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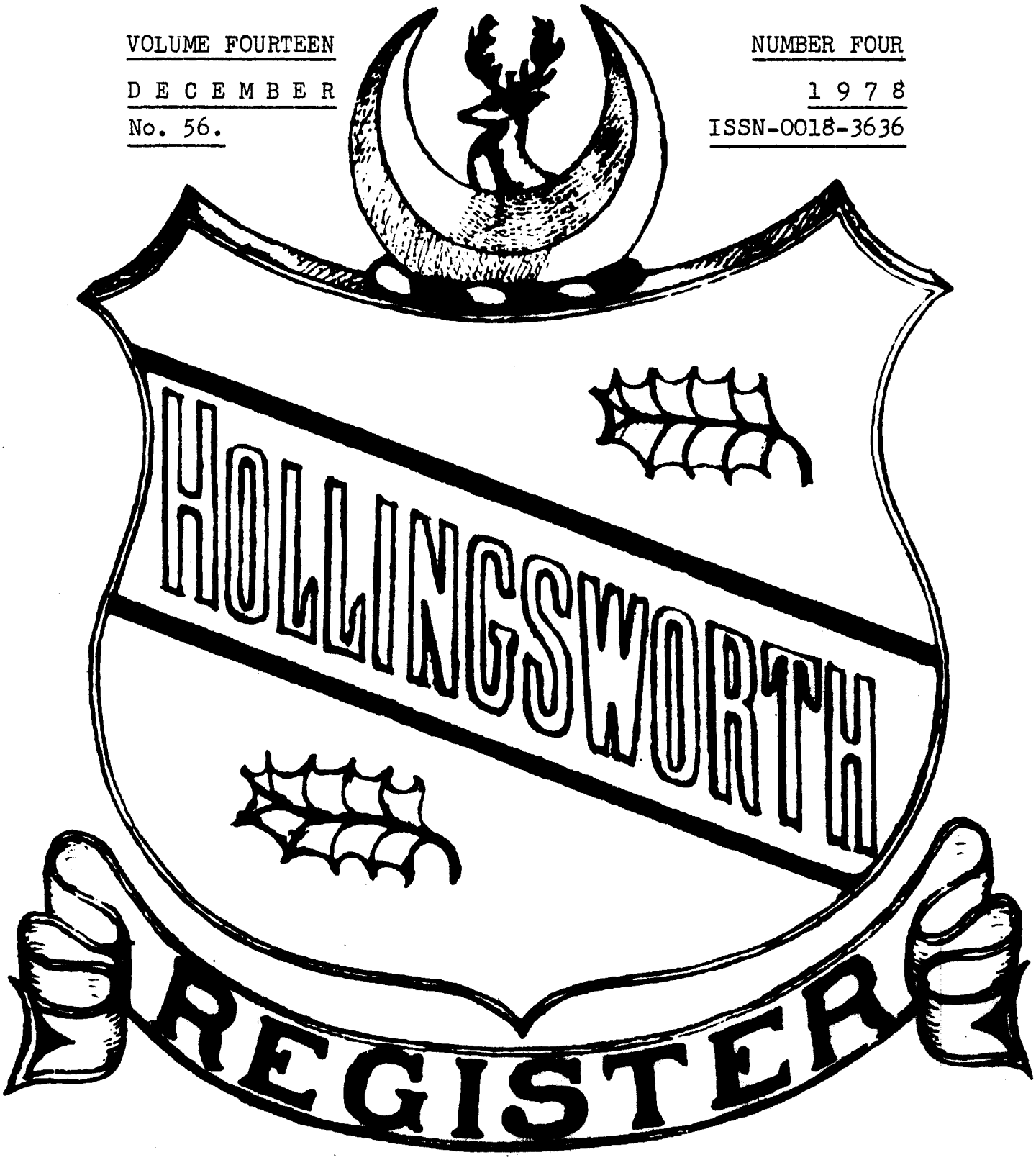

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MEANING OF THE NAME

The surname Hollingworth is derived from a place in northeast Cheshire, of the same name, supposedly the place called "Holisurde" in the Domesday Book for Cheshire, pronounced "Hollis-worth," but probably intended to be "Hollinworth." It is in the Parish of Mottram-in-Longdendale, a few miles south of Manchester. (It is possible that several separate families using this place as a surname came into existance at an early day. There are two other places with this name in Lancashire north of Manchester. The Cheshire place was a barren wasteland at the time of Domesday (1086) and it was not until about the time of Magna Carta (1215) that we find any person using the name as a personal family surname. This was "Tomas De Holinewurth" (here the name is transliterated into Latin) who was a signatory on a charter of about that period. The two Anglo-Saxon words, Holegn (or Holyn), 'a holly bush,' and Worþ (or Worde), meaning an enclosure, or farmstead, are said to be the origin of the placename Hollingworth in Cheshire. More loosely, it signifies "A farm enclosed by holly bushes," or "Holly Farm." The earliest form of the surname was Hollingworth, in the old orthography, Hollyngworthe, but in later centuries a medial "s" came to be used by some of the families, not much earlier than the early 1600s. Five generally used forms, Hollingsworth, Hollinsworth, Hollingworth, Hollinworth and Hollandsworth, are found in the indexes to births, marriages and deaths for England beginning in 1837, and in most of the telephone or city directories of the large cities in England and the United States of America.

INTENT OF THIS QUARTERLY

To publish verbatim copies or abstracts of records of the family world wide from the earliest times to the present. Hollingsworth Register is now in its Thirteenth Year. Nearly every instance of the surname in the U.S. Census schedules, 1790-1870 has been published in this quarterly. About two million pages were searched to produce that result, not to mention searching all kinds of other records. We know of no other family magazine which has even attempted to do this.

E D I T O R I A L

The three trips to do professional research for clients by your editor in part accounts for the tremendous delay in getting the Sept. and Dec. 1978 issues of Hollingsworth Register into print and into the hands of our subscribers. After the trip already described in the June issue, pp. 21-25, we were sent back, in September, to Salt Lake City, Utah, to do two weeks' more work in the great genealogical library there. (Three weeks were planned, but the semi-annual "Conference" of the L.D.S. Church made it impossible to obtain a room in any cubbyhole in northern Utah, for the needed period!) More material for H.R. was, of course, obtained in any spare time we could find. But, upon return to Los Angeles in conclusion of that work, another client hired your editor, this time to travel to San Jose, California, and "clean out" the courthouse of Santa Clara County on several specific names; also to visit libraries and cemeteries. That feat was accomplished in a week. A day or two were taken to visit Santa Cruz and Santa Barbara, California, just to "kick back" and relax.

The day set to return to Los Angeles was painted with the horror of the great brush fire which nearly destroyed Malibu, along with another separate one which burnt up part of Mandeville Canyon. It was your editor's sad journey in from Santa Barbara, to see the smoke of that burning ascending skyward and westward across the Pacific as far as the Island of Santa Cruz. The bus was re-routed because the fire was so agressive. Smoke filled the air, and borate bombers flew over the bus, dropping foaming cargo on both sides of the highway. The city of Santa Monica was stinking with smoke. That was on the 23d of Oct. 1978. It was later learned that the Malibu fire had been deliberately set!

All subscribers should be advised that many issues may come late not only because of the above described circumstances, but because your editor has another similar assignment for Summer, 1979! This one won't be so long. The March issue, 1979, will be a month late in delivery, at least.

This issue was put to bed (in journalistic jargon) on Monday the 12th of March 1979! In this number you will consequently find some events from 1979, in spite of the fact it is called a 1978 publication.

All readers are encouraged to send along clippings of any type which mention Hollingsworth or Hollingworth, or descendants, for any of the Obituary, Marriage or Miscellany columns.

A strike in the paper industry has also hampered our ability to get the usual supply of paper. Some is bond rather than mimeo.

This issue is being proof read on the first day of spring, 21 March 1979.

Part Two The Visit to Jasper County, Iowa Part Two

by

Harry Hollingsworth, C. G.

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One of the most interesting and vital items I discovered in the office of the Clerk of the District Court at Newton, Iowa, was the so-called Index to Papers Filed. This index is chronological in order of papers put into boxes, wrapped up with rubber bands or silk ribbons, and tucked into numbered file boxes. These boxes line the walls of one of the vaults. They are filed by first letter of surname of each case. The case is filed by name of the Plaintiff. Sometimes by Defendant. A special ladder which rolls along a track and equipped with casters proved to be dangerous. It scared me to get up on this contraption. It began to sway or roll along from my body weight. I elected to use the special hook and pole. This item is as tall as the highest box on the wall, and, with a little practice, one can catch the front handle of the file box needed, in the loop of the handle, and pull the box out of its slot safely, and lower it for examination. I was proud to say that I never dropped one (but came close to it a couple of times!).

There are indexes for the District and Circuit Court cases in separate books. Various appearances are indexed by case, under Plaintiffs. But the Index to Papers Filed contains all of the papers of the cases, or, at least, we hope so - the original papers, not the court clerk's brief notes.

When I discovered this fact, it happened that one of the deputy clerks came into the vault and saw me opening up one of these old, original packages, which was stiff with age, wrapped with a rotted rubber band. She got very excited and chided me, that we were "not supposed to see these records." Well, forget her! I had to stand up for my rights. She did not prevail. I was not about to be thwarted by some old Biddy after my only chance in eighteen years to see these records. As far as she was concerned, they were supposed to be left "safe" to decay and rot away, rather than to be examined by descendants. I was just nasty enough, just pushy enough, to get my way, and now have good xerox copies of all these documents. If you happen upon this type of clerk, good luck! Remember: THEY DO NOT OWN THE RECORDS. DON'T LET THEM TRY TO INTIMIDATE YOU.

We have already published in the last issue, the full file of the estate of Frederick Hollingsworth. Now, here we will continue to publish the records of cases filed in the various courts of Jasper County, We have already published, in June, 1978 issue, pp. 26-34, the most important case, Miller v. Hollingsworth. It should be noted, however, that on page 29 of our June 1978 issue, we were puzzled by the case of Miller v. Hollingsworth in the December Term of 1872. Since then, the Law Library, State Capitol, Des Moines, Iowa, sent us a xeroxed copy of the printed case, word for word of our citation from the handwritten copy. There were two cases argued before the Iowa Supreme

Court, one affirmed for the Defendant, Elizabeth Hollingsworth, as in Jasper District Court, the other reversed and given to the Plaintiff, Miller. The first case, be it noted, however, was on Mechanic's Lien, while the second was on Husband and Wife. Now to other cases generated by the death of Frederick Hollingsworth (1802-1869) the editor's great-great-grandfather:

(1) Jasper County Circuit Court, October Term 1869.

E. Ball versus Elizabeth Hollingsworth, Samuel Hollingsworth, and Elizabeth Hollingsworth Administratrix of the estate of Fredrick Hollingsworth.

(a) Notice that a claim of Fifty dollars on your promissory note dated Nov. 15, 1867, and the foreclosure of a Mortgage given to secure the payment of said note on the South West Quarter of Section One Township Eighty One Range Twenty in Jasper County, Iowa. Notice to appear at ... term of said Circuit Court to be commenced on the First Monday in October A.D. 1869 ... the 4th day of said month. J. W. Wilson, Attorney for Plaintiff.

(b) Original, signed and stamped mortgage:

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That We, Elizabeth Hollingsworth & Fredrick Hollingsworth of Jasper County, State of Iowa, in consideration of the sum of Two Hundred & forty one Dollars in hand paid, do hereby SELL AND CONVEY unto E. Ball of _____ County and State of Ohio, the following described premises, situate in the County of Jasper and State of Iowa to-wit: The South West quarter of Section No One (1) in Township No. Eighty One North of Range No Twenty (20) West of the 5th P.M. in Iowa (Hand canceled revenue stamp for 50 cents, signed 14 Oct 1867 E.H. & F. H. affixed here) And the said Fredrick Hollingsworth hereby relinquishes his right of Dower in and to the same. Nevertheless TO BE VOID ON CONDITION THAT Elizabeth & Fredrick Hollingsworth pay the full amount of principal and interest at the time therein specified, of their promissory note of even date herewith Calling for the sum of $241<u>00</u> with ten per cent interest from date til paid and payable to E. Ball or order. Signed the Fourteenth day of November A.D. 1867. In Presence of J. W. Wilson. Signatures (originals) of Elizabeth Hollingsworth and Fredk Hollingsworth. Notarial Seal of J. W. Wilson, Notary Public.

The signatures are authentic. That of Frederick Hollingsworth the last he signed that we know of, along with the following note, was signed when he was about sixty-five. It bears the same strong characteristics as that he signed when he was only about twenty-one, in County Wexford, Ireland, in 1823. (See HR 8:92.)

(c) Original note dated 15 Nov 1867 on the First National Bank of Newton, Iowa, for $241.00, stating "By November first after date we promise to pay to the order of E. Ball, Two hundred and forty one dollars." Original signatures of Elizabeth and Fredk Hollingsworth.

(d) Minutes of the Circuit Court of Jasper County, Iowa, Jany. Term 1870.

Be it remembered that on this 18" day of Jany A.D. 1870 it being the 2" day of the Janny term 1870 of the Circuit Court of Jasper County, Iowa, this cause came on for hearing, William Wilson appearing for Pltff and the Defts failing to appear and answer or plead as required by law and the rules of this Court and the Court finds that due and legal service of the original notice in this cause has been personally had on all the Defts, and the Defts after being thrice solemnly called came not - but made default, and a default is therefore entered against them. (Etc.) Elizabeth Hollingsworth required to pay the sum of Seventeen & 65/100 Dollars and that the Mortgage described in the petition was given to secure the payment of said note. It is therefore ordered and adjudged by the Court that the plaintiff have and recover of and from the defendants Elizabeth Hollingsworth and Elizabeth Hollingsworth Administratrix of the Estate of Fredrick Hollingsworth the sum of Seventeen & 65/100 Dollars and his Costs (etc). L. C. Blanchard, Judge.

(e) Service notice by W. C. Howl, deputy sheriff under J. M. Rodgers, Sheriff of Jasper County, showing that the notice of the case was served on within named Samuel Hollingsworth and Elizabeth Hollingsworth by reading to them the within notice and delivery to each of them personally a true copy of the same in Independence Tp. Jasper County, Iowa. My fees: serving: $1.00; Copies: .60; Mileage $1.80 / $3.40.

(f) Copy of above mortgage (item b) in longhand.

Above material filed in Box 82, and entries made in Entry Docket, p. 44, Appearance Docket, p. 207; Fee Book 2, p. 7; Judgment Docket p. 65; Journal, p. 193; filed 31 August 1869. Not all of these oldest books of dockets are now forthcoming. Some have been removed from the vault and are in the storeroom upstairs in the attic, in pretty fair condition.

(2) In Circuit Court Jasper County, Iowa, July Term 1869.

(a) Original Notice: Edward E. Hollingsworth versus Elizabeth Hollingsworth, Administratrix of Frederick Hollingsworth, deceased, Jacob Hollingsworth, Samuel Hollingsworth, Wallace Hollingsworth & E. Hollingsworth, Defts. To above named defendants, You and each of you are hereby notified that on or before the 8th day of July 1869 there will be on file in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Jasper County, Iowa, the petition of Edward E. Hollingsworth claiming of you the enforcement of the special performance of a contract for the sale of Real Estate and unless you appear and defend thereto, on or before noon of the 2d day of the July Term of the said Circuit Court, to be commenced on the 19th day of July, 1869, your default will be entered and a decree rendered as prayed in said petition, with interest and costs of suit. Howe & Campbell, Att'ys for Pltff. (On reverse) We the undersigned hereby accept due and legal Service of the within notice, this 30th day of June, 1869, signed Elizabeth Hollingsworth, Samuel Hollingsworth, Jacob Hollingsworth. L. B. Westbrook swore to his ser-

service of said notice "at Newton in said County upon Wallace Hollingsworth, personally, by reading said notice to him and by then delivering to him personally a copy of said notice. Dated June 30, 1869. (NOTE: Wallace was born 19 Feb 1858, hence was at the age of only eleven, at this time!)" A. K. Campbell signed the same document on same date, as J.P.

(b) Petition in Equity, July Term, 1869.

The above named plaintiff represents that about the____day of ___ Frederick Hollingsworth died seized of the legal title in and to the following described Real Estate:

The North East qr of South East qr of South West qn of Section One, in Tp. Eighty one Range Twenty-one, West 5 P.M. Iowa.

That said deceased about the ___ day of ___ bargained and sold sd land to the plaintiff and that plaintiff paid deceased therefore the sum of ____ dollars as purchase money of said lands. That such bargain was not reduced to writing and deceased made no other disposition of said lands.

That defendant Elizabeth Hollingsworth has been by the Circuit Court of said County appointed Administratrix of the Estate of said deceased, and is his widow him surviving.

That plaintiff and the other defendants in all of the Heirs of deceased being his children, that defendant Wallace Hollingsworth is a minor.

Plaintiff therefore asks that a decree be entered directing said Elizabeth Hollingsworth as Administratrix to execute to plaintiff a good and sufficient deed of Conveyance of said lands; and that the defendants be barred from any and all title and interest in and to the same. And for such other and further relief as shall accord with Equity & good con(illeg.). Howe & Campbell, Plaintiffs Attorneys.

(c) Depositions of Witnesses produced sworn & Examined before me the undersigned W. G. Work a Justice of the Peace in and for said County at my office in Newton in Said County, Commencing this 12" day of January 1870 at One oclock P.M. to be sised in the above entitled action on the Part of the Plaintiff herein. The Plaintiff appears in person & by Howe & Campbell his attys, the Defendant Wallace Hollingsworth by Robert Ryan guardian Ad Litum.

Thereupon Edward E Hollingsworth, of lawful age, being duly sworn testified as follows:-

Inter 1st: State your name, residence & occupation.
Ans: Edward E. Hollingsworth, Newton Township, Jasper County, Ia. - occupation a Farmer.
Inter 2nd: Are you the Plaintiff in this suit?
Ans - I Am

Inter 3": What relation if any were you to Frederick Hollingsworth, Deceased.
Answer: I am his son.
Inter -4": Was there any Contract or arrangement between you and Frederick Hollingsworth in his life time respecting the title or ownership of the lands mentioned in the petition in this case - ifso what was it -
Ans - There was. I bought the land and paid for it - & my father was to see to getting the Deed and had it Deeded in his Name. It was understood that the land was mine. I furnished the money, and paid Johnson of whom it was purchased myself at the time of purchase.

E. E. Hollingsworth.

Elizabeth Hollingsworth first being duly sworn testified as follows -
Inter. 1st: State your name residence & Occupation.
Ans. Elizabeth Hollingsworth, Jasper Co., Iowa; Farming.
Inter 2" Are you the widow And Administratrix of Frederick Hollingsworth, Deceased.
Ans. I am.
Inter 3" Do you know of any arrangement by which E.E. Hollingsworth the plaintiff was to have the timber land in Clear Creek Township that was held in the name of Frederick Hollingsworth if so State what you Know about it.
Ans. It was bought with a note that E. E. Hollingsworth held but was deeded to Frederick Hollingsworth, but it was Edward's money that paid for it and was to be deeded to Edward but it was neglected.

Elizabeth Hollingsworth.

State of Iowa)
Jasper County) ss

I, W. G. Work a Justice of the Pease in and for said County do hereby certify that the foregoing Depositions of E. E. Hollingsworth and Elizabeth Hollingsworth was pursuant to the notice hereto attached taken before me and reduced to writing at the time and place therein mentioned. And that at the said time and place the same was read over to said Witnesses and Subscribed and sworn to by them before me and in my presence.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 12th day of January A.D. 1870.

W. G. Work's fees: $1.00. W. G. Work, Justice of the Peace.

NOTE: Another sheet bears the instruction to take a deposition also from Samuel Hollingsworth to be read in evidence. But it was not in the file.

(d) Now comes Robt Ryan guardian ad litem for Wallace Hollingsworth and for answer to Plaintiff's petition denies each and every allegation therein contained. Robert Ryan Guardian ad litem for Wallace Hollingsworth.

Entered in Entry Docket, p. 38, Appearance Docket, p. 206, Fee Book 1, p.88. Box 149, No. 21. Filed 8 July 1869.

The above case indicates an estrangement between your editor's great-grandfather, E. E. Hollingsworth (the man whose initials upon an old carpenter's square, still in our possession, seen in early childhood, sparked the interest which kindled into a fiery genealogical quest) and his mother and brothers. Edward continued living east of Kellogg, Iowa, while the others remained in the house Frederick built near Baxter. Later, Edward ran a saloon and "fancy grocery" in the bustling town of Kellogg, formerly "Jasper City," in 1875. But very shortly thereafter, he removed to Waseca, Minnesota. From there, he came on to Los Angeles with his son Jack in 1887. He did not return to attend his mother's funeral in 1892. He was the only one of the surviving children who did not do so. Whether the estrangement was that bad, we don't know. The poignant closing note: "but it was neglected" in Elizabeth Hollingsworth's written deposition seems to hint at a wish that he had simply asked his mother to have the deed changed. But then, maybe Samuel, his brother, had tried to obtain the ten acres in his name! Otherwise, why was his name in the list for subpoena, and not Jacob?

More of this material in next issue.

(((((((((((((((((((((((((((((MORE LATER)))))))))))))))))))))))))))))

Abraham Hollingsworth in Trespass!

The past several issues of HR are so replete with juicy stories of various court fights the Hollingsworths engaged in, that maybe we ought to change the name to "Hollingsworth Enquirer!" (Just a joke!) During your editor's stay of three weeks in New Castle, Henry County, Kentucky, for a client, he naturally kept on the lookout for any mention of our surname. Only the following Circuit Court case appeared. We are pretty sure of this. No mentions in the probate, marriage, or land records or county court cases. We have no idea which Abraham Hollingsworth this is, but there were several living at that time.

(1) Henry Circuit Sct. John Dupuy Complains of Abraham Hollingsworth in Custody &c of a Plea that on the __ day of __ 1813 he with force and Arms the Close of the said John within the Circuit af^{d} did break and enter and his Timber then & there Growing towit 500 Chesnut Oak trees of the Value of $200 - 500 red Oak trees of the Value of $200- 500 Black Oak trees of the Value of $200 - 500 White Oak Trees of the Value of $200 - did cut down & destroy from the day & year afd to the bringing this suit at sundry days & times Continuing and other inormities then & there did against the peace & dignity of this Commonwealth and to the Plffs Damage as he says $800 & therefore he sues &c.

Henderson PJ.

(2) Printed form: The Commonwealth of Kentucky, To the Sheriff of (Henry crossed out) Jefferson County, greeting: We command you to take Abraham Hollingsworth if he be found in your bailiwick, and him safely keep, so that you have his body before the Judges of our Henry Circuit Court, at the Court-House, on the first day of their next October term, to answer John Dupuy of aplea of Trespass Quare Clausum Fregit Damage

eight hundred Dollars and have then there this writ. Witness ROWLAND THOMAS, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court-House aforesaid, this 30th day of Augt. 1813 and in the 22d year of the Commonwealth.

(Signed) Rowd Thomas

(3) A handwritten note: The Defendant says he is not Guilty of the Trespass in the Declaration mentioned & of this he puts himself on the County & the Plff. likewise.

(4) Note that the Defendant says that the Close & Tenement in the declaration is not the Freehold & Right of the Plaintiff but the Freehold & Right of Anthony Crockett under the Licence & Permission of Whom by his Attorney in Fact, Frederick Edwards, the Trespass in the Declaration mentioned was committed (etc.).

(5) Note of reply by Plaintiff to Deft's special plea says that the Close and Tenement in the declaration mentioned is the Freehold & Right of the Plff & not the freehold & right of Anthony Crockett, nor did the sd Anthony give Licence & Permission in writing by (Frederick Edwards) to the Deft to Commit the Trespass in the Close Mentioned ... (etc.).

(6) Jefferson County to Wit: Charles Scoggins this day under oath before the Undersigned a Justice of said County that he has been informed by Frederick Edwards in his life time that he had the legal Title to the Land inwhich the Trespass is said to have been committed by Abraham Hollingsworth for which a Suit has been brought by John Dupuy against the said Hollingsworth in the Henry Circuit Court, & the said affidant believes that the Legal Title to the said Land is now in the Heirs of said Frederick Edwards decsd & he knows that after the getting of the (Tan Barks?) complained of in the Declaration & cutting down of Trees was done a for taking off the (Bark?) Licence in writing wasgiven by the said Frederick Edwards & that the said Edwards forbid payment of the same in his lifetime to be made, that said Hollingsworth soon after Christmas Last sett out for Pittsburgh on Business expecting to have returned in time for the April Term of the Henry Circuit Court, but has not returned & the Affidant has no knowledge where the said Licence can be found until his arrival. Given under my hand this 2th day of April 1814. James Ferguson.

(7) Hollingsworth ads Dupuy, In Trespass. On the Trial of this lease the Plaintiff gave Evidence that the Plaintiff claimed this Land on which the Trespass was said to have been committed and other Evidence on Which the Deft moved the Court to instruct the Jury that Proof of Possession in fact to improved or enclosed Land, cannot be extended beyond the Enclosure or improvement, unless Title is proved so as to extend Possession of part to the Limits of the Tract to which Title is proved but the Court instructed the Jury that the Plaintif's (ing) his Boundary & claiming within that Boundary and continuing that Claim for many years and living within those Boundaries, Circumstances from which a Jury may legally infer actual Possession. To which Decision of the Court the Defendant excepts & his Exceptions are signed sealed & made a part of the Record. Henry David; Jas. Bartlett

... (on reverse) and cutting Timber within those Boundaries claimed altho it was not proved that the Plaintiff had cut Timber on the very Ground on which the Trees were cut by defendant altho the land on which the Timber was cut was within the Boundaries claimed.

(8) The defendant moves the Court for a New Trial for the following Causes. 1st The Verdict is against Law & Evidence. 2nd The Damages given are excessive. 3rd The Proceedings on the Trial were irregular in the Jury's returning from the Bar and rendering their Verdict before the Court disposed of a Bill of Exceptions Which had been presented to the Court previously to the Retirement of the Jury,/involved in the Trial on which the Instruction of the Court /on a point/ had been solicited, with a Request by deft's Counsel that the Jury should not retire untill after the Court had disposed of the Bill of Exceptions. Ferguston P.D.

(9) After the Trial of this Cause this Defendant moved this Court for a New Trial for the Causes assigned (Recite the Causes Assigned) which are made part of the Bill of Exceptions, but the Court overruled the Motion for a New Trial, To which Decision the Deft. Excepts, and makes part of this Bill, the Bill of Exceptions, No. 4, & the Endorsment by the Court heretofore filed (Recite Bill of Exceptions No. 4) & his Bill is Signed sealed & made part of the Record.

(10) Summons (printed form) upon Gavin Adams, John Adams, John Condon and Aaron Hogland to appear as witnesses for John Dupuy, Plaintiff, on 4th of Oct Term 1813. Signed Rowland Thomas.

END OF FILE. These are original papers, or "loose papers," sometimes so-called, in the lawsuit. Evidently, Abraham Hollingsworth lost the case, but appealed, and offered a bill of exdeptions, to the judge, who overruled, and then still took legal exception to the Court's decision. Rowland Thomas was Clerk of Courts and Circuit Clerk of Henry County for many years. Your editor thinks too many years. This man lived adjacent to the court house and owned land there. He is known to have taken certain liberties with legal documents. In one will now in our possession, made in 1817, replete with bad spelling and grammar, lack of capital letters, etc., the copy will made by Thomas is in perfect grammar, "cleaned up to the max." This is high handed, to say the least. Lucky your editor found the original will!

Edward Hollingsworth of Dublin, Ireland

The late beloved Irishman, Basil Morgan O'Connell, by his letter to your editor (30 July 1969) stated that at last he had run through his Dublin directories and found that one Edward Hollingsworth, paper manufacturer moved into 2, St. Michael's Hill, and appeared in directories for 1826-27-28. He fades out and re-appears in Wine Tavern St. (nearby) from 1832 through 1835, when A. Hollingsworth appears, and 1837 shows Alice or Alicia. No entry 1838 or after. O'Connell's exhaustive search covered 1752 through 1850! Edward was the brother, probably (never proved) of our Frederick. Edward has the distinction of being the only male Hollingsworth ever to appear in the Dublin directories for well over a century. Alicia was his widow. Thanks, Dear BMOC!

OBITUARY:

(1) Mrs. Esther Hollingsworth Clarke, Ohio - 1969.

MRS. CLARKE DIES; WAS TENNIS STAR. Youngstown, Ohio - Mrs. Esther Hollingsworth Clarke, 74, of 122 West Delason Ave., a tennis star here in the 1920s and secretary for Consolidated Steel Co. for 22 years, was pronounced dead at 11:45 a.m. Wednesday at South Side Hospital following a heart attack at home.

Mrs. Clarke was born June 13, 1895, in Warren (Ohio), a daughter of Ceylon E. and Bessie Sutcliffe Hollingsworth. Her father was a noted writer and artist and opened the art department of Youngstown Colsege in 1927. She was a graduate of Rayor School and had last worked on Aug. 1.

She leaves a son, Ralph, of New Canaan, Conn.; a sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Jewett of Miami, Fla., and two grandchildren.

There are no calling or services. Arrangements were made by the Davis-Welker Funeral Home. (From a paper, sans date, submitted by ?)

(2) Mrs. Hazel Turner Clay, Dekalb, Georgia - 1978.

MRS. HAZEL CLAY. Funeral for Mrs. Hazel Turner Clay, 73, of 619 Gresham Avenue, S.E. will be held at 2 p.m. Friday at Ward's Glenwood Chapel with burial in Clifton United Methodist Church cemetery. Mrs. Clay, a native of Fulton County, died Wednesday (5 Apr 1978 - Ed.). She was a member of Moreland Avenue Baptist Church. Surviving are her husband, Robert A. Clay; daughters Mrs. T. F. Guthrie of Stockbridge and Mrs. Eugene Elliott of Mansfield, Georgia; and two grandchildren;

CLAY - The friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. (Gus) Clay, Atlanta, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Guthrie, Stockbridge, Mrs. Eugene Elliot, Mansfield, Lt. Paul E. Elliot; Ft. Hood, Tex., Mrs. Penelope Jones, Covington, the nieces and nephews are invited to attend the funeral of Mrs. Robert A. (Hazel Turner) Clay, Friday April 7 at 2 p.m. from Ward's Glenwood Chapel, Rev. Jake O. Reed officiating. Interment, Clifton Springs Methodist Church cemetery. Pallbearers will assemble at the chapel at 1:45 p.m. Horis A. Ward. Inc. (From The Atlanta Journal, Thursday, April 6, 1978, etc., (two notices above) kindly submitted by Donald S. Clarke, Lithonia, Georgia. She was the daughter of Mr. Jessie Turner (sic) and Elliot P.[9] Hollingsworth, the daughter (sic) of James P.[8] Hollingsworth (Isaiah[7], Robert[6], Abraham[5], George[4], Abraham[3], Thomas[2], Valentine[1], Henry[a]). Her death was due to pneumonia and complications from diabetes and Parkinson's disease.)

(3) Mildred Hollingsworth, Kingston, Ontario, Canada, 1979.

HOLLINGSWORTH, MILDRED - At Kingston General Hospital on Thursday, January 25, 1979, Mildred McIsaac, beloved wife of Richard Hollingsworth. Resting at the Funeral Residence of Gordon F. Tompkins, 49 Colborne Street (at Clergy) from Friday afternoon. Funeral Mass in St. Joseph's Church, Saturday morning at 11 o'clock. Interment St. Mary's

Cemetery. Friends will be received Friday between the hours 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. (See page 74 for more details.)

(4) Samuel Hollingsworth, Pratt's Hollow, New York - 1850.

HOLLINGSWORTH - Suddenly, at Pratt's Hollow (Madison County, New York - Ed.) Wednesday, 6th instant (Feb) Samuel Hollingsworth. (From the Madison/Morrisville Observer, 12 Feb 1850. He was the husband of Esther Hollingsworth (her maiden name) and had two daughters who married their first cousin Hollingsworths, the sons of the following named man.)

(5) Nicholas Hollingsworth, near Morrisville, N.Y. - 1872.

HOLLINGSWORTH - Near this village, 30 July Nicholas Hollingsworth, ae 76 yr. (Morrisville Observer, 14 Aug 1872.)

(6) John Hollingsworth, Stockbridge, New York - 1863.

HOLLINGSWORTH - In Stockbridge (Madison Co., N.Y. Ed.) on the 8th instant, John Hollingsworth, ae 40 y 10 m. (Morrisville Observer, 12 Feb 1863 - He was son of above Samuel. Typescript from film at G.S. Utah. Book call number 974.764 V21.)

(7) Elmo Hollingsworth, Corsicana, Texas - 1979.

ELMO HOLLINGSWORTH. Funeral services will be 2 p.m. (sic) Wednesday for Elmo G. Hollingsworth, 79, of Corsicana who died Monday (1st Jan 1979 - Ed.) at Memorial Hospital. Rev. Elvis Egge will officiate with burial in Hamilton-Beeman Cemetery.

He was born Nov. 8, 1899 in Dresden and is a life long resident of Corsicana. He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hollingsworth. He was a deacon in the First Baptist Church. He is survived by one son, Deputy Sheriff Don Hollingsworth of Powell; one daughter Mrs. Jerry Bradley of Corsicana; four grandchildren, one great-granddaughter; two brothers, Rev. J. E. Hollingsworth of Fort Worth and D. F. Hollingsworth of Corsicana; four sisters, Mrs. Virgie Whitten of Corsicana, Ms. Winnie Jones and Mrs. Lee Loe of Monahans, and Mrs. Bonnie Smith of Houston; and several nieces and nephews. (From a Texas paper, about 2 Jan 1979, courtesy Douglas R. Hollingsworth, 37 Sanford St., Bangor, Maine 04401. Doug's notes show subject was Elmo Glenn Hollingsworth, son of Henry Barnet[8] Hollingsworth, of Robert G.[7], of Barnett G.[6] Hollingsworth.)

MARRIAGES:

(1) Kiblinger-Hollingsworth - undetermined date.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Richard Kiblinger of Annandale, Virginia are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Linda Colleen to Ricky D. Hollingsworth, son of Mrs. Mary Anne Luterman and Harold D. Hollingsworth, both of Texas. An October wedding is planned (from paper, unkn. courtesy Doug Hollingsworth. A Washington paper. Harold Dean[10], James Elbert[9], Henry Barnet[8] Hollingsworth as above.)

(2) Carey-Hollingsworth, New York - 1853.

April 5, 1853 - At the Park House, by Rev. S.H. Norton, Rector of St. Thomas's Church, Mr. Andrew M. Carey, of Augusta (Oneida County, New York - Ed) to Miss Elizabeth A. Hollingsworth, of Eaton (Madison County). (Democratic Republican, Hamilton, New York.)

(3) Millen-Hollingsworth, Dallas, Texas - 197-.

Miss Diana Lee Millen and Sam Thomas Hollingsworth, Jr. both of Dallas, will be married Sept. 2 in St. Bernard's Catholic Church in Dallas. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Charles Gerrior of Honolulu and Lamar B. Millen of Dallas. Parents of the groom are Mrs. Allen Ring of Lubbock and Sam T. Hollingsworth.

Miss Millen is a graduate of Texas Tech University where she received a BA Degree in journalism. She was a member of Alpha Delta Sigma and president of Theta Sigma Phi. Her fiance received a bachelor of fine arts degree in art from Texas Tech. (From the San Antonio Express, sent by Doug Hollingsworth, Bangor, Maine.)

(4) Hollingsworth-Hollingsworth, Hamilton, N.Y. - 1855.

In the Episcopal Church, Hamilton, on the 20th inst., by Rev. Hayes, Thomas Hollingsworth of New York to Sarah M. Hollingsworth of this town. (Morrisville Observer, 31 Mar 1855. She was a daughter of Samuel and Esther (Hollingsworth) Hollingsworth; he a son of Nicholas and Lucinda (Styles) Hollingsworth, which said Nick was also a cousin of both Sam and Esther! Such were the Protestant Irish.)

Send the editor your cuttings for this and the obituary column, or a birth notice, if found. Give the name and date of the paper, please, if at all possible. No returns can be made of this material. Send a photocopy or typescript - or a very legible handcopy - in lieu of any treasured original.

"A Bottle Pops Out Of The Sea"

A Cranford (New Jersey) couple found that proverbial bottle in the sea along the Florida coastline. And it turned out to be real, with a message for help.

Edward and Gerda Hollingsworth of 207 Columbia Avenue, discovered the bottle while "beachcombing" on vacation at Nettles Island north of Palm Beach. It had floated all the way from Cuba, apparently. The visible message from inside the glass read: "Abra la Botella," and "Open the Bottle." They took it back to their motor home and opened it before their disbelieving children: Edward Jr., 17; Mary, 12, and Kathleen. The family extricated a rubber cork from the bottle and found instructions, again in English and Spanish, from the Insti(t)uto de Oceanologia in Havana, to fill out a form about where they found the bottle to help the institute study ocean currents along the coasts of Cuba. "Your correct answers are invaluable to us," the message said.

The message said to be sure and fill out name and address so "we can send reward and tell you where and when this bottle was released." The Hollingsworths filled out the form but then had second thoughts. They were listed as "informante" and thought perhaps they would violate a law about communicating with Cuba. So they brought it back to Cranford and to The Chronicle.

The newspaper called Oliver Barker, the officer-in-charge of the Cranford Post Office, who said he was pretty sure that they could mail the letter to Cuba without violating anything. A letter is OK, but not materials or merchandise, he said. Check with the regional office to be sure, said Barker. The man in the postal mail classification department in Newark said the Hollingsworths could send a letter without any trouble, and it would get there. But sorry, no bottle. That didn't bother the Hollingsworths, who wanted to keep the bottle anyway, with its bottom carefully ballasted with sand and pieces of lead and the glass marked "Cuba." The Chronicle posted the letter containing the form for them. (By coincidence, the log number from the Cuban institute is the same number as the newspaper's post office box, 626).

Now the Hollingsworths will see if a "reward is indeed forthcoming."

From the Cranford Citizen & Chronicle, Thurs. Sept. 21, 1978, with a photo of Mr. and Mrs. Hollingsworth and the bottle and forms. Sent to HR by Mr Chapman Sullivan, our subscriber, of Margate, Florida. Mr. Edward B. Hollingsworth is also our subscriber, by coincidence! (We hope he will let us know the outcome of this.)

HOLLINGSWORTH MISCELLANY Brief items on our surname. Send along any items you think might interest our readers.

(1) Chapman Sullivan sends us a clip from a Florida paper, June 3, 1978, titled NUDE COVERUP ADOPTED. The Legislature at Tallahassee has approved (June 2) a watered-down bill which makes merchants hide magazines which show pictures of nudes to keep them from the young folks. The bill is authored by Rep. Wayne Hollingsworth, Democrat of Lake City. It was sent to Governor Askew's desk when the House voted 108 to 6 to approve changes made in the Senate. Opponents say the new restrictions will be knocked out as unconstitutional.

(2) Marion Hargrove of Santa Monica, California, donates a copy of a will in the Archdeaconry of Essex, England, dated 12 March 1574, of one John Glascocke, Stanford Rivers, County of Essex. To his two sons, Laurence and Mathewe, he gave his lease of land in Holingesorth Wodde, which he held by lease from one Mr. Ellyot. Proved 19 May 1575 Volume titled Gyll.

(3) Our cousin Miss Evelyn Purvis Earle as above, sent us a notice from an Ontario, Canada, paper, with the headline "Laborer pleads guilty in rape-robbery case." John Treadwell was to be sentenced Dec 1, 1978, by Mr. Justice A. H. Hollingworth of the Supreme Court of Ontario.

(4) Ray Beeman of 1246 Goodman St., Memphis, Tennessee 38111, advertised in Family Trees, published in Mississippi papers, address of column: P.O. Box 387, Louisville, Mississippi 39339, that he needs information on the family of Rev. Jake Hollingsworth and his wife, Gency Brand, who lived at Lake, in Newton Co., MS in the early 1900s. He concludes stating that there is a book on the Hollingsworths of Kosckusko, Mississippi by Joyce Hollingsworth of same, and wonders if it has any data on Rev. Jake. (Sent to us by our cousin Mrs. Rachel Higginbotham of Huntington Park, CA.)

(5) Mel Hanberg of Culver City, CA submits a page each from two copies of the Army Times, as he often has done before. Issue of 3 Apr. 1978, p. 38, has a list of 2221 men in the officer's ranks who will be considered for permanent promotion to major. Included is Ro(bert) Hollingsworth, 71/06/12, permanent DOR. Issue of Sep 4, 1978, p. 28, in a list of 2842 picked for promotion to Captain is Michael Hollingsworth, 0236.

(6) Ms Adele Manwaring, formerly of Bloomington, Indiana, a student at Indiana University, whom your editor visited the past summer, but now enjoying a position with the Genealogical Department in Salt Lake City - whom your editor visited the past fall! - sent us 2 pages out of the I.U. student paper, the Indiana Daily Student, Jan 23, and 24, 1978 spotlighting 21 students who would compete for Union Board seats on the 24th. Joe Hollingsworth, pictured with the others, is quoted in the earlier paper, to-wit: Joseph Hollingsworth. As a Freshman, my introduction to the Union Board came about unspectacularly: No spate of booklets, flyers, etc., welcoming the incoming student, but rather a simple statement on a small piece of paper left in my mailbox at Briscoe Hall, "Be a communications coordinator ..." Well, I took on the job in return for free passes to various entertainment events. Just that minor contact with the Union Board revealed to me a need for better coordination of activities, a need to eliminate duplication of work and to simplify the work to be done. Place me on the Board and I will seek out energetically ways to streamline, vitalize and involve the Board in meeting the needs of the student body."

The paper for the 24th has the following statement about him: Joe Hollingsworth said he is interested in outdoor recreation, although he said "I haven't been involved with Union Board very long, so I can't know for sure what I want to work with." Hollingsworth, freshman, said he understands the need for innovation and budgeting in the Union Board. "I live on a farm and I know you need to find ways to save money any way you can. You always have to look for new ideas."

(7) Evelyn P. Earle, Gananoque, Ontario, Canada, sent us many cuttings. Among them are these poignant articles, which we cannot quote in full, out of The Whig-Standard, Kingston, Ontario, for Friday, Dec. 15, and Wed. Dec 13, 1978. The obituary for Mrs. Hollingsworth appears above as item 3 in our Obituary column this number. Two very long articles appear in these papers, in the column NEIGHBORS by Cliff Bowering. Mildred Hollingsworth had a malignant tumor in her lower stomach which was diagnosed by the family doctor, R. B. Pritchard, three years previously. That was Oct 15, 1975. Massive surgery was called for.

Nevertheless, despite Mildred's courage, another tumor began to cause problems. This was after a three year lapse after the first operation.

The following biographical data about Richard Hollingsworth is presented: He was born and educated in England. Came to Canada at 16 under an immigration department scheme for farm labor. The entailed cheap labor, long hours, meagre food and small income. After that, he worked in logging camps and in construction of what became the Alcan plant at Kingston. In 1940 Dick Hollingsworth enlisted in the R.C. Navy and served to the end of the war, mainly in the north Atlantic on corvettes.

Dick met Mildred in Sydney, Nova Scotia. That was after the war with Germany was over, but before the Japanese surrendered - in mid - 1945. Mildred and Dick dated and he decided to propose. She had lost both father and mother as a youngster, and was being cared for by her grandparents. It is now 34 years since their marriage.

Because it was felt that others should know of his wife's sufferings, and his own anguish, the Whig-Standard has published five segments of the notes which Dick Hollingsworth kept during the time. These notes were kept during the nights when Mildred was asleep, and when he knew his wife was dying. Dick describes the use of a "Brompton cocktail," and of Leritine, Demerol and Tylenol, to alleviate the pain Mildred was suffering during the process, all to no avail.

The doctor asked Dick if he knew how serious Mildred's illness was. Dick said Yes. And Dick's own narrative continues. "Being Catholics, it is necessary to have a funeral mass at our church." Dick showed how aware of his dear wife's condition he really was. As time wears on, Dick begins to show fatigue from the great strength needed to support Mildred through many visits to the hospital. A swollen leg alerts Dick that Mildred may have a blood clot, which is verified by by the doctor. Heparin, a blood thinner, is prescribed.

Now, Mildred has passed from the pain of earthly care. We can only imagine the letdown which has settled on Dick Hollingsworth,with the death of his beloved companion of nearly 35 years. Perhaps cards of comfort sent to Richard Hollingsworth, 20 Elmwood, Kingston, Ontario, Canada, by any reader who cares to do so, will help in some way.

(8) Our subscriber, Tom Pattavina, has sent us a copy of the Braintree Observer and Sunday Forum, Sun., Apr 2, 1978, (Braintree, Mass.) p. 6, with article headed "Hollingsworth House Presents Plaque to Honor Town Benefactor." Ellis Hollingsworth was honored by the plaque. In 1911, the original Braintree town hallburned. The Town Meeting approved $70,000. and later another $2,000. for reconstruction. The total of the lowest bids, however, was $82,000 and the town could not afford more. Ellis Hollingsworth, advised of the situation, contributed ten thousand dollars to finish. Our notice on p. 14 of this volume will give more data. The inscription on the plaque reads: IN 1912, ELLIS HOLLINGSWORTH PRESENTED TO THE TOWN OF BRAINTREE A GIFT OF $10,000.00 TO COMPLETE THIS TOWN HALL, ONE EIGHTH OF THE TOTAL COST.

Levi David Hollingsworth's Bible

Your editor copied the entries in this bible record about 1960 by permission of our cousin, Mrs. Rachel (Hollingsworth) Higginbotham, of Huntington Park, California, a granddaughter. At that time, a rank amateur, the editor did not write down the date the bible was published or where. Levi David Hollingsworth was the 2nd son of Edward Earl Hollingsworth and Rachel (McFadden). He was born at or near Byron, Minnesota in 1863. He was married four times, and the first and last of them were sisters, Ida June and Mary Alice Southwick.

L. D. Hollingsworth to Myra Jones, Aug. 4, 1905.
L. D. Hollingsworth to Rosa S. Sparks, April 28, 1894.
Ida J. Southwick born July 17, 1868, Minn.
Eddie J. Hollingsworth born July 25, 1886, Minn.
Mearl D. Hollingsworth (born) Oct. 9, 1907.
Rosa S. Hollingsworth Warner, (born) Nov. 25, 1873, Calif.
William Lester Hollingsworth, (born) April 18, 1895, Cal.
Rosalee Hollingsworth (born) May 24, 1897, Cal.
Myra (Maybee) (born) Aug. 26, 1868, Kansas.
Margaret Hollingsworth "Toots" adopted, (born)Feb. 7, 1899, Calif.
Mary A. Southwick, (born) Dec. 2, 1870.
Eddie J. Hollingsworth died July 5, 1893, Los Angeles.
Rosa S. Warner, died August 21, 1913, Los Angeles.
Mearl D. Hollingsworth, died Nov. 8, 1913, in Los Angeles.
Barney Lux born June 20, 1892; died Aug 31, 1945, L.A.
Mearl D. Thetford born Aug. 22, 1924, Los Angeles, Calif.

For more details, see the very early issues of HR under the Frederick Hollingsworth Family series.

SOUTH CAROLINA DISCOVERIES

Brent H. Holcomb's work, Probate Records of South Carolina, Volume 2, (1978) contains data from the Journal of the Court of Ordinary, 1771-1775. Here are new items pertaining to well known Hollingsworths.

(1) P. 16, 17. Dec. 1771. 4th. Dedimus issued to Thomas Fletchall, Esq. to qualify AMY HOLLINGSWORTH Administra(trix) of the Estate and Effects of ABRAHAM HOLLINGSWORTH, late of the fork of Saludy (river).

(2) P. 2. Dedimus issued to ELIAS HOLLINGSWORTH Esq. to prove the will and qualify Executors of Dennis Crosby, Dec. Sept. 6, 1771.

(3) P. 3. Dedimus issued to Alexander Mc Intosh, Esqr. to qualify ELIZA HOLLINGSWORTH, Administrator (sic) on the Estate & Effects of SAMUEL HOLLINGSWORTH, Dec'd. Sept. 17, 1771.

(4) Dedimus issued to Arthur Hart, Esqr. to qualify the Executors and prove the will of ELIZABETH HOLLINGSWORTH late of St. David's Parish, Craven County. 8th July 1772.

Gasconade County, Missouri Hollandsworth Records

Part Two

From page 47. Land Records, continued.

(19) Volume S, page 278. (Printed Forms). Know all men by these presents that we, Elisha Hollandsworth & Mary Anne Hollandsworth his wife, of Gasconade County, for the sum of $300.00 paid by Henry Lueders of same place, ... the north west quarter of the south east quarter of Section 35, Township 42, Range 5 West, being 40 acres. Dated 19 Sept 1866; Filed 25 Feb 1868.

(20) Volume S, page 378. James McDaniel & Sintha (x her mark) his wife, for sum of $150.00 to Thomas C. Hollandsworth, all of Gasconade County (note: Sintha signs "Cintha") land being the south west quarter of the south east quarter of Section twenty six (20 - sic) Township 42, Range 5, also 4 acres in the North East corner of the West 1/2 of the north east quarter of Section 35 of Township 42, Range 5 West ... 44 acres in all. Dated 9 March 1866; Registered 10 Sept. 1868.

(21) Volume S, page 379. Thomas C. Hollandsworth and Charlotte T. Hollandsworth, for $150.00 to Charlott Leuders ... the south west quarter of the south east quarter of Section 26, Township 42, Range 5 West ... also 4 acres of the north east corner of the west 1/2 of the north east quarter of section 35, (township) 42, range 5 west ... 44 acres. Dated 23 Jan. 1868. Filed 10 Sept. 1868.

(22) Volume S., page 625. Joseph Hollandsworth & Anney (x) his wife, for $50.00, to James A. Mathews, all of Gasconade County, to said James Mathews, his undivided share and all his Interest in the North East quarter of the south east quarter and the east half of the north east quarter of Section 35, of Township 43, Range 5 West, 120 acres. Dated 27 June 1868; Recorded 16 May 1870, Francis Sullivan, Justice of the Peace.

(23) Volume S, page 626. Elisha G. Hollandsworth & Mary Ann his wife, and Rhoda Jane Hollandsworth, for $100.00, to James A. Mathews, the 1/4th part of the East one half of the north east quarter and the north east quarter of the south east quarter of Section 35 of Township 42, Range 5 West. Dated 26 January 1868; Recorded 16 May 1870.

(24) Volume S, page 627. Elisha Hollandsworth and Mary Ann (x) his wife, for $50.00, to James A. Mathews ... the east half of the north-east quarter and the north east quarter of the south east quarter of Section 35, Township 42, Range 5 West. Dated August 1, 1868; recorded May 16, 1870.

(25) Volume W, page 386 (printed form). I, Isam M. Hollandsworth (X) for $50.00 to James A. Matthews, an undivided share of the east half of the north east quarter and the north east quarter of the south east quarter of Section 35, Township 42, Range 5 West --- 120 acres. Dated 2 July 1868; Recorded 18 Feb. 1873.

(26) Volume W, page 388. Selia Morgan & William C. Morgan, for $130. to James A. Mathews, North west quarter of the south east quarter of S. 31, T. 42, and the South half of Lot 1 of S.W. quarter, and north half of Lot 1, southwest quarter of S 31, T 42, Range 4 west ... 120 acres. Dated 8 Oct. 1868; Recorded 18 Feb 1873.

(27) Page 389. DeWitt Clinton Hollandsworth and Nancy C. Hollandsworth, for $40.00, to William R. Vaughan, the undivided 8th part of the north half of the south east quarter and the south east quarter of the north east quarter of Section 35, Township 42, Range 5 West ... 120 acres. Dated 27 July 1871; Registered 18 Feb.1873.

(28) Volume X, page 79. I Christian Kuhn, collector of state and county revenue for Gasconade Co., Missouri send Greeting. Whereas on 11 August 1869, ... judgment in County Court ... Thomas C. Hollandsworth ... 40 acres, south west quarter of the scouth east quarter of Section 26, T. 42, R. 5 West ... for taxes due in 1868 of $4.89. (The land was sold at auction to the highest bidder ... Henry Bucholz.) Dated 7 Nov. 1871; Recorded same date.

(29) Vol. Y, page 387 (printed form). William Uffmann and Eliza X Uffmann, for $400.00, to Isam Hollandsworth, guardian of the estate of Francis Rose ... north east quarter of the southeast quarter and the east half of the northeast quarter of Section 35, T 42, Range 4. being 120 acres. Signed Luise x Uffmann. Feb. 2-March 25, 1878.

(30) Vol. Y, p. 451. Edward Reed and Ann(ie) Reed, for $75.00 to Isam Hollandsworth, guardian of Francis Rose, 6/8 of und. tract, the east half of the south east quarter, and the south west quarter of the north east quarter of section 2, Township 41, Range 5 west. Dated 10 Nov. 1878; Recorded 17 January 1879.

(31) Volume Z, page 291. I, William E. (X) Hodge, for $150.00 to Dewit C. Hollandsworth ... 25 acres off the east and or part of lot 3 of northwest quarter of Section 4, Township 41, Range 4 west; also 4 acres off of the west and or part of lot 3 of the northeast quarter of Section 4, Township 41 Range 4 West. In all, 29 acres. Dated 24 Nov 1876; Recorded 19 Feb. 1877.

(32) Volume 2, page ( ). Indenture dated 6 Nov 1877, Martha Hollandsworth of Gasconade County of first part to William Uffman of the same place, of 2nd part, for $115.00. Quitclaim of 120 acres of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter and the east half of the north east quarter of Section 35, T. 42, R. 5 West. Signed Martha X Hollandsworth. Filed 21 Jan. 1878.

(33) Volume 2, page 380. I, Theodore Bergner, Sheriff of Gasconade County send Greeting. Whereas, term of Circuit ofGasconade county, Charles M. Matthews et al, Petition against William Hollandsworth and others, defendants in partition of following described realestate: The northeast quarter of s.e. q. and e. half of n.e. q. all in S 35; T42; R. 5 West. Court decreed partition, ordered sale. William Uffman was the purchaser as highest bidder. Dated 21 May; filed 30 May 1878.

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Tippecanoe County, Indiana Records

Registered Voters in 1922:

Hollingsworth,	Aldine,	Wabash Township,	female;	ae 49.	Oct 9, 1922.
Hollingsworth,	Anna,	Fairfield Tp.	" ;	ae 28.	Same.
Hollingsworth,	Anna,	" "	" ;	ae 30.	Same.
Hollingsworth,	A.	Jackson Tp.	male ;	ae 46.	Sep 9, 1922.
Hollingsworth,	M.	" "	female;	ae 44.	Same.
Hollingsworth,	Thomas,	Wabash "	male ;	ae 50.	Oct 9, 1922.
Hollingsworth,	William	P. Wayne "	male ;	ae 68.	Same.
Hollingworth,	E.	Wabash "	female;	ae 70.	Same.

From W.P.A. mimeographed Supplemental Record, County Welfare Offices, Lafayette, Indiana, 1938, p. 234, State Library, Indianapolis.

Record of Deaths, 1887-1920:

Hollingsworth,	A.,	male, white, aged 82,	May 16, 1919,	City	CH-11L 32.
Hollingsworth,	Emma,	fem., white, " 30,	Dec 26, 1893		S-10 L 63.
Hollingsworth,	Harriet,	" " " 79,	Feb 22, 1919,	W Laf.	CH-3WL29.
Hollingsworth,	Sarah V.	" " " 61,	Dec 27, 1901,	Union Tp	S-12L60
Hollingsworth,	Asenath	" " " 62,	May 4, 1901,	Jackson	S-12L44.

State Library, W.P.A. records. Asenath is probably a Hollingsworth, not a Hollingworth, as shown in entry.

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It is fully fifteen years (1964) since your editor toyed with the idea of a Hollingsworth publication of some type. The late and well beloved John Valentine Hollingsworth of Chadd's Ford, Pennsylvania, agreed that one should be started, rather than the commonly known 'Hollingsworth Reunion,' suggested by others. The late Ellen Barrett, of the Los Angeles Central Library, also concurred with the idea. But your editor never dreamed he would publish fully fifty-six of these magazines, spanning nearly fifteen years! See you next year!