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Foreword

This is a snapshot of the results of my family history research. Organizationally it is based on my website at https://28lconnections.us as it exists at revision 36. As explained there, it starts with eight pairs of great grandparents for my wife and myself and works backward in time. There are seven volumes, which are listed below. The most up to date version of the material will always be the website.

Volumes:

- General Introduction
- South Dakota Roots: Bates/Moodie Ancestors ←This volume
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In many ways this is a record of one of the ways in which I have spent 9+ years of my retirement. I certainly owe thanks to many people, most of whom are mentioned in the volumes that follow. Any mistakes are mine, and I hope to be corrected.

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Bates-Moodie Family



Agnes (Moodie) Bates, c.1939-1940

Charles Bates married Agnes Moodie in south central Wisconsin in 1886 under less than ideal circumstances. Agnes was about 15 years old and pregnant. Her brother, William, was quite unhappy about this and had Charles hauled into court shortly before Agnes and Charles were married. So, I guess that you could say that this was a shotgun wedding between a 15 year old girl and a 28 year old man.

1-Bates-Moodie Family 10/9/23, 10:21 Agnes had recently arrived from her home in Scotland with her sister, Elizabeth. Their brother, William, had moved to Wisconsin in advance of their travel. Charles had lived with his parents Jerome and Satina (Bates) Tupper in Elkhorn, WI. His birth name was Clarence Tupper. I believe that he changed his name as a consequence of the trouble that he was in with Agnes. (DNA evidence backs up this assertion.)

After establishing their family in southern Wisconsin, Charles died and Agnes and some of the family moved to South Dakota (after marrying Charles Randall). You can find family group information for Agnes and Charles here. Ahnentafel reports are here. A fan chart centered on one of their children is here. And you can find a traditional pedigree chart centered on one of their children here. A general document that includes some source description is here.

Researching this family and their ancestors has been a very wide-ranging experience. Bates/Tupper line ancestors were in northern Illinois and can be traced to NY and eastern PA. Scottish records show the Moodie ancestors in the Scottish Borders area in the 18th and 19th centuries. The maps that follow show roughly the areas of interest in the second half of the 19th century, before most of the Bates/Moodie family moved to South Dakota.

Based on a visit to southern Wisconsin in 2018, I have written a short report on aspects of the area that were important to the Bates-Moodie family, their ancestors and descendants. The report includes some pictures that you might find interesting. I have also created a document that describes what I have found about Agnes' father, James Moodie. It reveals that James was actually married twice. Agnes and Elizabeth are children of the second marriage (to Jemima Nicol). One of the grandchildren of James's first marriage (to Margaret Falconer) came to the USA (Idaho) about twenty years later than Agnes. I have also discovered, through DNA matching, descendants of this first marriage that now live in New Zealand.





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Ahnentafel (Ancestor) Reports

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Ahnentafel Report for Bates, Charles J.

Generation 1

 Bates, Charles J. Charles J. was born on 1858-01-06 in Elkhorn, Walworth, Wisconsin. He died on 1900-09-11 in Spring Valley, Rock, Wisconsin, US. He was buried in Rock, Wisconsin, US.

Generation 2

- Tupper, Jerome B. Jerome B. was born on 1821-01-25 in York, Genesee, New York, USA. He died on 1899-01-19 in Jamestown, Grant, Wisconsin, USA.
- Bates, Rhoda Satina. Rhoda Satina was born on 1827-11-13 in Damascus Township, Wayne, Pennsylvania. She died on 1890-01-04 in Minnehaha County, South Dakota. She was buried in 1890.

Generation 3

- 4. Tupper, Nathaniel. Nathaniel was born on 1784-02-27 in Connecticut. He died in 1865 in Wisconsin.
- Gunn, Mary. Mary was born in 1790 in New York.
- Bates, Henry N. Henry N. was born on 1803-07-05 in Massachusetts, USA. He died on 1851-03-06 in Rockton, Winnebago, Illinois, USA. He was buried.
- Lillie, Mary. Mary was born on 1809-07-28 in Damascus Township, Wayne, Pennsylvania. She died on 1862-01-28 in Winnebago, Illinois, USA.

Generation 4

- Tupper, Joseph Lt. Joseph was born on 1739-08-25 in Connecticut. He died on 1797-07-14 in Connecticut.
- 9. Tinkham, Lydia. Lydia was born in 1759.
- 12. Bates, Samuel. Samuel was born on 1765-03-10 in Durham, Connecticut, USA. He died in New York.
- 13. [Missing Surname], Elizabeth. Elizabeth was born in 1780. She died on 1803-07-29.
- 14. Lillie, Jonathan. Jonathan was born in 1777. He died on 1823-02-06 in Milanville, Damascus Township, Wayne, Pennsylvania.
- 15. Drake, Christina.

Generation 5

- 16. Tupper, Thomas. Thomas was born on 1714-12-20 in Massachusetts. He died on 1810-12-03.
- 17. Bumpas, Rebecca. Rebecca was born on 1713-05-26 in Plymouth, Massachusetts. She died on 1783-08-18 in Massachusetts.
- 18. Tinkham, Gideon. Gideon was born in 1731.
- 19. Thomas, Mercy. Mercy was born in 1733. She died in 1825.
- 24. Bates, Samuel. Samuel was born on 1743-04-24 in Durham, Connecticut, USA. He was baptized on 1765-03-10 in Durham, Connecticut, USA. He died on 1815-10-10 in Hartland, Connecticut, USA.
- Spelman, Sarah. Sarah was born on 1743-03-04 in Durham, Connecticut, USA. She died on 1783-09-05 in Durham, Connecticut, USA.
- $28. \ \textbf{Lillie, Theophilus}. \ \textbf{Theophilus was born in } 1730 \ \textbf{in Massachusetts}. \ \textbf{He died in } 1776 \ \textbf{in Canada}.$
- 29. Barker, Ann
- 30. Drake, Jesse. Jesse was born on 1757-04-10 in Monroe, Pennsylvania. He died on 1833-05-17 in Wayne, Pennsylvania.
- 31. **Tyler, Abigail**. Abigail was born on 1753-01-01 in Connecticut. She died on 1816-01-12 in Damascus Township, Wayne, Pennsylvania.

Generation 6

- 32. **Tupper, Ichabod**. Ichabod was born on 1673-08-11. He died on 1748-11-21.
- 33. unknown, Mary. Mary was born in 1675 in Massachusetts. She died on 1728-10-08 in Massachusetts.
- 50. Spelman, Samuel. Samuel was born on 1716-02-15 in Middletown, CT, USA. He died on 1778-06-26.
- 51. Cook, Dinah.

Generation 7

- 64. Tupper, Thomas. Thomas was born on 1637-01-16 in Massachusetts. He died on 1706-04-26 in Massachusetts.
- 65. Mayhew, Martha. Martha was born on 1642-10-13. She died on 1717-11-15.
- 100. Spelman, Richard. Richard was born in 1665 in Danbury, Fairfield, Connecticut Colony. He died on 1750-04-21.
- 101. French, Alice. Alice was born in 1674. She died on 1767-12-15 in Granville, MA, USA.

Generation 8

- 128. **Tupper, Thomas**. Thomas was born on 1578-01-27 in Bury, England, Sussex, UK. He died on 1676-03-28 in Massachusetts, USA.
- 129. **Hodgson, Anne**. Anne was born in 1585. She died in 1676.
- 130. Mayhew, Thomas. Thomas was born on 1593-03-31. He died on 1682-03-25 in Massachusetts.
- 131. Gallant, Jane. Jane was born in 1602. She died in 1681.
- 200. Spelman, Richard. Richard was born in 1637 in Essex, England.
- 201. [Missing Surname], Allice.

Ahnentafel Report for Moodie, Agnes Jane

Generation 1

 Moodie, Agnes Jane. Agnes Jane was born on 1871-10-19 in Wilton, Roxburgh, Scotland. She died on 1954-11-02 in Perkins, South Dakota. She was buried in Lemmon, South Dakota.

Generation 2

- 2. Moodie, James. James was born on 1817-06-21 in Roxburghshrie, Scotland. He died on 1878-03-15 in Roxburgh, Scotland.
- 3. Nicol, Jemima. Jemima was born on 1836-04-07 in Roberton, Roxburgh, Scotland.

Generation 3

- 4. Moodie, Thomas. Thomas was born on 1790-10-26 in Lilliesleaf, Roxburgh, Scotland.
- 5. Litster, Elizabeth. Elizabeth was born on 1794-10-03 in Roxburgh, Scotland.
- 6. Nicol, James. James was born on 1790-03-09.
- 7. Cavers, Elizabeth. Elizabeth was born in 1794. She died on 1881-12-31.

Generation 4

- 8. Moodie, James.
- 9. Richardsom, Jean. Jean was born on 1766-06-22 in Lilliesleaf, Roxburgh, Scotland.
- 10. Litster, George. George was born on 1774-05-01.
- 11. Sibbald, Agnes. Agnes was born on 1774-09-19 in Roxburghshrie, Scotland.
- 12. Nicol, William.
- 13. Melrose, Jannet.
- 14. Cavers, John.
- 15. Scott, Elizabeth.

Generation 5

- 16. Moodie, Robert. Robert was born in 1726 in Roxburgh, Scotland.
- 17. Walker, Maren. Maren was born in 1732. She died in 1813.
- 18. Richardson, Thomas.
- 19., unknown.
- 20. Litster, Francis.
- 21. Hume, Christian.
- 22. Sibbald, John.
- 23. Brown, Marion.

Generation 6

- 32. Moodie, Robert. Robert was born in 1707. He died in 1783.
- 33. Graham, Janet.
- 34. Walker, Andrew.
- 35. Fargrive, Janet.

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Family Group Chart

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Hu	sband: Bates,	Charles J. (I0031)									
Birth		1858-01-06	Elkhorn, Walworth, Wisconsin								
Death		rock county, WI - scotch hill cemetery; brai	in tumor								
		1900-09-11	Spring Valley, Rock, Wisconsin, US								
ather		Tupper, Jerome B. (I0516)	Jerome B. (I0516)								
Mother	•	Bates, Rhoda Satina (I0591)	Rhoda Satina (I0591)								
Ma	rriage (F0012):									
Marria	ge	from notes on scrap of paper in bible below	nging to Agness Moodie								
		1886-09-23									
Wi	fe: Moodie, Ag	nes Jane (10030)									
Birth		Scotland Births & Baptisms									
		1871-10-19	Wilton, Roxburgh, Scotland								
Death		1954-11-02	Perkins, South Dakota								
Father		Moodie, James (I0509)									
Mother		Nicol, Jemima (I0510)									
Ch	ildren										
lM		C. (TODALO)									
LIVI	Bates, Harry		T								
	Birth	1887-08-22	Brodhead, Rock, Wisconsin, US								
	Death	1946-11-14	Aberdeen, Brown, South Dakota								
	Spouse	Loy, Marian Evelyn (I0013) (F0003									
2F	Marriage	1921-04-27	Lemmon, South Dakota								
2F	Bates, May T										
	Birth	1888-12-20	Wisconsin								
	Death	1965-10-23	Beloit, Rock, Wisconsin								
	Spouse	Lund, Olaf C. (I0370) (F0094)									
22.5	Marriage	1908-06-04	Illinois								
ВМ	Bates, Frank	(10164)									
	Birth	1891-05-30									
	Death	1966-04-14									
1M	Bates, John (10163)									
	Birth	1893-05-20									
	Death	1908-04-04									
5F	Bates, Elizab	eth (I0162)									
	Birth	1895-03-10	Decatur, Green, Wisconsin, USA								
	Death	1936-04-04	Washington								
	Spouse	Owens, John L. (I1339) (F0345)									
	Marriage	1919-08-30	Richland Co., MT, Montana								
6F	Bates, Susan	(I0102)									
	Birth	1898-04-21	Wisconsin								
	Death	1975-01-15	Lemmon, South Dakota								
7F	Bates, Grace	Charlotte (I0236)									
	Birth	1901-01-26	Spring Valley, Rock, Wisconsin, US								
	Death	1905-04-16	Decatur, Green, Wisconsin, USA								

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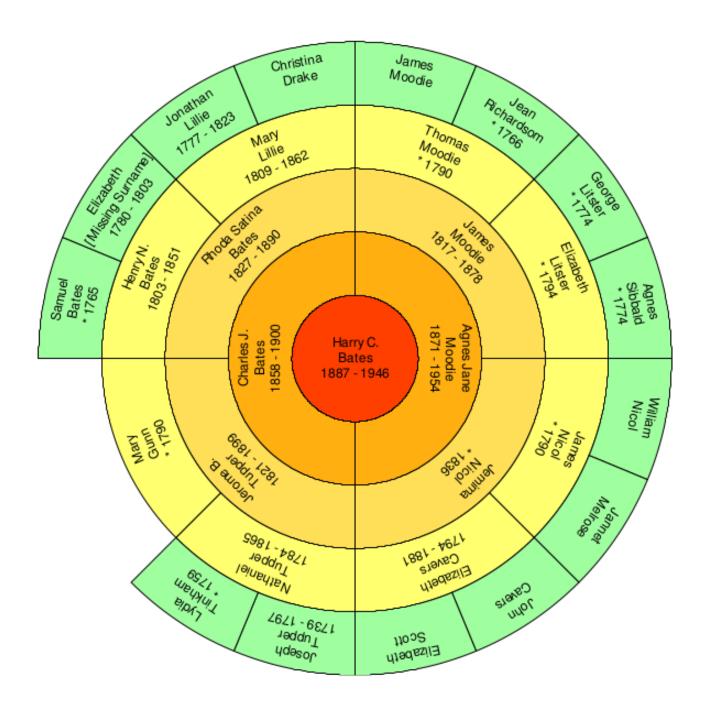
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Fan (pedigree)

Following is a static representation of a pedigree chart for one of the children of Agnes and Charles. Use this <u>link</u> to navigate to a similar dynamic chart.

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A Compilation of Information About Their Lives

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Introduction

The purpose of this document is to be a repository of historical information pertaining to Charles J. Bates and his wife Agnes J. Moodie. I am doing this as a part of collecting genealogical information on all my ancestors. One of my grandfathers was Harry Bates, who is the son of Charles J. Bates and Agnes J. Moodie.

Complete current public family tree information for my family can be found at https://rhombs.myheritage.com.

Perhaps the most important aspect of the work presented here is the proposal that Charles J. Bates and Clarence J. Tupper are in fact the same person. In the "Life Together" section I explain how I arrived at this conclusion.

The short version of all of this is that I have been able to follow with some certainty, the lines of Agnes and Charles back to their origins in the British Isles. Agnes' line is pretty clearly and uniquely Scottish. Her ancestors in Scotland tended to cluster in the area around Hawick in the Borders area. Charles' ancestors are associated with groups that came from England in early American colonial times. They seem to have taken pretty standard routes from MA and CT to NY and then to WI and IL. The descendants that we are most aware of made it to SD and ND, where they met some pretty hard times. You probably know the rest.

I have found signals of the families most recently in the following places, where there may still be some contemporary relatives. Some of these locations may not have been expected.

- Brodhead, WI (relatives of Agnes)
- Beloit, WI (relatives of Agnes and Charles)
- Lemmon, SD (relatives of Agnes and Charles)
- Jamestown, WI (relatives of Charles)
- Rockton, IL (relatives of Charles)

I have not found any particularly uplifting stories, although they may certainly be there. In general our ancestors in these lines had assorted struggles for survival, made good and bad decisions, and died. If that is enough for you, read no further. If you have an interest in the history and ancestors of Agnes and Charles, plow on,

I am always interested in comments and corrections. There are many missing pieces of the story.



Updates:

12/26/2017

- Note that the Tupper linkage has been verified by matches arising from genetic testing at ancestry.com, familytreedna.com, and 23andme.com.
- I added more detail to the family of Jerome Tupper and Sittina bates in an effort to try to find Sittina's death record. I failed to find the death record, but I unearthed some interesting stories.
- In the Fall of 2017, I discovered a descendant of May Bates, living in WI. She has provided significant information, including that from a bible belonging to Agnes Moodie. From this information I was able to reconstruct some of the life of Libby Bates, and I was able to find a death record for Frank Bates.
- Other information via the Borders genealogical Society (Scotland) may provide more information about Agnes' ancestors, but I have not found the time to do the analysis.

Jan & Feb. 2016

- Updated/changed information about the ancestors of Agnes.
- Performed a general update of the rest of the document.

01/02/2015

- Over the holiday period I had some time to devote to the problem of the identity of Charles J. Bates. I found good evidence that his mother's maiden name was Bates. As a result, I am adopting the assumption that he changed his name to Charles J. Bates from Clarence J. Tupper around the time of his shotgun wedding to Agnes. There could be many reasons for this, the most obvious is that he may have had a falling out with his father, Jerome B. Tupper. If he was dis-owned by his father, that might have motivated him to adopt his mother's maiden name.
- By adopting this assumption it became possible to push much farther back in time along his paternal (Jerome B. Tupper) line and his maternal (Sittina Bates) line.

04/28/2014:

- Received information from the Rock County Genealogy Society regarding Charles J. Bates.
- One of their researchers found the death certificate for Charles. I have included a transcript of it here.
- The researchers agree that Clarence J. Tupper & Charles J. Bates are most likely the same person. This document has been updated to reflect this.



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Time-line

Here is a rough sketch of events of importance to the lives of Agnes and Charles. This covers a period of about 100 years are locations as widespread as Scotland and South Dakota.

1850	marriage of Jerome B. Tupper and Sittina Bates (parents of Charles Bates)	Rockton, IL
1858	Charles Bates (a.k.a. Clarence Tupper) born	Eklhorn, WI
1866	marriage of James Moodie and Jemima Nicol (parents of Ages)	Roxburghshire, Scotland
1871	Agnes Moodie born	Roxburghshire, Scotland
1882	Agnes immigrates to the US with her family	the ship Furnessia
1887	marriage of Agnes and Charles	Rock County, WI
1887	Harry Bates is born (son of Agnes and Charles)	Green County, WI
1888	May Bates born (daughter of Agnes and Charles)	Rock County, WI
1890	Frank Bates born (son of Agnes and Charles)	Rock County, WI
1892	John Bates born (son of Agnes and Charles)	Rock County, WI
1895	Libby Bates born (daughter of Agnes and Charles)	Green County, WI
1898	Sue Bates born (daughter of Agnes and Charles)	Rock County, WI
1900	Charles dies	Rock County, WI
1901	Grace Charlotte born (daughter of Agnes and Charles)	Green County, WI
1954	Agnes dies	Perkins County, SD

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Charles J. Bates

Birth (January, 1858)

I am assuming the date of 1/6/1858 based on information from the time of his death. This is consistent with the assumption that he was born to Sittina/Settina/Satine Bates and Jerome B. Tupper.

All sources seem to agree that the location of his birth was Elkhorn, WI, in Walworth County. This is where the Tupper family lived.

Here is a transcription of his death record. There are assorted errors here, but I believe that his birth date is correct.

Charles C. Bates Wisconsin, Death Records	
Name	Charles C. Bates
Event Type	Death
Event Date	1900
Event Place	Spring Valley Center, Rock, Wisconsin
Residence Place	Spring Valley Center
Gender	Male
Age	42
Marital Status	Married
Race	white
Occupation	farmer
Birth Date	06 Jan 1858
Birth Year (Estimated)	1858
Birthplace	Spring Valley Center
Burial Date	11 Sep 1900
Burial Place	Spring Valley, Rock, Wis.
Cemetery	Scotch Cem.
Father's Name	Clarence Bates
Father's Birthplace	Penn.
Mother's Name	Satine Bates
Mother's Birthplace	Penn.
Spouse's Name	Agnes Bates

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"Wisconsin, Death Records, 1867-1907," database, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:XLWT-JH5: 4 December 2014), Charles C. Bates, 1900; citing Death, Spring Valley Center, Rock, Wisconsin, Wisconsin State Historical Society, Madison; FHL microfilm 1,311,654.



The Immediate Family of Charles Bates

In order to better understand Charles' situation between birth and marriage to Agnes Moodie, I have accumulated a few bits of evidence about his family. Briefly, it seems to have been somewhat unstable because of his father's participation in the Civil War and his subsequent disability. His mother also does not seem to have survived past about 1881, when he would have been about 23 years old.

Marriage of Jerome Tupper and Sittina Bates

From a Winnebago County, IL, newspaper. -

Wednesday Evening, Feb 26, 1890

SMITH--WILCOX--In Elgin, Nov. 7, 1872, at the residence of Mrs. Smart, by Rev. N.H. Axtell, Mr. David Smith, of Rockofrd, and Miss Laura Wilcox, of the same place; both are attendants in the hospital.--Rockford Journal, 01-25-1873

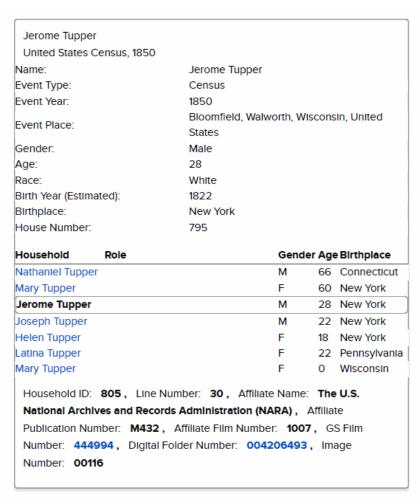
STREET-MINARD, April 15th, at the parsonage of 1st. M.E. Church, by Rev. Joseph Odgers, Mr. Thomas Street, of Missouri, to Miss Alice B. Minard, of this city. --Rockford Journal, 04-27-1872

TUPPER-BATES--In Rockton, March 9th, by the Rev. Mr. Benedict, Mr. Jerome B. Tupper, to Miss Sittina Bates--Rockford Forum, 03-21-1849



1850 Federal Census

Let's start with the family before Clarence/Charles is born. Here they are in Walworth Co., WI, in the house of Charles' grandfather. Latina is actually Settina. (I believe that there is a transcription error.) Jerome and Sittina's first daughter, Mary, has just been born. (The location of her birth is likely wrong since most other sources show Illinois.)



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"United States Census, 1850," Index and Images, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1 /M4DP-P57: accessed 1 January 2015), Jerome Tupper In household of Nathaniel Tupper, Bloomfield, Walworth, Wisconsin, United States; citing family 805, NARA microfilm publication M432 (Washington, D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, n.d.).



Sittina and Jerome also show up in the 1850 census in IL. This is where her family was.

Sittina Tupper

United States Census, 1850

Name Sittina Tupper

Event Type Census

Event Year 1850

Event Place Rockton, Winnebago, Illinois, United States

Gender Female

Age 23

Race White

Birth Year (Estimated) 1827

Birthplace Pennsylvania

House Number 53

Household

Role

Gender

Age

Birthplace

Henry N Bates	M	47	Massachusetts
Mary Bates	F	41	Pennsylvania
Sittina Tupper	F	23	Pennsylvania
Erastus S Bates	M	19	Pennsylvania
Jerome E Tupper		M	28 New York
Jonathan C Bates	M	17	Pennsylvania
Mary S Tupper	F	0	Illinois
Franklin J Tupper	M	25	New York
Citing this Record			

[&]quot;United States Census, 1850," database with images, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:M85H-Y59: accessed 23 January 2016), Sittina Tupper in household of Henry N Bates, Rockton, Winnebago, Illinois, United States; citing family 55, NARA microfilm publication M432 (Washington, D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, n.d.).



1860 - Charles J. a.k.a. Clarence J. in the home of Jerome B. and Sittina Tupper

Clarence is about the same age as Charles J. Bates. (Refer to the marriage information above for Agnes J. Moodie. - "Wisconsin, Marriages, 1836-1930," index, *FamilySearch* (https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1/XRRL-TTY: accessed 11 Apr 2014), Clarence J. Tupper and Agnes Jane Moody, 23 Sep 1886; citing reference; FHL microfilm 1275533.)

"United States Census, 1860," index, *FamilySearch* (https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1/MW9C-Y4C: accessed 16 Apr 2014), Clarance J Tupper in household of Jerome Tupper, The Village Of Elkhorn, Walworth, Wisconsin, United States; citing "1860 U.S. Federal Census - Population," *Fold3.com*; p. 20, household ID 148, NARA microfilm publication M653; FHL microfilm 805434.

Name: Clarance J Tupper

Event Type: Census Event Year: 1860

Event Place: The Village Of Elkhorn, Walworth, Wisconsin, United States

Gender: Male Age: 2 Race: White Race (Original): [Blank] Birth Year (Estimated): 1858 Birthplace: Wisconsin Page: 20 Household ID: 148

Affiliate Name: The U.S. National Archives and Records Administration (NARA)

Affiliate Publication Number: M653
GS Film Number: 805434
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Household Gender Age Birthplace Jerome Tupper 39 New York Settina Tupper 33 New York F Mary S Tupper F 10 Illinois Clara A Tupper F 4 Wisconsin 2 Clarance J Tupper M Wisconsin Ashbel Tucker M 36 Pennsylvania

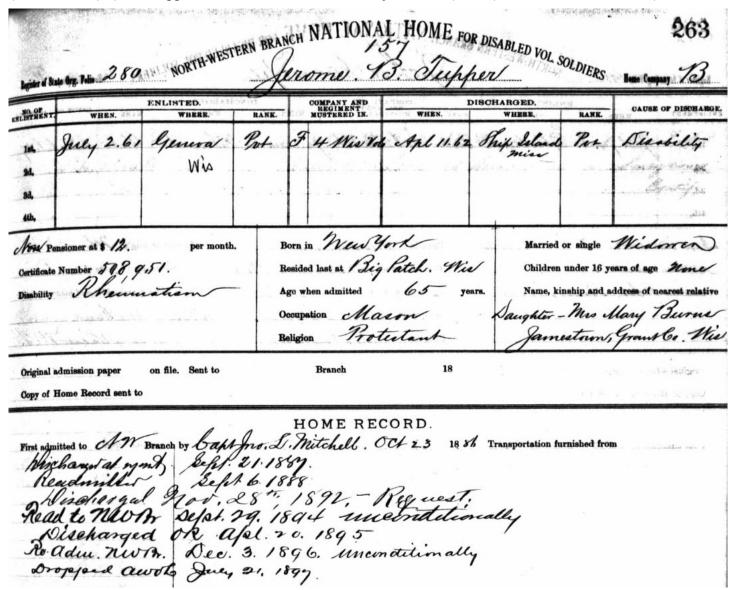
The 1860 census image for Elkhorn, WI, follows. This shows that Jerome was a mason by trade. It also shows that the first daughter was born in Illinois, which is consistent with the location of Sittina's relatives at the time. Jerome and Sittina's family are in Walworth Co. for this census.

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Note that Jerome was a mason and that 36 year old Ashbel Tucker (a tailor) lived with the family.

Civil War

Jerome apparently enlisted in F Company of the 4th Wisconsin Volunteers in 1861 and participated in the Civil War on the Union side. From the disability record that follows, you can see that he was involved in the naval blockade of the South. He was at Ship Island, in the Gulf of Mexico, and he was discharged for a disability (rheumatism?). (It also appears in 1886, when his disability is noted (below), that he was a widower.)





Here is a record of his discharge when the unit reached Mississippi (Ship Island) in 1862.

Jerome B. Tupper

Last Name: Tupper
First Name: Jerome B.

Company: F

Rank at Enlistment: Fifth Corporal
Rank at Discharge: Corporal

Discharged: Order of General Butler

Date: April 10th, 1862 Where: Ship Island

Remarks: Enlisted in Regular Battery

It is not clear what Settina and the family did while Jerome was away from July, 1861, to April, 1862.

Interestingly, the record above mentions his daughter, Mary, but it neglects to mention his second wife, Rose Ward. He married Rose in 1894. More about this later.

1870 with Jerome and Sittina

It is not clear to me where the family was during the 1860s. Jerome was in the army for a while, but I do not know where the rest of the family resided. The Wisconsin 1865 census is not much help.

Information from the 1870 Federal census follows. Jerome has returned from the Civil War, and there is a new daughter (Ada), whose name shows up later in association with her father's residence in a soldiers' home in WI. At this time, they are living in Jamestown, in Grant County, WI. This is a fair distance to the west of Elkhorn, WI, where the family was located in 1860. In fact Grant Co. has the Mississippi River as a boundary. Dubuque, IA, is not far away. The path between Elkhorn and Jamestown covers a distance of about 120 miles and passes through Brodhead and the area where Agnes and her brother, William, lived.

"United States Census, 1870," index and images, *FamilySearch* (https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1/MN9F-NZW: accessed 16 Apr 2014), Clarrance Tupper in household of Jerrome Tupper, Wisconsin, United States; citing p. 14, family 137, NARA microfilm publication M593, FHL microfilm 000553216.

Name: Clarrance Tupper

Event Type: Census Event Year: 1870

Event Place: Wisconsin, United States

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Gender: Male
Age: 12
Race: White
Race (Original): W

Birth Year (Estimated): 1857-1858
Birthplace: Wisconsin
Page Number: 14
Household ID: 137

Line Number:

Affiliate Name: The U.S. National Archives and Records Administration (NARA)

Affiliate Publication Number: M593
GS Film number: 000553216
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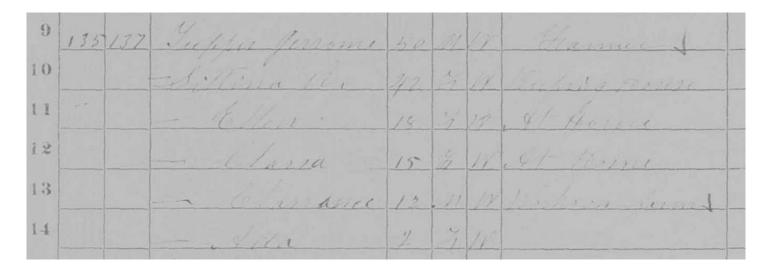
Household Gender Age Birthplace Jerrome Tupper 50 New York F 42 Pennsylvania Settina R Tupper Ellen Tupper F 18 Wisconsin F Clara Tupper 15 Wisconsin Clarrance Tupper 12 Wisconsin M Ada Tupper Wisconsin

The family is now in Grant Co., WI.



1870 census images for Jamestown, Grant Co., WI, follow. These show the Tupper family.

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Jerome is now occupied as a farmer.



1880 Federal Census

I have not been able to definitively locate Charles in the 1880 Federal Census. There are a few possibilities, including a Clarence Tupper, a 22 year old teacher residing in Clayton County, IA, just across the Mississippi R. from Grant Co., WI, where his parents resided. -

Name: Clarence Tupper Event Type: Census Event Date: 1880

Event Place: Mallory, Clayton, Iowa, United States

District: ED 139

Gender: Male Age: 22

Marital Status: Single

Race: White Race (Original):W

Occupation: School Teacher

Relationship to Head of Household: Other

Relationship to Head of Household (Original): Other

Birth Year (Estimated): 1858

Birthplace: Illinois, United States

Father's Birthplace: --Mother's Birthplace: ---

Note:

Sheet Letter: D Sheet Number: 440

Sheet Number and Letter: 440D

Household ID: 7736367 Person Number: 6

Volume: 1

Affiliate Name: The U.S. National Archives and Records Administration (NARA)

Affiliate Publication Number: T9
Affiliate Film Number: 0333
GS Film Number: 1254333
Digital Folder Number: 005160595

Image Number: 00527

Household Role Sex Age Birthplace

R B Flenniken Self M 49 Pennsylvania, United States

Margaret Flenniken Wife F 46 Pennsylvania, United States Mary A Flenniken Daughter F 21 Iowa, United States

Frank Flenniken Son M 16 Iowa, United States

Omar Hammond Other M 31 Pennsylvania, United States

Geo Brown Other M 31 Pennsylvania, United States
Clarence Tupper Other M 22 Illinois, United States

Citing this Record:

"United States Census, 1880," database with images, FamilySearch



(https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MD23-97Q : 9 September 2017), Clarence Tupper in household of R B Flenniken, Mallory, Clayton, Iowa, United States; citing enumeration district ED 139, sheet 440D, NARA microfilm publication T9 (Washington D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, n.d.), roll 0333; FHL microfilm 1,254,333.

Without further evidence, I think it safest to say that I have not found his location in 1880 with certainty.

The veterans record shown above for Jerome seems to indicate that Charles' mother, Sittina, may have died shortly before 1886. In fact, I have found Sittina, living with daughter Clara (Tupper) Cole, in Osage, IA, in 1880. Clinton Cole, Clara's husband was a barber there. So, I think it is reasonable to conclude that the family was split at this time, with Jerome in a veterans home in WI or in Grant Co., WI, and Sittina with her daughter in IA. Perhaps Sittina was in Osage because of an illness. Here's a transcript from the 1880 census in IA.

Name: Claria Cole Event Type: Census Event Date: 1880

Event Place: Osage, Mitchell, Iowa, United States

District: ED 309

Gender: Female Age: 24

Marital Status: Married

Race: White Race (Original):W

Occupation: Keeping House

Relationship to Head of Household: Wife

Relationship to Head of Household (Original): Wife

Birth Year (Estimated): 1856

Birthplace: Wisconsin, United States

Father's Birthplace: New York, United States Mother's Birthplace: New York, United States

Note:

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Sheet Number and Letter: 516D

Household ID: 7890232 Person Number: 1

Volume: 1

Affiliate Name: The U.S. National Archives and Records Administration (NARA)

Affiliate Publication Number: T9 Affiliate Film Number: 0356 GS Film Number: 1254356 Digital Folder Number: 005160618

Image Number: 00558

Household Role Sex Age Birthplace

Clinton Cole Self M 33 Wisconsin, United States Claria Cole Wife F 24 Wisconsin, United States

Mayble Cole Daughter F 7 Wisconsin, United States



Albert Cole	Son	M	4	Illinois, United States
Alta A Cole	Son	M	3	Illinois, United States
Charles Cole	Son	M	1	Iowa, United States

Sophrina Tuppen Mother-in-law F 53 New York, United States

Citing this Record:

"United States Census, 1880," database with images, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MDLQ-KR2: 12 August 2017), Claria Cole in household of Clinton Cole, Osage, Mitchell, Iowa, United States; citing enumeration district ED 309, sheet 516D, NARA microfilm publication T9 (Washington D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, n.d.), roll 0356; FHL microfilm 1,254,356.

1885 Iowa Census

Here is the household of Clara and Clinton Cole. Note that Sittina is no longer present. Since I can not find her in WI or IA, I speculate that she died between 1880 and 1885.

Name: Clara Cole Event Type: Census Event Year: 1885

Event Place: Osage, Osage, Mitchell, Iowa

Gender: Female

Age: 29

Birth Year (Estimated): 1856

Family Number: 118

Page: 7

Line Number: 22

GS Film number: 1021498

Digital Folder Number: 004539626

Image Number: 00624

Household	Role	Sex	Age	Birthplace
Clinton Cole		M	39	
Clara Cole		F	29	
Mable Cole		F	11	
Albert Cole		M	9	
Alta May Cole		F	8	
Charles Cole		M	6	
Frances Cole		M	4	

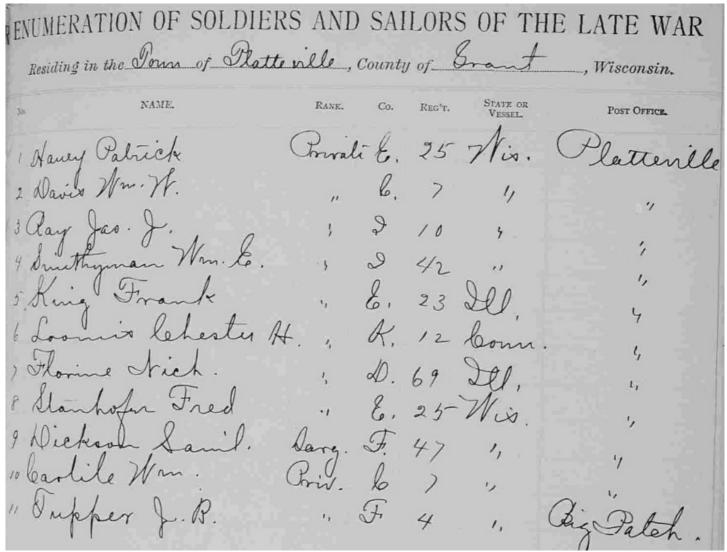
Citing this Record:

"Iowa State Census, 1885," database with images, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:HDNT-FZM: 3 April 2016), Clara Cole in household of Clinton Cole, Osage, Osage, Mitchell, Iowa; citing p. 7, 1885, State Historical Society, Des Moines; FHL microfilm 1,021,498.





1885 Wisconsin Census



Here again I have not been able to locate Clarence Tupper or Charles Bates. However, a Wisconsin Census shows Jerome in Grant Co., WI, at about this time.

1894 Jerome's Marriage to Rose Ward

On 5/17/1894 Jerome marries Rose Ward! As you will see below, Rose appears to be the sister of Nellie' (Ellen's) husband. It is not clear why, but it appears that the Ward and Tupper families were mixed together. Note that the veterans disability paper noted above does not mention Rose. She does later claim veterans pension benefits on Jerome in the 1910s, after Jerome has died.

Reference ID: 1342 Name: Jerome B Tupper

Birth Date:

Birthplace: York, Lexington, New York

Age:

Spouse's Name: Rose Ward

Spouse's Birth Date:

Spouse's Birthplace: Liverpool, London

Spouse's Age:

Event Date: 17 May 1894

Event Place: Milwaukee, Wisconsin Father's Name: Nathaniel Tupper Mother's Name: Mary Tupper

Spouse's Father's Name: Patrick Ward

Spouse's Mother's Name: Margaret Ward

Race: White Marital Status:

Previous Wife's Name: Spouse's Race: White Spouse's Marital Status:

Spouse's Previous Husband's Name:

Indexing Project (Batch) Number: M00822-2

System Origin: Wisconsin-EASy GS Film number: 1013989

Digital Folder Number:

Image Number:

Citing this Record:

"Wisconsin Marriages, 1836-1930," database, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:XRXK-MQK : 4 December 2014), Jerome B Tupper and Rose Ward, 17 May 1894; citing reference 1342; FHL microfilm 1,013,989.

1895 Wisconsin Census

Charles and his family with Agnes Moodie clearly appear in the 1895 Wi census in Decatur, WI.

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1899 Death of Jerome Tupper

Here is a transcription of the death record for Jerome B. Tupper. It shows that his wife was Settina Bates Tupper. Note that Jerome's mother's name is shown as Polly Gurm. I suspect that this is wrong and that it should be Polly Gunn.

Wisconsin, Death Records, 1867-1907, index, *FamilySearch* (https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1/XL38-YQZ: accessed 16 Apr 2014), Settina Bates Tupper in entry for Jerome B. Tupper, 1899; citing Death, Jamestown, Grant, Wisconsin, Wisconsin State Historical Society, Madison, Wisconsin; FHL film number 1310185.

Name: <u>Jerome B. Tupper</u>

Titles and Terms:

Event Type: Death Event Date: 1899

Event Place: Jamestown, Grant, Wisconsin

Address:

Residence Place: Jamestown, Grant, Wisconsin

Gender: Male Age: 77

Marital Status: Widowed
Race: white
Occupation: mason
Birth Date: 25 Jan 1821
Birth Year (Estimated): 1822

Birthplace: Rochester, Genesee, New York

Burial Date:

Burial Place: Jamestown, Wisconsin

Cemetery:

Father's Name: Nathaniel Tupper

Father's Titles and Terms:

Father's Birthplace: New York State
Mother's Name: Polly Gurm Tupper

Mother's Titles and Terms:

Mother's Birthplace: New York State
Spouse's Name: Settina Bates Tupper

Spouse's Titles and Terms:

Reference ID:

Additional Relatives:

GS Film Number: 1310185

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Digital Folder Number: 4207434 Image Number: 834

Charles' Siblings

In order of birth, his siblings are all female (Mary, Ellen (Nellie), Clara, and Ada). Their stories have their own interesting twists, in some cases intertwining with each other. Here is a list of he and his siblings and their families with some notes. Other notes can be found in my published family tree.

Tupper, Mary S. (b. 1850 - Illinois)

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sp. Burns, Edward E. (b. 1858 - , d. 1914)
Burns, Frank L. (b. 1872-07-11 - Wisconsin, US, d. 1952-03-22)
Burns, Clifford (b. 1886-07-03 - Wisconsin, US)
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This family was disrupted by the Spanish American War, as Edward was enlisted for this. Edward's life is much better documented than Mary's. She and Edward may have been separated after he returned from the war and went on into state politics.

Here is a reference regarding Edward Burns, Mary's husband. It is extracted from http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~wigrant/bioindex.htm. This shows an old text entitled A Commemorative Record of the Counties of Rock, Green, Iowa, and Lafayette Wisconsin (1901). I have copied the information below, which is associated with Edward E. Burns.

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From the Biographical Record of the Counties of Rock, Green, Grant, Iowa and Lafayette, Wisconsin, publ. 1901- page 610-611

EDWARD E. BURNS, member of the State Senate from the 16th District, is one of the leading representatives of the Bar in Grant county, is a gentleman of unusual attainments, successful in the practice of his profession, and highly respected by his colleagues as well as his fellow citizens.

Mr. BURNS was born at East Dubuque, Ill., Jan. 20, 1858, a son of Edward and Clara (FAIRBANKS) BURNS, the former a native of Ottawa, Canada, the latter born near Watertown, N.Y. The father was born in 1828, of Scottish parents. The mother was born in 1832, and was the daughter of Silas and Caroline FAIRBANKS, descendants of prominent New England families, who were well known during the early days of the country. Edward BURNS settled in Chicago, and for some time was in the employ of the Illinois Central Railway Co., later conducting a lumber yard at East Dubuque, Ill., where his first marriage - with the mother of our subject - occurred. After some years' residence there Mr. BURNS removed to Jamestown, Wis., where he purchased the farm on which he still resides. In 1863, Mrs. Clara BURNS passed away, leaving him with two children: Edward E. is our subject; Carrie L., a native of Jamestown, where she grew to womanhood, married Frank NEAT, of Ypsilanti, Mich., and died in November 1891, leaving no family. For his second wife Edward BURNS married Miss Mary TUPPER, and to this union two sons were born: Frank L., a graduate of the State Normal school at Platteville, of the class of 1896; and Clifford, now fourteen years old.

Our subject received an academic education in the State Normal school at Platteville, after which he entered the University of Wisconsin law school, at Madison, graduating in the class of 1887. The following year he opened an office for the practice of his profession at Sioux Falls, S. Dak., but after a short residence there returned and formed a partnership with W. G. PALMER, of Boscobel, Grant county. At the close of one year Mr. BURNS removed to Platteville, forming a partnership with W. E. CARTER on Dec. 1, 1890. Five years later this partnership was dissolved, Mr. CARTER locating in Milwaukee, Wis., and Mr. BURNS continuing in Platteville.



When the war with Spain broke out Mr. BURNS offered himself as a private, but was rejected on account of a defect in his left eye. Determined to serve his country, he returned to Platteville, and raised a company, of which he was elected captain, and which was mustered into the service as Company C, 4th Wisconsin Volunteers, at Camp Douglas, Wis. Later they were forwarded to Anniston, Ala., where they remained until Feb. 28, 1899, when the regiment was mustered out.

After the muster-out of the regiment Mr. BURNS returned to Platteville and the peaceful practice of law. He is notably successful in his cases. In recognition of his ability, the common council of Platteville in 1897 elected him to the position of city attorney, and he has since been honored with election to the State Senate from the 16th District, in which body he is now serving, discharging the arduous duties of this incumbency with marked distinction. In addition to this honor Mr. BURNS has also served as member of the county board, and brought to the deliberation of that body not only his legal knowledge, but also a calm, impartial judgment. In politics he is a member of the Republican party, whose principles he upholds upon all occasions. Mr. BURNS is not connected with any religious body, but accords to every man the right to worship as his conscience dictates. In April, 1899, Mr. BURNS purchased a fine building site on Roundtree avenue, erected a very comfortable home, and now resides there. Public-spirited, genial, thoroughly conversant with his profession, the future before this young man is a very brilliant one. Judging the future by the light of the past, his name is destined to become one of the best known in the State, even if he is not called to fill higher positions. Socially he is a very prominent member of the Masonic fraternity, and also of the K. of P. lodge of Platteville.

This biography generously submitted by Carol Holmbeck

Tupper, Ellen (b. 1852-01-04 - Wisconsin, d. 1885-09-19 - Iowa, U.S.)

Ellen married into the Ward family and moved to Iowa, where she died. I believe that there is a really good chance that James' older sister, Rose, is the person that married Jerome in 1894.

Tupper, Clara A. (b. 1856 - Wisconsin)

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sp. Cole, Clinton R. (b. 1846 - Wisconsin, US, d. 1931-07-22 - )
Cole, Mable C. (b. 1874)
Cole, Albert C. (b. 1875)
Cole, Alta May (b. 1877)
Cole, Charles Monroe (b. 1878)
Cole, Frances (b. 1880)
Cole, Lillian E. (b. 1888-12-16, d. 1968-08-01)
sp. Williams, Harry (b. 1861-01-11 - , d. 1942-06-21)
Williams, Harry Russell (b. 1907-09-14 - )
Williams, Gilbert Cole (b. 1910-07-31 - )
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Clara married Clinton Cole, who shows up a barber in some census records. At some point, however, Clara disappears from the scene. Clinton may become destitute and literally end up at a "poor farm" in IA. Sittina



was a resident at their house in Osage, IA, in 1880 as mentioned earlier.

The Tupper "girls" in IA must have kept in touch with each other. In one case, the closeness was perhaps too much. Clara's youngest daughter (Lillian) eventually married the husband of her Aunt Ada, who had also married and moved to IA!

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Bates, Charles J. (b. 1858-01-06 - , d. 1900-09-11 - Spring Valley (WI))
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sp. Moodie, Agnes Jane (b. 1871-10-19 - Wilton (Scotland), d. 1954-11-02 - Perkins County, SD)
       Bates, Harry C. (b. 1887-08-22 - Brodhead (WI), d. 1946-11-14 - Aberdeen (SD))
       sp. Loy, Marian Evelyn (b. 1900-05-06 - , d. 1995-10-30 - Mound City (SD))
              Bates, [Living] Blanche Velma (b. 1921-12-22 - Bowman, North Dakota)
              sp. Rhombs, Robert Earl (b. 1920-02-20 - Lebanon, South Dakota, d. 2005-08-31 -
              Sarasota, Florida)
              Bates, Shirley Mae (b. 1928-10-06 - Hettinger, d. 2004-12-22 - Aberdeen (SD))
              sp. Nelson, Rex Martin (b. 1927, d. 2013 - Aberdeen (SD))
              Bates, Dennis Alan (b. 1939-05-22 - Hettinger, d. 2014-10-29 - Bismark)
              sp. Berndt, Darlene Faye (b. 1946)
      Bates, May T. (b. 1888-12-20 - Wisconsin, d. 1965-10-23 - Beloit (WI))
       sp. Lund, Olaf C. (b. 1885 - Norway, d. 1954 - Beloit (WI))
              Lund, Edna M. (b. 1910-09-05 - Beloit (WI), d. 1994-01-28 - Beloit (WI))
              sp. Eddy, Harvey M. (b. 1907, d. 1975)3. Bates,
       Frank (b. 1891-05-30, d. 1966-04-14)
       Bates, John (b. 1893-05-20, d. 1908-04-04)
       Bates, Elizabeth (b. 1895-03-10 - Decatur (WI), d. 1936-04-04 - )
       sp. Owens, John L. (b. 1875-01-26 - , d. 1931-09-03 - )
       Bates, Susan (b. 1898-04-21 - Wisconsin, d. 1975-01-15 - Lemmon)
       Bates, Grace Charlotte (b. 1901-01-26 - Spring Valley (WI), d. 1905-04-16 - Decatur (WI))
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More will be said about Charles' family with Agnes later.

Tupper, Ada E. (b. 1868 - Wisconsin, d. 1936-08-24)

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sp. Williams, Harry (b. 1861-01-11 - , d. 1942-06-21)
Williams, Raymond (b. 1888 - Wisconsin, US)
Williams, Jessie (b. 1889)
Williams, Oscar Glen (b. 1898-11-26 - )
Williams, Frank Roland (b. 1900-03-14 - )
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Ada was the youngest daughter of Sittina and Jerome. She married Harry Williams in WI, and moved with him to IA. It appears that, after her niece marries her husband, she may move west (CA?). I'm sure that more stories about the families of the three Tupper daughters that moved to IA could be found.

Death of Charles J. Bates (September, 1900) and Burial

Death records follow.

Wisconsin, Death Records, 1867-1907, index, *FamilySearch* (https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1/XLWT-JH5: accessed 11 Apr 2014), Charles C. Bates, 1900; citing Death, Spring Valley Center, Rock, Wisconsin, Wisconsin State Historical Society, Madison, Wisconsin; FHL film number 1311654. The middle initial "C" conflicts with other information, and I assume this is an error. I also think that the father's name (Clarence Bates) is wrong or reflects the estrangement with his real father, Jerome B. Tupper.

Name: Charles C. Bates

Titles and Terms:

Event Type: Death Event Date: 1900

Event Place: Spring Valley Center, Rock, Wisconsin

Address:

Residence Place: Spring Valley Center

Gender: Male
Age: 42
Marital Status: Married
Race: white
Occupation: farmer
Birth Date: 06 Jan 1858
Birth Year (Estimated): 1858

Birthplace: Spring Valley Center

Burial Date: 11 Sep 1900

Burial Place: Spring Valley, Rock, Wis.

Cemetery: Scotch Cem.
Father's Name: Clarence Bates

Father's Titles and Terms:

Father's Birthplace: Penn.
Mother's Name: Satine Bates

Mother's Titles and Terms:

Mother's Birthplace: Penn.
Spouse's Name: Agnes Bates

Spouse's Titles and Terms:

Reference ID: p 504 cn 02125

Additional Relatives:

GS Film Number: <u>1311654</u>

Frame Number:

Digital Folder Number: 4207461
Image Number: 202

The actual death certificate has been transcribed and includes the following. I assume that the middle initial is wrong.

26 April 2014/RCGS/Janesville, Rock County, Wisconsin: Rock County Register of Deeds & Records Office, Rock County Courthouse, Janesville, Wisconsin >>>> <u>Death Record for Charles C. Bates</u>, Vol. 4, Page 280

CHARLES C. BATES [Died at his residence.]

Residence: Town of Spring Valley, Rock County, Wisconsin

Male

Race: White/American

Married

Wife: Agnes Bates

Birth date: 6 January 1858

Born: Elkhorn, Walworth County, Wisconsin

Death date: 11 September 1900

Died: Spring Valley Center, Rock County, Wisconsin

Age: 42 year Occupation: Farmer

Father: Clarence Bates, b. Pennsylvania Mother: Satina Bates, b. Pennsylvania

Cause of death: Brain tumor causing meningitis, also ?? fits, and extreme exhaustion

Duration of disease: 2 years + 6 months severe Physician: J M Keithly, H Oxford, T W Nuzum

Buried: 12 September 1900

Burial: Scotch Cemetery, Town of Spring Valley, Rock County, Wisconsin

Undertaker: T Stewart

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Burial information follows.

Charles J Bates

Death: Sep 11 1900

Cemetery: Scotch Hill Cemetery, Wisconsin, USA

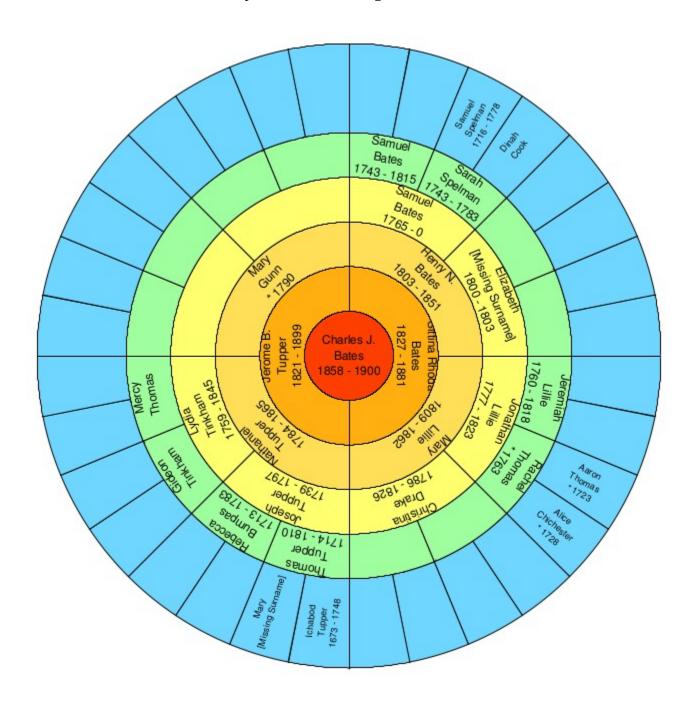
Source: <u>View full record on Find A Grave website (findagrave.com)</u>



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Ancestors of Charles Bates

Here is a fan chart that shows Charles' ancestors. More references to his Tupper and bates lines can be found later in the document. Both his maternal and paternal lines seem to trace back to colonial times in MA and or CT. From there, with a little luck, I suspect British Isles origins.



Here is an Ahnentafel report for Charles Bates. The full family tree can be found at https://rhombs.myherirage.com. Thanks to the work of others, the information about the Tupper and Bates lines goes back in time fairly far.

Generation 1

1. Bates, Charles J. Charles J. was born on 1858-01-06 in Spring Valley, Rock, Wisconsin, US. He died on 1900-09-11 in Spring Valley, Rock, Wisconsin, US. He was buried in Rock, Wisconsin, US.

Generation 2

- 2. Tupper, Jerome B. Jerome B. was born on 1821-01-25 in Rochester, Genesee, New York, USA. He died on 1899-01-19 in Jamestown, Grant, Wisconsin, USA.
- 3. Bates, Sittina Rhoda. Sittina Rhoda was born on 1827-11-13 in Damascus, PA, USA. She may have died on 1890-01-01 in Sioux Falls, SD, USA.

Generation 3

- 4. Tupper, Nathaniel. Nathaniel was born on 1784-02-27 in Connecticut. He died in 1865 in Wisconsin.
- 5. Gunn, Mary. Mary was born in 1790 in New York.
- 6. Bates, Henry N. Henry N. was born on 1803-07-05 in Massachusetts, USA. He died on 1851-03-06 in Rockton, Winnebago, Illinois, USA. He was buried.
- 7. Lillie, Mary. Mary was born in 1809 in Pennsylvania. She died in 1862.

Generation 4

- 8. Tupper, Joseph Lt. Joseph was born on 1739-08-25 in Connecticut. He died on 1797-07-14 in Connecticut.
- 9. Tinkham, Lydia. Lydia was born in 1759. She died in 1845.
- 12. Bates, Samuel. Samuel was born on 1765-03-10 in Durham, Connecticut, USA. He died in New York.
- 13. [Missing Surname], Elizabeth. Elizabeth was born in 1800 in Hartland, Connecticut, USA. She died on 1803-07-29.

Generation 5

- 16. Tupper, Thomas. Thomas was born in 1714. He died in 1810.
- 17. Bumpas, Rebecca. Rebecca was born on 1713-05-26. She died on 1783-08-18.
- 18. Tinkham, Gideon.
- 19. Thomas, Mercy.
- 24. Bates, Samuel. Samuel was born on 1743-04-24 in Durham, Connecticut, USA. He was baptized on 1765-03-10 in Durham, Connecticut, USA. He died on 1815-10-10 in Hartland,



Connecticut, USA.

25. Spelman, Sarah. Sarah was born on 1743-03-04 in Durham, Connecticut, USA. She died on 1783-09-05 in Durham, Connecticut, USA.

Generation 6

- 32. Tupper, Ichabod. Ichabod was born in 1673. He died in 1748.
- 33. [Missing Surname], Mary.
- 50. Spelman, Samuel. Samuel was born on 1716-02-15 in Middletown, CT, USA. He died on 1778-06-26.
- 51. Cook, Dinah.

Generation 7

- 64. Tupper, Thomas. Thomas was born in 1637. He died in 1706.
- 65. Mayhew, Martha. Martha was born in 1638. She died in 1717.
- 100. Spelman, Richard. Richard was born in 1665 in Danbury, Fairfield, Connecticut Colony. He died on 1750-04-21.
- 101. French, Alice. Alice was born in 1674. She died on 1767-12-15 in Granville, MA, USA.

Generation 8

- 128. Tupper, Thomas. Thomas was born on 1577-01-28 in Bury, England, Sussex, UK. He died on 1676-03-28 in Massachusetts, USA.
- 129. Hodgson, Anne.
- 200. Spelman, Richard. Richard was born in 1637 in Essex, England.
- 201. [Missing Surname], Allice.

Generation 9

- 400. Spelman, Richard. Richard was born on 1590-01-06 in Essex, England. He died on 1640-01-25.
- 401. Spyte, Lucy.

Generation 10

- 800. Spelman, Richard. Richard was born in 1550 in Essex, England.
- 801. Stabel, Barbara.



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Ancestral Locations

Here is a graphical summary of geographic areas that are likely important to Bates and Tupper ancestors, who started in England. Essex is significant to the Bates line. Sussex is significant to the Tupper line.



Summary information about the family of Jerome and Sittina Tupper

Here is a summary of the information that I have collected about the household of Jerome B. Tupper. This summarizes information about the siblings of Charles/Clarence.

- 1. Tupper, Jerome B. (b. 1821-01-25 Rochester, Genesee, New York, d. 1899-01-19 Jamestown, Grant, Wisconsin) sp. Bates, Sittina Rhoda (b. 1827-11-13 Damascus PA, d. ?)
 - 2. Tupper, Clara A. (b. 1856 Wisconsin)
 - 2. Tupper, Mary S. (b. 1850 Illinois)
 - 2. Tupper, Ellen (b. 1852 Wisconsin)
 - 2. Tupper, Ada (b. 1868 Wisconsin)
 - 2. Bates, Charles J. (b. 1858-01-06 Spring Valley (WI), d. 1900-09-11 Spring Valley (WI)) sp. Moodie, Agnes Jane (b. 1871-10-19 Wilton (Scotland), d. 1954-11-02 Perkins County, SD)

Much more can be found out about the ancestors of Jerome and Sittina using the references that follow.

A reference about the Bates family, found in the Family History Library (Salt Lake City) follows. In this document, the person that I have referred to as Sittina is described as Satina. My name choice is based on public document records.

The Bates centennial farm of Rockton, Illinois (1857-1990's) antecedents-stewards-offshoots

Statement of Responsibility:

by Charles Carpenter Bates; editor, Deanne Bloom Kelley

Authors:

Bates, Charles Carpenter, 1918- (Main Author)

Kelley, Deanne Bloom (Added Author)

Format:

Books/Monographs

Language:

English

Publication:

Rockton, Illinois: Corn Field Press, c1993

Physical:

xiv, 460 p.: ill., coats of arms, facsims., geneal. tables, maps, ports.

Subject Class:

929.273 B318



About the Tupper family, a dedicated website and a book microfilmed at the Family History Library:

http://www.genealogy.com/ftm/t/u/p/Mark-Tupper/index.html

Thomas Tupper and his descendants

Statement of Responsibility:

by Franklin Whittlesey Tupper

Authors:

Tupper, Franklin Whittlesey (Main Author)

Hill, William Carroll (Added Author)

Tupper Family Association of America, Inc. (Boston, Massachusetts) (Added Author)

Tupper Family Association of America, Inc. (Boston, Massachusetts) (Subject)

Format:

Books/Monographs/Book on Film

Language:

English

Publication:

Salt Lake City, Utah: Filmed by the Genealogical Society of Utah, 1976

Physical:

on 1 microfilm reel: ill.; 35 mm.

Notes

Microreproduction of original published: Boston: Tupper Family Association of America, Inc., 1945 (Concord, N.H.: Rumford Press). 71 p., [1] leaf of plates.

"Edited and compiled by William Carroll Hill, historian, New England Historic Genealogical Society"--Verso of title page.

Thomas Tupper (1578-1676) was a son of Henry Tupper and a grandosn of Richard Tupper of Bury, Sussex County, England. Thomas immigrated in 1637 to Sandwich, Massachusetts, and married three times (once in England). Descendants and relatives lived in New England, New York and elsewhere. Some descendants immigrated to Nova Scotia and elsewhere in Canada. Includes former and current officers of the Tupper Family Association of America, Inc., with headquarters in Boston, Massachusetts.

Includes index.

Includes Ellis, Fish, Freeman, Gage, Gibbs, Morton, Newcomb, Perry, Swift, West, Wood and related families.



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Agnes J. Moodie

Agnes was from a Scottish family that lived in the Scottish Borders area, south of Edinburgh in the vicinity of a town by the name of Hawick in the county of Roxburghshire.

This may be a picture of her taken around 1930.



Birth (October, 1871)

I assume the date of 10/19/1871 as the birth date for Agnes. This contradicts some later sources, but it is hard to argue with the Scotland birth record.

Info that follows is from LDS Scottish births and baptisms. -

Jane Agnes Moodie

Scotland Births and Baptisms

Name Jane Agnes Moodie

Gender Female

Birth Date 19 Oct 1871

Birthplace WILTON, ROXBURGH, SCOTLAND

Father's Name James Moodie Mother's Name Jemima Nichol

Citing this Record

"Scotland Births and Baptisms, 1564-1950," database, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FQ8B-7X6: accessed 30 January 2016), Jane Agnes Moodie, 19 Oct 1871; citing WILTON,ROXBURGH,SCOTLAND, reference; FHL microfilm 6,035,516.

This may be a picture of the church where she was baptized.



In the 1881 Scottish Census?

Name: Agness Jane Moodie

Event Type: Census
Event Date: 1881
Gender: Female

Age: 9

Birthplace:

Registration District:

County: Roxburghshire

Birth Year (Estimated): 1872 GS Film number: 224043

References about this part of Scotland follow.

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Roxburgh

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wilton, Scottish Borders

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Scottish Borders



Agnes' Immediate Family

Here is evidence that I have found regarding the family of James Moodie and Jemima Nicol, the parents of my great grandmother Agnes. It is important to note that James is quite a bit (19 years) older than Jemima.

Her Father, James', Birth in 1817

Name: James Moodie

Gender: Male

Birth Date: 21 Jun 1817

Birth Place: , Lilliesleaf, Roxburgh, Scotland

Father: Thomas Moodie
Mother: Elizabeth Lister

FHL Film Number: 1067947, 0102297

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Source Information

Ancestry.com. Scotland, Select Births and Baptisms, 1564-1950 [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014.

Original data: Scotland, Births and Baptisms, 1564-1950. Salt Lake City, Utah: FamilySearch, 2013.

Her Mother, Jemima's, Birth in 1836

Name: Jemima Nicol

Gender: Female

Birth Date: 7 Apr 1836

Birth Place: , Roberton, Selkirk, Scotland

Baptism Place: , Roberton, Selkirk, Scotland

Father: James Nicol

Mother: Elisabeth Cavers

FHL Film Number: 1067927

Reference ID: - 2:188TRD9

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Source Information

Ancestry.com. Scotland, Select Births and Baptisms, 1564-1950 [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014.

Original data: Scotland, Births and Baptisms, 1564-1950. Salt Lake City, Utah: FamilySearch, 2013.





Jemima and James in 1841

Here is a record of Jemima, Agnes' mother, in a house in the 1841 Scotland Census. The head of the house is shown as Elisabeth, but she seems too old to be Jemima's mother. Her father, James Nicol, is not present for some reason. Another James Nicol of approximately the right age shows up in the census in the right area, just not with the family. Maybe he has just moved out for some reason (like remarriage). Perhaps he has died. It is hard to tell what happened based on the available information.

Jemima Nicol in the 1841 Scotland Census

Name:	Jemima Nicol		
Age:	5		
Estimated birth year:	abt 1836		
Gender:	Female		
Where born:	Roxburghshire, Scotland		
Civil Parish:	Roberton		
County:	Roxburghshire		
Address:	Lodge		
Parish Number:	777		
Household Members:	Name	_	
	Name	Age	
	Elisabeth Nicol	47	
	Elisabeth Nicol	47	
	Elisabeth Nicol Walter Nicol	47 10	

Source Citation

Parish: Roberton; ED: 1; Page: 2; Line: 1058; Year: 1841

Source Information

Ancestry.com. 1841 Scotland Census [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations Inc., 2006.

Original data: 1841 Scotland Census. Edinburgh, Scotland: General Register Office for Scotland. Reels 1-151. General Register Office for Scotland. Edinburgh, Scotland.

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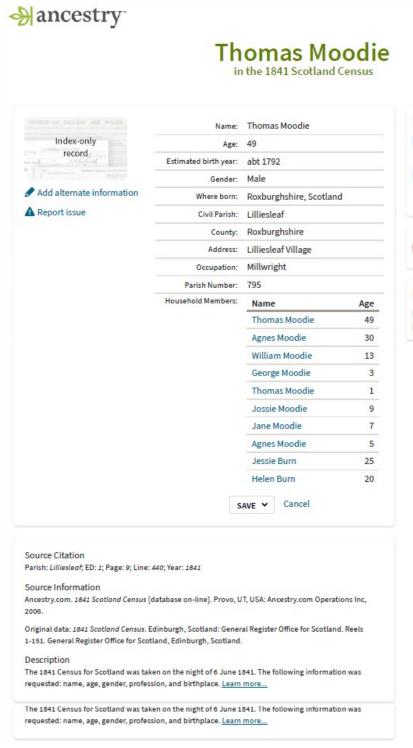
The 1841 Census for Scotland was taken on the night of 6 June 1841. The following information was requested: name, age, gender, profession, and birthplace. Learn more...

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James Moodie was her father. Here is a record of the house of James' <u>father</u> in the 1841 census. James is not present, and this is not surprising since he would have been about 24 at this time.

It is possible that James had married a lady named Agnes Edgar in the southwest area of Scotland in about 1840. If this is indeed true, they had a child named Agnes about a year later (1841), and she may appear in the immigration information that follows later in the document. If this is not the case, I have completely lost track of James in 1841.



Her Parents in 1851

I have lost track of Jemima and her family in 1851.

I <u>could</u> find the Moodies, however, in the Scotland Census.

First to Thomas. -

Name:	Thomas Moodie				
Age:	59				
Estimated birth year:	abt 1792				
Relationship:	Head				
Spouse:	Agnes Moodie				
Gender:	Male				
Where born:	Lilliesleaf, Roxburgh				
Parish Number:	795				
Civil Parish:	Lilliesleaf				
Phillimore Ecclesiastical Parish Maps:	View related Ecclesiastic	cal Parish			
Town:	Lilliesleaf				
County:	Roxburghshire				
Address:	Lilliesleaf				
Occupation:	Mill Wright Hemploying Aa Apprentice	Man And			
ED:	1				
Page:	4				
Household schedule number:	17				
LINE:	1				
Roll:	CSSCT1851_202				
Household Members:	Name	Age			
	Thomas Moodie	59			
	Agnes Moodie	39			
	William Moodie	23			
	Jessie Moodie	19			
	Jane Moodie	17			
	George Moodie	13			
	Thomas Moodie	11			
	Helen Moodie	8			
	Robert Moodie	5			
	John Moodie	3			
	David Warwick	17			
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Then to James. If this is indeed him, then the family is no longer associated with a family. -

James Moodie in the 1851 Scotland Census

Name:	James Moodie	
Age:	33	
Estimated birth year:	abt 1818	
Relationship:	Lodger	
Gender:	Male	
Where born:	Lullian, Roxburghshire	
Parish Number:	685/2	
Civil Parish:	Edinburgh St Cuthberts	
County:	Midlothian	
Address:	3 West Register Street	
Occupation:	Engineer	
ED:	1A	
Page:	11	
Household schedule number:	35	
LINE:	13	
Roll:	CSSCT1851_184	
Household Members:	Name	Age
	Mary Thomson	77
	Ann Mclean	18
	William Mckay	22
	Alexander Bain	28
	James Fyfe	33
	George B Falconar	20
	James Moodie	33
	A Mcpherson	20

1861 Census

I have lost track of the families in 1861.

1866 - marriage of James and Jemima

Name: James Moodie Gender: Male

Marriage Date: 7 Dec 1866

Marriage Place: Wilton, Roxburgh, Scotland

Spouse: Jemima Nichol FHL Film Number: 6035516

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Source Information

Ancestry.com. Scotland, Select Marriages, 1561-1910 [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations, Inc., 2014.

Original data: Scotland, Marriages, 1561-1910. Salt Lake City, Utah: FamilySearch, 2013.

1871 Scotland Census

Agnes was born in 1871, but not at the time of the 1871 census. Her sister, Elizabeth, and brother, William, are however on the scene.

James Moodie in the 1871 Scotland Census

Name:	James Moodie		
Age:	52		
Estimated birth year:	abt 1819		
Relationship:	Head		
Spouse's name :	Jemima Moodie		
Gender:	Male		
Where born:	Lilliesleaf, Roxburghshire		
Registration Number:	810		
Registration district:	Wilton		
Civil Parish:	Wilton		
County:	Roxburghshire		
Address:	5 Wellington Street		
Occupation:	Millwright (germanymun)		
ED:	4		
Household schedule number:	111		
LINE:	6		
Roll:	CSSCT1871_181		
Household Members:	Name	Age	
	James Moodie	52	
	Jemima Moodie	34	
	William Moodie	9	
	Elizabeth Cavers Moodie	2	
	Thomas Hall	22	

Source Citation

Parish: Wilton; ED: 4; Page: 25; Line: 6; Roll: CSSCT1871_181

Source Information

Ancestry.com. 1871 Scotland Census [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2007.



In the 1881 Scottish Census

Here is the family, minus James in the 1881 census. I suspect that James died in 1878 based on information from another family tree, but there is no primary source information to support this. (reference = the "Brierley Family Tree 1947" on ancestry.com .)

Agness Jane Moodie in the 1881 Scotland Census

Name:	Agness Jane Moodie	
Age:	9	
Estimated birth year:	abt 1872	
Relationship:	Daughter	
Mother's name:	Jemima Moodie	
Gender:	Female	
Where born:	Wilton, Roxburghshire	
Registration Number:	806	
Registration district:	Southdean	
Civil Parish:	Southdean	
County:	Roxburghshire	
Address:	Doorpool Cot	
Occupation:	Scholar	
ED:	3	
Household schedule number:	21	
LINE:	19	
Roll:	cssct1881_320	
Household Members:	Name A	lge
	Jemima Moodie	42
	William Moodie	19
	Elizabeth Moodie	12
	Agness Jane Moodie	9

Source Citation

Parish: Southdean; ED: 3; Page: 4; Line: 19; Roll: cssct1681_320

Source Information

Ancestry.com. 1881 Scotland Census [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2007.

Original data: Scotland. 1881 Scotland Census. Reels 1-338. General Register Office for Scotland, Edinburgh, Scotland.



Emigration from Scotland (c. 1884)

Using castlegarden.org, I looked for people from Scotland between 1881 and 1887 with a name of Moodie or Moody and found the following list.

Last name	First name	<u>Age</u>	<u>Sex</u>	Arrival Date	Place of last residence
<u>MOODY</u>	WILLIAM	17	M	6 Apr 1882	
<u>MOODY</u>	AGNES	10	F	8 Aug 1882	
<u>MOODY</u>	ELIZABETH	12	F	8 Aug 1882	
<u>MOODY</u>	MRS. AGNES	42	F	8 Aug 1882	
<u>MOODY</u>	SARAH	30	F	24 Nov 1885	

So, I think that I found that Agnes' brother (William) came in April, 1882, followed four months later by his sisters and a possibly related person with the right name but maybe too young to be the mother. My first guess is that she is a daughter by an earlier marriage of James Moodie and Agnes Edgar (mentioned earlier). Perhaps, however, it is actually Agnes' mother Jemima and the first name is wrong. It is really hard to tell based on the information available. No matter who it was, I have not been able to track her in the US.

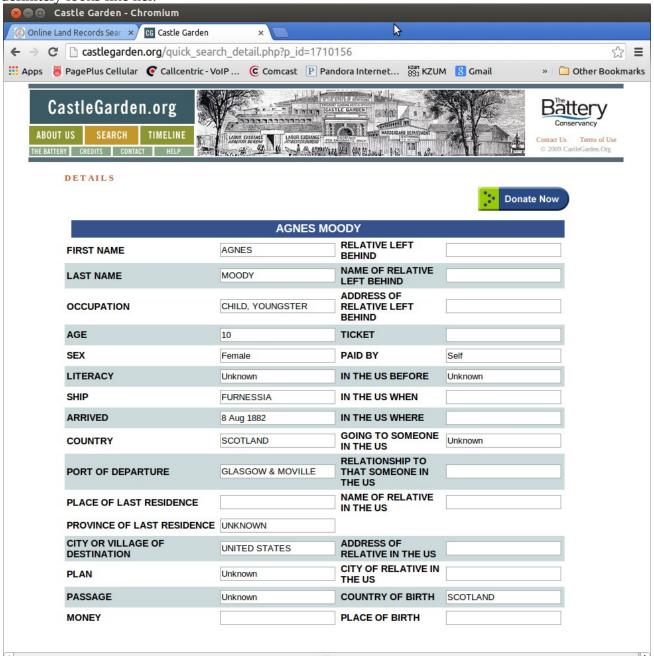
The ship (Furnessia) on which they traveled was part of the Anchor Line. It traveled between Glasgow and NY. The picture that follows shows the ship in 1891.



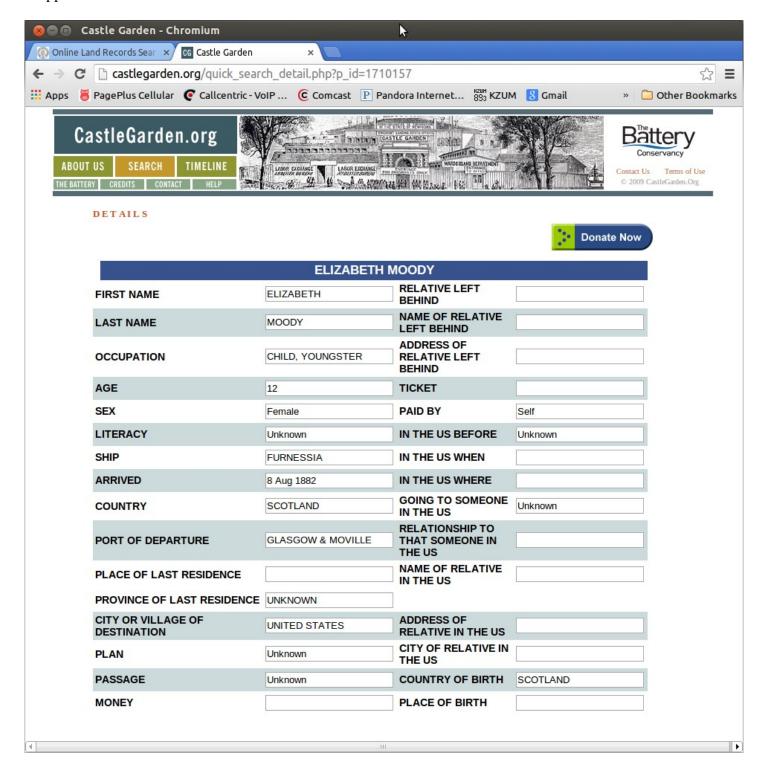
Following are details for the individuals shown in the list above.

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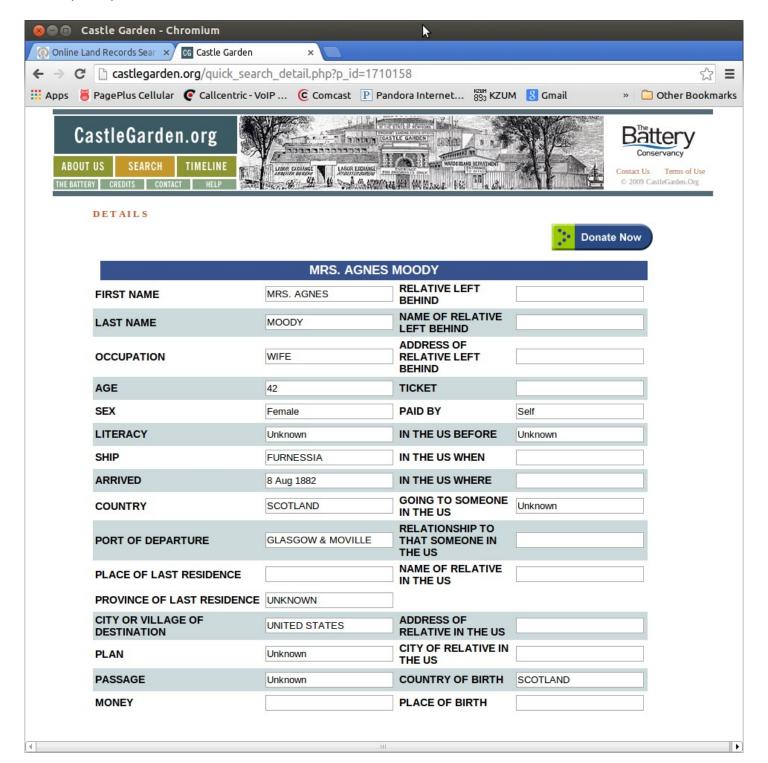
This definitely looks like her.



It appears that she traveled with an older sister named Elizabeth.

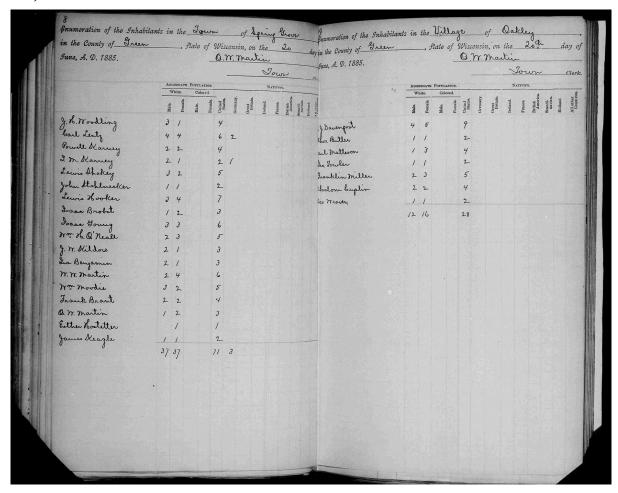


Mother, Aunt, etc.?



1885 Wisconsin Census (Spring Grove, Green County)

In the House of WM Moodie? I'm guessing that William Moodie is her brother. If this is right, he is the one who took her to Janesville, to make the complaint against Charles J. Bates in Sept., 1886. (See material in a later section.)



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Agnes' Siblings in the USA

I have not done a lot of research into Agnes' siblings, but here is a list of some information about all families.

Moodie, William (b. 1862-03-06 - Warrick, Scotland, d. 1944 - Beloit, Rock, Wisconsin)

sp. Weick, Tina Louise (b. 1869-12-06 - Germany, d. 1952 - Beloit, Rock, Wisconsin)

Moodie, Mabel (b. 1890)

Moodie, George William (b. 1897-09-21 - Beloit, Rock, Wisconsin, d. 1933-09-00 - Beloit, Rock, Wisconsin)

sp. Lasey, Kathryn Helen (b. 1902, d. 1928)

Moodie, Isabell I. (b. 1921, d. 1967-04-18)

Moodie, Jack (b. 1922, d. 1923)

Moodie, Grace L. (b. 1925, d. 1988)

Moodie, Robert (b. 1901)

Moodie, Florence (b. 1903)

Moodie, Darhl (b. 1905)

Moodie, Elizabeth (b. 1868-06-03 - Cavers, Roxburgh, Scotland, d. 1954 - El Dorado, Butler, Kansas)

sp. Wilson, Robert F. (b. 1858 - Scotland, d. 1934 - El Dorado, Butler, Kansas)

Wilson, James Moodie (b. 1887-07-04 - Spring Valley, Rock, Wisconsin, US, d. 1955-07-28 -

Butler, Kansas, US)

Wilson, [unknown] (b. 1888-09-10 - Spring Valley, Rock, Wisconsin, US)

Wilson, George William (b. 1895-01-08 - Butler, Kansas, US)

sp. Kane, Lauryne Marie (b. 1900-05-07 - Kansas, US, d. 1985-07-01 - Oregon, US)

Wilson, George Matthew (b. 1923-01-16 - Iowa, USA, d. 2009-04-10 - Oregon, US)

sp. Cornelius, unknown

Wilson, Beverly Lauryne

Wilson, Nellie (b. 1900 - Butler, Kansas, US)

Wilson, Arthur (b. 1902 - Butler, Kansas, US)

Moodie, Agnes Jane (b. 1871-10-19 - Wilton, Roxburgh, Scotland, d. 1954-11-02 - Perkins, South Dakota)

sp. Bates, Charles J. (b. 1858-01-06 - Elkhorn, Walworth, Wisconsin, d. 1900-09-11 - Spring Valley, Rock, Wisconsin, US)

Bates, Harry C. (b. 1887-08-22 - Brodhead, Rock, Wisconsin, US, d. 1946-11-14 - Aberdeen, US, South Dakota)

sp. Loy, Marian Evelyn (b. 1900-05-06 - Campbell, South Dakota, d. 1995-10-30 - Mound City, Campbell, South Dakota, US)

Bates, May T. (b. 1888-12-20 - Wisconsin, d. 1965-10-23 - Beloit, Rock, Wisconsin)

sp. Lund, Olaf C. (b. 1885 - Norway, d. 1954 - Beloit, Wisconsin, USA)

Bates, Frank (b. 1891-05-30, d. 1966-04-14)

Bates, John (b. 1893-05-20, d. 1908-04-04)

Bates, Elizabeth (b. 1895-03-10 - Decatur, Green, Wisconsin, USA, d. 1936-04-04 - Washington) sp. Owens, John L. (b. 1875-01-26 - La Porte City, IA, Black Hawk Co., IA, Iowa, d. 1931-09-



03 - Mandan Co., ND, North Dakota)

Bates, Susan (b. 1898-04-21 - Wisconsin, d. 1975-01-15 - Lemmon, South Dakota)

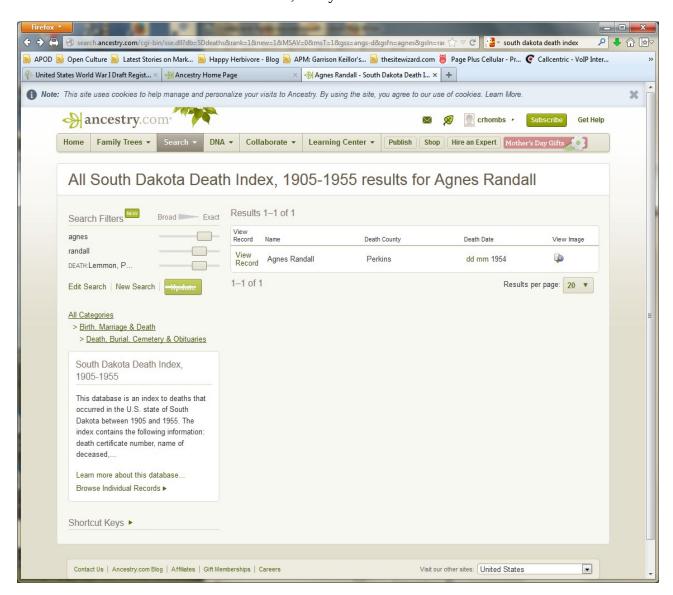
Bates, Grace Charlotte (b. 1901-01-26 - Spring Valley, Rock, Wisconsin, US, d. 1905-04-16 - Decatur,

Green, Wisconsin, USA)



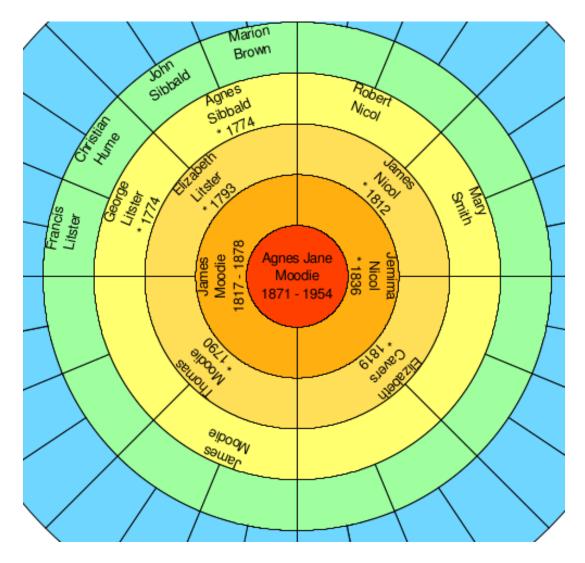
Death (1954 in Perkins Co., SD)

This information is from the South Dakota Death Index on ancestry.com. Note that after the death of Charles Bates, she remarried first to one Randall brother and then another. They probably met in Brodhead, WI, and moved to SD and so were close to her oldest son, Harry.



Ancestors of Agnes Moodie

Here is a fan chart that shows what little I have found out about Agnes' ancestors. I know that there is more information available in Scottish archives.



Here is an Ahnentafel report showing somewhat more information. Again, more information can be found in the family tree noted earlier.

Generation 1

1. Moodie, Agnes Jane. Agnes Jane was born on 1871-10-19 in Wilton, Roxburgh, Scotland. She died on 1954-11-02 in Perkins, South Dakota. She was buried in Lemmon, South Dakota.

Generation 2

- 2. Moodie, James. James was born on 1817-06-21 in Roxburghshrie, Scotland. He died on 1878-03-15 in Roxburgh, Scotland.
- 3. Nicol, Jemima. Jemima was born on 1836-04-07 in Scotland.

Generation 3

- 4. Moodie, Thomas. Thomas was born on 1790-10-26.
- 5. Litster, Elizabeth. Elizabeth was born on 1793-10-03 in Roxburgh, Scotland.
- 6. Nicol, James. James was born on 1812-07-08.
- 7. Cavers, Elizabeth. Elizabeth was born in 1819.

Generation 4

- 8. Moodie, James.
- 10. Litster, George. George was born on 1774-05-01.
- 11. Sibbald, Agnes. Agnes was born on 1774-09-19 in Roxburghshrie, Scotland.
- 12. Nicol, Robert.
- 13. Smith, Mary.

Generation 5

- 20. Litster, Francis.
- 21. Hume, Christian.
- 22. Sibbald, John.
- 23. Brown, Marion.



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Ancestral Locations

Here is a graphical presentation of the area in Scotland that appears to be of importance in the life of Agnes' family. See the blue oval superimposed on the map below. Key place names are Wilton, Lilliesleaf, and Roberton – all in the areas surrounding Hawick.





Life Together

Prelude

Arrest Warrant (September, 1886, Janesville, WI)

Warrant for the arrest of Charles J. Bates. Image of the Janesville, WI, Daily Gazette for 9/7/1886 follows. Source = myheritage.com.

Municipal Court. The assault and battery case of the state against Curtis was on trial this morning. It was adjourned however, a eleven o'clock on account of the absence of a witness. After that a jury was drawn in th case of the state against August Rhodes charged with breaking into the till at th Commercial house on circus day. A the amount 19 claimed to be over twenty dollars. August stands a fair chance of learning a trade at the state's expense. The action of tho city against John McMahon, is to come up this afternoon This is another case growing out of the soap factory nuisance on South Main street. Judge Patten has issued a warrant for the arrest of Charles J. Bates, of Monroe on a charge of being the parent of an illegitimate child. The complainant Agnes J. Moodie, a mere child, appears only about twelve years old, but who claims to be fourteen. She lives with her relatives in Spring Valley and came in this morning with her brother to see the officers.

[Note: If you look at the 1900 census data, it makes Agnes appear significantly older than is represented above. DOB = 1867 versus 1872. If you believe the Scottish census data, then her date of birth was 10/19/1871. In this case, she is about 15 at the time of the complaint, which is consistent with the text above. This means to me that her most likely date of birth is 10/19/1871.

Charles, however, was about 28 at the time of the complaint. Little wonder that her Brother was upset!]



Marriage (1887)

Agnes married a person named Tupper a few days after the arrest warrant mentioned above. My assumption is that this is an alias for Charles J. Bates. - "Wisconsin, Marriages, 1836-1930," index, *FamilySearch* (https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1/XRRL-TTY: accessed 11 Apr 2014), Clarence J. Tupper and Agnes Jane Moody, 23 Sep 1886; citing reference; FHL microfilm 1275533.

Name: <u>Clarence J. Tupper</u>

Birth Date: Birthplace:

Age:

Spouse's Name: Agnes Jane Moody

Spouse's Birth Date: Spouse's Birthplace: Spouse's Age:

Event Date: 23 Sep 1886

Event Place: Rock, Wisconsin, United States

Father's Name:

Mother's Name:

Spouse's Father's Name:

Spouse's Mother's Name:

Micol

Jerome B. Tupper

Salina E. Tupper

James Moody

Nicol

Race:

Marital Status:

Previous Wife's Name:

Spouse's Race:

Spouse's Marital Status:

Spouse's Previous Husband's Name:

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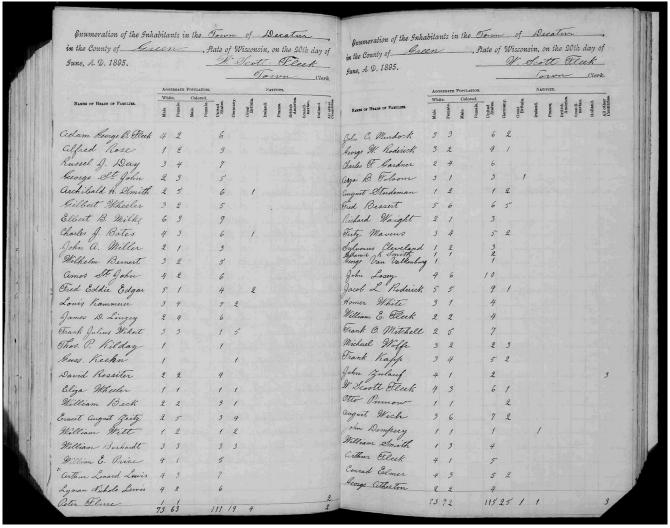
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[Note: the spousal names match those in the birth record above for Agnes, so I don't think that there is any doubt about her identity here.]



1895 Wisconsin Census (Town of Decatur, Green County)



This shows 7 residents in Charles J. Bates house. One is from Great Britain. This must be Agnes. Image follows.

1900 Fed Census (Rock County, WI)

Transcribed info from the myheritage.com website follows. I believe that the year of birth for Charles is wrong. It should be 1858. Other things that are going on at this time are (1) Charles is in the last stages of brain cancer and (2) Agnes may be pregnant with another daughter, to be named Grace, born in 1901.

Charles J Bates

Gender: Male
Jan 1862

Birth: Wisconsin, United States

Residence: 1900

Spring Valley town, Rock, Wisconsin, USA

Age: 38

Marital status: Married

Marriage: Circa 1887

Race: White

Ethnicity: American

Wife: Agnes Bates

Children: Harry Bates, Mary Bates, Frank Bates, John Bates, Libby Bates, Susie Bates

Census

Township: Spring Valley town Enum. District: 193 Line: 88 County: Rock Roll: 1241815 Image: 485

State: Wisconsin Sheet: 8

Date: 1900 Family: 170

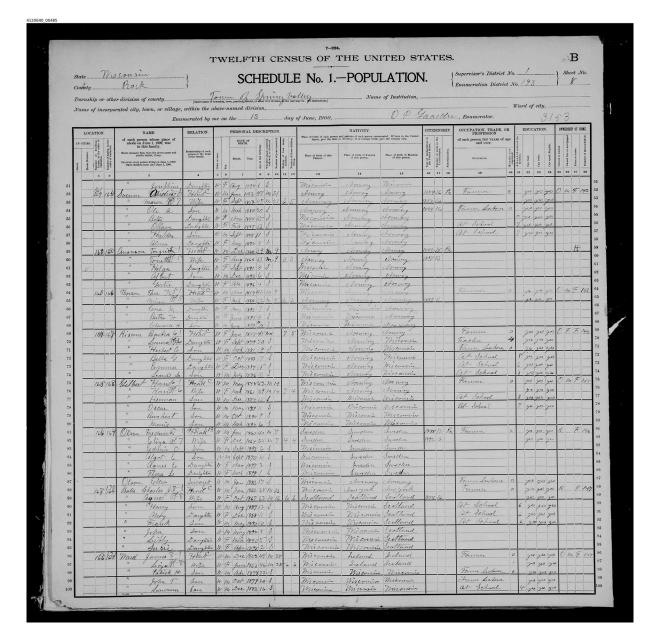
Household

Relation to head	Name	Age
Head	Charles J Bates	38
Wife	Agnes Bates	33
Son	Harry Bates	13
Daughter	Mary Bates	12
Son	Frank Bates	10
Son	John Bates	8
Daughter	Libby Bates	5
Daughter	Susie Bates	2



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An image of the census follows.





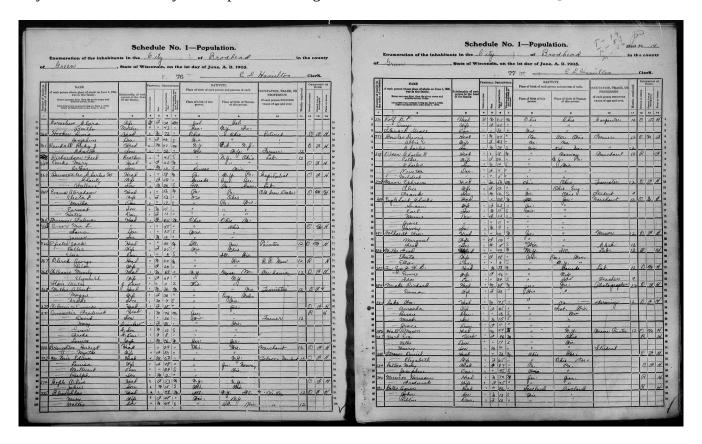
Other info, not transcribed, includes the following.

- Charles was born in Wisconsin. DOB = January, 1862 [This conflicts with his death info above.]
- Charles' parents were born in New York. This conflicts with other information that indicates PA as the origin of his parents, but is is consistent with the birthplace of Jerome Tupper. (Sittina Bates was born in PA.)
- Agnes was born in Scotland. DOB = October, 1867 [This conflicts with her Scottish census data, which I take to be more accurate.]
- Her Parents were both born in Scotland.
- As of 6/7/1900 (the date of the census), they had been married for 13 years.
- All children were born in Wisconsin on the dates that follow.
 - Harry August, 1887
 - May December, 1888 note that the name is transcribed incorrectly above
 - Frank May, 1890
 - John May, 1892
 - Libby March, 1895
 - Susie April, 1898



1905 Wisconsin Census (Town of Brodhead, Green County, Wisconsin)

[Note – wrong age for Agnes. Her likely age was 34. - Also, note the presence of Charles Randall in the house of Rudy J. Randall. This may be the person that Agnes married after Charles Bates died.]



Info. About Children

Here is a summary of some of the descendants of Charles and Agnes, showing their seven children.

- 1. Bates, Charles J. (b. 1858-01-06 Elkhorn (WI), d. 1900-09-11 Spring Valley (WI))
 - sp. Moodie, Agnes Jane (b. 1871-10-19 Wilton (Scotland), d. 1954-11-02 Perkins County, SD)
 - 2. Bates, Harry C. (b. 1887-08-22 Brodhead (WI), d. 1946-11-14 Aberdeen (SD))
 - sp. Loy, Marian Evelyn (b. 1900-05-06 South Dakota, d. 1995-10-30 Mound City (SD))
 - 3. Bates, [Living] Blanche Velma (b. 1921-12-22 Bowman, North Dakota) sp. Rhombs, Robert Earl (b. 1920-02-20 Lebanon, South Dakota, d. 2005-08-31 Sarasota, Florida)
 - 3. Bates, Dennis Alan (b. 1939-05-22 Hettinger, d. 2014-10-29 Bismark) sp. Berndt, Darlene Faye (b. 1946)
 - 3. Bates, Shirley Mae (b. 1928-10-06 Hettinger, d. 2004-12-22 Aberdeen (SD)) sp. Nelson, Rex Martin (b. 1927, d. 2013 Aberdeen (SD))
 - 2. Bates, Susan (b. 1898-04-00 Wisconsin, d. 1975-01-15 Lemmon)
 - 2. Bates, May T. (b. 1888-12-20 Wisconsin, d. 1965 Beloit (WI))
 - sp. Lund, Olaf C. (b. 1885 Norway, d. 1954 Beloit (WI))
 - 3. Lund, Edna M. (b. 1911 Wisconsin)
 - 2. Bates, Frank (b. 1890-05-00 Wisconsin, d. 1966)
 - 2. Bates, John (b. 1892-05-20 Magnolia (WI), d. 1908)
 - 2. Bates, Libbie (b. 1895-03-10 Decatur (WI), d. 1936)
 - 2. Bates, Grace Charlotte Edgar (b. 1901 Spring Valley (WI), d. 1905-04-26 Decatur (WI))



Grace (b.1901, d.1905)

Death record. - Wisconsin, Death Records, 1867-1907, index, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1/XL7M-2QD: accessed 11 Apr 2014), Charles Bates in entry for Grace Charlotte Edgar, 1905; citing Death, Decatur, Green, Wisconsin, Wisconsin State Historical Society, Madison, Wisconsin: FHL film number 1310186.

Name: Grace Charlotte Edgar

Titles and Terms:

Event Type: Death **Event Date:** 1905

Event Place: Decatur, Green, Wisconsin

Address:

Residence Place: Decatur Gender: Female Age: Marital Status: Unknown

Race: white Occupation: child

Birth Date:

Birth Year (Estimated): 1901

Birthplace: Spring Valley

Burial Date: **Burial Place:**

Cemetery: Scotch Cemetery Charles Bates Father's Name:

Father's Titles and Terms:

Father's Birthplace: Wisconsin Mother's Name: **Agnes Bates**

Mother's Titles and Terms:

Mother's Birthplace: Scotland

Spouse's Name:

Spouse's Titles and Terms:

Reference ID: 01485

Additional Relatives:

GS Film Number: 1310186

Frame Number:

Digital Folder Number: 4207435 Image Number: 795

Grace was adopted some time after her birth, but did not survive many years. This is clarified in the findagrave memorial that follows.

Birth: Jan. 26, 1901

Green County Wisconsin, USA Death: Apr. 16, 1905

Green County Wisconsin, USA

Grace was adopted and was not a foster child as is indicated in her obituary. Her grave marker was a little back from the



middle of the cemetery on the right side but was destroyed in the 1980s. Her birth name was Bates.

Family links:

Parents:

Frederick Ernest Edgar (1859 - 1937) Elizabeth Robinson Edgar (1859 - 1921)

Siblings:

David William Henry Edgar (1883 - 1959)* George Albert Edgar (1885 - 1929)* Rose Ellen Edgar (1887 - 1887)* Walter Frederick Edgar (1893 - 1960)* Elmer Robinson Edgar (1898 - 1941)* Grace Charlotte Edgar (1901 - 1905)

*Calculated relationship

Burial: Scotch Hill Cemetery Brodhead Rock County Wisconsin, USA

Created by: Ghost

Record added: Sep 13, 2012

Find A Grave Memorial# 97022089



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Susie (b. 4/21/1898, d. 1/15/1975)

The following source shows Sue's birth and death dates. She was born in Wisconsin, and died in South Dakota.

She followed her family to South Dakota and lived with Agnes the entire time as far as I can tell. I don't believe that she ever married.

She apparently had a limp due to some undefined disease or deformity.

Mom has always referred to her as Aunt Sue.

This is the only picture of her that I am aware of.



Susie J Bates	
United States Social Securit	y Death Index
Age	77
Given Name	Susie
Middle Name	J
Surname	Bates
Birth Date	21 Apr 1898
State	South Dakota
Last Place of Residence	Perkins, South Dakota
Previous Residence Postal Code	57638
Event Date	15 Jan 1975

United States Social Security Death Index

Citing this Record

"United States Social Security Death Index," database, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:JLPR-166: 20 May 2014), Susie J Bates, 15 Jan 1975; citing U.S. Social Security Administration, Death Master File, database (Alexandria, Virginia: National Technical Information Service, ongoing).

Libby (b. 3/10/1895, d 4/4/1936)

Libby (Elizabeth/Libbie) was born to Agnes Moodie and Charles Bates in Green Co., Wisconsin, in 1895.

I believe that she moved with her mother sometime between 1905 and 1909 to South Dakota (Haynes, Perkins Co., SD), where she attended school. I have followed her up to 1915 in this vicinity. [Her father, Charles, died of a brain tumor in WI in 1900.]

My mother has said that she thought that Libby worked for a newspaper in ND, and now I can say that this indeed makes sense based on other things that I have found.

In 1919 Libby marries John L. Owens in Richland Co., MT. Tracing John's past reveals that he was born in La Porte City, IA, in 1875. His first wife was Bertha Sparrow, from MN. They appear to have had one son, named Cromwell Lewis, in Bowdle, SD, in about 1897. At some point Bertha disappears from the scene, however. I believe that this is due to the fact that she is committed to the SD state mental institution in Yankton. She appears there in the 1920 census. She is buried there as well (after death in Cook Co., IL, in 1925). [There is an inherited neurological disease involved since she, her son, and one of his offspring suffered from it (Huntingtons?).]

John took up newspaper editing and publishing in an assortment of small town/county papers, including ones in Bowdle, SD, McIntosh, SD, Hazen, ND, and elsewhere. I suspect that Libby met him as a part of the work that she must have done in a paper in the vicinity of Haynes, SD. (This would fit with my mother's recollection.) They appear in Sidney, MT, in the 1920 Federal census.

In the 1925 ND census, John appears in ND in two locations. Libby shares one of the locations (in Hazen, ND).

In 1930, John is still in ND and Libby is living not too far from her brother, Frank, in the city of Tacoma in Washington state. She is a Linotype operator. So, sometime between 1925 and 1930, Libby and John have divorced.

John dies in 1931 and is buried near Mandan, ND. The death certificate shows his marital status as "divorced."

Libby dies on 4/4/1936 of cancer in Tacoma. Her body was cremated there and her ashes were buried on 8/13/1936 in the Eastlawn Cemetery in Beloit, WI. Her remains are now in the same plot as those of her sister, May, and May's husband Olaf Lund.

All in all, this is a story with many twists and turns, some that have yet to be discovered.

References can be found at the end of this document.



John (b. 1892, d. 1908)

I believe that this is the birth record for John Bates. John must have died just prior to the move of the family to SD. The following record shows his birth. His death date is shown in the Agnes Moodie bible.

Name: Bates

Gender: Male Christening Date: Christening Place:

Birth Date: 20 May 1892

Birthplace: Magnolia, Rock, Wisconsin

Death Date: Name Note: Race: White

Father's Name: Charles Bates Father's Birthplace: Wisconsin

Father's Age:

Mother's Name: Agnes Moody Mother's Birthplace: Scotland

Mother's Age:

Indexing Project (Batch) Number: C02200-3

System Origin: Wisconsin-EASy

GS Film number: 1305581 Reference ID: item 3 p 193

Citing this Record

"Wisconsin, Births and Christenings, 1826-1926," index, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1/XR59-D8H: accessed 13 Mar 2013), Charles Bates in entry for Bates, 20 May 1892.

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Frank (b. 1890, d. 1966)

Frank work in and for the Navy in the Tacoma, WA, area. Here is a picture of Frank, while he was in the Navy.



He returned to live in SD with/near Sue and Agnes. He eventually died at a VA facility in Miles City, MT. There is no record of him ever having been married.

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May T. Bates (b. 1888, d. 1965)

Here is a transcription of a birth record for May.

Name: May T. Bates Gender: Female Christening Date: Christening Place:

Birth Date: 20 Dec 1888

Birthplace: Spring Valley, Rock, Wisconsin

Death Date: Name Note: Race: White

Father's Name: Charles J. Bates

Father's Birthplace: Elkhorn, Walworth Co., Wis.

Father's Age:

Mother's Name: Agnes Moody Mother's Birthplace: Scotland

Mother's Age:

Indexing Project (Batch) Number: C02200-3

System Origin: Wisconsin-EASy

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Citing this Record

"Wisconsin, Births and Christenings, 1826-1926," index, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1/XRPB-PHZ: accessed 13 Mar 2013), Charles J. Bates in entry for May T. Bates, 20 Dec 1888.

May married Olaf Lund and lived in Beloit, WI. Descendants of hers live there today.



Harry (b. 1887, d. 1946)

Harry was my grandfather, but he died before I could get to know him. He had a reputation for not being kind to my mother. He lost his right arm early in life (in WI?) in a farming accident. He died of pneumonia in a hospital in Aberdeen, SD, and he was buried in the main cemetery in Gettyburg, SD.

He married Marian Loy in the vicinity of Lemmon, SD, where Agnes had moved the family after Charles' death. He worked as a mechanic in a small town in ND for a while, then moved the family to a homestead in SD between Hettinger, ND, and Lemmon, SD, and finally moved the family to Gettysburg, SD, where they operated a Texaco gas station and some rental cabins.

A record of his birth follows.

Bates

Wisconsin Births and Christenings

Name Bates

Gender Male

Birth Date 28 Aug 1887 Birthplace Green, Wisconsin

Race White

Father's Name Charles J. Bates Father's Birthplace Elkhorn, Wis Mother's Name Agnes Jane Moodey Mother's Birthplace Scottland

Citing this Record

"Wisconsin Births and Christenings, 1826-1926," database, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:XRJP-WLR: accessed 1 February 2016), Bates, 28 Aug 1887; citing Green, Wisconsin, reference item 3 p 326; FHL microfilm 1,302,875.

Here is a picture of him fairly early in life.





Here is a picture of Harry and his family. It was taken when they lived in Gettysburg, SD, which dates it to around 1940. Present in the picture are his wife Marian Loy (far left), their daughters Velma and Shirley, Harry in the right rear, and in the front is Dennis, the young son.



Harry was buried in the cemetery at Gettysburg, SD. The actual date of death is 11/14/1946.



After the Death of Charles

Here's what I believe happened after Charles died in 1900. This is all based on discussions with my mother (a daughter of Harry Bates) and some research done on the web.

Agnes and family stayed in WI for a while. They were there at least until Grace died in 1905. For at least part of the time they resided in Brodhead, which is where her sister lived and where she must have met the Randalls, who she later married.

John died in 1908, but I am not sure if this death happened in WI or not.

Harry was injured in an accident (farm?) that resulted in the loss of his right arm. This may have happened in WI or later in SD.

All of the family, except May, moved to the Lemmon, SD, area.

May married a man named Olaf C. Lund (of Norwegian heritage), and they moved to the Beloit, WI, area. (They had a daughter, named Edna May Lund.)

After moving to the Lemmon area, Libby moved to ND and worked for a newspaper.

Sue, who had a spinal deformity, stayed in her mother's house, and eventually died and was buried in the Lemmon area.

Frank served in the Navy, and was in the Seattle area for some time. He moved back to the Lemmon area at some point.

At some point, Harry met Marian Loy, whose family had moved from Mound City, SD, and had a farm north of Lemmon – in ND. They married in 1921. Harry lived/worked in Bowman, ND, and Haynes, ND. Eventually, he tried farming on a Perkins County, SD, farm that was southeast of Hettinger, ND. This land was not high quality, and his family eventually moved to Gettysburg, SD. In Gettysburg, the family operated a Texaco service station and adjoining "camping cabins."

Eventually, after moving to SD, Agnes married Charles (and then Alvin Randall (brothers)?). They lived at one point southwest of Lemmon. The Randall brothers were from WI, and it is possible that the marriage to Charles took place in WI.

Agnes survived the Randalls, and continued to live in Lemmon (or the area south of Lemmon) until her death.



Here is a photo that I believe includes Agnes. The photo was taken in about 1929, at which time, Agnes would have been about 58 years old. Harry is on the far right, holding his second daughter. His wife is on the far left. His sister, Sue, is the third person from the left. Is Agnes on Sue's right? (My mother is the girl in the front.)



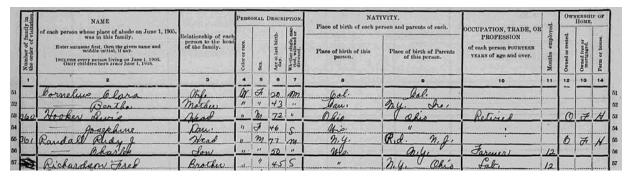
1905 Wisconsin Census (as before)

Here we find Agnes, John, Libby, and Sue living in Brodhead, WI. Agnes's age should be about 34, not 86. Harry and Frank are not present. Presumably they are on their own and elsewhere.

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(Sue shows up in the next page of the census – not shown here.)

Not too far away, is the Randall household.



Note: Harry may be in the house of Jane Compton in the city of Orfordville (Rock Co., WI), just to the east of Brodhead.

1910 Federal Census



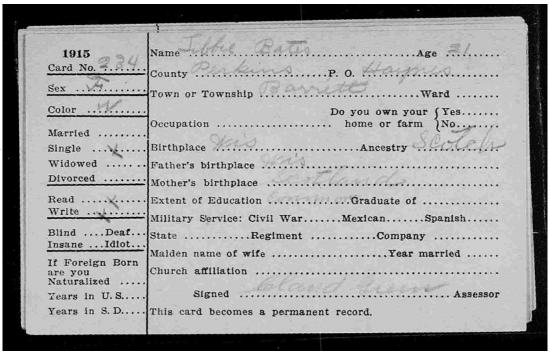


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This shows the Randall family, now consisting of Agnes and Charles. Next to them are three of Agnes' children (Harry, Susie, and Libby). Frank and John are not present. I believe that John is dead by this time, but I am not sure of Frank's whereabouts.

1915 South Dakota Census

Libby shows up in this census, with at Haynes mailing address. Perhaps she is living with Harry. Mom has mentioned that Harry resided in Haynes, SD, for a while.



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Harry shows up in Barrett Township in Perkins Co. as well.

1915	Name Harry Batts Age 27.
Card No.	County Perkins P. O. Harring
Sex	Town or Township
Color	Do you own your (Yes. M
Married	Occupation home or farm No
Single .V	BirthplaceAncestry
Widowed	· Father's birthplace
Divorced	Mother's birthplace
	Extent of Education
Write	Military Service: Civil WarMexicanSpanish
Blind Deaf	State Regiment Company
InsaneIdiot	Maiden name of wife
If Foreign Born are you Naturalized	Church affiliation
Years in U.S	
Years in S. D	This card becomes a permanent record.



1920 Federal Census

Here again, the Randall and Bates groups are together (in the same residence) in Rural Perkins Co., SD. Agnes' husband is shown as Alvin C. Randall, rather than Charles. Based on his age, I am guessing that this is the same person.

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Meanwhile, May appears as the wife of Olaf Lund in Beloit, WI.

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By this time, I believe that Frank is in the Navy. This may be him in Bremerton, WA, as a boarder & employed at a Navy Yard.

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1930 Federal Census

By this time, Agnes and Sue are raising cattle in Castle Butte Township in Perkins co., SD. Charles Randall has died by this time.

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Harry and his family are not far away in the same township.

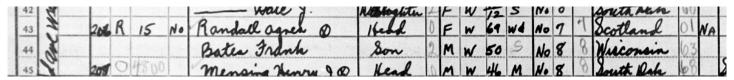
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Frank is unaccounted for in the census records as far as I can tell. A good guess is that he is still in WA.

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1940 Federal Census

Here are Agnes and Frank in Lemmon. It looks like Frank has moved back from the west coast and Agnes has moved from the ranch.



Here is Harry and family, still in Castle Butte Township in Perkins County, SD.



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Here may be Sue in the Black Hills at the State TB Sanitorium.

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South Dakota Census of 1945

This is as far as public records go at this point in time.



Agnes and Sue are back together (in Lemmon, SD).

1945	1 80077 8 4 /2
Card No. 63	Name Susan Bates Age 47
Sex Female	County Perkins P.O. Lemmon S. Dak.
Color W.hite	Town or Township Lem Th On Ward Three
Married	Occupation House Keepen Do you own your Yes home or farm No
Single 45	Birthplace Sprine Valley Wincestry Merican
Widowed	Father's birthplace W//3.
Divorced	Mother's birthplace Scolland
Read Yes	Extent of EducationGraduate of
Write yes	Military Service: SpanishWorld IWorld II
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Insane Idiot	Maiden name of wifeYear marriedYear
If foreign born, are you	Church affiliation Presbyterain
naturalized	
Years in U.S. 47	Signed Newy Waigh Assessor
Years in S. D. 37	This card is a permanent record.

Harry and family are now in Gettysburg, SD. Note that this census shows that they are running a tourist camp, and that Harry attended a business college in Janesville, WI. He must have done this after losing his arm.

1945	1 4 8 8 4
Card No	Name Harry E. Bates Age 5
Sex m.	County Jetter P.O. Gettysburg
Color white	Town or Township Bettysburg Ward 1
Married	Occupation Journs Camp Do you own your [Yes.
Single	Birthplace Green Co., wis. Ancestry Leath
Widowed	Father's birthplace Brand Co. nois. Declare
Divorced	Mother's birthplace Scotland
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Write	Military Service: SpanishWorld IWorld II
Blind Deaf	State
Insane Idiot	Maiden name of wife Mahan Tar
If foreign born, are you naturalized	Church affiliation
Years in U.S. 58	Signed C. F. O'BRIAN
Years in S. D.36	This card is a permanent record.

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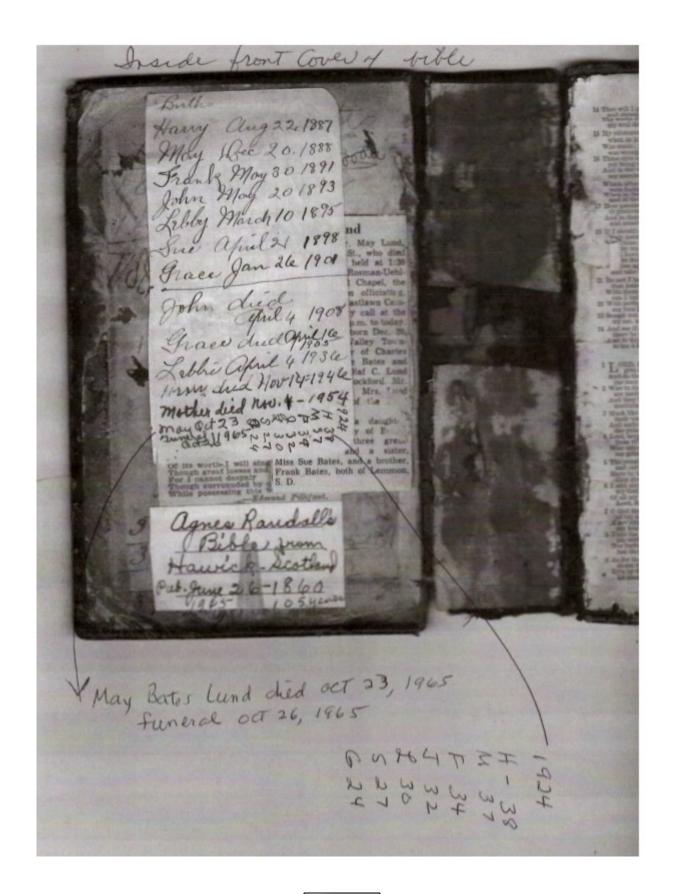
Excerpts from the Agnes Moodie Bible

This bible was published in Scotland and is in the possession of one of the descendants of May Bates Lund, who has kindly furnished pictures of some of the notes that were written/stored in it.





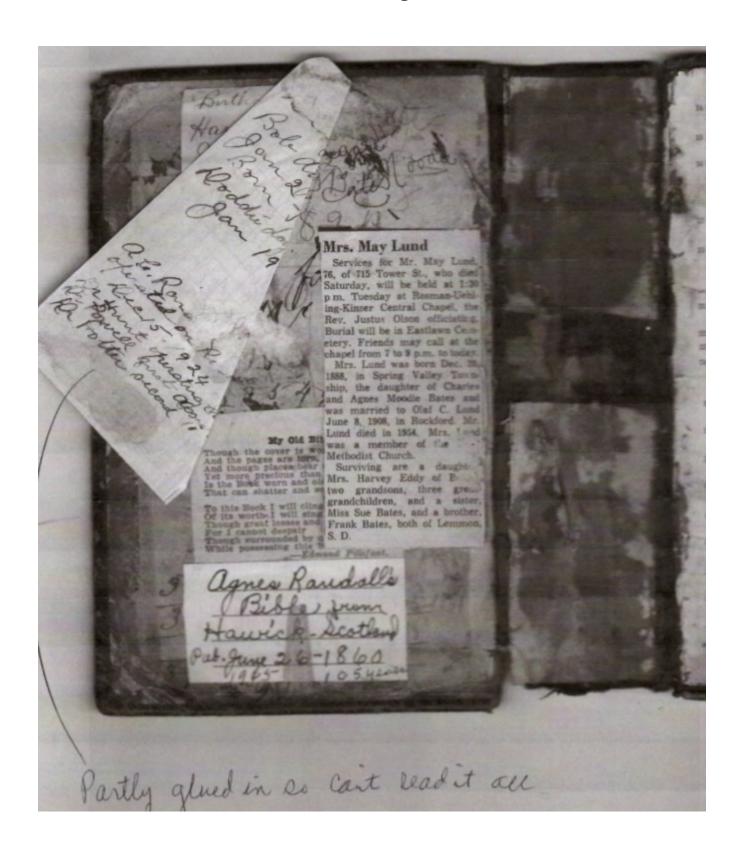
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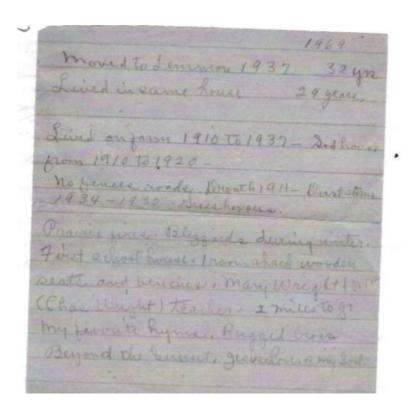
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Here's a transcription of the note above. I'm guessing that the note was written by Sue Bates, who was still living in Lemmon in 1969.

1969

Moved to Lemmon 1937 32 years

Lived in same house 29 years

Lived on farm 1910 to 1937 Sod house

from 1910 to 1920

No fences - roads Drouth 1911 - Dust storms

1934-1938 Grass hoppers

Prairie fires Blizzards during winter

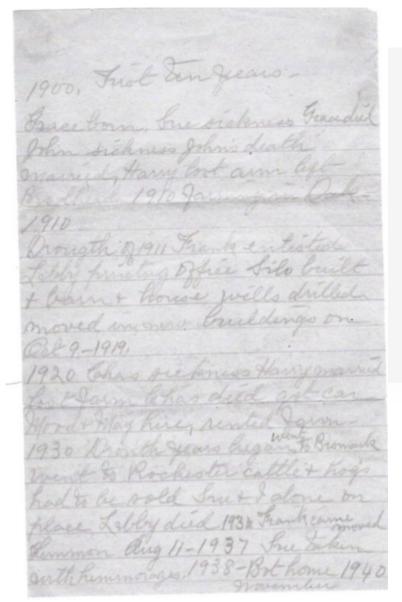
First school house. 1 room shack wooden

seats and benches. Mary Wright (Mrs Chas. Wright) teacher. 2 miles to go

My favorite hyms Rugged Cross Beyond the Sunset Jesus Loves ? My Soul



Another note with transcription. It appears to be in a different hand. Probably it was written by Agnes. It seems to describe events in sequence.



1900 FIRST TEN YEARS

Grace born Sue sickness Grace died John sickness, John's death

Married, Harry lost arm

Left Brodhead 1910 ?, Dakota -1910

Doougth of 1911 Frank enlisted

Libby printing office Silo built

& barn & house wells drilled

Moved in new buildings on

Oct 9, 1919

1920 Chas sickness Harry married

Lost farm Chas died got car

Mood & May here rented farm

1930 Drougth years began went to Bismarck

Went to Rochester cattle & hogs

had to be sold Sue & I alone on

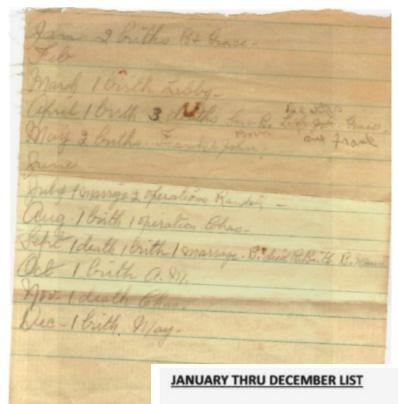
place. Libby died 1936 Frank came moved

Lemmon Aug 11, 1937 Sue taken

with hemmorages 1938 Bot home 1940 November



Here's another note and transcription. It appears to be a month by month list of reminders. Probably this is another note written by Agnes.



January 2 births B & Grace

February Blank

March 1 birth - Libby

April 1 birth 3 deaths Birth Sue B. Deaths Libby, John, Grace and Frank

(actually 4 deaths. Must have added one later)

May 2 births Frank and John

June Blank

July 1 marriage 2 operations Randall

August 1 birth 1 operation – Charles

September 1 death, 1 birth, 1 marriage B. died R. birth B. married

October 1 birth A.M. (probably Agnes Moodie)

November 1 death - Charles

December 1 birth _ May



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It is not clear who the author(s) of this note might be. For sure it was written by one of Agnes' daughters.

Father? Chae. Bate. Bom Elkhom wite.
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Mother married chas Randall—guly 22, 1909
agnes Bates Randall—
Born Oct-19 1871 Wilton Scotland Wed now #1- 1954 Lemmon-Frank B. Bates

Born May 30 1890 Spring Valley

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Died april 4-1966 Milsbity Mont. Susie g. Bates
Born april 21-1898 :
Spring Valley Wisc. TOTHER THANK SUSIE 1871-195.4 1898 :966 1898

Miscellaneous Information

Confusing Family Tree Data

There is another myheritage.com site that purports to relate Charles J. Bates to an ancestor in Webster, SD. I have sent a message to this person to clarify this, but I have not heard back.

This Charles J. shows up in the 1870 federal census in Painesville, Stearns County, MN.

"United States Census, 1870," index and images, *FamilySearch* (https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1/MD4G-P7N: accessed 19 Apr 2014), Charles J Bates in household of Edward H Bates, Minnesota, United States; citing p. 3, family 24, NARA microfilm publication M593, FHL microfilm 000552215.

Upon further research, this person is the son of Edward H. Bates, who ended up in Webster, SD. Looks like his family thinks that he is actually referred to as John Charles Bates.

I believe that there is no relation here unless genetic testing proves otherwise.



Tracing the Tupper Line

Jerome B. Tupper was part of a line of Tuppers that leads back Gensesee County, NY, then to early precolonial days, and eventually back to Englend..

Here is Jerome Tupper in the house of his father, Nathaniel in 1850.

Jerome Tupper

United States Census, 1850

Name: Jerome Tupper Event Type: Census Event Year: 1850 Event Place:

Bloomfield, Walworth, Wisconsin, United

States

Gender: Male Age: 28 Race: White

Birth Year (Estimated): 1822

Birthplace: New York House Number: 795

Household Role Gender Age Birthplace Nathaniel Tupper M 66 Connecticut

Mary Tupper F 60 New York Jerome Tupper M 28 New York Joseph Tupper M 22 New York Helen Tupper F 18 New York Latina Tupper F 22 Pennsylvania Mary Tupper F 0 Wisconsin

Household ID: 805, Line Number: 30, Affiliate Name: The U.S. National Archives and Records Administration (NARA), Affiliate Publication Number: M432, Affiliate Film Number: 1007, GS Film Number: 444994, Digital Folder Number: 004206493, Image

Number: 00116

Jerome Tupper in household of Nathaniel Tupper, "United States Census, 1850" Citing this Record

"United States Census, 1850," index and images, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1

/M4DP-P57 : accessed 1 January 2015), Jerome Tupper in household of Nathaniel Tupper, Bloomfield.

Walworth, Wisconsin, United States; citing family 805, NARA microfilm publication M432 (Washington,

D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, n.d.).

From here the Tupper line has been documented elsewhere. See the link that follows. http://familytreemaker.genealogy.com/users/t/u/p/Mark-Tupper/WEBSITE-0001/UHP-Index.html

From the information there I have updated my family tree.



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Tracing the Bates Line

Jerome and Sittina were married Rockton, IL, where she was living at the time. The Bates farm in that locale and the Bates line have been well documented. References follow.

The wedding as documented in the Rockton Journal on Wednesday, 3/21/1849.

TUPPER-BATES--In Rockton, March 9th, by the Rev. Mr. Benedict, Mr. Jerome B. Tupper, to Miss Sittina Bates--Rockford Forum, 03-21-1849

The 1850 US census showing the new couple living with her parents.

Erastus S Bates

United States Census, 1850 Name: Erastus S Bates Event Type: Census Event Year: 1850

Event Place: Rockton, Winnebago, Illinois, United States

Gender: Male Age: 19 Race: White

Birth Year (Estimated): 1831 Birthplace: Pennsylvania

House Number: 53

Household Role GenderAgeBirthplace Henry N Bates M 47 Massachusetts Mary Bates F 41 Pennsylvania Sittina Tupper F 23 Pennsylvania Erastus S Bates M 19 Pennsylvania Jerome E Tupper M 28 New York Jonathan C Bates M 17 Pennsylvania

Mary S Tupper F 0 Illinois

Franklin J Tupper M 25 New York

Household ID: 55 , Line Number: 5 , Affiliate Name: The U.S. National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) , Affiliate Publication Number: M432 , Affiliate Film Number: 134 , GS Film Number: 442922

, Digital Folder Number: 004181051 , Image Number: 00214

Erastus S Bates in household of Henry N Bates, "United States Census, 1850" Citing this Record

"United States Census, 1850," index and images, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1

/M85H-Y5S : accessed 1 January 2015), Erastus S Bates in household of Henry N Bates, Rockton,

Winnebago, Illinois, United States; citing family 55, NARA microfilm publication M432 (Washington, D.C.:

National Archives and Records Administration, n.d.).



The couple is also shown in the 1850 census in the home of Jerome B, Tupper. Note that Sittina is misidentified in the transcription.

Jerome Tupper

United States Census, 1850

Name: Jerome Tupper Event Type: Census Event Year: 1850 Event Place:

Bloomfield, Walworth, Wisconsin, United

States

Gender: Male

Age: 28 Race: White

Birth Year (Estimated): 1822

Birthplace: New York House Number: 795

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Number: 00116

Jerome Tupper in household of Nathaniel Tupper, "United States Census, 1850" Citing this Record

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Walworth, Wisconsin, United States; citing family 805, NARA microfilm publication M432 (Washington.

D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, n.d.).



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Findagrave.com shows the following information about Sittina's father, Henry N. Bates.

Henry N. Bates

Learn about removing the ads from this memorial... Birth: Jul. 5, 1803 Granville Hampden County Massachusetts, ÚSA Death: Mar. 6, 1851 Rockton Winnebago County Illinois, USA Charles C. Bates in his book "The Bates Centennial Farm of Rockton, Illinois" suggests that Henry was the son of Samuel Bates by his second wife Elizabeth. He accompanied his parents to Oneida County, New York as a child, and later went to Damascus, Pennsylvania where he married on 16 April 1826 to Mary Lillie, and they were the parents of two sons and one daughter. Henry came to Rockton Township shortly before 1840. In 1842 he removed to Pecatonic (Macktown. He lived in a frame house east of the Stephen Mack home and had a shop in which he made boots and other leather goods. Family links: Spouse: Mary Lillie Bates (1809 - 1862)* Children:

Erastus Spellman Bates (1830 - 1888)* Jonathan Calvin Bates (1834 - 1863)*

Following the reference mentioned above, you can find out much more about the Bates line.

http://www.familysearch.org/eng/library/fhlcatalog/supermainframeset.asp?display=titledetails&titleno=686968

This book will take you back along the Bates line. Satina is first mentioned on page 98. The line is traced back to Connecticut. I have used this information to update my family tree.



Reference Sources Pertaining to Libby Bates

"Wisconsin, Births and Christenings, 1826-1926," index, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/pal:/MM9.1.1/XRJR-G98: accessed 13 Mar 2013), Charles J. Bates in entry for Bates, 10 Mar 1895.

"United States Census, 1900," database with images, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MM2H-R47: accessed 8 November 2017), Libby Bates in household of Charles J Bates, Spring Valley town, Rock, Wisconsin, United States; citing enumeration district (ED) 193, sheet 8B, family 170, NARA microfilm publication T623 (Washington, D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, 1972.); FHL microfilm 1,241,815.

"Wisconsin State Census, 1905," database with images, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MM37-V6V: 2 April 2016), Libbie Bates in household of Agnes Bates, Broadhead, Green, Wisconsin; citing p. 77, line 50, State Historical Society, Madison; FHL microfilm 1,020,449.

"South Dakota, School Records, 1879-1970," database with images, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:QK73-BCJN: accessed 8 November 2017), Libbie Bates, 1909; citing School enrollment, Perkins, South Dakota, United States, State Historical Society, Pierre; FHL microfilm.

"South Dakota, School Records, 1879-1970," database with images, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:QK73-BCKQ: accessed 8 November 2017), Libby Bates, 1913; citing School enrollment, Haynes, Perkins, South Dakota, United States, State Historical Society, Pierre; FHL microfilm.

"South Dakota, School Records, 1879-1970," database with images, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:QK73-BC2H: accessed 8 November 2017), Libby Bates, 1914; citing School enrollment, Haynes, Perkins, South Dakota, United States, State Historical Society, Pierre; FHL microfilm.

"United States Census, 1910," database with images, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MPXC-GV3: accessed 8 November 2017), Harry C Bates, Humphrey, Perkins, South Dakota, United States; citing enumeration district (ED) ED 132, sheet 23B, family 116, NARA microfilm publication T624 (Washington D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, 1982), roll 1487; FHL microfilm 1,375,500.

"South Dakota State Census, 1915," database with images, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MMH7-LY5: 29 July 2017), Libbie Bates; citing State Historical Society, Pierre; FHL microfilm 2,283,088.

"Montana, County Marriages, 1865-1950," database with images, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:F3WM-SHW: 21 September 2017), John Lewis Owens and Elizabeth Bates, 30 Aug 1919; citing Marriage, Sidney, Richland, Montana, county courthouses, Montana; FHL microfilm 1,905,314.



"United States Census, 1920," database with images, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:M8Q9-RTH: accessed 8 November 2017), Elizabeth I Owens in household of John L Owens, Sidney, Richland, Montana, United States; citing ED 175, sheet 7A, line 41, family 126, NARA microfilm publication T625 (Washington D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, 1992), roll 974; FHL microfilm 1,820,974.

"United States Census, 1930," database with images, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:XC3Y-ZV5: accessed 14 November 2017), Elizabeth Owens in household of Bessie E Davis, Tacoma, Pierce, Washington, United States; citing enumeration district (ED) ED 116, sheet 2A, line 6, family 52, NARA microfilm publication T626 (Washington D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, 2002), roll 2511; FHL microfilm 2,342,245.

"Washington Death Certificates, 1907-1960," database, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:N35Y-D8S: 5 December 2014), Elizabeth Owen, 04 Apr 1936; citing Tacoma, Pierce, Washington, reference 481, Bureau of Vital Statistics, Olympia; FHL microfilm 2,023,362.

"Find A Grave Index," database, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:QVVH-YGPT: 13 December 2015), Elizabeth Owens,; Burial, Beloit, Rock, Wisconsin, United States of America, East Lawn Cemetery; citing record ID 6704724, Find a Grave, http://www.findagrave.com.

Entries in a family Bible in the possession of Shirlee Aide. This Bible shows the birth and death dates of many Bates/Moodie family members.

Eastlawn Cemetery (Beloit) documents describing the plot where Elizabeth's remains were buried.

Image of Libby's death certificate follows. (The informant named in the document might actually be W. A. Wilsie, a Lutheran minister.)



County of Tierce	e Board of Fealth Record No.
City on Thomas of Tacoma BUREAU OF VI	FAL STATISTICS Registered No. 495
(If death occurred in a hospit	come General Hospital St., Ward
Length of residence in city or town where death occur foreign birth?mosds. a. PLACE OF RESIDENCE: StateWashington	county Pierce
(If not same as place of death)	Cambridge Apartments Street
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS	MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH
SEX 4. COLOR OR RACE 5. Single, Married, Widowed, or Divorced (write the word) Female White Widow	21. DATE OF DEATH (month, day, and year) 44 , 1056
If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of John Owen DATE of BIRTH (month, day, and year) Mar. IO- 1896 AGE Years Months Days II LESS than 1 day, hrs. ormin.	I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from 1936 I last saw he alive on 4 - 3 - 50 Ip., death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 1:50 Ip., death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 1:50 Ip., death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 1:50 Ip., death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 1:50 Ip., death is said to have occurred on the date and related causes of importance in order of onset were as follows:
s. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as spinner, suwyer, bookkeeper, etc. Linotype Operator. 9. Industry or business in which work was done, as silk mill, Newspaper Publisher saw mill, bank, etc.	0 /
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)	Contributory causes of importance not related to principal cause:
BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Wis. (State or country) Wis.	
13. NAME John Bates Unobtainable	
H. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Unobtainable (State or country)	Name of operation Date of What test confirmed diagnosis BLOP 24 Was there an autopsy: Lo
15. MAIDEN NAME COMB - 11 16. BIRTHPLACE (city of town) 11	23. If death was due to external causes (violence) fill in also the following: Accident, suicide, or homicide?
State or country) INFORMANT Mr. W.A. Willsey (Address) Tacoma, Wash	(Specify city or town, county, and state) Specify whether injury occurred in industry, in home, or in public place.
EBURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Mt. View Cremation Date "pril 56.3"	Manner of injury
UNDERTAKER (Addréss)	24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased. If so, specify. (Signed Delaw Burenery, D.
PILED 19 Registrar	(Address) Jacoura Wassel



"Minnesota State Census, 1885," database with images, *FamilySearch* (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MQFH-ZJG: 4 August 2017), John Owens in household of O W Owens, Minneapolis, Hennepin, Minnesota; citing p. 23, volume Hennepin, State Library and Records Service, St.Paul; FHL microfilm 565,742.

"United States Passport Applications, 1795-1925," database with images, *FamilySearch* (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:QV5Y-T6WG: 4 September 2015), Owen Owens, 1922; citing Passport Application, Minnesota, United States, source certificate #183155, Passport Applications, January 2, 1906 - March 31, 1925, 2004, NARA microfilm publications M1490 and M1372 (Washington D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, n.d.); FHL microfilm 1,705,454.

Two documents describing the Welsh ancestors of John Lewis Owens. Provided by John Owens, a descendant of John Lewis Owens.

URL: https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/127238383/Owen-William-Owens Citation: Find A Grave, database and images (https://www.findagrave.com: accessed 15 November 2017), memorial page for Owen William Owens (5 Apr 1843–Sep 1932), Find A Grave Memorial no. 127238383, citing Oak Hill Cemetery, Minneapolis, Hennepin County, Minnesota, USA; Maintained by Rachel Keller (contributor 46608704).

"United States Census, 1880," database with images, *FamilySearch* (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:MZM1-FGL: 26 August 2017), Bertha W Sparrow in household of William Sparrow, Watab, Benton, Minnesota, United States; citing enumeration district ED 73, sheet 186C, NARA microfilm publication T9 (Washington D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, n.d.), roll 0615; FHL microfilm 1,254,615.

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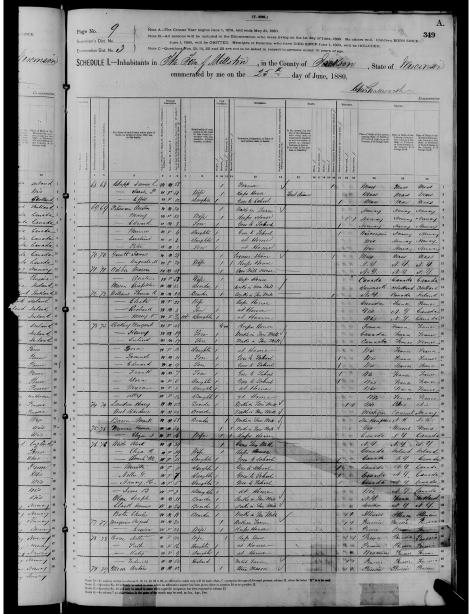
Image of North Dakota Department of Health Death Certificate Bismarck, North Dakota for John L. Owens follows. CERTIFICATE OF DEATH (Usual place of abode) PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS profession, of work do 24. Was disease or injury



Another Charles Bates

The 1880 FED census shows a Charles Bates (age 18) at a saw mill in WI. I am not convinced that this is the

correct person, but the image follows.



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Still Another Charles Bates - from Monroe, WI. (1880 Fed Census)

This family is interesting because of the last name and because the location fits with the location mentioned in the his arrest warrant. It would be interesting to determine if there is any relation between this family and that of Sittina's parents.

1880 Fed Census

Charlie Bates

Gender: Male
Circa 1860

Wisconsin, United States

1880

Residence: Monroe, Green, Wisconsin, USA

Age: 20
Marital status: Single
Occupation: Farm Laborer

Race: White
Ethnicity: American
Father: Wm. Bates

Father's birth place: "New Hampshire, United States

Mother: Harriet Bates

Mother's birth place: • Ohio, United States

Siblings: Johnny Bates, Estella May Bates

Census

Township: Monroe Roll: 1255428 Image: 305

County: Green Sheet: 150-A State: Wisconsin Family: 2 Date: 1880 Line: 35

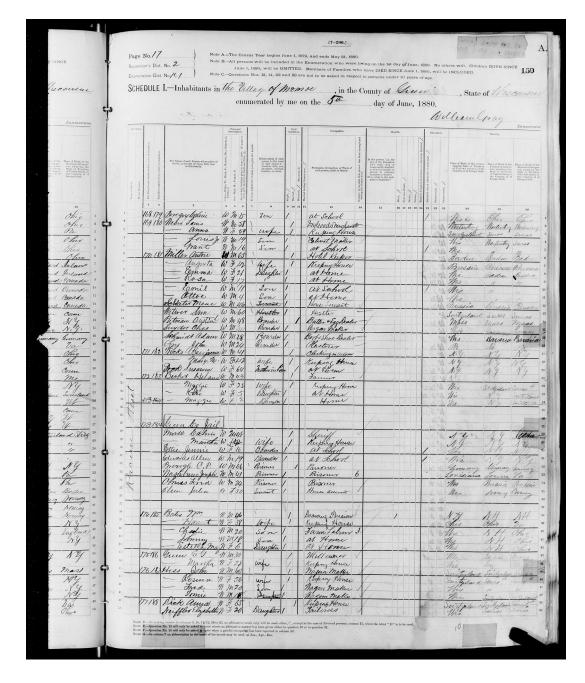
Household

Relation to head Name Age Head Wm. Bates 46 Wife **Harriet Bates** 38 Son **Charlie Bates** 20 Johnny Bates 18 Son Daughter Estella May Bates 6



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Image follows.



Key aspects of this include the following.

The father, William was 46 and drawing a pension – probably from being in the Civil War. His place of birth is listed as New Hampshire, which is indicated as the place of birth of his parents as well. Wife = Harriet, age 38, born in Ohio. Her father was born in Ohio, and her mother was born in Virginia. Son, Charles, was a farm hand. Other two children are at home. All born in WI.

Consistent Info from the 1870 census (Monroe, WI)

Harriet Bates

Gender: Female
Circa 1842

Birth: Ohio, United States

1870

Residence: Wisconsin, USA

Age: 28
Race: White
Husband (implied): Wm Bates

Children (implied): Charles Bates, John Bates, Celia Bates

Census

State: Wisconsin Frame: 00422 Line: 37 Date: 1870 Sheet: 58 Image: 422

Family: 493

Household

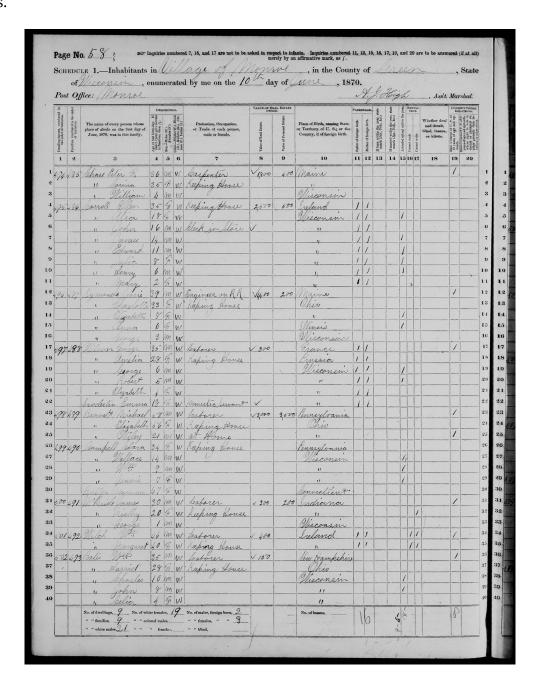
Relation to head of household was not recorded in this census. However, MyHeritage has developed technology to imply the relations based on surname, gender, age and position in the household. Though not perfect, the implied relations are often correct.

Relation to head	Name	Age
Head (implied)	Wm Bates	35
Wife (implied)	Harriet Bates	28
Son (implied)	Charles Bates	10
Son (implied)	John Bates	8
Daughter (implied)	Celia Bates	4



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Image follows.

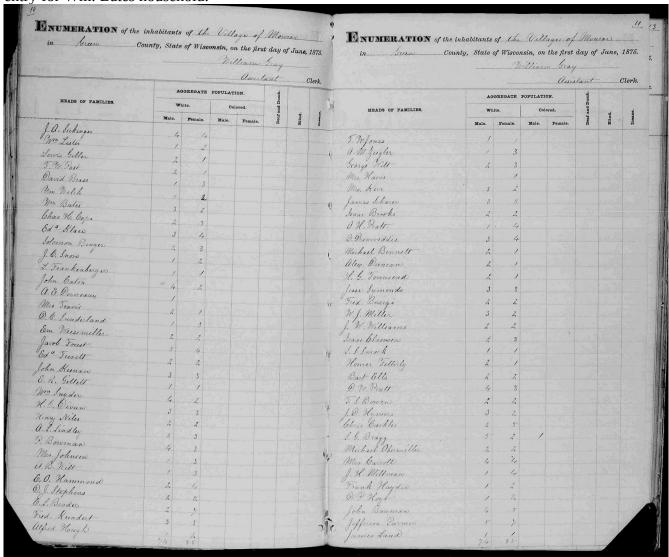


[Note: Celia must have died in the years between the 1870 & 1880 census events.]

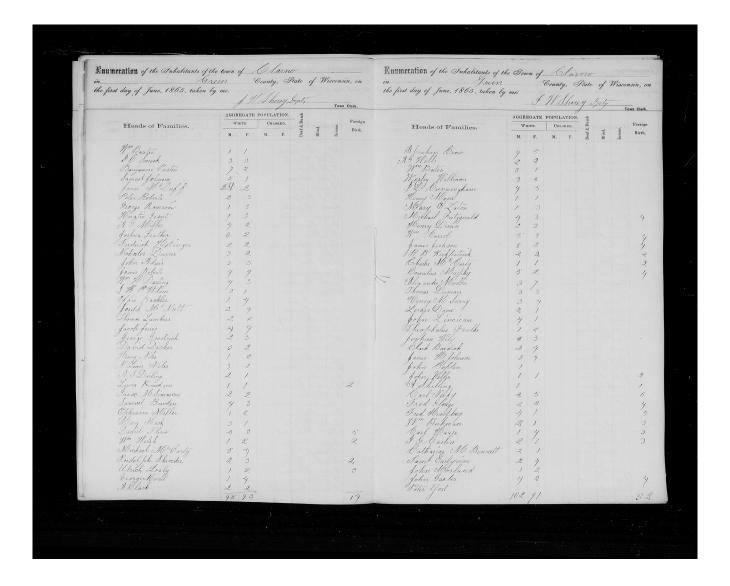


1875 Wisconsin Census (City of Monroe, Green County)

See entry for Wm. Bates household.



1865 Wisconsin Census (Town of Clarno, Green County)





Misc. Information

Wisconsin Historical Society Quote

Term: Scots in Wisconsin

Definition: Scottish immigrants were a relatively small group in Wisconsin, number only 3,000 in 1860. Most settled in Waukesha, Rock, Columbia, and Milwaukee counties.

Future Projects

- Try to get Dennis Bates to do genetic testing with familytreedna.com to increase the possibility of of finding relatives who might have useful information. (Letter sent.) Dennis has since died without responding. A similar note to his son has gone unanswered.
- Look into records for Rock & Green Counties in Wisconsin.
 - Wisconsin State Historical Society http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ilwinneb/wihissoc.htm
 - http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~wircgs/index.html the Rock County Genealogical Society will do research for a fee. (Research was performed that adds strength to the assertion that Charles J. Bates & Clarence J. Tupper are really the same person.)
 - http://www.rchs.us/ the Rock County Historical Society
 - http://greenecountyhistory.com/index.html Green County Historical Society Museum
 - http://greenecountyhistory.com/index.html Green County genealogy to determine if they can shed any light on (1) the Bates Family in Monroe, (2) other records relating to Agnes and her family after September, 1900. This has been done.
 - Green County Historical Society (CPL) contact info . . .

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- Investigate the Tupper family in Elkhorn to determine if there might be any living relations who can shed light on the assumptions made here.
- Find death information for Sittina Bates Tupper.
- Investigate the Wm. Moodie family.
- Investigate the Elizabeth Wilson family.



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Introduction

I am a great grandson of Agnes Moodie, about whom I have done some genealogical research. The purpose of the research has been to identify her Scottish ancestors. Recently I discovered a marriage record for her father, James Moodie. From this record I am attempting to build a coherent story of his life and thus the family into which Agnes was born. Here is the record.

	1866	(Signed)	48	Denholm	Thomas Moodie	(Signed)	1860
	on the Seventh	James Moodie		Parish of Carers	Millwright (Master)	James Mª Ewen	Decemb
		Millwright (Sourneyman)			(deceased) and Elizabeth		
	at Hope Park	(Widower)			moodie, M. S. Litster	Bank, Howick	at Wil
20	Parish of Willow,					(Signed)	281
	After Banns,	(Signed)			James Michal		James S
	according to the Forms	Temima Nichol		Parish of Cares	previously Factor		Regi
	of the United	Domestic Servant		/	and Elizabeth Nichol		
	Presbyterian Church	(Spinster)		<u> </u>	M. S. Carers	Witness	1
		DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY OF					

Here is a transcription of the record from the Registrar General of Scotland form. It describes the marriage of James to Jemima Nicol.

1866 Marriages of the Parish of Wilton in the County of Roxburgh item 20, for 12/7/1866, at Hope Point Parish of Wilton after Banns according to the Forms of the United Presbyterian Church

(Signed) James Moodie, Millwright (Journeyman) (Widower) age 48 resident of Denholm Parish of Cavers father Thomas Moodie Millwright (Master) (deceased) mother Elizabeth Moodie, M.S. Litster (deceased) (Signed) Thomas McEwen Minister, East Bank, Hawick

(Signed) Jemima Nichol, Domestic Servant (Spinster) age 30 resident of Little Cote Parish of Cavers father James Nichol, previously Factor (meaning that he was a sort of property manager for someone) mother Elizabeth Nichol, M.S. Cavers (Signed) William Little and Barbara Pott Nichol, witnesses

James Shiel, Registrar

It reveals that James was a journeyman millwright, similar to his father, Thomas, who was a master millwright. Both were employed in jobs associated with the industrial revolution in Scotland. His mother was Elizabeth Litster.

Following is a mostly sequential rendering of James' life and what events I have found that led up to the birth of Agnes, his last child. At the end of this story, there is a short dive into possible deeper Moodie origins. I don't claim that this work is definitive, more research may change how people are linked in the early 19th century.

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Birth of James Moodie in 1817 at Lilliesleaf, Roxburghshire

James was born to Thomas Moodie (b.1790-10-26) and Elizabeth Litster/Lister (b.1793-10-03). The birth took place in Lilliesleaf, Roxburghshire. Thomas and Elizabeth had been married in the previous year near Edinburgh.

Name: James Moodie

Gender: Male Christening Date:

Christening Place: , LILLIESLEAF, ROXBURGH, SCOTLAND

Birth Date: 21 Jun 1817

Birthplace: , Lilliesleaf, Roxburgh, Scotland

Death Date: Name Note: Race:

Father's Name: Thomas Moodie

Father's Birthplace: Father's Age:

Mother's Name: Elizabeth Lister

Mother's Birthplace: Mother's Age:

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Some sources claim that Thomas died in 1824 in India. This is not crazy when you investigate his ancestors a little more. I have not gone far in this direction, but you can see some hints in the very last chapter (page 32) of this document.

He was likely the first child. Here is a family group report for his birth family, to the extent that I understand it.

		Family G	Froup Report	
Hu	ısband: Moodie	, Thomas		
Birth		1790-10-26	Lilliesleaf, Roxburgh, Scotland	
Death				
Father		Moodie, James	·	
Mothe	r			
Wi	ife: Litster, Eliza	abeth		
Birth		1794-10-03	Roxburgh, Scotland	
Death				
Father		Litster, George	·	
Mothe	r	Sibbald, Agnes		
Ch	ildren			
	_			
Ch	Moodie, James Birth	1817-06-21	Roxburghshrie, Scotland	
Ch	Moodie, James	1817-06-21 1878-03-15	Roxburghshrie, Scotland Roxburgh, Scotland	
Ch	Moodie, James Birth			
Ch	Moodie, James Birth Death	1878-03-15		
Ch	Moodie, James Birth Death Spouse	1878-03-15 Nicol, Jemima	Roxburgh, Scotland	
Ch	Moodie, James Birth Death Spouse Marriage	1878-03-15 Nicol, Jemima 1866-12-07	Roxburgh, Scotland	
Ch 1M	Moodie, James Birth Death Spouse Marriage Spouse	1878-03-15 Nicol, Jemima 1866-12-07 Falconer, Margaret	Roxburgh, Scotland Wilton, Roxburgh, Scotland	
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Ch 1M	Moodie, James Birth Death Spouse Marriage Spouse Marriage Moodie, Agnes Birth	1878-03-15 Nicol, Jemima 1866-12-07 Falconer, Margaret 1851-08-29 1820-02-02	Roxburgh, Scotland Wilton, Roxburgh, Scotland South Leith, Midlothian, Scotland	
Ch 1M	Moodie, James Birth Death Spouse Marriage Spouse Marriage Moodie, Agnes Birth Death	1878-03-15 Nicol, Jemima 1866-12-07 Falconer, Margaret 1851-08-29 1820-02-02	Roxburgh, Scotland Wilton, Roxburgh, Scotland South Leith, Midlothian, Scotland	

I will also mention here that there may be another child that should be considered for this family. His name is William Moodie, born in 1828 (?). I am not, however, certain and so will leave this to be researched further. He appears in the 1841 census, which indicates that he was born in Roxburghshire. See the next and last sections.

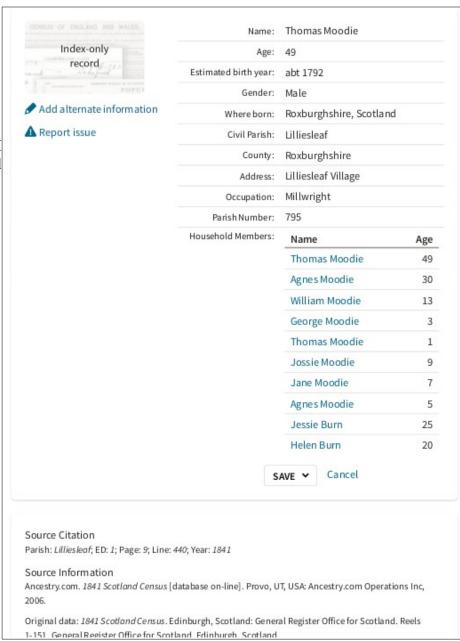
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1841 Scottish Census - Lilliesleaf, Roxburghshire

James' birth family may be shown in the image here from the 1841 census.

If this is indeed James' birth family, then his mother (Elizabeth) may have died and Thomas may have remarried. (I have never found a death record for Elizabeth (Litster) Moodie, his mother.)

If this is a new family for Thomas, probably the very young children are its product, and the older child is a vestige of the original birth family of James. Perhaps, then, William is James' younger brother. (This may become important later.)



Here is a record of Thomas Moodie marrying Agnes Burn(s) 8/5/1831. This lends credence to the theory that William may be from an earlier marriage of Thomas to Elizabeth Litster. It would also explain the other two Burn(s) people residing with the family. Here's the marriage record for Thomas and Agnes. Note the location (Lilliesleaf, Rozburghshire).

Name: Thomas Moodie

Birth Date: Birthplace: Age:

Spouse's Name: Agnes Burn

Spouse's Birth Date: Spouse's Birthplace: Spouse's Age:

Event Date: 05 Aug 1831

Event Place: Lilliesleaf, Roxburgh, Scotland

Father's Name: Mother's Name: Spouse's Father's Name: Spouse's Mother's Name:

Race:

Marital Status:

Previous Wife's Name:

Spouse's Race:

Spouse's Marital Status:

Spouse's Previous Husband's Name:

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Whatever the case, James is not present with this family in 1841. He would be about 24 at this time, so that is not surprising. I have not been able to find him unequivocally at this time in the 1841 census elsewhere. The correct "take away" from the 1841 census is that there is a lack of clarity. I present the information here just to indicate the lack of clarity and the need for more research.

1851 Scottish Census – Edinburgh St. Cuthberts, Midlothian

Here is a record that shows a person that I believe is the correct James.

He is a boarder, working as an engineer in Edinburgh.

And, note that one of his fellow boarders is shown as George Falconar, a name that is quite similar to Falconer, the surname for his wife to be (Margaret). (See next section.)

Perhaps James met his wife to be through association with George Falconer, who presumably was somehow related to Margaret.

By the way, at this time there is a Margaret Falconer of approximately the right age, living in the same parish, to the NW of the address shown here.

	nes Moodie 1 Scotland Census				
Name:	James Moodie				
Age:	33				
Estimated birth year:	abt 1818				
Relationship:	Lodger				
Gender:	Male				
Where born:	Lullian, Roxburghshire				
Parish Number:	685/2				
Civil Parish:	Edinburgh St Cuthberts				
County:	Midlothian				
Address:	3 West Register Street				
Occupation:	ccupation: Engineer				
ED:	D: 1A				
Page: 11					
sehold schedule number:	35				
LINE:	13				
Roll:	CSSCT1851_184				
Household Members:	Name	Age			
	Mary Thomson	77			
	Ann Mclean	18			
	William Mckay	22			
	Alexander Bain	28			
	James Fyfe	33			
	George B Falconar	20			
	James Moodie	33			
	A Mcpherson	20			

Marriage on 8/29/1851 at South Leith, Midlothian

I believe that this record shows the marriage of James to Margaret Falconer. This record is the best clue that I have found about Margaret's father. The location of South Leith is just to the north of the oldest part of Edinburgh.

Name: James Moodie

Birth Date: Birthplace: Age:

Spouse's Name: Margaret Falconer

Spouse's Birth Date: Spouse's Birthplace:

Spouse's Age:

Event Date: 29 Aug 1851

Event Place: South Leith, Midlothian, Scotland

Father's Name: Mother's Name:

Spouse's Father's Name: James Falconer

Spouse's Mother's Name:

Race:

Marital Status:

Previous Wife's Name:

Spouse's Race:

Spouse's Marital Status:

Spouse's Previous Husband's Name:

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Margaret Falconer b. 1823-4

Margaret was possibly born about 1823-4 in a place named East Calder, Midlothian. (Location based on 1861 census. Date based on this same census and the death record that follows.) There is such a place just to the west of Edinburgh. Her father's name was James. His mother's name was Janet. She may have had a relative named George B. Falconer.

By the way, the Falconer name is very common in Midlothian at this time, so sorting out who is who would be quite a job based on the on-line records that I have found.

A record of her death in 1862 follows. Denholm happens to be the location of the household of Thomas Moodie that we saw earlier in the 1841 Scottish Census.

	(1.)	, (1,)	(3.)	(4)	(5.)	(6.)	(1.)	(8.)
No.	Name and Surname. Rank or Profession, and whether Single, Married, or Widowed.	When and Where Died.	Sex.	Age.	Name, Surname, & Rank or Profession of Pather. Name, and Maiden Surname of Mother.	Cause of Beath, Duration of Disease, and Medical Attendant	Signature & Qualification of Informant, and Residence, if out of the House in which the Beath occurred.	When and Where Register and Signature of Register
	Margaret .	1862	14	38	James Galones	Concumption & Lange	James Sondie	1862
	7	December,		Weak	Sheema ke	7 yeals	Hidowre	Vermber 26
	Moodie	Swenty Franks			(derrated)		Wednet	ad Den heli
		2 ho 50 m. p. m.				as lest by		
31	Martind to	De holo			Sand Galerics	James Bydon		George Theen
	James Meddi	polick of			Mr. S.	111.62		Hights
	Willwright)	Cover			(decrased.)			, ,

This record indicates that she was born about 1823-4 to James Falconer (a schoemaker) and Janet, his wife, whose surname was not recorded. She died of consumption in Denholm, Roxburghshire. The registrar was George Moodie (a relative of James?). The record also confirms that James Moodie was a millwright.

One final note – in looking for a birth record, I found the following intriguing one. The date is believable, and the names are reasonable. The location is quite far north, however.

Name: Margaret Falconer

Gender: Female

Christening Date: 15 Apr 1818

Christening Place: WICK, CAITHNESS, SCOTLAND

Birth Date: 01 Apr 1818

Birthplace: Death Date: Name Note: Race:

Father's Name: James Falconer

Father's Birthplace: Father's Age:

Mother's Name: Janet Coghill

Mother's Birthplace: Mother's Age: Indexing Project (Batch) Number: C11043-2 System Origin: Scotland-ODM GS Film number: 0990558-9, 0990574 Reference ID:

Citing this Record:

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If it is correct, then she had siblings named George (!) b.12/3/1815 and William b.2/24/1821.

More research is needed

1861 Scottish Census at Edinburgh St. Cuthberts, Midlothian

I believe that this record shows the family in 1861. The location is just south of the oldest part of Edinburgh.

Name: James Moodie

Age: 49

Estimated birth year: abt 1812

Relationship: Head

Spouse's name: Margaret Moodie

Gender: Male

Where born: Lilliesleaf, Roxburghshire

Registration Number: 685/5
Registration district: Newington
Civil Parish: Edinburgh St Cuthberts

County: Midlothian

Address: 69 St Leonards St

Occupation: Millwright & Engines Macker

ED: 44

Household schedule number: 29

Line: 12

Roll: CSSCT1861_129 Household Members:

Name Age

James Moodie 49

Margaret Moodie 38

Janet Moodie 15 James F Moodie 5 Source Citation

Parish: Edinburgh St Cuthberts; ED: 44; Page: 5; Line: 12; Roll: CSSCT1861_129

Source Information

Ancestry.com. 1861 Scotland Census [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2006. Original data: Scotland. 1861 Scotland Census. Reels 1-150. General Register Office for Scotland, Edinburgh, Scotland.

Every thing makes sense about this except that Janet Moodie appears as a child of age 15. The key thing is that her birth precedes the marriage of Margaret and James in 1851. She could have been born "illegitimately" in 1846. However, another possibility is that she is the adopted daughter of a relative.

I have found a possible birth to William Moodie and Jane Lidell/Liddle that might fit. Perhaps this William Moodie is the William that appears in Thomas' house in 1841. It is also possible that Janet was actually born into a Falconer family.

All this is speculation, however, and warrants more research.

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Summary of Children of Margaret Falconer and James Moodie

Janet b. 1846

I have found no clear record of her birth, which is expected to be about 1846. She just appears in census listings. She may in fact not be a biological daughter of James and Margaret.

Thomas b. 1852

Here is a record of Thomas' birth.

Name: Thomas Litster Moodie

Gender: Male

Christening Date: 05 Sep 1852

Christening Place: , SOUTH LEITH, MIDLOTHIAN, SCOTLAND

Birth Date: Birthplace: Death Date: Name Note: Race:

Father's Name: James Moodie

Father's Birthplace: Father's Age:

Mother's Name: Margaret Falconer

Mother's Birthplace: Mother's Age:

Indexing Project (Batch) Number: C19504-6

System Origin: Scotland-ODM

GS Film number: 1067776, 1067780, 1067781

Reference ID:

Citing this Record:

"Scotland Births and Baptisms, 1564-1950," database, FamilySearch

(https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:VQC5-D8H: 10 February 2018), James Moodie in entry for Thomas Litster Moodie, 05 Sep 1852; citing, SOUTH LEITH, MIDLOTHIAN, SCOTLAND, reference, index based upon data collected by the Genealogical Society of Utah, Salt Lake City; FHL microfilm 1,067,776, 1,067,780, 1,067,781.

Thomas did not survive long. There is a record of his death in 1855 as shown below.

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The cause of death was dropsy (edema) for a reason that I could not decipher. He must have been buried in Rosebank Cemetery. The family had apparently been in the South Leith area for about 1.5 years.

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Here is a link to the Rosebank Cemetery on findagrave.com. https://www.findagrave.com/cemetery/2372875/edinburgh-rosebank-cemetery

James b. 1855

Here is a record of James' birth.

Name: James Falconer Moodie

Gender: Male Christening Date: Christening Place:

Birth Date: 23 Nov 1855

Birthplace: LEITH, MIDLOTHIAN, SCOTLAND

Death Date: Name Note:

Race:

Father's Name: James Moodie

Father's Birthplace: Father's Age:

Mother's Name: Margaret Falconer

Mother's Birthplace: Mother's Age:

Indexing Project (Batch) Number: C11692-1

System Origin: Scotland-ODM GS Film number: 6035516

Reference ID:

Citing this Record:

"Scotland Births and Baptisms, 1564-1950," database, FamilySearch

(https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:F7C5-L2P: 10 February 2018), James Moodie in entry for James Falconer Moodie, 23 Nov 1855; citing LEITH,MIDLOTHIAN,SCOTLAND, reference, index based upon data collected by the Genealogical Society of Utah, Salt Lake City; FHL microfilm 6,035,516.

Did James eventually marry Wilhelmina Campbelton? -

"Scotland Marriages, 1561-1910," database, FamilySearch

(https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:XY98-HNG: 10 February 2018), James Moodie and Wilhlemina Campblton, 06 Jun 1873; citing Leith, Midlothian, Scotland, index based upon data collected by the Genealogical Society of Utah, Salt Lake City; FHL microfilm 6,035,516.

William b. 1862

There is indirect evidence that William was born in Roxburghshire. Here is a record of a marriage of a daughter (Marie Etta) that indicates William's birth location. I have never found the place named Hanrick. Perhaps it was meant to be Hawick, and there was a transcription error.

Name: Marie Etta Moodie

Gender: Female Christening Date: Christening Place:

Birth Date: 10 Jan 1896

Birthplace: Beloit, Rock, Wisconsin

Death Date: Name Note: Race: White

Father's Name: William Moodie

Father's Birthplace: Hanrick, Roxbough, Scotland

Father's Age:

Mother's Name: Tina Louise Wisk Mother's Birthplace: Germany

Mother's Age:

Indexing Project (Batch) Number: C00324-6

System Origin: Wisconsin-EASy

GS Film number: 1305582 Reference ID: p121 cn 02400

Citing this Record:

"Wisconsin Births and Christenings, 1826-1926," database, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:XRKQ-C4B: 11 February 2018), William Moodie in entry for Marie Etta Moodie, 10 Jan 1896; citing Beloit, Rock, Wisconsin, reference p121 cn 02400; FHL microfilm 1,305,582.

More follows.

The 1871 Scottish Census (at right) shows William's birth place at Teviothead.

Teviothead is a real place, so I am inclined to accept this location, which is very close to Hawick in Roxburghshire. In fact the address given here for his residence is on the SW side of Hawick, north of the Teviot River.

I believe that William was actually Margaret's son. There are two reasons why I believe this. First, his birth date is a few months prior to the death of Margaret. Secondly, the amount of matching DNA shown for his descendants and my mother at ancestry.com is consistent with him being a half sibling to Agnes and Elizabeth, who are clearly daughters of Jemima.

It seems certain that the only mother figure that William could have remembered was Jemima. It should not be surprising that later in life he reported here are his mother rather than Margaret.

One unanswered question then centers on why the Moodie/Falconer family moved from the Edinburgh area to the Hawick area. It appears that sometime after the 1861 census the family must have moved.

The death of Margaret in the latter part of 1862 in Denholm does fit with this move.

Name:	William Moodie	
Age:	9	
Estimated birth year:	abt 1862	
Relationship:	Son	
Father's name:	James Moodie	
Mother's name:	Jemima Moodie	
Gender:	Male	
Where born:	Teviothead, Roxburgh	shire
Registration Number:	810	
Registration district:	Wilton	
Civil Parish:	Wilton	
County:	Roxburghshire	
Address:	5 Wellington Street	
Occupation:	Scholar	
ED:	4	
Household schedule number:	111	
Line:	8	
Roll:	CSSCT1871_181	
Household Members:	Name	Age
	James Moodie	52
	Jemima Moodie	34
	William Moodie	9
	Elizabeth Cavers Moodie	2
	Thomas Hall	22

It is not clear what drew the family back towards the Moodie relatives in Roxburghshire, and we may never know the reason.

Marriage on 12/7/1866 at Wilton, Roxburghshire to Jemima Nicol

In the winter of 1861-62 the James Moodie family is with out a mother and living in the Hawick area of Roxburghshire. Ages of the household members would be roughly as follows.

James: 45 Janet: 16 James: 7

• William: infant < 1

So that probably leaves James with three children to support alone. Probably he would have sought help in the form of a female "servant" so that he could earn a living. Jemima Nicol could have been that person. And that bring us back to the marriage record of James to Jemima Nicol that was mentioned at the beginning of this document. -

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ed and Elizabeth Minister, East			Hillwright (Sourneyman)	day of December
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deceased) (Signed)				Parish of Willow,
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			(Spinster)	

Here is a transcription of the record from the Registrar General of Scotland form.

1866 Marriages of the Parish of Wilton in the County of Roxburgh item 20, for 12/7/1866,

at Hope Point Parish of Wilton after Banns according to the Forms of the United Presbyterian Church

(Signed) James Moodie, Millwright (Journeyman) (Widower) age 48 resident of Denholm Parish of Cavers father Thomas Moodie Millwright (Master) (deceased) mother Elizabeth Moodie, M.S. Litster (deceased) (Signed) Thomas McEwen Minister, East Bank, Hawick

(Signed) Jemima Nichol, Domestic Servant (Spinster) age 30 resident of Little Cote Parish of Cavers father James Nichol, previously Factor (meaning that he was a sort of property manager for someone) mother Elizabeth Nichol, M.S. Cavers (Signed) William Little and Barbara Pott Nichol, witnesses

James Shiel, Registrar

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1871 Scottish Census - Wilton, Roxburghshire

Now the James Moodie household is shown in the census entry at right.

Jemima is present, but Janet and James are not. Presumably they are housed elsewhere. This is another bit of research that could be done to confirm this speculation.

We do see that William is still present, and that there is a new child – Elizabeth.

	es Moodie Scotland Cer	ısus	
Name:	James Moodie		
Age:	52		
Estimated birth year:	abt 1819		
Relationship:	Head		
Spouse's name :	Jemima Moodie		
Gender:	Male		
Where born:	Lilliesleaf, Roxburg	hshire	
Registration Number:	810		
Registration district:	Wilton		
Civil Parish:	Wilton		
County:	Roxburghshire		
Address:	5 Wellington Street	:	
Occupation:	Millwright (german	ymun)	
ED:	4		
Household schedule number:	111		
Line:	6		
Roll:	CSSCT1871_181		
Household Members:	Name	Age	
	James Moodie	52	
	Jemima Moodie	34	
	William Moodie	9	
	Elizabeth Cavers Moodie	2	
	Thomas Hall	22	

Jemima Nicol b. 1836

So, who was Jemima? Fortunately there is more information in this regard.

I believe that Jemima was born 4/7/1836 to James Nicol (b. 1790) and Elizabeth Cavers (b. 1794 d. 1881). She was the last (11th!) child in a very large family. The family appears to have been from the Roberton, Selkirk area. I believe that this is a village just to the west of Hawick. (Selkirk is to the north of Hawick.) Here is a listing showing her family.

		Family Gr	oup Report						
Hu	usband: Nicol,	James							
Birth		1790-03-09							
Death									
Father	•	Nicol, William							
Mothe	r	Melrose, Jannet							
W	ife: Cavers, Eli	zabeth							
Birth		1794							
Death		1881-12-21							
Father	•								
Mothe	г								
Cl	nildren								
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11	Nicol, Elizabe								
	Birth	1813-11-30							
2F	Death								
2F	Nicol, Janet								
	Birth	1815-12-24							
25	Death								
3F	Nicol, Margar								
	Birth	1817-11-20							
	Death								
4F	Nicol, Jane								
	Birth	1820-03-25							
	Death								
5F	Nicol, Christain								
	Birth	1822-05-11							
	Death								
6F	Nicol, Joan								
	Birth	1824-08-22							
	Death								
7M	Nicol, John								
	Birth	1827-03-08							
	Death								
8F	Nicol, Barbara	a Pott							
	Birth	1828-11-15							
	Death								
9M	Nicol, Walter								
	Birth	1831-01-05							
	Death								
10F	Nicol, Mina	·	·						
	Birth	1832-10-05							
	Death								
11F	Nicol, Jemima	<u>'</u>	'						
	Birth	1836-04-07	Roberton, Roxburgh, Scotland						
	Death		. 3.,						
	Spouse	Moodie, James	1						
	Marriage	1866-12-07	Wilton, Roxburgh, Scotland						

Summary of Children of Jemima Nicol and James Moodie

1881 Census at Southdean, Roxburghshire

James and Jemima had just two children (Elizabeth and Agnes) as far as I can tell. They appear in the 1881 census without James, who has by that time died.

William appears as well and has been discussed previously.

	s Jane Moodie 1 Scotland Census	
Name:	Agness Jane Moodie	
Age:	9	
Estimated birth year:	abt 1872	
Relationship:	Daughter	
Mother's name:	Jemima Moodie	
Gender:	Female	
Where born:	Wilton, Roxburghshire	
Registration Number:	806	
Registration district:	Southdean	
Civil Parish:	Southdean	
County:	Roxburghshire	
Address:	Door pool Cot	
Occupation:	Scholar	
ED:	3	
Household schedule number:	21	
LINE:	19	
Roll:	cssct1881_320	
Household Members:	Name	Age
	Jemima Moodie	42
	William Moodie	19
	Elizabeth Moodie	12
	Agness Jane Moodie	9

Elizabeth b. 1868

Elizabeth was born in Cavers, a town (much closer to Denholm) and somewhat down river from Hawick. Here is the record.

Name: Elizabeth Moodie

Gender: Female Christening Date: Christening Place:

Birth Date: 03 Jun 1868

Birthplace: CAVERS,ROXBURGH,SCOTLAND

Death Date: Name Note: Race:

Father's Name: James Moodie

Father's Birthplace: Father's Age:

Mother's Name: Jemima Nichol

Mother's Birthplace: Mother's Age:

Indexing Project (Batch) Number: C11785-1

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Reference ID:

Citing this Record:

"Scotland Births and Baptisms, 1564-1950," database, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FQCG-NVP: 10 February 2018), Elizabeth Moodie, 03 Jun 1868; citing CAVERS,ROXBURGH,SCOTLAND, reference, index based upon data collected by the Genealogical Society of Utah, Salt Lake City; FHL microfilm 6,035,516.

So, by the time of her birth, that family has possibly relocated again. At very least, the birth is recorded as taking place in Cavers.

Agnes b. 1871

Agnes is born back in Wilton, which means near Hawick. So perhaps the family did not in fact move.

Name: Jane Agnes Moodie

Gender: Female Christening Date: Christening Place:

Birth Date: 19 Oct 1871

Birthplace: WILTON, ROXBURGH, SCOTLAND

Death Date: Name Note: Race:

Father's Name: James Moodie

Father's Birthplace: Father's Age:

Mother's Name: Jemima Nichol

Mother's Birthplace: Mother's Age:

Indexing Project (Batch) Number: C11810-1

System Origin: Scotland-ODM GS Film number: 6035516

Reference ID:

Citing this Record:

"Scotland Births and Baptisms, 1564-1950," database, FamilySearch

(https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:FQ8B-7X6: 10 February 2018), Jane Agnes Moodie, 19 Oct 1871; citing WILTON, ROXBURGH, SCOTLAND, reference, index based upon data collected by the Genealogical Society of Utah, Salt Lake City; FHL microfilm 6,035,516.

Family Group Sheet for the Family of James and Jemima

		Family C	Group Report							
Н	usband: Moo	die, James								
Birth		Original data: Scotland, Births and B	inal data: Scotland, Births and Baptisms, 1564-1950. Salt Lake City, Utah: FamilySearch, 2013.							
		1817-06-21	Roxburghshrie, Scotland							
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		1878-03-15	Roxburgh, Scotland							
Father	r	Moodie, Thomas								
Mothe	er	Litster, Elizabeth	er, Elizabeth							
W	ife: Nicol, Je	mima								
Birth		according to the 1871 census, her bit	rthdate could be 1837; place = Roberton, Selkirk, Scotland							
		1836-04-07	Roberton, Roxburgh, Scotland							
Death	ı									
Father	Father Nicol, James									
Mothe	er	Cavers, Elizabeth								
C	hildren	<u> </u>								
1F	Moodie, Eli	zabeth								
	Birth	1868-06-03	Cavers, Roxburgh, Scotland							
	Death	1954	El Dorado, Butler, Kansas							
	Spouse	Wilson, Robert F.								
	Marriage	1883-11-06	Brodhead, Rock, Wisconsin, US							
2F	Moodie, Ag	nes Jane	·							
	Birth	1871-10-19	Wilton, Roxburgh, Scotland							
	Death	1954-11-02	Perkins, South Dakota							
	Spouse	Bates, Charles J.	<u> </u>							
	Marriage	1886-09-23								
	Spouse	Randall, Alvin Charles								
	Marriage	1908-07-22								

Death of James in 1878 at Ancrum, Roxburghshire

Following is a record of James' death from "softening of the brain" on 3/15/1878 in Ancrum, Roxburghshire. This diagnosis might have meant a number of things, including stroke.

No.	Name and Surname. Rank or Prolession, and whether Single, Married, or Widowed.	When and Where Died.	Sex.	yker	Name, Surrame, & Bank or Profession of Father, Name, and bladden Surname of Mother.	Disease, and Medical Attendant	Signature & Qualification of Informant, and Residence, if out of the House in which the Beath occurred.	When and share Registerer and Signature of Registrar
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James does not appear in the 1881 census, a fact that helps confirm that we are looking at the right people.

Name: Elizabeth Moodie

Age: 12

Estimated birth year: abt 1869

Relationship: Daughter Mother's name: Jemima Moodie

Gender: Female

Where born: Cavers, Roxburghshire

Registration Number: 806 Registration district: Southdean

Civil Parish: Southdean County: Roxburghshire

Address: Doorpool Cot Occupation: Scholar

ED: 3

Household schedule number: 21

Line: 18

Roll: cssct1881_320 Household Members:

Name Age

Jemima Moodie 42 William Moodie 19

Elizabeth Moodie 12 Agness Jane Moodie 9

Source Citation

Parish: Southdean; ED: 3; Page: 4; Line: 18; Roll: cssct1881_320

Source Information

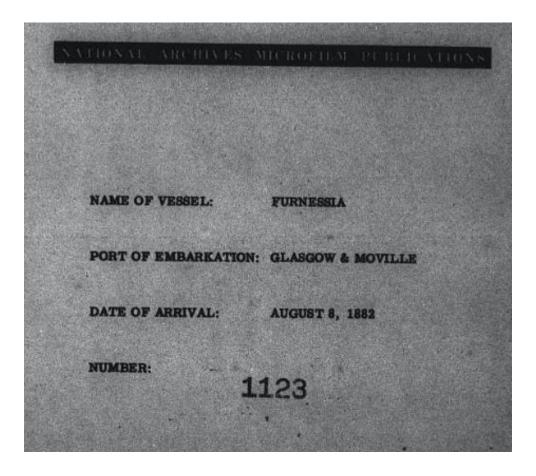
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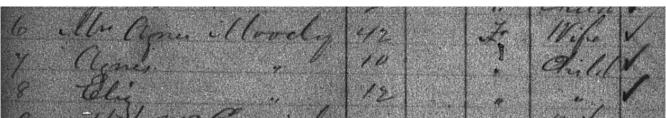
Note that the location for the family is the same as shown in the 1861 census. That is, Doorpool Cottage in Cavers. (A "Doorpool Farmhouse" appears in current maps of the Cavers area, but it is not certain that this is the same location.)

Immigration of Moodie Family Members to the USA in 1882

From what I can tell, the remains of the James Moodie family of Roxburghshire (his second family) left Scotland for the USA in 1882. I believe that William made the trip first and was then followed by Elizabeth, Agnes, and probably Jemima. (I can find no death record in Scotland for Jemima.)

Here is transport information for the three ladies. Note that the person most likely to be Jemima is recorded as Agnes, age 42. My guess is that this is really Jemima.





Here is a transcription of the record for Agnes.

Name: Agnes Moody Event Type: Immigration

Event Date: 1882

Event Place: New York City, New York, United States

Gender: Female Age: 10

Birth Year (Estimated): 1872 Birthplace: Scotland Ship Name: Furnessia

Affiliate Publication Number: M237

Affiliate Publication Title: Passenger Lists of vessels arriving at New York, 1820-1897

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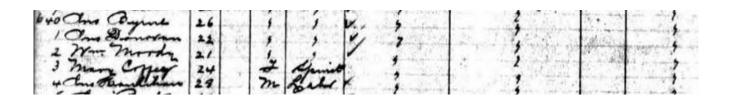
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"New York Passenger Lists, 1820-1891," database with images, FamilySearch (https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:27T4-WXG: 12 March 2018), Agnes Moody, 1882; citing NARA microfilm publication M237 (Washington, D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, n.d.); FHL microfilm.

Since I can find no records for Jemima in the USA, I assume that she died after arrival. Perhaps she has an unrecorded death in southern WI, where her daughters and their half brother William settled.

Here is immigration information for William. Note the date. It is almost exactly 4 months prior to the arrival of his sisters and stepmother.

	WILLIAN	и моору	
FIRST NAME	WILLIAM	RELATIVE LEFT BEHIND	
LAST NAME	MOODY	NAME OF RELATIVE LEFT BEHIND	
OCCUPATION	LABORER	ADDRESS OF RELATIVE LEFT BEHIND	
AGE	17	TICKET	
SEX	Male	PAID BY	Self
LITERACY	Unknown	IN THE US BEFORE	Unknown
SHIP	CIRCASSIA	IN THE US WHEN	
ARRIVED	6 Apr 1882	IN THE US WHERE	
COUNTRY	SCOTLAND	GOING TO SOMEONE IN THE US	Unknown
PORT OF DEPARTURE	GLASGOW	RELATIONSHIP TO THAT SOMEONE IN THE US	
PLACE OF LAST RESIDENCE		NAME OF RELATIVE IN THE US	
PROVINCE OF LAST RESIDENCE	UNKNOWN		
CITY OR VILLAGE OF DESTINATION	UNITED STATES	ADDRESS OF RELATIVE IN THE US	
PLAN	Unknown	CITY OF RELATIVE IN THE US	
PASSAGE	Unknown	COUNTRY OF BIRTH	SCOTLAND
MONEY		PLACE OF BIRTH	



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Immigration of Another Descendant of James Moodie to the USA

Recent DNA testing has helped reveal that there is another line of James Moodie descendants in the USA. I have had the pleasure of communicating with contemporary descendants from this line.

As mentioned above, our James Moodie (b.1817) had a son named James (b.1855) with his first wife Margaret in the vicinity of Edinburgh.

This son married a lady named Mary Pierson/Pearson (b. ~1857) according to trees on ancestry.com. They in turn had a son named Joseph (b. 1884 in Hawick). [Note the same location and and time frame as the second family of James b.1817!]

Joseph immigrated to the USA on 3/24/1904 on the ship named the Majestic with a number of other folks from the Roxburghshire area. (This is nearly 20 years after William, Agnes, and Elizabeth – his uncle and aunts made the trip.) Joseph made his way to Idaho.



I wonder if Joseph and Agnes ever knew of the presence of the other in the USA? James Moodie (b.1817) certainly never imagined that, nearly two hundred years after his death, a DNA technology would make it possible for his descendants to discover each other!

Summary of Significant Locations in the Life of James Moodie and His Families

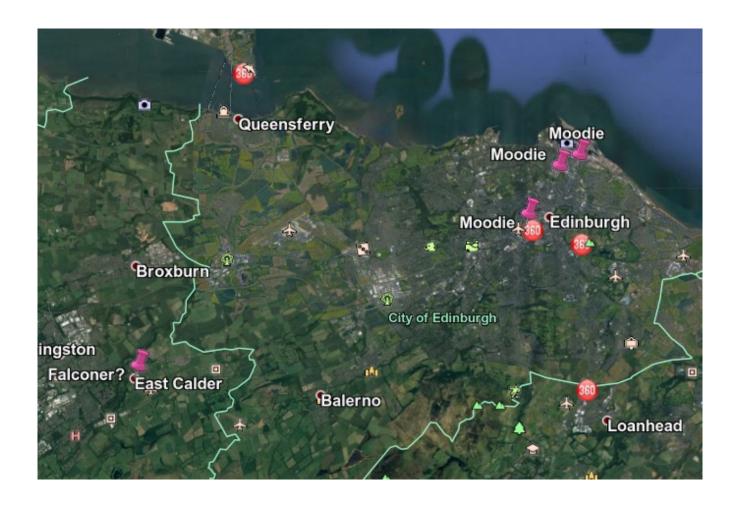
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In Midlothian: St Cuthberts, South Leith, East Calder.

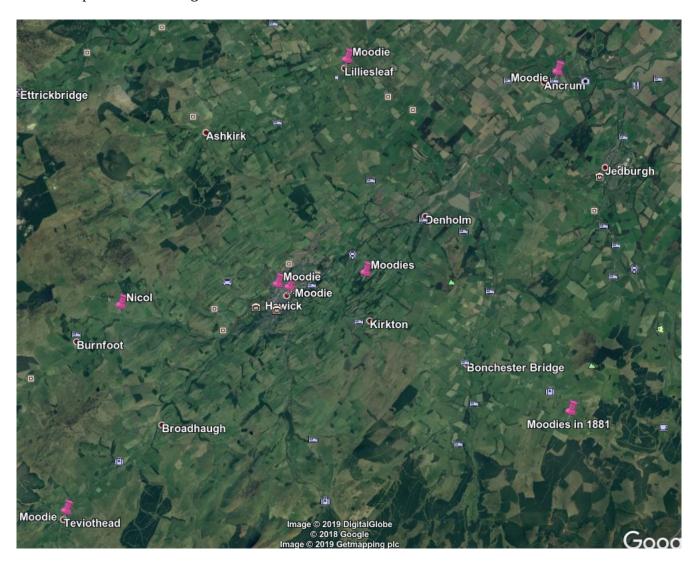
[Elsewhere: Wick in Caithnessshire.]

In the maps that follow, the pink pins with labels like "Moodie" show the locations named above (except Wick, which is quite far north).

Here are places of significance in the vicinity of Edinburgh.



These are places in Roxburghshire.



Plan your trip! Investigate with the help of http://www.bordersfhs.org.uk/!

Down the Rabbit Hole

This could be subtitled "Will the Real Thomas Moodie Please Stand Up!"

Thomas Moodie b. 1790 in Lilliesleaf

Here is a record of the family into which Thomas was born in 1790. This is from an old Parish register in Lilliesleaf. I feel pretty sure that this is the family of "our" Thomas. The timing and location seem right.

1002 23 April, his don die Wright is Children	James Mordie
1709 10 Febr, his don 10001 oom	is an ambibusgher
1790 26 Octr. his don James born	

It shows that Thomas' father was James Moodie and that there were three siblings: Robert b.1789, Thomas b. 1790, and James b.1800. (Oh, how I wish that there was more variety in given names!)

The most likely supporting marriage record is the one that follows showing a marriage between James Moodie and Jean Richardson in Ancrum, Roxburghshire. (This is the town where James died of "brain softening.")

Name: James Moodie

Birth Date: Birthplace: Age:

Spouse's Name: Jean Richardson

Spouse's Birth Date: Spouse's Birthplace:

Spouse's Age:

Event Date: 02 Mar 1788

Event Place: Ancrum, Roxburgh, Scotland

Father's Name: Mother's Name:

Spouse's Father's Name: Spouse's Mother's Name:

Race:

Marital Status:

Previous Wife's Name:

Spouse's Race:

Spouse's Marital Status:

Spouse's Previous Husband's Name:

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So, assuming that this is the right marriage, we know who the parents of Thomas and his brothers, Robert and James. And, in support of this, I have found a distant DNA match on ancestry.com who traces his line back to the next generation back from James and Jean. The DNA match is associated with Nelson Moodie, Jr., and we share just 10 cM of DNA, which is reasonable given the distance back to a common ancestor.

Jean may be the daughter of Thomas Richardson. -

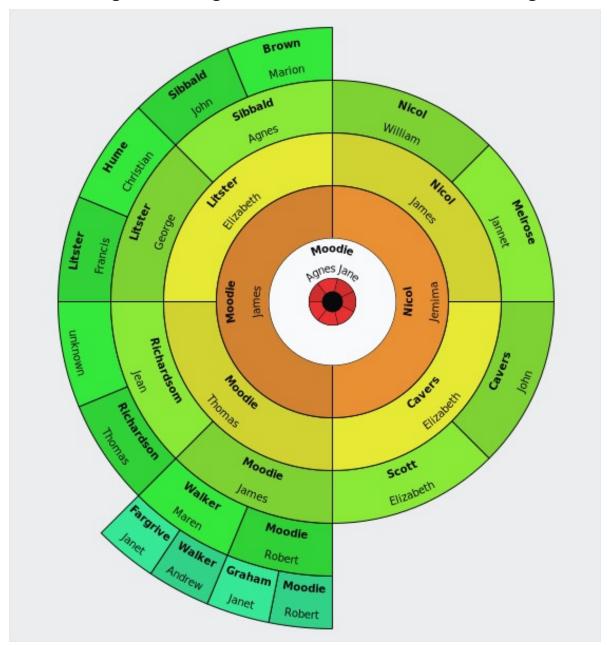
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Next, a little research at familysearch.org has turned up a series of linked families that seems to be reasonable. This series is authored by one Edgar Moodie and others, but I have not contacted them for verifying source information. For now, I just reference their work with the link that follows.

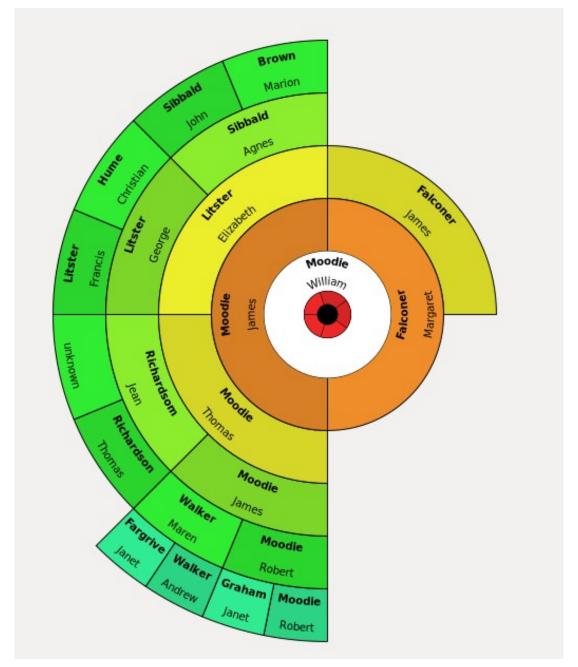
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Assuming that this series of families is linked properly, James' parents were Robert Moodie (b.1726) and Maren Walker (b.1732). His siblings were Andrew, John, Robert, and Margaret. And accepting all the information yields the following pedigree information.

Updated Pedigree for Agnes Moodie b. 1871 in Roxburghshire



Updated Pedigree for William Moodie b. 1862 in Roxburghshire



Melsetter Estate and Another Thomas Moodie

As a part of my foray into understanding Thomas Moodie, James' father, I have turned up some colorful history that you might want to investigate in more detail. I will just outline it here until I (or someone else) can confirm it. I am not at all convinced that the families described below are related to my/our Moodie families. **Connections to our Moodie line are not proven!**

First, it appears that there was a Thomas Moodie of about the right age as our Thomas that may have been in the military, and may have died in India. This Thomas was perhaps a member of a large family headed by a Major James Moodie, whose likenesses are presented below. (See https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/78644683/person/410097253721/gallery.) If so, this Thomas' mother was named Elizabeth Dunbar, and she and Major James were married in Caithness (also mentioned above in the context of Margaret Falconer). Again, I do NOT think that this is "our" Thomas since the information does not sync with the family information of James Moodie as recorded in the Parish Register in Lilliesleaf and shown in the section immediately above. The simplest explanation is that the ancestry.com tree is wrong and that there were multiple James/Thomas Moodie people in Scotland at the same time. (Not so far fetched.)

This "ancestry" Major James Moodie is identified as the Ninth Laird of Melsetter House, an historic place in the Orkneys. Here he is in uniform.





Here he is later in life.

And the same ancestry.com reference provides the following text.

"the Ninth Laird

In 1769 Major James Moodie became ninth Laird of Melsetter and inherited Breckness, Snelsetter Castle and Melsetter. He married Elizabeth Dunbar and had 6 children (Henrietta, Janet, Thomas, Benjamin, Donald and John; and there is mention of another son, James, who was possibly illegitimate, born to an Elizabeth Taylor). The Moodies were an ancient family and could claim to be able to trace their descent directly from Robert the Bruce. The first written record of the family seems to date from about 1470, when William Mudie appears in a list of Scottish bishops as Bishop of Caithness. The non-conjectural pedigree of the Moodies (or Mudie, as it was in the fifteenth century) starts with another William, the first Laird of Melsetter, who was a man of some importance, being, among other things, Chamberlain in Orkney to Mary Queen of Scots. His lands were listed and confirmed by King James VI in 1591. At that time he disposed of his properties on the mainland of Scotland to consolidate his position in Orkney.

In 1818, Major James Moodie was forced to sell the estate which had been in his family for more than 500 years, despite his strenuous efforts to save it. James Moodie died heartbroken and is buried in the Canongate Parish Churchyard in Edinburgh. The breaking up of the Melsetter estate gave rise to an acrimonious and extended legal battle involving, among others, Lord Dundas, and was never settled to the satisfaction of the Moodies. Although the connection between the Moodies and Melsetter in Orkney was irrevocably severed by the sale of the estate in 1818, another Melsetter connection was created years later in another continent. Just before the sale of the estate, the son Benjamin and others had emigrated to Africa and within a few years the Moodies had become one of those pioneering families whose story is interwoven with the history of Southern Africa in the nineteenth century. One of the family, Thomas, led a trek to Gazaland, in what was then Rhodesia, and founded the town of Melsetter at an altitude of 1586 m in the Chimanimani Mountains."

I think that many folks have researched this line, so I'm sure that if you have an interest you can reach out and find more. For example ... https://themoodies.co.za/home . BTW, the guy in the picture at right (from this web site) is not me, but we could be brothers. The shirt says "I can't keep calm I'm a Moodie." What can I say!



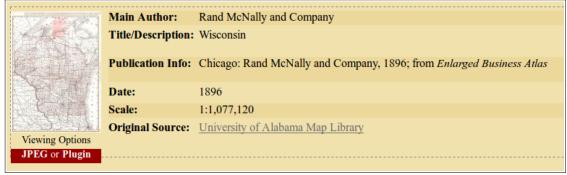


According to this site, the Ninth Laird came up with this coat of arms. Meaningless symbolism today, but the only such thing that I have found while doing my genealogy.

Maybe someday we will determine if we are related to the Melsetter Moodies somewhere back in time.

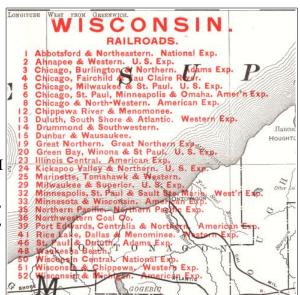
In August, 2018, I had occasion to visit parts of southern WI where Agnes (Moodie) and Charles Bates resided in the latter half of the 19th century. The purpose of this note is to summarize in maps and pictures the places of importance to Charles and Agnes (and some of their ancestors and descendants).

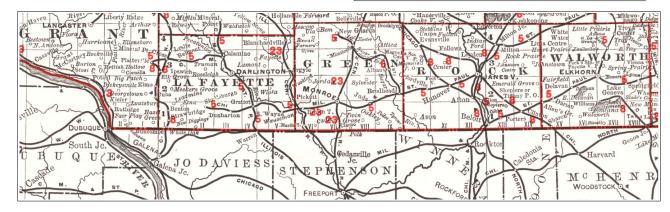
Map images are drawn from the 1896 map made available by the U. of Alabama.



It is a railroad map and the red numbers indicate the organizations that operated the various railroads.

Following is an extract of much of the southern tier of WI counties. This is where most of the "action" took place. Key places are Elkhorn, Janesville, Brodhead, Beloit, Rockton (IL), Jamestown, etc. in Walworth, Rock, Green, and Grant counties.





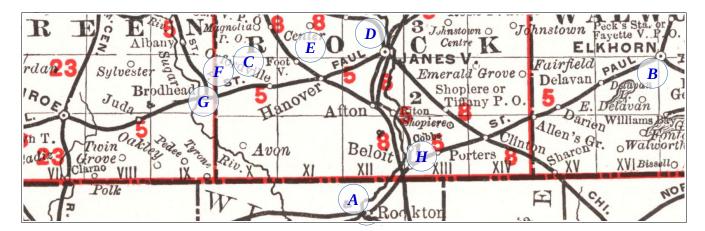
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Here is another excerpt from the map, zoomed in to include just the locales around Janesville. Locations of specific events are noted and described in the text that follows the map.



- A) The Henry N. Bates farm was near Rockton, IL. This is where Charles' mother, Satina, lived and met and married Jerome Tupper. (Satina was born in PA, and Jerome was born in NY.)
- B) At some point after their marriage in 1849, Satina and Jerome moved to Elkhorn, where Charles was born. (This move must have taken place prior to 1852, since their second child was born in WI.) Charles' birth name was Clarence J. Tupper, and he was born in 1858, the 4th child in the family.
- C) Members of the Moodie family started immigrating from Scotland to Spring Valley, just outside of Brodhead, in the early 1880s. Agnes and her sister arrived in late 1882, and lived with their brother, William, who was the first to immigrate.
- D) Clarence (Charles) and Agnes were married in Rock County in September, 1886. They lived in the same area as Agnes' brother and had the following children: Harry (b.1887), May (b.1888), Frank (b.1891), John (b.1893), Elizabeth (b.1895), Susan (1898), Grace (b.1901).
- E) Harry, my grandfather, was employed at a creamery, probably located near Footville. (It was there or in the general vicinity that he lost his right arm in an accident.)
- F) Charles died in 1900 and is buried in the Scotch Hill cemetery, just outside of Brodhead. Shortly after his death, his last child was born. Her name was Grace, and she was adopted by a local family, but she did not survive many years. She is also buried in the Scotch Hill cemetery, but her marker has been destroyed.
- G) Agnes moved into Brodhead after Charles' death. Their son John died in 1908. (I have never found his grave.) At about this time, the remaining family members (except for May) moved to South Dakota.
- H) May remained in the Beloit area and married Olaf Lund. May is in fact buried in Beloit, and the remains of her sister, Libbie (Bates) Owens, are buried there as well. (Agnes' brother, William, also moved to Beloit and is buried there.)

Some pictures that illustrate various of the places named above follow.

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Harry Bates was employed at the Roach Seeber Creamery. There were multiple locations for this company, but I suspect that the Footville location is where Harry worked. Here is a picture of the creamery around 1900. Harry is standing next to a wagon in the lower right side of the picture.





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The next picture is an enlargement that shows Harry.



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Here are a couple of pictures from the Scotch Hill Cemetery (near Brodhead) that show the marker for Charles' grave.







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Here are some pictures to illustrate what Brodhead, WI, was like in the early 20th century, when the Bates family lived there.



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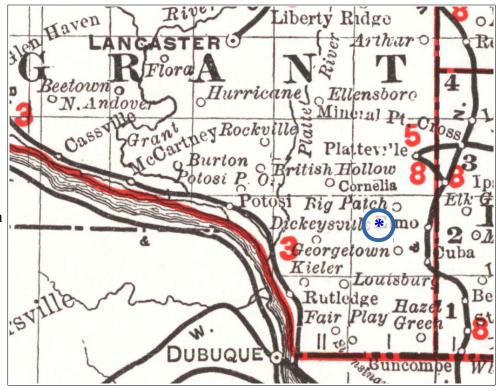
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Charles' birth family (Jerome and Satina (Bates) Tupper) moved to SW Wisconsin some time between 1860 and 1870. Jerome served in the Union Army during part of this time. (WI 4th Cavalry)

It is not clear what caused Charles/Clarence to be in the vicinity of Brodhead when Agnes and her family arrived. However, it may be that the Tupper family "dissolved" around 1880 due to the poor health of Jerome, who later spent time in a VA hospital. Satina also shows up with a daughter in IA in 1885. This is all speculation, however, until some sense can be made of the census information that exists for the 1880s.

The Tupper farm in 1870 was near Jamestown, WI, which is in the southern part of Grant County, near Big Patch as far as I can tell. From there, Charles' sisters married and relocated across Iowa.

His sisters' married names were Mary Burns, Ellen Ward, Clara Cole, and Ada Williams.



Jerome died in Grant Co. in 1899, but I have never located his grave.

Satina died in 1900 in SD, where she was living with her daughter, Ada, near Sioux Falls. I have recently located her grave in the Bethel Cemetery in Minnehaha Co., SD.

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