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# DESCENDANTS

—OF—

# JACOB MARKLEY

—OF—

## SKIPPACK,

MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA.

“This is a trust Providence has committed to our care; and who so dead to sympathy and affection, to kindred and country, that would not preserve the record of his ancestors, the place of his birth, the home of his childhood, and the sacred spot where repose the loved and lost ones of earth!”

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## P R E F A C E .

This record is not presented as a complete genealogy. It was prepared hastily, for a special purpose, from material gathered and intended for use at some future time. It is, indeed, a mere outline; and it embraces but the first six generations in this country. On account of lack of necessary information, some branches are given only in part and others are altogether omitted. However, in its imperfect state, it will serve to show the number, the distribution, the connections, and the character, of the Markley Freundschaft. It will also be a help in clearly establishing kinship heretofore indistinct or unknown.

The birth-place of Jacob Markley, the worthy founder, has not, as yet, been ascertained. To discover this, every effort should be made; for with the knowledge of his origin the field of investigation will be indefinitely enlarged, and revelations of engrossing interest may with reason be expected.

The main object in issuing these pages is to stimulate the Freundschaft to research; to induce those who are in possession of particulars that will assist in extending and perfecting the genealogy, and of facts that relate to the history of the family, either in America or in Europe, to furnish them without delay. It is hoped that all the descendants will feel an interest and a pride in bringing to light the information required to make a full presentation of the achievements of their ancestors and kindred.

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NORRISTOWN, *September 9, 1884.*

For the past six years Henry S. Dotterer, of Philadelphia, has been collecting the information contained in this book, and which is printed as he arranged it. Daniel B. Markley, now deceased, gave him valuable assistance. The descendants of the old Montgomery families owe a debt of gratitude to Mr. Dotterer for his efforts to rescue the lives of their ancestors from oblivion.

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**Jacob<sup>1</sup> Markley.** Born, probably, in Europe; married (first), February 13, 1722, Barbara, daughter of George Philip and Veronica Dodderer, of Frederick township; married (second), July 29, 1739, Barbara Kausch. Barbara (Dodderer) Markley died July 24, 1738. Barbara (Kausch) Markley was born April 14, 1714. Jacob Markley died August 29, 1784.

As early as the year 1725 we find the name of Jacob Märekeley—so he wrote it—signed to a petition for a road in the Skippack region.

July 17, 1728, Jacob Markley purchased of Jost Heydt, 100 acres in Philadelphia county, and November 28, 1728, he bought of Nicholas Scull 132 acres in Beber's township. These tracts were located in the limits of the present East Perkiomen township; a portion of the plantation is now owned by Jacob J. Markley, a great-great-grandson. In 1734, Jacob Markley is reported as a taxable of Perkiomen and Skippack township, owning 200 acres. In the census taken June 5, 1756, of "Parkiomen & Skippaake" township, he is returned thus: Jacob Marcly, housekeeper; occupation, farmer; 4 children under 21; acres owned, 150—50 acres cleared, 15 acres sowed with corn; 1 horse; 3 horned cattle.

Jacob Markley made a will dated June 10, 1779, which was probated January 24, 1785. He named as executors his sons Abraham Markley and Isaac Markley.

His signature to the will was witnessed by William Pannebacer and Jacob Markley (cordwainer). He directs his executors to divide the proceeds of his estate into eleven parts, for the use of his children, as follows: Abraham, Philip, Isaac, the five children of his daughter Veronica, Christina, Elizabeth, Barbara, Rebecca, Hannah, Catharine, and Eleanor. On July 1, 1786, the executors of the estate of Jacob Markley, deceased, sold to Jacob Markley (cordwainer), 152 acres of land, part of the decedent's plantation.

Jacob Markley and family were connected with the Providence (Trappe) Lutheran Church. In a list dated the 27th of November, 1760, is the name of Jacob Merckle, as a contributor of 10 shillings toward the salary of Rev. Mr. Muhlenberg, pastor of that congregation.

The place of Jacob Markley's burial has, after diligent search and inquiry, not been ascertained.

ISSUE BY FIRST WIFE, BARBARA DODDERER.

1. Abraham,<sup>2</sup> born August 12, 1723; married, in September, 1745, Barbara Ickes.
2. Philip,<sup>2</sup> born August 27, 1725; married, December 16, 1746, Mary Johnson.
3. ———,<sup>2</sup> (a daughter) born on New Year's Day, 1727; died soon after.
4. Isaac,<sup>2</sup> born May 24, 1729; married Sarah ———.
5. Veronica,<sup>2</sup> born April 1, 1732; married, April 30, 1751, George Schwenck; died October 2 1777. In the Providence Lutheran Church book, under date of April 7, 1751, is recorded her confirmation in these words: "Veronica Merckelin, Jacob Merckels Tochter, 19 Jahr alt. Kan etwas lesen." In the same volume her marriage is

recorded. George Schwenck was a blacksmith; lived in Frederick township; died February 24, 1803, and was buried in the private graveyard on his own farm, on the east bank of Society Run. Here also his wife is buried. This farm is now owned by Samuel N. Faust. Issue:

1. John, born March 5, 1752; married Regina Krantz; died February 3, 1803, and is buried in the Schwenck's private graveyard.

2. Nicholas, born June 7, 1755; lived in Gwynedd township.

3. Abraham, married ——— Shantz; resided in Perkiomen township; died in 1843.

4. Daniel, born May 5, 1761; married (first) Catharine Raudenbush; married (second) Catharine Boyer, maiden name Shantz; died February 26, 1836, and is buried at Keeler's Church, in Frederick township.

5. Elizabeth, born December 31, 1766; married, December 31, 1785, John Markley, her first cousin.

6. Rebecca,<sup>2</sup> married Frederick Isaac (or Isett).

7. Christina,<sup>2</sup> born May 27, 1736; married Colonel William Antes, of Frederick township, son of Henry and Christina (Dewees) Antes. Col. Antes rendered valuable services to the American cause during the Revolutionary War. March 12, 1777, he was appointed a sub-lieutenant for the county of Philadelphia; October 21, 1777, he was appointed Commissioner on Sequestered Estates and Treason; and May 29, 1778, agent to execute the Act of Attainder. At one period he was designated to administer the oath of allegiance and abjuration in Philadelphia county, and at another he was a commissioner for taxes and levies. About the beginning of 1781 he migrated to Northumberland county, where he also held positions of public trust. In 1792 he removed to the Genesee country, in New York State, where he died. Issue:

1. John.

2. Christina, married Jacob Markley, gunsmith; resided in Northumberland county.

3. Elizabeth, born February 17, 1757; married John Shuler.

4. Sarah, born October 12, 1764; married Samuel Gardner.

5. William, born March 15, 1776; resided in Canandaigua, New York; died December 21, 1841.

8. Catharine,<sup>2</sup> born May 9, 1738; married, July 13, 1757, Christian Breunemann.

ISSUE BY SECOND WIFE, BARBARA KAUSCH.

9. Eleanor,<sup>2</sup> born February 5, 1741; confirmed June 1, 1760; a member of Providence Lutheran Church; married Tobias Boganer.

10. Elizabeth,<sup>2</sup> born ———; married Paulus Benner.

11. Mary Magdalena,<sup>2</sup> born November 9, 1744.

12. Barbara,<sup>2</sup> born October 6, 1746; married, by license issued March 28, 1772, John Smith.

13. Hannah,<sup>2</sup> born ———; confirmed at Providence Lutheran Church in the year 1770, aged 18; married, January 11, 1774, Jacob Brotzman.

**Abraham<sup>2</sup> Markley** (*Jacob*<sup>1</sup>).— Born August 12, 1723; married in September, 1745, Anna Barbara Ickes; was a blacksmith, and resided in Perkiomen and Skip-pack township; died March 26, 1800, and is buried at the Lower Mennonite meeting-house in Perkiomen township. Barbara (Ickes) Markley was born August 8, 1721; she died January 27, 1808, and is buried beside her husband:

In the census of Perkiomen and Skip-pack township of June 5, 1756, is: Abraham Marcly, blacksmith; 5 children under 21; acres owned, 100—cleared 70 acres, sowed with corn 12 acres; held one bound servant; owned 3 horses, 1 mare, 4 sheep, and 4 horned cattle.



In 1785, Abraham Markley held the office of Commissioner of Montgomery County.

He was a member of the Providence Lutheran Congregation. In the books of that church we find that he was a contributor to the support of Pastor Muhlenberg in 1760, and there, too, are recorded the baptism and confirmation of some of his children.

May 31, 1777, Abraham Markley purchased of William Antes a tract of 116 acres 27 perches of land, in New Hanover township. May 14, 1782, he sold this to his son, Benjamin Markley, who, on March 28, 1794, sold 100 acres of the tract, in connection with about 47 acres of other land, to his brother, John Markley.

Having made no will, upon his death letters of administration were granted, April 7, 1800, to his sons, Benjamin Markley and John Markley, both residents of New Hanover township. His estate amounted to upwards of £4200 Pennsylvania currency = \$11,200.

#### ISSUE:

1. Isaac,<sup>3</sup> born October 21, 1746; married Jane Lane.
2. Elizabeth,<sup>3</sup> born ———; married Matthias Tyson.
3. Abraham,<sup>3</sup> ———; migrated to South Carolina, in or near Charleston, carrying on with his brothers John and Benjamin in the North a trade in carriages and agricultural implements. He had a son and a daughter.
4. Benjamin,<sup>3</sup> born July 13, 1751; married, October 18, 1774, Hannah Wentz.
5. Jacob,<sup>3</sup> born ———; married Christina Antes, daughter of William and Christina Antes; was a gunsmith; lived in Northumberland county. Issue: 1, Samuel; 2, Mary, who married ——— Knox.
6. Maria Barbara,<sup>3</sup> born ———; married ——— Warthman.

7. John,<sup>3</sup> born January 20, 1760; married Elizabeth Heiser.
8. Daniel,<sup>3</sup> born January 10, 1763; died June 13, 1764, and is buried at Lower Mennonite meeting-house, Perkiomen township.
9. Samuel.<sup>3</sup>

**Philip<sup>2</sup> Markley** (*Jacob<sup>2</sup>*).—Born August 27, 1725; married December 16, 1746, Mary Johnson; was a cordwainer and farmer; owned property in Perkiomen and Skippack township, and in Norriton township; died April 5, 1800, in Norristown, then Norriton township; is buried at St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Centre Square. Mary (Johnson) Markley died February 21-22, 1815, aged 91 years, and she rests beside her husband.

In the census of Perkiomen and Skippack township, June 5, 1756, appears: Philip Marcly, cordwainer; 3 children under 21; owned 70 acres—30 acres cleared, 7 acres sowed with corn; held 2 bound servants; 2 horses, 4 horned cattle.

Philip Markley and family were of the Lutheran persuasion. He was a member of Providence Lutheran Church. November 27, 1760, we find him a contributor to the support of the pastor, Rev. Mr. Muhlenberg; he subscribed 10 shillings. In the church book of that congregation are the baptismal and other records of his family. His wife, who was of Mennonite parentage, was baptized in the Lutheran Church nearly ten years after their marriage, as the following entry shows: "Philip Merckels Frau Maria war 31 Jahr alt und ist getauft d. 24sten Octob. 1756. Zeugen—Jacob Merckel,

Philip Merckel, Michael Walter (Schulmeister), und s. Frau."

At the meeting of the Council of Safety, held on Saturday, November 8, 1777, Philip Markley and others were appointed commissioners for Philadelphia county, to collect supplies for the American army.

Philip Markley acquired a large estate, which he disposed of by will, dated June 8, 1790, in which he named his wife Mary and his son Jacob as executors. At this time he owned a plantation of seventy-nine acres in Perkiomen and Skippack township, which had been, in part, owned by his father; one hundred acres located partly in Providence and partly in Perkiomen and Skippack township, with grist-mill thereon; and forty-seven acres with tanyard in Norristown, upon which he resided at the date of making his will.

#### ISSUE:

1. Jacob,<sup>3</sup> born August 28, 1747; married, January 7, 1773, Maria Koplín.
2. Elizabeth,<sup>3</sup> born December 22, 1749; married, March 17, 1772, John Zieber, son of John and Barbara Zieber, of Frederick township; died January 14, 1821. John Zieber was born November 17, 1750; died November 23, 1829. Husband and wife are interred at St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Centre Square. Issue:
  1. Mary, born February 5, 1773; married, July 2, 1789, George Boyer; died September 22, 1851. George Boyer was the son of George and Anna Barbara Boyer, of Frederick township; was born July 15, 1762; died February 10, 1828. Issue: 1. John, born March 11, 1790. 2. George, born September 18, 1793.
  2. John, born March 8, 1775; died December 6, 1858. John Zieber married, February 14, 1802, Deborah Markley

(born January 20, 1782), daughter of Jacob and Maria Markley—they being first cousins. Issue: 1. Elizabeth, born November 2, 1802; married Enos Jacoby. 2. Mary, born August 22, 1806; married Martin Hunsberger. 3. John M., born March 5, 1812. 4. Jacob, born September 10, 1815; died young. John M. Zieber (born March 5, 1812), married, March 27, 1840, Eliza L. Van Zant, and had: Helen Markley Zieber, who is the wife of Henry S. Markley, son of John and Jemima Markley.

3. Daniel, born June 1, 1779; died in Snyder county, Pa., December 7, 1863.

4. Elizabeth, born August 17, 1782.

5. Philip, born August 9, 1785.

6. Hannah, born October 23, 1788.

3. Daniel,<sup>3</sup> born October 3, 1755; married Elizabeth Magee.

4. Hannah,<sup>3</sup> born October 30, 1759; married Matthias Koplín; died December 29, 1820. Matthias Koplín died January 5, 1818, aged 63 years. Both are buried at St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Centre Square.

5. John,<sup>3</sup> born December 8, 1764; married (first), December 31, 1785, Elizabeth Schwenck; married (second), February 7, 1822, Mrs. Elizabeth Henderson.

Isaac<sup>2</sup> Markley (*Jacob*<sup>1</sup>). Born May 24, 1729; married Sarah ———; died May 19, 1812, in Hatfield township. His wife, Sarah, died December 7, 1823, aged 90 years and 9 months. They are buried at Lower Salford Mennonite meeting-house.

In the census taken June 5, 1756, of Perkiomen and Skippack township, is found: Isaac Marcly, farmer; 2 children under 21; dwells on Jacob Marcly's land; 15 acres sowed with corn; rent 8 (£ Pennsylvania currency, probably); 2 horses, 1 mare, 5 horned cattle.

October 25, 1765, Isaac Markly, of Lower Salford township, bought 125 acres and 6 per cent. allowance, in Salford township, of Nicholas Holderman, Jr., and Elizabeth, his wife, of Charlestown, Chester county.

Isaac Markley left an estate of upwards \$4200. June 15, 1812, his sons Henry Markley, of Lower Salford township, and Abraham Markley, of Upper Salford township, were appointed administrators.

The record of baptism of George Markley and Abraham Markley, sons of Isaac and Sarah Markley, is found in the books of Providence Lutheran Church.

ISSUE:

1. George,<sup>3</sup> baptized November 24, 1756, aged one year.
2. Henry,<sup>3</sup> born July 17, 1759; married Elizabeth Ruhl.
3. Abraham,<sup>3</sup> born August 1, 1764; married Elizabeth Boganer.

Isaac<sup>3</sup> Markley (*Abraham*,<sup>2</sup> *Jacob*<sup>1</sup>). Born October 21, 1746; married Jane Lane; died August 8, 1773. The birth, baptism, confirmation and death of Isaac Markley are recorded in the church book of Providence Lutheran Congregation. The widow of Isaac Markley, family tradition states, married ———— Davis.

ISSUE:

1. Isaac,<sup>4</sup> born April 13, 1773; married, April 7, 1795, Maria Heiser.

Abraham<sup>3</sup> Markley (*Abraham*,<sup>2</sup> *Jacob*<sup>1</sup>). Born in Perkiomen and Skippack township; took up his residence in or near Charleston, S. C., and was engaged there in

business, dealing in carriages and farming implements, which, part or all, were shipped to him by his brothers, John and Benjamin Markley, of New Hanover township.

ISSUE:

<sup>4</sup> son.

<sup>4</sup> daughter.

**Benjamin<sup>3</sup> Markley, Esq.** (*Abraham*,<sup>2</sup> *Jacob*<sup>1</sup>). Born July 13, 1751; married, October 18, 1774, Hannah Wentz; died July 10, 1819, in New<sup>3</sup>Hanover township. Hannah (Wentz) Markley was born February 18, 1755; died May 2, 1829. Both rest in the cemetery of New Hanover Lutheran Church, in Falkner Swamp. October 18, 1774, a license was issued for the marriage of Benjamin Marclay and Hanna Wentz, and the same day their marriage was recorded in the book of the First Baptist Church of Philadelphia.

Benjamin Markley was a member of the New Hanover Lutheran Church. His wife, Hannah, was baptized December 1, 1781, becoming a member of the same congregation.

Benjamin Markley in youth learned the trade of blacksmithing. He was many years a justice of the peace; he was a member of the lower branch of the State Legislature, 1789-90; and Associate Judge of Montgomery County for nearly twenty years, beginning in 1791. He was identified with the military during and after the Revolutionary war. As a surveyor his services were in great request in his neighborhood. He was a friend of education, and contributed liberally to the

erection of a school-house, built in 1807, opposite his dwelling place. He was a competent and careful scrivener; drew many wills, deeds, petitions and contracts for the people of his community; and made many settlements for administrators and executors of estates. His penmanship was neat and legible, and his accounts, both in English and in German, were patterns of exactness and skill.

Judge Markley owned and occupied the brick dwelling on the Great Road, near Krebs's famous inn of that time. Through this building, which still stands, runs a broad hall; on the left side is the room which was his office; while to the right was the parlor in which Hannah, his esteemed helpmate, held sway. A generous hospitality pervaded this home. The Judge was a stout man, of light complexion, and of dignified appearance; sociable in disposition; fond of a joke and of good living; genial and courteous; popular with all—the rich and poor, the young and old. The school-children always approached him with smiles on their faces, and he was never without a pleasant word to send them on their way rejoicing. In front of his house was a sun-dial, which was an object of lasting interest to them; and in his wagon-shed was a large, hollow bomb shell—a Revolutionary relic, with which the boys tested their strength. He was a Mason, of which fraternity only himself and his neighbor, Colonel Anthony Bitting, were then members in that vicinity. Hannah (Wentz) Markley came from Worcester. Amiable in manner and warm of heart, she exerted a refining and elevating influence. The sweet-

ness of her calm, religious life was transmitted to her daughters, and through them to later generations, who yet trace its presence. She was beloved by "all the country-side." Her home was a centre of taste and elegance. The furniture and articles of use and decoration were the choicest and best of their kind. To this day her china, her silverware, and samples of her handiwork are preserved. There are yet living a few—though they must be three score and ten—who knew, and who speak in terms of highest esteem of, Benjamin and Hannah Markley.

ISSUE:

1. Jonah,<sup>4</sup> married, November 18, 1804, Maria Freed.
2. Elizabeth,<sup>4</sup> married Lewis Linsenbigler, son of Daniel and Elizabeth Linsenbigler. Issue:
  1. Hannah, born May 3, 1795.
  2. Samuel, born June 26, 1797; died, at Norristown, May 11, 1842; buried at First Presbyterian Church.
  3. Rebecca, born April 20, 1799; married Jacob Sassaman; died July 28, 1834; buried at Keeler's Church, Frederick township. Issue:
 

Priscilla, married Philip Dotterer; Caroline, married Henry G. Righter; Elizabeth, married (first) James Wilson, (second) Jacob Hittel; Samuel, married Sophia Bartman; Charlotte, married Jacob Hittel; Rebecca, married (first) Mahlon Spare, (second) Solomon Long; Emeline, married John Anderson; Hannah, married Morris Peterman; and a son, who died in infancy.
3. Sarah,<sup>4</sup> born August 9, 1783; married General Philip Boyer; died November 2, 1861. General Philip Boyer was born September 1, 1782; died September 27, 1853. Husband and wife are resting in the cemetery at Pottstown, Pa., their graves marked by a marble monument. Issue:



1. Caroline, born October 10, 1804; married Rev. Daniel Weiser; died August 11, 1834; buried at Pottstown, Pa. The children of Rev. Daniel and Caroline (Boyer) Weiser: Calvin Boyer, born December 28, 1828; died September 23, 1845; Clement Z., residing at East Greenville, a noted divine of the Reformed Church; Edwin S., born May 13, 1834; died July 16, 1834; and Emma, married Rev. George Miller.

2. Benjamin Markley, born January 22, 1823; ex-member of Congress and present President-judge of Montgomery and Bucks counties; resides at Norristown.

4. Mary, married (first), May 20, 1800, David Gilbert; married (second), John Nyce. The children of John and Mary (Markley) Nyce were:

1. Rev. Benjamin M. Nyce, born in New Hanover township, May 28, 1809; graduated at Dickinson College in 1829; afterwards went to Yale College as a resident graduate; studied theology two years at Princeton Theological Seminary, and entered the ministry of the Presbyterian Church. May 13, 1847, he married Melissa Hamilton, of Decatur county, Ind.; and October 1, 1876, he died at Cleveland, O.

2. Elizabeth, born September 12, 1813; married Caleb S. Luther; died at Greensburg, Ind., February 5, 1870.

**John<sup>3</sup> Markley** (*Abraham*,<sup>2</sup> *Jacob*<sup>1</sup>). Born January 20, 1760; married, November 28, 1784, Elizabeth Heiser; died April 28, 1820. His wife, daughter of Andrew Heiser, was born July 8, 1767; died September 2, 1823. They are buried at New Hanover Lutheran churchyard.

John Markley was a blacksmith. He purchased, March 28, 1794, of his brother, Benjamin Markley, four adjoining tracts of land, containing together about 147 acres, located in New Hanover township, near the pres-

ent Fagleysville. Up to this time he lived in Perkiomen township. He now took up his residence upon his purchase. March 3, 1802, he purchased 106 acres adjoining his other land, of John Betz. In 1802 he built upon his plantation a fine, substantial dwelling-house which still stands. An immense barn also stands there. It is abundantly watered by the tributaries of Swamp Creek. A spring of remarkable volume, upon a knoll, furnishes the barn and house with water. This farm was occupied after the death of John Markley by his son Andrew. John Markley, although not so conspicuous in public affairs as his brother Benjamin, was a man of wealth and influence.

ISSUE:

1. Sarah,<sup>4</sup> born February 18, 1786; died August 18, 1793.
2. Barbara,<sup>4</sup> born September 8, 1787; married John Kurtz.
3. Andrew,<sup>4</sup> born July 5, 1789; married Elizabeth Stetler, daughter of Henry and Elizabeth (Bickel) Stetler.
4. Elizabeth,<sup>4</sup> born June 17, 1791; married Jacob Nyce, of Norristown. Issue: 1, Ezekiel G. M.; 2, Ruth Ann; 3, Sarah S.; 4, Andrew Washington; 5, Cadwallader B.; 6, M. De Lafayette.
5. Susanna,<sup>4</sup> born May 1, 1793; married (first), October 24, 1813, George Nyce; married (second) Ludwig Schittler.
6. Benjamin,<sup>4</sup> born September 7, 1800; married Susanna Huber.
7. Maria,<sup>4</sup> married Enos Benner, of Sumnytown, publisher of "Bauern Freund;" resides at Sumnytown. Issue: Edwin M., Hannab, ——— and Milton.

Jacob<sup>3</sup> Markley (*Philip*,<sup>2</sup> *Jacob*<sup>1</sup>).—Born August 28, 1747; married, January 7, 1773, Maria Koplín; died September 26, 1821, in Philadelphia. His widow died

December 15, 1831. Both are buried at St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Centre Square.

He was a cordwainer by trade. About 1805-6 he moved to the city of Philadelphia, where he was in the lumber business. In 1807 and 1809 he resided at 311 North Third street; he purchased a number of houses in that vicinity, and at his death was possessed of a considerable estate.

ISSUE :

1. Philip,<sup>4</sup> born November 10, 1773; married Sallie Kemper.
2. John,<sup>4</sup> born December 24, 1776; married Mary Grubb.
3. Jacob,<sup>4</sup> born January 25, 1779; married Elizabeth Johnson.
4. Deborah,<sup>4</sup> born January 20, 1782; married, February 14, 1802, John Zieber (they were first cousins). See Philip<sup>2</sup> Markley (Jacob<sup>1</sup>).
5. Hannah,<sup>4</sup> born February 25, 1785; married John Krupp.
6. Maria,<sup>4</sup> born September 1, 1788; married Isaac Detterer.
7. Sarah,<sup>4</sup> born March 2, 1791; married Lewis Ghriskey.
8. Susanna,<sup>4</sup> born September 26, 1793; married David Freed; resides in Philadelphia.
9. Elizabeth,<sup>4</sup> born December 27, 1796; died January 13, 1797.
10. Lydia,<sup>4</sup> born September 29, 1799; married Samuel Hoffman.

**Daniel<sup>3</sup> Markley** (*Philip<sup>2</sup> Jacob<sup>1</sup>*).—Born October 3, 1755; married Elizabeth Magee, widow of John Magee; died March 2, 1817. His widow died April 12, 1823. They are entombed at St. James' Episcopal Church, Evansburg. He was an extremely portly man, weighing four hundred pounds.

By his father's will, Daniel Markley came in possession of a plantation, partly in Providence township and partly in Perkiomen and Skippack township, containing 100 acres with a grist mill thereon. April 6, 1793, he pur-

chased 94 acres 54 perches in Tredyffrin township, Chester county, and moved thereon. From 1797 to 1804 he was a storekeeper in Tredyffrin township; he continued to reside there, retaining several farm properties, until 1816. He died in Philadelphia, leaving an estate of about \$15,000.

Elizabeth Markley, widow of Daniel Markley, also died in Philadelphia.

ISSUE:

1. Sarah,<sup>4</sup> married Charles S. Thatcher.
2. Anna,<sup>4</sup> born June 24, 1795; married James Hunt.
3. Nathaniel,<sup>4</sup> died June 29, 1817, aged 32 years 10 months; is buried at St. James' Episcopal Church, Evansburg. He was set up in the carrying business by his father; also in storekeeping. In 1814 he was a private in Capt. John G. Wersler's company of Chester County Militia.

John<sup>3</sup> Markley (*Philip*,<sup>2</sup> *Jacob*<sup>1</sup>). Born December 8, 1764; married (first), December 31, 1785, Elizabeth Schwenck, daughter of George and Veronica Schwenck, of Frederick township; married (second), February 7, 1822, Mrs. Elizabeth Henderson (maiden name Phillipson), widow of William Henderson; died July 28, 1834; is buried at St. John's Lutheran Church, Centre Square. Elizabeth (Schwenck) Markley was born December 31, 1766; died September 5, 1804; is buried at St. John's Lutheran Church, Centre Square. Elizabeth (Henderson) Markley was born September 3, 1769; died March 24, 1849; is buried at St. John's Episcopal Church, Norristown.

By his father's will, in 1800 John Markley came in possession of a plantation of 47 acres, with tanyard

thereon, lying in Norriton township, in the lower portion of the present borough of Norristown. He was before this date, however, a man of considerable prominence, having been in 1798 chosen sheriff of the county, and in 1800 collector of liquor taxes.

John Markley was a member and supporter of St. John's Lutheran Church, at Centre Square. He contributed £20 towards paying for the organ which was purchased for it, and which was dedicated September 8, 1799.

ISSUE BY FIRST WIFE, ELIZABETH SCHWENCK :

1. Susanna,<sup>1</sup> born June 12, 1786; died September 29, 1794.
2. Samuel,<sup>1</sup> born November 1, 1787; married Mary Harper.
3. Philip S.,<sup>1</sup> born July 2, 1789; married Mrs. Helen Plumstead.
4. George,<sup>1</sup> born December 4, 1791; died March 28, 1796.
5. Molly,<sup>1</sup> born March 15, 1793; died March 30, 1796.
6. Betsy,<sup>1</sup> born January 8, 1796; died, unmarried, June 28, 1862.
7. Hannah,<sup>1</sup> born April 29, 1797; married, December 8, 1813, Bryan Drum; died January 11, 1821.
8. John,<sup>1</sup> born August 5, 1799; died December 7, 1814.
9. Sally,<sup>1</sup> born January 25, 1801; married, July 9, 1822, Rev. Richard U. Morgan; died October 17, 1859.
10. Mary,<sup>1</sup> born March 19, 1802; married, July 1, 1841, John Boyer; died February 27, 1858. John Boyer died March 12, 1865, aged 75 years one day. Both are buried at St. John's Episcopal Church, Norristown.
11. Hetty,<sup>1</sup> born August 20, 1803; died, unmarried, March 21, 1859.

**George<sup>3</sup> Markley** (*Isaac<sup>2</sup> Jacob<sup>1</sup>*). Born in November, 1755; resided in the neighborhood of North Wales; died September 19, 1816.

ISSUE:

1. Isaac,<sup>1</sup> born 1776; married Eve ———.

2. Abraham,<sup>4</sup> lived near the line of Montgomery and Bucks counties.
3. Jacob,<sup>4</sup> married Rachel Sorber.
4. Levi,<sup>4</sup> born 1787; married ——— Atherholt.
5. Daniel,<sup>4</sup> lived in Ohio; had a son.
6. John,<sup>4</sup> moved to Battle Creek, Mich.; married there; had:
  - 1, George; 2, ——— (daughter).
7. George,<sup>4</sup> twin brother to Henry, born 1791; married ——— Ruth.
8. Henry,<sup>4</sup> died, unmarried, at the age of 60, and is buried at Brick Church, near Colmar.
9. Catharine,<sup>4</sup> married ——— Megargee. Issue: 1, Samuel; 2, Jacob; 3, George; 4, Harriet, married ——— Hines.
10. Elizabeth,<sup>4</sup> married ——— Weaver. Issue: 1, George; 2, Emmeline; 3, Jacob; 4, John.
11. Joseph,<sup>4</sup> lived and died in Philadelphia.
12. Sarah,<sup>4</sup> married ——— Garner; died May 4, 1868, aged 68 years. Issue: 1, George; 2, Eliza; 3, Maria; 4, Sarah; 5, Priscilla; 6, John; 7, Joseph; 8, Levi.

Henry<sup>3</sup> Markley (*Isaac*,<sup>2</sup> *Jacob*<sup>1</sup>). Born July 17, 1759; married Elizabeth Rühl; died October 26, 1828. Elizabeth Rühl was born September 2, 1759; died April 22, 1845. Both are buried at Lower Salford Mennonite graveyard.

Henry Markley was a resident of Lower Salford township. His estate was settled by Abraham Benner, who was appointed administrator, November 22, 1828.

ISSUE:

1. Sarah,<sup>4</sup> born January 8, 1878; married Abraham Benner; died May 24, 1847. Abraham Benner was born January 14, 1779; died August 11, 1829. Both are buried at Lower Salford Mennonite meeting-house. Issue: Sarah Markley, who is wife of Jacob J. Markley, of East Perkiomen township.

Abraham<sup>3</sup> Markley (*Isaac<sup>2</sup> Jacob<sup>1</sup>*). Born August 1, 1764; married Elizabeth Boganer; died September 25, 1829. Elizabeth Boganer was born August 23, 1779; died April 5, 1830. They are buried at Lower Salford Mennonite meeting-house.

Abraham Markley was a saddler by occupation, and a resident of Upper Salford township. He made a will, September 22, 1829, naming Martin Markley, his son, and Isaac Holterman, as executors.

ISSUE:

1. Elizabeth,<sup>4</sup> born January 26, 1795.
2. Sarah,<sup>4</sup> born July 18, 1796; died January 29, 1830.
3. Samuel,<sup>4</sup> born December 5, 1798; died March 28, 1868.
4. Martin,<sup>4</sup> born February 9, 1801.
5. Isaac,<sup>4</sup> born January 17, 1803; died, unmarried, May 1, 1837.
6. Abraham,<sup>4</sup> born June 7, 1805; died May 25, 1813.
7. Mary,<sup>4</sup> born May 14, 1807; died July 30, 1838.
8. Eli,<sup>4</sup> born November 27, 1809; died, unmarried, March 24, 1837.
9. Catharine,<sup>4</sup> born March 12, 1812; married ——— Kolb; died February 11, 1859.
10. Joel,<sup>4</sup>
11. Jonas,<sup>4</sup> born April 25, 1818.
12. Abraham,<sup>4</sup> born October 6, 1822; died, unmarried, October 18, 1843.

Isaac<sup>4</sup> Markley (*Isaac<sup>3</sup> Abraham<sup>2</sup> Jacob<sup>1</sup>*). Born April 13, 1773; married, April 7, 1795, Mary Heiser; died October 17, 1817. In 1810, Isaac Markley purchased 104 acres of land in Coventry township, Chester

county, which he held until 1812. He was an innkeeper in Norriton township, where Jeffersonville now stands.

ISSUE :

1. Abraham,<sup>5</sup> born June 3, 1796 ; married, May 19, 1817, Mary Ann Darrah, daughter of Archibald Darrah ; died February 14, 1872, in Norristown ; is buried at Montgomery cemetery. He came from Jeffersonville, in 1837, to Norristown ; kept the Washington House, and afterwards the Montgomery House until 1852 ; was superintendent of the Norristown Insurance and Water Company, and of the Norristown Gas Works. He was also borough treasurer for many years. In all these relations he exhibited fidelity, ability, and discretion. Issue :
  1. Sarah D., married Hon. E. L. Acker ; resides at Norristown.
  2. Isaac, married Fannie Comfort ; resides in the West.
  3. Rebecca D., married Charles P. Harry, D.D.S. ; resides at Norristown.
  4. Samuel, married Harriet Potts ; resides at Norristown.
  5. A. Thomson, married Elizabeth M. Koplin ; resides in Philadelphia.
2. Samuel,<sup>5</sup> born January 14, 1798 ; married Eleanor Saylor ; died in November, 1849, in Norriton township.
3. Lydia,<sup>5</sup> born September 9, 1799 ; married John Lehman.
4. Frederick,<sup>5</sup> born April 7, 1801 ; married Susanna Casselberry ; died August 9, 1853, at Roxborough ; buried at Barren Hill Lutheran Church. His wife died May 31, 1881, aged 76 years, 4 months, 26 days ; buried beside her husband. He resided at Roxborough many years. Issue :
  1. John Andrew, resides at Roxborough.
  2. Edwin, resides at Germantown.
  3. William, deceased.
  4. August, died April 3, 1878, aged 44 years, 4 months, 16 days.
  5. Elizabeth, born April 20, 1836 ; married Amos E. Brown ; died May 15, 1877.
5. Sarah,<sup>5</sup> born April 2, 1803.
6. Isaac,<sup>5</sup> born February 4, 1805 ; married, October 11, 1829, Lydia Williams ; died, April 9, 1875, at Norristown ; buried at



Barren Hill Lutheran Church. Issue: 1. David B. 2. Sophia. 3. Winfield Scott. 4. Levi.

7. Elizabeth,<sup>5</sup> born ——— 1807.
8. Mary,<sup>5</sup> married Charles McClennin; died ——— 1872, at Norristown.
9. John,<sup>5</sup> born ——— 1812.

**Jonah<sup>4</sup> Markley** (*Benjamin,<sup>3</sup> Abraham,<sup>2</sup> Jacob<sup>1</sup>*). Born in New Hanover township; married, November 18, 1804, Maria Freed.

ISSUE:

1. Maria,<sup>5</sup> born January 16, 1806.
2. Margaret,<sup>5</sup> born August 19, 1807
3. Joshua.<sup>5</sup>

**Andrew<sup>4</sup> Markley** (*John,<sup>3</sup> Abraham,<sup>2</sup> Jacob<sup>1</sup>*). Born July 5, 1789; married, November 2, 1820, Elizabeth Stetler; died March 6, 1872. Elizabeth (Stetler) Markley was born January 25, 1803, and died August 1, 1880.

Andrew Markley was a farmer, owning the excellent farm occupied before him by his father, in New Hanover township.

ISSUE:

1. Sophia,<sup>5</sup> married James Barlow.
2. William,<sup>5</sup> born November 2, 1824; died, unmarried, November 28, 1870, in Westmoreland county; buried at New Hanover Lutheran churchyard.
3. James,<sup>5</sup> born August 31, 1827; married Esther Geist; died September 18, 1866. Issue: 1. Elizabeth, married Nathaniel Siesholtz. 2. John. 3. Henry. 4. Mary.
4. Richard S.,<sup>5</sup> married Sophia Kehl; resides in Upper Hanover township. Issue: 1. Andrew. 2. Kehl. 3. Ella. 4. Naomi. 5. Richard. 6. Bertha. 7. Asa Packer.
5. Susan,<sup>5</sup> married William Scheffy.
6. Elizabeth,<sup>5</sup> born September 3, 1838; died October 21, 1841.

**Benjamin<sup>4</sup> Markley** (*John,<sup>3</sup> Abraham,<sup>2</sup> Jacob<sup>1</sup>*). Born September 7, 1800; married Susanna Huber; died September 23, 1873, in Reading; is buried in Charles Evans cemetery.

ISSUE:

1. Augustus G.,<sup>5</sup> married Charlotte Bertolet; resides at Collegeville. Issue:
  1. Abraham B., born April 2, 1855; married Mary L. Hunsicker; is a clergyman of the Lutheran denomination; settled at Millersville, Lancaster county, Pa.
  2. Daniel B., born November 15, 1860; died March 13, 1882, near Fagleysville. He was a graduate of Ursinus College of the class of '79, and a student at the Lutheran Theological Seminary, Philadelphia, within a few months of finishing his course, and entering the ministry. "Mr. Markley was a young man in whose life the Christian graces were exemplified"
2. Stephen H.,<sup>5</sup> married Kate Russel; resides in Philadelphia.
3. Benjamin H.,<sup>5</sup> married Sarah Gerhard; resides at Reading, Pa. Issue: 1. Octavia, died young. 2. Aquila. 3. Susan, died young. 4. Elmer.
4. Elizabeth.<sup>5</sup>

**Philip<sup>4</sup> Markley** (*Jacob,<sup>3</sup> Philip,<sup>2</sup> Jacob<sup>1</sup>*). Born November 10, 1773; married Sally Kemper; died February 6, 1845, in East Perkiomen township.

ISSUE:

1. Abraham.<sup>5</sup>
2. Jacob K.,<sup>5</sup> born April 14, 1804; married Kate Moyer; resides in Perkiomen township. Issue:
  1. Benjamin M., born October 10, 1828; married Mary Hunsicker.
  2. Anna, married Enos Hunsicker; resides in Germantown, Pa. Had: Kate, Eugene, Sallie, and

- Bessie. 3. Jessie, born July 17, 1832; died April 10, 1839; buried at Skippack Mennonite meeting-house. 4. Samuel, married Mary Landis. 5. Philip, married Mary Rosenberger. 6. Mary. 7. Jacob, married Sarah Moyer. 8. Elizabeth, born June 19, 1842; died May 19, 1881; buried at Dunker meeting-house, Skippack. 9. Kate. 10. James, married Emma Moyer; resides in Towamencin township. 11. Davis, married Ella Godshall.
3. Philip K.,<sup>5</sup> born May 15, 1821; died May 25, 1881, in East Perkiomen township.
4. Mary.<sup>5</sup>  
 5. Sally.<sup>5</sup>  
 6. Lydia.<sup>5</sup>  
 7. Nancy.<sup>5</sup>  
 8. Deborah.<sup>5</sup>

John<sup>4</sup> Markley (*Jacob,<sup>5</sup> Philip,<sup>2</sup> Jacob<sup>1</sup>*). Born December 24, 1776; married Mary Grubb; died January 30, 1862.

ISSUE:

1. Joseph.<sup>5</sup>  
 2. Jacob.<sup>5</sup>  
 3. John,<sup>5</sup> married Ann Jemima Stauffer; resides in Frederick township. Issue. 1. Henry S., married Helen M. Zieber. 2. Josiah S. 3. Sarah, married Abraham Allebaugh. 4. ——— (daughter).  
 4. Philip,<sup>5</sup> married Lydia Wile, December 22, 1844. Issue: 1. Mary, married Abel Karr. 2. John, married Hetty Allebach. 3. Deborah, married Abraham Kolb. 4. Benjamin, married Margaret Kolb. 5. Philip, married Hetty Buzzard; died 1881. 6. Jacob. 7. Lydia Ann, married Michael Allebach.  
 5. Nanny,<sup>5</sup> married ——— Moyer.  
 6. Polly,<sup>5</sup> married ——— Tyson.  
 7. Elizabeth,<sup>5</sup> married Jacob Groff.  
 8. Deborah.<sup>5</sup> married ——— Rittenhouse.

**Jacob<sup>4</sup> Markley** (*Jacob,<sup>3</sup> Philip,<sup>2</sup> Jacob<sup>1</sup>*). Born January 25, 1779; married Elizabeth Johnson; died March 24, 1874.

ISSUE:

1. Benjamin J.,<sup>5</sup> married Mary Hunsicker; died in 1879. His wife was born September 3, 1814; died July 16, 1869. Issue: 1. Elizabeth H., married John Johnson. 2. Mary H., born July 30, 1837; died July 6, 1859. 3. Henry H., born January 21, 1840; died August 29, 1842. 4. Catharine. 5. Susanna H., married Philip Davis. 6. Jacob H., married ——— Herbster.
2. Jacob J.,<sup>5</sup> married Sarah Markley Benner; resides in East Perkiomen township. Issue: 1. Deborah Ann, married John Alderfer. 2. Josiah, married Sarah Alderfer. 3. Elizabeth B., married Henry Hunsberger. 4. Jacob B. 5. Sarah B., born February 18, 1862; died May 28, 1864.
3. Mary,<sup>5</sup> married Joseph Fretz; resides near Line Lexington.
4. Hannah,<sup>5</sup> married Jacob Harley; resides in Lower Providence township.
5. Elizabeth,<sup>5</sup> married Abraham Stauffer; resides at Grater's Ford.
6. Lydia,<sup>5</sup> married Joseph Moyer; died in Lower Salford township, about 1860.

**Samuel<sup>4</sup> Markley** (*John,<sup>3</sup> Philip,<sup>2</sup> Jacob<sup>1</sup>*). Born November 1, 1789; married Mary Harper, of Chester county; died March 25, 1829, at Norristown. Mary Harper Markley was born September 27, 1797.

Samuel Markley took the tannery of his father in Norristown. He suffered from poor health for some years.

ISSUE:

1. John<sup>5</sup> married Elizabeth Holt, of Doe Run, Chester county; learned the trade of a machinist, and worked upon loco-

motive engines at the very start of railroading; was engineer on the Philadelphia and Germantown railroad many years, beginning about the opening of that road; resides at Germantown, Pa.

2. Ann H.<sup>5</sup> born ———; married Samuel F. Hartman; died June, 1862. Issue: 1. John Markley; 2. Mary; 3. Kate, married J. Evans Isett, of Norristown.
3. Elizabeth S.<sup>5</sup> married Charles Lewis of Norristown. Children: 1. Wm. H; 2. S. Markley; 3. Taylor; 4. Mary.
4. Hetty,<sup>5</sup> married Isaac Lewis. Children: 1. George; 2. Ann; 3. Bertha; 4. Laura; 5. Lane; 6. John; 7. Charles.

**Hon. Philip S.<sup>4</sup> Markley** (*John,<sup>3</sup> Philip,<sup>2</sup> Jacob<sup>1</sup>*). Born July 2, 1789; married Mrs. Anna Helen A. Plumstead; died September 12, 1834; is buried at St. John's Episcopal Church, Norristown. His widow died in 1846, in Philadelphia.

Mr. Markley became a member of the bar of Montgomery county, in 1810. He soon was drawn into politics. On July 4, 1814, at a celebration by the Democratic Republican citizens held at the house of Isaac Markley, Jeffersonville, he delivered an oration which was published in the Weekly Register of July 20, 1814.

From 1819 to 1824 he was in the State Senate. In 1823 he was elected to Congress. On Tuesday, December 2, 1823, he appeared, produced his credentials, was qualified, and took his seat as a member of the House of Representatives. In 1825 he was re-elected. On Thursday, March 3, 1825, in the House of Representatives, on motion of Mr. Markley, of Pennsylvania, it was

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“ *Resolved*, that the thanks of this House be presented to Henry Clay for the able, impartial and dignified manner in which he has presided over its deliberations, and performed the arduous and unpleasant duties of the chair, during the present session of Congress.”

The Presidential election of 1824 was marked by extraordinary excitement. The candidates were John Quincy Adams, Clay, Crawford and Jackson. The election was thrown into the House. Mr. Markley, then a member of Congress and at the seat of government during the winter of 1824-'25, bore a conspicuous part in the controversies and movements of national politics of that period. Mr. Adams was elected President. Two years later, and more, Mr. Buchanan wrote a letter in which he details the substance of a conversation held December, 1824, between himself and Mr. Markley on the question of the election of a President by the House. To this Mr. Markley, under date of October 30, 1827, replied in a letter which was published in the leading political papers of the country. It filled four columns of solid type, and its perusal furnishes much light upon the complicated politics of that day. He says, in contradiction to a charge made against him: “It has repeatedly been stated, that I was the agent, or as Major Eaton is pleased to say, ‘the negotiator,’ of Mr. Clay, authorized to make propositions, or ask a pledge, of a conditional character, for the vote of Mr. Clay and his friends. I do now solemnly and positively declare, that the charge and insinuation are void of truth.”

Exception having been taken to his offer of a resolu-

tion of thanks to Henry Clay upon retiring from the Speaker's chair in 1825, Mr. Markley used the following pungent language in vindication of himself:

“I offered the resolution because I thought he eminently deserved it. Mr. Clay, I thought, had been unjustly and undeservedly assailed for an honest difference of opinion, and it was painful to see a man, who had raised himself by his own talents and exertions to be one of the most distinguished statesmen and orators of the age; one who in war or in peace had never abandoned his country, but always stood firmly by her, defending, by the powers of his gigantic mind and powerful eloquence, her rights, and boldly proclaiming her true policy; that such a man should be unthanked when about to retire from the Speaker's chair, of a body of which I had the honor to be a member, did not comport with my feeling, or sense of right and wrong.”

In 1829, Mr. Markley was appointed to the office of Attorney General of the State. He was, also, Naval Officer at Philadelphia.

Philip S. Markley was a man of full habit, florid complexion, and courteous manner. He was a man, as is shown by his successful, though short, career, of extraordinary ability. Had he lived, there can be no doubt that he would have held a high and honorable rank among our country's great men. He died suddenly of apoplexy.

#### ISSUE:

1. Elizabeth,<sup>5</sup> died in Philadelphia.
2. Jane,<sup>5</sup> died in Philadelphia.

Isaac<sup>4</sup> Markley (*George*,<sup>3</sup> *Isaac*,<sup>2</sup> *Jacob*<sup>1</sup>). Born ——— 1776; married Eve ———; died July 29, 1861, at Dana Street, above Front, Philadelphia; is buried at United Order of American Mechanics' cemetery. Eve Markley, died September 11, 1847, in the 72d year of her age; and is buried with her husband.

July 16, 1809, and August 17, 1810, he purchased lots on Poplar Lane, between Third and St. John Streets; February 14, 1812, he sold one of these. August 2, 1826, he bought two houses on Apple Street; in the deed his occupation is given as "whitesmith." His occupation for many years before his death was that of carter. He was connected with Salem's German Reformed Church, St. John Street, below Green; he was afterwards one of the members of Zion's Reformed Church, Sixth Street, above Girard Avenue, organized 1853. He was an elder in the Church; president of the Church Board, and a liberal contributor to the building fund of the last-named congregation.

ISSUE:

1. Benjamin,<sup>5</sup> born ———; married Sarah Bumbaugh; lived in Philadelphia; was a coach trimmer; died January ——— 1871; is buried, as is also his wife, at Mechanics' cemetery. Issue: Emmeline, who resides in Philadelphia.
2. George,<sup>5</sup> was a stone-mason; lived in Philadelphia; married (first) ——— Amey; married (second), Susan Strunk. Issue: Salina, married (first), Samuel Winnemore; married (second), ———; resides Rising Sun.

Abraham<sup>3</sup> Markley (*George*,<sup>3</sup> *Isaac*,<sup>2</sup> *Jacob*<sup>1</sup>).

ISSUE:

1. Ann,<sup>5</sup> married (first) ——— Thomas; married (second) Samuel Thoman; resides near Springhouse; no issue.



2. Hannah,<sup>5</sup> married Samuel Rapp; resides in New Britain, Bucks county.
3. Eliza,<sup>5</sup> married; went to Ohio; deceased.
4. Samuel,<sup>5</sup> married February 18, 1841, Harriet Beam; no issue; died about 1882 at Norristown.
5. Abraham,<sup>5</sup> married Susan Hood; minister in the Methodist church; resides near Germantown. Issue: Elizabeth, married Wm. Land.

**Jacob<sup>4</sup> Markley** (*George,<sup>3</sup> Isaac,<sup>2</sup> Jacob<sup>1</sup>*). Married Rachel Sorber; resided in Philadelphia. He made his will March 6, 1857, which was probated April 23, 1857. In his will he directs that Eliza Morris, his daughter, shall have the portrait of her deceased brother, George W. Markley.

ISSUE:

1. Sarah Ann.<sup>5</sup>
2. John S.<sup>5</sup> born 1812; was grocer in Philadelphia; married Eliza ~~Collins~~; died 1857; buried at U. O. A. Mechanics' cemetery; had one daughter and two sons. He left an estate in Moreland township.
3. Josiah,<sup>5</sup> married (first), Eurie Medary, and had: 1. Burgess Medary. 2. Julia, married — Yerkes; married (second), — — —, and had no issue. Kept tavern at Hatfield.
4. George W.,<sup>5</sup> had cloth store in Philadelphia; died — — —; unmarried; buried at Laurel Hill cemetery.
5. Jacob,<sup>5</sup> born September, 11, 1819; resides in Philadelphia.
6. Simon S.,<sup>5</sup> married Margaret — — —; kept tavern at various places in Philadelphia and adjoining counties; then went West. Had: Charles, who died at age of 8.
7. Eliza,<sup>5</sup> wife of Henry Morris, who kept store at Willow Grove; had six children.
8. Benneville,<sup>5</sup> married — — —; died — — —; buried at Mechanics' cemetery, Philadelphia. Issue: Emma P.
9. William P.,<sup>5</sup> went to California.

Levi<sup>4</sup> Markley (*George*,<sup>3</sup> *Isaac*,<sup>2</sup> *Jacob*.<sup>1</sup>) Born 1787; married — Atherholt; died at the age of 77 years.

ISSUE:

1. George,<sup>5</sup> born October 9, 1809; married (first), November 28, 1833, Ann Halderman; married (second), Maria Hoover, widow; died June 3, 1833; is buried at Brick Church, near Colmar. He owned a farm of 63 acres near Colmar. Issue: 1. Amanda, married — Sellers. 2. Levi. 3. Mary Catharine, married — Hambright. 4. John B., married — Brand. 5. Eliza, married — Reiner. 6, 7. George and Nelson, twins. 8. Anna. 9. Rachel. 10. Sallie.
2. Christian,<sup>5</sup> born October 9, 1810; married, December 24, 1810, Sarah Swenk; died October 9, 1862. His wife died March 18, 1863. He had a farm of 120 acres in Gwynedd township, near North Wales. Issue: 1. Mary, married George W. Nyce; resides at Centre Point. 2. Lavina, married — Beaver; resides at Lansdale. 3. Levi, resides in Philadelphia. 4. Aaron, resides in Illinois. 5. George, resides in Indiana. 6. John Hassler, resides in Illinois. 7. Abel, resides in Illinois.
3. Abraham,<sup>5</sup> born October 28, 1811; married Jane Harrar; resides at Colmar, on a farm of 140 acres, known as Davis's farm. Issue:
  1. Olive, born December 31, 1840; died January 7, 1849.
  2. William, born September 20, 1842; died September 7, 1844.
  3. Wilia.
  4. Levi, born January 2, 1845; died September 26, 1861.
  5. Lemuel, born November 7, 1846; died January 7, 1849.
  6. Mary, born March 25, 1849; died May 21, 1850.
  7. John, married — Stempel.
  8. Isabella, born April 25, 1843; died August 27, 1861.
  9. David Todd, born January 27, 1856; died February 12, 1856.
  10. Elisha Kent Kane, married — Millman.
  11. Jamie, married — Kratz.
4. Mary Ann,<sup>5</sup> born August 17, 1813; married — Hartel.

5. Levi,<sup>5</sup> born September 26, 1817; removed to California; died and is buried there.
6. Eliza,<sup>5</sup> born January 7, 1820; married ——— Booz. Issue:  
1. Levi; 2. Frank; 3. Mary.

Daniel<sup>4</sup> Markley (*George,<sup>3</sup> Isaac,<sup>2</sup> Jacob<sup>1</sup>*). Married; removed to Ohio.

ISSUE:

—————,<sup>5</sup> a son.

John<sup>4</sup> Markley (*George,<sup>3</sup> Isaac,<sup>2</sup> Jacob<sup>1</sup>*). Migrated to Battle Creek, Mich.; married there.

ISSUE:

1. George,<sup>5</sup> resides in California.
2. ———.<sup>5</sup>

George<sup>4</sup> Markley (*George,<sup>3</sup> Isaac,<sup>2</sup> Jacob<sup>1</sup>*). Born 1791; was a twin brother to Henry; married ——— Ruth; died in 1847; is buried at Brick Church, Bucks county.

ISSUE:

1. Almira,<sup>5</sup> married ——— Fox; resides at Brooklyn, N. Y.
2. Mary.<sup>5</sup>
3. George,<sup>5</sup> resides in Columbus, O.
4. Henry,<sup>5</sup> died in Ohio.
5. Beanevill,<sup>5</sup> unmarried; died in Bucks county.

Henry<sup>4</sup> Markley (*George,<sup>3</sup> Isaac,<sup>2</sup> Jacob<sup>1</sup>*). Born 1791; unmarried; died at upwards of 60 years of age; is buried at Brick church, Bucks county.

**Joseph<sup>4</sup> Markley** (*George,<sup>3</sup> Isaac,<sup>2</sup> Jacob<sup>1</sup>*). Resided in Philadelphia and died there.

ISSUE:

1. John W.,<sup>5</sup> resides in Philadelphia; occupation, turner.
2. Oliver,<sup>5</sup> resides in Philadelphia.
3. Thomas,<sup>5</sup> resides in Frankford, Pa.
4. Elizabeth,<sup>5</sup> married ——— Snyder; resides near North Wales.
5. Emma,<sup>5</sup> married ——— Preston; resides in Philadelphia.
6. Sarah.<sup>5</sup>
7. Angelina.<sup>5</sup>
8. Anna,<sup>5</sup> died young.

**Martin<sup>4</sup> Markley** (*Abraham,<sup>3</sup> Isaac,<sup>2</sup> Jacob<sup>1</sup>*). Born February 9, 1801; died, unmarried, April 11, 1847, in Upper Salford township. He was a drover. He made a will February 23, 1847, directing his property to be divided among his brothers and sisters.

















