the Wayne-Dobbs-Jones-Lenoir Counties area, as he appeared in the 1800 and 1810 census records of Lenoir County. Aaron's household number in 1810 was #286, the same as a Jesse and James Hinson, which would suggest that he had sons named Jesse and James, the same as our James. In Wayne County Deed Book 28, p. 427, dated 5 Feb. 1853, Jesse and James Hinson of Barbour County, Alabama, gave Power of Attorney to Richard Hinson of Wayne

County to sell certain lands in Wayne County. It is felt that these could have been the sons of Aaron.

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- <sup>1</sup>Joshua Hinson, 1860 Columbus Co., N.C. Federal Census
- <sup>2</sup>Poss. chil. of James Hinson: Mrs. Maxine Hinson, Rt. 6, Box 34, Whiteville, N.C. 28472
- <sup>3</sup>Land Survey, Wayne Co., N.C. Deed Book 23, p. 51, Land Grant Office, Office of Sec. of State, Raleigh, N.C.
- <sup>4</sup>Land Survey, Wayne Co., N.C., Deed Book 29, p. 413, Ibid.
- <sup>5</sup>Dobbs Co. Land Entries, 1778-1790, #SS949.8, N.C. State Archives & History, Raleigh, N.C.
- <sup>6</sup>Deeds, Wayne County Abstract of Deeds, Books 1 & 2, 1780-1785, Goldsboro Public Library, Goldsboro, N.C.
- <sup>7</sup>Formation of N.C. Counties, 1663-1943, David L. Corbitt, Raleigh, St. Dept. of Archives & Hist., 1950, pp 89-90 (Texas State Library & Archives)
- <sup>8</sup>Deed, Wayne Co. Deeds (Copy furnished by Maxine Hinson, Rt. 6, Box 34, Whiteville, N.C. 28472)
- <sup>9</sup>Deed, Deed Book G, pp 80-83, Clerk, Sup. Ct., Robeson Co., N.C., Lumberton, N.C. (Ibid.)
- <sup>10</sup>Will of Joseph Hinson, Will Book I, p. 57 (copy furnished by Maxine Hinson)
- <sup>11</sup>Elijah Hinson's Rev. War Ser., Clarke's N.C. State Records, 1729 Book, Vol. 16, p. 1080 (Texas State Library, Austin)
- <sup>12</sup>Ibid., Vol. 13, p. 344
- <sup>13</sup>Maiden name of Elijah's wife: Mrs. Geo. Knapp, 2300 Riverside Dr., Tulsa, OK 74114
- <sup>14</sup>Date of Elijah, Jr.'s birth: Ibid.
- <sup>15</sup>Elijah Hinson's Will, Wayne Co. Wills File 98, N.C. State Archives & History (copy furnished by Maxine Hinson).

January 3. 1767



Survey for James Hinson a Plantation  
 Containing Four Hundred and Thirty  
 Six Acres of Land in Dobbs County  
 Between Pound net and South prong  
 of Falling Creek beginning at a red  
 Oak John Mozzingoes Corner Tree and  
 thence with his line N. 27. W. 226 ff. To  
 His other corner a red oak being a corner  
 Tree of Philip Hones. Then runs with His  
 line N. 15. E. 160 ff. To his corner a red oak  
 then S. 65. E. 172 ff. To a water oak in  
 Theophilus Baatens line then with or near  
 His line N. 25. E. 140 ff. To a pine then  
 S. 20. W. 200 ff. To a pine thence  
 to the Beginning Philip Hones  
 Survey

STATE of NORH-CAROLINA.

No. 412

RICHARD CASWELL, Jun.  
Entry Officer of Claims for  
Lands in the County of *Dobbs*.

To the SURVEYOR of the said County, Greeting.

**Y**OU are hereby required, as soon as may be, to lay  
off and survey, for *James Kinison*  
a Tract or Parcel of Land, containing *three*  
*hundred* Acres, lying in the  
County aforesaid,

*East side of Thunder Swamp*  
*Joining William Bryants & his*  
*own lines*

Observing the Directions of the Act of Assembly in such  
Case made and provided for running out Lands. Two  
just and fair Plans of such Survey, with a proper Certificate  
annexed to each, you are to transmit, with this Warrant, to  
the Secretary's Office without Delay.

GIVEN under my Hand at *Kingston*  
the *fifth* Day of *December* Anno  
Dom. 1770

*R. Caswell*

CHAPTER II  
PROBABLE CHILDREN OF JAMES HINSON

\*JOSHUA HINSON  
(1783-1866)

Joshua Hinson, born ca 1783 in Jones County, North Carolina<sup>1</sup> is the earliest proven ancestor in our Hinson line. The name of his first wife and mother of his children is not known. His second wife was Lucy Sikes, who left a will dated May 8, 1870, in Columbus County, N.C.<sup>2</sup>

Joshua probably migrated to Robeson County with James in 1796. He would have been 13 years old at that time and five years later, in 1801, he purchased 50 acres of land on Lewis Mill Branch in Robeson County.<sup>3</sup> He sold this land in 1815<sup>4</sup> and purchased 300 acres from Lewis Simmons in Columbus County on Beaverdam Swamp on January 24, 1816<sup>5</sup> and 640 acres from Joseph Watters on Beaverdam Swamp, Feb. 21, 1823.<sup>6</sup>

Joshua apparently lived on this land for the remainder of his life, deeding parts of it to his children while he was still living and leaving a will in Columbus County, dated March 12, 1866, admitted for probate in the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, November term, 1866.<sup>7</sup>

Joshua's children as named in the will were as follows: Ann, wife of Edward White; Everett; James; Neomy, wife of Reuben Smith; William; Nancy, wife of John McClam; and Elizabeth, wife of Elias Godwin. There was another son, Harrison, who preceded Joshua in death,<sup>8</sup> and according to earlier census records there must have been at least five daughters and five sons in the family at one time.

The writer visited Columbus County, North Carolina, in 1980 and met descendants of Joshua still living in Columbus County. We visited an old Hinson cemetery located in the Beaverdam Community on James Gero Hinson's place. The earliest graves were marked with wooden markers but time and the

\*Direct line of writer

elements have erased any names. The land on which this cemetery is located is part of Everett's original land, and James Gero is descended from Everett.

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- <sup>1</sup> Joshua Hinson, 1810 Columbus Co., N.C. Federal Census
- <sup>2</sup> Lucy Sikes Hinson, Wills, Columbus Co., Whiteville, N.C. (copy furnished writer by Mrs. J. L. Blake, Rt. 2, Box 249, Leland, N.C. 28451)
- <sup>3</sup> Deed, Deed Book K, p. 80, Robeson Co., Lumberton, N.C. (Copy furnished by Maxine Hinson)
- <sup>4</sup> Deed, Deed Book B, p. 26, Ibid.
- <sup>5</sup> Deed, Deed Book B, pp. 186-188, Columbus Co., Whiteville, N.C. (copy furnished by Maxine Hinson)
- <sup>6</sup> Deed, Deed Book D, p. 124, Ibid.
- <sup>7</sup> Joshua Hinson, Will Book 1, Columbus Co., Whiteville, N.C. (copy furnished by Mrs. J. L. Blake)
- <sup>8</sup> Harrison Hinson, Cross Index to Wills, Columbus Co., Book 1, p. 100, North Carolina State Archives, Raleigh, N.C.

Deed Book D, p. 124, Columbus County Register of Deeds Office, Whiteville, N.C.

This indenture made this 21st day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty three between Joseph Watters of the one part and Joshua Hinson of the other part both of the State of North Carolina and county of Columbus Now this indenture Witnesseth that for and in consideration of the Sum of two hundred Dollars to me in hand paid by him the said Joshua Hinson the right I hereby acknowledge have given granted bargained, sold enforced conveyed and confirmed to him the said Joshua Hinson a tract or parcel of Land lying and being in the County aforesd Containing six hundred and forty acres more or less on the beaverdam swamp, Beginning at a short leaf pine by Bartholomew Floyds corner in the lower end of Bush island in the said Swamp, runs thence North 20 East 135 chains to a pine on said Floyds line, thence west 51 chains to a Stake, thence South 45 west 40 chains to Joel Sellers corner, thence East with his line to Milly Sellers line of the tract where she now lives, thence East with the lines of two other tracts round to the beginning -- which tract or parcel of land as above described, I the said Joseph Watters do bind my self my heirs Executors Administrators and assigns forever to warrant and defend to him the said Joshua Hinson his heirs executors administrators and assigns free and clear together with all and singular the rights titles ways woods waters and watercourses and all the appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining-- In witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal day and date herein above witnessed signed sealed in presence of

Seymore Sumerset

his

Edward X Wilson Senr.  
mark

/s/ Joseph Watters SEAL

August Term 1823. This Deed was proved by the oath of Seymore Sumerset and ordered to be registered

Attest

/s/ Chas. Baldwin, Clerk

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Deed Book H, p. 3, Columbus County, N.C.

This indenture made this the fourteenth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Five Between Joshua Hinson of the County of Columbus and State of North Carolina of the one part and Evritt Hinson of the other part also of the Same State and County Witnesseth that for and in consideration of the Sum of one hundred dollars to him in hand paid before the Sealing and delivering of these presents

the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged and himself to be therewith fully satisfied contented and paid and I the sd Joshua Hinson have By these presents given granted Bargained and Sold and by these presents grant Bargain Sell alien convey and confirm unto the sd Evritt Hinson his heirs Executors administrators or assigns a certain tract or parcel of Land Situate lying and being in State and County aforesaid on the Beaverdam Swamp containing two hundred acres more or less on the South Side of sd Swamp Beginning at a Red Oak on the Side of sd Swamp Just Below a small Branch and Runs as Elias Duncans Line fifteen West thirty Eight chains and Seventy five links to a pine thence South thirty Eight west fifty three chain and fifty links to a Stake and three pines in Dempsey Duncans line then North Sixty Eight west as that line Seventeen chain to a pine South thirty twenty two west twenty seven chain and thirty links to a Stake among four pines South Sixty Eight East thirty chain South twenty two west twenty one chain and fifty links South Eighty west Sixteen chain to a Stake and three pines North twenty East Seventy Chain to a Stake due North forty three chain and fifty links to his own corner due East as his own Line forty chain to a white oak North thirty East six chain and fifty Links due north fifteen chain then a direct course to the Beginning Containing two hundred acres More or less to Have and to Hold I the sd Joshua Hinson do by these presents promise that the Sd Evritt Hinson his heirs Executors administrators or assigns Shall and may at this time and any time have hold and Possess and Enjoy the aforesaid Land and premises together with all the woods waters mines minerals and advantages privileges or appertences thereto Belonging and that free and clear from all incumberances whatsoever and I the Sd Hinson for myself my heirs Executors or assigns do and will warrant and forever defend the before bargained and granted Land and premises to the Sd Evritt Hinson his heirs Executors administrators or assigns and that free and clear from the claim or claims of any person or persons whatsoever in witness whereof I Have Hereunto Set My hand and Seal the day and date first above written Signed Sealed and delivered in presents of

Test William I Standley  
Test William Hinson

His  
Joshua X Hinson SEAL  
Mark

Feb. Term 1844

This deed was acknowledged in open court and ordered to be Registered.

C.W. Baldwin Clk

Columbus County, North Carolina  
Will Book 1

WILL - JOSHUA HINSON

In the name of God Amen! I Joshua Hinson of the County of Columbus and State of North Carolina being of sound and disposing mind and memory do make, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament - in manner and form following that is to say - In the first place I give, bequath and devise to my beloved wife Lucy for and during her natural life two hundred acres of land including the houses and cleared ground where I now live. In the second place I give bequath and devise to my daughter Ann, wife of Edward White and to the heirs of her body a certain tract of land lying on the North side of the Beaver Dam Swamp adjoining the lands of Everett Hinson, James Hinson, David Lewis and K. Haynes and Wife and containing one hundred acres more or less saving and excepting the interest therein of my wife Lucy as set forth in the foregoing clause. In the third place I give bequath and devise to my daughter Neomy wife of Reubin Smith and to the heirs of her body all the tract or parcel of land on which I now live except so much thereof as I have heretofor given by deed to James Hinson and John McClam and likewise saving and excepting the interest therein as set forth in the first clause in favor of my wife Lucy. In the last place I give and bequath to my wife Lucy all the rest and residue of my estate and property of every kind my debts burial expenses and the costs of administering my will being first fully paid therefrom. I do not forget my sons William, James and Everett and my daughters Nancy wife of John McClam and Elizabeth wife of Elias Godwin, but I do not wish either of them to have any part of my estate.

I do hereby nominate and appoint my son Everett Hinson the Executor of this my last will and testament.

Signed sealed and published by me this the (12th)twelfth day of March A.D. 1866 in the presence of these witnesses

J.A. Maultsby

A.Wills

His  
Joshua X Hinson  
Mark

Admitted for probate, Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions, November Term 1866. (Copy furnished by Mrs. J. L. Blake, Rt. 2, Box 249, Leland, N.C. 28451)

Columbus County, N.C.  
Will of Lucy Hinson

I Lucy Hinson of the County of Columbus and State of North Carolina being of sound mind but in feeble health, do make and publish this my last will and testament - as follows. that is to say 1st I give and bequeath unto my brother Joshua Sikes fifty dollars in Gold and Silver.

2<sup>d</sup>. I give and bequeath to my step daughter Naoma Smith one bed with white tick, with necessary covering. Also my large pot.

3<sup>d</sup>. I give and bequeath to my Grand step daughter Lucy Caroline McLam one bed with the necessary covering.

4<sup>th</sup>. I give and bequeath to my step grandson Haynes S. White one bed with the necessary covering

5<sup>th</sup>. All the household and kitchen furniture not herein before bequeathed: I give to my three stepdaughters; viz. Nancy McLam, Naoma Smith and Annie White to be equally divided among them.

6<sup>th</sup>. I give and bequeath to Hannah High colored my brindle cow and yearling.

7<sup>th</sup>. After my decease I wish the remainder of my Cattle viz One ox One Steer One Heifer One yearling and all my hogs sold and the proceeds divided equally among my three step daughters herein before mentioned together with the residue (if any) of my estate after the payment of burial expenses - I do constitute and appoint Kenneth Haynes as my executor to this my last will and testament -

In testimony whereof I do hereunto Set my hand and Seal in the presence of Thomas Simmons and Emeziah Simmons, this the 8th day of May A D 1870

Thomas Simmons

Emeziah Simmons

her  
Lucy X Hinson (SEAL)  
mark

(Copy furnished by Mrs. J. L. Blake, Leland, N.C.)

JESSE HINSON  
(ca 1777/1783-1836)

Jesse Hinson, son of James Hinson and believed to be the brother of Joshua, was born between 1777 and 1783. It seems certain that Jesse was the son of James, as he sold part of James's 1796 land to his son, John,<sup>1</sup> in 1824. Jesse died in 1836.

Jesse Hinson was married twice - the name of his first wife is not known. His second wife was Delilah, last name unknown. By his first marriage, Jesse had issue as follows:

1. John, b. ca 1799, Robeson Co., N.C.; married twice, 1st wife unknown, 2nd, Fereby Barfield.
2. Jordon, b. ca 1804, Robeson Co., N.C.; married twice, 1st wife unknown, 2nd, AnnyJane Pitman.
3. Elliott, b. ca 1810, married Sarah Cribb.
4. Arrington, b. 21 Feb. 1816, Robeson Co., N.C., married Rebecca J. Powell or Stephens, died 8 Jan. 1896.

By his second marriage, Jesse had the following children:

5. Jesse, b. 1822, m. Rebecca Ann Cartrett.
6. Viney Ann, b. 1823, m. Eli Watts.
7. Owen, b. 1826, m. Elizabeth Strickland
8. Robert R., b. 1828, m. Molsey Strickland
9. Helen, b. 1830
10. Bryan J., b. 1832, m. Elizabeth Hathaway

Arrington Hinson, the fourth child of Jesse by his first marriage, was born in Robeson Co., N.C., 21 Feb. 1816, and died 8 Jan. 1896, buried Mt. Sinai Baptist Church Cemetery, Tabor City, Columbus Co., N.C. He married Rebecca J. Powell or Stephens and they had the following children:

1. Orpha, female, b. 22 Feb. 1839, Columbus Co., N.C., died 26 Jan. 1911, N.C.

2. Renla, female, b. 8 Aug. 1840, Columbus Co., N.C., died 2 Feb. 1930, N.C.
3. Isham, male, b. 5 Oct. 1842, Columbus Co., N.C., died 13 Jan. 1921, N.C.
4. Bythel, male, b. ca 1844, Columbus Co., N.C., died in Civil War; buried at Point Lookout, MD.
5. James, male, b. ca 1846, Columbus Co., N.C., left with wagon train going to Georgia.
6. Haynes, male, b. 2 Dec. 1848, Columbus Co., N.C., died 2 Sept. 1924.
7. Quincy, male, b. 29 Dec. 1850, Columbus Co., N.C., d. 9 July 1915, S.C.
8. Calista, female, b. 10 March 1853, Columbus Co., N.C., married 22 Feb. 1872, died about 1925, S.C.
9. Narcissa, female, b. 9 Apr. 1857, Columbus Co., N.C., married 25 Apr. 1872, d. 12 Aug. 1930, N.C.

Isham, the third child of Arrington and Rebecca Hinson, was born 5 Oct. 1842 and died 13 Jan. 1921, in Columbus Co., N.C. He is buried at Wright-Meares Cemetery, Columbus Co. Isham married 1st Terecy Wright, b. 10 March 1848, Columbus Co., N.C., d. 5 March 1893, Coward, S.C. They had the following children:

1. Emma L. Hinson, b. 8 Sept. 1869, d. 8 July 1893, m. H. C. Stanley.
2. Lucian Luijah Hinson, male, b. 1872, d. 1937, married 1st Lula Gibson, 2nd. Annie Anderson and 3rd Elizabeth Franklin Cannon.
3. Luther Ozro Hinson, b. 1875, m. Addie Hill
4. Ella Frances Hinson, b. 1879, Coward, S.C., m. Leo Singletary.

Isham Hinson married 2nd Mary Frances Jones, b. 2 May 1877, Williamsburg Co., S.C., d. 21 May 1952, Columbus Co., N.C. Their children were:

1. Lourie Abijah Hinson, b. 6 Oct. 1896, Coward, S.C., d. 29 March 1966; married 1st Lizzie Reaves and 2nd Ellen Stephens, 12 Dec. 1917.
2. Louvie Isham Hinson, b. 13 Nov. 1906, Whiteville, Columbus Co., N.C., m. Jessie Boswell, 1 Nov. 1921, Conway, S.C.
7. Rebecca Mae Hinson, b. 5 Feb. 1909, Whiteville, N.C., m. Dan Winesett, 6 Apr. 1927.
8. Louvin Hinson (male) b. 1911, d. 1913.

Lourie Abijah Hinson, the first child of Isham Hinson and his second wife, Mary Frances Jones, was born 6 Oct. 1896, Coward, S.C., died 29 March 1966 in Whiteville, N.C. He married, first, Carrie Elizabeth Reaves in June, 1913. She died 10 July 1917. They had one child:

1. Cecile Pauline Hinson, b. 17 Nov. 1915 on the Isham Hinson farm in Columbus Co., N.C.; m. 20 June 1939, Dalton Russ.

Lourie Abijah married, second, Ellen Frances Stephens, 6 Dec. 1917. She was born 6 Oct. 1897 in Columbus Co., N.C. They had the following children, all except Catherine born on the Isham Hinson farm in Columbus Co., N.C.:

2. Mary Loujania Hinson, born 20 Aug. 1919, m. 19 Nov. 1945, George J. Cawley.
3. Margaret Louise Hinson, b. 5 Dec. 1921, m. 25 Dec. 1945, T. Marvin McDaniel.
4. Lura Abijah Hinson, b. 12 Jan. 1923, m. 8 July 1944, Maxine Jones Ehrisman.
5. Dorothy Aline Hinson, b. 20 Oct. 1924, m. 6 Sept. 1942, Horace Rich.

6. Eugene Hinson, b. 10 May 1926, m., first, 26 July 1947, Melba Lennon and, second, 17 May 1962, Barbara Pickett. Eugene died 26 March 1973.
7. Lela Irene Hinson, b. 6 Nov. 1927, m. 10 June 1950, Ross McElwee Travis.
8. Eston Fredrick Hinson, b. 10 July 1929, m. 24 April 1950, Reta Colene Ellis.
9. Catherine Etheline Hinson, b. 5 April 1931, Hallsboro, N.C., m. 20 March 1954, John Bennett.

(Information on the Jesse Hinson line compiled by Maxine J. Hinson, wife of Lura Abijah Hinson. Maxine and L.A. reside in Whiteville, Columbus County, N.C.)

CHAPTER III  
CHILDREN OF JOSHUA HINSON

EVERETT HINSON  
(1808-1877)

Everett, son of Joshua Hinson, was born in Robeson Co., N.C., 5 September 1808 and died 18 August 1877 of typhoid fever.<sup>1</sup> He married Anna Jane Stanley who was born 16 June 1811 and died 13 December 1891.<sup>2</sup> They had the following known children: Helen C., b. ca 1832; Elizabeth A., b. ca 1835, m. \_\_\_\_\_ Smith; Lucy J., b. ca 1838, m. Bill Ward; Emeline, b. ca 1839, m. Aaron \_\_\_\_\_; William B., b. ca 1840; Joshua P., b. ca 1843; Samuel McL., b. ca 1845; and Alfred McD., b. ca 1847.<sup>3</sup>

Everett did not inherit in his father's will, probably because he had been deeded property by his father before his death,<sup>4</sup> but he was appointed Executor of Joshua's estate.

In 1980, James Gero Hinson and Madge (Hinson) McPherson, descendants of Everett, were still living in Columbus Co., N.C.

WILLIAM HINSON  
(1810-1893)

William Hinson was born in Robeson County, North Carolina,<sup>5</sup> 15 June 1810,<sup>6</sup> the son of Joshua Hinson.<sup>7</sup> He remained in North Carolina until after 1835.<sup>8</sup> He then migrated to Alabama, and it is said that he made the entire trip from North Carolina to Alabama on horseback.

Arriving at what was then known as Centreville (now Troy), William worked for about a year with a Mr. Silas Lee, about two miles west of the city. At the time of his arrival, all lands were public and the settlers were few and far apart. Among the neighbors at that time were William Rushing, Esq.

\*Direct line of writer

(William Rushing's daughter, Lucinda, later married William Hinson's son, Asbury), Edward Wilson, David Coskrey, Cornelius Smart, James Corbit, Thomas King, and Holley Goff. It is interesting to note that one Edward Wilson, Sr. was in Columbus Co., N.C. and witnessed a deed between Joshua Hinson and Joseph Watters in 1823 (Deed Book D, p. 124, Columbus Co., N.C.). It is probable that William went to Pike County because he already had friends there.

On 14 December 1839, William was married to Martha Ann Pugh,<sup>9</sup> daughter of Mastin Pugh, a well-to-do farmer and slave holder.<sup>10</sup> They settled on public land three miles west of Centreville in Sec. 35, Township 10, Range 20.<sup>11</sup> William and Martha accrued a fine farm and lived there for fifty years, raising a family of two sons, Mastin Asbury and Everett Eli, and three daughters, Rita Ann, Caroline, and Nancy Jane.<sup>12</sup>

William and Martha were members of the Primitive Baptist Church, William having been baptized by Elder Solomon Reaves at Beaverdam Church, Columbus Co., N.C. (From Columbus Co., N.C. Recollections and Records, edited by Ann Courtney Ward Little, we learned that "Solomon Reaves was a large landowner and preacher. He spoke at churches and tent meetings throughout the territory. Apparently he was the best known preacher in the area. His services were in great demand.") William transferred his letter to the Beulah Primitive Baptist Church in Troy, August 4, 1838, and Martha Ann joined by "experience" on October 4, 1849.<sup>13</sup> William maintained an unspotted Christian character and never was he known to indulge in habits of general dissipation or profanity.

William was a democrat all of his life and was true to the principles of that party.

Martha Ann was born 23 January 1820<sup>14</sup> the daughter of Mastin B. Pugh. She moved to Pike County with her father

when she was 8 or 9 years old and they settled near the Conecuh River at what is known as the Pugh Bridge Crossing.

After her marriage and until she became too old and feeble in health, she was known as the family doctor in her neighborhood. Martha was a helpmeet to her husband and a good mother to her children. She attended to the affairs in her household herself in preference to leaving them to others, claiming that "none of the domestics now procurable will do to trust to the extent that she would like and in the absence of proper training they are wanting in the persevering and industrious habits essential to make them what they should be."

William died 30 December 1893 in Troy, Alabama, and Martha, 11 November 1904 in Troy. Both are buried in the Hintson (Hinson) Cemetery near Troy.<sup>15</sup>

(Unless otherwise noted, all information on William and Martha is taken from "Some Old Folks," published in a series in The Troy Messenger, 1889-90, Troy, Alabama)

JAMES HINSON  
(1812-1889)

James, son of Joshua, was born in Robeson County, N.C.,<sup>16</sup> 15 December 1812 and died 31 October 1889.<sup>17</sup> He married Isabel \_\_\_\_\_ who was born in 1822 and died in 1904.<sup>18</sup>

James and Isabel had the following known children:  
Joshua, b. ca 1839; James M., b. 14 May 1840, d. 24 October 1895;<sup>19</sup> Edward, b. ca 1842; John L., b. ca 1843; Asa K., b. ca 1846; Norcissa (female), b. ca 1847; and William P., b. ca 1850.<sup>20</sup>

HARRISON HINSON  
(1818-186\_)

Harrison, son of Joshua, was b. ca 1818, probably in Columbus Co., N.C. and died prior to the death of Joshua in 1866, as he was not named in his father's will;<sup>21</sup> however, in Columbus County Records, Cross Index to Wills, North Carolina State Archives, Raleigh, N.C., Eli, Quincy and Mollie Hinson are named as heirs of Joshua Hinson.

In the 1850 Columbus County Census, Harrison Hinson appears with his wife, Frances; William J., 11 years of age; Elias, 9; Eli, 6; and Quincy, 4. In Columbus County Estate Records, N.C. State Archives, the heirs of Harrison Hinson are listed as: Eli Hinson, Quincy Hinson and Glasgow Pridgen, Guardian of Mary F. Hinson, minor; survey of land and division of property dated 14 March 1872. His wife, Frances, was apparently also deceased at this time, as was his son, William J., as we learn from Maxine Hinson in Whiteville, N.C., that Mary F. (Mollie) was the daughter of William J. It is not known what happened to Elias.

NANCY HINSON  
(1822- ??)

Nancy, daughter of Joshua, was born ca 1822,<sup>22</sup> probably in Columbus County, N.C. She married John McClam (McLamb).<sup>23</sup> John and Nancy had the following known children: Lucy, b. ca 1843; Joshua B., b. ca 1845; John H., b. ca 1847; and Lewis J., b. ca 1849.<sup>24</sup> Lucy C. inherited "one bed with necessary covering" from Joshua's wife, Lucy. (See copy of will in Chapter II of this book.)

Nancy did not inherit in her father's will; however, Joshua deeded 100 acres to John McLamb in 1844.<sup>25</sup>

ELIZABETH HINSON  
(1823- ?? )

Elizabeth, daughter of Joshua, was born ca 1823 in North Carolina,<sup>2</sup> probably Columbus County. She married Elias Godwin<sup>27</sup> and the 1840 census shows them to be residing in Columbus Co., N. C. In 1870, they were in Pike County, Alabama. The census record shows Elias to be 57, Elizabeth, 47, and the following children: Mary J, 29; Martha, 22; Osborn, 21; Wiley, 13; and William, 11. The age of their first child would indicate that they were probably married ca 1840.

Elizabeth did not inherit in her father's will and it is assumed that they were probably already in Alabama.

ANN HINSON  
(1827- ?? )

Ann, daughter of Joshua, was born ca 1827 in North Carolina,<sup>28</sup> probably in Columbus County, and married Edward White.<sup>29</sup> In her father's will she inherited, ". . . a certain tract of land lying on the north side of the Beaver Dam Swamp and adjoining the lands of Everett Hinson, James Hinson, David Lewis and K. Haynes and wife and containing 100 acres more or less saving and excepting the interest therein of my wife Lucy. . ." <sup>30</sup>

Ann and Edward White had the following known children: Haynes L. White, born ca 1848 and Edward K. White, born ca 1850.<sup>31</sup> Probably other children were born to them in later years.

NAOMI HINSON  
(1831- ?? )

As far as we know, Naomi (Neomy, Naoma) was the last child of Joshua, born ca 1831 in North Carolina,<sup>32</sup> probably

Columbus County. In the 1850 Columbus County Census, she was still in the household of Joshua and Lucy. She married Reubin Smith and in her father's will inherited ". . . all the tract or parcel of land on which I now live except so much thereof as I have heretofore given by deed to James Hinson and John McClam and likewise saving and excepting the interest therein as set forth in the first clause in favor of my wife Lucy.<sup>33</sup>

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<sup>1</sup>Birth & Death of Everett Hinson, Family Bible in possession of Mrs. Madge (Hinson) McPherson, Rt. 1, Box 256, Chadbourn, N.C.

<sup>2</sup>Last name of Anna Jane from Mrs. Maxine Hinson; dates of birth & death from Family Bible, above.

<sup>3</sup>Names of children & dates of birth, 1850 Columbus Co., N.C. Fed. Census. Names of spouses furnished by Maxine Hinson.

<sup>4</sup>Joshua Hinson to Everett Hinson, Deed Book H, p. 3, Columbus Co., N.C. Copy furnished by Maxine Hinson.

<sup>5</sup>Land deeds indicate Joshua was in Robeson Co., N.C. from 1801-1815. Deed Book K, p. 80 & Deed Book B, p. 26, Robeson Co., Lumberton, N.C.

<sup>6</sup>Birth of Joshua, Headstone, Hinson (Hinson) Cemetery, Troy, Pike Co., AL.

<sup>7</sup>William, son of Joshua: Will of Joshua Hinson, Will Book 1, Columbus Co., Whiteville, N.C.

<sup>8</sup>William Hinson witnessed deed between Joshua Hinson & Evritt Hinson, 14 Nov. 1835, Deed Book H, p.3, Columbus Co., N.C.

<sup>9</sup>Wm. Hinson & Martha Ann Pugh, Mar. Rec., Sept. 1830-Jan. 1839, Probate Office, Pike Co., Troy, AL.

<sup>10</sup>Notable Men of Alabama, Vol. I, p. 306, Hon. Joel C. DuBose, Editor. The Reprint Co., Publishers, Spartanburg, S.C., 1976 (DAR Library, Wash., D.C. & Library, OK State Historical Society, Oklahoma City, OK)

- 11 Pike Co. Tract Brook, Troy, AL. (Copy furnished by  
Kathlyn Folmar, Rt. 2, Box 272, Goshen, AL)
- 12 1850 Pike Co., AL Federal Census
- 13 Minutes, Beulah Prim.Bapt. Church (Kathlyn Folmar)
- 14 Birth & Death of Martha Ann (Pugh) Hinson: Headstone,  
Hintson (Hinson) Cemetery, Troy, Pike Co., AL
- 15 Ibid.
- 16 Birthplace of James: See 5, above
- 17 Birth & Death of James Hinson: Headstone, Blake Cem.,  
Blake Farm, Columbus Co., N.C.
- 18 Ibid. Isabel's headstone is broken & the day & month  
of birth & death are gone.
- 19 Birth & Death of James M. Hinson: Ibid.
- 20 Names of children & dates of birth from 1850 Columbus  
Co., N.C. Fed. Census
- 21 Will of Joshua Hinson
- 22 Birth of Nancy Hinson, 1850 Columbus Co., N.C. Federal Cen.
- 23 Mar. of Nancy Hinson: Will of Joshua Hinson
- 24 Birthdates of children of Nancy Hinson McClam: 1850  
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- 25 Joshua Hinson to John McLamb, Index to Deeds, Columbus  
Co. Courthouse, Whiteville, N.C. (Furnished by Mrs. J.L. Blake,  
Leland, N.C.)
- 26 Birth of Elizabeth Hinson: 1870 Pike Co. AL. Federal  
Census, Elias Godwin
- 27 Husband of Elizabeth Hinson: Will of Joshua Hinson
- 28 Birth of Ann Hinson: 1850 Columbus Co., N.C. Federal  
Census, Edward White
- 29 Husband of Ann Hinson: Will of Joshua Hinson
- 30 Will of Joshua Hinson

<sup>31</sup>Children of Ann & Edward White: 1850 Columbus Co.,  
N.C. Federal Census

<sup>32</sup>Birth of Naomi Hinson: 1850 Columbus Co., N.C.  
Federal Census, Joshua Hinson

<sup>33</sup>Will of Joshua Hinson

CHAPTER IV

CHILDREN OF WILLIAM AND MARTHA ANN (FOGUE) HINSON

Land Homesteaded by William Hinson  
 Pike County Tract Book  
 Pike County, Troy, AL

AND ELIZABETH HINSON  
 (1840-1923)

Township 10 North, Range 20 East, Section 35

	<u>Cert. No.</u>
SE 1/4 of NE 1/4, 39.80 acres, William Hinson, Nov. 21, 1855	48628
SW 1/4 of NE 1/4, " " " " Feb. 7, 1834	43527
SE 1/4 of NW 1/4, " " " " Nov. 21, 1855	48628
NE 1/4 of NE 1/4, " " " " " " " "	"
NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, " " " " Aug. 19, 1847	37319
SW 1/4 of SE 1/4, " " " " Nov. 21, 1855	48628
NE 1/4 of SW 1/4, " " " " " " " "	"
SE 1/4 of SW 1/4, " " " " Aug. 6, 1851	40529

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and the original by William H. ...  
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40329	Aug. 6, 1851	"	"	"	SE 1/4 of SW 1/4
"	"	"	"	"	NE 1/4 of SW 1/4
48628	Nov. 11, 1852	"	"	"	SW 1/4 of SE 1/4
37319	Aug. 19, 1857	"	"	"	NW 1/4 of SE 1/4
"	"	"	"	"	NE 1/4 of SE 1/4
48628	Nov. 11, 1852	"	"	"	SW 1/4 of SE 1/4
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48628	Nov. 11, 1852	"	"	"	SW 1/4 of SE 1/4
48628	Nov. 11, 1852	"	"	"	SE 1/4 of SE 1/4

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CHAPTER IV  
CHILDREN OF WILLIAM AND MARTHA ANN (PUGH) HINSON

RITA ANN ELIZABETH HINSON  
(1840-1915)

Rita (Ritter, Ritty) Ann Elizabeth was the first child of William and Martha Ann (Pugh) Hinson,<sup>1</sup> born 25 November 1840<sup>2</sup> at Troy, Pike County, Alabama. She married Hezakiah (Hezzy Kyle, Ky, H.A.) Pugh in Pike County, 29 January 1877.<sup>3</sup> Hezakiah, son of Wade H. Pugh,<sup>4</sup> was born 29 November 1854 and died 1 January 1936.<sup>5</sup> Rita Ann and Hezakiah were the great grandchildren of Jesse Pugh, making them second cousins.

From deeds in Pike County, Alabama, it would seem that the land of William Hinson was kept intact and sold to Hezakiah by William's heirs in 1904.<sup>6</sup>

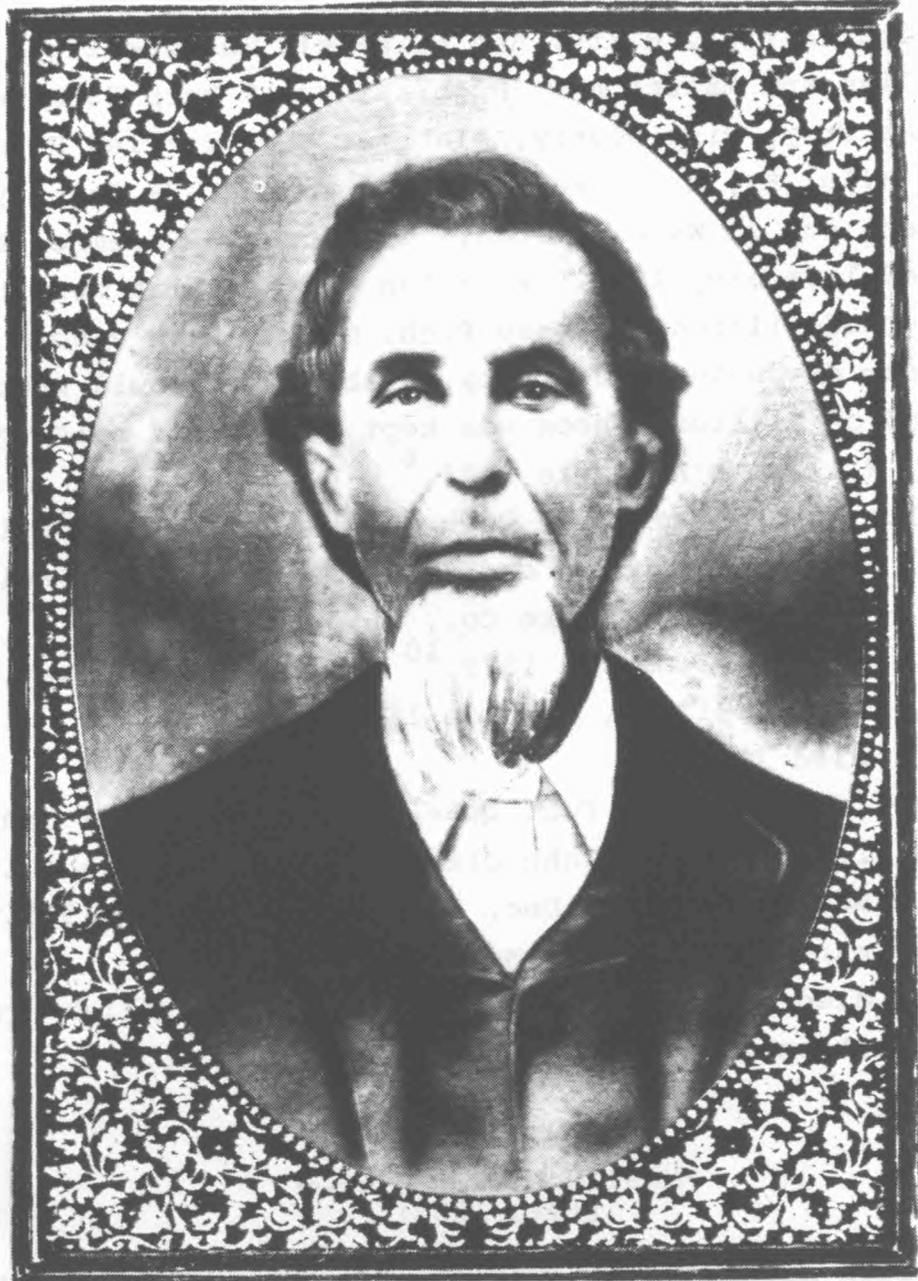
Rita Ann and Hezakiah Pugh had the following children:

1. Martha O.,<sup>7</sup> born ca 1878,<sup>8</sup> married W. F. Faulkner, 8 Feb., 1899, Pike Co., AL.<sup>9</sup>
2. Minnie A., b. ca 1879,<sup>10</sup> married John Spivey.<sup>11</sup>
3. B. W. (Billy), born ca 1881, died 1957.<sup>12</sup>
4. Lula, born 21 Feb. 1884, unmarried, d. 21 Jan. 1939.<sup>13</sup>
5. Lena, married John Claude Faulkner, 11 Jan. 1903.<sup>14</sup>
6. Nettie, born 18 Dec. 1887, died 25 Nov. 1977,<sup>15</sup> married Eugene C. Mullis.<sup>16</sup>

Rita Ann died 1 Jan. 1915 and both she and Hezakiah are buried in the Hintson (Hinson) Cemetery near Troy, AL.<sup>17</sup>

\*MASTIN ASBURY HINSON  
(1843-1932)

Mastin Asbury Hinson was born at Troy, Pike County, Alabama, on 18 March 1843, and died at Mart, Limestone County (Mart is in McLennan County, but the Hinsons lived on a Mart rural route in Limestone County), Texas, 15 July, 1932.<sup>18</sup> He was the second child of William and Martha Ann (Pugh) Hinson.<sup>19</sup>



Mastin Asbury Hinson  
(1843-1932)

Portrait donated by the late  
Mrs. Emma (Hinson) Smith

Asbury was married to Lucinda Rushing, daughter of William Cain and Mary (Rushing) Rushing,<sup>20</sup> on 5 October 1865, in Pike County by Art Griffin, J.P.<sup>21</sup> Lucinda was born 11 June 1848, in Alabama and died at Mart, Texas on 23 November 1928.<sup>22</sup>

Asbury served with the 18th Regiment of the Alabama Volunteers, Co. H., during the Civil War, from 29 July 1861 until June, 1865, at which time he "surrendered with Lee's Army,"<sup>23</sup> and was "paroled" a Sergeant, 8 June 1865. In this "parole" he is described as being 5 ft. 7 in. tall with black hair, grey eyes and dark complexion.<sup>24</sup>

Asbury was wounded in both legs when he was shot from his horse, according to family legend. His Civil War records indicate that he appeared on the Hospital Muster Roll, Cairns Hospital, Columbus, GA, 31 Oct. 1864.<sup>25</sup>

Asbury and Lucinda raised a family of five boys - William Mastin, Thomas Martin, John Elbert, Joseph Richard, and Jesse Cleveland - and three girls - Carrie Lee Ola, Fannie Lou, and Pollie.

They owned farm land and partnership in a cotton gin and grist mill in Pike County. In Deed Book M, p. 319, Pike Co., AL, William and Martha "Henson" deeded to their son "Mastin Asberry" a certain parcel of land. In 1870, M. A. Hinson paid taxes in Pike County on "Sec. 10, Range 20, 20 improved acres, 80 unimproved - Value \$500." In 1901, M. A. Hinson and wife L. Hinson and John O. Brown and wife Carrie Brown sold to W. D. Folmar for the sum of \$600.00 property "containing one acre more or less known as the Gin lot with Gin house and all machinery, gins and all other appurtenances thereto belonging."<sup>26</sup>

Asbury was a member of the Beulah Primitive Baptist Church in Troy and served as Clerk of the Church from 1902-1905.<sup>27</sup> It is not known whether or not Lucinda was a member.

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Headquarters 16th Army Corps,

OFFICE PROVOST MARSHAL,

MONTGOMERY, ALA., June 4<sup>th</sup> 1865.

I, the undersigned

Wm. A. Hinson

Serje. Co. A. 18<sup>th</sup> Ala. Infy

**DO SOLEMNLY SWEAR** that I will not bear arms against the United States of America, or give any information, or do any military duty whatever, until regularly exchanged as a prisoner of war.

Wm. A. Hinson

DESCRIPTION:

Height, 5 feet, 7 inches.

Hair, Black Eyes, Grey

Complexion, Dark

I certify that the above parole was given by me on the date above given, and the above named Serje. will not be disturbed by United States authorities so long as he observes the conditions of his parole, and the laws and regulations in force where he resides.

BY ORDER OF MAJOR GENERAL A. J. SMITH.

A. J. Smith  
Capt. 72<sup>d</sup> Ills. Inf., and Ass't Provost Marshal.

Records indicate that about 1904 Asbury and Lucinda sold all of their property,<sup>28</sup> auctioning off dishes and furniture, and moved to Texas, going first to Quitman, Wood County. Asbury's brother, Everett Eli, had migrated to Texas prior to 1880 and lived at Pleasant Grove, Wood County.

From Wood County, Asbury moved to Limestone County, living first at Tehuacana, where he and William Moody on January 6, 1906, purchased certain lots in Tehuacana for the sum of \$400.00.<sup>29</sup>

Members of the family relate that he also bought a farm near Tehuacana on which the Tom Hinson family resided for a time, but the writer was unable to find a record of the deed being recorded at the Courthouse in Groesbeck, Limestone County.

Later, Asbury and Lucinda moved to Watt, Limestone County, where Asbury owned a grocery store, and then to Prairie Hill where he was supposed to have been

connected with a bank; however, no records were found in the State Banking Commission, Austin, or in Limestone County to indicate that he was a stockholder in a bank.

At his death at the age of 89, Asbury lived with his son, Thomas Martin, on Rural Route 4, Mart, Limestone County, Texas, and his only income was a small Civil War pension.



Lucinda and Asbury Hinson  
Early 1900's

Both Asbury and Lucinda are buried in the Prairie Hill Cemetery, Prairie Hill, Limestone County, Texas.

(For children of Asbury and Lucinda (Rushing) Hinson, See Chapter V)

CAROLINE HINSON  
(1846- ?? )

Caroline was the third child of William and Martha Ann (Pugh) Hinson and was born ca 1846<sup>30</sup> in Pike County, Alabama. She married John O. Brown who was then a teacher by profession, but later settled in Troy and engaged in the Mercantile business.<sup>31</sup>

"Carrie" and John had the following known children: Mattie, born ca 1868; Walter, born ca 1871; Nettie, born ca 1875; Annie, born ca 1877; and John, born ca 1879.<sup>32</sup>

NANCY JANE HINSON  
(1847-1883)

Nancy Jane was the fourth child of William and Martha, born about 1847<sup>33</sup> in Pike County, Alabama. She married Joseph Warren Harris, 5 December 1867. J. W. Harris was born 9 December 1847 near Troy, Pike County, Alabama, the son of Edward and Mary Ann (Faulk) Harris. He was a prominent citizen of Pike County, being a farmer and teacher, and being elected tax collector in Pike County in 1877 and again in 1880, serving until 1884 when he retired. He was elected superintendent of schools in 1898 for two years and re-elected in 1900. He was annually elected to the office of secretary and treasurer of the Farmers Mutual Insurance Association of Pike County for eight years.

When he was 16 he enlisted as a private in Co. I, Fifteenth Regiment (Alabama) and was involved in much of the fighting up to the surrender at Appomattox Courthouse, April 9, 1865.

He was a Democrat and a member of the Primitive Baptist Church.

The children born to Joseph Warren and Nancy Jane (Hinson) Harris were:

1. Martha Jane Elizabeth, born 16 December 1868, married George W. Smith in Troy, Alabama, and emigrated to Big Sandy, Texas.
2. Joseph Edward, born 17 October 1871, was educated in the Troy City Schools and Highland Home College, married Allie Faulkner of China Grove, Pike County, Alabama, and settled in the city of Troy, where he was a prominent business man of high character.
3. William Masten, born 9 August 1875, reared and educated in Troy, emigrated to Texas, married Miss Fannie Smith, settled near Big Sandy, and was a farmer and carpenter.
4. Annie Lucretia, born 8 May 1881, educated in Troy city schools and Troy State Normal College, married William J. Pugh, and lived near Troy.<sup>34</sup>

EVERETT ELI HINSON  
(1850-1925)

Everett Eli was the fifth and last child of William and Martha (Pugh) Hinson. He was born in 1850 in Pike County, Alabama, and died 3 March 1925 in Wood County, Texas. He is buried in Hopewell Cemetery in Wood County.

Everett married first Amanda D. Turner in Pike County, Alabama, 19 March 1870.<sup>35</sup> Amanda was born 28 May 1854 in Alabama

and died 10 July 1886 in Wood County, Texas. She is also buried in Hopewell Cemetery.

Everett married, second, Susan Elizabeth Cobb, b. 12 June 1868, in Wood Co., Texas, and died 6 April 1954, Wood County.

Following are the descendants of Everett Eli Hinson:

(EVERETT ELI AND AMANDA TURNER HINSON)

- A. James Asbury Hinson, b. 1 Jan. 1871, Troy, Pike Co., AL; died 22 Jan. 1910 in Oklahoma of pneumonia. Was an Oklahoma homesteader (farmer). Married Ella Leona Jackson, b. 24 Dec. 1876, died 22 Aug. 1958.
1. Averil Hinson, b. 6 March, 1897, m. Ivan Wilson Rountree, b. 25 Dec. 1894, d. 17 May 1969. Averil lives in Winnsboro, Texas (1979).
    - (1) Paul Ivan Rountree, b. 29 Jan. 1920.
    - (2) Helen Rose Rountree, b. 18 Sept. 1922, m. Robert Henry Harrison, b. 5 Apr. 1923.
      - a. Joe Ann Harrison, b. 18 Mar. 1945, d. 4 Feb. 1962.
      - b. Robert Henry Harrison Jr., b. 16 Dec. 1948, m. Mary Carol Ham, b. 17 May 1950.
        - (a) Robert Henry Harrison III, b. 24 Aug. 1969.
        - (b) Mark Daughtry Harrison, b. 2 Nov. 1973
      - c. Patricia Elaine Harrison, b. 20 Apr. 1957, m. Richard Lee Rambin, b. 9 Nov. 1956.
        - (a) Robert Kenneth Rambin, b. 23 July 1974.
      - d. Lisa Diana Harrison, b. 21 Jan. 1965.
    - (3) Joe Dan Rountree, b. 19 May 1915, d. 14 Sept. 1918.
  2. Silas Everett Hinson, b. 17 Jan. 1898, d. 31 July 1971 (cancer); m. Winnie Turner, b. 25 Apr. 1913, d. 29 Aug. 1975.
    - (1) James Everett Hinson, b. 13 Feb. 1940, m. Peggy Walker, b. 5 June 1937.
    - (2) Jerry Tom Hinson, b. 7 Mar. 1942, m. Sally Bryant, born 20 July 1945.
      - a. William Bryant Hinson, b. 7 July 1968.
      - b. James Russell Hinson, b. 19 Jan. 1973.
    - (3) Larry Turner Hinson, b. 16 Dec. 1943, m. Linda Norrel, b. 29 June 1944.
      - a. Larry Thomas Hinson, b. 7 Aug. 1976.
  3. Roy Cecil Hinson, b. 23 Feb. 1900, d. 27 Aug. 1963 (cancer; m. Mary Katherine Wood, b. 18 July 1906. (No children).

4. Marie Hinson, b. 2 July 1902, d. 18 May 1963 (cancer); m. Arlin Lester Yates, b. 23 Sept. 1897, d. 22 May 1939.
    - (1) Faith Elaine Yates, b. 9 Feb. 1937, m. Robert Eugene Johnson, b. 10 Feb. 1933.
      - a. Deborah Gale Johnson, b. 27 July 1958, m. Larry Ray Young, b. 29 May 1954.
      - b. Terrie Diane Johnson, b. 20 Nov. 1960.
      - c. Robin Elaine Johnson, b. 26 Mar. 1965.
  5. Thomas William Hinson, b. 13 Jan. 1905. Never married. Retired farmer and living at Rt. 4, Winnsboro (Pleasant Grove), Texas (1979).
  6. Ruby Hinson, b. 18 March 1908; m. Luther B. Stokes, b. 28 July 1905, d. 8 Mar. 1980. Ruby living in Dallas, Texas (1979).
    - (1) James Norman Stokes, b. 18 Jan. 1928, m. Jo Ella Gold, b. 18 May 1925.
      - a. James Douglas Stokes, b. 14 July 1949, m. Dee Becka Henderson, b. 5 May 1950.
        - (a) Amy Christine Stokes, b. 4 Dec. 1974.
      - b. Pamela Stokes, b. 28 Mar. 1955.
    - (2) Thomas Gene Stokes, b. 28 April 1930, d. 3 Sept. 1951.
    - (3) Bobby Joe Stokes, b. 16 March 1933, m. Daphne Lovelady, b. 5 April 1927.
      - a. Bobby Joe Stokes Jr., b. 28 Nov. 1952, m. Shirley Secrest, b. 18 Sept. 1952.
        - (a) Leslie Renne Stokes, b. 12 Mar. 1979.
      - b. Stephen Thomas Stokes, b. 12 Aug. 1964.
  7. Ima Hinson, b. 2 June 1910, m. Cecil Wilson, b. 1 Jan. 1912. Living in Dallas, Texas (1979).
    - (1) Ronald Wayne Wilson, b. 6 Nov. 1945.
- B. William Dennis Hinson, b. 13 Nov. 1873, Troy, Pike Co., AL, d. 9 Sept. 1942; m. first Mary Jane (Jim) Moore, who was b. 23 Oct. 1882 and d. 6 Mar. 1919. William Dennis was a farmer.
1. Avis Joe Hinson, b. 4 Feb. 1899, m. Thurber Cleo Byron, b. 27 Nov. 1894. She is a retired teacher and they live in Rockwall, Texas (1979).
    - (1) Dorothy Dale Byron, b. 24 Apr. 1924, m. Weldon Fisher Daniel, b. 27 April 1921. She is a seamstress and he is a highway engineer.

- a. Weldon Randolph Daniel, b. 18 June 1948, m. Linda Pinkard, b. 3 Mar. 1948.
  - b. Rodney Byron Daniel, b. 25 Oct. 1953, m. Janet Lee Johnson, b. 11 Aug. 1957.
  - c. Bennett Scott Daniel, b. 25 Dec. 1954.
2. Lynial Garnet Hinson, b. 13 Dec. 1900, m. Evelyn Huckabee, b. 2 July 1902. Retired Post Office Supt., living in Winnsboro, Texas (1983).
- (1) Lynial Jane Hinson (unmarried), b. 29 Nov. 1932. Counselor for City Schools in Denver, CO (1979).
  - (2) Norman Douglas Hinson, b. 23 Apr. 1935, m. Meredith Hudson Williams, b. 14 Aug. 1938. He is a Park Ranger in Yosemite, CA (1979).
    - a. Jennifer Lynn, b. 12 July 1962.
    - b. Norman Scott, b. 7 Apr. 1964.
    - c. Jeffrey Wade, b. 13 May 1971.
3. Merlie Evelyn Hinson, b. 27 Aug. 1903, m. James Raymond Kennemer, b. 27 Aug. 1902. Retired cafe owner and operator living in Pampa, Texas (1979).
- (1) Robert Byron Kennemer, b. 13 Aug. 1928, d. 23 May 1937 of insulin shock (diabetic).
  - (2) James Weldon Kennemer, b. 20 July 1922, m. Helen Dorothy Bigham, b. 22 Dec. 1926. He is a Phillips Petroleum Co. Executive.
    - a. Sandra Louise Kennemer, b. 12 Dec. 1946, m. David Leon Harvey, b. 14 Feb. 1943.
      - (a) James Russell Harvey, b. 1 Dec. 1971.
4. Matteel Hinson, b. 23 Feb. 1908, m. John Bell Ingram, b. 14 Oct. 1906. Matteel is a retired teacher and John is a retired Air Mail Supt. and Warehouse Manager, living in Quitman, Texas (1983).
- (1) John Bob Ingram, b. 29 March 1940, d. 1982 (diabetic), m. Sandra Jean Skinner, b. 31 Jan. 1944. John Bob was Music Director in Diboll Public Schools, Diboll, Texas.
    - a. Karen Elizabeth Ingram, b. 20 July 1965.
5. William Dennis Hinson Jr., b. 26 June 1909, m. Lillian Era Gibbs, b. 15 Jan. 1909. Retired educators, living in Houston (1979).
- (1) Mary Maude Hinson, b. 26 March 1937, m. Louis Raul Del Homme, b. 21 Sept. 1935. Mary, a Realtor in Houston (1979).
    - a. Sherri Lynn Del Homme, b. 1 Dec. 1958.

6. George Turner Hinson, b. 2 Nov. 1910, d. 26 March 1970 of lung cancer; m. Ninnie Bell Holt Kimbrell, b. 14 June 1905, d. Aug. 1970. George was an educator and served 16 years in the Texas Legislature.
  - (1) Golda Maxine Hinson, b. 24 April 1931, m. first John Thomas Knapp, b. 28 Sept. 1922; m. second Kirven Eugene Garrett, b. 2 March 1934; m. third Dalton McClenny.
    - a. Melissa Euniece Garrett, b. 20 Aug. 1965.
    - b. Lyndel Dean McClenny, b. 27 Dec. 1956 (adopted).
  - (2) Travis Lorrel Hinson (Lt. Col. Ret.), b. 26 Oct. 1933, m. Nellie Bell Spann, b. 16 Sept. 1936. Living in California (1979).
    - a. Ronald Stephen Hinson, b. 3 April 1957.
    - b. Kathryn Leigh Hinson, b. 7 June 1959.
7. Infant, b. and d. 18 Jan. 1915.

William Dennis Hinson married, second, Lola Humphrey Wilson, b. 12 March 1893, died 29 June 1954.

8. Ozelle Hinson, b. 16 Jan. 1927, m. Clyde Thomas Knight, b. 15 Nov. 1923. Living in Longview, TX (1979).
  - (1) Carol Nadine Knight, b. 7 Feb. 1948
  - (2) William Donald Knight, b. 29 June 1950
  - (3) Robert Lewis Knight, b. 11 Dec. 1952, m. Patricia Ann Tydinego, b. 25 Mar. 1953.
    - a. Eric James Knight, b. 23 Sept. 1970
  - (4) James Douglas Knight, b. 20 Jan. 1962.
  - (5) Thomas Alan Knight, b. 10 Feb. 1964.
- C. Sally Ann Hinson, b. 12 March 1872, d. 6 July 1886.
- D. George H. Hinson, b. 3 Jan. 1879, d. 26 Sept. 1979.
- E. Joseph Robert Hinson, b. 25 Aug. 1880, Pleasant Grove, Texas, d. 4 June 1938; m. Mary Eloise Rouse, b. 13 July 1884, d. 3 March 1980, Gilmer, Texas, buried Gilmer City Cemetery.
  1. Cecil Calvert Hinson, b. 4 Sept. 1902, m. Esther Brown, b. 12 April 1903. Living in Houston, TX (1979).
    - (1) Mary Ann Hinson, b. 26 Mar. 1940, m. Paul Arnold Whiteley, b. 18 Aug. 1935.
      - a. Cynthia Ann Whiteley, b. 2 Oct. 1959.
      - b. Paul Arnold Whiteley, Jr., b. 26 April 1961.

2. Mertie Fay Hinson, b. 7 Jan. 1906, m. Herman H. Inman, b. 18 April 1905. Herman died 6 June 1968, Mertie Fay living in Annaheim, CA (1979).
  - (1) Wanda Inman, b. 14 March 1928; m. first John R. Cannon, b. 17 Feb. 1926; second, Giraud Wesley Behrel, b. 5 Aug. 1911; and third Gene Alley, b. 14 Jan. 1921.
    - a. Carolyn Cannon, b. 6 Feb. 1945, m. Ronald David Platz, b. 16 Aug. 1939.
    - b. Linda Diane Cannon, b. 20 Jan. 1948, m. Harold Glenn Carnes, Jr., b. 21 Oct. 1947
      - (a) Terry Glenn Carnes, b. 28 April 1967.
      - (b) Melissa Diane Carnes, b. 7 Oct. 1972.
    - c. Janet Elaine Cannon, b. 17 May 1950; m. first Joseph Urrutia, b. 9 June 1948; m. second Thomas Howard Kraus, b. Nov. 1937.
      - (a) Joseph Christopher Kraus, b. 24 March 1970.
  - (2) Bobby Ray Inman, b. 14 April 1931, m. Nancy Carolyn Russo, b. 30 June 1935.
    - a. Thomas Carter Inman, b. 22 Dec. 1962.
    - b. William Clark Inman, b. 6 Jan. 1966.
  - (3) Herman Arlon Inman, b. 16 Oct. 1937, m. Margaret E. Muegenburg
  - (4) Linda Marie Inman, b. 9 Aug. 1941, m. Rock Kenneth Bradford, b. 15 June 1937.
    - a. Cynthia Ann Bradford, b. 12 April 1962.
    - b. Kristin Diane Bradford, b. 8 June 1966.
    - c. Michael David Bradford, b. 31 March 1975, d. 3 April 1975.
    - d. William Robert Bradford, b. 7 July 1976.
3. Maurice Everett Hinson, b. 17 March 1909, m. Mamie Cleon Lanham, b. 24 May 1909. Insurance Executive, P. O. Box 189, Henderson, Texas (1979).
  - (1) Sarah Lynne Hinson, b. 12 Feb. 1939, m. Adrian Michal McMahon, b. 22 Oct. 1937.
    - a. Sean Maurice McMahon, b. 21 Oct. 1968.
    - b. Jeffrey Benton McMahon, b. 20 Dec. 1972.
  - (2) Tom Everett Hinson, b. 25 Oct. 1944
4. James Milton Hinson, b. 3 June 1911, m. first Alma Evelyn Reynard, b. 4 Oct. 1912, d. 17 Oct. 1944; m. second Barbara Jo Ann Waggener, b. 23 April 1926.
  - (1) James Robert Hinson, b. 14 Oct. 1939, d. 29 Nov. 1942.

- (2) Jean Evelyn Hinson, b. 14 Jan. 1942; m. Abner Bishamber Lall, b. 23 Jan. 1933.
  - a. Sarojini Lall, b. 22 Feb. 1972.
- (3) Virginia Ruth Hinson, b. 27 July 1944; m. first James R. Yutesler, b. 20 Sept. 1944; m. second Paul Edward Murr, b. 20 Sept. 1947.
  - a. Lisa Joan Yutesler, b. 8 Aug. 1967 (legally adopted by Paul Edward Murr).
  - b. Caroline Anastasia, b. 9 June 1978.
  - c. Jonathan Edward Murr, b. 11 Oct. 1979.
- 5. Robert Arnold Hinson, b. 1 Feb. 1918, m. Oneta Lilly McAlpin, b. 30 May 1918. Both are Dentists in Gilmer, Texas (1979).
  - (1) Karen Hinson, b. 30 June 1956, m. Clyde Ralph Hogue, Jr., b. 22 July 1953.
    - a. Clyde Ralph Hogue III, b. 22 Oct. 1976.
  - (2) Kristy Hinson, b. 29 Oct. 1958
- 6. Joseph Arlon Wayne Hinson, b. 7 June 1922, d. 22 Dec. 1975; m. first Patricia Carolyn Weaver, b. 2 April 1925 and, second, Nadeen Clere Donahoo Oliver, b. 3 Nov. 1925, d. 24 April 1980. Patricia Carolyn Weaver mother of children.
  - (1) Susan Carol Hinson, b. 5 Aug. 1946, m. Vincent D. Manahan III, b. 29 Oct. 1937.
    - a. Carin Elizabeth Manahan, b. 4 Dec. 1975.
    - b. Nicole Ann Manahan, b. 5 Sept. 1977.
  - (2) Michael Wayne Hinson, b. 20 Oct. 1947, m. Linda Carol Phillips, b. 19 July 1947.
  - (3) Bruce Joseph Hinson, b. 8 Nov. 1949, m. Amonda Sue Weeks.

DESCENDANTS OF EVERETT ELI AND SUSAN ELIZABETH (COBB) HINSON

- F. Amy Elizabeth Hinson, b. 20 Nov. 1888, d. 4 July 1890.
- G. Desser Estelle Hinson, b. 8 Feb. 1891, m. Barn T. Green, b. 6 Jan. 1888, and d. 18 Oct. 1971. Desser lives in Winnsboro, Texas (1979).
  - 1. Felton T. Green, b. 1 June 1910, d. 19 Sept. 1954, m. Geneva Lee Dykes, b. 23 Dec. 1908, and now living in Dallas, Texas (1979).
  - 2. Kenneth Harlon Green, b. 1 Nov. 1917, m. Jessie Mae Patterson, b. 7 Oct. 1921.
    - (1) Kenneth Harlon Green Jr., b. 17 Oct. 1942, m. Carol Price, b. 25 Dec. 1943.

- a. Robert Christopher Green, b. 23 July 1962.
  - b. Susan Leigh Green, b. 21 Jan. 1964.
  - c. Mary Elizabeth Green, b. 8 April 1967.
- (2) Karen Green, b. 1 October 1952, m. Jerry Don Warren, b. 21 August 1951.
- a. Amy Dawn Warren, b. 13 July 1977.
- H. Ressie Caroline Hinson, b. 29 August 1892, d. 24 November 1902.
- I. Millie Almo Hinson, b. 17 Sept. 1895, d. 1960, m. Louie Lester Chambers, b. 1885, d. 1965.
1. R. V. Chambers, b. 1914, m. Carrie Frances Patterson, b. 1929
    - a. Tony Lee Chambers, b. 1955, m. Suzanne Irwin, b. 1956.
      - (1) Tony Lee Chambers II, b. 1974.
    - b. Ricky Lane Chambers, b. 1958, m. Melanie Brown, b. 1957.
      - (1) Brandy Michele Chambers, b. 1978.
  2. Thomas Joyce Chambers, b. 29 April 1919, m. Naomi Frances Mullican, b. 4 Oct. 1929
    - a. Donald Eugene Chambers, b. 2 Sept. 1951, m. Debbie Lynn Gibbs, b. 29 April 1955.
      - (1) Daniel Eugene Chambers, b. 19 May 1973.
      - (2) Amanda Jean Chambers, b. 20 July 1976.
    - b. Randy Lynn Chambers, b. 17 April 1955.
  3. Everett Charles Chambers, b. 1920, m. Etolio Marie Ferguson, 1934.
    - a. Linda Gail Chambers, b. 1951, m. Marrien Kelsey Jones, b. 1954.
      - (1) Sabrina Gail Jones, b. 1968.
      - (2) Nicha Lachelle Jones, b. 1970.
      - (3) Londa Shena Jones, b. 1976.
    - b. Deborah Marie Chambers, b. 1953, m. E. Eugene Johnson.
      - (1) Michel Eugene Johnson, b. 1970.
      - (2) Shawn Johnson, b. 1975.
  4. Elizabeth Louise Chambers, b. 1925, m. James William Thompson, b. 1914 and d. 1976.
    - a. Linda Sue Thompson, b. 1945, m. Joe Donahue.
    - b. William Larry Thompson, b. 1947, m. Edith Darlene Horton, b. 1949.
      - (1) Darrell Glenn Thompson, b. 1969.
      - (2) Shelley Rena Thompson, b. 1971.

- c. Tommy Don Thompson, b. 1949, m. India Burke, b. 1947.  
(1) James Kirk Thompson, b. 1977
- d. Bonnie Lea Thompson, b. 1954, m. Johny Bishop, b. 1950.
- e. David Jon Thompson, b. 1957, m. Peggy Arnold, b. 1955.  
(1) Melissa Jo Thompson, b. 1978.
- f. Terry Beth Thompson, b. 1963.

J. Milburn Everett Hinson, b. & d. 2 Sept. 1902.

K. Edna Hinson, b. 12 Dec. 1903, d. 2 Dec. 1918.

L. Thomas Palmer Hinson, b. 1910, d. 23 March 1965, m. first Greenlee and, second, Jonnie King. By his first marriage he had one female child who married Samuel E. Lawson and by the second marriage he had two sons, Glenn Hinson and Thomas L. Hinson.

(Information on Everett Eli Hinson and his descendants compiled by Matteel Hinson Ingram, Rt. 3, 204 Elm St., Quitman, TX 75783 and James Milton Hinson, Rt. 2, Box 353, Gilmer, TX 75644)

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- <sup>1</sup>1850 Pike Co., AL Fed. Census: William Hinson
- <sup>2</sup>Headstone, Hinson (Hinson) Cemetery, Troy, Pike Co., AL
- <sup>3</sup>Marriage Records, 1876-80, p. 14, Probate Office, Pike Co., Troy, AL.
- <sup>4</sup>1860 Pike Co. AL Federal Census: Wade H. Pugh
- <sup>5</sup>Headstone, Hinson Cemetery
- <sup>6</sup>Deed Book 18, pp. 381-382, Probate Office, Pike Co., Troy, AL
- <sup>7</sup>Names of all children given the writer by Mrs. Annie Lou Stubbs, 828 Park St., Troy, AL 36081, dau. of Nettie (Pugh) Mullis
- <sup>8</sup>1880 Pike Co. AL Fed. Census: Hezakiah Pugh
- <sup>9</sup>Marriage Records, 1898-1902, p. 23, Pro. Off., Troy, Pike Co., AL
- <sup>10</sup>1880 Pike Co., AL Fed. Census: Hezakiah Pugh
- <sup>11</sup>Obits., Lula & B.W. Pugh, Pugh Vert. File, AL Archives, Montgomery, AL

- 12 Obits., Lula and B.W. Pugh, Pugh Vert. File, AL Archives, Montgomery, AL
- 13 Headstone, Hinson Cemetery (See #2)
- 14 Marr. Recs., 1902-1906, p. 39, Pro. Off., Troy, AL
- 15 Headstone, Hinson Cemetery (See #2)
- 16 Annie Lou Stubbs (See #7)
- 17 Headstone, Hinson Cemetery (See #2)
- 18 Headstone, Prairie Hill Cemetery, Prairie Hill Limestone Co., TX
- 19 1850 Pike Co. AL Fed. Census: William Hinson
- 20 Estate Papers of Wm. Cain Rushing, Pro. Office, Pike Co., AL
- 21 Marr. Recs., 1864-67, p. 241, Pro. Off., Pike Co., AL
- 22 Headstone, Prairie Hill Cemetery (See #19)
- 23 Pension Appl. of M.A. Hinson, Texas State Archives, Austin, TX
- 24 Mil. Ser. Rec. (Civil War) of M.A. Hinson, U.S. Archives, Wash., D.C. 20408
- 25 Ibid.
- 26 Deed Book 16, p. 255, Pro. Off., Pike Co., Troy, AL
- 27 History, Beulah Prim. Bapt. Church, copy in poss. of writer
- 28 Deeds, Pro. Off., Pike Co., Troy, AL
- 29 Deeds, Co. Clerk's Off., Groesbeck, Limestone Co., TX
- 30 1850 Pike Co. AL Fed. Census: William Hinson
- 31 Notable Men of Alabama, Vol. I, p. 307, Hon. Joel C. DuBose, Editor (DAR Library, Wash., D.C.)
- 32 1880 Pike Co. AL Fed. Census: John O. Brown
- 33 1850 Pike Co. AL Fed. Census: William Hinson
- 34 Unless otherwise indicated, all information on the J.W. Harris family is taken from Notable Men of Alabama, pp 306-308 (See #31 above)
- 35 Marr. Recs. 1867-72, p. 394, Pro. Off., Pike Co., AL

## CHAPTER V

### CHILDREN OF MASTIN ASBURY & LUCINDA (RUSHING) HINSON

#### WILLIAM MASTIN HINSON (1866-1962)

William Mastin Hinson, born 14 October 1866 in Troy, Pike County, Alabama, was the first child of Mastin Asbury and Lucinda (Rushing) Hinson. He married Mary J. "Mollie" Evans probably about 1893. He died in March, 1962, and is buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Florala, Covington Co., Alabama. Mollie was born 30 August 1868 and died in December, 1951. She also is buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Florala.

William was the only one of Asbury's children to remain in Alabama.

The children of William and Mollie were as follows:

1. Ruby, born 25 October 1895 in Alabama, married J. M. Driggers.

She had one son, Gene, and in 1979 she was living in New Hope Manor Nursing Home in Brewton, Alabama.

2. Mary Emma, born 6 September 1898, married Thomas Cleve "T.C." Smith, January, 1921. T. C. was born 4 November 1884 and died April, 1950.

We visited with Emma in her home in Montgomery, AL in September, 1979, and she gave



Wm. Mastin Hinson  
1866-1962



Mary J. "Mollie" (Evans) Hinson  
1868-1951

us a large portrait of Asbury. She died then the 26th of November, 1979, and is buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Florala, Alabama.

Emma and T.C. had two children: (1) Frances Carolyn, born 8 November 1924, married T.W. (Tom) Jenkins, 19 March 1960. Tom was born 10 January 1925. In 1979 they were living at 3871 Thomas Avenue, Montgomery, AL. Tom is in Civil Service and Frances a Statistician with the Alabama State Department of Industrial Relations. They have one son, David Jenkins, born 29 January 1961. (2) Thomas Randall Smith, born 14 October 1926, married Gloria Edwards, June, 1950. Gloria was born 18 November 1926. In 1979 they lived at 800 Sugar Creek Trail, Conyers, Georgia. He is in the Heating and Air Conditioning business. They have the following children: Thomas Randall Smith Jr., born 20 April 1957, died 21 June 1968; Carolyn Elyse Smith, born 21 September 1958, married Mark Young, November, 1976; and Richard Edward Smith, born 19 June 1960.

3. Ernest Evans Hinson, born 17 October 1900, married Ruth Nixon. Date of death is unknown but he is buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Florala, AL. Their children were James R., Ernest E., Jr., died Feb. 1976; and Hugh M., living at 911 North 6th St., Florala, AL. 36442, in 1979.

4. Hugh Hinson, born 1903, died 1927, buried Greenwood Cemetery, Florala, AL.

5. Rebecca Hinson, b. 6 Sept. 1905, married Ray Howell, d. Dec., 1976. Had children: Doris Ann, Ray Howell, Jr., living at 821 Timberlain Dr., Jackson, MS in 1979, and R.G. (Bob) Howell, living at 2724 Teresa Dr., Jackson, MS. in 1979.

6. Max Hinson, born 9 December 1907, married Mary Katheryn Gary. In 1979 Max was living in Dothan, Alabama. They had children: Jan, born 10 June 1936, married Arnold Y.

Foss; and Karen, born 10 February 1941, married Fred Parker Jr.



Max Hinson and Emma (Hinson) Smith  
Children of William Mastin Hinson

The information on the William Mastin Hinson family was compiled by Mrs. Mary Emma (Hinson) Smith prior to her death in 1979. Photographs were also donated by Mrs. Smith.

...born in February 1941, married Fred Parker Jr.



Max Hanson and Sara (Hanson) Smith  
Children of William Martin Hanson  
Dr. J. J. Hanson was born in 1891 in ...  
... in 1901 in ...  
... in 1911 in ...  
... in 1921 in ...  
... in 1931 in ...  
... in 1941 in ...  
The information on the William Martin Hanson family was com-  
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1979. Photographs were also donated by Mrs. Smith.

\*THOMAS MARTIN HINSON  
(1868-1954)

Thomas Martin Hinson, the second son of Asbury and Lucinda, was born in Troy, Pike County, Alabama, 10 February 1868.<sup>1</sup> He married Martha Annie Gibson, daughter of Calvin Riley and Hannah Evelyn (Blackman) Gibson, in Pike County, 24 December 1895,<sup>2</sup> when she was 16 years old. Annie was born 20 October 1879 in Pike County, Alabama and died 7 March 1937, of a stroke, in her home at Mart (rural route in Limestone County) Texas.<sup>3</sup> Tom died 5 May 1954 of "Mesenteric Thrombosis due to Bilateral Pneumonia, due to Arteriosclerotic heart disease."<sup>4</sup> They are both buried at Prairie Hill Cemetery, Prairie Hill, Limestone County, Texas.

Apparently the Hinsons and the Gibsons were neighbors in Pike County, and according to family legend, Tom and Annie were engaged when she was eleven years old. When the writer was in Alabama in 1979, Mr. Louie Blackman, a descendant of Annie's Grandfather Blackman, took us to the "old Gibson place." It was occupied by a Mrs. Starling, 90 years old, who said she had lived there for 75 years. The original two rooms of the house are 135 years old, and Mrs. Starling said that she knew the Gibsons had lived there at one time and "the Hinsons lived down the road, but their house is gone." This house is located on Highway 10, southeast of Troy.

<sup>1</sup>Death Certificate, Dept. of Health, Austin, Texas

<sup>2</sup>Marriage Record, Office of Probate Judge, Troy, Pike County, Alabama

<sup>3</sup>Death Certificate, (#1 above)

<sup>4</sup>Ibid.

\*Direct line of writer



The "Old Gibson House"



The Tom Hinson Family - About 1910  
 Back Row: Rufus, Lillian & Sam. Middle Row: Tom,  
 Annie & the hired man. Bottom: Albert, John, Joe Tom  
 and Calvin

It is said that as a young man, Tom and his sisters formed a quartet and traveled around the county singing gospel songs.

Tom farmed in Alabama. Lillian, Rufus, Sam, and Joe Tom were all born in Pike County. In late 1904, Tom and Annie packed up their belongings and five kids and followed Asbury and Lucinda to Texas, arriving in Wood County just before Christmas. They made the trip by train and it must have been a most uncomfortable trip for Annie, as Albert Franklin was born at Winnsboro, Wood County, Texas, 1 March 1905. My Dad recalled that they were very



The Love Springs House, Tehuacana  
(Used by permission of Virgil & Mary Moody)

poor and the only thing the kids got for Christmas that year was a little candy and fruit.

Around 1906, the Tom Hinson family moved from Wood County to Tehuacana, Limestone County. They moved into the "Love Springs" house with Asbury & Lucinda and all the rest of the Hinsons. As related by Aunt Lillian, there was Grandpa (Asbury) and Grandma (Lucinda) Hinson,

Richard and his family, John and his family, Polly and her two kids, plus Tom and Annie and their six kids. Said Lillian, "I don't know how long we all lived there together, but you never saw so many kids and so much cooking going on."

Asbury bought a small farm near Tehuacana. The deal was evidently never completed, as the deed was not recorded at the courthouse in Groesbeck, county seat of Limestone County; but, nevertheless, the Tom Hinsons lived on this farm after leaving the Love Springs place. Lillian described the house as having two big rooms with a fireplace between them, and Asbury built a kitchen on the back side. There was a front porch and a little "shed" room on the end of the porch.

John Shelby was born at Tehuacana in 1907 and soon after that the family moved to the Prairie Hill community and lived on the "Thomason place." A stillborn baby was born there in 1909 and the twins, Paul and Pauline, in 1910. Pauline met a tragic death when as just a toddler she drank fly poisoning.

Tom and Annie then moved to the "Smyth Ranch," Rural Route 4, Mart, Texas, but still in Limestone County, where Tom rented the same farm for as long as he was able to farm. Nonie and Juanita were born there in 1912 and 1914 respectively.

Behind the big house on the Smyth Ranch farm there was a one room house, known by the family as "The Shack," in which all the boys slept. Every Sunday morning before Annie cooked breakfast, she went out to The Shack and counted noses to see how many biscuits to cook. She was a good cook and loved to cook for the whole family every Sunday, as long as she had her big wood cook stove. After she had her first stroke and Tom got her a fancy new kerosene range, she never cared for cooking.

My mother, Blanche, was a beautiful seamstress and she sewed for Nonie and Juanita. When Annie bought fabric for

them, she always bought a little extra for me. I'm told that Nonie and Juanita got awfully tired of having a little carbon copy of themselves running around.

Juanita played dolls with me until she was 16 years old. She would come get me on old "Lou," a mule, and we would build a play house and play dolls all day. One time, when she came for me on Lou and we were on our way back to Granny and Papa Hinson's, "Old Lou" stumbled and Juanita went over her head, breaking her arm. The boys saw us and came for us in the T-Model Ford, then went for the Doctor. About all I remember is sitting in the corner of the hallway and throwing up.

I remember Tom as being a rather large man, probably close to six feet and weighing about 200 pounds. All of my life he had pure white hair and a white mustache. He wore his hair a little long in the back and it turned up slightly from the big Stetson he always wore. Annie was small - about five feet tall - and a little "dumpy." When she was



Tom & Annie Hinson & grandchildren,  
Shirley Gene Brice & Kenneth Morris  
(About 1936)

young, her hair was red, but I only remember it being white, and she always wore it pulled straight back in a knot. She loved to have someone brush her hair, and I used to stand and brush it while she played her favorite card game - solitaire.

Tom was the original male chauvinist who believed in keeping his wife barefoot and pregnant, while he was free to do his own thing.

(For descendants of Tom & Annie (Gibson) Hinson, See Chapter VI)



Back Row, left to right: Thomas Martin Hinson, Lillian (Hinson) Anderson, Rufus Roy, Sam Dewey, Joe Tom & Calvin Riley Hinson.  
Front Row: Mildred Juanita (Hinson) Brice, Nonie Evelyn (Hinson) Morris, Paul and John Shelby Hinson

JOHN ELBERT HINSON  
(1871-1952)

John Elbert Hinson was the third son of Asbury and Lucinda, born 4 November 1871 at Troy, Pike County, Alabama. He married Bobbie Mae Parker 22 September 1898 at Troy and died 25 October 1952 from injuries sustained when struck by a pickup truck while crossing Highway 116 in Carlisle, Texas. He died four hours later in the West Texas Hospital, Lubbock, Texas. He was buried on 28 October 1952 in Resthaven Cemetery, Lubbock, Texas, after services in the First Baptist Church at Smyer, Texas. Before his death, John was actively engaged in farming near Smyer, Texas.



John Elbert Hinson

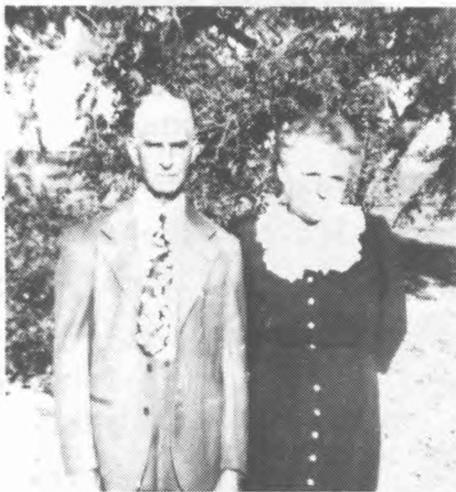
John and Bobbie Mae had fifteen children, the first four of which were born in Troy, Pike County, Alabama. They moved to Texas about the same time that Tom and his family did and they lived in the big Love Springs house in Tehuacana with the rest of the family. Their first child born in Texas was Lorraine Elbert, born 29 September 1906 in Watt, Limestone County, who died 15 December 1924 from injuries sustained when an automobile spooked the horse he was riding. He is buried in Lubbock Cemetery, Lubbock, Texas.



Bobbie Mae Parker

John is described as being approximately six feet tall, slender with blue eyes and predominantly heavy eyebrows, black hair as a youth but fully grey and worn in a middle part with forehead curls later in life. Both thumbs were enlarged with rheumatism, but this is also a family trait. He liked his dram on occasion

and usually one of his children would provide him with his favorite of 4 ROSES at Christmas time, which would last him the full year. He was quite conservative in nature and of the old school that ladies did nothing but stay at home -- a true male chauvinist! He was an extrovert in nature, enjoyed people and preferred maroon Fords. He had a passion for Greyhound dogs and going rabbit hunting with them. John enjoyed excellent health, although his sight and hearing deteriorated rapidly before his death.



John & Bobbie (Parker) Hinson,  
50th Wedding Anniversary, 1948

Bobbie Mae Parker was born 9 September 1882 at Troy, Pike County, Alabama, and died 20 Jan. 1975 from a stroke, diabetes, and a congestive heart condition, in West Texas Hospital, Lubbock, Texas. She is buried in Resthaven Cemetery, Lubbock.

Bobbie Mae was 5 ft. 4 in. in height, with average weight of 130 pounds. She was quite neat and trim except in later years when she acquired quite a girth from sixteen births. She had a cheerful personality and was a joy to be around. She was a brunette with dark brown eyes, which most of her daughters inherited.

John and Bobbie had the following children:

1. Hinson, Parker, b. 11 Aug. 1899, Troy, Pike Co., AL; d. 15 July 1933 of gum blood poisoning; buried Inglewood Park Cemetery, Inglewood, CA. Married 1st Elise Dubarry, June 1919; divorced 1925.
  - a. Hinson, Barbara m. Walter Meeker. Last address, Phoenix, AZ.

- b. Hinson, Marjorie m. R. L. Braden, Elk Grove, CA.  
Parker married 2nd Florence \_\_\_\_\_, 1926.
2. Hinson, John Wylie, b. 10 April 1901, Troy, Pike Co., AL; d. 9 July 1905 from a bruise on knee, probable embolism. Buried Hopewell Cemetery, Wood Co., TX.
3. Hinson, Etta Mae, b. 12 Nov. 1902, Troy, Pike Co., AL; m. John William Bevill, 31 Mar. 1921. Mysteriously disappeared 1932.
- a. Bevill, John Maxton, b. 7 June 1922, Lubbock, Lubbock Co., TX; m. 1st Rhoda Weston Barton, Apr., 1944. Divorced  
 (1) Bevill, Daniel E., b. 12 Jan. 1945.  
 (2) Bevill, Janet, b. 22 Oct. 1947, m. 1st John Stafford. 30 June 1963, divorced 1974.  
 (a) Stafford, John, b. 7 Sept. 1966.  
 (b) Stafford, Joey, b. 26 Dec. 1967.
- John Maxton Bevill m. 2nd Bonnie Brazel Bobbitt, 1953.  
 (3) Bevill, Donna Lynn, b. 12 Nov. 1954, m. William Fonda, 1972. Divorced, 1980; m. Mark Kenworthy, 25 Oct. 1980.  
 (a) Fonda, Steven Craig, b. 15 Feb. 1976.
- b. Bevill, Marvin William, b. 8 Apr. 1924, Los Angeles, CA; m. Ruth Frazier, 4 Mar. 1948  
 (1) Bevill, Linda Ann, b. 4 June 1949; m. John Wm. Elliot, 8 Apr. 1969. Divorced 1980; m. Tony Fragassi, 1981.  
 (a) Elliott, Rick, b. 10 Apr. 1969.  
 (b) Elliott, Kerry, b. 5 Apr. 1973  
 (2) Bevill, Tom William, b. 3 Feb. 1953, m. Virginia Senteno, 6 July 1974. Divorced.  
 (3) Bevill, Nancy Mae, b. 29 Dec. 1962.
- c. Bevill, Parker Hinson, b. 25 Nov. 1925, Los Angeles, CA; m. Bobette Barnes, 14 Nov. 1947.  
 (1) Bevill, Susan Lee, b. 14 Jan. 1949; m. Rickie Wesley Unipan.  
 (a) Unipan, Scott Wesley, b. 13 Aug. 1969.  
 (b) Unipan, Kent Parker, b. 19 June 1976.  
 (2) Bevill, Julie Ann, b. 7 May 1961.
- d. Bevill, Shirley Ann, b. 21 Feb. 1930, Los Angeles; m. 1st Bill Laveaux, 1 Nov. 1947. Divorced 1949.  
 (1) Laveaux, Pamela Kay, b. 21 May 1948; m. Gary Dillard, June 1970. Divorced.

- (a) Dillard, Stacie D., b. 15 July 1972
  - (b) Dillard, Shannan, b. 7 Nov. 1975
  - (2) Laveaux, Paula Karen, b. 25 Apr. 1950  
Shirley Ann Bevill m. 2nd Jack Byers, Mar. 1950
  - (3) Byers, Cathy Mae, b. 28 Oct. 1952, m.  
Francis James Hummel, 17 Mar. 1972.
  - (a) Hummel, Michael James, b. 20 Oct. 1972.  
Shirley Ann Bevill, m. 3rd Bill Burris, July 1955.
  - (4) Burris, Sheryl Ann, b. 14 Mar. 1956; m.  
Michael Wasson 23 Sept. 1978; annulled, 1979.
  - (5) Lori Sue, b. 18 Feb. 1961.  
Shirley Ann Bevill, m. 4th George Call, 28 Dec. 1967.  
(Pam, Paula & Cathy were legally adopted by Bill Burris  
and names changed to Burris.)
4. Hinson, Thelma Elizabeth, b. 4 May 1904, Troy, Pike Co.,  
AL; m. Lester James Sims, 23 Dec. 1923, Lubbock, Lubbock  
Co., TX. Sims, b. 22 Mar. 1871, Tom Bean, Grayson Co.,  
TX., d. 16 May 1970, buried Resthaven Cemetery, Lubbock.
- a. Sims, Lester James, Jr., b. 21 Oct. 1924, Lubbock, TX.  
Received BA from Texas Tech, 1952. Employed, Sims  
Pump Service, Smyer, TX.
  - b. Sims, Holly Dotson, b. 17 Aug. 1926, farm, Lynn, TX;  
m. Bettie Sue Allred, 12 Feb. 1960. Adopted Bettie's  
children by Charles Stotts.
    - (1) Sims, Vickie Lynn, b. 15 Oct. 1954, m. Glen Harold  
Rasberry, 7 June 1974.
    - (2) Sims, Douglas, b. 24 Mar. 1956
    - (3) Sims, Coleen Sue, b. 11 June 1958, m. Bill Williams,  
10 June 1977.
    - (4) Sims, Mark Kevin, b. 3 Oct. 1962.
    - (5) Sims, Carnelia Elizabeth, b. 25 June 1965.
  - c. Sims, Lorraine Hinson, b. 22 March 1928, Post, Garza  
Co., TX; m. Florence Evelina Tollet, 27 March 1953.  
Received BA from Texas Tech, 1954. Realtor in Houston.
    - (1) Sims, Thelma Rebecca, b. 6 Jan. 1954.
    - (2) Sims, Shelly Lou, b. 25 Jan. 1959.
    - (3) Sims, Kelly Sue, b. 25 Jan. 1959.
  - d. Sims, Billy Jack, b. 20 Jan. 1930, Wolfforth, Lubbock  
Co., TX; m. Ruby Ernestine Whiteside, 22 Nov. 1952.  
With Bell Telephone Co., Lubbock.
    - (1) Sims, Patricia Ann, b. 12 Aug. 1953.
    - (2) Sims, Jacqueline Marie, b. 8 Feb. 1958, m. David  
Cannady, 3 Feb. 1977
    - (3) Sims, Leigh Michelle, b. 20 Oct. 1967.
  - e. Sims, Johnny Fernander, b. 10 Apr. 1931, Wolfforth,  
Lubbock Co., TX; d. 17 May 1931 of heart defect,  
buried Wolfforth Cemetery.

- f. Sims, Teddy Gwendolyn, b. 10 Nov. 1932, Ropesville, Hockley Co., TX; m. Joseph Martin Dow, 16 July 1955. Divorced
- g. Sims, Mary Elizabeth, b. 3 Dec. 1939, Smyer, Hockley Co., TX. Received BS from Texas Tech, 1964; 3rd grade teacher in Smyer Independent School District
- h. Sims, Jane Katherine, b. 6 Aug. 1942, Lubbock, m. Oliver Lee Bradberry, 11 Aug. 1962. Beautician. Secretarial course, South Plains Jr. College, May, 1977. Divorced June, 1976.
- (1) Bradberry, Christopher Lee, b. 12 July 1963.
  - (2) Bradberry, James Andrew, b. 5 July 1964.
  - (3) Bradberry, Robert Eugene, b. 22 May 1967.
  - (4) Bradberry, Brian David, b. 20 March 1969.
5. Hinson, Lorraine Elbert, b. 29 Sept. 1906, Watt, Limestone Co., TX, died 15 Dec. 1924 from injuries sustained when an auto spooked the horse he was riding. Buried Lubbock Cemetery, Lubbock, TX.
6. Hinson, Hamill Dee, b. 29 Dec. 1908, Prairie Hill, Limestone Co., TX, m. Eva Juanita Bush, 12 Aug. 1933. Juanita, deceased, buried Hollywood, CA.
- a. Hinson, Darrell Dee, b. 27 Jan. 1951, Santa Monica, LA Co., CA; m. Denise Diane Thompson, 12 Jan. 1969.
- (1) Hinson, Donald Dee, b. 6 May 1969, Westwood, CA.
  - (2) Hinson, Diane Denise, b. 14 Sept. 1971, Van Nuys, CA.
7. Hinson, Emma Ruth, b. 14 March 1911, Prairie Hill, Limestone Co., TX; m. James Tolly Mashburn, 17 Apr. 1927. Divorced, 1930, Los Angeles, CA.
- a. Mashburn, Paula Jean, b. 17 June 1928, Childress Co., Childress, TX; m. Jack Torval Hagblom, 1 Nov. 1952; died 21 June 1968.
- (1) Hagblom, Jack Torval, Jr., b. 6 Feb. 1954, Los Angeles
  - (2) Hagblom, David Thomas, b. 1 June 1955, Van Nuys, CA; m. Helen Rooney, 1981.
    - (a) Hagblom, Cary David, b. 8 July 1982.
  - (3) Hagblom, Cynthia Jean, b. 18 May 1959, Van Nuys, m. James DeLong, 2 March 1978, Van Nuys. Divorced, Jan., 1982.
    - (a) Christian Jean, b. 2 Jan. 1979.
  - (4) Hagblom, Janet Marie, b. 15 Apr. 1963, Van Nuys; m. Jeffrey Frank Haines, 1982.
    - (a) Haines, Jeffrey Frank, Jr., b. 1982, New Castle, CA.

- Emma Ruth Hinson, m. 2nd Theodore Roosevelt Price, 18 Apr. 1936, divorced 1949. Deceased.
- b. Price, Denise Ellen, b. 27 Dec. 1938, Hollywood, CA., m. Charles Eldon Bateham 1959; Div. 1969.
- (1) Bateham, Julia Diane, b. 5 Mar. 1962, So. S. Gabriel, CA.
  - (2) Bateham, Jeffery Scott, b. 20 Nov. 1963, So. S. Gabriel, CA.
  - (3) Bateham, Heidi Joanne, b. 25 Nov. 1965, Corona, CA.
- Emma Ruth Hinson, m. 3rd Herman W. Darrah, 21 Mar. 1953, Yuma, AZ.
8. Hinson, Minnie Lou, b. 2 Oct. 1912, Prairie Hill, Limestone Co., TX; m. Clifton Bailey, 5 Jan. 1929.
- a. Bailey, Della Ruth, b. 13 July 1929, Wolfforth, Lubbock Co., TX; m. George Edward Mosher, 17 Feb. 1946.
- (1) Mosher, Joyce Geraldine, b. 25 Jan. 1947; m. John Rich.
    - (a) Rich, John Darrin
    - (b) Rich, Jeffery Patrick
 Joyce Geraldine Mosher m. 2nd Ronald Dooley, 1973.
    - (c) Dooley, Jennifer Lou, b. 31 Dec. 1974.
- Della Ruth Bailey m. 2nd Dale Freeman, 10 May 1947.
- (2) Freeman, Robert Patrick, b. 20 June 1949; m. Deborah Davenport. Divorced.
    - a. Freeman, Michelle.
    - (3) Freeman, Deborah Dale, b. 22 Oct. 1954.
- b. Bailey, Betty Jean, b. 6 Mar. 1933, Wolfforth, Lubbock Co., TX; m. Kenneth L. Wright, 15 Mar. 1958.
- (1) Wright, Michael Clifton, b. 3 July 1959.
  - (2) Wright, Cheryl Elaine, b. 10 Aug. 1960.
  - (3) Wright, Lisa Annette, b. 18 Sept. 1963.
- c. Bailey, Howard Clifton, b. 27 Nov. 1937, Bernallilo, N.M.; m. Joan Louise McNally, 24 Feb. 1961
- (1) Bailey, Howard Clifton, Jr., b. 17 Jan. 1962.
- d. Bailey, Barbara Anita, b. 18 Nov. 1939, Bernallilo, Bernallilo Co., N.M., m. Jack Eaves, 17 Nov. 1956. Divorced.
- (1) Eaves, Stephen Howard, b. 9 July 1958
  - (2) Eaves, Timothy Robert, b. 27 Nov. 1962
- Barbara Anita Bailey m. 2nd Scott Thomas. No children. Divorced; m. 3rd Ralph LaRangiera.
9. Hinson, Walter Edwin, b. 11 Oct. 1914, Prairie Hill, Limestone Co., TX; m. 1st Sybil Holloway, Nov. 1936. Divorced. No children. Married 2nd Doris Faye Dyer, divorced.

- a. Hinson, Barbara Sue, b. 26 Sept. 1942 (has been married twice and has children.)
  - b. Hinson, Edwin Dwayne (Butch), b. 16 Dec. 1943. Walter Edwin Hinson married 3rd Opal Tate
  - c. Hinson, Brenda Joyce, b. 13 Jan. 1957, Lubbock, TX; m. Bruce Tickelsimer, Lubbock. Reside in Austin, TX.
10. Hinson, Woodrow Wilson, b. 18 June 1916, Lubbock, Lubbock Co., TX; m. 1st Nannie Bob Lewis, 16 Apr. 1937, who died 12 Sept. 1977.
- a. Hinson, James Elbert, b. 9 Jan. 1947, Angeles Mesa, Los Angeles Co., CA; m. Gail Lea Whiteaker, 16 July 1971, Carmel, CA. They have two sons and reside in Harbor City, CA.
  - b. Hinson, Wayne Esten, b. 14 Sept. 1951, L.A., CA; m. Kathy \_\_\_\_\_ 1976.
11. Hinson, Whitman, b. 9 July 1918, Lubbock, TX. Married 1st Wanda Brazil, June 1938. Div. No children. Married 2nd Lorraine \_\_\_\_\_. Div. No children. Married 3rd Thelma Hollis Garland, 30 May 1947, Las Vegas, NV.
- a. Sharon Gale Hinson, b. 13 Aug. 1953, Van Nuys, CA. (Adopted)
12. Hinson, Theda Ellen, b. 18 May 1920, Lubbock, TX; m. Howard Loony (Smokey) Liner, 9 Apr. 1938.
- a. Liner, Gerald Dwain, b. 4 Dec. 1938, Lubbock, TX; m. Karion Lynn Heim, 14 June 1958. No children.
  - b. Liner, Mary Ruth, b. 22 May 1942, Lubbock, TX. m. 1st Tommy Darryl McNabb, 27 May, 1961. Divorced. No children. Married 2nd David Theron Furuli, divorced, 1972.
    - (1) Furuli, Deborah Lynn, b. 2 Jan. 1965.
    - (2) Furuli, Dawn DeAnn, b. 28 Apr. 1969.
 Mary Ruth Liner married 3rd "Dutch" Frankfelker, 1974.
  - c. Sheri Lynn Liner, b. 17 March 1953, Lubbock, TX; m. Jeffery John Pruitt, 7 Dec. 1974, no children;
  - d. 13 Dec. 1975 from neck injuries sustained in auto accident.
13. Hinson, Sheldon, b. 25 Nov. 1921, Lubbock, TX, d. 25 Nov. 1921.
14. Hinson, Bobbie Anita, b. 4 Apr. 1923, Lubbock, TX; m. Eldon Bishop Howard, June, 1941, Lubbock, TX. Divorced. Eldon deceased.

- a. Howard, Diana Gale, b. 24 May 1942, Long Beach, CA;
    - m. 1st William Hugh Kirby, 7 June 1960, div. no chil.
    - m. 2nd \_\_\_\_\_, div., no children.
    - m. 3rd Harry James (Shorty) Edwards, Lubbock, TX; no children.
  - b. Howard, Wesley Randolph, b. 3 Sept. 1952, Van Nuys, CA. Married and divorced. Has two children - one son, Brad.
15. Hinson, Billy Dwain, b. 7 Oct. 1925, Lubbock, TX; m. Juanita Joy Ansel, 19 July 1946, Glendale, L.A., CA.
- a. Hinson, Michael Dwain, b. 27 July 1947, L.A., CA.;
    - m. Leah Ann Sarber, 21 Oct. 1967. Divorced and married again. Resides in State of Washington.
    - (1) Lea Darlene, b. 16 Apr. 1968.
  - b. Hinson, Alan Stephen, b. 15 Dec. 1949, Van Nuys, CA;
    - m. Susan Jane Stalker, 11 Oct. 1968. Divorced.
    - Resides in Idaho
  - c. Hinson, Donald Jay, b. 5 Oct. 1961, Santa Barbara, CA. Senior year in college in 1983.

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JOSEPH RICHARD HINSON  
(1874-1913)

Joseph Richard Hinson, son of Mastin Asbury and Lucinda (Rushing) Hinson, was born 9 Jan. 1874, Troy, Pike Co., Alabama. He married Lula Spivey, daughter of William P. and Viny Ann Spivey, 29 Dec. 1892. Lula was born 23 Apr. 1875, Troy, Alabama. Richard died 4 July 1913, and is buried in Prairie Hill Cemetery, Prairie Hill, Limestone Co., Texas. In 1925, Lula married Ben G. Cornelius. She died 1 July 1957 and is buried at Prairie Hill. Ben Died in October, 1962.

Richard and Lula farmed near Troy where five of their nine children were born: Tommie Lou, Linnie Mae, Lonnie Deloach, Mildred Irene, and Zeddie Era.

In 1904, Richard and family left Montgomery, Alabama, by train and were ferried across the Mississippi River, heading west for Quitman, Wood County, Texas, where Richard farmed. One son, not named, was born 30 Aug. 1905 in Quitman, died 9 Oct. 1905.

In 1905, the family moved to Limestone County, living first at Tehuacana, then Watt and finally in Prairie Hill, where Richard owned and operated Hinson Telephone Company. Three girls were born in Prairie Hill: Ira Estelle, Margarette Rosella (Rose), and Bonnie Frank.

1. Tommie Lou Hinson was b. 20 Nov. 1893 and m. Joseph Emerson Timmons, 16 Nov. 1913. He was born 21 Nov. 1883 in Georgia and died 12 Sept. 1947, buried in Prairie Hill. Emerson owned and operated Timmons Drug Store in Prairie Hill and Tommie served as Prairie Hill Postmaster for 19 years. She married Sam J. Scott 24 Jan. 1953. He died 30 Nov. 1960 and Tommie died 16 Nov. 1981. They are buried in Prairie Hill.

Tommie and Emerson had four children; Cordelle, Miriam Merlda, Virginia, and Hinson Emerson.

a. Cordelle Timmons, was born 27 Dec. 1917, m. Alton Lloyd McDonald, 30 Nov. 1939. He was b. 19 Dec. 1915, in Dawson, Texas, d. 2 April 1977. Lloyd was Deputy Chief in U.S. Border Patrol. Cordelle is a retired school teacher in Los Fresnos, Texas. Their children are Sharon Kay and Gerry Wayne.

- (1) Sharon Kay McDonald was b. 17 Oct. 1942, Hillcrest Hosp., Waco, Texas, m. Don Carlos Gipson, 3 July 1965 in Los Fresnos. Don was born 5 March 1941 in Laurel, Miss. Kay and Don teach school in Irving Public Schools, Irving, Texas. Their children are:
  - (a) Mark Louis, b. 11 Feb. 1969, Sweeny, TX.
  - (b) Lynette Denise, b. 17 Dec. 1971, Sweeny.
- (2) Gerry Wayne McDonald, b. 12 July, 1944, Waco, TX. He is employed at Time Manufacturing Co., Waco.

b. Miriam Merlda, b. 7 March 1920, d. 29 July, 1924.

c. Virginia, b. 4 March 1925, m. Sidney James Liddecoat, 6 Oct. 1943. He was born 12 June 1920 in Red Ruth, Cornwall Co., England. Virginia was Personnel Manager at Sears in Waco for 17 years and Sidney is Junior Accountant to Texas Power and Light, Waco. They have one son and one Daughter, Rodney James and Cheryl Ann.

- (1) Rodney James Liddecoat, b. 18 April 1945, Waco, Texas, m. Brenda Dean Sullivan, 23 May 1970. She was born 30 March 1946,

- Waco, He is Director of Manufacturing, Red Path Manufacturing Co., Sherman, TX. She works at Grayson County State Bank, Sherman. They have one daughter, Melissa Deann, born 7 Jan. 1973, Waco. Sherri Lynn Liddecoat, born 24 Feb. 1964, is Rodney's daughter by a former marriage.
- (2) Cheryl Ann Liddecoat, b. 23 Jan. 1948, Oakland, California, married Joe Richard Reid, 14 Oct. 1980. He was born 26 Dec. 1952, Dallas, Texas. He is employed as salesman for Mutual of New York Insurance Co. Cheryl is Purchasing Manager for Atco In Waco. They have one son: James Cooper Reid, b. 30 Sept. 1981, Hillcrest Hosp., Waco. Cheryl has one son and one daughter by a former marriage: Michael Hugh Shelley, b. 15 July 1966, Waco, and Tonya Renee Shelley, b. 26 Nov. 1968, Waco.
- d. Hinson Emerson Timmons, b. 24 Aug. 1927, m. Juanita Beth Honeycutt, 21 March 1948. She was born 8 June 1927, Mart, Texas. Hinson is Superintendent of Installation and Maintenance, Lone Star Gas Co., Temple, Texas. She is a former Prairie Hill High School teacher. They have two sons, Fred Joseph and Ricky Wayne.
- (1) Fred Joseph Timmons, b. 24 Jan. 1951, Waco, m. Sharon Kenney 24 July 1976. She was b. 20 July 1950. He is a Certified Public Accountant in San Antonio and she owns and operates a beauty salon in San Antonio.

(2) Ricky Wayne Timmons, b. 10 July 1953, Waco, m. Coleen Dewald 3 June 1972 in Copperas Cove, TX. She was born 1 Jan. 1953. He is employed at Cove Glass Co., Copperas Cove, and Coleen is co-owner of "Sweet Nothing" Arts & Crafts Shop, Copperas Cove. They have two daughters and one son: Tiffany Joy, b. 29 Sept. 1976; Whitney Iris, b. 13 Jan. 1981; & Tyler Louis-Emerson Timmons, b. 27 Dec. 1982

2. Linnie Mae Hinson was b. 17 Sept. 1895, m. Luther W. Sheffield 22 Nov. 1914. He was born 10 Aug. 1891, died 20 Feb. 1969. Luther was District Manager of Three States Telephone Co. in Franklin, Texas, and was City Secretary, Manager and Water Superintendent in Franklin. Linnie was accountant for Hicks Chevrolet Co. in Franklin for 19 years. They have two sons, Wendell Warren and Donald Hinson Sheffield.

a. Wendell Warren Sheffield was born 12 July 1922, Teague, Texas, m. Leona Agnes Weir, 20 Oct. 1943, Denver, Colorado, where she was born 7 Feb. 1924. Wendell, an A&M University graduate, is an Executive of Otis Elevator Co., Dallas. They have four sons: Wendell Warren Jr. (Butch), Robert Edward (Bob), William Paul (Bill), and Barry Lee.

(1) Wendell Sheffield Jr., b. 20 Nov. 1944, Denver, CO., m. Barbara Ann Arnold 4 Apr. 1964. She was b. 23 Aug. 1945. He is Foreman of a Dallas Manufacturing Co. and

she is a Counselor for Travellers Insurance Co., Dallas. They have two sons: Christopher Brian, b. 2 Nov. 1968 and Wendell Warren III, b. 28 Dec. 1965.

- (2) Robert (Bob) Sheffield, b. 22 Dec. 1946, Bryan, TX., m. Beverly Dawn Vanek, 20 Dec. 1972, Dallas. She was b. 1 Sept. 1942, Chicago, IL. Bob is a printer for a Dallas printing firm and she is a city employee in Dept. of Health, Plano, TX.
- (3) William (Bill) Sheffield, b. 30 July 1953, Dallas, m. Donna Elaine Bigham, 27 Apr. 1973. She was b. 11 April 1955, Dallas. Bill is a Salesman for Frito-Lay Co., and she is demonstrator of products for Frito-Lay. They have two daughters: Wendy Dawn, b. 21 Aug. 1975, Dallas, and Melinda Kay Sheffield, b. 30 April 1979, Dallas.
- (4) Barry Lee Sheffield, b. 21 April 1958, Dallas, m. Debra Louise Gramm, 29 May 1977. She was born 5 Aug. 1960, Davenport, Iowa. Barry is in the U.S. Army, Legal Dept., and Debbie is employed at Dallas Times Herald. They have two children: Amy Lyne, b. 21 Dec. 1977 and Barry Lee Sheffield, Jr., b. 25 July 1981, Dallas.

b. Donald Hinson Sheffield, b. 24 Aug. 1929, Mexia, TX., m. Flora Hicks, M.D., 12 June 1954, Clarks-ville, GA. She was born 14 Sept. 1930, Clarks-ville, GA. She did private practice in Dallas. Donald, an A&M graduate in Petroleum Engineering, is an Executive of Mobil Oil Corp., Dallas, TX.

They have two daughters and one son: Lynne, Donald Hinson Sheffield II, and Julie.

- (1) Lynne Sheffield, b. 16 Mar. 1955, Dallas, m. Jimmy Don Herweck, 14 May 1977. He was born 25 Sept., 1956, Ardmore, OK. He is Associate Music Director of Carrollton First Baptist Church. Lynne is a teacher in Garland Public Schools. They have a son, Joshua Hinson Herweck, b. 23 May 1982, Dallas.
- (2) Donald Hinson Sheffield II, b. 14 Aug. 1956, Dallas, m. Rebecca (Becky) Buhk, 25 May, 1979, Dallas. She was born 22 Jan. 1956, Dallas. She is Secretary for State Farm Insurance, Dallas, and Don is a Computer Science Operator for a medical firm in Dallas. They have one son, Donald Matthew, b. 24 July 1981, Dallas.
- (3) Julie Sheffield, b. 20 Aug. 1958, m. Robert Bratcher, 11 July 1981. He was b. 30 Dec. 1958, El Paso, TX, and is salesman for Oil Well Supply Co., Odessa. Julie is a Home-making teacher in Odessa High School. They have two daughters: Amanda Dolores, b. 5 Aug. 1982, Odessa, and Amara Dawn, b. 14 March 1984, Odessa, Texas.
3. Lonnie Deloach Hinson, third child of Richard & Lula Hinson, b. 8 Nov. 1897, died 5 Sept. 1898.
4. Mildred Irene Hinson was born 27 July 1899, m. Eppie Trebor Lucus 9 Feb. 1932. He was born in Booneville, MO., 8 Aug. 1892 and died 2 Dec. 1972. Irene was employed 48 years at First National Bank of Mexia

and at time of retirement was Assistant Vice President. She died 6 Jan. 1982. E. T. was Manager of Majestic Hotel, Mexia, for 50 years. They are buried in Prairie Hill, Texas.

5. Zeddie Era Hinson was b. 11 Feb. 1902, m. Herbert N. Wayland, 9 Feb. 1919. He was born 28 Sept. 1893, Prairie Hill, and died 30 Aug. 1977. He was a Conductor for Missouri-Pacific Railroad, Mart, Texas. She is a housewife. They had two sons, Richard Jackson (Jack) and Milton Cletis (Tony).

a. Jack Wayland, b. 24 Oct. 1919, Prairie Hill, TX, m. Corene Fike, 5 Aug. 1939. She was b. 15 Mar. 1921, Mart, and died 10 Dec. 1971. Jack married Murrel Hopper Read, 26 May 1972. She was born 14 Jan. 1920, Denton, Texas. She taught school in Mart for 26 years, retiring in 1983. Jack is a retired Conductor for Missouri-Pacific Railroad, Mart. Jack & Corene had two daughters and one son: Darladene, Judy Elaine and David Jack.

(1) Darladene Wayland, b. 12 July 1940, Waco, Texas, m. Jimmy Dale Robinson, 1 Aug. 1959. He is employed at Waco Fire Dept. Darladene died 17 Sept. 1972. They had one daughter and one son:

(a) Dawn Elaine Robinson, b. 31 Jan. 1963, m. Terry Vogel 14 Aug. 1981. He was b. 13 Jan. 1958 and is employed at General Tire & Rubber Co., Waco. She works at Svec Family Drug, Mart.

(b) Michael David Robinson, b. 30 April, 1966, Austin, Texas.

(2) Judy Elaine Wayland, b. 30 May 1945, Waco, m. Grady Crain 13 May 1974. He was b. 30 May 1942 and is a Conductor on Missouri-Pacific Railroad. Judy was employed at Words Record in Waco several years and then worked for First National Bank, Mart. They have two sons: Brian, b. 27 Dec. 1977 in Waco and Kevin Crain, b. 16 Nov. 1976, Waco.

(3) David Jack Wayland, b. 20 June 1950, Waco, m. Judy Lynn Smith, 7 Aug. 1971 in Mart, Texas. She was b. 23 Feb. 1950 in Mart. She is an R.N. and teaches Nursing in Henderson County Junior College. David Jack is a Conductor, Missouri Pacific Railroad.

b. Milton (Tony) Wayland, b. 17 Oct. 1922, Prairie Hill, TX, m. Onita Caddell 26 Oct. 1946 in Mart. She was born 13 Feb. 1928, Groesbeck, TX. Tony is an Engineer for Missouri-Pacific Railroad. Onita worked at the Mart Bakery before she married. They have two daughters:

(1) Brenda Wayland, b. 19 Dec. 1947, Waco, m. E. K. Folley, Jr. (Bud), 1 Sept. 1967. He was born 6 Feb. 1946. He is President of Texana National Bank, College Station, TX. Brenda is a school teacher. They have one daughter, Kristen Cecile, b. 4 Jan. 1976, Waco, TX.

- (2) Toni Lee Wayland, b. 19 Oct. 1950, Mart, TX, m. Rex Bowersox, 3 Feb. 1981. He was b. 25 Jan. 1951, Houston. He is Promotional Manager in an Austin Printing Co. Toni Lee is secretary at Texas Animal and Health Dept., Austin.
6. Infant Hinson, not named, b. 30 Aug. 1905, Quitman, TX, died 9 Oct. 1905.
7. Ira Estelle Hinson, b. 24 Dec. 1906, m. Jesse Houston Murphy, 8 July 1928. He was b. 20 July 1905, Prairie Hill. Ira owned and operated Murphy Grocery Co. in Prairie Hill for years. Ira worked at Sears Credit Office in Waco and Jesse worked for 36 years at General Tire & Rubber Co. in Waco. They have two daughters:
- a. Luanne Murphy, b. 23 May 1929, Prairie Hill, TX, m. William Ross Thomason, 21 Mar. 1948. He was b. 26 Nov. 1924, Prairie Hill. Luanne and Ross own and operate the Ross Thomason Realtors and Appraisers, Waco, TX. They have one son, Steven Ross. b. 23 Feb. 1968.
- b. Janelle Murphy, b. 23 Oct. 1930, Prairie Hill, m. George W. Whiddon, Jr., 9 Oct. 1949. He was b. 15 Feb. 1923, Prairie Hill. He is a rancher and works at General Tire and Rubber Co., Waco. Janelle teaches at Viking Hills Elementary School, Waco. They have one son and one daughter.
- (1) Michael Murphy Whiddon, b. 3 Dec. 1950, Waco. He is Technical Representative for Xerox Corp., Dallas.

- (2) Lynn Christine Whiddon, b. 18 June 1953, is Office Designer for Continental Insurance Co., Dallas.
8. Margarett Rosella (Rose) Hinson, b. 18 Feb. 1909, m. Hugh Wallace 12 Oct. 1934. He was b. 26 May, 1902, Penelope, TX. Hugh farmed and was Postmaster at Prairie Hill from Sept. 14, 1962 until his death, Sept. 13, 1969. Rose taught school 7 years in Limestone County - Kirk, Prairie Hill, and Delia - and worked 18 years at Mexia State School. At time of her retirement she was Director of Social Service. They have two children, Patricia Ann (Pat) and Richard Edward (Dick).
- a. Patricia Wallace, b. 10 Aug. 1935, Hillcrest Hospital, Waco, m. William Thomas Adams, 14 Feb. 1953. He was born 9 Sept. 1932, Kosse, TX. Tom is Senior Vice President of Reading and Bates Offshore Drilling Co., Houston. Patricia worked for Weed Eater Corp., Houston. They have 3 sons: Charles Wayne, David Lynn, and Stanley Neale.
- (1) Charles Wayne Adams, b. 23 Feb. 1954, Salem, IL., m. Ginger Lou George, 10 Oct. 1981 in Lafayette, LA. She is a Mechanical Engineer and is employed at Sperry & Sun Corp., Houston. Charles works at Mr. Builds Creative Home Renovation, Houston. Charles has one daughter, Stephanie, b. 5 Sept. 1972, Conroe, Texas, by a former marriage.

(2) David Lynn Adams, b. 8 March 1955, Carmi, IL., m. Krisna Gilbert, 4 Dec. 1982, San Diego, CA. He is an Electrical Engineer and is employed at Texas Instruments, Dallas. Krisna worked at Burroughs Business Machines Corp.

(3) Stanley Neale Adams, b. 26 May 1960, Calgary, Alberta, Canada, m. Pamela Lorraine Jacoby, 7 Aug. 1982. She was b. 22 Aug. 1961, Bellingham, WA. Stan is in U.S. Navy, Submarines, and is stationed in Charleston, S.C. They have a son, Thomas Richard, b. 22 Dec. 1982.

b. Richard Edward Wallace, b. 18 Feb. 1938, Hillcrest Hosp., Waco, m. Barbara Jean Southworth, 17 April 1965, Houston. She was b. 25 Jan. 1940, Houston, and is a former employee of Exxon Corp. in Houston. Richard, a Certified Public Accountant, is a partner in Mohle, Adams, Guidry, Till, Wallace Accounting Firm, Houston. They have one daughter and one son:

(1) Julie Elaine, b. 11 Sept., 1967, Houston.

(2) Michael Edward, b. 26 Aug. 1970, Houston.

9. Bonnie Frank Hinson, b. 19 July 1911, Prairie Hill, m. Lee Pickens Harrington, 15 Sept. 1935. He was b. 15 Feb. 1897 and died 27 Dec. 1962. Bonnie died 23 Sept. 1974. They are buried in Oakwood Cemetery, Waco, Texas. Lee was Fire Chief of Waco Fire Dept. for 35 years. Bonnie was a graduate of Baptist Sanitarium Nursing School, Waco, and she nursed for many years after it became Hillcrest

Baptist Memorial Hospital. They have one son and two daughters: Lee Pickens Harrington, Jr., Glenda Dell and Bonnie Rose.

a. Lee Pickens Harrington, Jr., b. 16 Oct. 1936, Waco, m. Elaine Cezeaux, 15 June 1957, Wharton, TX. She was b. 10 July, 1937, Houston. Lee is Dean of Students, Midway High School and Elaine teaches English and Latin in Midway High School. They have one daughter and one son: Leah Elaine, b. 4 Oct. 1959, Waco, m. Michael Joseph Franco, 22 Jan. 1983. Michael was b. 16 Sept. 1961 and is a lineman for T.P.&L. Co. Leah is loan officer for Southern Escrow, Waco.

Ty Lee Harrington was b. 16 July, 1964, Waco.

b. Glenda Dell Harrington, b. 19 Feb. 1938, Waco, m. Grant Martin, 12 July 1958. He was born 17 May 1938. He is an Executive of Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing Co. Glenda is a former school teacher. They had three children.

(1) Ginger Melindia Martin, b. 17 April 1959, Waco, m. Kim Edward Elverud, 28 Nov. 1981, Minneapolis, MN. He was b. 21 Feb. 1952. Edward works for a Banking Co., Minneapolis, and Ginger is an Executive in Research of Products for Pillsbury Flour Co., Minneapolis.

(2) Garen Grant Martin, b. 14 April, 1961.

(3) Gavin Christopher, b. 12 Oct. 1964, died 15 May, 1977.

c. Bonnie Rose Harrington, b. 16 June 1943, Waco, m. Earl Wilson Ferguson, M.D., 25 May 1965, Waco. He was b. 25 Aug. 1943. He teaches

Cardiology in Bethesda Maryland Medical School, and Bonnie Rose is a former school teacher. They have three children:

- (1) Steven Mark Ferguson, b. 11 Aug. 1968.
- (2) Matthew Earl Ferguson, b. 6 March 1974.
- (3) Erin Lee Ferguson, b. 20 July 1975.

(Information on the Joseph Richard Hinson family compiled by Rose (Hinson) Wallace, 2124 Lenamon Drive, Waco, Texas 76710)

1. Henry Crenshaw, born 18 November 1885 in Alabama, died 19 April 1971, Waco, Texas.
2. Della Dole, born 4 September 1904, in Texas, married Robert Hightower.
3. Essie Gray, born 24 September 1904 in Texas, married a Johnson.
4. Andice Alvin, born 14 October 1907 in Texas.
5. Lillie Dale, born 7 October 1913 in Texas, married a Thompson.
6. Jossie Kate, born 11 July 1914 in Texas, married a Chilcoat.
7. Selma Ruth, born 23 February 1915 in Texas, married a Deaton.
8. Woodrow Wilson, born 7 January 1915 in Texas.

The above information on the Levin Spivey family compiled by Gwen Dow, 411 Laura Lane, Wichita Falls, Texas 76701



CARRIE LEE OLA HINSON  
(1876-1963)

Carrie Lee Ola was the fifth child and first daughter of Asbury and Lucinda. She was born 31 March 1876, Troy, Pike County, Alabama; married Ervin Spivey, in Pike County, 29 December 1892; died 24 September 1963, in Gladewater, Texas. Ervin was born 29 July 1871 in Alabama and died 11 June 1959 at Kilgore, Texas.

Carrie and Ervin Spivey had the following children:

1. William Asbury, born 26 October 1893 in Alabama; died 19 May 1972 in Gladewater, Texas.
2. Arra Bell, born 24 December 1895 in Alabama; married a Frazier; died 29 May 1965 in Dallas, TX.
3. Henry Everette, born 26 December 1898 in Alabama, died 19 April 1973, Hawkins, Texas.
4. Bessie Olgia, born 4 December 1900, in Texas; married Robert Montgomery.
5. Essie Inez, born 29 September 1904 in Texas, married a Johnson.
6. Andice Alvie, born 18 October 1907 in Texas.
7. Lillie Dale, born 2 October 1910 in Texas, married a Thompson.
8. Jessie Kate, born 13 July 1912 in Texas, married a Chilcoat.
9. Delma Ruth, born 25 February 1915 in Texas, married a Denton.
10. Woodrow Wilson, born 2 January 1919 in Texas

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FANNIE LOU HINSON  
(1880-1960)

Fannie Lou, the sixth child of Asbury and Lucinda, was born 17 October 1880 at Troy, Pike County, Alabama. Her first child was Buell Hinson, born 28 July 1901. In December, 1905, Fannie married Robert Laird at Tehuacana, Texas. Fannie died 24 December 1960, at Mt. Pleasant, Texas, and Robert Laird died April, 1973. He was born 23 February 1886.

The children born to Fannie Lou and Robert Laird were:

1. Metta, born 18 October 1906, Winnsboro, Texas; married Eugene Bunch; died 19 March 1973.
2. Maudine, born 25 February 1908, Prairie Hill, Texas; married Jesse Lawrence. In 1979 Maudine was living in New Orleans, Louisiana.
3. Fay Bernice, born 22 May 1909, Prairie Hill, Texas; married Floyd Hebert. In 1979 Fay Bernice was living in Dallas, Texas.
4. Laird child, first name unknown, born 1910, died 1911.
5. Cora Lee, born 4 September 1912 at Winnsboro, Texas; married Luther Thompson. Cora Lee lives in Dallas, Texas.

Information compiled by Gwen Dow.

POLLIE HINSON  
(1884-1964)

Pollie, the seventh child of Asbury and Lucinda, was born 16 February 1884 in Troy, Pike County, Alabama; died 4 April 1964 and is buried at Prairie Hill, Texas. She married first Robert Day, and they had the following children:

1. Lou Ollie, born 8 August 1902, married a Phillips.
2. Nellie Jane, born 24 November 1904.
3. Maurice, born 1 February 1907.

Pollie married second Daniel E. Black at Tehuacana, Texas. Dan was born 27 Nov. 1893 and died 4 December 1966. He is buried at Prairie Hill, Texas. The following children were born to this union:

1. Maudil Lee, born 21 March 1914.
2. Granderson, born 2 May 1916.
3. Elmer Ellis, born 1 June 1918
4. Fred
5. J. R., born 25 December 1925.

Above information compiled by Gwen Dow with added information on first marriage by Mrs. Lillian (Hinson) Anderson, 1712, Gloria St., Bay City, Texas 77414

JESSE CLEVELAND HINSON

(1892- )

Jesse Cleveland was the eighth and last child born to Asbury and Lucinda. He was born 13 November 1892 in Troy, Pike County, Alabama, and in 1982 was still living in Conroe, Texas. He married first Margaret Agnes Chappell. Their children were:

1. Johnnie Lou, born 30 November 1915, Coolidge, Texas, married Kenna Longmire, 31 January 1933, Conroe, Texas. They reside in Natchez, Mississippi.

2. Jesse Cleveland, Jr., born 16 January 1917, Tehuacana, Texas, married Jeanette Schephers, died 9 Oct. 1949 at Natchez, Mississippi, buried in Natchez.

Jesse married second Mary Ellen Baird at Mart, Texas. Mary Ellen was born 30 June 1902. They had one son, Charles Ross, born 6 November 1936, died 27 September 1945, and is buried at Conroe, Texas.

CHAPTER VI  
CHILDREN OF THOMAS MARTIN & MARTHA ANNIE (GIBSON) HINSON

LILLIAN HINSON  
(1896- )

Lillian, born 25 Oct. 1896 in Pike County, Alabama, was the first child of Tom and Annie (Gibson) Hinson. She was about 10 years old when the family moved to Texas and remembers the train ride from Alabama.



Lillian (Hinson) Anderson

She married Preston Calloway Anderson at Kirk, Limestone County, Texas, 2 May 1917. Calloway was an auto mechanic and they moved around a great deal during their married life.

Calloway, born 12 April 1893, was the son of Dr. George S. Anderson, a Dentist, and his wife, Delia Polk. He died in Bay City, Texas on 5 April 1975 and is buried in Austin Memorial Park, Austin, Travis County, Texas. At this writing, Lillian is very much alive in

Bay City and playing "42" or "84" two or three times a week.

Lillian and Calloway had two sons, Rufus Calloway (R.C.) and Odis Olan.

R. C., the first son, was born 29 Sept. 1918 in Mart, McLennan County, Texas. Shortly after Pearl Harbor, Dec. 7, 1941, R.C. joined the Air Force. He became a Pilot and was killed 30 Dec. 1944, near Walker Army Air Field, Victoria, Kansas. R.C.'s remains were returned to Austin and are interred at Austin Memorial Park.

Odis Olan was born 20 Dec. 1923, at Fort Worth, Tarrant County, Texas. Shortly after his graduation from Austin High School, Austin, Texas, in 1941, Odis joined the Marine Corps and participated in the World War II conflict in the South Pacific where he was a Japanese interpreter.

Odis married Alberta (Price) Tully in Austin, Texas, 19 May 1946. They have one daughter, Donna Lynn, who was born in Austin on 26 May 1947, and a baby boy some years later who only lived a few hours. He is buried in the Anderson burial plot in Austin Memorial Park.

Donna Lynn married first Michael Denney in Houston, 29 July 1967 and they had two children: Stephen Michael, born 14 Feb. 1969 at Fort Benning, GA. and Kristen Elizabeth, born 6 Oct. 1971 at Fort Lee, VA. Donna Lynn and Michael were divorced and she married second Marlin Lee Neinhuis.

Marlin has followed a career in the Army and retired in December, 1983. They now reside in Bay City, Texas, where Marlin is in the auto parts business with Odis. Odis and Berta also live in Bay City.

RUFUS ROY HINSON  
(1898-1976)

Rufus Roy Hinson, second child and first son of Thomas Martin and Martha Annie (Gibson) Hinson, was born 24 February 1898 in Troy, Pike County, Alabama. He was married to Blanche May Bell Avara, daughter of Thomas Wiley and Alice (Barnett) Avara, on the 23 February 1919 in Mart, McLennan County, Texas, in the home of his older sister, Lillian (Hinson) Anderson, by Milton Hotchkiss, Ordained Minister, M.E.C.S. Blanche was born 10 February 1902 in Leon County, Texas.

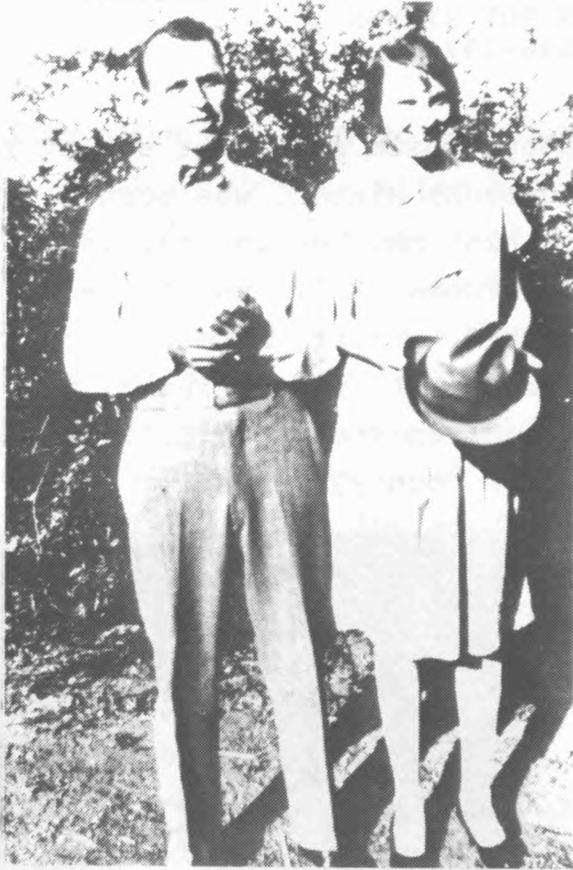
Rufus moved to Texas with his family in late 1904, their first place of residence being in Winnsboro, Wood County. They later moved to Limestone County, and Rufus lived in Limestone and McLennan Counties for the remainder of his life.

"Rufe," as he was called by his friends and family, attended Cottonwood School, a rural two-room school located between Mart and Prairie Hill,



Blanche M. Avara - 17 years old

through the sixth grade; and it was later at a Box Supper at Cottonwood that he met Blanche Avara. She just couldn't resist his charm, especially as he drove an Oakland touring car and all the other boys still had their horses and buggies.



Rufus & Blanche (Avara)  
Hinson, about 1927



Rufus & Blanche  
1941



For most of his life with Blanche, Rufus was a "share cropper" on land about five miles out of Mart, Texas, in Limestone County on what was known as the "Smyth Ranch." Shortly before Blanche's death of a cerebral hemorrhage on 20 January 1956, Rufus sold out on the farm and bought a small cafe and "beer joint" in Mart. He moved Blanche into town where she had running water and a flushing toilet for the first time in her life. She was only able to enjoy these luxuries for a short time before she died.

On 3 July 1960, Rufus married Byrd Clonts in Moody, McLennan County, Texas. Byrd had never been married before.

Rufus died of a heart attack on the 23rd of July 1976 and Byrd followed him in death on 23 October 1976.

Rufus was rather small in stature, standing about 5 ft. 8 in. tall and weighing about 135 in his younger years. He had black hair and grey eyes, but his hair turned grey rather early in life and he became quite bald on top.

In his younger years Rufus was quite a talker and had a loud, infectious laugh. If a movie was funny, everyone knew when "Rufe" was there.

Blanche was also small in stature, being about 5 ft. 4 in. tall and as Rufus often said, "never weighed more than 118 in her life." She had dark brown hair and dark brown eyes. She was quiet and reserved, but loved by all who knew her.

Rufus and Blanche are buried in the Kirk Cemetery in Limestone County near Mart. Byrd is buried in the Mart Cemetery, Mart, Texas.

Rufus and Blanche had the following children:

1. Horace Durwood Hinson, the first child of Rufus and Blanche Hinson, was born 4 August 1920, on a farm near Ben Hur in Limestone County, Texas. He married Maurine Franklin 30 March 1940 in Waco, Texas.

Durwood served in the Navy during World War II aboard a destroyer in the South Pacific. After the war he was employed by Consolidated Aircraft (now General Dynamics) in Fort Worth, Texas, and has remained in that line of work, living most of the time in Fort Worth.

Durwood and Maurine have two children: Kathryn Marie (Kitty) and Horace Durwood Jr. (Woody).

Kitty was born 5 August 1941 in Waco, McLennan County, Texas. She married first Al Clark II in Fort Worth 3 Aug. 1958. They had one son, Al Clark III (Rickey), born 12 Oct. 1959. Kitty and Al were divorced and Kitty married second W. M. (Bill) Hickman in Fort Worth 31 July 1965. Kitty and Bill have twin boys, Kristopher Roy and Kelley Lewis, born in Fort Worth, 29 January 1968. The Hickman family lives in Fort Worth.

Woody was born 27 September 1943 in Waco, McLennan Co., Texas. He married first Pamela Schmedel. No children were born to this union. Woody married second Charlotte Wallum 16 August 1968. Two children were born to them: Cary Dustan, born 28 March 1969, and Allison Leah, born 3 January 1972, both born in Fort Worth, Texas. Woody and Charlotte were divorced and Woody lives in Fort Worth with the two children.

2. Hazel Marie Hinson was born 19 Sept. 1922 on a farm near Mart in Limestone Co., Texas. She married James R. Buffaloe, son of Vernon Sidney and Minnie Agnes (Hargrove) Buffaloe of Dermott, Ark., on June 26, 1948. They have two children:

John Edwin (Ed) Buffaloe was born 10 Feb. 1951, in Austin, Texas. He married Brenda Kay (McDaniel) Rebel 30 Aug. 1980. They have one son, James Arthur, born 4 Feb. 1983. Ed is employed with the State Rehabilitation Commission and they reside in Austin.

Wanda Marie Buffaloe was born 10 Jan. 1953 in Austin. She married James Michael Jeffers 4 Oct. 1980 in Houston, Texas. They have two sons: Michael David, born to Jim by a previous marriage, and Matthew David, b. 11 Oct. 1983, in Houston. Wanda is a Registered Nurse and Jim a Design Engineer. They reside in Houston.

Hazel and Jim have lived in Austin all of their married life. Hazel retired from the Department of Public Safety after 38 years of service in December, 1979. Jim is an Electrician by trade and retired Feb. 29, 1984.

3. Wanda June Hinson, the third child of Rufus and Blanche (Avara) Hinson, was born 23 January 1932 on the Smyth Ranch in Limestone Co., Texas. She was married to Harold Edward Dunsworth 15 August 1952 at the home of her sister, Hazel Buffaloe, in Austin, Texas.

Harry was in the Air Force at the time and was sent to England immediately after their marriage. June followed in November and their first son, Michael Hinson Dunsworth, was born in Cambridge, England.

Upon the death of Harry's mother in 1954, June and Harry returned to the United States. Harry was discharged from the Air Force and went to work for Consolidated Aircraft (now General Dynamics) in Fort Worth, Texas. June and Harry were divorced in 1977 and June still lives in Fort Worth. They had three children:

Michael Hinson Dunsworth was born 28 April 1954 in Cambridge, England. He married Cynthia Yvonne (Cindi) Keller



TWINS IN THE THOMAS MARTIN HINSON LINE



Paul and Pauline, b. 22 July 1910  
(Tom,<sup>1</sup> Paul & Pauline<sup>2</sup>)



Kristopher Roy & Kelley Lewis  
Hickman, b. 29 Jan. 1968  
(Tom,<sup>1</sup> Rufus,<sup>2</sup> Durwood,<sup>3</sup> Kathryn  
Marie,<sup>4</sup> Kris & Kelley<sup>5</sup>)



Amber Dawn & April Michelle  
Dunsworth, b. 5 Feb. 1978  
(Tom,<sup>1</sup> Rufus,<sup>2</sup> Wanda June,<sup>3</sup>  
Michael,<sup>4</sup> Amber and April<sup>5</sup>)



Matthew Calvin &  
Casey Jerome Hinson,  
b. 13 Oct. 1983. (Tom,<sup>1</sup>  
Calvin,<sup>2</sup> J.C.,<sup>3</sup>  
Jerry,<sup>4</sup> Matthew and  
Casey<sup>5</sup>)



Robert & David  
 Born 1978  
 (Tom, Ruth, Wendy, Jane)  
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Tom and Ruth  
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Robert & David  
 Born 1978  
 (Tom, Ruth, Wendy, Jane)  
 Michael, Aster and Phillip

SAM DEWEY HINSON  
(1900-1975)

Sam, the third child of Tom and Annie Hinson, was born 8 July 1900, Troy, Pike County, AL. He married Enna Ruth Harris, 30 Dec. 1922. Enna Ruth, the daughter of William Alonzo (Lon) and Annie Dora (Lowry) Harris, was born 12 Oct. 1906. Sam died of a heart attack, 23 Aug. 1975, and Enna Ruth of cancer, 7 Jan. 1982. Both are buried in Grove Hill Memorial Park, Dallas, Texas.

Sam left the farm and Limestone County in 1929 and went to Dallas where he worked for the Ford Motor Company for 36 years, retiring in 1965. Enna Ruth retired in 1967 after 22 years as a General Clerk for the National Biscuit Company.

Sam and Enna Ruth had two sons, Thomas William (Tom Billy) and Jack Riley.



Sam & Enna Ruth on their 50th wedding anniversary - 1973

1. Tom Billy was born 22 Dec. 1923 in Limestone County, Texas. He married Evelyn Frances Cook, 26 June 1948, Dallas. Evelyn was born 23 Oct. 1929. Their children are:
  - a. Thomas William II, b. 25 Jan. 1950, Dallas, m. Cindi Mae Hunt. She was b. 19 June 1953. They have the following children:
    - (1) Lora Jenice, b. 22 March 1975.
    - (2) Thomas William III, b. 8 Jan. 1977.
    - (3) Stephen Ryan, b. 30 Aug. 1979.
  - b. Barbara Elaine Hinson, b. 6 Sept. 1952, Dallas, m. Claude (Lamont) Garland Wiggins, who was b. 3 Sept. 1941.
  - c. Jack Robert Hinson, b. 18 July 1957, Ft. Worth.

Tom Billy served in the United States Navy during World War II. He and Evelyn now reside in Arlington, Texas.

2. Jack Riley Hinson was born 17 April 1926, in Limestone County, Texas. He married, first, Gloria Webb, and, second, Wanda Sharber. No children were born to either of the marriages. Jack also served in the Navy during World War II and he and Wanda now live in Dallas.



...Limestone County, Texas...  
...went to Dallas where he worked...  
...for the Ford Motor Company for...  
...10 years, retiring in 1962...  
...then both retired in 1961 after...  
...15 years as a General Clerk for...  
...the National Storage Company...  
...Sam and Evelyn both had...  
...two sons, Thomas and Jack...  
...Oliver and Jack Riley...

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... 1 Sept. 1944...  
... a. Jack Robert Hinson, b. 18 July 1957, Ft. Worth...

JOE TOM HINSON  
(1902-1973)

Joe Tom Hinson, the 4th child of Tom and Annie, was born 11 Feb. 1902, Troy, Pike Co., AL. He married Juanita Whiteside, 29 Oct. 1931. She was born 8 May 1912. Joe Tom died of a heart attack, 23 March 1973, in Levelland, Texas, and is buried there. Joe Tom farmed most of his life, but the last 15 years or so of his life he was an iron worker and lived most of that time in Levelland, TX. Juanita is still living in Levelland and is now married to Howard Brummet. Joe Tom and Juanita had two children: Joe Harold and Betty Ann.

1. Joe Harold was born 8 Aug. 1933 in Limestone Co., TX. He m. Nancy Ann (Carter) Ragland in June, 1965. Nancy Ann had sons, Ronald Lee, b. 12 Jan. 1958; Harold Eugene, b. 22 Jan. 1959; and Jerry Bob Ragland, b. 20 Nov. 1964. Joe Harold and Nancy had one son, Burie Joe, b. 31 Jan. 1966. Joe Harold is employed by the General Telephone Co. in Levelland.
2. Betty Ann was born 11 April 1938 in Limestone Co., TX. She married first Tommy Benton and they had two daughters, Donna Gay and Louann. They were divorced and Betty married Travis Lee Bryant. Betty and Travis had one daughter, Lisa Rene.
  - a. Donna Gay Benton was born 2 April 1955, Lubbock, Texas. She has one son, Travis Scott Benton, b. 22 July 1979.
  - b. Luann Benton was born 23 Dec. 1956, m. Larry Richard Freeman, 14 Dec. 1973. He was b. 27 Nov. 1953. They have two sons:
    - (1) Justin Lee, b. 30 March 1974.
    - (2) Jaime Lynn, b. 28 Oct. 1976.
  - c. Lisa Rene Bryant was born 11 Nov. 1961 in Littlefield, Texas.

CALVIN ASBURY HINSON  
(1903- )

Calvin Asbury was the fifth child of Tom and Annie Hinson. He was born 6 June 1903, Troy, Pike Co., AL. He married Esther Sydow, 31 July 1926. Esther was born 6 Feb. 1908. Calvin and Esther have four sons: Milton Ray, Jerome Calloway (J.C.), James Melvin, and Donald Wayne.

1. Milton Ray Hinson was born 18 April 1928 in Limestone Co., TX. He married first Henrietta



Jim & Hazel (Hinson) Buffaloe, Calvin & Esther (Sydow) Hinson at the Hinson's 50th wedding anniversary - 1976

Irene (Pat) Larson, and they had one son, Wayne Lynn Hinson, b. 10 Jan. 1947. Wayne's name was changed from Hinson to Doughtry in 1952. Milton married second Anniona Marie (Ann) Elkins, b. 10 July 1931. Ann died 4 July 1983. They had two daughters, Delores Jean, b. 22 May 1954, and Judy Marie, b. 8 Dec. 1956. Milton retired from the Navy after serving 20 years, was employed for several years by the Texas Prison System, and is now employed by an Architect out of Houston who designs jails.

2. J.C. (Jake) was born 22 February 1932 in Limestone Co. TX., and married first Isabelle (Nancy) Calugan. They had two children, Jerome Calvin (Jerry) and Julie Rae.

a. Jerome Calvin (Jerry) Hinson, b. 7 Jan. 1958, Montevista, CA., m. Susan Blanchard. They have twin sons, Casey Jerome, b. 5:45 p.m. and Matthew Calvin, b. 6:03 p.m., 13 Oct. 1983.

b. Julie Rae, b. 20 July 1960, Brighton, CO., m. Charles Gilbeau. They have one son, Jacob Charles, b. 17 Aug. 1981, Opelousas, LA.

J.C. and Nancy were divorced and he married second Eunice Elizabeth Soucie. J.C. and Eunice live at Huntsville, TX., and he is employed by the Texas Prison System. He is a school teacher by profession.

3. James Melvin Hinson was born 19 April 1936 in Limestone Co., TX. He married, 24 February 1954, Oma Joan Miller. They were divorced and James lives in Austin where he is employed by the Lower Colorado River Authority and is in the real estate business. He is retired from the U.S. Air Force. James and Joan had the following children:

a. Vicki Lynn, b. 4 Oct. 1954, Waco, Texas, m. Craig Scott Turner, 7 Aug. 1976. They have one son, Justin Scott Turner, b. 15 Jan. 1979.

b. Stephanie Joan Hinson, b. 5 May 1956, Waco, m. Thomas Nathen Shearer, 28 May 1976. He was b. 14 June 1955. They have one daughter, Rebekah (Becky), b. 22 Sept. 1977.

c. Teri Ann Hinson, b. 4 Dec. 1960, m. Farley Trenon Fowler, 28 Feb. 1979. He was born

9 Aug. 1957. They have two daughters: Kristi Dawn, b. 28 Sept. 1979, and Cheryl Renee, b. 2 April 1981. Teri Ann was b. in Honolulu.

d. Constance Beth, b. 10 Feb. 1969, San Antonio, Texas.

4. Donald Wayne Hinson was born 10 March 1940 in Limestone Co., TX., m. Anita Louise Armstrong 22 Nov. 1963. Donald served several years in the U.S. Navy and is now employed by the Lower Colorado River Authority in Marble Falls, TX. They have two daughters:

- a. Sandra Suzanne, b. 11 March 1967.
- b. Amy Lynn, b. 23 Jan. 1971.

Calvin was a farmer most of his life, working for a time as a Prison Guard for the Texas Prison System after he retired from the farm. Calvin and Esther live in Waco, Texas.

ALBERT FRANKLIN HINSON  
(1905-1927)

Albert Franklin, the 6th child of Tom and Annie, was born in Winnsboro, Wood County, Texas, 1 March 1905. He married Lavinia Elizabeth Plemons who was born 9 July 1908. Albert was killed in a truck accident at the oil fields in Mexia, Texas, on 8 Sept. 1927.

Albert and Lavinia had two sons: Norman Russell and Albert Franklin, Jr., the latter being born after the death of his father.

Norman was born 19 Dec. 1925 in Limestone Co., TX. He m. first Patsy Ruth Borgerson and they had one son, Norman Russell Hinson, Jr. He m. second Willa Jo Cline, who had one daughter, Linda Sue, whom Norman



Rt. - Albert Franklin Hinson

adopted. Norman and Jo live in Houston, Texas.

Albert Franklin Hinson, Jr. (Buddy, Al) was born 3 March 1928 in Limestone Co., TX. He m. Donna Ruth Gartman, who was b. 1 March 1928. They have two daughters and one son: Novlyn Alana, b. 14 July 1953, Houston, TX; Landa Shyrl, b. 5 June 1955, Houston, m. Steven Frederick Liggett, 18 Aug. 1979; Albert Franklin Hinson III (Bud), b. 24 Oct. 1962, Baton Rouge, LA. Buddy and Donna live in Baton Rouge, LA and are in the construction and real estate business.

After Albett's death, Lavinia m. Henry McMillan, who raised the two boys as his own. After they were grown, Lavinia and Henry had a son, Jerry. Lavinia died 11 May 1974.

JOHN SHELBY HINSON  
(1907-1983)

John Shelby Hinson, the 7th child of Tom and Annie, was born at Tehuacana, Limestone Co., TX., 9 Sept. 1907. He married Zelma (Peewee) Morris, 14 March 1931. They had a son, Roy Morris, born 23 January 1932, who died in infancy, and a daughter, Johnnie Carol.

John followed Sam to Dallas and the Ford Motor Co., from which he retired in 1970. After the attack on Pearl Harbor, Dec. 7, 1941, John went to Pearl Harbor on a reconstruction job. While working there, he lost a leg in a rock crusher. The use of an artificial limb didn't slow him down much, however, as he went back to work for Ford and climbed in and out of cars, inspecting the interior, for many years.



John Shelby & Zelma (Morris)  
Hinson on their 50th wedding  
anniversary - 1981

Johnnie Carol was born 28 December 1936 and married, first, Jim Gould.

They adopted a daughter, Annetra Kathleen, b. 22 Nov. 1958, and had one daughter by natural birth, Cynthia Kay, b. 2 April 1961. Carol and Jim were divorced and she married, second, John Burnett, who adopted the two girls and their name was changed to Burnett. Carol and John were divorced and she married, third, David Joseph Berendt. Kathy m. Darrel Wade Stark and they have a daughter, Wendy Nichol Stark, b. 18 June 1979. Cindy m. Tim Lash.

John died of a heart attack on 23 March 1983 in Dallas and is buried at Prairie Hill, Texas. Peewee and Carol and her family live in Dallas.

PAUL HINSON (1910-1977)

PAULINE HINSON (1910-1911)



Beatrice (Owen) and Paul Hinson - 1970

Paul and Pauline, twins, were born 22 July 1910, the 9th and 10th child, respectively, born to Tom and Annie Hinson, a stillborn baby having been born in 1909. They were born in Limestone County near Prairie Hill, Texas. Pauline died as a toddler when she drank fly poisoning.

Paul married Beatrice Lorene Owen, 8 November 1930, and died of emphysema, 20 January 1977. He is buried in Mart, McLennan County, Texas.

Paul and Bea had two daughters and two sons: Billie Martha, Bobbie Jane, Paul Wayne and Michael Lee.

1. Billie Martha was born 3 December 1931 in Limestone Co., TX., and married Jimmy Russell Holder in Mart, TX., 24 January 1954. They have one daughter and two sons: Martha Alane (Laney), Larry Russell, and James Taylor (Jamie).
  - a. Martha Alane (Laney) Holder was b. 19 Oct. 1955, m. John Thornton. They have one son, Gabe Russell Thornton, b. 4 May 1981.
  - b. Larry Russell Holder, b. 18 March 1961.
  - c. James Taylor (Jamie) Holder, b. 1 July 1964. Billie and Jimmy live in Lubbock, TX., and Jimmy is a banker.
2. Bobbie Jane was born 21 Aug. 1934 in Limestone Co., TX., m. Tyrus Fields (Tye) Collins, 10 Dec. 1955, in Mart. They have two sons: Gregory Kent, b. 2 April 1957, and Jeffrey Paul, b. 20 May 1958. Bobbie and Tye live in Austin and Tye is a Civil Engineer.
3. Paul Wayne Hinson, b. 20 Oct. 1942, McLennan Co., TX., m. Mary Gruetzner, 22 June 1968. They have one daughter and one son: Melissa Michelle, b. 7 July 1971, and Bradley Paul, b. 25 Aug. 1974. Wayne and Mary live in Ft. Worth and Wayne is a banker.
4. Michael Lee Hinson, b. 15 Jan. 1946, McLennan Co., TX., m. Susan Chenault, 5 Oct. 1975, Houston, TX. They have a son and a daughter: Michael Paul, b. 9 June 1977, and Holly Alane b. 5 Jan. 1980. Mickey and Susan live in Houston and he is a Pharmaceutical Salesman.

Paul was a farmer most of his life. After his retirement from the farm, he worked some at a cotton gin and at a grain company in Mart. Beatrice lives in Mart.

NONIE EVELYN HINSON  
(1912- )



Nonie (Hinson) and Tyne Morris - 1970

Nonie Evelyn, the 11th child of Tom and Annie Hinson, was born in Limestone County, Texas, 2 July 1912. She married Tyne O. (initial only) Morris at Mt. Calm, Texas, 2 Sept. 1933. They lived most of their married life in Dallas, Texas, where Tyne was a Sales Representative for an oil and gas distributor, but upon Tyne's retirement they moved back to Prairie Hill, Limestone County. Tyne and Nonie have two sons, Kenneth and Tyne O. Morris, Jr.

1. Kenneth was born 23 Sept. 1935 in Limestone Co., TX., and married LaFawn Rhyner Witherspoon, 5 June 1957. LaFawn had one daughter, Glenda June

Witherspoon, b. 7 July 1955, who was adopted by Kenneth; and they had a daughter, Carolyn Ann, b. 7 October 1960, and a son, Michael Anthony, b. 10 July 1965.

- a. Glenda June Morris m. Gary Emerson, 26 May 1973. They have two sons: Judson Alan, b. 30 Sept. 1977 and Garren Paul, b. 4 Apr. 1979.

Kenneth is retired from the U.S. Air Force and is now employed by a civil engineering firm in Houston, Texas.

2. Tyne O. Morris, Jr. (T.O.) was born in Dallas, TX., 23 May 1945. He has been married twice, but no children were born to either marriage.



Lillian (Hinson) Anderson & Juanita (Hinson) Brice  
1927

MILDRED JUANITA HINSON  
(1914-1973)

Mildred Juanita, the 12th and last child of Tom and Annie Hinson, was born 28 November 1914 in Limestone Co., TX. She married John Edd Brice in Limestone Co., 18 May 1934. Juanita died of cancer, 17 June 1973. She is buried in Temple, Texas.

John Edd and Juanita had one daughter, Shirley Gene, born 10 June 1935. She married, first, William Ernest Trautwein on 2 May 1953. They had three children: Joni Gene, William Edd, and Lee Anne.

1. Joni Gene,  
b. 20 Feb.  
1954, m.  
Michael Wayne  
Henderson.

(Divorced)

Mildred Juanita (Hinson) Brice

They had one daughter, Jennifer Lyn, b. 28 July 1978.

2. William Edd, b. 20 July 1956, m. Lola Gale Sparks,  
24 March 1983.
3. Lee Anne, b. 9 Feb. 1960, m. Jeff Davis Bramblett,  
19 March 1983.

Shirley Gene and Bill Trautwein were divorced and Shirley married, second, Billie George Echols. They live in Austin and are in the real estate business.





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