

## Family of James Hamilton Alford, 1837-1927

The following is a transcription of a typewritten manuscript titled "Additions & Revisions to Descendants of Dorothy Horner Ferguson, 10 Aug 1990 (Revised 14 November 1990)." It was prepared and submitted by non-member Herman W. Ferguson.

**D**orothy Horner Ferguson, b 28 Jul 1822, d 6 May 1913, m 26 Apr 1852 John H. Brim. Lived in Graham, TX. Dolly is bur in Ezell Cem, Holts Corner, TN. Issue:

- A. John Ferguson Brim, b 23 Dec 1853, d 16 Jul 1884, bur Ezell Cem. John was an attorney in Graham, TX, and County Attorney of Young Co., TX, for a time. Bachelor.
- B. Amelia Brim, b Feb 1856 in Marshall Co, TN, d 25 May 1942 in Young Co., TX, m 19 Sep 1875 **James Hamilton Alford**, b 2 Dec 1837 [in Marshall Co., TN?], d 26 Feb 1927 in Young Co., TX. In 1877 the couple migrated to Young Co., TX, and settled first on land bordering the Brazos River. Amelia is buried in the Oak Grove Cemetery in Graham and at the time of her death she was living with her daughter Mrs. R. Lud Martin. Issue:
  - a. Ada Florence Alford
  - b. Minnie Swanson Alford, 15 Oct 1877, m 4 May 1901 William Benton Pounds b 6 May 1875 in TN, the son of Newton Aaron and Jane Roach Pounds. Her parents moved to Young Co., TX, when she was six weeks old. The pair lived on the Bullock Ranch west of Newcastle in western Young Co. owned by Bullocks & Jeffry. Bill Pounds died in Feb 1937. Issue:
    - i. Horace Pounds, m Lydia Morgan, lived in Graham.
    - ii. Edna Pounds, m Ed Morgan, d 1965. Issue 2:
      - AA. Horace Morgan, lived in Newcastle, TX
      - BB. J.Y. Morgan, lived in Olney, TX
    - iii. Gladys Pounds, m Alvin Clifton, d 1977, lived in Walters, OK. Issue:
      - AA. Wanza Clifton, m a Mr. Cox of Tulsa, OK
      - BB. Katy Clifton, m a Mr. Rains of Iowa Park, TX
    - iv. Roberta Pounds, m. Elzy Smith, lives in New Castle, TX. Issue:
      - AA. Dale Smith, lives in Graham
      - BB. Henry Smith, lives Corpus Christi
      - CC. Flo Smith, m a Mr. Simms, live in Richardson, TX
    - v. Ada Pounds, m Wes Womack, lived in Olney, TX. Issue:
      - AA. Pat Womack, m a Mr. Giddings of Wichita Falls, TX
      - BB. Delwin Ray (Bud) Womack, lived in Perryton, TX
    - vi. Louise Pounds, m M.J. Riggins of Graham. Issue:

- AA. Marilyn Riggins, m a Mr. McCormack of Zapata, TX
- BB. Robby Riggins, of Graham
- CC. Freddie Riggins, of Graham

- c. Clatie D. Alford, m a Mr. Patton, lived in Breckenridge, TX. Issue:
  - i. Edgar Patton
  - ii. Dolfa Patton, m a Mr. Patton?
  - iii. Delma Patton, m a Mr. Hinshaw
  - iv. Lillie Mae Patton, m a Mr. Fife
- d. Charles B. Alford, b Apr 1883 in TX, m Sylvia \_\_\_\_\_. Is said to have lived in Hartley Co., TX in 1910. Issue:
  - i. Mary Edna Alford, m a Mr. Stewart of Dumas, TX
- e. John T. Alford, b Feb 1886 in TX, m Tena A. Yaws, both now deceased. In 1910 they lived in Panola and later in Lincoln, TX. Issue, one adopted daughter:
  - i. Lucille Alford, m a Mr. Casteel of Graham
- f. Annie B. Alford, b Sep 1888 in TX m Robert Newby. Issue:
  - i. Morris Newby, no further information
  - ii. Lois Newby, m a Mr. Atwood
- g. James B. Alford b Apr 1891 in TX, d 20 Aug 1942, m Lilly Corley, b 31 Dec 1892. Issue:
  - i. Don Alford, deceased, m ?. Issue:
    - AA. Donna Alford, m a Mr McMullen of Crowley, TX
- h. Eva M. Alford, b Jan 1894 in TX, m R. Lud Martin. Issue:
  - i. Wilda Mae Martin, m Carl Evans of Eliasville, TX.
  - ii. Lorene Martin, m a Mr. Gibbs of Burleson, TX
  - iii. Lt. Col. Malcom Kenneth Martin, served in WWII in the Air Force 1940-50 in Europe, was decorated by the British for service during the Berlin Airlift. Lives at 2924 Forrest Park in Ft. Worth.
- i. Jesse Lee Alford, b Oct 1896 in TX, d 12 Mar 1971, m in Oct 1917 Wm. S. Fain. Issue:
  - i. Betty Doris Fain, m a Mr. Casteel of Graham
  - ii. Billie Gene Fain, m a Mr. Taylor of Graham
  - iii. Donald Fain, lives in Dallas

NOTE: This revision is based for the most part on a 4 Nov 1990 letter from Mrs. L.S. Ward (Dixie) of Graham, Texas, that contained notes made by Mrs. Ward as well as a xerox copy of a page from *Roots in Young County, Texas* covering the Pound family. The author and date of publication of this book are unknown at the present time. Some of the data is taken from *A History of Young County, TX*, by Corrie J. Crouch, date of publication unknown. HFW 15 Nov 1990 ❖