

THOMAS P. WINN/JOSIAH WINN

A number of years ago Bob, (Robert Lipscomb Winn, Jr.) became interested in finding out more about the Wynn family to pass to his children. The known facts at that time were+

Our father, ( Robert Lipscomb Wynn , Sr.) was the son of James Vernon Wynn and Caroline Missouri Saterfield, both born in South Carolina. James Vernon's father, Josiah Wynn, had come from South Carolina to Carrallton, Georgia, and had worked as the foreman of the Banning Mill. James Vernon's mother was Sarah Henderson, also from South Carolina. At the time of the move to Georgia, James Vernon was already a young man and in love. After working approximately a year he had saved enough money to return to South Carolina for his Caroline. Dad said he walked and hitched rides on wagons, and road horseback to get back to South Carolina. After getting married James and his new bride left, driving horses, mules and wagon, by way of the bridge over Toccoa Falls into Georgia.

Bob visited the old Banning Mill, where Josiah worked, and sent each of us a picture. The Building is still in good shape but is not used as a mill anymore.

After Bob moved to Spartanburg, South Carolina he met several other Winns in the area and became aware that one line of Winns had been traced back to Gen. Richard Winn, Winnsboro, South Carolina whose exploits in the Revolutionary War had been well documented. Much information had been gathered on this family and it had been traced the way to Wales.

Either through family tradition or through Jerry Wynn ( related through a different child of Josiah) Bob found that Josiah's father was named Thomas Wynn. One bit of information Bob found that was intriguing was the will of General Richard Winn-1818: Son Thomas P. Winn, was left 400 acres, 5 slaves and his father's surveying instruments.

Could this Thomas P. Winn possibly be the father of our Josiah? Slim chance but worth taking a look.

Since Charles Moore ( husband of Jessica Carolyn Wynn Moore) was spending time at the Federal and Georgia archives in Atlanta researching his own family. Bob asked him to help in the search. The results of Bob's and Charles's search follows.

The Rowan Public Library, Salisbury, North Carolina has a history of the Winn Family ( results of over 20 years of research by Wayne Smith). We have obtained a copy of the portion on Richard Winn written by Dean F. Winn for the Wayne Smith Collection.

Information gathered so far on Thomas P. Winn ( son of Richard Winn is as follows: ( quoting from the Wayne Smith Collection) " Thomas P. Winn ( 1789-1868) Lt. War of 1812: married Minerva Covington of Shelby, North Carolina, a niece of General Morgan and moved to Spartanburg County 1838; died in Greenville County, South Carolina at the home of William Bomar. On account of his inebriety he descended to a low social status and was forced to the most menial work for a livelihood. In spite of this he retained " his firm, quiet, determined expression-quiet Jacksonian in look and manner, easy and pleasant in manners and conversation." His grandchildren intermarried with Burrells, Moores, Dobsons, Gregory, Collins, Leasters and Winns. Spartanburg County. South Carolina contains most of his descendents. His children were:

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| 1. Eveline m. Cornett | 5. Mary Winn             |
| 2. Josiah Winn        | 6. Sarah Winn m. Collins |
| 3. Susan Winn         | 7. Elizabeth Winn        |
| 4. Richard Winn       | 8. Martha m. Wingo       |

Land records show several of Winnsboro Winns owned land in Craven County, later called Spartanburg. County.

Census record, 1850 list Minerva's birthplace as South Carolina, but other records indicate that it was North Carolina. The will of Josiah Covington, March 6, 1818, Rutherford County, North Carolina lists; wife Mary, sons David and Josiah ( his son William had died a few months before) and daughters, Nately Covington, Sally Covington, and Marina Covington. ( there occurs many mistakes in the spelling and copying of old documents, we believe this is our Minerva.) Mrs Nancy Ferguson, in Union Mills, North Carolina went to the courthouse and looked up this will. She spelled the name Merevah. I believe this the correct Minerva Covington who married Thomas Winn. This would be the origin of the name Josiah into the Winn line, not previously seen.)

It is not known where Thomas and Minerva lived between their marriage, around 1825, and Minerva Winn, Spartanburg County in 1850 census, head of household. No Thomas Winn. That could definitely be identified as our Thomas and Minerva had been found. Shelby, North Carolina where they are supposed to have gotten married was then located in Rutherford County, North Carolina home of Josiah Covington family.

Shelby is now located in Cleveland County, just across the line into North Carolina from Winnsboro, South Carolina where Thomas grew up. Shelby, North Carolina, where Thomas and Minerva married; Spartanburg, where Minerva was living in 1850; and Union County where Josiah Winn and Sara Henderson were living in 1850; all of these locations were probably within 50 miles of each other.

1850 Census Spartanburg District, South Carolina. House number 778.

Minerva Winn	55	female
Sally	24	female
Elizabeth	18	female
Martha	16	female
Richard	10	Male

Living next door no. 777 was a Mira Henderson 32 and her family.

In the same district: House 716

Josiah Winn	23	Male
Sally	22	Female
J.V. or N	1	Female

Errors often occurred - feel sure this is James Vernon - Male

These names of the children of Minerva correspond with names given as children of Thomas in other records, This Minerva in 1858 is definitely the wife of Thomas P. Winn, son of Richard. Records do not agree on death date of Thomas. Samuel, brother of Thomas in a letter written in July 1858 says all his brothers and sisters are dead. A cousin writing in the same year says she thinks Thomas is dead. One letter states he died at the home of William Bomar in 1858. (This would not necessarily contradict, Samuel, for Thomas may have died early part of 1858). Dean F. Winn, who is quoted above, gives death date as 1868. Since Minerva rather than Thomas is listed as head of household in the 1850 census, he may have died before August 19, 1850. More research is needed to fill the gap between 1818 and 1858.

The 1860-1900 census information is listed below.

1860 Census-Union County, S.C.

Josiah Winn	23	Manufacturer
Sarah	22	
James	12	
Franklin	9	
William	7	
Ann	3	
Jane	2	

Josiah moved to Georgia around 1867-68 . He used name Winn

1870 Census-Carroll County, Georgia. p. 26 Household no. 196  
 Josiah Winn 43b. N.C. Manager of Cotton Mill <sup>5th Dist. August 23</sup> 1870  
 Sarah 40 b. S.C. Keeping House  
 James 1 b. Ga.

1880 Census-Carroll County , Georgia. p. 996 129th Dist June 1880

Josiah Wynn 44(54) b. S.C. Foreman  
 Elizabeth 27 b. Ala. (second wife)  
 William W. 23  
 Janie 18  
 Elizabeth 16  
 John 13  
 Thomas 12

( James Vernon and Franklin have married, Rachel may have married or died).

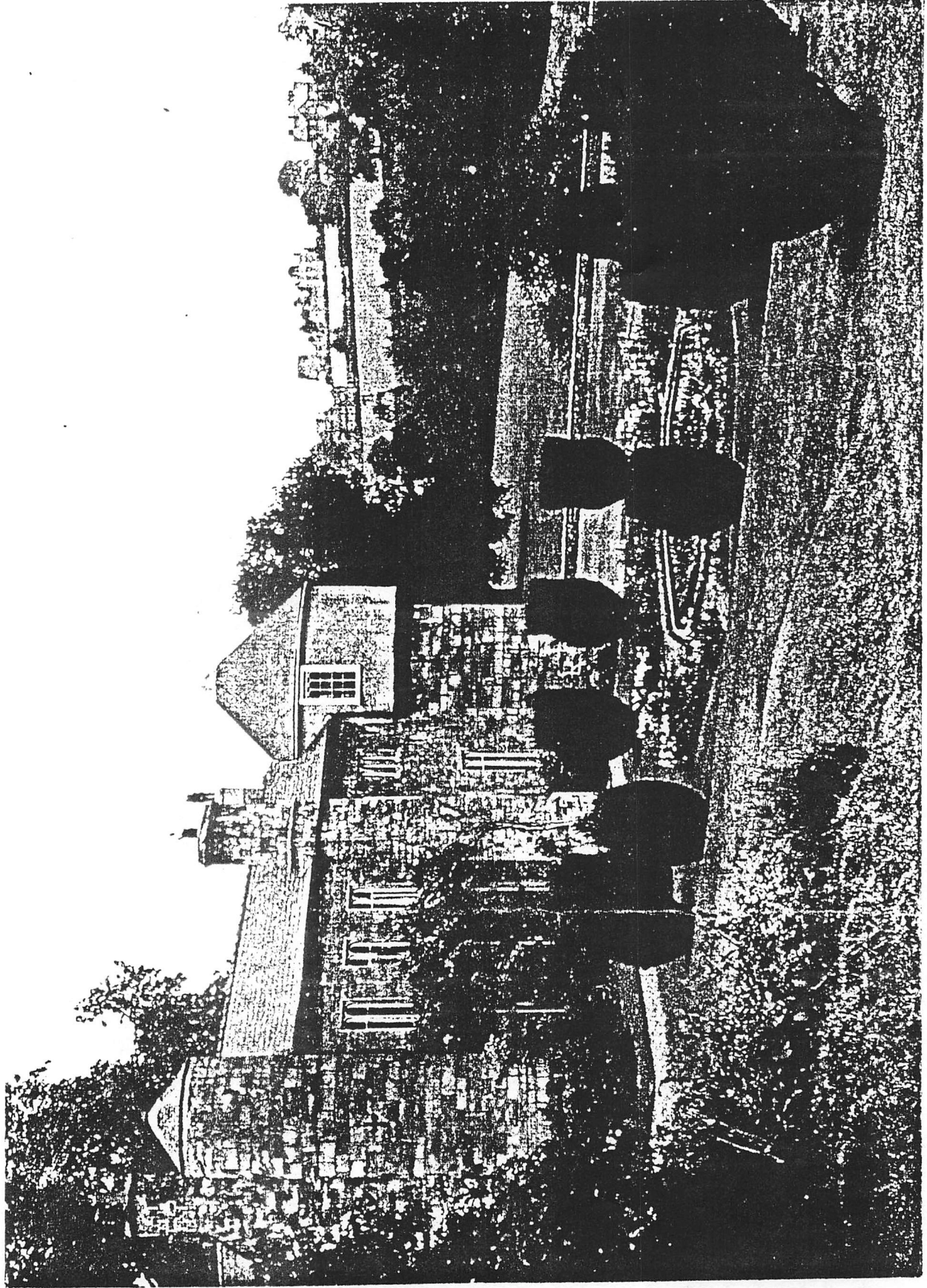
1880 Census-Hampton, Henry County, Georgia.

James V. Wynn 29 Engineer b. S.C.  
 Caroline 31 b. S.C.  
 James 11 b. Ga.  
 Susan 9 b. Ga.  
 William 6 b. Ga.  
 Edward 3 b. Ga.  
 Arthur 1 b. Ga.

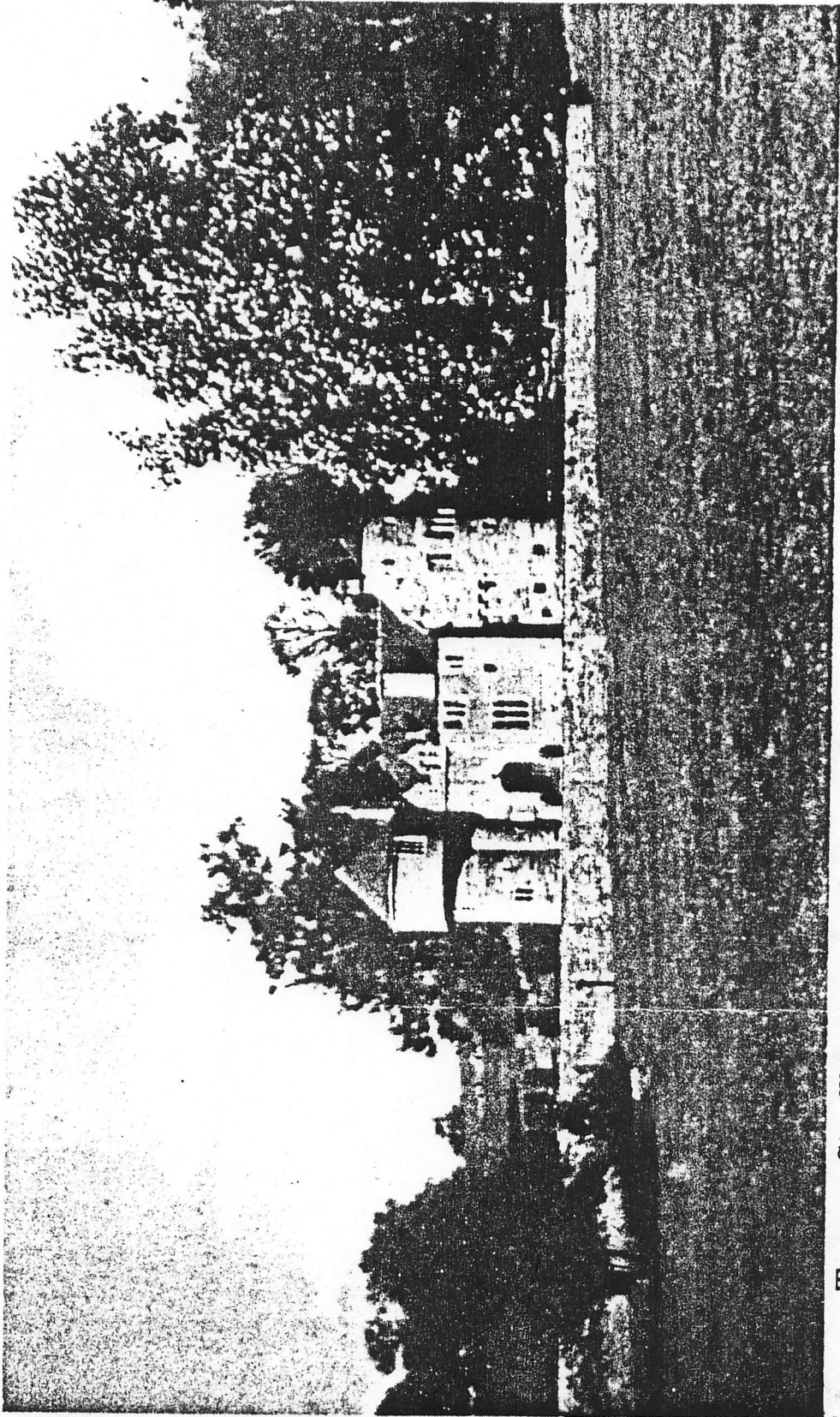
( Baxter, Oda and Robert l. (Dad) not born )

1900 Census-Clayton County, Georgia-Jonesboro

James V. Wynn b. S.C. Jan. 1850  
 Missouri C. b. S.C. Sept. 1849  
 Baxter V. b. GA. Nov. 1883.  
 Oda b. Ga. Nov. 1889  
 Robert L. b. Ga. Nov. 1891

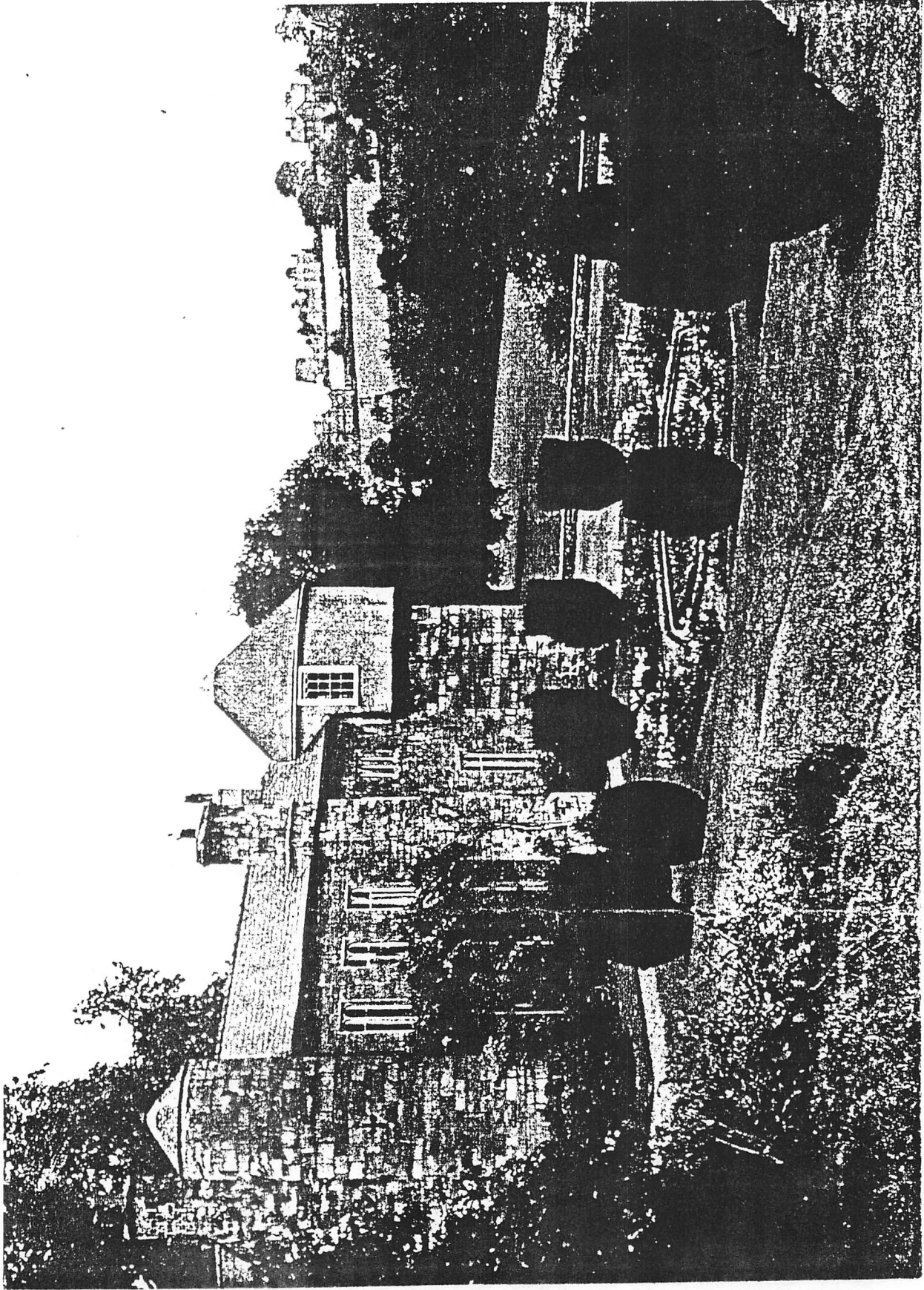


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Treago (View from Southwest)



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Charles Thompson Esq  
Secretary to Congress

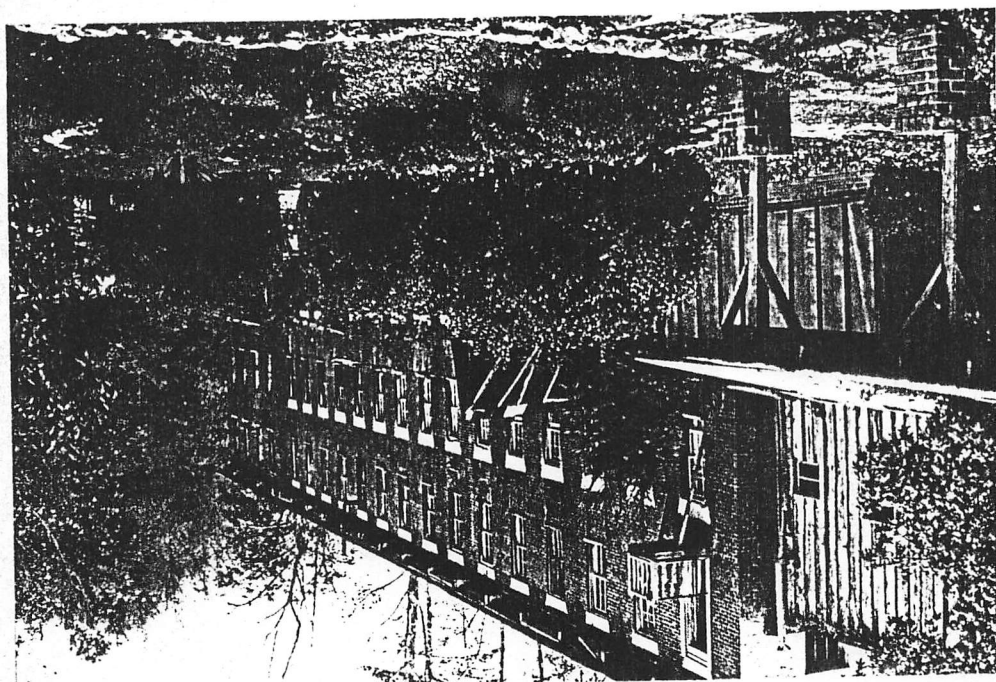
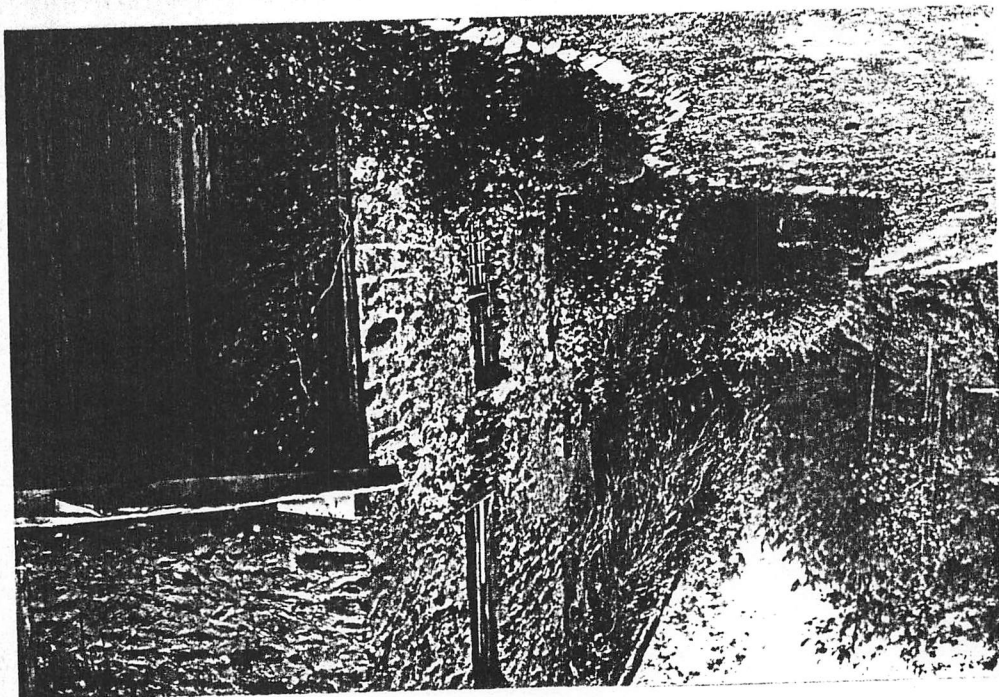
Richard Mann

Your obedient  
servant

Your letter with the enclosure of  
Congress and my relations as representative  
of Texas Affairs together with my correspondence  
which I enclose I was honored on the 23<sup>rd</sup>  
instant - the Court and with regard to having  
been your - friend you my hearty thanks for  
your good wishes to me in my negotiations  
and how the same to be, I wish, with respect

Respect

Washington 31<sup>st</sup> March 1792 603



BANNING MILL CARROLL COUNTY  
where Joshua Winn was manager in 1870

3-29-88

Carolyn, you folks have really done a lot of good work + I hope attendance 6/11 will be great. I'm not quite sure of the best route for us to take, but hope all of us can be there, plus all others.

Since James Vernon Nynn died before I was 2 yrs. old I have no personal memories of him + I'm ashamed of my very scant knowledge of him.

Of course we all know of his trip, at about 16 yrs of age, to get his bride. Dad spoke of him as a thick-chested Scotch. Irishman who worked hard until his health failed. I believe that prompted him to become the jailer. He farmed + ginned cotton around <sup>Hampden</sup> Rosejoy. I believe.

Granny Nynn (Caroline Missouri Lattinfield) lived with various children during her last few years. She spent several weeks or months with <sup>us</sup> one time that I remember. She was probably about 5 ft tall + 95 lbs.

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is looking forward to 6/11.

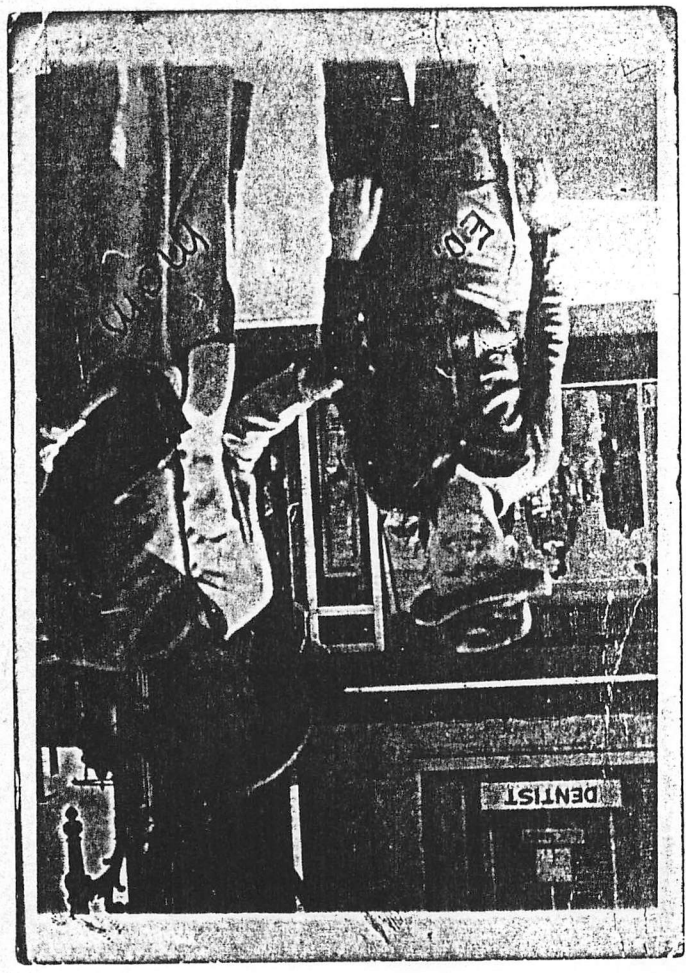
I believe that she was a right feist  
little red-head of Dutch or German  
descent. Dan may have a faint  
memory of her. Vern & Ed may  
have heard Dad talk about his  
parents in his latter years & I should  
have asked him more about them.  
I believe that he visited some of  
his cousins (with his Dad) over  
near Whitesburg - Carrollton once.  
He also mentioned that he had  
cousins who spelled their name W I N N  
When I expressed interest in  
Aunt Susie's efforts to trace the  
family, he would say something  
like "don't expect to find any big  
shot ancestors - just a bunch of  
poor, hard-working farmers, etc."  
As to the reason for name differences,  
"Somebody probably stole a horse &  
changed his name".

Sorry I can't be of much help on  
Grandpa & Harry Nyon but if any of  
this helps at all - good!  
I have a bushel of stuff & I want to get  
it down so that you, Charles etc, can  
go thru it.  
Love,  
Bob

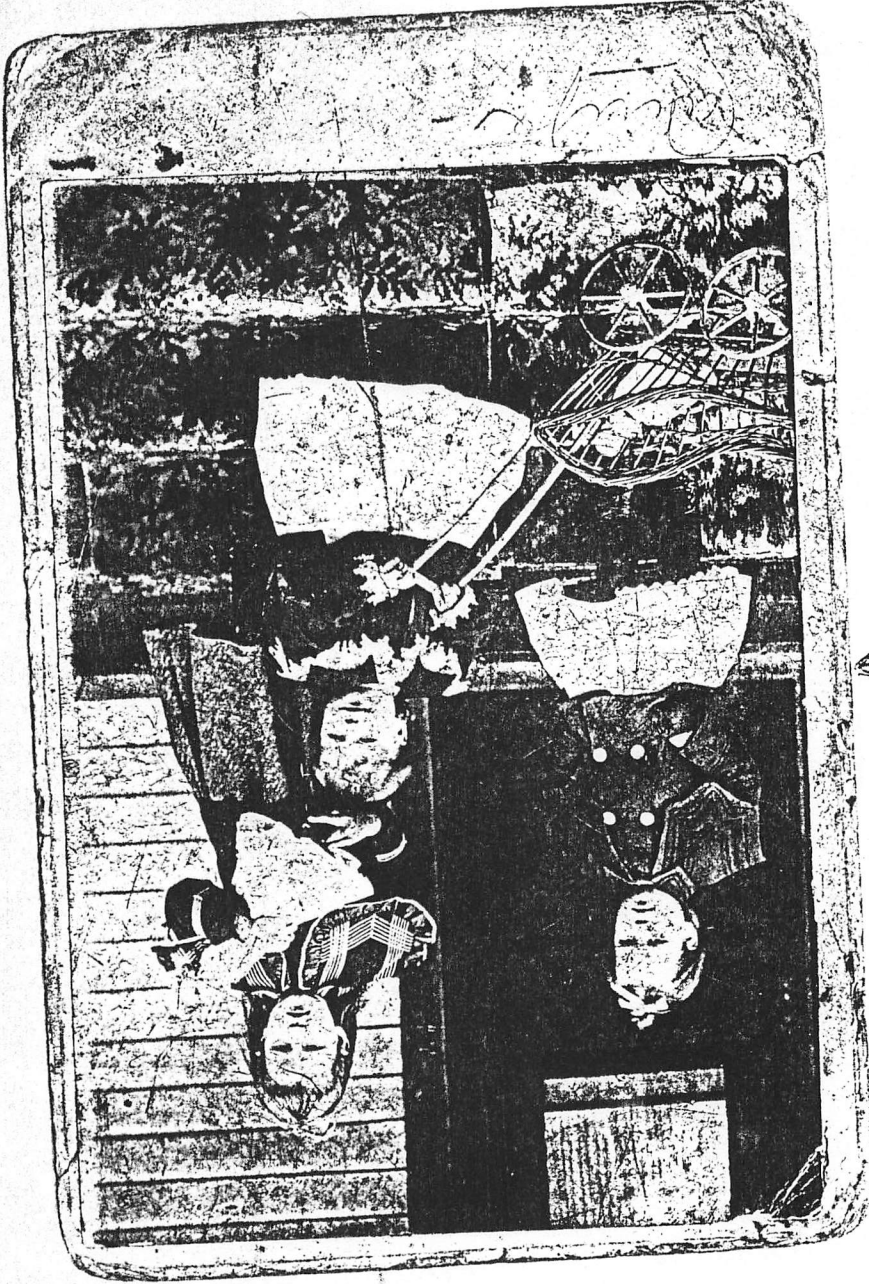
Bob Wynn + Jessie Camp - 1911  
at Baptist Tennis Court on  
school grounds



Bob



Jessie Camp



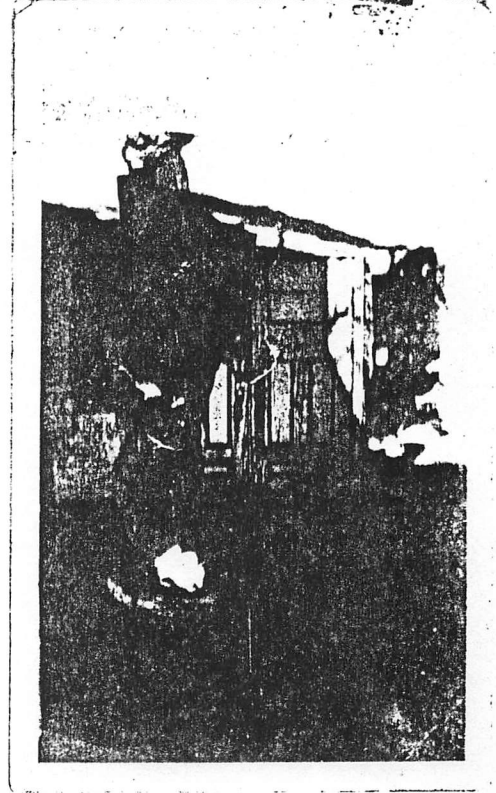
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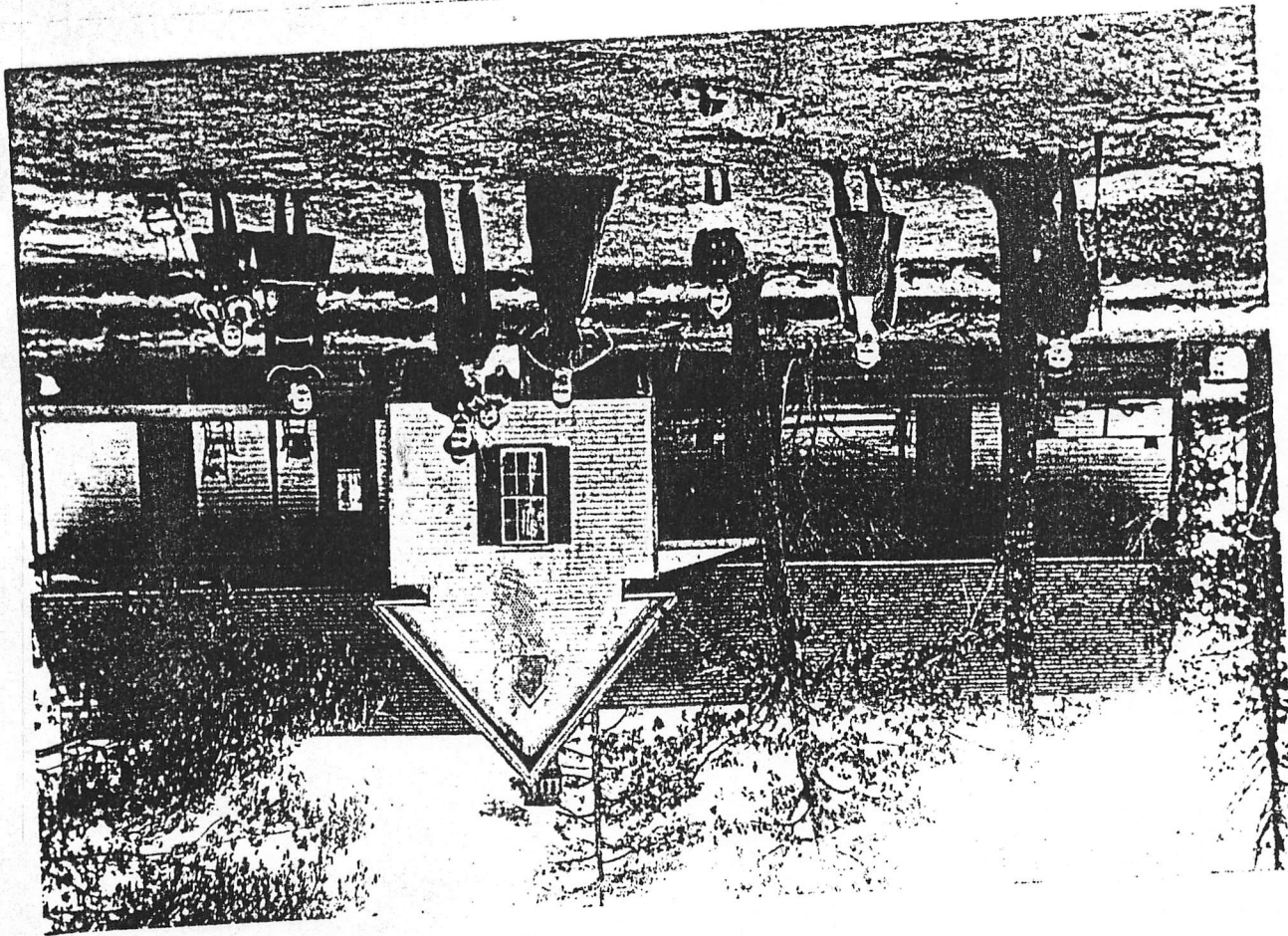
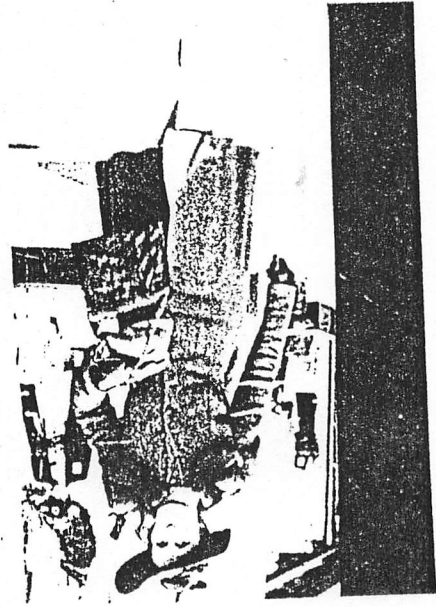
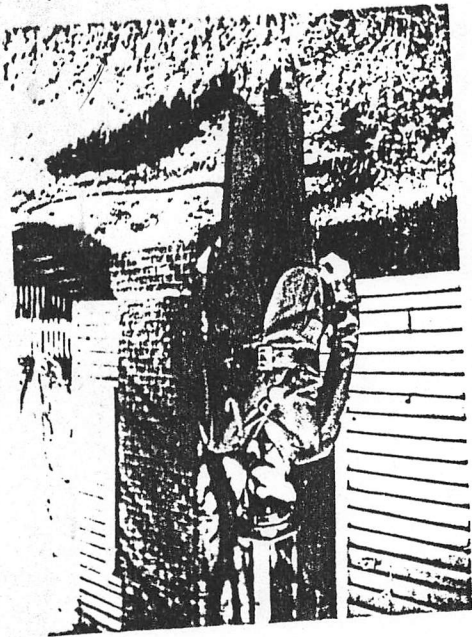
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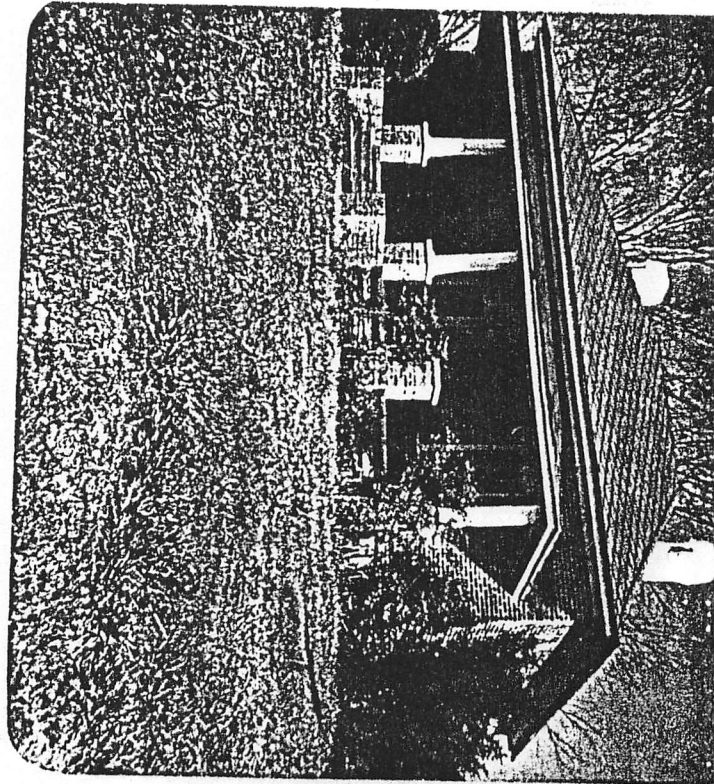
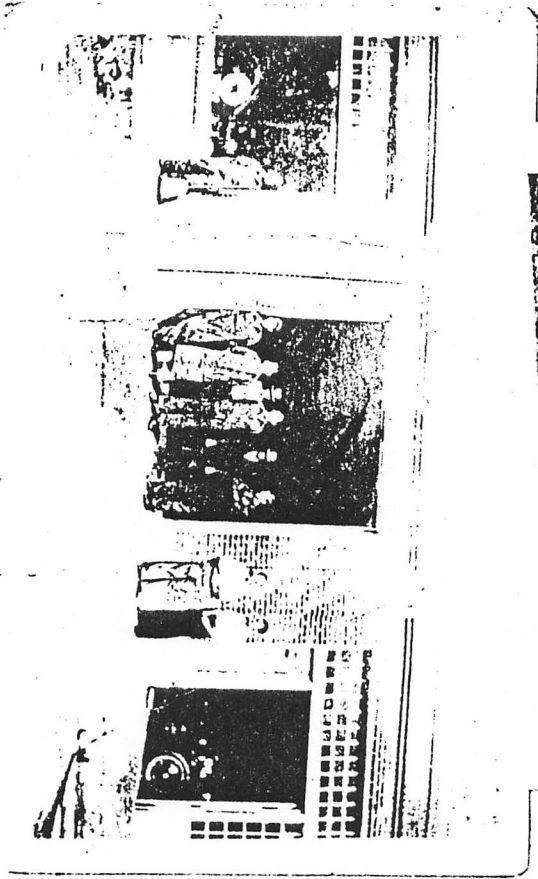


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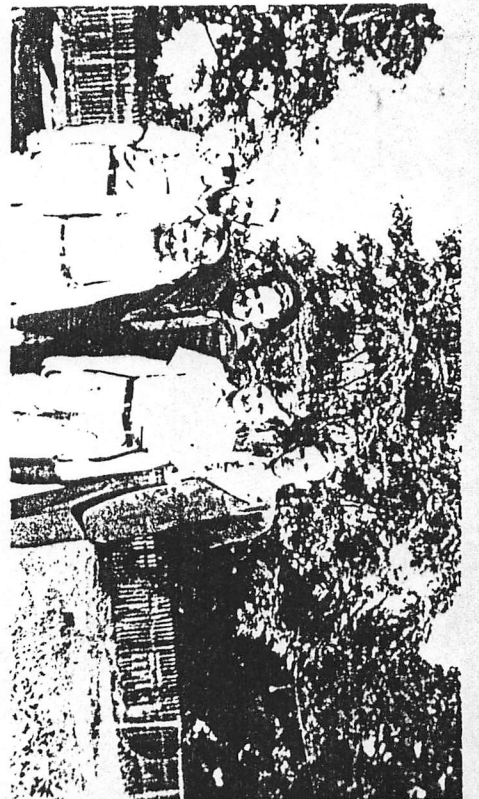
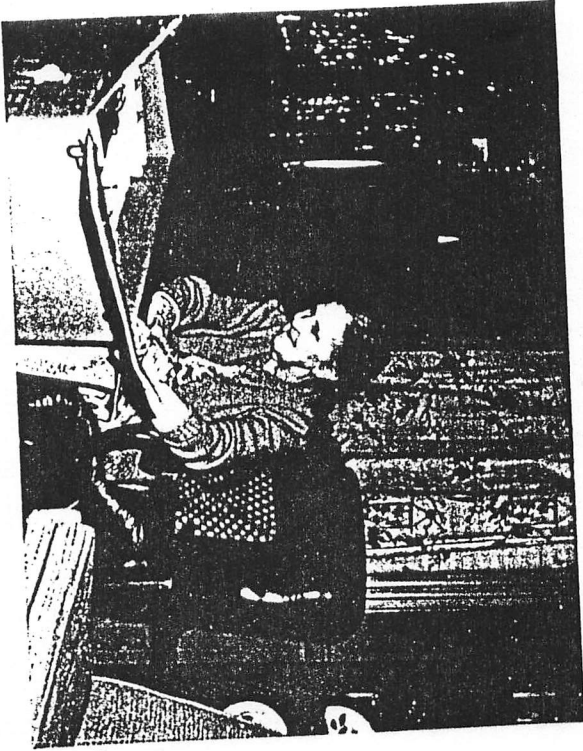
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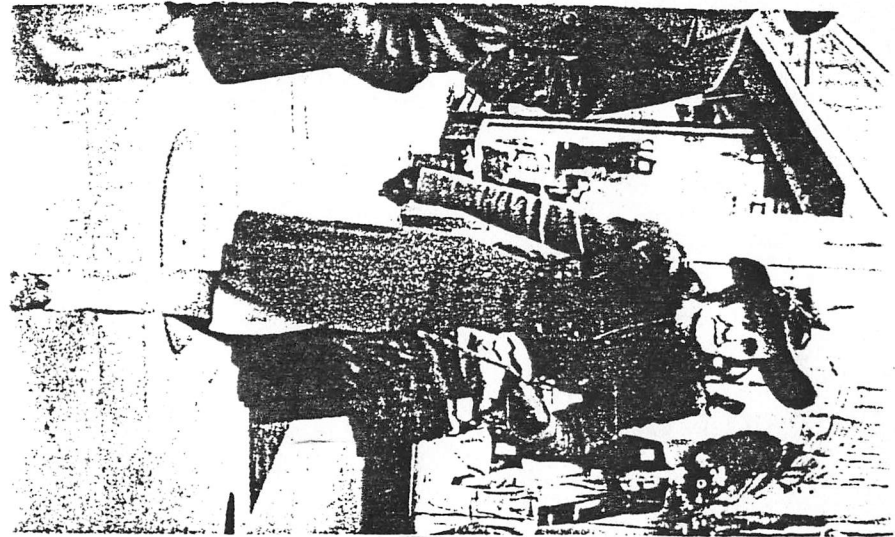
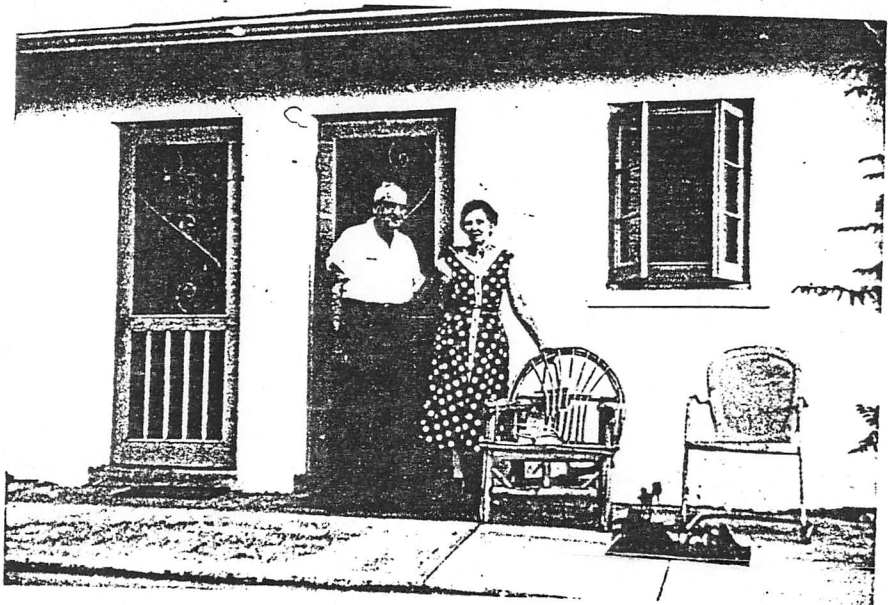
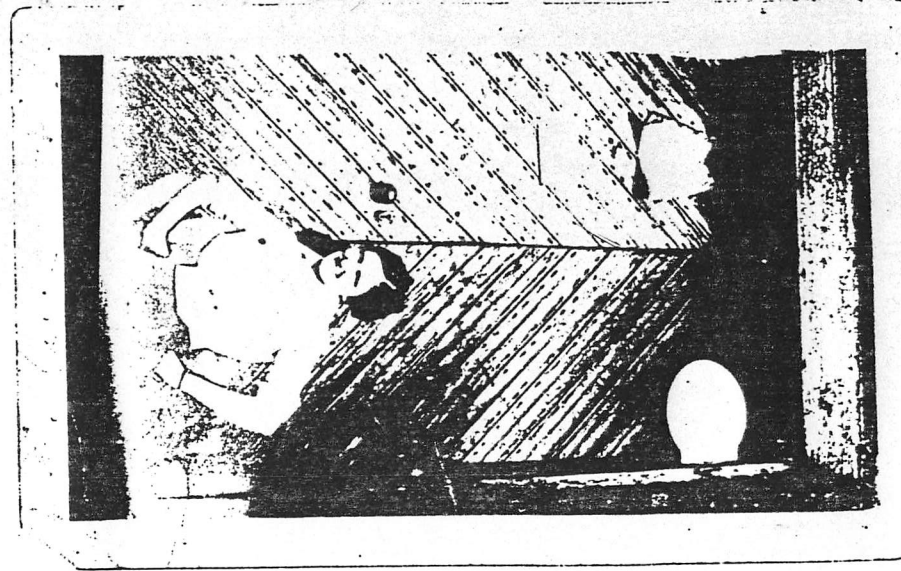


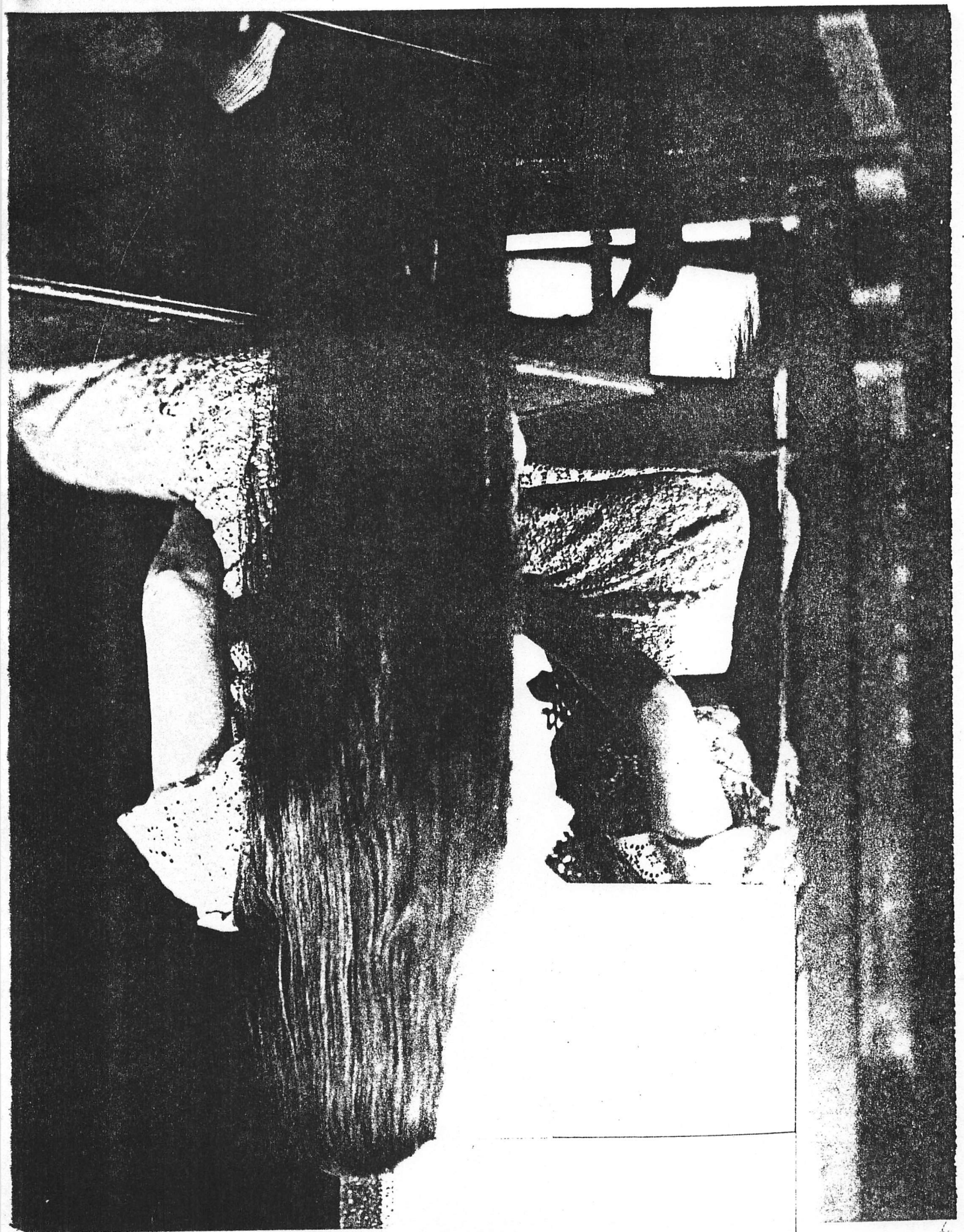






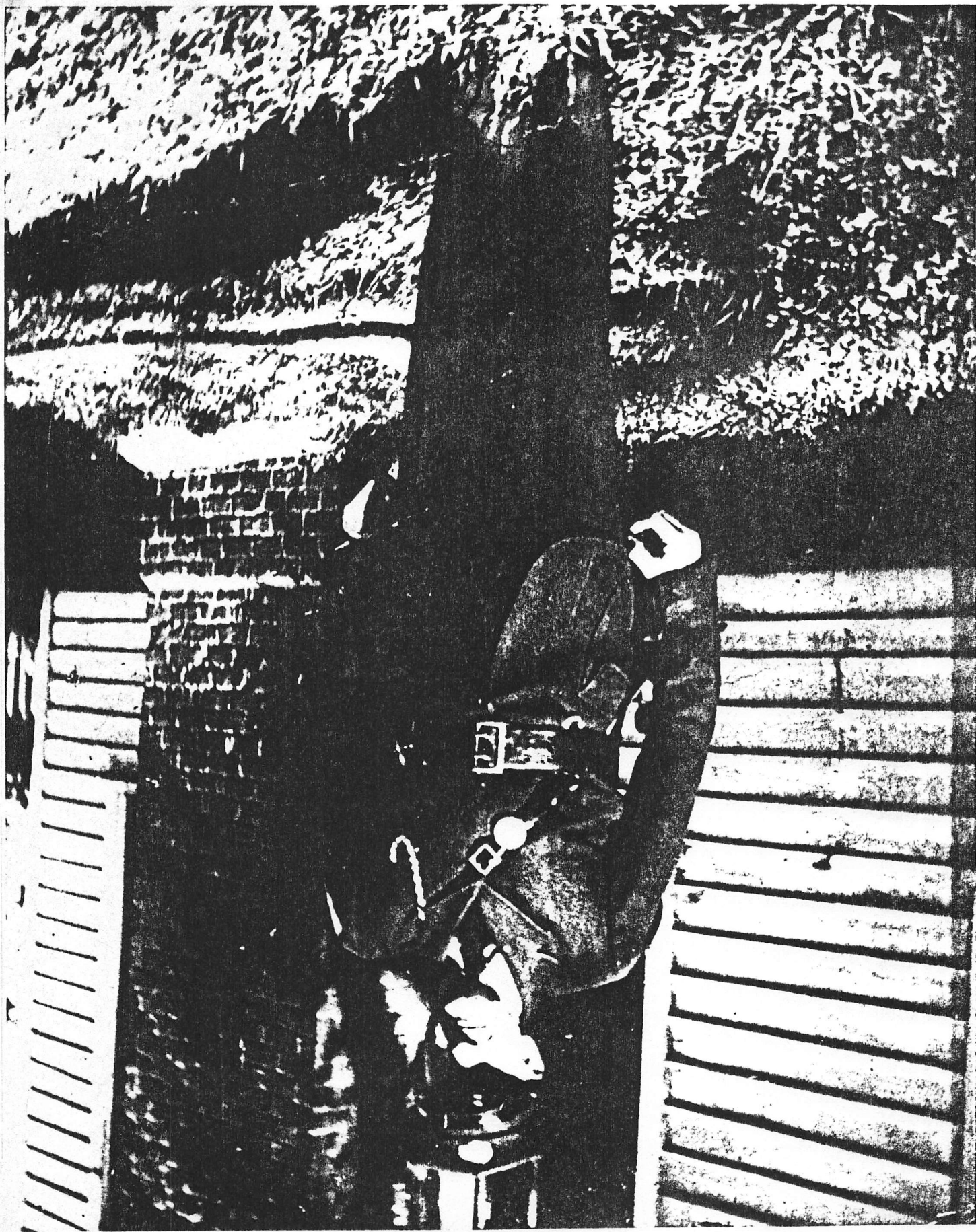














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April 1, 1988

Dear Mona.

The Wynn Reunion is a wonderful idea. This branch of the family thanks you, Carolyn, and your daughters for all the planning you have done and will continue to do in putting this together.

Here is our check for three adults and one child. We plan now to be there and are looking forward to seeing everyone.

Thank you again

Love Carolyn,

Bob and Carolyn Wynn 137 Fernbrook Circle, Spartanburg, S.C. 29302. Met in high school, started dating the summer we graduated from high school, this year celebrated our 25th wedding anniversary.

Bob is an attorney with the firm Holcombe, Bomar, Wynn and Gunn. In the fall he went on an Outward Bound Trip in the mountains of North Carolina and loved it.

Carolyn is a teacher (first grade) in Spartanburg school District 7 and loves it. She sings in the choir at First Presbyterian Church and enjoys that, too.

Suzanne is 22 years old and graduating in June from Furman University with a B.A. in music with an emphasis in voice performance, she spent the fall term in Vienna, Austria, in Furman's foreign study program, Her present plans include returning to Europe in July to study more German at the Goethe-Institut in Boppard, W, Germany, and the audition for a job in the chorus of an Opera Company somewhere in Germany.

Jessalyn is almost 15 years old (in August) She is in the ninth grade at McCracken Junior High School. She was named a South Carolina Junior Scholar, she is a member of the student council cabinet and is the historian of the school. She is also secretary of the Beta Club, Jessalyn is taking guitar lessons, learning to drive and looking forward to going to Spartanburg High School in the fall.

NOTES FOR WYNN REUNION

JACK AND CAROLYN MUNDY  
MELINDA AND MARILYN

JACK AND CAROLYN MET AT NORTH GEORGIA COLLEGE. MARRIED IN 1965.

JACK WAS ON ACTIVE DUTY IN THE ARMY FROM 1965 TO 1979, SERVING IN A NUMBER OF LOCATIONS TO INCLUDE KOREA, FORT ORD, CALIFORNIA, VIETNAM, TENNESSEE TECH UNIVERSITY, HAWAII AND FORT McCLELLAN, AL.

WE HAVE LIVED IN COLUMBIANA, AL SINCE 1979.

CAROLYN IS THE LIBRARIAN AT ELVIN HILL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL. THIS YEAR SHE WAS SELECTED AS COUNTY TEACHER OF THE YEAR BY BOTH THE SCHOOL BOARD AND THE SHELBY COUNTY EDUCATION ASSOCIATION. SHE IS INVOLVED IN MANY CHURCH, CIVIC AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES.

JACK WORKS AS AN INSURANCE BROKER AND IS ACTIVE IN THE ARMY RESERVE. HE IS ACTIVE IN CHURCH, KIWANIS CLUB, FAIR ASSOCIATION AND OTHER LOCAL ACTIVITIES.

MELINDA IS A JUNIOR AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MONTEVALLO. SHE IS ON A VALEDICTORIAN SCHOLARSHIP AND ENROLLED IN THE HONORS PROGRAM. SHE WORKS PART TIME AT RICH'S AT THE GALLERIA IN BIRMINGHAM AND NEXT YEAR PLANS TO BE A RESIDENT HALL ASSISTANT. HER MAJOR IS ACCOUNTING.

MARILYN WILL BE A HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR NEXT YEAR. SHE WILL BE A MAJORETTE IN THE BAND FOR THE THIRD CONSECUTIVE YEAR AND PLANS TO GO TO THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH ALABAMA.