

Descendants of John and Jane Maxwell

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of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

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Preface

This book contains research done on some of my wife's Philadelphia roots. Doing genealogy in a large city has its challenges, and this work is very preliminary. I have attempted to include everything I can find out on the descendants of John and Jane Maxwell, in hopes of contacting others who may have additional information.

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Descendants of John and Jane Maxwell

(1) JOHN MAXWELL was born in about 1784,¹ in Ireland.² He was the son of John Maxwell. In 1813, he lived at 116 Christian Street in Southwark, which later became part of Philadelphia. He was a carpenter. In a city directory he is referred to as John Maxwell Jr. His father, John Maxwell Sr., was living at the same address and was a weaver.³

John's wife, **JANE ROBESON⁴ (or ROBINSON?)⁵**, was born in about 1791.⁶ Three different census records show her as born in Delaware, Virginia, or New Jersey.⁷ She was probably born in New Jersey.

John died August 13, 1856, according to records of the Scots Presbyterian Church where he was a member. His will mentions his wife, son Andrew Robinson, daughters Hannah, Jane and Mary, son John, daughter Louisa, and son George Esler. In the will, several houses on Christian, Wharton, and Marriott Streets are mentioned. His widow Jane died January 17, 1871, in Philadelphia.⁸

Will of John Maxwell:

"In the name of God Amen. I, John Maxwell of the City of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania, being of sound mind and memory, and considering the uncertainty of this frail and transitory life, do therefore make, ordain and declare, this to be my last Will and Testament. That is to say, First, after all my lawful debts are paid and discharged, the residue of my estate, real and personal, I give, bequeath and dispose of as follows. To my beloved wife, all that lot of ground fronting on Christian Street thirty six feet extending south to Marriott Street one hundred and ninety nine feet with the buildings and appurtenances therein and the house and lot No. 25 Marriot Street and houses and lot of ground on Wharton and Keefes Streets during her natural life and after her death

¹ Phil. Co., Southwark, ward 2 1850 census, p. 138, lists him as 66 years old.

² According to 1850 census. Also on the 1880 census Hannah Myers' father is listed as born in Ireland

³ 1820 Philadelphia city directory. John Maxwell, carpenter, was still living at 116 Christian St. in 1844.

⁴ Colonial and Revolutionary Families of Pennsylvania, Vol. 3, p. 1573, states that "Mary Maull Maxwell ...was born in Philadelphia, October 15, 1840, daughter of Andrew Robeson Maxwell, born in Philadelphia in 1811, died there in 1898. The parents of Andrew Robeson were John and Jane (Robeson) Mawell."

⁵ Although the above source calls their son Andrew Robinson Maxwell, other sources say Andrew Robinson Maxwell.

⁶ She is listed as 69 at the time of the 1860 census. 2nd Ward, Southwark, p. 83.

⁷ The 1850 census lists her birth place as Delaware, the 1860 census as Virginia, and on the 1880 census, Hannah Myers' mother is listed as having been born in New Jersey.

⁸ Philadelphia Inquirer, 20 Jan 1871: "MAXWELL – on the 17th Inst., Mrs. JANE MAXWELL, relict of the late John Maxwell. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, No. 232 Christian street, this (Friday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Service at church, Third and Redwood streets." Note: I had previously thought she'd died in 1869, but this was incorrect. She is also found on the 1870 census.

the property to be divided as follows. To my son Andrew Robinson the house and lot of ground No. 25 Marriot Street, to my daughter Hannah the house and lot of ground on Wharton St. To my daughter Jane one house and lot, ground No. 31 Marriott Street and one house and lot of ground No. 1 in the place back from Christian Street Lot 13 feet by 36 feet. To my daughter Mary the house and lot of ground 16 feet front on Christian Street by 66 feet 9 in. deep. To my son John one house and lot of ground No. 33 Marriott Street and one house and lot of ground No 2 in the place back from Christian Street lot 13 feet by 36 feet. To my daughter Louisa one house and lot of ground No. 35 on Marriott Street and one house and lot of ground No3 in the place back from Christian Street, lot 18 feet by 36 feet. To my son George Esler, one house and lot of ground on Keefe Street and one house and lot of in the place back of Christian Street lot 13 by 36 feet. Andrew Robinson to have the lot fronting on Christian Street sixteen feet front by sixty six feet nine inches deep leaving an open passage or alley for the back house of four feet square. By paying unto George E four hundred dollars any money remaining or due the estate after paying all debts due on the estate be divided, equally share and share alike. Likewise I make constitute and appoint my sons Andrew, John and George to be executors of this my last Will and Testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal, the thirteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty six. John Maxwell."

Children:

2. [Andrew Robinson Maxwell](#), b. 12 Oct 1812; d. 6 Dec 1895; m. Emily Maull
3. [Hannah Maxwell](#), b. Abt 1816; d. 25 Sep 1893; m. George W. Myers
4. [Jane Maxwell](#), b. 6 Dec 1817; d. 6 Mar 1900; m. David Bevan
5. [Mary R. Maxwell](#), b. abt. 1820; d. 9 Aug 1869; m. William Pitman
6. [Col. John Maxwell](#), b. Abt. 1823; d. 17 Jan 1902; m. Emma Waterman
7. [Louisa Maxwell](#), b. Abt. 1828; living with parents in 1850; no further record
8. [George Esler Maxwell](#), b. 12 Sep 1830; d. 14 Oct 1911, m. Ellen ----

Second Generation

(2) ANDREW ROBINSON MAXWELL ([John Maxwell](#)) was born 12 Oct 1812, in Philadelphia, PA.⁹ It's possible that his middle name was Robeson, not Robinson. He died 6 Dec 1895, in Philadelphia, and is buried in the Woodlands Cemetery.¹⁰ He married **Emily Maull**, 19 Mar 1839, in Philadelphia. Emily was born 21 Mar 1811¹¹ in Philadelphia, and was the daughter of Nehemiah Maul¹² and his second wife, Mary Marot.¹³ Her father died in 1817 when she was only 6 years old. Emily died 28 May 1898, in Philadelphia, and is also buried in the Woodlands Cemetery.¹⁴

Andrew was a carpenter.¹⁵ At the time of his death he lived at 334 Christian St.¹⁶ In 1867 he had lived at 527 Christian.

Children:

9. [Mary Maull Maxwell](#), b. 15 Oct 1840; d. 8 Mar 1926; m. Paul Henry Barnes
10. [Anna Maxwell](#), b. 25 Aug 1842; d. 2 Aug 1912; m. Frank Asbury Campbell Shute
11. [William Nehemiah Maul Maxwell](#), b. 8 Jun 1845; d. 28 Mar 1918; m. Helen Augusta Hurley
12. **Mildred Emily Maxwell**, b. 24 Jun 1849; d. 21 Aug 1939; bur. Woodlands Cem.;¹⁷ m. Thomas P. King, 1905; he died 27 Mar 1938, in Philadelphia;¹⁸ his occupation is listed as "plasterer" on the 1910 census; lived in Philadelphia; no children

(3) HANNAH MAXWELL ([John Maxwell](#)) was born in about 1816, in Pennsylvania. She married **George W. Myers** 3 Dec 1835 at the Scots Presbyterian Church in

⁹ Ancestry.com. *Philadelphia, Penn., Death Certificates Index, 1803-1915*.

¹⁰ <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/99911549/andrew-robinson-maxwell>

¹¹ Gravestone.

¹² Emily Maull was born in 1811 and died in 1898. She was the daughter of Nehemiah Maull, a boatbuilder. See http://www.maulefamily.com/fam_grp_charts/mfg_32.htm

¹³ Baldwin Maull, *John Maull of Lewes, Del., a Genealogy*, (1941), pp. 23.24.

¹⁴ Findagrave. Her death notice

¹⁵ Ancestry.com. *Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Death Certificates Index, 1803-1915*. Also census records.

¹⁶ Death notice in *Philadelphia Inquirer*, 7 Dec 1895.

¹⁷ https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/136111701/mildred-e_-king

¹⁸ Death certificate online at Ancestry.com.

Philadelphia.¹⁹ George was born in about 1811, in Pennsylvania. He was a "house carpenter" and lived in Philadelphia, at the time of the 1850 census. They were living in the area then known as Southwark.

Apparently in 1850 or soon afterwards the family moved to Maryland. In 1858, they bought a 3-story brick mill dwelling house and land totally 149 acres from Edward S. Fletcher and his wife Harriet. In 1860, the family is living in the Second District of Harford Co. In 1870 George and Hannah lived with their son Charles. George died March 20, 1871, at Swansbury Mills.²⁰ Although he died intestate, probate records mention his widow Hannah, son Charles F. (wife Britannia), son William H. H., of Delaware, daughter Lavinia, wife of Edward Thompson of Harford County, son John M. (wife Ellen), daughter Mary Jane, son George W., and son Andrew, 19. All lived in Philadelphia except Charles, William and Lavinia.²¹

Following her husband's death, Hannah returned to Philadelphia. She is listed on the 1880 census living at 232 Christian Street, with sons John M., George W., and Andrew, and daughter Mary. The house had been passed down in the family from at least 1858 when Hannah's mother Jane lived there. Hannah remained there until the time of her death.²² Hannah Maxwell Myers died September 25, 1893, in Philadelphia,²³ and is buried in the Mt. Moriah Cemetery near Philadelphia.²⁴

Children:

- 13 [Charles F. Myers](#), b. Sep 1835; d. 2 Nov 1915; m. Britannia Reed Tittermary
- 14 [Lavinia Myers](#), b. 16 Aug 1838; d. 20 Nov 1911; m. Edward E. Thompson
- 15 [William Henry Harrison Myers](#), b. 1840; d. 21 Sep 1891; m. Ariel Sophie Jackson²⁵

¹⁹ Church records in library of Historical Society of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia. The Scots Presbyterian Church no longer exists.

²⁰ Information from Jon Livezey.

²¹ Letter from Jon H. Livezey, citing Equity Case #2235. Jon writes, "another case index noted suggests William may have had a wife Ariel."

²² Various Philadelphia city directories

²³ "Pennsylvania, Philadelphia City Death Certificates, 1803-1915," index and images, *FamilySearch*

²⁴ [findagrave.com: Hannah Maxwell Myers](#) Her gravestone, which I photographed, is in Section 149, Lot 20. However, during a subsequent visit to the cemetery, I could not find the gravestones. Mt. Moriah is in serious disrepair and very overgrown with vegetation. However, restoration efforts have been underway and hopefully in the future it will once again be possible to find these gravestones.

²⁵ Although another source states William H. H. Myers was the son of an Albert Myers, I believe he belongs here because the probate of George W. Myers mentions "William H. H. Myers" of Delaware.

- 16 **John Maxwell Myers**, b. 23 Sep 1843;²⁶ d. 19 Sep 1918;²⁷ bur. Mt. Moriah Cem.;²⁸ m. (1st) Ellen -----;²⁹ m. (2nd) Adele M. Bornot, about 1897; living in Philadelphia (26th ward) with wife Ellen in 1870;³⁰ unmarried and living in Philadelphia in 1880; he was listed as a clerk on an 1886 city directory, living at 232 Christian St. Adele died 16 Aug 1941, and is also buried in Mt. Moriah
- 17 **George W. Myers**, b. about 1844; d. 16 Nov 1893; bur. Mt. Moriah Cem.;³¹ res. Philadelphia in 1880; he was a painter, and lived at 232 Christian St. in 1882, and 1891;³² apparently unmarried
- 18 **Mary Jane Myers**, b. 1850, MD; d. 15 Aug 1933; bur. Mt. Moriah Cem.;³³ m. George W. Kelley. George was buried 21 Feb 1923; George's occupation is listed as paperhanger on the 1900 census; no children
- 19 **Andrew M. Myers**, b. Nov 1855; d. 1 Jun 1937, Merchantville, NJ;³⁴ bur. Mt. Moriah Cem.;³⁵ m. Cora L. Beckett, in 1916; he was a carpenter, and lived at 232 Christian St. in 1883 (carpenter) and 1891 (contractor); lived in New Jersey in 1930; Cora Myers was buried 13 Aug 1958 in Mt. Moriah. No children.

(4) JANE MAXWELL ([John Maxwell](#)) was born 6 Dec 1817 in Philadelphia. She died 6 Mar 1900, in Philadelphia and is buried in the West Laurel Hill Cemetery.³⁶ She married **David Bevan**, 29 Jan 1839, in the Scots Presbyterian Church.³⁷ David was born 15 Feb 1811. According to his gravestone, he died 5 Dec 1891, however other records indicate he died in 1890. He is buried in the West Laurel Hill Cemetery.³⁸ He is listed as a painter on the 1880 census, both parents born in Pennsylvania. On the 1850 census his occupation is given as "master painter," and the value of his real estate was given as 20,000, a very large sum. Apparently he was quite prosperous.

Children:

²⁶ Death certificate: Ancestry.com; which gives both birth date and middlename.

²⁷ *Philadelphia Inquirer*: "MYERS – Sept 19th – JOHN M. husband of Adele Bornot Myers. Relatives and friends, also employees of Cosmopolitan Life Ins. Co., force no. 1, and United Patterson Fellowship, invited to funeral services, Mon. 2 P.M. at his late residence, 5261 Larchwood Ave. Int. strictly private, Mt. Moriah Cem..."

²⁸ Lot 29

²⁹ It is likely that she was the Ellen Strubel who married John Myers 18 Feb 1865, in the First Independent Christian Church, Philadelphia.

³⁰ Ellen was born about 1848, in Pennsylvania, according to the census.

³¹ Sec. 149, Lot 20.

³² Ancestry.com. *U.S. City Directories, 1821-1989*

³³ Section 149, Lot 20.

³⁴ Death notice in *Philadelphia Inquirer*, 2 Jun 1937.

³⁵ Section 149, Lot 20.

³⁶ [findagrave.com: Jane Maxwell Bevan](#)

³⁷ "Pennsylvania, Marriages, 1709-1940," index, *FamilySearch*

³⁸ [findagrave.com: David Bevan](#)

- 20. [Jane Maxwell Bevan](#), b. Jul 1841; d. 2 Nov 1919; m. Alonzo Ringgold Fletcher
- 21. [John M. Bevan](#), b. about 1844; d. 26 Dec 1920; m. Mary C. Tominey
- 22. **Harry Bevan**, b. 25 Sep 1846; d. 3 Mar 1906; bur. West Laurel Hill Cem.;³⁹
unm. He was a clerk
- 23. [Alice Alloway Bevan](#), b. 23 Jun 1849; d. 8 May 1940; m. Edwin B. Brown
- 24. [Mary H. Bevan](#), b. 7 Jun 1852; d. 26 Aug 1940; m. (1^{st?}) ---- McRae; m. (2nd)
Alexander Bryant

(5) MARY R. MAXWELL ([John Maxwell](#)) was born about 1820. She died 9 Aug 1869 and is buried in the Glenwood Cemetery.⁴⁰ She married **William Pitman**, 7 Oct 1845, in the Scots Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia.⁴¹ He was born in about 1823 in Pennsylvania.⁴² They lived at 232 Christian St. at the time of Mary's death. William's occupation is listed as "liquor store" on the 1860 census. He appears on an 1860 directory, was not found on an 1868 or 1873 city directory. There is a death notice in the Philadelphia Public Ledger for a William Pitman, who died 21 Feb 1864, at age 47.

Children:

- 25. **Jane Mary Pitman**, b. 20 Dec 1846; d. 24 Jun 1899; bur. Woodlands Cem.; m.
John L. Thomson
- 26. **Louis Pitman**, b. Abt. 1852

(6) COL. JOHN MAXWELL ([John Maxwell](#)) was born Aug 1823.⁴³ He died 17 Jan 1902,⁴⁴ and is buried in Mt. Moriah Cemetery. He lived at 114 Christian St. in 1855. He married **Emma Waterman**. She was born 12 Aug 1827. On the 1880 census, John's occupation is listed as Retail Grocer. Emma died 12 Jan 1892 and is buried in Mt. Moriah Cemetery.⁴⁵

Philadelphia Inquirer, Jan. 19, 1902:

Paint Manufacturer Passes Away

Colonel John Maxwell, the paint manufacturer, died on Friday at his residence, 211 Morris street, of a complication of diseases. He was a son of John Maxwell, a carpenter and builder, was a musician in the National Grays, Eighteenth Pennsylvania Infantry; was rapidly promoted and served later in the Twenty-

³⁹ [findagrave.com: Harry Bevan](#) (no photo).

⁴⁰ Ancestry.com. *Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Death Certificates Index, 1803-1915*

⁴¹ "Pennsylvania, Marriages, 1709-1940," index, *FamilySearch*

⁴² According to 1860 census.

⁴³ 1900 US Census

⁴⁴ "Pennsylvania, Philadelphia City Death Certificates, 1803-1915," index and images, *FamilySearch*

⁴⁵ [findagrave.com: Emma Waterman Maxwell](#) (no photo)

Third Pennsylvania Infantry. He distinguished himself for gallantry in many battles and was discharged wounded in 1863, but six months later he served as a volunteer with the Blue Reserves at Gettysburg.

Children:

27. **Charles W. Maxwell**, b. Abt. 1845; d. 26 Nov 1872;⁴⁶ unm.
28. **John Maxwell**, b. Abt. 1848; d. 26 Oct 1874; bur. Mt. Moriah Cem.⁴⁷
29. **Kate Maxwell**, b. 4 Jun 1850;⁴⁸ d. 26 Dec 1906, Philadelphia;⁴⁹ unm.
30. **[George A. Maxwell](#)**, b. Sep 1853; d. 4 Jul 1916; m. Mary J. Snowden
31. **Anna Maxwell**, b. Abt. 1858; living 1870; not listed with parents in 1880 (but she may have been married by then)
32. **Emma Waterman Maxwell**, b. 1 Jul 1858; d. 19 Dec 1906; unm.⁵⁰
33. **Jane Maxwell**, b. 13 Mar 1861;⁵¹ living 1880, when she is called "Jennie" on the census

(8) GEORGE ESLER MAXWELL ([John Maxwell](#)) was born 12 Sep 1830;⁵² He died 14 Oct 1911,⁵³ in Philadelphia, and is buried in the Greenwood Cemetery.⁵⁴ In 1870, when he was 39, he lived in Ward 2, with Jane Maxwell, 18, David Maxwell, 30, Jane Pittman, 22, and Louisa Maxwell, 19.⁵⁵ He married **Ellen C.-----**, by 1880. She was the daughter of Irish immigrants, and was Catholic. George was a painter and paint dealer. He lived at 232 Christian St. in 1862. Ellen was born in about 1842, in Philadelphia. She died 18 Jun 1893, and is buried in the Cathedral Cemetery. At the time of her death, she lived at 1529 Lombard St.⁵⁶

⁴⁶ [findagrave.com: Charles W. Maxwell](#)

⁴⁷ Buried in Section 33, N.E. ¼.

⁴⁸ Ancestry.com. *Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Death Certificates Index, 1803-1915*

⁴⁹ Death notice in Philadelphia Inquirer.

⁵⁰ "Pennsylvania, Philadelphia City Death Certificates, 1803-1915," index and images, *FamilySearch*

⁵¹ "Pennsylvania, Philadelphia City Births, 1860-1906," index and images, *FamilySearch*

⁵² Ancestry.com. *Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Death Certificates Index, 1803-1915*. (birth date calculated from age at time of death.)

⁵³ Death notice in Philadelphia Inquirer.

⁵⁴ [findagrave.com: George E. Maxwell](#) (no photo)

⁵⁵ Jane and David were born in Delaware. Other than Jane Pittman, it is unclear who these people were. Did George have an early marriage?

⁵⁶ "Pennsylvania, Philadelphia City Death Certificates, 1803-1915," index and images, *FamilySearch*

Third Generation

(9) **MARY MAULL MAXWELL** ([Andrew Robinson Maxwell](#), [John Maxwell](#)) was born 15 Oct 1840, in Philadelphia. She died 8 Mar 1926, and is buried in the Woodlands Cemetery.⁵⁷ She married **Paul Henry Barnes**, 17 May 1864. He was born 28 May 1841, in Philadelphia, PA, the son of Paul Barnes and Matilda Hughes. Paul died 8 Jul 1896, in Billingsport, NJ.⁵⁸

Paul “became identified with the insurance business in Philadelphia in 1867.”⁵⁹

Children, born in Philadelphia, PA:

- 34. **Mary Emily Barnes**, b. 22 Oct 1865; d. 19 Jan 1868, Philadelphia⁶⁰
- 35. **Irene Matilda Barnes**, b. 8 Aug 1867; d. 9 Aug 1878; bur. Woodlands Cem.⁶¹
- 36. **Paul Henry Barnes Jr.**, b. 3 Jan 1872; d. 9 Aug 1961; bur. Woodlands Cem.; m. (1st) Emma K. Trites in 1915; m. (2nd) Valerie Coyne. He was “engaged in the insurance business with his father”
- 37. **Andrew Maxwell Barnes**, b. 8 Aug 1873; d. 27 Jun 1875, Philadelphia
- 38. **Ellerslie Wallace Barnes**, b. 8 Oct 1880; d. 21 Sep 1909, Philadelphia; he had epilepsy
- 39. **Albert Maull Barnes**, b. 5 Mar 1883; d. Sep 1969; bur. West Laurel Hill Cem.;⁶² m. Sara K. Hudson

(10) **ANNA MAXWELL** ([Andrew Robinson Maxwell](#), [John Maxwell](#)) was born 25 Aug 1842, in Philadelphia, PA. She died 2 Aug 1912, in Philadelphia, PA, and is buried in the West Laurel Hill Cemetery, Philadelphia.⁶³ She married **Frank Asbury Campbell Shute**, 12 Jul 1840, in Clarksboro, NJ. He served in the Civil War. He died 10 Aug 1889 and is buried in the West Laurel Hill Cemetery.⁶⁴

Children:

- 40. **Emily Maxwell Shute**, b. 3 Oct 1869; d. 8 Oct 1929, Philadelphia, PA; bur. Harleigh Cem., Camden, NJ; m. George Wilbur Taylor, 7 Apr 1891
Child:
(1) *Gwendolyn Taylor.*, b. May 1892; d. 10 Nov 1947; m. Thomas Cathcart Leonards

⁵⁷ <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/122430094/mary-maull-barnes>

⁵⁸ [Colonial and Revolutionary Families of Pennsylvania](#) (1911)

⁵⁹ *Ibid.*

⁶⁰ Death notice in Philadelphia *Public Ledger* Her parents lived at 328 Federal St.

⁶¹ Ancestry.com. *Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Death Certificates Index, 1803-1915*

⁶² <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/60756131/albert-maull-barnes>

⁶³ [findagrave.com: Anna Maxwell Shute](#)

⁶⁴ [findagrave.com: Frank A. Shute](#)

41. **Andrew Maxwell Shute**, b. 30 Nov 1871; d. 27 Nov 1920; bur. Mt. View Cem., Altadena, Calif.;⁶⁵ m. Minnie Cooper. In 1920 he was an insurance broker.

Children:

(1) *Marjorie A. Shute.*, b. 11 Jun 1912; d. 12 Jun 2005; m. James O. Scott

(2) *Dorothy L. Shute*, b. 19 Feb 1916; d. 1 Mar 2007; m. Lewis Martin Brantley

42. **Frank Asbury Shute**, b. 15 Feb 1877; d. 25 Apr 1920, Newton, MA; m. Flora Marie Packard, 22 Apr 1902, in Newton, MA,⁶⁶ he was vice-president of the Nightingale & Childs Roofing Co.⁶⁷

Children:

(1) *Frank Asbury Shute Jr.*, b. 17 Jul 1903; d. 5 Apr 1968; m. Louise MacLeod

(2) *Margaretta Shute*, b. 18 Jan 1905; d. 21 Apr 1906

(3) *Henry Arthur Shute*, b. 7 Mar 1908; d. 25 Jun 1970, Mexico; m. Grace Elizabeth Moore

(4) *Dorothy Shute*, b. 28 Jul 1909; d. 23 May 1977, Hyannis, MA; m. Dorothy M. Rochester

43. **Mabel Estelle Shute**, b. 3 Feb 1882; d. 15 Feb 1962, Jenkintown, PA; m. William Wallace Levering, 1903.⁶⁸ He was "an officer and director of a number of utility companies in the Philadelphia area." He died 20 Sep 1943 in Montreal, Canada, while on a business trip.

Children:

(1) *William Wallace Levering Jr.*, b. 6 Mar 1905; d. May 1987; m. Elizabeth Lees Burton

(2) *Mabel Estelle Levering*, b. 16 Mar 1908; d. 18 May 2007; m. Henry McDowell Chestnut

(3) *Katharyn Spencer Levering*, b. 6 Sep 1911; d. 16 May 1954

(4) *Barbara Frances Levering*, b. 13 May 1917; d. 19 Feb 1995; m. Joseph Lewis Serrill, Jr. She was active in the Abington Friends (Quaker) Meeting and school

(11) WILLIAM NEHEMIAH MAULL MAXWELL ([Andrew Robinson Maxwell](#), [John Maxwell](#)) was born 8 Jun 1845 in NJ. He died 28 Mar 1918, in Philadelphia, PA, and is buried in Arlington Cemetery, Drexel Hill.⁶⁹ He married **Helen Augusta Hurley**. She was the daughter of James Hurley and Alice Gibbs. In an 1892 City Directory William N. M. Maxwell's occupation is listed as real estate. He lived at 834 Christian St.

Children:

44. **Laura Maxwell**, b. 26 May 1876; d. 8 Nov 1958, Los Angeles, CA; bur. Forest Lawn Memorial Park;⁷⁰ unmarried

⁶⁵ [findagrave.com: Andrew Maxwell Shute](#)

⁶⁶ Ancestry.com. *Massachusetts, Marriage Records, 1840-1915*

⁶⁷ Obituary in *Boston Herald*.

⁶⁸ Ancestry.com. *Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Marriage Index, 1885-1951*

⁶⁹ https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/125414586/william-nehemiah_mauill-maxwell

⁷⁰ [findagrave.com: Laura Maxwell](#) (no photo)

45. **Andrew Robinson Maxwell**, b. 23 Apr 1878, Billingsport, NJ; d. 22 Jun 1961, Ocean City, NJ; m. Anna Lloyd Reilly, He is listed as a carpenter on the 1920 census and a house builder in 1930, when he lived in Ocean City, NJ.

Children:

(1) *Lenore Reilly Maxwell*, b. 7 Dec 1912; d. 1 Jan 2012, at age 99; m. William Otis Townsend. She was a school teacher in Ocean City, NJ

(2) *Helen Maxwell*, b. 1 Feb 1916; d. 16 May 2004

46. **George Laws Maxwell**, b. 4 Jul 1881, Greenwich, NJ; d. 11 Dec 1965, Drexel Hill, PA; bur. Arlington Cem., Drexel Hill, PA;⁷¹ m. Jeane H. Dorfman, 1922.⁷² He was a mortgage broker. No children.

47. **William Walter Maxwell**, b. 19 May 1886, NJ; d. 4 Dec 1934; m. Bessie M. Balsley

Children:

(1) *Harry Forrest Maxwell*, b. 12 Jul 1911; d. Oct 1984; m. Viola Mozel

(2) *Martin Ayres Maxwell*, b. 27 Sep 1912; d. 12 Mar 2008; bur. Pleasant Hill Cem., Pleasant Hill, TN; m. Anne Fuchs

(3) *Ethel Maxwell*, b. 20 Aug 1914; d. 4 Apr 1988; m. Benjamin Peter Gross

(4) *Ralph Balsley Maxwell*, b. 12 Mar 1917; d. 5 Feb 2009; m. Jean Marie Surrell

(13) CHARLES F. MYERS ([Hannah Maxwell](#), [John Maxwell](#)), was born Sep 1835, in PA. He died 2 Nov 1915, in Philadelphia,⁷³ and is buried in Mt. Moriah Cemetery, in Philadelphia.⁷⁴ He married **Britannia Reed Tittermary**, 4 May 1857.⁷⁵ She was born 14 Oct 1835 in Philadelphia, and was the daughter of John Tittermary and Margaret Hyland.⁷⁶

Charles is listed as a Carpenter on the 1900 census, living at Moyamensing Ave. in Philadelphia. He served in the Civil War. Britannia died 14 Nov 1911, in Philadelphia.⁷⁷

Children, born in PA:

48. **Hannah Maxwell Myers**, b. 10 Jan 1859; d. 19 Nov 1931, Upper Darby, PA; bur. Fernwood Cem.; m. Frank R. Mintzer, who d. 7 Nov 1917

Children:

(5) *Britania Reed Mintzer*, b. 28 Jul 1881; d. 2 Aug 1909; m. Walter Easler

(2) *Florence V. Mintzer*, b. Nov 1890; d. 11 Apr 1976; m. Frank Austin Griffiths

⁷¹ [findagrave.com: George L. Maxwell](#)

⁷² Ancestry.com. *Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Marriage Index, 1885-1951*

⁷³ Death notice in Philadelphia Inquirer (retrieved via genealogybank.com)

⁷⁴ [findagrave.com: Charles F. Myers](#) (no photo) Section 149, Lot 20.

⁷⁵ They were married at. St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Philadelphia. Ancestry.com. *Pennsylvania, Church and Town Records, 1708-1985*

⁷⁶ "Pennsylvania, Philadelphia City Death Certificates, 1803-1915," index and images, *FamilySearch*

⁷⁷ Ibid.

49. **Catherine (“Katie”) Hyland Myers**, b. 17 Feb 1861;⁷⁸ d. 11 Jun 1942; bur. West Laurel Hill Cem.; m. William Eschemann, 14 Sep 1891, Philadelphia. William was a salesman. Several children died young.
50. **Charles Franklin Myers**, b. 8 Apr 1863; d. 28 Jan 1914; bur. West Laurel Hill Cem. He died of chronic nephritis.
51. **James N. Myers**, b. 30 Oct 1864; d. 18 Dec 1872; bur. Presbyterian Cem. near Aberdeen, MD
52. **Mary Lavinia Myers**, b. 21 Dec 1866; d. 24 Jan 1939; bur West Laurel Hill Cem.;⁷⁹ m. (1st) Emil Taube; m. (2nd) Harry E. George
Child:
 (1) *Emil Edward Taube*, b. 26 Oct 1911; d. 26 Jan 1974; m. Florence -----
53. **Matilda F. Myers**, b. abt. 1873; living 1880; no further record
54. **R. Walter Myers**, b. Oct 1877; d. Jan 1941; probably unmarried or divorced. In 1910 he is listed on the census as a bricklayer, living in Philadelphia

(14) LAVINIA MYERS ([Hannah Maxwell](#), [John Maxwell](#)) was born 16 Aug 1838 in PA (probably Philadelphia). She died 20 Nov 1911 in Philadelphia, and is buried in the Mt. Moriah Cem.⁸⁰ She married **Edward E. Thompson**, 17 Mar 1862, in Harford Co., MD. Edward was born in 1833, in MD, the son of Edward Thompson and Amelia Whitaker. He may have worked for the railroad.

In 1895-1897, he lived at 2030 Stella Ave. in Philadelphia. His occupation on city directories is listed as tinsmith. Edward Thompson died June 14, 1897,⁸¹ and is buried in the Mt. Moriah Cemetery near Philadelphia.⁸² In 1910, Lavinia lived with her youngest son, John Myers Thompson. She is listed on the 1910 census as the mother of 10 children, 4 living, but only 6 children are known.

Children, born in MD:

55. **Stephen J. Thompson**, b. about 1863; living 1880
56. **Minerva Ann Thompson**, b. Oct. 1865; d. 8 Aug 1944, Ocean Grove, NJ; bur. St. James Episcopal Church, Bristol, PA; m. George Washington Wright, who died 26 Jan 1921, in Wilmington, DE. He was a pipefitter.

Children:

- (1) *Raymond Washington Wright*, b. 22 Feb 1892; d. May 1967; m. Florence Murray. He was a proprietor of a garage in Bristol, PA
- (2) *Ellwood Wright*, b. 18 Sep 1893; d. 21 Jul 1971; possibly married Violet Dawson
- (3) *Beatrice Virginia Wright*, b. 9 Oct 1909; d. 7 Feb 1911

⁷⁸ Ancestry.com. *Pennsylvania, Church and Town Records, 1708-1985*. She was baptized at the Church of St. John the Evangelist (Episcopal), daughter of Charles and Britannia Myers.

⁷⁹ <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/91448266/mary-lavinia-george>

⁸⁰ [findagrave.com: Lavinia Myers Thompson](https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/91448266/mary-lavinia-george)

⁸¹ Death record, Philadelphia City Archives. The cause of death was tuberculosis.

⁸² Gravestone, section 149, Mt. Moriah Cemetery.

57. **Edward Evans Thompson**, b. 29 Jul 1869; d. 19 Nov 1938, Philadelphia, PA; m. Mary Jane Carr. His occupation is listed at various times as teamster and chauffer

Children:

- (1) *Stephen John Thompson*, b. 9 Jul 1890; d. 23 Sep 1962; m. Margaret Nixon
- (2) *Estella Gertrude Thompson*, b. 1 Apr 1892; d. 17 Dec 1969; m. Michael Joseph Lennon
- (3) *Mary Jane Thompson*, b. 16 Oct 1894; d. 28 Jul 1987; m. Harry Aloysius McDonnell
- (4) *Edward Evans Thompson*, b. 7 Feb 1897; d. 13 Oct 1975; m. Ruth B. Marks
- (5) *Joseph Daniel Thompson*, b. 26 Aug 1898; d. 17 Sep 1969; m. Vera Dolan
- (6) *Lavinia Agnes Thompson*, b. 25 Jun 1902; d. 23 Nov 1977; m. James McCreedy
- (7) *Anna Priscilla Thompson*, b. 7 May 1905; d. Feb 1978; d. George Oberholtzer
- (8) *Aletha May Thompson*, b. 16 Mar 1907; d. May 1983; m. Stephen Patrick
- (9) *William Frances Thompson*, b. 2 Oct 1912; d. 7 Dec 1966; m. Veronica Irene Osinki

58. **George E. Thompson**, b. Mar 1872; living 1900 with Minerva and George Wright, in Philadelphia; said to have died about 1901, while working on the Sears building in Chicago, IL

59. **Alletha May (“Liddy”) Thompson**, b. Apr 1873; d. 15 Nov 1959; bur. Mt. Moriah Cem., Philadelphia; m. Jacob F. Stone, who was a carpenter. Jacob died 19 Feb 1947 in Philadelphia

Children:

- (1) *Emily Stone*, b. 29 Jun 1892; d. Nov 1981; m. Albert D. Champion; divorced by 1930
- (2) *Clarence Eaustice Stone*, b. 2 Jan 1895; d. 3 Aug 1964; m. Annie J. Sheppard
- (3) *Jacob Charles Stone*, b. 22 Sep 1897; d. Jan 1974; m. (1st) Cecelia Helen O’Hara; m. (2nd) Dorothy Jane (Kohlhund) Hand

60. **John Myers Thompson**, b. 26 Aug 1878; d. 2 Sep 1922, Philadelphia; bur. Greenmount Cem.; died of nephritis; m. Bertha M. Plank; Occupation listed as chauffer.

Child:

- (1) *George J. Thompson*, b. 25 Apr 1912; d. 24 Oct 2006

(15) **WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON MYERS** ([Hannah Maxwell](#), [John Maxwell](#)) was born in 1841. He died 21 Sep 1891, in New Castle, DE,⁸³ and is buried in the Lakeside Cemetery, in Dover, DE.⁸⁴ He married **Ariel Sophie Jackson** 24 Sep 1860 in New Castle, DE.⁸⁵ She was born in 1841, died 22 April 1891, in Philadelphia,⁸⁶ and is also buried in the Lakeside Cemetery.⁸⁷ He father’s name is unknown, but her mother was Sophia (----) Jackson, born in about 1801.

⁸³ Delaware Death Records, ancestry.com.

⁸⁴ [findagrave.com: William H. H. Myers](#)

⁸⁵ Ancestry.com. *Delaware Marriage Records, 1806-1933*

⁸⁶ Death notice in Philadelphia Inquirer, “MYERS – Peacefully passed away, on the 22nd instant. Mrs. Ariel Sophia Myers, wife of William H. H. Myers, aged 50 years. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services at her late residence, 1830 South Seventh street, on Friday evening, at 8 o’clock. Interment at Dover, Del. on Saturday morning.”

⁸⁷ [findagrave.com: Ariel Myers](#)

William and Ariel lived in Delaware.

Children:

61. **Elsie L. Myers**, b. 1860; d. 1882; bur. Lakeside Cem., Dover, DE⁸⁸

62. **Albert Zane Myers**, b. 22 Sep 1862, Mill Creek , DE,⁸⁹ d. 8 May 1935, Philadelphia;⁹⁰ m. Elizabeth Ann Fleming

Children:

(1) *Elwood Myers*, b. 1 Dec 1890; d. 7 Jun 1940; m. Ida Bastian; he was a painter. He was a supply wagoner in World War I.

(2) *Ethel Myers*, b. 26 Oct 1894; d. 17 Apr 1990; m. Julius Kleinfelder

(3) *Albert Zane Myers Jr.*, b. 9 Apr 1898; d. 27 Apr 1985; m. Florence Benkert. He was wounded in World War I, was a manager of a bowling alley

(4) *Frank L. Myers*, b. 18 Oct 1900; d. 4 May 1981; m. Marguerite Cummings

(5) *William Henry Myers*, b. 3 Aug 1903; d. 31 Mar 1974; m. Bertina A. Greene. He was a "lieutenant colonel of the U.S. Air Force, chaplain of DAV and American Legion" and former pastor of Northminster Presbyterian Church.

63. **Mary Helen Myers**, b. 22 Feb 1864, Harford Co., MD; d. 7 Jan 1958; m. (1st) Joel Pratt Woodward;⁹¹ m. (2nd) John E. Atkinson

Child:

(1) *Elsie Lavinia Woodward*, b. 21 Mar 1886, Delaware; d. 14 Jun 1916; unmarried

64. **William H. Myers Jr.**, b. Jan 1867, Delaware; d. 22 Feb 1930, Philadelphia;⁹² unmarried. He was a paper hanger.

65. **Arthur Jackson Myers**, b. 28 Oct 1868, Delaware; d. 2 Apr 1921, Philadelphia;⁹³ m. Annie Unger, 18 Apr 1906, in Philadelphia. No children. He was a flour and feed dealer.

66. **Allen Perkins Myers**, b. Dec 1871, Delaware; d. 15 Jan 1957, MD;⁹⁴ m. Louise Sherier; living in Philadelphia in 1900, soon after moved to Washington, DC. Louise died 30 Jun 1962, in Prince George's Co., MD. According to census records he was a plate printer with the US government.

Child:

(1) *Colby Maxwell, Myers*, b. 23 Jan 1903; d. 6 Feb 1980; m. Olive Devison. He was a Major General in the US Air Force.⁹⁵ He graduated from Cornell Univ. with a degree in Civil Engineering.

67. **Lily M. Myers**, b. about 1871, Maryland; living 1880; no further record

68. **Ariel Sophie Myers**, b. Aug 1874, Stanton, DE; d. 23 Feb 1942; m. Frederick Hans Heidenreich, 24 Jun 1916, in Burlington, IA; her husband was a Capt. In

⁸⁸ [findagrave.com: Elsie L. Myers](https://www.findagrave.com: Elsie L. Myers)

⁸⁹ "Delaware State Birth Records, 1861-1922," index and images, *FamilySearch*

⁹⁰ Death certificate, ancestry.com. He died at Lankenau Hospital, buried in Forest Hills Cemetery.

⁹¹ Joel died by June 1916

⁹² Death certificate, ancestry.com. A contributory cause of death was alcoholism.

⁹³ Death notice in *Philadelphia Inquirer*, 5 Apr 1921, retrieved via genealogybank.com

⁹⁴ Death notice in *Washington Post*. He was the father of Maj. Gen. Colby Maxwell Myers

⁹⁵ <https://www.af.mil/About-Us/Biographies/Display/Article/106111/major-general-colby-m-myers/>

the US Army; they are buried in Arlington National Cemetery. No known children.

69. **Hannah Elgarda Myers**, b. 5 Jan 1876, Delaware; d. 13 Oct 1963; m. Charles Christian Leidy, who died 5 Jan 1938, in Philadelphia and is buried in Ivy Hill Cem. He was an office manager in an accounting department.

Children:

- (1) *Charles Christian Leidy Jr.*, b. 19 Jan 1907; d. 17 Jul 1974; m. Florence Seaman Raum
- (2) *Helen Louise Leidy*, b. 31 Mar 1909; d. 3 Aug 1991; m. Frank Elmer Geyer. He was vice president of Breyer Ice Cream Co.

70. **Bertha M. Myers**, b. 30 Jan 1878,⁹⁶ Delaware;⁹⁷ d. 18 Aug 1956; m. (1st) Daniel W. Jackson, in 1898; m. (2nd) Walther M. Miller, in 1913; lived in Philadelphia. Her first husband Daniel was born Jul 1858, in PA, and d. 9 Apr 1906 in Baltimore, MD⁹⁸ In October 1920, guardianship of Lillian was granted to Arthur J. Myers

Children:

- (1) *Lillian Myers Jackson*, b. 30 Jun 1899; d. 6 Jun 1995; m. William Henry Livingston, who was an architect who "designed public buildings in Philadelphia, Washington and other cities in the East."
- (2) *Ariel K. Jackson*, b. 4 Jan 1902; d. 18 Feb 1991; m. Henry R. Flanagan

71. **George Washington Myers**, b. 2 Feb 1880, Red Mill, DE;⁹⁹ d. 9 Jun 1958, Philadelphia; m. Margaret Klotz

Children:

- (1) *George Washington Myers Jr.*, b. 24 Sep 1901; d. 23 Jan 1985; m. Florence Fredericks
- (2) *Arthur Myers*, b. about 1903
- (3) *Edna Myers*, b. 29 Mar 1903; d. Sep 1983; m. Charles Dougherty
- (4) *John Frances Myers*, b. 9 Aug 1908; d. 13 Aug 1984; m. Florence Ella Marshall. He was a police chief and later worked at a Chrysler plant.
- (5) *Mark Myers*, b. 25 Sep 1911; d. 28 May 1991; m. Margaret Jane Sullivan
- (6) *Charles Myers*, b. 25 Apr 1915; d. 23 Jun 1933
- (7) *Raymond Myers*, b. 4 Aug 1916; d. 12 May 1983
- (8) *Margaret Myers*, b. 7 Sep 1918; d. 12 Oct 1990; m. (1st) Charles Laudano; m. (2nd) Charles Stachowicz

(20) **JANE MAXWELL BEVAN** ([Jane Maxwell](#), [John Maxwell](#)) was born Jul 1841. She died 2 Nov 1919, in Aberdeen, Md., and is buried in the West Laurel Hill Cemetery.¹⁰⁰ She married **Alonzo Ringgold Fletcher**.¹⁰¹ He was born 27 Aug 1849 in Maryland. In

⁹⁶ Her death certificate states she was born 30 Jan 1878. Although on the 1900 census it says she was born in Jan 1872, this is not likely since the 1880 census lists her as 2 years old.

⁹⁷ 1900 census.

⁹⁸ Ancestry.com. *Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Death Certificates Index, 1803-1915*. He was the son of Joseph and Catherine Jackson. Also see Philadelphia Inquirer, 18 Apr 1906, on genealogybank.com

⁹⁹ Ancestry.com. *U.S., World War II Draft Registration Cards, 1942*

¹⁰⁰ [findagrave.com: Jane Bevan Fletcher](#)

¹⁰¹ Information on Alonza Ringgold Fletcher from Jon H. Livezey.

1880, the family lived in Halls Crossroads, Harford Co., MD. His occupation was wheelwright. In 1900 they lived in Aberdeen, MD. He died 27 Jan 1914, in Aberdeen, and is buried in West Laurel Hill Cemetery.¹⁰² According to a notice in the Philadelphia Inquirer, he was an undertaker, and died "while driving a team across the railroad tracks at Aberdeen was struck by a train and so badly injured that he died while being taken to a hospital. His two horses were instantly killed."¹⁰³

Children:

72. **Madeleine G. Fletcher**, b 16 Apr 1873; d. 21 Sep 1937; m. George Franklin "Frank" Todd

Children:

- (1) *Rena L. Todd.*, b. 4 Aug 1893; d. Dec 1984; m. (1st) Daniel J. Casey; m. (2nd) Ralph T. McGonigal
- (2) *John Edgar Todd*, b. 27 Feb 1895; d. 22 Dec 1962; m. Elizabeth -----
- (3) *Madeline Todd*, b. about 1902; died in infancy
- (4) *George Franklin Todd, Jr.*, b. 16 Oct 1903; d. 1 Apr 1993; m. Elizabeth -----
- (5) *Jane M. Todd*, b. 23 Nov 1906; d. 27 Aug 2002; m. Frank Dewayne Curry
- (6) *Irma Ruth Todd*, b. 31 Dec 1914; d. 16 Mar 1993; m. George Frederick Goetz

73. **Bevan David Fletcher**, b. 15 Jul 1875,¹⁰⁴ MD; d. 14 Jan 1954; bur. Baker Cem., Aberdeen, MD;¹⁰⁵ m. Hilda Wells Thompson

Children:

- (1) *Martha Fletcher.*, b. 11 Oct 1902; d. 4 Jun 2000; m. George John Creswell
- (2) *Helen Fletcher*, b. 6 Jul 1907; d. 29 Aug 2001; m. Edward E. Cotter
- (3) *James Milton Fletcher*, b. 14 Feb 1919; d. 28 Apr 1997; m. Vivian Jacobs

(21) **JOHN M. BEVAN** ([Jane Maxwell](#), [John Maxwell](#)) was born in Sep 1848, according to the 1900 census. He married **Mary C. Tominey**. In 1880, his occupation is listed as butcher. However various city directories show a John M. Bevan, painter, living in Philadelphia at the time. He died 26 Dec 1920 in Philadelphia¹⁰⁶ and is buried in the West Laurel Hill Cemetery.¹⁰⁷ Mary was born about 1847, and died 6 Mar 1884.

Children:

74. (probably) **David Bevan**, b. 2 Apr 1868; d. 3 Apr 1868 (death certificate says son of John and Mary Bevan)

¹⁰² [findagrave.com: Alonza Ringgold Fletcher](#)

¹⁰³ *Philadelphia Inquirer*, 28 Jan 1914.

¹⁰⁴ "United States World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918," index and images, *FamilySearch*

¹⁰⁵ [findagrave.com: Bevan Fletcher](#) (no photo)

¹⁰⁶ Death certificate, ancestry.com.

¹⁰⁷ *Ibid.*

75. **Dr. David Bevan**, b. 29 Mar 1869, Philadelphia; d. 29 Jun 1925; bur. Arlington Cem., Drexel Hill, PA;¹⁰⁸ m. Jennie Leslie Dix, 1896. From his obituary: "Dr. Bevan graduated from Jefferson Medical College and taught there for a number of years after his graduation. In later life he gave lectures on medicine at Temple University and published a book on the subject of hygiene."

Child:

(1) *Mary Elizabeth Bevan*, b. about 1905; living 1926. Probably the Mary Elizabeth Bevan whose estate was administered in 1938

76. **Alice A. Bevan**, b. Jan 1871; m. Joseph David Waysz,¹⁰⁹ in Philadelphia 20 Apr 1892. Joseph died 4 Apr 1938.

Children:

(1) *Cleata Cecelia Waysz.*, b. 13 Nov 1892; d. 31 Jan 1956, Buckingham, PA; m. (1st) Carl Ernest Smith; m. (2nd) George Dewey Benner

(2) *Joseph D. Ways*, b. 20 Aug 1894; d. 17 May 1973

(3) *Harry Bevan Waysz*, b. 18 May 1896; d. Aug 1966

(4) *David Bevan Ways*, b. 9 Jul 1898; d. 13 Aug 1958; m. Nellie V. Jennings

(5) *William Waysz*, b. Apr 1900; living 1910, no further record

(6) *Marion Waysz*, b. 1 Apr 1902, b. 5 Oct 1958; m. James Andrew Stewart

(7) *Milton Waysz*, b. 4 Sep 1905; m. Dorothy Helper in 1929; no further record

(8) *Alice Bevan Waysz*, b. 19 Oct 1907; d. Dec 1983; m. Edward Blair George

(9) *Eleanor C. Waysz*, b. 1 Dec 1910; no further record

(10) *Mable Waysz*, b. about 1911, living 1930, no further record

(11) *Anna Marie Waysz*, b. 7 Jun 1914; living 1930, no further record

77. **Mary Lee Bevan**, b. 28 Feb 1876; d. 23 Oct 1937, Philadelphia; m. Joseph Wyatt Lindenfelser Jr., who d. 13 Jul 1959

Child:

(1) *Joseph Wyatt Lindenfelser III.*, b.21 Feb 1892; d. Jul 1969; m. Clara Goheen

(23) **ALICE ALLOWAY BEVAN** ([Jane Maxwell](#), [John Maxwell](#)) was born 23 Jun 1849. She died 8 May 1940 and is buried in the West Laurel Hill Cemetery.¹¹⁰ She married **Edwin B. Brown** in about 1872. He was born 13 Jul 1845, in Philadelphia, and died 24 Jun 1913 in Philadelphia. He was the son of Barzilla Brown and Catherine Shankland. His occupation was clerk.¹¹¹

Children:

78. **Jennie Bevan Brown**, b. 13 Sep 1872; d. 25 Jun 1946, Norristown, PA; bur. West Laurel Hill Cem.; unmarried

79. **Alice Alloway Brown**, b. 12 Jul 1877; d. 17 Oct 1959, Philadelphia; bur. West Laurel Hill Cem.; unmarried

¹⁰⁸ [findagrave.com: David Bevan](#) (no photo)

¹⁰⁹ Some descendants used the spelling "Ways."

¹¹⁰ [findagrave.com: Alice Bevan Brown](#)

¹¹¹ Ancestry.com. *Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Death Certificates Index, 1803-1915*

(24) **MARY H. BEVAN** ([Jane Maxwell](#), [John Maxwell](#)) was born 7 Jun 1852 in PA. She married (1st) ----- **McRae**, and (2nd) **Alexander Bryant**. Alexander died 17 Oct 1879, in Philadelphia, at age 32, and is buried in the West Laurel Hill Cemetery. He died of Typhoid Fever.¹¹² He was a coal dealer. Mary was living with her three children in 1910. In 1940 she lived with her son Howard. She died 26 Aug 1940, in Upper Moreland, PA, and is buried in the West Laurel Hill Cemetery.¹¹³

Children:

- 80. **William C. Bryant**, b. 11 Mar 1874;¹¹⁴ d. 28 Feb 1915, Hatboro, PA; bur. West Laurel Hill Cem.; died of tuberculosis; unmarried. He was "associated with his uncle in the coal business."
- 81. **Alexander Bryant**, b. 6 Apr 1876; d. 10 May 1921; bur. West Laurel Hill Cem.
- 82. **Howard Bryant**, b. 26 May 1878; d. 25 Aug 1956 in Tampa, FL;¹¹⁵ m. Marcelle (Maron) McVeigh

(30) **GEORGE A. MAXWELL** ([Col. John Maxwell](#), [John Maxwell](#)) was born in Sep 1853.¹¹⁶ He died 4 Jul 1916 and is buried in Mt. Moriah Cemetery.¹¹⁷ He married **Mary J. Snowden** in about 1873.¹¹⁸ They lived at 126 N. Chester Ave., Glenolden, PA. He was a milk dealer in 1880. Mary was the daughter of Francis Snowden and Hannah Mitchell. She was born 1 Aug 1853, in Philadelphia, and was buried 17 Jul 1924, in Mt. Moriah Cemetery.

Children:

- 83. **John M. Maxwell**, b. 1 Dec 1874; d. 25 Sep 1905; bur. Mt. Moriah Cem.,¹¹⁹ m. Jennie Daniels. He is listed as a driver on an 1899 city directory. Jennie died 20 Apr 1961.

Child:

- (1) *Hannah Snowden Maxwell*, b. 2 Jun 1898; d. Apr 1979; m. Carl Schreir

¹¹² Ancestry.com: U.S. Federal Census Mortality Schedules.

¹¹³ Death certificate, Ancestry.com.

¹¹⁴ Ancestry.com. *Pennsylvania, Church and Town Records, 1708-1985*

¹¹⁵ He came from Philadelphia to Florida in about 1950, he was a "retired retail coal dealer."- Tampa Tribune, 26 Aug 1956

¹¹⁶ 1900 Federal Census.

¹¹⁷ [findagrave.com: George A. Maxwell](#) (no photo)

¹¹⁸ According to the 1900 census, when it was reported they had been married 27 years.

¹¹⁹ [findagrave.com: John M. Maxwell](#) (no photo)

84. **Mary Maxwell**, b. 1877; d. 15 May 1879; bur. Mt. Moriah Cem.; died of Scarlet Fever
85. **Mabel Snowden Maxwell**, b. 29 Dec 1884; d. 1 Jan 1956, Philadelphia; bur. Fernwood Cem.;¹²⁰ m. Joseph Mains Rodgers, 1917; lived in Glenolden, PA. Joseph was a commercial artist. He died 16 Oct 1965.
- Child:
- (1) *Joseph Mains Rodgers Jr.*, b. 29 Aug 1919; d. 24 Nov 2006. He was a Major in the US Air Force, serving in World War II.

¹²⁰ [findagrave.com: Mabel S. Rodgers](#) (no photo)