

# SOME UNIDENTIFIED PERSONS IN THE UNITED STATES, BEFORE 1870, NAMED SKIDMORE

*This was the last list produced by Warren Skidmore of which I am aware. It appeared on the 2006 CD, produced by Warren Skidmore and Frank Skidmore, all contents of which have now been posted at [www.skidmorefamilyhistory.com](http://www.skidmorefamilyhistory.com).*

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[I started this file many years ago. The computer has simplified keeping it up as names can be added or deleted with a few key strokes. A good many of the people listed here were probably NON-EXISTENT, the result of faulty “hearsay” stories or clerical errors made in either entering (or copying) records by census marshals or other officials. I scribble over my printouts, and periodically do a new version eliminating the identified and adding new names, usually in about equal numbers. (Warren Skidmore)]

\_\_\_\_\_ Scidmore (Mrs.), born about 1758, died on Division Street, New York City, on 1 January 1803, aged 45. A native, she was buried at St. Paul's Cemetery by the sexton William Brown.

\_\_\_\_\_ Skidmore, of Howell, Monmouth County, New Jersey, married William Lowerman there in 1835.

\_\_\_\_\_ Skidmore married Sarah Howard about 1795 at Trenton, Mercer County, New Jersey. See FHL film 1903, 852.

Aaron Skidmore, born 1655, married Nancy Beckwith of New Hanover County, North Carolina.

They had eight children born from 1678 to 1692. [Check *The Gordon and allied families*, by Robert Gordon (1959), page 187, not seen.]

Alexander Skidmore and Abraham Miller were appointed associate judges in Athens County, Ohio, at a session of the Ohio Legislature that adjourned on Monday 29 January 1806, according to the *Western Spy and Hamilton Gazette* published on Wednesday, 5 February 1806. There must be some clerical error here, perhaps in the surname. There is no mention of an Alexander Skidmore in Ohio (or elsewhere) at this date. He is not found in the early tax lists of Ohio for this period.

America Skidmore married Washington Stewart on 11 October 1876 in Bedford County, Tennessee. [Not found in the 1880 Soundex of Tennessee.]

Ann Skidmore (Miss) married Benjamin Marshall on 7 April 1827 (in New York City?)

Ann Skidmore living in 1825 at 52 Main Street, Brooklyn. In 1833/4 Ann Skidmore, widow, was at 48 Hicks Street while Joshua C. Skidmore was at 49 Hicks; in 1834/5 at 66 Middagh; in 1835/6 not found; in 1836/7 at 311 Washington. She is not found in the 1840 census and may have been living in 1840 at Norwalk with her new son-in-law Daniel H. Parsons (Parsons).

Ann Janet Buffet, born December 1837. She was living in 1900 and 1910 with her brother Alonzo Buffet on Woodhull Street at Huntington, L.I., the widow of \_\_\_\_\_ Skidmore. She was still living at home in 1880, a spinster aged 42, with her parents Joseph and Sarah (\_\_\_\_\_) Buffet. Also at home in 1880 was her brother Alonzo (age 42) and sister Henrietta (age 26). [She may have been the estranged wife of Joseph Skidmore (no. 179)].

Augusta Skidmore. She had a son Edwin Lewis who was born in New York and died at the age of 14 months of a fit on 20 November 1838 in New York City. The father was William Lewis who was married to another woman. (Corner's Reports, 1823-1842). Possibly black?

Benjamin F. Skidmore, of San Francisco, married S\_\_\_\_\_ E\_\_\_\_\_ Allen of West Point, on 21 December 1871 in Calaveras County, California. Not found indexed in the 1870 census of California or in the 1880 SOUNDEX. (Perhaps a son of no. 286. This Benjamin was living at home at Quincy, Adams County, Illinois, in 1860, but has not been found in the 1870 census.)

Benjamin Franklin Skidmore, born 2 February 1804 in Queens County, N.Y. Said to have married about 1828 on Long Island. Not found in the 1830 census, or thereafter.

Betsy Skidmore, born 1776 in Vermont, was living aged 84 in the 18th Ward of New York City in the 1860 census. [Not found in NYC in 1870.]

Caroline Skidmore (born 1832) and Mary Skidmore (born 1841) were both living close to one another in 1850 both with salt manufacturers at Syracuse, Onondaga County, New York. Orphaned sisters? Parents perhaps in Wisconsin or in the midwest?

Carrie (Caroline?) Skidmore married Harry L. Gates (born 1860) in 1883. They lived at Brooklyn, Kings County, New York. [Gates genealogy.] They are not found in the 1900 SOUNDEX of New York or Connecticut. Harry L. Gates, an engraver, was living at 279 Broadway, Brooklyn, in the 1885-6 directory. (Possibly a daughter of Timothy Howland Skidmore, no 490, of Sussex County, Delaware.) A Carolyn (\_\_\_\_\_) Gates had a daughter Etta who married Douglas Patrick McGuire (no place given).

C\_\_\_\_\_ E\_\_\_\_\_ Skidmore, born December 1858, married Jennie M. Hatch on 20 June 1891 at Windsor, Kennebec County, Maine.

Cassie Skidmore, born in East Tennessee in 1851. She married Pryer Lee McBee (died 15 December 1931 aged 80). They were living in 1898 at St. Jo, Montague County, Texas. (McBee was living in 1852 in Newton County, Missouri, but was at St. Jo by 1870?) [Not found in the 1900 Soundex.]

Catherine Skidmore married Joseph Huey on 18 December 1845 in Owen County, Indiana. (Not found on CD-ROM of Owen County marriages, query if this entry is correct?)

Catherine Skidmore, born about 1830, died 6 October 1857 aged 27 at the Penitentiary Hospital in New York City.

Catherine (Sarah) Skidmore married (his 2nd wife) Henry Marrs on 20 October 1858 in Washington County, Arkansas. She was born in 1833 in Tennessee. They had a daughter Nancy born in 1859. Perhaps a widow from Morgan County, Alabama, and related to the Robert Skidmore from the same place who lived soon after in Washington County.

Charles Skidmore born 7 October 1823, died 16 March 1823. Buried in Hope Cemetery, Salem, Perry Township, Columbiana County, Ohio. [Nothing found in 1830 or 1840 census, nor in the 1835 tax duplicate.]

Charles E. (or W.) Skidmore, born 1849 in New York. Living in 1860 in Ellison Township, Warren County, Illinois, with Gabriel Sorigen [Soranson, Sorenson?] and his wife Harriet A. (born 1836 in New York). Sorigen was born in Canada.

Charles W. Skidmore born October 1861 in Ohio. Living at Memphis, Shelby County, Tennessee, in 1900.

Clara Skidmore, born 1830 in New York. A tailoress, living in 1860 in the 2nd Division of the 5th Ward of Brooklyn (page 271) with John Barnum(?) age 48, and wife Catherine age 38 (no children). Household 447-823; the Barnums were born in Ireland. She is not found in the 1850 or 1870 census.

Claudius Lee Skidmore, born March 1863 in Virginia. Living in 1900 and 1910 in King William County, Virginia. Not found in the 1870 census of Virginia. Wife Bernice (Berry) \_\_\_\_\_. He is called Lee Skidmore in the 1920 census of Hanover County, Virginia. (White).

Cynthia Skidmore and Henry Crum married 30 April 1876 in Tipton County, Indiana. SEE Nellie Skidmore elsewhere. (Probably daughter of an emigrant from Canada?) Not found in 1880 census in Tipton County (all read), or in the 1880 SOUNDEX of Michigan.

David Skidmore. On 3 January 1667 Ambrose Clark and Jonathan Newell received 2500 acres of land for the transportation of 50 persons to Virginia [New Kent County?] including David Skidmore. (Query if these headrights did not include non-existent people? Nothing else is known of a David Skidmore in the colonies.)

Deborah Skidmore and Martin Heasing married 4 April 1799 at Boston, Massachusetts.

Delia (Adelia? Cordelia?) Skidmore, born about 1837, living in 1850 in the 11th Ward of New York City, with Benjamin Harris (age 40) and his wife Maria (aged 29).

Edmond Skidmore of Pitt Street, New York City. He died an infant, aged 2 years, on 30 December 1823. Buried Potter's Field.

Edward Skidmore, of New York City, died an infant aged 3 months 14 days at the Almshouse, New York City, on 23 October 1862.

Edwin Skidmore, born 1858 in New York. Living in 1920 on Academy Street, Whitney Point, Broome County, New York.

Elada(?) Skidmore, born 1859 in New York. Living on Goose Hollow Road in Chautauqua County, New York, in 1920.

Eli [Elijah?] Skidmore Job, born 1838 in Indiana, the son of William Job (born 1805) and his wife Polly Folcom (born 1811); the Jobs were married on 25 July 1825 in Rowan County, North Carolina. [John Etcheson was the bondsman, James C. Weddington, the witness.] They were living in 1850 in Jackson Township, Putnam County, Indiana, and in Union Township, Hendricks County, Indiana, (p. 824) in 1860. Both parents are living in 1860, but Eli Job is not found indexed as the head of a family in Indiana and may have been dead. Perhaps this family was nearly related to ELIJAH Skidmore of Yadkin (then Rowan) County, a likely hypothesis. See RICKMANSWORTH, no. 10. More work should be done on the Job and Folcom families in the Yadkin County area.

Eliza SCIDMORE married Oliver Ketchum (born 1800). He married 2ndly Mary Pierson on 1 April 1825 and was living in 1850 at Smithtown, L.I.

Elizabeth Skidmore (said to have been born 23 April 1763) married Daniel Monroe of Bath County, Virginia, in 1782 at some unknown place. Their eldest daughter Margaret (born 13 January 1783) married John Burns, Jun., of Bath County on 19 January 1801. Daniel Monroe and John Burns, Sen., both arrived in Bath County about 1787 (perhaps from Frederick County, Virginia) and purchased adjoining farms. [Query if she was, in fact, a Skidmore? A mistaken hearsay account?]

Elizabeth Skidmore, of 59 Willett Street (between Delancey and Rivington), New York City, died 1 February 1845 aged 9 years. Body removed from New York City for burial. (Perhaps a daughter of Richard B. Skidmore who lived at 63 Willett in 1851?)

Elizabeth Skidmore, born 17 October 1819 in Maryland, daughter of James and Sarah (\_\_\_\_\_) Skidmore.

Elkanah Skidmore, died 24 October 1860 aged 2 months, 13 days, at the Almshouse in New York City.

Ellen Skidmore, born 1813 in New York. A seamstress in the 15th Ward of New York City, aged 47, in 1860. (Probably the Emily Skidmore who died in 1908 at Nyack, Rockland County, New York.)

Emily Skidmore died 19 September 1848 aged 8 months, 6 days, at 20 Jefferson (corner Henry Street) in New York City. Body removed from New York for burial.

Emma A. Skidmore, born 1841 in New Jersey, married George E. Hedden (1838-\_\_\_\_) on 6 July 1860 at Newark, Essex County, N.J. In 1860 they were living in the 5th Ward of Newark with his parents. He was a silver plater, age 22.

Eunice Ann Skidmore married (1) John C. Yerance on 14 November 1869, and (2) Philander Ewell on 11 November 1876, lived Genesee County, Michigan. [Husbands not found in the 1870 index or 1880 Soundex.]

Frank B. Skidmore, born February 1832 in Pennsylvania. He was in the National Home for Disabled Soldiers at Leavenworth, Kansas, in 1900. In 1910 he was living in Vermillion County, Illinois, and in 1920 at the National Military Home, Leavenworth, Kansas. No pension application found.

G\_\_\_\_\_ W\_\_\_\_\_ Skidmore, an alderman in 1858 at Flint, Genesee County, Michigan. Not found in 1860 census.

George W. Skidmore (1857-1929) buried Oakland Cemetery at Sag Harbor, L.I. NO DEATH RECORD AT ALBANY. Perhaps the George W. Skidmore born July 1857 (wife Elizabeth Gascoine, born 1860) living at 157 52nd Street, Brooklyn, in 1900, and at Lynbrook, Nassau County, N.Y., in 1920. (If he died in one of the boroughs of New York City his death record would be there.)

George W. Skidmore, his son aged 3 months died 26 March 1840 at 27 Ridge Street (between Broome and Delancey). Buried Potter's Field. Not found in 1840 census. Probably George Everett Skidmore (no. 272) who arrived in New York City soon after according to the city directories.

Goodman Skidmore died at 134 Liberty Street, New York City on 1 September 1851 aged 1 year, 17 days.

Hannah Skidmore married William Wallace (formerly of Hull, England) at Boston, Massachusetts, on the Monday before 22 January 1825. (*Columbian Centinel*.)

Harriet Skidmore married George Russell Sutton, and lived at Gaines, Genesee County, Michigan in 1889. They had three sons: Francis, Alfred, and Edward. [Descendant Jeanine Dean, Sleeping Bear Road, Glen Arbor, MI 49630.]

Harriet E. Sidmore, married John Hoffman, a native of Germany, on 6 July 1868 at Beaver Dam, Dodge County, Wisconsin. He lived at the time of their marriage at Fond du Lac, Wisconsin.

Harry Skidmore, born July 1871 in Wisconsin. Living at Omaha, Douglas County, Nebraska, in 1900. Not found in the 1880 soundex.

Helen C. Skidmore died 25 March 1886 aged 77 in New York City (death record not seen). She lived at 308 East 27th Street, and left a will dated 1 January 1878 and proved 8 April 1886. Her niece Deborah Colkin was her executrix.

Henry C. Skidmore born October 1864 in Maine. A boarder in Boston, Suffolk County, Massachusetts, in 1900.

Ida Skidmore (born May 1849) was living in 1900 with her daughters Josie Wagoner (born 1879) and her husband John Wagoner, and Mary Skidmore (born 1882) at Omaha, Douglas County, Nebraska. Both Ida and Josie were born in Ohio.

Iredell Skidmore married Sally Ruddeck on 15 March 1851 in Randolph County, North Carolina. She was a daughter of William and Lydia (\_\_\_\_\_) Ruddeck; probate in 1866. [Thomas L. Winslow was the bondsman, J. S. Brown, the witness, at their marriage.] They are not found in the 1860 or 1870 census in North Carolina or elsewhere, *although he was a voter in 1867 at Thomasville*. Not found in later census records!

Isaac Skidmore, born 1826 in South Carolina. Living in 1850 in Lanier Township, Preble County, Ohio, with a wife Caroline (born Ohio) and sons Abner (born 1846) and Leander (born 1849). None of these people are found in 1860 or thereafter. The surname is probably wrongly stated, or can they be related to the Sidmores of Alabama in 1850 (born South Carolina)?

J \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ Skidmore, born 1828 in Virginia. Living in 1860 in Bear Creek Township, Phillips County, Arkansas.

Jacob Skibmore (sic), died at 47 First Street, New York City, on 22 January 1830, aged 1 month. Buried at the Methodist Society, P[eter] Parks, sexton.

James Skidmore of Baltimore, Maryland. Living there in 1874 and 1875 at 400 N. Strickler, gone in 1876. (Perhaps Harrison J. Skidmore of Georgetown, D.C.?)

James Skidmore, born 1798 in North Carolina. He married 1stly \_\_\_\_\_, and 2ndly Cynthia Flinn on 17 July 1822 In Lawrence County, Kentucky. He moved about 1826 to Morgan County, Kentucky, and by 1840 to Jackson County, Illinois, and after 1842 to Brazeau Township, Perry County, Missouri. Not found in 1860. Probably a son of John Skidmore of Lawrence County, Ohio, in 1850.

James Skidmore, born February 1869 in Iowa (both parents born Ohio). Living in 1900 in Green Bay Township, Clarke County, Iowa. Widower in 1900, two children. He is not found in the 1870 census of Iowa.

James Sidmore (sic) married Eliza Wall on 21 December 1826 in [Charlestown Township?], Clark County, Indiana, by M. Cole. He is presumably the man of this name found in Fountain County, Indiana, in 1830 with two sons under 5, one 5-10, and with himself and a wife both aged 20-30. Nothing else known. This marriage not found on CD-ROM. [See Robert, born 1822 in Indiana.] There are two men named Mordecai Coles in Charlestown Township, Clark County in 1850, pages 91 and 107.

James Skidmore married Eliza Gooding on 12 June 1851 in Bond County, Illinois. [No Gooding is found indexed in the 1850 census of Bond County.]

James Skidmore, born about 1873 in Virginia or Kentucky. He married Callie \_\_\_\_\_ before 1910 (probably at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania). They were living in 1920 at Follansbee, Brooke County, West Virginia.

James D. Skidmore married Mary A. Ashenbrenner (born about 1838 in Tennessee) on 30 May 1865 in Stoddard County, Missouri. He had a daughter Martha born in 1866, but died soon after. In 1880 the widow and her daughter were living in Pike Township, Stoddard County; the father of Martha is said (in error?) to have been born in Tennessee.

James M. Skidmore, born 1836 in Arkansas or Kentucky (most likely the latter). He was living with a wife E\_\_\_\_\_ (born 1842 in Kentucky) at Olive, Marshall County, Kentucky, in 1860 with \$350 in personal property, a farmer. He had several children and died about 1875-6 perhaps in Callaway County, Kentucky, or in Bollinger County, Missouri, where his widow was living in 1878. He is probably a first cousin to the James D. Skidmore next above and both are presumed to be namesakes for their grandfather James Skidmore of Perry County, Missouri (noticed above).

James T. Skidmore, born September 1868 in Illinois. Both parents born West Virginia. He was living unmarried in 1900 at Duncan, Graham County, Arizona.

Jane Skidmore married Walter Brown on 21 August 1841 in Dutchess County, New York. [A Walter S. Brown died 16 December 1858 aged 36 at Hyde Park.]

Jane, born 1770, the wife (widow?) of \_\_\_\_\_ Skidmore, died 19 April 1845, aged 75, and buried by the Presbyterian Society of Freedom Plains (now Lagrange Township), Dutchess County, New York.

Jane Skidmore, widow, born 1857. Living in 1910 in Dallas County, Texas.

Jane Skidmore married William Kirkham in January 1851 at Bramford, New Haven County, Connecticut, according to the *Columbia Register* of 11 January 1851, p. 876. In the 1860 census his wife *Eliza* is shown as age 39 and born in North Carolina.

Jane M. Skidmore, born about 1860-5? She married Albert Murphy (1858- ) in 1890. His parents were from Pike County, Illinois, lived later in Oregon. (She might be a daughter of J. L. Skidmore, of Coles County, Illinois, a wild guess.)

Jemima, daughter of George and Margt(?) Skidmore, born 24 May 1854 at 300 West 26th Street, New York City. (Probably George Everett Skidmore, no. 267, who had a wife Eliza at this time.)

Jenetty Skidmore, married Christopher Vaughan on 5 July 1840 in Harlan County, Kentucky. They are not found in 1850, but in 1860 are indexed on page 352?

John Skidmore married Mehitable, daughter of James Fanning, in Riverhead, N.Y. (*The Corrector*, 22 December 1810.)

John Skidmore, born 1830, was a bookbinder in 1850 at Auburn, Cayuga County, New York.

John Skidmore, born about 1852 in New York. Living in 1880 at Newtown, Queens County, N.Y. (Birthplace of parents not given.) Wife Henrietta (age 28) whose father was born in England. Son Warren, aged 8 months. Not found in 1860, 1870 or 1900.

John Skidmore, born about 1828 (or 1838?) in Tennessee. He was living in 1850 in Kaw Township, Jackson County, Missouri. Not found in 1860 if born in 1828, OR enumerated twice if born in 1838.

John Skidmore, born 1769 in North Carolina. He married Istly \_\_\_\_\_ and they were living by 1792 in Burke County, North Carolina. Moved by 1810 to Lee County, Virginia, and by 1820 to what is now Lawrence County, Kentucky, where he married Prudence Arnold on 18 July 1822. He was gone by 1825 and is not found in the 1830 or 1840 census. He is said by descendants to have been a slave trader, and to have been of a "roving disposition." Not found again until 1850 when he and Prudence are living with his daughter Martha Biggs in Lawrence County, OHIO. Not found in 1860. Probably (by



elimination) the son of Elijah Skidmore who died intestate in 1775 in Surry County, North Carolina.

John J. Skidmore, born August 1867 in New York. A lodger at Boston, Suffolk County, Massachusetts, in 1900.

Joseph Skidmore died 3 May 1863 aged 3 months, 10 days, at 741 Greenwich Street, New York City.

Josephine Skidmore, born July 1868 in New Jersey, a widow. Living in 1900 at Asbury Park, Monmouth County, New Jersey. A daughter Hester N. born July 1896.

Josephine Skidmore, born 1846. She and an Eliza Skidmore, born 1851, were living in 1860 with John F. Phillips (age 30) a farmer at Princeton, Lawrence County, New Jersey.

Josephine (not found in 1850) and Eliza were both born in New York. In 1870 Josephine Skidmore is living in Philadelphia; Eliza is not found. [Perhaps the daughters of William Skidmore of Middletown, Monmouth County, New Jersey, living in 1850? They are not found elsewhere in 1860 and 1870.]

Lavina Skidmore, a widow, born Alabama in 1846. She was living in 1880 in DeWitt County, Texas, with a daughter Maud aged 5. Not found in 1870 census. (Perhaps a widow of Simon Skidmore of Illinois, although the father of little Maud is said to have been born in Virginia?)

Lidy Skidmore (widow?) and Silas Knight were married 28 October 1847 in Adams County, Illinois. He is not found in the 1840 census of Illinois as the head of a family so this may have been a first marriage for both.

Lula C. Skidmore, born 1853, previously a widow? She was living aged 57 in Anderson County, Texas, in 1910, and aged 67 in Tom Green County, Texas, in 1920 with her daughter Maud (wife of Leo Bibolet). Daughter Maud Bibolet from a former marriage?

Margretha Skidmore & Henry Gray married 18 November 1761 at St. Michaelis and Zion Congregational Church, Philadelphia.

Martha Skidmore, (a widow of \_\_\_\_\_ Skidmore born in Kentucky) was born in October 1834 in Virginia (both parents born Virginia). She had a son William F. Skidmore born April 1874 in Indiana. She had nine children, only one living. She was living in 1900 at 624 S. 15th Street, Terre Haute, Indiana.

Martha Skidmore ("Mrs."), age 21, and Benjamin A. Stevenson, age 28, were married 3 October 1882 at Wilson County, Kansas. (No males married, no probates in this county. No Skidmore found in the 1880 census of Wilson County.)

Mary Skidmore and Thomas Francis married about 1684 in Anne Arundel County, Maryland. [Source not given.]

Mary Sidmore (sic) married Isaac Snyder. Their daughter Olive married George Anthony in 1858 (his first wife?) No place, but perhaps Chautauqua County.

Mary Skidmore married John C. Jeralamon on 13 September 1845 in Essex County, New Jersey. She is called "of New York" according to the Newark *Daily Advocate* dated 16 September 1845 which states that they were married by Rev. D. W. Bartine. In the newspaper his name is spelled Joralemon. [See John, married Mary Ann Searles?]

Mary Skidmore married John H. Sherwood on 22 July 1824 in Rutherford County, Tennessee.

Mary Skidmore, born about 1841. Living in the 1st Ward of Syracuse, Onondaga County, New York, in 1850, with David Dean (age 34) and wife Phebe (age 27).

Mary Skidmore and John Dawson were married 31 August 1732 in Philadelphia.

Mary Skidmore married Charles L. Handy on 7 February 1852 at Providence, R.I. [Check 1860 census of Rhode Island for Handy.]

Mary Skidmore (widow), born September 1834 in Illinois. Father born Maryland, mother Virginia. Living in 1900 in Chicago, Cook County, Illinois, with her daughter Louise (presumably Skidmore) born August 1865. Louise had married Myron H. Tichnor. Mary had six (of eight) children living in 1900.

Mary Skidmore married George L. Shaver on 12 May 1819 in Vanderburgh County, Indiana. Probably a daughter of James Skidmore, innkeeper. [1820 census, not found. 1830 Washington County, Indiana, page 301. 1840 census, Marion County, Indiana, page 458. 1850 census, New Albany, Floyd County, Indiana. 1860 census, Harrison County, page 414. Mary Skidmore married Charles Robinson Smith on 22 May 1861 at Trinity Church (Episcopal) in New York City. She is not found in the 1860 census of New York City. Perhaps from Long Island?

Mary Elizabeth Skidmore, daughter of Charles (no. 479), died 29 December 1851 (date wrong). Mary M. Skidmore, died 14 January 1891 in Suffolk County, New York. No death record at Albany.

Mary S. Skidmore married John Allen on 3 July 1844 at Parsippany (Hanover Township?), Morris County, New Jersey. Not found in 1840 and 1850.

Matilda Skidmore, born 1853 in Texas, living in 1870 in Horsehead Township, Johnson County, Arkansas. [She is very possibly the M. Skidmore who was a daughter of Robert

Skidmore of Franklin County, Arkansas (SEE forward), except that M. is listed as a male in 1860.]

Matilda Skidmore (born circa 1810 in Kentucky?) She had a licence to marry David G. McKnight on 31 August 1831 in Morgan County, Illinois. They moved soon after to Des Moines County, Iowa, where they both died in 1857 leaving five orphan children. [He was a soldier in the War of 1812 in Vermont.]

Michael Skidmore, born 1834 in Tennessee. He married Rebecca \_\_\_\_\_ (born 1844) at a date and place presently unknown. They had a son Samuel E., born about 1868, and were living in 1870 in Rochester Township, Sangamon County, Illinois. Samuel E. Skidmore, an orphan, was living in 1880 with John and Mary (\_\_\_\_\_) Spicer in Sangamon County. He was living in 1920 at 420 Adams Street, Springfield, Illinois, aged 50, with his wife Ola [Ola D. Kinhead, married 4 December 1901 in Sangamon County.] Michael must be Rickmansworth no. 42, who had abandoned another family in Schuyler County, Illinois? Perhaps a divorce in Schuyler County, or his second marriage?

Millie Skidmore (Amelia, Pamela?), married Coleman Armstead on 26 December 1872 in Colbert County, Arkansas. [Not found in 1880 Soundex.]

Nancy Skidmore (born circa 1815) married John Houston. Their daughter Margaret was born about 1839 in Shelby County, Illinois. She married 1stly \_\_\_\_\_ Hounshell, and 2ndly G. M. Melton on 23 January 1885. She was then aged 46 and Melton was aged 55; he was born at Madison and then lived at Patoka, Marion County.

Naomi Skidmore married Elias Baldwin on 14 April 1800 in Essex County, New Jersey.

Nathaniel Skidmore, born about 1818 in the United States. He was living, a farmer, and a member of the United Brethren Church, at Orford, Bothwell County, Ontario, in 1871 aged 53. Nellie Skidmore married Robert E. Monaghan on 2 July 1879 in Tipton County, Indiana. She is almost certainly Eleanor Smith, the widow of Jephtha Skidmore of Switzerland County, Indiana. Also Cynthia Skidmore who married Henry Crum on 30 April 1876 in Tipton County. [Probably from Canada? They are not found in Tipton County in the 1880 census, read entire.]

Nellie Skidmore, born 1846 in Kentucky, was living at Rockport, Aransas County, Texas, in 1900 with her son Royal Decron.

Nellie Skidmore married Richard Walker, Sr., on 28 June 1874 in Marion County, Texas. [Probably a daughter of David H. and Frances (Dibble) Skidmore of Page County, Iowa, no. 510? The Walkers not found in the 1880 SOUNDEX of Texas.]

Nettie J. SCIDMORE, born 1862, married William J. Chambers, aged 19, on 2 October 1878 in Ottawa County, Kansas. [Not found in the 1880 SOUNDEX of Kansas.]

Polly Skidmore died 22 February 1805 at Newtown, Connecticut. [Not Polly Barnes wife of Zardis Skidmore.]

Rebecca Skidmore married W. B. Cole on 3 July 1881 in Pueblo County, Colorado. Not found in 1880 census index or 1880 SOUNDEX.

Robert Skidmore was born about 1822 in "Inda" (Indiana?) and was a blacksmith in 1850 in Franklin County, Arkansas. He had a wife Elizabeth [Gould?] who was born in 1829 in Arkansas and four children: H. J. (daughter), born 1851; M. (son), born 1853; Robert, born 1856; and John M., born 1857. He died about 1858 and his widow Elizabeth married Linsey Thompson before 1860. In 1850 Elizabeth Gould, age 64 born Pennsylvania, was living with the Skidmores and in 1860 she is living with the Thompsons. The Thompsons were living in White Oak Township, Franklin County (post office Ozark) in 1860. [Perhaps son of James Sidmore of Fountain County, Indiana.]

Rosa Skidmore died 3 March 1860 aged 7 at Franklinville (now Riverhead), Long Island. [Probably Westerleigh no. 163? Or 155-165.]

Ruth Skidmore, a wife of Charles F. Skidmore. She was born 1864 in Illinois, and was living at 306 E. Second North in 1900 in Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon. She had a sister Orpha Cutting who was born in 1858. They were born in Illinois, father born in Indiana and mother born in Ohio.

Sallie Skidmore married O. M. Calhoun on 8 June 1875 in Collin County, Texas. [Not found in 1880 Soundex.]

Samuel Skidmore married Mary Walker on 7 July 1836 in Clark County, Indiana. He does not seem to be any of the six Samuel Skidmore found in the 1840 census. "July 7th 1836 I certify that I joined as husband and wife the written named persons. Thomas W. Prather, J.P." Not found in the 1840 census of Clark County, but about 50% of this is illegible.

Samuel Skidmore, born about 1834 in New York. Living with a wife Emily (born 1836) and son John (born 1856) in 1860 in the First Ward of Morris, Grundy County, Illinois. No marriage found in Grundy County. A laborer, \$600-35.

Samuel Skidmore, born July 1861 in New Jersey. Parents born New Jersey. A widower and tinsmith at Brooklyn, Kings County, New York, in 1900. A son Norman born April 1888 in New Jersey.

Samuel Skidmore, born about 1821 in Virginia, of AFRICAN origin. Member of the Church of England, living in 1871 at Bertie, Welland County, Ontario.

Sarah Skidmore (also called Catherine) married Henry Marrs on 20 October 1858 in Washington County, Arkansas.

Sarah Skidmore (born about 1815?) married Charles Christisson (born 1814 in Indiana) on 11 May 1832 in Floyd County, Indiana. She died soon after and he married (2) Rachel Musgrove on 26 July 1836. They were living in 1840 in Jackson Township, Floyd County; in 1850 in Jackson Township, Washington County; and in 1860 in Brown Township, Washington County, Indiana. His name is spelled Christison, Christson, Christeson in the records.

Sidney Skidmore is said to have been an attorney at Tombstone, Cochise County, Arizona, in the 1880s at the time of the shoot-out at the O. K. Corral. (26 October 1881).

Smith Skidmore. Abijah Hunt was appointed the administrator of Smith Skidmore, a deceased soldier, on 6 November 1804 in Hamilton County, Ohio. Hunt was the administrator of a great many soldiers and was probably a professional agent for some kind of compensation.

Susan Schidmore (sic), a member of the Rockaway Presbyterian Church in Morris County, New Jersey, previous to 1808.

T\_\_\_\_\_ A\_\_\_\_\_ Skidmore, born 1827 in Mississippi, lived Mississippi. He was living aged 25, a miner, in Calaveras County, California, in 1852. (SEE Thomas Skidmore of Yuba County below who may be the same man.)

Thomas Skidmore born about 1816 in New York. He is called a trader on 28 October 1850 when he was living at Nevada City, Yuba County, California. (Died? Returned home?)

Thomas Skidmore married Hannah Sigison. He was probably born in New York City about 1825; he had a son William Henry Skidmore (born 1853) who married Margaret Ella SKIDMORE on 11 April 1888 in New York City; their relationship is presently unknown but they do not seem to have been first cousins.

Thomas Skidmore, born 1832, died 4 December 1903 aged 71 at 5148 Prairie Avenue, Chicago, Cook County, Ill.

Thomas B. Skidmore, born 1868 in Pennsylvania. He was living in Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, in 1910. Not found in 1900.

Thomas H. Skidmore, born 1861 in North Carolina. Living in Jefferson County, Arkansas, in 1910. (Not found in 1870 census in North Carolina or Arkansas.)

Thomas H. Skidmore, born 1870 in New York. Living in 1910 at Cleveland, Cuyahoga County, Ohio.

Walter Skidmore, born October 1860 in New York. Both parents born New York. He was living at Colorado Springs, El Paso County, Colorado, in 1900. Wife Laura, and son Charles W. (born 1890).

Wesley Skidmore married Solinda Phares on 20 December 1838 in Pendleton County. (IGI). William Skidmore was on a list of tithables taken by William Brown on 9 June 1682 in Surry County, Virginia. He is also found there in June 1683 but is missing in 1684 (and thereafter). (Lists were checked from 1681 to 1702; no Skidmores found.)

William Skidmore, born 1835 in Canada, a private in Co. I., 108th Illinois Infantry, age 27, 5'7", dark hair, gray eyes, dark complexion, single, laborer. Enlisted 29 August 1862 at Peoria, Illinois. He was never a pensioner.

William Skidmore, born 1865 in the U.S. Living in Lincoln County, Arkansas, in 1910.

William Skidmore, born about 1815, was head of a family in 1840 in Scott County, Missouri. Three sons under 10, and a wife aged 20-30. He was undoubtedly a son of James Skidmore (noticed above) who was living in Perry County, Missouri, in 1850, but proof would be welcome.

William A. Skidmore married Kate Maugham on 3 February 1874 at Newport, Rhode Island.

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