

Census Transcripts Some Descendants of Joseph Lee Flood and his first wife, Emiline Ogden

1930 Dade County, FL Census

Jason S. Shaver, head, 61, Canada

Victor R. Shaver, wife-head, 65, Canada [I assume Victor must be short for Victoria.]

William J. Brown, 34, KY, father: LA, mother: KY [This is William Joseph Brown, son of Edwin King Brown and Leila Ratcliffe. Leila was the daughter of George Nicholas Ratcliffe and Mary Emiline Flood and a grandson of Joseph Lee Flood.]

Joseph J. Brown, grandson, 3-3/12, FL, father: KY, mother: Canada

Henry L. Brown, grandson, 2-2/12, FL, father: KY, mother: Canada

This is fairly consistent with information from a brief Flood genealogy written by my great-grandmother, Margaret "Maggie" Beall Flood Harlan, a half sister of Mary Emiline Flood. According to it, William Joseph was married twice and his first wife died. His first wife would have been the daughter of Jason S. Shaver. I do not know her first name at this time. According to Maggie's information the sons were named William Jason and Morrison. These seem to be incorrect. Joseph J. was probably Joseph Jason and Henry L. was probably Henry Lee.

1920 Oldham Co., KY Census

Mrs. Lelia Brown, 46, KY [Her husband, Edwin King Brown was in the 1910 census, so he must have died between 1910 and 1920. Lelia is Leila Ratcliffe, referred to above. She is buried in Valley of Rest Cemetery in LaGrange, KY]

Ellen Brown, 21, KY [This is Mary Ellen. She never married and is buried in Valley of Rest Cemetery in LaGrange, KY]

Bessie Brown, 19, KY [This is Bessie Ratcliffe Brown. She married A.C. Brown and apparently did not have children.]

David, 17, KY [This is David Ogden Brown, named for Joseph Lee Brown's first wife and his great grandmother, Emiline Ogden. He married a Sue Matthews. He lived in Macon, GA and never had children.]

Horace Brown, 15, KY [This is Horace Nelson Brown. He died at age 27, unmarried.]

Grace Brown, 12, KY [This is Grace Gray Brown. She never married and is buried in Valley of Rest Cemetery in LaGrange, KY]

There was one other son, named Allen M. Brown, born in KY about 1897. He must have died young.

1930 Lake Co., FL Census

Harry L. Brown, 32, KY, age at first marriage: 21 [This is Harry Lee Brown son of Edwin King Brown and Leila Ratcliffe. Leila was the daughter of George Nicholas Ratcliffe and Mary Emiline Flood and a grandson of Joseph Lee Flood.]

Minnie A. Brown, 33, OH, age at first marriage: 22

Janet O. Brown, 8, OH

Harry had one other daughter named Barbara, according to information from my great-grandmother, Margaret "Maggie" Beall Flood Harlan.]

1910 Oldham Co., KY Census

Edward Brown, 47, LA [His first name is incorrect here. This is the Edwin King Brown referred to above.]

Leila Brown, 37, KY [This is the Leila Ratcliffe referred to above.]

Willie J. Brown, 14, KY [This is the William Joseph Brown referred to above.]

Harry L. Brown, 13, KY [This is the Harry Lee Brown referred to above.]

Ellen M. Brown, 12, KY [This is the Mary Ellen Brown referred to above.]

Bessie R. Brown, 9, KY [This is the Bessie Ratcliffe Brown referred to above.]

David O. Brown, 7, KY [This is the David O. Brown referred to above.]

Horace N. Brown, 5, KY [This is the Horace Nelson Brown referred to above.]

Grace Brown, 3, KY [This is the Grace Gray Brown referred to above.]

1900 Oldham Co., KY Census

Edwin K. Brown, June 1863, LA

Leila Brown, October 1873, KY

William J. Brown, September 1896, KY

Harry Lee Brown, November 1895, KY

Allen M. Brown, Aug, 1899, KY [Allen apparently died prior to 1910 - See census above.]

1910 Stephens Co., OK Census

Joe L. Ferguson, 29, KY, married 1-3/12th year. This is Joseph Lee Ferguson, son of Joseph Holladay Ferguson and Elizabeth M. Flood. Elizabeth was the daughter of Joseph Lee Flood and Emiline Ogden, his first wife.]

Nina G. Ferguson, 18, SC [This is Nina Gertrude Ballenger, wife of Joseph Lee Ferguson.]

Willie L. Ferguson, 6/12th [This is a son of Joseph L. and Nina's. They had three other children.

1930, Stephens Co., OK Census

Lee Ferguson, 49, KY [This is the Joseph Lee Ferguson, above.]

Nina Ferguson, 38, SC [This is Nina Gertrude Ballenger, referred to above.]

Albert Ferguson, 15, OK [This is Albert Clyde Ferguson, son of Joseph Lee Ferguson.]

Maurice, Ferguson, 12, OK [This is a daughter of Joseph Lee Ferguson.]

Glen, 4-1/2, OK [This is Glenn H. Ferguson, son of Joseph Lee Ferguson.]

1880, Henry Co., KY Census

George RADCLIFF Self M Male W 36 KY Farmer KY KY

Mary RADCLIFF Wife M Female W 30 KY Keeping House KY KY

Lelea RADCLIFF Dau S Female W 6 KY KY KY

Martin RADCLIFF Son S Male W 3 KY KY KY

George, referred to above, is George Nicholas Ratcliffe (his last name is misspelled in the census), the husband of Mary Emiline Flood. Mary was the daughter of Joseph Lee Flood and his first wife, Emiline Ogden.

Mary, above, is Mary Emiline Flood.

Lelea Radcliffe is Leila Ratcliffe, referred to above, who married Edwin King Brown

Martin Radcliffe, is Horace Martin Ratcliffe. Horace not marry until later in life. He married Mary Burke and they adopted one child.

Horace Martin Ratcliffe and Mary Emiline Flood Ratcliffe are buried in the New Castle Cemetery, New Castle, Henry Co., KY. George and Lelia are buried in the Valley of Rest Cemetery, LaGrange, Oldham Co., KY.

1880, Henry Co., KY Census

Elizabeth FERGUSEN Self M Female W 30 KY Keeping House KY KY

Elmor FERGUSEN Son S Male W 11 KY Work On Farm KY KY

Mary FERGUSEN Dau S Female W 8 KY KY KY

William FERGUSEN	Son	S	Male	W 6	KY		KY	KY
Loura FERGUSEN	Dau	S	Female	W 4	KY		KY	KY
Joseph FERGUSEN	Son	S	Male	W 1	KY		KY	KY
George WILDER	Other	S	Male	W 21	KY	Farm Laborer	KY	KY

Elizabeth M. Ferguson (notice misspelling of last name) was a sister of Mary Emiline Flood, referred to above. I have no idea where, her husband Joseph Holladay Ferguson was at this time. He may have been scouting out things in Texas where they moved in 1886.

Elmor is St. Elmo Ferguson

Mary is Mary Emiline Ferguson

William is William Clifton Ferguson

Loura is Lola Laura Ferguson

Joseph is Joseph Lee Ferguson, referred to above.

[See more information on Elizabeth M. Ferguson and her family, below.]

Elizabeth M. Flood Ferguson

Elizabeth M. Flood, the daughter of Joseph Lee Flood and his first wife, Emiline M. Ogden, was born August 14, 1849, probably in Henry County, Kentucky. Joseph Lee was a son of William Flood and Mary Jones and a grandson of John Flood and Agnes Payne. He was married three times. He and Emiline had another daughter named Mary Emiline Flood, who married George Nicholas Radcliffe. Joseph Lee's second wife was Julia C. Frame. They had one daughter, Fannie Lee Flood. Fannie never married. Joseph Lee's third wife was Sarah Catherine Beall, daughter of Zadok Mathias Beall and Hannah Beall (her maiden name was also Beall.) They had two children: Margaret "Maggie" Beall Flood (my great grandmother who married Edgar Leslie Harlan) and Joseph Lee Flood, Jr. (married Kate A. Stafford)

Elizabeth M. Flood married Joseph Holladay Ferguson on January 12, 1869 in Henry County, Kentucky. Joseph was the son of Abraham Ferguson and Elizabeth Holladay. In 1886 Elizabeth, Joseph and their five children moved to Texas. Their children were: St. Elmo, Mary Emiline, William Clifton, Lola Laura and Joseph Lee. All of the children were probably born in Henry County, Kentucky. Elizabeth was married a second time to Uehemiah Harvey on July 12, 1891 in Cherokee County, Texas. Uehemiah had several children by a prior marriage, but Elizabeth and Uehemiah do not appear to have had any children together.

St. Elmo Ferguson married Bettie L. Kimbrough January 3, 1893 in Cherokee County, TX. They apparently lived most of their lives in Cherokee County and do not appear to have had any children.

Mary Emiline Ferguson was married first to Elisha Duke in 1886 in Fayette County Texas. Elisha and Mary Emiline were divorced and she remarried William Price Selman about 1892. Mary Emiline and William lived in Sanger, Fresno Co., California. Mary Emiline had two children by Elisha and no children by William. Mary Emiline's children were Virginia L. Duke and Elmo Lee Duke. Elmo Lee married a Cooper and had at least one daughter, Emma Gene Duke who was born February 4, 1924 in Fresno California. There may have been other children. Emma married Harrison Fleming Raypholtz. Harrison was born September 28, 1916 in Monterey County, California. Emma died February 3, 1994 in Monterey County and Harrison died September 5, 1990 in Monterey County. Emma and Harrison had two children.

William Clifton Ferguson married Mary Kathryn Thomas February 2, 1902 and lived in Douglass, Nacogdochess County Texas and had five children: Ernest L. Ferguson born November 19, 1902; James W. Ferguson born November 30, 1903; Marion Elmer Ferguson born February 1906 (married Flora Aveline Porter November 24, 1914); Mary Ferguson born February 26, 1906 (married Buford Warr); and John D. Ferguson born November 5, 1906 (married Ethel Louise Griffin).

Lola Laura Ferguson married William Harvey and apparently lived in Nacogdochess County, Texas. In the 1910 Nacogdochess Census she is listed as having seven children, six of whom were still living. Laura's first name is taken from the 1910 Census where she is listed as "Lola Laura." The names of four of her children were listed in the 1910 Census. They were: Mary Ida, born about 1900; Kuella (a daughter – name was difficult to read) born about 1902; Cathy A. born about 1905; and Mattie A. (name was difficult to read) born about 1907. All were born in Texas.

Joseph Lee Ferguson married Nina Gertrude Ballinger December 20 1908 in Oak Grove, Lincoln County, Oklahoma. They had four children: Glenn H. born about 1926, Willie L. born about 1909, Albert Clyde born 5 October 1913 and Maurice (a daughter) born about 1918.