

LEITNER FAMILY NEWS - 1983

NEWS OF DESCENDANTS OF

JOHN DANIEL LEITNER (1841-1911) and SUSANNAH JANE LEITNER (1842-1929)

A. NEWS FROM ELLA LEITNER AND WILLIAM ANDREW BALLENTINE FAMILY

Marriages

Robert Alan Powell and Katherine Dianne Metts were married August 28, 1982. Alan is the son of Robert E. and Ella Oswald Powell and the grandson of Sampson Oswald and the late Marie Ballentine Oswald.

Sharon Kay Wright and Douglas Brink were married December 11, 1982. Sharon is the daughter of Robert E. and Betty Shull Wright and the granddaughter of the late Albert and Blanche Ballentine Wright.

Connie Elizabeth Wright and Mark L. Crider were married February 26, 1983. Connie is the daughter of the Reverend Harry E. and Bernice Martin Wright and the granddaughter of the late Albert and Blanche Ballentine Wright.

Melinda Beth Mann and Darryl Winfred Truesdale were married on July 19, 1982 at Bethel United Methodist Church. She is the daughter of David and Janette Mann, and the granddaughter of the late Herbert and Bessie Ballentine Mann. The couple is living in the old Mann home place.

Graduations

Terri Lynn Richardson graduated from high school on June 6, 1983 in Titusville, Florida. She is the daughter of Larry and Jimmie Lou Richardson and the granddaughter of Mary Lou and the late James Mann and the great granddaughter of the late Herbert and Bessie Ballentine Mann.

Other

Thomas Phillip Black, son of Gene and Betsy Black and grandson of L. G. and Doris Mann Hobgood is a Cpl. in the U. S. Marine Corps. He has been stationed in Okinawa since January 11, 1983 and returns to the states on July 15, 1983.

B. NEWS FROM HATTIE LEITNER AND JOHN MCCAIN FAMILY

Births

Cicely McCain Mann was born July 26, 1982 to Harvey and Teresa Mann. Cicely is the granddaughter of Eugene McCain Mann and the great granddaughter of the late John W. and Lucille McCain Mann.

Deaths

Marjorie Mann Leitner died February 16, 1983. She was the wife of Thomas C. Leitner and the daughter of the late John W. and Lucille McCain Mann.

Graduations

Missy McCain Skipper of Aynor, S. C., daughter of Marshall and Corene McCain Skipper and the granddaughter of Carrie McCain and the late William McCain, has completed a course as a dental assistant at Coastal

Carolina in Conway. She is employed by Dr. Patty H. Riggan at Aynor.

Other

Buddy Franklin, son of Dot McCain Franklin and Gaddis Franklin, and his wife Beth have two new members to their family. They are Todd, age 3, and his brother Dwayne, age 6.

Aunt Roberta McCain reports that they are precious children and are welcomed additions to the family.

Earlene Suydam reports that Cousin Sallie McCain Suydam is currently at Forest Hills Nursing Center and is improving after suffering a stroke in mid-May. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Donna and Billy Ford, along with Kathy and Ryan, have moved into their new log house in Bethel Community. They live near her parents, Dan and Christine Mann.

C NEWS FROM WILLIAM JEFFERSON (WILLIE) AND MARY SUE LEVER LEITNER FAMILY

Graduations

William Daniel Leitner, Jr. (Danny), son of Bill and Ginny Leitner and grandson of Katie McKeown and the late John W. Leitner, Sr., graduated from Irmo High School on May 31, 1983. Danny went with his class on a senior trip to the Bahama Islands. He plans to attend Anderson College this fall.

Terri Leitner, wife of Jim Leitner, who is the son of John W. and Viola Leitner and the grandson of Katie M. and the late John S. Leitner, Sr., graduated from Pacific University in Oregon this May with a doctorate of Optometry. Terri, Jim, and their son, Matt, plan to live in Northern Minnesota.

Amy Katherine Leitner, daughter of John W. and Viola Leitner and the granddaughter of Katie M. Leitner and the late John W. Leitner, Sr., graduated in October 1982 from St. Luke's Hospital School of Respiratory Therapy, Fargo, North Dakota as a Respiratory Technician.

Marriages

Amy Katherine Leitner and Paul James Tronsgard were married on October 16, 1982 in Hope Lutheran Church, Fargo, North Dakota. She is employed at St. Luke's Hospital and Paul is attending college with plans of becoming a dentist.

Cathy Anne Cannon and Gregory (Gregg) M. Leitner, son of Paul R. Leitner and Suzanne W. Leitner were married on July 31, 1982 at Signal Crest United Methodist Church in Signal Mountain, Tennessee. He is the grandson of Irene Lewis Leitner and the late William Walker Leitner. Gregg is the third son of Paul Leitner and is associated with his father's law firm: Leitner, Warner, Owens, Moffit, Williams and Dooley.

Other

The Robert C. Stokes family is moving from Rapid City, South Dakota to Anchorage, Alaska. Mrs. Stokes is the former Elizabeth Irene Leitner, daughter of Irene and the late Walker Leitner. Robert (Buck) is a

field manager for the Internal Revenue Service. The family has lived previously in Alaska and they are pleased with this move.

Paul R. Leitner, son of Irene and the late Walker Leitner, was inducted into the American College of Trial Lawyers at the American Bar Association's annual meeting in San Francisco last summer.

D. NEWS FROM THE IDA LEITNER AND SAM U. ROBINSON FAMILY

Births

William Albert "Willie" Jolly was born on September 11, 1982 to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jolly of Batesville, Arkansas. Mrs. Jolly is the former Sara Robinson, daughter of Iris and Irvin Robinson and the granddaughter of James L. and Eloise Robinson of Monticello. Willie has a big brother, Kenny, 8.

Graduations

Ida Eugenia (Genie) Looney, daughter of Wyman M. and Ida Eugenia Turner Looney and granddaughter of Ida Louise Robinson Turner and the late Gene Turner, graduated from Dreher High School in Columbia on June 2, 1983. She is named for her mother who was named for her grandmother, Ida Eugenia Leitner Robinson. Genie will enter Columbia College this fall.

Susan Jane Robinson, daughter of James L. Robinson, Jr. and Shirley Willis Robinson, graduated from Gettys D. Broom High School on June 3, 1983. Susan was fifth honor graduate in her class and has been given a scholarship to Wofford College. She is the granddaughter of James L. and Eloise Robinson.

Marriages

Debbie D. Robinson and Steve Scott Bauknight were married August 21, 1982 at Monticello United Methodist Church. She is the daughter of Eddie Robinson and Irene Plyler and the granddaughter of Ross and Evelyn Robinson.

Other

Samuel Ross Robinson was promoted to the rank of Corporal at awards ceremonies at Camden Military Academy, Camden. He is the son of Eddie Robinson and Irene Plyler and the grandson of Ross and Evelyn Robinson.

E. NEWS FROM THE MARTHA LEITNER AND LLOYD FRIDY FAMILY

Other

Mul B. Rigby, Jr., son of Miriam Fridy Rigby and Mul Rigby has been promoted to a managerial position with Deering Milliken for whom he works.

Ellen Fridy, along with other Leitner family members, Ben and Esther Hornsby, and Evelyn Robinson, visited Disneyworld and Epcot in March. Ellen received the "Purple Egg" award for her role as entertainer for the group. Congratulations Cousin Ellen!!

Irwin Renwick and Paige Renwick appeared in the Pine Tree Players production, "The Sound of Music."