## ESTER KNIGHT April 25, 1798 Marlboro Vt. - 1833 Jackson, MI

## +WILLIAM STRINGHAM Mar 10, 1788 N. Hempstead, NY- Nov 3, 1865 Manti, Ut.

## JULIA ANN STRINGHAM HARRIET STRINGHAM 1821 Broome Co., N.Y. -1900 (boy) STRINGHAM

Mar. 1, 1817 Broome, N.Y.

Person G. Boman Thomas A. Averitt (1814 Sumner, Tenn. - 1888)

THOMAS A. AVERITT (1843 - )

Chester Hills Talcott (1810 Hartford, Conn. - 1872 Adams, IL.)

MARY H. TALLCOTT (1850 - 1895) WESLEY CLAIR (1848-1938)

> JULIA M. TALLCOTT (1852-1890) AMOS HENRY SCRANTON (1845-1928)

> > ELLA E. TALLCOTT (1853 - )

WILLIAM CHESTER TALCOTT (1855 - ) MARY A BALDWIN (1860-)

> SAMUEL TALCOTT (1857 - ) ABBEY F. MEYERS (1863-1930)

> > ELMER ELMA TALLCOTT (1861 - 1863)

ALBERT HALE TALCOTT (1864 - 1894)

1821 - 1829 Colesville, NY

ALONZO STRINGHAM

1823 - 1831 Broome Co., NY

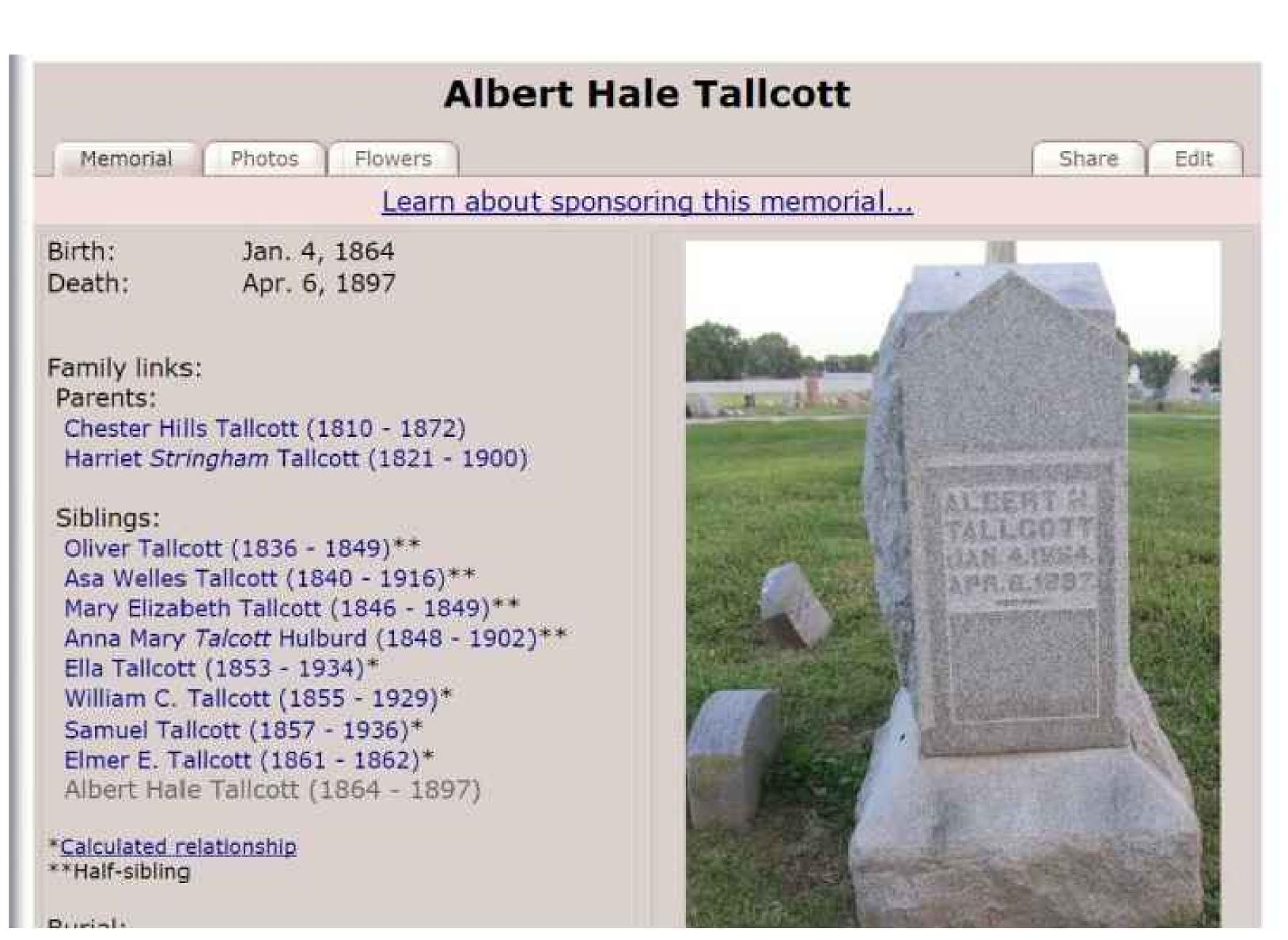
AMOS STRINGHAM

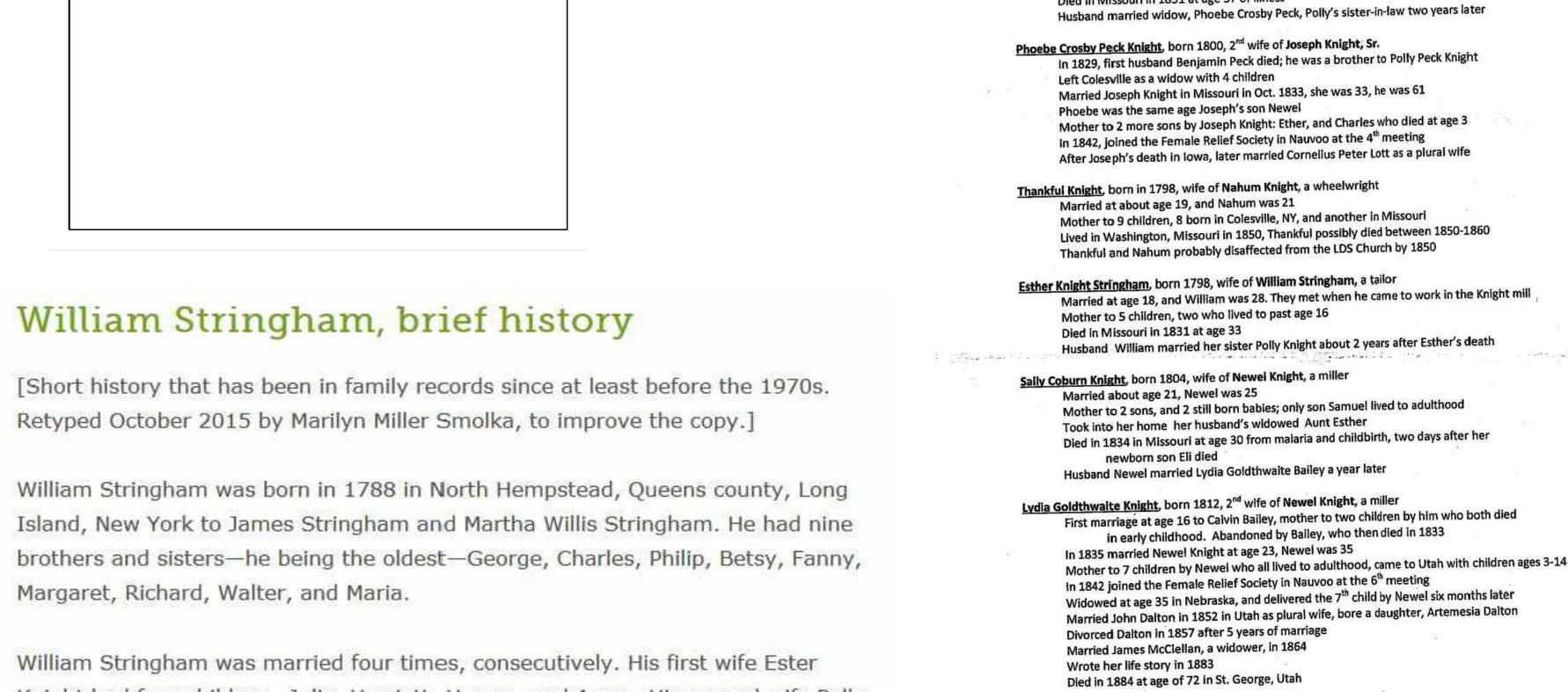
1828 - 1828 Broome Co. NY

HYRUM STRINGHAM

1833 - 1849 Jackson, MI

Thomas A Averitt b. Apr 1843, Springfield, Sangamon, Illinois, d., Columbus, Columbus, Franklin, Ohio +Margaret B Tilton b. 1850, Columbus, Columbus, Franklin, Ora Averitt b. 10 Oct 1877, Illinois





Mother to 7 children, all lived to adulthood Died in Missouri in 1831 at age 57 of illness

Anna Knight DeMille, born 1804, wife of Freeborn DeMille, worked in mills and farmed

n 1842 joined the Female Relief Society in Nauvoo at the 11th meeting

Married at about age 19 in Jackson County, Missouri in 1832, Joseph was 24

bes not appear to have come to Utah, no known children

British convert; Joseph married Mary as advised by Brigham Young so Joseph

Mother of three children, first daughter died as infant and her two sons, Miland Knigh

1843 Relief Society minutes report she volunteered to sew for temple workmen

Mother to 8 children, 3 lived to adulthood; babies died age 1 day, 10 months and 14 months and

twin girls born on the pioneer trail in Wyoming in Sept. 1848 died at birth

Of the original nuclear family of Joseph and Polly Knight with parents and 7 children, only 3 family members made it to Utah: Anna Knight DeMille, Joseph Knight, Jr., and Elizabeth Knight Johnson. Two more spouses of the original seven children, Lydia Knight and William Stringham, made it to Utah,

bringing with them grandchildren of Polly and Joseph, Sr. Two grandchildren of Polly and Joseph Knight

Sr., came across the plains on their own: Newel and Sally's son, Samuel Knight, age 14, drove a team for Mr. Wixom, and came in 1847, and Polly and William Stringham's son, Walter Stringham, age 19, came

in 1851 driving a freight wagon. Several other grandchildren were already married and came with

in Salt Lake City as a plural wife, no known children

Married on Nov. 1852 as a plural wife at age 26, when Joseph was 44

Mother to 7 children who all lived to adulthood, one daughter died age 21 in Winter Quarters

Adeline Johnson Knight, a plural wife married in Winter Quarters, 1847

Abba Welden Knight, a widow from Philadelphia, married in April 1852

Married at age 15, Freeborn was then age 23

ied in Manti at the age of 74

Died at age 62 in Salt Lake City

Mary Woolerton Knight, 4th wife of Joseph Knight, Jr.

Died in Nauvoo in April 1844, at age 33

Husband later married Eliza Lake

Died in Salt Lake City at age 66

rossed the plains with 4 children, mostly teenagers

Betsey Covert Knight, born 1813, first wife of Joseph Knight, Jr., a miller

and Joseph Knight III lived to adulthood

Polly Knight Stringham, born 1811, 2<sup>nd</sup> wife of William Stringham, a tailo.

Elizabeth Knight Johnson, born 1817, wife of Joseph W. Johnson, a masc

Husband married two other plural wives in Utah

Married Feb. 1842 at age 25 in Nauvoo, her husband was 27

Married in Missouri in 1835 about age 24 and William was 47

Gave birth to one son Walter, helped raise sister Esther's childre

in 1842 joined the Female Relief Society in Nauvoo at the 4th meeting

Mother to 6 children, only 3 daughters lived to adulthood

he other children were 2, 4, and 5 years old when they died

Freeborn in later years married a plural wife, Emma Richards

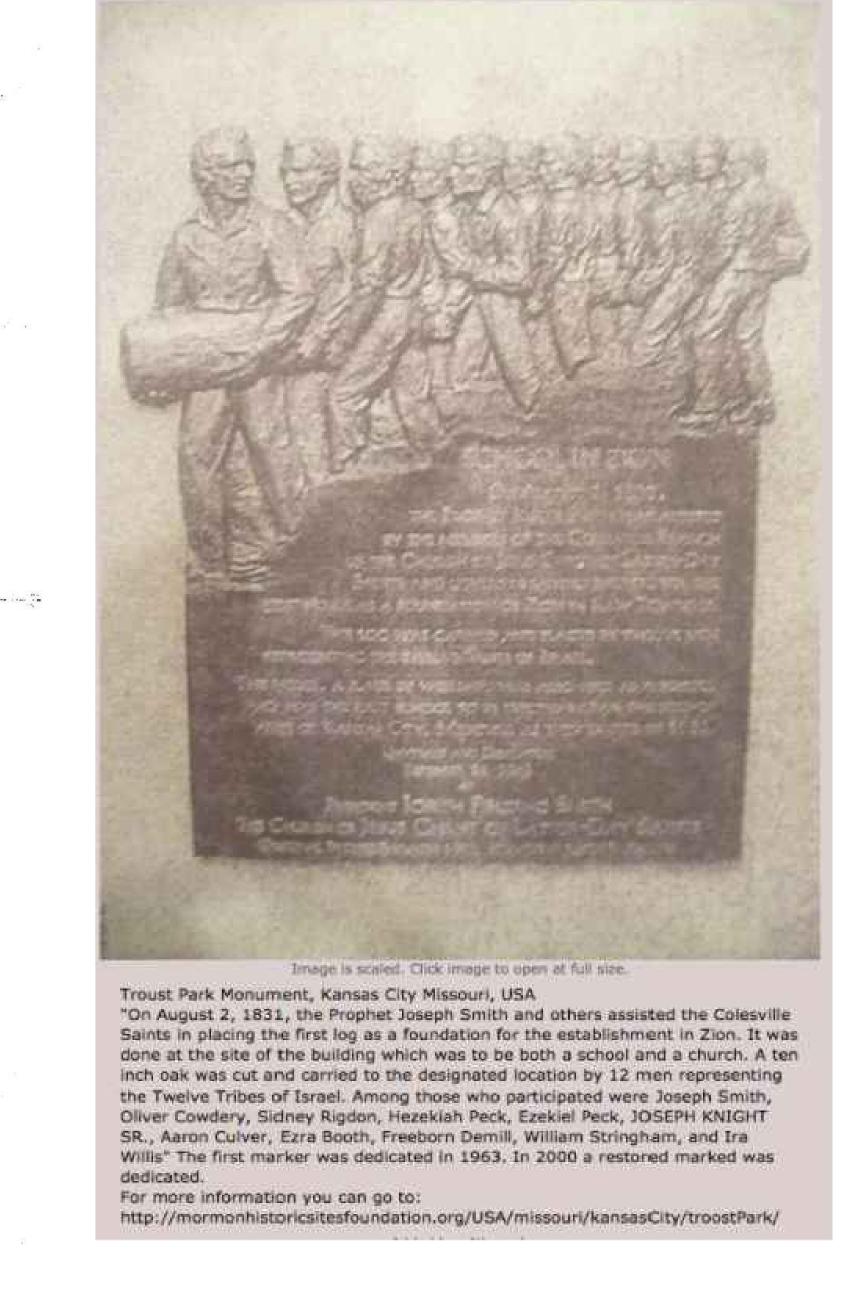
William Stringham was married four times, consecutively. His first wife Ester Knight had four children-Julia, Harriett, Hyrum, and Amos. His second wife Polly Knight, sister of Ester, had one child, Walter. His third wife Minnia (no last name given) had no children. His fourth wife Eliza (no last name given) had three children, William Maryette, Elzina. Ester and Polly were daughters of Joseph Knight, Sr., and sisters of Newell Knight. William Stringham and Polly had one child, Walter, then she passed away in

Nauvoo, Illinois on the 28th of April 1844, the year the Prophet was martyred Her mother, Polly Peck, was the first Latter Day Saint who died in Jackson county, Missouri. Her death took place 7 Aug. 1831. William Stringham and his wife Ester Knight were baptized in Colesville, by Oliver Cowdery together with Emma, wife of the Prophet Joseph Smith; Hezekiah Peck and wife, Joseph Knight Sr. and wife; Levi Hales, Polly Knight and Julia Stringham. William Stringham was ordained a High Priest in Nauvoo and received his Patrearchial [patriarchal] blessing by the hand of Joseph Smith Sr.

In 1856 the family came to Utah in Canute Peterson's train and in February 1857 they located in Manti. William was always a hard worker in the church. William Stringham was a tailor by trade and made suits for the Prophet Joseph Smith and also for Abraham Lincoln. His little son Walter would often accompany him when he went to fit a suit, and he would sit on the knee of these eminent men and listen to them tell stories.

William Stringham passed away in Manti, Utah 3 Nov 1865. Walter learned the trade of plasterer in Illinois and worked at that trade in and about Manti. He spent a great deal of time working on the Manti Temple. He also taught this trade to his son, John.





Mary H Tallcott b. 11 Nov 1850, Mendon, Adams, Illinois, d. 2 +Wesley Clair b. 11 Jul 1848, d. 8 Nov 1938, Mendon, Adams, William Wesley Clair b. 12 Sep 1876, Mendon, Adams, Illinois Arthur Clair b. 20 Jun 1878, Mendon, Adams, Illinois, d. 19 Richard Leroy Clair b. Apr 1880, Illinois, d. Feb 1972, Highland, Lake, Indiana Rosa M. Clair b. 3 Aug 1881, Mendon, Adams, Illinois Margaret Clair b. 19 Apr 1888, Mendon, Adams, Illinois, d.

MEMBERS OF THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS

BAPTIZED BY SEPTEMBER 26, 1830

On September 26, 1830 at the second conference By her I had one son and two daughters. . . . The Ch

e Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints it was was not organized but soon after, April 6, 1830. A few d

nem had joined the church since the first conference Joseph Smith." (OPH2:599) It is possible that Solomon

d that there were sixty-two members, and that thirtyafterwards] I was baptized in the waters of Seneca Lak

June 9th. This means that from April 6, 1830 to June 9, baptized between April 8th and April 10th. As nearly all

30 there were twenty-seven people who joined the the baptisms talk place on Sunday during these ini

urch, each of whom has been identified for many years, months, the fact that he was not part of the group baptize

scept for two. The complete number of sixty-two members on Sunday, April 11th, points to a date of the 8th, 9th

of 1829 at Seneca Lake by his brother Joseph, but on church was preached by Oliver Cowdery. After the meeting

the day the Church was organized, these baptisms were re-

ne. On April 6th there were eleven individuals who were The group retired to Seneca Lake and there Oliver Cow

aptized. The History of the Church (HC1:72,79) identifies baptized Hiram Page (13) and his wife, Katherine White

Rockwell (10). The mother of Ornin Porter Rockwell, memers were added to the Church. These include

arah Witt Rockwell (11), was also baptized that day (OPR Elizabeth (19), Vincent (20), and William Jolly (2

8:14). All were confirmed the same day (HC 1:78). Each Richard Ziba Peterson (22), Peter Whitmer, Sr. (23), h

. When I was twenty years old I went to the Manchester was the headquarters for that branch, a

by the name of Hopee [Hopestill] Haskins. [They were Whitmer home at Fayette was where the branch held its meetings in that place. (HCI:119)

Baptized 11 Apr 1830 by Oliver Cowdery at New York by Oliver Cowdery. Married 18 Dec 1832 in

Baptized I1 Apr 1830 by Oliver Cowdery at Vermont, a daughter of General Stephen Mack and

Seneca Lake. He was probably the husband of Elizabeth Temperance Bond, and a niece to Lucy Mack Smith. He

Jolly. They belonged to either the Fayette or Manchester father was one of the firest merchants of Detroit, also at

ranch, but did not leave New York with the rest of the Pontiac, Michigan, where he left a large estate. Alvir

Baptized 18 Apr 1830 by Oliver Cowdery at offered to the family, but rejected. She married Benjami

Seneca Lake. Ordained as an Elder prior to the first Covey and was the mother of four children born in Missou

of Elders attending the second conference on 26 Sep (HSP:88-89; MLO:131; NAU1:43; UGM26:156)

onference of the church on 9 Jun 1830. He was not in the and Nauvoo. Alvira died 10 Mar 1886 at Salt Lake City.

I he was chastized by the Lord for hiding his sins, but Vermont, the son of Joseph Knight, Sr. and Polly Peck.

ous vote. In 1833 he was delivered over to the New York by David Whitmer, having traveled

Born 27 Aug 1778 at Strasburg, Germany. 1847. (AJ2:773-775; BOP:19; HC1:84; 2:32; 4

Married Peter Whitmer, Sr. Baptized 18 Apr 1830 at 6:229; KEQ:90; LCP:198-199; NAU1:76; MEM

Seneca Lake, Fayette, Seneca, New York by Oliver MMH:93-94; PKO:43,107,118; UPB36:53)

to transgress the commandments of God." He is York 1830-1831. Moved to Thompson, Lake, Ohio is

isted with the Elders in good standing on 4 Aug 1831 at 1809 moved with his parents first to Bainbridge. Cheng

special conference held in Kaw township, Jackson County, and then to Colesville, Broome, New Y

eneca Lake. He was probably the son of William and Jackson County, Missouri to Oliver Cowdery. Died 7 Jan

was probably baptized by Oliver Cowdery, except for wife Mary Musselman Whitmer (24), and their daught

(yrum Smith (3), Samuel H. Smith (4), Joseph Smith, Sr. Jacob Whitmer (18). (HC1:81; HSP:64)

eople from Chenango County, and Seneca County in HC1:86-88; FGR Stephen Mack)

Baptized 11 Apr 1830 by Oliver Cowdery at (UGM26:107

lizabeth Jolly. The family belonged to either the Fayette or 1892. (UGM26:106)

the Lamanites. In May of 1831 he was in Missouri with 27. NEWEL K. KNIGHT

did not leave New york with the rest of the Saints for 25. ELIZABETH ANN WHITMER

enaca Lake. She was probably the wife of William

by belonged to either the Fayette or Manchester branch

lanchester branch, but did not leave New York with the

rest of the Saints for Kirtland. (HC1:81; LCP:29)

830. Called as a missionary in October of 1830 to p

ver Cowdery, preaching to the Lamanites. In August of

Born 14 Apr 1773 in Pennsylvania. Married Mary

22. RICHARD ZIBA PETERSON

en of them: Joseph Smith, Jr. (1), Oliver Cowdery (2), (14), and Anne (15), Christian (16), Elizabeth (17), and

vicinity of Lyons, Wayne, New York, just north of Fayett

On April 11th, the first public discourse in the

Elizabeth Ann Whitmer (25). (HC1:81; HSP:7

Baptized 18 Apr 1830 at Seneca Lake, Fayette, Seneca

Born 28 Apr 1805 at Tunbridge, Orange,

arrived at the Smith home in May of 1830 and was baptize

in June. In June of the following year, Alvira and Lucy

Born 13 Sep 1800 at Marlborough, Windhan

Exodus in 1846 with Bishop George Miller's Company

accompanied Hyrum Smith to Detroit where the gospel v

26. ALVIRA OR ALMIRA MACK

GM26:106-107) They were all baptized at Seneca Lal

y September 26th has never been identified prior to this 10th to qualify for the "few days" noted in

Joseph Smith, Jr., Oliver Cowdery, and Samuel H. to be baptized, so it was not far.

Smith were all initially baptized on May 15, 182

5), Lucy Mack Smith (6), Martin Harris (7),

nembers were then ordained to the priesthood.

MS:337). Hyrum Smith was also baptized previously, in

According to the History of the Church, the male

day of the organization." (LCP:198) Joseph Knight, Jr.,

Julia M. Tallcott b. 6 Feb 1852, Mendon, Adams, Illinois, d. 26 +Amos Henry Scranton b. 5 May 1845, Mendon, Adams, Illinois, d. 9 Sep 1928, Mendon, Adams, Illinois Chester Scranton b. 22 Jan 1874, Mendon, Adams, Illinois, d. 7 Hattie Scranton b. 1876, Mendon, Adams, Illinois, d. 7 Dec Frank Jarman Scranton b. 17 Jul 1879, Missouri, d. Jul 1963, Samuel Scranton b. 2 Nov 1881, Hale, Hurricane Township Carroll, Missouri, d. 25 May 1944, (Hale, Hurricane Cownship, Carroll, Missouri) Harry A. Scranton b. 25 Oct 1884, Hale, Hurricane Township, Carroll, Missouri, d. 20 Nov 1968 Hiram Scranton b. 20 Mar 1887, Hale, Hurricane Township, Carroll, Missouri, d. 20 Oct 1965 Julia Scranton b. 17 Jun 1890, Hale, Hurricane Township, Carroll, Missouri, d. 26 Mar 1978

The twenty-seventh member to join the church Stringham (47) and her father, William Stringham (48),

On Wednesday, June 9, 1830, the first conference Sr., was baptized this same day. (FGR Joseph Knight, Sr

The minutes of the meeting indicate that Joseph She was at the time living with her brother, Esick L

nitmer, John Whitmer, and Richard Ziba Peterson were Colesville to try and dissuade her sister from joining the

ined. Samuel H. Smith was ordained an Elder by Oliver brother-in-law "P.T." through a power of attorney from h

dery, and Joseph Smith, Sr. and Hyrum Smith were father, Amasa Colburn of Guilford, Chenango, New Yo

dained Priests. Martin Harris is noted in the minutes as as she was under age eighteen. Emily identified her baptis

Those desiring baptism that day following the interest in Emily's case, it is likely that her baptism was

t a dam for performing baptisms, and advised the to have joined shortly after her husband. (OPH2:59:

of Joseph knight, Sr., and his wife, Martha Long (41), The next day they walked some twenty-five miles to the

oseph Knight, Sr. (42), his wife Polly Peck (43), and their home of Peter Whitmer, Sr. Parley says, "I found the litt

ildren Joseph Knight, Jr. (44), and Polly Knight (45), branch of the Church in this place full of joy, faith, humili

Sally Colburn Knight (46), wife of Newel Knight, Julia and charity. We rested that night, and on the next day, being

Baptized 9 Jun 1830 at Seneca Lake by David OPR:15,18; UGM26:153-154)

She was the daughter of William Jolly and his the Fayette Branch until the family moved to Ohio and

ife. Baptized 9 Jun 1830 at Seneca Lake by David Missouri in 1831. Settled with his parents in Jackson

Pavid Whitmer. She was the mother of David J. Whitmer Rockwell; HC1:86; OPR:15,18; UGM26:153-154)

moved to Illinois, and died there apparently. (LCP:229; Born 25 Mar 1816 at Norwich, Windsor,

Baptized 9 Jun 1830 at Seneca Lake by David Lake, Ohio to Agnes Moulton Coolbrith. Ordaine

Whitmer following the first conference of the church. President of the High Priest Quorum in 1836. Served

Married Mary Nancy Davis, also known as Nancy Bancroft. mission in Tennessee in 1838. Died 7 Aug 1841 at Nauvoe

Moved west with the Saints from New york to Ohio, Hancock, Illinois. (HC1:86; 2:370; 3:252; 4:189,393-399;

the process, he accidently mistook Father John Johnson Born 28 Jul 1813 at Lebanon, Grafton, New

a mobster and hit him, breaking his collar bone. David Hampshire, daughter of Joseph Smith, Sr. and Lucy Macl

Whitmer laid his hands upon Father Johnson and healed Baptized 9 Jun 1830 by David Whitmer at Seneca La

im immediately. John Poorman and his wife, Nancy, were after the first conference of the church. Married 8 Jan 18

with the Saints in the Missouri period, but have not been at Kirtland, Lake, Ohio to Wilkins Jenkins Salisbury. Ha

found in records after that date. (FGR; HC1:86,263-264; four children. After the Mormon Exodus, they lived at

30, the day of the first conference of the church by David Born 13 Mar 1811 at Royalton, Windsor,

Whitmer in Seneca Lake. She belonged to the Fayette Vermont. Baptized 9 Jun 1830 at Seneca Lake, Faye

anch until the family moved to Ohio and Missouri in Seneca, New York, by David Whitmer. Married (1) 14

831. Settled with her parents in Jackson County in the Big 1833 to Caroline Amanda Grant, sister of Jedediah M

robably in the spring of 1831. In March of 1832, he was NAU1:87,93; SFH:55; UGM26:102)

ne Prophet Joseph Smith during an attack at Hiram, Ohio. 36. CATHERINE SMITH

Born about 1817 either at Belcher, Hampshire, UGM26:102)

aughter of Orin Rockwell and Sarah Witt. Bptized 9 Jun 37. WILLIAM B. SMITH

hitmer. She married 9 Jan 1831 in Seneca County to Country in the Big Blue River district. (FGR, Orin

eady being a Priest. Hyrum Page and Christian Whitmer and confirmation as occurring "several months" afterw

inference were taken to Seneca Lake and baptized by August 29th, the day which had secretly been arrange

avid Whitmer. They were Harriet (28), John (29), and Joseph and Hyrum Smith, and John and David Whitmer

Smith, Jr., Oliver Cowdery, Peter Whitmer, David Colburn at Sandford, Broome, New York. She had come

lready Elders, and there is no indication that they were re-

301; HC1:88; UGM26:109, 147-148) Family records als

indicate that Anna Knight (53), daughter of Joseph Knigh

Colburn (54), sister of Sally Colburn Knight, Newel's w

on a Sunday, while visiting her sister in Colesvi

LCP:101) As the Prophet Joseph Smith took a sp

the Book of Mormon in lat August of 1830, went to the

home of Hyrum Smith and "demanded baptism at his hand

Blue River district. (FGR, Orin Rockwell; HC1:86; OPR:15,18; UGM26:153-154)

'assachusetts, son of Orin Rockwell and Sarah W.

Vermont, son of Joseph Smith, Sr. and Lucy Mack.

Baptized 9 Jun 1830 at Seneca Lake, Fayette, Seneca, ne

York by David Whitmer. Married 30 Jul 1835 at Kirtland

Plymouth and Webster, both in Hancock County. Died

Feb 1900 at Fountain Green, Hancock, Illinois. (HC1:2,8)

4:189; 5:247; History of Hancock County, p. 124;

was Newel Knight (27), who was baptized the "last week of his wife Esther Knight (49), a daughter of Joseph Knight

May" (HC1:84) by David Whitmer at Seneca Lake, having Sr., Aaron Culver (50) and his wife, Ester Knight (51),

traveled from Colesville to the farm of Peter Whitmer, Sr. sister of Joseph Knight, Sr., and Levi Hall (52). (LCP:2)

f the church was held. The members listed previously were LCP:203)

there, plus some sixty others either wanting baptism, or

lia Ann Jolly (30), John Poorman (31), Caroline (32),

mith (38), Hyrum's wife. (HC1:86: OPR:18) After

oulation of the meeting. (HC1:86-88) Because the LCP:260)

who were baptized that day by Oliver Cowdery were

and Julia A. Whitmer, born in Missouri and Ohio.

remained with her husband in Missouri after the Mormons

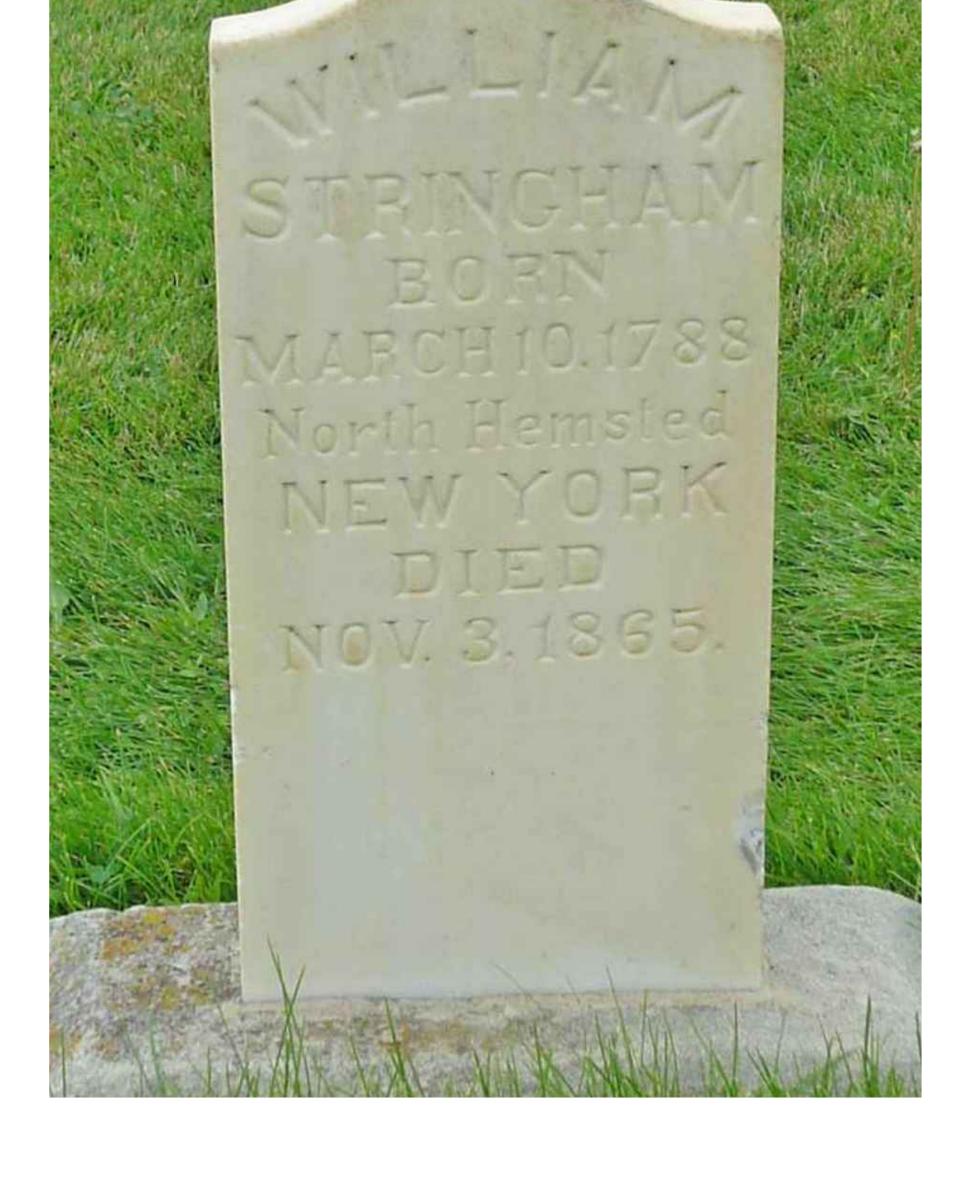
wolved in fighting a mob of forty to fifty men that tarred

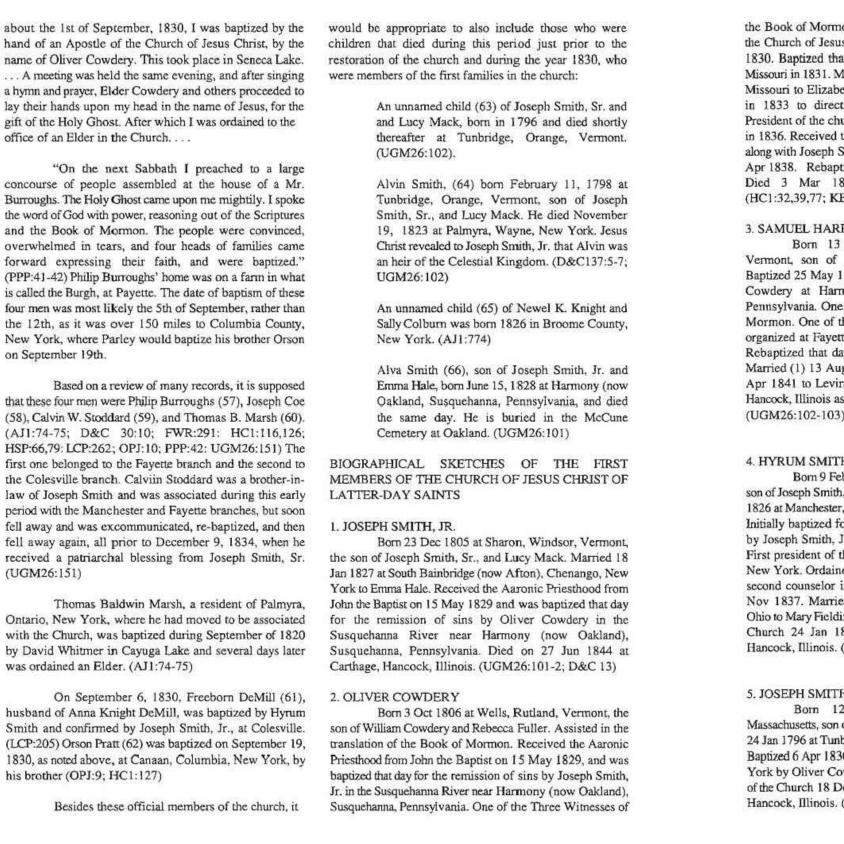
Massachusetts, or at Manchester, Ontario, New York

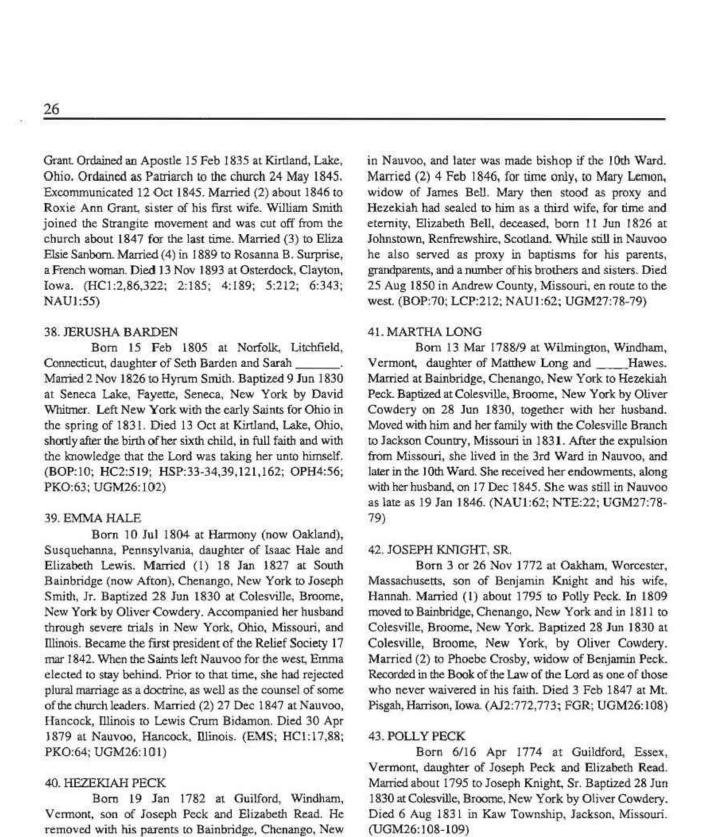
was organized, to visit these and other friends.

William Chester Talcott b. 10 Dec 1855, Mendon, Adams +Mary A. Baldwin b. Abt 1860, Illinois Ora Maria Talcott b. 10 Sep 1882, Honey Creek Township Adams, Illinois, d. Jan 1958

Samuel Talcott b. 1 May 1857, Mendon, Adams, Illinois +Abbie F Meyers b. Abt 1863, Adams, Illinois, d. Bef before Freddie F. Talcott b. Sep 1886, Adams, Illinois Cora F Tallcott b. Abt 1888, Illinois Julia H Tallcott b. Abt 1890, Illinois Charles S Tallcott b. Oct 1891, Adams, Illinois, d. Oct 1975 Chester C Tallcott b. Oct 1893, Adams, Illinois Arthur S Tallcott b. Oct 1895, Adams, Illinois Walter C Tallcott b. 23 Dec 1897, Illinois, d. Oct 1967 Sarah L. Talcott b. Dec 1899, Adams, Illinois, d. Unknown Abbie Elizabeth Tallcott b. Abt 1907, Illinois, d. Unknown







ork where he married (1) Martha Long. Baptized at

esville, Broome, New York by Oliver Cowdery on 28 44. JOSEPH KNIGHT, JR.

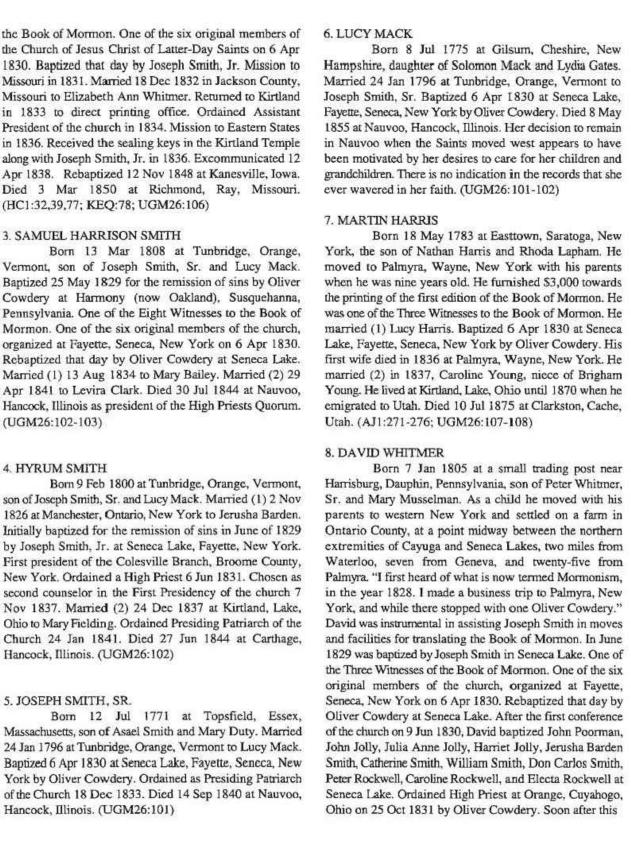
830, together with his wife. His sister, Polly Peck, was Born 21 Jun 1808 at Halifax, Windham, Vermont

prother Ezekiel and their families, moved with the Jun 1830 at Colesville, Broome, New York by Oli

Colesville Branch to Jackson County, Missouri in 1831. Cowdery, He married (1) 22 Mar 1832 to Betsey Cov

After the expulsion from Missouri, he lived in the 3rd Ward He married (2) 19 Nov 1847 to Adeline Johnson, He

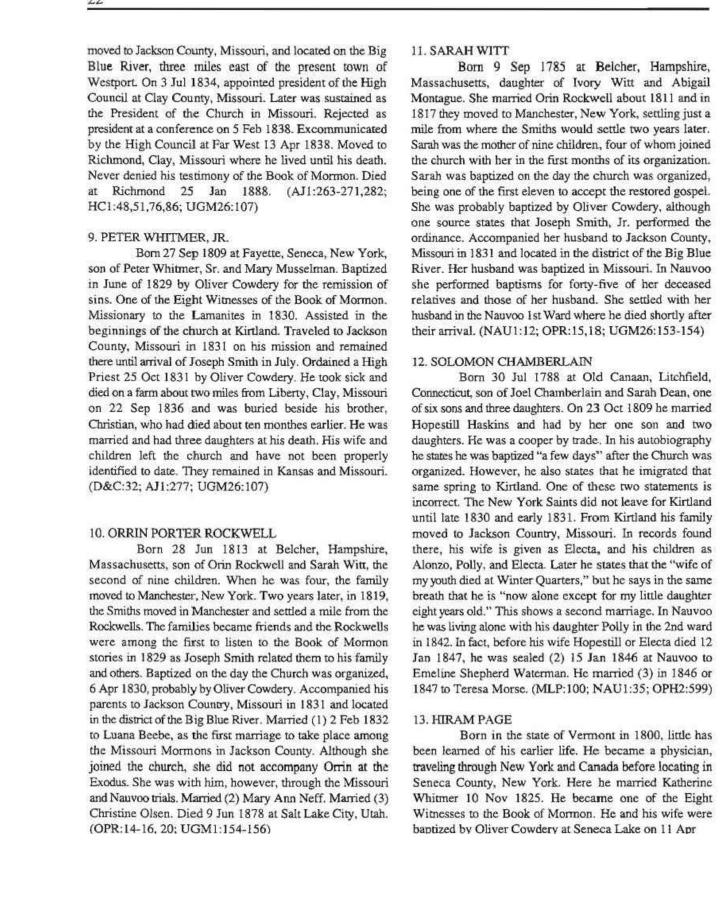
of Joseph Knight, Sr. Hezekiah, along with his the son of Joseph knight, Sr. and Polly Peck. Baptized 28



arried (3) 5 Apr 1852 to Abba Welden. He married (4) 14	1846 he had his two wives sealed to him with Eliza Lake,
ov 1852 to Mary Wollerton. Died 3 Nov 1866 at Salt	his third wife, standing as proxy. She received her
ake City, Salt Lake, Utah.	endowments and was sealed to him the same day. (BOP:28,
	177-178; NAU1:44; NTE:80; UGM26:146-149)
POLLY KNIGHT	
Born 7 Mar 1811 at Bainbridge, Chenango, New	49. ESTHER KNIGHT
ork, daughter of Joseph Knight, Sr. and Polly Peck.	Born 25 Apr 1798 at Marlboro, Windham,
aptized 28 Jun 1830 at Colesville, Broome, New York by	Vermont, daughter of Joseph Knight, Sr. and Polly Peck.
liver Cowdery. With the Colesville Saints, and her father's	Married about 1815, William Stringham. Baptized 28 Jun
mily, she moved to Jackson County, Missouri in 1831.	1830 at Colesville, Broome County, New York by Oliver
fter her sister Ester died in Jackson County about 1833,	Cowdery. Moved with her family and the Colesville Branch
e married Esther's husband, William Stringham. They	to Jackson County, Missouri in 1831. She died there in
ere the parents of Huron Stringham, born about 1835, and	1833. She was the mother of four children, two girls and
Valter Stringham, born 4 Feb 1837 in Clay County,	two boys, the last being born in 1833 and causing her death.
lissouri. Polly died in Nauvoo 27 Apr 1944. The Nauvoo eighbor gave her death age as 33 years, 1 month, and 20	(FGR Joseph Knight, Sr.; BOP:28; UGM26:148-149)
lys. (FGR, Joseph Knight; UGM26:109,148)	50. AARON CULVER
ys. (1 GR, 3030ph Ringht, O 01120.105,140)	It is not known what Aaron's origins are. He
SALLY COLBURN	married Esther Knight, the sister of Joseph Knight, Sr., so
Born 1804 at Guilford, Chenango, New York, the	it is likely that he was from Vermont. Baptized 28 Jun 1830
aughter of Amasa Colburn and Experience	at Colesville, Broome County, New York by Oliver
arried 7 Jun 1825 to Newel K. Knight. Baptized 28 Jun	Cowdery. His wife moved with her family and the
330 at Colesville, Broome, New York by Oliver Cowdery.	Colesville Branch to Jackson County, Missouri in 1831.
loved to Thompson, Lake, Ohio in May of 1831 with the	Aaron apparently died in the interim. (HC1:88; MLP:104;
olesville Branch. Moved with this branch to Jackson	UGM26:147)
ounty, Missouri in the summer of 1831. Moved to Clay	
ounty, Missouri in 1833. Died 15 Sep 1834 at Turnham's	51. ESTHER KNIGHT
anding, Gallatin, Clay County, Missouri. (AJ2:773-775;	Born in Oakham, Worcester, Massachusetts,
GM26:109-110)	daughter of Benjamin Knight and his wife, Hannah. She
	married Aaron Culver. Baptized 28 Jun 1830 at Colesville,
7. JULIA ANN STRINGHAM	Broome County, New York by Oliver Cowdery. She was in
Born 29 Feb 1817 in Broome County, New York,	Jackson County, Missouri in 1831 without her husband.
nughter of William Stringham and Esther Knight. Baptized	(HC1:88; MLO:104; UGM26:147)
8 Jun 1830 at Colesville, Broome, New York by Oliver	
owdery. Died 30 Apr 1886. (UGM26:149)	52. LEVI HALL
	Little is known of Levi Hall. The History of the
B. WILLIAM STRINGHAM	Church names him Levi Hale, but research has not found
Born 2 May 1788 at North Hempstead, Queens	any Hale living in Broome County during that time;
ounty, Long Island, New York, son of James Stringham	however, there is a Levi Hall, and Newel Knight so
nd Martha Willis. His father and grandfather and their	identifies him. Baptized 28 Jun 1830 at Colesville, Broome
milies left Long Island about 1805 and settled in Broome ounty, New York. Married (1) about 1815, Esther Knight,	County, New York by Oliver Cowdery. No record of him
aughter of Joseph Knight, Sr. Baptized 28 Jun 1830 at	has been found in Ohio, Missouri, or Illinois. He apparently left the church when it left New York. (HC1;88; LCP:202)
olesville, Broome County, New York by Oliver Cowdery.	telt the church when it left New Tork. (FIC1,00, ECF.202)
loved with his family and the Colesville Branch to Jackson	53. ANNA KNIGHT
ounty, Missouri in 1831. His wife died there in 1833. He	Born 5/6 Mar 1804 at Halifax, Windham,
parried (2) her sister Polly Knight. They were with the	Vermont, daughter of Joseph Knight, Sr. and Polly Peck.
aints in Clay County, Missouri. After the expulsion from	She married 11 Mar 1819 at Colesville, Broome, New York
lissouri, they moved to Nauvoo, living in the 2nd Ward.	to Freeborn DeMill. She was apparently baptized the same
massar, and more to reactor, aring in the and water.	a resection continue one was apparently pupilized the same

y died there 27 Apr 1844. He was endowed 31 Dec day as many others of her family, on 28 Jun 1830 at

845 by himself, being a High Priest at that time. On 22 Jan Colesville, despite the fact that she is not included in the



nildren. (AJ1:277-278; HC1:81; UGM26:151)

rrisburg, Pennsylvania in 1802 to Favette. A

being born to Anne and Christian. (AJ1:27

son of Silas Stoddard and Bathsheba Sheffield. Married :

otained a copy of the first sixteen pages from the pri

rior to its full publication. This he took to his wife

harleston, Massachusetts. They were both converted. He

oved to Palmyra, Ontario, New York in September.

ake, Cayuga, New York by David Whitmer, probably as

ne of the four men referred to by Parley P. Pratt as being

Girtland in the Spring of 1831. Missions to Missouri and

aptized the first Sunday he preached at Fayette. Traveled

robably baptized 5 Sep 1830. He was baptized at Cayuga

60. THOMAS BALDWIN MARSH

Dec 1827 to Sophronia Smith, sister of Joseph Smith, Jr. 62. ORSON PRATT

Became aware of the Book of Mormon in 1829 and (AJ1:87-91; D&C34; OPJ)

eturned to Missouri in 1838. Appointed president pro tem Mormon Research Institute

Mar 1839 at a conference in Quincy, Illinois. After his Cook. Far West Record.

Musselman. Moved with his family about 1809 to wh

several years in the Mormon camps in Iowa and Nebraska

polygamous wife on 3 May 1856 named Emma Lynette

Richardson, in Salt Lake City. Died 23 Jan 1881 at Manti

the eastern United States during the next ten years. In

1835. Married 4 Jul 1836 to Sarah M. Bates. Missionary

Great Britain 1840-1841. Was in Nauvoo and left in th

AJ Jensen, Andrew. L.D.S. Biographical

BOP Nauvoo Temple. A Book of Proxy.

EMS Newell, Linda King, and Valeen Tippetts

BSP Briant Stringham and His People.

Zion's Camp to Missouri. Ordained an Apostle 26 A

arrived in Salt Lake City on 17 Sep 1850. He married a

d on 11 Apr 1830 at Seneca Lake by Oliver which believed some of the doctrines of the original chur

dery, along with his wife. As early as June, 1830, he established by Joseph Smith, but rejected others. He always

eld the office of Teacher in the church. Moved to Ohio and maintained his testimony of the Book of Mor

en Missouri in 1831, settling in Jackson County. He was (AJ1:276-277; HC1:58,81; LCP:225,229; UGM26:10

ily to Ohio. Served special mission to Missouri where son of Garret DeMill and Delana Amy or Eighmey. He w

participated in dedication services at Jackson County. baptized 6 Sep 1830 at Colesville, Broome, New York

ved to Kirtland about 1832. Ordained a High Priest by moved with his family and the Colesville Branch to Jackson

s for Kirtland Temple. Claimed Joseph Smith was a was the father of seven children at that time, including s

en prophet in June of 1837. Excommunicated 1 Jan girls and one boy. Endowed 25 Dec 1845 at Nauvoo along

0&C55:6; 102:3; FWR:247; HC1:186; 2:276; 6:179; 1846, arriving at Mt. Pisgah on the 26th of May, and after

Born 7 Sep 1801 at Palmyra, Wayne, New York, Sanpete, Utah. (LCP:205; NTE:64; UGM26:149)

Probably baptized 5 Sep 1830 at Cayuga Lake, Cayuga, Born 19 Sep 1811 at Hartford, Washington, New

ew York by David Whitmer at the same time Thomas B. York, son of Jared Pratt and Charity Dickison. Baptized 19

rsh and Joseph Coe were baptized. Ordained an Elder on Sep 1830 at Canaan, Columbian, New York by his brothe

Oct 1831. Lived in Kirtland from sometime in 1835 until parley P. Pratt. In the following month he traveled 200

s death, having spent some of that time working on the miles to Fayette to see Joseph Smith. Confirmed as a

irtland temple and receiving a blessing for his labors. Died member of the church 1 Dec 1830, and ordained a High

at Kirtland, Lake, Ohio 19 May 1836. (FWR:291; Priest 2 Feb 1832 by Sidney Rigdon. Missionary throughout

Born 1 Nov 1799 at Acton, Middlesex, exodus west First pioneer to enter Salt Lake valley. Died

Massachusetts. Married 1 Nov 1820 to Elizabeth Godkin. Oct 1881 at Salt Lake City. Father of forty-five children.

e Eastern States during the next five years. Resident of Avery. Mormon Enigma: Emma Hale Smith.

ife's death, he was rebaptized at Florence, Nebraska and HC History of the Church.

irtland 1835-1838. Ordained an Apostle 26 Apr 1835. FGR Family Group Record on file at Early

the church in Missouri. Excommunicated for apostasy 17 FWR Cannon, Donald Q., and Lyndon W.

oved to Utah that same year. Died at Ogden, Weber, Utah, HSP Corbett, Pearson H. Hyrum Smith,

18. Remained in Kirtland where he died 17 Oct 1854. with his wife. He left Nauvoo with his family in May of

ph Smith on 1 Oct 1832. Assisted in laying foundation County, Missouri in 1831. Records in Missouri show he

ved a mission to New York in 1831 with Ezra Thayer. Hyrum Smith. He was confirmed by Joseph Smith, Jr.

official record of the church. She moved with her family and the Colesville Branch to Jackson County, Missouri in 1831. Records in Missouri show her to be the mother of seven children at that time, including six girls and one boy. She was endowed along with her husband on 25 Dec 1845 at Nauvoo. They left Nauvoo with their family in May of 146, arriving at Mt. Pisgah on the 26th of May. After several years in the Mormon camps in Iowa and Nebraska, arrived in Salt Lake City on 17 Sep 1850. She died 22 Jul 1878 at Manti, Sanpete, Utah. (FGR, Joseph Knight, Sr.; HC1:88; MLO:106; NTE:64; UGM26:109,149)  54. EMILY COLBURN  Born about 1802 at Guilford, Chenango, New York, daughter of Amasa and Experience Colburn. At the time she joined the church, she was living in the township of Sandford, adjoining Colesville, Broome, New York with her brother Esick Lyon Colburn. Upon learning of her sister Sally's interest in joining the Mormons, she went to Colesville to try to dissuade her. She was present on the	autobiography only refers to himself and not his wife, and because of the known situations in which she was involved but not mentioned, it must be assumed that she joined shortly after he did. They left New York in the spring of 1831, moving to Kirtland, and then in the fall to Jackson County, Missouri. Records in Missouri give the family as consisting of Solomon, his wife Electa, and children Alonzo, Polly and Electa. She was not recorded with her husband in 1842 in Nauvoo. He was living with his daughter Polly Wilson Chamberlain. It appears that Hopestill or Electa may have become disaffected during the Nauvoo period. When Solomon received his endowments on 18 Dec 1845, he did so with his second wife, Emeline Shepherd Waterman. Hopestill did not receive her endowments in Nauvoo. However, she returned from wherever she was during this period and was with the Saints in the Exodus. She died at Winter Quarters 12 Jan 1847. (LCP:260; MLO:100; NAUI:35; NTE:26; WQ:136; Ethel B. Kirby, A List of Deaths and Burials at Winter Quarters, p. 6.)
28th of June when many of the Colesville Saints were baptized. Her brother and the Rev. John Sherer arrived from Sandford after her delay and tried to force her to return. Later legal actions forced her return, as she was not eighteen, and she was formally dismissed from the Presbyterian Church, but later restored. This may have changed her mind in favor of joining the LDS Church, as she was baptized about the 29th of August, 1830. She removed with the Colesville Branch to Jackson County, Missouri where she married Clark Slade, also a member of the branch, in September of 1833. From there they followed the Saints into Clay and Caldwell Counties, then moved to Pittsfield, Pike, Illinois during the expulsion period. There her husband died, prior to 1844. She was the mother of five children. She moved to Nauvoo, then to Wayne, Ashtabula, Ohio. She returned a number of times to Nauvoo, was remarried during one of these visits, joined a Methodist congregation in Pennsylvania, and later was living or near Madison, Wisconsin in 1882. (LCP:199-202,214-216)	Born 12 April 1806 at Burlington, Otsego, New York, son of Jared Pratt and Charity Dickison. Married 9 Sep 1827 at Canaan, Columbia, New York, to Thankful Halsey, by Elder Palmer of the Baptist Church. Became associated with Sidney Rigdon, and while on a preaching mission for his new Campbellite faith, came in contact with the Book of Mormon. Thereafter, he visited Palmyra, talked to Hyrum Smith, and was baptized about 1 Sep 1830, having walked twenty-five miles to the home of Peter Whitmer, Sr. at Fayette, for that purpose. He was baptized by Oliver Cowdery at Seneca Lake. Ordained an Elder the same day. Went to Canaan where he baptized his brother Orson. Returned to Fayette for the September conference and then was appointed as one of the Lamanite missionaries. Ordained a High Priest by Joseph Smith, Jr. on 6 Jun 1831. Became an Apostle on 21 Feb 1835, and was actively involved in the movements and affairs of the
55. HOPESTILL HASKINS  Born 1778. Married Solomon Chamberlain at Pawnal, Bennington, Vermont on 23 Nov 1809 and became the mother of one son and two daughters. Apparently joined the church soon after her husband did, as she was deeply devoted to him. They lived in the vicinity of Lyons, just	Church until his death, Married (2) Mary Ann Frost 9 May 1837 after the death of his first wife in Kirtland on 25 Mar 1837. Married ten other wives between 1843 and 1855. He was murdered on 13 May 1857 near the Arkansas border and the Indian Territory while on a mission. (AJ1:83-85; PPP:1-42)
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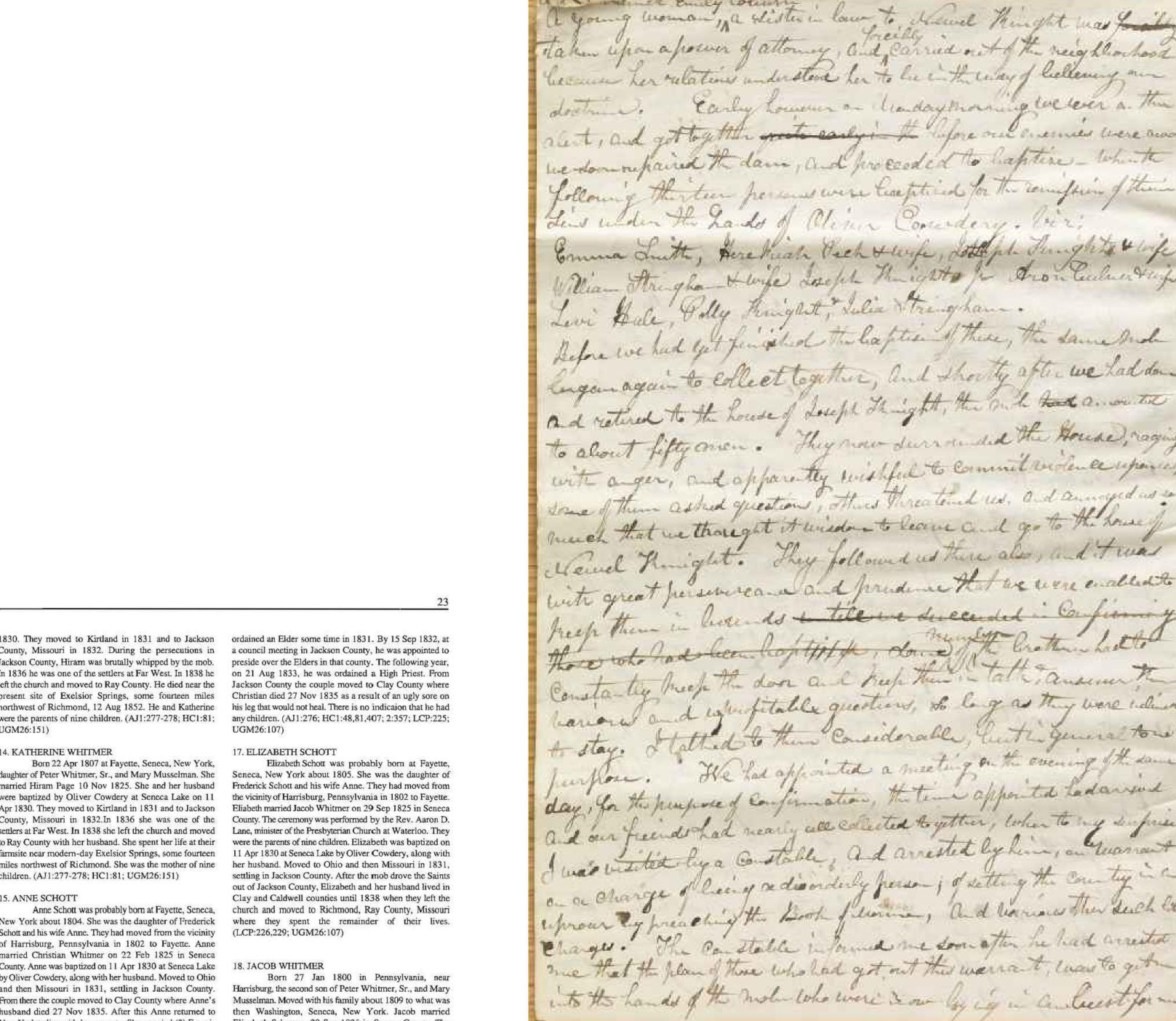
north of Fayette. They became aware of the Book of 58. JOSEPH COE

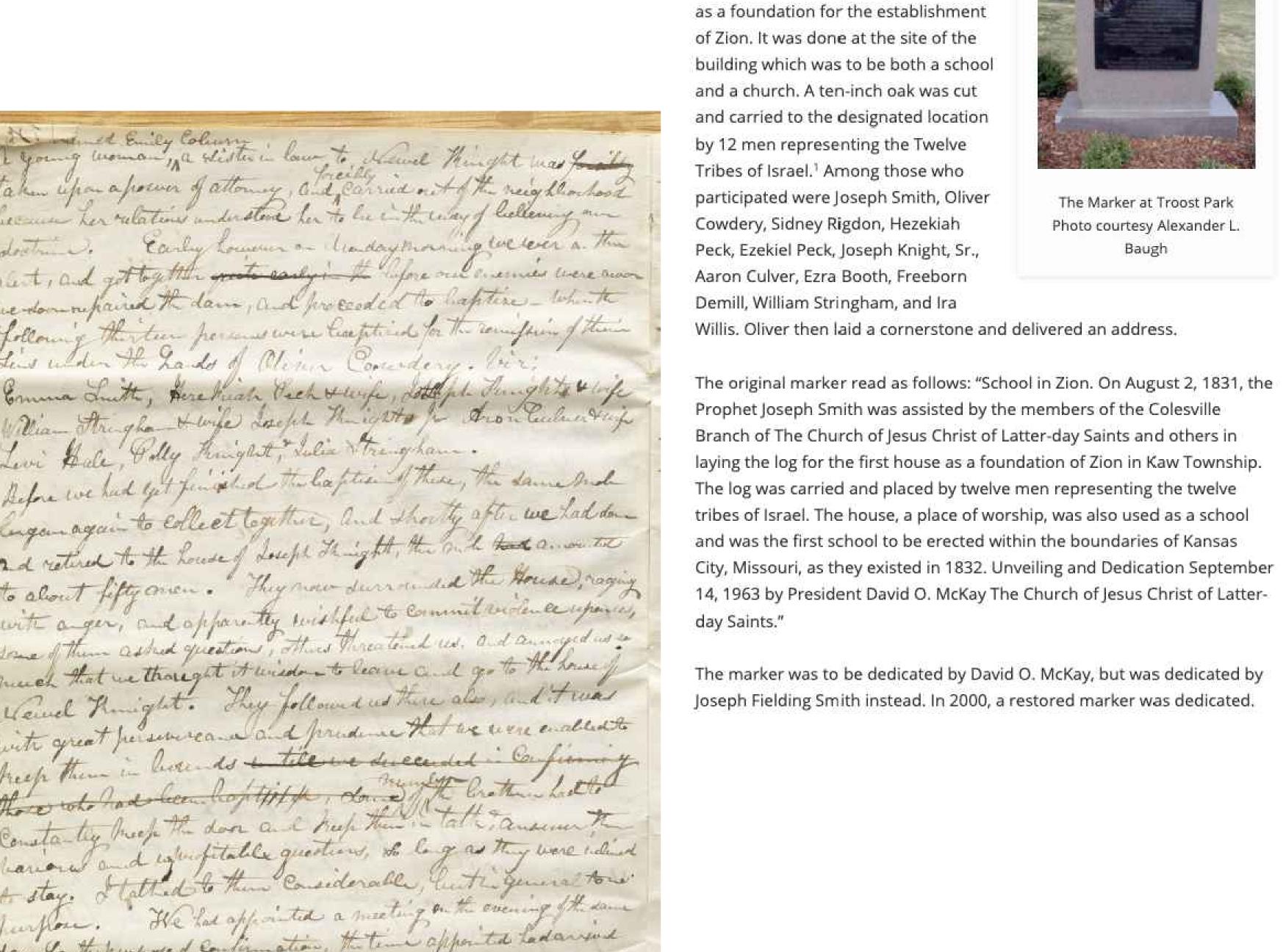
Mormon before it was published, and Solomon began Born 12 Nov 1784 at Cayuga, Cayuga, New York,

church was organized. He was baptized in his own words "a Sep 1830 at Cayuga Lake, Cayuga, New York by David

few days" after the church was organized. As his Whitmer at the same time Thomas B. Marsh was baptized

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Marker at Troost Park, Kansas City, Missouri, USA

The marker at Troost Park was erected

to commemorate the first log

Smith and others assisted the

schoolhouse in Jackson County. C

August 2, 1831, the Prophet Joseph

Colesville Saints in placing the first log



slope continues off the back over a one story "lean-to room", common to the architecture of the day. The porch in the front, as well as the rest of the existing house, are additions up and through the 1930's. The well in the foreground is the original well dug by Joseph Knight Sr. shortly after the home was constructed and was a functioning shallow water well until 2013. The structure over the well and the rock work above ground level are additions.