

Descendancy Register for Martin CALLAHAN

First Generation

1. **Martin CALLAHAN**¹ was born² about 1795 in , , North Carolina.

Note: Because they are all found in close proximity on the same page of the 1850 Holmes census, I am assuming without proof that all these folks from North Carolina are in fact part of the same family: that Martin and Cealy Callihan (as spelled on this census) are the parents not only of the children listed in their household, but also the parents of both Hanes Callihan and of next-door neighbor Eleanor, wife of Reddick Goddin.

Also please note: in various censuses, this name is spelled Callihan, Callyhan, and Callahan. To avoid confusion,

I have chosen to use the last spelling in all cases.--WCH, 11 Aug. 2005.

Martin married **Cealy**³. Cealy was born⁴ about 1796 in , , North Carolina.

They had the following children:

- + 2 M i. **Bethel Haines CALLAHAN** was born about 1825.
- 3 F ii. **Nancy CALLAHAN**⁵ was born⁶ about 1832 in , , North Carolina.
- + 4 F iii. **Eleanor CALLAHAN** was born about 1834. She died in 1872/1876.
- 5 M iv. **John CALLAHAN**⁷ was born⁸ about 1838 in , , North Carolina.
- 6 F v. **Elizabeth CALLAHAN**^{9,10} was born¹¹ about 1840 in , , Alabama. She died¹² in Hicks, Vernon, Louisiana. She was buried¹³ in Mayo Cemetery, Hicks, Vernon, Louisiana. Elizabeth married¹⁶ **George Washington MAYO Sr.**^{14,15} son of Alfred MAYO and Catherine? about 1870. George was born^{17,18} in 1824 in Ponce de Leon, Walton, Florida. He died¹⁹ in Jan 1880 in Hicks, Vernon, Louisiana. He was buried²⁰ in Mayo Cemetery, Hicks, Vernon, Louisiana.

From Washington County, Florida USGenWeb Archives at <<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/fl/washington/xmisc/1845votr.txt>> :

Mayo, G. W., is listed in Precinct 4 of Washington County Voters in First Florida Election, 1845

"Voters in First Florida Election, 1845 Florida Voters List in the 1st Statewide Election, Monday, May 26, 1845. These records are significant for genealogical reasons because the individual named actually resided in the county in which he was registered to vote, and he not only had to own land there, he had to demonstrate that it had been his place of permanent abode for at least the six months preceeding the election in which he offered to vote, and that he also had resided within the Territory and State of Florida for the two years immediately prior to the election of Monday, 26 May 1845. Also, only free white citizens of 21 years of age and older could vote, and able-bodied men under age 45 were obliged to become members of the State Militia before voting, and those who were exempted were generally exempted because they were over the age of required service of 45 & under, or because of some physical disability or "

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bodily defect". In some cases the rolls indicate which."

--WCH, 4 Sept. 2005.

See also my note under Alfred Mayo for further information on this family.--WCH, 14 Sept. 2005.

7 F vi. **Mary CALLAHAN**²¹ was born²² about 1842 in , , Alabama.

8 F vii. **Marilda CALLAHAN**²³ was born²⁴ about 1844 in , , Alabama.

Second Generation

2. **Bethel Haines CALLAHAN**^{25,26,27,28,29} (Martin) was born about 1825 in , , North Carolina.

Note: Spelling of first and middle names is uncertain.

Note: According to E. W. Carswell in "Holmesteading," B. H. Callahan was mentioned in the "Florida State Gazetteer" in 1885 as one of the cotton and grain planters living near Westville.--WCH, 17 Aug. 2005

Note: The National Park Service Civil War Soldiers and Sailors System (www.itd.nps.gov/cwss) gives the following information:

Haynes Callahan
Regiment Name 6 Florida Infantry.
Side Confederate
Company I
Soldier's Rank_In Private
Soldier's Rank_Out Private
Film Number M225 roll 2

It also says that this regiment, "organized at Chattahoochee, Florida, in March, 1862, contained men from Gadsden, Jackson, Union, Collier, and Washington counties." However, the following soldier is also listed in the NPS CWSS records:

Hays Callahan
Regiment Name 1 Florida Cavalry
Side Union
Company E
Soldier's Rank_In Prv.
Soldier's Rank_Out Prv.
Alternate Name Hans or Hayns/Callahan
Film Number M264 roll 1

The 1st Regiment, Florida Cavalry, it says, was "Authorized by Gen. Banks October 29, 1863, and organized at Barrancas, Fla., December, 1863, to August, 1864. Attached to Pensacola, Fla., District West Florida, Dept. Gulf, to October, 1864. 2nd Brigade, District West Florida, to January, 1865. 3rd Brigade, District West Florida, to March, 1865. 2nd Brigade, Lucas' Cavalry Division, Steele's Command, to May, 1865. District of West Florida to November, 1865."

I have no way of telling at this time whether either of these two men, or neither of them, was the same person as Bethel Haines Callahan from Holmes County.--WCH, 4 Sept. 2005.

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Bethel married **Nancy Jane GODDIN**^{30,31,32,33,34} daughter of GODDIN. Nancy was born³⁵ about 1827 in , North Carolina.

Note: A correspondent who is a descendant of Bithel Haines Callahan asserts that his wife was a Goddin and possibly sister of Reddick. I am assuming, without proof, that Nancy Jane was indeed Reddick's sister, since the two couples, Callahan and Goddin, were living next door to each other in 1850, and were all born in North Carolina; nearby is Martin Callahan and family, whom I assume, also without proof, was the father of Bithel Haines. The scenario of two brothers marrying two sisters was a common one at that time--WCH, 11 Aug. 2005.

Bethel and Nancy had the following children:

9 M i. **Dennis CALLAHAN** was born³⁶ about 1850 in , , Florida.

Note: I have found this child only on the 1860 Holmes census; spelling of first name uncertain.-
-WCH, 4 Sept. 2005.

+ 10 M ii. **Simon B. CALLAHAN** was born about 1853.

+ 11 F iii. **Piety Jane CALLAHAN** was born in Jul 1855.

12 M iv. **Wesley CALLAHAN**³⁷ was born³⁸ about 1858 in , , Florida.

13 F v. **Mary Ann CALLAHAN**^{39,40} was born^{41,42} about 1867 in , , Florida.

4. **Eleanor CALLAHAN**⁴³ (Martin) was born⁴⁴ about 1834 in , , Alabama. She died in 1872/1876.

Eleanor married **Reddick GODDIN** "Reddie"^{45,46,47,48,49,50} son of GODDIN. Reddick was born in 1829 in North Carolina. He died⁵¹ in 1900/1910.

Note: The following land patent is said by a correspondent to be in extreme northeast Holmes county--WCH, 16 Aug. 2005.

GODWIN, REDDICK

Land Office: TALLAHASSEE Sequence #: 1
Document Number: 14791 Total Acres: 320.1
Misc. Doc. Nr.: Signature: Yes
Canceled Document: No Issue Date: April 09, 1861
Mineral Rights Reserved: No Metes and Bounds: No
Survey Date: Statutory Reference: 3 Stat. 566
Multiple Warantee Names: No Act or Treaty: April 24, 1820
Multiple Patentee Names: No Entry Classification: Sale-Cash Entries

Legal Land Description:

#	Aliquot Parts	Block #	Base Line	Fractional Section	Township	Range	Section
1	S½	Tallahassee	No	7 N 13 W	26		

Note: According to E. W. Carswell in "Holmesteading," Reddick was mentioned in the "Florida State Gazetteer" in 1885 as one of the cotton and grain planters living near Westville.--WCH, 17 Aug. 2005

Reddick and Eleanor had the following children:

- + 14 F i. **Mary Palace GODDIN** was born about 1852.
- + 15 M ii. **James Wiley GODDIN** was born on 10 Aug 1852. He died on 23 Mar 1946.
- + 16 M iii. **John Wesley GODDIN** was born about 1855.
- + 17 F iv. **Josephine Barbara GODDIN** was born about 1861.
- + 18 F v. **Penelope GODDIN** was born about 1865.
- + 19 F vi. **Patsy GODDIN** was born about 1870. She died before 1900.
- + 20 F vii. **Nancy Christian GODDIN** was born on 19 Sep 1872. She died on 17 Mar 1964.

Third Generation

10. **Simon B. CALLAHAN**^{52,53,54,55} (Bethel Haines, Martin) was born⁵⁶ about 1853 in , , Alabama.

Note: According to E. W. Carswell in "Holmesteading," Simon was mentioned in the "Florida State Gazetteer" in 1885 as one of the cotton and grain planters living near Westville.--WCH, 17 Aug. 2005

Simon married^{61,62} (1) **Permeliann HALL** "Milly Ann"^{57,58,59,60} daughter of John Randolph HALL and Ann Caroline Luvicy COLLINS about 1872. Permeliann was born⁶³ about 1854 in , , Alabama. She died⁶⁴ before 1920.

Note: Shown on 1870 Holmes census as Amelia A., 18, b. Ala. See my notes under Ann Caroline Luvicy Collins, wife of John Randolph Hall--WCH, 16 Aug. 2005.

Simon and Permeliann had the following children:

- 21 M i. **Simon Mack CALLAHAN**^{65,66,67} was born^{68,69} about Mar 1873 in , , Florida. Simon married^{71,72} **Amanda**⁷⁰ about 1894. Amanda was born⁷³ about Feb 1879 in , , Florida.
- 22 M ii. **John M. CALLAHAN**^{74,75} was born^{76,77} about 1875 in , , Florida. John married **Willie Jane**⁷⁸. Willie was born⁷⁹ about 1880 in , , Florida.
- 23 F iii. **Caroline CALLAHAN**⁸⁰ was born⁸¹ about 1877 in , , Florida. She died on 7 Jul 1922. She was buried on 8 Jul 1922 in Westville Cemetery, Holmes, Florida.

From Holmes Co. Message Board on RootsWeb <<http://boards.ancestry.com/mbexec/message/rw/localities.northam.usa.states.florida.counties.holmes/1303>> 7 Sept. 2005--WCH:

SELLERS, Caroline, Caryville, LF
Author: Mona C. Spears
Date: 1 May 2000 12:00 PM GMT

Published in Holmes County Advertiser, Bonifay, Florida_Friday, July 14, 1922__Mrs. Sellers Passes Away__Mrs. Caroline Sellers, wife of W. H. Sellers ferryman at Caryville, died

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last Friday night following an illness of several days. The remains were laid to rest in the Westville cemetery Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Sellers was the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Callahan of Westville,

Caroline married **W. H. SELLERS** .

W. H. SELLERS was employed as Ferryman in 1922 in Caryville, Washington, Florida.

See note under wife Caroline for her obituary.--WCH, 7 Sept. 2005.

24 F iv. **Nancy Jane CALLAHAN**^{82,83} was born⁸⁴ about 1879 in , , Florida.

From Holmes Co. Message Board on RootsWeb <<http://boards.ancestry.com/mbexec/message/rw/localities.northam.usa.states.florida.counties.holmes/1303>> 7 Sept. 2005--WCH:

Permillian Caralan (Milly Ann) Callahan/Hall
Author: Rhyannon Berkowitz
Date: 8 Sep 2004 11:36 PM GMT

Permilian Caralan Callahan (maiden name Hall). B. in 1850 in AL, d. 1926. Buried in Westville Cemetery. Married Simon Bythel Callahan in 1871. Had four children: Simon, John, Caroline, and Nancy Jane. Nancy Jane married Isaac G.W. Melvin and had George Eugene, Oscar, and Pearlle. [Permilian is] also spelled Mileian on her tombstone.

Nancy married **Isaac George Washington MELVIN**⁸⁵ .

25 F v. **Betsie M. CALLAHAN**⁸⁶ was born⁸⁷ about Jun 1881 in , , Florida.

26 M vi. **Thomas H. CALLAHAN**⁸⁸ was born⁸⁹ about Jan 1884 in , , Florida.

27 M vii. **Willis M. CALLAHAN**⁹⁰ was born⁹¹ about Jun 1887 in , , Florida.

From Holmes Co. Message Board on RootsWeb <<http://boards.ancestry.com/mbexec/message/rw/localities.northam.usa.states.florida.counties.holmes/1303>> 7 Sept. 2005--WCH:

MANNING, Mrs. Nancy A.
Author: Mona C. Spears
Date: 3 Jul 2000 12:00 PM GMT

Published in Holmes County Advertiser, Bonifay, Florida_Friday, August 25, 1922__Card of Thanks__We wish to thank out many friends for the kindness and sincere sympathy extended us in our recent sad bereavement, the death of our darling mother and grandmother, Mrs. Nancy A. Manning; also the many floral offerings were appreciated so much.__May the Lord forever

keep each of you under his wing of protection.__Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Callahan and Children, Westville, Fla.

28 F viii. **Manda CALLAHAN**⁹² was born⁹³ about Jan 1890 in , , Florida.

29 F ix. **Lizzie CALLAHAN**⁹⁴ was born⁹⁵ about Nov 1893 in , , Florida.

Simon married (2) **Caroline**⁹⁶. Caroline was born⁹⁷ about 1851 in , , Alabama.

11. **Piety Jane CALLAHAN**^{98,99,100} (Bethel Haines, Martin) was born^{101,102} in Jul 1855 in , , Florida.

Piety married^{106,107,108} **Ely COLLINSWORTH**^{103,104,105} about 1873. Ely was born^{109,110,111} in 1840 in , , Alabama.

Note: There is a chance this Ely (first name hard to read on 1900 Fla., Holmes, Westville census), b. 1840, is the same as Eli, b. 1849, son of William J. and Rachael Collinsworth on censuses in 1850 Coffee Co., Ala., and 1870 Walton Co., Fla. but not enough data at this time to prove the link. Could be there are two men named "Eli/Ely" I am getting mixed up here, though.--WCH, 13 Aug. 2005.

Ely and Piety had the following children:

30 F i. **Rachel COLLINSWORTH**¹¹² was born¹¹³ in 1880 in , , Florida.

31 F ii. **Mary A. COLLINSWORTH**¹¹⁴ was born¹¹⁵ in 1883 in , , Florida.

32 F iii. **Fannie COLLINSWORTH**¹¹⁶ was born¹¹⁷ in 1884 in , , Florida.

33 F iv. **Willie G. COLLINSWORTH** "Trudie"^{118,119,120,121,122,123} was born^{124,125,126} on 15 Apr 1887 in , , Florida. She died¹²⁷ on 25 Sep 1933. She was buried¹²⁸ in Westville Cemetery, Holmes, Florida.

Note: On the 1910 Holmes (Ponce de Leon) census, Trudie is shown as being in her second marriage, to Eddie Broxton, with one daughter, Eunice Thomas, age 2.

On 1920 Holmes (Westville) census, Trudie is shown as Trudie Thomas, widow, with daughters Eunice Collinsworth, age 12, and Lecie Thomas, age 1 4/12. Two doors away are a Samuel R. Thomas, age 59, and wife Adeline, age 75, both born in Georgia, with nephew Clarence Ernest, age 15, b. Fla.; but nothing to indicate they are related to Trudie or her daughters.

On 1930 Holmes (Ponce de Leon) census, Trudie is shown with new husband Oscar Couch, 38, and his 3 children by previous wife; Lecie, age 12, is also in the home, but Eunice is not. Also present are two "lodgers," Monroe and Thelma Andrews, ages 6 and 3 1/2, both born Alabama. On this census, Oscar's age at first marriage is shown as 27, which correlates with the age of his oldest child; Trudie's age at first marriage is given as 14, which would be about 1901, six years before Eunice was born.

Trudie is buried at Westville Cemetery: COLLINSWORTH, Trudie, b. Apr 15 1887 d. Sep 25 1933 (from cemetery survey posted on Holmes County GenWeb site).

Looking at all the above, it's hard to tell when (or if) Trudie was married to James Thomas and the unknown Collinsworth. It's possible that one of these two last names was Trudie's maiden name. But Eunice Thomas Bland Sims did claim Harmon Thomas as her half-brother or step-brother.--WCH, 13 Aug. 2005.

Note: See notes under James E. Thomas for record of 1907 marriage with Willie G. Collinsworth; I have also found record of the 1909 marriage to E. C. Broxton.--WCH, 6 Sept. 2005.

Note: A correspondent writes, "Asberry Thomas was married to Trudie Collinsworth Thomas Broxton. She had 2 maybe 3 daughters, one of which was with the Asberry union. Trudie's brother Rufus is the one who murdered him in 1919."--WCH, 14 Sept. 2005.

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Willie married¹³³ (1) **James E. THOMAS** "Jim"^{129,130,131,132} on 26 Apr 1907. James was born¹³⁴ in Jan 1854 in , , Florida. He died after 1910.

Note: In the 1880 Holmes census, a James Thomas, 25, b. Fla., parents b. Ala., is shown married to a Georgiann or Georgiana, age 22, b. Fla., parents b. Ala. James is apparently marked Mulatto but it is a little difficult to read; Georgiann is White. Not sure if that James is the same as the James Thomas found in Berry Thomas's household in 1860 Holmes census or not; also not sure if it is the same person as the James E. Thomas described below, but that is a tempting possibility.

In 1900 Walton census, White male J. E. Thomas, b. Jan 1854, b. Fla., parents b. Fla. and Ga., is shown with wife Rhoda J., b. Fla., parents b. N. C. and Fla. However, it is unclear how old Rhoda is here: the census taker put her age as 20, but her birth as July 1869.

In this same 1900 census, there are three children, Washington, Herman, and Lula May, ages 9, 7, and 2, respectively, all b. Fla., parents b. Fla. However, the record clearly shows that J. E. and Rhoda have been married 5 years. Yet Rhoda is shown as mother of 1 child, with none living. All of this is very confused; it is not at all clear who the mother of these children is, or how long this couple has been married.

According to one correspondent, James Thomas married Patsey Goddin (b. abt 1869), not Rhoda; is it possible that Patsey died sometime in the late 1890's, and James subsequently married her sister, Rhoda?

The 1910 Holmes census (Ponce de Leon) shows Steve and Rhody Cooley, no ages shown, living next door to both Steve's mother Mother, and also Reddick Goddin's widow, Elizabeth. In that census, Rhody or Rhoda is shown as mother of no children.

Possibly there are two different Rhodas here; one of them is surely Rhoda Goddin, but which one?

However, another correspondent says that Rhoda married Steve Cooley, who subsequently deserted her and fled to Mississippi without a divorce and had children there by Dora Glass, also from Holmes County.

All very confusing; more research needed here. I am strongly tempted to assume, though without proof, that this James is the same as the James who was brother to Berry Thomas; it is a fact that son Harmon attended the so-called Dominicker school circa 1910-1915; and there is no other way to account for that, since Harmon's other ancestry was Goddin and Callahan, all counted as White as far as I know at this time.--WCH, 13 Aug. 2005.

Note: Acc. to family notes in my possession on the Bland and Goddin families, "Patsy Goddin married Jim Thomas, Harmon's mother and father."--WCH, 15 Aug. 2005.

Note: According to a transcript of Holmes County Marriage Book I, 1902-1909, which I found today on the Holmes County GenWeb site, James E. Thomas married Willie G. [for Gertrude?] Collinworth on 26 April 1907.--WCH, 6 Sept. 2005.

Willie married^{137,138,139} (2) **Edward C. BROXTON** "Eddie"^{135,136} son of Andrew BROXTON and Laurah A. on 16 Jan 1909. Edward was born¹⁴⁰ about 1885 in , , Florida. He died¹⁴¹ before 1920.

Edward was employed as laborer in 1910 in a saw mill.

Note: Birthdate for Eddie is given in 1900 Holmes census as Aug. 1883.--WCH, 13 Aug. 2005.

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Willie married¹⁴⁵ (3) **Asberry THOMAS**^{142,143,144} son of Christian THOMAS before 1918. Asberry was born¹⁴⁶ about Oct 1894 in , , Florida. He died¹⁴⁷ on 30 Sep 1919 in Westville, Holmes, Florida.

Note: listed as son of Berry Thomas on 1900 Holmes (Westville) census, but as he was 73 and widowed, I think it more likely that Asberry is son of Christian.

Note also that I am assuming without proof that Asberry is the Berry Thomas mentioned in the following article.--WCH, 14 Aug. 2005.

Note: Taken from Ancestry.com, Holmes Co. Message Board (<http://boards.ancestry.com/mbexec?htx=message&r=rw&p=localities.northam.usa.states.florida.counties.holmes&m=911>) 27 January 2005:

THOMAS, Berry, Bonifay, FL
Author: Mona C. Spears
Date: 17 May 1999 12:00 PM GMT
Surnames: THOMAS, COLLINSWORTH
Classification: Obituary

Published in Holmes County Advertiser, Bonifay, Florida_Friday, Oct. 3, 1919_Week's Happenings In and Around Westville__Rufe Collinsworth shot his brother-in-law, Berry Thomas late Tuesday afternoon, at the home of the latter about five miles below town, death resulting about five hours later. It seems that there had been a family disturbance several days before with hard words following. Collinsworth left re-returning Tuesday afternoon. He found Thomas lying on the porch sick when he shot him twice without any further cause.

Willie married¹⁴⁸ (4) **Oscar COUCH** after 1926. Oscar was born¹⁴⁹ about 1892 in , , Alabama.

- 34 M v. **Thomas COLLINSWORTH**¹⁵⁰ was born¹⁵¹ in 1890 in , , Florida.
- 35 M vi. **Frank COLLINSWORTH**¹⁵² was born¹⁵³ in 1892 in , , Florida.
- 36 M vii. **Rufus COLLINSWORTH**^{154,155} was born¹⁵⁶ in 1894 in , , Florida.

Note: I am assuming this Rufus Collinsworth is the Rufe Collinsworth named in the following article, taken from Ancestry.com, Holmes Co. Message Board (<http://boards.ancestry.com/mbexec?htx=message&r=rw&p=localities.northam.usa.states.florida.counties.holmes&m=911>) 27 January 2005:

THOMAS, Berry, Bonifay, FL
Author: Mona C. Spears
Date: 17 May 1999 12:00 PM GMT
Surnames: THOMAS, COLLINSWORTH
Classification: Obituary

Published in Holmes County Advertiser, Bonifay, Florida_Friday, Oct. 3, 1919_Week's Happenings In and Around Westville__Rufe Collinsworth shot his brother-in-law, Berry Thomas late Tuesday afternoon, at the home of the latter about five miles below town, death resulting about five hours later. It seems that there had been a family disturbance several days before with hard words following. Collinsworth left re-returning Tuesday afternoon. He found Thomas lying on the porch sick when he shot him twice without any further cause.

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Note: I am assuming without proof that this Berry Thomas is the same person as the Asberry Thomas mentioned in family notes on Bland & Goddin families, whom I believe to be the grandson of the elder Berry/Berriau Thomas.--WCH, 16 Aug. 2005.

Note: from a correspondent, 30 Mar. 2005:

I find Rufus in 1920 census in East DeF. Springs as a convict/in jail. . . . In 1917 WWI registration card, he was single.

14. **Mary Palace GODDIN**^{157,158,159,160,161} (Eleanor CALLAHAN, Martin) was born^{162,163} about 1852 in , , Alabama.

Note: Palace and daughter are living in the home of Sarah Forehand, age 54, with sons John, 19, and Horrace, age 15. Palace and child are listed as White, while the Forehands are all listed as Mulatto. It is not clear from the

listing that John is Palace's husband, as Horrace is listed between them; could Palace have had Mary by some other man? Must have, otherwise John would have fathered Mary at age 15; possible, but unlikely.

Next door to the Forehands is Berry Thomas, 57, Mulatto, with wife Mary, 43, White; daughter Christian, 16, White; Benjamin Hall, stepson to Berry, age 21, White; also boarder Louis Carnelly, 26, and wife Rutha (?), 19, both White.

On the other side of the Forehands is the family of William Bland, 34, White, and wife Martha, 44, Mulatto. All the children are listed as Mulatto: stepdaughter Clarkie, 21; Ginnie, 15; William, 13; Viola, 9; John, 4; Sarah, 1. The elder William is shown as born in Florida, both parents in Georgia; Martha and both her parents are shown born in Georgia. All of William and Martha's children are shown born in Florida.--WCH, 11 Aug. 2005.

Note: Acc. to family notes in my possession on the Bland and Goddin families, the spelling of the name was "Palace," though spelling differs in various censuses.--WCH, 15 Aug. 2005.

Mary married^{167,168,169} **John FOREHAND**^{164,165,166} son of Richard FOREHAND and Sarah THOMAS about 1884. John was born¹⁷⁰ about 1861 in , , Florida.

They had the following children:

37 F i. **Lettice FOREHAND**¹⁷¹ was born¹⁷² about 1882 in , , Florida.
Lettice married^{175,176} **Will HALL**^{173,174} on 19 Jun 1904.

38 M ii. **Horace FOREHAND**¹⁷⁷ was born¹⁷⁸ about 1885 in , , Florida.

Note: Horace lives next door to John and Palace in 1910 census; his age is in line with their other children's, so I am making the assumption he is their son.--WCH, 12 Aug. 2005.

Horace married¹⁸⁰ **Emma**¹⁷⁹. Emma was born¹⁸¹ about 1884 in , , Florida.

39 M iii. **Jim FOREHAND**^{182,183} was born¹⁸⁴ about 1887 in , , Florida.

In a message dated 8/31/2006 , a correspondent writes: "Addie was Mary Addie Thomas who married Jim Forehand. Jim's parents were John and Pallice (Goddin) Forehand."

[My reply--WCH] Well I see her now, Mary Adeline Thomas in my tree. But the line stops with her and Jim; what's the Simmons connection there?

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And obviously, I've got some bad information going in that line. It shows Jim's parents were Daniel Horace Forehand and Epsey Curry; but then I have a note that says "James Forehand was Sarah Thomas Forehand's son." An obvious contradiction; I messed up somehow there.

But then under John and Palace Forehand, I have son Jim married to "Mary A.," no last name. Obviously that's Addie. So I need to merge this Jim with the other Jim; but parents and wives are all mixed up. No time to get into all that right now.

Jim married¹⁸⁶ **Mary A.**¹⁸⁵. Mary was born¹⁸⁷ about 1892.

40 M iv. **Billy FOREHAND**¹⁸⁸ was born¹⁸⁹ about 1892 in , , Florida.

41 M v. **Johnny FOREHAND**¹⁹⁰ was born¹⁹¹ about 1896 in , , Florida.
Johnny married^{196,197} **Dora Lee MORRISON** "Love"^{192,193,194,195} daughter of Alex MORRISON and Erma MELVIN in 1924/1926. Dora was born^{198,199} on 25 Aug 1901.

15. **James Wiley GODDIN**^{200,201,202,203,204,205} (Eleanor CALLAHAN, Martin) was born^{206,207} on 10 Aug 1852 in , , Alabama. He died²⁰⁸ on 23 Mar 1946. He was buried²⁰⁹ in Mt. Zion Cemetery, Ponce de Leon, Holmes, Florida.

Note: According to E. W. Carswell in "Holmesteading," Wiley was mentioned in the "Florida State Gazetteer" in 1885 as one of the cotton and grain planters living near Westville.--WCH, 17 Aug. 2005

James married^{214,215} **Elizabeth PRESSWOOD** "Betty"^{210,211,212,213} daughter of PRESSWOOD. Elizabeth was born^{216,217} on 20 Jul 1862 in , , Alabama. She died²¹⁸ on 1 Nov 1905. She was buried²¹⁹ in Mt. Zion Cemetery, Ponce de Leon, Holmes, Florida.

Note: A correspondent states that Elizabeth "died either during childbirth or right after."--WCH, 4 Sept. 2005.

James and Elizabeth had the following children:

42 M i. **Joseph Reddick GODDIN** "Reddie"^{220,221,222,223,224,225,226} was born^{227,228} on 30 Mar 1883. He died²²⁹ on 8 Dec 1935. He was buried²³⁰ in Mt. Zion Cemetery, Ponce de Leon, Holmes, Florida.

Note: World War I Draft Registration list on RootsWeb (<<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/fl/holmes/military/1917e-k.txt>>) gives the following:

Name DOB Race Birthplace
Goddin, Joseph Reddie 30 Mar 1880 W Holmes

--WCH, 11 Sept. 2005.

Joseph married^{234,235,236} **Mary BRYANT**^{231,232,233}. Mary was born²³⁷ on 4 Aug 1887. She died²³⁸ on 5 Feb 1935. She was buried²³⁹ in Mt. Zion Cemetery, Ponce de Leon, Holmes, Florida.

43 M ii. **Thomas Jefferson GODDIN**^{240,241,242,243,244} was born^{245,246,247} on 14 Dec 1884 in , , Florida. He died²⁴⁸ on 19 May 1959. He was buried²⁴⁹ in Mt. Zion Cemetery, Ponce de Leon, Holmes, Florida.

Note: in the handwritten survey of Mt. Zion cemetery among family papers in my possession,

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Nellie Ann Goddin appears immediately after Thomas J. Goddin, with the exact same dates of birth and death; possibly Nellie was Thomas's wife, and the survey taker recorded his dates under her name by mistake, but I can't be sure of this.--WCH, 15 Aug. 2005.

Note: A correspondent says, "I've never heard of a Nellie Ann in our family nor do find one in the above mentioned cemetery census. Thomas J. had a sister named Millie Ann. I wonder if this is where Nellie Ann came from although their dob and dod would not be the same. As long as I knew Uncle Thomas, he wasn't married. I found out years after his death in 1959 that he had previously been married for a short while to a Belle Lowe. I don't know if she died or they separated."--WCH, 3 Sept. 2005.

Note: Note: World War I Draft Registration list on RootsWeb (<<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/fl/holmes/military/1917e-k.txt>>) gives the following:

Name DOB Race Where registered
Goddin, Thomas Jefferson 14 Dec 1884 W Holmes FL
--WCH, 11 Sept. 2005.

Thomas married **Belle LOWE** ²⁵⁰ .

- 44 F iii. **Millie Ann GODDIN** ^{251,252,253,254,255} was born ^{256,257,258} on 20 Apr 1887 in , , Florida. She died ^{259,260} on 30 Jun 1960. She was buried ²⁶¹ in Mt. Zion Cemetery, Ponce de Leon, Holmes, Florida.
- 45 M iv. **John F. GODDIN** ^{262,263,264,265,266,267,268} was born ^{269,270,271} on 30 Mar 1889 in , , Florida. He died ^{272,273} on 19 Oct 1962. He was buried ²⁷⁴ in Mt. Zion Cemetery, Ponce de Leon, Holmes, Florida.
John married ^{280,281} **Amanda CURRY** "Mandy" ^{275,276,277,278,279} daughter of Field Clarence CURRY and Vina BLAND in 1926. Amanda was born ^{282,283} on 4 Mar 1903 in , , Florida. She died ²⁸⁴ on 6 May 1978. She was buried ²⁸⁵ in Mt. Zion Cemetery, Ponce de Leon, Holmes, Florida.

Note: on her tombstone, the name is given as "Mandy C. Goddin." I don't know whether the C stands for Curry, or for an unknown middle name.--WCH, 15 Aug. 2005.

- 46 F v. **Missouri GODDIN** "Bee or Bea" ^{286,287,288,289,290} was born ^{291,292} in Apr 1891 in , , Florida. She died ²⁹³ on 1 Feb 1923. She was buried ²⁹⁴ in Mt. Zion Cemetery, Ponce de Leon, Holmes, Florida.

Missouri married **Unknown** .

- 47 F vi. **Amanda GODDIN** "Mandy" ^{295,296,297,298,299} was born ^{300,301} in Feb 1893 in , , Florida. She died in 1991.
Amanda married **COOEY** ³⁰² .

- 48 vii. **Aughtey or Aughtney GODDIN** ^{303,304,305,306,307} was born ^{308,309,310} on 4 Mar 1895 in , , Florida. Aughtey died ³¹¹ on 1 Nov 1912. Aughtey was buried ³¹² in Mt. Zion Cemetery, Ponce de Leon, Holmes, Florida.

- 49 F viii. **Frances Ellen GODDIN** ^{313,314,315,316,317,318} was born ^{319,320,321} on 22 Jun 1897 in , , Florida. She died ³²² on 18 Feb 1984. She was buried ³²³ in Mt. Zion Cemetery, Ponce de Leon, Holmes, Florida.

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- 50 M ix. **Wiley Lee GODDIN**^{324,325,326,327,328,329} was born^{330,331,332,333} on 25 Jul 1899. He died^{334,335} on 22 Mar 1972. He was buried³³⁶ in Mt. Zion Cemetery, Ponce de Leon, Holmes, Florida. Wiley married³³⁸ **Bessie M.**³³⁷. Bessie was born³³⁹ on 24 Sep 1906. She died³⁴⁰ on 10 Mar 1976. She was buried³⁴¹ in Mt. Zion Cemetery, Ponce de Leon, Holmes, Florida.

Note: I wonder if this is the same as Bessie Morrison, daughter of Alex Morrison and Pinkie (later Bland).--WCH, 15 Aug. 2005.

- 51 F x. **Agnes Amilee GODDIN**^{342,343,344} was born³⁴⁵ in 1901 in , , Florida. She died in 1995. Agnes married **DANLEY**³⁴⁶.

- 52 F xi. **Elsie Mae GODDIN**^{347,348,349} was born^{350,351} about 1903 in , , Florida. Elsie married³⁵⁵ **Olden MORRISON**^{352,353,354} son of Alex MORRISON and Erma MELVIN. Olden was born^{356,357} about 1905 in , , Florida.

- 53 F xii. **Peggy GODDIN**^{358,359,360,361} was born^{362,363,364} about 1905 in , , Florida. She died³⁶⁵ in 1965. Peggy married **CALLAHAN**³⁶⁶.

16. **John Wesley GODDIN** "Wesley"^{367,368,369} (Eleanor CALLAHAN, Martin) was born^{370,371} about 1855 in , , Alabama.

John married³⁷⁴ **Elizabeth CURRY**^{372,373} daughter of Samuel CURRY and Epsey SCOTT. Elizabeth was born³⁷⁵ about 1860 in , , Florida.

Note: This Elizabeth is listed as 20 years old in the 1880 Holmes census, where she is living with husband John Goddin in the household of brother John Curry and also parents Samuel and Epsy. I don't know how to reconcile this with the name and age of the other Elizabeth, shown as a 3-year-old daughter of Samuel and Epsey in the 1850 Tallapoosa census, so I have shown them as separate individuals. It might be that the first Elizabeth died young, and the parents re-used the name for a later daughter.--WCH, 2 Dec. 2005.

John and Elizabeth had the following children:

- 54 M i. **Charlie GODDIN**³⁷⁶.
Charlie married³⁷⁸ **Alma GODDIN**³⁷⁷ daughter of Mack GODDIN and Mary Elizabeth SIMMONS. Alma was born³⁷⁹ about 1903 in , , Florida.

17. **Josephine Barbara GODDIN**^{380,381} (Eleanor CALLAHAN, Martin) was born³⁸² about 1861.

Josephine married^{385,386,387} (1) **Joseph ETHINGTON**^{383,384} about 1879. Joseph was born³⁸⁸ about 1844 in , , Georgia.

They had the following children:

- 55 M i. **Helon? ETHINGTON**³⁸⁹ was born³⁹⁰ in Dec 1879 in , , Florida.

Josephine married³⁹³ (2) **Andrew Jackson MITCHELL** "Lynn"^{391,392}.

18. **Penelope GODDIN** "Penny"^{394,395,396,397} (Eleanor CALLAHAN, Martin) was born about 1865.

Penelope married^{401,402} **Rose W. DARNELL**^{398,399,400}. Rose was born⁴⁰³ about Jul 1862 in , , Tennessee.

They had the following children:

- 56 M i. **John DARNELL**⁴⁰⁴ was born⁴⁰⁵ about Feb 1886 in , , Florida.
John married **Margaret**⁴⁰⁶. Margaret was born⁴⁰⁷ about 1896 in , , Florida.
- 57 F ii. **Ada DARNELL**⁴⁰⁸ was born⁴⁰⁹ about Jun 1888 in , , Florida.
- 58 F iii. **Ellen DARNELL**⁴¹⁰ was born⁴¹¹ about Nov 1890 in , , Florida.
- 59 M iv. **Henry DARNELL**⁴¹² was born⁴¹³ about Jul 1893 in , , Florida.
- 60 F v. **Jennie DARNELL**⁴¹⁴ was born⁴¹⁵ about Nov 1895 in , , Florida.
- 61 M vi. **Mon DARNELL**^{416,417} was born⁴¹⁸ about May 1898 in , , Tennessee. He died⁴¹⁹ about 1940 in Westville, Holmes, Florida.

Note: A correspondent gives this account of Mon's death, obtained from Earl D. Hood, 82 years old in 2005, who lived in the Westville area when Mon was murdered in the late 1930's or early 1940's:

"Mr. Hood said that Mon was robbed, murdered, and placed in the bridge house at the [U. S. Highway 90] bridge over the Choctawhatchee River between Westville and Caryville. The bridge was then set afire in an attempt to cover up the murder. He said that Darnell was so nearly burned up that the only way they were able to identify him was by his belt buckle. He also said that Mon seemed to always have money. I doubt there was much of an investigation performed. No one was prosecuted for killing Mon, so I understand. I have read other stories from that era where if somebody was murdered in the afternoon on the west side of the river, they would get word to the sheriff in Bonifay by that night. The sheriff would wait till the next day, ride his horse or horse and buggy over there, ask a few questions, and if the motive wasn't obvious, he would return to Bonifay, and that would be the end of it. Sometimes, though, the local men or the victim's family would take matters into their own hands, such as was the case when the black turpentine worker molested and killed the little Morrison girl near Leonia in 1910."

--WCH, 17 Aug. 2005.

- 62 F vii. **Maurine? DARNELL**⁴²⁰ was born⁴²¹ about 1901 in , , Tennessee.
- 63 F viii. **Malley? DARNELL**⁴²² was born⁴²³ about 1901 in , , Tennessee.
- 64 M ix. **Arthur DARNELL**⁴²⁴ was born⁴²⁵ about 1909 in , , Oklahoma.
19. **Patsy GODDIN**^{426,427,428,429} (Eleanor CALLAHAN, Martin) was born^{430,431} about 1870. She died⁴³² before 1900.

Note: One correspondent identifies Patsy Godden as wife of James Thomas; but on the 1900 Walton census, J. E. Thomas is shown with wife Rhoda, born July 1869. See notes under James E. Thomas regarding his various wives.

However, family notes in my possession also state "Nancy Goddin Bland--sister Patsy married Jim Thomas (Herman & Wash father)/ Rhoda Goddin married Steve Cooley".--WCH, 15 Aug. 2005.

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Patsy married^{433,434} **James E. THOMAS** "Jim"^{129,130,131,132}. James was born¹³⁴ in Jan 1854 in , , Florida. He died after 1910.

Note: In the 1880 Holmes census, a James Thomas, 25, b. Fla., parents b. Ala., is shown married to a Georgiann or Georgiana, age 22, b. Fla., parents b. Ala. James is apparently marked Mulatto but it is a little difficult to read; Georgiann is White. Not sure if that James is the same as the James Thomas found in Berry Thomas's household in 1860 Holmes census or not; also not sure if it is the same person as the James E. Thomas described below, but that is a tempting possibility.

In 1900 Walton census, White male J. E. Thomas, b. Jan 1854, b. Fla., parents b. Fla. and Ga., is shown with wife Rhoda J., b. Fla., parents b. N. C. and Fla. However, it is unclear how old Rhoda is here: the census taker put her age as 20, but her birth as July 1869.

In this same 1900 census, there are three children, Washington, Herman, and Lula May, ages 9, 7, and 2, respectively, all b. Fla., parents b. Fla. However, the record clearly shows that J. E. and Rhoda have been married 5 years. Yet Rhoda is shown as mother of 1 child, with none living. All of this is very confused; it is not at all clear who the mother of these children is, or how long this couple has been married.

According to one correspondent, James Thomas married Patsey Goddin (b. abt 1869), not Rhoda; is it possible that Patsey died sometime in the late 1890's, and James subsequently married her sister, Rhoda?

The 1910 Holmes census (Ponce de Leon) shows Steve and Rhody Cooley, no ages shown, living next door to both Steve's mother Mother, and also Reddick Goddin's widow, Elizabeth. In that census, Rhody or Rhoda is shown as mother of no children.

Possibly there are two different Rhodas here; one of them is surely Rhoda Goddin, but which one?

However, another correspondent says that Rhoda married Steve Cooley, who subsequently deserted her and fled to Mississippi without a divorce and had children there by Dora Glass, also from Holmes County.

All very confusing; more research needed here. I am strongly tempted to assume, though without proof, that this James is the same as the James who was brother to Berry Thomas; it is a fact that son Harmon attended the so-called Dominicker school circa 1910-1915; and there is no other way to account for that, since Harmon's other ancestry was Goddin and Callahan, all counted as White as far as I know at this time.--WCH, 13 Aug. 2005.

Note: Acc. to family notes in my possession on the Bland and Goddin families, "Patsy Goddin married Jim Thomas, Harmon's mother and father."--WCH, 15 Aug. 2005.

Note: According to a transcript of Holmes County Marriage Book I, 1902-1909, which I found today on the Holmes County GenWeb site, James E. Thomas married Willie G. [for Gertrude?] Collinsworth on 26 April 1907.

--WCH, 6 Sept. 2005.

James and Patsy had the following children:

- 65 M i. **Washington T. THOMAS** "Wash"^{435,436,437,438,439} was born^{440,441} on 7 May 1894 in , , Florida. He died⁴⁴² on 6 Oct 1965. He was buried⁴⁴³ in Campground Cemetery, Westville, Holmes, Florida.
Washington married **Nora Lee**⁴⁴⁴. Nora was born⁴⁴⁵ on 25 Apr 1892. She died⁴⁴⁶ on 5 Apr 1967. She was buried⁴⁴⁷ in Campground Cemetery, Westville, Holmes, Florida.
- 66 M ii. **Herman T. THOMAS** "Harmon"^{448,449,450,451,452} was born^{453,454} on 12 Mar 1895 in , , Florida. He died⁴⁵⁵ on 29 Nov 1980. He was buried⁴⁵⁶ in Campground Cemetery, Westville, Holmes, Florida.

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Herman married^{458,459} (1) **Magilene L.**⁴⁵⁷ about 1920. Magilene was born⁴⁶⁰ about 1901 in , , Florida.

Herman married^{463,464} (2) **Lodusky BRAXTON** "Duck"^{461,462} on 7 Jun 1934. Lodusky was born⁴⁶⁵ on 25 Mar 1913.

67 F iii. **Lula Mae THOMAS**^{466,467,468} was born⁴⁶⁹ in Aug 1898 in , , Florida.

20. **Nancy Christian GODDIN**^{470,471,472,473} (Eleanor CALLAHAN, Martin) was born on 19 Sep 1872 in , Holmes, Florida. She died on 17 Mar 1964 in Pensacola, Escambia, Florida. She was buried in Mt. Zion Baptist Cemetery, Westville, Holmes, Florida.

Note: According to family notes in my possession on the Bland and Goddin families, Nancy's stepmother was Elizabeth Braxton.

Also, according to the same notes, Nancy had two or three miscarriages in addition to the children who were born alive.--WCH, 15 Aug. 2005.

Nancy married **William Berreau BLAND** "Nuck or Knuck"^{474,475,476,477,478,479} son of William H. P. BLAND and Martha THOMAS in 1890 in , Holmes, Florida. William was born^{480,481,482} on 30 Aug 1868 in Ponce De Leon, Holmes, Florida. He died^{483,484,485} on 15 Mar 1941 in Westville, Holmes, Florida. He was buried in Mt. Zion Cemetery, Holmes, Florida.

Note: According to family notes in my possession on Bland and Goddin families, "W. B. Bland [was] born River Road between Ponce de Leon & Westville."--WCH, 15 Aug. 2005.

Note: According to death certificate, William died at 1:30 a.m. on 15 March 1941 in Westville. However, on the certified copy, a large section under "Medical Certification" is blanked out, so cause of death is not shown. Also, his parents are shown as Martha Thomas, birthplace unknown, and William Bland, birthplace Ireland; but this last is almost certainly untrue and conflicts with census records. Daughter Ada Bland Williams was the informant; she may have been relying on a family tradition of Irish ancestry, is what I believe.--WCH, 15 Aug. 2005.

Regarding spelling of the name Berreau, see my notes under Berriau Thomas.--WCH, 20 Aug. 2005.

William and Nancy had the following children:

68 F i. **Amanda BLAND**^{486,487,488,489,490} was born⁴⁹¹ on 30 Jan 1891 in Ponce De Leon, Holmes, Florida. She died on 11 Nov 1988 in Albuquerque, Bernalillo, New Mexico. She was buried in Mt. Zion Baptist Cemetery, Westville, Holmes, Florida.

But on 1910 census, all in the family were listed as White; however, the father's (William B. Bland) designation appears to have been erased and overwritten with a larger "W."--WCH, 4 Sept. 2006.

Amanda married **John Crockett HOOD**⁴⁹² in 1913 in , Holmes, Florida. John was born on 27 Feb 1886 in Westville, Holmes, Florida. He died on 27 Jun 1977 in Pensacola, Escambia, Florida. He was buried in Mt. Zion Cemetery, Holmes, Florida.

Note: Elected Justice of the Peace in Westville in 1917.

Johnny was well known for his fiddle playing and often played at dances around Holmes County. In the 1920's, he played live on the air for early radio station WCOA in Pensacola.

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As a teenager or young man, Johnny lived for a time with an older sister in Montgomery, Alabama, where he took violin lessons from a master violinist who had studied in Europe. While in Montgomery, Johnny worked as a call boy for one of the railroads; in that day before everyone had a telephone, call boys were used to go around to the homes or boarding houses where engineers and other railroad employees lived to let them know when they were supposed to report for duty.

At a later time, Johnny worked in the Louisville and Nashville Railroad shops in Mobile, Alabama, for a year or two, making at first a dollar a day, later raised to a dollar and a quarter. However, when his father died in 1908, Johnny returned home to Westville to provide a home for his widowed mother. Johnny also worked for some time as fireman on a steam locomotive on a logging railroad somewhere near Westville.

In the early 1920's, Johnny got a civil service job at the Naval Air Station in Pensacola, operating the steam boilers that served the heating system at the Naval Hospital there. Wife Mandy and children stayed on the farm in Holmes County until 1925, by which time Johnny had saved enough money to make a down payment on a house in Pensacola.--WCH, 17 Aug. 2005.

69 F ii. **Ada BLAND**^{493,494,495} was born⁴⁹⁶ on 18 May 1894 in Ponce de Leon, Holmes,

Florida. She died on 2 May 1970 in Westville, Holmes, Florida. She was buried in Mt. Zion Cemetery, Holmes County.

Dates of birth and death for Ada are from her tombstone--WCH, 30 May 2004.

Ada married (1) **William DAVIS**⁴⁹⁷ about 1914.

Ada married⁴⁹⁹ (2) **Henry C. WILLIAMS** "H. C."⁴⁹⁸ before 1930. Henry was born⁵⁰⁰ about 1894 in , , Mississippi. He died about 1975 in Geneva, Geneva, Alabama.

Note: The 1930 Holmes census lists both Ada and Bill as 31 years old; but for age at first marriage, gives 19 for Bill and 21 for Ada. Since Ada's date of birth is definitely known to be 1894, I have shown that as Bill's approximate birth year also. This census also gives Bill's employment as "Engineer, stat. [stationary?] engine."--WCH, 28 Aug. 2005.

70 M iii. **Hughie Everet BLAND**^{501,502,503,504} was born⁵⁰⁵ on 20 Jan 1898 in , Holmes, Florida. He died⁵⁰⁶ about 1925 in Florida State Prison, Raiford.

[from Holmes Co. Obituary Index on RootsWeb.--WCH, 4 Jan. 2000.]

Holmes County Obituaries

ODOM, Bill, Ponce de Leon, FL

Posted by Mona C. Spears <mlcs@earthlink.net> on Mon, 24 Jan 2000

Surname: ODOM, BLAND

Published in Holmes County Advertiser, Bonifay, Florida
Friday, Nov. 25, 1921

Huey Bland, Filled with "Moonshine," Stabs Bill Odom, Causing His Death

Fatal Cutting Scrape Near Ponce De Leon Sunday Night, Bland In Jail.

Bill Odom is dead and Huey Bland is in the county jail here charged with murder as the

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outcome of a cutting scrape, three miles southeast of Ponce de Leon.

Odom was stabbed several times, the principal wound being a deep stab over the left nipple and a gash several inches long in the stomach. He lived from 9 o'clock. Bland was not hurt. He made his escape after the cutting, but was later caught by Will Skinner and landed in the Ponce de Leon town jail at Ponce de Leon. He was brought to Bonifay Monday and lodged in the county jail, the coroner's jury, which was empaneled by county judge Belser, returning a verdict charging him with murder. The coroner's jury was composed of the following men: A. Hussey, Jack Paul, Hurdis Green, Toom Hobbs, W. E. Parish and John M. Hall. They made as thorough investigation as was possible with the result as told above.

The killing occurred on the public road directly in front of the home of J. B. Moody. There were several men in the party and all hands were "tanked up" on moonshine whiskey, it is said. According to members of the party, Odom and Bland had dropped back in the rear and soon cries for help were heard. They rushed back and found Odom lying on the ground and crying out he had been killed. Bland had disappeared down the road.

Both Odom and Bland are married men, the latter having a wife and two children.

Note: Huey was sent to Florida State Prison at Raiford for killing Odom, and died there a few years later, being stabbed to death in a fight. The warden wrote Huey's father that the men in Hughy's work camp somehow got hold of some liquor and got intoxicated, and a fight broke out.--WCH, 14 Aug. 2005.

Note: Spelling is shown as "Hughy" or "Hughey" in census records, but is given as "Huey" in family notes on Bland & Goddin families. However, his World War I draft registration gives the following spelling:

Name	Birthdate	Race	Birth location or other information	Location of registration
Bland, Hughie Everet			20 Jan 1898 B works in Geneva AL	Holmes FL

I am using this last spelling, as I notice that spelling of names of other relatives known to me is generally accurate in those records.--WCH, 16 Aug. 2005.

Hughie married⁵⁰⁷ **Dora Lee MORRISON** "Love"^{192,193,194,195} daughter of Alex MORRISON and Erma MELVIN. Dora was born^{198,199} on 25 Aug 1901.

- 71 M iv. **Travis BLAND**^{508,509,510} was born about 1901 in , Holmes, Florida. He died about 1935 in Pensacola, Escambia, Florida.

Travis was treacherously shot in the back by a friend in Holmes County and died a few days later. I seem to recall hearing that he actually died at his sister Mandy Hood's home in Pensacola, but here is an article from the Pensacola newspaper (no date):

GUNSHOT VICTIM'S CONDITION SERIOUS

The condition of Travis Bland, 32, who was shot and seriously wounded near Westville Sunday, was reported still critical at Pensacola hospital late last night. Bland was brought to the hospital late Sunday night. He had been shot in the back with a .38 calibre revolver, the bullet passing completely through his body.

According to information received here Bland was shot during a quarrel with J. C. Callahan, of Westville. Callahan is reported being held in the Bonifay jail pending the outcome of Bland's wound.

This clipping is in my possession.--WCH, 13 Aug. 2005.

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Note: The 1930 Holmes (Westville) census shows Travis, age 26, living with his parents; it also shows him as widowed, and age at marriage as 24. These ages do not square exactly with those shown on other censuses, but based on this information, I have shown wife Alma's death to be 1929. Alma appears on only one census, that of 1920, where she is listed as age 8.--WCH,

2 Dec. 2005.

Travis married^{514,515} **Alma CALLAHAN**^{511,512,513} daughter of Simon Mack CALLAHAN and Amanda about 1928. Alma was born⁵¹⁶ about 1911 in , , Florida. She died about 1929.

Note: Family notes say that Travis was married to Alma Callahan. I am assuming without proof that she was the Alma who was daughter of Simon Mack Callahan, as listed on the 1920 census. I have not been able to find any other Alma Callahan so far.--WCH, 4 Sept. 2005.

72 M v. **David Austin BLAND** "Dovie"^{517,518,519,520,521} was born^{522,523,524} on 20 May 1905 in , Holmes, Florida. He died^{525,526} on 31 Jul 1980 in Pensacola, Escambia, Florida.

I believe Dovie is buried in a small Catholic cemetery on Old Corry Road in Pensacola; he died penniless and alone, and a niece had him buried there, since his wife had been Catholic.

I seem vaguely to recall hearing that Dovie had a daughter by Bessie but the daughter moved up north somewhere and never had anything to do with her father.--WCH, 13 Aug. 2005.

David married^{530,531} **Bessie Mae KENNEDY**^{527,528,529} in 1926/1929. Bessie was born⁵³² on 9 Feb 1909. She died on 22 Apr 1937. She was buried in Mt. Zion Cemetery, Holmes, Florida.

73 F vi. **Callie Esther BLAND** "Sugie"^{533,534,535} was born⁵³⁶ about 1908 in , Holmes, Florida. She died⁵³⁷ before 1913.

Died as a toddler.--WCH, 3/19/04.

Note: Acc. to family notes in my possession on the Bland and Goddin families, Callie Esther (shown as Callie A. on 1910 Holmes census) was the second-youngest child in this family and died early, "before 5 years of age." "Aunt Cal Dikes" was midwife.--WCH, 15 Aug. 2005.

74 F vii. **Mary Lela BLAND**⁵³⁸ .

Note: Acc. to family notes in my possession on the Bland and Goddin families, Mary Lela was the youngest child in this family and died early. "Aunt Cal Dikes" was midwife.--WCH, 15 Aug. 2005.

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46. 1900 Federal Census, Holmes County, Florida, Ponce de Leon Precinct, enumerated 18 June 1900 by W. T. Bludworth, page images found on Ancestry.com. Shows Redick & Elizabeth Goddin, ages 50 and 49, with one child, Mac, age 18; also Andrew Broxton family; Martha Cooley family.
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48. 1860 Federal Census, Holmes County, Florida, Cerro Gordo post office, enumerated 14 July 1860 by D. H. McDonald.
49. 1880 Federal Census, Holmes County, Florida, 1st Election Precinct, enumerated in June by W. F. Green.
50. E. W. Carswell, *Holmesteading: The History of Holmes County, Florida* .
51. 1910 Federal Census, Holmes County, Florida, Precinct 8, Ponce de Leon, enumerated in May by Adlai E. Stripling, page images found on Ancestry.com. Shows Reddick Goddin's widow Elizabeth; Martha, Stephen, and Rhody Cooley; Joel Cooley family; Monroe Glass family.
52. 1870 Federal Census, Holmes County, Florida, Miller? P. O., enumerated in Aug./Sept. 1870.
53. E. W. Carswell, *Holmesteading: The History of Holmes County, Florida* .
54. 1880 Federal Census, Holmes County, Florida, 1st Election Precinct, enumerated in June by W. F. Green.
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57. Descendants of John Randolph Hall, register sent by Rhyannon Berkowitz to Bill Hood, January 2005, register sent by Rhyannon Berkowitz to Bill Hood, January 2005.
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104. 1870 Federal Census, Walton County, Florida, Eucheeanna, page images found on Ancestry.com.
105. 1850 Federal Census, Coffee County, Alabama, no locality stated, enumerated in Nov. by Alfred McGee, page images found on Ancestry.com.
106. 1900 Federal Census, Holmes County, Florida, Westville Precinct, enumerated in June by W. T. Bludworth.
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117. 1900 Federal Census, Holmes County, Florida, Westville Precinct, enumerated in June by W. T. Bludworth.
118. 1910 Federal Census, Walton County, Florida, Lakewood Village, Precinct 5, enumerated in April by James W. Wilson, page images found on Ancestry.com. Shows Eddie Broxton (Braxton?), wife Trudie, stepdaughter Eunice Thomas.
119. 1920 Federal Census, Holmes County, Florida, Westville, Precinct 11, enumerated in January by Clara Harris.
120. 1930 Federal Census, Holmes County, Florida, Ponce de Leon, Precinct 8, enumerated in April by Kerima Odom, page images found on Ancestry.com. Shows Oscar & Trudie Couch and family.
121. Survey of Westville Cemetery, found on Holmes County, Fla., GenWeb page, <<http://ftp.rootsweb.com/pub/usgenweb/fl/holmes/cemetery/campground.txt>>.
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129. Celia Jones, e-mail to Bill Hood, 8 June 2005.
130. 1910 Federal Census, Holmes County, Florida, Precinct 11, Westville, enumerated in April by Adlai E. Stripling., page images found on Ancestry.com. Shows James E. Thomas, widower, and children, also Blands, Forehands, Currys and Halls.
131. 1900 Federal Census, Walton County, Florida, Knox Hill Pct., enumerated 7 June by W. A. McLeod, image of sheet 5 B found on Ancestry.com. Shows J. E. Thomas and wife Rhoda and children; also Jennie [Bland] Hall and children; Harry (Horace?) Forehand family.
132. Bland & Goddin family notes written by a grddau. of Wm. Bland and Nancy Goddin, in possession of Bill Hood. Written before 1997.
133. Holmes County Marriage Books, transcribed by Wilda Murphy, found on Holmes County GenWeb site <www.rootsweb.com/~flholmes/Marriages/bk1bride.htm>.
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135. 1910 Federal Census, Walton County, Florida, Lakewood Village, Precinct 5, enumerated in April by James W. Wilson.
136. 1900 Federal Census, Holmes County, Florida, Ponce de Leon Precinct, enumerated 18 June 1900 by W. T. Bludworth.
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143. "Week's Happenings In and Around Westville," Holmes County Advertiser, 3 Oct. 1919, transcript of article posted by Mona C. Spears on Holmes County Message Board on Ancestry.com, 17 May 1999. Brief account of the fatal shooting of Berry Thomas by brother-in-law Rufe Collinsworth.
144. Anneta Simmons, e-mail to Bill Hood, 14 Sept. 2005.
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195. Probate and Guardianship documents filed in Holmes County Court, December 1911, re Alex Morrison, deceased. The court appoints mother Pinkie Bland, now married to Jim Bland, as guardian of Dorie Lee Morrison, age 9, daughter of Alex Morrison.
196. Walton County Marriage Books, compiled by Helen Bartlett and Tonia Porter, found on Walton County GenWeb site <<http://www.rootsweb.com/~flwalton>>.
197. Photo, Mt. Zion School students, circa 1910, and accompanying list of names and subsequent spouses, sent by John Goddin to Bill Hood, 10 Dec. 2000.
198. 1910 Federal Census, Holmes County, Florida, Precinct 11, Westville, enumerated in April by Adlai E. Stripling.
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203. Survey of Mt. Zion Cemetery, near Ponce de Leon, Holmes, Florida, made by a grddau. of Wm. & Nancy G. Bland. (partial survey of Goddins and Blands only).
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