

**Stone County Missouri  
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**Wesley Osburn Mon Apr 28 20:35:02 1997**

Zeltha Cornelia **Cox** Wife of Everett **Jones** of Stone County Missouri Parents are Father: George Cox, Stone County Missouri Mother: Nancy Jane (?) birthdate believed to be october 1897 or 1898. Request confirmation of actual birth year.

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**Robin Woods Morgan Sat Apr 26 16:24:58 1997**

Looking for parents of William H. **MORGAN** b.1878,Lyon Co.KS. m. Elizabeth **FRITTS** b.1879,Lyon Co.KS, m. 1900,Lyon Co.KS. son, Richard Tracy MORGAN b. 1902,Lyon Co.KS, d. 1985, Forsyth,Taney Co.,MO. grandson, Richard Tracy MORGAN Jr. b. 1930,Lyon Co.,KS. d. 1971,Ridgedale,Taney Co.,MO. Do you know this family?

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**Bob Grant Mon Apr 21 22:56:57 1997**

Looking for information on Daniel M. **Miller** b.11 Sep 1838,OH. [s/o of George Miller and Cathrine **Barger/Buger** of Coshocton Co., Ohio]. d. 2 Nov 1910, Abesville, Stone, Missouri. His first marriage was to Mary Jane **Rhodes** on 7 Sep 1859 in Coshocton Co., Ohio; Second marriage was to Lucy Orlena **Black** on 18 Jul 1895 in Carthage, Jasper, Missouri. Any information will be greatly appericiated; Please E-Mail to ReGrantc73@AOL.COM

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**Jo Anne Neely Gomez Mon Apr 21 11:51:49 1997**

My gr gr grandparents were William Jesse **LEONARD** b? d? in Civil War who married Nancy **PLUMLEE**. After W.J. was killed in Civil War Nancy remarried a man named Issac N. Elliot **JOHNSON** (one son named Joel JOHNSON). My great grandfather was David Francis LEONARD b10 Jan 1858 MO d07 Apr 1927 South Creek Township (Lincoln Co.), OK who on 23 Dec 1877 in Viola (Stone Co.), MO married Frances Catherine **ROGERS** b22 Mar 1860 KS d05 Sep 1938 Lincoln Co., OK (both D.F. and F.C. LEONARD buried Garden Grove Cemetary Pottowatomie Co., OK). Looking for any information on these relatives. Children of Davey and Frances Catherine LEONARD were: Mary Eveylenah b01 Aug 1878; Nancy Ann b19 Jun 1880; Charley Benjamin b15 Jul 1882; Loney Burten b06 Aug 1884; Nellie May b20 Jun 1886; Andrew Jackson b08 Aug 1888; Sarah Elizybeth b30 Nov 1890; William Jesse b12 Jan 1893; George Russell b27 Jan 1895; Joseph Earl (later changed to Earl Joseph) b08 Oct 1898; Eliza Pearl b07 Aug 1900; Elmer Francis b30 Jun 1902; Audry Villah b08 Jul 1904

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**Mary Seiger Thu Apr 17 18:33:40 1997**

**PRYOR** I am seeking information on the **PRYOR** family. I have traced them from Stone Co., MO to eastern Oklahoma. My Great Great Grandparents were Stephen Pryor b 1813 and Sarah b 1815. John Pryor b 1857 MO and Lucinda b 1851 AL(my great grandparents)lived in Stone and Ozark Co. MO. My grandfather, Thomas Harlin Pryor b. 1881 was born in Ozark Co. MO. I am especially interested in Lucinda. I believe her surname was Taylor but am not sure. Any information on the PRYOR family would be appreciated.

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**Norman Davis Thu Apr 17 01:07:48 1997**

Would like to know if anyone can tell me if the following family is related to the other **Wright** families from Stone County, Missouri. Does anyone know of a marriage in Stone County about 1887 between a Thomas H. Wright and Amanda **Griffith**. Robert H. Wright born April 10, 1865 died September 13, 1926 at Ash Creek, Pittsburg County, Oklahoma. Married first to Amanda Elizabeth Griffith born November 19, 1863, died January 30, 1948 at Springfield, Stone County, Missouri. Amanda Wright was married second to Martin **Fessler** and he is also buried in Springfield. CHILDREN: 1. James Roy Wright born July 25,

1888 in Missouri, died April 21, 1941 at Clayton, Pushmataha County, Oklahoma, married Grace A. Morris October 13, 1910 at Stigler, Haskell County, Oklahoma 2. William Oren Wright born October 15, 1892 at Nashville, Tennessee died October 24, 1950 at V.A. Hosp. Muskogee, Oklahoma, married Willie Ann Coplen December 22, 1917 at Stigler, Haskell County, Oklahoma. 3. Thomas Manley Wright born January 15, 1894 at Stott City, Stone County, Missouri died October 5, 1966 at Mangum, Greer County, Oklahoma, married Sal Leora Kelly.

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**Steve Byrd Mon Apr 14 18:14:55 1997**

Trying to locate James, Jesse, Charles, Martin, William, George **Byrd**. They were in the 1860 Census.

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**Donald White Fri Apr 11 19:55:58 1997**

Researching ancestry of James **Kimberling** and Melissa Jane **Gold**, married Stone Co Mo abt 1867.

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**Janice Bond (Ripley) Phillips Mon Apr 7 20:33:57 1997**

Looking for any info on ALTIE NAVY **O'NEAL**, b. Dec. 3, 1880 in Cedar County, MO. She was the daughter of JASPER O'NEAL and wife PARALEE **FERGUSON**, marr. 1856 in Stone County, MO, who appear on the 1860 Census. ALTIE was the wife of MILLARD FILLMORE **BOND** (marr. Sept. 30, 1899 in Aurora, Lawrence, MO), and the mother of Edna Bond Ripley, my grandmother. Any help appreciated!!!

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**Tracie Sat Apr 5 21:36:40 1997**

I am looking for any information on my great great grandparents. William D. **Richardson** who was born 22 Feb. 1857 in Stone Co. MO. Married Della Josephine **Rayle** 24 Nov. 1903, Stone Co.

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**Eddie Dugger Sat Jan 4 07:26:13 1997**

Would like to hear from anyone researching the **MILLS** and **CLOUD** families in Stone County between 1850-1900!!!

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**Pam Harden Sun Jan 5 12:46:48 1997**

Looking for info regarding **CENTER** family in Blue Eye, Stone Co.

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**Mary Bonsal Wed Jan 8 12:10:39 1997**

Would like to correspond with anyone researching these listed families of 1860 Stone Co. Mo.

<b>CLOUD</b> , WILLIAM P.	Stone 584 Cass Twp
CLOUD, FRANKLIN	Stone 584 Cass Twp
CLOUD, CALVIN	Stone 582 Cass Twp
CLOUD, ADALINE	Stone 577 Cass Twp
CLOUD, BARWELL	Stone 591 Pearce Twp
CLOUD, GREENBERRY	Stone 584 Cass Twp
CLOUD, GREENBERRY	Stone 587 Pearce
CLOUD, HENRY	Stone 575 Cass Twp
CLOUD, JAMES A.	Stone 577 Cass Twp
CLOUD, JOHN B.	Stone 584 Cass Twp

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**mark watkins Wed Feb 19 01:45:41 1997**

edward **watkins** married oct 10 1897 galena stone co

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**Betty S. Fri Feb 21 15:40:33 1997**

I would like to find the parents, siblings, relatives and burial place of my grandfather John Harvey **Brown**. His family was supposed to have lived on a farm near Crane before 1895. John Harvey married Henrietta Cochran **Chidester** in Marionville in 1895. They lived in Marionville, Noel, Washburn, Webb City, Pittsburg Ks, and, in about 1918 J.H. Brown and his family including eight children moved to Spavinaw OK. He later

moved out to CA and came back to OK or Mo and died. Children were Edith, Eulalia, Orbra Harve Brown, Tina Bell, Bernard H. Brown Ophelia, Zenobia, and Velox Augna

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**Jo Dunne Sat Feb 22 05:58:08 1997**

Researching descendants of Gilbert and Dicy JACKSON, lived in Stone County, Mo. in 1870. Daughter Mary **JACKSON** married Frank **COKER** in 1880. Please email any information to jopet@aol.com Thanks.

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**JTruman Tue Feb 25 21:34:25 1997**

Looking for Enos B. **Hilton** and or Martin/Marton Hilton lines. They came to Stone Co. about 1841 from Virginia.

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**Tom WARD Thu Feb 27 11:36:53 1997**

**WARD, PRYOR, DUNCAN** Seeking information on the family of Moses WARD and family that appeared in the 1870 Stone Co MO census, Flatrock Twp. Moses is the son of Squire and Winifred (DUNCAN) WARD. Census is incorrect on his birthplace. Moses was born in IN. Census shows Moses age 27, Mahala 20 b MO (his wife), Nancy PRYOR 17 b MO and Squire WARD 65 (Moses father). Squire was born 1804 SC and not IN as listed. No known children of Moses at this time. I am particularly interested in what happened to Squire. His wife and other family were in Washington Co AR at this time period. Squire went back to Stone Co to help his son on the farm. Squire disappeared shortly after 1870 and was believed dead. Squire's wife filed a claim with the Southern Claims Commission in 1870 for losses during the CW. Any and all info appreciated. Always willing to share.

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**VickyWed Feb 5 12:20:41 1997**

I am resurching the Surname Stansberry and would like any more information on the family that is on the 1860 census. Hoping to link them to my JAMES A. **STANSBERRY**

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**Paula Denson Fri Feb 7 17:23:56 1997**

Need information on all **SUMMERS** families of Stone County, MO. I am especially interested in Price **SUMMERS**, who lived at Galena and his father, Samuel P. **SUMMERS**. My great great grandfather, Jonathan Aaron **BURLESON** stayed in their home while he was recuperating from illness during the Civil War (1862). Samuel also had sons. William and John W., who also are mentioned in Burleson's pension records. Who are they and are they relatives of my Burleson? Are the Summers related in any way to the **LASTER** or **COPELAND** families?

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**Robert D. King Sun Feb 9 03:28:47 1997**

Kenneth **PAINTER**, Mexican War Vet died in Cape Fair on the 7th of April, 1907. He left a widow named Agness and may have had a grandson named Rowe Delbert **WIGGINS**, living with him. I would like to find an obituary, or death certificate or any info. on these people.

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**Cheryl E. Thomas Sun Feb 9 17:07:44 1997**

Seeking info re: Other **SIX**, living in Pierce (Pearce?) Twp., Stone Co., MO as of 1880 Census with daughter Ada, son John and another daughter. No wife mentioned. Need to know if they stayed put in this area, if not--where did they move on to? These folks are believed to have been the last in possession of the SIX Family Bible which dates to just after the Revolution or so. Wanting to find all descendants of the above. Other was my G-G-GrandUncle. Thanks in advance for any responses!

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**Eddie Mills Dugger Thu Mar 6 22:41:07 1997**

Would like to find out the parents and any siblings of Nancy **Mills**, she was in Stone County, Missouri in 1864. Any help would be greatly appreciated. I believe she may have married Wiley Van Buren **Cloud**, but have no proof of that.

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**Christopher Powell Tue Mar 18 08:17:21 1997**

Looking for any **Gunnells** in Stone Co. Have a Albert **Garnell** married to a Jacy L **Wills** married 12/14/1898 who are apparantly are the parents of Velma Gunnells listed on her death certificate as Bert Gunnells and Josie Wills. There is an Ananias Gunnell who served as postmaster of Cape Fair in 1889. Any info on the Gunnell or Wills families of Stone Co, MO would be greatly appreciated.

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**Linda Knowles Tue Mar 25 11:26:20 1997**

Looking for James **Bird (Byrd)** born abt. 1794 in TN. Lived in Stone Co. according to 1850, 1860 census. He died between 1860 and 1865. His children were Charles, Pleasant, Malinda, Jesse, James Jackson, Martin Shelby and Harriet Polly. Malinda Bird married William **Gideon** and lived in Christian Co.

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**Jan Phillips Sun Mar 30 15:37:09 1997**

I am looking for information about Altie Navy **O'NEAL (O'NEIL)**, born Dec. 3, 1880 (place possibly Missouri). She married Millard Fillmore **BOND** Sept. 3, 1899 in the home of Will **Blankenship**, in Aurora, MO. I have a signed affidavit from Mr. Blankenship, signed Feb. 25, 1942 in Joplin, MO, which also states that their daughter (my grandmother) Edna May BOND was born July 10, 1901 in Aurora. Her mother Altie died Sept. 30, 1959, and father Millard died Dec. 3, 1947, in Joplin, I thought, but I requested copies of their death certificates from Jefferson City, but they both came up with no information. Edna attended Washington School in 1909, and Joplin Sr. High School in 1915 and had a younger sister named Gladys. Altie Navy O'NEAL's father was Jasper O'NEAL; he married a Paralee **FERGUSON** (b. Nov. 7, 1841) in 1856 in Stone County, MO. She was the daughter of James FERGUSON; they appear on the 1850 Franklin Co., TN census. Edna belonged to the Lawrence County Historical Society at one time, probably in the 1970s or '80s; she died in 1989 in Ironton, Iron Co., MO. Thanks for any info you might have.

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**Steve Smith Mon Mar 31 15:47:40 1997**

Interested in sharing information with **YOAKUM/YOCUM** researchers in any of the Missouri counties. There was a James YOCUM, as shown in the Stone County History, that made his own money in the area of Stone County. Can anyone tell me where he came from and who his parents were. There was a Mathias YOAKUM/YOCUM in Kentucky in the 1770's and 1780's that came there from Greenbrier and Boutetourt County, Virginia. He had many sons in the state of Kentucky before he died in the 1780's. What was his relation to James YOCUM? Thank You. I have many records of Kentucky, Illinois, and especially Tennessee YOAKUM's. James

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<b>Stone County Missouri 1996 Queries</b>
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**Surname LENT, John W. (Variants LENTZ/LINTZ)** Posted 9/16/96

**Researcher: Susan Potts**

My grandmother Ottie Lent was born August 29, 1900 near Union City (by Hurley and Clever) in Stone County. Grandma remembered being told that her father JOHN LENT died when she was 6 months old. If that is true his death would have been around February of 1901. I would appreciate ANY information showing his date of death and or place of burial. After many, many years of searching the only evidence I have found proving that he really existed is this familly entry in the 1900 census of Stone County.

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**Surname SHORT 9/17/96**

**Researcher: Clara Storm**

Searching for SHORT surname in Stone Co. ABNER SHORT is my missing grandfather. My grandmother, Lucinda Black SHORT, divorced him in about 1907-8 and left MO with their two children. LAWRENCE EDWIN SHORT (b. 1903) and OPAL MAE SHORT (b. 1905). ABNER SHORT was related to DEWEY SHORT (b. 1898), U. S. Representative from STONE CO., MO. I have been told they were double cousins? I know Abner SHORT was still living in 1955 when my uncle LAWRENCE EDWIN SHORT visited him in Crane, MO. Surely, someone in Stone Co. can help me. I would love to contact my SHORT relatives to help with genealogy search.

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**Surname SURBER 9/23/96**

**Researcher: [Elvina Hiatt](#)**

Henry Bourne SURBER and wife, Elizabeth, moved to Stone County from Pulaski County, Kentucky by 1858. They had at least two children, David, born in 1850, and Harriett, born in 1858. Henry is listed as a Sawyer in the 1870 census. If you have any information about this family (or any SURBER family anywhere) I would like to hear from you.

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**SURNAMES: HEMPHILL, CARR Tue, 24 Sep 1996 19:16:40**

**Researcher: [Pat Hemphill](#)**

Seek descendants of James M. Hemphill b. NC 1798c d. MO 1865c m Frances A. Neall b 1800c NC d. TX 1847c. Moved from McMinn Co. TN to MO. Seek children, etc. Of Lloyd HEMPHILL and Floyd HEMPHILL OF Stone Co. Known children, Andrew Clinton Hemphill, Ronald Blythe Hemphill and Lloyd D. Hemphill. Also Hemphills married into CARR family. Need information, bios for book in process.Thanks.

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**SURNAMES: McDowell, Robinson Sat Sep 28 14:15:15 1996**

**Researcher: [Schneebunn](#)**

James Burr McDowell, George P? & Monica McDowell Robinson. My grandfather James Burr McDowell was born August 11, 1900 in Reed Springs, Mo. I believe his father was George P McDowell and mother was Sara Carter. I understand there may have been quite a few McDowell's from this family. If you know of any information please contact me. Thank you.

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**SURNAMES: Turner, Beal Sat Sep 28 18:40:17 1996**

**Researcher: [Jo Dunne](#)**

Seeking info on Thomas Turner and wife, Rhoda Ellen Beal mother and father of Charlee H. Turner born June 18, 1858. Lived in Hurley Mo. until his death in March 19, 1935.

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**SURNAMES: WRIGHT, BYRD**

**Researcher: [Judy Roman](#) Wed Sep 25 13:28:03 1996**

Searching for ggrandmother MARY ELIZABETH WRIGHT born 1866 STONE CO., MO. She married my ggrandfather GEORGE WASHINGTON BYRD born in Benton Co., Mo. MARY's father was THOMAS WRIGHT and her mother was FRANCES EVANGELINE BYRD (Thomas's step-neice).

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**SURNAMES: Yocum, Patterson**

**Researcher:** [Charles H. Williams, Ph.D.](#)

**Mon Oct 7 09:43:50 1996**

Levi Yocum d.1853 in Stone Co, MO, wife Mary Patterson d. 1855 in Stone Co, MO

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**SURNAMES: PEARCE, PEEBLES, HOLDER, CHAPMAN**

**Researcher:** [Amy Parker](#) **Wed Oct 16 08:30:57 1996**

Searching for information on ancestors and descendants of my husband's great grandfather John Edwin "Eddie" PEARCE, born 1904 to James PEARCE and Enolia PEEBLES in Christian County, MO. Married to Effie Fay HOLDER (daughter of Thomas Jefferson HOLDER and Jessie Mae CHAPMAN) in 1924. All information appreciated, especially on Eddie's or Effie's parents, and grandparents. When and where were they born? Who were their children, their siblings, etc. Where are they buried? Over the generations these families have lived in Christian, Stone, Greene, Laclede and Wright Counties (that I know of).

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**SURNAMES: YOUNGBLOOD, TABER**

**Researcher:** [Kim Marshall](#) **Sun Oct 27 19:09:29 1996**

Mary Myrtle YOUNGBLOOD was born 13 Jun 1894 or 1892 in Blue Eye Missouri. Her parents were William YOUNGBLOOD and Louise TABER. I cannot find them in the census records. Any help would be appreciated.

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**SURNAMES: LEONARD, ROGERS**

**Researcher:** [Jo Anne Neely Gomez](#) **Wed Oct 30 12:05:47 1996**

My great grandfather, David Frances LEONARD, born January 10, 1858 in MO, married Frances Catherine ROGERS December 23, 1877 in Viola, MO (Stone Co.) -- I have a marriage license -- would like to find David Francis' birth certificate. P.S....Any information on my great grandmother ROGERS is appreciated also.

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**Subject: 1800's Silver Mine**

**Researcher:** [Wanda McLane](#) **Sun, 03 Nov 1996 22:12:24**

I am very interested in learning about an alleged silver mine approximately 18 miles south of Galena that was mined in the early 1800's by seven Spaniards. Pedro Diego, the last living spaniard partnered with two Irishmen, Higgins and McCabe. In 1873? a Watson Johnson (from Vermont) purchased the land where the remains of the mine were located from a descendant of Higgins. Johnson was soon found dead in the opening of the cave/mine. Any & all info about this mine & its location are greatly appreciated.

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**SURNAMES: Hembree**

**Researcher:** [Brenda Bridges](#) **Sat Nov 16 12:02:22 1996**

I am searching for any information on the surname HEMBREE. My ancestors settled in Taney County Missouri approx. 1840 (Taney Co. Census). Specific names: Lewis Hembree (wife Phebe) his brother John Hembree their father, Drewry (Drew) Hembree, (wife Mary). Drew Hembree and his wife Mary, are believed to have died and are buried in Taney County, MO. Lewis and John then moved on to Stone

County Missouri. Any information on these people, or anyone of the surname Hembree, would be greatly appreciated.

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**SURNAMES: Oswalt**

**Reseacher: [William Gallagher](#) *Mon Dec 2 20:58:03 1996***

I am searching for The Oswalt family. They originated in Ohio, migrated to Illinois, then to Barton County Missouri. At least one leg of the family moved to Stone County. Any information you can help me with will be greatly appreciated.

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