

(c) MARY ANN (MOLLIE) MCNEW HANSEN

Mary Ann, the third child of Moses and Clarissa, was born on the 2nd of May, 1850 in Scott County, Virginia. As an infant, she was called Polly, after her aunt Polly (Mary) MCNEW CARTER. She was just a few months old when recorded in the 1850 Census, and three years old when the family moved to Booneville, Kentucky. The 1860 Census shows her as "Molly", a nickname that she kept for the rest of her life, although she herself usually spelled it with an "ie".

Mollie was twenty-three when the family moved to Nebraska. During her first year there, she met Albert Christian HANSEN, a young man who had immigrated from Denmark a few years earlier.¹ She and Albert were married in Nebraska (probably Harlan County) on 6 October 1875. They made their home in Phelps County, just north of Hartlan.

Their first child, Anna Isabelle, was almost a centennial baby, being born just 20 days later - on the 24th of July, 1876. Two more children were born to the Hansens in Nebraska, Thomas Alvin in 1878 and Clara Edna in 1880.

Life on the prairie was not without its hazards. Albert and Mollie were working out on the farm one day when a rider came by warning of a possible Kiowa Indian attack. Albert had his gun, but sent Mollie running back to the house for extra ammunition. The Indians did not come, and as Mollie returned to the house with the ammunition box, she opened it and discovered that it was the box in which she now stored buttons, not bullets.

In 1882, along with many of their relatives, the Hansens packed their children and household goods into a covered wagon and set out again, searching for a better life further West. Just a few miles along the way, they forded the Platte River, which was then probably near its springtime high. Belle, the oldest child, remembered that a pretty cushion (one of her mother's few treasures) was picked up by the water which sloshed into the wagon. With tears in their eyes, she and her mother watched the cushion float down the river and out of sight.

The Hansens settled in Lincoln County, Washington Territory, near the town of Davenport. It is not known at present if they had their own farm or if Albert just hired out to other farmers. Three more children were born to them here: Dora Esther in 1884, Lulla May² in 1890 and Joseph Russell³ in 1892.

A local census taken in Lincoln County in 1885 lists Albert, Mary, Anna, Tom, Clara and Dora. This is the only mention of Dora found so far in an official document.

¹ Albert Christian Hansen was born probably about 1842 in the Danish province of Schleswig. (A photograph of his sister, Anna Hansen, was taken in Tonder, so it is likely that the family lived nearby.) This province was "annexed" by Germany in 1864, an event which encouraged many Danish young men to leave the country during the next few years rather than be forced to serve in the German army.

² Lulla May Hansen later had her name legally changed to Lou McNew Hansen.

³ Joseph was named after his aunt, Josephine Russell.

Tragedy struck with an epidemic of some kind (typhoid?) in the spring of 1895. On the 7th of April, Mollie died, leaving 18-year-old Belle to care for the others. Dora, ten years old, died a week later on the 16th of April. Albert apparently could not cope with this, and left home, spending the following years as an itinerant laborer, occasionally writing to the children from various places, but never again living with them. Belle had already been teaching school for two years, and Tommy, 16, was able to earn money, so Clara, 14, took care of the home and the two youngest children, who were then 5 and 3.

The date of Albert's death is not known, but there is a rumor that he may have suffered a nervous breakdown and perhaps died in a State Hospital. His children in later years rarely mentioned his name, but often spoke glowingly of their mother.

Molly and her daughter, Dora, are buried in Mountain View Cemetery, on a hill just southwest of Davenport, Washington. Their graves are marked by a large monument.¹

Children of Mary and Albert HANSEN:

- ca Anna Isabelle (Belle), b. 24 Jul 1876, Phelps Co, NE;
m. Harvey Stuts IRWIN, 6 May 1898, Waterville, WA;
d. 5 Aug 1962, Seattle, WA;
- cb Thomas Alvin, b. 11 Sep 1878, Phelps Co, NE;
m. Ida Agatha PLATTE, 5 Jan 1903, Concomully, WA;
d. 9 Jan 1958, Moses Lake, WA;
- cc Clara Edna, b. 15 Nov 1880, Phelps Co, NE;
m1. Alfred Hatfield MACCARTHUR, 19 Jan 1903, Chelan, WA, (div);
m2. Arthur Leigh BAKER, 17 Jul 1918, Wenatchee, WA;
d. 6 Jan 1971, Seattle, WA;
- cd Dora Esther, b. 12 Jun 1884, Lincoln Co, WA;
d. 16 Apr 1895, Lincoln Co, WA;
- ce Lulla May (Lou McNew), b. 29 Apr 1890, Lincoln Co, WA;
m. Justin Kirby HILL, 1915, Okanogan, WA;
d. 25 Sep 1960, Seattle, WA;
- cf Joseph Russell, b. 30 Sep 1892, Lincoln Co, WA;
m. Margit _?;
d. 1962, Coalinga, CA.

¹ The tombstone was put there in 1919, purchased by Mollie's son, Thomas A. Hansen.

(ca) ANNA ISABELLE (BELLE) HANSEN IRWIN

Anna Isabelle, the first child of Albert and Mollie Hansen, was born on the 24th of July, 1876. She was called Annie Bell as a child, later known as Belle to her friends and finally as MotherBelle to the younger generations. She was the only one of the Hansen children old enough to recall their life in Nebraska, such as the danger and excitement of the big cattle drives. She was six years old when they made the long trek out to Washington territory.

Belle finished high school at 16, and began teaching in a school on the west side of the Columbia River, reached by crossing the river with the help of a cable. (The cable probably held a ferry on course.) It was a long way from her home, so she rented a room near the school, and went home only for long holidays. Her aunt, Belle TURPIN, took a special interest in her niece and namesake's aspirations, and promised to help pay her way through law school in California. However, a few months before this was to commence, Mollie HANSEN died, and the new responsibilities kept the younger Belle at home.

On 6 May 1898, when she was 21, Belle married 30-year-old Harvey Stufts IRWIN in Waterville, Douglas County, Washington. Harvey was a farmer and orchardist who was born in Illinois on 29 Feb 1868, and moved to Washington in 1885.¹ During the early years of their marriage, they moved often, living at Blewett Pass, Chelan Falls, Seattle, Tacoma, Vashon Island and Okanogan. They eventually settled in Okanogan, remaining there until their children were grown. In the late 1920s, they moved to the coast again, first to Winlock and then Seattle. Harvey died in Seattle on the 8th of November, 1947.

Belle worked for several different families during the 1930s, caring for children with long-term illnesses. In the early 1940s, she began working as an institutional cook, first at Ryther Child Center and then at Providence Hospital in Seattle. She retired in 1952 when she was 76 years old. (She had told her employers she was ten years younger, and since she had no gray hair, it was easy for them to believe.) She never lost her interest in literature or world affairs, even after a stroke left her blind in 1954. She lived with her daughter, Blanche, in a small house in northeast Seattle until her death on the 5th of August 1962. She was 86 years old.

Recollections: MotherBelle always had a huge garden, growing both flowers and vegetables. All summer long she would have her grandchildren carrying home bags of peas, beans, corn, or whatever was ready for picking ... Despite the long hot hours spent at her job and in her garden, she still made time to take her grandchildren to baseball games. The trip out to Sick's Stadium in Rainier Valley required two long bus rides each way, and she would have three or four of us in tow ... She was very artistic, and the remaining few of her hand-painted plates are family treasures ... Even after she was blind, she would turn out an apple pie in short order whenever a grandson wanted one ... Never wasting anything, she turned rags into beautiful rugs. ... It was only many years later that I realized the generous Santa of childhood Christmases was really MotherBelle.

¹ He was the son of William IRWIN and Sarah STULTS, both of whom had died before he moved West at the age of 17.

Belle and Harvey IRWIN:

- caa (Verna) Blanche, b. 22 Feb 1900, Cheilan Falls, WA;
 - d. 12 Aug 1985, Seattle, WA;
- cab Howard Harvey, b. 25 Jan 1902, Dyer, WA;
 - m. Margery Payne TRUEWORTHY¹, 13 Jan 1933, Seattle, WA;
 - d. 8 Dec 1987, Lacey, WA;
- cac Marjorie Isabelle, b. 15 Jun 1907, Okanogan, WA;
 - m. (William) Joseph MOILLOY², 26 Sep 1925, Seattle, WA;
 - d. 31 Jan 1982, Seattle, WA.

Howard and Margery IRWIN:

- caba Lynne, b. 5 Oct 1936, Seattle, WA;
 - m. Donald D. KING, 13 Jun 1959, Seattle, WA;
- cabb Edward Charles, b. 17 May 1939, Seattle, WA;
 - m1. Sarah HOUSTON, 15 Jun 1966, Seattle, WA;
 - m2. Catherine VAUGHN, 15 Aug 1970, WA;
 - m3. Susan STEIN, 11 Sep 1978, Seattle, WA;
- cabc David Howard, b. 10 Nov 1947, Seattle, WA;
 - m. Sudha KHANNA, 31 Dec 1973, Washington, D.C.

Lynne and Donald KING:

- cabaa Joshua James, b. 20 Aug 1962, San Bernardino, CA;
 - m. Deborah ANDERSON, 22 Dec 1990, Rialto, CA;
- cabab Janet Lynne, b. 18 Dec 1964, San Bernardino, CA;
 - m. James Richard COLLINS, 17 Feb 1990, Rialto, CA;
- cabac Rosalie Ann, b. 4 Apr 1969, San Bernardino, CA.

Edward and Susan IRWIN:

- cabba Elizabeth Lynne, b. 12 Dec 1980, Seattle, WA.

David and Sudha IRWIN:

- cabca Cheytan Shawn, b. 17 Dec 1981, San Francisco, CA;
- cabcb Neil Kedar, b. 14 Dec 1985, San Francisco, CA;
- cabcc Ryan Paras, b. 30 Jun 1988, San Francisco, CA.

¹ Margery TRUEWORTHY was born 1 Mar 1910 in Butte, MT.

² Joe MOILLOY was born 18 Nov 1896 in Palmer, WA.

Marjorie and Joseph MOLLLOY:

caca William Joseph, Jr, b. 3 Jul 1926, Seattle, WA;
m. Dorothyjean PETERS HENNING, 1972;
d. 4 May 1981, Tacoma, WA;
cacb Marjorie Ann, b. 25 Jan 1929, Seattle, WA;
m. George James JANSEN, 12 Jun 1971, Seattle, WA;
cacc James Irwin, b. 2 Apr 1930, Seattle, WA;
m. Jacqueline MATSON VANETTA, 31 Dec 1965, Seattle, WA;
cacd Patricia Isabelle, b. 23 Dec 1931, Seattle, WA;
cace Robert Emmett, b. 19 Jun 1933, Seattle, WA;
d. 20 Mar 1944, Seattle, WA;
cacf Daniel Terrence, b. 27 Oct 1934, Seattle, WA;
m. Mary Ellen PETSCHL, Sep 1957, Seattle, WA;
cacg Michael Thomas, b. 4 May 1937, Seattle, WA;
m. Patricia MUIR, 20 Jan 1967, Seattle, WA;
cach Lawrence Dennis, b. 8 Feb 1939, Seattle, WA;
m. Jerilyn WYMORE, 23 Jan 1965, Seattle, WA.

William and Dorothyjean MOLLLOY:

cacaa Suzanne (adpt by Wm), b. 12 Mar 1971, Seattle, WA.

James and Jacqueline MOLLLOY:

cacca James Dennis, b. 2 Apr 1968, Seattle, WA;
caccb Megan Margaret, b. 21 May 1970, Seattle, WA.

Patricia and Ralph THOMAS:

cacda Robert Emmet, b. 16 Jan 1958, Boston, MA.

Daniel and Mary Ellen MOLLLOY:

cacfa Theresa Marie, b. 1 May 1958, Seattle, WA;
cacfb Mary, b. 1 Nov 1959, d. 3 Nov 1959, Seattle, WA
cacfc Mary Catherine (Molly), b. 5 Dec 1960, Seattle, WA;
cacfd Daniel Patrick, b. 22 Jan 1962, Seattle, WA;
cacfe William Francis, b. 30 May 1964, Seattle, WA.

Michael and Patricia MOLLLOY:

cacga Jennifer Ann, b. 8 Nov 1972, Seattle, WA;
cacgb Joseph Dennis, b. 8 Nov 1972, Seattle, WA.

Lawrence and Jerilyn MOLLLOY:

cacha Brian Dennis, b. 26 Feb 1966, Seattle, WA;
cacbb Kevin Michael, b. 21 Apr 1968, Seattle, WA;
cacbc Colleen Marie, b. 6 Dec 1969, Seattle, WA;
cacbd Denis Patrick, b. 30 Sep 1973, Seattle, WA.

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THOMAS ALVIN HANSEN

Thomas Alvin HANSEN was born on the 11th of September, 1878, probably at the family farm in Phelps County, but his birth was recorded at Carney Junction (now Kearney), Nebraska. He was 4 years old when his family moved to Washington Territory, and he was 16 when his mother's death and father's subsequent departure made him "the man of the family".

On the 5th of January, 1903, he married Ida Agatha PLATTE in Concomully, Okanogan County, Washington. The honeymoon trip did not get off to a good start, as their sleigh overturned, tossing them both out into the snow. As soon as they were settled in their own home, they brought Tom's young brother, Joseph Russell, to live with them.

Tom and Ida always farmed, usually potatoes, hay and cattle, but times were tough, and Tom often picked up other jobs as well. He worked as a rigger and splicer on the Rock Island Dam (on the Columbia), and also worked in a Seattle shipyard (while Ida and the boys ran the farm). He and his sons sometimes moved houses. His son, Claire, recalls one house-moving from Ruff to Moses Lake, a distance of about 17 miles, during which the owner sat in a rocking chair on the porch of the house, smoking a pipe. Tom was well-known among family and friends as a man who loved baseball more than almost anything else.

Thomas HANSEN died at Moses Lake, Washington on the 9th of January, 1958 at the age of 79. Ida PLATTE HANSEN died 26 years later, 15th of February, 1984, at the age of 101.

Thomas and Ida HANSEN:

- cba Willard Lee,¹ b. 1908; d. 15 May, 1913, Okanogan, WA;
- cbb (Thomas) Russel, b. 30 Dec 1909;
m. Golden PHILLIPS², 5 Sep 1931;
- cbc Claire Clayton, b. 8 May 1912, Okanogan, WA;
m. Janet CEIS³, 10 Dec 1934, Ellensburg, WA;
- cbd Franklin Delmar (Tub), b. 27 Dec 1913, Okanogan, WA;
m. Wanda Beatrice HILL,⁴ 20 Nov 1937, Wallace ID;
d. 29 Dec 1991, Seattle, WA;⁵
- cbe Louella Maureen, b. 2 Feb 1916, Withrow, WA;
m1. Shirley HUSSEY, 4 Apr 1938, Baker, OR (div);
m2. Boyd BROOKS, 12 Jan 1951, Olympia, WA;
- cbf Edward Eugene, b. Feb 1918, Neppel (Moses Lk), WA; d. 1922;⁶
- cbg Frances Carol, b. 16 Nov 1920, Neppel (Moses Lk), WA;
m1. James WAGGONER, 1 Jun 1939, Grand Coulee, WA (div);
m2. (Alta) Joe KING, 27 Sep 1947, Seattle, WA.

¹ Washington Death Records give his name as Willard Lee. A brother remembers his name as Richard Willard. He died from eating some poison berries.

² Golden PHILLIPS was born 27 Jun 1915.

³ Janet CEIS was born 8 July 1912 in Ephrata, WA.

⁴ Wanda HILL was born 24 Aug 1921 in Westlake, Idaho.

⁵ "Tub" was serving as a State Senator at the time of his death.

⁶ Diphtheria was the cause of death.

Russel and Golden HANSEN:

- cbba Gail Golden, b. 3 Nov 1932, Wenatchee, WA;
- m. Raymond Wesley SWANSON, 10 Aug 1952, Moses Lake, WA;
- cbbb Keith Russel, b. 2 Sep 1934, Wenatchee, WA;
- m. Yvonne WIUFFF, 27 Feb 1956, Moses Lake, WA;
- cbbc Timothy Dee, b. 19 Aug 1943, Wenatchee, WA;
- m. Marilyn LONG, 29 Jan 1965, Moses Lake, WA.

Gail and Ray SWANSON:

- cbbaa Warren Russel, b. 24 Jun 1953, Moses Lk, WA;
- m. Jill Leslie GREEDY, 2 Feb 1975, Olympia, WA;
- cbbab Ann Marie, b. 31 Oct 1954, Casablanca, Morocco;
- m1. George Scott HAYNER, 30 Dec 1983, Yakima, WA (div)
- m2. (Wm) Glenn TERRELL III, 10 Sep 1988, Chelan, WA;
- cbbac Sharon Sue, b. 27 Sep 1957, Cheyenne, WY;
- m. Gene Redman EDDY, 5 Jan 1985, LA;
- cbbad Steven Tod, b. 22 Jun 1960, Moses Lk, WA;
- m. Leigh Anne Tayeko SASAKI, 10 Jul 1982, San Jose, CA
- cbbae Kathryn Rae, b. 4 Jul 1963, Japan;
- m. Michael BENKE, 29 Dec 1986, San Jose, CA.

Warren and Jill SWANSON:

- cbbaaa Benjamin Kyle, b. 14 Jun 1979;
- cbbaab Jessica Gail, b. 7 Mar 1983.

Ann Marie and Glenn TERRELL:

- cbbaba Michael Dean Swanson, b. 15 Nov 1988, Seattle, WA.

Steven and Leigh Anne SWANSON:

- cbbada Kimberly Tayeko, b. 5 Jul 1984.

Keith and Yvonne HANSEN:

- cbbba Douglas Keith, b. 2 Jul 1955, Moses Lk, WA;
- m. Barbara Ann Ortega, 28 Jun 1975;
- cbbbb Collin Kent, b. 26 Nov 1956, Germany;
- cbbbc Tamela Kay, b. 8 Mar 1959, Moses Lk, WA.

Douglas and Barbara HANSEN:

- cbbbaa Erin Danae, b. 26 Nov 1980, Wenatchee, WA;
- cbbbab Carmen Justine, b. 26 Feb 1986, Moses Lk, WA;

Timothy and Marilyn HANSEN:

- cbbca Nathan Russel, b. 25 Apr 1971;
- cbbcb Steven Marshall, b. 21 Jan 1975.

Claire and Janet HANSEN:

- cbca Armand Gilbert, b. 14 Dec 1935, Wenatchee, WA;
- m1. Loretta ARLT, Jun 1955, Ephrata, WA, (div);
 - m2. Echo _
- cbcb Michael Bertrand, b. 7 Aug 1940, Wenatchee, WA;
 - m. Judy FISHER, Moses Lake, WA;
- cbcc Gregory Paul, b. 8 Jul 1943, Seattle, WA;
 - m1. Cheryl DOUGHERTY, Moses Lake, WA;
 - m2. Bonnie RUFF, Moses Lake, WA;
- cbcd William Dale, b. 9 Jan 1947, Ephrata, WA;
 - m1. Marlene Annette MEYER, 9 Jul 1966, Spokane, WA;
 - m2. Paula Ruth WASHINGTON, 16 Dec 1972, Spokane, WA;
- cbce Richard Bryan, b. 16 Mar 1948, Moses Lake, WA;
 - m. Robyn TESLOW, 1967, Moses Lake, WA;
- cbcf Roger John, b. 25 Dec 1953, Moses Lake, WA;
 - m. Theresa DEDA, 1980, Moses Lake, WA.

Armand and Loretta HANSEN:

- cbcaa Deborah, b. 29 Nov 1955, Ephrata, WA;
 - m. David HANSEN, Spokane, WA;
- cbcab Cheryl, b. 15 Apr 1957, Spokane, WA;
 - m. Terry PEARCE;
- cbcac Steven, b. 24 May 1958, Spokane, WA;
 - m. Alice HOPKINS, 27 Jun 1987, Newport News, VA;

Deborah and David HANSEN:

- cbcaaa Seth, b. 29 Dec 1983, Belmont, CA;
- cbcaab Jessica Claire, b. 26 Mar 1988, Belmont, CA.

Michael and Judy HANSEN:

- cbcba Jeffrey Michael, b. 1 Jan 1964, Chelan, WA;
 - m. Jana CONKLIN, 28 Mar 1987, Tacoma, WA;
- cbccb Robert Michael, b. 11 Sep 1967, Davenport, WA.

Jeffrey and Jana HANSEN:

- cbcbaa Lindsay Michelle, b. 9 Jun 1989, Renton, WA;
- cbcbab Christopher Michael, b. Mar 1991, Renton, WA.

Gregory and Cheryl HANSEN:

- cbcca Phillip, b. 14 Dec 1964, Moses Lk, WA;
 - m. Katie _
- cbccb Rodney, b. 6 May 1967, Moses Lk, WA;
 - m. Nicole _ , Jul 1991, Spokane, WA;
- cbccc Ronald, b. 6 May 1967, Moses Lk, WA;

William and Marlene HANSEN:

cboda Kristina Lynn, b. 12 Oct 1969, Spokane, WA;
William and Paula HANSEN:
cbocdb Jason Paul, b. 23 Jun 1973, Spokane, WA.

Richard and Robyn HANSEN:

cbcea Brian, b. 29 Sep 1967, Moses Lk, WA.
cbceb Brent, b. 28 Jun 1970, Moses Lk, WA;
m. Jennifer MANGUM, Dec 1991, Coeur d'Alene, ID

Roger and Theresa HANSEN:

cbcfa Stacia Elizabeth, b. 12 May 1983, Moses Lk, WA;
cbcfb Kyle Allen, b. 12 Aug 1985.

Franklin (Tub) and Wanda HANSEN:

cbda (Franklin) Gerald, b. 9 May 1940, Wenatchee, WA;
m. Mara Gene STOCKTON, 12 Nov 1960, Moses Lk, WA;
cbdb Thomas Alvin II, b. 31 Dec 1942, Wenatchee, WA;
m1. Patricia Ann PRESTON, 2 Feb 1963;(div)
m2. Callie Roberta WAREHAM, 27 Dec 1982, Coeur d'Alene, ID;
cbdc Penny JoAnn, b. 6 Aug 1948, Ephrata, WA;
m1. Gregg Ewan HULL, 22 Mar 1969 (div);
m2. Gary MORGAN, 4 Sep 1976;
cbdd (Wanda) Kay, b. 12 Aug 1951, Moses Lk, WA;
m1. (Peter) Rickfield KILLINGER, 14 Feb 1970, Moses Lk, (div);
m2. Albert Coke ROTH, III, 28 Apr 1979 (div);
m3. Steve DEAN.

Gerald and Mara HANSEN:

cbdaa Kimberly Ann, b. 8 Jun 1961, Pullman, WA;
m. Dan Alvin SMITH, 23 Mar 1985, Moses Lk, WA;
cbdad Deena Gay, b. 11 Sep 1962, Moses Lk, WA;
m. John Henry HANNEN, 9 Dec 1986.

Kimberly and Dan SMITH:

cbdaaa Kelsey Hansen, b. 28 Jan 1989, Moses Lk, WA.

Deena and John HANNEN:

cbdaba Kristin Leigh, b. 5 Oct 1987, Indianapolis, IN.

Thomas and Patricia HANSEN:

cbdba Tawny Lynn, b. 7 Nov 1963, Moses Lk, WA;
m. Shayne Thomas CALDWELL, 23 Jul 1983, Moses Lk, WA;
cbdbb Ricky Dee, b. 7 Jul 1966, Moses Lk, WA.

Tawny and Shayne CALDWELL:

cbdbaa Courtney Lynn, b. 10 Dec 1983, Moses Lk, WA;
cbdbab Kyliegh Lynn, b. 9 Apr 1985, Moses Lk, WA;
cbdbac Brooke La'Na', b. 25 Aug 1986, Moses Lk, WA.

Penny and Gregg HULL:

cbdca Scott Gregory, b. 14 Jul 1969, Moses Lk, WA;
cbdcb Brandi Elaine, b. 2 Dec 1971, Moses Lk, WA.

Kay and Rick KILLINGER:

cbdda Cameran Kay, b. 5 Sep 1970, Moses Lk, WA;
cbddb Christopher Michael, b. 20 Apr 1972, Moses Lk, WA;

Kay and Albert ROTH:

cbddc Albert Coke, IV, b. 23 Sep 1979, Kennewick, WA;
cbddd Franklin Daniel, b. 26 Dec 1980, Kennewick, WA.

Louella and Shirley HUSSEY:

cbea David Craig, b. 12 Sep 1940, Seattle, WA;
m1. Patricia WOODWARD, (div);

m2. Patricia MARNNEY;

Louella and Boyd BROOKS:

cbeb Shannon Maureen, b. 15 May 1957, Olympia, WA;
m. (Robert) Bruce LEE, 7 Jun 1980, Moses Lk, WA.

David and Patricia (1) HUSSEY:

cbeaa David Carl, b. 29 May 1967, Riverside, CA;

David and Patricia (2) HUSSEY:

cbeab Heidi Lee, b. 8 Sep 1976, Wenatchee, WA.

Shannon and Bruce LEE:

cbeba Shauna Marella, b. 1 Jul 1981, Pasco, WA.

Frances and James WAGGONER:

cbga (Carol) Lynn, b. 1 Jun 1940, Moses Lk, WA;

m. Rae FETHESTONHAUGH, 18 Jun 1960;

cbgb (Erma) Loi, b. 18 Oct 1942, Moses Lk, WA;

m1. Jack KOPACZ, 27 Dec 1962;

m2. Craig HANSEN, 1 May 1971;

Lynn and Rae FETHESTONHAUGH:

cbgaa Jill Rosalind, b. 16 May 1961, Cottage Grove, OR;

cbgab Lynn Alison, b. 6 May 1963, Surrey, B.C., Canada;

m. Roger LEBRUN, 25 May 1985, Eugene, OR;

cbgac David Rae, b. 7 Oct 1964, Surrey, B.C., Canada.

Loi and Jack KOPACZ:

cbgba Cynthia Lynn, b. 27 Sep 1965, Eugene, OR;

cbgbb Suzanne Renee, b. 10 Jan 1968, Eugene, OR;

Loi and Craig HANSEN:

cbgbc Traicie Lee, b. 26 Mar 1972, Eugene, OR.

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CLARA EDNA HANSEN MACARTHUR BAKER

Clara was born in Phelps County, Nebraska on 15 November 1880. She was very young when her family made the trip to Washington, so remembered nothing about it. She was 14 when her mother died. Like her older sister, Clara taught school as soon as she completed her own secondary education. In 1900, both she and Lou were living with their sister, Belle Irwin.

On 19 January 1903, Clara married the wild, handsome playboy, Alfred Hatfield "Har" MACARTHUR in Chelan, Washington. She bore him two sons, one of whom died while very young. We don't know any of the details of this, but she blamed her husband's drinking for the child's death, and was granted a divorce. The 1910 Census shows her living with her surviving child and her sister, Lula (Lou). At that time, both sisters were working as postal clerks.

Clara had her own millinery shop in Okanogan for several years, and then worked in other shops selling ladies clothing and hats. She was married again on 17 July 1918 to (Arthur) Leigh BAKER in Wenatchee. They lived in Okanogan until his death (after 1950).

Clara then moved to Seattle and lived with her younger sister until the latter's death in 1960. She then found an apartment not far from Belle and Blanche IRWIN, and remained there for the final ten years of her life. She was an expert bridge player, and had an active social life because of this. She died suddenly of a heart attack in Seattle on January 6, 1971, after dressing up to go out for a bridge game. She was 90 years old (and still good-looking).

Clara was always a popular guest in her younger relatives' homes. She was interested in what others were doing, and rarely talked about herself. When the Molloy children were young, going to Okanogan to visit Aunt Clara was a highly prized treat. According to Hilda MacARTHUR, she was an ideal mother-in-law.

Clara and (Alfred) Hatfield MacARTHUR:

cca (son) b. about 1904, d. before 1910;

ccb Harold, b. 24 Sep 1907, Chelan, WA;

m. Hilda ACHENBACH, 21 Oct 1938, Santa Fe, NM (no children);

d. 27 Jun 1982, Spokane, WA;

The following excerpts from "The Homesteaders of Chelan Butte"¹ indicate that Clara's marriage must have seemed very romantic in the beginning. Her later complaints about his excessive drinking are well verified here.

Edd E. Parrish was teacher this first official year of 1901-02 and he was paid \$40 a month for a 14-week term to begin September 18th. Clara E. Hansen taught the 12-week 1902-03 term and the 20-week 1903-04 term at the same salary—the second year as Clara Hansen McArthur. The first year she boarded with Clara Hunt on the latter's claim two and a half miles up the Butte Road, and the two Claras became firm friends. We may be sure that, with so many bachelor homesteaders about, the charming young school-marm was rarely unattended on her evening horseback ride from school to home. In truth, it was but a few weeks after her arrival that she was enthralled by one of the area's most swashbuckling cowboys and was married before the first term ended.

Her 1902 class souvenir is inscribed, "In memory of days spent together in the school-room, this token is presented with the compliments of your Teacher." Listed are:

Pupils	
Ethel Allen	Iva Heller
Harry Heller	Mary Cunningham
Bridget Cunningham	Gertie Heller
Florence Heller	Maud Allen
Robert Howard	Terrance Cunningham
John Cunningham	Ray Bundy
Bertie Heller	Phillip Heller
Directors	
Chas. E. Barge	C.M. Covell
Wm. Rase	
Clerk	
C.E. Ward	

And under appropriate pictures of author and typical school-house of the times, are Longfellow's "The Village Blacksmith" and Whittier's "In School Days." A very charming souvenir, and its charm enhanced by Miss Hansen's picture on the cover.

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Wedding photograph of Clara and Hat MacArthur, 19 Jan 1903.

¹ THE HOMESTEADERS OF CHELAN BUTTE. Ford Van Voorhis, Binford & Mort Publ., Portland, OR, 1984. (Permission applied for.)

Miss Hunt ... had boarded the Dover schoolteacher who twice daily rode her horse the three miles between the school at Howards Landing and the Hunt's. This young lady was Miss Clara Hansen whom we find elsewhere in our story as a neighboring homesteader in her own right, and as the bride of swashbuckling rancher Hatfield McArthur. Miss Hansen had filled upon a quarter section bordering Otto on the west just before the 1902 school term started. She later sold a relinquishment to her husband's brother Ned McArthur. We have several times mentioned the cherished memento that Mrs. Burnham passed on to us shortly before her death: a school graduation program for the year 1902-03, containing names of teacher (Miss Hansen), school directors and pupils. It was graced by Miss Hansen's picture on the cover. A full description will be found in the chapter on the Dover School, and the brochure itself is now on display at the Lake Chelan Historical Building in Chelan. P. 169

Our first acquaintance with Hat was through Rufus Wood's "40 Years Ago" column in the *Wenatchee Daily World*. One of his items quoted the *Wenatchee Advance* of 9/22/07: "Word from Waterville says Hatfield McArthur, the perennial bad man, went on another rampage in that city last week." And another clipping that I failed to date says, "Waterville's bad man, Hat McArthur, was released today from 30 days in the local jug." P. 92

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LOU HANSEN HILL

Lulla May HANSEN was born 29 April 1890 in or near Davenport, Washington. Her name was sometimes spelled "Lula" or "Lulu". She was 5 years old when her mother died, after which time she was raised by her elder sisters. The 1900 Census, when she was 10, shows her living with Belle IRWIN's family. In 1910, she was with her other sister, Clara MacARTHUR. When she was of legal age, she changed her given names from Lulla May to Lou McNew.

Lou married Justin Kirby HILL in 1915. (Justin was born in Tacoma, Washington in 1889.) Lou was noted for her very long and thick hair. Wig-makers prized such hair, and she was often offered money for hers. Once when her husband was away working, and they needed money badly, she made a quick decision and had it cut off. Justin returned to find her in tears, afraid that she had ruined her looks and her life. By the next day, however, she realized that the strange, light-headed but comfortable feeling she had was due to her first experience of life without a headache. She never let her hair grow that long again.

In the 1920 Census, the Hills were living in Okanogan County. Justin was 30, and working as an irrigation foreman. The rest of the household was: Lou (28), Mary (3) and Richard (1).¹

Justin died (of drowning) on 1 March 1932 in Seattle. In the 1940's and 50's, Lou kept her apartment in Seattle for the winters, but spent summers working in Alaska. When Clara was widowed, she moved to Seattle and stayed with Lou. Lou died suddenly in Seattle on 23 September 1960 at the age of 70.

Lou loved to spend time with her grand-children, playing cards with them and taking them out for lunch or movies. She is described as "sophisticated, earthy, loving, understanding, always seeing the good in people". Helen HILL said "If I could write, there would be a book about her - the most wonderful mother-in-law anyone could have!"

Lou and Justin HILL:

- cea Mary Lou, b. 13 Mar 1916, Okanogan, WA;
- m1. Robert Lester GANDOLFO, 31 Dec 1935, Everett, WA (div);
- m2. Lemuel WINGARD, 8 Oct 1944, San Francisco, CA (div);
- ceb Richard White, b. 20 Nov 1918, Oroville, WA;
- m. Helen SOKOL, 18 Dec 1943, Bremerton, WA.

¹ U. S. CENSUS, 1920, OKANOGAN CO, WASHINGTON; E.D. 96, Sheet 3.

Mary Lou and Robert GANDOLFO:

ceaa Sarah Lou, b. 24 May 1938, Seattle, WA;
m1. Clark HUNTER, 1954, Coeur d'Alene, ID (div);
m2. Al HERMAN, 1969, Auburn, WA (div);

Mary Lou and Lemuel WINGARD:

ceab David Lemuel (adpt), b. 7 Jul 1948;
d. 5 Apr 1970, Seattle, WA;
ceac Louanna (adpt), b. 9 Oct 1951;
m. Lawrence FUNKE;
cead Miquelle Hill, b. 2 Dec 1960, Anchorage, AK;
m. John E. MILLER, 9 Jun 1979, Anchorage, AK.

Sarah Lou and Clark HUNTER:

ceaa Jeffrey Lee, b. 10 Jun 1954, Seattle, WA;
ceab Douglas Lemuel, b. 12 Aug 1956, Seattle, WA.

Louanna and Lawrence FUNKE:

ceaca Colt,
ceacb Heidi (adpt).

Miquelle and John MILLER:

ceada Aaron Charles, b. 17 Sep 1982;
ceadb Emily Marie, b. 5 Mar 1989, Wahiawa, HA.

Richard and Helen HILL:

ceba Michelle Ann, b. 12 Aug 1945, Seattle, WA;
m. Andrew Paul TOTH, Nov 1967, Washington, DC;
cebb Justin, b. 31 Jul 1948, Seattle, WA;
d. 4 July 1988, Winslow, WA.

Michelle and Andrew TOTH:

cebaa Stefanie Marie, b. 11 Apr 1971, Boston, MA;
cebab Richard Andrew, b. 18 Dec 1972, Concord, MA;
cebac Alexis Hillary, b. 14 Apr 1976, Concord, MA.

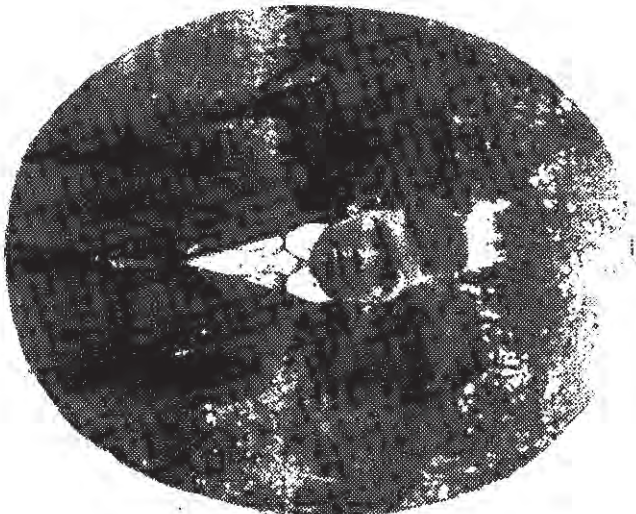
JOSEPH RUSSELL HANSEN

Joseph Russell, the youngest of the Hansen family, was born on the 30th of September, 1892 in Lincoln County, Washington. The family always called him Russell, but he was 'Joe' to everyone else. He was not yet three years old when his mother died. He was raised by his older sisters, Belle and Clara, until he was ten, at which time he went to live with his brother, Tom and Ida, the new bride.

He served in the army in World War I, after which he returned to Eastern Washington for perhaps a year or two. He could not settle down there, and eventually went to California, where he spent the rest of his life.

He lost touch with the family for many years. During that time, he married Margit (maiden name unknown). They had no children. When he finally contacted the family again (in the late 40's), he was living on a ranch near Clearlake in Lake County, California (north of San Francisco).

In 1960, they moved to Coalinga, in Fresno County, where he managed a bowling alley. He died in Coalinga in late 1962, at the age of 70.



JOSEPH RUSSELL HANSEN
(about 1905)

Sched. No. 1
 June 1, 1880, will be printed
 Note C - Deceased Risk 25, 26, 27, and 28 are not to be added in respect to persons under 10 years of age.
 SCHEDULE 1 - Inhabitants in Williamsburg Pct in the County of DeWette State of Nebr
 enumerated by me on the 1st day of June, 1880.
 W. A. Dilworth

No.	Name	Sex	Age	Color	Profession, Occupation, or Trade	Place of Birth	Married	Single	Widowed	Divorced	Deceased	Blind	Mute	Deaf	Insane	Pauper	Indigent	Other
1	W. Williamsburg	M	34	W	Farmer	Denmark												
2	W. Williamsburg	F	32	W	Farmer	Denmark												
3	W. Williamsburg	M	31	W	Farmer	Denmark												
4	W. Williamsburg	F	29	W	Farmer	Denmark												
5	W. Williamsburg	M	28	W	Farmer	Denmark												
6	W. Williamsburg	F	27	W	Farmer	Denmark												
7	W. Williamsburg	M	26	W	Farmer	Denmark												
8	W. Williamsburg	F	25	W	Farmer	Denmark												
9	W. Williamsburg	M	24	W	Farmer	Denmark												
10	W. Williamsburg	F	23	W	Farmer	Denmark												
11	W. Williamsburg	M	22	W	Farmer	Denmark												
12	W. Williamsburg	F	21	W	Farmer	Denmark												
13	W. Williamsburg	M	20	W	Farmer	Denmark												
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18	W. Williamsburg	F	15	W	Farmer	Denmark												

U. S. CENSUS, 1880, PHELPS CO, NEBRASKA; page 83-A, E. D. 13, sheet 1
 Williamsburg Pct,
 1st and 2nd of June
 line 14 Hansen Albert 39 Farmer Denmark
 15 Mary 27 Housekeeper Virginia
 16 Annie Bell 4 Nebraska
 17 Thomas Alvin 2 "
 18 McNew Maggie 20 (sister-in-law) Kentucky

FAMILY RECORD.	
BIRTHS.	
Anna, Abelina Hansen	
Born July Nov 24, 1896	
Thomas & Leavin Hansen	
Born September the 11, 1878	
Flora Edna Hansen	
Born Nov the 15, 1880	
Esther Dora Hansen	
Born June the 12 - 1887	
Edith H.	
and Mrs May Hansen	
Born April 1899 - 1890	
Joseph Russell Hanssen	Born Sept. 22, 97

FAMILY RECORD.
MARRIAGES.
<i>Wm T. Hansens</i> <i>and</i> <i>Mrs. Mrs. Peter</i> <i>married</i> <i>October Nov 6 1875</i>

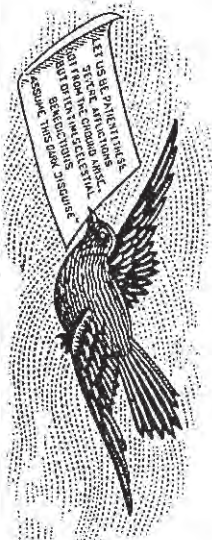


HANSEN FAMILY, 1881

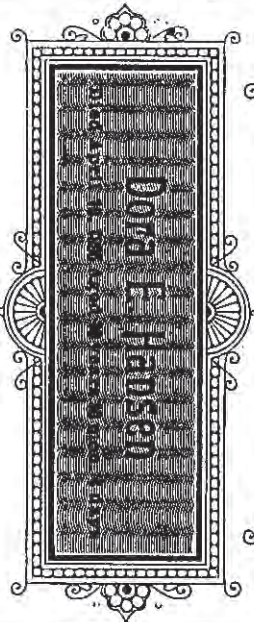
Albert and Mollie are seated, holding Tom and Clara. Annie Bell is in front.
One of Mollie's sisters is standing in back.

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 will start home the 5th of July She is making big calculation for you coming down to frisco.
 dont _____ is to go hucklebary hunting. I dont want you to go. I will close for this time hoping
 you will get home all write.



MEMORIAL REMBRANCE OF



Precious darling, thou hast left us,
Left us, yes forever more:
But we hope to meet our loved one,
On that bright and happy shore,
Lonely the house and sad the hours
Since our dear one has gone;
But oh! a brighter home than ours,
In Heaven is now thy own.

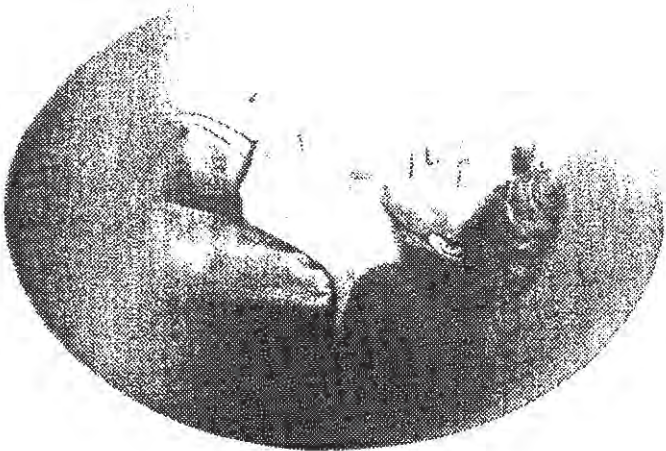
Dora E. Hansen
Died April 16, 1895
Aged 10 yr 10 mo 4 da

The memorial card for Mollie is similar, but is white on black, so did not copy well enough.

"Mrs. Mary A. Hansen
Died April 7, 1895
Aged 44 years 11 mon. 5 days

Dearest Mother, thou hast left us,
And thy loss we deeply feel,
But 'tis God that has bereft us,
He can all our sorrow heal.

Yet again we hope to meet thee,
When the day of life is fled,
And in heaven with joy to greet thee
Where no farewell tear is shed.



BELLE HANSEN

SECOND GRADE

COUNTY CERTIFICATE

COMMON SCHOOLS OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON.

The Common School,



The Station's Safeguard.

This is to certify, that Mollie Belle Hansen having passed the examination required by law, and having furnished evidence of a good moral character and ability to teach, is hereby granted this

SECOND GRADE CERTIFICATE

which entitles her to teach in the Common Schools of Lincoln County, State of Washington, for a period of two years from and after this date, unless revoked for cause.

The following is her standing in the several branches on a scale of 100 credits to each branch, as shown by her examination manuscripts:

Orthography,	86	Theory and Practice,	92	Reading,	83
Written and Mental Arithmetic, }	81	School Law and State Constitution, }	70	Writing,	94
Grammar,	90	Physiology,	88		
D. S. History & Constitution,	77	Geography,	83		
Total credits received,			347		

Dated at Severn Park this 13 day of Feb 1897.

Alice Hunt County Superintendent.
Chas. G. Spang
W. B. Gibson
 Head of Teachers' Association, Lincoln County, Washington.



Wedding of:
Annie Isabelle HANSEN
and
Harvey Stults IRWIN



I, *Harvey Stults Irwin* hereby certify that on the *twelfth* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *twelve* at *Nevela English* in said County of the undersigned at *McDonald* of the County of *Boyd* State of *Virginia* did join in the solemnity of matrimony according to the laws of this State

of the County of *Boyd* State of *Virginia* and
 of the County of *Nebraska* State of *Nebraska* and
 of the County of *Frederick* State of *Maryland*

Witness my hand and seal this *twelfth* day of *May* 1912

GROOM, *Harvey Stults Irwin*
 BRIDE, *Annie Isabelle Hansen*
 WITNESSES: *Walter C. Mann*

State Washington
County Okanogan

SCHEDULE No. 1 - POPULATION

Supervisor's District No. 2 Sheet No. 5
Enumeration District No. 44

Township or other division of country Stadium, Okanogan Name of Institution Bellevue Clinic Part of city X
Name of incorporated city, town, or village within the above named division None day of June, 1900, Bellevue Clinic Enumerator 18793
Enumerated by me on the 2 day of June, 1900, Bellevue Clinic

LINE	NAME	RELATION	PERSONAL DESCRIPTION	MARRIAGE			CITIZENSHIP	OCCUPATION, TRADE OR PROFESSION	ENCLINED	
				Married	Widowed	Never			Married	Never
1	Winters, William	Head	White, male, 34, single							
2	Winters, Helen	Wife	White, female, 31, married							
3	Winters, John	Son	White, male, 10, single							
4	Winters, Mary	Daughter	White, female, 8, single							
5	Winters, William	Son	White, male, 6, single							
6	Winters, Helen	Daughter	White, female, 4, single							
7	Winters, John	Son	White, male, 2, single							
8	Winters, Mary	Daughter	White, female, 1, single							
9	Winters, William	Son	White, male, 1, single							
10	Winters, Helen	Daughter	White, female, 1, single							
11	Winters, John	Son	White, male, 1, single							
12	Winters, Mary	Daughter	White, female, 1, single							
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17	Winters, William	Son	White, male, 1, single							
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19	Winters, John	Son	White, male, 1, single							
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21	Winters, William	Son	White, male, 1, single							
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35	Winters, John	Son	White, male, 1, single							
36	Winters, Mary	Daughter	White, female, 1, single							

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Line	Name	Age	Sex	Marital Status	Occupation
5	IRWIN	Harvey S	Feb	1868 32 2	II Freighter
6		Annie	May	1876 24 2	I 1 NE
7		Blanche	Feb	1900 3mo	WA
8	HANSEN	Lulu	Apr	1890 10	SD ? At school
16	HANSEN	Clara	May	1882 18	NE
35	BEDTEL YON	George	May	1868 32 8	MI
36		Alice	Oct	1875 24 8	0 0 NE



LOU and TOM
BELLE, RUSSELL and CLARA
HANSEN (about 1905)



CLARA HANSEN MacARTHUR BAKER
1929



HARVEY AND BELLE HANSEN IRWIN



LOU McNEW HANSEN HILL

THIRTIETH CENSUS OF THE UNITED STATES 1930

REPORT OF HOUSE REPRESENTATIVE MOLLIE IRWIN
 FORMATION IN ATTENDANCE BY COUNTY

NAME OF INDEPENDENT	1428	1429	1430	1431	1432	1433	1434	1435	1436	1437	1438	1439	1440	1441	1442	1443	1444	1445	1446	1447	1448	1449	1450	1451	1452	1453	1454	1455	1456	1457	1458	1459	1460	1461	1462	1463	1464	1465	1466	1467	1468	1469	1470	1471	1472	1473	1474	1475	1476	1477	1478	1479	1480	1481	1482	1483	1484	1485	1486	1487	1488	1489	1490	1491	1492	1493	1494	1495	1496	1497	1498	1499	1500																																																								
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 E. D. 122, Sheet 18-A, Okanogan Pct.

- line 34 IRWIN Harvey S 42 12 IL Farming
- 35 Mrs Annie I 33 12 NE
- 36 Verna Blanche 10 3 3 WA
- 37 Howard H 8 WA
- 38 Marjorie I 2 WA

Belle
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 Harvey Irwin
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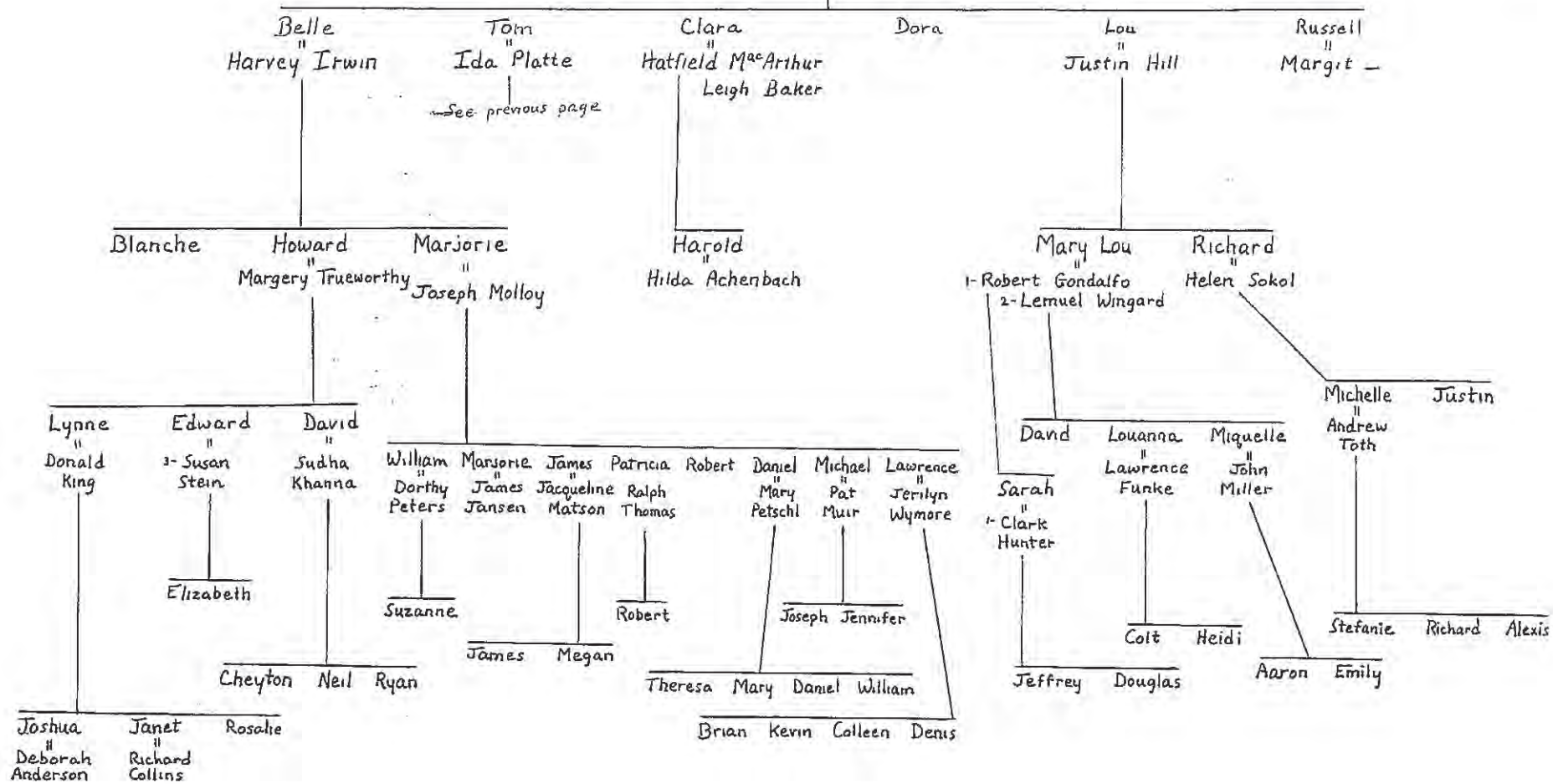
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