

Chapter 17 John Moore 1816 -

The relationship between John Moore (1816-1892) and Wiley Moore (1804 – 1850) is not currently known. Both men appear in Tuscarora prior to the Civil War and the families live in close proximity to one another. This researcher speculates John and Wiley were likely related. Another Moore family, Charles Moore (1807) also lived in the Tuscarora area in 1860 near the John Moore farm and this relation is unknown at this time.

John Moore was born in 1816 and died in 1892. John married 1st Phyllis -?- and 2nd, **Richelda Taylor**, 1827-1887, the daughter of Abraham and Sarah Taylor. John and Richelda are buried in the family cemetery in Tuscarora (Moore Cemetery).

The children of John Moore and Phyllis were:

1. **Challie T. Moore** 1846-1924 married John Quincy Adams Flybus 1840 – 1919. Challie and John Flybus and daughter, Sarah, are buried in the family cemetery near Dry Monia Road. There was one known child:
 - a. Sarah Flybus 1870 – 1899 m. Alex Watson 1863 - 1930
2. **Sarah Emma Moore** 1849 – married John C. Thomas on October 10, 1869 in Craven County. ¹

The children of John Moore and Richelda Taylor were:

3. **John Clayton Moore** was born on January 11, 1853 and died on December 8, 1923. Clayton married **Maria M. Stewart** on January 11, 1879. Maria, the daughter of John Stewart and Beneta D. Wetherington, died on September 4, 1879 in childbirth and was buried in the Stewart Cemetery in Tuscarora. Clayton married (2nd) **Mary A. Corbett**, the daughter of James M. Corbitt and Annie Brinkley. ² Mary A. Corbett was born on December 21, 1862 in Pitt County, NC and died on March 1, 1947 in Tuscarora.



— **Figure 40 John Clayton Moore and Maria S. Moore, c. 1879** —

The children of John and Mary Corbitt Moore were:

- a. Maggie V. Moore 1883-1884
 - b. Ann Moore 1885 –1940 m. George R. Stewart 1877 - 1965
 - c. Walter Moore 1888 –
 - d. Henry Grady Moore 1891-1947 m. Rosa Wooten d. 1947
 - e. Mattie L. Moore 1892 – 1967 m. George D. Stevenson 1891-1963
 - f. Shepard N. Moore 1895-1988 m. Susie R. Becton 1893-1941
 - g. John Leon Moore 1897 – 1956 m. Ellen Arnold Price
 - h. Nannie Victoria Moore 1900 - m. Mortimer T. Collison
 - i. Clyde Theodore Moore 1903 – 1985
 - j. Herbert Wallace Moore 1906 – 1971
 - k. Royce C. Moore 1908-1993 m. Katie Ipock (1908) - 1998
4. **Ebenezer B. Moore** 1857 - 1933. In 1880 Ebenezer Moore lived with his sister, Challie Moore Flybus. In the 1930 Craven census Ebenezer Moore appears as a widower, living as a boarder in the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Ed (Mary Heath) Wetherington in Jasper. E. B. Moore and his wife, **Victoria Heath** (1867 – 1928) are buried in the Hardison – Wetherington Cemetery in Jasper, NC. ³ Victoria Heath was the daughter of John S. Heath and Mary Wadsworth. ⁴ There were no known children.
5. **Caroline Moore** was born on May 5, 1858 and died on September 24, 1928 in Craven County. Caroline married **Richard Erwin Humphrey** on February 24, 1874 in Craven County. They made their home in Tuscarora and were members of the Gethsemane Baptist church. Their death certificates indicate they were buried in the family cemetery in Tuscarora, but there are no extant markers for the graves. The children of Caroline Moore and Richard Erwin Humphrey were:
- a. Susan Mary Humphrey 1874 – 1953 m. John Wm. Tippet 1861-1926
 - b. John Richard Humphrey 1877 – 1931 m. 1st Lola Moore d. 1905 , 2nd Lucy C. Wetherington 1882-1978
 - c. Martha Humphrey 1878 –
 - d. Daisy Humphrey 1885 m. Gene Dixon
 - e. Unknown infant
6. **Mary Moore** was born in 1862 and died about 1879 - 1880. Mary married **Levi Humphrey** on March 12, 1878 in Craven County. Levi Humphrey was the brother of Richard Ewin Humphrey and son of William B. Humphrey and Susan Watson. Mary apparently died soon after the marriage, likely in childbirth.
7. **Kitty Moore** was born in 1863 and died 1954 in Elizabeth City, NC. Kitty married **Levi Humphrey** in 1881 in Craven County after the death of Levi's first wife, her sister, Mary. Levi and Kitty Humphrey were members of the Gethsemane Baptist Church and lived in the Tuscarora area. Levi Humphrey
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was born on July 24, 1853 and died on December 8, 1924 in Craven County. Levi Humphrey was buried in the Stewart Cemetery in Tuscarora. After Levi's death, Kitty M. Humphrey lived with her daughter, Daisy H. Weeks and son-in-law Earl S. Weeks in Tuscarora. The children of Kitty Moore and Levi Humphrey were:

- a. Benjamin Franklin Humphrey 1881-1964 m. Pearl Skinner 1893-1925
 - b. Daisy Humphrey (1895 -) m. Earl S. Weeks
8. **James Moore** was born about 1865 and died after 1933. James married **Cornelia Corbitt** about 1889 and in 1900 lived in Tuscarora with his wife and five children:
- a. Ida M. Moore 1891 –
 - b. Thomas E. Moore 1893 –
 - c. Hymon Moore 1895 –
 - d. Ada Moore 1897 –
 - e. Mary Moore 1900 –
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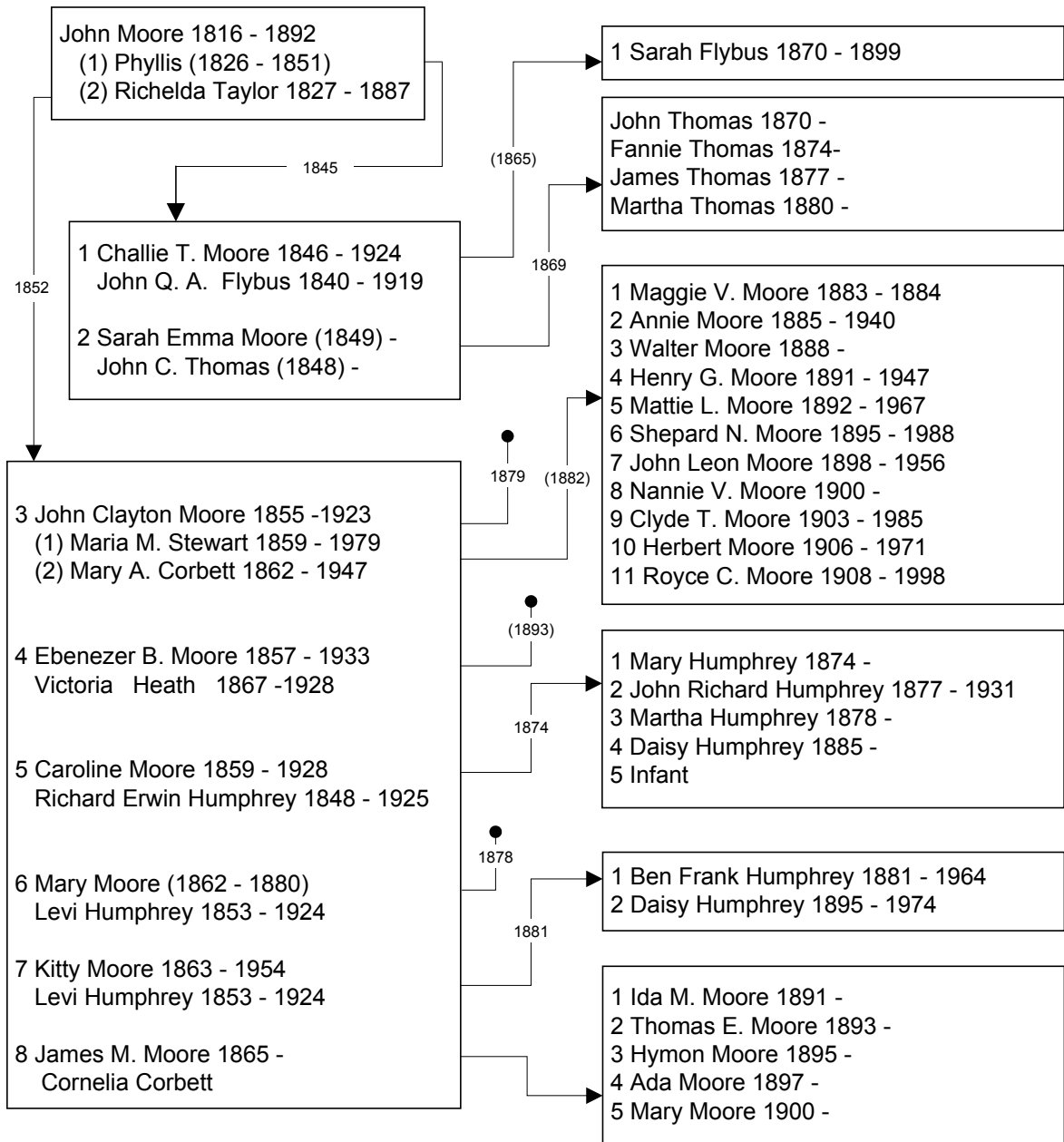


Figure 41 John Moore Family Tree