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1975

SOULE REUNION

at

THE GOVERNOR CARVER MOTOR INN

SEPTEMBER 5th, 6th and 7th, 1975

Have you made reservations?
It is time to start your planning!
It will be fun and interesting!
Will you stay for Mayflower Congress?
Make it a big vacation.

There will be many sites you may wish to see and enjoy. Mr. Tiffin wants to do the many things that you expect while there. Help him by letting him know what you would like best.

There will be some staying over for the Mayflower Congress too. It begins on Monday following. It will last through Tuesday evening.

September should be a good time to enjoy this part of our good country.

Come and join in the fun, meet new Kindred, revisit with the ones you have met before, and bring your family histories with you and make our Kindred spread from north to south and east to west and all places in between.
EDITOR'S NOTE:--

Here it is time for another SOULE REUNION come September and as usual I'm behind in getting ready. I will make it though somehow. I haven't sent Mr. Tiffin any ideas for what we want to do and see. I know he will find something to see that I haven't seen before, so am leaving it up to him. Sounds like he has some good ideas.

We, Frank and I, are travelers in our "Avion" trailer and will bring it East with us. Then we can do some site seeing on the way over and back also. It will be fun that way and hope others will also do the same.

Just returned from a trip to Montana to see Frank's brother, wife and family. We were marooned six days in Montana near Glacier Park with rain, high water and bridges out. We finally made our way out with the help of a bull dozer that cut a road around the edge of the mountain. There were 42 trailers left camp that day and glad to get out onto the road again. So...keep the rain away and high water from rising and bridges from washing away, as we don't need two such trips this year. A trip we will long remember though.

The AVION people had a Rendezvous in St. Paul and we attended it on our way home. They had a daily newspaper, two to four pages, and I got it out for them. It was fun and I enjoyed the travelers that met there.

Look at Mr. Tiffin's ideas and come up with some suggestions. The last two Soule Newsletters have been quite small. Maybe his idea of fewer per year might be an answer to one problem.

We can't have a newsletter without news. Thanks to everyone who sends in materials we have managed to have our four per year. But, we need more items to continue as in the past.

Fewer Newsletters would cut cost of printing and mailing. Think about that or getting more items to build up the newsletter and sales.

Family lineages mean so much to people trying to prove lines to George Soule. We could print more of them if available. There are more and more being proven all the time. So prepare at least all new ones for publishing. Send names and addresses so people can write to you for help.

Mary Crismore, Editor
3139 West 51st Street
Indianapolis, Indiana 46208
July 15, 1975

Here goes for my last letter before the Annual Meeting. This year has been a busy one and many things have not been done. Mail has been reasonably heavy and I have tried to answer all of the letters. Planning for the annual affair has taken time, but I think we are all set.

Some decisions will have to be made:

1. Shall we raise dues to take care of the increased cost of printing and mailing or shall we reduce the number of letters to two or three?

2. Who is ready to pitch in and help John on the five-generation project?

3. Any volunteers to do odd jobs?

4. Where should we hold the 1976 Annual Meeting?

If this issue reaches "you all" before the Annual Meeting, please be sure to let us know if you are coming. We need to know so we will have enough food for you. It will be served right at the John Alden House. A postal card will do the job. Be sure to tell us how many in your party.

A number of our John Alden friends are being invited to join us after the business meeting for lunch and a social hour.

To all that are coming, Good Traveling.

Very truly yours,

Kenneth C. Tiffin

EVERYONE COME!!!

STILL TIME TO PLAN!!!

SEPTEMBER 1975
The marriage of Miss Carolyn Jeanne Soule and Randy Eugene Johns was solemnized at 7 p.m. Saturday, June 21, at the First Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Edward Mesta and Evelyn Chamberlin of Burlington, Iowa, officiating. Edward Parrish, vocalist, and Mrs. Thomas Gravett presented a program of nuptial selections.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Soule of Winchester, and Mr. Johns is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crowe of Cynthiana.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a soft white polyester knit empire gown with high venise lace collar and a cathedral train. Her veil fell from a Camelot cap of venise lace, and she carried a bouquet of yellow roses, white carnations and blue cornflowers.

Mrs. Randy Breuck of Waterloo, Iowa, was her sister's matron of honor. She was attired in a yellow flowered dress with a hoop skirt, and a matching picture hat. Her colonial bouquet was of white and yellow daisies. Miss Arnetta Lybrook of Lexington, was bridesmaid. She wore a spring blue flowered dress styled identical to the honor attendant, and a matching picture hat.

Michael Ecklen of Cynthiana served the bridegroom as best man. Ushers were Edward Fizette of Cynthiana and Randy Breuck of Waterloo, Iowa.

The mother of the bride wore a full length blue dress trimmed with matching lace, and the groom's grandmother chose a pink jacket dress. Each wore a white orchid corsage.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Lamplighters Inn. Assisting in serving were Mrs. Ronald Willey and Miss Karen Helmick of Burlington, Iowa, and Mrs. Keith Sansone of Winchester.

Mrs. Larry Lail, sister of the groom, of Cynthiana, presided at the guest book.

For their wedding trip to the Smoky Mountains the bride wore a green pant suit and an orchid corsage.

Mrs. Johns is a graduate of Burlington, Iowa high school and Southeastern Community College. Mr. Johns is a graduate of Cynthiana High School.

The couple is residing in Lexington.

Bridal showers were given by Mrs. Gene Vanderpool of Lexington, and Mrs. Ronald Willey at the bride's home here. Out-of-town guests at the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. Roland Willey, Miss Evelyn Chamberlain and Miss Karen Hemlick of Burlington, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Randy Breuck, Waterloo, Iowa; Bradley Soule Magusice, Iowa; Garry Anderson, Keokuk, Ia.; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest B. Johns, Vickery, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Puckett, Louisville.

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Editor's note: All lineage data should be sent in and recorded. THANKS!
Mr. and Mrs. Norman R. Soule of Eden, New York announce the engagement of their daughter, Rosemary A. Soule to Dennis B. Peters, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Peters of Hamburg, New York. July 12, 1975 has been set for the wedding at the Immaculate Conception Church in Eden, New York.

Yours Truly

Robert R. Soule
2626 Sunkel Dr.
Edin, N.Y. 14057

Maine Sunday Telegram,

May 11, 1975

MRS. MICHAEL SOULE

Susan P. Hinds, Michael C. Soule

ELIOT — Announcement is made of the March 22 wedding of Susan P. Hinds and Michael Carter Soule at St. John's Episcopal Church at Portsmouth, N.H. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Clayton Hinds of Greenwood St., Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Soule of Stoneybrook Road, Phippsburg.

Mrs. Soule graduated from Marshwood High School and attended the University of Maine at Orono. She is a student in the nursing program at Lasell Junior College at Auburndale, Mass., where her husband is employed. Mr. Soule graduated from Morse High School and holds a B.S. degree in zoology from UMO.
USAR Capt. Thomas F. Soule Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Soule, 3400 West Shore, Warwick, who is attached to Headquarters 371st Support Brigade, Camp LaRoi Johnson, New Orleans, La. was recently promoted to the rank of major. The presenting officer was Col. George Kronenberger, Deputy Commander, 371st Support Brigade. Major Soule's assignment within the unit will be Asst. Chief Supply Requirements Officer. He is a member of the class of 1959 Warwick Veterans Memorial High School, and the class of 1963 University of Rhode Island. He resides in New Orleans with his wife, the former Jennie Lynn Tafarro and son Robert and daughter Rebecca.

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MISS REA WHICKER
Miss Rea Whicker Engaged

From: Terre Haute, Ind.
Mr. Sankey is a descendant of William (Bildad) Soules

This family is of the old New York family that came to Vigo, Co., Indiana in the very early 1800's.

Item sent in by:
Mrs. Betty Whitecotten
2306 Woodland Blvd.
Ft. Myers, Florida 33901

Shrine
Sankey, a 27-year member, has been an active member of the Shrine Patrol for many years and is a member also of the Temple's Wheelchair Club. He serves as a cook for the gala Italian Night at Zorah each year and is also a cook at the spring and fall bean dinners sponsored by Scottish Rite Valley of Terre Haute.

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SEE NEXT PAGE

REA WHICKER is the daughter of Ben R. & Rea Mae (Gofdeer) Whicker [Kindred No. 4241]

Mr. and Mrs. Ben R. Whicker of 90 North 5th East Kaysville announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Rea Jo to Curtis R. Cloward, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cloward of 59 South 200 East, Kaysville.

THE MARRIAGE vows will be solemnized July 18 in the Salt Lake LDS Temple followed by a garden reception at the home of the bridegroom's parents.

The bride-elect graduated from Davis High School and attended Weber State College. She is employed with Schools for the Deaf and Blind in Ogden.

THE PROSPECTIVE bridegroom is a graduate of Davis High School, has fulfilled an LDS mission to the Italy North Mission. He attended Brigham Young University and is presently employed with Century Lighting, Ogden, etc.
GENEALOGICAL GLEANINGS

Gleaned by Rea Clodfelter Whicker from a microfilm copy of the Town Records of New Marlborough, Berkshire County, MA:

Children of Moses Soul and Elenor, his wife

Charles William born 21 Mar 1762
Elenor born 18 Apr 1764 [sic]
Bildad born 17 Sep 1766
Moses born 10 Apr 1769
Isaac born 4 Oct 1771
Mary born 23 Jan 1774

Comment by Family Historian: Ridlon (page 931) gives these dates, except for the first given as 1 Mar rather than 21 Mar, but does not cite source. Published Pembroke Vital Records use the abbreviated "SOUL" spelling but give only the baptismal records of this family:

Moses, s. Isaac bp. 2 Apr 1738
Charles Williams, s. Moses bp. 18 Apr 1762

[Since his mother was Eleanor Williams, and the final "S" used almost invariably by this eldest son, we have considered it logical to assume that this middle name is a family surname.]

Eleonor, d. Moses bp. 12 Jan 1764
[Since this date is prior to her birth date reported above, we suspect a probable error - say from Jun to Jan in translating the original into print.]

Bildad, s. Moses bp. 28 Sep 1766
Moses, s. Moses bp. 11 Jun 1769

Berkshire County records (Deed Book 13:329) indicate that Moses and Eleanor (Williams) Soule first bought land 21 May 1779 in New Marlborough (established as a "district" 15 Jun 1759 and made a town 23 Aug 1775). This Moses Soule served from New Marlborough in the American Revolution. In fact, he commanded the troops from that town responding to the alarm of 18 Apr 1775. Now, the fact that the two younger children were not baptized in Pembroke leads us to suspect the family may have migrated westward the length of Massachusetts circa 1770/71 or even as early as the latter part of 1769.

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Gleaned by Colonel John Soule from a beautifully hand written ledger found in Montpelier, VT, reputedly compiled by the then Town Clerk of Pomfret, Windsor County, VT in the 1920s to record all of the gravestone inscriptions then existing in the town:

North Pomfret Cemetery - Mary Soule d. 10 Mar 1787 ae 62
Ruth Soule d. 23 Oct 1838 ae 88

Comment: The birth dates suggested for Mary Soule of ca 1745 and Ruth of ca 1750 indicates the possibility of mother and daughter relationship with the mother old enough to have been the wife of a third or fourth generation SOULE man. Our files do not provide the slightest clues!

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Editor's note:

Can anyone identify this Mary and Ruth Soule? Send information to Col. John Soule if data can be found.
MRS. E. W. SOULE

Mrs. Mabel Monroe Soule, wife of the late Ernest W. Soule, passed away in Melrose Apr. 16 at the age of 84 after a long illness. She had been a resident of Melrose for 25 years after moving here from Norwalk, Conn.

Born in New Rochelle, N.Y., the daughter of Albert Monroe and Salina Guion Fitzpatrick Monroe, she was a graduate of New York State Teacher's College and taught school in her native city before her marriage. Thereafter, she served for many years as a private tutor.

Throughout her life she was active in the field of music and in church work, serving in the church school and holding various offices in missions and in the Women's Society at both the local and district level. She had been a member of Eastern Star and a member of the First United Methodist Church of Melrose for the past 25 years.

She is survived by her four sons, Dr. Robert M. Soule of Melrose, Wesley G. Soule of Darien, Conn., Dr. David E. Soule of Western Illinois University, Macomb, Ill., and Don Donald E. Soule of the University of British Columbia, Vancouver, B.C., Canada; a sister, Mrs. Arlene Browne of Hempstead, N.Y., and by 10 grandchildren.

Visiting hours will be held at the Robinson Chapel, 806 Main Street, tonight, Apr. 18, from 7:30 to 9:00 o'clock. Funeral services will be held tomorrow, Apr. 19, at 3 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church.

Burial will be in Wyoming Cemetery.

Item of interest:

My wife, my daughter and I just returned from seven months in England, where I supervised and taught a group of Casleton College students. There was, as I remember, only two SOULES in the London telephone directory.

George Soule, 313 Nevada St., Northfield, Minn. 55057

From: Fred Soules

Mrs. Anna Barnes is my Aunt, and was wife of my father's oldest brother.

SAN ANGELO TIMES
San Angelo, Texas
Thursday Evening, February 20, 1975

Mrs. Soules

EVANT (TNS) — Services for Mrs. Anna Barnes Soules, 89, mother of a San Angeloan, were held at 2:30 p.m. today in Evant Funeral Home with burial in Hurst Ranch Cemetery.

Mrs. Soules died Tuesday in a Bernbrook nursing home.

She was born Oct. 22, 1885 in Erath County and formerly lived in Star.

Survivors include five daughters, Mrs. Frank Smith of Lampasas, Mrs. Hoover Hodges of Odessa, Mrs. Clyde Boykin of Midland and Mrs. Roland Kincheloe and Mrs. Ruth Adams, both of Fort Worth; two sons, F. M. Soules of Post and Johnnie Soules of San Angelo; three sisters, Mrs. Betty Light of Roscoe, Miss Lillie Barnes and Miss Jewell Barnes, both of Levelland; two brothers, Charlie Barnes of Roby and Vess Barnes of Roscoe; 15 grandchildren, 30 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

The Arizona Republic Phoenix, Thurs., April 10, 1975

Margaret H. Soule

SUPERIOR—Services for Margaret H. Soule, 91, who died Sunday in Hoemako Hospital in Casa Grande, will be at 4 p.m. today at the Superior Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery.

Mrs. Soule was a retired school teacher and principal.

She had worked in this profession from 1948 to 1965, including a short time in Phoenix. She had resided in Arizona for 58 years.

Survivors include her children, John, Claude, Van, Richard Mrs. Nancy Sanford, and Mrs. Margaret Loges; a brother, 12 grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

No address with this item
Postmarked: McNary, Arizona 85930
In Memoriam

Police Officers
Died in the line of duty June 27, 1974

Services for Officers Jon A. Ryckman and Byron B. Soule, Jr., Aviation Section officers who died in the line of duty in a tragic mid-air crash June 28, were July 1: in the morning from Guardian Angel Church for Officer Soule and in the afternoon for Officer Ryckman at Bethel Lutheran Church, St. Clair Shores.

Officer Ryckman was 26. He is survived by his wife, Dena, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald O. Ryckman, four brothers and his grandmother, Mrs. Maude Ryckman, the widow of the late Insp. Arthur Ryckman.

Officer Soule, 31, is survived by his wife, Mary Ann, a daughter Laurie Lynn, and a son, Scott Alan, his parents, Judge and Mrs. Blake Soule, of Bad Axe, and one sister.

Interment for Officer Ryckman was in Roseland Park Cemetery. Officer Soule was buried July 2 in St. John Valley Cemetery, Ubly.

For both services, the Police Band and a platoon of Police Officers commanded by Insp. Gilbert Truax accompanied the remains.

Officer Ryckman joined the Department in May 1971; Officer Soule in January 1965.

Pallbearers at the Soule rites were Insp. Eljay E. Bowron and Police Officers Eljay B. Bowron, Jack Bowron, David Bender, Michael Cherry and Charles Meshew.

Performing bearer honors for Officer Ryckman were Police Officers John Quinn, Gary Hamlin, Robert Stewart, Don Yordy and Robert King and Sgt. Donald Campbell.

Memorial Services For
CARL LAFAYETTE SOULE
Native Of
Bloomington, Illinois
March 18, 1897
Passed Away
June 1, 1975
Corona, California

Services From
Crestlawn Mortuary Chapel
June 4, 1975
2:00 P.M.

Officiating
Rev. Bennie H. Franklin
Temescal Lodge #314 F.&A.M.

Final Resting Place
Crestlawn Memorial Park

Mr. & Mrs. Thomas F. Soule, Family 256781
3400 W. Shore Road, Warwick, R.I. 02886,
announce a new grandson, age 10 years, by adoption, Robert Davis Soule, son of Jennie Tafarro Soule, adopted by Thomas F. Soule, Jr.; Mr. & Mrs. Thomas F. Soule, Jr., daughter Rebecca and son Robert,
reside at 10210 Chevy Chase Drive, New Orleans, La. 70127.
I enclose some "Soule's in the news" clips that I have collected over a period of time.

Jane and I have reservations at the Lord Carver Motor Inn from the evening of Sept. 4th thru the morning of Sept. 8th. We look forward to seeing you at trunk there in the heart of Souleland America USA!

Janie has never been to Boston & the Plymouth area and is thrilled at the prospect of seeing all of the things I have described to her.

We may take advantage of Allegheny Airlines Liberty Fare, allowing unlimited air travel between all cities served by them for a flat rate. That way we could stop off at several other cities enroute to Boston.

It will be a fun trip!

Fraternally yours,
"Cousin" Debe George

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Soule-Lauen

Carolyn Joyce Lauen and Gary Robert Soule were married July 27 in Calvary Lutheran Church, Golden Valley. A reception at Knights of Columbus Hall, Crystal, followed.

Attendants were Donna Bowles, Diane Soule, Debe Soule, JoDeane Lauen, Greg Soule, John McGuire, Dave Kringstad, Tom Meyers and Brett Anderson.

Parents are the late Mr. and Mrs. Perry C. Harris, who lived in Browning, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Soule, 2330 Vale Crest Rd., Golden Valley.

After a trip north, the couple is at home in Crystal.

Debe Soule, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Soule, 2330 Vale Crest Rd., Golden Valley, won a performance-Merit scholarship award in theatre arts at Simpson College, Indianola, Iowa. Debe is a senior at Robbinsdale Senior High and has been an active participant in the drama department for three years. She had the title role in "Romeo and Juliet", was a teenager in "Bye Bye Birdie", co-directed the first all student one-acts, and danced in three "Carnival" numbers.
'Zit' is big cheese in the rat olympics

An intelligent and athletic rat named "Zit" won two of three events in the Instrumental Conditioning Olympics recently at Robbinsdale Senior High School.

Zit figured out how to run through a maze in 3.5 seconds, then amassed 84 in the broad jump in four tries.

It's all part of the animal laboratory part of Dr. Marvin E. Trautwein's psychology course, designed to test techniques in behavior modification. It's called "instrumental" because the rats are rewarded with a pellet or candy when they perform correctly.

Another rat called "Snowshoe" took first place in the Skinner Box (named after Harvard psychologist B. F. Skinner) by pushing down a lever 135 times in 8 minutes. He was rewarded with a pellet each time the lever went down.

Zit is owned and trained by one of Trautwein's students, Gregory Soule. Snowshoe's owner-trainer is Jim Reine.

The winners were presented with cardboard loving cup trophies made by the students.

Trautwein says the rat olympics will be expanded next year with rats from other schools to be invited.
G O O D - B Y ,
ROBBINSDALE

Heidi, center, and her classmates listened to a valedictory address by Su Zan Carpenter

Graduates had this view of parents, family and friends
More items from
Ben George Soul . cont.

Mrs. Almen helped Heidi open her graduation gift, luggage.

At open house at the Almens last night, Heidi and her friend, Debe Soule, Golden Valley, looked at the graduation cake.

Moments before leaving Mielke Field.

For Heidi Almen and 706 other seniors at Robbinsdale High School, Thursday night was graduation time at Mielke Field. Like many of the several thousand area high school seniors who were graduated this week, Heidi was feted with a small get-together for family on the night of graduation and a party for family and friends last night. Heidi’s parents are LeRoy and Shirley Almen, 5925 June Av. N., Robbinsdale. Heidi plans to attend Golden Valley Lutheran Junior College in the fall.

A happy graduate

Star Photos
by
William Seaman

From left, Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Johnson, Heidi’s grandparents; Susan Almen, 16, her sister; her father, LeRoy; Heidi; Mrs. Almen, and Tim Almen, 13.
From: Gladys Carr Humphrey, 995 S. Champion Ave., Columbus, Ohio 43206

Mother passed away January 27, 1975, aged 100 years, 4 months and 2 days. She added a line to me that her mother's great grandmother was Josepha Drake Friend and that she was my great, great, great, great Aunt. (Editor's note)

Happy Birthday!

By NORMA GABLE
Daily News Staff Writer
Lulu Carr Bensonhaver is observing her 100th birthday today quietly with just her immediate family. Thought to be Hocking County's only centenarian, Mrs. Bensonhaver was born Sept. 25, 1874, on a farm near Gibsonville that has been in her family for more than 150 years.

She was one of seven children born to Nathan Prior III and Elizabeth Friend.

During the past year, information has been found tracing her line of descent from George Soule, one of the passengers on the Mayflower. On her mother's side of the family, she is descended from Nicholas Friend, who sailed from England in 1674 in his own ship.

Gen. U.S. Grant was president of the country at the time of her birth, and she has lived through the administrations of a total of 21 chief executives.

Her childhood pleasures were far simpler and remote from today's fast-paced technological times, including taffy-pulls, ice cream socials, spelling bees and, when the snow was piled high, sleigh riding.

Lulu is a lifetime member of the Gibsonville United Methodist Church. Until recently, when her eyesight began to dim, she read her Bible daily.

She was married to Charles Carr in 1892 and four children were born to them: Bruce and Newell Carr, both now deceased, Paul Carr of Gibsonville and Gladys Carr Humphrey of Logan.

Charles died in 1943, and Lulu subsequently married William Bensonhaver and moved to Logan. When the Bonded Oil Co. purchased their W. Hunter St. property, the Bensonhavers moved to 22 W. Front St., where her daughter, son and daughters-in-law care for her in her own home.

A family reunion is planned for next Sunday at the Hocking Youth Center at the fairgrounds, at which her 13 living grandchildren, 31 great-grandchildren and 16 great-great-grandchildren and their families will be present.

The relative traveling the farthest for his grandmother's birthday will be Dr. L. Paul Carr, recently returned from Europe, who will fly in from California.

Not many of George Soule's descendants lived to be over 100 years of age. Not many continue to have so many relatives and friends that she had and they loved her to the end. Proof of the kind of life she lived.
Wacoan Named To Rules Panel

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) - Five new members of the Supreme Court of Texas' advisory committee on rules of civil procedure have been named by Chief Justice Joe R. Greenhill.

They are Pat Beard, Waco; Maurice R. Bullock, Midland; Robert H. Singleton, Houston; Luther H. Soules III, San Antonio, and Judge Bert H. Tunks, Houston.

The 31-member committee was created in 1940 when the Supreme Court was authorized to issue rules governing practice and procedure in civil cases.

Mrs. Mary Grismore 3139 West 51st St.
Indianapolis, Ind. 46208

Dear Editor. I have a copy of Ridlon's Vol 2 and would be glad to look up any information for any "Soule Searchers". Just have one problem, the copy I have, has pages 641 through 656 missing, but also has a duplication of pages 657 through 672. If any one should have a copy with this error in reverse, I would exchange the duplicate pages for the ones I am missing. This was not because of damage, but an error when the book was bound.


(Mrs. Thompson suggests the query and answers in the Newsletter might find the one who has the pages in reverse order)

Thank you

Mrs. J. Sowle
REQUEST TO LOCATE A PERSON

Date: May 7, 1975

Name: SOULE, Malinda H.

Former Name: Loberg

Social Security Number: 13-4371

Date of Birth: 

STRS Section: Receivables Review

The State Teachers' Retirement System needs to locate the person named above.

Please complete this form and return it in the enclosed envelope. We learned of your organization from a Soule Relative in Bakersfield, CA. We are trying to locate the above named teacher to notify her she is due a refund of her retirement contributions from this system. We would appreciate it if you would check your records for this woman, and perhaps put a request for information in your newsletter. Please send us any information that we might use to locate her.

Thank you for your help.

MICHAEL N. THOME, Chief Executive Officer

Supervisor, Receivables Review

TO STATE TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM:

Last known address. This address was current as of

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Please print in Newsletter:

Anyone having knowledge of the present address of Malinda H. Seule, or other information concerning her, please communicate with:

State Teachers' Retirement System (see above)
The following lists all the Sowle families buried in the "Sowle Cemetery" located in Essex Township, Clinton Co. Mich. All are of the family of James Sowle Jr. who cleared and gave the original plot for a burial ground before 1850. The cemetery is still being used and well cared for.

James Sowle Jr. d. Jan. 19, 1887
Lucy N. Sowle d. Sept. 3, 1850 1st wife
Lydia A. Sowle d. May 23, 1890 2nd wife

Children of James and wives;
Walter Sowle 1853-1916  wife- Alice Sowle 1885-1913
George Sowle 1844-1902  wife- Alice Sowle 1846-1935
Horace Sowle 1831- 1902  wife- Maria Sowle 1835-1893
Abigail Mc Cracken 1855- 1931  husband- Elmer McCracken 1855-1937
William T. Sowle 1861-1931  wife- Edith Sowle 1867- 1957

Grand children of James;
Byron Sowle 1867- 1939  wife- Cora Sowle 1871-1934
Inez Schulze 1888-1970  husband- Carl Schulze
Frank Mc Cracken 1877- 1925  wife- Alta Mc Cracken 1884-1972
Lydia Pectil 1893- 1945  husband- Fred Pectil 1885- 1948
Cornelia Boling 1906- 1949

Great grand children of James;
Leo Sowle 1891- 1937  wife- Elizabeth Sowle 1891- 1959
Gerald Schulze 1918- 1953

St. Johns, Mich. 48879

Dear Editor; I am sending the inclosed from our records (on separate sheet) in case you might want to use it sometime in the future in the Newsletter.

Our line is George I, George2, William3, Jonathan4, James5,
James6, James Jr.7, William T.8, James John9, James John Jr.10,
James A.11, James John12.

Has not been verified, but will be sent soon to be verified

Submitted by  Mrs. James Sowle (9)
609 N. Morton St. L27
St. Johns, Mich. 48879
Mayflower Lineage of Irene Sevier Jones
2423 Spruce
Pueblo, Colo 81004

George Soule
Mary Becket
John Soule
Rebecca Simmons
Moses Soule
Mercy Southworth
Isaac Soule
Agatha Perry
Moses Soule
Eleanor Williams
Bildad William Soule
Jemima Butler
Charles William Soule
Almira Baker
Lucy E. Soule
Hart Montgomery
Caroline Montgomery
Levi Garrett
Mary Edith Garrett
Guy Lee Sevier
Irene Sevier
George John Jones

John Alden*
Priscilla Mullins*
Elizabeth Alden
William Pabodie
Mary Pabodie
Edward Southworth
William Mullins*
Alice Mullins*

I am enclosing my Mayflower line as I am the first to prove our Lucy E. Soule of Tipton County Indiana.

I enjoy the Newsletter and am proud to belong to such a nice family.

Sincerely,
Jane A. Jones
(Mrs. George J. James)
26 June 1975
Rainbow Drive
Rt 1 Box 177
Cotter, Ar. 72626

Mrs. Frank A. Crismore, Editor
3139 West 51st Street
Indianapolis, Ind. 46208

Dear Mrs. Crismore,

Have just received my second issue of SCULE KINDRED NEWSLETTER. Enjoy it very much! As a new member of the family, perhaps some readers will be interested in my line, as follows:

SCULE, George m. Mary Beckett
SCULE, George m. Deborah
SCULE, Mary m. Joseph Devol
DEVCL, Jonathan m. Priscilla Allen
DEVCL, Stephen m. Rosanna Cook
DEVCL, Wing m. Clarissa HART
DeVol, Benj.Fr.,Sr. m. Ruth Broom Cross
DeVol, William A. m. Clara Maria JETT
DeVol, Chester Jett m. Lottie Adell Alexander
* DeVol, Vernice Jett m. James M. Richards
RICHARDS, Janice M. m. Kenneth A. Berrier

BERRIER, Stephen Kenneth (Jr. members of Mayflower Society, Marietta, C. Colony)
BERRIER, Christine Marie

(Am looking for information regarding the connections to my line of the families of DAVIS, CURTIS, HART and JETT: from Tiverton, R.I., Virginia or Wash. Co., Chio. Also on DENNING FAMILIES CF Wright Co., Iowa.)

Thank you very much!

Sincerely,

Vernice DeVol Richards

Mrs. J.K. Richards
24 April 1975

Mrs. F. A Crismore
3139 W. 51st St.
Indianapolis IN 46208

Dear Mrs. Crismore:

For several years now I have enjoyed receiving the SOULE KINDRED NEWSLETTER. As one who receives publications from several family societies I can say that this stands out over any other that I receive.

The pedigree shown on page 21 in the January issue is an excellent idea and can be a great help to the membership. I am enclosing one that I made up for my son. I think it is particularly interesting since he has Mayflower lines from all four grandparents.

Although I know that you don't put advertising in the NEWSLETTER I thought that the enclosed flier might be helpful to the membership. What I have put in the kit is what I wish I had had when I first got started in my genealogical activities. It would have saved me much time and effort. Before offering it to the public in YANKEE magazine I went over the program with our SOULE Vice President Gilbert Doane in Newport. As you can see I am promoting his book which after more than 35 years and four editions is still the best in the field.

Sincerely,

David L. Parke
David Livingston Parke (Parke Genealogical Research), Box 49, South Dartmouth, Mass. 02748, sent a beautiful filled out chart of his Mayflower ancestors. He has:

James Chilton, wife Susanna, daughter Mary
Edward Fuller, wife Ann
John Howland, wife Elizabeth Tilley
Richard Warren
George Soule
Isaac Allerton, wife Mary Norris
Francis Cooke, son Jacob Cooke
Stephen Hopkins, wife Elizabeth Fisher
William Brewster, wife Mary Love

His SOULE chart is:

George Soule
Mary Becket

John Soule
Hester Nash
Joseph Soule
Mary Peterson
Alethea Soule
Allerton Cushman
Allerton Cushman
Harmony Allen
Minerva Cushman
Priscilla Collins
Don Alonso Cushman
Matilda Charity Smith Ritter
Ephraim Holbrook Cushman
Mary Wood
Ethel Margaret Cushman
Horvey Coke Parke
David Livingston Parke
Susan Warren Green
David Livingstone Parke
Caroline Ann Mayo

This chart is about 8" x 40" altogether and is broken down by each Mayflower ancestor. Lines are drawn to show each connection to each family.

Mrs. Gertrude H. Dowd (Mrs. Leo W. Dowd, Sr.), 1585 11th St., Chehalis, Wa. 98532 writes:

I belong to Mayflower Society through the Lineage of George Soule. I would like to hear from the Soule Family. I came here from Iowa and my grandparents came from Ohio, Mr. & Mrs. B. A. Hall. I am almost 86 years old and can't get back there to know any those people. If there are any relatives I would like to hear from them.

I have two sons and a daughter living here with their families. I have cousins in Iowa. Maybe others in Ohio. Would love to hear from some other Soule Kindred.

Editor's note: Why not send a picture and your lineage to Soule Kindred for the Soule Newsletter? Nice to hear from you.
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QUERIES & ANSWERS -

Mrs. Kelsey A. Wildman, E 2101 Springfield, Spokane, Washington 99202 - writes:
My third great grandmother was Sarah Soule, born about 1870, daughter of Edward and married John Jones Sykes, in Jan. 1787, supposedly at Westfield, Ma. Can any one help find her lineage?

Mrs. Robert Kaminski, 1032 South Thompson Street, Jackson, Ml., 49203 - asks:
Does anyone know the residence of the Hoyt's in New York State prior to 1850? Jane Hoyt Soule of that time and place may have been daughter of John Hoyt (1870 Census) who resided with her then. In 1880 Permelia Hoyt was listed age age 77 and living with the daughter. Also in 1880 Census the father was given as born in Massachusetts and the mother as born in N.Y.

Margaret Rogers Stackler, 1328 Allen Ave., Glendale, Calif. 91201 - writes:
I know very little about the "SOULE" in my family. My great grandmother, on my mother's side, was a Maria (Miria) SOULE. She married a Daniel Liles (Lisle, Lyle, De Lisle). Maria was buried in Northwood Cemetery, Belle Center, Logan County, Ohio in 1873. Her father was Dwight SOULE. Where he came from or any dates on him are missing. Maria's mother was a Rachel Du Bois. All I have on her is that she is supposed to have come from La Fortes, Wisconsin, which can be in error because we cannot find La Fortes. Rachel is buried in Patterson, Wyandot County, Ohio. I have her being born May 2, 1821 and dying May 28, 1890. She evidently lived in Forest, Hardin County, Ohio for a time.

Dates I have -  
MARIA SOULE 1837-1873  
RACHEL DUHOIS 1821-1890

Mr. Paul Simmons, P.O. Box 648, McNary, Arizona 85930 - asked:
Who were Rachel Allen Soule's parents? There is George (1) Soule (m) Mary Beckett; George (2) Soule (m) Deborah; William (3) Soule (m) Hannah; William (4) Soule (m) Rachel Allen. Rachel Allen, born 8 Jan. 1692/3.

Ms. Patricia D. Schultz, 141 First Avenue #402, Salt Lake City, Utah 84103 - writes:
This letter is written to request a copy of the books by Rev. G. T. Ridlon, on the genealogy of the SOLE, SOLLY, SOULE, SOWLE and SOULES family.

My great-grandfather was David Asel Soule and I am told, his ancestry is outlined in these volumes.

If any books are obtainable, let me know and the price.

If there are no copies available, could someone help me get this information? Can someone Xerox my lineage for me? Write me, please.

Alger and Roberta Johnson, 1120 Grant Street, Evanston, Illinois 60201 - writes:
We are still trying to learn about Moses Soule of Troy, Maine. Troy, Maine was formerly Joy, 25 Mile Plantation, and Bridgeton, Kennebec County. We now find the name Brann in our Soule research. We believe Moses had three sons, Reuben B., born ca 1817; Elbridge G., born ca 1815; David, born 1814, died 1894.

Reuben married Mary Ann Brann, certificate issued 29 June 1844. She was born in May 1817 and died 22 November 1850. David married Hannah S. Brann, certificate issued 6 April 1845. Need help badly. All will be appreciated.
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