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John W. Putman of Calhoun County Alabama

Another son of Reuben Putman. John was born in Laurens County, South Carolina September 4, 1831. In St. Clair County Alabama, he married Angie Frances Walker on April 13, 1852. Angie was born in South Carolina on August 15, 1831 and was a daughter of John and Mary Walker.

He came with his folks to Benton County and remained there after he was married. He served in the Alabama Infantry in the Civil War and was wounded in the right leg in the battle of Jonesboro, Georgia in 1864.

They remained in Benton, and were there as it changed name to Calhoun County. Angie died there September 12, 1888 and John died there November 29, 1907. Both are buried at Ten Island Cemetery in Ohatchee, Alabama.

Their children were:

MARY ANN PUTMAN born in 1853, married Jerome Monroe.

MARTHA JANE PUTMAN born in 1855. She married Henry Ackridge.

SANFORD SIMEON PUTMAN born February 4, 1856 and married Mary Hagen December 20, 1876, and they are in St. Clair County in 1880. He died December 12, 1933 in Marshall County. In 1900 he is in Etowah County with five children. In 1910 and 1920 he and Mary are in Marshall County, Alabama with these children. Mary is widowed by 1930 and is living with her son Berry in Attalla, Etowah County. Also in 1930 Sanford is still in Marshall County with his son Ervin and says he's widowed as well. Guess they just got tired of each other.

John James Homer Putman born February 26, 1880. In 1910 he is in DeKalb County, Alabama and in 1920 in Marshall County, Alabama. He married Daisy T. Southerlin in Etowah County on November 24, 1901. The children through 1920 were:

Grace Putman a twin born September 5, 1902.

Grady Putman the other twin born September 5, 1902 and died in April 1980.

Grady married Elva Wright in 1923 and they were in Etowah County in 1930 with:

James Putman born in 1925.

Jennie L. Putman born in 1927.

Willie J. Putman born in 1908 and not in the 1920 census.

Mary Putman born in 1911.

Jennie Putman born in 1915.

Minnie Putman born in 1885.

R. Berry Putman born in 1888. In 1920 (listed as Robert B.) and 1930 (listed as Roy B.) he has a wife Jessie and is in Etowah County in 1920 and 1930 with these daughters:

Mary F. Putman born in 1919.

Inez Putman born in 1921.

William Henry Putman born March 13, 1894. He is single in Etowah County,

Alabama in 1920 and married to Lecta Cameron there in 1930. They were married there in 1921. He will die in Boaz Alabama in January 1977. As of 1930 they had:

Eloise Putman born in 1925

Ervin Hagens Putman born November 28, 1897.

JOHN REUBEN PUTMAN born in 1858-1859. He married Lucy D. Harris in Calhoun County, Alabama December 5, 1878. In 1900, he is in Hempstead County, Arkansas with a new wife named Mary Reardon born in 1860. Now Lucy was also born in 1860, but Mary in 1910 lists the eldest children as stepchildren, so she is a second wife. They were married in Hempstead County January 16, 1896. In 1910 Mary is a widow and she is still there in De Roan Hempstead County in 1930. They had these children, the last three coming in the second marriage:

Effie Lavinia Putman born in Attala, Alabama in 1879. She married William Milton Crews in Hope, Arkansas.

Tilton Putman born in Alabama in 1881. In 1910, he is in Hempstead County with his wife Flora Purdell and they are living with her folks. In 1920, Flora is alone with her folks and no Tilton. There was one child:

Guy Putman born in 1908 and not with mom in 1920.

John William Putman born in Alabama May 8, 1885. He is at home in 1910, and in 1920 and 1930 he is still in Hempstead County with a wife named Bertie and these children:

Herman Putman J. born in 1917.

Mildred Putman born in 1920.

Preston Putman born in Arkansas April 25, 1887. In 1920 and 1930 he is in Hempstead County and has a wife named Selma and these children:

Hazel D. Putman born in 1914.

Dale G. Putman born in 1916.

John H. Putman born in 1918.

Wallace D. Putman born in 1921.

Nora Putman born in Arkansas in 1889.

James Putman born in 1901. I don't find him in 1920, but he was about draft age for WWI.

Alma Putman born in 1903. She was at home in 1920 and married to Earl Ross by 1930.

Lucille Putman born in 1907 and home in 1920 and 1930 still single.

ZANNIE PUTMAN born in 1860 and married Branston 'Brandy' Davis in Calhoun County, Alabama on July 25, 1881. They were with her brother William Frank in 1930 in Etowah County.

WILLIAM FRANK PUTMAN born August 29, 1862 and married Minnie Brown January 12, 1892 in Etowah County. He died March 5, 1947 in Etowah County, Alabama. Minnie died there on February 20, 1947. They are in Jefferson County, Alabama in 1900. In 1910 they were in Marshall County. He is in Etowah County in 1930. Their children were:

Angie Putman born March 7, 1893. She married Cleve McWhorter.

James Luther Putman born and died in 1894.

Emmie Elizabeth Putman born August 8, 1895. She married General Watts and died in April 1971.

Glover Branston Putman born September 29, 1898, and died April 1971. He married Willie Casey. A relative gives her name as Casson, but in 1930 her mother was with

them and spelled the name Casey. As of 1930 they had:

Edward Putman born October 12, 1921 and died in September 1984.

J. P. Putman born and died in 1901.

William Henry Putman born July 20, 1903. He married Lillian Evisa Nabors in Marshall County on August 13, 1922. They were in Lathamville, De Kalb County on a farm in 1930.

Rosa Lee Putman born May 9, 1905. She married Dewey McComick.

Lettie Putman born March 4, 1909. She married Monroe McComick.

Willie Mae Putman born May 26, 1911. She married Clintboro Willmore.

John Frank Putman born June 25, 1913. He married Dorothy McComick.

Opal Minnie Putman born October 21, 1915. She married Richard F. Wilson.

Mary Lou Putman born February 7, 1918. She married Louis Walls.

JAMES VANN PUTMAN was born September 3, 1864. He first married Elizabeth Duke and then married Ella Brown. His first marriage must have ended in divorce, as in 1900 Lizzie is in Calhoun County living with her dad William Duke and their first two children, and James Van is in Marion County, Alabama along side his dad. He now has a new wife Ella Brown and two young children. He died June 3, 1944, in a train accident I believe. In 1920 Vann was in Marion County with his second wife Ella Brown and the last three children. They were in Walker County Alabama in 1930. The children in 1900 (first marriage) were:

Leroy Putman born in 1888.

Lula Putman born in 1889.

Jessie May Putman born in 1898, and still single at home in 1930.

John Carlton Putman born in 1900. In 1930 he is married to Eva Engle in Marion County. They had then:

Harrell Putman born in 1924.

Lay Putman a son born in 1926.

Villa Putman born in 1928.

Velma Putman born in 1930.

Pearl Putman

Exie Putman

In the 1920 census, Van and Ella have both May and John C. plus:

Oslee Putman a son born in 1912.

NANCY LOUISA PUTMAN a twin born October 6, 1871, married Joseph Brown in 1899. They are in Bexar, Marion County Alabama in 1900 and her widowed dad is with them at age 68.

GEORGIANNA (ANNA) PUTMAN the other twin, married John Wolfe. She died November 21, 1937.