

INFORMATION & DATA ON THE FAMILY OF:

JOSEPH & SUSAN (PARR) DOOLITTLE  
1825-1873                      ---

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Being a collection of information from Public records, biographies, histories and family sources, and arranged to present a coherent view of said family and their individual relationship. This has all been done for the purpose of preserving for future generations a knowledge of their past.

Date 2 Aug. 1986

*Edward E. Bartlett*, Compiler

## DOOLITTLE

Surname

FAMILY INFORMATION CHART NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Husband's full name Joseph DOOLITTLE  
 born on ca. 1825 at \_\_\_\_\_, New York  
 married ca. 1848 at Licking County, Ohio  
 died on 11 Jan. 1873<sup>1</sup> at Crawford County, Illinois  
 intered at \_\_\_\_\_ . Groom's 1<sup>st</sup> marriage  
 Farmer  
 Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Religion \_\_\_\_\_ Military Service \_\_\_\_\_  
 William DOOLITTLE . Hannah  
 His Father \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's maiden name \_\_\_\_\_

Wife's maiden name Susan PARR  
 born on ca. 1831 at \_\_\_\_\_  
 died on before Dec. 1877<sup>2</sup> at Crawford County, Illinois  
 intered at \_\_\_\_\_ . Bride's 1<sup>st</sup> marriage  
 William Smith PARR . Elizabeth EDGELL  
 Her Father 1801-(1850) Mother's maiden name \_\_\_\_\_

Authority or Source of Data:  
 Mrs. John W. (JoAnn) Bunyard  
 Rural Route 2  
 Vandalia, Ill. 62471

## Records, Census &amp; Others:

1. Joseph was sick one day with spotted fever and was buried on the 12th. - Vernal Doolittle's letter dated Jan. 14, 1873.  
 2. William Doolittle letter dated Dec. 17, 1877.  
 1850, '60, '70 & '80 Fed. Census of Crawford County, Illinois

Abodes and removals : Joseph & Susan removed from Hartford Twp., Licking Co., Ohio, along with his married brothers and their parents sometime in the year 1848.

Sex	Their Children	Additional Information:
	<p>(1) Name <u>William DOOLITTLE</u>            born on <u>ca. 1849</u> at <u>Crawford Co., Illinois</u>            died on _____ at _____            married <u>6 Dec. 1885</u> at <u>Crawford Co., Illinois</u>            to: <u>Marshol J. Grantham<sup>3</sup></u></p>	<p>3. Her father: Joseph CHOZON;            mother: Sarah PUGH            Marriage Record, Book 1, pg. 107</p>
	<p>(2) Name <u>Levina DOOLITTLE</u>            born on <u>May 1856</u> at <u>Crawford Co., Illinois</u>            died on _____ at _____            married <u>31 Dec. 1871</u> at <u>Crawford Co., Illinois</u>            to: <u>Clinton EVANS</u>  <u>July 1848 -</u></p>	<p>Children:            Caressell, b. Feb. 1873;            Eva, b. ca. 1876; Perry,            b. Oct. 1878; Virgil, b.            Dec. 1884; Elmer E., b.            Aug. 1886.            Marriage Record, Book B, pg. 278</p>
	<p>(3) Name <u>Rosa DOOLITTLE</u>            born on <u>ca. 1858</u> at <u>Crawford Co., Illinois</u>            died on <u>before 1877<sup>2</sup></u> at <u>Crawford Co., Illinois</u>            married _____ at _____            to: _____</p>	

List other children on the reverse side.

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Prepared by Edw.<sup>d</sup> Bartlett, 2 Aug. 1986

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CHILDREN OF Joseph and Susan (PARR) DOOLITTLE

Sex ( 4 ) Name Alva DOOLITTLE  
 born on ca. 1861 at Crawford Co., Illinois  
 died on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_  
 married 8 Sept. 1883 at Vandalia, Illinois  
 to: Nancy J. JOHNSON

Child:  
 Edward, b. 8 Jan. 1884, Vandalia, Ills.  
 Nancy divorced Alva in 1887 and married a man by name of Crotson. Her son, Edward, then went by the name Crotson although he was not adopted by Crotson.

( 5 ) Name Edward (Eddie) DOOLITTLE  
 born on ca. 1867 at Crawford Co., Illinois  
 died on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_  
 married ca. 1888 at (Carter County, Missouri)  
 to: Martha

Children:  
 Alva B., b. May 1890; William D., b. July 1892; Fred, b. July 1897; Laura, b. Dec. 1899. They were all born in Missouri.

( ) Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 born on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_  
 died on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_  
 married \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_  
 to: \_\_\_\_\_

( ) Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 born on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_  
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 to: \_\_\_\_\_

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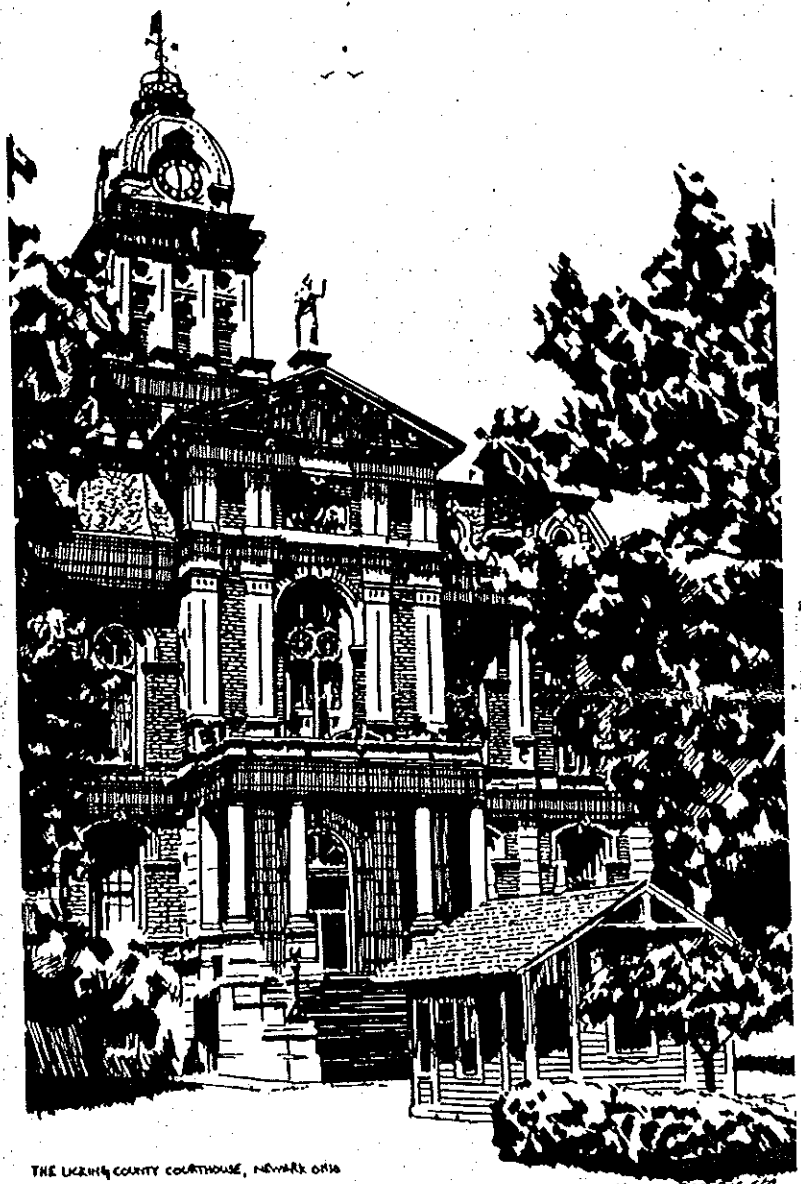
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chbold; Ohio, and taught school in Fulton County, completing a total of 50 years.

Ollie Mae and John Howard maintained the home after Brainerd's death. They sold the farms in 1945 and moved to West Main Street, Alexandria, and Aunt Harriet Cornell lived with them several years. Other family members visited frequently. *Submitted by Alice Fisher.*

## Parker

Byron Harris married Arabella Pound. They had a daughter, Eura Mae (July 24, 1891-January 13, 1974). She married Rex Biggs. She later married Theodore Parker (March 4, \_\_\_\_\_-November 1952).

They had a son Robert Edward Parker (February 17, 1920-January 14, 1974). Robert married Dorothy H. Wells. Robert was employed at Owens Corning Fiberglas for nearly 33 years. Dorothy has been employed at Banc Ohio since April 1974. They had two children:

Dale Edward (August 16, 1939). Dale has been employed at Newark Asphalt for many years. Dale married Judith McLaughlin. They have a daughter and a son. Teresa Lynn (August 15, 1962) has been employed at Denison University since the spring of 1980. Timothy Erin (March 21, 1965) is a student at the Licking County Joint Vocational School. Dale later married Janet (Ford) Booze. He adopted her daughter Sandra.

Marilyn Sue (September 21, 1942) married Wade T. Davis III. They did not have any children. She married George R. Tyll. George and Marilyn live in Hollidaysburg, Penn. near Altoona. George is the News Director at station WTAJ-TV. They have two children: Kevin Gregory (January 27, 1973) and Lisa Michelle (June 4, 1975). Both Kevin and Lisa are students in the elementary school in Hollidaysburg. *Submitted by Dorothy H. Parker.*

## Parkhurst

Martha A., 1840-1919; Benjamin, 1778-June 25, 1842; Elizabeth (wife of Benjamin), 1778-Aug. 29, 1870; Peter (son of Benjamin); 1809-July 15, 1894; Phoebe (wife of Peter), no dates; Benjamin, 1856-1910; Ida (wife of Benjamin), 1882-1945.

Benjamin Parkhurst married Elizabeth Headley, daughter of Joseph and Martha Headley and was the oldest child. They had their own cabin home in Muskingum County, and Joseph and his wife and seven younger children also had their own cabin.

Benjamin and Elizabeth were married in New Jersey and later moved to Ohio. The stork was near but that didn't deter the family from taking the road. While the party was somewhere in the Alleghany, Peter Parkhurst was born June 19, 1809. He was wont to say in later years that he knew not in what state he was born. The Headley book says it was Pennsylvania. Benjamin and Elizabeth lived in Muskingum County until 1817 or 1818. When they moved to Jersey Township in Licking County, on the northwest 1/2 Sec. 22, they built a cabin on a five acre lot between the John Trish place and the "old Parkhurst home". This house was built by Lewis Martin Whitehead who married Ruth Nichols. Whitehead sold this house to Hosiah Berger.

This cabin had a loose board or plank floor laid on logs. Benjamin was a very nervous man and much afraid of storms. When storms came along he made the children crawl under the house, which we think meant lifting up the boards and making the children crawl under the floor for cabins were not built so children or anything else could crawl under them. On one occasion Benjamin forgot about having lime under the floor and the children experienced a terrible time.

A traditional story about Benjamin is of his returning home from a war in a soldier's uniform and riding on an Indian pony. Unrecognized as he approached home, his children were much frightened, but not for long. He may have been in some Indian war.

Benjamin had a hand mill for grinding much grain that the settlers raised, probably made with stone burrs.

Coming to Ohio with Benjamin was a brother John who settled, it was thought, near Cincinnati, Ohio. They left a sister in New Jersey.

The children of Benjamin and Elizabeth were Samuel, Mary; Elizabeth, Martha and Peter.

Peter, born June 19, 1809, died in Jersey, Ohio, July 15, 1894. He married Phoebe Smith April 5, 1832. She was born in New Jersey Dec. 16, 1810, and died in Jersey, Ohio, Jan. 10, 1881. They were farmers and Methodists. Children of Peter and Phoebe were: Sarah, Mary, Abigail, Martin and Harriett. Sarah Matilda Parkhurst was born April 5, 1833 and married John H. Arnold. Son Frank Arnold married Lida Headley and is buried in Pataskala cemetery. Other son Charles Arnold married Lillie King. Daughter Minnie married Frank Shaw.

Mary Jane Parkhurst was born Dec. 21, 1834 and died Apr. 10, 1862. She was married to Abraham Martin of Delphi, Indiana.

Abigail Parkhurst was born Dec. 30, 1836. She married Morris W. Kent March 10, 1859. They lived near Jersey, Ohio. Children were: Frank, Mattie, Jennie, William, Albert and Edgar. Frank married Annie Hensel, Chicago, Illinois. Mattie married Frank Nichols of Alexandria, Ohio. Jennie married Fred Evans. William H. married Cora Myers of Beech Corners, Ohio. His second wife was Ann Myers Mann. Albert M. married Annie Crawford. Edgar Roy married Mary Crawford. Martha Ann Parkhurst, born June 6, 1884, died single. Hattie Melissa Parkhurst, born July 5, 1846, married Jesse F. Headley. Children were: Frank, William H., Ella, Mary, Charles, Peter and Lillie. Frank married Elizabeth Renner. Charles married \_\_\_\_\_ and lived in Pataskala. Samuel Franklin married Ida Eshelman. Mary married Frank E. Smith. Rebecca married George W. King. Martha married Martin H. Thompson. James married Fannie Wickliff Moreland. (James was grandfather of Alma Parkhurst Wells.) The children of James Parkhurst are: Lulu May Parkhurst, born May 20, 1881, died Sept. 26, 1953; Kitty Jane Parkhurst, born Jan. 22, 1883, died \_\_\_\_\_. Goldie Ione Parkhurst, born May 15, 1884, died \_\_\_\_\_. George Samuel Parkhurst, born Apr. 30, 1886, died Aug. 6, 1952; Frank James Parkhurst, born Oct. 5, 1885, died 1885; Nina Bell Parkhurst, born Apr. 9, 1894, still living.

Fannie Wickliff was first married to William Cyrus Moreland. They had one son, Fredrick and two daughters, Blanche and Maude. She later married James William Parkhurst and had children listed above.

George Samuel Parkhurst married Harriett Harrison Crane, who was the daughter of George Washington Crane and Mary E. Crane. Their children were: Alma Elizabeth Parkhurst, born Mar. 16, 1911, still living; Martha Burdette Parkhurst, born Feb. 22, 1913, died Oct. 24, 1959; George Edwin Parkhurst, born Aug. 9, 1916, died Feb. 12, 1929. Alma Elizabeth Parkhurst was married to George Worley Wells, son of Charles Ulysses and Addie Cain Wells, on July 20, 1930. They have one son, Goerge Roger Wells, born Nov. 10, 1938.

George Roger Wells was first married to Nancy Lou Lee and they have two children, Lesa Ann Wells, born Aug. 20, 1958 and Keith Edwin Wells was born May 5, 1963.

Martha Burdette Parkhurst was married to Kenneth B. Rockey on Feb. 20, 1937, and have one son, Kenneth Parkhurst Rockey, born Mar. 30, 1947. Kenneth Parkhurst (Skip) Rockey married Beverly Kelley and they have two children, Kristin and Shane. *Submitted by Mrs. Alma Parkhurst Wells.*

## Parr Families

There were three Parr families who settled in Licking Co. before 1820 but the relationship between them, is any existed, is not known. The first Parrs were two brothers, Samuel and John, sons of Richard and Judith Parr of Fayette Co. Penn. Samuel with his family arrived in 1802; John with his family arrived in 1809.

The second family also came about 1809, settling in Newark. He was Thomas Parr who died about 1816; sometime before 1829, his children moved to LaSalle Co. Ill. They were: (1) Mary (Joseph Brumback); (2) Samuel (Rebecca Trumbo); (3) Thomas J. (Anna Pitzer); (4) William; (5) Henry.

The third family was William and Margaret (Hamilton) Parr who brought their family from County Down, Ireland about 1816 and settled in the northwest corner of Franklin Twp. Their children were: (1) Thomas (Mary McCaig); (2) Mary (Jacob White); (3) Margaret; (4) John H. (Catherine Danner); (5) Eliza; (6) William (Charly Armstrong); (7) Sarah (John Hiser); (8) Henry (Josephine Tavenner); (9) Hamilton (Caroline Irwin). Some descendants of this family moved to Clinton Co. Mich., Linn Co. Iowa and Adams Co. Indiana. Those in Licking Co. are Darnes, Mossman, Irwin, Perfect, Longwell, White, Lake, Neibarger and Parr.

John and Jane (McClelland) Parr settled in Bowling Green Twp. with their children: (1) Richard (Elizabeth Patterson); (2) Samuel (Elizabeth Harris); (3) John (Sarah Patterson); (4) William, served War of 1812, died 1815; (5) Thomas (Jane Hoskinson). Thomas and family moved to Union Co., then to Marion Co., Oh. Later descendants moved to Mahaska Co., Iowa. Some Licking Co. descendants of this family are: Bussey, Fulk, Grove, Tavenner, Stewart, Barnes, Hazlett, Hartman and Parr.

In the spring of 1803, Samuel and Sarah (Leonard) Parr bought lot #73 located on the northeast corner of 2nd and E. Main St. for which they paid 50¢ with the stipulation that they keep the street free of grass and weeds. In 1809, they bought 250 acres in Licking Twp. on the west side of the "Old Plank Road" (Jacksonstown Pike) between the Grove and Baptist cemeteries. His first house was of frame which was still standing in 1930; his second house was brick and is still in use today. This home was left to his youngest son, William Smith Parr who sold it in 1846 to Gilbert Brady. Mr. Brady later sold it to B. J. Sanford whose descendants still own it. Sarah died 1843; Samuel died 1844, buried in Baptist Cemetery along with other member of their family. Their children were: (1) Elizabeth; (2) Sarah (Adam Kite); (3) Leonard (Candace Cooley); (4) Hannah (John McInturf) moved to Linn Co., Iowa; (5) John (Rachel Debolt) moved to Cedar Co., Iowa; (6) Catherine (Mr. Lovett); (7) Richard (first Mary Elliott, second Polly Miller) moved to Champaign Co., Oh.; (8) Samuel Jr. (Amelia Ernst); (9) Margaret (Samuel Elliott Jr.) (see Elliott history); (10) William Smith.

William Smith Parr, born 1801, Penn., married 1828 Elizabeth Edgell, born 1811, daughter of Daniel and Susan (Wilson) Edgell of Licking Twp. In 1846, they moved to Hartford Twp. In 1849, the family moved to Crawford Co., Ill. except Sarah (Fraleigh Helphrey) (see Helphrey history). Other families from Licking Co. had already gone to Crawford Co. including William's daughter Susan (Joseph Doolittle). Sometime in 1850, William Smith went to the gold fields of California; he never returned—family tradition states that he was robbed and thrown overboard while rounding



William Alva Parr

Cape Horn on the way home.

Elizabeth Parr with her three youngest children: William, John and Martha returned to Licking Co. leaving behind Nancy who had married 1851 William Trigg, son of Allen Trigg, a former Licking Co. resident. In 1856, John moved to Illinois and William moved to Shelby Co., Oh. to live with relatives; their mother had remarried. In 1865, Martha married John James Houck and raised a large family. After John served in the Civil War, he returned to Ohio to marry Ellen Jackson of Auglaize Co. About 1887, he moved his family to Argenta, Macon Co., Ill. where descendants still live. William A. married Eliza J. Elliott (see Elliott history). Submitted by Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Rose.

## John Parrish Family

John Parrish was born Feb. 21, 1791 in Ohio Co., West Virginia. His parents are unknown. I have learned that he was the first man to volunteer for the War of 1812 at Newark, Licking Co., Oh. His name appears in Hill's History of Licking Co. on rosters for the War of 1812. He served under Capt. John Spencer and was taken prisoner when Hull surrendered, but upon his release he reenlisted and served to the end of the war, receiving two land grants, one for service and one for having been a prisoner.

John married Sarah Brown in Licking Co. on Aug. 4, 1814, witnesses: N. H. McCracken and C. M. Godfrey. Both men migrated with John to Putnam Co., Oh., where they signed an affidavit for Sarah when she applied for a widow's pension. Sarah's parents are unknown at this time. The marriage record was found in Licking Court House, one of the few records to survive the burning. It is believed that N. H. McCracken may have been related to Sarah as Brown/McCracken marriages have been found in early records in Pa.

John Parrish was a farmer in Hanover Twp. but no deeds were found there. Nor have I found church records for this early period to determine their religious affiliation. They were in Hanover Twp. in the 1820 census and in Marion Co., Oh., in the 1830 census. Obituary for son William, my grandfather, shows he was born in (then) Crawford Co., Oh. (the part now Marion) in 1830 and moved with his family in 1836 to Putnam Co., Ohio near Kalida. C. M. Godfrey was one of the first doctors in Putnam Co. and the McCracken family were among county officials.

Also among the early settlers of Putnam Co. were Joseph Parrish and Meredith Parrish, believed to be brothers of John. Both served in the War of 1812, Joseph from Licking Co. under John Spencer and Meredith from Ross Co. under Capts. Sumner and Dawson, Col. Dunlap. All three men received land grants while living in Putnam Co. Joseph Parrish appears on tax list for Fairfield Co., Oh., in 1806 living at Newark. Whether it is this Joseph has not been determined. The three men in Putnam Co. followed each other around the state and all died in Putnam Co. John and Joseph gave their children the same first names; Meredith had only one son, unnamed. One Meredith Parrish, Sr. married Sevier Swift in Franklin Co., Ohio Apr. 12, 1821. Both are designated "widower."

Children of John and Sarah: (1) George, born 1817; (2) Joseph B., born 1819; (3) Catharine (Crawford); (4) Deliverance died in infancy; (5) Benjamin died in Civil War; (6) Sarah (Tracy); (7) Susan died in infancy; (8) William, born 1830; (9) Julia Ann (Lutz, Welkin, Crabill); (10) Adam, born 1835; (11) John S., born 1837. All were married in Putnam Co.

John Parrish died Sept. 1, 1867 of typhoid and is buried in the Kalida Cemetery. Sarah died Dec. 4, 1881, buried beside her husband. Submitted by Irene (Parrish) Baker, granddaughter of William above.

## Parrish

The Parrish family came to this part of the country from Maryland. John S. Parrish, as a young man, about 1815, seeking a new home in the wilderness left Baltimore, Md., with a Mr. Price,

1850 CENSUS — UNITED STATES

SCHEDULE 1. Free Inhabitants in Burlington Township, in the County of Licking, State \_\_\_\_\_, enumerated by me on the 9th day of October, 1850. E. B. Pratt Ass't Marshal

Line No. on page	Dwelling house No.	Family Number	The name of every person whose usual place of abode on the first day of June, 1850, was in this family.	Age	Sex	Color	Profession, Occupation, or Trade of each male person over 15 years of age.	Value of Real Estate owned	Place of birth	Married within the year	Attended School within the year	Over 20 who can not read & write	Whether deaf & dumb, blind, insane, idiotic, pauper or convict.	(Remarks)
40	1516	1533	John Houck	27	M		Farmer	(n/r)	Ohio					
41			Caroline	28	F				"		n/r			
42			Sophia	8	F				"					
1			Allen Houck	5	M				0					
2			James "	3	M				"					
3			Westley "	1	M				"					
11	1518	1535	James Houck	67	M		Farmer	4000	PA					
12			Sarah	65	F				VA			n/r		
13			William Runnels	16	M				0					
14			Emily S. "	7	F				"		/			
22	1521	1538	Daniel Houck	41	M			1400	Ohio					
23			Hannah	42	F				"					
24			Homer	16	M				"		/			
25			Claressa H.	9	F				"		/			
26			John J.	7	M				"		/			
27			Wilson	2	M				"					





1869  
Oct Sept 1850

Polly Moore Widows

Geo. Moore Jr

Samuel King  
No 1852

Joe Durbale

Patience Allen

11 28/1000

W. L. Page

Pat. Aug 11 1853

Reg Springfield Mass  
11 July 1855

Alton Pt

Greenford Mass

MILITARY BOUNTY LAND ACT OF 28 SEPTEMBER, 1850.

Land Warrant,

no. 68698



Register and Receiver's

no. 3230

Land Office, Palestine Illinois Decemb 11 1852

WE HEREBY CERTIFY, That the attached Military Bounty Land Warrant, No. 68698 was on this day received at this office, from Joseph Doolittle of Crawford county, State of Illinois

M W Shean Register  
Jeph M Aubrey Receiver

I, Joseph Doolittle

of Crawford county, State of Illinois hereby apply to locate and do locate the North East 1/4 of the North West quarter

of section No. Six in Township No. Seven North of Range No. Thirteen West

in the District of Lands subject to sale at the Land Office at Palestine Illinois containing Forty Four 2/100 acres, in satisfaction of the attached Warrant numbered 68698 issued under the act of 28 September, 1850.

Witness my hand this 11 day of December A. D. 1852

Attest:

M W Shean Register.

Jeph M Aubrey Receiver.

his Joseph Doolittle

I request the Patent to be sent to Elkhon Po Crawford Co Illinois

Land Office, Palestine Illinois Decemb 11 1852

WE HEREBY CERTIFY, That the above location is correct, being in accordance with law and instructions.

Jeph M Aubrey Receiver.  
M W Shean Register.



# THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:


Whereas, in pursuance of the ACT OF CONGRESS, APPROVED SEPTEMBER 28TH, 1850, ENTITLED "AN ACT GRANTING BOUNTY LAND TO CERTAIN OFFICERS AND SOLDIERS WHO HAVE BEEN ENGAGED IN THE MILITARY SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES," Warrant No. 188098 for 20 acres, issued in favor of Sally Warren widow of Abel Hoover, Grant in

Captain Barrister Company Kentucky & Madison Mo 1812  
has been returned to the GENERAL LAND OFFICE, with evidence that the same has been duly located upon the North East quarter of the North West quarter of Township 33 North Range 10 East of the District of Lewis subject to sale at Saline Springs containing forty four acres and eight hundredths of an acre according to the Survey of the said Land returned to the General Land Office, by the SURVEYOR GENERAL, which has been assigned unto Joseph Doolittle

NOW KNOW YE, That there is therefore granted by the UNITED STATES unto the said Joseph Doolittle the tract of Land above described: TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said tract of Land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said Joseph Doolittle and his heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof, I, Franklin Pierce

PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, have caused these Letters to be made Patent and the SEAL OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE to be hereunto affixed.



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GIVEN under my hand at the CITY OF WASHINGTON, the Fifth day of August IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD one thousand eight hundred and fifty three and of the INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES the seventy-ninth

BY THE PRESIDENT:  
Franklin Pierce By Wm. H. Miller Asst. Secy.  
Wm. H. Miller Recorder of the General Land Office.

Feb 16  
Oct 1852

This Indenture made this 21<sup>st</sup> day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty one between Matthew Newlin of the County of Crawford and State of Illinois of the first part and Abigail Banner of the county of Crawford State of the above named of the second part Witnesseth that the said party of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of fifty dollars to the said party of the first part by the party of the second part in hand paid the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged have granted bargained sold and conveyed and by these presents do bargain sell and convey unto the said party of the second part all the following described piece or parcel of land it being the north half of the south west 1/4 of the south east 1/4 of Section Three in town seven North Range 12 twelve west containing twenty acres be the same more or less situated in the county of Crawford So have and do hold the above described Premises with all the appurtenances to the same belonging to the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns forever and the said party of the first part for himself and his heirs do hereby covenant with the said party of the second part and his heirs that he is lawfully seized of the premises aforesaid that the premises are free and clear from all incumbrances what soever and that he will Power warrant and defend the same with the appurtenances unto the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns against the lawful claims of all persons whatsoever In Witness whereof the said Matthew Newlin and Abigail Newlin his wife have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written

Matthew Newlin (Seal)  
Abigail Newlin (Seal)

Witness sealed and delivered in presence of  
State of Illinois, &c.

I John Hesters an acting Justice of the peace in and for said County do hereby certify the above named Matthew Newlin and Abigail his wife personally known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing deed of conveyance as having executed the same this day in their proper person came before me and acknowledged that they severally signed sealed and delivered the said deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and the said Abigail wife of the said Matthew Newlin being made fully acquainted with the contents of the above deed and by me examined separate and apart from her husband acknowledged that she executed the said deed and relinquished her right of dower to the lands and premises therein conveyed voluntarily free and without compulsion of her said husband Given under my hand and seal at my office this 21<sup>st</sup> day of March A.D. 1851

Feb 16  
Oct 1852

This Indenture made this twenty second day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty two between Joseph Doolittle and Susan his wife of the county of Crawford and State of Illinois of the first part and John Dorn of the county of Crawford and State of Illinois of the second part Witnesseth that the said party of the first part for and in



Madison County, Illinois, Records  
 Deed Record Book G - page 379  
 Grantor: Joseph Doolittle - Grantee: John Jansen

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Consideration of the sum Six Hundred dollars to the said party of the first part by the party of the second part in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, has granted, bargained, sold and by these presents do grant bargain sell and convey unto the said party of the second part all the following described piece or parcel of land, being south west quarter of the north east and the south east quarter of the north west quarter of section Down 20 in Township seven N north of Range thirteen E, west containing Eighty 88 acres according to original Survey of State and to hold the above described premises with all the appurtenances to the same belonging to the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns forever and the said party of the first part for them and their heirs do hereby covenant with the said party of the second part and his heirs that lawfully seized of the premises aforesaid that the premises are free from all incumbrances whatsoever and that they will forever warrant and defend the same with the appurtenances unto the said John Jansen and his heirs and assigns against the lawful claims of all persons whatsoever In Witness whereof the said Joseph Doolittle and Susan Doolittle his wife has hereunto set their hand and seal the day and year first above written

Joseph Doolittle (Seal)  
 Susan Doolittle (Seal)

Synthesized and delivered in presence of

State of Illinois  
 County of

I Isaac Wilkin a Justice of the Peace in and for said County do hereby certify the above named Joseph Doolittle and Susan his wife who is personally known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing deed of conveyance as having executed the same this day in proper person came before me and acknowledged that she severally signed sealed and delivered the said deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and the said Susan Doolittle wife of the said Joseph Doolittle being made fully acquainted with the contents of the above deed and by me examined separate and apart from her husband acknowledged that she executed the said deed and relinquished her right of dower to the lands and tenements therein conveyed voluntarily freely and without compulsion of her said husband

Given under my hand and this 22 day of  
 September A.D. 1852 Isaac Wilkin (Seal)

Filed 16<sup>th</sup>  
 Oct/52

This Indenture Made this Twenty second day of September in the year our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty two between Joseph Doolittle and Elizabeth Parr of the County of Crawford and State of Illinois of the first part and John Jansen of the County of Crawford and State of Illinois of the second part Witnesseth that the said party of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of Two hundred dollars to the said party of the first part by the party of the second part in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged has granted bargained sold and by these presents do grant bargain sell and convey

File 3  
Jan 1854

This Indenture made this fifteenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty three witnesses that John H. Richard of the County of Crawford and State of Illinois party of the first part in consideration of the sum of seventy five dollars paid by Christopher A. Moore of the County of Crawford and State of Illinois party of the second part the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged have granted bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain sell convey and confirm unto the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns forever, A certain tract of land situate in the County of Crawford and State of Illinois and known and described as the South East quarter of the South West quarter of Section No (12) twelve in Township No (17) five North of Range No (15) thirteen West containing forty acres To Have and To Hold the said premises with all the appurtenances thereto belonging or in anywise appertaining to the only proper use benefit and behoof of the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns forever and the said party of the first part covenant with the party of the second part his heirs and assigns that he is lawfully seized in fee of the said premises and have good right to convey the same that they are free from all incumbrances and that for the consideration above named the title hereto the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns against all lawful claims whatsoever will warrant and defend. In witness whereof the said grantor has hereunto set his hand and seal this day & year first above written, Signed Sealed & delivered in presence of

J. L. Darnall  
Nancy Darnall

John H. Richard

State of Illinois  
Crawford County  
I, J. L. Darnall, Justice of the peace of said County do certify that John H. Richard whose signature appears to the foregoing deed & who is personally known to me to be the person who subscribed & executed the same did acknowledge the same to be his free act and deed given under my hand and seal this fifteenth day of January 1854

Crawford County, Illinois Records  
Deed Record Book H - page 392, 393  
Gantee: Joseph Doolittle - Grantor: John Johnson

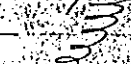



File 6  
Jan 1854

This Indenture made and entered into between John Johnson of the County of Crawford and State of Illinois of the first part and Joseph Doolittle of the County of Crawford and State of Illinois of the second part witnesses that the said party of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of Two Hundred dollars to him in hand paid by the said party of the second part the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged do grant bargain & sell unto the said party of the second part and by these presents have granted bargained sold and quit claimed unto him the said party of the second part all my right title and interest in and to the following described premises lying and being in the County of Crawford and State of Illinois and described as follows to wit South West quarter of the North West qr of Sec one (1) in Township seven (7) North of Range fourteen (14) West

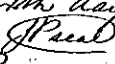


containing forty (40) acres and <sup>68</sup> also sixty acres in the North end of the East half of North East q<sup>r</sup> of section five (5) in Township seven (7) North of Range thirteen (13) West. With all the privileges and appurtenances to the same belonging - To Have and To Hold the above described premises unto the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns forever. And the said party of the first part does forever Quit claim the above premises unto the party of the second part his heirs and assigns forever

In Testimony whereof the said John Johnson has hereunto set his hand and seal and Mary wife of said John Johnson, hereby relinquishes her right to Dower on said premises has hereunto set her hand and seal this sixth day of January A.D. 1854

Signed & sealed in presence of  
 John Murgrove  John Johnson   
 Geo W Dick  Mary Johnson 

State of Illinois } Personally appeared before me John Murgrove  
 Crawford County } a Justice of the Peace in and for said County  
 John Johnson & Mary Johnson wife of the said John Johnson and  
 acknowledged the signing and sealing of the above Deed of conveyance to be their act and deed for the purpose therein contained and the said Mary wife of said John Johnson being by me examined separate and apart from her said husband acknowledged that she signed the above deed of her own free will and accord without any fear or compulsion whatever of her said husband. Given under my hand and seal this sixth day of January A.D. 1854

John Murgrove   
 Justice of the Peace

Dec 7<sup>th</sup>  
 1854

This Indenture Witnesseth That I William C. Winters and Anna Winters his wife of the County of Owen and State of Indiana in consideration of Six Hundred dollars to us paid by Emmanuel Crampton of the County of Crawford State of Illinois the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged do hereby bargain sell and convey unto the said Emmanuel Crampton his heirs and assigns forever the following Real estate in Crawford County and State of Illinois and described as follows to wit the East half of the South East quarter and the South West quarter of the North East quarter and the South East quarter of the North West quarter of Section No Thirty three (33) in Township Six (6) North of Range Thirteen (13) West containing One Hundred and sixty (60) acres be the same more or less together with all the privileges and appurtenances to the same belonging. To Have and To Hold the same to the said Emmanuel Crampton his heirs and assigns forever. She grants this heirs and assigns hereby Covenanting with the grantee his heirs and assigns that the title so conveyed is clear free and unincumbered that they are lawfully seized of the premises aforesaid as of a sure perfect and indefeasible estate of inheritance in fee simple and that they will warrant and defend the same against all claims whatsoever. In Witness Whereof the said

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- 1854

This Indenture made this 4<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D. 1854 between Elizabeth Parr of the County of Crawford and State of Illinois of the first part and Joseph Doolittle of the same County and State aforesaid of the second part, witnesseth that the said Elizabeth Parr for and in consideration of the sum of three hundred dollars to her in hand paid by the said Joseph Doolittle the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath granted bargained sold and conveyed & confirmed and by these presents doth grant bargain sell convey and confirm unto the said Joseph Doolittle his heirs and assigns forever the following real estate situate in said County to wit fifty acres in the North end of the East half of the North East quarter of section five in Township seven North of range thirteen West also the South West quarter of the North West quarter of section <sup>one</sup> in Township seven North of Range fourteen West containing forty acres and sixty eight hundredths of an acre be the same more or less to have and to hold the same together with all and singular the rights privileges & appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining to him the said Joseph Doolittle his heirs and assigns forever

And the said Elizabeth Parr for herself her heirs executors and administrators doth hereby covenant and agree with the said Joseph Doolittle his heirs and assigns that she will warrant and defend the said real estate hereby conveyed unto Joseph Doolittle his heirs and assigns against the claim or claims of any and all person or persons whomsoever

In testimony whereof the said Elizabeth Parr hath hereunto set her hand & affixed her seal the day and year first aforesaid.

In the presence of  
W<sup>m</sup> C. Shepherd

Elizabeth Parr Seal

State of Illinois  
Crawford County

§ 33  
Before me the undersigned a Justice of the peace of said county this day personally appeared the above named Elizabeth Parr who is personally known to me to be the identical person whose name is subscribed to & who is represented in the foregoing indenture as grantor & acknowledged that she executed the same as her bona fide act and deed for the purposes therein expressed.

Given under my hand & seal this 4<sup>th</sup> day of October A.D. 1854

William C. Shepherd J.P. Seal



Filed 12<sup>th</sup>  
February  
1857

This Indenture made this seventh day of February in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and fifty seven between Joseph Doolittle and Susan Doolittle wife of the said Joseph Doolittle of the County of Crawford and State of Illinois of the first part and Catlin Preston of the County of Crawford and State of Illinois of the second part, Witnesseth that the said parties of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of twelve hundred dollars to them paid; the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged; do grant, bargain, sell, convey and confirm unto the said party of the second part, and to his heirs and assigns forever certain tracts or parcels of land with the appurtenances lying and being in the County of Crawford and State of Illinois described as follows to wit: sixty acres in the South end of the East half of the Northeast quarter of Section five Township seven North of Range thirteen West: Also the Southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section one in Township seven North of Range fourteen West containing 40 <sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub> acres and also the Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section six in Township seven North of Range thirteen West containing 44 <sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub> acres be the same more or less. To have and to hold the aforesaid granted premises to the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns to his and their use and behoof forever. And the said parties of the first part do hereby for themselves and their heirs executors and administrators covenant with the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns that they are lawfully seized in fee simple of the aforesaid premises; that they are free from all incumbrances; that they have good right to sell and convey the same to the said party of the second part; and that they and their heirs executors and administrators; will warrant and defend the said tracts or parcels of land to the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns forever against the lawful claims and demands of all persons, provided that the said Joseph Doolittle is to retain the use & possession of said premises free of rent from this date until the first day of October next. In witness whereof the said parties of the first part have hereunto set their hands and seals on the day and year first above written.

signed sealed and delivered in presence of ) Joseph Doolittle (Seal)  
Susan Doolittle (Seal)

Crawford County, Illinois Records  
Deed Record Book J - page 524  
Grantor: Joseph Doolittle - Grantee: Catlin Preston

State of Illinois }  
Crawford County } ss I, John Shaw a Justice of the peace in and for said County do hereby certify that the above named Joseph Doolittle and Susan Doolittle his wife who are personally known to me to be the person whose names are subscribed to the foregoing deed as having executed the same) this day in their proper persons come before me and acknowledged that they signed sealed and delivered the said deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned; and the said Susan Doolittle wife of the Joseph Doolittle having been made fully acquainted with the contents of said deed and by me examined separate and apart from her said husband declared that she signed and acknowledged said deed and relinquished her dower in and to the lands thereby conveyed freely voluntarily and without compulsion of her said husband.

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and seal this ninth day of February A.D. 1857

John Shaw J P (Seal)

James Marshall, Ass't Marshal

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119	489	854-854	Joseph DOOLITTLE	33	m		Farmer	(nl) 400		(Ohio)				23rd June	
			Susan "	28	f					"					
			William "	11	m					Ill		1			
			Lavina "	9	f					"		1			
			Rosetta "	3	f					"					
			Transcribed, 3-14-84												
			S.S.B.												

PARC #593-214

Austin W. Gordon, Ass't Marshal

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3/26	20	19	DOOLITTLE, Joseph	40	M	W	Farmer	(nr) 100		ILLINOIS							1	30th June
			Susan	36	F	W	Keeping house			Ohio								
			William	20	M	W	Farm laborer			Illinois								
			Lavina	18	F	W	At home			Illinois								
			Rosa	12	F	W				Illinois					1			
			Alva	9	M	W				Illinois					1			
			Eddie	3	M	W				Illinois								
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22	160	156	DOOLITTLE, Wilson	49	M	W	Farmer	300	800	P.O. ANNAPOLIS, ILLINOIS							1	20th July
			Amelia	41	F	W	Keeping house			Ohio								
			Alvira	16	F	W	At Home			Illinois								
			James	13	M	W				Illinois					1			
			Ida	11	F	W				Illinois					1			
			Nettie	5	F	W				Illinois								
			George	1	M	W				Illinois								
			Transcribed, 7-25-86 e.s.b.															
			(nr) = not recorded															