

Revised (2014) for No. 1 - Joseph, No. 2 - John, No.4 - Malinda and No. 5 - George.

First Generation

1. Joseph Lafayette FRETWELL. Born in Birmingham, England.

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He married -----.

<-- Joseph would be born at the time of the American Revolution. Were his parents sympathetic to the cause and named their son for the French hero?

See also: Counties of Porter and Lake, Indiana (Goodspeed). Entry for John J. Lucado claims his father came from France with Lafayette at the time of the American Revolution

They had one child:

2 i. John B. (1812-1855)

Second Generation

Family of Joseph Lafayette FRETWELL (1) & -----

2. John B. FRETWELL (Joseph Lafayette¹),¹ Born in Virginia on 23 Feb 1812. Born in Virginia ca 1802. John B. died in Virginia on 6 Aug 1855. John B. died in Henry Co., Virginia, ca 1858. Occupation: Blacksmith (FC).

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The family tradition says that John Fretwell, a teacher, came from England at the end of the eighteenth century. He arrived in South Carolina and settled in Henry Co., Virginia. No one -- as yet -- has proof of this story. See note under Nancy Fretwell Thompson.

1850 FC: Henry Co., VA w/wife @ age 48

Administration of estate dated August 1858. Henry Co., VA. Minute Book 5, p. 422.

He married Elizabeth BURNETT¹, daughter of John BURNETT & Malinda HARVEY, on 20 May 1833 in Pittsylvania Co., Virginia. Born in Virginia ca 1808. Elizabeth died in Henry Co., Virginia, aft 1860.

Will of Catherine Burnett of Pittsylvania Co., VA, dated July 20, 1834, names sister Elizabeth Fretwell in 1834.

Jane Brown: "Betsy"

1870 Death Indexing / VA: Malinda Fretwell / white / female / cause: pneumonia / age 59 years

John Fretwell, consort
Nannie Fretwell, informant (friend)

They had the following children:

i. Richard P. Born on 18 Mar 1834. Richard P. died on 15 Jul 1836.
3 ii. Samuel Lafayette (1836-1886)
iii. Mary F. Born on 11 Oct 1839. Mary F. died on 19 Apr 1843.
4 iv. Malinda Elizabeth "Katie" (1845->1887)
5 v. George (ca1845-)

Third Generation

Family of John B. FRETWELL (2) & Elizabeth BURNETT

3. Samuel Lafayette FRETWELL (John B.², Joseph Lafayette¹),² Born in Mount Hermon Church Of The Brethren, Bassett, VA, on 31 Oct 1836. Samuel Lafayette died in Henry Co., VA, on 13 Dec 1886. Samuel Lafayette died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 13 Dec 1886. Buried in Finney Cemetery, Sanville, VA. Occupation: Farmer (FC). Religion: Cemetery Located Next To Blackberry Church, Rt. 718 N, Henry Co., VA.

Military service: Civil War. Private. Co. E, 53 Virginia Infantry.

1860 FC: Patrick Co., VA - alone, age 23, working as a tobacco roller
1870 FC: Henry Co., VA w/wife @ age 26
1880 FC: Henry Co., VA w/wife @ age 42

S. L. Fretwell found in Henry Co., VA General Index to Ended Law and Chancery Court Records --
1877 -- Elected Justice of Peace
1879 -- Appointed judge for next general election
1880 -- Appointed judge for next general election
1881 -- Appointed registrar for Scott's Tanyard
1885 -- Tr. ... acct. current returned report confirmed & recorded.

He married Nannie M. FRANKLIN², daughter of William FRANKLIN & Martha -----, on 12 Nov 1865 in Henry Co., VA. Born in Henry Co., Virginia, on 28 Feb 1841. Nannie M. died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 12 Mar 1923. Buried in Fretwell Cemetery On Rt. 723, Henry Co., VA. Occupation: Keeping House (1870 FC). Farmer (1900). Religion: Blackberry Baptist Church.

1900 FC: Henry Co., VA widow @ age 58
1910 FC: Henry Co., VA widow @ age 74
1920 FC: Henry Co., VA widow @ age 77

They had the following children:

- 6 i. John William (1866-1935)
- 7 ii. Minnie M. (1869-)
- 8 iii. Samuel H. (1871-1937)
- iv. George F. / L.³ Born in Virginia on 13 Nov 1872. Born in Horsepasture, Henry Co., VA, on 3 Dec 1872. Born in -- ca 1874. George F. / L. died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 8 Mar 1940. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Bassett, VA. Occupation: Employed: Packing Company (1910 FC).
1880 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 7

1910 FC: Mercer Co., WV w/wife @ age 37
1920 FC: Mercer Co., WV w/wife @ age 47
1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/wife @ age 57

He married Maggie MAYS, daughter of W. H. ----- & Virginia -----, on 23 Sep 1903 in Tazewell Co., Virginia. Born in Virginia ca 1873. Born in -- ca 1874.

- 9 v. Martha Elizabeth (1875-1917)
- vi. Edwin R.³ Born in Virginia on 24 Jan 1880. Edwin R. died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 6 Oct 1902. Buried in Fretwell Cemetery On Rt. 723, Henry Co., VA. Occupation: Farm Laborer (1900 FC).
1880 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 4/12
1900 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 20
- 10 vii. James Lafayette (1881-1947)
- 11 viii. Everette C. (1884-1941)
- 12 ix. Clarence Marshall (1886-)
- x. Samuel⁴. Born in Virginia in Mar 1888. Samuel died in Virginia bef 1910.
1900 FC: Henry Co., VA w/mother @ age 12. Nannie says 9 ch. born / 9 ch. living. This child is listed as a son, at school five months. The father died in 1886 before this Samuel was born. A brother named Samuel H. was born in 1871. A brother Edwin died in 1902. Needs further verification.

1910 FC: Henry Co., VA. Nannie M. Fretwell says 9 ch. born / 8 ch. living.

4. Malinda Elizabeth "Katie" FRETWELL (John B.², Joseph Lafayette¹).² Born on 18 Mar 1845. Born in Virginia ca 1842. Malinda Elizabeth "Katie" died aft 1887.

1850 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 8
1860 FC: Henry Co., VA w/mother @ age 16
1870
1880 FC: Patrick Co., VA w/husband @ age 34

1865: Parents Jno. & Betsy Fretwell (VA Marriage Record).

She married Robert Richard CLARK, son of J. H. CLARK & L. -----, on 21 Mar 1865 in Patrick Co., Virginia. Born in Patrick Co., Virginia, ca 1848. Occupation: Farmer (1880 FC).

1880 FC: Patrick Co., VA household of Robert R. Clark has a servant named Nannie Tucker w f 19.

They had the following children:

- i. Louisa E. Born in Virginia ca 1866.
1880 FC: Patrick Co., VA w/parents @ age 14
- ii. Ida F. Born in Virginia ca 1868.
1880 FC: Patrick Co., VA w/parents @ age 12
- iii. Elizabeth C. Born in Virginia ca 1872.
1880 FC: Patrick Co., VA w/parents @ age 8
- iv. Martha T. Born in Virginia ca 1874.
1880 FC: Patrick Co., VA w/parents @ age 6
- v. Nora L. Born in Virginia ca 1877.
1880 FC: Patrick Co., VA w/parents @ age 3
- vi. John R. Born in Virginia in Aug 1879.
1880 FC: Patrick Co., VA w/parents @ age 10/12 years
- vii. Jane. Born ca 1887. Jane died on 15 Jul 1889.
Jane Brown names the "last" child of "Katie" and Robert Richard Clark as Jane.

5. George FRETWELL (John B.², Joseph Lafayette¹).⁵ Born in Virginia ca 1845. Born in Henry Co., VA, ca 1839. Occupation: Farm Laborer (1870 FC).

Parentage needs verification.

1870 FC: Henry Co., VA w/wife @ age 25

He married Mary Malinda MOIR⁵, daughter of Scott MOIR & Levina -----, on 22 Oct 1868 in Henry Co., VA. Born in Virginia ca 1853. Born in Henry Co., VA, ca 1851. Occupation: Keeping House (1870 FC).

They had the following children:

- i. Martha⁵. Born in Virginia ca 1869.
1870 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 1
- ii. Fannie. Born in Henry Co., VA, ca 1870.
VA Marriage Record: Parents named as G. & M. Fretwell.

She married Jack CABINESS, son of G. A. CABINESS & P. -----, on 25 Dec 1890 in Henry Co., VA. Born in Henry Co., VA, ca 1862.
- iii. Annie. Born in Henry Co., VA, on 10 Jun 1877.
Parents: George and Malinda Fretwell.

Fourth Generation

Family of Samuel Lafayette FRETWELL (3) & Nannie M. FRANKLIN

6. John William FRETWELL (Samuel Lafayette³, John B.², Joseph Lafayette¹).³ Born in Virginia on 20 Sep 1866. John William died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 15 Jun 1935. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Bassett, VA. Occupation: Cattle Dealer (1900 FC). Farmer (1910 FC). Truck Farming (1930 FC).

1870 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 4
1880 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 13
1900 FC: Henry Co., VA w/wife @ age 33
1910 FC: Henry Co., VA w/wife @ age 44
1920 FC: Henry Co., VA w/wife @ age 53
1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/wife @ age 63

He married Victoria A. PURDY³, daughter of C. G. PURDY & M. -----, on 19 Jul 1891 in Henry Co., Virginia. Born in Virginia on 25 Aug 1872. Victoria A. died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 19 May 1954. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Bassett, VA.

They had the following children:

- 13** i. Clinton (1892-1972)
- 14** ii. Henry (1893-1966)
- 15** iii. Vince L. (1896-1972)
- iv. Annie Mildred³. Born in Virginia in May 1898. Born in Henry Co., VA, ca 1903. Annie Mildred died aft 1979.
1900 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 2
1910 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 12
1920 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 20

She married Frank SMITH, son of J. F. SMITH & Lucy -----, on 4 Jun 1927 in Henry Co., VA. Born in Henry Co., VA, on 7 Sep 1893. Born in Henry Co., VA, ca 1897. Frank died on 30 Jun 1966. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Henry Co., VA.

VA Marriage Record: Groom is a widow in 1927.

16 v. Tombstone engraving: Pvt. Co. C, 9 ...
Samuel (1900-1979)

vi. Kate E.³ Born in Virginia in 1903. Born in Henry Co., VA, ca 1906. Kate E. died aft 1979.
1910 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 7
1920 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 17

She married Harvey G. SPENCER, son of S. G. SPENCER & Queenie -----, on 30 Apr 1927 in Henry Co., VA. Born in Henry Co., VA, ca 1906.

vii. Lelia M.³ Born in Henry Co., Virginia, on 24 Mar 1905. Lelia M. died on 19 May 1949. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Henry Co., VA.
1910 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 5
1920 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 14

She married Emmett Haywood DAVIS¹, son of A. D. DAVIS & Laura E. -----, on 18 Oct 1925 in Henry Co., VA. Born in Henry Co., VA, on 10 Jul 1903. Emmett Haywood died on 22 Aug 1966. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Henry Co., VA.

viii. Green C.³ Born in Henry Co., Virginia, on 27 May 1907. Green C. died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 16 Feb 1988. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Bassett, VA.
1910 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 3
1920 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 12
1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 22

He married Hester ELGIN.

ix. Irene Virginia. Born in Henry Co., Virginia, in 1910.
1910 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 3/12
1920 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 11
1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 20

She first married King Edward MARTIN, son of Ben MARTIN & Mary S. HOPKINS, on 26 Dec 1931 in Henry Co., VA. Born in Patrick Co., Virginia, ca 1910.

She second married Irvin JARRETT.

7. Minnie M. FRETWELL (Samuel Lafayette³, John B.², Joseph Lafayette¹).³ Born in Henry Co., Virginia, on 8 Sep 1869.

1870 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 1

1880 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 11

She married T. J. MITCHELL, son of Jno. C. MITCHELL & L. -----, on 7 Nov 1886 in Henry Co., Virginia. Born in Henry Co., VA, in 1864.

They had one child:

i. Thelma¹. Born in Henry Co., Virginia, on 25 Jan 1905. Thelma died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 24 Sep 1909. Buried in Fretwell Cemetery On Rt. 723, Henry Co., VA.

8. Samuel H. FRETWELL (Samuel Lafayette³, John B.², Joseph Lafayette¹).³ Born in Horsepasture, Henry Co., VA, on 2 Apr 1871. Born in Henry Co., Virginia, on 8 Apr 1871. Samuel H. died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 13 Nov 1937. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Bassett, VA. Occupation: Farmer (FC). Salesman: Maytag Washing Machines (1930 FC).

1871 - Birth record names mother as Martha L. Fretwell

1880 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 9

1910 FC: Henry Co., VA w/wife @ age 39 (2nd)

1920 FC: Henry Co., VA w/wife @ age 45

1930FC: Henry Co., VA w/wife @ age 58 (3rd)

He first married Mary L. FLOYD, on 27 Nov 1895 in Bluefield, Mercer Co., West Virginia.

Named as the wife of S. H. Fretwell in the Henry County, Virginia Chancery Suit No. 1156.

They had the following children:

i. -----, Born in Mercer Co., West Virginia, ca 1896. ----- died bef 1902.
Three children born to S. H. Fretwell & Mary L. Floyd. See Henry County, Virginia Chancery Suit No. 1156.

ii. -----, Born in Mercer Co., West Virginia, ca 1897. ----- died bef 1902.
Three children born to S. H. Fretwell & Mary L. Floyd. See Henry County, Virginia Chancery Suit No. 1156.

iii. -----, Born in Mercer Co., West Virginia, ca 1898.

Three children born to S. H. Fretwell & Mary L. Floyd.
One girl alive, age four years, at time of suit.
Witnesses in Henry County had known S. H. all of their lives.
Witnesses had known Mary for eight years.
Depositions imply S. H. worked and lived in Bluefield, WV.
Mary deserted S. H. and he sues for custody of daughter.
See Henry County, Virginia Chancery Suit No. 1156.

He second married Mollie H. BLACKWELL¹, daughter of P. BLACKWELL & M. J. -----, on 8 Jan 1906 in Henry Co., Virginia. Born in Hnery Co., Virginia, on 10 Apr 1880. Mollie H. died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 1 May 1920. Buried in Fretwell Cemetery On Rt. 723, Henry Co., VA.

1910 FC: Henry Co., VA. Mollie says 1 ch. born / 0 ch. living.

Ages of children need verification.

They had the following children:

- i. Samuel L. Born in Virginia ca 1908. Education: Attending School (1920 FC).
1920 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 12
1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/father & step-mother @ age 18?

Need verification of mother.

He married Elvia HUBBARD, daughter of Reid HUBBARD & Melia Jane McALEXANDER. Born in 1919. Elvia died in Winston - Salem, Forsyth Co., NC, on 30 Jul 1977.

Needs verification.

- ii. Eva¹. Born in Virginia on 8 Feb 1908. Eva died in Virginia on 5 Jul 1909. Buried in Fretwell Cemetery On Rt. 723, Henry Co., VA.
- iii. Regena¹. Born in Virginia on 30 Jun 1918. Regena died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 30 May 1921. Buried in Fretwell Cemetery On Rt. 723, Henry Co., VA.
1920 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 3 5/12

He third married Lucy F. HOLT, daughter of George HOLT, on 16 Feb 1921 in Henry Co., VA. Born in Virginia ca 1871.

9. Martha Elizabeth FRETWELL (Samuel Lafayette³, John B.², Joseph Lafayette¹).³ Born in Henry Co., VA, on 1 Mar 1875. Born in Henry Co., Virginia, on 9 Jul 1875. Martha Elizabeth died on 6 Jun 1917. Buried in Fretwell Cemetery On Rt. 723, Henry Co., VA.

1880 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 5

She married George W. FRANKLIN⁶, son of S. H. FRANKLIN & L. M. -----, on 3 May 1896 in Henry Co., Virginia. Born in Henry Co., VA, on 27 Mar 1872. George W. died on 24 Jul 1946. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Henry Co., VA.

Cemetery record for G. W. Fretwell.

They had one child:

- i. Pauline. Born in Henry Co., VA, ca 1911.
VA Marriage Record lists parents as W. G. Franklin and Mattie Fretwell.

She married Nick VAUGHN, on 22 Dec 1928 in Henry Co., VA. Born in Henry Co., VA, ca 1906.

10. James Lafayette FRETWELL (Samuel Lafayette³, John B.², Joseph Lafayette¹). Born in Henry Co., Virginia, on 11 Aug 1881. James Lafayette died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 8 Sep 1947. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Bassett, VA. Occupation: Farm Laborer (1910 FC). Farmer (1920 & 1930 FC).

1900 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 18

1910 FC: Henry Co., VA w/mother @ age 20?

1920 FC: Henry Co., VA w/mother @ age 37 *

1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/wife @ age 48

* Also, in household: Blanche Fretwell, age 8, niece. Q. Could she be a child of Samuel H. ?

He married Virginia "Virgie" M. / T. TUGGLE¹, ca 1928. Born in Virginia on 7 Oct 1905. Virginia "Virgie" M. / T. died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 2 May 1998. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Bassett, VA.

They had one child:

- i. Nancy T.⁷ Born in Virginia ca 1929.
1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 10/12

Nancy writes (3-28-84): "... I have quite a few things about g-grandfather, Immigrant John William Fretwell (1812-1855), Army records and prisoner of war release for grandfather Samuel L. Fretwell (1836-1886), also his letters and army pictures. I am an only child of James Lafayette Fretwell (1881-1947). Am interested in any present or future Fretwell books for myself and our four children..."

She married William B. THOMPSON⁷.

11. Everett C. FRETWELL (Samuel Lafayette³, John B.², Joseph Lafayette¹).¹ Born in Virginia on 27 Jun 1884. Everett C. died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 18 Mar 1941. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Bassett, VA.

1900 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 16
1910 FC: Norfolk Co., VA alone @ age 24

He married Martha Jane "Nannie" LAYMAN, daughter of G. W. LAYMAN & E. R. -----, on 21 Aug 1910 in Henry Co., Virginia. Born in Patrick Co., Virginia, ca 1892. Martha Jane "Nannie" died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 1 Apr 1947. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Bassett, VA.

They had one child:

- i. Charles E. Occupation: Writes Historical Column Called "Reflections" For Local Paper.
1981 address: 1013 Norwood St., Radford, VA 24141.

Employed at Alleghany Newstand & Bookstore, PO Box 1127, Radford, VA 24141.

12. Clarence Marshall FRETWELL (Samuel Lafayette³, John B.², Joseph Lafayette¹).³ Born in Henry Co., VA, on 22 Aug 1886. Born in Henry Co., Virginia, on 18 Sep 1886. Occupation: Foreman @ Coal Mine (1920 FC).

1900 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 13
1910 FC: Henry Co., VA w/mother @ age 24
1920 FC: Henry Co., VA w/wife @ age 33
1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/wife @ age 43

He first married Annie N. HILL, daughter of A. C. HILL & A. -----, on 29 Oct 1912 in Henry Co., Virginia. Born in Henry Co., VA, ca 1891.

He second married Lucy JARRETT, on 21 Oct 1914 in Rockingham Co., North Carolina. Born in Virginia ca 1898.

They had the following children:

- i. Gladys Virginia¹. Born in Virginia ca 1916. Born in McDowell, West Virginia, ca 1913.
1920 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 3 10/12
1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 14

She married James Lewis PURDY, son of Joseph PURDY & Elvira DEAL, on 24 Oct 1931 in Danville, Virginia. Born in Stuart, Virginia, ca 1909.

- ii. Clarence W. Born in Virginia ca 1928.
1920 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 1 8/12
1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 9

Fifth Generation

Family of John William FRETWELL (6) & Victoria A. PURDY

13. Clinton FRETWELL (John William⁴, Samuel Lafayette³, John B.², Joseph Lafayette¹).³ Born in Henry Co., Virginia, on 8 Apr 1892. Clinton died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 12 Mar 1972. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Bassett, VA. Occupation: Farm Laborer & Truck Farmer (FC).

1900 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 8
1910 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 18
1920 FC: Henry Co., VA w/wife @ age 27
1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/wife @ age 37

He married Bessie R/S/B SMITH¹, daughter of James R. SMITH & L. A. -----, on 19 Sep 1915 in Henry Co., VA. Born in Henry Co., Virginia, on 21 Jun 1897. Bessie R/S/B died in Bassett, Henry Co., VA, on 3 Sep 1984. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Bassett, VA.

They had the following children:

- i. Clinton Reeves. Born in Virginia on 9 Jul 1916. Clinton Reeves died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 14 Mar 1998. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Bassett, VA.
1920 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 3 5/12
1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 14

Name on tombstone: C. Reeves Fretwell

- ii. Clarence Russell. Born in 1917. Clarence Russell died in Henry Co., Virginia, in Nov 1925. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Bassett, VA.
Need verification of parents.

- iii. Benton. Born in Virginia ca 1923.
1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 7
- iv. Curtis. Born in Virginia ca 1925.
1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 5

14. Henry FRETWELL (John William⁴, Samuel Lafayette³, John B.², Joseph Lafayette¹).³ Born in Henry Co., Virginia, on 30 Sep 1893. Henry died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 25 Dec 1966. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Bassett, VA. Occupation: Farm Laborer & Truck Farming (FC).

1900 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 6
 1910 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 16
 1920 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 26
 1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/wife @ age 35

He married Sallie K. KROGER¹, on 29 Nov 1924 in Henry Co., VA. Born in Henry Co., Virginia, on 29 Aug 1906. Sallie K. died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 16 Mar 1984. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Bassett, VA.

VA Marriage Record: Name given as Sallie ROGER.

They had the following children:

- i. Lawrence¹. Born in Virginia on 5 Sep 1925. Lawrence died in Virginia in Mar 1986.
1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 4 7/12

He married Evelyn Deforest PRICE¹, on 2 Aug 1952.
- ii. Helen. Born in Virginia ca 1929.
1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 3 ?/12

15. Vince L. FRETWELL (John William⁴, Samuel Lafayette³, John B.², Joseph Lafayette¹).³ Born in Henry Co., Virginia, on 26 Feb 1896. Vince L. died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 13 Nov 1972. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Bassett, VA. Occupation: Farm Laborer & Truck Farming (FC).

1900 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 4
 1910 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 14
 1920 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 24
 1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/wife @ age 32

He married Olia S. SPENCER¹, daughter of Peter C. SPENCER & Laina O. -----, on 18 Jan 1920 in Henry Co., VA. Born in Patrick Co., Virginia, on 29 Dec 1899. Olia S. died in Henry Co., VA, on 27 Sep 1984. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Bassett, VA.

Sp. Ollie S.

VA Marriage Record gives name as Olia A.?, age 20, b. 1900.

They had the following children:

- i. Cloid Vince, Sr.¹ Born on 9 Nov 1920. Cloid Vince, Sr. died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 28 Jan 1990. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Bassett, VA.
1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 9. Name sp. as Claud.

1980 address: 532 Catalina Ave., Virginia Beach, VA 23452

He married Gracie Mae DUNFORD. Born on 9 Jul 1926. Gracie Mae died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 15 Jul 2003. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Bassett, VA.

Sp. DUREFRED.
- ii. James Bernard¹. Born on 3 Nov 1921. James Bernard died in May 1986.
1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 7

He married Betty / Bettie CARROLL. Born on 3 Jul 1931. Betty / Bettie died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 30 Nov 1996. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Bassett, VA.
- iii. Herschel Fee¹. Born in Virginia ca 1925.
1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 5

He married Zella HALL.
- iv. Elmer¹. Born in Virginia ca 1926.
1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 3 ?/12

He married Maria DIVERS.
- v. Ora Christine¹. Born in Virginia ca 1929.
1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 1 1/12

She married Cecil HYLTON.

- vi. Dewey Randolph¹. Born in Virginia aft 1930.
1980 address: Dewey R., Sr. @ R. R. 698, Bassett, VA 24055

He first married Joan MINTER.
He second married -----.

m2 a Japanese woman

16. Samuel FRETWELL (John William⁴, Samuel Lafayette³, John B.², Joseph Lafayette¹).³ Born in Henry Co., Virginia, on 7 Jul 1900. Samuel died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 17 Mar 1979. Buried in Mount Hermon Church Of The Brethren, Bassett, VA. Occupation: Retired Lumber Yard Foreman @ Bassett Superior Lines (Obituary). Religion: Mount Hermon Church Of The Brethren.

1910 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 10

1920 FC: Henry Co., VA w/parents @ age 18

1930 FC: Henry Co., VA w/wife @ age 25

Samuel Fretwell writes (Aug. 26, 1983): "An interview of Vince Fretwell, descendant of John Fretwell by Dr. John Bing, brought out the fact that brothers of John Fretwell settled in the Axton [Virginia] area and other brothers settled in South Carolina. In my research I have located information relative to Fretwells in South Carolina during the Civil War period and my uncle, George Lynn Fretwell, who now resides in Greenville, South Carolina, has told me of Fretwell families now living in the area..."

He married Marcella STONE⁸. Born on 10 Jul 1913. Marcella died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 4 Mar 1995. Buried in Mount Hermon Church Of The Brethren, Bassett, VA.

They had one child:

- i. Billy H.⁶ Born in Henry Co., Virginia, on 13 Apr 1928. Billy H. died in Henry Co., Virginia, on 30 Jul 1928. Buried in Blackberry Baptist Cemetery, Bassett, VA.
No relationship indicated in cemetery records.

Sources

1. "Correspondence w/Wayne Fretwell, Rt. 1, Box 228, Union Hall, VA 24176."
2. "Correspondence w/Sam Fretwell, P. O. Box 866, Belmont, NC 28012."
3. "Correspondence w/Nancy Fretwell Thompson."
4. 1900 FC: Henry Co., VA (MF # T623, R #1713, p. 7B). Nannie Fretwell (Head).
5. 1870 FC: Henry Co., VA (MF #593, R #1656, p. 33). Geo. Fretwell (Head).
6. "Follow the Periwinkle." Cemetery Records of Henry County, Virginia. Volume II, compiled by Henry County Genealogical Society. Danville, VA, 1983.
7. "Correspondence w/Mrs. William B. Thompson (Nancy), Rt. 4, box 217, Martinsville, VA 24112."
8. "Correspondence w/Sam Fretwell, P. O. Box 866, Belmont, NC 28012."

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E. R.	parent of spouse of 11
L.	parent of spouse of 4
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L. A.	parent of spouse of 13
L. M.	parent of spouse of 9
Laina O.	parent of spouse of 15
Levina	parent of spouse of 5
M.	parent of spouse of 6
M. J.	parent of spouse of 8
Martha	parent of spouse of 3
BLACKWELL	
Mollie H. (1880 - 1920)	spouse of 8
P.	parent of spouse of 8
BURNETT	
Elizabeth (ca1808 - >1860)	spouse of 2
John	parent of spouse of 2
CLARK	
Elizabeth C. (ca1872 -)	child of 4
Ida F. (ca1868 -)	child of 4
J. H.	parent of spouse of 4
Jane (ca1887 - 1889)	child of 4
John R. (1879 -)	child of 4

Louisa E. (ca1866 -)	child of 4
Martha T. (ca1874 -)	child of 4
Nora L. (ca1877 -)	child of 4
Robert Richard (ca1848 -)	spouse of 4
FLOYD	
Mary L.	spouse of 8
FRANKLIN	
George W. (1872 - 1946)	spouse of 9
Nannie M. (1841 - 1923)	spouse of 3
Pauline (ca1911 -)	child of 9
S. H.	parent of spouse of 9
William	parent of spouse of 3
FRETWELL	
----- (ca1896 - <1902)	child of 8
----- (ca1897 - <1902)	child of 8
----- (ca1898 -)	child of 8
Annie (1877 -)	child of 5
Annie Mildred (1898 - >1979)	child of 6
Benton (ca1923 -)	child of 13
Billy H. (1928 - 1928)	child of 16
Charles E.	child of 11
Clarence Marshall (1886 -)	12
Clarence Russell (1917 - 1925)	child of 13
Clarence W. (ca1928 -)	child of 12
Clinton (1892 - 1972)	13
Clinton Reaves (1916 - 1998)	child of 13
Cloid Vince, Sr. (1920 - 1990)	child of 15
Curtis (ca1925 -)	child of 13
Dewey Randolph (>1930 -)	child of 15
Edwin R. (1880 - 1902)	child of 3
Elmer (ca1926 -)	child of 15
Eva (1908 - 1909)	child of 8
Everette C. (1884 - 1941)	11
Fannie (ca1870 -)	child of 5
George (ca1845 -)	5
George F. / L. (1872 - 1940)	child of 3
Gladys Virginia (ca1916 -)	child of 12
Green C. (1907 - 1988)	child of 6
Helen (ca1929 -)	child of 14
Henry (1893 - 1966)	14
Herschel Fee (ca1925 -)	child of 15
Irene Virginia (1910 -)	child of 6
James Bernard (1921 - 1986)	child of 15
James Lafayette (1881 - 1947)	10
John B. (1812 - 1855)	2
John William (1866 - 1935)	6
Joseph Lafayette	1
Kate E. (1903 - >1979)	child of 6
Lawrence (1925 - 1986)	child of 14
Lelia M. (1905 - 1949)	child of 6
Malinda Elizabeth "Katie" (1845 - >1887)	4
Martha (ca1869 -)	child of 5
Martha Elizabeth (1875 - 1917)	9
Mary F. (1839 - 1843)	child of 2
Minnie M. (1869 -)	7
Nancy T. (ca1929 -)	child of 10
Ora Christine (ca1929 -)	child of 15
Regena (1918 - 1921)	child of 8
Richard P. (1834 - 1836)	child of 2
Samuel (1888 - <1910)	child of 3
Samuel (1900 - 1979)	16
Samuel H. (1871 - 1937)	8
Samuel L. (ca1908 -)	child of 8
Samuel Lafayette (1836 - 1886)	3
Vince L. (1896 - 1972)	15
HARVEY	
Malinda	parent of spouse of 2
HILL	
A. C.	parent of spouse of 12
Annie N. (ca1891 -)	spouse of 12
HOLT	
George	parent of spouse of 8

Lucy F. (ca1871 -)	spouse of 8
JARRETT	
Lucy (ca1898 -)	spouse of 12
KROGER	
Sallie K. (1906 - 1984)	spouse of 14
LAYMAN	
G. W.	parent of spouse of 11
Martha Jane "Nannie" (ca1892 - 1947)	spouse of 11
MITCHELL	
Jno. C.	parent of spouse of 7
T. J. (1864 -)	spouse of 7
Thelma (1905 - 1909)	child of 7
MOIR	
Mary Malinda (ca1853 -)	spouse of 5
Scott	parent of spouse of 5
PURDY	
C. G.	parent of spouse of 6
Victoria A. (1872 - 1954)	spouse of 6
SMITH	
Bessie R/S/B (1897 - 1984)	spouse of 13
James R.	parent of spouse of 13
SPENCER	
Olia S. (1899 - 1984)	spouse of 15
Peter C.	parent of spouse of 15
STONE	
Marcella (1913 - 1995)	spouse of 16
TUGGLE	
Virginia "Virgie" M. / T. (1905 - 1998)	spouse of 10