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& Lydia (FRANTZ) FREDERICK, she m/2 1928 John Franklin PEARSON, b 14 May 1879, d 19 Dec 1959, ch:

1. Lewis Jacob, b 7 Jan 1906, m 25 Dec 1930 Nellie Elnora BARNHART, b 10 Jun 1909, d/o Jesse Kline & Elsie (RYMAN) BARNHART
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With very best wishes,

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Dear Sylvia,

I checked all your information against my computer database. I made corrections on your pages. I hope the corrections are easy to understand.

I'm also sending 19 pages of names of individuals (in my database) identified with Clark County, Ohio. These pages do not reflect marriage and burial but that might be the reason their name came up in this list.

With the 19 pages of names, you (or someone else) can go to Frantz Families -- Kith & Kin and look up their name(s) in the Index -- and proceed from there. I imagine that you already have all of these people listed in earlier volumes but thought I'd give you these names "in case" some were overlooked previously.

Having said all that... I have to admit that I have over 36,000 names in my major "Frantz & collateral lines" database. It is possible that some of these names are not in the books Frantz Families -- Kith & Kin. Let me know if you want info on a certain name (that isn't in Frantz Families -- Kith & Kin) and I'll look it up and print it out.

I sympathize with your frustration about not having your own set of FF -- KK. I've wished for copies of the books published by Friends of the Library. It gets so-o-o-o expensive buying every book that I think I "need." I'd probably have a heart attack if I figured out how much I've spent on the books in my library -- and the photocopy costs of books that I have copied. I'd love to give you a copy of the books but I'm financially unable to. Sorry!!

Also enclosed, find my holiday newsletter. I'm preparing them now and plan to mail them on Nov. 23rd. I've just saved 32¢ by enclosing it with this package.

Very best wishes,

Lorraine

GRISSE/FRANTZ/LAUGHLIN/MITCHELL

Elias GRISSE, b 15 Sep 1868 Clark Co., d 23 Aug 1959, s/o Daniel Webster & Sabina (ZIEGLER) GRISSE, m/1 27 Nov 1894 Mary Etta FRANTZ, b 7 Dec 1876, d 13 Aug 1897, d/o Samuel Neher & Eliza Ann (DETRICK) FRANTZ, m/2 14 Oct 1898 Elizabeth R. LAUGHLIN, b 14 Dec 1879, d 10 Mar 1913, d/o James & Mary (WINGERT) LAUGHLIN, m/3 19 Jul 1917 Mary I. MITCHELL, ch:

1. Ethel Elizabeth, b 5 Jan 1896, d 29 Aug 1896 20 Aug
2. Irvin, b 11 Aug 1897, d 31 Aug 1897

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FRANTZ/GARST

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1. John Aaron, b 7 Dec 1883, m/1 10 Feb 1909 Nellie Catherine CUMMINGS, b 20 Nov 1887, m/2 Catherine GRAY
2. Mary Alma, b 28 Jun 1887, d 24 Apr 1888
3. Ethel Mina, b 7 Nov 1889, m 19 Dec 1909 Clarence Edward DYSINGER, b 17 Dec 1889
4. Garst Leroy, b 29 May 1894, d 10 Jul 1988 Miami Co., m 16 Sep 1915 Elizabeth Maude ERNSWILER, b 6 Apr 1896, d 1969

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BRUBAKER/GARST

~~both d same day?~~ d. 6 Jan 1948 Clark Co.
Aaron BRUBAKER, b 29 Sep 1859, d 26 Mar 1945, s/o Noah & Margarette (CRIST) BRUBAKER, m 23 Dec 1883 Miami Co., Henrietta Etta GARST, b 9 Nov 1862 Clark Co., d 26 Mar 1945, d/o John & Mary Jane (BOZARTH) GARST, ch:
1. Charles Garst, b 9 Oct 1884, m 26 Oct 1909 Eva WALHEY chas. d. 11 Oct 1966
2. Alma May, b 22 Aug 1890, m 5 Feb 1910 Granville B. ZELLER Miami Co.
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DENLINGER/ - -/FRANTZ

2nd wife, who was 1st Rozella Landis m. 2
Daniel F. DENLINGER, b 15 Feb 1867 Montgomery Co., d 19 Jun 1944, s/o Isaac & Dianah (FRANTZ) DENLINGER, m/1 ~~names unk~~, m/2 10 Jan 1897 Mary Alice De. 188
GARSAR T, b 23 Apr 1871 Clark Co., d 8 May 1941, d/o John & Mary Jane sc
(BOZARTH) FRANTZ, 12 ch, three sons & three daughters died at birth: m
1. Wilbur J., b 15 Oct 1897 Montgomery Co., d 28 Dec 1981, m 1 Sep 1918 bcc
Opal Catherine LANDIS, b 27 Oct 1898, d 4 Jul 1984, d/o Jeremiah & Vol:
Susannah (SILER) LANDIS Jeremiah P. 7
2. Anna Mary, b 19 Dec 1898, d 13 Jan 1985, m 23 Nov 1919 Charles H.
BOWSER, b 22 Sep 1899, d 21 Nov 1973
3. Della Irene, b 22 Mar 1900, d 15 Apr 1993, m 21 Aug 1921 Oscar J.
GARBER, b 25 Sep 1900, d 6 Aug 1986, s/o George G. & Ada Mae (FLORY)
GARBER
4. Sarah Elizabeth, b 7 Apr 1901, d 26 Jun 1973, m 8 Jan 1922 Joseph Abraham
BRUBAKER, b 7 Sep 1899 Roanoke Co., VA
5. Isaac Garst, b 17 Nov 1906, d 22 Jan 1985 Preble Co., m 18 May 1929
Martha LOY, b 1 Jul 1910
6. Perry Daniel, b 3 Mar 1910, d 18 Apr 1983, m 1 Nov 1930 Gladys Eliza-
beth KEENER, b 19 Aug 1912

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OHMART/FRANTZ

Adam OHMART, b 30 Apr 1803 Shenandoah Co., VA, d 24 Nov 1876 Wabash Co., IN, s/o Christian & Anna (WEAVER) OHMART, m 19 Aug 1824 Clark Co. Christina FRANTZ, b 24 Feb 1807 Botetourt Co., VA, d 12 Apr 1878, d/o Daniel & Anna (GARST) FRANTZ, ch:

1. Susanne, b 23 Jan 1826, d 24 Jan 1826
2. Sophia, b 11 Jan 1827, d 1 Oct 1827

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3. Daniel, b 22 Mar 1828, d 30 May 1845 Wabash Co., IN
 4. Catherine Cantana, b 17 Sep 1829, d 12 Aug 1830
 5. Samuel, b 14 Jun 1831, d 28 Mar 1897, m 20 Mar 1853 Wabash Co., IN, Hannah HEETER, b 27 Dec 1834 Montgomery Co., IN, d 3 Aug 1914, d/o Henry & Hannah (Vaniman) HEETER *capital letters*
 6. Jacob, b 22 Sep 1832, d 29 Sep 1862 Wabash Co., IN, m 5 May 1853 Louisa HOWARD, d/o Robert & Barbara (FRANTZ) HOWARD b. 17 Oct 1833 d. 12 Nov 18
 7. Levi, b 29 Nov 1834, d 14 Aug 1872 Wabash Co., IN, m/1 1 Oct 1857 Wabash Co., IN, Rebecca Arter CLICK, b 1841, d 24 Aug 1861, m/2 Sarah (CLICK) BARD, b 5 Mar 1843, d 7 Jan 1870
 8. Eve, b 14 Jun 1837, d 15 Apr 1906, m 9 Dec 1860 Wabash Co., IN Uriah HEETER, b 15 Nov 1836, d 19 Jul 1914
 9. Joseph, b 23 Feb 1840, d 14 Feb 1911 Wabash Co., IN, m Nancy Jane 19 Oct 18 HOWARD, d/o Robert & Barbara (FRANTZ) HOWARD Nancy b. 1842 d. 1921
 10. Thomas/Amos, b 17 Dec 1841, d 28 Sep 1846
 11. Sarah, b 13 Apr 1844 Wabash Co., IN, d 29 Oct 1929 Stephenson Co., IL, m 14 Jan 1866 Andrew ~~BLOCKER~~ BLOCHER
 12. Anna, b 5 Nov 1845, d 22 Feb 1880, m 29 Sep 1867 Mathias ~~BLOCKER~~ BLOCHER
 13. Julia, b 5 Mar 1847, d 16 Aug 1903 Los Angeles Co., CA, m 3 Jun 1871 b. 7 Feb Stephen PETERS, b 9 Sep 1845, d 29 Apr 1909 d. 29 Dec 192
 14. Israel, b 10 Apr 1851, d 29 Jul 1926, m 12 Sep 1880 Sarah BROOKINS, b 14 Jul 1861, d 19 Feb 1908
 15. Henry, b 10 May 1853, d 1936, m Susanna BROOKINS, b Jul 1857, d 1941
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FREDERICK/FLAIR/FRANTZ (Ref: Pg 19)

- Samuel Edward FREDERICK, b 22 Jun 1843, physician, d 29 Oct 1917, m/1 Margaret A. FLAIR, m/2 29 Jun 1879 Lydia FRANTZ, b 15 Jul 1853, d 10 May 1937 Clark Co., d/o Joel & Mary (NEHER) FRANTZ, ch: Albert b. 7 Aug 1868
8. Rosetta Grace, d 6 Aug 1971, m/1 15 Apr 1905 Albert Orestes YOUNG, d 13 Apr 1922, m/2 1928 John Franklin PEARSON, b 14 May 1879, d 19 Dec 1959
 9. Ulysses Elmer, d 1 Oct 1945, m/1 Uriah Bessie CLARK, d/o Alon CLARK, m/2 Mary Etta POWERS Ulysses b. 22 Apr 1882
 10. Iva Fern, d 25 Sep 1938, m/1 1912 Charles Edward JONES, b ca 1884, d 7 May 1924, m/2 Charlie MATTHEWS Iva b. 27 Jul 1884
 11. Orva Jason, m/1 Gertie (Fisher) GROUP, m/2 Mary, surname unk
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HECK/HUGHEL/STURGEON

- George Washington HECK, b 1818 Botetourt Co., VA, d 5 Mar 1898, s/o + Anna Frant Peter HECK, m/1 23 Feb 1836 Clark Co. Elizabeth HUGHEL, b 15 Sep 1815, d 24 May 1850, m/2 2 Oct 1851 Rachel STURGEON, b 9 May 1823, d 29 Mar 1908, d/o Matthew & Anna (WISE) STURGEON, ch:
1. Mary Jane, b 1837, d 25 Feb 1889, m 24 Nov 1853 Moses CALLISON, b 15 Aug 1833, d 24 Dec 1898, s/o Arthur & Margaret (LEFFEL) CALLISON ~~ex 77~~
 2. Sarah, b 27 Dec 1838, d 27 Feb 1914, m 29 Oct 1857 John K. FUNDERBURG, b 19 Apr 1836, d 20 Aug 1871, s/o Daniel & Dianna (KEPLINGER) FUNDERBURG
 3. Jemima/Jeremiah, b ca 1854
 4. Ann Elizabeth, b 5 Mar 1858, d 10 Apr 1877, m S. K. JORDAN
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DENLINGER/FRANTZ

- Isaac DENLINGER, b 2 Mar 1836 Montgomery Co., d 5 Nov 1910, s/o John & Sarah (MILLER) DENLINGER, m 11 Mar 1858 Dianah FRANTZ, b 17 Dec 1837 Clark Co., d 11 Nov 1914, d/o Benjamin & Elizabeth (FLORY) FRANTZ, ch:
1. Benjamin, b 16 Feb 1859 Montgomery Co., d 12 Aug 1949, m 12 Feb 1882 Mary Catherine RICHARDSON, b 10 Nov 1862 Miami Co., d 16 May 1954, d/o Frederick & Elizabeth RICHARDSON
 2. Sarah Elizabeth, b 22 Feb 1861, d 6 Mar 1938, m 5 Jun 1881 George F. MUMMA, b 17 Dec 1853, d 22 Mar 1922
 3. Henry, b 12 Oct 1862, d 9 May 1929 Preble Co., m 6 Jan 1887 Lydia Ellen BRUBAKER, b 25 Jan 1868, d 7 Oct 1957, d/o Jacob & Elizabeth

4. Daniel F., b 15 Feb 1867, d 19 Jun 1944, m/1 23 Dec 1888 Rozella LANDIS, b 19 Sep 1869, d 17 May 1895, m/2 10 Jan 1897 Mary Alice GARST, b 23 Apr 1871 Clark Co., d 8 May 1941, d/o John & Mary Jane (BOZARTH) GARST
5. Ezra, b 5 Apr 1869, d 31 Jan 1943, m/1 29 Dec 1892 Lucy WENGER, b 20 May 1871, d 6 Jan 1926, m/2 5 Apr 1928 Nancy Jane BRUBAKER, b 31 Dec 1867, d 27 Jan 1946, d/o Joseph & Nancy (FLORY) BRUBAKER
6. Perry, b 9 Dec 1871, d 26 Feb 1905, m 27 Dec 1894 Dora B. KLEPINGER, b 8 Oct 1874 Miami Co., d 30 Jan 1957, d/o Harvey & Sarah Jane (HYRE) KLEPINGER
7. Andrew, b 11 Nov 1873, d 31 Aug 1951 Los Angeles Co., CA, m/1 28 Nov 1895 Bertha Estella WHITEHEAD, b 20 Dec 1875, d 19 Mar 1942, m/2 Emma Catherine METZGER, b 30 Sep 1880 Wabash Co., IN, d 2 Sep 1954, d/o Jacob B. & Mary Magdalene (CRIPE) METZGER
8. Susan A. EICHELBERGER, foster daughter, b 17 Nov 1878, d 17 Jan 1917, d/o Alexander & Hannah (BEEGHLEY) EICHELBERGER, m 4 Oct 1896 Edwin E. HYRE, b 10 Feb 1871, d 10 Nov 1950, s/o Amos & Mary A. (DENLINGER) HYRE

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BRUBAKER/FRANTZ

Jacob BRUBAKER, b 1 Aug 1819 Franklin Co., VA, d 12 Mar 1894 Macoupin Co., IL, s/o Jonathan & Barbara (CRIST) BRUBAKER, m 13 Aug 1840 Anna FRANTZ, b 21 Jun 1822 Clark Co., d 19 Dec 1906 Morgan Co., IL, d/o John & Anna Mary (OHMART) FRANTZ, ch:

1. Elizabeth, b 20 Jul 1841, d 6 Nov 1886 Macoupin Co., IL, m 20 Dec 1860 George SHULL, b 2 Jul 1837, d 1 Jan 1875, s/o Peter & Mary (WYER) SHULL
2. Nancy, b 7 May 1843, m 20 Nov 1864 Macoupin Co., IL, James A. SHULL, b 13 Aug 1842, d 21 Mar 1926, s/o Peter & Mary (WYER) SHULL
3. Sarah, b 1845, d 1851
4. Catherine, b 30 Oct 1846, m 22 Feb 1866 Jacob BLICKENSTAFF, b 24 Jan 1842 Miami Co., d 17 Mar 1921 Modesto, CA
5. Phebe, b 1849, d 1865
6. Martha, b & d 1850 d/o John Neher & Lydia Studebaker
7. John H., b 15 May 1852, d 17 Dec 1936, m/1 7 Feb 1875 Macoupin Co., IL, Elizabeth NEHER, b 27 Jan 1857, d 8 Aug 1903, m/2 26 May 1909 Elizabeth HOWE, b 20 Apr 1857 Mifflin Co., PA, d Carroll Co., MD
8. Samuel S., b 5 Feb 1855, d 27 Sep 1937, m 28 Sep 1876 Macoupin Co., IL, Mary Ann HARSHBARGER, b 20 Sep 1858, d 15 Dec 1934, d/o Joseph W. & Catherine (FLORY) HARSHBARGER
9. Ezra J., b 6 Apr 1860, d 11 Feb 1940, m 27 Sep 1882 Ella SHIPMANN, b 25 Jul 1862, d 22 Jan 1900

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FRANTZ/CRIST/ARNOLD

Samuel FRANTZ, b 1 Mar 1836 Clark Co., d 31 May 1921 Otero Co., CO, s/o John & Anna Mary (OHMART) FRANTZ, m/1 20 Aug 1857 Barbara CRIST, b 7 Sep 1836, b 1 Nov 1875, d/o Jacob & Catherine M. (OHMART) CRIST, m/2 3 Mar 1877 Logan Co. Susannah C. (DETRICK) ARNOLD, b 19 Apr 1846, d 25 May 1928, d/o John C. & Isabella (HUDSON) DETRICK, ch:

1. Isaac, b 26 Sep 1858, d 1868 27 Sep
2. Katherine, b 2 Oct 1860, d 10 Sep 1951, m Barton L. BOUSE
3. Sarah Jane, b 8 Oct 1862, d 25 Mar 1950 Riverside Co., CA, m 18 Oct 1879 John Nicholas DRESHER, b 21 May 1855, d 11 Nov 1934, s/o Nicholas & Margaretha (SEIFERT) DRESHER
4. John b 24 Dec 1864, d 12 Apr 1955, m Clara MYERS
5. Anna Mary, b 20 Dec 1866, d 24 Jul 1962 Los Angeles, Co., CA, m 20 Nov 1892 Benjamin F. BRUBAKER s/o Jonathan Brubaker & Margaret Carter
6. Mary Ellen, b 21 Sep 1869, d 22 Dec 1961 Otero Co., CO, m 21 Feb 1897 Johnson Co., KS, Daniel W. JONES
7. Warren C., b 30 Apr 1871, d 27 Apr 1961
8. Feba Alice, b 8 Aug 1873 Logan Co., d 4 Apr 1963, m 17 May 1903

CRIST/FRANTZ

Adam CRIST, b 28 ~~Aug~~ Dec 1831 VA, d 5 Aug 1868, s/o Jacob & Catherine M. (OHMART) CRIST, m 20 Mar 1853 Clark Co. Anna FRANTZ, b 7 Oct 1831, d 12 Apr 1912 Miami Co., d/o Daniel & Sophia (OHMART) FRANTZ, she m/2 12 Apr 1877 John SWANK, b 1823 Augusta Co., VA, d 31 May 1887 Logan Co., ch:

1. George, b 26 Sep 1857, d 25 Oct 1882
2. Barbara C., b 7 Aug 1859, d 18 May 1945 Miami Co., m 20 Nov 1898 Joseph Benjamin BOONE, b 6 Apr 1857 Franklin Co., VA, d 25 Sep 1925
3. Mary, b & d 1860
4. John, b Oct 1861, d 1 Feb 1862
5. Phoebe, b 31 May 1863, d 10 Oct 1929 Miami Co., m 18 Dec 1883 John S. BAIRD, b 17 Dec 1861 Wells Co., IN, d 20 Jun 1935, s/o Richard & Elizabeth BAIRD
6. Isaac, b ca 1864, d 19 Nov 1882

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1. Walter Wayne, b 9 Aug 1883 Macoupin Co., IL, d 4 Jul 1959 Greene Co., CH m 7 Nov 1907 Hattie Velma BOWMAN, b 11 Nov 1888 Floyd Co., VA, d 4 Aug 1965
2. Leah, b 4 Jul 1885, d 12 Oct 1918, m Charles WRIGHT m. 11 Nov 1908
3. Alva, b 15 Jan 1887, d 3 Nov 1967, m 4 Dec 1907 Macoupin Co., IL, Elizabeth Jane ROBBINS, b 2 Oct 1887
4. Effie, b 1889, m/1 Joe DELLER, m/2 Roy ROBBINS
5. Emory, b 24 Mar 1891, m Garnett MILLER m. 24 Jun 1927
6. Ora, b 21 Mar 1893, m Willim PRIDE
7. Ota, b 21 Mar 1893, m 20 Sep 1916 Faye LEMONS, b 14 May 1897, d 21 Jun 1957
8. Estell, b 11 Apr 1896 Macoupin Co., IL, d 10 Apr 1957 Pinellas Co., FL, m 23 Jul 1917 Mildred KESSLER, b 3 Jan 1896, d 19 Jan 1941

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FRANTZ/ESHELMAN

Ezra FRANTZ, b 1 Jan 1856 Clark Co., d bef 1957, s/o John & Sarah (BRUBAKER) FRANTZ, m Ella M. ESHELMAN, ch:

1. Verna M., b 1884, d 1977, m Verly Heck DREDGE, s/o David S. & Sarah Jane (HECK) DREDGE b. 1885 d. 1951
2. Lawrence
3. Ida
4. Anna
5. Ruth
6. Marie

ck Probate for birth dates

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FRANTZ/CORNWELL

Fred Bliss FRANTZ, b 24 Jan 1877 Clark Co., d 5 Jul 1957, s/o Israel & Mary W. (WEAVER) FRANTZ, m 5 May 1899 Mary C. CORNWELL, b 1 Oct 1880, d 1925, d/o William B. & Catherine CORNWELL, ch:

1. Israel William, b 22 Apr 1900, d 30 Nov 1964 Pima Co., AZ, m 1 Jun 1922 Marion Co., IN, Lucy Eleanor MENDENHALL, b Montgomery Co., d/o Farry & Emily MENDENHALL
2. Catherine, d Oct 1966, m 16 Jul 1923 Joseph BREHM
3. Cleo, b 1913, d 1920

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YOUNG/FREDERICK

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15 November 1996

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Are you interested in additional to your published material? I was surprised to find my great uncle and his wife, Albert and Isabell Christina (Roberts) Puckett on page 182 with the Michael Frantz II records. Gertrude #1396+ and Stella, (b 27 Mar 1881 Clinton Co., OH, m/1 Frank Beck) were sisters. I have that Gertrude D., was born 1880 but didn't have the month and day. I had the pleasure of last visiting with Stella and her son Merle Beck and his wife, in Modesto, back in the 1940s. Wonderful memories!

Hope everything's fine with you. How pleased you must be to have all the Frantz records in printed books!

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I have in my
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Jesse Blickenstaff
#13955 is a desc.
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FRANTZ/HAMM

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2. Lydia, b 22 Aug 1876 Platt Co., IL, d 19 Apr 1880 Gage Co., NE
3. Fannie, b 21 Jun 1878 Gage Co., d 21 Apr 1880 Gage Co., NE
4. Harrison Alner, b 18 Feb 1880, d 1 Nov 1955 Adams Co., PA, m 11 Jun 1902 Gage Co., NE, Lottie Mary NETZLEY, b 11 Feb 1880 DuPage/Will Co., IL, d Apr 1966 Washington Co., OR, d/o John W. & Lydia (STRICKER) NETZLEY ? Beaverton
5. Henry Jacob, b 1 Dec 1881, d 21 May 1949 Wabash Co., IN, m/1 28 Dec 1904 Thayer Co., NE, Stella M. FOSTER, b 18 Dec 1882 Jewell Co., KS, d 2 May 1909, d/o Charles N. & Mattie E. (FRANKS) FOSTER, m/2 11 Mar 1914 Gage Co., NE, Hattie Ann DELL, b 20 Sep 1875 Harrison Co., IA, d 11 Mar 1973 Wabash Co., IN, d/o Isaac & Lydia (SOMMERS) DELL
6. George Irvin, b 2 Nov 1883, d 22 Sep 1943, m 29 Dec 1909 Martha E. DELL, b 18 Mar 1873 Harrison Co., IA, d 28 May 1947, d/o Isaac & Lydia (SOMMERS) DELL Gage Co., NE
7. Oscar Calvin, b 20 Oct 1885, d 24 Dec 1970 Highlands Co., FL, m 20 Feb 1913 Flora Mae GISH, b 12 Nov 1891, d Sep 1980 IN, d/o James W. & Mary Jane (REIFF) GISH Gage Co., NE
8. Laura Myrtle, b 22 Aug 1887, d 3 Feb 1981, m 13 Feb 1907 Harvey Preston WRIGHTSMAN, b 7 Jan 1883 Macoupin Co., IL, d 9 Feb 1955, s/o Noah & Susannah (BRUBAKER) WRIGHTSMAN
9. Earl M., b 8 Oct 1890, d 23 Jul 1969 McPherson Co., KS, m 13 May 1914 Augusta DELL, b 30 Aug 1894, d 8 Mar 1979, d/o Joseph C. & Mary (CULLEN) DELL

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Dear Sylvia,

This weekend I checked the information on the sheet of paper against my computer database. Only a few "additions and corrections."

I'm amused. Sometimes you list death locations and sometimes you don't. One thing I noticed: In my material, I often put a question mark with a location. When you drop the question mark, you make it appear that the location is an established fact. That bothers me!

Thank you for the info re: Gertrude and Stella Puckett. I have them in the Frantz database (Frantz books) because they married Jesse Blickenstaff who is a Michael Frantz descendant. Thank you for the name "Frank" Beck because I didn't know his name.

I look forward to any news stories about availability of Frantz Families -- Kith & Kin in the Springfield Library. I hope they are well received by the community. Maybe folks that don't do genealogy will stop by the library to see if they are in the books.

Hope you enjoyed a happy Thanksgiving. Best wishes for a blessed Christ's Birthday. "Jesus is the reason for the season."

Sincerely,

Lorraine