



Jacqueline Joyce Mosby, high school picture.



Jacqueline Mosby and Lloyd Wineinger.

**Wineinger 39th anniversary planned**

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wineinger, 1111 Miami Street, Bicknell, will celebrate their 39th wedding anniversary Sunday. They are planning no celebration.

Mrs. Wineinger is the former Jacqueline Mosby, daughter of Mrs. Glenn Phillippe of Bicknell and the late Raymond Mosby. Her husband is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wineinger, Sr.

They were married at 2 p.m. Sunday, April 27, 1947, at the Bicknell Church of the Nazarene with the Rev. Clyde Montgomery hearing the exchange of vows.

Attendants for the young couple were Miss Helen Marie Montgomery and the bride's uncle, Capt. R. E. Pace of LaPorte.



Raymond, Jackie and Ollie, Bicknell.



James Lloyd Wineinger



Sophia Fulford Wineinger

### Lloyd Wineinger

His father's side of the family are German. His Grandfather was James Wineinger and Grandmother was Anna Peters. His father (Lloyd) was a coal miner and was killed in a coal mine accident in 1937. His mother Sophia (Fulford) was left to raise the five children. His mother then married Micky Coglan and had a daughter, Betty Coglan Bedwell.<sup>29</sup> Lloyd went to elementary and high school in Bicknell.

During World War II Lloyd served three and a half years in the Navy, aboard the U.S.S. Jenkins. The Jenkins hit a mine but was refloated. Lloyd earned a number of military medals: Asiatic Pacific, 10 stars; Philippine Liberation 2 stars; American Theater, Victory Medal; Good Conduct Medal, 2.

He was a carpenter for 18 years and a coal miner for 11 years. Did service station work, raised turkeys and chickens on a farm. You name it and he did it as long as it was honest.

He has been a member of the Nazarene Church for 39 years. He like to hunt, fish and bowl.

“The Wineingers lived right behind Ruby when she lived on Alton Street in Bicknell. That is how Jackie and Lloyd met when he came home from WWII. Lloyds Mother ran a tavern there in Bicknell and they were pretty rough people. Lloyd really led a rough life too before he met Jackie. Jackie was really able to help Lloyd find the Lord and he changed when he started to church. They really loved each other and went through some very hard times.”<sup>4</sup> Imogene Adams used to see Jackie and Lloyd quite often at Charley's restaurant in Vincennes.

#### *Mr. and Mrs. Wineinger*

Lloyd and Jacqueline Wineinger of Bicknell will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary by renewing their vows at 2 p.m. April 27 at Bicknell's Word of Life Church, formerly the Nazarene Church. The Rev. Charlie Crouch will officiate.

No reception is planned. Jacqueline Mosby, daughter of the late Raymond and Ruby Mosby, and Lloyd Wineinger, son of the late Lloyd and Sophia Wineinger, all of Bicknell, were married 27, 1947, at the Nazarene Church.

Mr. Wineinger retired from Amax Coal. Mrs. Wineinger is a homemaker.

A card shower is also planned. Anniversary greetings may be sent to 1101 Miami, Bicknell, Ind. 47512.

The couple requests that gifts be omitted.



MR. AND MRS. LLOYD WINEINGER

## William Wesley Pace

William was the first child born to Henry B. and Mary Sampson Pace, born January 5th, 1893. William married Elsie Mae Denny, daughter of John C. and Mary Hansler Denny, on November 28th, 1918 in Bicknell. In 1920 William, then 27, and Elsie were living in Washington, Daviess County and he was a pipe cutter for the City. They were living at Number 1, Harvard Avenue. They had living with them her father, John Denny then 66 and a widower, and her sisters, Lela and Florence as well as her brother Hobart. Lea, 29 was a telephone operator, Florence, 24 was a clerk in the department store and Hobart, 21 was a carpenter. John Denny worked at a local coal yard.



William Wesley and Elsie Denny Pace, 1914



Elsie and William Wesley, 1920

By 1930 William and Elsie (affectionately called Tocky and Pippy by their children...have no information on how those names were picked) were living in Bicknell at 213 East 5th Street with their two children; Mary Louise age 8, and William Wilmer age 6. William was then the Superintendent for the Bicknell City Water Company.

Later on in the 1940's during World War II, William, who was a plumber by trade, moved out to the western United States to find work, as there was a shortage of jobs in Bicknell. He returned to Bicknell after the war was over.

In January of 1954, William and Elsie were visiting their son, Bill (William Wilmer) his wife Peggy and their family in their home in Carmel, Indiana, when William suffered a heart attack in Bill's home. The doctor was summoned and after examination, determined that he would recover. However the next day, January 11, William passed away at the age of 61 years old. He was buried in the Asbury Chapel Cemetery, Ragsdale, Indiana, near Bicknell.

Elsie remained in her home on 5<sup>th</sup> Street, which was directly across the street from a Bicknell Public School, until 1972 when her home, along with others on her entire block, was seized and torn down by the city exercising eminent domain to build what is now North Knox Central Elementary School. Elsie's children helped her buy another home a short distance away, but Elsie never liked it, (even though it was nicer and much newer than her old one) and never got over losing the home she had live in for over 40 years. She died of a heart attack in her home on May 12, 1974 at 81 years of age. She is buried next to her husband in Asbury Chapel Cemetery, Ragsdale, Indiana, near Bicknell.



Mary Louise, Elsie, William Wilmer, William Wesley



William Wilmer, Elsie, Mary Louise, William. 1925

behaved when I visited her, but I remember one time I got sassy with her and she told me to “come here”. I ignored her and kept walking away from her. To my great surprise, she ran to catch me and swatted me on the behind. I had no idea she could run! That was the only time I remember getting into trouble with her.

#### Personal Reflections of Patti Pace

I was only about 1 ½ years old when my Grandpa died, so I have no firsthand knowledge of him. I remember my dad saying that he was somewhat of a practical joker, like his brother Wayne. Other than that, I don't know anything about him personally, unfortunately. But I was very close to Elsie, we called her Mamoo because when I was little I couldn't say Grandma, it came out Mamoo, and it stuck. She was the perfect grandmother...

... always defending me, guiding me and loving me unconditionally.

I was usually pretty well-

#### Asbury Chapel—1847

The original church was built in 1847 on land donated by John Horn, a pioneer who migrated to this vicinity in the 1830s, along with many other early settlers. They came mostly from the mountains of western Virginia, and traveled over the old Boone Trail and Wilderness Road through the Cumberland Gap to Louisville, thence to Vincennes by way of the old Indian Trace. Earliest recorded interment in this cemetery was in the year 1832.

From the Asbury Chapel sign by Bicknell Civic Club.

Elsie always wore a housedress and a corset, had gray hair and had to wear support stockings, and she just looked like a grandmother. I spent a lot of time in Bicknell as a child, and loved staying with her. She never learned how to drive a car, and lived close enough to downtown that she walked there most of the time. She had a little wire cart that she would pull behind her if she had to buy groceries. Occasionally she would call for a taxi.

She was a fantastic cook, and I remember her rolling out dough to make her own noodles and pie crusts. She had a teeny little kitchen, but she could turn out the food! She would send care packages to us with homemade cookies, and they always included a slice of apple that she put in to keep them fresh. And on birthdays, she made the best angel food cakes and decorated them as well as any bakery.

She had a great sense of humor, and would make fun of some people on TV, like Lawrence Welk and the Lennon Sisters. She acted like she really didn't care for them, but she never missed an episode. And I remember when Lyndon Johnson made a speech as President, one of his statements was "I'm your president and I'm the only one you've got", she had a heyday mocking him (he wasn't one of her favorites). Occasionally we would make fun of her name and call her Elsie the Cow...she did not find that amusing!

Elsie was active in the Bicknell United Methodist Church, and she also loved to play bridge. In addition, she had lots of friends, so she had an active social life but her greatest joy came from being a homemaker for her family. She prayed with her children every night, taught them manners, and taught them about faith, loyalty, honesty, frugality, hard work, respect, and dedication. During the depression when things were really bad financially, she would visit all the people to whom money was owed and pledge to pay them eventually, and meanwhile would pay something on her bill, even a few cents, to show them that she was sincere about paying what she owed.

And she wrapped her presents for birthdays and Christmas like they were works of art (albeit homemade ones). She had stickers and would cut out pretty pictures from old cards and make pretty bows. You could always tell which gifts came from her.

Elsie remained close to her family until her death.



Elsie Denny Pace

Mary Louise and William Wilmer Pace

Mary Louise, born in 1922, was the first child of William and Elsie, and William Wilmer was their second, born June 24, 1923. Mary and William were both born and grew up in Bicknell, attending elementary and high school there. After graduating from high school, William went on to Butler University, graduating with a Bachelor of Science degree in Journalism.



William Wilmer's 2nd birthday, 1925.



William Wilber and Mary Louise, 1927



William Wilber and Mary Louise, Easter 1929



William Wilber and Mary Louise Pace



William Wilber, William Wesley and Mary Louise.

**Mrs. Elsie M. Pace**

**BICKNELL** — Mrs. Elsie M. Pace, 89, of 291 W. Third St. died at her residence Tuesday evening. She had been in failing health for several months.

She was born in Martin County May 12, 1893, a daughter of John C. and Mary Hensler Denny. In 1920 she was married to William Pace, who preceded her in death Jan. 11, 1954.

She was a member of United Methodist Church and the Who Do Sunday School class, the United Methodist Women Mount Olive Chapter 211, Order of Eastern Star.

Survivors include a son, William Pace Jr., Noblesville; a daughter, Mrs. Robert (Mary Louise) Clark, Ypsilanti, Mich.; a sister, Mrs. Walter (Florence) Chandler, Indianapolis; and four granddaughters. Four brothers and two sisters preceded her in death.

Funeral will be Friday at 2 p.m. in the Wampler-Shaw Chapel with the Rev. Joe Kamman officiating. Burial will be in Asbury Chapel. Friends may call at the chapel after 2 p.m. Thursday.

## Wayne Oliver Pace

Wayne, son of Henry B. and Mary Sampson Pace was born on November 26th, 1908 in Knox County. He married Leona E. Davis in Vincennes on June 8th, 1929. Leona was born August 22nd, 1909 in Bicknell.

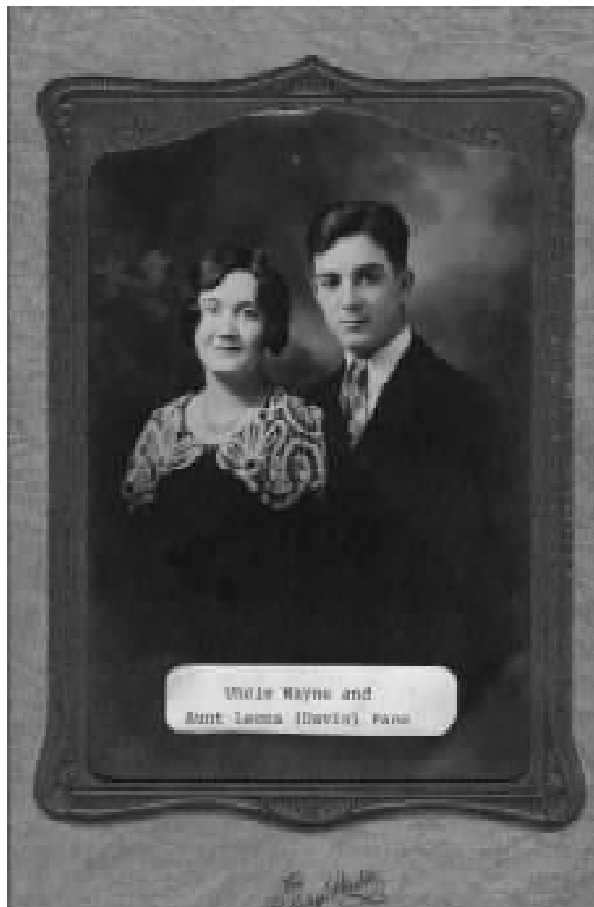
Nineteen year old Leona played piano for silent movies at the Indiana Theatre in Bicknell and Wayne, a trombonist, was hired to accompany. Wayne met the pretty pianist and they married a short time later.

In 1930 Wayne and Leona were living with her parents Sam and Edith and their two other daughters Martha and Ruth in Bicknell at 507 W. Fourth Street. Wayne was a plumber and Sam worked in an oil factory.<sup>18</sup> Wayne and Leona had one daughter, Ruth Elaine born March 26, 1938 in Evansville and she married Otis Cooper Miller.

Wayne was an insurance agent for 24 years, worked at the State Highway Department garage for five years and the Bicknell Waterworks for nine years.

In addition to his full time work, he played four or five nights a week in municipal bands of Vincennes, Bicknell and Petersburg. Wayne was a member of the Bicknell First Christian Church where he was the chairman of trustees, a choir member and a Sunday School teacher. He was also active in Republican party politics.

Leona and her friend  
Vena Spear.  
Bicknell, 1920s.



Leona Davis and Wayne Pace

### Knox County Newspaper

Mr. & Mrs. Wayne Pace of Vincennes, formerly of Bicknell, are announcing the birth of an eight pound, fourteen 1/2 ounce daughter born to Mrs. Pace at the St. Mary's hospital in Evansville by Caesarean operation Saturday morning. The baby was born at 8:36 o'clock.

The mother was formally Miss Leona Davis, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Sam Davis of Bicknell. Mrs. Davis is in Evansville with her daughter. Both mother and daughter are getting along fine according to reports from the hospital at noon.



# Indianapolis





Doris and Ollie on Emerson Avenue, Indianapolis



Doris, pregnant with JoAnn, a really hot summer in Indianapolis, 1930.

### Indianapolis - 1930s

James Oliver (Ollie) Pace

“After they were married Ollie went to Indianapolis and worked on the Indianapolis Street Railway. He was a heavy drinker and was not very responsible, feeling everyone owed him.”

“Though Ollie attended church with the family in Petersburg, he stopped going the week after he and Doris were married. Ollie and Doris had one child, JoAnn on August 11, 1930 in Indianapolis.”

“I don't think he ever had a band. But he was really talented and could just pick up an instrument and play it. he would practice in the afternoons before he went to work at the Indianapolis Railways, which was the Street Car Company, on his guitar and a french harp that he had on a contraption that hung around his neck, and sing. He was pretty good too!”

Mrs. Ollie Pace returned to Indianapolis Sunday after a visit with relatives.

Pike County Democrat May 10, 1929



Ollie and Doris and JoAnn 1933



Doris Keith Pace and JoAnn

“After he and Doris moved to Indianapolis, he would go out carousing and drinking, leaving Doris at home. He did little to support her and their child. He worked on the railway in Indianapolis from 1929 till the 1950s.”<sup>21</sup>

“He worked the night shift so we didn't really ever have any family life. He would party after work at the Claypool Hotel down town after work and sometimes come home drunk and throwing up. I have a LOT of bad memories from those days.”

“On October 9, 1939 Doris divorced Ollie and he then he ran off and married ‘Margie’ (Marjorie Yew who was a nice person,). Doris raised JoAnn and then remarried in 1939 to Dick Henegen.” The divorce decree required Ollie to pay \$5 a week for child support, which he seldom paid. In fact after he married Marjorie, she would send money to Doris to help support JoAnn.

Ollie's marriage with Margie only lasted about 4 years. She got tired of supporting him and his drinking habit. He felt that the world owed him something and did little to support his family or himself. After they were divorced, Margie went back to her maiden name, she didn't want anything more to do with the Paces.

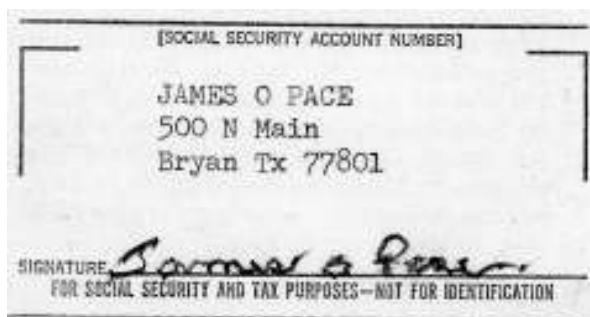
JoAnn remembers the last time she saw Ollie; "We received a call from his friend Hoover who said that he was having hallucinations from the cheap wine he was drinking and he had lost his job, etc. and could we see about him. He had a room on New York Street in Indy. We went to see him and took him to my doctor who said that we needed to get some food in him, like a ham sandwich which would be nourishing. We took him out to lunch and did that. Ollie had the shakes so bad, he drank out of the water pitcher instead of a glass."

He said the IRS was after him, etc. and they were in the closet. He also had a picture on the wall of people that moved and some man in the picture was chasing a woman around in the picture. His closet was full of empty wine bottles."

"We took him down to Bicknell. He couldn't stay with us because we lived in a double with my mother and he had already tried to kiss her when he came to visit me. Mabel would give him money to buy his wine and he would spend the day down at the park under the bridge drunk."



Margie Yew and Ollie Pace, Wedding day, 1939.



“They finally sent him to Uncle Ira in College Station, Texas. I didn't have contact with him during that time. When Becky was born in 1956, I sent him a letter and a picture of her. I think that he responded. It must have been in 1956 when Ira died, then he would have been on his own.”

“Jackie called me when he died and said that he had the flu and a Preacher and his wife took him in and took care of him and when he died, they had to bury him in Potter's Field there in Bryan Texas or College Station. They didn't have any money. But they said that he had repented of his sins before he died. I was so glad to hear that because I had always dreaded the time when I would hear that he had died in the state he had always been in.”

When he was in Bryon, Texas he drove a taxi for the Saf-T-Way Taxi Company. He was staying at the Bryan City Mission on 500 N. Main, which was a mens homeless shelter started in 1963. In 1966 he was hit on the head and robbed of his money while driving the taxi. Shortly thereafter he died from his injuries.

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JoAnn 1935.



JoAnn (l) and Jackie, 1950



JoAnn at the Great Smokey Mts.

### JoAnn Pace Tabor

Ollie and Doris had one child, JoAnn born August 11, 1930 in Indianapolis. JoAnn lived in Indianapolis for most of her life. JoAnn went to Shortridge High School in Indianapolis. She met and married Robert W. Tabor and were married December 22nd 1946. They had one daughter Rebecca Ann who was born on January 3rd 1956 in Indianapolis. JoAnn worked for the Hoosier Motor Club till her retirement.

Robert W. Tabor was born February 2, 1922 to Ora Lockhart and Thomas Tabor in Indianapolis. Ora was born in 1901 and Thomas was born 1896 in Kentucky. Bob had six brothers and sisters; Ruth, Norma, Kenneth, Richard, Donald and Joan. Bob had a construction contracting business in Indianapolis. Bob and JoAnn attended the Nazarene Church for 47+ years and she was always grateful for her Christian heritage.



Bob and JoAnn on a date.



Bob and JoAnn on a date.



L to R: Helen Hoggett, Rollin Hoggett, Aunt Maggie, Isa Dea Toler Taylor, Clarence Taylor. Nadene Hoggett, daughter of Rollin in front. Jiggs made by Clarence on the right. Indianapolis

“The story behind the "Jiggs" is: We had one in our home in Indy during the time Pearl and her son David lived with us on Sherman Drive. One day mom had to take my shoes to the shoe shop for resoling and she told David and I to stay on the couch until she came back. Well....You know kids.....We started jumping off of the end of the couch because we had no shoes on and eventually fell on "Jiggs" and broke off the ash tray. When mom came home and saw the carnage, she tied us up in chairs to sit until supper time. When supper time rolled around David repented and was untied and ate his supper. Me, I didn't repent and had no supper. I think I sat there until bedtime. I don't know what happened to me, but somewhere along the line I lost the stubbornness" Ha! I think I would rather have had one of mom's spankings instead. Ha! While I am on that subject, Mom took David and I downtown to pay bills --a once a month trip-- and we acted up in the 10 cent store. So she told us we were going to really get it when we got home. Which we did, but the torture thinking about it before hand was punishment enough. Mom was little but mighty. ”





# Appendix

A decorative flourish consisting of a horizontal line with elegant, symmetrical curves at both ends, resembling a stylized 'S' or a calligraphic scroll.

RECORDER'S OFFICE, JASPER, IND., July 6<sup>th</sup> 1861

James H. McPherson  
 To  
 Daniel Price

By this Deed the James H. McPherson and Sarah McPherson his wife of Dubois County in the State of Indiana convey and warrant to Daniel Price his heirs and assigns forever of Dubois County in the State of Indiana for the sum of one hundred and thirty Dollars the following Real Estate in Dubois County, in the State of Indiana to wit: The North West quarter of the South West quarter of Section No 35 Township five in Range No 5, one South of Range No 9, farm west containing forty acres be the same more or less.

In Witness whereof the said James H. McPherson and Sarah McPherson his wife have hereunto set their hands and seals this 27<sup>th</sup> day of July 1861

James H. McPherson  
 Sarah McPherson

The State of  
 Dubois County

Before me Lerry Cawc a Justice of the Peace in and for said County named James H. McPherson and Sarah McPherson his wife and acknowledge the Execution of the foregoing Deed

Witness my hand and seal this 27<sup>th</sup> day of July 1861

Lerry Cawc

Daniel Pace  
 Richard & Dice  
 This Indenture made this twelfth day  
 of August in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight  
 hundred and forty four between Daniel Pace and  
 Martha Ann Pace his wife of the County of Adams and  
 the State of Louisiana of the one part and Richard & Dice  
 of the County and State aforesaid of the other part Witness  
 both that the aforesaid Daniel Pace and Martha Ann his  
 wife for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred  
 and ten dollars to them one hundred paid by the Richard &  
 Dice the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged that this  
 day bargained and sold unto by these presents no longer  
 shall alien and convey unto the said Richard & Dice  
 his heirs and assigns forever all that tract or parcel of  
 Land delineated in the County & State aforesaid to wit  
 the South East Quarter of the South East Quarter of section  
 thirteen and township one North of Range three west  
 in the district of Land subject to sale at the commission  
 State of Louisiana containing four acres to have and to hold  
 to have the said Richard & Dice his heirs and assigns forever  
 the above described piece or parcel of Land with all and  
 singular the hereditaments and appurtenances thereto  
 in any wise appertaining and the said  
 Daniel Pace for himself his heirs and all others from

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 Chassey by through or under him with by their  
 presents forever warrant and defend the said piece  
 and to the said Richard & Dice his heirs and assigns  
 forever In witness whereof the said Daniel Pace  
 and his wife Martha Ann hath hereunto set their  
 hands & seals the day & year above written  
 Daniel Pace  
 Martha Ann Pace  
 John Simmons  
 William Simmons  
 State of Louisiana Adams County  
 August the 15<sup>th</sup> day 1844 This day personally appeared before  
 me the undersigned a justice of the peace of said County  
 and acknowledged the foregoing indenture to be  
 their own voluntary act and free and full will and  
 the said Martha Ann Pace the wife of the said Daniel  
 Pace being separately by me examined and the ten-  
 tent of the within being made known to her as fully  
 and without any force, coercion from her said husband  
 acknowledge the signing of the within to be her  
 own voluntary act & good will and under the  
 same to be signed and given this the 15<sup>th</sup> day & date  
 above written  
 John B. Noble J.P. (cont)

Recorder Office Jasper November 5<sup>th</sup> 1862

*John Pace*  
 This Indenture made this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of November in  
 the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and  
 sixty two between John Pace and Elizabeth the wife of the County  
 of Crawford and State of Indiana of the one part and Elizabeth  
 the wife of the County of Adams and State of Indiana of the other part  
 doth witness that the said John Pace for and in consideration of the  
 sum of Eighty Dollars to him in hand paid by the said Elizabeth  
 Pace the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath granted by deed  
 sold conveyed assigned and sold by these presents grant conveyed  
 sold conveyed and assigned unto the said Elizabeth Pace his heirs &  
 assigns forever a certain tract or parcel of land lying and being situate  
 in the County of Adams in the State of Indiana to wit the tract  
 East quarter of the South East quarter of Section twenty seven in  
 Township four North of Range three West containing forty seven  
 acres or less together with all the appurtenances to the said premises  
 more limited and defined in the said Elizabeth Pace his heirs and  
 assigns for ever and the said John Pace for himself his heirs  
 executors and administrators with consent and assent to and  
 with the said Elizabeth Pace his heirs and assigns that the said John  
 Pace his heirs and assigns that the said John Pace is lawfully seized in fee  
 of the premises aforesaid that they are free from all incumbrances and  
 that he has a good right to sell and convey the same in manner and  
 form aforesaid and further that he and his heirs executors and administrators  
 shall and lawfully warrant and defend the said premises to the said Elizabeth  
 Pace his heirs and assigns against the lawful claims of himself and his heirs  
 and against the lawful claims of all and every other person and persons who  
 claim and the said Elizabeth Pace the wife of the said John Pace  
 doth hereby relinquish all her right and title of dower of and in the premises  
 aforesaid. In witness whereof the said John Pace and Elizabeth Pace have  
 hereunto set their hands and seals this day and year first above written  
 at the City of Jasper in the State of Indiana  
 John Pace  
 Elizabeth Pace

State of Indiana Adams County SS.  
 This day came John Pace the above named grantor and acknowledged the  
 above and foregoing indenture to be his act and deed for the purposes  
 therein mentioned and also Elizabeth the wife of the said John Pace  
 being by her examined separate and apart from and without  
 the hearing of her said husband did acknowledge that she did  
 voluntarily and of her own free will and accord by her  
 deed and herein the same as her free voluntary act and deed  
 without any force coercion or compulsion from her said husband  
 or any other person and that this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of  
 November 1862  
 John Pace J.P. *(Seal)*

Recorders Office Jasper - December 5th

1850

John Pace

to This indenture made this 22nd day of November in  
 Danial Pace this year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred &  
 fifty between John Pace and Elizabeth Pace, his wife, of the county  
 of Crawford and State of Indiana of the one part and Danial Pace  
 of the county of Dubois and satae aforesaid of the other part wit-  
 nesseth that said John Pace, for and in consideration of the  
 sum of eighty dollars to him in hand paid by the said Danial  
 Pace the receipt wherefo is hereby acknowledged hath granted \_\_\_\_\_  
 sold \_\_\_\_\_ and confirmed \_\_\_\_\_ the said Danial Pace his \_\_\_\_\_ &  
 assigns forever certain tract of parcel of land lying and being situated  
 in the County of Dubois in the state aforesaid, it being the North  
 East quarter of the South East quarter of the section twenty nine in  
 township one North of Range three West containing forty acres  
 more or less together with all the appurtenances to the only proper  
 use herefit and behalf of the said Daniel Pace, his hiers and  
 assigners for ever and the said John Pace, for himself and his hiers  
 excutes and administers doth command and agrees to and  
 with the said Danial Pace, his hiers and assigns that the said John  
 Pace, his hiers and assigns that the said John Pace is lawfully signed in \_\_\_  
 of the \_\_\_\_\_ aforesaid, that they are free from all incumbrances and  
 that he has a good right to sell and convey the same in measure and  
 from aforesaid and further that he and his hiers, executors and administors  
 shall and will warrent and defend the said promises to the said Daniel  
 Pace his hiers and assigns against the lawful claims of himself and his hiers  
 and against the lawful claims of all and every other person and persons what  
 \_\_\_\_\_ and the said Elizabeth Pace, the wife of the said John Pace,  
 doth hereby relinquish all her right and title of \_\_\_\_\_ of and in the \_\_\_\_\_  
 aforesaid. In witness where of the said John Pace and Elizabeth Pace have  
 herewith sat their hands and seals this day and year \_\_\_\_\_ above written  
 signed sealed & delivered in presents of \_\_\_\_\_ John Pace seal  
 Att John Cave her

Elizabeth X Pace seal  
mark

State of Indiana, Dubois County

This day came John Pace the above assigned grantors and acknowledged that  
 above and foregoing indenture to be his act and deen for the purposes  
 therein mentioned and also Elizabeth, the wife of the said John Pace  
 being by the examined separate and apart from and without  
 the hearing of her said husband did acknowledge that she did  
 voluntarily and of her own free will and accord sign  
 seal and deliver the same as her free voluntary act and deed  
 without any fear coursion or \_\_\_\_\_ from her said husband

Given under my hand and seal this 22nd day of  
November 1850

X

John Cave J. P. seal

# Declaration for an Original Invalid Pension.

This must be Executed before a Court of Record or some Officer thereof having Custody of the Seal.

State of Indiana, County of Pike, SS:

ON THIS Eight<sup>th</sup> day of April A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty 9  
personally appeared before me Clerk of the Circuit Court a Court  
of Record within and for the County and State aforesaid Jonathan Pace

aged 49 years, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical Jonathan  
Pace who was ENROLLED as a Private on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of  
August, 1863, in Company I of the 91<sup>st</sup> regiment of Indiana Vols  
commanded by Capt Henry Stevens and was honorably DISCHARGED at  
Indianapolis Ind on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of March, 1864, and his

personal description is as follows: Age 23 years; height 5 feet 11 inches; complexion Fair  
hair Light; eyes Blue. That while a member of the organization aforesaid, in the  
service and in the line of duty at Cumberland Gap in the State of Kentucky or Tennessee  
on or about the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of January, 1864, he contracted Rheumatism

Disease of spine, Disease of Back and Kidney and Heart  
Disase, Rheumatism in Back hips and legs, and both  
Shoulders. Caused by cold, and exposure while in Camp at  
Point Burnside Kentucky and on the march from Camp Point  
Burnside, sometimes called Point Saddle, to Jonesboro East Tennessee and  
thence to Cumberland Gap, Tennessee.  
This Declaration is filed as Additional to claim  
for Original Invalid Pension No 458,392

That he was treated in hospitals as follows: Treated in Camp At Cumberland  
Gap, Tennessee

That he has not been employed in the military or naval service otherwise than as stated above

That he has not been in the military or naval service of the United States since the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of March, 1864

That since leaving the service this applicant has resided in the County of Butch Crawford/Knox  
in the State of Indiana, and that his occupation has been that of a Farmer

That prior to his entry into the service above-named he was a man of good, sound, physical health, being when enrolled a  
Farmer That he is now Partially disabled  
from obtaining his subsistence by manual labor by reason of his injuries, above described, received in the service of  
the United States, and he therefore makes this declaration for the purpose of being placed on the invalid  
pension roll of the United States. He hereby appoints with full power of substitution and revocation,

John M White of Petersburg Indiana  
his true and lawful attorney, to prosecute his claim. That he has not received and applied for  
a pension; that his residence is Harrison township Knox  
County, Indiana and that his post office address is  
Pond Creek Mills Knox County Indiana

## The Pike County Democrat

Friday, February 18, 1927

### Entertainment for Miss Deen.

On next Tuesday evening, Washington's birthday, the Parent - Teachers Association of this city will sponsor an honor entertainment for Miss Sarepta Deen, oldest member of the faculty of the Petersburg schools.

The Occasion is to give the hundreds and thousands of boys and girls she has taught, a chance to express themselves in letters, in words, and in various ways relative to her calling and their deep appreciation of her.

Incidentally, the entertainment will consist of music, drills by the Little folk, talks from her former pupils, and may be several letters from those out of town who are scattered in all parts of the United States.

It might be well to state that Miss Sarepta Deen and her sister, Miss Thirza were born and reared near Branchville, down in Perry County.

Miss Thirza taught continuously for 46 years, retiring some two years ago on the pension roll. Miss Sarepta taught six years out in the county schools of Perry county and one term in the schools of Cannelton, county seat of that county, where she began her work as a teacher of primary grades.

Their parents, Joshua Deen and wife removed from Perry to Pike county and to Petersburg where their daughters continued to teach, securing positions which (teaching) continued uninterrupted until the elder Miss Deen retired, as mentioned above. Their father was a teacher in Perry county and their maternal grandfather, James Riler, was the first teacher in Oil Township, Perry County, a fact recorded in De La Hunt's history of that county.

Miss Sarepta has taught 39 terms in Petersburg, all of these years in charge of the primary department - and up to a few years ago had over 100 pupils in her department, but since two teachers now have charge, her classes are smaller. During all these years she has kept a record of all the boys and girls she has taught and up to the present time, that record shows a list of 4,044 names. This record she prizes very highly.

Boys and girls who went to school to her as children, many of them have children of their own and in many cases grand children.

The combined years of teaching of those two sisters is 92, and we doubt seriously if there is another case like it in Indiana. We understand that every boy and girl, every man and woman now, who went to school to them loves and reveres them. It is to express this affection that the coming entertainment is to be held, especially to honor Miss Sarepta, as she is still "in the harness", and says she wants to continue till she rounds out her 50 years as teacher.

The era of bobbed hair came upon us and every one of her girl pupils followed the style - flappers and non flappers and she watched its progress and resisted until a few weeks ago when she yielded to its beckonings and rather than be alone, visited a local beauty shop where she had her hair bobbed.

Under the direction of Mrs. John Gullick Grim, many of the former pupils of Miss Deen have been notified of the coming entertainment and each one has been asked to send a dime and some word, and the result is that every mail brings dimes which are being placed in a tin can, which will be turned over to Miss Deen next Tuesday night. If you read this and were a pupil of hers, send a dime and some cheering words to be read at that time. These early school day impressions are the most cherished impressions in our lives and those teachers are always held in high esteem by every one of us.

Not only is Miss Deen a worker in the school room among children, but she has devoted much of her life to work in the church and in the Sunday School. At the present time she teaches a class of young men in the local M.E. Sunday School and is a most valuable member of that church's official board.

## **The Petersburg Press**

**February 26, 1929**

**Miss Thirza B. Deen**

### **BELOVED VETERN TEACHER WHO HAD A RECORD OF 47 YEARS OF TEACHING DIED AT HER HOME IN THIS CITY SATURDAY AFTERNOON**

Miss Thirza B. Deen died at her house in this city shortly after 12:00 o'clock Saturday the 23 inst. The funeral services will be conducted by the reverend A. McCullough at the first Methodist church in this city at 2:00 o'clock this Friday afternoon and burial will be at Walnut Hill cemetery. The casket will not be open at the church and friends are invited to come by the residence.

Surviving are the sister, Miss Sarepta, of this city, two brothers, R.L. Deen of Doniphan, Mo., and W.H. Deen of Minneota, Minn., two nieces and four nephews. An Aunt moss Nancy Deen, of Branchville, Ind. Also survives.

Miss Deen was the daughter of the late Joshua and Helen Riley Deen, and was born in Perry county, Indiana November 10, 1858, being 70 years, 3 months and 13 days of age at the time of her death. She was educated in the common schools of Perry County and early in life prepared herself for the profession of teaching. Completing her work in the common schools she spent some time at Central Normal College at Danville, Indiana.

The Family moved to this city in April, 1888, and Miss Deen had been employed in the schools of this county and city since that time until her voluntary retirement a few years ago. She had a record of 47 years of successful teaching which is probably a record for this county. Her first school was in Perry county and she taught there for ten years, the second place where she taught was in Johnson county, Indiana where she was engaged in her chosen work for six years; then followed six years of teaching at Blytheville, Ark. and 25 years, a quarter of a century in the schools of Pike county.

She did not confine her efforts at teaching in the schools but was also an untiring in the Methodist Sunday School and in that church of which she had been a member for the past 54 years, She was reared in a deeply religious atmosphere, the father and mother both being devote members of the Methodist church and this early training exerted an influence over Miss Thirza and the other children of the family that was and will be felt as long as life lasts for any of them.

In the course of her teaching she has had as pupils many men and women who hade since become prominent in various fields of endeavor. Among these are judge Roscoe Kiner, of Boonville, and many of the most prominent professors in the state university at Bloomington.

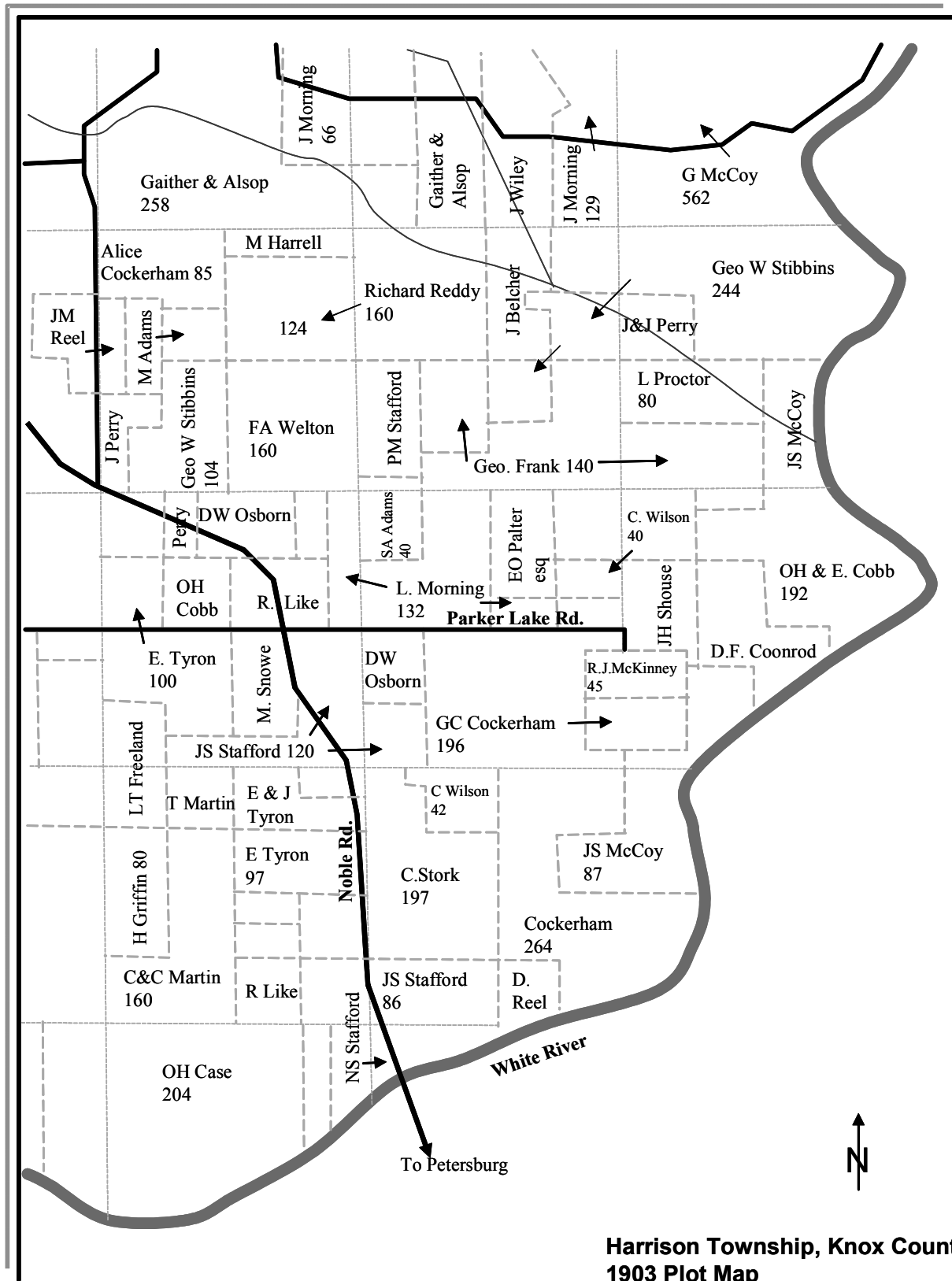
Owing to ill health and physical disability Miss thirza abandoned teaching a few years ago but always maintained a lively interest in the schools and their welfare.

After the death of their parents the Misses Thirza and Sarepta continued to make their home in this city where they both taught until the retirement of Miss Thirza. They had, in addition to their work in the schools, local farming interests and maintained their household just as it was during the life of their parents.

It is impossible to estimate the influence that a women of the experience Miss Thirza enjoyed had on men and women had on her generation. It would be interesting to know just how many lives she turned into the right direction, how many boys and girls she diverted into the proper path to insure their own future success. Unquestionably the number of these is great for she devoted her entire to this work. The reward for a life so spent does not come in this world. Such women do work that can not be paid for in mere money, and since this is true, their eternal reward must be great beyond measure.

To have so lived, to face the eternal future with such a record, a record of self sacrifice, of whole hearted devotion to the interest of the boys and girls in school and church, is to leave a record of success and achievement in life such as it is given to few of us to attain.





**Harrison Township, Knox County  
1903 Plot Map  
Brian Springle**

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