THE JOHN MALONE HARRISON FAMILY
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Preface

This was formerly included in my Jesse Richard Smith book, titled then *Jesse Richard Smith and Associated Families*. It contained the genealogies of three related families—those of Jesse Richard Smith, Elijah P. Gorman, and John Malone Harrison. I formally severed that book into three books, one for each family, on 30 Jan. 2013.
FIRST GENERATION

1. **JOHN MALONE**¹ HARRISON was born about 1785, Warren Co., Kentucky, married 17 Apr. 1802, Bowling Green, Warren Co., Kentucky,¹¹ **PHERIBA CHISM**, born 15 May 1787, Warren Co., Kentucky, daughter of John Chism. Pheriba died 10 July 1852, Huntsville, Walker Co., Tex., and was buried in the Huntsville Cem., Walker Co.¹² “Phereby” Chism Harrison’s will was probated “Prob. 5th Apr. 1838,” Dallas Co., Ala.¹³ John Malone Harrison died before 2 Feb. 1822, Dallas Co., Ala., when Ewel, Pheriba, and Daniel are listed in Dallas Co., Ala., Orphans Court Book as guardians.¹⁴

The 1866 state census for Alabama includes “Pherobee” Chism, in Bibb Co., Ala.¹⁵ This does not fit with her supposed death in 1852, nor with a probate of 1838. Something is wrong here. Probably a woman of the same name (after all Pheriba should be Harrison by then).

Pheriba was married a second time to John Tubbs. It is not known if he is the same John Tubbs for whom Elijah Gorman witnessed a deed in South Carolina in 1799.

From the entry for John M. Harrison in the *Sons of the Republic of Texas*:

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¹. Ky. Marriages, 1785–1979, John Harrison to “Phereby” Chism, 17 Apr. 1802, Bowling Green, Warren Co., Ky., cites “00030 Pg. 103” [FHL 339890]. Various sources cite “Warren County, Ky (Book A Pg. 103) & Sect II Ch 4, Bibb County, AL” for the marriage of John and Pheriba Harrison. Presumably the FamilySearch record comes from the first of these.

². WFT, volume 5, tree 2416; WFT, volume 12, tree 1679.

³. WFT, volume 12, tree 1679, cites “Will Probate Dallas County, Ala. Book A/B Prob. 5th Apr. 1838.”


⁵. Ala. census, 1866, “Pherobee Chism,” residence Bibb, Ala., fam. 5066, p. 24, also fam. 1082, p. 43 [FHL 1533831].
John M. Harrison, my great-grandfather, was born in Alabama, Sept. 17, 1822, to Ewel S. Harrison and wife Artemecy Gorman, who were married Sept. 11, 1820, in Perry County Alabama. His grandparents were #1 John M. Harrison and Phebery [sic] Chism, married in Warren County, Kentucky, in 1802. Phebery [sic] Harrison Tubbs died in Texas 1853, and is at rest in Huntsville Cemetery where Gen. Sam Houston is buried.

The Chisum family would appear, some say, to be an old one, going back several generations to William Cheesome born about 1631 in Lancaster Co., Virginia. One source claims a part of this lineage to be as follows: Phoebe Chisum was daughter to John Chisum III born about 1732, St. Margaret’s Parish, Caroline Co., Virginia, died before 1789 White Co., Tennessee, married (1) (—) Gaines, married (2) about 1772 Margaret Chisum, born about 1750, Elizabeth City Co., Virginia, daughter of William and Deborah (Cook) Chisum. Phoebe was one of ten children. John Chisum III was son of John Chisum II, born about 1704, died 9 Oct. 1792, Amelia Co., Virginia, married about 1730 Ellender Gillentine. John III was one of 13 children. Unfortunately, it appears that John Chisum III’s daughter Phoebe was born about 1783 and died before 24 Nov. 1792. Therefore Pheriba Chism/Chisum born 1787 could not be this Phoebe, and the old Chisum lineage has to be doubted for the family treated here.

Children of John Malone and Pheriba (Chism) Harrison:

2 i COOK M.2 HARRISON.

3 ii ABSOLEM C.2 HARRISON, born 1800–10, died after 1840, married 16 or 17 Aug. 1832, Bibb Co., Ala., LOUISA WOODRUFF, born 1810–20, died after 1840.
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4 iii EWEL SEXTON2 HARRISON, born 1803, married ARTEMECY GORMAN. See my companion book to this one on the Gorman family, for details. They had five children.

5 iv EDMUND CLINTON2 HARRISON.

6 v JAMES A.2 HARRISON, died 1845 Montgomery Co., Tex., married 9 Nov. 1837, Bibb Co., Ala.,[11] ADELINE WATSON.

7 vi KETURAH2 HARRISON.


In 1850 J. W. Evans, 45, a farmer born South Carolina, resided in Walker Co., Tex., with Manura, 37, born in Tennessee, Josephene Duncan, 16, born in Alabama, J. L. Harrison, 12, born in Alabama, Ketura Harrison, 10, born in Alabama, and Elizabeth Evans, 72, born in Virginia, probably Joseph’s mother.[13] The relationship of J. L. and Ketura Harrison to this family has not been established.

11 x MINERVA S.2 HARRISON, born about 1815, Cherokee Co., Ala., married 23 or 24 May 1833, Bibb Co., Ala.,[14] BENJAMIN A. F. DUNCAN.


(Book C page 237).”

15. WFT, volume 12, tree 1679, cites “Bibb County, Ala. (Book C page 254),” also “Absolem Harrison stated that she [Nircissa] was orphan daughter of John M. Harrison,” Bibb County, AL Marriages 1820–1862, Rootsweb.com, “Harrison, Narcissa, Cox, Samuel H, Jan 10 1834.”

4. EWEL SEXTON\(^2\) HARRISON (John Malone\(^1\)) was born 1790–1800, died before 1847, was married 12 Sept. 1820, Perry Co., Ala.\(^{[17]}\) ARTE-MECY GORMAN, born about 1800,\(^{[18]}\) South Carolina, daughter of Eli-jah P. and Mary (--) Gorman. See my companion book to this one on the Gorman family, for details.\(^{[19]}\)


In 1830 Ewell S. Harrison, 30–40 appears in the 1830 census for Dallas Co., Ala., with one woman 20–30, one boy and two girls under 5, and one boy 5–10.\(^{[21]}\) This implies there was another daughter who died young.

There are three Alabama land records, one dated 20 Mar. 1837 and two 5 Aug. 1837, listing Ewel S. Harrison as patentee.\(^{[22]}\) Ewel S. Harrison is recorded in a deed record as the recipient of a note from Amos

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18. According to the 1852 deposition by Elizabeth G. Blythe (Appendix E), Artemecy was 45 so would have been born about 1807, but this would make her 13 at marriage.


20. Perry Co., Ala., Deed Book B, pp. 17–8, transcription provided by Sue Gorman. The deed is acknowledged by Ewel on 10 Jan. 1830 in Perry Co.


Elliot and Nancy, his wife, 31 Dec. 1840, Shelby Co., Ala., next to Talladega Co.[23]

In 1840 Ewel S. Harrison, 40–50, and his family containing one woman 30–40, and nine children, resided in Talladega Co., Ala. There were two boys and one girl under 5, one girl 5–10, two boys and one girl 10–15, and one boy and one girl 15–20.[24]

“By 1847 Artemecy Gorman Harrison is buying and selling property in Texas usually with John Malone Harrison.” So Ewel must have died before this. “The story is that John M. went home to get the Family. Ewel became sick on the way. They spent one year around what is now Madisonville [Madison Co., Tex.], time for one crop.”[25] This is consistent with another story that has Ewel and Artemecy crossing the Red River in 1845.[26] In 1847 Artemecy Harrison and John Malone Harrison are listed together on the Walker Co., Tex., tax records: Artmecy Harrison, 320 acres of the original Whitley land grant valued at $320, no poll tax; John M. Harrison, 320 acres of the original Whitley grant, poll tax $1. In 1847, the following three are listed together on the Walker Co. tax records: Mary Harrison, 50 acres of the original Stette land grant,
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value $100; J. M. Harrison, 100 acres of the Whitley grant, value $200; and Artemecy Harrison, 320 acres of the Whitley grant, value $320.\[27\]

Artemecy Harrison and J. M. Harrison on 31 May 1848 received full payment of $320 for an 8-year-old Negro boy named George, from C. Harrison.\[28\]

A. M. Harrison purchased 320 acres in Walker Co., Tex., from John C. Harrison for $320. The deed was signed 31 Mar. 1847 and recorded 5 May 1847. A notary public apparently wrote Artemcia M. Harrison on it, 11 Dec. 1848. Artemecy Harrison sold this 320 acres to Isaiah Vick for $335, deed filed 22 Feb. 1854, Walker Co., Tex.\[29\]

Artemecy Harrison purchased 100 acres from Pleasant and Amanda Wimverly (or Wilverly) for $100, deed signed 28 Mar. 1848 and recorded 13 Apr. 1850, Brenham, Washington Co., Tex.\[30\] She deeded this 100 acres to O'Bryan and Wright for $700, signing on 30 Nov. 1852 “in the presence of J. R. Smith (her son-in-law) in the State of Texas, Washington County. Filed for record Jan 9, 1853.” Artemecy Gorman Harrison “is not on the census by 1860. She moves to Bexar County and Medina County where she is again buying and selling property with John M. and Jessie Smith.”\[31\]

Known children:\[32\]

+ 14 i JOHN MALONE\(^3\) HARRISON, born 17 Sept. 1822, Ala., married MARION/MARIAN NIVEL JOLLY, sister of the wife of John’s brother, Hugh Lawson Harrison, and had 14 children.

\[27\] Harrison, WFT, volume 24, tree 1095, cites “Tax Records at Texas Archives (Walker County, Texas).”
\[29\] Harrison, WFT, volume 24, tree 1095, cites “Vol. C page 327 Walker County, Tx. (Whitley Survey).” The land was part of the original grant to John Whitley.
\[30\] Harrison, WFT, volume 24, tree 1095, cites “Vol. I.J. pages 226 & 227.” The land was part of the original league granted to Isac Jackson. The deed mentions her variously as Artemecy, Mrs. A. Harrison, and Mrs. Artemecy Harrison.
\[31\] Harrison, WFT, volume 24, tree 1095, quotes from extensive notes.
+ 15 ii  **Elijah Benton**\(^3\) Harrison, born about 1827, Perry Co., Ala., married **Martha Payne**, and had at least five children.

+ 16 iii  **Elizabeth Mary**\(^3\) Harrison, born about 1829, Alabama, probably Perry Co., died 24 June 1884, Abilene, Taylor Co., Tex., buried south of Pleasanton, Atascosa Co., Tex. Elizabeth married 15 Feb. 1849,\(^{33}\) Brenham, Washington Co., Tex., **Jesse Richard**\(^1\) Smith, born Apr. 1820 in Alabama,\(^{34}\) died 1906 in Cloudcroft, Otero Co., N.M., and was buried there. This is my line. See my companion book to this one on the Smith family, for details.\(^{35}\)

+ 17 iv  **James Clinton**\(^3\) Harrison, born Nov. 1831, Alabama, and was single in the 1910 census, but listed as a widower in the 1900 census.

+ 18 v  **Hugh Lawson**\(^3\) Harrison, born about 1836, Perry Co., married **Elizabeth Minerva Jolly**, sister of the wife of Hugh’s brother, John Malone Harrison, and had four children.


    Col. Samuel Turner Harrison headed a caravan of settlers from Perry Co., Ala., to Cherokee Co., Tex., in 1853–4. His children’s names are listed and form a record of sorts of family names. Samuel’s wife Ann (White) was with him, as was her sister Amy (White) and husband William Samuel Watters, and their family.\(^{36}\)

    S. T. Harrison 50, a farmer born in Kentucky with $3,670 and $15,509 in real and personal estates, respectively, lives in 1860 in Rusk,

33. Jordan R. Dodd, et al, *Early American Marriages: Texas to 1850* (Bountiful, Utah: Precision Indexing Publishers, 19-), as on *Texas Marriages to 1850*, Ancestry.com, “Harryson, Elizabeth married Smith, Jesse R. on 12 Feb 1847 in Washington County, Texas.” Several others who cite this record give the date as 15 Feb. 1849, so the online transcription is probably in error.


35. Smith, *A Texian-New Mexican Smith Family*.

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In 1870, Samuel T. Harrison 60, a farmer born in Kentucky with $1,000 real and $500 personal estates, resided in Alto, Cherokee Co., Tex., with Ann 58, born in Georgia, Ann 17, born in Alabama, along with Jesse Bush 19, born in Tennessee, and Jack Bush 13, born in Texas, both farmworkers.

It is only Samuel T. Harrison 69 and wife Ann 67 in 1880 in Cherokee Co., Tex. Samuel is born in Kentucky, his father in Virginia (which does not agree with other information) and his mother in Kentucky. Ann is born in Georgia with both parents natives of Georgia.

Children:

+ 19 i MANEURAH PHERIBA HARRISON, born 6 Aug. 1835, Perry Co., Ala., married JOHN WHITTAKER CRAIN, and had six children
+ 20 ii JOHN MALONE WHITE HARRISON, born 17 Sept. 1837, Alabama, married (1) SUE/SUSANA KNOX, and had at least three children, married (2) NANCY ELLEN RAINBOLT.
+ 21 iii ABSOLUM CLINTON HARRISON, born about 1842, Alabama, married VIRGINIA —, and had at least two children.
+ 22 iv AMY ELIZABETH HARRISON, born about 1844, Alabama.
+ 23 v MARGARET ELMINA HARRISON, born about 1847, Alabama.
+ 24 vi SAMUEL MIRZA HARRISON, not listed in the 1860 census, so presumably died before then.
+ 25 vii ANN ALMENA HARRISON, born about 1851, Alabama.

37. U.S. census, 1860, post office Rusk, Beat No. 1, Cherokee Co., Tex., r. 1290, p. 413, dw. 42, fam. 42.
THIRD GENERATION

14. JOHN MALONE³ HARRISON (ⁿEwel Sextonⁿ, John Maloneⁿ) was born 17 Sept. 1822 (gravestone), Perry Co. (but see pension application below which states Talladega Co.), Alabama, died 9 Nov. 1906, Leming, Atascosa Co., Tex., and was buried in Tumlinson Cem., Atascosa Co., Tex.¹⁴¹ He married 31 Dec. 1857, Atascosa Co., Tex.,¹⁴² MARI- ON/MARIAN NIVEL JOLLY, born 2 Dec. 1837 (gravestone), Joplin, Jasper Co., Missouri, daughter of James and Margaret (Renfro) Jolly,¹⁴³ and died 11 July 1922, Atascosa Co.,¹⁴⁴ and was buried in Tumlinson Cem., Leming, Atascosa Co.¹⁴⁵

John first arrived in Texas 10 July 1845, according to a registration statement he made 10 July 1867 in which he stated that he was a native

¹⁴¹ Find a Grave, no. 11694445, gravestone photograph, by Evelyn Harrison, Tumlinson Cem., Leming, Atascosa Co., Tex., "Father | At Rest | John M. | Harrison | Sept. 17, 1822 | Nov. 8, 1906"; Atascosa Co., Tex.- Cems.: Tumlinson Cem., "Harrison, John M. 17 Sep 1822 9 Nov 1906 Harrison Father An honest man is the noblest work of God | Harrison, John Malone 17 Sep 1822 9 Nov 1906 Texas Mtd Rangers Indian Wars."


¹⁴⁴ Tex. Death Index, 1903–2000, Marion Harrison, died 11 July 1922, Atascosa Co., certificate 19149; Evelyn Harrison Pugh, Re: James Jolly and Margaret Renfro. Much of the information on the John Malone and Marion Nivel (Jolly) Harrison family and descendants is based on the research of Evelyn Pugh.

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of Alabama, his place of residence was Atascosa County, Texas, and that he had been in Texas 22 years. His brother James C. Harrison signed also, and their father-in-law, James Jolly, stated that he was a native of South Carolina, had been in Texas 28 years and in Atascosa County, Texas for 13 years.\[46\]

John Malone Harrison enlisted 6 Sept. 1849 in Capt. McCown’s company of the Texas Mounted Rangers, serving in the Indian Wars, and was discharged 13 Mar. 1850. In his pension declaration of 9 Aug. 1902, he states that he lived in Washington Co., Tex. and got his mail at Brenham. He said that he road horseback in 1849 to Huntsville, Texas, to sign up with Capt. McCown. He was 27 at enlistment, 5 feet 10 inches tall, gray eyes, black hair, fair complexion, born in Talladega Co., Ala., had resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., for 52 years, and married Marian Jolly.\[47\]\[48\]

In 1860 “Jno” M. Harrison, 38, a stockraiser born in Alabama with $400 real and $983 personal estates, resided in Pleasanton, Atascosa Co., Tex., with Marion, 22, born in Missouri, Margaret F., 16/12, born in Texas, James L., 6/12, born in Texas, and H. L., 24, born in Alabama. H. L. Harrison, probably John’s younger brother Hugh Lawson Harrison, had estates of $40 and $720, respectively.\[49\]

46. Harrison, WFT, volume 24, tree 1095, credits “(From the State Archives of Texas, Austin Travis County, Texas. All signatures of Electors were on the lists. My thanks to Mary Tyler Moore of Bryan, Texas (Waylan Harrison).) Probably Waylon D. Harrison (David Malone, James Lawson, John Malone, Euel Sexton, John Malone).”

47. U.S. Index to Indian Wars Pension Files, 1892–1926, card image online, soldier John M. Harrison, dependent Marian Harrison, widow, service Pvt., Capt. McCown’s Co., Tex. Mtd. Rangers, soldier application 6077, certificate 5693, widow’s filing, 10 Dec. 1906, applicatoin 10248, certificate 7342, Tex.

48. Harrison, WFT, volume 24, tree 1095, credits “This information from the National Archives in Washington D.C. I was able to obtain a Bronze Grave Marker from the Government with proof that he served in the Indian War as a Texas Mounted Ranger. (Waylan Harrison.)” Harrison states that two cousins of John’s, Hiram and William Harrison, served in the same company, also from Washington Co., Tex. The Indian Service Application is no. 6077 and the pension certificate from it is no. 5693; a widow’s application is no. 1024, and its certificate is no. 7342.

In 1870 J. M. Harrison 47, a farmer born in Alabama with $74 in real and $1,000 in personal estate, resided in Pleasanton, Atascosa Co., with Marian 33, born Missouri, James C., 10, Benton, 4, Ewell S., 3, Atta-delle, 6/12, all born in Texas, and James C., 38, a stockraiser born in Alabama, who was probably John’s brother, James Clinton Harrison.\[50\]

Possibly it was this John Harrison who partook in a cattle drive of 100 two-year-old steers to Abilene, Kansas, in 1878.\[51\]

In 1880 John “S.” Harrison, 57, a farmer born in Alabama with father born in Tennessee and mother in Kentucky, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., with his wife, Marian N., 43, born in “Misuria,” children James, 20, John B., 14, Ewel S., 12, Axi-della, 10, “Wm” R., 8, Thomas D., 6, Vaughan M., 4, Walter S., 3, and Ora Ann, 2/12 Apr, all nine born in Texas, and brother, James C., 49, a stock raiser born in Alabama.\[52\] This family is listed next to that of Hugh L. Harrison, another brother of John’s. The nativities of John’s parents do not appear to be correct, nor his middle initial.


The “old home place” for John Malone Harrison was in the Verdi Community, Atascosas Co. The probate appraisal made 26 Dec. 1906 valued it at $3600.\[54\]

51. Harrison, WFT, volume 24, tree 1095, credits W. M. Shannon, “The Old Trail Drivers of Texas,” vol. 2, 604–7: “In the group were Joe Shannon, Tom Williams, John Harrison, Buck Wright and myself, W. M. Shannon.”
54. Harrison, WFT, volume 24, tree 1095, cites abstract no. 661, M. J. Perez survey, 344 acres, and tax receipt originals for 1887, 1896, 1908, in the possession of the researcher Waylan Harrison.
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In 1910 Marian Harrison, 72, a widow born in Missouri of Tennessee natives, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., with her daughter, Ora, 30, a single woman born in Texas of a father born in Tennessee and a mother in “Masura,” and her granddaughter, “Hellen” Harrison, 6, born in Texas of Texas natives. Marian had had 14 children, with 10 surviving. Hellen was probably the daughter of Vaughn Mill Harrison by his first wife, Julia Mathis, who died in 1905 after which he remarried and had a second family.

In 1920 Marian Harrison, 82, a widow born in Missouri of Tennessee natives, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., with her daughter, Ora A., 39, a single woman born in Texas with father born in Kentucky and mother in Missouri, and her (Ora’s) niece, Helen Harrison, 16, born in Texas of Texas natives. Nearby resided John B. Harrison, 54.

Children:

26 i ELISAH B. HARRISON, not mentioned in the 1860 census so probably died by then.
27 ii MARGARET FRANCES HARRISON, born 17 Dec. 1858 (gravestone), died 8 July 1866, buried in Tumlinson Cem., Leming, Atascosa Co., Tex.
+ 28 iii JAMES LAWSON HARRISON, born 11 Feb. 1860, Texas, married EMMA EUGENE HENRY, and had seven children.
30 v SIDNEY A. HARRISON, born 31 Jan. 1863 (gravestone), died 7 July 1866, buried in Tumlinson Cem., Leming, Atascosa Co., Tex.

57. Find a Grave, no. 11694504, gravestone photograph, by Evelyn Harrison, Tumlinson Cem., Leming, Atascosa Co., Tex., “Margaret Frances | Harrison | Dec. 17, 1858 | July 8, 1866.”
32 vii **EUEL/EWEL SEXTON⁴ HARRISON**, born 5 Sept. 1867, Texas, married **EMMA FRANCES MATHIS**, and had four children.


34 ix **WILLIAM RENFRO⁴ HARRISON**, born 9 Apr. 1872, Atascosa Co., Tex., married (1) **RUBY DUTTON**, married (2) **LOTTIE POTEET**, with whom he had two children.

35 x **THOMAS D.⁴ HARRISON**, born 20 Jan. 1874, Texas, married **MARSHALL ESTELL W. WITTEN**, and had two children.

36 xi **VAUGHN MILL⁴ HARRISON**, born July 1876, Texas, married (1) **JULIA MATHIS**, and had one child. He married (2) **MYRTLE G. (DUNN) TUMLINSON**, and had two children.

37 xii **WALTER SCOTT⁴ HARRISON**, born 29 Apr. 1877, Verdi, Atascosa Co., Tex., married **EMMALINE/EMMA TIMBERLAKE**, and had at least two children.


15. **ELIJAH BENTON³ HARRISON** (⁴Ewel Sexton, John Malone) was born about 1827, Perry Co., Ala., buried south of Pleasanton, Atascosa Co.,Tex., and died before the 1870 census. He married 25 Dec. 1848, Grimes Co., Tex., **MARTHA³ PAYNE** (⁵Nancy, Elijah Gorman) who


61. Texs Marriages to 1850, Elijah Harrison to (Mrs.) Martha Reynolds.
was born about 1827, Alabama, who was living in Texas, age 20, and
married to Elijah Harrison in 1852 (see appendix A deposition). Martha
had married earlier — Reynolds [Runnals]. She died 22 Feb. 1864, as pre-
viously mentioned. See my companion book to this one on the Gorman
family, for details on Martha.

Elijah Harrison 24, born in Alabama, resided in 1850 in Grimes Co.,
Tex., with Martha 23, born in Alabama, and daughter Parlee 8/12, born
in Texas. Parlee must be the same child as Justina, so perhaps her
name is Justina Paralee.

In 1860, E. B. Harrison 33, a stockraiser native to Alabama with $500
and $1,700 real and personal estate valuations, resided in Pleasanton,
Atascosa Co., Tex., with Martha 33, born Alabama, Justina 10, Melissa
E. 9, Mary A. 6, Laura 3, and James A. 9/12, all born in Texas. Next
door is James Harrison, probably brother James Clinton Harrison 27,
living with the Jesse and Elizabeth (Harrison) Smith family.

Children:

i CHRISTINA [CALLISTA] JUSTINA PARALEE 1 HARRISON, born 3 Oct.
1849, Texas, married 28 Feb. 1867, Atascosa Co., Tex., JAMES E.
PETTY, born about 1844, Arkansas, and had at least six children,
assuming the following census information is about the correct
family.

62. Martha’s birthdate estimate here matches the following Texas census data but slightly mis-
matches the 1832 estimate of Gorman family researchers. Nevertheless, this does appear to be the
same Martha.
63. Email from Evelyn D. (Harrison) Pugh, 28 June 2002, “Re: Harrision, Chism, Smith, Gorm-
man.”
64. Smith, Elijah P. Gorman Family.
209. The Jesse Smith family is dwelling 235, fam. 208.
67. The birthdates below are from Waylan D. Harrison, “Harrison Biographies,” Harrison Heritage,
Mar. 1985, 573, online at <freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.com/~harrisonrep/hhdocs/85MarHH-
art2.htm>. Unsourced, but dates match census estimates. First child is called Callista.
1867, Atascosa Co.
Calista Justina Paralee Harrison married to Absolom Tidwell Tumlinson, born 14 Dec. 1827, Ar-
In 1880, James E. Petty 36, born in Arkansas with father born in Tennessee and mother born in Alabama, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., with Christina 31, born in Texas with both parents born in Mississippi (which contradicts other evidence), Elizabeth J. 5 1/2, Wm B. 5 1/2, Calodonia 7, James E. 4, Elijah J. 2, Guy W. 5 1/2, all born in Texas, James Harrison 19, born in Texas with father born in Mississippi and mother born in Missouri, probably Christina's brother (although his parents' nativities don't match hers or other evidence), and J. K. Dale 50, born in Texas. [70]

They moved to Pomona, California, and took her younger brother James with them, which matches the census information. [71]

ii MELISSA ELIZABETH 4 HARRISON, born 21 July 1851, Texas, married WILLIAM WESLEY COUGHRAN, and had children Luther 5, Edward 5, Lillian 5, Elmer 5, and Stella Coughran. [72]

Malisa Harrison 18, and Laura Harrison 13, both born in Texas, orphaned by their parents, live in 1870 in Pleasanton, Atascosa Co., Tex., with the precinct constable [J. E. Petty?] 27, born in Arkansas, [Fynie?] 23, William B. 3, and Elizabeth 1, all born in Texas. [73] This might be the James E. Petty mentioned above who perhaps married Melissa's sister Justina, but the census record is difficult to read exactly (it might say T. E. Petty, or even T. C. Jolly). The two children William B. and Elizabeth match, but the woman [Fynie?] is a problem.

iii MARY ARTEMECY 4 HARRISON, born 8 May 1854, Texas, died 3 Dec. 1837, married 25 June 1873, Atascosa Co., Tex. [74] JAMES kansas, with daughter Harriet Armesa Tumlinson, born 30 Dec. 1858, Atascosa Co., Tex. This would perhaps explain the "Justenia Tomlinson and her husband" in the published list of heirs of Elijah Gorman, in the Macon Beacon, 1857 (see Smith, Elijah P. Gorman Family). However, the 1870 census for Atascosa Co. gives A. T. Tumlinson's wife as Cynthia J. 34, born Mississippi, implying her birth about 1836. Furthermore, the daughter Harriet was born in 1858 when Justina Harrison was only about 8 years old.

70. U.S. census, 1880, Atascosa Co., Tex., r. 1289, p. 303, ED 3, dw. 54, fam. 54.
73. U.S. census, 1870, post office Pleasanton, Atascosa Co., Tex., r. 1573, p. 171, dw. 37, fam. 37.
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KNOX POLK DUPREE. They had children Thomas, Martha, Effie, Arthur, Mary Lou, Alice, and Alphra Earl Dupree. [75]

Minnie Harrison 17, born in Texas, is probably orphan Mary, living in 1870 in Pleasanton, Atascosa Co., in the home of Marshall [Nickle?] 30, a grocer born in Alabama, Sallie 15, born in Illinois, James Bowyer 30, grocer (retired), born Virginia, and Georgiana Love 11, born Texas. [76] Minnie thus lives next to the Johnson family where her sister Caledona resided and two doors from her uncle Hugh Lawson Harrison and his family.

43 iv LAURA HARRISON, born about 1857, Texas, married — KEISTER. [77]

As mentioned above, orphan Laura Harrison, 13, lives with the Jolly family in Pleasanton, Texas, in 1870.

44 v JAMES A. HARRISON, born about 1859, Texas.

As mentioned previously, in 1870, J. A. Harrison, 10, born in Texas, orphaned by his parents, lives with the Jesse Richard and Elizabeth (Harrison) Smith family. [78] This is probably the James Harrison, 19, living with James E. and Christina (Harrison?) Petty, already mentioned. [79] See my companion book to this one on the Smith family, for details. [80]


Caledona Harrison 8, born in Texas, resided with W J. Johnson, 37, a saddler born in Alabama, and Margaret W. Johnson, 24, born in Tennessee. [82]

79. U.S. census, 1880, Atascosa Co., Tex., r. 1289, p. 303, ED 3, dw. 54, fam. 54.
80. Smith, A Texian-New Mexican Smith Family.
81. Email from Evelyn D. (Harrison) Pugh, 28 June 2002, “Re: Harrison, Chism, Smith, Gorman,” contributed the information that Calla Donna Harrison was another child of this family, also orphaned, and living with the Johnson family in 1870.
17. JAMES CLINTON\(^3\) HARRISON (\(\textit{Ewel Sexton}^2, \textit{John Malone}^1\)) was born Nov. 1831 (1900 census), Alabama.

In 1860 James Harrison, 27, a stockraiser born in Alabama, resided with the Jesse Smith family, and next door to the E. B. Harrison family.\[^83\]

In 1870 James C. Harrison, 38, a stock raiser born in Alabama, resided with his brother J. M. Harrison in Pleasanton, Atascosa Co.\[^84\]

In 1880 James C. Harrison, 49, a stock raiser born in Alabama, resided with his brother John’s family, and next door to his brother Hugh’s family, in Atascosa Co.\[^85\]

In 1900 James Harrison, 68, a widower born Nov. 1831 in Alabama of a father born in Virginia and a mother in Georgia single, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., with his nephew, Walter S. Harrison, 23 (q.v.). Next door were Euel S. Harrison, 32, and James L. Harrison, 40.\[^86\]

In 1910, Jim Harrison, 78, single, born in Alabama of Alabama natives, resided in the household of his nephew Walter Scott Harrison in Atascosa Co., Tex. (q.v.).

18. HUGH LAWSON\(^3\) HARRISON (\(\textit{Ewel Sexton}^2, \textit{John Malone}^1\)) was born about 1836, Perry Co., Ala., died 19 Feb. 1892, Wilson Co., Tex., age 56, buried Pleasanton City Cem., Atascosa Co., Tex.\[^87\] Hugh married

\[^83\] U.S. census, 1870, post office Pleasanton, Atascosa Co., Tex., r. 1287, p. 203, dw. 480, fam. 480.

\[^84\] U.S. census, 1870, post office Pleasanton, Atascosa Co., Tex., r. 1287, p. 203, dw. 480, fam. 480.

\[^85\] U.S. census, 1880, Atascosa Co., Tex., ED 3, r. 1289, p. 294, dw. 85, fam. 85.


\[^87\] Find a Grave, no. 10179317, gravestone photograph, by Evelyn Harrison, Pleasanton City Cem., Atascosa Co., Tex., “[masonic symbol] | Hugh L. Harrison | died Feb. 19, 1892 | aged 56 yrs.”; Waylan D. Harrison, World Family Tree (WFT), volume 24, tree 1095, but with this note: “I have not found positive proof that Ewel and Artemecy are parents of listed children. The ages correspond with the Ala. census of 1830 and 1840,” but he notes that John Malone Harrison named his fourth child Euel Sexton Harrison and that Elijah Benton Harrison named one of his daughters Mary Ann Artemecy Harrison; Tanya Moore Van Horne, Moore’s and Related Families2, Ancestry.com, 25 Aug. 2001. One of these might be a partial source for the other. Both cite “Vol. 118, Lic #10 Perry County, Alabama” for the marriage of Ewel and Artemecy Harrison. Ancestry.com, Gene
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As already mentioned, H. L. Harrison 24, born Alabama, resided with his brother Jno. M. Harrison and family in the 1860 census of Pleasantown, Atascosa Co., Tex.[91]

In 1870 H. L. Harrison, 34, Justice of the Peace born in Alabama, real estate $250 and personal estate $1,000, resided in Pleasanton, Atascosa Co., Tex., with Eliza M., 30, born Missouri, Elizabeth, 8, and Mary L., 3, both born Texas.[92]

In 1880 Hugh L. Harrison, 44, a farmer born in Alabama with father born in Tennessee and mother born in Kentucky, resided in Atascosa Co., with his wife, Eliza M., 40, born in “Mosuri,” daughters, Elizabeth, 18, and Mary L., 13, born in Texas, and son, Charles H., 4, born in Texas. With them were the family of Andrew McMains, 63, born in Kentucky, his wife, Caroline, 36, born in Kentucky, daughters, Rebecca, 21, and Amanda, 18, born in Texas, also with the Harrisons were stepsons, Henry McKney, 19, and Wm J. McKney, 16, both born in Texas with both parents native to Kentucky.[93] Since the stepsons have Kentucky


89. U.S. census, 1850, Travis Co., Tex., r. 915, p. 145B, dw. 183, fam. 183. See sketch for John Malone Harrison for details. Importantly, daughter Eliza, born about 1839, Missouri, is listed in 1850 and 1860. There is a problem with the 1860 listing, however, since the enumeration date was 2 Aug. 1860, at which time Eliza should have been married to Hugh.
90. Evelyn Harrison Pugh, Re: James Jolly and Margaret Renfro. Much of the information on the Hugh Lawson and Elizabeth Minerva (Jolly) Harrison family and descendants is based on the research of Evelyn Pugh.
93. U.S. census, 1880, Atascosa Co., Tex., ED 3, r. 1289, p. 294, dw. 86, fam. 86.

natives for parents, they were probably stepsons of Andrew McMains, not Hugh L. Harrison.

According to researcher Waylon D. Harrison, “he was shot in the back 4 times by a Slimjenke.”[94]

Children:

46 i Molly Harrison, married Albert Beitel.
47 ii Edna Elizabeth Harrison, born 5 Feb. 1862, Atascosa Co., Tex., married John Fountain McKenzie, and had five children.
48 iii Mary L. Harrison, born about 1867, Texas.
49 iv Charles H. Harrison, born about 1876, Texas.


John W. Crain is listed on the 1846 San Augustine Co., tax list and also, age 25, on the 1850 U.S. Census for San Augustine District, San Augustine Co., Tex., including its slave schedule, with five slaves, ages 11–45.[96]

John W. Crain 31 and Maneurah P. Crain 25 reside in 1860 in Nacogdoches, Nacogdoches Co., Tex. John is a farmer born in Tennessee with real estate valued at $9,450 and a personal estate valued at $12,870.[97] John W. Crain has 13 slaves, ages 1–42.[98]

The year 1870 finds John W. Crain 40, a farmer born in Tennessee with real estate value $2,500 and personal estate value $880, in Linnflat,

94. Harrison, WFT, volume 24, tree 1095, unsourced claim.
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Nacogdoches Co., Tex., with Mariah 35, born in Alabama, Edmund H. 9, Newel W. 6, Albert M. 3, and Henry W. 1, all born in Texas. Also in the household are four blacks: Emily Willard 16, house servant, Sary Johnson 9, John Crain 18, and Frank 15, all four born in Texas.¹⁹⁹

In 1880, John W. Crain 51, a farmer born in Tennessee of parents both born in Tennessee, lives in Montague Co., Tex., with his wife Maneurah 44, born in Alabama with father born in “(Tenn)” and mother in “(Ala),” Edwin 19, Newel W. 16, Albert M. 13, Henry W. 11, John M. 8, William A. 6, all six born in Texas and all but William “at school.” Also in the household are John Crain 28 and Frank Weaver 25, both black, born in Texas, and “working on farm.”¹⁰⁰

Children:

50 i EDWARD HARRISON⁴ CRAIN, born 17 Jan. 1861.
51 ii Dr. NEWELL WALTON⁴ CRAIN, born 20 Feb. 1863.
52 iii ALBERT MIRZA⁴ CRAIN, born 13 Sept. 1866, Nacogdoches, Nacogdoches Co., Tex.
53 iv HENRY WATERS⁴ CRAIN, born 27 Aug. 1868.
54 v JOHN MALONE⁴ CRAIN, born 6 Oct. 1871, Nacogdoches Co., Tex.
55 vi WILLIAM ABSALOM⁴ CRAIN, born 3 Feb. 1874.

20. JOHN MALONE WHITE³ HARRISON („Samuel Turner², John Malone¹) was born 17 Sept. 1837 (death certificate), Alabama, died 3 Aug. 1918, Montague Co., Tex.,¹⁰¹ and was buried 3 Aug. 1918, Spanish Fort, Montague Co. He married (1) SUE/SUSANA KNOX,¹⁰² who was born

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¹⁹⁹ U.S. census, 1870, post office Linnflat, District 5, Nacogdoches Co., Tex., r. 1599, p. 537, dw. 238, fam. 238.
¹⁰⁰ U.S. census, 1880, District 6, Montague Co., Tex., r. 1320, p. 468, dw. 176, fam. 176, house no. 27.
¹⁰² Her surname from the death certificate of son Absolom Clinton Harrison (q.v.).
about 1840, Texas or Tennessee. He married (2) 8 Dec. 1887 NANCY ELLEN RAINBOLT, born 3 Oct. 1848, Rusk Co., Tex.\[103\]

In 1870, Malone Harrison, 34, a farmer born in Alabama with real and personal estates valued at $1,000 and $500, respectively, resided in Alto, Cherokee Co., Tex., with Susana, 30, born in Texas, Lula, 4 and Maggie, 2, both born in Texas. Next door was Absolom Harrison and family.\[104\]

In 1900 “Jno.” M. Harrison, 62, a farmer born in Alabama, resided in Spanish Fort, Montague Co., Tex., with his wife of 12 years, “M.” Ellen, 53, born Oct. 1846 in Texas, and “Abb.” C., 17, a son born Oct. 1882 in Texas, father born in Alabama and mother in Texas. Ellen had had two children, both surviving, but Abb. C. was probably John’s son from his first wife, since his name is Absolom Clinton. It is not known if Rainbolt is Ellen’s maiden surname. John’s father is listed a native of Tennessee and his mother of Alabama, neither of which matches other information.\[105\]

In 1910 J. M. Harrison, 73, resided in Spanish Fort, Montague Co., with his second wife of 21 years, N. E., 58. He was born in Alabama with father born in Tennessee and mother in Alabama, again, and she was born in Texas of Alabama native parents.\[106\]

Children:

56  i  LULA⁴ HARRISON, born about 1866, Texas.
57  ii  MAGGIE⁴ HARRISON, born about 1868, Texas.
58  iii  ABSOLOM CLINTON⁴ HARRISON, born Oct. 1882 (1900 census) or 14 Aug. 1884 (death certificate), Texas, died single 2 Nov. 1938, Clarendon, Donley Co., Tex., and was removed 3 Nov. 1938 for burial in Whitesboro, Tex.\[107\]

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105. U.S. census, 1900, Spanish Fort, Pct. 6, Montague Co., Tex., r. 1660, p. 188, dw. 49, fam. 49.
21. ABSOLOM CLINTON³ HARRISON (Samuel Turner², John Malone¹) was born about 1842, Alabama, married VIRGINIA —, born about 1845, Alabama.

Absolom Harrison 31, a farmer born in Alabama with real and personal estates valued at $1,000 and $200, respectively, resided in 1870, in Alto, Cherokee Co., Tex., with Virginia 25, born in Alabama, and daughter Frances 10/12, born in Texas. Next door is Malone Harrision and family.[108]

In 1880, Absolom C. Harrison 38, a druggist born in Alabama with father born in Kentucky and mother in Georgia, resided in Alto, Cherokee Co., Tex., with his wife Jennie 36, born in Alabama with father born in North Carolina and mother in Alabama. With them are Samuel F. 8 and Fannie B. 11, both born in Texas.[109]

Children:

59  i  FRANCES B.⁴ HARRISON, born about 1869, Texas.
60  ii  SAMUEL F.⁴ HARRISON, born about 1872, Texas.

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father John Malone Harrison, born Spanish Fort, Tex. [sic], mother Sue Knox, born Tenn., informant Mrs. A. W. Simpson, of Clarendon, removal 3 Nov. 1938, to Whitesboro, Tex. [FHL 2117825].
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28. JAMES LAWSON⁴ HARRISON (John Malone³, Ewel Sexton², John Malone¹) was born 11 Feb. 1860 (gravestone and death certificate), Tex., died 18 Nov. 1945, Leming, Atascosa Co., Tex.,[110] and was buried 19 Nov. 1945 in Tumlinson Cem., Leming.[111] He married 24 Dec. 1885, Atascosa Co.,[112] EMMA EUGENE HENRY, who was born 16 Dec. 1865 (gravestone), Panola Co., Tex., daughter of David and Nancy (Rowe) Henry, and died 20 July 1914, Leming, Atascosa Co.,[113] and was buried in Tumlinson Cem., next to her husband.


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111. Find a Grave, no. 11694298, gravestone photograph, by Evelyn Harrison, Tumlinson Cem., Leming, Atascosa Co., Tex., “Harrison | Father | James Lawson | Dec. 11, 1860 | Nov. 18, 1945 | | Mother | Emma Eugene | Dec. 5, 1865  July 18, 1914.” Unsourced notes: James Lawson Harrison owned the land for this cemetery at one time and it was in the family until 1952. | James Lawson Harrison and others went up the trail in 1878 with 500 horses to Dodge City, Kansas. This was in a book written by R.J. Lauderdale John M. Doak, "On the Trail and On the Range". In 1930 John M. Doak stated that he and Jimmy Harrison were the only ones left of the boys that made that drive. | James Lawson Harrison served in WW-I in France and was wounded at VERDUN. | A brick building for the Leming schoolhouse was built in 1914. The cornerstone bears the following names: Will Shannon, President; J.L. Harrison, Secretary/ Treasurer; and Emil Arnold.


113. Evelyn Harrison Pugh, Re: James Jolly and Margaret Renfro. Much of the fourth generation of the Harrison family is from research by Evelyn Pugh.
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in Texas. Emma had had six children, with four surviving. Next door were Euel S. Harrison, 32, and James Harrison, 68.[114]

In 1910 James L. Harrison, 50, a farmer born in Texas with parents of unknown nativities, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., with his wife of 24 years, “Emmer” E., 44, born in Texas of a father born in Tennessee and a mother in Texas, his sons, Herman O., 22, and James L. Jr., 15, and daughters, Arie A., 10, and Dovie H., 8, all four born in Texas. Emmer had had seven children, with five surviving. Next door was David M. Harrison, 21.[115]

In 1920 James L. Harrison, 59, widower, a farmer born in Texas with father born in Alabama and mother in Missouri, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., with his sons, Herman, 32, a salesman, and J. L. Jr., 25, a farmer, and daughter, Arie, 20, a teacher, all single and all born in Texas.[116]

In 1930 Jim Harrison, 70, a widower, resided in Atascosa Co. alone but next door to B. John Harrison, who was surely his brother, John Benton. Jim was born in Texas, his father in Alabama and his mother in Missouri. He was 26 at first marriage.[117]

Children:

+ 61 i HERMAN OLIVE5 HARRISON, born 19 July 1887, Leming, Atascosa Co., Tex., married ALICE LUCILLE HARGUS, and had two children.

+ 62 ii DAVID MALONE5 HARRISON, born 21 Mar. 1889, Leming, Atascosa Co., Tex., married MARY ETHEL ROBERTS, and had two children.

63 iii OLLIE5 HARRISON, born 31 July 1890 (gravestone), died 27 Jan. 1900, buried in Tumlinson Cem., Leming, Atascosa Co., Tex.[118]


[117] U.S. census, 1930, Atascosa Co., Tex., ED 11, r. 2288, p. 7, fam. 132. The census lists both him and his brother’s family as family 132—i.e., the number is used twice.

[118] Find a Grave, no. 11695484, “Ollie | born | July 31, | 1890; | died | Jan. 27, | 1900,” along the side of what appears to be the same stone that Etna Harrison’s name is on, but I haven’t yet recognized whose name is on the main face of this stone.
iv Etna⁵ Harrison, born 5 Nov. 1891 (gravestone), died 11 Feb. 1900, buried in Tumlinson Cem., Leming, Atascosa Co., Tex.¹¹⁹

v James Lawson⁵ Harrison, Jr., born 1 Dec. 1894, Leming, Atascosa Co., Tex., died 12 Apr. 1956, and buried in Tumlinson Cemetery, Atascosa Co.¹²⁰

J. L. Harrison Jr., 35, a farmer born in Texas, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., in 1930 alone, a single man, but just a few doors from (his father James and uncle) John B. Harrison.¹²¹

+ vi Arie Adna⁵ Harrison, born Oct. 1898 or 23 Oct. 1899, Texas., married Allen Witten, and had one child.

+ vii Hazel Dovie⁵ Harrison, born 6 June 1901, Atascosa Co., Tex., married Lincoln Sinclair Baker, and had two children.


In 1920 John B. Harrison, 54, a farmer born in Texas of a father born in Mississippi and a mother in Texas, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., with his wife Margaret, 54, born in Texas of Texas natives, daughters, Dollie,
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32, and Marsha, 30, son, Ben, 18, and daughter, Allie-Mae, 14, all four born in Texas. Marian Harrison, 82, resided nearby.\[125\]

In 1930 the handprinted census for Atascosa Co. lists B. John Harrison, 64, a farmer, living with his wife, “J. Margret,” 64, and his daughter, M. Clinton, 41, a clerk. They were all born in Texas. John’s father was born in Alabama and his mother in Missouri. Margret’s father was born in Texas and her mother in Mississippi. Next door was Jim Harrison and few doors the other way was J. L. Harrison Jr., who were almost certainly John’s brother, James Lawson Harrison, and his son, James Lawson Harrison Jr.\[126\]

Children:

68 i **EVA** HARRISON.
69 ii **DOLLIE** HARRISON, born about 1888, Texas.
70 iii **MARTHA CLINTON** HARRISON, born 9 Jan. 1889 (gravestone), died 14 Oct. 1974, buried Brite Cem., Pleasanton, Atascosa Co., Tex.\[127\]
71 iv **MARSHA** HARRISON, born about 1890, Texas. This might, in fact, be Martha Clinton Harrison.
+ 72 v **S. NEILL** HARRISON, born 19 Sept. 1890, Texas, married **WILLIE BELLE KIETH**, and had four children.
+ 73 vi **JOHN B.** HARRISON, born about 1895, Texas, married **OLA** , and had at least one child.

In 1920 Oscar E. Harrison, 23, a farmer born in Texas of parents both born in Texas, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., with his

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128.SSDI, Emette Harrison, SSN 457–62–7172, last residence 78064 Pleasanton, Atascosa Co., Tex.; Evelyn Pugh, Re: James Jolly and Margaret Renfro, gives his birth as 13 Nov. 1896.
wife, Mary, 22, born in Texas with both parents also born in Texas.\footnote{129}

In 1930 Emmett Harrison, 33, a farmer, resided in Atascosa Co. with his wife, Mary, 32. Both were native Texans, and all parents too. Emmett was 23 at first marriage, and Mary 22.\footnote{130}

75 viii **BENTON**\textsuperscript{5} HARRISON, born 5 Jan. 1901, married **VERNA TINNEY**, and had two children.

76 ix **ALLIE MAE**\textsuperscript{5} HARRISON, born about 1906, Texas.

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32. **EUEL/EWEL SEXTON\textsuperscript{4} HARRISON** (\textit{\textsuperscript{4}John Malone\textsuperscript{3}, Ewel Sexton\textsuperscript{2}}, \textit{\textsuperscript{3}John Malone\textsuperscript{2}})\footnote{131} was born 5 Sept. 1867 (death certificate), Texas, died 4 Nov. 1942, Atascosa Co., Tex.,\footnote{132} and was buried in Jourdanton City Cem., Atascosa Co., Tex.\footnote{133} He married 11 Oct. 1893, Atascosa Co.,\footnote{134} **EMMA FRANCES MATHIS**,\footnote{135} who was born 13 Mar. 1875 (death certificate), Paris, Parker Co., Tex., daughter of John M. and Mary (Borrow[es]) Mathis,\footnote{136} and died 19 June 1955, San Antonio, Bexar Co., Tex.,\footnote{137} and was buried 20 June 1955 next to her husband.

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\item \footnotetext{129}{U.S. census, 1920, Justice Pct. 7, Atascosa Co., Tex., ED 10, r. 1773, p. 2, dw. 41, fam. 42.}
\item \footnotetext{130}{U.S. census, 1930, Pct. 8, Atascosa Co., Tex., ED 14, r. 2288, p. 12, dw. 190, fam. 210.}
\item \footnotetext{131}{His name was spelled Ewel when a boy, like his grandfather’s spelling, but it changed to Euel as a married man and remained at that spelling.}
\item \footnotetext{133}{\textit{Find a Grave}, no. 11698335, gravestone photograph, by Evelyn Harrison, Jourdanton City Cem., Jourdanton, Atascosa Co., Tex., “Harrison | Father | Euel S. | 1867–1942 | | Mother | Emma F. | 1875–1955.”}
\item \footnotetext{135}{Her full name from son Stafford’s amended birth certificate (q.v.).}
\item \footnotetext{136}{U.S. census, 1880, Wilson Co., Tex., ED 148, r. 1333, p. 36, sh. 36A, dw. 207, fam. 227, lists J. “Mathias,” 35, farmer born Ga., wife, Mary, 29, born Tex., and dau., Sarah E., 14, George, 12, Emma, 6, and four other children, all born in Tex.; U.S. census, 1900, Atascosa Co., Tex., ED 1, r. 1528, p. 10, sh. 10B, dw. 164, fam. 178, lists John M. Mathis, 65, born Ga., wife, Mary, 60, born Mo., and two children born after 1880. My correspondent, Ken Whitley, has proved that Sarah E. Mathis married Jefferson Franklin Whitley, Ken’s great-grandfather (see my Smith book for this part}
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In 1900 Euel S. Harrison, 32, a farmer born Sept. 1867 in Texas with father born in Alabama and mother in Texas, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., with his wife of seven years, Emma, 25, born Mar. 1875 in Texas of a father of unknown nativity and a mother born in Texas, his daughter, Essie, 4, born June 1895, and son, Lloyd, 1, born Dec. 1898, both born in Texas. Emma had had two children, with two surviving. Next door was James Harrison, 68.\(^\text{138}\)

In 1910 Euel S. Harrison, 42, a farmer born in Texas of a father born in Alabama and mother in Missouri, resided in Uvalde Co., Tex., with his wife of 17 years, Emma, 34, born in Texas of a father born in Georgia and a mother in Texas, and with his daughter, Essie, 14, and his son, Dudley, 5, both born in Texas.\(^\text{139}\)

In 1920 E. S. Harrison, 52, a farmer born in Texas of a father born in Alabama and mother in the U.S., resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., with his wife, Emma, 44, born in Texas of U.S. natives, and with his sons, Dudley, 15, and Stafford, 7, both born in Texas.\(^\text{140}\)

In 1930 Euel S. Harrison, 62, a farmer born in Texas of a father born in Alabama and a mother in Missouri, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., with his wife, “Francis” E., 55, born in Texas of a father born in Georgia and a mother in Texas, and with his sons, Dudley, 25, a laborer at odd

139. U.S. census, 1910, Uvalde Co., Tex., ED 126, r. 1593, p. 64, sh. 5A, dw. 58, fam. 58.
jobs, and Stafford, 17, both born in Texas. Euel was 26 at first marriage and Francis 18.\[141\]

Children:

+ 77 i **ESSIE**\(^5\) **HARRISON**, born 15 June 1895, Atascosa Co., Tex., married **PAUL MENDENHALL**, and had two children.

+ 78 ii **LLOYD**\(^5\) **HARRISON**, born 25 Dec. 1898 (gravestone), died 10 May 1901, buried in Tumlinson Cem., Leming, Atascosa Co., Tex.\[142\]

+ 79 iii **DUDLEY D.**\(^5\) **HARRISON**, born 1 Sept. 1904, Leming, Atascosa Co., Tex., married **ANNA CLARA BILLNITZER**, and had four children.

+ 80 iv **STAFFORD SEXTON**\(^5\) **HARRISON**, born 12 Aug. 1912, Uvalde, Texas, married **THEODOSIA BURRUS SMITH**, and had four children.

34. Dr. **WILLIAM RENFRO**\(^4\) **HARRISON** (i,John Malone\(^3\), Ewel Sexton\(^2\), John Malone\(^1\)) was born 9 Apr. 1872, Atascosa Co., Tex., died 15 Oct. 1945, Trinidad, Texas, married (1) **RUBY DUTTON**, born about 1876, Atascosa Co. William married (2) 25 Nov. 1896, Atascosa Co.,\[143\] **LOT-TIE POTEET**, born about 1876, Atascosa Co.

In 1920 “Will” Harrison, 47, and his son, Vertner, 22, resided in the household of his brother, Walter Scott Harrison, in San Antonio (q.v.).\[144\]

Children of the second marriage, to Lottie:

81 i **VERTNER**\(^5\) **HARRISON**, born about 1898, Texas.

82 ii **VERA**\(^5\) **HARRISON**.

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142. *Find a Grave*, no. 11694482, gravestone photograph, by Evelyn Harrison, Tumlinson Cem., Leming, Atascosa Co., Tex., “Lloyd | Harrison | born | Dec. 25, | 1898 | died | May 10, | 1901.” Features a poem “Written by Emma (Mathis) Harrison on the occasion of Lloyd Harrison’s death: | In memory of Lloyd Harrison | Aged 2 years/5 months 16 days.”
144. U.S. census, 1920, San Antonio, Bexar Co., Tex., ED 44, r. 1777, p. 147, sh. 20B, dw. 64, fam. 70.
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35. THOMAS D.4 HARRISON (1John Malone3, Ewel Sexton2, John Malone1) was born 20 Jan. 1874 (death certificate and gravestone),[145] Texas, died 13 June 1951, San Antonio, Bexar Co., Tex.,[146] and was buried in Jourdanton City Cem., Atascosa Co., Tex.[147] He married about 22 May 1901 MARSHALL ESTELL W. WITTEN, who was born 16 Feb. 1882 (gravestone), Texas, daughter of George W. and Sarah E. (—) Witten,[148] and died 10 Feb. 1967, last residence Jourdanton, Atascosa Co., Tex.,[149] and was buried in Jourdanton City Cem., Atascosa Co.[150]

From an obituary:

Jourdanton, June 14 — Thomas D. Harrison, 77, former tax-collector, and postmaster of Jourdanton, died in a San Antonio hospital Wednesday.

Harrison, a pioneer settler in Atascosa County, moved to Jourdanton in 1909 and was the first postmaster when the town was organized. He also operated a mercantile store for some years. He was tax collector and commissioner for Atascosa County for many years.

Funeral services will be held at 4 p.m. Friday at Hurley Funeral Home in Pleasanton, followed by burial in the Jourdanton Cemetery.


Survivors are: the widow, Mrs. Marshall Estell Harrison, Jourdanton; daughter Mrs. J. E. Taylor, San Antonio; brother, Robert Harrison, Houston; sister, Miss Ora Harrison, Memphis, Tenn.\textsuperscript{151}

In 1910 Thomas D. Harrison, 37, a merchant born in Texas of father born in Alabama and mother in Missouri, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., with his wife of nine years, Marshall E., 27, born in Texas of parents with unknown nativities, and with his daughter, Joe D., 8, and son, Charles R., 3, both born in Texas. Marshall had had two children, with both surviving.\textsuperscript{152}

In 1920 “Thos.” D. Harrison, 45, a tax collector born in Texas of a father born in Alabama and mother in Texas, resided in Jourdanton, Atascosa Co., Tex., with his wife, Marshall E., 36, born in Texas of Missouri natives, and his daughter, Josephene, 18, and son, “Chas.,” 13, both born in Texas.\textsuperscript{153}

In 1930, Thomas D. Harrison, 56, a stock farmer born in Texas of a father born in Alabama and a mother in Missouri, resided in Jourdanton with his wife, Marshall E., 48, born in Texas of a father born in Missouri and a mother in Alabama. Thomas was 27 when he first married. Next door was Joseph “L.” Taylor, 26, and his wife, “Joe Dee,” 28.\textsuperscript{154}

Children:

\begin{itemize}
  \item + 83. JOSEPHINE D.\textsuperscript{3} HARRISON, born about 1902, Texas, married, after 1920, JOSEPH EARL TAYLOR, and had four children.
  \item 84. ii CHARLES R.\textsuperscript{5} HARRISON, born 24 May 1906 (gravestone), Texas, died 25 Aug. 1929, and buried in Jourdanton City Cem., Atascosa Co., Tex.\textsuperscript{155}
\end{itemize}

36. VAUGHN MILL\textsuperscript{4} HARRISON (\textsuperscript{i}John Malone\textsuperscript{3}, Ewel Sexton\textsuperscript{2}, \textsuperscript{iv}John Malone\textsuperscript{1}) was born July 1876 (1900 census), Texas, died 1916, and was

\textsuperscript{151} From the Find a Grave site for Thomas, “From a newspaper article,” but no newspaper named.
\textsuperscript{152} U.S. census, 1910, Atascosa Co., Tex., ED 1, r. 1528, p. 25, sh. 8A, dw. 152, fam. 152.
\textsuperscript{153} U.S. census, 1920, Atascosa Co., Tex., ED 1, r. 1773, p. 97, sh. 6A, dw. 114, fam. 120.
\textsuperscript{154} U.S. census, 1930, Jourdanton, Atascosa Co., Tex., ED 1, r. 2288, p. 141, sh. 3A, dw. 58, fam. 61. Joseph resided in dw. 59.
\textsuperscript{155} Find a Grave, no. 11698124, gravestone photograph, by Evelyn Harrison, Jourdanton City Cem., Jourdanton, Atascosa Co., Tex., “Charles R. Harrison | May 24, 1906 | Aug. 25, 1929.”
buried in Jourdanton City Cem., Atascosa Co., Tex. He married (1) 6 Nov. 1901 JULIA MATHIS, born 14 Apr. 1885 (1900 census), Frio Co., Tex., daughter of John M. and Mary I. (Burrow[s]) Mathis, and died 25 Aug. 1905. Vaughn married (2) about 1908 MYRTLE G. (DUNN) TUMLINSON, born 25 May 1886 (gravestone), Texas, daughter of John F. and Ester A. (—) Dunn, and died 29 July 1977, last residence Jourdanton, Atascosa Co., Tex., and was buried in Jourdanton City Cem., Atascosa Co., Tex. Myrtle married, first, about 1903, — Tumlinson, and had two children.

In 1910 “Von” Harrison, 34, a farmer born in Texas of Texas natives, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., with his second wife (her second marriage), of 1½ years, Myrtle, 24, born in Texas of Texas natives, with his son, Howard, 6/12, born in Texas, and his stepson, Clinton Tumlinson, 7, born in Texas of Texas natives. Myrtle had had three children, with two surviving.

In 1920 Myrtle Harrison, 34, widow, a stenographer for the county born in Texas of Texas natives, resided in Jourdanton, Atascosa Co.,

156. Find a Grave, no. 11700237, gravestone photograph, by Evelyn Harrison, Jourdanton City Cem., Jourdanton, Atascosa Co., Tex., “Vaughn Mill | Harrison | 1876 1916 | in memory of Father.”
157. U.S. census, 1900, Atascosa Co., Tex., ED 3, r. 1608, p. 221, sh. 14B, dw. 248, fam. 253, lists John M. Mathis, unknown age and birthdate, born Ga., wife, Mary I., 60, born Feb. 1840 Tex., with seven children, including daughter, Julia, 15, born Apr. 1885 Tex., Mary had had 15 children, 14 surviving, next door was the Dunn family (dw. 249), with Myrtle, nearby was the John M. Harrison family (dw. 245).
158. Evelyn Pugh, Re: James Jolly and Margaret Renfro, has these two spouses reversed.
160. SSDI, Myrtle Harrison, SSN 457-82-1690, last residence Jourdanton, Atascosa Co., Tex. 78026.
Tex., with her son, Curtis, 10, and daughter, Grace, 9, both born in Texas.\textsuperscript{163}

In 1930 Myrtle “H.” Harrison, 43, widow, a clerk at a telephone company born in Texas of a father born in Ohio and mother in Texas, resided in Jourdanton with her son, Curtis M., 20, a meat cutter in a butcher shop, and daughter, Grace, 19, an operator for a telephone company, both born in Texas of Texas natives. Myrtle was 17 at her first marriage.\textsuperscript{164}

Child of the first marriage, to Julia:

85 i **HELEN\textsuperscript{5} HARRISON**, born about 1904, Texas. A Helen Harrison, 16, was living with her aunt, Ora A. Harrison, in Atascosa Co. in the 1920 census (see Ora’s listing above for details.)

Children of the second marriage, to Myrtle:

86 ii **CURTIS HOWARD\textsuperscript{5} HARRISON**, born 29 Nov. 1909 (gravestone), died 21 Jan. 1992, Atascosa Co., Tex., buried in Jourdanton City Cem., Atascosa Co., Tex.,\textsuperscript{165} married **ELIZA A. —**, born 28 June 1910 (gravestone), died 4 Oct. 1996, last residence Jourdanton, Atascosa Co., Tex.,\textsuperscript{166} and was buried next to her husband.

87 iii **GRACE LEE\textsuperscript{5} HARRISON**, born 6 Apr. 1911 (gravestone), died 13 Dec. 1994, buried in Jourdanton City Cem., Atascosa Co., Tex.,\textsuperscript{167} married — BURNS.

37. **WALTER SCOTT\textsuperscript{4} HARRISON** (\textsuperscript{4}John Malone\textsuperscript{3}, Ewel Sexton\textsuperscript{2}, John Malone\textsuperscript{1}) was born 29 Apr. 1877, Verdi, Atascosa Co., Tex.,\textsuperscript{168} died 12

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164. U.S. census, 1930, Jourdanton, Atascosa Co., Tex., ED 1, p. 2288, sh. 2A, dw. 33, fam. 34.
166. SSDI, Eliza A. Harrison, SSN 449-09-3517, last residence Jourdanton, Atascosa Co., Tex. 78026.
\end{thebibliography}
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Nov. 1950, San Antonio, Bexar Co., Tex., and was buried in Jourdanton City Cem., Atascosa Co., Tex. He married 22 Dec. 1906, Bexar Co., Tex., EMMALINE/EMMA TIMBERLAKE, who was born 29 Dec. 1883 (gravestone), died 11 Sept. 1964, and was buried in Jourdanton City Cem., Atascosa Co., Tex.

In 1900 Walter S. Harrison, 23, single, born Apr. 1877 in Texas with father born in Alabama and mother in Texas, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., in the household of his uncle, James Harrison, 68, a widower born Nov. 1831 in Alabama of a father born in Virginia and a mother in Georgia. Next door were Euel S. Harrison, 32, and James L. Harrison, 40.

In 1910 “Scot” Harrison, 32, a dairyman born in Texas of Alabama natives, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., with his wife of three years, Emma, 25, born in Texas of a father born in Tennessee and a mother in Missouri, and with his son, Harry, 2, and his uncle, Jim Harrison, 78, single, born in Alabama of Alabama natives. Emma had had one child, and it survived.

In 1920 Walter Harrison, 42, a policeman born in Texas of a father born in Alabama and a mother in Georgia, resided in San Antonio, Bex-

172. Find a Grave, no. 11698220, gravestone photograph, by Evelyn Harrison, Jourdanton City Cem., Jourdanton, Atascosa Co., Tex., “Emma T. Harrison | Dec. 29, 1883 | Sept. 11, 1964.” This stone is of the same style as that for Walter S. Harrison.
ar Co., Tex., with his wife, Emma, 35, born in Texas of a father born in Missouri and a mother in Louisiana, and with his son, Harry, 11, and daughter, Maida, 9, both born in Texas, and his brother-in-law, Paul Timberlake, 38, born in Arkansas of a father born in Missouri and a mother in Louisiana, and his brother, Will Harrison, 47, with the same nativities as he, and his (Walter's) nephew, Vertner, 22, born in Texas of Texas natives.[175]

In 1930 Walter S. Harrison, 52, a policeman born in Texas of Alabama natives, resided in San Antonio, Bexar Co., Tex., with his wife, Emma, 46, born in Texas of a father born in Tennessee and a mother in Missouri, and with his son, Harry, 22, and daughter, “Mable E.,” 19, both born in Texas, and with a roomer. Walter was first married at 29, and Emma at 23.[176]

In 1940 “S. Walter” Harrison, 62, a bank guard born in Texas, resided in San Antonio, Bexar Co., Tex., with his wife, Emma, 56, born in Texas, and with his son, William, 31, and daughter, Maida, 29, both single and born in Texas.[177]

Children:


89 ii MAIDA\(^5\) HARRISON, born about 1911, Texas.

175. U.S. census, 1920, San Antonio, Bexar Co., Tex., ED 44, r. 1777, p. 147, sh. 20B, dw. 64, fam. 70.
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90 iii ?REEVES\(^5\) HARRISON, born 4 Dec. 1912, died 27 Dec. 1912, buried Jourdanton City Cem., Jourdanton, Atascosa Co., Tex.\(^{[179]}\)


   Children:

   91 i BEULAH\(^5\) HARRISON.
   92 ii ALLISON\(^5\) HARRISON.
   93 iii BOBBY\(^5\) HARRISON.
   94 iv LOIS\(^5\) HARRISON.


   John F. McKenzie 66, born in Missouri of parents who are both Missouri natives, resided in 1920 in Atascosa Co., Tex., with his wife Elizabeth 58, born in Texas of Texas natives, and daughter Edna 14, born in Texas.\(^{[181]}\) A few dwellings away are Dan McKenzie 32, his wife Lillie-Belle 23, and his brother Velcot McKenzie 26, all three born in Texas.\(^{[182]}\)

   Children:

   + 95 i HUGH LAWSON\(^5\) MCKENZIE, born 12 May 1883, Atascosa Co., Tex., married MARGARET RANDOL, and had five children.

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96  ii  **JOHN F.** McKENZIE, born 1884, died 1893.
97  iii  **DANIEL** McKENZIE, born about 1888, Texas.
98  iv  **EDNA** McKENZIE, born about 1906, Texas.
99  v  **VELVERT** McKENZIE, born about 1904, Texas.
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FIFTH GENERATION


In 1930, H. O. Harrison, 43, a farmer born in Texas of Texas natives, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., with his wife, Alice, 29, born in Texas of Texas natives, and his son, Herman, 2, born in Texas. H. O. was 39 at his first marriage, and Alice was 25. Next door was Neill "Harison," 39, and next door in the other direction was "Alen" Witten, 36.

Children:


Westheimer Cem. (see obit. below), married about 1958 MAMIE BARNETT, and had two children (in obit. order): (1) Mark⁷ Harrison, married Melanie —; and (2) Carol⁷ Harrison, married Ed Shirley.

Herman H. "Hargus" Harrison, 82, was born September 5, 1927 and passed away September 14, 2009. He is survived by his wife of 51 years, Mamie Barnett Harrison; a son and his wife, Mark and Melanie; a daughter and her husband, Carol and Ed Shirley; and grandchildren Kayla and P.J. A visitation will be held on Thursday from 6-8 PM at Forest Park Westheimer Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held on Friday, September 18, 2009 at 10:00 AM in the chapel. Interment will follow at Forest Park Westheimer cemetery.¹⁹³

101 ii WAYNE OLIVE⁶ HARRISON, born 17 July 1930, Dimmit Co., Tex.¹⁹⁴.

62. DAVID MALONE⁵ HARRISON (³James Lawson⁴, John Malone⁴, Ewel Sexton⁴, John Malone⁴) was born 21 Mar. 1881 (gravestone), Leming, Atascosa Co., Tex., died 21 Mar. 1972,¹⁹⁵ and was buried in Tumlinson Cem., Leming, Atascosa Co., Tex.¹⁹⁶ He married about 9 Sept. 1908, San Antonio, Bexar Co., Tex., MARY ETHEL ROBERTS, who was born 12 Dec. 1889 (gravestone), Shiloh Community, Leming, Atascosa Co., Tex., daughter of Jiles and Mary (Aaron) Roberts,¹⁹⁷ and died 21 Dec. 1963, and was buried in Tumlinson Cem., next to her husband.

In 1910 David M. Harrison, 21, a farmer born in Texas of Texas natives, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., with his wife of 2 years, "Ethel M.,” 20, born in Texas of Texas natives, and with his son, Waylan, 10/12, er] Alice Lucille Hargus [born] 9/5/1927.”

197. Pugh, Re: James Jolly and Margaret Renfro.
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born in Texas. Ethel had had only the one child. Next door was James L. Harrison, 50. [198]

David M. Harrison 30, a farmer born in Texas of Texan parents, resided in 1920 in Atascosa Co., Tex., with his wife Ethel 29, born in Texas with father born in Illinois and mother born in Texas, son Wayland 10, and son Verlin 3 3/12, both born in Texas. [199]

In 1930 David Harrison, 40, resided in Pleasanton, Atascosa Co., with his wife, Mary Ethel, 40, son Waylan D., 20, and son, Verlin, 13. All were born in Texas of Texas natives except for Mary Ethel’s father born in Illinois. David was 19 at marriage and Mary Ethel was 18. [200]

Children:


103 ii VERLIN L. D. HARRISON, born 25 Sept. 1916, Corpus Christi, Nueces Co., Tex., died 1 Nov. 1994, married KATIE ALETHA BEASLEY.

66. ARIE ADNA HARRISON (3James Lawson4, John Malone3, Ewel Sexton2, John Malone1) was born Oct. 1898 (1900 census) or 23 Oct. 1899 (gravestone), Texas, died 18 Apr. 1980, and was buried in Tumlinson Cem., Atascosa Co., Tex. [203] She married 5 May 1922 [204] ALLEN WIT-
TEN, who was born 5 May 1893, Texas, died 29 May 1972, and was buried in Tumlinson Cem., Atascosa Co.\textsuperscript{[205]} In 1930, “Alen” Witten, 36, a farmer born in Texas of a father born in Missouri and a mother in Texas, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., with his wife, Arie, 30, born in Texas of Texas natives. Alen was 29 at his first marriage, and Arie was 23. Next door was H. O. Harrison, 43.\textsuperscript{[206]}

Child:\textsuperscript{[207]}

104 i HAZEL ALLEEN\textsuperscript{6} WITTEN, born 1930 after the census (made “11\textsuperscript{th} & 12\textsuperscript{th}” of, presumably, June), married E. E. WHEELESS, and had five children:\textsuperscript{[208]} (1) Lynn Allen\textsuperscript{7} Wheelless, born 1951, died 1973; (2) Karen Jean\textsuperscript{7} Wheelless; (3) Steven Dean\textsuperscript{7} Wheelless, who had three children; (4) Craig Layne\textsuperscript{7} Wheelless, who had one child; (5) Greg Dwayne\textsuperscript{7} Wheelless, who had two children.

67. HAZEL DOVIE\textsuperscript{5} HARRISON (\textsuperscript{28}James Lawson\textsuperscript{4}, John Malone\textsuperscript{3}, Ewel Sexton\textsuperscript{2}, John Malone\textsuperscript{1}) was born 6 June 1901, Atascosa Co., Tex., died 29 Jan. 2001, aged 99, Arkansas City, Cowley Co., Kans.\textsuperscript{[209]} She married LINCOLN SINCLAIR BAKER, who was born 31 Mar. 1895, and died Sept. 1970, last residence Arkansas City.\textsuperscript{[210]}

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\item \textsuperscript{205} Atascosa Co., Tex.– Cems.: Tumlinson Cem., “Witten, Allen 5 May 1893 29 May 1972 married 5 May 1922 same stone as Arie Harrison Witten.”
\item \textsuperscript{206} U.S. census, 1930, Atascosa Co., Tex., ED 11, r. 2288, p. 230, sh. 3B, fam. 74. H. O. was fam. 73.
\item \textsuperscript{207} Email 20 May 2011 from Karen’ Wheelless, “I have the birth certificates and family photos and decades of family stories that seem to verify that the only child of Arie and Allen was Hazel Alleen Witten Wheelless (1930-present). Hazel was after Arie’s sister and Alleen is Allen (father) with an extra ‘e’” and “Karen Wheelless | Daughter of Hazel Allen Witten and E. E. Wheelless.”
\item \textsuperscript{208} Email 23 May 2011 from Karen’ Wheelless, “you can list that my parents (EE. Wheelless and Alleen Witten) had 5 children: | Lynn Allen Wheelless (1951-1973) | Karen Jean Wheelless (living) | Steven Dean Wheelless (living) – father of 3 children | Craig Layne Wheelless (living) – father of 1 child | Greg Dwayne Wheelless (living) – father of 2 children.”
\item \textsuperscript{209} Email from grand niece, Karen’ Wheelless, 22 May 2011, “Great Aunt Hazel (Harrison Baker) died at the age of 99 on Jan 29, 2001. I have a hard copy of her obituary but not a link to the listing in the Arkansas City Traveler except you’ll find her name listed on page 4 of their death listing at Obituaries Listed in the Arkansas City Traveler, Jan 2000 to Dec 2008, <arkcity.org/DocumentView.aspx?DID=2998> (saved 22 May 2011), “Baker Hazel D. 6/6/1901 1/29/2001 Arkansas City.”
\item \textsuperscript{210} SSDI, Lincoln Baker, SSN 510-03-1592, born 31 Mar. 1895, died Sept 1970, last residence Arkansas City.”
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From an obituary for their daughter, Emma Jean Baker:

Emma Jean Wright, 93 [sic] of Arkansas City died Monday, March 9, 2009 at the Presbyterian Manor in Newton.

Funeral services are scheduled for 10:00 a.m., Friday, March 13, 2009 at the Rindt-Erdman Funeral Home of Arkansas City. The Reverend Stephen Bailey will officiate. There will be no viewing.

Jean was born April 20, 1923 to Lincoln Baker and Hazel Dovie (Harrison) Baker in Cushing, OK. On July 5, 1942 she married Jim Lee Wright in Houston, TX. The couple lived in various places including Stillwater, OK. She was a homemaker and member of the First Baptist Church in Arkansas City.

Jean is survived by her sister, Letha Wilson of Newton; grandson, Jason Chase of Los Angeles, CA; niece, Linda Brown and husband, Jeff of Scottsdale, AZ; nephew, Jack Wilson and wife, Anne of Valley Center.

She was preceded in death by her parents and daughter, Jane Chase. [211]

From an obituary for their son-in-law, Cecil:

Cecil Oliver Wilson, 91, Newton, formerly of Arkansas City, died Sunday, Jan. 1, 2006, at the Presbyterian Manor in Newton. Funeral services are scheduled for 10:30 a.m., Saturday, Jan. 7, 2006, at the Rindt-Erdman Funeral Home in Arkansas City. Pastor Gale Rider will officiate. Interment will follow in the Parker Cemetery in Arkansas City. Cecil was born Oct. 23, 1914, to Paul T. Wilson and Fern (Mason) Wilson in Knowles, Okla. He lived in Silverdale as an elementary student and worked in the flour mills until joining the United States Army. He served from 1941 to 1945 in Europe, the Panama Canal and the Philippines. On April 23, 1942, he married Letha Baker in Arkansas City where the couple made their home. Cecil was an electrician for the Total Pipeline for 31 years. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Arkansas City and the Spencer Ralston Post No. 1254 V.F.W. Survivors include his wife, Letha Wilson of the home; son, Jack Wilson and his wife, Anne, of Valley Center; daughter, Linda Brown, of Mesa, Ariz.;
brothers, Robert Wilson, of Denver, Colo., Lyman Wilson and his wife, Janie, of Wellington; sister, Wanda Sue Sundquest and her husband, Laurin, of Blackhawk, Colo.; grandchildren, Lori (Sapp) Overton and her husband, Cliff, of Newkirk, Angie (Sapp) Tonn and her husband, Shane, of Newton, Chris Zeigler and his wife, Stacy, of South Lake Tahoe, Calif., Ben Wilson and his wife, Chelsea, of Valley Center, Ross Wilson and fiancee, Stephanie Zimmerman, of Manhattan; and 11 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents; daughter, Kathy Sapp in 1987; and grandson, Bryon Ziegler in 2000.[212]

In 1930 Lincoln S. Baker, 34, a boilermaker born in Missouri of Missouri natives, resided in Arkansas City, Cowley Co., Kans., with his wife, Hazel D., 28, born in Texas of Texas natives, and with his daughters, Letha O., 9, born in Kansas, and Emma J., 6, born in Oklahoma.[213]

Children:


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Houston, Tex., Jim Lee Wright, and had one child: 1 Jane Wright, married — Chase, and had one child: (i) Jason Chase.

72. S. NEILL HARRISON (1 John Benton, 2 John Malone, 3 Ewel Sexton, 4 John Malone) was born 19 Sept. 1890, Texas, died 7 Nov. 1963, and was buried in Tumlinson Cem., Atascosa Co. He married about 1912 WILLIE BELLE KIETH, who was born 28 Aug. 1889, Texas, died 18 Sept. 1971, and was buried next to her husband.

In 1920 “Neill S.” Harrison 29, a farmer born in Texas of Texas natives, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., with his wife, Willie, 30, born in Texas of Texas natives, sons, Jack, 6, and Willard, 4, and daughter, Ruth, 1/12, all three born in Texas.

In 1930, Neill “Harrison,” 39, a farmer born in Texas of Texas natives, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., with his wife, Willie, 40, born in Texas of Texas natives, and with his sons, Jack, 17, and Willard, 15, and daughters, Ruby, 11, and Gergia Bell, 5, all four born in Texas. Neill was 21 at first marriage, and Willie was 22. Next door was H. O. Harrison, 39.

Children:

107 i JACK D. HARRISON, born 7 Apr. 1913 (gravestone), Texas, died 3 June 1993, buried in Tumlinson Cem., Leming, Atascosa Co., Tex., married 1934 (gravestone) ELOISE —, born 1 Sept. 1915, died 11 Sept. 1999, buried next to her husband, and had two children: (1) Carolyn Harrison; and (2) Dianne Harrison.
108 ii WILLARD M. HARRISON, born 7 Apr. 1915, Texas, died 18 Nov. 1981, buried in Tumlinson Cem., Leming, Atascosa Co., Tex., married FLORENCE E. —, and had two children: (1) James Doyle7 Harrison; and (2) Sandra Alane7 Harrison.

109 iii RUTH HARRISON, born about 1920, Texas.

110 iv GEORGIA BELL HARRISON, born about 1925, Texas.

73. JOHN B. HARRISON (31 John Benton4, John Malone3, Ewel Sexton2, John Malone1) was born about 1895, Texas, married OLA —, born about 1896, Texas.

   In 1920, John B. Harrision 25, a farmer born in Texas of parents both native to Texas, resided in Atascosa Co., Tex., with his wife Ola 24, born in Texas of two Texas natives, and son Lá-Marvin 1 4/12, born in Texas. 

   Child:

111 i LÁ-MARVIN HARRISON, born about 1919, Texas.

75. BENTON HARRISON (31 John Benton4, John Malone3, Ewel Sexton2, John Malone1) was born born 5 Jan. 1901, died 21 June 1945, married 10 Jan. 1926 Verna Tinney.

   Children:

112 i WARREN HARRISON.

113 ii NORRY HARRISON.

77. ESSIE HARRISON (32 Ewel Sexton4, John Malone3, Ewel Sexton2, John Malone1) was born 15 June 1895, Atascosa Co., Tex., died 9 Mar. 1942, San Antonio, Bexar Co., Tex., and was buried 13 Mar. 1942 in Roselawn Burial Park, San Antonio. She married 24 Jan. 1917, San Antonio, 


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Children:

114  i  GRACE MENDENHALL, born 1 Aug. 1919, married MARSHALL ALEXANDER.


Children:


Children:

120 i WILLIAM HENRY\(^6\) HARRISON, born 5 Nov. 1937, Woodsboro, Refugio Co., Tex., married 1 July 1960, ELSA ZETTL, born 19 Feb. 1941, Garching, Bayern, Germany.


83. JOSEPHINE D.\(^5\) HARRISON (\(^3\) Thomas D.\(^4\), John Malone\(^3\), Ewel Sexton\(^2\), John Malone\(^1\)) married JOSEPH EARL TAYLOR.

In 1930, Joseph “L.” Taylor, 36, a grocery salesman born in Oregon of a father born in Illinois and a mother in Missouri, resided in Jourdanton with his wife, “Joe Dee,” 28, born in Texas of Texas natives, and with his daughters, Marion E., 8, Mabel E., 7, and Joe Ann, 5, and son, Thomas E., 3, all four born in Texas. Joseph was 26 when he first married., and Joe Dee was 18. Next door was Thomas D. Harrison, 56.\(^{228}\)

Children:

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124  i  MARION ELIZABETH⁶ TAYLOR, born about 1922, Texas.
125  ii  MABEL E. TEXTELLE⁶ TAYLOR, born about 1923, Texas.
126  ii  JOE ANN⁶ TAYLOR, born about 1925, Texas.
127  iii  THOMAS EARL⁶ TAYLOR, born about 1927, Texas.


   Children:

129  ii  HUGH LAWSON⁶ MCKENZIE, married FRANCES AGNES EICHMAN.
130  iii  WILLIAM FOUNT⁶ MCKENZIE.
131  iv  MARGARET ALICE⁶ MCKENZIE.
132  v  LILA LEA⁶ MCKENZIE.
APPENDIX

A. ELIJAH GORMAN’S HEIRS

Deposition of Elizabeth G. Blythe
Noxubee County, Mississippi

6 Oct. 1852

The State of Mississippi
Noxubee County

Personally appeared this day before me Elisha [Dismukes] justice of the Peace in and for said county Elizabeth G. Blythe who being by me first duly sworn depoeth and saith that the following named persons constitute all of the heirs and legatees of Elijah Gorman dec’d to wit—this [affiant] who resided in the said county. The heirs of Nancy Payne to wit—Elphida Lewis deceased whose heirs are: Virginia Lewis aged 9 years, Wyatt aged 7 years also George Payne 27 years all residing in Sumpter [sic] County Ala. The children of Nancy Brummett dec’d (who was daughter of Nancy Payne) to wit—John Brummett and an infant whose name is unknown residing in Marshall Co. Missi. aged 24 years. Mallisa Uldrick wife of John Uldrick dec’d (who was also daughter of said Nancy) aged 22 years residing in Mobile Co. Also Martha Harrison wife of Elijah Harrison aged 20 years (who was likewise a daughter of said Nancy) residing in [?] County, Texas. Also Terrel aged 18 years Irving aged 16 years residing in Sumpter [sic] Co. Ala. Also Artemes[a] Harrison (wife of Ewell Harrison) aged 45 years residing in Washington Co., Tex. Also Lorena Gorman wife of Terril Gorman dec’d and their children Cassanda[,] E Hinen of Noxubee County Missi. aged 21 years Calista Mobly wife of Marian Mobly aged 16 years Mary J. aged 15 years. Felix Gorman aged 13 years Lamar aged 11 years all residing in Marshall Co. Missi. also the children of Mary Clement dec’d to wit Oliver aged 20 years Martha A Underwood wife of John Under[wood] aged 18 years George W aged 12 years residing in Hinds [Co.] Missi. And the children of Sarah Allen dec’d to wit Mary M aged 8 years Cynthia aged 6 years Charles T aged 4 years residing in Noxubee County Missi. and Felix Gorman (the Executor named in said will) residing in Anderson Co. Texas aged [blank] years.
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Elizabeth G. Blythe
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of Oct. AD 1852
Elisha [Dismukes] [seal].
Justice of the Peace

[The date of this document appears to read 1854, with the 4 being very small and written as if it were a superscript. I deduced the year of this document to be 1852 by the following argument:

There is a petition in the estate papers of Elijah Gorman by petitioners Jesse and Elizabeth G. Blythe, dated 5 Oct. 1852, a photocopy of which was provided to me by Sue Gorman, that contains a list of heirs that matches the list above (except for the omission of either Melissa Uldrick or Martha Harrison—the name is unreadable but her age is 24 which matches neither), given by Elizabeth G. Blythe on 6 Oct. 1852. In particular, the ages are identical. So apparently both documents were executed in the same year 1852.]
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