Generalize the Alford Genealogical Tree of Life Seven Lineal Descendants Three Hundred Years - Average of Life About Forty-Three Years

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Later added here by Dr. Corrington Alford's daughter Coraetta Lovisa Alford: great-grandmother of publisher Carol J. Benedict.

Dr. Corrington L. Alford the author of this book died suddenly on Wed. eve. At 7 o'clock Oct 7. 1908. A blood vessel busted in his head, was rational for a short time, then collapsed in unconsciousness struggling for 2 hrs. when death occured(sic).

Section Tenth South Lands

In commenting upon this section of the Alford Genealogical Tree - there were so many uncomplete statements in the records sent me, that it will be impossible to give a correct history and will require a great deal of guess work in connecting family lineal records - which may be true and may not. But will leave it to the Alford's descendants to more fully clear up their family records. I will give what facts have been furnished me by many of the descendants.

Again the traditions of the three brothers appears among some of the family records of the North Carolina Alfords, which should be taken under due consideration. North Carolina and South Carolina separated about the year 1720 - previous to 1717 Carolina had been a proprietary government - but in that year became Royal, one by purchase and continued such until the Revolutionary War. The Provincial Congress met April 1775 and North Carolina was the first of the American Provinces to renounce her allegiance to the English Crown - Declaration of Independence ratified Aug. 1, 1776. The Secession Ordinance passed May 20, 1861 and April 28, 1865, proclamation by Gov. Vance that the Civil War was ended and North Carolina was restored to the Union 1868. In this Civil War most all of the valuable Family Records and history of the North Carlina Alfords were destroyed and by this or through neglect unable to secure a complete history. In the 9th volume of Saunders Colonial Records the name of James Alford and Loderwick Alford appears the subject of some beneficial legislation and by the Colonial Assembly some money was consumed in a dwelling belonging to one

of these and the court was ordered to pay him by Act of the Assembly.

Now take Section Second, Page 17 (original page number), The History of William Alford and his seventh child, Col. Benjamin Alford and his son James Alford born in Boston, Massachusetts, July 19, 1691. You will find his record not complete, who was in the mercantile business with his brother, Hon. John Alford in 1715 he was at that time 24 years of age. At the death of his brother Hon. John Alford in 1761 no mention is made of his brother James Alford, who if then living would have been 70 years old, by past events and this in all probability dissolved partnership and gone out of the mercantile business many years previous and that James Alford left Boston, Massachusetts and settled in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina. And is said that James Alford was very wealthy and owned much property and landed estate.

Now it appears that he had two or more sons and all probability a large family, children, which records could not be found. The names of them given are Capt. James William Zion Alford and Major Loderwick Alford. It appears that the settlement of the Alfords were first in Raleigh, Wake County, North Carolina and was some great many years prior to the Revolutionary War and many of the Alfords were born in this county and emigrated to other counties and states from there.

From one of the descendants - remarks were - they were mostly all large and tall men, blue eyes, very fair complexion or fair skin, dark and chestnut colored, curly hair and men of endurance and great strength. They were 6 feet to 6 feet, 4 inches and 6 feet, 6 inches in height and in weight 175 lbs., 240 lbs. and 265 lbs. and in their pursuits in life were greatly distinguished. Some claim English descent and some say Wales in Great Britain and they had eventually settled in Wake County, North Carolina. In my collection I have many photographs of the Alfords and find resemblances remarkable. In one case I sent my photographs to a North Carolina Alford and he showed it to some of his friends. They said why that is your father, Dr. Alford. He told them not and who it was, then certainly it must be his twin brother for the picture looks just like him. I give this only for illustration. All the Alfords I have seen are very fair complexion. The first in line of Family Record is of a son of James Alford who was born July 19, 1691, was a son named

Captain James William Zion Alford

He was in all probability born in Boston, Massachusetts about the year 1725. He was in the Revolutionary War - and with the forces in the Battles at Cowpens and Guilford Courthouse and was identified throughout the War for Independence. It is said he married Miss Judy Harper of Harper's Ferry, noted family between the years of 1755 and 1760 and by some of the Alfords claim had twenty-one children - some claim thirteen sons and others seven sons and daughters - how true this is not known. But we have records which are supposed to be his children but no conclusive evidence but will give their records as we have received them but not in line of record. Their names are as follows:

Jacob Alford, Anson Alford, Gutridge Alford, Kinchen Alford, Loderwick Alford, Samuel Alford, Warren Alford, Zion Alford, Seth Alford, James Alford, Zadock Alford, Cullen C. Alford and Jules C. Alford. The names of daughters not given. Captain James William Zion Alford and his wife, Judy Alford, died in Wake County, North Carolina. The above names are not given in line of birth as they were not given in one line, Family Record complete.

The first son who was named

Jacob Alford - see later record.

The second son in record, who was named

Anson Alford - he was born in Wake County, North Carolina about 1762 - no other record. The third son in record, who was named

Gutridge Alford - he was born in Wake County, North Carolina about 1764 - no other record.

The fourth son in record, who was named

Kinchen Alford - see next record

The fifth son in line, who was named

Loderwick Alford - see second record.

The sixth son in record, who was named

Samuel Alford - he was born in Wake County, North Carolina - no further record given.

Their seventh son in record, who was named

Warren Alford - see third record.

Their eighth son in record was named

Zion Alford - he was born in Wake County, North Carolina and is said to have had twenty-three children, was married some five times, how true this is not known - as no record, no direct record from any of his descendants or children that could be procured and supposition is must have settled further south.

Their ninth son who was named

Seth Alford - he was born in Wake County, North Carolina - no other record.

The tenth son who was named

James Alford - see fourth record.

The eleventh son who was named

Zadock Alford - he was born in Wake County, North Carolina - no other record.

Their twelfth son who was named

Dr. Cullen C. Alford, MD - he was born in Wake County, North Carolina, about the year 1754. He was in the Revolutionary War in 1776 - what position he held not known. He married Miss Harrison and they settled in Georgia, where he practiced medicine and died there about the year 1815 - no family record given.

The thirteenth son who was named

Hon. Julus C. Alford - he was born in Wake County, North Carolina. He settled in Georgia and by profession Attorney at Law. And was elected to Congress from that state, was married but unable to procure a family record.

This completes the names in record - wherein there was no family record given or general line of descent and not a positive record.

The next in line of record is of the first name in record

Kinchen Alford

He was born in Wake County, North Carolina, about the year 1754 and by occupation a planter and farmer. He married Miss Amelia Wooten about the year 1784. They settled in Georgia. He was in the Revolutionary War but his history not completely given. They had four children and probably more.

Their first child was a son who was named

James Wooten Alford - he was born in Georgia about the year 1808. He was a planter and farmer by occupation - was not married - died in Georgia.

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Phariba S. Alford(Hudson) - she was born in Georgia about the year 1810. She married Dr. Hudson in 1830. They moved to Texas where she died in 1869.

Their third child was a son who was named

John Rodgers Alford - see next record.

Their fourth child was a daughter who was named

Mary Alford(Beall) - she was born in Georgia about the year 1812. She married Dr.

A. R. Beall. They moved and settled in Texas, where she died in 1882.

This completes the Family Record of Kinchen and Amelia Alford.

The next in line of record is of their son who was named

Hon. John Rogers Alford

He was born in Georgia about the year 1810 and by occupation a planter and farmer. He was in the military service in 1836 and was elected to the Legislature of Georgia, which he served with great distinction. Also elected from Chambers County, Alabama, where he died in 1880 in his 70th year. He married Miss Amelia S. Beall. They had fourteen children.

Their eldest child was a son who was named

John Romeleus Alford - he was born in Georgia, near Lafayette, Chambers County, Alabama about the year 1835 - no other record.

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Josephene Alford - she was born in Chambers County, Alabama 1839 - no other record.

Their third child was a son who was named

Augustus Alford - he was born in Chambers County, Alabama, 1839 - no other record. Their fourth child was a daughter who was named

Mary E. Alford - she was born in Chambers County, Alabama, 1841 - no other record. Their fifth child was a daughter who was named

Lenora Alford - she was born in Chambers County, Alabama, 1842 - no other record. Their sixth child was a son who was named

Ashur O. Alford - he was born in Chambers County, Alabama, 1845 - no other record. Their seventh child was a daughter who was named

Emma Alford - she was born in Chambers County, Alabama, 1847 - no other record. Their eighth child was a son who was named

Elijah Alford - he was born in Chambers County, Alabama, 1849 - no other record. Their ninth child was a son who was named

W. T. Alford - he was born in Chambers County, Alabama, 1851 - no other record. Their tenth (or eleventh) child was a son who was named

James Wooten Alford - see next record.

Their eleventh child was a son who was named

Kinchen Alford - he was born in Chambers County, Alabama, 1855 - no other record.

Their thirteenth child was a son who was named

Eybert B. Alford - he was born in Chambers County, Alabama, 1857 - no other record.

Their fourteenth chld was a son who was named

George A. Alford - he was born in Chambers County, Alabama, 1859 - no other record.

This completes all the Family Record of John R. and Amelia Alford.

The next in line of record is of their son who was named

James Wooten Alford

He was born in Chambers County, Alabama about the year 1853. He was by occupation a merchant. He married Miss Jarira Garwible about the year 1881. They had six children.

Their eldest child was a son who was named

John T. Alford - he was born in Chambers County, Alabama, 1822 - no other record. Their second child was a daughter who was named

Augie E. Alford - she was born in Chambers County, Alabama, 1884 - no other record.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Alma N. Alford - she was born in Chambers County, Alabama, 1886 - no other record. Their fourth child was a daughter who was named

Pearl A. Alford - she was born in Chambers County, Alabama, 1888 - no other record. Their fifth child was a daughter who was named

Irene B. Alford - she was born in Chambers County, Alabama, 1890 - no other record. Their sixth child was a daughter who was named

Ruby Beal Alford - she was born in Chambers County, Alabama, 1892 - no other record.

This completes the Family Record of James Wooten Alford and Jarvia Alford.

Note: In a letter from James W. Alford - says "I weigh 265 lbs. - E.B. Alford my brother 240 lbs. my brother A.O. Alford 175 lbs. and 6 ft 6 in. High - Kenchen B. Alford 6 ft 4 in height and wt 210 lbs. - my brother George A. Alford wt 233 lbs. and height 6 ft. 5 in. And my father says his father was elected to the Legislature for a number of years from Chambers County, Alabama - my father's uncle Julus C. Alford was a Congressman from Georgia - were all large men, blue eyes and fair skin and dark hair".

The next in line of record is of the fourth son Capt. James and Judy Alford who was named Major Loderwick Alford

He was born in Wake County, North Carolina, Mar. 30, 1768 and was by occupation a planter and farmer. He was in the militia service and was Major in the Revolutionary War and Indian Wars - also served the state with distinction. He died in Wayne County, North Carolina, 1823 in his 55th year. He married Miss Mary Hall about the year 1785. By thorough investigation the names of all their children are not given - but the names of nine children are given and

The eldest child was a daughter who was named

Delana Alford - she was born in Wake County, North Carolina, 1786 - no further record.

Their second child was a son who was named

Green Alford - see next record.

Their third child was a son who was named

Kader Alford - he was born in Wake County, North Carolina, 1790 - no further record.

Their fourth child was a daughter who was named

Polly Alford - she was born in Wake County, North Carolina, 1792 - no further record.

Their fifth child was a daughter who was named

Susan H. Alford(Vail) - she was born in Wake County, North Carolina, 1794 and she married Rev. W. Vail - no further record.

Their sixth child was a son who was named

Loderwick P. Alford - see record further on - (in doubt)

Their seventh child was a son who was named

James Bryant Alford, MD, DD - see second record

Their eighth child was a son who was named

Hudson Alford - he was born in Wake County, North Carolina, 1800 - no other record.

Their ninth child was a son who was named

William Gaston Alford - see third record

This completes all the Family Record able to secure of Major Loderwick & Mary Alford and their and their children.

The next in line of descent is of their first son who was named

Green Alford

He was born in Wake County, North Carolina about the year 1788 and was by occupation a planter and farmer. He died at Cary, North Carolina in 1848 in his 60th year. He married Miss Nancy Rose Liles about the year 1806. He was one of the first settlers of Wakefield, North Carolina and was the founder and named the place. They had eleven children.

Their eldest child was a daughter who was named

Pesthe Alford(Howell) - she was born in Wakefield, Wake County, North Carolina, about the year 1808. She married Mr. Archabald Howell - no other record.

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Hawkins Alford(Jones) - she was born in Wakefield, Wake County, North Carolina, about the year 1810. She married Mr. William Jones. She died at Apex, North Carolina 1897 in her 87th year.

Their third child was a son who was named

William Alford - he was born in Wakefield, Wake County, North Carolina about the year 1812. He was by occupation a planter and farmer. He was a soldier in the Confederate service, serving throughout the Civil

War. He died at Cary, North Carolina. He married Miss Lucy Wery and have a family - no other record.

Their fourth child was a daughter who was named

Luinary Alford(Morning) - she was born in Wakefield, Wake County, North Carolina 1816. She married Mr. F. G. Morning. She died at Apex, North Carolina - no other record.

Their fifth child was a daughter who was named

Susan Alford(Adams) - she was born in Wakefield, Wake County, North Carolina, 1816. She married Mr. Ideritoro Adams - no other record.

Their sixth child was a daughter who was named

Clary Alford(Yates) - she was born in Wakefield, Wake County, North Carolina, 1818. She married Mr. Calvin Yates. She died at Cary, North Carolina.

Their seventh child was a son who was named

Green Haywood Alford - see next record.

Their eighth child was a daughter who was named

Marilda Alford(Gully) - she was born in Wakefield, Wake County, North Carolina, 1822. She married Mr. William Gully - no other record.

Their ninth child was a daughter who was named

Polly Alford(Steadman) - she was born in Wakefield, Wake County, North Carolina 1824. She married Mr. J. B. Steadman - no other record.

Their tenth child was a daughter who was named

Hellen Alford(Edwards) - she was born in Wakefield, Wake County, North Carolina, 1826. She married Mr. Joseph Edwards - no other record.

Their eleventh child was a daughter who was named

Nina Alford(Williams) - she was born in Wakefield, Wake County, North Carolina, 1829. She married Mr. Robert E. Williams. She died at Raleigh, North Carolina, Dec. 18, 1897.

This completes the Family Record of Green and Nancy Alford.

The next in line of record is of their seventh child who was named

Capt. Green Haywood Alford

He was born in Wakefield, Wake County, North Carolina, June 7, 1820, occupation not given. He took active part in politics and he was for a number of years in the County Court (in what capacity not given) of Wake County, North Carolina, before the Civil War and a member of the State Legislature during the war and served as Captain of the Home Guards of Wake County, North Carolina. He married Miss. Rebecca Jones in 1843. He died at Holly Springs, North Carolina, Dec. 13, 1878 in his 58th year. They had seven children.

Their eldest child was a son who was named

Green Benton Alford - see next record.

Their second child was a son who was named

A. J. Alford - he was born near Cary, Wake County, North Carolina, Jan. 1847. His occupation is turpentine lumber and boating. He was in the Confederate

service during the Civil War. He married Miss Virginia Clements in 1867. They have two children.

Their eldest child was a daughter who was named

Majard Alford - she was born in 1869 - no other record.

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Hallie Alford - she was born in 1871 - no other record.

They all reside at Carrabelle, Florida

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Lulen Alford(Jones) - she was born near Cary, Wake County, North Carolina, Feb. 1848. She married Mr. Charles E. Jones and they reside at Holly Springs, North Carolina.

Their fourth child was a son who was named

Columbus A. Alford - he was born near Cary, Wake County, North Carolina, Feb. 1850. He is by occupation a manufacturer of naval stores - mill and saw milling. He married Miss Martha Kenner - no further record.

Their fifth child was a daughter who was named

Francis Alford(Olive) - she was born near Cary, Wake County, North Carolina, Mar. 1, 1852. She married Mr. N. J. Olive - she died at Parkersville, Georgia, 1893.

Their sixth chld was a daughter who was named

Blanche Alford(Goodwin) - she was born near Cary, Wake County, North Carolina, April 8, 1857. She married Mr. F. K. Goodwin. He is in the naval store business at Willingham, Florida, where they reside.

Their seventh child was a son who was named

W. K. H. Alford - he was born near Cary, Wake County, North Carolina, Oct. 7, 1863. He married Miss Ella Norris - no further record.

This completes the Family Record of Capt. Green H. and Rebecca Alford.

The next in line of record is of their first son who was named

Green Benton Alford

He was born near Cary, Wake County, North Carolina, July 24, 1845. He is by occupation a planter and merchant. He was in the Confederate Cavalry during the Civil War. He married Miss Charlotte A. Oliver in 1878. They reside at Holly Springs, North Carolina. They have 2 children.

Their eldest child was a daughter who was named

Mattie V. Alford - she was born at Holly Springs, North Carolina, Oct. 24, 1880 and resides at Holly Springs with her parents.

Their second child was a son who was named

Green Haywood Alford - he was born at Holly Springs, North Carolina, Oct. 9, 1882. They all reside at Holly Springs, North Carolina.

This completes the Family Record of Green B. and Mattie Alford.

The next in line of record is of the eighth child of Major Loderwick and Mary Alford who was named

Dr. James Bryant Alford, MD, DD, PhD

He was born in Wake County, North Carolina, April 26, 1813. He was distinguished as a great philanthropist, an able divine and minister of the M.E. Church of the North Carolina Conference. He was Chaplin in the Confederate service during the Civil War 1861. He gave his service for his fellow man and was loved by all for his noble Christian character. He married Miss S. E. Leach, Jan. 1, 1835. They settled in Raleigh, North Carolina and in 1842 they moved and settled at Oakford, near Trinity College, South Carolina in which college he was identified with. He died at Oakford, Sept. 6, 1883 in his 70th year and beloved by all who knew him. They had five children.

Their eldest child was a son who was named

William Loderwick Alford, AM, LLD - he was born at Raleigh, North Carolina, Aug. 18, 1838. He was not married and was an able young man and prospects for doing great good. He died at Oakford, North Carolina, May 27, 1861 in his 28th year.

Their second child was a son who was named

Henry Madison Alford - see next record

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Mary Julian Alford(Ballance) - she was born at Oakford, North Carolina, Jan. 12, 1844. She married Mr. John W. Balance, Jan. 1, 1895. He is by occupation a merchant and they reside at Lewiston, North Carolina.

Their fourth child was a daughter who was named

Lelia Gaston Alford - she was born at Oakford, North Carolina, Aug. 28, 1854 - unmarried. She died at Greensboro, North Carolina in 1876 in her 22nd year.

Their fifth child was a daughter who was named

Margaret Leach Alford - she was born at Oakford, North Carolina, Dec. 8, 1859, unmarried and resides at Oakford near Trinity College, North Carolina.

This completes all the Family Record of Dr. James B. and S. E. Alford.

The next in line of record is of their son who was named

Col. Henry Madison Alford, MD, AB, PhD

He was born at Raleigh, North Carolina, July 2, 1840. He was by profession a Doctor of Medicine and Surgeon. He served as Lieutenant Colonel in the Southern Confederacy during the Civil War 1861, Regiment 42, North Carolina Troops. He served with great gallantry and bravery. He married Miss Matilda H. Eckel, June 10, 1872. He died at Greensboro, North Carolina, July 30, 1893 in his 53rd year, greatly respected for his noble qualities and charitable benevolence. They had three children.

Their eldest child was a daughter who was named

Elizabeth Alford(Ballance) - she was born in Greensboro, North Carolina, Jan. 18, 1873. She married Mr. H. C. Ballance, dec. 29, 1897. He is a traveling salesman and resides in Baltimore, Maryland.

Their second child was a son who was named

Alex Eakel Bryan Alford - he was born in Greensboro, North Carolina, May 18, 1874, unmarried and engaged in the wholesale drug business at Greensboro, North Carolina, where he at present resides with his aged mother.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Kate Eakel Alford - she was born in Greensboro, North Carolina, Jan. 18, 1876 and died in Greensboro, North Carolina, May 26, 1876.

This completes the Family Record of Dr. Henry M. and Matilda Alford.

The next in line of record is of the eighth child of Loderwick and Mary Alford who was named William Gaston Alford

He was born in Wake County, North Carolina, about the year 1815 and by occupation a planter and farmer. He died in Wake County, North Carolina in 1897 in his 82nd year, greatly endeared to all who knew him. He married Miss J. C. Kornijay about the year 1833. They had nine children.

Their eldest child was a daughter who was named

Amanda W. Alford(Robins) - she was born in Wake County, North Carolina, about the year 1834 she married Mr. J. A. Robins who is by profession Attorney-at-Law. He was in the Confederate service in the Civil War 1861 and was killed in Kentucky - no other record.

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Sue E. Alford(Lee) - she was born in Wake County, North Carolina about the year 1836. She died at Lee, Florida in 1892, in her 56th year. She married Mr. James Lee, who was by occupation a merchant and they resided at Lee, Florida - no other record.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Maggie E. Alford(Isney) - she was born in Wake County, North Carolina, about the year 1838. She married Mr. John K. Isney. They reside at Enfield, North Carolina.

Their fourth child was a son who was named

J. D. Alford - he was born in Wake County, North Carolina, about the year 1840 - no other record.

Their fifth child was a daughter who was named

Mariah Alford - she was born in Wake County, North Carolina, about the year 1842 - no other record.

Their sixth child was a son who was named

James Alford - he was born in Wake County, North Carolina, about the year 1844 - no other record.

Their seventh child was a son who was named

Edward H. Alford - see next record.

Their eighth child was a son who was named

Willie Gaston Alford - he was born in Wake County, North Carolina, 1848. He married Miss E A. Sturgis - no further record.

Their ninth child was a daughter who was named

Fanny W. Alford(Grace) - she was born in Wake County, North Carolina, 1850. She married Mr. E. S. Grace - no other record.

This completes the Family Record of William G. and J.C. Alford.

The next in line of record is of their seventh child, a son who was named Edward H. Alford

He was born in Wake County, North Carolina about the year 1846. He is by occupation a merchant and planter. He enlisted in the Confederate service during the Civil War 1861. He married Miss Mary N. Walden in 1879. They reside at Tallahassee, Florida. They had six children.

Their eldest son was a child who was named

Edward H. Alford, Jr. - he was born in Tallahassee, Florida, 1882. He died in 1896 in his 14th year.

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Mary E. Alford - she was born in Tallahassee, 1884, resides with her parents.

Their third child was a son who was named

Ruthlege J. Alford - he was born in Tallahassee, Florida, 1886 resides with his parents.

Their fourth child was a son who was named

Mesine Walden Alford - he was born in Tallahassee, Florida, 1890.

Their fifth child was a daughter who was named

Hellen A. Alford - she was born in Tallahassee, Florida, 1892.

Their sixth child was a daughter who was named

Marion Amanda Alford - she was born in Tallahassee, Florida, 1892 - probably a twin to Hellen.

They all reside in Tallahassee, Florida.

This completes the Family Record of Edward H. and Mary Alford and the descendants of Dr. James Bryan Alford.

The next in line of record is of the sixth son of Capt. James and Judy Alford who was named Warren Alford

He was born in Wake County, North Carolina, about the year 1769. It is said he was in the militia service in the Revolutionary and Indian Wars. He was by occupation a merchant. He died at Raleigh, North Carolina, date not given. He married Miss Elizabeth Ward about the year 1788. They had three children.

Their eldest child was a daughter who was named

Elizabeth Alford - she was born in Raleigh, North Carolina, about the year 1789 - no further record given.

Their second child was a son who was named

Benjamin W. Alford - see next record.

Their third child was a son who was named

James Alford - he was born in Raleigh, North Carolina, 1793 and died in infancy.

This completes the Family Record of Warren and Elizabeth Alford.

The next in line of record is of their second child, a son, who was named

Benjamin W. Alford

He was born in Raleigh, North Carolina about the year 1789. He was in the militia service and by

occupation a contractor. He died in Norfolk, Virginia, March 1856 in his 67th year. He married Miss Martha Cherry Pugh in 1809. She was the daughter of Colonel Pugh, who was a soldier and Colonel in the Revolutionary Army and served the Patriot cause with great distinction. Benjamin and Martha Alford had but one child, a daughter who was named

Elizabeth A. Alford(Miles) - she was born in Portsmouth, North Carolina, in the year 1811. She married Mr. Isaac Miles in 1827. He was an uncle to Gen. George F. Miles, Commanding General in the United States service. She died at Baltimore, Maryland, Dec. 1894 in her 83rd year. They had ten children.

Their eldest child was a son who was named

Fredrick Miles - he was born in Portsmouth, North Carolina, 1828 - no other record. Their second child was a daughter who was named

E. Cornelia Miles - she was born in Baltimore, Maryland, about 1830 - no other record.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Georgia A. Miles - she was born in Baltimore, Maryland, about 1832 - no other record.

Their fourth child was a son who was named

Albert A. Miles - he was born in Baltimore, Maryland, 1834 - no other record.

Their fifth child was a son who was named

Benjamin Miles - he was born in Baltimore, Maryland, 1836 - no other record.

Their sixth child was a daughter who was named

Martha Miles - she was born in Baltimore, Maryland, 1838 - no other record.

Their seventh child was a daughter who was named

Virginia Miles - she was born probably in Baltimore, Maryland, 1840 - no other record.

Their eighth child was a son who was named

Alford Miles - he was born probably in Baltimore, Maryland, 1842 - no other record. Their ninth child was a son who was named

Charles F. Miles - he was born probably in Baltimore, Maryland, 1844 - no other record.

Their tenth child was a daughter who was named

Fanny Miles - she was in all probability born in Baltimore, Maryland - no other record. They all live in Baltimore, Maryland or Walbrook, Clifton Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland. We were unable to secure dates of birth and place of birth or marriage.

This completes the Family Record of Elizabeth A. Alford Miles.

The next in line of record is of the sixth son of Capt. James and Judy Alford.

In the following name series of the descendants claim the name was spelled "Ludwig" but the original name given in records was Loderwick and some descendants give it that way and so will unto the name as follows

Colonel Loderwick P. Alford

He was born in Wake County, North Carolina, about the year 1812 and died in 1897 in his 85th year. He was married to whom not known and had a large family. In tracing up his history some said he went further south whilst others said he moved to Texas.

Since writing the above we received a letter from our cousin Col. George F. Alford in which he states the following:

"Col. Loderwick P. Alford of Marshall, Texas, who died in 1897 was of a very extensive and wealthy family. One of his sons is a Clerk of the Court at Marshall, Texas. A daughter, named Miss Pet Alford, married a merchant at Texarkana - name not known. A son was killed at San Antonio, Texas, by Jack E. Labott in a personal encounter. There was numerous other children I do not know. After the Civil War - there was a colored Regiment officered by a low, degraded, unprincipled white man - who got drunk and destroyed the beautiful Courthouse and city buildings of Jefferson City - a city of ten thousand inhabitants at that time. It so maddened the citizens that a public meeting was called and addressed by Col. Loderwick P. Alford, in an elegant appeal. So a number of the leading citizens determined to wreak a summary punishment upon the cowardly and brutal man who was in the uniform of an American soldier who had sought the Sheriff of the county - begged to be locked up in the County Jail for safety. They were taken from the jail and all hanged. The colored men scattered to the dense forest of the woods in Bayou bottoms and were not molested by the white citizens. Gen. Philip Sheridan, then of New Orleans, who was Commandant of the Department of the Gulf, immediately dispatched several regiments to the city, who arrested Col. L. P. Alford and a dozen more citizens - lawyers - doctors - bankers - merchants and ministers, etc., and a summary Court Martial sentenced them to be shot. An appeal was taken to President Andrew Johnson, who commuted the punished for life imprisonment. On the accession to the Presidency of Gen. U.S. Grant, Gen. Sam Bill Maxey and Gen. James W. Throckmorton, presented the facts to President Grant, who issued an unconditional pardon and indignantly stated, 'Those patriotic citizens did exactly and worthy of that name'.

This completes the record of Col. Ludwick or Loderwick P. Alford as far as known.

The next in line of record is of a grandson of

Gutridge Alford

Who was a son of Capt. James Alford - whose family record could not be obtained and who the father's name was of Littleburg Alford was is not known. They claim he was the grandson of Gutridge Alford and his name was

Littleburg Alford

He was born in Franklin County, North Carolina, Mar. 8, 1808 and was by occupation a planter and farmer. He died in Franklin County, North Carolina, March, 1878, in his 70th year. He was married twice. His first wife's name was Miss Elizabeth Moore - and some time after her death he married Miss Everline Lewis. The family record sent us gave the names of only two children.

The eldest child was a son who was named

James Howard Alford - he was born in Franklin County, North Carolina, May 17, 1835. He is by occupation a merchant and planter. He married Mis Susan Balkans, Aug. 7, 1855. She died April 2, 1897, no family record sent. He resides in Raleigh N.C. This recd(sic) received from him June 10 1898

Their second child was a son who was named

Monroe Alford - he was born in Franklin County, North Carolina, about the year 1837 - no other record.

This completes the Family Record of Littleburg and Eveline Alford.

The next following record is believed was a son of Warren Alford but not certainly known - as Warren Alford's death appears to be near Raleigh, North Carolina, where he had previously settled. The name of the son was

Drewry Alford

He was born in Wake County, North Carolina, date of birth not given but around 1770. He was by occupation a planter and farmer. He died near Raleigh, North Carolina, 1839. He married Miss Arpy Hunt about the year 1795. She died at Raleigh, North Carolina, 1839. They had eight children.

Their eldest child was a son who was named

Lockhart Alford - he was born in Wake County, North Carolina, about 1796 - no other record.

Their second child was a son who was named

Onir Alford - he was born in Wake County, North Carolina, about the year 1798 - no other record.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Sallie Alford(Williams) - she was born in Wake County, North Carolina, about the year 1800. She married Mr. Jack Williams - no other record.

Their fourth child was a son who was named

Loderwick Alford - see next record.

Their fifth child was a daughter who was named

Polly Alford - she was born in Wake County, North Carolina, about the year 1804 - no other record.

Their sixth child was a son who was named

Cade Alford - he was born in Wake County, North Carolina, about the year 1806 - no other record.

Their seventh child was a daughter who was named

Patsey Alford(Perry) - she was born in Wake County, North Carolina, about 1808. She married Mr. Abram Perry - no other record.

Their eighth child was a daughter who was named

Willma Alford(Johnson) - she was born in Wake County, North Carolina, about the year 1810. She married Mr. William Johnson.

This completes the Family Record of Drewry and Arpy Alford.

The next in line of record is of this fourth child who was a son and named Loderwick Alford

He was born in Wake County, North Carolina, May 30, 1802. He was by occupation a merchant and planter. He died April 25, 1877 in Hart County, Georgia in his 75th year. He married Miss Alsey Simps. She was born Aug. 19, 1821 and is still living at Hartwell, Hart County, Georgia, Jan. 31, 1898. There is five children living. They had more children but names not given.

Their eldest child was a son who was named

Drewy Cade Alford - see next record.

Their second child was a son who was named

James B. Alford - he was born probably in Anderson County, South Carolina, about the year 1858 - and living - but no record of birth or place of birth or residence given.

Their third child was a son who was named

Davis B. Alford - he was probably born in Hartwell, Hart County, Georgia, about the year 1860. He is living but no record of birth place or birth or residence given.

Their fourth child was a daughter who was named

Sally Alford(Dickerson) - she was in all probability born in Hartwell, Hart County, Georgia, 1862 or 4 - as birth date not given. She married Mr. E. R. Dickerson of Clandville, Mississippi and probably resides there.

Their fifth child was a daughter who was named

Emma Alford(Garly) - she was born n Hartwell, Georgia, about the year 1864 or 6. She married Mr. W. R. Garly of Oak Bower, Hart County, Georgia and probably resides there.

This completes the Family Record of Loderwick and Alsey Alford.

The next in line of record is of their first son who was named

Drewry Cade Alford

He was born in Anderson County, South Carolina, Feb. 12, 1856. He is by occupation a merchant and resides at Hartwell, Hart County, Georgia - as no family record was sent us and only a record from a newspaper of his father and himself which is as follows:

'Lodwick Alford was born in Wake County, North Carolina, 1802 and did business in Columbus, Georgia in 1836 and 1837. He moved back to South Carolina and married in 1840. He moved to Anderson County, South Carolina in 1844 and engaged in farming until 1857, when he moved to Hart County, Georgia. In 1858 he was engaged in the grocery business in Hartwell, Georgia and in 1859 he settled what is termed "The Old Homestead", known as the "Alford Oak Bower" and still continued in the mercantile business in Hartwell up to the time of his death in 1877. He was a man of high character and commanded the respect of all. Leaving a large family and the adversities of the Civil War caused his son, Drewry Cade Alford to commence life's battle with very limited capital. He entered the mercantile business at Oak Bower at his father's old house in 1876 and continued up to 1879. At this time he became bookkeeper for Edward Shafer in Hartwell, which position he held up to 1882. After the death of W. J. Snow who was Mr Shafers business manager Mr. D C Alford was given the position made vacant and this position he held until Mr. Shafer discontinued business in 1886. A new firm took up the business. The names composed of

this firm were R. P. Bradley and D. C. Alford, known as Bradley & Alford. The firm was dissolved by mutual consent 1892 and Mr. D. C. Alford continued the business until 1895, when others were associated with him in business. Mr. D. C. Alford had sustained heavy loss by fire but when the ruins of his old warehouse and storehouse were cleared away he has erected a handsome row of brick warehouses and storehouses - which are all occupied and besides Mr. D. C. Alford has recently completed one of the most elegant residences in the place. D. C. Alford is full of enterprise and public spirit and is always to the front in any measure that will help build up Hartwell and he is the largest tax-payer of the place and Chairman of the Democratic Party of Hart County and Director of the Hartwell Bank.'

This completes all the Family Record of D. C. Alford able to secure.

The next in line of record may be a brother or relative, who was named

A. N. Alford

Which is in the same paper of which we copy the following:

'A. N. Alford, General Merchant, was born in Hart County, Georgia and passed his early boyhood on his father's farm. He began his business career as a clerk in Hartwell and taught school at intervals, until 1886 when he embarked in business on his own hook, with the princely capital of fifty dollars. By industry and financial ability he has prospered and now carries a stock of eight thousand dollars. He has moved into his present large and handsome storeroom and is worth in round numbers not a cent less than twenty thousand dollars - which has been his merited success in business.'

This was all the records we were able to secure of the Hartwell Hart Co.Georgia Alfords.

In a letter from D. C. Alford, who says, 'My grandfather, Drewry Alford, was English or an Englishman. My father was Loderwick Alford, who was born in Wake County, North Carolina, May 30, 1802 and died in Hart County, Georgia, April 25, 1877. My name is Drewry Cade Alford, was born in Anderson County, South Carolina, Feb. 12, 1856 and I have two brothers living, James B. Alford and Davis B. Alford, also two sisters, Sallie and Emma Alford. Sallie is now Mrs. E. R. Dickerson of Claudville, Mississippi and Emma is Mrs. E. R. Garley of Oak Bower, Hark County, Georgia. My mother's maiden name was Alsey Simps of North Carolina. She was born Aug. 19, 1821 and still living at Hartwell, Hark County, Georgia, Jan. 31, 1898."

By this the relative link may not be as we have classified there. Again in taking up the next lead record, will give an extract from a letter received Mar. 3, 1898, from an Alford, who says, "My great-great-great-grandfather was Major Loderwick Alford. He came from Wales in Great Britain and lived in Wake or Franklin County, North Carolina. It is said he was married three times and had twenty-one children, one of them, Jacob, came to Robinson County some time in 1750 to 1760, do not know the date, but was here before the time of the Revolutionary War." This problem hard to solve - if above is correct. There must have been another Major Loderwick Alford and record we have not obtained for this reason. The record sent me states that Major Loderwick Alford was born May 30, 1768 and James Alford (pt?) was born July 19, 1691 and that Capt. James William Zion Alford was born about the year 1720 or 5 and the first Jacob Alford was born about the year 1730 or near that or prior to it or 1725. For his oldest son, James Alford, was the founder of Alfordsville,

Robinson County, North Carolina and his brother Major Zion Alford, who was called the 'Fighting Farmer' in the Second Revolutionary War in 1812 - probably born 1785 and his brother 1783, and all the records claim Wake County, North Carolina their birth place except first Jacob and will leave this problem for the North Carolina Alfords to solve.

The next in line of record is

Jacob Alford

Some say he was born in Wake County, North Carolina and others say he came to Robinson County, North Carolina, which both statements may be true and probably a brother to Loderwick Alford than a son or son of Loderwick, brother of Capt. James William Zion Alford as no record of the date of his birth or date of his death are given. He was by occupation a planter and farmer. He married Miss Pace. He died at Alfordsville, Robinson County, North Carolina and probably one of the first settlers and one who was chiefly identified with the Town of Alfordsville. They had eight children.

Their first child was a son who was named

James Alford - see next record.

Their second child was a son who was named

Major Zion Alford - he was born in Wake County, North Carolina - date not given. He was by occupation a farmer and planter and was in the Second Revolutionary War and was called 'The Fighting Farmer'. He married Miss McTyer. He died at Alfordsville, Robinson County, North Carolina - no other record.

Their third child was a son who was named

Wildy Alford - see second record.

Their fourth child was a son who was named

Ancel Alford - he was born in Wake County, North Carolina - date not given. It is not known where he settled but supposed Virginia as no further record was given. Note: "This may be the great-great grandfather of Hon. M. C. Alford of Lexington, Kentucky" a letter dated Dec. 26, 1897 says, "My life has been to(sic) busy one to look up my family history. I have began to search for the old family Bible and have secured a trace of it - my father's name was Cary Fry Alford. My grandfather's name was Nathaniel Alford my great-great grandfathers names Jessie or Ansel Alford."

Their fifth child was a son who was named

Elias Alford - he was born in Wake County, North Carolina, no date given. He was a planter and farmer by occupation. He married Miss Hedgepeth and they moved to South Carolina, where he died - no further record given.

Their sixth child was a son who was named

Warren Alford - he was born in Wake County, North Carolina - no date given. He was by occupation a planter and farmer. He married Miss Little. He died at Alfordsville, North Carolina - no other record.

Their seventh child was a daughter who was named

Charity Alford(Thompson) - she was born in Wake County, North Carolina - no date given. She married Mr. Thompson. She died in Alfordsville, North Carolina -

no other record given.

Their eighth child was a son who was named

Beedy Alford - he was born in Wake County, North Carolina, no date given. He was single and died at Andersonville, North Carolina - no other record.

This completes the Family Record of Jacob and Pace Alford.

The next in line of record is of their son who was named

James Alford

He was born in Wake County, North Carolina, no date given. He was by occupation a merchant planter and farmer and he was the founder of the town of Alfordsville, Robinson County, North Carolina and became quite distinguished in the county affairs. He married Miss McTyer. They moved south and he died at Copiah County, Mississippi. Also his wife died there. They had ten children.

Their eldest child was a son who was named

Jacob Alford - see next record.

Their second child was a son who was named

Julius C. Alford - he was born in Alfordsville, Robinson County, North Carolina - no date given. He was by occupation a planter and farmer and he served in the State Legislature in Mississippi. He married Miss Kitchen and they settled in Crystal Springs, Mississippi, no other record.

Their third child was a son who was named

Elias Alford - he was born in Alfordsville, Robinson County, North Carolina, date not given. He was by occupation a planter and farmer. He married Miss Ard. They moved to Copiah County, Mississippi, where he died, no dates or family record given.

Their fourth child was a son who was named

Kitchen Alford (or Ketsey Alford) - he was born in Alfordsville, North Carolina - no date given. He married Miss Rowan. They moved to Copiah County, Mississippi, where he died - no other record.

Their fifth child was a daughter who was named

Jannie Alford(Wilson) - she was born in Alfordsville, North Carolina - no date given.

She married Mr. Wilson and she died in Miss

Their sixth child was a daughter who was named

Marinda Alford(Thompson) - she was born in Alfordsville, North Carolina. She married Mr. Thompson and she died in Miss - no other record.

Their seventh child was a daughter who was named

Charity Alford - she was born at Alfordsville, North Carolina - no dates given. She was not married and died in Tennessee - no other record given.

Their eighth child was a daughter who was named

Agnes Alford - she was born in Alfordsville, North Carolina, no other record.

Their ninth child was a daughter who was named

Mary Alford - she was born at Alfordsville, North Carolina, no date given. She was single and died at Copiah County, Mississippi.

Their tenth child was a daughter who was named

Winnie Alford - she was born in Alfordsville, North Carplina, no date given. She was single and died in Louisiana.

This completes the Family Record of James and McTyer Alford.

The next in line of record is of their first son who was named

Jacob Alford

He was born in Alfordsville, Robinson County, North Carolina, about the year 1789. He was by occupation a planter and farmer. He was married three times. His first wife's name was Miss Mary McKay, whom he married in 1819 and they had one child. After her death he married in 1825 for his second wife, Miss Catharine McKay, by her he had seven children. After her death he married in 1842 Miss Patience Thompson and by her had three children. Jacob and his wives all died at Alfordsville, Robinson County, North Carolina. They had in all twelve children.

Their eldest child was a son who was named

Dr. John Alford, MD - he was born at Alfordsville, North Carolina, about the year 1821. He was by profession Doctor of Medicine and farmer. He married Miss McKay and died at Crystal Springs, Mississippi, no further record.

Their second child was a son who was named

Dr. Malcom Alford, MD - he was born in Alfordsville, North Carolina, about the year 1826, unmarried and by profession a Doctor of Medicine. He was in the Confederate Service during the Civil War and not known where he died.

Their third child was a son who was named

James Alford - he was born at Alfordsville, North Carolina, about the year 1828. He was a Lieutenant in the Confederate Army during the Civil War and he settled in Texas, where he died. Whether he married and what occupation he followed is not known.

Their fourth child was a daughter who was named

*Mary Ann Alford(McLeod) - she was born in Alfordsville, North Carolina, about the year 1830. She married Mr. McLeod. He was by occupation a carpenter. They moved to Alabama, where she died.

Their fifth child was a daughter who was named

Margarette Alford(McLeod) - she was born in Alfordsville, North Carolina, about the year 1832. She married Mr.McLeon and she lives in South Carolina - no other record.

Their sixth child was a son who was named

Ducan Alford - he was born in Alfordsville, North Carolina, about the year 1834, unmarried, by occupation a carpenter and died in Alabama 1855.

Their seventh child was a son who was named

R. T. Alford - he was born in Alfordsville, North Carolina about the year 1836, unmarried. He was a Private in the Confederate Service during the Civil War 1861 and was killed at Sharpsburg, Maryland in 1863.

Their eighth child was a son who was named

Jacob C. B. Alford - he was born at Alfordsville, North Carolina, about the year 1838

and by occupation a merchant. He married Miss Diana McEalem and they live at Bennettsville, North Carolina.

Their ninth child was a son who was named

Nathan T. Alford - see next record.

Their tenth child was a daughter who was named

Charlotte D. Alford(McGirt) - she was born in Alfordsville, North Carolina, about the year 1848 and she married Mr. Elison McGirt. He is a farmer and lives at Columbus County, North Carolina.

Their eleventh child was a son who was named

Julus Elias Alford - he was born in Alfordsville, North Carolina, about the year 1850 and by occupation a farmer and resides in Richmond, North Carolina.

Their twelfth child was a son who was named

Wiley C. Alford - he was born in Alfordsville, North Carolina, about the year 1852 and is by occupation a planter and farmer. He married Miss Rhoda Bullock and they reside at Rowland, North Carolina - no further record.

This completes the Family Record of Jacob Alford and his wives.

The next in line of record is of their son who was named

Nathan T. Alford

He was born at Alfordsville, North Carolina, about the year 1843. He is by occupation a planter and farmer. He was in the Confederate Service during the Civil War 1861. He married Miss Dina McCullen in 1867 and they reside at Rowland, North Carolina. They had ten children.

Their eldest child was a son who was named

D. McCullen Alford - he was born in Alfordsville, North Carolina, 1868 and by occupation a telegraph operator. He married Miss Josie Harrel in 1896 and they reside at Aulander, North Carolina. They have one child, a daughter who was named Nellie D. Alford, born in 1897.

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Mary M. Alford(McGorgan) - she was born at Alfordsville, North Carolina in 1869. She married Mr. M. T. McGorgan in 1892 and they reside at Shannon, North Carolina.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Cardeline P. Alford(Pitman) - she was born at Alfordsville, North Carolina, 1871. She married Mr. H. B. Pitman 1895 and they reside at Lumberton, North Carolina.

Their fourth child was a daughter who was named

Charlotte O. D. Alford - she was born at Alfordsville, North Carolina, 1873 and resides at Rowland, North Carolina.

Their fifth child was a son who was named

Jacob Wiley Alford - he was born in Alfordsville, North Carolina, 1875 and resides at Rowland, North Carolina.

Their sixth child was a daughter who was named

Kate Dina Alford - she was born at Alfordsville, North Carolina, 1877 and resides at

Rowland, North Carolina.

Their seventh child was a daughter who was named

Margerette Jane Alford - she was born at Alfordsville, North Carolina, 1880 and she resides at Rowland, North Carolina.

Their eighth child was a daughter who was named

Roena Ellen Alford - she was born at Alfordsville, North Carolina in 1882 and she resides at Rowland, North Carolina.

Their ninth child was a son who was named

Nathan E. Alford - he was born at Alfordsville, North Carolian in 1883 and resides at Rowland, North Carolina.

Their tenth child was a daughter who was named

Florence Virginia Alford - she was born at Alfordsville, North Carolina in 1885 and she resides at Rowland, North Carolina.

This completes the Family Record of Nathan and Dina Alford.

The next in line of record is of the son of Jacob and Pace Alford who was named Wildy Alford

He was born in Wake County, North Carolina, about the year 1788 but no birth date given. He was by occupation a planter and farmer. He married Miss Drake and they moved and settled in Wilson County, Tennessee and had a large family but unable to procure a family record. But since writing the above I received a letter from:

Hon. William H. Alford

A very distinguished citizen and lawyer of San Francisco, California who has been at the head of the Democratic party of California and a member of the Legislature, etc. and whose office is now (Oct. 1, 1899) in the Chriner Bldg., No. 503, California St. and residence 2313 California St., San Francisco, California, "says that his grandfather's name was Wildy Alford, that he moved from North Carolina to Wilson County, Tennessee where his father Dr. Benjamin Michael Alford was born 1833. That his father Dr. B. M. Alford with his two brothers Col. James P. Alford and Edmund Alford moved to Texas in 1856 and settled in Bowie County, Texas where his mother was born and where his father and mother were married in 1865 and where the Hon. William H. Alford was born in 1866. His father Dr. Benjamin M. Alford was a graduate of the Medical Department of the University of Nashville, Tennessee and he practiced medicine for about forty-five years and was Surgeon of the Confederate Service for four years under Gen. E. Kirby Smith - Beauregard - Bratton Bragg - Joseph E. Johnson and John B. Hood and was in many of the principal battles of the Civil War. Dr. Benjamin M. Alford and wife now live in Tulare County, California and he has a daughter who is named Josephine Pearl Alford(Haslan). She married Mr. W. D. Haslan of Santa Cruz, California."

This completes the Family Record able to secure of Wildy and Drake Alford.

The next following record we have spent a great deal of time to secure facts relative wherein we could connect the following record but suppose came from some of the descendants of someone the North Carolina Alfords but from what source unable to find. From letters we have received there is or was a Henry Alford and other Alfords whom I have failed to receive any Family Records from and

they reside in Wake County, North Carolina. There was an Alford, what his given name was not known, settled about the time of the Revolutionary War in Stokes County, North Carolina and was a farmer and had a large family and many died there - but whether this Alford is of that family not known - but wil give this record amongst the North Carolina Alfords and at any time we should be able to secure further information will include it in records farther on. He was named

John Alford

He was born in Stokes County, North Carolina, Nov. 7, 1787 and was by occupation a planter and farmer. He married Miss P. Markland about the year 1811. They moved from there coming west and settled in Marion County, Indiana, about the year 1833 and afterward moved and settled at Thorntown, Boone County, Indiana, where he died in the year 1865 in his 78th year. The date of death of his wife not given. They had eleven children.

Their eldest child was a son who was named

Andrew Alford - he was born in Stokes County, North Carolina, Aug. 17, 1812. He was by occupation a farmer. He married Miss Sarah Poggett about the year 1832. They came with their parents and finally settled at Zionsville, Indiana, where he died in the eyar 1866 in his 54th year - could not obtain family record.

Their second child was a son who was named

Johnathan Alford - he was born in Stokes County, North Carolina, Nov. 4, 1813 and was by occupation a merchant grocer. He came west with his parents and finally settled at Zionsville, Indiana, where he died 1867 in his 54th year. He married Miss Sarah Price - unable to secure any family record.

Their third child was a son who was named

William Alford - he was born in Stokes County, North Carolina, Oct. 8, 1815. He was by occupation a farmer and came to Indiana with his parents. He married Miss Rebecca Boardman about the year 1837 and they settled at Thorntown, Indiana, where he died 1868 in his 53rd - unable to procure family record.

Their fourth child was a son who was named

Matthew Alford - he was born in Stokes County, North Carolian, Aug. 3, 1817 and came west with his parents. He was by occupation a hotel proprietor. He married Miss Sarah Jennings and they moved and finally settled in California where he died 1863 in his 46th year - no other record.

Their fifth child was a son who was named

John T. Alford - see next record.

Their sixth child was a son who was named

Thomas G. Alford - he was born in Stokes County, North Carolina, June 7, 1824. He was by occupation a wholesale grocer in Indianapolis, Indiana. He came with his parents and finally settled at Indianapolis. He married Miss Josephine Vandrecain. He died in Indianapolis, Indiana, no date of death or family record could be secured.

Their seventh child was a son who was named

Agustine Alford - he was born in Marion County, Indiana (Stokes County, North Carolina is written above), Sept. 30, 1826 and was by occupation a merchant.

He served five years in the United States service. He was married to whom not known. They settled in Woodstock, Iowa - but returned and died at Anderson, Indiana 1861 in his 35th year.

Their eighth child was a daughter who was named

Mary M. Alford(Foreman) - she was born in Marion County, Indiana (crossed out and Stokes County, North Carolina written above), June 30, 1829. She married Mr. Lewis Foreman - she died at Indianapolis in 1893 in her 64th year - no other record.

Ambrose A. Alford - see second record.

Their tenth child was a daughter who was named

Nancy E. Alford(Holbrook) - she was born in Marion, Indiana, Sept. 17, 1832. She married Mr. John F. Holbrook and they reside at Indianapolis, Indiana - no further record given.

Their eleventh child was a son who was named

Benjamin F. Alford - he was born in Marion County, Indiana(crossed out and Salem, Forsyth County, North Carolina written above), April 7, 1834 and by occupation a moulder. He married Miss Mary Barnes and they reside at Anderson, Indiana - no family record given.

This completes the Family Record of John and Polly Alford.

The next in line of record is of their son who was named

John T. Alford

He was born in Stokes County, North Carolina, April 7, 1822 and was by occupation a plasterer. He came to Indiana with his parents. He married Miss Sarah F. Gill, June 7, 1847 and they finally settled at Thorntown, Indiana, where he died Nov. 11, 1887, in his 65th year. They had seven children.

Their eldest child was a daughter who was named

Fanny Alford(Garten) - she was born at Indianapolis, Indiana, Nov. 7, 1848. She married Mr. Dr. W. H. Garten, Nov., 1871. He was born in Springville, Indiana, Nov. 1, 1846 and by profession a doctor of medicine. They first settled at Dover, Illinois and moved from there and settled at Lincoln, Nebraska, where they now reside. They had one child, a daughter, who was named

Blanche Estella Garten - she was born at Dover, Illinois, Nov. 1, 1874 - no further record

Their second child was a daughter who was named

Josephine Alford(Allen) - she was born at Zionsville, Indiana, Dec., 1854. She married Capt. D. F. Allen, May, 1875. She died June 26, 1896. She had three children.

Their eldest child was a son who was named

Joseph Allen - he was born in Thorntown, Indiana, 1876.

Their second child was a son who was named

Richard Allen - he was born in Thorntown, Indiana, 1878.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Clara Allen - she was born in Thorntown, Indiana, 1880.

They all reside at Thorntown, Indiana.

Their third child was a daughter who was named

Emma Alford(Armstrong) - she was born at Zionsville, Indiana, Nov. 1857. She married Mr. Frank Armstrong, Oct. 12, 1893. They reside at Thorntown, Indiana.

Their fourth child was a son who was named

Tilghman A. Alford - he was born at Zionsville, Indiana, Mar. 13, 1859 and by occupation a stock dealer. He married Miss Etta Test, June 14, 1881. They reside at Frankfort, Indiana.

Their fifth child was a son who was named

John W. Alford - he was born at Zionsville, Indiana, Dec. 22, 1863 and by occupation a plasterer. He was killed Dec. 19, 1882 at Frankfort, Indiana.

Their sixth child was a son who was named

Thomas G. Alford - he was born at Thorntown, Indiana, Aug. 5, 1865 and by occupation a carriage manufacturer. He married Miss Rose Bexley, Aug. 19, 1883 and they reside at Des Moines, Iowa.

Their seventh child was a daughter who was named

Anna Alford(Young) - she was born in Thorntown, Indiana, May 24, 1868. She married Mr. Omar B. Young, Oct. 12, 1888. She died at Thorntown Indiana March 30 1889.

This completes the Family Record of John and Sarah Alford.

The next in line of record is of the ninth child and son of John and Polly Alford who was named Ambrose A. Alford

He was born in Marion County, Indiana, Mar. 6, 1836. He was by occupation a cigar and tobacco dealer. He married Miss Josephine Spann. They resided in Indianapolis, Indiana, where he died May 18, 1898, in his 62nd year. They had four children.

Their eldest child was a son who was named

William E. Alford - he was born in Boone County, Indiana, June 8, 1861 - occupation not given. He married Miss Sadie Weaver. They moved to California where he died 1895.

Their second child was a son who was named

Thomas A. Alford - he was born in Boone County, Indiana, Oct. 29, 1863 and resides at Indianapolis, Indiana.

Their third child was a son who was named

George N. Alford - he was born in Boone County, Indiana, Oct. 2, 1873 and by occupation a druggist and resides at Indianapolis, Indiana - no further record.

Their fourth child was a son who was named

Berry G. Alford - he was born in Boone County, Indiana, Jan. 12, 1874 and resides at Indianapolis, Indiana - no further record given.

This completes the Family Record of Ambrose and Josephine Alford and all the descendants been able

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