

## *Descendants of George Medley*

### *Generation No. 1*

1. GEORGE<sup>1</sup> MEDLEY was born in VA, and died Bef. 1840 in VA. He married SARAH JOHNSON September 07, 1787 in Franklin Co., VA, daughter of WILLIAM JOHNSON and SUSANNA MOOREMAN. She was born September 29, 1769 in Bedford Co., VA.

Notes for GEORGE MEDLEY:

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More About GEORGE MEDLEY and SARAH JOHNSON:

Marriage: September 07, 1787, Franklin Co., VA

Child of GEORGE MEDLEY and SARAH JOHNSON is:

2. i. GEORGE<sup>2</sup> MEDLEY, b. 1795, VA; d. January 1850, Jackson Co., TN.

### *Generation No. 2*

2. GEORGE<sup>2</sup> MEDLEY (*GEORGE<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1795 in VA, and died January 1850 in Jackson Co., TN. He married MARY "POLLY" HOWELL, daughter of WILLIAM HOWELL and ELIZABETH. She was born 1804 in VA.

Notes for MARY "POLLY" HOWELL:

1850 census 13th Civil Dist., Jackson Co., TN: Dwl: 221 - Mary Medley is head of household, 46 yrs. old, VA. Living in the household are: William, 24 yrs. old; Lewis, 23 yrs. old; Nancy, 13 yrs. old; George, 17 yrs. old; John, 9 yrs. old & James Medley, 6 yrs. old. All born in TN. Also living in the household, Nancy Julian, 25 yrs. old.

1860 census 11th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 1261 - Mary Medley is head of household, 55 yrs. old, VA. Children: William D. 35 yrs. old, TN & James H., 16 yrs. old, TN.

Children of GEORGE MEDLEY and MARY HOWELL are:

1. i. WILLIAM D.<sup>3</sup> MEDLEY, b. 1826, Jackson Co., TN; m. FRANCES COATNEY.
2. ii. LEWIS MEDLEY, b. 1827, Jackson Co., TN.
3. iii. ELIZABETH MEDLEY, b. 1829, Jackson Co., TN.
4. iv. GEORGE W. MEDLEY, b. November 12, 1832, Jackson Co., TN; d. March 06, 1916, Bloomington Springs, TN.
5. v. NANCY MEDLEY, b. 1837, Jackson Co., TN; m. JAMES HAROLD.
6. vi. JOHN B. MEDLEY, b. 1841, Jackson Co., TN; d. 1885, Jackson Co., TN.
7. vii. JAMES "JIM" H. MEDLEY, b. May 1844, Jackson Co., TN; d. 1901, Putnam Co., TN.

### *Generation No. 3*

3. LEWIS<sup>3</sup> MEDLEY (*GEORGE<sup>2</sup>, GEORGE<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1827 in Jackson Co., TN. He married MARY J. RUSSELL, daughter of JAMES RUSSELL and MARY HITCHCOCK. She was born Abt. 1837 in TN.

Notes for LEWIS MEDLEY:

MEDLEY -Dist. #13, PO Laurel Hill, Putnam Co., Tenn., July 30, 1860- 910/ 910

Lewis 35 M W Farmer 250 400 Tn

Mary J.	21	F	W	Tn
Thos. R.	5	M	W	Tn
Nancy A.	3	F	W	Tn
Rebecca	1	F	W	Tn

Children of LEWIS MEDLEY and MARY RUSSELL are:

- i. THOMAS R.<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY, b. 1854, TN; m. AMERICA POLLY THOMAS.
- ii. NANCY A. MEDLEY, b. 1857, TN; m. WILLIAM GOODMAN; b. 1848.
- iii. REBECCA MEDLEY, b. 1859, TN.
- iv. MARY MEDLEY, b. 1863; m. JOHN D. WEBB, October 13, 1880.

More About JOHN WEBB and MARY MEDLEY:  
Marriage: October 13, 1880

- v. TENNESSEE MEDLEY, b. 1865.
- vi. WILLIAM S. MEDLEY, b. 1868.
- vii. MARTHA A. MEDLEY, b. July 1872; m. ALBERT S. CHATMAN; b. 1866.

4. ELIZABETH<sup>3</sup> MEDLEY (*GEORGE<sup>2</sup>, GEORGE<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1829 in Jackson Co., TN. She married JAMES MAYNARD, son of JOHN MAYNARD and SARAH. He was born 1819.

Children of ELIZABETH MEDLEY and JAMES MAYNARD are:

- i. JOHN II<sup>4</sup> MAYNARD.
- ii. WILLIAM H. MAYNARD.

5. GEORGE W.<sup>3</sup> MEDLEY (*GEORGE<sup>2</sup>, GEORGE<sup>1</sup>*) was born November 12, 1832 in Jackson Co., TN, and died March 06, 1916 in Bloomington Springs, TN. He married (1) AMANDA D. SMITH, daughter of THOMAS SMITH and MATILDA PUCKETT. She was born April 09, 1835 in TN, and died April 30, 1892 in DeKalb Co., TN. He married (2) FANNIE CHILDRESS March 09, 1893 in Putnam Co., TN. She was born December 1849. He married (3) SARAH GARNER Aft. 1896 in DeKalb Co., TN. She died 1915.

Notes for GEORGE W. MEDLEY:

Census Place: 1860 District 8, Smithville, De Kalb Co., Tennessee  
Dwl: 863 Family: 851

George W. Medley Head 27 M W (value of real estate, 1,500) (value of personal estate, 1,000) Farmer TN  
Amanda Medley Wife 25 F W Housekeeping TN  
James S. Medley 6 M W TN  
Pinckney Medley 5 M W TN  
William R. Medley 2 M W TN  
Alvin Smith 21 M W (value of personal estate, 350) Farmer TN

Census Place: 1870 District 8, Laurel Hill, De Kalb Co., Tennessee

Dwl: 6 Family: 6

George W. Medley Head 37 M W (value of real estate, 1,000) (value of personal estate, 1,000) TN  
Amanda Medley Wife 35 F W Housekeeping TN  
James S. Medley 16 M W TN  
Pinckney Medley 15 M W TN  
William R. Medley 12 M W TN  
Napoleon B. Medley 10 M W TN  
George W. Medley 7 M W TN  
Alvin Medley 5 M W TN  
John A. Medley 3 M W TN  
Octavo Medley 1 F W TN

Census Place: 1880 District 8, De Kalb Co., Tennessee

Source: FHL Film 1255252 National Archives Film T9-1252 Page 176D

RelationSex Marr Race AgeBirthplace

G. W. MEDLEY SelfM M W 52 TN

Occ: Farming Fa: VA Mo: VA  
Amanda MEDLEY Wife F M W 45 TN  
Occ: Keeps House Fa: TN Mo: TN  
George MEDLEY Son M S W 16 TN  
Occ: Farm Labor Fa: TN Mo: TN  
Alvin MEDLEY Son M S W 15 TN  
Occ: Farm Labor Fa: TN Mo: TN  
John MEDLEY Son M S W 13 TN  
Occ: Farm Labor Fa: TN Mo: TN  
Octava F. MEDLEY Dau F S W 11 TN  
Fa: TN Mo: TN  
Laverna MEDLEY Dau F S W 5 TN  
Occ: At Home Fa: TN Mo: TN  
Collumbus MEDLEY Son M S W 2 TN  
Fa: TN Mo: TN

Census Place: 1900 13th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 9 Family: 9

Columbus Medley Head 21 M W January 1878 Widow Farm Laborer TN TN TN

Wiley H. Son 2 M W February 1898 Single TN TN TN

George W. Medley Father 63 M W November 1836 Widow Landlord TN TN VA

Matilda C. Sybert 43 F W November 1856 Widow (7 children born, 3 children living) Housekeeper TN TN TN

Pearlie Sybert 12 F W March 1888 Single TN TN TN

Alfred Jones Brother-in-Law 25 M W February 1874 Married (2 yrs. md) Farmer TN TN TN

Lula M. Jones Sister 21 F W May 1879 Married (2 yrs. md) (1 child born, 0 child living) TN TN TN

Notes for AMANDA D. SMITH:

Arlee Medley Cemetery, DeKalb Co., TN, located, going from Silver Point, south on Maggart Ridge Road to Second Creek. The cemetery is near the end of the road at the bottom of a hill among several cabins.

More About AMANDA D. SMITH:

Burial: Arlee Medley Cemetery, DeKalb Co., TN

More About GEORGE MEDLEY and FANNIE CHILDRESS:

Marriage: March 09, 1893, Putnam Co., TN

Notes for SARAH GARNER:

Fanny Medley living in 1900 census next door to James H. Medley. She claims 3 children, a widow with grandson, Milton Coatney born April 1880 living with her.

More About GEORGE MEDLEY and SARAH GARNER:

Marriage: Aft. 1896, DeKalb Co., TN

Children of GEORGE MEDLEY and AMANDA SMITH are:

8. i. JAMES SIDNEY<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY, b. December 16, 1853, DeKalb Co., TN; d. June 16, 1943, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN.
9. ii. PINCKNEY MEDLEY, b. 1854; d. 1885.
10. iii. WILLIAM RILEY MEDLEY, b. December 22, 1857, DeKalb Co., TN; d. February 12, 1944, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN.
11. iv. NAPOLEON BONAPARTE MEDLEY, b. June 1860, Justin, TN; d. March 04, 1910, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN.
12. v. GEORGE WASHINGTON III MEDLEY, b. September 01, 1862, Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN; d. August 27, 1912, Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN.
13. vi. ALVIN C. SR. MEDLEY, b. October 16, 1864, DeKalb Co., TN; d. May 13, 1919, DeKalb Co., TN.
14. vii. JOHN ALEXANDER MEDLEY, b. December 20, 1866, DeKalb Co., TN; d. May 13, 1916, Silver Point, TN.

- 15.   viii. OCTAVIA "TAVIE" FLORENCE MEDLEY, b. February 24, 1869, Putnam Co., TN; d. February 16, 1957, TN.
- ix. ROXIE MEDLEY, b. 1873.
- 16.   x. MELVINA LAVERNA MEDLEY, b. 1875, DeKalb Co., TN; d. 1943, Putnam Co., TN.
- 17.   xi. CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS MEDLEY, b. January 06, 1878, DeKalb Co., TN; d. August 19, 1961.

Child of GEORGE MEDLEY and FANNIE CHILDRESS is:

- xii. CLARENCE<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY, b. 1893.

Notes for CLARENCE MEDLEY:

Died at a young age.

**6.** JOHN B.<sup>3</sup> MEDLEY (*GEORGE*<sup>2</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>1</sup>) was born 1841 in Jackson Co., TN, and died 1885 in Jackson Co., TN. He married (1) MARY A.. She was born January 1844 in TN. He married (2) SUSAN ANGE TUCKER Abt. 1858 in Jackson Co., TN. She was born 1837 in TN, and died in TN.

Notes for JOHN B. MEDLEY:

Source: Putnam County Tennessee Cemeteries by Maurine Ensor Patton & Doris Garrison Gilbert, pg. 358:  
John Medley Sr. - b. ca. 1839, buried in the George Medley graveyard, Putnam Co., TN.

1870 census 11th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 4 - John Medley is head of household, 31 yrs. old, TN md to Susan, 28 yrs. old, TN. Children: George, 11 yrs. old; Josiah, 8 yrs. old; Liza L., 6 yrs. old & John Medley, 2 yrs. old. All born in TN.

More About JOHN B. MEDLEY:

Burial: George Medley graveyard, Putnam Co., TN

Notes for SUSAN ANGE TUCKER:

Source: Putnam County Tennessee Cemeteries by Maurine Ensor Patton & Doris Garrison Gilbert, pg. 358:  
Susan Medley, w/o John Medley - nee Tucker, b. ca. 1842, buried in the George Medley graveyard, Putnam Co., TN.

More About SUSAN ANGE TUCKER:

Burial: George Medley graveyard, Putnam Co., TN

More About JOHN MEDLEY and SUSAN TUCKER:

Marriage: Abt. 1858, Jackson Co., TN

Children of JOHN MEDLEY and MARY A. are:

- i. RUFUS EDWARD<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY, b. December 25, 1867, Newark, Independence Co., AR.
- ii. MATTY C. MEDLEY, b. 1871, AR.
- iii. SOPHIA E. MEDLEY, b. 1875, AR.
- iv. ROBERT HUBERT MEDLEY, b. 1879, AR.
- v. JUNE J. MEDLEY, b. 1882, AR.
- vi. MALCOLM MEDLEY, b. 1885, AR.

Children of JOHN MEDLEY and SUSAN TUCKER are:

- 18.   vii. GEORGE W.<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY, b. July 25, 1859, Jackson Co., TN; d. February 19, 1935, Putnam Co., TN.
- viii. JOSIAH MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1859, Jackson Co., TN.
- ix. ELIZA L. MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1864, Jackson Co., TN; d. June 16, 1944.

Notes for ELIZA L. MEDLEY:

DC #13136, 11th Civil Dist., Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN: Eliza Medley, d. 16 June 1944. Father: John Medley - Mother: Susan. Cause of Death: Acute Gastritis. Attended by: E. D. Gross, M. D., Chestnut Mound, TN. Informant: Mrs. Mary Russell, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN. Undertaker: J. L. Bass Funeral Home, Gordonsville, TN. Registrar: Van D. Nunally. Buried: Family Cemetery, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN.

More About ELIZA L. MEDLEY:

Burial: George Medley graveyard, Putnam Co., TN

- x. JOHN ALEXANDER MEDLEY, b. December 20, 1866, Jackson Co., TN; d. May 13, 1916, Putnam Co., TN; m. (1) FRANCIS JUDITH ANDERSON, Abt. 1884, Jackson Co., TN; b. October 12, 1864, Jackson Co., TN; m. (2) SUDIE WILLIAMS, September 19, 1889, DeKalb Co., TN.

More About JOHN MEDLEY and FRANCIS ANDERSON:  
Marriage: Abt. 1884, Jackson Co., TN

More About JOHN MEDLEY and SUDIE WILLIAMS:  
Marriage: September 19, 1889, DeKalb Co., TN

- xi. WILLIAM BLACKSTONE MEDLEY, b. 1875, Jackson Co., TN; d. January 27, 1935, Putnam Co., TN.

Notes for WILLIAM BLACKSTONE MEDLEY:  
Putnam Co., Death Cert. #1486 shows mother as Susan Ange.

- xii. JAMES MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1877, Jackson Co., TN.
- xiii. MARY FRANCES MEDLEY, b. 1879, Jackson Co., TN; m. JOHN WILLIAM DECKER RUSSELL.

7. JAMES "JIM" H.<sup>3</sup> MEDLEY (*GEORGE*<sup>2</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>1</sup>) was born May 1844 in Jackson Co., TN, and died 1901 in Putnam Co., TN. He married (1) MARY TUCKER. He married (2) MARTHA ANN BUTLER. She was born October 1844 in VA, and died 1899.

Notes for JAMES "JIM" H. MEDLEY:

Source: Putnam County Tennessee Cemeteries by Maurine Ensor Patton & Doris Garrison Gilbert, pg. 358: Jim Medley, b. ca. 1846 - d. 1901, h/o Mary and Martha Ann.

1870 census 11th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 6 - James Medley is head of household, 24 yrs. old, TN md to Martha, 29 yrs. old, VA. Chidlren: Mary S., 6 yrs. old, TN & William C. Medley, 0 yrs. old, b. 8/12 September. Living in the household: Licidda Vaughn, 8 yrs. old, TN.

Census Place: 1880 District 11, Dwl: 110, Putnam Co., Tennessee

Source: FHL Film 1255275 National Archives Film T9-1275 Page 166D

	Relation	Sex	Marr	Race	Age	Birthplace
James MEDLEY	Self	M	M	W	38	TN
	Occ:	Farmer	Fa:	MO	Mo:	VA
Martha A. MEDLEY	Wife	F	M	W	37	TN
	Occ:	Keeping House	Fa:	NC	Mo:	NC
Mary MEDLEY	Dau	F	S	W	15	TN
	Occ:	At Home	Fa:	TN	Mo:	TN
William C. MEDLEY	Son	M	S	W	10	TN
	Fa:	TN	Mo:	TN		
James H. MEDLEY	Son	M	S	W	9	TN
	Fa:	TN	Mo:	TN		
Tennessee MEDLEY	Dau	F	S	W	6	TN
	Fa:	TN	Mo:	TN		
Martha MEDLEY	Dau	F	S	W	4	TN
	Fa:	TN	Mo:	TN		
John MEDLEY	Son	M	S	W	6	M TN
	Fa:	TN	Mo:	TN		
Licity VAUGHN	SDau	F	S	W	17	TN
	Occ:	At Home	Fa:	TN	Mo:	TN

1900 census 11th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 88 - James Medley, 57 yrs. old, b. May 1843, TN is head of household md 31 yrs. to Martha A., 55 yrs. old, b. October 1844, TN. Children: Martha, 25 yrs. old, b. February 1875; Eliza, 23 yrs. old, b. March 1877; John, 20 yrs. old, b. December 1879 & Robert Bradley, 18 yrs. old, b. April 1882. All born in TN.

1910 census 11th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 154 - Robert Bradley Medley is head of household, 27 yrs. old, TN md 4 yrs. to Mary E. "Fannie", 21 yrs. old, TN, 2 children born, 2 children living. Children: Lela M., 3 yrs. old, TN & Donie, dau., 1 7/12 yrs. old, TN).

(1930 census 11th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 161 - R. B. Medley is head of household, 47 yrs. old, TN (16 yrs. old, 1st marriage) md to Mary, 46 yrs. old, TN (16 yrs. old, 1st marriage).

More About JAMES "JIM" H. MEDLEY:

Burial: George Medley graveyard, Putnam Co., TN

More About MARY TUCKER:

Burial: George Medley graveyard, Putnam Co., TN

More About MARTHA ANN BUTLER:

Burial: George Medley graveyard, Putnam Co., TN

Children of JAMES MEDLEY and MARTHA BUTLER are:

- i. MARY<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1864.
19. ii. JAMES HIGH MEDLEY, b. February 26, 1871, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN; d. November 12, 1946, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN.
- iii. WILLIAM CAMIDORE "CAM" MEDLEY, b. September 1870, TN; d. October 30, 1945, TN; m. MARY ULZO CARR, December 25, 1891, TN; b. September 24, 1875, TN; d. February 14, 1934, TN.

More About WILLIAM MEDLEY and MARY CARR:

Marriage: December 25, 1891, TN

- iv. TENNESSEE MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1874.
20. v. MARTHA A. MEDLEY, b. June 11, 1875, TN; d. June 13, 1915.
21. vi. ELIZA MEDLEY, b. March 14, 1877, Putnam Co., TN; d. October 02, 1918, Putnam Co., TN.
22. vii. JOHN A. MEDLEY, b. December 07, 1879, TN; d. October 27, 1914, Putnam Co., TN.
23. viii. ROBERT BRADLEY MEDLEY, b. April 10, 1882, TN; d. November 13, 1957, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN.

#### *Generation No. 4*

**8.** JAMES SIDNEY<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY (*GEORGE W.*<sup>3</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>2</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>1</sup>) was born December 16, 1853 in DeKalb Co., TN, and died June 16, 1943 in Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN. He married MARY ELIZABETH ISABELL Abt. 1875. She was born November 22, 1852, and died March 16, 1930.

Notes for JAMES SIDNEY MEDLEY:

Lived at 103 Franklin St., Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN.

More About JAMES SIDNEY MEDLEY:

Burial: Cookeville City Cemetery, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN

More About MARY ELIZABETH ISABELL:

Burial: Cookeville City Cemetery, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN

More About JAMES MEDLEY and MARY ISABELL:

Marriage: Abt. 1875

Children of JAMES MEDLEY and MARY ISABELL are:

- i. AMANDA<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY.
- ii. FINNEY MEDLEY.
- iii. JAMES WASHINGTON MEDLEY, m. MARY LANCASTER HUDDLESTON; b. June 13, 1880; d. June 14, 1944.
- iv. MAUD MEDLEY, b. December 1880, TN.
- v. LONNIE MEDLEY, b. May 09, 1881; d. May 14, 1899.
- vi. DAISY W. MEDLEY, b. June 1883, TN.

- vii. LAFAYETTE MEDLEY, b. February 1886, TN.
- viii. EFFIE MEDLEY, b. March 1888, TN.
- ix. MAGGIE M. MEDLEY, b. November 1890, TN.
- x. ROBERT MEDLEY, b. December 04, 1894, Putnam Co., TN; d. January 02, 1944, Outwood, Christian Co., KY; m. (1) IDA MAE MAXWELL; m. (2) MARGARETTE CARR, April 17, 1920, Putnam Co., TN; b. April 30, 1900; d. January 07, 1985.

Notes for ROBERT MEDLEY:  
Robert Medley Obt.

Funeral services for Robert Medley, 49, local carpenter, who died yesterday evening at the Veteran's Hospital, Outwood, KY, following an illness of 3 years, will be conducted at 2 p.m. tomorrow at the grave in the Smellage Burial Grounds near Cookeville.

The body will arrive here this evening and prayer services will be conducted at the residence, 1407 Villa Place, at 10 a.m. tomorrow by the Rev. Boyd S. Fielder.

A native of Putnam County, Mr. Medley had resided in Nashville for 24 years.

He was a Veteran of WWI, having served in this country for 3 months, then with the army of occupation overseas for 9 months.

He attended Monroe Street Methodist Church.

Survivors are his widow, Mrs. Margaret Medley; 2 daughters, Mrs. Frances Simpson and Mrs. Marie Parman, both of Nashville; two sisters, Mrs. John Bradford and Mrs. Daisy Vaughn, both of Cookeville, and two brothers, Jim Medley of Silver Point and Fate Medley.

Banner Newspaper, 3 January 1944

More About ROBERT MEDLEY:  
Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

More About ROBERT MEDLEY and MARGARETTE CARR:  
Marriage: April 17, 1920, Putnam Co., TN

**9.** PINCKNEY<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY (*GEORGE W.*<sup>3</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>2</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>1</sup>) was born 1854, and died 1885. He married CORDELLA S. HUDDLESTON. She was born 1862, and died 1908.

Children of PINCKNEY MEDLEY and CORDELLA HUDDLESTON are:

- i. NAPOLOEN "POLLEY"<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY, b. 1882.
- ii. ROXIE A. MEDLEY, b. 1883; d. November 1978; m. LEWIS N. BURTON, May 06, 1900.

More About LEWIS BURTON and ROXIE MEDLEY:  
Marriage: May 06, 1900

- iii. LEM MEDLEY, b. 1885.
- iv. CORDELIA MEDLEY.
- v. RUBEN "RUBE" MEDLEY.
- vi. ADA MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1876.

**10.** WILLIAM RILEY<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY (*GEORGE W.*<sup>3</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>2</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>1</sup>) was born December 22, 1857 in DeKalb Co., TN, and died February 12, 1944 in Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN. He married (1) ADA "ADER" MCCULLEY. She was born October 25, 1876 in TN, and died Abt. 1958 in TN. He married (2) MARY ELIZABETH PEDIGO March 03, 1879 in DeKalb Co., TN, daughter of JOSIAH PEDIGO and SUZANE TRAPP. She was born December 04, 1860 in Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN, and died April 24, 1892 in Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN.

Notes for WILLIAM RILEY MEDLEY:  
Census Place: 1880 District 1, Putnam Co., Tennessee

RelationSex Marr Race AgeBirthplace  
W.R. MEDLEY Self M M W 23 TN (William Riley Medley)  
Occ: Farmer Fa: TN Mo: TN  
M.E. MEDLEY Wife F M W 19 TN (Mary Elizabeth Pedigo)  
Occ: Keeping House Fa: TN Mo: TN

1900 11th Civil Dist. Putnam Co., TN

William R. Medley Head W M December 1857 42 Married (3 years married) Farmer TN TN TN  
(William Riley Medley)  
Ader Medley Wife F W October 1876 23 Married (3 years married) (1 child born, 1 child living) TN TN TN  
(Ada McCulley)  
Zina A. Medley Son W M July 1880 19 Single Farm Laborer TN TN TN  
Haritte Medley Dau F W July 1884 15 Single At School TN TN TN  
Earnest Medley Son M W November 1885 14 Single Farm Laborer TN TN TN  
Elsie M. Dau W F March 1887 13 Single At School TN TN TN  
Babe Medley Son W M November 1889 10 Single At School TN TN TN  
Eskel E. Medley Son W M January 1898 2 Single TN TN TN  
(Eugene Ecshol "Dock" Medley md Buena Vista Denny) (Son of William Riley Medley & Ada McCulley).

1910 11th Civil Dist. Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 175 Family: 175  
William R. Medley Head M W 52 Married (14 yrs. married) Farmer General Farm TN TN TN  
Ada Medley Wife F W 34 Married (14 yrs. married) (4 children born, 4 children living) TN TN TN  
Elsa M. Medley Dau F W 22 Single Teacher Public School TN TN TN  
Babe Son M W 20 Single Farm Labor TN TN TN  
Eschol E. Son M W 12 Single Fam Labor TN TN TN  
(Eugene Ecshol "Dock" Medley md Buena Vista Denny) (Son of William Riley Medley & Ada McCulley).  
Verte M. Dau F W 9 Single Student TN TN TN  
Cyril H. Son M W 6 Single Student TN TN TN  
Mabel R. Dau F W 4 Single TN TN TN  
Arnold Grandson M W 2 Single TN TN TN

1920 11th Civil Dist. Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 24 Family: 24 Line: 16  
William R. Medley Head Owns Farm M W 62 Married Farmer General Farm TN TN TN  
Ada Medley Wife F W 42 Married TN TN TN  
Eschol E. Son M W 21 Single Farm Laborer TN TN TN  
Virda Mai Dau F W 17 Single TN TN TN  
Cyril Son M W 16 Single Farm Laborer TN TN TN  
Mable R. Dau F W 14 Single TN TN TN

1930 11th Civil Dist. Putnam Co., TN - Enumerated by Eschol E. Medley on 12 April 1930.

Dwl: 161 Family: 162 Line: 1  
William R. Medley Head Owns M 72 Married (21 yrs. old 1st marriage) Farmer TN TN TN  
Ada Medley Wife F Married (20 yrs. old 1st marriage) TN TN TN

More About WILLIAM RILEY MEDLEY:  
Burial: Medley Graveyard, Putnam Co., TN

More About ADA "ADER" MCCULLEY:  
Burial: Medley Graveyard, Putnam Co., TN

More About MARY ELIZABETH PEDIGO:  
Burial: Medley Graveyard, Putnam Co., TN



More About WILLIAM MEDLEY and MARY PEDIGO:  
Marriage: March 03, 1879, DeKalb Co., TN

Children of WILLIAM MEDLEY and ADA McCULLEY are:

24. i. ESKEL E. "DOCK"<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY, b. January 23, 1898, TN; d. August 19, 1976, TN.  
ii. VERTA MAE MEDLEY, b. March 23, 1902, Putnam Co., TN; d. April 13, 1978, Putnam Co., TN; m. LLOYD DENTON DENNY; b. June 14, 1903, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN; d. August 26, 1976, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN.

More About VERTA MAE MEDLEY:  
Burial: Crest Lawn Memorial Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

More About LLOYD DENTON DENNY:  
Burial: Crest Lawn Memorial Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

- iii. CYRIL H. MEDLEY, b. December 12, 1903; d. March 17, 1956.

More About CYRIL H. MEDLEY:  
Burial: Medley Graveyard, Putnam Co., TN

- iv. MABLE M. MEDLEY, b. May 10, 1905; m. THURMAN D. ALCORN; b. June 26, 1903; d. October 09, 1964.

Notes for THURMAN D. ALCORN:  
Thurman D. Alcorn had a store in Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN.

More About THURMAN D. ALCORN:  
Burial: Crest Lawn Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

Children of WILLIAM MEDLEY and MARY PEDIGO are:

25. v. ZINA "ZINNIE" ADRIAN<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY, b. July 16, 1880, Putnam Co., TN; d. March 17, 1951, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN.  
26. vi. JOSEPH "JOE" WASHINGTON "DOSS" MEDLEY, b. March 27, 1883, Putnam Co., TN; d. June 20, 1971, TN.  
vii. HAUTIE MEDLEY, b. July 1884; m. ALLY PRESLEY.  
27. viii. ERNEST "EARNEST" MEDLEY, b. November 15, 1885, TN; d. September 26, 1967, TN.  
ix. ELSIE MARION MEDLEY, b. March 13, 1888, TN; d. February 11, 1971, TN; m. SOLON MADISON JOHNSON; b. October 16, 1882, TN; d. August 18, 1966, Baxter, Putnam Co., TN.

More About ELSIE MARION MEDLEY:  
Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

More About SOLON MADISON JOHNSON:  
Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

- x. CLARENCE "BABE" MEDLEY, b. November 14, 1889, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN; d. September 24, 1917, Boma, Putnam Co., TN; m. IDA GENEVERETT CARR, August 27, 1911, Boma, Putnam Co., TN; b. March 22, 1887, Putnam Co., TN; d. June 10, 1988, Plant City, FL.

More About CLARENCE "BABE" MEDLEY:  
Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

Notes for IDA GENEVERETT CARR:  
Full name: Ida Geneverett (Carr) Medley Butler Kirkham.

More About IDA GENEVERETT CARR:  
Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

More About CLARENCE MEDLEY and IDA CARR:  
Other-Begin: August 27, 1911, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

**11.** NAPOLEON BONAPARTE<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY (*GEORGE W.*<sup>3</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>2</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>1</sup>) was born June 1860 in Justin, TN, and died March 04, 1910 in Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN. He married MARY JANE TUCKER December 18, 1879 in

Putnam Co., TN. She was born August 19, 1864 in Dry Hollow, Putnam Co., TN, and died May 27, 1949 in Carmalia, Santa Barbara Co., CA.

Notes for NAPOLEON BONAPARTE MEDLEY:

Marriage Records from Putnam Co., TN indicate N. B. Medley md Mary Tucker on 18 September 1879: Vol. 1, Page 337, Certificate 2.

Notes for MARY JANE TUCKER:

Mary Jane Tucker died at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Hospital, Carmalia, Santa Barbara Co., CA.

#### GRANDMOTHER OF 47 CHILDREN TAKEN BY DEATH

Mrs. Mary Smith, 84, grandmother of 47 children, died this morning in a local hospital after a short illness. Mrs. Smith, a resident of this community for eight years, was born 19 August 1864 in Dry Hollow, TN.

Deceased was married in 1877 (18 December 1879) to N. B. Medley who passed away in 1910. She married the late Daniel L. Smith and came to California in 1928. She was preceded in death by her husband, who died in 1946.

Mrs. Smith was the mother of Toy Medley of Casmalia, Erwin "Ewin" Medley of Buffalo Valley, TN, Bradley Medley of Los Angeles and Charlie Medley of Sidney, WV.

She is survived by 15 great grandchildren.

More About NAPOLEON MEDLEY and MARY TUCKER:

Marriage: December 18, 1879, Putnam Co., TN

Children of NAPOLEON MEDLEY and MARY TUCKER are:

- i. RUBEN<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY, b. August 1880, Justin, TN; d. January 23, 1916, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN; m. EMMA BURCH, Abt. 1902, Putnam Co., TN.

More About RUBEN MEDLEY and EMMA BURCH:

Marriage: Abt. 1902, Putnam Co., TN

28. ii. EWIN MEDLEY, b. January 18, 1882, Putnam Co., TN; d. Aft. 1949.
- iii. SHELIE MEDLEY, b. September 18, 1883, Nashville, Davidson Co., TN; d. April 07, 1946, Casmalia, Santa Barbara Co., CA.
- iv. NORA MEDLEY, b. January 1884, Putnam Co., TN.
- v. ELVA CECIL MEDLEY, b. September 01, 1887, TN; d. 1923, Louisville, TN(?); m. WILLIE HOMER MOSS; b. October 13, 1888; d. November 05, 1951.
29. vi. DOCK EZARA MEDLEY, b. December 28, 1892, Putnam Co., TN; d. September 09, 1935, Putnam Co., TN.
- vii. CHARLEY MEDLEY, b. October 24, 1894, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN; d. November 19, 1987, Wayne Continuous Care Center, Genoa, WV; m. MAGGIE RUTHERFORD, October 04, 1911, Putnam Co., TN; b. January 09, 1891, WV; d. August 30, 1972, At home, Rt. 1, Genoa, WV.

More About CHARLEY MEDLEY and MAGGIE RUTHERFORD:

Marriage: October 04, 1911, Putnam Co., TN

- viii. JAMES CONNIE MEDLEY, b. December 25, 1897, Putnam Co., TN; d. 1929, Puckett, Rankin Co., MS; m. (1) MATTIE LIZZIE BURNHAM; m. (2) WILLIE MAE GOODE, MS; b. 1906, Union Co., MS; d. December 19, 2004, National Health Care, Murfreesboro, TN.

Notes for JAMES CONNIE MEDLEY:

James Connie Medley did enroute to Jackson Hospital, Puckett, Rankin Co., MS.

#### C. MEDLEY IS KILLED IN ROW

J. B. Montgomery Charged With Manslaughter - - Shooting Took Place In Show Tent, Following Altercation. Preliminary Trial In Justice court Saturday.

J. B. Montgomery, aged resident of Puckett, claims self-defense as his excuse for shooting and killing C.

Medley Saturday afternoon after an altercation between the two men. Medley was not killed instantly, but died enroute to a Jackson hospital where he was rushed following the shooting.

Montgomery, who is 78 years of age, came to Brandon after the shooting and surrendered to Sheriff O. Buchanan. An affidavit charging manslaughter was made against the aged man who was released after making bond in the amount of \$1,000 to appear in Justice of the Peace Court.

It is said that Medley, apparently under the influence of liquor, had threatened a number of persons in the then of W. M. Burnhan, another showman in winter quarters at Puckett. He and Montgomery was forced to shoot in self-defense.

Both men were well known, having spent many years in the show business.

Montgomery is a retired showman and has lived at Puckett a long time.

Meedly was with a company making winter quarters here. He is survived by a wife and two children.

Jame's wife said they were sitting at a table drinking coffee and talking about going hunting when Montgomery, drunk, came in and demanded money from James. When James refused, he pulled his gun and shot him point blank in the side of the head. Wimmie had saved James' white cowboy hat he was wearing for many years.

James Connie Medley:

Cause of Death: Gun Shot

Medical Information: Died Enroute to hospital.

Military service: WWI Civilian Draft Registration was in Rankin Co., MS

Occupation: Owned a Wild West Show

Survivors are sons and daughters-in-law Bobby & Joselle Miller and Lowell & Judy Miller of Murfreesboro, daughters and sons-in-law; Connie McGill of Murfreesboro, Linda & Billy Todd of Murfreesboro; Majorie Farr of Memphis, Joy & Ray Bush of McMinnville, Alica & Jim Joynson of Manchester, Nancy & Forrest Mathis of Nashville, Sandra & Charles Brandon of Woodbury, 20 grandchildren, 22 great-grandchildren, & 5 great-great grandchildren.

More About JAMES CONNIE MEDLEY:

Burial: Puckett Cemetery, Puckett, Rankin Co., MS

More About JAMES MEDLEY and WILLIE GOODE:

Marriage: MS

- ix. TOY M. MEDLEY, b. May 27, 1900, Putnam Co., TN; d. May 30, 1984, Santa Maria, Santa Barbara, CA; m. MARY VESTA MURR, December 31, 1920, Floyd Co., IN; b. January 16, 1904, IN; d. March 23, 1963, Santa Maria Hospital, Santa Maria, CA.

More About TOY MEDLEY and MARY MURR:

Friends: December 31, 1920, Floyd Co., IN

- x. BRADLEY GUSTIN MEDLEY, b. August 22, 1902, Putnam Co., TN; d. May 10, 1981, West Covina Hospital; m. LETITIA, 1922; b. April 15, 1904, IN; d. December 25, 1972, LA Co., CA.

More About BRADLEY MEDLEY and LETITIA:

Marriage: 1922

- xi. INFANT MEDLEY, b. Bef. 1910.  
xii. INFANT MEDLEY, b. Bef. 1910, Putnam Co., TN; d. Bef. 1920.  
xiii. MILLARD MEDLEY, b. January 1910.

**12.** GEORGE WASHINGTON III<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY (*GEORGE W.*<sup>3</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>2</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>1</sup>) was born September 01, 1862 in Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN, and died August 27, 1912 in Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN. He married (1) MATTIE CROWELL December 22, 1880 in Putnam Co., TN. She died Abt. 1881. He married (2) CATHERINE JOSEPHINE BURTON October 27, 1881 in Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN, daughter of ISSAC BURTON and MARY FOSTER. She was born December 01, 1863 in Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN, and died June 12, 1926 in Banner Springs, Fentress Co., TN.

More About GEORGE WASHINGTON III MEDLEY:  
Burial: Arlee Medley Cemetery, DeKalb Co., TN

More About GEORGE MEDLEY and MATTIE CROWELL:  
Marriage: December 22, 1880, Putnam Co., TN

More About CATHERINE JOSEPHINE BURTON:  
Burial: Arlee Medley Cemetery, DeKalb Co., TN

More About GEORGE MEDLEY and CATHERINE BURTON:  
Marriage: October 27, 1881, Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN

Child of GEORGE MEDLEY and MATTIE CROWELL is:

- i. ROBERT DENTON<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY, b. September 16, 1881, Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN; d. September 27, 1918; m. IDA MAY MAXWELL.

Notes for ROBERT DENTON MEDLEY:  
Roland Denton Medley Obt.

SILVER POINT, TN: Funeral services were held for Roland Medley Saturday afternoon at the home of his father, Doss Medley, where he died Friday morning, by the Rev. J.A. Harris of Baxter. Mr. Medley was a victim of tuberculosis from which he had suffered for the past 7 years. Burial took place in the Smellage graveyard at Boma. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Quimby Medley, an infant son, his father, Doss Medley; 6 sisters, Wilma, Pauling, Prudia, Boda, Maggie and Mrs. Buck Gill (Mollie M. Medley Gill) all of this place; 5 brothers, Stanley, Fred, Charlie, and Warren G., of this place, and James Medley of Flagler, CO, and a host of other relatives.

Herald Newspaper, Cookeville, TN: 18 September 1932.

Children of GEORGE MEDLEY and CATHERINE BURTON are:

- ii. SYPERT<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY, b. July 28, 1882, Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN; d. November 17, 1883, Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN.
- iii. RUFUS SCOTT MEDLEY, b. January 06, 1885, Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN; d. 1912; m. BONNIE PUCKETT, December 25, 1907.

More About RUFUS MEDLEY and BONNIE PUCKETT:  
Marriage: December 25, 1907

- iv. ELMER D. MEDLEY, b. May 31, 1887, Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN; d. October 20, 1888, Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN.
- v. ALLIE MAY MEDLEY, b. August 10, 1889; d. March 04, 1918; m. EDMUND LEAGUE.
30. vi. ARLEE MEDLEY MEDLEY, b. August 11, 1893, Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN; d. September 30, 1943, Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN.
- vii. EURA MEDLEY, b. February 14, 1896, Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN; d. November 11, 1896, Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN.
- viii. KATTIE MEDLEY, b. February 23, 1898, Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN; d. March 01, 1931.
- ix. CODIE MEDLEY, b. February 05, 1901, Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN; d. 1990.
- x. JEWEL MEDLEY, b. December 04, 1903, Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN; d. December 1903, Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN.

**13.** ALVIN C. SR.<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY (*GEORGE W.*<sup>3</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>2</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>1</sup>) was born October 16, 1864 in DeKalb Co., TN, and died May 13, 1919 in DeKalb Co., TN. He married (1) VELMA MITCHELL in DeKalb Co., TN. He married (2) KATIE NOVELLA JONES, daughter of MILLARD JONES and SLEATHIE GARNER. She was born June 08, 1895 in Putnam or DeKalb Co., TN, and died November 09, 1968 in DeKalb Co., TN. He married (3) LAURA BELLE LAFEVER December 15, 1883 in DeKalb Co., TN, daughter of ABRAHAM LAFEVER and MARY BURTON. She was born December 26, 1865 in Smithville, DeKalb Co., TN, and died February 14, 1913.

Notes for ALVIN C. SR. MEDLEY:

Marty, daughter-in-law of Alvin Jr. writes "Alvin Sr. died of TB in log house in Hurricane Hollow. He was buried in the Medley Cemetery. When Center Hill Dam was backed up the government moved graves to Smithville Government Cemetery." After Alvin Sr. died, Katie burned the log cabin and all the contents to save her and Alvin Jr.. Katie was a carrier of TB but never had it. Alvin Jr. never got the bacteria.

All graves but Alvin Jr. are buried in Government graveyard in Smithville - - aka Mt. Holly Cemetery, next to Elizabeth Chapel Baptist Church. Take Hwy. 70 to DeKalb County High School, turn on Hwy. 83 to church and cemetery-graves are in rear-left.

DC #399, 13th Civil Dist., Silver Point, Putnam Co., TN:  
Alvin Medley, b. 3 November 1863, TN - d. 12 May 1919.  
Age: 57 yrs. 8 months & 9 days.  
Father: G. W. Medley, TN  
Mother: Amanda Smith, TN  
True: Columbus Medley  
Cause of Death: Tuberculosis of lungs - "I attended March 1911 to May 12, 1919, died at 7 a.m., L. S. Love, M. D., Silver Point, TN.  
Undertaker: A. J. Pedigo, Smithville, TN  
Buried: 13 May 1919 - Medley Cemetery  
Registrar: C. A. Hall

1910 census, 13th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 20 - Alvin Medley is head of household, 45 yrs. old, TN md 27 yrs. to Laurabelle, 43 yrs. old, TN, 7 children born, 4 children living. Children: Loyd, 20 yrs. old; Ova, 16 yrs. old; Avo, 16 yrs. old & Joel L. Medley, 11 yrs. old. All born in TN.

More About ALVIN C. SR. MEDLEY:  
Burial: Medley Graveyard, Putnam Co., TN

More About ALVIN MEDLEY and VELMA MITCHELL:  
Marriage: DeKalb Co., TN

More About ALVIN MEDLEY and LAURA LAFEVER:  
Marriage: December 15, 1883, DeKalb Co., TN

Child of ALVIN MEDLEY and KATIE JONES is:

- i. ALVIN C. JR.<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY, b. June 04, 1919, Putnam Co., TN; d. May 20, 1977, St. Petersburg, FL; m. MINNIE LEE THOMAS, September 10, 1937, DeKalb Co., TN; b. December 18, 1919, Putnam Co., TN; d. 2005, FL.

More About ALVIN MEDLEY and MINNIE THOMAS:  
Marriage: September 10, 1937, DeKalb Co., TN

Children of ALVIN MEDLEY and LAURA LAFEVER are:

- ii. HURIN<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY, b. October 16, 1884; d. September 14, 1904, Putnam Co., TN.
- iii. LOYD MEDLEY, b. November 16, 1888; d. July 02, 1910.
- iv. AVO MEDLEY, b. December 15, 1893, TN; d. September 19, 1913, Silver Point, Putnam Co., TN.

Notes for AVO MEDLEY:  
DC #18, 13th Civil Dist., Silver Point, Putnam Co., TN:  
Avo Medley, b. 1 January 1896  
Age: 18 yrs. 1 month 10 days  
Father: Abner Medley, Silver Point, TN  
Mother: Belle Lafever, Silver Point, TN  
True: B. L. Jones, Silver Point, TN  
Cause of Death: Tuberculosis, no doctor in attendance.  
Buried: 10 June 1914 - Medley Cemetery  
Registrar: V. L. Jones

More About AVO MEDLEY:  
Burial: Medley Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

- v. OVA MEDLEY, b. December 15, 1893.
- vi. JOEL L. MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1899.

**14. JOHN ALEXANDER<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY** (*GEORGE W.<sup>3</sup>, GEORGE<sup>2</sup>, GEORGE<sup>1</sup>*) was born December 20, 1866 in DeKalb Co., TN, and died May 13, 1916 in Silver Point, TN. He married (1) FRANCES JUDITH ANDERSON Abt. 1884 in Jackson Co., TN, daughter of FRANCIS ANDERSON and FRANCES RITCHIE. She was born October 12, 1864 in Jackson Co., TN, and died August 06, 1926 in Silver Point, Putnam Co., TN. He married (2) SUDIE WILLIAMS September 19, 1889 in DeKalb Co., TN. She was born Abt. 1870 in DeKalb Co., TN, and died Bef. December 27, 1891.

Notes for JOHN ALEXANDER MEDLEY:

\*See Chapter 3: <http://www.ajlambert.com>

Census Place 1900 District 18, DeKalb Co., TN

Dwl: 123 Family: 123 Line: 30

Medley, John A. Head 33 W M December 1866 Married (# of yrs. married, 9) TN TN TN (John Alexander Medley)

Medley, Judy F. Wife 35 W F October 1864 Married (# of yrs. married, 9) 4-4 (4 children born, 4 children living) TN TN TN

(Judith "Judah" Frances Anderson, d/o Francis Marion Anderson & Frances Almeda Ritchie)

Medley, Polly Dau. 7 W F October 1892 TN TN TN

Medley, Alger M. Dau. 6 W F August 1893 TN TN TN

Medley, Kattie A. Dau. 3 W F March 1897 TN TN TN (Katie Almer Medley)

Medley, Johnnie Amanda 6/12 Dau. W F January 1900 TN TN TN

Census Place: 1910 District 18, DeKalb Co., TN

Dwl: 13 Family: 13 Line: 67

Medley, John Head 43 M W Married (# of yrs. married, 19) Farmer General Farm TN TN TN (John Alexander Medley)

Medley, Francis Wife 45 F W (# of yrs. married, 19) 7-7 (7 children born, 7 children living)

(Judith "Judah" Frances Anderson, d/o Francis Marion Anderson & Frances Almeda Ritchie)

Medley, Cleo "Polly" Dau 17 F W TN TN TN

Medley, Alger M. Dau 15 F W TN TN TN

Medley, Almer "Kattie" Dau 13 F W TN TN TN

Medley, Mandy Dau 10 F W TN TN TN

Medley, Clyde Son 7 M W TN TN TN

Medley, Glenn Son 5 M W TN TN TN

Medley, Fred Son 2 M W TN TN TN

Census Place: 1920 District 18 DeKalb Co., TN

Dwl: 142 Family: 142 Line: 79

Medley, Francis Head Owns Home F W 55 Widow TN TN TN

(Judith "Judah" Frances Anderson, d/o Francis Marion Anderson & Frances Almeda Ritchie. Widow of John Alexander Medley)

Medley, Clyde Son 16 M W Single TN TN TN

Medley, Glen Son 15 M W Single TN TN TN

Medley, Fred Son 2 M W Single TN TN TN

More About JOHN ALEXANDER MEDLEY:

Burial: Arlee Medley Cemetery, DeKalb Co., TN

Notes for FRANCES JUDITH ANDERSON:

1870 Census: Dist. 10, Jackson Co., TN - Gainesboro Post Office

Family: 21-21

Anderson, F. M. 43 M W Farmer (Value of real estate, 1000) - (Value of personal estate, 500) TN (Francis Marion Anderson)  
 Anderson, Almeda 35 F W Keeps House TN (Frances Almeda Ritchie, d/o David Ritchie )  
 Anderson, Lafayette 21 M W TN (Alexander Lafayette "Fate" Anderson)  
 Anderson, Silas 18 M W TN (David Silas Anderson md Dorinda Jane Jacquess)  
 Anderson, Vance W. 16 M W TN (Vancil "Vant" Wales Anderson md Marinda/ Maranda Caroline Josephine Burton)  
 Anderson, John 9 M W TN (John D. Anderson md Lucetta " Lou" Siddie Garrison)  
 Anderson, Juda F. C. 6 F W TN (Judith "Judah" Frances Anderson md John Alexander Medley)  
 Anderson, Fannie L. 3 F W TN (Fannie Lincoln Anderson md William S. Stafford)

Census Place: 1880 District 10, Jackson Co., Tennessee

Source: FHL Film 1255264 National Archives Film T9-1264 Page 223A

Relation Sex Marr Race AgeBirthplace

Francis ANDERSON Self M M W 53 TN (Francis Marion Anderson)

Occ: Farmer Fa: VA Mo: VA

Medy ANDERSON Wife F M W 46 TN (Frances Almeda "Medy" Ritchie)

Occ: Keeping House Fa: VA Mo: TN

Vancel ANDERSON Son M S W 26 TN

(Vancil "Vant" Wales Anderson md Maranda Caroline Josephine Burton)

Occ: Farming Fa: TN Mo: TN

Pollie ANDERSON Dau F S W 22 TN

Fa: TN Mo: TN

John ANDERSON Son M S W 19 TN

Occ: Farming Fa: TN Mo: TN

Francis ANDERSON Dau F S W 15 TN

Fa: TN Mo: TN (Judith "Judah" Frances Anderson md John Alexander Medley)

Fannie ANDERSON Dau F S W 12 TN

Fa: TN Mo: TN

Thomas ANDERSON Son M S W 9 TN

(Thomas "Tom" Shirley Anderson md Cumiller "Miller" Louise Florida)

Occ: Farming Fa: TN Mo: TN

Henry ANDERSON Son M S W 7 TN (Henry Clay Anderson md Betty Hurd Palmer)

Fa: TN Mo: TN

Helen ANDERSON Dau F S W 4 TN

Fa: TN Mo: TN

More About FRANCES JUDITH ANDERSON:

Burial: Arlee Medley Cemetery, DeKalb Co., TN

More About JOHN MEDLEY and FRANCES ANDERSON:

Marriage: Abt. 1884, Jackson Co., TN

More About JOHN MEDLEY and SUDIE WILLIAMS:

Marriage: September 19, 1889, DeKalb Co., TN

Children of JOHN MEDLEY and FRANCES ANDERSON are:

- i. CLEO "POLLY"<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY, b. October 1892, TN.
- ii. ALGER MAUDE MEDLEY, b. August 12, 1894, Smithville, DeKalb Co., TN; d. April 09, 1975, Warren, TN;  
 m. LONNIE HASKELL PEDIGO, November 06, 1911, Smithville, DeKalb Co., TN; b. April 18, 1891,  
 DeKalb Co., TN; d. September 09, 1973, Warren, TN.

More About LONNIE PEDIGO and ALGER MEDLEY:  
Marriage: November 06, 1911, Smithville, DeKalb Co., TN

- iii. KATTIE A. MEDLEY, b. March 1897, TN.
- iv. JOHNNIE AMANDA, b. January 1900, TN.
- v. CLYDE MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1903, TN.
- vi. GLEN MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1905, TN; m. RUBY SULLINS.
- vii. FRED MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1908, TN.

**15.** OCTAVIA "TAVIE" FLORENCE<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY (*GEORGE W.<sup>3</sup>, GEORGE<sup>2</sup>, GEORGE<sup>1</sup>*) was born February 24, 1869 in Putnam Co., TN, and died February 16, 1957 in TN. She married JAMES BARLOW LAFEVER December 24, 1889 in DeKalb Co., TN, son of ABRAHAM LAFEVER and MARY BURTON. He was born August 08, 1870 in DeKalb Co., TN, and died January 27, 1926 in Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN.

More About OCTAVIA "TAVIE" FLORENCE MEDLEY:  
Burial: Holly - Lafever Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

Notes for JAMES BARLOW LAFEVER:  
Holly - Lafever Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN located in Silver Point area on Joe Johnson Road.

More About JAMES BARLOW LAFEVER:  
Burial: Holly - Lafever Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

More About JAMES LAFEVER and OCTAVIA MEDLEY:  
Marriage: December 24, 1889, DeKalb Co., TN

Children of OCTAVIA MEDLEY and JAMES LAFEVER are:

- i. LESLIE<sup>5</sup> LAFEVER.
- ii. TOM LAFEVER.
- iii. CLAUDE LAFEVER.
- iv. RUTHEDGE LAFEVER.
- v. PRUDIE LAFEVER.
- vi. HUBERT LAFEVER.

**16.** MELVINA LAVERNA<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY (*GEORGE W.<sup>3</sup>, GEORGE<sup>2</sup>, GEORGE<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1875 in DeKalb Co., TN, and died 1943 in Putnam Co., TN. She married ALFRED WASHINGTON TILLEY, son of HENDERSON TILLER and MARY CARDWELL. He was born October 30, 1856 in White Co., TN, and died October 04, 1902 in Putnam Co., TN.

Children of MELVINA MEDLEY and ALFRED TILLEY are:

- i. MAMIE<sup>5</sup> TILLEY, b. January 02, 1897; d. September 10, 1919; m. GENTRY.
- ii. FLORA TILLEY.
- iii. ALFRED WASHINGTON JR. TILLEY.
- iv. GLADICE TILLEY.

**17.** CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY (*GEORGE W.<sup>3</sup>, GEORGE<sup>2</sup>, GEORGE<sup>1</sup>*) was born January 06, 1878 in DeKalb Co., TN, and died August 19, 1961. He married (1) MINNIE GARNER August 1897, daughter of LEWIS GARNER and MELVINA SMITH. She was born Abt. 1880, and died Abt. January 1899. He married (2) PEARLY CYPERT April 12, 1905 in DeKalb Co., TN. She was born Abt. 1877.

Notes for MINNIE GARNER:  
Medley - Garner Graveyard, Putnam Co., TN, located in the Ernest & Zelma Jones homeplace, Silver Point, Putnam Co., TN. \*See Putnam County Cemeteries by Maurine Ensor Patton & Doris Garrison Gilbert, pg. 358.

More About MINNIE GARNER:  
Burial: Medley - Garner Graveyard, Putnam Co., TN



More About CHRISTOPHER MEDLEY and MINNIE GARNER:  
Marriage: August 1897

More About CHRISTOPHER MEDLEY and PEARLY CYPERT:  
Marriage: April 12, 1905, DeKalb Co., TN

Children of CHRISTOPHER MEDLEY and MINNIE GARNER are:  
i. WILLIE HOWARD<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY, b. February 16, 1898; d. 1974.  
ii. INFANT MEDLEY, b. Abt. January 1899.

More About INFANT MEDLEY:  
Burial: Medley - Garner Graveyard, Putnam Co., TN

Children of CHRISTOPHER MEDLEY and PEARLY CYPERT are:  
iii. BULA LEE DEW<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY, b. July 25, 1906; d. 1951.  
iv. HOLLIS FLOYD MEDLEY, b. July 04, 1908; d. 1913.  
v. HAZEL B. MEDLEY, b. January 02, 1910; d. January 12, 1910.  
vi. EULA REE MEDLEY, b. March 17, 1911.  
vii. ROBERT TAYLOR MEDLEY, b. December 29, 1912.  
viii. ALFRED TAYLOR MEDLEY, b. May 12, 1915.  
ix. ANNIE LUCILLE MEDLEY, b. August 02, 1917.  
x. ELIZABETH RUTH MEDLEY, b. March 23, 1921.  
xi. KENNETH JARED MEDLEY, b. July 20, 1923.  
xii. BILLY JOE MEDLEY, b. September 23, 1925.  
xiii. GERALD RAY MEDLEY, b. September 17, 1928.

**18.** GEORGE W.<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY (*JOHN B.*<sup>3</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>2</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>1</sup>) was born July 25, 1859 in Jackson Co., TN, and died February 19, 1935 in Putnam Co., TN. He married (1) MATTIE CROWELL. He married (2) MARY REELS September 21, 1891 in Putnam Co., TN, daughter of GEORGE REELS and SALLIE BROWN. She was born February 1876 in Putnam Co., TN, and died January 06, 1950 in Putnam Co., TN.

Notes for GEORGE W. MEDLEY:  
(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN: pg. 19 - George Medley married 21 September 1891, Putnam Co., TN to Mary Reels).

1900 census 11th Civil Dist. Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 81 - George Medley is head of household, 40 yrs. old, b. July 1859, TN md 9 yrs. to Mary, 24 yrs. old, b. February 1876, TN, 5 children born, 4 children living. Children: Robert, 17 yrs. old, b. September 1882; Fannie, 11 yrs. old, b. March 1889; Annie, 6 yrs. old, b. February 1894; Sam, 4 yrs. old, b. May 1896 & Salley, 1 yr. old, b. September 1898. All born in TN).

(Source: Putnam County Tennessee Cemeteries by Maurine Ensor Patton & Doris Garrison Gilbert, pg. 358: Fannie Medley, b. January 1888 - d. 10 January 1914 buried in the George Medley graveyard, Putnam Co., TN quoted as being the 1st wife of Brad Medley.

1910 census 11th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 149 - William B. Medley, 39 yrs. old, TN, single. Living in the household: George W. Medley, 52 yrs. old, TN, brother md 22 yrs. to Mary, sister-in-law, 35 yrs. old, 5 children born, 5 children living. Children: Sam, nephew, 18 yrs. old; Salley, niece, 10 yrs. old & Elvin Medley, nephew, 8 yrs. old. All born in TN.

(George Medley, b. 25 July 1859 - d. 1934, buried in the George Medley graveyard, Putnam Co. TN, located from Buffalo Valley turn right on old Jim Medley homeplace).

More About GEORGE W. MEDLEY:  
Burial: George Medley graveyard, Putnam Co., TN

Notes for MARY REELS:

Name: Mary Reels Medley  
Event: Death  
Event Date: 06 Jan 1950  
Event Place: Buffalo Valley, Putnam, Tennessee  
Gender: Female  
Marital Status: Widowed  
Race or Color: White  
Age: 85  
Estimated Birth Year: 1865  
Birthplace: Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., Tenn  
Father: George Reels  
Mother: Sally Brown  
Occupation: Housewife  
Residence: Buffalo Valley, Putnam, Tenn  
Cemetery: Medley Cemetery  
Burial Place: Putnam Co, 11th District, Tenn Burial Date: Jan 7, 1950  
Informant: Gray Hinsley

Putnam County Herald January 12, 1950

Funeral services for Mrs Mary Reels Medley, 85, were held Saturday afternoon at the Buffalo Valley Presbyterian church with burial in the Medley cemetery. Mrs Medley died Friday at her home in Rock Springs; she had been ill for approximately 3 weeks.

Survivors include 3 daughters, Mrs Matthew Helms and Mrs Ennis Upchurch, both of Gentry; Mrs Grace Hinsley; 14 grandchildren.

George Medley, b. 25 July 1859, TN - d. ca. 1934 & Mary Reels, b. February 1876, TN, both buried in the George Medley Graveyard, Putnam Co., TN. Located from Buffalo Valley turn right at old Jim Medley homeplace. Mary (Reels) Medley is buried in an unmarked grave, she was a full blooded Indian).

More About MARY REELS:

Burial: George Medley graveyard, Putnam Co., TN

More About GEORGE MEDLEY and MARY REELS:

Marriage: September 21, 1891, Putnam Co., TN

Children of GEORGE MEDLEY and MARY REELS are:

- i. FANNIE<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY, b. March 1889, TN.
31. ii. ANNIE MEDLEY, b. September 17, 1891, Putnam Co., TN; d. December 09, 1971, Nashville, Davidson Co., TN.
- iii. SAM DENTON MEDLEY, b. April 16, 1896, Putnam Co., TN; d. November 04, 1921, Putnam Co., TN.

More About SAM DENTON MEDLEY:

Burial: George Medley graveyard, Putnam Co., TN

- iv. SALLEY MEDLEY, b. September 1898, TN.
32. v. VALLIE MEDLEY, b. September 08, 1900, Putnam Co., TN; d. July 07, 1976, Putnam Co., TN.

**19.** JAMES HIGH<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY (*JAMES "JIM" H.*<sup>3</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>2</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>1</sup>) was born February 26, 1871 in Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN, and died November 12, 1946 in Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN. He married MARGARET ELIZABETH LEFTWICH March 24, 1898 in Putnam Co., TN, daughter of JOEL LEFTWICH and HARRIET EVANS. She was born September 04, 1877 in Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN, and died February 24, 1947 in Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN.

More About JAMES HIGH MEDLEY:

Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

More About JAMES MEDLEY and MARGARET LEFTWICH:  
Marriage: March 24, 1898, Putnam Co., TN

Children of JAMES MEDLEY and MARGARET LEFTWICH are:

- i. VELMA JANE<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY, b. November 05, 1895, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN; d. October 14, 1986, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN; m. WILLIAM GROVER CARR, November 24, 1912; b. February 16, 1890, TN; d. June 08, 1978.

More About VELMA JANE MEDLEY:  
Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

More About WILLIAM GROVER CARR:  
Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

More About WILLIAM CARR and VELMA MEDLEY:  
Marriage: November 24, 1912

- ii. WINCIE VIOLA MEDLEY, b. December 14, 1898, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN; d. March 08, 1989, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN; m. ARLOS DERO BROWN, March 04, 1923, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN.

More About ARLOS BROWN and WINCIE MEDLEY:  
Marriage: March 04, 1923, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN

- iii. JAMES HIGH JR. MEDLEY, b. May 03, 1900, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN; d. May 03, 1900, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN.

33. iv. JOEL LUTHER MEDLEY, b. April 15, 1904, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN; d. August 10, 1989, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN.

- v. WILLIA MYRTLE MEDLEY, b. March 27, 1909, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN; d. May 27, 1984, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN; m. DEMPSE SOUTHARD HOWARD; b. August 23, 1908; d. June 06, 1973.

More About WILLIA MYRTLE MEDLEY:  
Burial: Cookeville City Cemetery, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN

Notes for DEMPSE SOUTHARD HOWARD:  
SGT. U.S. AIR FORCE WWII.

More About DEMPSE SOUTHARD HOWARD:  
Burial: Cookeville City Cemetery, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN

- vi. ARLIA MEDLEY, b. November 14, 1913, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN; d. February 17, 1986, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN; m. ROY NICHOLS.

**20.** MARTHA A.<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY (*JAMES "JIM" H.<sup>3</sup>, GEORGE<sup>2</sup>, GEORGE<sup>1</sup>*) was born June 11, 1875 in TN, and died June 13, 1915. She married ROBERT D. ELROD February 19, 1904 in Putnam Co., TN. He was born Abt. 1877 in TN.

Notes for MARTHA A. MEDLEY:

Source: Putnam County Tennessee Cemeteries by Maurine Ensor Patton & Doris Garrison Gilbert, pg. 358: Martha Medley Elrod, b. 16 June 1875 - d. 13 June 1915, buried in the George Medley graveyard, Putnam Co., TN.

More About MARTHA A. MEDLEY:

Burial: George Medley graveyard, Putnam Co., TN

Notes for ROBERT D. ELROD:

1910 census 20th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 162, Family: 164 - Robert D. Elrod is head of household, 33 yrs. old, TN (father born in TN mother born in VA) M1 (5 yrs. md) Farmer Rented Farm md to Martha A., 35 yrs. old, TN (parents both born in TN) M1 (5 yrs. md) (3 children born, 2 children living). Children: Johnnie E., dau., 4 yrs. old, TN & Velma E. Elrod, dau., 2 yrs. old, TN.

More About ROBERT ELROD and MARTHA MEDLEY:  
Marriage: February 19, 1904, Putnam Co., TN

Children of MARTHA MEDLEY and ROBERT ELROD are:  
i. JOHNNIE E.<sup>5</sup> ELROD, b. Abt. 1906.  
ii. VELMA E. ELROD, b. Abt. 1908.

**21.** ELIZA<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY (*JAMES "JIM" H.<sup>3</sup>, GEORGE<sup>2</sup>, GEORGE<sup>1</sup>*) was born March 14, 1877 in Putnam Co., TN, and died October 02, 1918 in Putnam Co., TN. She married LONA B. BUTLER February 24, 1901 in DeKalb Co., TN, son of ZACHARIAH BUTLER and MARGARET MADDUX. He was born November 17, 1877 in TN, and died May 14, 1918.

More About ELIZA MEDLEY:  
Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

Notes for LONA B. BUTLER:  
1910 census 11th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 53 - Lona B. Butler is head of household, 31 yrs. old, TN md 9 yrs. to Eliza, 30 yrs. old, TN, (5 children born, 4 children living). Children: Ola P., son, 8 yrs. old; Ollie G., 5 yrs. old; Lillian E., 3 yrs. old & Ila F. Butler, 11/12 yrs. old. All born in TN. Lona B. Butler's father was born in VA, mother born in TN).

More About LONA B. BUTLER:  
Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

More About LONA BUTLER and ELIZA MEDLEY:  
Marriage: February 24, 1901, DeKalb Co., TN

Children of ELIZA MEDLEY and LONA BUTLER are:  
i. EULA<sup>5</sup> BUTLER, d. Mussell Shoals Nursing Home, AL; m. SIDNEY BETTS; d. 1971, Tampa General Hospital, Tampa, FL.  
ii. OLA PROFIT BUTLER, b. Abt. 1902, Putnam Co., TN; d. November 06, 1971, Dover, FL; m. ERMA CARR; d. Dover, FL.  
iii. OLLIE GENEVA BUTLER, b. Abt. 1905, TN.  
iv. LILLIAN ESTELLE BUTLER, b. January 21, 1907, Putnam Co., TN; d. January 03, 1987, Dover, FL; m. HERBERT EUGENE FISHER, August 14, 1925, Putnam Co., TN; b. January 19, 1903, Morrison, TN; d. August 30, 1997, Plant City Hospital, Plant City, FL.

More About HERBERT FISHER and LILLIAN BUTLER:  
Marriage: August 14, 1925, Putnam Co., TN

v. ILA FERN BUTLER, b. December 21, 1909, Putnam Co., TN; d. January 23, 2002, Muscle Shoals, AL; m. OLIVER T. BOHANNON; b. April 04, 1906, Putnam Co., TN; d. February 28, 2000, Muscle Shoals, AL.

Notes for ILA FERN BUTLER:  
Ila Fern (Butler) Bohannon Obt.

COOKEVILLE - Funeral services for Fern Bohannon, 92, of Sheffield, AL, formerly of Cookeville will be held Friday January 25 at 1:00 in the chapel of Hooper & Huddleston Funeral Home with burial in Crest Lawn Memorial Cemetery.

The family will receive friends Friday 10:00 until time of services at the funeral home.

Mrs. Bohannon died today January 23, 2002, in Muscle Shoals, AL.

Daughter of the late Lona B. and Eliza Medley Butler, she was born in Putnam County on December 21, 1909.

Mrs. Bohannon was a homemaker and a member of Cookeville First Baptist Church.

Her family includes one son and daughter-in-law, Dr. Troy and Mary Evelyn Bohannon of Sheffield, Ala.;

two grandsons and granddaughters-in-law, Richard and Karen Bohannon and Michael and Sally Bohannon; and four great-grandchildren, Kara, Nicole, Kaitlin and Kristin Bohannon.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Oliver T. Bohannon, who died February 28, 2000; three sisters, Geneva Butler, Lillian Fisher and Eula Betts; and one brother, Ola Butler.

Her nephews will serve as pallbearers.

Bro. Charlie Hutchison will officiate at the services.

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More About ILA FERN BUTLER:

Burial: Crest Lawn Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

Notes for OLIVER T. BOHANNON:

Oliver T. Bohannon Obt.

Funeral services for Oliver Bohannon, 93, of Sheffield, AL, formerly of Cookeville, will be held at 11 a.m. on Thursday, March 2, from the chapel of Hooper & Huddleston Funeral Home. Burial will be in Crest Lawn Memorial Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 4-8 p.m. today, Wednesday, March 1, at the funeral home.

Mr. Bohannon died on Monday, February 28, 2000 at Shoals Hospital in Muscle Shoals, AL.

He was born on April 4, 1906, in Putnam County to the late Stanton and Martha Bartlett Bohannon. From 1912-1920, he attended schools in Poplar Grove, Monterey and Algood. From 1921-1925, he attended Tennessee Polytechnic Institute. From 1925-1937, he taught in rural schools in Putnam County, and from 1937-1943, he taught in the Cookeville City Schools. From 1943-1952 he served as superintendent of Putnam County Schools, and from 1952-1971, he was principal of Capshaw School.

Mr. Bohannon was a member of Cookeville First Baptist Church, where he served as deacon, Sunday school teacher, Sunday school director and church training leader. Since his retirement, he was in a leadership role in Senior Adults at Cookeville First Baptist, was active in the Happy Travelers and served as treasurer for the Happy Travelers for more than 14 years.

His family includes his wife of more than 66 years, Fern Butler Bohannon; a son and daughter-in-law, Dr. Troy and Mary Evelyn Bohannon, all of Sheffield, Ala.; a brother, J.D. (Sammy) Bohannon of Cookeville; two grandsons and their wives, Richard and Karen Bohannon and Michael and Sally Bohannon; and three great-grandchildren, Kara, Nicole and Kaitlin.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two sisters, Mazie Hunter and Marion Bohannon; and a brother, Marlow Bohannon.

Pallbearers will be Winnell and Joe Hunter, Harlon, Chris, Roger and Derek Bohannon.

Honorary pallbearers will be members of Happy Travelers and the Deacons of Cookeville First Baptist Church.

Memorials may be made to Happy Travelers Fund or Cookeville First Baptist Church Building Fund.

Bro. Charlie Hutchinson will officiate at the services.

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More About OLIVER T. BOHANNON:

Burial: Crest Lawn Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

**22.** JOHN A.<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY (*JAMES "JIM" H.*<sup>3</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>2</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>1</sup>) was born December 07, 1879 in TN, and died October 27, 1914 in Putnam Co., TN. He married SHELIA FLORENCE SHANKS May 20, 1906 in Putnam Co., TN, daughter of JOSEPH SHANKS and MARTHA RAINWATER. She was born October 27, 1885 in TN, and died August 18, 1968 in Putnam Co., TN.

Notes for JOHN A. MEDLEY:  
John A. Medley Death Certificate

Putnam County, TN, Dist. 11.

John A. Medley - b. 7 December 1879, TN - d. 27 October 1914, age 32, farmer.

Son of James Medley born in TN & Martha Butler born in TN.

Cause of death: Typhoid Fever & TB

Attending physician: Dr. Sam Denton, Buffalo Valley, TN.

Undertaker: L. G. Shanks

Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

(James A. "Jim" Medley - b. ca. 1846, TN - d. 1901 & Martha Ann Butler Medley, 2nd w/o James "Jim" Medley - b. October 1844, TN - d. 1899: Both Buried: George Medley Graveyard, Putnam Co., TN, located from Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN turn right at old Jim Medley homeplace. James md 1st Mary Tucker, buried in the George Medley Graveyard, Putnam Co., TN. Also buried in the same cemetery in an unmarked grave is Martha Medley Elrod, b. 16 June 1875 - d. 13 June 1915, d/o James Medley & Martha Butler. George Medley Graveyard, located from Buffalo Valley Road turn right on James A. "Jim" Medley homeplace: several unmarked graves at this cemetery. Information by Mrs. Audra Camilla Anderson Denny).

More About JOHN A. MEDLEY:

Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

Notes for SHELIA FLORENCE SHANKS:

Shelia Florence (Shanks) Medley Obt.

Funeral services for Mrs. Shelia Florence Medley, 82, were held today in the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home at 2:00 and burial was in Smellage Cemetery. Rev. Guy Farris officiated.

Mrs. Medley died Sunday at Cookeville General Hospital following a long illness.

She was a resident of Buffalo Valley, a native of Putnam County, the daughter of Joe Y. and Tenny Julian Shanks, and was a member of the New Hope Baptist Church.

Survivors are 2 sons, Bertell and Jim Bo Medley both of Buffalo Valley, 2 daughters, Miss Daisy Medley, Buffalo Valley, Mrs. Ann M. Pack, Clarksville; 2 brothers, Joe Sid Shanks, Floyd Shanks both of Silver Point; 4 sisters, Mrs. Rosella Maxwell, Silver Point, Mrs. Oma Wallace, Donelson, Mrs. Tina Hale, Milton, TN, Mrs. Beecher Wallace, Silver Point, Rt. 1, 12 grandchildren, 2 great grandchildren.

Putnam County Citizen: 20 August 1968.

More About SHELIA FLORENCE SHANKS:

Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

More About JOHN MEDLEY and SHELIA SHANKS:

Marriage: May 20, 1906, Putnam Co., TN

Children of JOHN MEDLEY and SHELIA SHANKS are:

- i. DAISY<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY, b. March 29, 1907, TN; d. February 23, 1976, TN.

Notes for DAISY MEDLEY:

Daisy Medley Obt.

Funeral services for Daisy Medley, 68, Buffalo Valley, Rt. 1, were held February 25, from the chapel of Baxter Funeral Home. Bro. Johnny Hester was the officiating minister. Burial was in Smellage Cemetery.

Miss Medley died February 23, 1976 in the Cookeville General Hospital after an extended illness. She was the daughter of the late John and Sheila Shanks Medley. Miss Medley was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include 1 sister, Mrs. Anna Medley Pack, Clarksville, TN, 2 brother's, Jim Bo Medley, Buffalo Valley, TN, Bertell Medley, Silver Point, Rt. 1, and a host of nieces and nephews.

Baxter Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN: 26 February 1976, pg. 7A.

More About DAISY MEDLEY:

Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

- ii. JAMES "JIM BO" MEDLEY, b. June 26, 1908, TN; d. February 12, 1988, Putnam Co., TN; m. (1) LOIS KINNAIRD; b. August 04, 1940, Putnam Co., TN; d. March 29, 1994; m. (2) MARCIA "MACY" MEDLEY; b. December 22, 1914, Putnam Co., TN; d. June 02, 1999, Putnam Co., TN.

Notes for JAMES "JIM BO" MEDLEY:

Jim Bo Medley Obt.

BAXTER: Funeral services for Jim Bo Medley, 79, of Rt. 1 Buffalo Valley, will be held today February 14 at 2:00 from the chapel of Baxter Funeral Home with Bro. Henry Roberson and Bro. Eugene Schmid officiating. Burial will be in the Smellage Cemetery. Mr. Medley died Friday, February 12, 1988 at Cookeville General Hospital following a brief illness.

He was born June 26, 1908 in Putnam County, the son of the late John and Shelia Shanks Medley. He was a retired farmer.

His family includes his wife, Macy Medley of Buffalo Valley; 1 son, Jimmy Medley of Silver Point; 1 sister, Ann Pack of Clarksville; 1 brother, Bert Medley of Silver Point; 2 grandsons, Ladell and Larry Medley both of Silver Point; and 1 great-grandson, Justin Medley.

Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN, 14 February 1988.

More About JAMES "JIM BO" MEDLEY:

Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

Notes for LOIS KINNAIRD:

Lois (Kinnaird) Medley Obt.

BAXTER: Funeral services for Lois Medley, 53, of Boma will be held Friday, April 1, at 11 a.m. in the chapel of Baxter Funeral Home. Burial will be in Smellage Cemetery.

Mrs. Medley died Tuesday, March 29, 1994, in Parkview Hospital.

Born in Putnam County on August 4, 1940 she was the daughter of Arvie Carr Kinniard of Smithville and the late Pless Kinniard.

She was a homemaker and a member of Boma First Baptist Church.

In addition to her mother, her family includes her husband, Jimmy Medley of Boma; two sons and daughters-in-law, Ladell and Karen Medley and Larry and Lisa Medley, all of Boma; one brother, Keith Kinniard of Boma, and three grandchildren, Justin, Chelsea and Christy Medley.

In addition to her father she was preceded in death by a brother, Karl Kinniard.

The family will receive friends after 1 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home.

Bros. Henry Roberson and Shelby Mainers will officiate at the services.

More About LOIS KINNAIRD:  
Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

Notes for MARCIA "MACY" MEDLEY:  
Macy (Medley) Medley Obt.

BAXTER -- Funeral services for Macy Medley, 84, of Buffalo Valley, will be held at 1 p.m. on Fri., June 4, from the chapel of Baxter Funeral Home.

Burial will be in Smellage Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 5-9 p.m. today, Thurs., June 3, at the funeral home.

Mrs. Medley died on Wed., June 2, 1999, at NHC Healthcare in Smithville.

She was born on Dec. 22, 1914, in Putnam County to the late Ewin and Ada Campbell Medley. Mrs. Medley was a homemaker and a member of the Baptist faith.

Her family includes a son and daughter-in-law, Jimmy and Marsha Medley of Silver Point; two grandsons and their wives, Ladell and Karen Medley and Larry and Lisa Medley, all of Silver Point; and four great-grandchildren, Justin, Chelsea, Christie and Jenna Medley, all of Silver Point.

In addition to her parents, she was also preceded in death by her husband, Jim Bo Medley; two sisters, Gracie Woodard and Lema Medley; a brother, Gus Medley; and a daughter-in-law, Lois Medley.

Bro. Shelby Mainers will officiate at the services.

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More About MARCIA "MACY" MEDLEY:  
Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

- iii. JOHNIE MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1910, TN.
- 34. iv. BERTELL MEDLEY, b. June 09, 1912, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN; d. January 09, 1998, Putnam Co., TN.

**23.** ROBERT BRADLEY<sup>4</sup> MEDLEY (*JAMES "JIM" H.*<sup>3</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>2</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>1</sup>) was born April 10, 1882 in TN, and died November 13, 1957 in Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN. He married (1) MINNIE B. CARR August 08, 1900 in Putnam Co., TN, daughter of ZEBEDEE CARR and MARY KINNAIRD. She was born November 19, 1881 in TN, and died March 11, 1906. He married (2) MARY ELIZABETH "FANNIE" LEE Abt. 1906. She was born February 06, 1882 in TN, and died May 31, 1958 in Putnam Co., TN. He married (3) MARY WHITEHEAD December 12, 1915 in Putnam Co., TN.

Notes for ROBERT BRADLEY MEDLEY:  
Robert Bradley Medley Obt.

R. B. Medley Last Rites Held Friday. Funeral services for Robert Bradley Medley, 73, who died Wednesday, November 13 at Cookeville General Hospital after a long illness, were held Friday at Carr's Chapel Church of God.

The Rev. Curtis Robinson officiated, burial was in Smellage Cemetery. Whitson Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

He was a retired farmer of the Herren's Chapel Community.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Mary Lee Medley, Rt. 1, Silver Point; a daughter Mrs. O. D. Roberts, Rt. 1, Silver Point, TN, a son Edward Medley, Seaford, DE; 12 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

The Cookeville Citizen Newspaper, Wednesday, 27 November 1957.



More About ROBERT BRADLEY MEDLEY:  
Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

More About MINNIE B. CARR:  
Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

More About ROBERT MEDLEY and MINNIE CARR:  
Marriage: August 08, 1900, Putnam Co., TN

More About MARY ELIZABETH "FANNIE" LEE:  
Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

More About ROBERT MEDLEY and MARY LEE:  
Marriage: Abt. 1906

More About ROBERT MEDLEY and MARY WHITEHEAD:  
Marriage: December 12, 1915, Putnam Co., TN

Children of ROBERT MEDLEY and MARY LEE are:

- i. LELA M.<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1907.
- ii. DONA "DONNIE" MEDLEY, b. December 24, 1908; d. January 30, 1930; m. CHARLIE HERRON, April 04, 1925, Putnam Co., TN.

More About CHARLIE HERRON and DONA MEDLEY:  
Marriage: April 04, 1925, Putnam Co., TN

- iii. ERNEST MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1910.
- iv. PAULINE MEDLEY, b. August 08, 1912; d. January 10, 1914.

More About PAULINE MEDLEY:  
Burial: George Medley graveyard, Putnam Co., TN

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**24.** ESKEL E. "DOCK"<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY (*WILLIAM RILEY<sup>4</sup>, GEORGE W.<sup>3</sup>, GEORGE<sup>2</sup>, GEORGE<sup>1</sup>*) was born January 23, 1898 in TN, and died August 19, 1976 in TN. He married BUENA VISTA DENNY, daughter of JOHN DENNY and ADA SCRUGGS. She was born January 23, 1898 in TN, and died August 19, 1976 in TN.

More About ESKEL E. "DOCK" MEDLEY:  
Burial: Rock Springs Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

More About BUENA VISTA DENNY:  
Burial: Rock Springs Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

Children of ESKEL MEDLEY and BUENA DENNY are:

- i. WILLIAM "BILL" RANKIN<sup>6</sup> MEDLEY.
- ii. ESTHER MEDLEY.
- iii. VISTA MEDLEY.

**25.** ZINA "ZINNIE" ADRIAN<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY (*WILLIAM RILEY<sup>4</sup>, GEORGE W.<sup>3</sup>, GEORGE<sup>2</sup>, GEORGE<sup>1</sup>*) was born July 16, 1880 in Putnam Co., TN, and died March 17, 1951 in Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN. He married SARAH SAPHRONIA "FRONIE" JUDD December 24, 1901 in Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN. She was born February 22, 1880, and died May 31, 1964.

More About ZINA "ZINNIE" ADRIAN MEDLEY:  
Burial: Cookeville City Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

More About SARAH SAPHRONIA "FRONIE" JUDD:  
Burial: Cookeville City Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

More About ZINA MEDLEY and SARAH JUDD:  
Marriage: December 24, 1901, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN

Child of ZINA MEDLEY and SARAH JUDD is:  
i. MARTIN LUTHER "LUKE"<sup>6</sup> MEDLEY.

Notes for MARTIN LUTHER "LUKE" MEDLEY:  
Notes from Carolyn (Shanks) Huddleston:

Martin Luther "Luke" Medley had a sore in Buffalo Valley which once sold furniture and you name it. A Dentist from Columbia, I think, came up ever so often and did dental work in a room upstairs of the building, his name was Dr. Lamb.

**26.** JOSEPH "JOE" WASHINGTON "DOSS"<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY (*WILLIAM RILEY*<sup>4</sup>, *GEORGE W.*<sup>3</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>2</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>1</sup>) was born March 27, 1883 in Putnam Co., TN, and died June 20, 1971 in TN. He married (1) EDNA WHITEHEAD. He married (2) MARTHA CATHERINE SULLINS July 16, 1899 in Putnam Co., TN, daughter of JAMES SULLINS and ELIZABETH SHANKS. She was born March 15, 1883 in Putnam Co., TN, and died June 19, 1925 in Putnam Co., TN.

Notes for JOSEPH "JOE" WASHINGTON "DOSS" MEDLEY:  
Joseph "Joe" Washington "Doss" Medley Obt.

Joseph Washington "Doss" Medley, 88, died June 20 at Cookeville General Hospital following a brief illness.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow at 10:30 in the chapel of Baxter Funeral Home with burial in Carlen Cemetery, Putnam County, TN. Rev. Guy Farris will officiate.

Mr. Medley, a retired farmer and a native of DeKalb County, TN was the son of William Riley and Mary Elizabeth Pedigo Medley. Survivors are his widow, Mrs. Edna Whitehead Medley, Baxter; 16 children; 2 half-sisters, and one half-brother. Baxter Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN: 21 June 1971.

He was listed in the census as Josiah Medley. Josiah Joseph "Joe" Washington "Doss" Medley.

1900 11th Civil Dist. Putnam Co., TN  
Dwl: 11 Family: 11

Josiah W. Medley Head W M March 1883 17 Married (1 year married) Farmer TN TN TN  
(Joseph Washington "Doss" Medley)  
Martha Medley Wife F W March 1883 17 Married (1 year married) (1 child born, 1 child living) TN TN TN  
Wilma Medley Dau W F May 1900 0/12 Single TN TN TN

1910 11th Civil Dist. Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 99 Family: 99 Line: 81 - Enumerated by me on the 30th day of April 1910. William R. Medley:  
Enumerator

Josiah W. Medley Head M W 27 Married (11 yrs. married) Farmer General Farm TN TN TN  
(Joseph Washington "Doss" Medley)  
Martha C. Medley Wife F W 27 Married (11 yrs. married) (6 children born, 6 children living) TN TN TN  
Wilma W. Medley Dau F W 9 Single Student TN TN TN  
Toral S. Medley Son M W 8 Single Student TN TN TN  
William J. Medley Son M W 7 Single Student TN TN TN  
Denton R. Medley Son M W 5 Single TN TN TN  
Mollie J. Medley Dau F W 3 Single TN TN TN  
Fred M. Medley Son M W 2 Single TN TN TN

1920 13th Civil Dist. Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 50 Family: 51 Line: 56

Doss Medley Head Owns Farm M W 36 Married Farmer General Farm TN TN TN

Martha C. Medley Wife F W 36 Married TN TN TN

Stanley Medley Son M W 17 Single TN TN TN

James Medley Son M W 15 Single TN TN TN

Roland Medley Son M W 14 Single TN TN TN

Mollie Medley Dau F W 13 Single TN TN TN

Fred M. Medley Son M W 11 Single TN TN TN

Pauline Medley Dau F W 7 Single TN TN TN

Prudie Medley Dau F W 5 Single TN TN TN

Bodie Medley Dau F W 3 10/12 Single TN TN TN

Charles H. Medley Son M W 1 5/12 Single TN TN TN

1930 13th Civil Dist. Putnam Co., TN - Silver Point & Hurricane Creek Road

Dwl: 59 Family: 61 Line: 74

Doss Medley Head Owns Farm M W 47 Widow (16 yrs. old 1st marriage) Farmer General Farm TN TN TN

Wilma Givens Dau -H F W 29 Widow (18 yrs. old 1st marriage) TN TN TN

Ralph Given Grandson M W 5 Single TN TN TN

Roland Medley Son M W 25 Married (25 yrs. old 1st marriage) TN TN TN

Quimby Medley Dau-in-Law F W 23 Married (23 yrs. old 1st marriage) TN TN TN

Prudie Medley Dau F W 16 Single TN TN TN

Pauline Medley Dau 18 F W Single TN TN TN

Boda Medley Dau 14 F W Single TN TN TN

Charles Medley Son 12 M W Single TN TN TN

Warren G. Medley Son 8 M W Single TN TN TN

Maggie Medley Dau 10 F W Single TN TN TN

Carthage Courier, 1 April 1926, front page: Doss Medley Loses Frame Dwelling. A 7 room frame dwelling belonging to Doss Medley, a farmer of Silver Point, Putnam County, was destroyed by fire, about noon Sunday. Nothing whatever was saved from the burning building, which was thought to have been fired by a defective kitchen flue. The loss is estimated at \$2,000. With not a cent of insurance. Only a few months ago, Medley's wife died leaving 7 or 8 children. He is a poor man and the loss is very heavy for them.

More About JOSEPH "JOE" WASHINGTON "DOSS" MEDLEY:

Burial: Carlen Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

Notes for MARTHA CATHERINE SULLINS:

Martha Catherine (Sullins) Medley Obt.

SILVER POINT, TN - Mrs. Doss Medley died at her home here Friday afternoon after several months illness. She was laid to rest in the Smellage graveyard at Boma. She is survived by her husband and several children.

Mr. and Mrs. Z.A. Medley of Buffalo Valley were in town Saturday attending the funeral of Mrs. Doss Medley.

\* See Mollie M. Medley Gill Obt.

Smithville Review Newspaper, TN: Thursday, 25 June 1925.

More About MARTHA CATHERINE SULLINS:

Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

More About JOSEPH MEDLEY and MARTHA SULLINS:

Marriage: July 16, 1899, Putnam Co., TN

Children of JOSEPH MEDLEY and MARTHA SULLINS are:

- i. WILMA W.<sup>6</sup> MEDLEY, b. May 1900, TN.
- ii. TORAL STANLEY MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1902, TN.
- iii. WILLIAM J. MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1903, TN.
- iv. DENTON ROLAND MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1905, TN.
- v. MOLLIE J. MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1907, TN.
- vi. FRED M. MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1908, TN.
- vii. PAULINE MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1913, TN.
- viii. PRUDIE MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1915, TN.
- ix. BODIE MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1916, TN.
- x. CHARLES H. MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1918, TN.

**27.** ERNEST "EARNEST"<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY (*WILLIAM RILEY*<sup>4</sup>, *GEORGE W.*<sup>3</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>2</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>1</sup>) was born November 15, 1885 in TN, and died September 26, 1967 in TN. He married MICHEAL "TELIA" ANDERSON December 22, 1907 in Putnam Co., TN. She was born February 23, 1891 in Silver Pt., TN, and died July 01, 1952 in Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN.

More About ERNEST "EARNEST" MEDLEY:

Burial: Cookeville City Cemetery, Cookeville, TN

Notes for MICHEAL "TELIA" ANDERSON:

Micheal "Telia" (Anderson) Medley Obt.

Mrs. Telia Anderson Medley, 61, died at Cookeville General Hospital, Tuesday morning after about a year's illness. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon in the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home with Rev. O.T. Nelson, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Madison officiating. Burial was in the Cookeville City Cemetery, TN.

Mrs. Medley is survived by her husband, Ernest Medley, Baxter, 2 daughters, Mrs. Ruth Neal, and Miss Louise Medley, Baxter, 2 sons Lamar Medley, Oak Ridge, TN and Arnold Medley, Madison, her mother, Mrs. Matilda Anderson, Silver point, 4 sisters, Mrs. Julian, Baxter, Mrs. Floyd Shanks and Mrs. Virgil Denny, Silver Point, Mrs. Preston Gill, Detroit, MI and 1 brother, William Grover Anderson, Cookeville, and 3 grandchildren.

Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN - Pg. 2 , July 2, 1952

More About MICHEAL "TELIA" ANDERSON:

Burial: Cookeville City Cemetery, Cookeville, TN

More About ERNEST MEDLEY and MICHEAL ANDERSON:

Marriage: December 22, 1907, Putnam Co., TN

Children of ERNEST MEDLEY and MICHEAL ANDERSON are:

- i. JAMES ARNOLD<sup>6</sup> MEDLEY, b. January 10, 1909, TN; d. September 21, 1983, TN; m. DELZELL "DELL" BOYD, June 21, 1931; b. April 09, 1910.

Notes for JAMES ARNOLD MEDLEY:

James Arnold Medley Obt.

Arnold Medley, 74 Madison, died Wednesday at Memorial Hospital.

Services will be at 10:00, Friday at Madison Funeral Home with burial in Cookeville City Cemetery.

Mr. Medley was a retired chemist in research and development at E.L. Dupont for 44 years.

A Putnam County native, Mr. Medley was the son of the late Ernest and Telia Anderson Medley. He was married to Dezell Boyd Medley, who survives.

He was a prominent church and civic leader, a teacher, a deacon and member of the First Baptist Church of

Madison. He was chosen Madison Brothers Man of the Year in 1978. He also served as president of the organization. He was one of the many founders of Memorial Hospital and a member of the Masonic Lodge. He studied at Baxter Seminary.

Survivors, in addition to his wife, include a son, Donald Murray Medley, Harrisburg, IL; a daughter Mrs. Carl D. (Patricia) Prentice, Madison; 4 grandchildren; and a brother.

Tennessean Newspaper - Sept. 22, 1983- C-6

More About JAMES ARNOLD MEDLEY:  
Burial: Cookeville City Cemetery, Cookeville, TN

More About JAMES MEDLEY and DELZELL BOYD:  
Marriage: June 21, 1931

- ii. MORRIS CHARLES MEDLEY, b. May 25, 1910, Putnam Co., TN; d. July 10, 1940, TN; m. VERA MARGARETT SWALLOWS, Aft. 1930; b. March 02, 1914, TN.

Notes for MORRIS CHARLES MEDLEY:  
Morris Charles Medley Story & DC

**MORRIS MEDLEY DIES OF PISTOL WOUNDS RECEIVED IN ARGUMENT OVER \$1.00**  
Funeral services for Morris Medley 30, Baxter café operator, who died at a Lebanon hospital Wednesday of last week as a result of pistol wounds received in Wilson County June 29 were held at the Methodist Church at Baxter Thursday, the Rev. J. H. Stephens and the Rev. John B. Barbee officiating. Burial was in the Smellage Cemetery.

Mr. Medley was shot by Gordon Newsom on a charge of drunken stable, according to Sheriff P.T. Burnett, who witnessed the crime. Sheriff Burnett, who said he had gone to a filling station to arrest Newsom on a charge of drunkenness, declared that when he started to take Newsom away, Newsom suddenly snatched a pistol from its hiding place under his shirt and shot Medley. Burnett said that Newsom and Medley had argued over a dollar.

Newsom was released at a preliminary hearing under \$5,000 bond on an attack charge, but a warrant was sworn to last week by Medley's wife, Mrs. Vera Medley, charging Newsom with first degree murder.

Preliminary hearing on the charges will be held before Magistrate John Rushing at Lebanon Saturday. Newsom was released on \$25,000 bond pending preliminary trial.

Besides his wife, Mrs. Vera Swallows Medley, other survivors include a small daughter, Billie Carol Medley; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Medley of Baxter; two sister, Misses Ruth and Louise Medley of Baxter, and two brothers, Arnold Medley of Madison and Lamar Medley of Baxter.

Certificate of Death: #17763: State of Tennessee, Div. of Vital Statistics  
Full Name: Morris Charles Medley  
Place of Death: Wilson, Dist. 10: Lebanon, Tennessee - McFarland Hospital  
Married: White Male: 30 years 1 month 15 days old  
Date of Birth: 25 May 1910, Putnam Co., TN  
Wife: Vera Medley: 26 years old  
Legal Residence: Baxter, Putnam Co., Tennessee  
Usual Occupation: Waiter: Café operator  
Father: Ernest Medley: Born: Putnam Co., TN  
Mother: Telie Anderson: Born: Putnam Co., TN  
Informant: Mrs. Morris Medley of Baxter, Tennessee  
Burial: 12 July 1940, Putnam Co., TN  
Undertaker: Whitson Funeral Home, Cookeville, Tennessee  
Medial Certification: I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from June 29 1940 to July 10, 1940 and that death occurred on the date stated at 8:30 p.m.  
Immediate cause of death: Gunshot wound of abdomen producing 4 large punctures of small intestine and complete division in another segment - laceration of mesentery  
Autopsy: No  
Accident, Suicide or Homicide: checked

Where did injury occur: Lebanon, Wilson Co., Tennessee, public place.  
Signature: Sam B. McFarland, M.D.  
Date signed: 11 July 194

IN ARGUMENT OVER \$1.00: Morris Medley, 35, Baxter café operator, died at Lebanon hospital, Wednesday of last week, wounded in Wilson Co., June 29, buried in Smellage Cemetery.

Shot by Gordon Newsom. Mrs. Vera Medley had sworn out warrant against Newsom last week. Other survivors are a daughter, Billie Carol Medley, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Medley of Baxter, 2 sisters, Misses Ruth and Louise Medley of Baxter, and 2 brothers, Arnold of Madison and Lamar of Baxter.

Herald Newspaper, Cookeville, TN: 18 July 1940, front page.

More About MORRIS CHARLES MEDLEY:  
Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

More About MORRIS MEDLEY and VERA SWALLOWS:  
Marriage: Aft. 1930

- iii. LAMAR MEDLEY, b. December 09, 1916, TN; d. July 19, 2000, Clinton, TN; m. ELIZABETH CAROLYN HALL, October 01, 1947; b. October 01, 1924; d. September 26, 1998, Clinton, TN.

More About LAMAR MEDLEY:  
Burial: Sunset Cemetery, Clinton, TN

More About ELIZABETH CAROLYN HALL:  
Burial: Sunset Cemetery, Clinton, TN

More About LAMAR MEDLEY and ELIZABETH HALL:  
Marriage: October 01, 1947

- iv. RUTH MEDLEY, b. October 17, 1919, TN; m. JOHN NEAL, June 29, 1946.

More About JOHN NEAL and RUTH MEDLEY:  
Marriage: June 29, 1946

- v. LOUISE MEDLEY, b. July 03, 1924, TN.  
vi. LEROY "ROY" MEDLEY, b. May 14, 1928, Putnam Co., TN; d. October 09, 1933, Putnam Co., TN.

Notes for LEROY "ROY" MEDLEY:  
Leroy "Roy" Medley Obt.

Third measles Death:  
Baxter, TN, October 11, Leroy Medley 5 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Medley, died at the family home Monday from the effects of measles. This is the third death in this section in the past 2 weeks resulting from the epidemic of measles sweeping over this section. He is survived by his parents, 4 brothers, Arnold, Donald, Morris, Lamar Medley, and 2 sister, Ruth and Louise Medley.  
Nashville Banner Newspaper - October 11, 1933 Wednesday

More About LEROY "ROY" MEDLEY:  
Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

**28.** EWIN<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY (*NAPOLEON BONAPARTE*<sup>4</sup>, *GEORGE W.*<sup>3</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>2</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>1</sup>) was born January 18, 1882 in Putnam Co., TN, and died Aft. 1949. He married ADA CAMPBELL September 06, 1914 in Putnam Co., TN. She was born February 22, 1887 in TN, and died July 18, 1975 in TN.

More About ADA CAMPBELL:  
Burial: Rock Springs Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

More About EWING MEDLEY and ADA CAMPBELL:  
Marriage: September 06, 1914, Putnam Co., TN

Children of EWING MEDLEY and ADA CAMPBELL are:

- i. MACY<sup>6</sup> MEDLEY, b. December 22, 1914, Putnam Co., TN; d. June 02, 1999, Smithville, DeKalb Co., TN; m. JIM BO MEDLEY; b. June 26, 1908, TN; d. February 12, 1988, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN.

More About MACY MEDLEY:

Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

More About JIM BO MEDLEY:

Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

- ii. GRACY MEDLEY, b. Abt. 1918, TN.
- iii. GUS MEDLEY, b. April 28, 1921, TN; d. August 23, 1968, TN.

More About GUS MEDLEY:

Burial: Rock Springs Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

**29.** DOCK EZARA<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY (*NAPOLEON BONAPARTE<sup>4</sup>, GEORGE W.<sup>3</sup>, GEORGE<sup>2</sup>, GEORGE<sup>1</sup>*) was born December 28, 1892 in Putnam Co., TN, and died September 09, 1935 in Putnam Co., TN. He married VERNA LOU JUDD November 01, 1908 in Putnam Co., TN. She was born April 11, 1891 in Putnam Co., TN, and died August 1975 in Putnam Co., TN.

Notes for DOCK EZARA MEDLEY:

DC # 20677, 14th Civil Dist., Monterey, Putnam Co., TN -

Doc Ezara Medley, b. 28 December 1895, Putnam Co., TN - d. 9 September 1935, Putnam Co., TN.

Occupation: Section Foreman

Father: Napoleon Bonaparte Medley

Mother: Mary Jane Tucker

Cause of Death: Lobar Pneumonia, "Sick, September 3, 1935 to September 9, 1935," signed, W. C. Officer, M. D., Monterey, TN.

Undertaker: D. M. Goff

Buried: 13 September 1935, Welch Cemetery, Monterey, Putnam Co., TN.

Registrar: Mrs. D. M. Goff

Herald Citizen Newspaper, 19 September 1935, front page: Dock Medley obt.

Dock Medley, Railroad employee died Monday, age 43 of pneumonia. Survived by his wife Verna, mother, Mary Smith Medley, son Frank Medley, daughter, Freida Medley Eldridge; 5 brothers, Ewing of Buffalo Valley, Toy, Brad, Shelie of DePaum, IN and Charlie Medley of WV.

More About DOCK EZARA MEDLEY:

Burial: Welch Memorial Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

More About VERNA LOU JUDD:

Burial: Welch Memorial Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

More About DOCK MEDLEY and VERNA JUDD:

Marriage: November 01, 1908, Putnam Co., TN

Children of DOCK MEDLEY and VERNA JUDD are:

- i. FRANK<sup>6</sup> MEDLEY.
- ii. FREIDA MEDLEY, m. MR. ELDRIDGE.

**30.** ARLEE MEDLEY<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY (*GEORGE WASHINGTON III<sup>4</sup>, GEORGE W.<sup>3</sup>, GEORGE<sup>2</sup>, GEORGE<sup>1</sup>*) was born August 11, 1893 in Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN, and died September 30, 1943 in Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN. He married EURA BELL CLEMMONS 1914 in Silver Point, TN. She was born 1898 in Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN, and died 1978 in Silver Point, DeKalb Co., TN.

More About ARLEE MEDLEY MEDLEY:  
Burial: Arlee Medley Cemetery, DeKalb Co., TN

More About ARLEE MEDLEY and EURA CLEMMONS:  
Marriage: 1914, Silver Point, TN

Children of ARLEE MEDLEY and EURA CLEMMONS are:

- i. LULA MOVALINE<sup>6</sup> MEDLEY, b. August 09, 1922, Silver Point, Putnam Co., TN; d. March 17, 2005, Sparta, TN; m. ANTHONY DANIEL PIENKOWSKI, July 08, 1950.

Notes for LULA MOVALINE MEDLEY:  
Lula Movaline (Medley) Pienkowski Obt.

COOKEVILLE -- Funeral services for Lula Movaline Medley Pienkowski, 82, will be held at 11 a.m. on Mon., March 21, from the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home. Burial will be in Cookeville City Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 1-2 p.m., and from 7-8 p.m., on Sun., March 20, at the funeral home.

Mrs. Pienkowski died on Thurs., March 17, 2005, in White County Hospital in Sparta.

She was born on Aug. 9, 1922, in Silver Point to the late Arlie and Eura Belle Clemons Medley.

Mrs. Pienkowski was a member of the Methodist faith. She was a retired, self-employed cosmetologist. She was known for her ready laugh, good nature and ability to get along with everyone. Mrs. Pienkowski was devoted to her husband and family.

She grew up in Tennessee and spent most of her adult life in Michigan, where she ran a beauty shop for many years. She had her instructor's license in cosmetology. Mrs. Pienkowski was an accomplished hunter and fisherman. She loved pretty colors, keeping house, cooking, traveling, laughing, helping others, and being with her family.

Her family includes her husband of 54 years, Anthony Daniel Pienkowski (whom she married on July 8, 1950); a sister, Eura Lee Medley Riggs; and numerous nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a son, Arlie Odon Hanson; four brothers, Scott, Ezra, Royce and Tommy Medley; and two sisters, Nell Medley Wood and Arlie Belle Medley.

Pallbearers will be John Pienkowski, William Riggs, Billie Royce Medley, Goad Clemons, Randy Medley and Ronnie Ligon.

Honorary pallbearer will be Keith Clemons.

Bishop Tony Huddleston will officiate at the services.

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More About LULA MOVALINE MEDLEY:  
Burial: Cookeville City Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

More About ANTHONY PIENKOWSKI and LULA MEDLEY:  
Marriage: July 08, 1950

- ii. EURA LEE MEDLEY.
- iii. NELL MEDLEY.
- iv. ARLIE BELLE.
- v. SCOTT MEDLEY, b. May 26, 1916; d. January 19, 1937.

More About SCOTT MEDLEY:  
Burial: Arlee Medley Cemetery, DeKalb Co., TN

- vi. EZRA MEDLEY.
- vii. ROYCE MEDLEY.



- viii. TOMMY NORRIS MEDLEY, b. August 09, 1922, Silver Point, Putnam Co., TN; d. September 04, 1999, Putnam Co., TN.

Notes for TOMMY NORRIS MEDLEY:  
Tommy Norris Medley Obt.

COOKEVILLE -- Graveside services for Tommy Norris Medley, 68, of Silver Point, were held at 10 a.m. today, Wed., Sept. 8, at Cookeville City Cemetery.

Mr. Medley died on Sat., Sept. 4, 1999, at Cookeville Regional Medical Center.

He was born on Nov. 7, 1930, in Silver Point to the late Arlie Medley and Eura Belle Clemons Medley Mitchell. Mr. Medley was retired from the exterminating business. He served in the Air Force.

His family includes a son, Gary Medley of Harvard, Ill.; two sisters, Lula Plenkowski of Cookeville and Eura Lee Riggs of Utah; two granddaughters; and a grandson.

Bishop Bobby Spencer officiated at the services.

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More About TOMMY NORRIS MEDLEY:  
Burial: Cookeville City Cemetery, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN

**31.** ANNIE<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY (*GEORGE W.*<sup>4</sup>, *JOHN B.*<sup>3</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>2</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>1</sup>) was born September 17, 1891 in Putnam Co., TN, and died December 09, 1971 in Nashville, Davidson Co., TN. She married ENIS UPCHURCH, son of THOMAS UPCHURCH and MARTHA MALONE. He was born February 08, 1879 in TN, and died October 02, 1962 in Baxter, Putnam, Co., TN.

Notes for ANNIE MEDLEY:

Annie (Medley) Upchurch Obt.

Mrs. Annie Upchurch, 80, died Thursday following an extended illness. Her death occurred at St. Thomas Hospital, Nashville.

Funeral services will be Saturday at 10 a.m. in the Baxter Funeral Home Chapel and burial will be in Smellage Cemetery.

Mrs. Upchurch was a native of Putnam County, the daughter of George and Mary Medley. She is a member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors are, two sons, Grover Upchurch, Buffalo Valley and Roy Upchurch of Detroit, MI; two sisters, Mrs. Vallie Helms and Mrs. Grace Hinsley, both of Buffalo Valley, and five grandchildren. Baxter Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN: Friday, 10 December 1971.

More About ANNIE MEDLEY:  
Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

Notes for ENIS UPCHURCH:  
Enis Upchurch Obt.

Funeral arrangements for Enis Upchurch, 83, are incomplete.

His death occurred today at his home on Baxter, Rt.2. The body is at Baxter Funeral Home, Baxter. He was a retired farmer.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Anna Upchurch; sons, Grover C. Upchurch, Buffalo Valley, TN, Roy Upchurch, Detroit, MI; a daughter, Mrs. Sara Burchfield, Amarillo, TX; 8 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren.

Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN: Tuesday, 2 October 1962.

More About ENIS UPCHURCH:

Burial: Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

Children of ANNIE MEDLEY and ENIS UPCHURCH are:

- i. GROVER C.<sup>6</sup> UPCHURCH.
- ii. ROY UPCHURCH.

**32.** VALLIE<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY (*GEORGE W.<sup>4</sup>, JOHN B.<sup>3</sup>, GEORGE<sup>2</sup>, GEORGE<sup>1</sup>*) was born September 08, 1900 in Putnam Co., TN, and died July 07, 1976 in Putnam Co., TN. She married MATTHEW H. HELMS February 17, 1921 in Putnam Co., TN, son of AIDEN HELMS and SARAH SYPERT. He was born November 19, 1878 in TN, and died June 24, 1960.

More About VALLIE MEDLEY:

Burial: Crest Lawn Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

Notes for MATTHEW H. HELMS:

(Tennessee Pvt Co F 1 Regt Infantry)

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 73, #2657 - Math Helms married 27 February 1921, Putnam Co., TN to Vallie Medley).

(1930 census 9th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 79 - Mathew Helms is head of household, 52 yrs. old, TN, (43 yrs. old 1st marriage), md to Vallie, 30 yrs. old, TN, (30 yrs. old 1st marriage). Children: Mitchel, 9 yrs. old; Theoples, 5 yrs. old & George Helms, 7/12 yrs. old. All born in TN. Also living in the household: Aden Helms, father, 79 yrs. old, TN, widow, (19 yrs. old 1st marriage).

(1940 census 9th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 34 - Math Helms is head of household, 61 yrs. old, TN, md to Vallie D., 41 yrs. old, TN. Children: Mitchell, 25 yrs. old; Theopolis, 15 yrs. old; Odell, 10 yrs. old; Katherine, 8 yrs. old & Gertis Helms, 5 yrs. old. All born in TN).

More About MATTHEW H. HELMS:

Burial: Crest Lawn Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

More About MATTHEW HELMS and VALLIE MEDLEY:

Marriage: February 17, 1921, Putnam Co., TN

Children of VALLIE MEDLEY and MATTHEW HELMS are:

- i. MITCHELL<sup>6</sup> HELMS, b. April 03, 1915, Putnam Co., TN; d. June 26, 1986, Putnam Co., TN.

More About MITCHELL HELMS:

Burial: Crest Lawn Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

- ii. THEOPOLIS HELMS, m. MAXWELL.
35. iii. GEORGE HELMS.
- iv. CATHERINE HELMS, m. ALCORN.

**33.** JOEL LUTHER<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY (*JAMES HIGH<sup>4</sup>, JAMES "JIM" H.<sup>3</sup>, GEORGE<sup>2</sup>, GEORGE<sup>1</sup>*) was born April 15, 1904 in Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN, and died August 10, 1989 in Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN. He married EVOLA JEWEL SLIGER. She was born June 12, 1908 in Putnam Co., TN, and died November 10, 1999 in

Goodlettsville, TN.

More About JOEL LUTHER MEDLEY:

Burial: Cookeville City Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

Notes for EVOLA JEWEL SLIGER:

Jewell (Sliger) Medley Obt.

COOKEVILLE -- Funeral services for Jewell Sliger Medley, 91, will be held on Fri., Nov. 12, at 1 p.m. at Whitson Funeral Home. Burial will be in Cookeville City Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 11 a.m.-1 p.m., on Fri., Nov. 12, at the funeral home, followed by a brief service.

Mrs. Medley died on Wed., Nov. 10, 1999, at Vanco Nursing Home in Goodlettsville.

She was born on June 1, 1908, in Putnam County to the late John Byrd and Flora Austin Sliger. Mrs. Medley was the owner/operator of Jewell's Beauty Shoppe in Double Springs for many years. Her sign said "We Curl Up and Dye for You." She was well known in the area for her love, good humor and willingness to help others. She was a great cook and shared her talent generously with friends. A favorite word for her was 'GO', which meant traveling, and she loved it.

Mrs. Medley was a member of the First Baptist Church in Cookeville.

Her family includes a daughter and son-in-law, Joe Ann and Wayne Johnson; a granddaughter and grandson-in-law, Jennifer Johnson and Mike Pursley; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Joe Luther Medley; a daughter, Bobbie Jean Medley Proctor; and two sisters, Cleo Sliger and Stella Sliger Flatt.

Rev. Susan Gardner will officiate at the services.

Whitson Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

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More About EVOLA JEWEL SLIGER:

Burial: Cookeville City Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

Children of JOEL MEDLEY and EVOLA SLIGER are:

- i. BOBBIE JEAN<sup>6</sup> MEDLEY, b. October 02, 1927; d. April 07, 1960.

More About BOBBIE JEAN MEDLEY:

Burial: Cookeville City Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

- ii. JOE ANN MEDLEY, m. WAYNE JOHNSON.

**34.** BERTELL<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY (*JOHN A.*<sup>4</sup>, *JAMES "JIM" H.*<sup>3</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>2</sup>, *GEORGE*<sup>1</sup>) was born June 09, 1912 in Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN, and died January 09, 1998 in Putnam Co., TN. He married CARRIE LEE PALMER Abt. 1994, daughter of JOHN PALMER and RETTIE WALLACE. She was born December 18, 1924 in Putnam Co., TN, and died August 10, 2002 in Putnam Co., TN.

Notes for BERTELL MEDLEY:

Bertell Medley Obt.

SILVER POINT - Funeral services for Bertell Medley, 85, of Silver Point will be held at 11 a.m. on Monday, January 12, from the Baxter chapel of Hooper and Huddleston Funeral Home, with burial in Crest Lawn Memorial Cemetery.

The family will receive friends today, January 11, at 5 p.m. in the funeral home.

Mr. Medley died on Friday, January 9, 1998, at Cookeville Regional Medical Center.

He was born on June 9, 1912, in Buffalo Valley to John and Shelie Shanks Medley.

Mr. Medley was a World War II veteran of the Navy.

His family includes his wife of 48 years, Carrie Palmer Medley of Silver Point; four sons, Perry Medley of Buffalo Valley, Ronald Medley of Knoxville, John Medley of Baxter, and Richard Medley of Silver Point, four daughters, Diane Medley of Cookeville, Renee Smothers of Houston, TX, Sheila Medley of Cookeville, and Jacqueline Trebing of NC; 12 grandchildren; and a host of nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Medley was preceded in death by two brothers, Jim and John Medley; and two sisters Daisey Medley and Ann Pack.

The Rev. Shelby Mainares will officiate at the services.

More About BERTELL MEDLEY:

Burial: Crest Lawn Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

Notes for CARRIE LEE PALMER:

Carrie (Palmer) Medley Obt.

BAXTER -- Funeral services for Carrie Lee Medley, 77, of Silver Point were held at 1 p.m. today, Monday, Aug. 12, from the Baxter chapel of Hooper-Huddleston & Horner Funeral Home. Burial was in Crest Lawn Memorial Cemetery.

Mrs. Medley died on Saturday, Aug. 10, 2002, at Cookeville Regional Medical Center.

She was born on Dec. 18, 1924, in Putnam County to the late John and Rettie Arizona Wallace Palmer. Mrs. Medley was a homemaker and a member of Buffalo Valley Church of Christ.

Her family includes four daughters, Diane Davidson and Sheila Medley, both of Cookeville, Renee Smothers of Houston, Texas, and Jacqueline Trebing of Buffalo Valley; four sons, Ronald Medley of Lenoir City, Perry Medley of Buffalo Valley, John Medley of Cookeville and Richard Medley of Silver Point; a brother, Taylor Palmer of Silver Point; and 13 grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Bertell Medley, who died on Jan. 9, 1998; three sisters, Ruby Palmer, Vora Roberts and Lorene Glover; and three brothers, Clyde, Howard and Peay Palmer.

Pallbearers were Ronald, Perry, John and Richard Medley, Bill Davidson, Mark Smothers and Ted Trebing.

Bros. Clayton Wise, Wiley Deason and Steve Palmer officiated at the services.

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More About CARRIE LEE PALMER:

Burial: Crest Lawn Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

More About BERTELL MEDLEY and CARRIE PALMER:

Marriage: Abt. 1994

Children of BERTELL MEDLEY and CARRIE PALMER are:

- i. DIANE<sup>6</sup> MEDLEY.
- ii. SHEILA MEDLEY.
- iii. RENEE MEDLEY.
- iv. JACQUELINE MEDLEY.
- v. RONALD MEDLEY.
- vi. PERRY MEDLEY.
- vii. JOHN MEDLEY.
- viii. RICHARD MEDLEY.

*Generation No. 6*

**35.** GEORGE<sup>6</sup> HELMS (*VALLIE<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY, GEORGE W.<sup>4</sup>, JOHN B.<sup>3</sup>, GEORGE<sup>2</sup>, GEORGE<sup>1</sup>*) He married DIXIE PALMER.

Children of GEORGE HELMS and DIXIE PALMER are:

36.
  - i. CONNIE<sup>7</sup> HELMS.
  - ii. LARRY HELMS.
  - iii. MICHAEL HELMS.

*Generation No. 7*

**36.** CONNIE<sup>7</sup> HELMS (*GEORGE<sup>6</sup>, VALLIE<sup>5</sup> MEDLEY, GEORGE W.<sup>4</sup>, JOHN B.<sup>3</sup>, GEORGE<sup>2</sup>, GEORGE<sup>1</sup>*) She married BILL MAYNARD.

Child of CONNIE HELMS and BILL MAYNARD is:

- i. CHRISTINA MICK<sup>8</sup> MAYNARD.