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Lewis Switzer (Schweitzer/Sweitzer) of Clarion Co. Pa.

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Searching for Lewis Switzer's Pre Clarion Co. (1804) place of residence and other family members. Lewis Switzer (name spelling previously Sweitzer and Schweitzer) arrived in Clarion Co about 1804 and we have no clue as to where he may have come from. We have found connections to our family with the Colwell's and Barlett's, both from Berks Co but have not proven a connection to Berks County to date. Anyone who might have a Lewis/ Ludwig/Laurence in their family b. 1750 ca please contact us. We do have a family oral history similar to that of the Peter Schweitzer who married Elizabeth Heffelfinger in Berks Co and family rumors say that we were in Lancaster, Philadelphia, German town area early on and we suspect the possibility of Maryland around 1800.

Current research is being done on a Lewis Switzer (Ludwig) in Maryland that could be this Lewis in Clarion. We found and have sent for copies of the Shriver papers where there is an insolvency case concerning one Ludwig/Luther/Lewis Switzer in Md 1801-1802. This is the same Ludwig Switzer married to Maudlin Yingling. The Yinglings, Sloughenhoupts, and others from that area make their way to Clarion Co. Pa.

New research Whitmer connections

We have recently learned that a Joseph Whitmer married to a Mary Switzer came to Clarion prior to 1810. We are researching this family line to see if Mary is a sister to our Peter and Lewis Jr. This Whitmer family came in from Franklin Co. traveling with a Christian Over who married Joseph's sister Nancy Whitmer. Any information on this group is appreciated.

New DNA testing

We have successfully connected all the lines in this genealogy that have been tested. See the DNA news page to look at the results. Two cousins have been found to have been sired by someone outside the family.

We have also just learned that we are matching DNA (-1 red marker) with a group of **Peter Schweitzer** of Somerset Pa.

Lewis Switzer genealogy

Lewis Switzer b. 1750c unknown location d. 1830c unknown location spouse: unknown

Lewis Switzer shows up in Clarion in the Davis History of Clarion Co. in 1804 and is on early tax records. His where abouts prior to 1804 is unknown at this time. No records are found with wives names of Lewis Sr., Lewis Jr. nor Peter.

Children of Lewis Switzer Sr. and unknown wife:

Lewis Switzer Jr. b. 1785c. possibly Md

Peter Switzer b. 1790c possibly Md

Other possible siblings:

Mary Switzer b. 1786 c d. Oct 23, 1854 Mt. Zion Cemetery tombstone (Mary's tombstone says, "Wife of Joseph". She married Joseph Whitmer Sr. b. 1790c. in Armstrong area by 1810. Child: 1. Jacob Whitmer b. 2/14/1814 d. 11/6/1908

Callensburgh

m. Catherine d. March 6, 1872 age 76 Mt. Zion Cemetery

Jacob's death certificate provides mother's maiden name

Dul	no first name is given. The Whitmer's are buried in Mt.		
Zion	Churchill Cemetery		
N.44	2. Joseph Whitmer Jr. b. 1819 c. d. Aug 1893 age 74		
Mt.	Zion Churchill Cemetery		

Lewis Switzer b. 1785c Md. he married Christina _(could be Wilson or Reese)_____ b.1790c

Children of Lewis and Christina are:

Samuel Switzer b. 1809 Sligo Twp. Clarion Co. Pa

John Switzer b. 1810 d.bef. 18 Sept, 1858 Clarion Co. Pa

Mary "Polly" Switzer b. abt 1811 Pa m. Jacob Slaughenhoupt

Peter Switzer Jr. b. October 17, 1813 Pa. d. Dec 28, 1862

Julia Ann Switzer b. 1816 d. 1902

Sarah Switzer b. 1819 Porter Twp, Clarion Co. Pa m. Yale

Levi Switzer (son?) b. 1832 Porter Twp, Clarion Co, Pa

<u>Susanna Switzer</u> b. June 10, 1825 Callensburg, Calrion Co. m. 1st James Colwell, 2nd James Galbraith

**There is one missing female from this line (Could possibly be Catherine Caroline Switzer who married Lewis Barlett about 1839)

Peter Switzer b. 1790c Md d. after 1850 unknown location He married Elizabeth _____ b. unknown d. unknown

Children of Peter and Elizabeth are:

Michael Switzer b. 1816

Elizabeth Switzer b.1821 m. William Caldwell/Colwell abt 1842 Wm Colwell b. 1820c. Berks Co Pa

Nancy Switzer b. Nov 9, 1828 m. Robert R. Young b. 1826 Pa

Other siblings are missing

**Possibly Susan Sweitzer b. 1823 m. Enoch Luther Still under research

John Switzer m. Sarah Wilson is a possible son of Peter. John and Sarah both die between 1837 - 1846. They are not on the 1840 census.

Will of Wm Wilson (father of Sarah) has them deceased by 1846 and their daughter Sara is living with him.

Child: Sara Switzer b. April 8, 1837 Toby Twp, Clarion co. d. June 21, 1921 m. Reuben Flick

Mary "Polly" Switzer b. 1811c. Pa m. Jacob Slaughenhoupt b. 1805 Pa

Children of Mary and Jacob:

Susannah Slaughenhoupt b. 1830c.

Lewis Slaughenhoupt b. Oct 1, 1832 Pa d.Jan 27, 1904 Clarion Co.

Caroline Slaughenhoupt b. 1834c Mary Slaughenhoupt b. 1835c. Hesekiah Slaughenhoupt b. 1839c. Melissa Slaughenhoupt b. 1847c. Mariah Slaughenhoupt b. 1848c. Lucinda Slaughenhoupt b. 1850c. Pa Elliott Slaughenhoupt b. 1852c.Pa Wilder S. Slaughenhoupt b.April 19, 1855 d. May 5, 1937 Rimersburg

Nancy Switzer b. Nov 9, 1828 d. Sept 2, 1911 East Hickory Twp, Forrest Co. Pa

m. Robert R. Young b. 1826c. Pa d. 1898 Clarion Co. Pa (sources: obits from Clarion Democrate, Death certificates, 1850, 1860 census)

Children of Nancy and Robert Young:

Young m William Scandrett George Young John Young
Hugh C. Young b. 1850c.
Abraham Young b. 1852c.
Peter S. Young b. 1854c
Joseph B. Young b. 1856c.
Alvin T. Young b.1858 c

Elizabeth Switzer b. June 3, 1821 d. Feb. 14, 1889 Clarion co. Pa m. William Colwell b. 1821c. (1850 census Porter Twp. Pa)

Children of Elizabeth and William Caldwell: Also see Colwell genealogy <u>The Colwell's</u>

John A. Caldwell b. 1846c Almyra Caldwell b. 1848c Fyanne Caldwell b. 1849c. Franklin Pierce Colwell b.4/27/1851 d. 7/27/1950

Franklin Pierce Colwell married Eliza Roberts b. 3/5/1850 they had 14 children. Also see Colwell genealogy

Michael Switzer b. 1816 Clarion Co. pa married Susannah Wiley/Wiles

Children of Michael and Susannah:

Alpheas b. 1840c Rovina b. Oct 25, 1844 d. Sept 25, 1907 Greenfield, Iowa Amanda J. b. 1846c. Lucinda b. 1850c. Eli L. b. 1856c. Silas b. 1858c.

Michael's line moves out west shortly after the kids are born.

Levi Switzer was born 17 May, 1832 Clarion Co. Pa d. 14 May, 1903 Licking Twp, Clarion Co. Pa. He married Mary b. 10 April, 1846 d. 30 June, 1918 Clarion Co. Pa

Levi and Mary are buried in the West Freedom Cemetery Clarion Co. Pa. There appears to be a family plot including the following stones: J. H. b.14 April, 1883 d. 19 Oct, 1883, W. H. b. 30 Jan, 1878 d 1 Feb, 1878, Horace W. Died Sept 1877 age 5 yrs and L. Switzer.

Census show Levi and Mary to have a son Addison b. 1860c. and there is a tombstone with A.E. Switzer b. 24 Jan, 1860 d.July 1882 in their family plot.

1860 census shows Mary's age as 20 which means she would have been born 1840 not 1846 as the tombstone reads.

Court records were found where Levi took Lewis Switzer to court and sued him for land. The relationship is still not known. We guess this is a son born later in life or a grandson to Lewis Jr.

Clarion Democrat March19, 1903 - Mr. Levi Switzer, a well known and greatly respected citizen of Easton, Licking Twp - found dead in his barn last Saturday morning, March 14, 1903, about 72 years old. Leaves a wife and two daughters. He enlisted Oct 9, 1862 in Co. F, 67th regiment Pa Vol. He was a celebrated Fifer and was promoted to principal musician on May 1, 1865.

Children of Levi and Mary:

Addison E. Switzer b. 24 Jan, 1860 Clarion Co. Pa d July 1882 Clarion Alice E. Switzer b. July 1873 unknown female

Mary and Levi raised Addison's daughter Jennie as she is listed with them on the 1900 census.

Susanna Switzer b.10 June, 1825 Callensburg, Clarion Co. Pa and died May 6, 1920 in Oil City, Venango Co. Pa. She married 1st James Colwell 12 June, 1843 in Clarion Co. He was born 1821c. Pa and died 09 Sept, 1868 Clarion Co. Pa. She married 2nd James Galbreath 07 Dec., 1894 Clarion Co. Pa. He was born Sept 1823 Pa.

Susanna is buried at Callensburg, Clarion Co. Pa Sources: Death Certificate, Obits from the Clarion Democrate 1918 -1920 p. 130, 1850 census Toby Twp, Clarion Co., 1860, 70, 80 census Licking Twp, Clarion Co. Pa., Marriage license applications

Children of Susanna and James Colwell: Oliver E. Colwell b. 1844c. d before 1870 Emily J. Colwell b. 1846c. m. J.W. Dale Levi A. Colwell b. 1848c Miles J. Colwell b. 1850c Rose Ann Colwell b. 1853c. Hannah M. Colwell b. 1855c. James H. Colwell b. 1858c. John S. Colwell b. 1861c. Oran E. Colwell b. 1866c.

Peter Switzer Jr. b. October 17, 1813 Pa d. Dec 28, 1862 married (before 1837) to 1st Susanna Crick b. Jan 13, 1815 d. May 14, 1857 buried in Rimersburg Cemetery, Rimersburg, Pa. 2nd marriage (before 1858) to Caroline Koch b. 1827 d. 1913

Children of Peter and Susanna are:

Mary Jane Switzer b. July 2, 1837

William Hamilton Switzer b. Aug 11, 1839 d. Sept 11, 1906

James Switzer b. 1841c.

Elmira S. Switzer b. 1843c.

Sarah E. Switzer b.1845c.

Catherine A. (Kate) Switzer b. Jan.3, 1848 d. Oct 28, 1896

John Harvey Switzer b. 1850 d. Jan 14, 1916

Children to Peter and Caroline Koch are:

Etta Switzer b. 1858c.

MeClelland (Mac) Switzer b. 1861c.

Julia Ann Switzer b 1816c. d. 1902 m. George Henry Nail b. 1812c. d. May 14, 1857

Children of Julia and George are:

Sarah(Julia) Ann Nail b. May 31, 1843 **changed her name to Sarah

William Nail Catherine Nail b. 1836c. David Nail b. 1839c. Ann Christy Nail b. 1841c. d. 1919 Hannah Nail b. 1845c. Emily J. Nail b.1848c. Amanda Nail b. 1860c.

Samuel Switzer b. Dec 1809 Sligo, Clarion Co. Pa d. Feb/March 1888 Clarion Co. Pa he married 1830/31c. Katherine Reese "Katie" b.1814

Fianne Switzer b.1832 Gideon b. 1834 m. Margaret Ann Murray Jesse Switzer b. 1835 Lewis Switzer b. 1836 William b. 1841 d.3/17/1914 Andrew Jackson Sweitzer "Jackson" b. 1843 d.1930 Martha b. 1/26/1846 d. 6/30/1937 Mary b. 1848 Sarah Reese b. 1850

William Hamilton Switzer b. 1839 (son of Peter not to be confused with Wm Switzer son of Samuel) married 1st cousin Sarah (Julia) Ann Nail

Jesse Switzer b. 1835c. married Oma

Children of Jesse and Oma:

William Switzer Frederick Switzer Jesse Switzer Jr.

Fianne Switzer b.1832c. m. Levi Weeter b. 1834c Pa

Children of Fianne and Levi are:

Martha J. Weeter b. 1854c Clarion Co. Pa Mary A. Weeter b. 1856c. Clarion Co. pa Sarah C. Weeter b. 1857c. Clarion Co. Pa Candis Weeter b. 1861c. Clarion Co. pa

Andrew Jackson Sweitzer b. 1843 d. 1930 Clarion Co. Pa m. Jane Elizabeth Freeman July 4, 1866 . She was b. April 17, 1844 in Huntingdon Pa. d. Nov 2, 1914 Clarion Co. Pa (buried in Sligo Cemetery)

Children of Andrew Jackson and Jane:

Alice Sweitzer b. Elvira Sweitzer m. Joseph Faidar Gilbert A. Sweitzer Margaret Sweitzer m. Charles Boyd Robert F. Sweitzer Sadie Sweitzer m. Andley Gorbey Virginia Sweitzer Lillie Burton Sweitzer b. 1868c. Clarion Co. Pa Harry Benton Sweitzer b. Nov 25, 1870 d Jan 1, 1914 Butler Pa.

Lewis Switzer III b. 1836 d. buried in Ohio M. Jane Wilson b. Nov 17, 1842 d. Dec 27, 1890

Children of Lewis and Jane:

Porter Sweitzer Harry Sweitzer b. 1858 Edwin E. Sweitzer b. 1860c. Samuel Sweitzer b. 1862 Wilber L. Sweitzer b. 1865c Mary Sweitzer b. 1867c. Louella Sweitzer b. 1869c Frankie b. 1872 d. 1872 Clarion Co. Pa

* These lines move to Oil City Venango Co. Pa and later go to California These are the lines of Ann Lee

William Switzer b. 1841 d. 3/17/1914 Married: Martha Price b.

Children of William and Martha:

James P. b 1866 Samuel Gill b. 1868 George Washington b. 1872 Thomas Aurther b. 1874 (sired by another) DNA testing doesn't match cousins Nancy Jennie b. 1877 <u>Clinton</u> Johnson b. 10/13/1879 (sired by another) DNA testing does not match cousins or brother above Milton Cleveland b.9/18/1884 Sarah "Ida" b. 2/12/1888 Mary Kate b. 12/15/1892 John Robert b. ?

Clinton Johnson b. 10/13/1879 d. Married: Elvie Helena Allison b. 7/5/1889 d.

Children of Clinton and Elvie are:

William Ellsworth b. 3/1/1909 deceased Harry Milton b.Sept 4, 1914 d. March 16, 2004 Gladys Estella b. 5/12/1916 d. 1944 was killed by a train

Harry Milton Switzer Sr. d. 2004 m. Emma Isabell Edsall 1933 d. 1980's

Children:

Catherine Elvie Switzer Barbara Jane Switzer Harry Milton Switzer Jr. b. March 11, 1939

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Colwell Connections

The Colwell's married into the Switzer family in Clarion Co. Pa.

Susanna Switzer b. 1825 in Callensburg Clarion Co. (daughter of Lewis Switzer Jr.) married in 1843 to **James Colwell** b.1821 Pa (He claims his birth in Pa on the 1850 and 1860 census)

Parents of James Colwell and William Colwell are John Colwell and Margaret. They came from Derry Co. Ireland around 1824 (that date could be off a few years as we do not have a ship or document on arrival yet)

1. **William H. Colwell** 1822-03/23/1894 m. **Elizabeth Switzer** 06/03/1821-02/11/1889. William was born in Ireland and buried in Salem Township, Clarion County. Elizabeth was buried in the Lawsonham Cemetery, Clarion County, PA. They had 5 children.

William is found on 1880 census married to a Rebecca and has a son Henry B. b. March 1851 in Salem Twp(Wm is not married to Rebecca when Henry is born). It looks like he may have divorced Elizabeth.

children to Wm and Elizabeth

Sarah J. Colwell 1844-1844.

Elmira b. Oct 12, 1847 d. May 29, 1883 m. Alfred Seth b. abt 1833 on 1870 census living in Venango Co. Pa. 1880 Alfred gone, she is living in Butler Co. Pa She has a joint tombstone with her mother in Lawsonham Cemetery.

2. John Alvin Colwell 04/18/1846-10/17/1933 m. Nancy Marie Unger 01/06/1853- 03/17/1927. They had 3 children, are buried in the Rimersburg Cemetery, Clarion Co., PA. Martha was Nancy's daughter before she married John, but she used the Colwell Name.

3. Martha Matilda Colwell 03/04/1877-02/06/1927 m. Melvin Kirkwood ?-?, they had 2 children, buried in the Grove Hill Cemetery, Oil City, Venango Co., PA.

4. Helen Kirkwood ?- m. #1 unknown Henderson ?-?, they had 2 sons, #2 unknown Bickel ?-?, no children.

5. Melvin George Henderson ?-, no further information.

5. Clarence W. Henderson ?- , no further information.

4. Clarence M. Kirkwood 10/11/1906-12/26/1989 m. twice, unknown, no further information.

3. Elizabeth Fianna Colwell 02/06/1884-04/28/1976 m. #1 Robert Montgomery ?-?, they had 3 children, #2 Thomas Lobaugh ?-?, they had 1 son, buried in the Rimersburg Cemetery, Clarion Co., PA. 4. Gladys Montgomery ?-, m. George Slagle ?-?, they had 2 sons. 5. Robert Slagle ?- , m. Eleanor Rumbaugh ?- , no further information.

5. Donald Slagle ?- , m. Betty Campbell ?- , no further information.

4. James Montgomery ?-? m. #1 Margaret Painter ?-?, #2 Velma Buzzard ?-?, they had 4 children, no further information.

4. Harold Montgomery ?-?, died at age 24, suicide by poison, never married.

4. Melvin Lobaugh ?-05/10/1994 m. Cecil Kline ?-07/31/1991, no children, buried in Mt. Zion Cemetery, New Bethlehem, Clarion Co., PA.

3. William Walter Colwell 12/05/1888-03/29/1957 m. 1st Cecelia Elizabeth Ferguson 1891-1920, they had 3 children, 2nd Maude Della Porter 1891-03/29/1951, they had 2 children and are buried in the Lawsonham Cemetery, Clarion Co., PA.

4. Hazel Elizabeth Colwell 05/16/1916- m. Walter Smolak 10/10/1910-09/20/1996, no children. 4. George William Colwell 04/18/1918-02/28/2001 m. Marion Jean Craft 06/30/1927-, they had 2 children. George is buried in the Cochran Cemetery, Boggs Twp., Armstrong Co., PA.

5. Linda Dianne Colwell 07/08/1951- m. Alan Carlson 03/28/1950-, they had 2 daughters.

6. Rebecca Marie Carlson 12/21/1981-, not married as yet. 6. Debora Kay Carlson 12/21/1983- , not married as yet.

5. Kenneth William Colwell 11/18/1954- m. Diane Elizabeth Csonka 05/21/1957-, they had 3 children.

6. Kimberly Ann Colwell 09/23/1980- m. Paul Fish ?- , they have one child.

7. Chyanne Rose Fish 10/05/2002-.

6. Amy Elizabeth Colwell 12/14/1982-, not married as yet.

6. David William Colwell 07/22/1986-, still in school.

4. John Alvin Colwell, Sr., 11/12/1919-12/04/1994 m. Mabel June Schiano 06/30/1926, they had 4 children and divorced. John is buried in Lawn Haven Burial Estates, East Franklin Twp., Armstrong Co., PA.

5. John Alvin Colwell, Jr., 12/27/1946- m. 1st Betty Smith ?- , they

had 1 daughter and divorced, 2nd Arlene Thomas ?- , no children, divorced, 3rd Rose Schreckengost ?- ,no children. John's daughter to Betty was adopted by her 2nd husband Dennis Piccoli.

6. Terri (Colwell) Picolli 1967- m. 1st Larry Langham ?-, divorced no children, 2nd unknown ?-, they have children, no further information.

5. Mildred Elizabeth Colwell 07/03/1950- m. 1st James Ricely ?-, divorced no children 2nd Kenneth Judd ?-, no children.

5. Patricia Sue Colwell 12/03/1956-, not married as yet.

5. James Patrick Colwell 04/27/1959-, not married as yet.

4. Alice Mabel Colwell 04/10/1924-05/09/2001 m. Frederick Ray Traister 12/30/1924- 09/13/1988, they had 3 children. They are buried in the Lawsonham Cemetery, Clarion Co., PA.

5. Donald Ray Traister 08/27/1947-02/19/1992 m. Marcia Mooney ?-, no children. Donald is buried in the Clarion Cemetery, Clarion Co., PA.

5. Barbara Diane Traister 06/29/1951-, not married as yet. 5. Richard Verl Traister 12/24/1956- m. Gina Burke 07/25/1958-, they have 3 daughters.

6. Anne Kristin Traister 03/12/1991- . 6. Erin Marie Traister 12/04/1993- .

6. Laura Rae Traister 12/04/1993-.

4. Elmer Joseph Colwell 04/15/1930- m. Glenna Lou Lewis 08/25/1932- , they had 2 daughters.

5. Lucinda Kay Colwell 09/30/1958-, not married as yet.

5. Judy Elaine Colwell 12/05/1959-, not married as yet.

3. **Charles Oliver Colwell** 07/04/1892-02/08/1982 m. 1st Hazel Montgomery ?-?, they had one daughter, 2nd Auda Mae Gearhart ?-11/23/1980, no children. Charles and Auda are buried in Lawn Haven Burial Estates, East Franklin Twp., Armstrong Co., PA, Hazel is buried in the Kittanning Cemetery, Rayburn Twp., Armstrong Co., PA.

4. Paulene Colwell ?- m. Al Cope ?- , they had 2 children, no further information.

2. Almira Alice Colwell 10/12/1847-1883 m. (?) Seth, no children, Almira buried in the Lawsonham Cemetery, Clarion Co., PA.

2. **Phianna E. Colwell** 3/20/1848-? m. unknown. She had a child with Jacob Smathers but they were not married.

3. George Elsworth Smathers 01/02/1864-?, m. unknown.

2. Franklin Pierce Colwell 04/27/1851-07/27/1950 m. Eliza Roberts 03/05/1850- 06/06/1928, buried at Worthington, Armstrong Co., PA. They had 14 children.

3. **Mary Amanda Colwell** 07/16/1868-07/27/1950 m, George Crissman ?-?, no further information.

3. Phianna (Fanny) Elizabeth Colwell 03/17/1870-1955 m, ? no further information.

3. **Hannah Glendora Colwell** 01/02/1872-03/15/1965 m, Osmer Anderson 1868 -1919 buried Sligo Cemt. s/o John and Elizabeth C. Anderson

1880 census Osmer was in Sligo Borough, Piney Twp, Clarion Co.

1900 census lists child Elsie b. March 1894

1910 census lists Own a farm, Osmer 42, Hannah 38, and Elsie P. age 15 no other children

Data submitted by PJ Grewell website at www.rootsweb.com/~pacpiney/

3. **William Howden Colwell** 12/12/1874-12/23/1945 m, Jane Duncan 1873-1942, buried in the Duncan Cemetery. They had 7 children.

4. David Franklin Colwell 1897-1976 m. Kathryn Cobbett 1901-1994, no further information.

4. William Wilbur Colwell 1899-? m. ?, no further information.

4. Nancy (Nanny) Lucrecia Colwell 1892-? M. ?, no further information.

4. Simon Adon Colwell 03/19/1902-09/09/1986 m. Vera ? 06/21/1902-?, no further information.

4. Joseph Harvey Colwell 1905-1984 m. Leona Corbett 1906-1987, no further information.

4. Martha Jane (Jenny) Colwell 1909-? M. ?, no further information.

4. Lucinda (Lucy) Evelyn Colwell 1910-? M. ? Summerville, no further information.

3. Sarah Alice Colwell 07/23/1876-04/30/1900 m. Harry Rankin ?-?,

no further information.

3. **Marvin Sheldon Colwell** 04/24/1878-?, m. Effie Polliard ?-?, they had 6 children. Marvin was a bootlegger in later life, he died in Kokomo, Indiana.

4. Wilber Pierce Colwell 09/1899-?, m. Teresa Martha Daniels ?-?, they had 2 children.

5. Garnet Mae Colwell b 4/21/1918 Vndergrift, Pa d. Aug 7, 1998 Wyandotte, Mi.- , m. Donald Lorne Frostic b. Dec 6, 1911 d. 6/11/1999

Daughter: Janet Elaine Frostic Son: Dennis Lorne Frostic

 Janet Elaine Frostic Cashin m. Michael Anthony Cashin Daughter: Karen Cashin **** Corrections for this line sent in by Karen 6/20/2007 kec725@comcast.net

5. Alvera Pauline Colwell Sobiech b. Sept. 1, 1921

4. Merdie Irene Colwell 1900-?, m. Charles Varner ?-?, no further information. 4. Edgar Earl Colwell 12/1902-?, m. Flora Opal Parks 1902-1983, they had 1 child.

5. Vincent Victor Colwell 11/03/1923-?, m. Georgia Marie Smith 11/06/1925- 01/28/1987, they adopted 1 child.

7. Williard Newsberry Colwell 07/14/1944-05/21/1989, no further information.

4. Margaret Lucretia Colwell 1904-03/16/1966, m. 1st unknown ?-?, they had 1 son and no further information as father took son and disappeared; 2nd Russell Bouch ?-1949, no further information.

4. Mildred Grace Colwell 12/01/1906-?, m. Thomas Milliron 10/15/1898-03/23/1970, they had 3 children.

5. Elizabeth Jane Milliron 05/19/1928- ,m. Thomas Lowry Chapman ?- , they had 2 children.

6. Thomas Harold Chapman 03/07/1947-, m. Elaine Kay Shultz 10/22/1953-, they had 1 child and divorced. 7. Jessica Lauran Chapman 11/04/1978-.

6. Marilyn Kay Chapman 05/07/1955- , m. Richard Malcolm Wheatley 02/21/1957 they had 1 child.

7. Malory Wheatley 07/22/1986- .

5. James Richard Milliron 04/09/1930-04/14/1930.

5. Ruth Imogene Milliron ?-?, m. Earl Milford Harmon 12/03/1918-?, they had 2 children and adopted 1 child.

6. Carol Ann Harmon ?- , m. Barry Wayne Tancher, they had 2 children.

7. Misty Dawn Tancher 06/12/1971-.

7. Eric Wayne Tancher 04/23/1976-.

6. Elizabeth Claire Harmon 03/15/1951-, m. Raymond Arthur Jackson 03/09/1949-, they had 3 children.

7. Meagan Christine Jackson 07/07/1982- .

7. Arthur Earl Jackson 06/10/1984- .

7. Milissa Clare Jackson 09/12/1985-.

6. Richard Eugene Harmon 10/22/1952 m. Marianne Marie Gabriel ?-, they had 2 children.

7. Michael Edward Harmon 04/26/1974- .

7. Michelle Marie Harmon 06/06/1979- .

4. Delbert Marcus Colwell 1909-?, m. Margaret Erma Wood 1910-?, they had 4 children.

5. James Delbert Colwell 03/30/1927-, m. Irene Deemer ?-, no further information.

5. John Richard Colwell 07/27/1929-, no further information.

5. Charles Albert Colwell 11/16/1931-06/11/1987 m. Shirley I. Green ?- , no further information.

5. Erma Jean Colwell 10/06/1934-, m. Franklin Joseph Vigo 07/16/1931-1991, no further information.

3. Martha Malinda Colwell 06/23/1880-03/10/1914, m. John Maxwell ?-?, no further information.

3. Olive Mae Colwell 04/14/1882-1968, m. John Long ?-?, no further information.

3. **Frances Pearl Colwell** 03/28/1884-04/26/1975, m. John Hindman ?-?, no further information.

3. Miles Omar Colwell 03/05/1886-02/11/1938, no further

information.

3. George Roscoe Colwell 02/05/1888-?, no further information.

3. Hardy Burgess Colwell 05/26/1890-12/18/1978, m. Mary Olive Turner, they had 9 children.

4. Alfred Franklin Colwell 11/18/1909-01/21/1966, no further information.

4. Virginia Mae Colwell 10/26/1911-?, m. unknown Pence ?-?, no further information.

4. Martha Lucrecia Colwell 09/07/1913-02/16/1937, no further information.

4. Clayton Hardy Colwell 04/28/1916-05/24/1961, no further information.

4. Herman Arthur Colwell 02/02/1920-?, m. Minnie unknown 1933-, no further information.

4. Paul Eugene Colwell 05/13/1924-03/24/1950, no further information.

4. William Edwin Colwell 12/23/1925-12/27/1948, no further information.

4. Russell Donald Colwell 02/23/1928- , m. Nola unknown ?- , no further information.

4. Lois Arlene Colwell 05/01/1932-05/03/1932.

3. Arnold Gleason Colwell 05/06/1892-1962, no further information.

3. **Russell Osmond Colwell** 07/21/1894-11/17/1918, m. Dorothy Delo ?-?, no further information.

Sources: Armstrong and Clarion Historys, Census, Estate, Death Certificates and other literature at the Courthouses of same Counties. Family Bible, knowledge of family members, Hardy Colwell's son, the James Lawton family of 1604 Ashton Avenue, Sharpsville, PA 16150 and George William Colwell family. George E. Smathers and his father Jacob Smathers were in Elizabeth Colwell's will, George was listed as her grandson. Compiler: Marion Jean Craft Colwell, George W. Colwell and Glenna Lou Lewis Colwell

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Barlett connections

We have just discovered a Barlett Switzer connection as of recently and are currently trying to make connections with our Switzer clan to that of the Barletts of Berks Co. A Peter Barlett married 2nd a Christina Switzer b. 1780c. and we are looking for information on her. Peter's son Lewis Barlett married 1st a Catherine (possilby middle name of Caroline) Switzer b. 1816c. from Clarion Pa. This is more than likely a granddaugter of Lewis as Peter Barlett is found living between his son's Peter and Lewis Switzer on the 1810 Armstrong Co. census (Clarion area before being made a county). Anyone with information on this Switzer or Barlett group is asked to contact Deb Walsh at DebAu92@attbi.com

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