



# Keeney Update

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Grand-daughter of:  
Mark \_\_\_\_\_ Keeney &  
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Great Grand-daughter of:  
Mark \_\_\_\_\_ Keeney &  
Abigail \_\_\_\_\_ (Beeman) of Luzerne Co.

Great Grand-daughter of:  
Mark \_\_\_\_\_ KEENEY &  
Abigail \_\_\_\_\_ (BEEMAN) of  
Luzerne Co., Pennsylvania



TIMOTHY EDWIN BARKER, b 06 Jun 1793 in Pennsylvania; m ca 1820 New York; d 03 Jan 1853 in Rutland, Vp., Dane Co., Wisconsin; bur Rutland Center Cemetery, Dane Co., Wisconsin.  
MARY \_\_\_\_\_ KEENEY, dau of Thomas Keeney & Hannah (Soule)(Souls); b 29 May 1800 in Luzerne Co., Pennsylvania; m to Sumner Preston; d 11 Jun 1869 north of Elkhorn, Wisconsin; bur Maple Hill Cemetery, Evansville, Wisconsin.

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SUSAN M. (BARKER) HORTON, dau of Timothy Edwin Barker & Mary \_\_\_\_\_ (Keeney); b 18 Mar 1824 in Elmira, New York; m 18 Nov 1844 in Chardon, Geauga Co., Ohio; d 03 Dec 1906 in Minneapolis, Hennepin Co., Minnesota; bur Rutland Center Cemetery, Dane Co., Wisconsin.  
JAMES EVERETT HORTON, son of Joseph Horton & Mary Burgess (Bassett); b 05 Nov 1825 in Massachusetts; d \_\_\_ Sep 1892, Minneapolis, Hennepin Co., Minnesota; bur Rutland Center Cemetery, Dane Co., Wisconsin.

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JULIA \_\_\_\_\_ (BARKER)  
Babcock.

son of Timothy Edwin Barker & Mary \_\_\_\_\_ (Keeney); b 03 Jul 1827 in Elmira, New York; d 13 Feb 1845 in Geauga Co., Ohio; to George Franklin Babcock; d 20 Nov 1902 in Elkhorn, Wisconsin; bur Spring Prairie Cemetery, Elkhorn, Wisconsin.

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Elaine is a great grand-daughter of Julia (Barker) and George Franklin Babcock.

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## Pioneer Keeney Family

KEENEY, REV. INDIANA: Fayette, Montgomery, Hendricks, Boone  
JONATHAN IOWA: Polk, Warren, Dallas, Lucas Counties  
ANTHONY

## MINNESOTA

\*\*\*\*\* Friday, December 31, 1993 \*\*  
The Atlanta Journal / The Atlanta Constitution  
ELSEWHERE

The Justice Department asked that the entire 6th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in Cincinnati review a court panel's finding that the department's Office of Special Investigations defrauded the court while getting retired Cleveland sawworker John Demjanjuk extradited to Israel to stand trial for his alleged role in Nazi war crimes. The Minneapolis-St. Paul Star Tribune reported that Deputy Assistant Attorney General John Keeney is indicating that federal prosecutors are "stealing in the direction of reindicting" Sen. Dave Durenberger (R-Minn.) on charges that he conspired to improperly collect Senate travel reimbursement funds.

### REFERENCE:

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The following additions and/or corrections:

- Start on p. 2, Third Child of Rev. Johnathan Anthony Keeney
- 3. Charles William Keeney should be listed as Charles Perry Keeney. (Ref: Records from the Rock Family Heritage; Death certificate of his son, James Franklin Keeney; Western Kansas World Newspaper 1 March 1919 p. 36, Centennial edition. Children:
  - 3.1 William Washington Keeney, b 31 May 1827, Union Co., Indiana, to Iowa with family in 1845, moved to Nebraska abt 1861, d. aft. 1820, Lincoln Co. Nebraska.
  - m. 1 Watts, Sarah, 2 May 1849, Polk Co. Marriages Book 2, p. 21 house of John Watts by Jonathan Keeney, Minister. d. 13 March 1856, age 21 y., 8 m. 27 d., buried Avon Cemetery, Polk Co., Iowa
  - Children,
    - 3.1.1 Keeney, Mary E. d. Oct 15 1850, buried Avon Cemetery
    - m. 2 Fleming Amanda M. [abt 1851], d. 13 Sept 1857 age 21 y. \*



Tombstones from very early burials in Avon Cemetery in Warren County, Iowa include those of JONATHAN ANTHONY KEENEY (1778-1850) and MARY HANNAH (Polly) McGLOTHLIN KEENEY (Pictures by descendent Pat Kaufman)

10 m, 9d. buried Avon Cemetery, Polk Co., Iowa

Children

- 3.1.2 Keeney, George W. d 23 Mch 1852  
 3.1.3 Keeney, Martha E. d. Oct 1856  
 3.1.4 Keeney, Sylvesta J., d. 16 Nov 1854  
 all buried Avon Cemetery, Polk Co., Iowa.

m. J Fisher, Phylena, 8 Feb 1859 by B Bryant J. P., Polk Co. Iowa

Children, born Polk Co, Iowa (data from Virginia Coates)

- 3.1.5 Keeney, John Newton 1860 census age 7  
 3.1.6 Keeney, Rosa, b. 1860 census age 3  
 3.1.7 Keeney, Benjamin, b. 1874, Nebraska  
 There may have been another Rosa, age 17 in 1880 census  
 3.2 Keeney, Jonathan Anthony, b. 2 April 1828 Union Co, Indiana  
 d. 23 Sept 1853, buried, Avon Cemetery, Polk Co., Iowa,  
 came to Iowa with family in 1848  
 m. I Gooch, Melissa, 1 Jan 1852, Polk Co., daughter of John  
 Gooch, schoolmaster, and Delilah Lamy. (Melissa  
 daughter of James Lang and Mary Polly Turpin. (Melissa  
 had brothers Nicholas Lewis Gooch and Thomas Jefferson  
 Gooch, (see history of Morgan Co. Indiana)  
 b. 30 Dec 1836, Morgan Co., Indiana  
 d. 7 Feb 1911, Melissa remarried to John Oliver Keeney,  
 Jonathan Keeney (killed by a horse at age 25 Yr. 5 Mo.  
 1 day)  
 [ Melissa remarried to John Oliver Keeney-see this  
 family on p. 3]

Children:

- 3.2.1 Keeney, Nancy Ellen, b. 15 Nov 1852, was an infant when  
 her father died.  
 m. Wm. Perry Keeney (see family listed under Perry  
 Keeney, Nancy and her mother, Melissa, (2nd  
 marriage) married brothers  
 3.3 Keeney, Josiah (W.F.), b. 14 June 1831, Terre Haute, Virgo  
 Co., Indiana, to Iowa with family in 1846, d. 19 Nov  
 1856, buried Avon Cemetery, Polk Co., Iowa, He was 27  
 years old.  
 m. Book, Margaret, 7 Nov 1852, Polk Co. Iowa  
 b. 122 March 1830, Terre Haute  
 d. 10 Dec 1899, she remarried to Ephraim Pleroon,  
 27 Dec 1860 She is buried beside Josiah Keeney,  
 Avon Cemetery.

Children (birth date information from records of the  
 Mormon Church submitted by Hrd Donna Keeney Clark 11520  
 E. 183rd Street Artesia, California.  
 all born Avon, Polk Co., Iowa

- 3.3.1 Keeney, Mary Elizabeth, b. 25 Aug 1853, d. 14 Mch 1927  
 m. Smith Channing L. 5 April 1876, Des Moines,  
 Iowa  
 3.3.2 Keeney, Melissa Melvina., b. 3 May 1855, d. 28 Dec 1939  
 m. Wilson, Ellicy, 16 Nov 1880  
 3.3.3 Keeney, Charles Franklin b. 2 Nov 1856, d. 21 Nov 1919,  
 Billings, Montana  
 m. DeFord, Eliza Jane, 16 Nov 1880, Avon, Iowa  
 b. Boone Co, Iowa 1 March 1860, d. 12 June 1945,  
 Puente, Los Angeles, Calif  
 3.3.3.1 Keeney, Alice Bertha, b. 21 Aug 1881, d. 28 Sept 1949  
 m. Lang, Jesse B. 24 July 1906,  
 3.3.3.2 Keeney, Elsie Myrtle, b. 5 June 1883  
 m. Mangler, Earnest, 3 July 1903  
 3.3.3.3 Keeney, Charles Franklin, b. 16 July 1877, d. 30 Oct 1925  
 m. Jenkins, Emma Loretta, 3 Sept 1913, Salt Lake  
 City, Utah, b. 21 Sept 1892, d. 20 Nov 1925

Children of Charles Franklin Keeney and Emma Jenkins

- 3.3.3.3.1 Keeney, Eleanor, b. 25 May 1916, Utah  
 m. Lee, Gerald, 7 May 1941  
 3.3.3.3.2 Keeney, Maurice, b. 13 Sept 1917, d. 16 Dec 1924  
 3.3.3.3.3 Keeney, Donna B. 30 Oct 1918  
 m. Clark, Russell W.  
 b. Nienlon, Wendell, 20 Oct 1942  
 3.3.3.3.4 Keeney, Arthur William b. 12 Oct 1891, d. 15 May  
 1958, unmarried  
 3.3.3.3.6 Keeney, Charles Edward, 17 Jan 1899  
 m. Wilde, Faye, 15 March 1934

3.3.4 Keeney, Josiah, b. 24 Dec 1858 (some say Josephine)  
 m. A B (Bert) Cadwell 15 Jan 1876 by A. F. Rice, J. P. (Polk  
 Co. Records)

- 3.4 Keeney, Elizabeth, b. abt 1832, Montgomery Co. Indiana  
 m. Kryger, George in 1850  
 moved to Illinois  
 children:

- 3.4.1 Krysher Albert  
 3.4.2 Krysher, Alice  
 3.4.3 Krysher, Ella  
 3.4.4 Krysher, Cora  
 3.4.5 Krysher, Gus  
 3.4.6 Krysher, Elizabeth  
 3.4.7 Krysher, George  
 3.4.8 Krysher Frank
- 3.5  
 Keeney, Henry 29 Dec 1834, Montgomery Co., Indiana, d. 19 March 1871, buried Avon Cemetery, Polk Co., Iowa, 32 y., 2 m., 10 d.  
 m. Thomas Catherine Gooch, 23 March 1854, by J. S. Chapman, J. F. Polk Co., Iowa  
 b. 15 April 1831, Indiana, d. 18 Sept 1925, Polk Co., Iowa  
 (Thomas Gooch was a brother of Melissa Gooch Keeney, their parents were Deliah Leag and John Gooch. Thomas married a second time to Gettie, Elias, div. 11 Sept 1881  
 Children: All born Allen Twp, Polk Co., Iowa  
 (records from Thomas Gooch Bible and from Dortha DeYoung)
- 3.5.1 Gooch, George William, b. 11 Nov 1855, d. 6 Oct 1889, Allen Twp. Polk Co., Iowa, buried Avon Cemetery, Polk Co., Iowa  
 m. Gilbert, Minnie Gettude, b. Polk Co. 16 Nov. 1858  
 b. 17 March 1880, d. 14 April 1907  
 Children: All born, Polk Co., Iowa.
- 3.5.1.1 Gooch Loyd Thomas, b. 6 Sept 1859  
 m. Fozter, Violet Ann, b. 1 Oct 1898
- 3.5.1.1.1 Gooch, Loyd, 4 Feb 1905, d. 3 Jan 1942  
 3.5.1.1.2 Gooch, George, b. 2 Sept 1924.  
 m. Christian, Bonnie Lee, 1 April 1950
- 3.5.1.1.3 Gooch Leslie Thomas, b. 29 Dec 1921, d. 10 July 1933  
 3.5.1.1.4 Gooch Melva Mae, b. 22 June 1929  
 m. Earl, Donald, 1 Sept 1951
- 3.5.1.1.5 Gooch, Kenneth Dale, b. 5 Oct 1931
- 3.5.1.1.6 Gooch, Gettude, died, 9 Nov 1932
- 3.5.1.1.7 Gooch Mims Ruth, b. 5 Oct 1933  
 m. Woods, Larry James, 3 April 1954
- 3.5.1.2.6 Gooch, Eloise bnd. 5 Nov 1935
- 3.5.1.1.8 Gooch Verasa, b. 28 Jan 1927
- 3.5.1.2 Gooch William Elmer, b. 12 Feb 1901,  
 m. Loring, Irma Elizabeth, b. 6 Oct 1924
- 3.5.1.2.1 Gooch, Baby D., d. 1925
- 3.5.1.2.2 Gooch, Thomas William, b. 1 July  
 m. Bettsman, Betty Jean, Oct 25 1944  
 m. Frazuel, Gery A., 1 Feb 1970
- 3.5.1.2.3 Gooch, Donald Ross, b. 21 Sept 1928  
 m. Peterason, Betty Jean, Oct 25 1955
- 3.5.1.2.4 Gooch, Janice, d. (at birth)
- 3.5.1.2.5 Gooch Leigh Ann, b. 1 Nov. 1943  
 m. Campbell, John, 26 Dec 1966
- 3.5.1.3 Gooch Dorothea Maria, b. 18 June 1903  
 m. DeYoung, Roy, 16 Nov 1921
- 3.5.1.3.1 DeYoung, Roy, b. 25 Oct 1922, d. 28 Nov 1923
- 3.5.1.3.2 DeYoung, Margie, b. 30 Sept 1925  
 m. Warren William, 15 April 1948
- 3.5.1.3.3 De Young, Morris L., b. 23 Aug 1926  
 m. Dennis Paul, b. 17 Jan 1955
- 3.5.1.3.2.2 Dennis, Eugene, d. 4 April 1938
- 3.5.1.3.4 DeYoung, Wilma G., b. 4 May 1928  
 m. Bidebrandt, Edward G., 8 Feb 1948
- 3.5.1.3.5 DeYoung, Lyla D., b. 228 Feb 1932, d. 7 March 1958,  
 plane crash, Oklahoma, buried Avon Cemetery, Polk Co., Iowa
- 3.5.2 Gooch, Nicholas Louis, b. 3 Nov 1858, d. 24 Feb 1921, Haskell, Oklahoma  
 m. 1 Beader, Mary Elizabeth, 1881, Polk Co, Iowa  
 b. 3 Aug 1861, Polk Co., d. 8 Sept 1897, Greeley Colorado, buried Avon Cemetery, Polk Co., Iowa  
 daughter of Jacob and Rose Bender
- 3.5.2.1 Gooch, Fred Elizabeth, b. 10 July 1886, Polk Co., d. 5 Dec 1941, Silver City, New Mexico  
 m. Shaw, Betty, 4 May 1918, Inn Glasgow, Scotland
- 3.5.2.1.1 Gooch, Michl 1870, Wandchoff, Canada  
 d. 10 July 1878, Idaho, drowned in National Forest C. C. Camp
- 3.5.1.1.2 Gooch, William Shaw, b. 18 July 1922, Haskell, Oklahoma
- 3.5.1.1.3 Gooch, Betty Ann, 12 July 1924, Muscogee, Oklahoma
- 3.5.2.2 Gooch, Lemus Rose, b. 19 May 1855, Avon, Iowa, d. 7 April 1943 buried Avon Cemetery, Polk Co., Iowa  
 m. LaFon, Sam, 8 March 1911, b. 15 Dec 1881
- 3.5.2.2.1 LaFon, Leiland Francis, 5 April 1912,  
 m. Hoifer, Fudence
- 3.5.2.2.2 LaFon, Lyle Gooch  
 m. Jennie
- 3.5.2.3 Gooch, Ella Mayne, b. 9 Jan 1871, Avon, Iowa, d. 6 June 1927, Hurst, Avon Cemetery, Polk Co., Iowa  
 m. Cags, Clarence, of Liberty Center, 11 March 1908 at Avon Lake.  
 buried Avon Cemetery, Polk Co., Iowa, four Gooch infants noted between 1889 and 1894 children of M. L. and M. E
- Gooch, INFORMATION on Cags family from Mayne Gooch Cags  
 3.5.2.3.1 Cags, Frances Pauline, b. 23 Jan 1909  
 m. Woodway, Frank  
 Louisia Marceline, b. 6 May 1913  
 m. Puderbaugh, LeVaughn
- 3.5.2.3.2 Cags, Gwendolyn Ardene, b. 19 Nov 1917  
 m. Williams, Lloyd
- 3.5.2.3.4 Cags, Mary Elizabeth, b. 23 Nov 1920  
 m. Donald Young
- 3.5.2.3.5 Cags, Ruth Anne, b. 23 Sept 1923  
 m. Shupe, Harris
- 2nd marriage of Nicholas Louis Gooch (3.5.2)  
 m. Clara Smith Keeney, Sept 1902, widow of Joseph Keeney who was son of Samuel T. Keeney and Elizabeth (Kessell) Keeney
- 3.5.2.4 Gooch, Arthur Truman, b. 20 Sept 1903.  
 m. Farry Lee Brutsche, 29 March 1930, d. 31 Jan 1951 in oil field explosion
- 3.5.2.4.2 Gooch, Donald Lewis, b. 7 March 1936, d. 5 March 1964
- 3.5.2.5 Gooch, Nicholas Paul, b. 9 Sept 1902,  
 m. Evans, Kathleen Clarke, Oct 30 1927
- 3.5.2.5.1 Gooch, Paul Leon, b. 6 Oct 1928. Haskell, OK  
 3.5.2.5.2 Gooch, Billie Jean  
 3.5.2.5.3 Gooch, Betty Joanne
- 3.5.2.6 Gooch, Opal Belle, b. 13 Oct 1906, Haskell, Oklahoma  
 m. 1 Flak, Layton B., 11 Dec 1927, Div.
- 3.5.2.6.1 Flak, Clayton Randolph, b. 30 Nov 1930
- 3.5.2.6.2 Wittington, Claude, 19 Feb 1936  
 3.5.2.6.3 Wittington, Marce Anne, 18 Feb 1942, Guthrie, OK  
 3.5.2.6.4 Wittington, Janet Lynn, b. 7 Feb 1951, Muskogee, OK
- 3.6 Keeney, Dushas Fletcher, b. abt 1836, Montgomery Co. Indiana  
 m. Roseanna White, 31 March 1861 (book A., Warren Co.,
- 3.6.1 Keeney, James  
 3.6.2 Keeney, Cora  
 m. Robinson, Los Angeles California
- 3.6.3 Keeney, Alice  
 m. Davies, Los Angeles, California
- 3.7 Keeney, Mary Ellen, b. abt 1839, Montgomery Co., Indiana  
 m. Wirth, George
- 3.7.1 Mann, Rod  
 3.7.2 Mann, Frank
- 3.8 Keeney, James Franklin, b. 15 Sept 1840, Montgomery Co., Indiana, d. 2 July 1937 Pasadena California, buried in Chicago, Ill.  
 m. Sarah Hannah, abt 1868
- 3.8.1 Keeney, Betty Ann, b. 2 Battle abt 1885
- 3.9 Keeney, John Marion, b. 21 Sept 1862, Montgomery Co., Indiana  
 m. probably had family lived in Chicago, Illinois:  
 m. 1 Prikett, Elias, 8 April 1867  
 m. 2 Sears, Catherine (Kate), 1 Sept 1903
- 3.9.1 Keeney, Elzabelle, b. 2 Jan 1849  
 m. Sprague, 5 June 1901
- 3.9.1.1 Sprague, Dorothy  
 m. Spender, Carl
- 3.9.2 Keeney, Albert A., b. 1 Oct 1871
- 3.9.2.1 Keeney, Harriet L.  
 3.9.2.2 Keeney, Virginia
- 3.9.3 Keeney, Daisy Josephine, b. 13 July 1897  
 m. Bjeraadt, Al.
- 3.9.3.1 Stjertstedt, Gunnard Keeney
- 3.9.4 Keeney, Florence, Marion, b. 25 May 1879
- 3.9.5 Keeney, Earl Dustin, b. 25 May 1885
- 3.10 Keeney, Martha, b. abt 1844  
 m. 1 Faulkner  
 m. 2 Edmondson
- 3.11 Keeney, Ester E. (crippled), b. 3 Sept 1845, d. 15 (or 5) March 1877
- 3.12 Keeney, Charles F. b. 1 Jan 1848  
 m. Viola
- 3.12.1 Keeney, Viola Frank (Frankie)  
 3.12.2 Keeney, Glennie
- 3.13 Keeney, Melissa, 3 Sept 1851  
 m. Hayes, J. M. 10 Feb 1877, Polk Co., Iowa
- 3.13.1 Hayes, May  
 3.13.2 Hayes, Ollie  
 3.13.3 Hayes, Jay  
 3.13.4 Hayes, Genevieve  
 m. Wm. Perry Keeney, 25 Sept 1867
- 4th child of Rev Jonathan Keeney, Union Co., Ohio, d. 2 Jan 1887  
 4 Keeney, Jonathan, b. 7 July 1909, Union Co., Ohio, d. 2 Jan 1987,  
 m. Matilda Clinton Walker, b. 7 July 1815, Tennessee  
 Children  
 4.1 John Oliver Keeney, b. 29 Nov 1833, Indiana, d. 11 Feb 1912, Dallas Co., Iowa  
 m. Melissa Jane Gooch (widow of Jonathan Keeney, 3.2)  
 b. 27 Feb 1805, Polk Co., Iowa  
 Children: The first seven born in Polk Co.  
 4.1.1 Keeney, Rivina Emma, b. 8 Dec 1859, d. 25 Sept 1857  
 4.1.2 Keeney, Allen Albert, b. 7 May 1850  
 4.1.3 Keeney, Infant b. April 1872, d. 1872

- 4.1.4 Keeney, Eldora Olive, b. 26 July 1864, d. 22 Oct 1918  
 4.1.5 Keeney, John Kumar, b. 30 Jan 1857, d. 10 July 1943  
 4.1.6 Keeney, Thomas Loren, b. 3 Oct. 1879, d. 10 Feb 1879  
 4.1.7 Keeney, Gus Carlos, b. 27 Nov. 1879, d. 11 Oct 1943  
 4.1.8 Keeney, Lawrence Roscoe (Rosa) b. 27 April 1874, d. 22 Feb 1947  
 m. Frances Maude La Sourd, 27 Nov 1900  
 4.1.9 Keeney, Walter Lee, b. 16 Nov 1875  
 m. 1 Martha Olive (Mattie) Davenport, 11 Aug 1898  
 m. 2 Nellie, Sarah Wallace, 7 Sept 1918  
 4.1.10 Keeney, Edna Pearl, b. 19 May 1899, d. 6 Oct 1952  
 m. 1 Albert Thomas Kierley, 27 Oct. 1895  
 m. 2 Aaron Macy, 29 June 1908  
 4.2 Elizabeth Anne Keeney  
 m. 1 Thomas McCoy  
 Children:  
 4.2.1 McCoy, Candace who went by the name of Ellen Keeney, b 26 Jan 1857, d. 30 April 1921  
 4.2.2 McCoy, Isabella Jane "Melle", b. 1 March 1859, d. 7 Dec 1910  
 m. 2 Jonathan C. Keeney (cousin, child of Peter Keeney)  
 Children:  
 4.2.3 Keeney, Sherman Charles, b. 16 June 1866, d. 11 Nov 1945  
 4.2.4 Keeney, Catherine (Cassie), b. 30 Jan 1870, d. 11 March 1933  
 4.2.5 George Keeney, b. 14 Feb 1873, d. 1 July 1927  
 m. 1 James Dillingham, no children  
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 4.7 William Perry Keeney, b. 9 Sept 1847, Montgomery Co., IN  
 d. 16 May 1938, Polk Co., Iowa  
 m. Nancy Ellen Keeney, 25 Sept 1867, daughter of his cousin, Jonathan Keeney  
 Children, all born on the family farm in Allen Township, Polk Co., Iowa  
 4.7.1 Keeney, Minnie Viola, b. 7 Aug 1888, d. 12 Sept 1892 (of tuberculosis)  
 m. Dave Gell  
 4.7.1-1 Gell, Flora, b. 1 Aug 1891, d. 27 Sept 1893 (died from a fall in a crook of scalding apple butter at the home of his Keeney grandparents who were caring for him after his mother died)  
 4.7.2 Keeney, Eugene Francis, b. 12 Feb 1870, d. 23 Sept 1893  
 m. Effie Clark, 25 Dec 1892  
 4.7.2-1 Keeney, Guy Francis, b. 10 Jan 1877, d. 28 Oct 1900, of scarlat fever  
 4.7.2-2 Twina B. 2 July 1899, male died at birth.  
 4.7.2-3 Keeney, Orpha Helen, b. 2 July 1899, living in 1994  
 (no Francosca Keeney)  
 4.7.3 Keeney, Alpha Reed, b. 9 May 1914, d. 19 June 1892 (of tuberculosis)  
 4.7.4 Keeney, Rosa (Rosa) Belle, b. 28 Sept 1876, d. 29 Oct 1911 (in child/birth)  
 m. Owsens, Henry Lee, 15 Nov 1899  
 Children: (all born in Carlisle, Warren Co., Iowa  
 4.7.4.1 Owsens, Dorothy Leah, b. 5 March 1900, d. 30 Sept 1973  
 m. Foulke, William Webster, 5 March 1920  
 4.7.4.1.1 Foulke, Joseph Henry, b. 15 Oct 1920  
 m. Ellison, Mary Frances, 15 May 1943  
 4.7.4.1.2 Foulke, Patricia Ann, b. 18 Jan 1923  
 m. Kaufman, Wilfred Joseph, 28 May 1949  
 4.7.4.1.3 Foulke, Frances Elaine, b. 5 Aug 1924, d. 14 May 1941  
 4.7.4.2 Owsens, Perry Lee, b. 2 Feb 1902, d. 2 Feb 1972  
 m. 1 Samphill, Elsie Marie, 16 Sept 1930  
 m. 2 Foulke, Gayle Muriel, 1972  
 4.7.4.3 Owsens Russell Hugh, b. 1 May 1904, d. 10 Feb 1980, in California  
 m. Myra, Daisy Mae, 30 June 1936  
 4.7.4.3.1 Owsens, Myra Kay, b. 23 Feb 1943  
 4.7.4.3.2 Owsens, Lynn Russell, b. 5 June 1944  
 4.7.4.4 Owsens, Jarvis Eugene, b. 32 Sept 1906  
 m. Benson, Ethyl 7 June 1939  
 4.7.4.5 Owsens, Gebrens Keeney, b. 28 Sept 1909  
 m. Friel, Alflouria Marie, 1 May 1935  
 4.7.4.5.1 Owsens, Jarvis Lee, b. 6 Nov 1935  
 4.7.4.5.2 Owsens, Arden Keeney, b. 4 Aug 1938  
 4.7.4.5.3 Owsens, Rachelema Hugh, b. 5 Feb 1943  
 4.7.5 Keeney, Arden Wilbur, b. 30 June 1878, d. 28 Nov 1961  
 m. Rendleman, Lulu Belle, 6 Feb 1900  
 Children: All born Polk Co., Iowa  
 4.7.5.1 Keeney, Emalie, b. 15 July 1900, d. 13 Nov 1964  
 m. Schoeller, Roy William, 15 Sept 1921  
 4.7.5.2 Keeney, Beatrice Adelle, b. 11 July 1903, d. 6  
 m. Hollister, Truman Clifton, 2 Oct 1923  
 4.7.5.3 Keeney, Constance Lucille, b. 28 May 1915, d.  
 m. Jameson, John A. Wilkenson, 15 July 1933  
 4.7.6 Keeney, Ethel Regina, b. 14 Nov 1861, d. 19 Feb 1970  
 unmarried  
 4.7.7 Keeney, Carrie Carlisle b. 11 March 1885, d at 8 months  
 4.7.8 Keeney, Josie Olive Keeney, b. 21 Sept 1868, d. 10 May 1954,  
 m. 1 Clement, Bailey, div. 1916  
 4.7.8.1 Clement, Eugene Allan, b. 31 Oct 1911, 13 Aug 1965  
 m. 2 Al Hevning  
 m. 3 Towse Kilbourne  
 4.7.9 Keeney, Fawn Matilda, b. 2 Sept 1892, d. 29 Feb 1976  
 m. Fillman, Lawrence Oliver, 7 Dec 1921

- Children: all except Robert born in Des Moines, Iowa  
 4.7.9.1 Fillman, Donald Keeney, b. Feb 1916  
 m. McGinnis, Mary, 12 Dec 1940  
 4.7.9.2 Fillman, Robert Warren, b. 1 May 1924, Leas, Iowa  
 m. Jostifer, Thelma Lee, 3 Oct 1947  
 4.7.9.3 Fillman, Richard Dale Fillman, 27 June 1925, d. 11 July 1945, in military service  
 m. CARL Geraldine Doloway, 28 Nov 1944  
 4.7.9.4 Fillman, Louise Evelyn, b. 16 Jan 1932  
 m. Baker, Wesley Lawrence, 19 Feb 1949

Rev. Jonathan Anthony Keeney was one of the first burials in Avon Cemetery, Allen Township, Polk Co., Iowa. For a number of years we were not sure where his wife was buried, but one day while visiting his grave I noticed a piece of white stone under a nearby pine tree. I crawled under and pulled it out, wiped the pine needles off, and was thrilled to see that it was the stone for Mary, wife of Rev. Jonathan Anthony Keeney. The stone was badly eroded/bled legible, and solved a mystery for me.

## PATRICIA POLIZE KAUFMAN

## MCGLOTHLEN FAMILY REUNION

William (1758) and Elizabeth Boggs (1762) McGlothlen

- |   |                                     |
|---|-------------------------------------|
| Charles M (1780) and Jane M Davis (1780) McG  | Mary H. McEl (1784) and Jonathan A  |
| Elizabeth M McG (1804)                        | John Hiram K (1804) Keeney (1778)   |
| Rebecca Jane McG Can (1806)                   | Joseph David Seaberry K (1805)      |
| Nancy M McG Spray (1808)                      | Charles William K (1807)            |
| John Davis McG (1810)                         | Konstantin K (1809)                 |
| John George Harlan McG (1812)                 | Elizabeth Martha K Harmon (1811)    |
| Sarah Miranda McG Longmore (1814)             | Nancy Ann K McCoy (1813)            |
| Thomas David McG (1816)                       | Daniel James Franklin K (1815)      |
| Elias McG Brown (1818)                        | Samuel Thomas K (1818)              |
| Mary Keeney McG Tompkins (1820)               | Peter Francis Mitchell K (1820)     |
| Jane M. McG Mendall (1822)                    | Mary Hannah K Harmon Edwards (1824) |
| Jonathan Keeney McG (1824)                    |                                     |
| Nancy McG McGee (1825)                        |                                     |
| Eleanor Davis McG Kirkpatrick Newhouse (1828) |                                     |

Meet relatives from all over the United States.  
 Come and meet those cousins you didn't even  
 know exist. (Early indications show that we will have relatives from  
 California, Nevada, Utah, Idaho, Nebraska, Minnesota, Illinois, Iowa and Alabama.)

WHERE: GREENWOOD PARK

Des Moines, Iowa

A covered shelter has been reserved for all day. This park has  
 playgrounds and has the City Art Center and Science Center

WHEN: Saturday, July 8, 1995

WHO: All descendants and relatives of William and  
 Elizabeth Boggs McGlothlen.

AGENDA: The main event is a potluck lunch at the park at  
 1:00 p.m. Please bring your own plates, cups and silverware and  
 drink (no alcohol please). If we all bring a potluck dish or two we  
 can enjoy meeting over lunch. Since many of us will be coming  
 from out of town, Kentucky Fried Chicken may get a lot of  
 business

At 9:00 a.m. a group of us will be going to the Avon cemetery to  
 visit the final resting place of many of our relatives. Maps and  
 further information will be sent as the information is developed.

If a group of us hard-core genealogists want to get together on  
 Friday evening to share information and computer files, let me know  
 and I'll arrange a meeting place.

We have determined that there are literally thousands of descendants of William and  
 Elizabeth McGlothlen, and we are trying to locate as many of them as we can. Please  
 let all our McGlothlens relatives know about this reunion as we don't have everyone's  
 address. For more information, please contact me: John N. Turley, 119 Oakview  
 Street, Florence, Alabama 35633, 205-764-2451

## Bruce N. Keeney II

DATE OF BIRTH  
January 30, 1951

DATE OF DEATH  
November 10, 1994

PLACE AND TIME OF SERVICE  
Tuesday, November 15, 1994  
11:00 A. M.

Niles City Cemetery Chapel

## EULOGY

Mr. Harley Lecwynny

## INTERMENT

Niles City Cemetery

## IOWA

## Bruce N. Keeney II

WADSWORTH — Bruce N. Keeney II, 43, of 725 Country Pines Drive, died Thursday at 2:10 p.m. in Truman Memorial Hospital from a brain tumor, after a year-long illness.

He was born Jan. 30, 1951, in Florence, S.C., the son of Bruce and Audrey Sawyer Keeney, and moved back to the Niles area from California two months ago.

Mr. Keeney is a 1970 graduate of Niles McKinley High School. He graduated from the University of Oklahoma with a degree in philosophy and languages, and was a graduate of Melville Linn School of Theology in Graham, Okla. He served in the United States Air Force from 1971 to 1974.

He was married to the late Mrs. Anne Marie Strella of Warren, Mo., in 1978.

He is survived by his mother, Audrey Keeney, 88, Branch St., and a sister, Mrs. Catherine of Lake Station, Okla. He will be buried Tuesday at 11 a.m. in the Niles City Cemetery.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday at the Niles City Cemetery Chapel.

## Eugene M. Noble

PINEVILLE — Eugene McDonald Noble, 85, of Pineville, died Feb. 18, 1995, in a Man hospital after an apparent heart attack.

He was born at Cabin Creek. He was a member, a season, a member of the Friendship Sunday School Class and American Baptist Men of Cook Memorial Baptist Church, Pineville. He was a graduate of Cayce Electrical Engineering School, Chesapeake, Ill. He attended Piney Grove Bible School and West Virginia University Extension classes. He taught advanced electricity at Wyoming County Vocational School, and owned and operated Wyoming Refrigeration and Parvane's Gift Shop.

Surviving with Mrs. Geneva; Elton Noble; son, Elizabeth I. Williams of Miami; three nieces and three nephews.

Service will be 11 a.m. Friday at Cook Memorial Baptist Church, Pineville, with the Rev. Clay Phillips officiating. Entombment will be in the Ridge Memorial Garden Mausoleum, Prosperity, Pineville, may call from 6 to 8 p.m. today at the church. Calfee Funeral Home, Pineville, is in charge of arrangements. Donations of sympathy may be made to Cook Memorial Baptist Church Men's Fellowship.

## MISSOURI

Anna Mae Cox Keeney, 92, daughter of George Albert and Mary Jane Haney Cox, was born June 28, 1902, at Houston. She died Jan. 22, 1995, at Texas County Memorial Hospital in Houston.

She was a rural school teacher in Texas County for a few years.

She married Charles Ernest Keeney Sept. 10, 1918. They had four children and lived at Houston.

Mrs. Keeney was a member of the Church of Christ (Temple Lot).

She was preceded in death by her husband; a daughter, Alzada Massey; two sisters, Florence Keeney and Iva Fisher; and two grandchildren.

Surviving are a son, Leatress Keeney of Houston; two daughters, Mary Jane Medders of Houston and Florence Marie Kommer of Springfield; nine grandchildren, 18 great-grandchildren and one great-great-granddaughter.

Services were Jan. 25 at the Evans Funeral Home Chapel with Elder Arthur G. Smith and Elder Tony Geislich officiating. Burial was in the Pine Lawn Cemetery.



## Five Generations

Five generations of the Anna Keeney family of Houston.

Seated, from left: Jennifer Medders Pounds holding Anna Pounds and Anna Keeney. Standing are John Medders of Springfield, and Mary Jane Medders of Houston.

## INDIANA

## W. David Keeney

MARSDEN, Ind. — W. David Keeney, 78, of Marsden, formerly of Charleston, W.Va., died Jan. 14, 1995, at home.

He was retired from General Motors, Marine, and was an Army member of World War II. He was a member of a Golf Club and taught sea-bell and Navy safety at elementary schools.

Surviving are son, David W. Keefe; Forest H. Frank of Arlington, Texas; daughter, Linda Neuhack of Arlington.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Thursday at Owen-Wright-Chapman Funeral Home, Marsden, with the Rev. Thomas Mansberger officiating. There will be no visitation. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Community Foundation, 402 South Washington St., Marsden, Ind.

## Edna L. Canterbury

PALM BAY, Fla. — Edna Lucille Keeney Canterbury, 84, of Palm Bay, formerly of Belle, W.Va., died March 1, 1995, at the home of her daughter, Naomi C. "Sue" Bennis-Leason of Palmyra.

She was a member of First Baptist Church, Tyler Mountain, W.Va., and a homemaker. Surviving daughters, Phyllis J. Trevitt of Belle, Jewel Brakes of Cross Lanes, W.Va., Edna Weaver of Melbourne, Berry Lee Foster of Cocoa, Robert D. of Franklin, Ohio, Ronald L. of Berry, Va.; brothers, William Keeney of Zales, W.Va.; sisters, Elsie Leach of Belle, Elsie Sparks of Lebanon, Va.; 20 grandchildren; 27 great-grandchildren; five great-great-grandchildren.

Service will be 1 p.m. Saturday at Legacy Memorial Funeral Home, Tyler Mountain, with the Rev. Steve Helms, the Rev. Jeffrey Meadows and the Rev. Lowell Keeney officiating. Entombment will be at Legacy Memorial Gardens, Tyler Mountain. Friends may call one hour prior to service at the funeral home.

## FLORIDA

Keeney — Kenneth J., 76, of Hurlville, Fla., formerly of Canada, N.M., and Prenter, W.Va., died Sunday, Feb. 5, 1995, North Brevard Funeral Home, Titusville.

## WEST VIRGINIA

## Clotile H. Quick

MILTON — Clotile H. Young Quick, 92, of Milton, died Thursday, Feb. 9, 1995, at CAMC, Memorial Division, after a short illness.



## QUICK

She was a homemaker, a member of the Degree of Honor, and a member of Milton Baptist Church.

Surviving daughters, Rose Greene of Milton, Patty Bruce of Charleston, Linda Hackworth of Virginia Beach, Va.; five grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild.

Service will be 2 p.m. Sunday at Heck Funeral Home, Milton, with the Rev. Thomas J. Dulake officiating. Cremation services and burial will be 10 a.m. Monday at Mountgarden Memorial Park, Loudon.

Friends may call from 5 to 8 p.m. today at the funeral home.

## OBITUARIES

BRUCE N. KEENEY II has been very involved as a patron of KEENEY UPDATE, furnishing some of the most informational charts.

EUGENE McDONALD NOBLE, son of Neri J. Noble, is a grandson of David A. & Elizabeth A. Keeney Noble and a great grand-son of David A. & Catherine Jarrett Keeney.

ANNA KEENEY's husband, Charles Ernest Keeney (P. 6, KEENEY UPDATE, Sept. '93) was a son of Bluford & Eliza Watson Keeney and a grandson of Abner Keeney, who went from Kentucky to Missouri.

W. DAVID KEENEY was a son of Daniel W. & Myrtle George Keeney and grandson of John S. & Hannah Frazee Keeney of West Virginia.

EDNA LUCILLE KEENEY CANTERBURY was the oldest child of James T. & Edna Jacobs Keeney (KEENEY UPDATE Dec. '94) and a granddaughter of Foster & Eliza Gatewood Keeney.

KENNETH JULIAN KEENEY was a son of Asa A. & Stella Halstead Keeney and a grandson of John Patrick & Mary Frances Nelson Keeney, Boone Co.

CLOTILE HANNAH YOUNG QUICK was a daughter of Charles F. & Lora M. Keeney Young and a granddaughter of Rev. Thomas Y. & Eliza Ann White Keeney, living most of her life at Witcher.



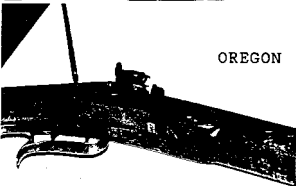
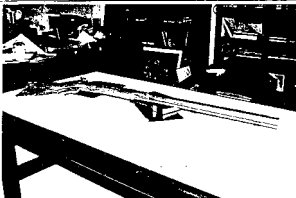
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I expect to pass through this world but once. Any good, therefore, that I can do, or any kindness that I can show to any fellow being, let me do it now. Let me not defer it or neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again.



## OREGON

MAKE Percussion Rifle  
 MODEL 509 U. S. A.  
 YEAR 1850  
 MANUFACTURER U. S. Norton, Middin, Conn.  
 LOCATION ✓  
 DESCRIPTION Percussion lock. Stamped on side plate, "Middin, Conn. 1850. U. S. Norton."  
 SERIAL

\*Norton, undoubtedly this lock was from a U. S. Martial single-shot pistol.

NOTES Was owned by Captain Jonathan Keeny, Linn County, a pioneer of 1847. He also served in the Mexican Civil War of 1855-56. Later Captain Keeny traded this rifle to James F. Lewis who died Oct 1 1909 for a shotgun.

OWNER John M. Lewis, a son, Portland, Oregon

(Revised April 1984) \*

ORIGINATION: AGENTS COLLECTION

A Keeny Cousin; Julia Ziemerman Ley; 12655 SW 9th St. Beaverton, Ore. 97005. located this rifle in the Ore. Historical Museum and photographed it, sending me some photos. Letter that is inclosed is self-explainable. We knew of the rifles, but thought that all were now lost. Very glad to hear that Jonathan's is still in existance!

Sincerely,

*Ralph R. Keeny*

## KENTUCKY

## PULASKI COUNTY, KENTUCKY - Marriages

Sally Keeny to James Burnham 1806  
 Catherine Keeny to James Waddle 11 Nov 1847, Henry Keeny, William Waddle (F)  
 Rebecca Keeny m. John Evans 18 June 1848  
 Betsy Keeny m. Lewis Singleton 6-12-1800  
 Elizabeth Keeny to Wm. B. Gragg 7-22-1829  
 James Keeny to Karen Hughes 15 Mar 1806/07; surety-George Waddle  
 Henry Keeny to Elizabeth Waddle 30 Jan 1819; consent of father, Henry  
 Peter Keeny m. Peggy Daugherty 31 Jan 1816 by James Pears  
 Abner Keeny to Elizabeth Stogsdill on 11 Mar 1833 by Daniel Stogsdill  
 George Keeny m. Susannah Hughes 10 Oct 1822, wit: Peter Keeny, Hiram Hughes  
 Moses Keeny m. Catherine Stogsdill on 23 Oct 1835 by Daniel Stogsdill  
 Henry Keeny, Jr. m. Polly Baker 17 May 1848 by Peter Baker  
 John Keeny m. Sarah Meese 10 May 1848  
 Thomas Keeny (age 21) m. Harriett E. K. Gragg 18 Apr 1855 by W. H. Winter  
 Elizabeth Keeny (19) m. William B. Arthur (26) on 21 Jan 1857.  
 Margaret Keeny m. William M. Ashley on 13 April 1853 at home of W.F. Richardson  
 Mary Keeny m. Marshall Meese 5 December 1858 at Henry Keeny residence  
 Jane Keeny (father-Henry) m. T. L. Warron 4 September 1852  
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 MOSES KEENEY will made 5 December 1846 and probated 18 January 1847. Pulaski Co.; Katherine, his wife; Heirs: Henry, Abner, George, Elizabeth Gragg; Executors: Abner Keeny, Daniel Stogsdill (father in law)

## LINCOLN COUNTY, KENTUCKY

Bond of Michael Keeny to marry Susannah Rawls. with Gideon Watts as surety, 14 May 1790; consent of Mary Rawls; witnessed by Hardy Rawls and John Miller  
 Daniel Keeny to Mary Ogleshorpe 19 Feb 1790

KENTUCKY MILITIA-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS  
 Michael Keeny, Capt. 44th Regt. (formerly from 6th Regt.) December 6, 1800  
 Lewis Singleton, Capt. 44th Regt., 10 July 1802

## FLEMING COUNTY, KENTUCKY MARRIAGES

John Keeny m. Margery Crawford 18 Sept 1810  
 William Keeny m. Mary Crawford 19 Oct 1809 (Fleming Co. records show name as Kenny, but these were the two sons of Michael & Catherine Lewis Keeny, born in Greenbrier Co. (then VA) and lived in Lawrence Co., OH

MATERIAL NEEDED: Most of the above data was gathered early this month at a Louisville, KY Library. Health permitting, the editor hopes to visit genealogical libraries in Syracuse, NY and St. Paul, MN later this year.

If there are to be future issues of the UPDATE, more KEENEYS are going to have to be willing to share more family history and clippings, as well as pictures. Far too much history is stored in attics and dark trunks and will still be there, unshared, after we have passed from the scene.