

Section Eight

The next in line of record is of the fifth son of Col. Benedict and Rebecca Alford, who was named
Captain George Alford

He was in all probability born near Lexington, Massachusetts or Hartford County, Connecticut, March 10, 1763, (his birth place not certain). It is said that George was with his father in many skirmishes and battles and was noted as his father in woodcraft, as a hunter and Indian trader and scout. He was endowed with great strength and endurance and was in many battles with the British and Indians previous and in the War of 1812 and 1814 in which he became noted as you can see in previous comments. In 1792, or before the War 1812, it appears he and his family resided in Seneca, New York State or near the ... counties of the state. As about the year 1820 he left there and moved his entire family, leaving Buffalo, New York in a sailing vessel via Lake Erie to Detroit River, Michigan. His vessel was wrecked during a storm near what is now the city of Cleveland, Ohio. They finally arrived and settled at Detroit, Michigan, then a frontier French and Indian village. After living at Detroit for some time, they moved to Monroe City, Monroe County, Michigan, at the mouth of River Rainer. At this time a very important trading point and was then supposed would become a greater place than Detroit. So he was amongst the first settlers of Monroe, Michigan and where he was elected Marshall and became Chief of Police. His matchless and fearless bravery made him greatly respected and feared by all evil-doers.

He died and was buried beside his beloved wife who had preceded him. He died at Monroe, Michigan, April 16, 1852, in his 89th year. As previously stated to all - "was never sick a day he remembered" and was sitting at the table eating his meal - leaned back in his chair and passed away - so died a brave and noble man".

He married Miss Polly Hulburt about the year 1784. She was first cousin to Gen. Ethan Allen of Ticonderoga fame. She was born Feb. 26, 1765 and died at Monroe, Michigan, April 15, 1844 in her 79th year and she slept(sic) beside her noble husband. There was born to them twelve children.

Their eldest child was a daughter who was named

Sally Alford(Wickham) - she was in all probability born in Addison County, Vermont, Oct. 2, 1785. She died June 15, 1852 in her 56th year. She married Mr. Wickham. They had six children.

Their eldest child was a son who was named

Johnson H. Wickham - married - had two children - a jeweler - resides in Chicago, Ill.

Their second child was a son who was named

William Wickham - married - had two children - names Arelia Wickham, married first Mr. Lawrence, second - Mr. Oscar Hughes, they reside at Indianapolis and are wealthy .

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Jeannette Wickham - married to whom not known - had one child - Mary - deceased.

Their fourth child was a daughter who was named

Amanda Wickham(Dutton) - she married Mr. Dutton, had one child, a son named Richard Dutton, lives in Toledo, Ohio - a rich man - a ...

Their fifth child was a daughter who was named

Lorane Wickham(Crain) - she married Mr. Peter Crain and did live in Indianapolis, Indiana. She had four children - first child Anna Crain and her second child Hellen Crain who married Mr. C. S. Judd, he is a photographer and they reside at Shelbyville, Indiana. Their third child, Charles Crain is an engineer. Their fourth child Frank Crain is a fireman.

Their sixth child was a daughter who was named

Marie Wickham - no other record.

This completes the Family Record of Sally Alford Wickham.

Their second child was a son who was named

Herman Alford - he was born probably in Addison County, Vermont, May 29, 1788. He was drowned in Lake Erie, near Toledo, Ohio, while skating some distance from shore. He fell into an air hole and was drawn out by his companions unhurt but the day being very cold he froze to death before they could get him to shore to a fire. He married Miss Sally Brown, sister of Aunt Sylva Brown Alford, the wife of John Mallory Alford. They had three children whose names were Charles Alford and Henry Alford, daughter's name not given. They all live at Cayuga Bridge, Cayuga County, New York This completes the Family Record of Herman & Sally Alford.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Polly Alford - she was probably born in Addison County, Vermont, June 14, 1790 and died Sept. 6, 1794.

Their fourth child was a son who was named

Elijah Alford - he was born - probably - Addison County, Vermont, May 27, 1791 and was by occupation a farmer. He resided in Michigan in Allegany or Berry County. He was married to whom not known. He died Feb. 7, 1877 in his 86th year. They had three children.

Their oldest child was a son who was named

George Alford - he was born 'date not given'. He married Miss Francis —. She died about the year 1873. He died near Bay City, Bay County, Michigan, Feb. 7, 1877. They had two children.

Their first child was a son who was named

William J. Alford - he was married and had three children, one a boy and two daughters - names not given. He is a fine machinist and lives at Pulaski, Virginia and is Superintendent of Dora Foundry & Machine Works.

Their second child was a son who was named

Albert A. Alford - he lives with his brother, William J. Alford, at Pulaski, Virginia.

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Mary Alford(Garrett) - she married Mr. Hiram Garrett, who died about the year 1896. She resides at South Lyons, Michigan. They had two children.

Their first child was a son who was named

Charles Garrett - he was married but both are dead. They had two children whose names were Viola and Charles Garrett.

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Nellie Garrett(Looseman) - she was born July, 1857. She married Mr. Louis Looseman. He was born Jan. 7, 1852. He is by occupation a butcher and has a market in Detroit, Michigan. He resided at 155 Welsah Ave., West Detroit, Michigan. They have four children.

Their oldest child was a son who was named

Louis Leonard Looseman - he was born Sept. 17, 1878.

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Viola Ruth Looseman - she was born April 13, 1881.

Their third child was a son who was named

Hiram John Looseman - he was born July 28, 1887.

Their fourth child was a son who was named

Earl M. Looseman - he was born Aug. 8, 1894 and they all reside at their parents at Detroit, Michigan.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Elizabeth Alford(Schneider) - she married Mr. Schneider. They had four children: eldest named Elizabeth, but it is believed mother and children are dead.

This completes the Family Record of Elijah Alford and wife.

Their fifth child was a son who was named

Gen. George G. Alford - see next record

Their sixth child was a daughter who was named

Rebecca Alford - she was born in New York, Aug. 11, 1796 and died Sept. 6, 1796.

Their seventh child was a daughter who was named

Amanda Alford(Butcher-Skinner) - she was born in New York, Aug. 11, 1796 and died June 12, 1863 in her 67th year. She married for her first husband Mr. James Butcher, who died May 13, 1813 at St. Albans, Vermont. She married for her second husband, Mr. Isaac P. Skinner and he died Oct. 14, 1838. They had five children.

Their eldest child was a son who was named

James D. Skinner - date not given - he married Miss Lucy Patridge. He now lives with his sister, Mrs. Mary W. Persing, Des Moines, Iowa. They had one son, named James D. Skinner - contractor for Mobile and Montgomery R.R.

Their second child was a son who was named

Hon. Horace Landon Skinner - birth not given. He was a very able and remarkable, cultured man. He was Assistant Secretary of the Interior of the Cabinet of President Buchanan from 1857 to 1861. He resided in Washington, DC until his death in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania in 1898. He married for his first wife Miss Adelpia Hopkins. She died in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania in 1898. They had two children whose names were Philip H. Skinner who lives in Des Moines, Iowa and a second child named Horace P. Skinner, who resides at Omaha, Nebraska. He is manager of Gidney Rickle Co. He married for his

second wife Mrs. Kate J., a widow and he had no children by her.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Eliza A. Skinner(Saunders) - she died near Milan, Ohio, one of the towns of Huron River. She married Mr. Levi Saunders. They had seven children.

Their eldest child was a daughter who was named

Hattie W. Saunders(Menough) - she married Mr. Moses A. Menough, a farmer by occupation and resides near Milan, Ohio. They had two children: Anna Eliza and Robert Woodruff Menough.

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Mary Saunders - not married - and by occupation a teacher. She died about the year 1890 at her sister's, Mrs. Mary E. Fersing, Des Moines, Iowa.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Lizzie Saunders(Jefferson) - she married Mr. Adilbert Jefferson and lives at Cimmaron, Kansas. They had three children - eldest Elva Jefferson, the other two children's names not given.

Their fourth child was a son who was named

Stephen S. Saunders - he was killed by accident 1890.

Their fifth child was a daughter who was named

Kittie L. Saunders(Newton) - she married Mr. William H. Newton and they live near Welan on Huron River, Ohio. They had three children whose names were Otis and Bessie Newton, other name not given.

Their sixth child was a son who was named

Howard S. Saunders - he was recently married and Superintendent of the Public Schools, Pueblo, California.

Their seventh child was a daughter who was named

Bella Adelpia Hope Saunders(Hascall) - she married Mr. George Hascall. They reside at Norwalk, Ohio. They had two children, names not given.

Their fourth child was a son who was named

George S. Skinner - unmarried and deceased.

Their fifth child was a daughter who was named

Mary E. Skinner(Fersing) - she married Major Henry Fersing. He was killed in the Union Army 1861 to 1865. She was born Mar. 22, 1836 and she resides at 913 St., Des Moines, Iowa, they had several children, one George Fersing, the others unknown.

Their eighth child was a son who was named

Capt. John Mallory Alford - he was born (probably) in the State of New York, Mar. 27, 1798 and deceased - no history - occupation or place of death given. He might have been in the War of 1812 to 1815(sic) and died in Michigan. He married Miss Sylva Brown and they had seven children.

Their eldest child was a daughter who was named

Marie Alford(Duddlestone) - she died June, 1885. She married Mr. William

Duddleson, they had no children. They lived at Trenton, Michigan. He died September, 1899.

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Kate Alford(Duddleston) - she married Mr. Thomas J. Duddleston, brother of William Duddleston. She is deceased and her husband died June, 1885. They had two children.

Their eldest child was a son who was named

William J. Duddleson - he married Miss Hattie W. Kesler. He died at Saginaw, Michigan, Sept. 6, 1883. His widow again married Mr. Lewis W. Slack. They now reside at Alleghany, Pennsylvania. They had three children. First a daughter named Lucy Duddleston, second a daughter named Kittie Duddleson,(Brown) - she married William Eddie C. Brown. They lived in Saginaw, Michigan. They had two children - names unknown.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Mary Alford(Morrow) - she was born at Gibraltar, Michigan, June 21, 1841. She died in Chicago, Illinois, Friday, April 21, 1897 at her sons, John B. Morrow. She was buried at Woodmere Cemetery three miles below Detroit, Michigan. She married Mr. George Morrow and he died at Trenton, Michigan. They had one son named John B. Morrow. He married Miss Mary -. They had children, names unknown.

Their fourth child was a son who was named

Capt. Benjamin Alford - he married Miss Mary Wakefield in 1871 and they live at Monroe, Michigan. They had one son who was named Robert Wakefield Alford.

Their fifth child was a son who was named

Herman Alford - he lives in Gibraltar, Michigan.

Their sixth child was a son who was named

George Alford - he lives at Flat Rock, Wayne County, Michigan.

Their seventh child was a son who was named

Oliver Alford - he lives at Gibraltar, Michigan.

This completes all the Family Record of Capt. John and Sylva Alford.

Their ninth child was a son who was named

Ethan Allen Alford - his place of birth - no occupation given - but probably in Seneca County, State New York, Mar. 12, 1800. He married a young lady near New Madrid, Missouri about the last of Dec. 1823. He went from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania and traveled in a small row boat or skiff, Dec. 5, 1823 to visit his father, Capt. George Alford, who then resided at Monroe, Michigan. He fell off a steamboat at New Madrid, Missouri and was killed about the year from 1825 to 1830. They had four children.

Their eldest child was a son who was named

George Alford - no other record.

Their second child was a son who was named

Nelson Alford - no other record.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Harreh Alford - no other record.

Their fourth child was a daughter who was named

Amanda Alford(not known - 2nd Stine) - she was married twice - her first husband's name not known - her second husband she married was Judge Joseph D. Stine, married Jan. 21, 1861. He was born July 29, 1834. They reside near Point Pleasant, New Madrid County, Nevada. She had children by her first husband but names not given and children by her second husband.

The last son was named George Alford Stine - he was born July, 1876.

The youngest daughter was named Roselie Stine (Laferney) - she married Mr. Laferney at Point Pleasant, Missouri, Nov. 6, 1892.

This completes all the Family Records of Ethan Allen Alford.

Their tenth child was a son who was named

Major Johnson Hulburt Alford - see second record.

Their eleventh child was a daughter who was named

Lucinda Alford(Lawrence-McDowell) - she was probably born in Seneca County, Michigan, Feb. 26, 1804 and died April 19, 1853 in her 49th year at Sandusky, Ohio. She married for her first husband Mr. McDowell, no other record given. She married for her second husband Mr. John Lawrence, he was the youngest son of a rich English nobleman who belonged to a Tory family and had to live in Canada for a long time. To them were born the following children

Her fourth child was a daughter who was named

Margaret Lawrence(Regal) - she was born - place not given - in 1823. She died of paralysis in 1882 in her 59th year. She resided at Browning, Lorain County, Ohio. She had the "Old Alford Family Bible". She married Mr. Isaac Regal, who was in the Mexican War 1846 and in the Civil War 1861. He was a very dissipated man and was killed by a railroad train in 1881. Margaret was one-half sister to the McDowell girls. After the death of Mr. Isaac Regal she married again - but name not given - but he did not live long. They had eight children.

Their eldest child was a son who was named

Isaac Regal - and was in the soldier's home at Dayton, Ohio, 1893.

Their second child was a son who was named

Abe Regal - he was adopted by Dr. Mead of Detroit, Michigan. He married and was divorced and had one daughter.

Their third child was a son who was named

George Regal - no further record given.

Their fifth(sic) child was a daughter who was named

Margaret Regal - no other record.

Their sixth child was a son who was named

William Regal - no other record.

Their seventh child was a son and was named ...

Charles Regal - no other record.

Their eighth child was a daughter who was named

Lulie Regal - no other record.

This completes the Family Record for Margaret Lawrence.

Their fifth child was a daughter who was named

Anna Lawrence(Scranton) - she was half-sister to the McDowell girls. She was born April 19, 1825 and died Aug. 29, 1870 in her 45th year. She married Mr. Isreal Scranton - he was born April 4, 1813 and died Mar. 25, 1881 in his 68th year and was buried at Petersburg, Michigan. He was a brother of Alonzo Scranton who was the first husband of Jane Elizabeth McDowell, who secondly married Mr. Oliver P. Cowdry.

Their eldest child was a son who was named

James Pardu Scranton - who was born May 28, 1844 and was in the Civil War 1861 and was made prisoner in Andersonville Prison at Andersonville, Georgia. He is by occupation a lumber merchant and resides at 178 Iroquios St., Detroit, Michigan. He married Miss Margaret Davidson and they had two children.

Their eldest child was a daughter who was named

Jennie Elizabeth Scranton(Trevor) - she was born in 1868 and married Mr. Walter M. Trevor and they had two children. First a son named James Pardu Scranton Trevor born May 8, 1891 and second a daughter named Margaret Wilhelmina S. Trevor, born July 7, 1894.

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Lydia Scranton - she was born Nov. 9, 1872. She resides with her parents in Detroit, Michigan - unmarried and a fine artist painter - bright and handsome.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Lucy Ann Scranton(Hazzard) - she was born Sept. 9, 1848. She married Rev. Thomas Hazzard, Dec. 18, 1867. He was born June 27, 1835. He is a Presbyterian Minister and resides at Emporia, Kansas. His ancestors came over from England with Governor Winthrop and settled at what is now known as Breed's Hill or Bunker Hill in history. He is a descendant from a large illustrious family on his father's side and the mother's side of the house Ex-

President, Grover Cleveland, Timothy Dwight of Yale University. He has a life-size portrait in oil of Capt. George Alford, which hangs in his house in Emporia, Kansas of which Gen. George F. Alford has a fine photograph from it. They have five children.

Their eldest son is a son who was named

Rev. Frank Breed Hazzard - who is a Presbyterian Minister. He was born Dec. 16, 1868 and was made Bachelor of Arts at Emporia College 1893 and Master of Arts at Princeton University 1895 and a graduate of McCormick Seminary 1896. He was married in 1898.

Their second child was a son who was named

James Scranton Hazzard - he was born Dec. 30, 1872.

Their third child was a son who was named

Robert Easeral Hazzard - he was born Oct. 15, 1887.

Their fourth child was a daughter who was named

Lucy Agnes Hazzard. They all live at Emporia, Kansas.

This completes the Family Record of Mrs. Lucy Ann Scranton Hazzard.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Margaret Scranton (Frank) - she was born Feb. 10, 1859 and she married Mr. Fredrick Frank, May 21, 1883. He is of German descent and was born in 1843. His address is Blackwell, Oklahoma. He was in the Civil War 1861 and was made prisoner at Andersonville Prison, Andersonville, Georgia for eight months. She died of consumption being a cripple from five years of age. She had her foot amputated in 1888 and died in South Haven, Kansas, July 16, 1893 and was buried at Irving, Kansas. They had four children - first a daughter named Clarisa Frank, born Oct. 7, 1888. Their second child a son named Albert Frank and they had two twins, one named Earnest - they were born and died 1890.

This completes the Family Record of Margaret Scranton Frank.

Their fourth child was a daughter who was named

Clara Scranton(Clark) - she was born May 10, 1861. She married Mr. Edwin Orton Clark, Nov. 10, 1891. His parents live in

Lancaster, New York, his cousin Myron Clark of McCarlisle College and is a representative of the Y.W.A. of the U.S.A. in founding the work in Brazil. They formerly lived in Dundee, Michigan but now reside in Olympia, Washington. They had five children Their first a son - named Jasper Edwin Clark and two twins, one named Isreal Scranton Clark.

Their fifth child was a son who was named

Isreal Scranton - he was born Mar. 7, 1864 and by occupation engineer. He married Miss Elizabeth Neusmaker, June 1896. She was born 1868 and they reside at 678 Congress Street, Toledo, Ohio.

This completes the Family Record of Isreal Scranton.

Lucinda Alford married for her first husband, Mr. Theodore McDowell, U.S.A., during the Civil War and whose headquarters was in the saddle. By this marriage she had the following children

Their first child was a daughter who was named

Jane Elizabeth McDowell(Scranton-Cowdry) - she was born Mar. 25, 1827. She married for her first husband, Mr. Alonzo Scranton, by whom she had eight children. After his death she married for her second husband, Mr. Oliver P. Cowdry, by whom she had no children. She lived in 1894 at 219 Prospect St., Sandusky, Ohio.

Her first child was a son who was named

Alonzo C. Scranton - he married Miss Anna Parshall and they reside in Sandusky, Ohio. He was in the Civil War 1861 and was taken prisoner and was confined in the Andersonville Prison, Andersonville, Georgia for over one year and in other prisons six months. They had two children named Maud May Scranton and Jessie Ester Scranton.

Their second child was a son who was named

John Allen Scranton - he was born 1848. He married Miss Eva Mason. They had two children. First a son named John Scranton born in 1874. Second child a daughter named Ethal Allen Scranton - she was born 1884.

Their third child was a son who was named

William Wadsworth Scranton - he was married at Cleveland, Ohio but separated from his wife. They had no children. He was a very fine artist. He is now in the hospital at Cleveland,

Ohio, from curvature of the spine.

This completes the Family Record of Elizabeth McDowell.

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Martha Marie McDowell(Anthony) - her birth date is not given, about 1828 or 1829. She married Lorenzo Dow Anthony. He was born April 10, 1827 and they reside at 108 Market Street, Sandusky, Ohio. They had eight children.

Their first child was a daughter who was named

Lucy Anthony - she died in infancy.

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Ida May Anthony - she married, first husband unknown - her second husband was Mr. Fred W. Wolsey. She had no children by her first husband, but her second husband she had three children. Their names were Leontine Wolsey, Lucile Wolsey and a boy, name not given.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Fannie Amelia Anthony(Kenmore) - she married Judge Henry S. Kenmore and they reside at Spokane, Washington. They had four children. First a daughter named Fanny Anthony Kenmore. Their second child was named Algie Kenmore. Their third child was named Ralph Kenmore and their fourth child was named Pauline Kenmore.

Their fourth child was a daughter who was named

Minnie Finch Anthony(Sawyer) - she married Judge Frank Sawyer at Sandusky, Ohio, Sept. 2, 1881. He was the son of the distinguished Gen. Sawyer of Ohio. They had no children.

Their fifth child was a daughter who was named

Jessie Ester Anthony - not married, lives with her parents at Sandusky, Ohio.

Their sixth child was a son who was named

McDowell Anthony - he resides with his parents.

Their seventh child was a son who was named

Jay Lorenzo Anthony - he is married and has no children and lives at Sandusky, Ohio.

Their eighth child was a daughter who was named

Martha May Anthony - not married, lives with her parents in Sandusky, Ohio.

This completes all the Family Record of Martha McDowell Anthony.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Mary McDowell(Lawrence) - date of her birth was not given - probably about the year 1831. She married Mr. Alexander Lawrence. They reside at 34 Hayden or 367 North Wayne St., Ft. Wayne, Indiana or on their farm two and one half miles from the city. They had three children.

Their first child was a daughter who was named

Martha Ludia Lawrence (Carlisle) - she was born Oct. 5, 1852. She married Mr. David Newton Carlisle and they reside kin 1894 at 733 Nebraska Avenue, Kansas City, Kansas. He was born at Monroe, Michigan, Oct. 6, 1851 and died near Kansas City, April 19, 1892. He was a relative on Hon. John A. Carlisle of Kentucky, Secretary and Treasurer in President Cleveland's late Cabinet. They had four children.

Their eldest a son who was named

Jay Lawrence Carlisle, born at Fort Wayne, Indiana, June 29, 1874. He is a brilliant young lawyer in Kansas City.

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Mary Elizabeth Carlisle - she was born at Ft. Wayne, Indiana, Mar. 28, 1876.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Lula Wyley Carlisle - she was born in Ft. Wayne, Indiana, Mar. 6, 1889.

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Addie Lawrence(Disther) - she was born at Ft. Wayne, Indiana. She married Mr. Louis Disther who is a large lumber merchant and lives at 267 270 West Wayne Street, Ft. Wayne, Indiana. They had five children.

Their first child was a son who was named Carle Disther - born 1880.

Their second child was a daughter named Addie Disther - born 1883.

Their third child was a daughter named
Martha Disther - born 1885.

Their fourth child was a daughter named
Liza Disther - born 1890.

Their fifth child was a daughter named
Elizabeth Disther - born 1894.

Their third child was a son who was named

Robert Lawrence - he was born in Ft. Wayne, Indiana 1865.
He married Miss Mary Dickey. They reside at
Denver, Colorado and by occupation a dentist. They
have one child, named Robert Alexander Lawrence.

This completes the Family Record of Mary McDowell Lawrence.

This completes all the Family Record of ... Alford McDowell Lawrence, the eleventh child of Capt.
George and Sylva Alford.

Their twelfth child was a daughter who was named

Fanny Alford(Leonard-Knickerbocker) - she was born in all probability in Seneca, state of
New York, June 24, 1806 and died Jan. 26, 1887 in her 81st year at Three Rivers,
Michigan. She married for her first husband Mr. Leonard. After his death she
married for her second husband, Mr. George Knickerbocker, who was born Mar. 29,
1787 and probably died in 1875 or 1880. There were ... children born to her from her
first marriage but by the last marriage there were no children born. She had many
children but only one record given.

This was of a son who was named

Charles Wallace Leonard - his birth date was not given but he died at Detroit,
Michigan, Aug. 10, 1890. He married Miss Mary Ann - last name not
given. They had two children, names given as Alferetta Leonard and
Fanny Leonard who married Mr. Sheldon Burtincaull. He was killed
in a gas explosion in Detroit, Michigan in 1892, leaving no children.
She resides at 755 Woodward Avenue, Detroit, Michigan. Uncle
George Knickerbocker had by his first wife (not Fanny Alford) many
children.

His first daughter, Louisa Knickerbocker(Shoemaker) no birth
date given. She died at Three Rivers, Michigan, Jan. 9, 1892.
She married Mr. D. S. Shoemaker. They had five children.

Their first child was a daughter named Kittie
Shoemaker. She is married and lives 18 miles
from Three Rivers, Michigan.

Their second child was a daughter named Grace
Shoemaker(Short) - she married Mr. Frank
Short, Dec. 25, 1894 and they live in Laport,
Michigan.

Their third child was a daughter named Alice Shoemaker(Stearn). She married Mr. George Stearn and they live two and one half miles from Three Rivers, Michigan.

The next two children were daughters named Mary Shoemaker and Maggie Shoemaker.

This completes all the Family Record of Fanny Alford the twelfth and last child of Capt. George and Sylva Alford.

The ninth in line of record is of the fifth child named

Gen. George G. Alford

He was born on Lake Cayuga, Seneca County, New York, near Ithaca, New York, June, 1793. He died at Crocket, Houston County, Texas, April 1847, in his 54th year. He was a Lieutenant of Artillery during the war with Great Britain 1812 to 1815, known as the War 1812 or the Second War of Independence - in which he served with great gallantry and distinction in the Army under Gen. Winfield Scott and fought in the battles of Lunday's Lane, Ferristown Heights and numerous other engagements. At the close of the war or in 1815 or 1820 he moved with his father's family to Detroit, Michigan, which was then an obscure and remote frontier French and Indian village - making the trip in a sail vessel, which was wrecked at what is now the great city of Cleveland, Ohio. About 1819 he moved to New Madrid, Missouri. The former capital of the Spanish Province of Louisiana about the time of the admission of the Territory of Missouri into the Federal Union under the terms of the Missouri Compromise Act, which came so near dissolving the Union. Here he successfully engaged in the mercantile pursuits. About the year 1821 he married Miss Christine Lesiur, a sister of Hon. Godfrey Lesiur, one of the oldest and wealthiest French settlers of that section. She died leaving him but one daughter who was named Jeannette Hurburt Alford.

Gen. George G. Alford's first wife died in 1829. He married for his second wife, Miss Ann Barfield, who was born May 9, 1807. She was the daughter of Judge Fredrick Barfield of Murfreesboro, Tennessee and later of Barfield's Point, Arkansas on the Mississippi River. He was born in 1757 and his mother, Sarah Castella, born Jan. 21, 1738, a descendent of Gwinn Badger of North Carolina.

Gen. George G. Alford accumulated a handsome fortune for that period and served his district in the Legislature of Missouri and proved himself a wise and popular lawmaker. In 1835 the Revolution against Mexico was inaugurated in Texas and filled with the old martial spirit of 1812 and the love of liberty which inspired Gen. Alford, he went to Texas and joined the immortal band of Patriots under Gen. Sam Houston and participated in the heroic struggles which finally culminated April 21, 1836 on the historic field of San Jacinto in the annihilation of the Mexican Grand Army of Invasion and the capture of the Commander-in-Chief and President of Mexico, Gen. Lopez de Santa Ana who was self-styled the Napoleon of the West. These far-reaching effects of this extraordinary battle were perhaps greater than those of any previous battle ever fought on this continent resulting in the addition of almost one-half of present territory of the United States (exclusive of Alaska) - Texas - New Mexico - Arizona - California - Utah and Colorado. Soon after the battle of San Jacinto, Gen. Alford was sent by the provincial government of the embryo Republic to New Orleans for military

supplies for the famishing soldiers of Texas. Here he loaded two vessels and returning in one of them, the Brig Julius Caesar, he was captured by the Mexicans blockading fleet of Galveston Harbor under the command of Capt. Jose V. Matios of the Mexican Brig of War - Gen. Feran commanding. The two vessels and cargos were confiscated and the captives incarcerated in a loathsome dungeon in Matamoros, Mexico and Gen. Alford and his brother Maj. Johnson H. Alford (who was returning to Texas with him) were condemned to be shot - the usual method of execution in Mexico. Through the interposition(sic) of Gen. Andrew Jackson, then President of the United States, who was a personal friend of the captives and were finally liberated. Gen. George G. Alford returned to Missouri, settled his business affairs and in April 1837 moved his family and slaves to Texas. First settling in the old Spanish Pueblo Nacadoches and later in Crockett, the capital of Houston County on the organization of that county. Here he engaged in mercantile pursuits and as a planter and Judge of the Courts until his death which occurred April 1, 1847 in his 54th year, his wife having preceded him on Feb. 10, 1847. His death was eventually deplored all over the young state which he had served with such distinguished Spartan heroism. They had seven children.

The eldest was a daughter by his first wife Mrs. Christinana Lesiur Alford, who was named

Jeannette Hulbert Alford(Nelson-Truman(?)) date or place of her birth was not given. She married for her first husband, Mr. Charles Henry Nelson, who was born in Augusta, Maine and who, with his two brothers, Horatio and Albert, moved to Texas about 1838 or 1840. Charles Nelson became first District Surveyor and afterwards Clerk of Houston County, Texas. He was killed in Crockett, Texas, Sept. 5, 1845, in front of his own home by Robert T. Gage, who escaped to Galveston, Texas and boarded a coffee ship for South America. He killed another man on the ship and was hanged on shipboard. She again married for her second husband Dr. Joseph N. Truman(?) - he moved from Cleveland, Tennessee and located at Crockett, Texas, May 31, 1847. She died at Nelson, Houston County, Texas, Oct. 4, 1876. She had eight children, two by her first husband and six by her second husband.

Her eldest child was a son who was named

George Alford Nelson - he was born about 1842 and died about 1846.

Her second child was a daughter who was named

Louise Alford Nelson(Young) - she was born about the year 1843. She married Mr. Young - no other record given.

Their third child was a son who was named

Benjamin Truman - his date of birth was not given - never married and deceased.

Her fourth child was a daughter who was named

Ada Truman(White) - her birth date not given. She married Mr. Calvin White. They had three daughters, the youngest lives with her brother at Trinity, Texas, as does Mrs. Ada Truman. White is deceased.

Their fifth child was a daughter who was named

Nettie Truman(Johnson-Jackson) - no birth date given. She married for her first husband Mr. Joseph Johnson, after his death she married Mr. John Jackson. She had three children - their names were Willie Johnson - Gratoride(?) Johnson and Nellie Jackson.

Their sixth child was a daughter who was named
 Ida Truman(Taylor) - birth date not given. She married Mr. Hillery Taylor. They live
 in Trinity County, Texas. They had seven children
 Their eldest child was a daughter who was named
 Hattie Lee Taylor - born in 1882, lives with her parents at Trinity, Texas.
 Their second child was a son who was named
 Benjamin Earl Taylor - born 1885 and lives at Trinity, Texas.
 Their third child was a daughter who was named
 Mamie Jeanette Taylor - born in 1892 and lives at Trinity, Texas.
 Their fourth child was a daughter who was named
 Bessie May Taylor - born in 1890 - no other record.
 Their fifth child was a son who was named
 Asa Truman Taylor - born in 1887 - no other record.
 Their sixth child was a daughter who was named
 Claud Ethel Taylor - born 1894.
 Their seventh child was a daughter who was named
 Mildred Ruth Taylor - who was born 1896.
 Their seventh child was a son who was named
 Oliver Truman - no further record
 Their eighth child was a son who was named
 Charles Truman - no further record.

This completes the Family Record of Jeannette Alford-Nelson-Truman.

Their second child was a son who was named

Hulbert Mallory Alford - he was born at New Madrid, Missouri, 1832 and died Nov. 1863
 in his 31st year. He was buried at Austin, Texas. He died from the effects of
 imprisonment in the Federal Stockade at Camp Douglas on the banks of Lake
 Michigan, Chicago, Illinois and Columbus, Ohio. He was captured at Arkansas Point,
 Jan. 13, 1863 on the Arkansas River. He was in the Agt. Gen. Office of the Garlands
 Command of the Confederate Army. He was married Sept. 1858 at Palestine, Texas
 to Miss Julia Dent Graham, a cousin of Mrs. Julia Dent Grant, wife of Gen. U.S.
 Grant, afterwards President of the United States. She was a daughter of Beriah
 Graham, cousin of Governor Beriah McCoffire of Kentucky. They had four children,
 two boys, one was named George F. Alford and the other name not known - both
 died a few months later. Their third child, a daughter, died at Austin, Texas. Their
 fourth child, a daughter named Mary Lilly Alford, was born 1861 or 2. She lives with
 her maternal aunts, Mrs. Allice and Ellen Graham at Austin, Texas.

This completes all the Family Record of Hulbert Mallory Alford.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Mary Barfield Alford(Cravens) - she was born at New Madrid, Missouri in 1834. She
 married Judge John E. Cravens in 1852 at Crocket, Texas. He was from Palestine,
 Texas. He was born and raised in Mississippi and was a very eminent lawyer and was

a High Mason, being a Deputy Grand Master of the Missouri Grand Lodge of Texas. He died at Athens, Henderson County, Texas, May, 1860. She died January 10, 1862 and was buried at Palestine, Texas. They had three children.

Their eldest child was a daughter who was named

Mary Pauline Cravens(Fortson-Halbert) - date of birth not given. She married for her first husband, Mr. Benjamin F. Fortson. He died about 1830. She married for her second husband, Mr. H. A. Halbert. They live on a farm near Coleman, Texas. She had three children by her first husband, names were Benjamin Fortson and Nettie Fortson, the other children unknown. And by her second husband several children, names unknown.

Their second child was a son who was named

Samuel Alford Cravens - he was born about 1857 and died at Palestine, Texas.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Eliza Earl Cravens - she was born in Palestine, Texas, Nov. 26, 1860 and died at the home of her maternal Uncle George F. Alford, Dallas, Texas, May 1880 in her 20th year.

This completes the Family Record of Mrs. Mary Barfield Alford Cravens.

Their fourth child was a son who was named

Gen. George Fredrick Alford - see next record

Their fifth child was a daughter who was named

Ann Alford(Liggett) - she was born in New Madrid, Missouri, Aug. 3, 1838 - deceased - date not given. She married Mr. John Liggett at the home of her maternal aunt Mrs. Mary S. Barnfield Maulsby (deceased) and he is deceased. They died near Point Pleasant, Missouri and are buried there. They had five children.

Their eldest child was a son who was named

George Alford Liggett - birth date not given. He died in infancy.

Their second child was a son who was named

Hurlbert Liggett - date of birth not given. He died at the hospital at Dallas, Texas, 1895. He married a widow at Richardson, Dallas County, Texas. They had two children.

Their third child was a son who was named

Albert Lee Liggett - date of birth not given. He is married and lives at Slater, Missouri. He is by occupation a first-class jeweler and has three or more children - names unknown.

Their fourth child was a daughter who was named

Emma Liggett(Fing?) - she was born at Point Pleasant, Missouri. She married Mr. Charles B. Fing at her maternal aunt's, Mrs. Emma A. Toney at Eunice, Texas. They had two children, both died in infancy.

Their fifth child was a daughter who was named

Mary Ellen Liggett(Floyd) - she was born at Point Pleasant, Missouri, Nov. 4, 1869. She married Mr. Thomas H. Floyd, Feb. 17, 1890 at her maternal aunt's, Mrs. Emma Toney's, Eunice, Texas. He was born in Mississippi, Sept. 16, 1860. He is by

occupation a farmer and resides on his own fertile farm, three and one-half miles west of Eunice, Texas. They had three children.

Their eldest child was a daughter who was named

Annie May Floyd - she was born near Eunice, Texas, Oct. 1, 1891

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Cornelia Lucella Floyd - she was born near Eunice, Texas, May 20, 1894

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Ruth Floyd - she was born near Eunice, Texas, Aug. 14, 1895.

Their sixth child was a son who was named

Capt. Albert Nelson Alford - see second record

Their seventh child was a daughter who was named

Emma Alford(Toney) - she was born at Alford's Bluff, July 29, 1843 and died at Eunice, Texas, Nov. 3, 1890 in her 47th year. She married Mr. Mark M. Toney at his sister's, Mrs. Annie Liggett at near Point Pleasant, Missouri. He was a Confederate soldier. He died Dec. 1891. They had four children.

Their first child was a son named

Albert Hulburt Toney - date of birth not given. He married Miss Ida Maud Kreig. He was killed in Colorado mines in 1895. They had three children - names not known. Mrs. Toney resides at Denver, Colorado.

Their second child was a son who was named

Albert Barnfield Toney - he was born Aug. 15, 1870 and resides in Eunice, Texas. He married Miss Lillian Eastman Sherrod in 1896. She was the daughter of Hon. W. C. Sherrod of Wichita Falls, Texas, ex-member of Congress from Florence, Alabama, whose son is Judge at Waxahachie Court, Texas. She was born Sept. 13, 1876.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Annie Toney(Lewis) - her birth date not given. She died May, 1896. She married Dr. Charles H. Lewis who still resides at Eunice, Texas.

Their fourth child was a daughter who was named

Georgia Earl Toney - she was born July 27, 1883 and resides with her brother, Charles Toney at Eunice, Texas.

This completes the Family Record of Mrs. Emma Alford Toney.

The next in line of record is of the fourth child, a son of Gen. George G. Alford and Ann Barfield Alford who was named

General George Fredrick Alford

He was born at New Madrid, Missouri, Aug. 4, 1836, on the banks of the Mississippi River in the old Spanish Palace once occupied by the Governor General of the Province of Louisiana, formerly

belonging to Spain, which was purchased by President Jefferson from Spain during his administration, of which New Madrid was the Vice Regal Capital of the Spanish, later the French, Province of Louisiana. New Madrid, Missouri is within sight of three states: Missouri, Kentucky and Tennessee.

Gen. George F. Alford is of distinguished lineage and through his long life has sustained without blemish, the illustrious name which he inherited both from his paternal and maternal ancestors. From the great English house of Lord Aylesford, famous amongst the greatest English nobility and from sir Francis Drake, the most noted of Revolutionary fighters. Gen. Ethan Allen of Ticonderoga fame was his third cousin, his great-grandfather, Col. Benedict Alford was with General Washington during the French War 1756, a noted scout throughout the Revolutionary War and the War of 1812 and 1814, as were his sons who served throughout the entire war, General George G. Alford being a Lieutenant of Artillery in the Army of Gen. Winfield Scott, also who at the urgent request of his boyhood friend, Gen. Sam Houston, joined the Texan Army during the winter of 1835 as Quartermaster General and remained in the service of Texas as a soldier and Judge until April 1, 1847, when he died full of honors, preceded by his estimable and universally beloved wife, Mrs. Ann Barfield Alford, who died on Feb. 10, 1847, leaving seven orphan children (one being by his first wife). The six children were taken by their maternal aunt, Mrs. Mary Barfield Maulsby back to near Madrid, Missouri and sent to school. A short time after George F. Alford was employed in the store of Allen and Waters and Sons, thereafter in the County and District Clerks office under Col. William S. Mosly - but the monotony of village life was a burden to him, not long to be endured by a youth of his spirit-inured as he was to wild frontier life and Texas Freedom and impatient of restraint, he found his way about the age of 12 years to the semi-savage Indian tribes of the then far-western wilds. There he remained nearly three years, adopting their customs, learning their language, acquiring their skill and endurance in chase and woodcraft. At the age of about 15 years he again became restless and the desire of frontier adventure was so irresistible that he left the Indians whom he had been with so long and started with a single pony across the trackless plains - thousands of miles for the New Eldorado of California. The journey consumed six months from April 19 to October 16 - most of the way entirely alone - through hostile tribes of Indians who could have scalped him - but for his daring - traveling trackless deserts, climbing mountain heights and entirely dependent for daily sustenance upon such wild game as his skill with the pistol and bow and arrow could provide. Barefooted, hatless and about naked as he was, he at once found a noble ... friend in Dr. Thomas W. Dawson, Clerk of the District and County Court, Probate Court, Court of Sessions, Board of Equalizations, County Auditor and County Recorder of Shasta County, California, who gave him employment which eventuated(sic) in his returning to the States in June, 1856 - not only with the paternal love of his employer but with a princely fortune for a boy yet two months less than twenty years of age.

He married his schoolmate, the acknowledged belle of South East Missouri, Miss Annie Marie Maulsby of New Madrid, Missouri, Feb. 16, 1857. Gen. George F. Alford, after his marriage, before old enough to vote, moved with his beautiful young wife and her ancestral slaves to Texas, where he engaged with his elder brother, Hulbert W. Alford in mercantile pursuits in Palestine, Texas and also opened a large cotton plantation at Alford's Bluff, Trinity County, Texas, where he moved in Dec. 1858 and on Aug. 4, 1859 (his birthday) he was elected a Judge of Trinity County. Before next election Civil War broke out in all its ... and relentless fury between the North and South land in

April, 1861. Yet he doubted the wisdom and policy of exercising the right of Secession and therefore opposed to - but the wild frenzy of the hour it was almost unanimously carried by popular ballot - the question was settled in favor of resistance for Constitutional rights - he cast his fortunes with the Southland, "right or wrong", resigned his office of Judge and entered the Confederate Service. On August 4, 1861 he was almost unanimously elected a member of the 9th Legislature of Texas - representing the 9th Senatorial District - composed of the counties of Anderson, Houston and Trinity. In 1863 the second session of the 9th Legislature was held, he being a member and after close of the war, under President Andrew Johnson's plan of Reconstruction, he was re-elected to the Eleventh Legislature from same senatorial district. He held many important positions - as County Judge, member of the Legislature three times, 9th and 11th sessions - Captain, Quarter-master, Collector Tax in Kind, Agent and Superintendent Cotton Bureau, Provost Marshall, Adjutant General, Inspector General, Judge Advocate-General, General on the Staff of Gen. W. W. Taylor, Ex-Grand Master of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Texas of which a member since 1857. He was President and Vice-President and Director of forty-seven corporations, composed of banks, insurance, street railways, land, mining, cotton companies, publishing, wharf paving, building, investing, improvements and railway companies, including eight large banks in Galveston, Austin, New Orleans, Indiana, St. Louis and Dallas and a recognized leader of the political commercial industries and financial life of Texas. He is fond of Literary work and has devoted greatly (sic) in writing historical and biographical sketches for the press, which has found great popular favor. At the close of the war he was bankrupted in fortune, he abandoned his plantation which was submerged with eleven feet by overflow of water unequalled in the memory of the oldest inhabitant. He moved to Galveston and engaged in business as a cotton factor, banking and foreign and domestic exchange and again acquired a large fortune, moving up into the millions of dollars - but during his second visit to Europe to recuperate his health, his partners, by speculation in cotton and tonnage and injudicious loans and discounts almost extinguished his large fortune. But by energetic and intelligent operations and fortunate investments he was enabled after ten years of hard labor to pay off every dollar with interest of the firms indebtedness which approximated \$400,000 and over and above the firms assets, he still retains enough to render him and his family independent for life. For the past year he has been in Sacramento City, California at a solarium for his health, but has now returned to his home in Texas.

They had ten children, six of whom survive. Two daughters, Hallie and Linda, both married and four sons - none of whom are married. The eldest of these sons, Albert H. Alford, was in 1896, elected to the Idaho Legislature and soon thereafter Speaker of the Idaho Legislature. He and his youngest brother Eugene own and edit and publish successfully the "Idaho Daily and Weekly Tribune" (Democratic) at Lewiston, Nez Perce County, Idaho. The names and family record of their children are as follows

Their eldest child was a daughter who was named

Georgia Alford - she was born at Alford's Bluff, Trinity County, Texas, Sept. 15, 1858 and died at Alford's Bluff, Trinity County, Texas, Aug. 30, 1862 in her 4th year.

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Harriet Lenda Alford (Evans) - she was born at Alford's Bluff, Trinity County, Texas, Nov. 30, 1859. She married Mr. William Leroy Evans, Nov. 15, 1881. They were married by the Rev. Gen. L. W. Lewis, Pastor of Watabuchic M. E. Church South - at the

residence of Gen. George F. Alford, 405 Norwood St., Cor. San Jacinto ST., Dallas, Texas. They had three children

Their eldest child was a daughter who was named

Anna Lenda Evans - she was born at Dallas, Texas, Sept. 11, 1884.

Their second child was a son who was named

John Fredrick Evans - he was born at Dallas, Texas, Feb. 8, 1885

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Hallie Louise Evans - she was born at 411 Harwood St., Dallas, Texas, Nov. 20, 1886.

This completes the Family Record of Harriet Lenda Alford Evans.

Their third child was a son who was named

Albert Hulburt Alford - he was born at Alford's Bluff, Trinity County, Texas, Oct. 24, 1862.

He is unmarried and resides at Lewiston, Nez Perce County, Idaho. He was elected by the people as Representative of the Idaho Legislative body. He, with his brother, E. L. Alford are owner and editors of the Democratic Daily and Weekly Tribune, an able and well conducted newspaper published at Lewiston, Idaho. Albert is very popular, he is a scholarly and brilliant young man.

Their fourth child was a son who was named

George M. Alford - he was born at Alford's Bluff, Trinity County, Texas, Jan. 22, 1864 and he resides at Dallas, Texas.

Their fifth child was a son who was named

Eugene Lemuel Alford - he was born at Alford's Bluff, Trinity County, Texas, Feb. 16, 1866 - not married - and is engaged with his brother in the printing and publishing business of Lewiston, Idaho, where he resides at the present time.

Their sixth child was a daughter who was named

Annie May Alford - she was born at Alford's Bluff, Trinity County, Texas, July 17, 1866 and died at Bolivar Point, Galveston County, Texas, April 28, 1867 at the residence of Col. W. F. Henderson.

Their seventh child was a daughter who was named

Linda Dawson Alford(Edmundson) - she was born at Tom Kins Cottage (?) A suburb of the City of Galveston, Texas, July 7, 1869. She married Dr. William W. Edmundson. He was born in Holden, Jan. 7, 1862. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. D. Black of Central Christian Church, Chicago, Illinois, at the Grand Pacific Hotel, Aug. 30, 1892. They had two children.

Their eldest child was a daughter who was named

Anna Louise Edmundson - she was born at 351 South Ervay St., Dallas, Texas, Jan. 11, 1894.

Their second child was a son who was named

Robert Edmundson - he was born Thursday, April 29, 1897.

This completes the Family Record of Mrs. Linda Dawson Alford Edmundson.

Their eighth child was a son who was named

Allen Lewis Alford - he was born at Walnut Grove near New Madrid, Missouri, Sept. 4, 1871
- no other record.

Their ninth child was a daughter who was named

Mary Georgia Alford - she was born at K. and 33 St., Galveston, Texas, Jan. 21, 1873 and
died April 19, 1873.

Their tenth child was a daughter who was named

Stella Ruth Alford - she was born at Galveston, Texas, Jan. 8, 1875 and died Aug. 3, 1875.

Baptismal Record

At the home K and 33 Street, Galveston, Texas, by the Rev. Gen. L. M. Lewis, Pastor of the Ryland
Chapel M.E. Church South, Sunday, Oct. 21, 1861, the following communicants

Harret Linda Alford

Albert Hurbert Alford

George Malsby Alford

Equine Lemuel Alford

Linda Dawson Alford

Nelson Lewis Alford - by Rev. L.M. Lewis of A. W. Col. Bryan, Texas at 405 Howard St., Dallas,
Texas, Thursday, Sept. 4, 1879

Anna Llinda Evans by the same Pastor at the house of the grandparents Dec. 26, 1883

United with the church

George F. Alford (Rayland Chapel M.E. Church South Rev. Gen. L.M. Lewis Pastor April 25, 1869,
Sacrament May 2, 1869.)

Annie M. Alford - St. John's Church M.E. South Rev. Joseph E. Walker Pastor Palestine

Eugene L. Alford - Laimar St M.E. Church South, Dallas, Texas, Rev. H.A. Bowland Pator Dec. 8,
1884

This completes the history and Family Record of General George F. and Anna Alford.

The next line of Family Record is of the sixth child, a son, of Gen. George G. Alford who was named
Capt. Albert Nelson Alford

He was born at Alford's Bluff, then Houston County, now Trinity County, Texas, Sept. 6, 1841. He
was named for Hon. Albert Nelson, a distinguished citizen of Nacodoches, Texas, who was a brother
of Hon. Charles Henry Nelson, County Clerk of Houston County, who was the first husband of
Jeannette Alford. He first married Mrs. Sarah Cornelia Colman at Crockett, Texas. She was a
daughter of Col. Dan Colman, a wealthy slave owner and planter. They were married by Rev. Hillary
Mosely, Dec. 5, 1867. She was born in Perry County, Alabama, June 22, 1848 and died at Wills
Point, Van Zandt County, Texas, Nov. 8, 1881 in her 33rd year.

Capt. A. N. Alford was a gallant Confederate soldier, having enlisted in Capt. Tom Acock's Company
A, 2nd Texas Cavalry, in Mar. 1861. He was a little over 19 years - his regiment captured all the
Federal forts from the mouth of the Rio Grande to Arizona and New Mexico, when they became a
part of Gen. Sibley's Brigade of Fourth Regiment, which was finally driven out of the territory in
1862 by Gen. E.R.S. Camby, who invaded that territory with greater numeral strength than the
Confederates. He afterwards became Captain.

He married for his second wife Mrs. Thaddie Cogowill Brooks, Sept. 2, 1884, married by Rev. J. H. Scruggs of M.E. Church South. She was born in Henderson, Ruck County, May 3, 1855, she had no children by her first marriage.

Capt. A. N. Alford had twelve children, five children by his first wife and seven children by his second wife.

Their first child was a son who was named

George Colman Alford - he was born in Crockett, Houston County, Texas, at the residence of his grandparents, Col. & Mrs. D. Colman, Oct. 4, 1868 - no further record given.

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Anna Louisa Alford - she was born in Crockett, Texas, June 15, 1870 and died at Wills Point, Texas, May 23, 1890.

Their third child was a son who was named

Albert Nelson Alford, Jr. - he was born at his father's plantation between Rice and Chatfield, Navarro County, Texas, May 16, 1874 and died at Wills Point, Nov. 23, 1887.

Their fourth child was a son who was named

Walter Hulbert Alford - he was born at his father's plantation, Oct. 4, 1876 - no other record.

Their fifth child was a daughter who was named

Eve Mary Alford - she was born at Rue, Texas, Sept. 4, 1878 - no other record.

Their sixth child was a daughter who was named

Mary Annie Alford - she was born at Wills Point, Texas, Aug. 31, 1885 and died Oct. 5, 1885.

Their seventh child was a son who was named

Thalbert Nelson Alford (Thalbert is a contraction of the name Thaddie and Albert) - he was born at Wills Point, Texas, Oct. 26, 1887 - no other record.

Their eighth child was a son who was named

Albert Cogswell Alford - he was born at Wills Point, Jan. 1, 1889 - no other record.

Their ninth child was a daughter who was named

Anna Eveline Alford - she was born at Wills Point, June 22, 1891.

Their tenth child was a daughter who was named

Elizabeth Earl Alford - she was born at Wills Point, Oct. 28, 1893.

Their eleventh child was a son who was named

Wil Vir Alford (contraction of name of William & Virning) - he was born Sept. 9, 1895.

Their twelfth child was a son who was named

Fredrick Alford - he was born June 10, 1899.

This completes all the Family Record of Capt. Albert Nelson Alford.

The next leading record is of the tenth child of Capt. George and Sylva Alford, who was a son who was named

Major Johnson Hulbert Alford

He was in all probability born at Detroit, Michigan, April 15, 1802. He died in Jefferson County, Missouri of cholera in 1849 in his 47th year. He married Miss Adelia Bates, widow of Mr. Bates,

deceased. She died about the year 1886 or 1890. Major Johnson H. Alford was elected Clerk of the Court, Jefferson City, Missouri. He went to New Orleans in the spring of 1836 and joined his brother, Gen. George G. Alford, who was Quartermaster General in the Texas Revolutionary Army under Gen. Sam Houston, who had sent him to New Orleans to buy military supplies for the Texas Army - just after the Battle of San Jacinto, which resulted in the annihilation of the Mexican Grand Army of invasion and capture of President Commander-in-Chief Gen. Antonio Lopez de Santa Ana, self-styled "Napoleon of the West". On their way to Galveston on the Texas Brigantine "Julius Caesar", they were captured by the Mexican blockading fleet then at Galveston, Texas. They were put in a horrible dungeon in Matamoros, Mexico and sentenced by a drum-head court-martial to be shot. Through the determined interposition, however, of Gen. Andrew Jackson, President of the United States, they were released after a few months confinement and afterwards returned home. They had two children.

Their eldest child was a son who was named

Chinonda S. Alford - he was named after an Indian boy who was playmate of his father's when a boy in New York, called Chinonda - date of birth not given - he died about the year 1879. He married Miss Comfort Breed, a daughter of a Presbyterian Minister at St. Louis, Missouri. She died Jan. 13, 1878. They had one child, a daughter who was named

Comfort Adaline Alford(Bates-Vegely) - she was born Dec. 21, 1877. She married Mr. Norman O. Vegely at Webster Grove, St. Louis County, Missouri, June 16, 1899. By her fourth husband - deceased - Mrs. Bates. She had one daughter who was named

Sarah Bates (Rankin) - she married Judge Rankin at Perley, Missouri. They had four children, names as follows Sarah A. Rankin, Millie Rankin, Pink Rankin and Belle Rankin (Babcock), she married Mr. Babcock. She died Feb. 28, 1896.

This completes the Family Record of Comfort Adaline Alford Bates Vegely and Chinouda S. Alford.

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Louis Alford(Judge) - birth date not given - she married Mr. Judge. They had children, names unknown and no further record.

This completes the Family Record of Major Johnson Alford and descendants and completes all the Family Records of descendants of Captain George Alford., the fifth son of Col. Benedict Alford and end

Section Eight.