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President's Message

Greetings, Cousins, from central Mississippi, where the only things larger than the mosquitoes are the alligators! These are strange times in which we live, and I hope this finds you all well and coping with life as it is now. Thanks to everyone who has contributed to this most interesting and informative newsletter. I would especially like to thank Fred Coffey for his willingness to produce and publish the news each quarter. Many thanks and accolades, Fred! Let us all look to 2021 with hopes for gathering again to fellowship.

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"I'M ONLY INTERESTED IN LOCATING WEALTHY RELATIVES."

Editor's Comments

Dear Cousins,

I hope this finds all of you healthy and doing well. As most old guys, I am holed up, bored and looking for something new to do. I have read too many books and played too many computer games, so thought I would take a look at my genealogy again, I found a great outlet. I am going to file two more genealogy lines with the Daughters of the American Revolution. I collected the records for my lineage to Benjamin Coffey and Colby Ruker years ago, but never turned them in. So! I think this would be a good time to do it. It will give two more Ancestor bars to wear on my ribbons. (We DAR ladies love our pins and jewelry!) I can share this lineage with my daughter Carol Workman and grand daughter Emily Workman who are also DAR. (They get ancestor pins too.)

But this isn't all. I also have proof that Thomas Hays was a Revolutionary War soldier. I do have a problem with this one. I can't document his son's connection. Hopefully, all I need is to work a little harder. Now that should keep me busy for a few days at least. Wish me luck.

With too much time at home, this is a great time to take another look at your genealogy records. Let us know what you find that we haven't seen before. Share it!!! Your cousins will love you for it and we will too.

I sure you all know that we had to cancel our convention this April. I missed not getting to meet with those who had planned to attend. I do appreciate Diana Holder offering to still host the convention again and as planned for 2021. I now have something to look forward to. I know Diana had a great program planned for us. We will just have to be patient until next April gets here. Thanks Diana.

Lets hope that next April is free of virus and we can all get together again to share our findings and friendship.

Sincerely

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We Get Mail

FINDING EDWARD COFFEY'S HOME LAND:

By Fred Coffey

I got a note from Ella Tunnell (ellatunnell@aol.com) asking "Have you, or anyone you know, been able to actually find the plots of ground Edward Coffey owned in VA? I have a yearning to go to the area where he lived and actually go to the land, if it is possible, as well as follow each one of my ancestors as they migrated westward."

Fred: Hmmmm, there's a challenge!

I had previously learned that his land was on Occupacia Creek, and learned that the creek crossed Route 17 in Virginia. But at that point the creek appeared to be little more than a ditch. See this>>



Here's what the water under the Route 17 highway bridge looks like:

(Is that an alligator in the water?)

There had to be more to the creek than this, and I learned it was a tributary off the Rappahannock River.

Looking through some old reports, I read that Edward's land was "about 5 miles up the creek from the river". The map on the next page shows the entrance to the creek is around the point of land next to the river. I took my best shot at "pacing" off the winding creek and marking the mile distances.

After about seven miles, the creek fades to nothing, and the area where it passes under Route 17 is at about mile #9. I've marked an area next to the 5-mile mark as "**<<ABOUT HERE>>**".



By the way, I see one report that reads “On 16 Jul 1716 John and Edward Coffee (the oldest sons of Edward Sr.) of St. Ann's Parish bought a plantation of 200 acres from John Mosely, son and executor of William Mosely. The plantation included houses, buildings, barns, tobacco sheds, gardens, etc. The land was **on the east side of Occupation Creek**, ...a part of a parcel commonly called Mosely's Quarter. They paid 8000 lbs. tobacco. “

“East side” is an ambiguous term for a stream that curves as much as this one. But at this marked location, “East side” is consistent with the above map.



Google Maps understands GPS coordinates, and you can enter this exact location as “38.059 -76.958”. (That’s 38.059 degrees North by 76.958 degrees west). And if we zoom to the satellite view, this is what we see at that location:

The creek is on the left, about 100’ wide at this point. And there is a substantial set of farm buildings there, with what appears to be good agricultural land. One can imagine that this COULD be Edward’s original site, with all the original buildings of course replaced over that

last 300 years?

You can easily drive your car to this exact location. The next page offers a road map and directions:



(You need to watch out for the last sharp left turn off the blue line – it looks more like a private driveway! See this>>



Then park your car at this farm and walk about 300' west. And you'll be standing on the shore of Occupacia Creek.

It's probably obvious to the reader that I've been using Google Maps to work on the above. But I found a different type of map with fascinating information. I was able to call up an Essex County Tax Record map for all of the land in the county. You can go to the following web page:

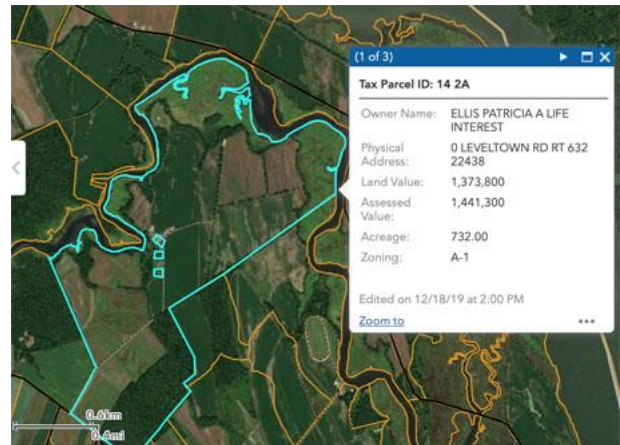
http://www.essex-virginia.org/county_government/departments_and_services/mapping_and_g_i_s

and then scroll down and click on "GIS Webmap". (Be patient while it loads, this is a BIG application! If you have a slow computer, be warned!)

If you then scroll around and zoom in, you will see lines emerge showing every tax parcel in Essex County. With a little effort and patience, you should be able to find the geographic area discussed on the earlier map.

And if you zoom in on our area of interest, and then click on the location, this is the type of information you will be able to see >>>>>>

Within that, you see some small boxes that mark residential houses. And there is an adjacent large parcel that covers additional acreage.



The bottom line is that all of the land on the right bank of Occupacia Creek is entirely owned by various members of the "Ellis" family. (FYI: The **right bank** is always on the **right side** of the **direction** in which the water is flowing i.e. facing downstream.)

The above "Patricia A Ellis Life Interest" is 732 acres, and an adjacent large parcel is owned by "William Franklin Ellis III" and is 237 acres.

That "III" after William Franklin's name says there must be at least two earlier generations using the same name. And that makes the genealogy of this Ellis family easy to find and examine: For those who use Ancestry, there are two well-documented pages at:

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/73970013/person/36358114091/facts>

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/101562736/person/202067443635/facts>

Here is the list of the Ellis men who lived in this area. (By the way, if you're keen to search census reports, the area where they live is referred to as "Occupacia, Essex, Virginia".)

- (1) William Lindsay ELLIS (1821 – 1859)
- (2) George William ELLIS (1857 – 1950)
- (3) George Dandridge ELLIS Sr (1888 – 1953)
- (4) George Dandridge ELLIS Jr (1941 – 2007) & **Patricia Ann ABBOTT**
- (5) George D ELLIS III
- (6) George D ELLIS IV
- (4) **Benjamm Baird ELLIS Sr** (1943 – 2019) **(NOW DECEASED)**
- (5) **Benjamin Baird ELLIS Jr**
- (2) Robert Lindsay ELLIS (1859 – 1927)
- (3) William Franklin ELLIS Sr (1892 – 1958)
- (4) William Franklin ELLIS Jr (1925 – 1998)
- (5) **William Franklin ELLIS III**

The big land holders per the previous page are the "**Life Interest of "Patricia Ann (Abbott) Ellis"**" (732 acres) and "**William Franklin Ellis III**" (237 acres). Patricia is the spouse of William's 2C1R. The two houses within that "Life Interest" were occupied by two **Benjamin Baird Ellis** men, Senior and Junior, who are the **NEPHEWS** of Patricia. Patricia has a son and grandson, named George D Ellis III and IV, and I would expect that upon Patricia's death that Life Interest will belong to her son?

The 1860 Census Mortality Schedule indicates that William Lindsay died in Essex County, in 1859. This family presence in Occupacia must go back more than 160 years! Perhaps someone in the family has researched the origins of their land holding?

I have been trying to find telephone numbers and to make contact, so far without success. Also the owner of one of the web pages cited is "Taylor Ellis", and I've sent him a note through Ancestry, without response to date.

I have also sent a note to the Essex County offices, asking for help, and got this reply from Susanne Joy who manages the electronic tax archive:

***Susanne:** "I apologize for the delayed response. What an interesting family history and exciting project! Unfortunately, our archive data is not available digitally. I believe the Essex County Circuit Court does have physical copies of land records dating back to that time; however, you would need to go physically go to the records room to conduct that research. I am not sure if they're allowing visitors inside the courthouse at this time, due to COVID; but I have copied the Clerk of the Circuit Court (Hon. Gayle Ashworth) who may be able to better assist you."*

***Gayle:** "I have received you email from Susanne Joy. Yes, we do have old land records here in Circuit Court; unfortunately, we do not do the research for you. If you had a deed book reference and page number we would be glad to copy it and mail it to you for 50 cents a page. We are closed to the public at this time. Our Supreme Court order goes through June 28. You can check with me after that to see if it is extended, etc."*

Gayle J. Ashworth Clerk Essex Co. Circuit Court

OK readers, anybody know how to confirm or improve the above information? Maybe Ella or someone can go there, knock on the door at the farm, and ask questions about their land history? Or maybe Ella could go to the Essex Courthouse? Oh, and Ella is now wondering if any of us cousins would like to join her on a trip to walk the land?

MORE ON KERMON LINE:

By Pam Kermon:

(MEMO: in the last issue of this newsletter (Issue 154 Page 5) Pam introduced the search for the unknown "Coffey" parent of her husband, Samuel David Kermon, who was born at Wheelus Air Base in Libya. His y-DNA test left no doubt, his biological father was a "Coffey" from the Edward Coffey line.)

Pam: "Here is a little more of the back story.

"My husband (Samuel David Kermon) is the 1st born in his family.

"David's dad, James Brock Kermon, Jr (BD 1/21/1929) was in the Air Corp. He had just finished going to Mechanics school for helicopters in 1955 in Wichita Falls, TX. He and David's mom, Frances Elizabeth 'Pat' Burris Kermon (BD 6/17/1935), received orders to leave Texas and go to Wheelus Air Base in Tripoli, Libya. They were there until about August 1957, before his dad received orders to go back to Laredo, TX. David was born on Feb. 5th, 1957, so pretty early in the year. During the 1 1/2 years at Wheelus, David's dad was gone on 2 separate TDYs (missions) about 6 mos each. Thru some letters found later, but that have been destroyed now, his mother referenced a James Coffee(y) at Wheelus and that is what led us to the suspicion that some infidelity had happened, while his mom was stuck at Wheelus AFB by herself. She even mentioned in the letters that it wasn't too hard to get confused, because both men's names were similar.

"David's dad was the kind of man that would have stood by David's mom, regardless of what she had done. That was just who he was. I'm sure it didn't take much for David's dad to figure out that he had been gone and that there was no physical way David could be his biological child, but that didn't matter. Out of the 4 children David's mother had, David was always his dad's favorite. David and his family only stayed at Wheelus AFB 6 months, after he was born, and then they were sent back to the states.

"In looking back at old pictures, it is very evident that David really didn't fit the norm, when it came to looking like everyone else in the family. Both of David's parents were 5'5" maybe and his siblings all look very similar with light brown or blonde hair and blue eye color. David is 6'2", olive skinned, green eyes and dark hair. His mom did have a darker tan skin than anyone else, but beyond that, he stuck out like a sore thumb.

"David would have never agreed to pursue this, if both of his parents had not passed. I've always been fascinated with genealogy, so I naturally started looking.

"I do know that there was at least 1 Coffee at Wheelus in 1957, only because at the time the military did not pay to have any children or adults, that passed away, returned to the US. So there was a cemetery on the base. When the base was decommissioned, out of 72 remains at the base, they attempted to contact family members, but only 17 remains were claimed. So 54 remains were taken to the National Cemetery in Delaware and set to rest in the US. In the list of graves, I did find that an infant named Jo Lynn Coffee was born on 2/3/57 (**NO, that is her burial date - she was born 31 Jul 1956**). Interestingly enough my David was born on 2/5/57. See this link, titled "From the Shores of Tripoli to Dover & Arlington" by William Kelly, which includes info on the infant Jo Lynn Coffee:

<http://remembertheintrepid.blogspot.com/2011/12/from-shores-of-tripoli-to-dover-and.html>

Now that my husband has taken the Y-DNA test and Coffee(y) was so predominant, which matched his mother's letters. We also had his sister take the regular Ancestry DNA test, she came back as a Step Sister, not his full blood sister.

I have not been able to find any military rosters that show a Coffee(y) at Wheelus Air base in 1956, but I am still looking. This doesn't mean this was the only Coffee(y) there, but it is very curious in the timing. I have found Jo Lynn's mother and father and now I am trying to see if I can trace this Coffee back to anyone showing up in my husband's Y-DNA test. **(MEMO: See next article.)**

Since receiving my ECP USB, I am enjoying going thru all the tremendous information. It is a little overwhelming!! LOL But at the same time, so fascinating.

Kudos to all those who have contributed to this great collection of information.

Best Wishes!! *Pamela S Kermon*

THE INFANT JO LYNN COFFEE'S FAMILY:

By Fred Coffey

In the previous article, Pam Kermon wrote "I did find that an infant named Jo Lynn Coffee was (buried there) on 2/3/57." And Pam went on to suggest she wanted to trace this Coffee back and find someone to test for a DNA match to her husband, Samuel David Kermon.

For reasons I am about to describe, I am VERY interested in finding someone to do such a y-DNA test. Let me explain:

The article Pam cited identified Jo Lynn Coffee as one of the children bodies repatriated to the USA in 2007 from the Italian Cemetery, Tripoli, Libya. Jo Lynn is now buried at Arlington National Cemetery alongside her father, Billie Joe Coffee. Here is the information from the Find-a-grave memorial:



Billie Joe Coffee	
BIRTH	3 Sep 1930
DEATH	5 Dec 2004 (aged 74)
BURIAL	Arlington National Cemetery Arlington, Arlington County, Virginia, USA
PLOT	Sec: 8-A ROW 4, Site: 2
MEMORIAL ID	49168390 · View Source

Jo Lynn Coffee	
BIRTH	31 Jul 1956
DEATH	30 Jan 1957 (aged 5 months)
BURIAL	Arlington National Cemetery Arlington, Arlington County, Virginia, USA
PLOT	Sec: 8-A ROW 4, Site: 2
MEMORIAL ID	49168393 · View Source

I also found the obituary of Billie Joe Coffee. He joined the Air Force in 1950, and retired September 1974. He and his wife have, in addition to Jo Lynn, several other children and several grandchildren. It therefore ought to be possible to find someone to do a DNA test.

There is a fairly-well documented family tree for this family at this location:

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/67604072/person/34165392852/facts>

And following is one variation, based on this tree plus a few others, starting with the infant **Jo Lynn Coffee**:

- (1) John Coffee & Rebecca
- (2) James Coffee (18 Nov 1727 - 1760) & Ann Dowden (1742 - 1808)
- (3) **John Dowden Coffee (10 Nov 1760 - 23 Aug 1822) & Dorcas Roberts (7 Feb 1769 - 29 May 1842)**
- (4) Horatio Roberts Coffee (Oct 1794 - 24 Oct 1877) & Juliet Mary Burnett (6 Nov 1804 - 1 Jul 1883)
- (4) Charles Grandison Coffee (26 Aug 1803 - 1 Jan 1847) & Lucy Ann Young Baker
- (5) John Roberts Coffee (Feb 1840 - 25 Jul 1904) & Nancy C Rhine (1844 - 29 Aug 1878)
- (6) William R Coffee (15 Sep 1870 - 24 Jul 1917) & Josephine Brown (2 Feb 1871 - 9 May 1962)
- (7) William Floyd Coffee (27 Nov 1907 - 14 Feb 1977) & Eva Jane Calvert (23 Dec 1909 - 5 Nov 2005)
- (8) Billie Joe Coffee (3 Sep 1930 - 5 Dec 2004) & Marilyn VanderBush
- (9) **Jo Lynn Coffee (31 Jul 1956 - 30 Jan 1957)**
- (9) William Joseph Coffee (18 Jul 1958 -) & Kathy Grant Phillips (17 Mar 1959 -)
- (10) Grant Coffee
- (10) Gill Coffee
- (9) Michele Louise Coffee (22 Nov 1959 -) & Daniel Wiles Bagley (10 Jun 1954 -)
- (8) Betty Joan Coffee (10 Jan 1934 - 10 Jun 2007)
- (2) Phillip Coffee (14 Apr 1730 -) & Esther Dowden (1743 -)

The first two generations of this tree are based on the following index, from the FHL (Mormon) library. There are two brothers, James and Phillip, reported:

Maryland, Births and Christenings Index, 1662-1911

Name:	James Coffee	Phillip Coffee
Gender:	Male	Male
Birth Date:	18 Nov 1727	14 Apr 1730
Birth Place:	Frederick, Maryland	Frederick, Maryland
Father's name:	John Coffee	John Coffee
Mother's name:	Rebecca	Rebecca
FHL Film #:	14081	14081

Why is this of so much interest? If the above is true, then the father "John Coffee" must have arrived from Ireland at about the same time as the patriarchs of three of our major Coffey family lines: Edward Coffey, Peter Coffee, and Hugh Coffey. A y-DNA match to any one of these could open up a whole new area of investigation. And even "no match" gives us a whole new family line to add to my collection.

There are a LOT of family trees out there that start with this John Coffee and his wife Rebecca, and then go down through either his son James, or through his son Phillip. And very many of those include the above **(3) John Dowden Coffee**. They are highly divided as to whether John Dowden is a son of James, or a son of Phillip. But from there down, many of them seem to be quite good on documentation. And for my purposes, it doesn't matter if it's through James, or through Phillip.

I have started digging to see if I can find a candidate, looking at the male line descending from Billie Joe Coffee. His obituary reports he had a son "Billy" and grandsons "Grant and Gill Coffee". (I couldn't find a phone number, so I recently sent a letter to William Joseph Coffee.) I am awaiting reply.

AUTOSOMAL DNA TESTING UPDATE:

By Timothy E Peterman (tepeter100@aol.com)

This is a follow up to my previous article (See Issue 153, pages 10 to 16).

The following is a preliminary report on autosomal segments that have been isolated to Edward Coffey and Ann Powell. Considering the distance between the modern representatives of Edward Jr. & John, there remains the possibility that some of these are back channel kinships (see below). The possibility of back channel kinships diminishes considerably when the segment is shared by two or more participants on either side (highlighted in green).

Chromosome	Start	Stop	Edward Jr.	John
1	162.1	173.6	Dorothy Coffey Smith	David Randall Coffey
2	50.3	64.7	Billy W. Coffey	Richard C. Coffey
2	50.6	67.1	Glenys Mitchell	Richard C. Coffey
2	128.9	136.8	Robert C. Coffey	Richard C. Coffey
6	39.9	43.8	Kay Evans Hessong	Steve Schmidt
6	41.7	71	Glenys Mitchell	Steve Schmidt
6	43.8	66.7	Glenys Mitchell	David Randall Coffey
6	91.1	102.2	Loren Taylor Shipman	Steve Schmidt
7	9.3	15.7	Meldon Robert Coffey	David Randall Coffey
8	111.5	126.4	Cheryl Mathis Felker	Paul D. Coffey
12	63.6	76.5	Glenys Mitchell	Justin Coffey
12	65.4	76.5	Twila Flowers	Justin Coffey
16	22.8	62.1	Roger Lynn Coffey	Steve Schmidt
17	53.1	62	Cheryl Mathis Felker	Justin Coffey
18	1.2	4.4	Twila Flowers	David Randall Coffey
18	1.2	5.9	Roy Ellis Robinson	David Randall Coffey
18	33.3	55.4	Dorothy Coffey Smith	David Randall Coffey
18	64.3	69.3	Dorothy Coffey Smith	Richard C. Coffey
18	64.6	70.2	Twila Flowers	Richard C. Coffey
22	28	32.6	Thaddeus Elmo Coffey, Jr.	Paul D. Coffey

I process all autosomal DNA data in a program called Genome Mate Pro (a free download) that enables one to analyze multiple kits by side of family, chromosome & segments on the chromosome. I have had autosomal results imported & processed for some time for a large number of descendants of Eli Coffey (1775-1833) and his wife, Mary Coffey (d 1872). I have downloaded & added results for 7 descendants of Edward Coffey, Jr. & Grace Cleveland (previously identified as Chesley Coffey & Jane Cleveland) that are NOT descended from Eli Coffey or Mary Coffey. I have also added results for 14 descendants of John Coffey (ca 1700-1775). The descendants of John that were most useful are those descended from sons other than James, since all of James' progeny also have Cleveland ancestry. This preliminary report is the result of the effort, begun over 2 years ago, to get Coffey DNA project members to become autosomal participants, by adding Family Finder to their DNA data. This has become quite inexpensive over the years, now normally \$49 or \$59 when on sale.

When one considers that many of us have 1,024 to 8,192 ancestors roughly who lived in the 1600s on the eastern seaboard, there is a great possibility that we are related through more than just one ancestral couple. There might be 2 such couples, or 3, or 4, etc. Unless two people have a clean paper trail on all sides back to that time period, with only one shared ancestral couple, we can't rule out the possibility of multiple connections. Let's say two people are first cousins on their father's side. They might also be 5th cousins on their mother's side. I call these back channel kinships.

Back channel kinships are less likely to interfere with results when we build up a segment's source generation by generation. My entire maternal genome is called Ellis-Robinson. It is nice to resolve a segment of that to Coffey-Robinson (ie, grandfather Roy Robinson) and then to Barbre-Coffey (ie, great grandmother, Lena Coffey), and then to Vermillion-Coffey (ie, g g grandfather, Benjamin Coe Coffey), and then to Coffey-Coffey (ie, g g g grandfather, Newton Eli Coffey). But we aren't always that fortunate; sometimes a segment jumps from a Coffey-Robinson confirmation all the way to Coffey-Coffey (skipping over the intermediate resolutions of Barbre-Coffey & Vermillion-Coffey). There is roughly a 12.5% chance that any Coffey-Robinson segment is Coffey-Coffey anyhow, without the benefit of generation by generation resolutions. We have to work with what we have.

Some might wonder about the value in identifying segments derived from Edward Coffey or Ann Powell. When looking at the results in Genome Mate Pro, for some of the segments identified on the chart, there are as many as 50 or 60 matches that are shared by both sides. We know that all of them are either descended from Edward Coffey and Ann Powell; or are related through a recent ancestor of Edward Coffey or Ann Powell. Most of the 50 or 60 matches per segment don't know that they connect to us through Edward Coffey or Ann Powell. We can inform them of such, and they might actually find their Coffey connection. There remains the hope, more of a distinct possibility that in some of these segments, we will find matches in Ireland, with nothing but Irish ancestry.

This is just a start. There are probably many segments that originated with this couple that have not been identified, because the right mix of descendants of either John Coffey or Edward Coffey, Jr. have either not participated in Family Finder or have not added their kits to the Coffey project. More participants on the Edward Coffey, Jr. side and more on the John Coffey side would certainly be helpful. In order to participate, I need to have the exact line of descent from either Edward, Jr. or John. The closer, in terms of generations, to Edward Jr. or John, the better. In the case of Edward Jr., I am assuming that the following are among his children: Joel Coffey (d 1789), Salathiel Coffey (d 1784), Chesley Coffey (1755-1818), Nebuzaradan Coffey (1757-1797), Nathan Coffey (bef 1760-ca 1828/30), Mary (Coffey) Gilbreath, Cleveland Coffey (md Elizabeth Franklin), and Jesse Cleveland Coffey. There might be more, especially unidentified daughters. Grace Cleveland was born in 1716, likely married in the late 1730s & her youngest was likely born in the early 1760s.

Descendants of Joshua Stapp & Martha (Coffey) Stapp would be helpful, as would descendants of John Cleveland & Elizabeth (Coffey) Cleveland.

How much DNA might actually exist among the current population that originated from Edward Coffey or Ann Powell? Let's take my grandfather's quadruple second cousin, Dorothy Coffey Smith as an example. 100% of her paternal genome is derived from her father, Newton Coffey. About 50% of her paternal genome is derived from her grandfather, William Coffey. About 25% of her paternal genome is derived from her great grandfather, Newton Eli Coffey. About 12.5%

of her paternal genome is derived from Eli Coffey and another 12.5% roughly from Mary Coffey. About 6.25% of her paternal genome is derived from Salathiel Coffey & another 6.25% roughly is derived from Nathan Coffey. Putting those together, about 6.25% of her paternal genome is derived from Edward Coffey Jr. (ie, Powell-Coffey), and 3.125% from Edward (d 1716) and another 3.125% roughly from Ann Powell. These segments are scattered across her paternal genome. That is a lot of Powell-Coffey DNA, comprising the equivalent of an entire chromosome & then some. Think of it this way, second cousins share about 3.125% of their DNA, on average. Dorothy's genome contains about as much DNA from Edward Coffey (d 1716) as she shares with any second cousin. Same goes for Glenys Mitchell & Meldon Coffey, and others at that generation level. The DNA is there; we just have yet to identify most of it as such, and yes, those hypothetical Irish matches might be embedded in segments that haven't been isolated to Edward yet.

INFORMATION RESOURCE LINKS: We're going to continue using this last page to show where you can find some good sources of information:

NEWSLETTER QUERIES:

If you wish to pose a query to the newsletter, or offer an article or a suggestion, send to **Bonnie Culley** at bculey@embarqmail.com. Unless it's a question primarily about DNA, in which case send it to FredCoffey@aol.com. (Fred also maintains the newsletter distribution list and can be contacted if you wish to receive notification when new newsletters are published.)

OTHER INFORMATION SOURCES:

The "Coffey Cousins Clearinghouse" has access to a very substantial database of information about families with the Coffey or Coffee surname, or those connected to such a family. We are trying to consolidate access to all of these sources in a single location. If you are looking for ANY Coffey-related information, click on the following:

THE COFFEY/COFFEE SURNAME: GENEALOGY INFORMATION ROADMAP

www.coffey.ws/familytree/CoffeyRoadmap.html

You can find information on Jack Coffee's Edward Coffey Project here:

<http://coffeycousins.blogspot.com/p/edward-coffey-project-explained.htm>

From Jack: "Fred, the last ECP compilation was April; the next is August 2020.

Memo: You can also use Jack's Blog for research, see discussion article on Pages 9 and 10 in Newsletter #152.

<http://coffeycousins.blogspot.com>