

INFORMATION & DATA ON THE FAMILY OF:

BENJAMIN & REBECCA (HALDERMAN) COFFMAN
1842-1919 1845-1942

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.

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Edward E. Bartlett, Compiler

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FAMILY INFORMATION CHART NO. _____

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| Husband's full name <u>Benjamin F. COFFMAN</u> born on <u>4 Nov. 1842</u> at <u>Fairfield County, Ohio</u> married <u>30 Dec. 1869</u> at <u>Fairfield County, Ohio</u> died on <u>22 Oct. 1919</u> at <u>Fairfield County, Ohio</u> | Authority/Source of Data: DESCENDANTS OF THEODORE & RHODA (PRATHER) WILLIAMSON PIONEERS IN FAIRFIELD COUNTY, OHIO by Sibyl M. Nissen. 1968 |
| Interred at <u>Carroll, Ohio, Cemetery</u> Groom's <u> </u> marriage Nursery Owner <u> </u> "Civil War" Service & Manager <u>Methodist</u> Co. A, 1 st Ohio Vol Inf Occupation <u> </u> Religion <u> </u> Military Service <u>Samuel COFFMAN</u> <u>Jane ALLEN</u> His father <u> </u> Mother's maiden name <u> </u> | Records, Census & Other: |
| Wife's maiden name <u>Rebecca HALDERMAN</u> born on <u>29 Dec. 1845</u> at <u>Fairfield County, Ohio</u> died on <u> </u> <u>Feb. 1942</u> at <u>Fairfield County, Ohio</u> Interred at <u>Carroll, Ohio, Cemetery</u> Bride's <u> </u> marriage <u>George W^m HALDERMAN</u> <u>Eliza WILLIAMSON</u> Her father <u>1789-1868</u> Mother's maiden name <u>1806-1846</u> | |
| Abodes & removals: | |

| Sex | Their Children: | Additional Information: |
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| | (1) Name <u>Arthur A. COFFMAN</u> born on <u>25 Oct. 1870</u> at <u>Fairfield County, Ohio</u> died on <u> </u> at <u> </u> married <u> </u> at <u> </u> to: <u> </u> | |
| | (2) Name <u>Ralph Waldo COFFMAN</u> born on <u> </u> <u>1875</u> at <u>Fairfield County, Ohio</u> died on <u> </u> at <u> </u> married <u> </u> at <u> </u> to: <u> </u> | |
| | (3) Name <u>Zaidee Blanche COFFMAN</u> born on <u> </u> <u>1881</u> at <u>Fairfield County, Ohio</u> died on <u>31 May 1958</u> at <u>Fairfield County, Ohio</u> married <u> </u> at <u> </u> to: <u>Harry Holmes BRANDT</u> <u>1881 - 1950</u> | Children: None. |

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(4) Name Infant Son, Twin to Zaidee B.
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SCHEDULE 1. — Inhabitants in Bloom Township, in the County of Fairfield, State of Ohio, enumerated by me on the 29th day of August, 1870

Post Office: Lancaster Wm W. McCleery, Ass't Marshal

| (Line Number) | Dwelling house Number. | Family Number. | The name of every person whose place of abode on the first day of June 1870, was in this family. | Age, last birthday. | Sex. | Color. | Profession, occupation, or Trade of each person, male or female. | Value of Real Estate owned. | Value of Personal Estate. | Place of birth. | Father was foreign born. | Mother was foreign born. | Month if born w/in census yr. | No. if married w/in census yr. | Attended school within the year. | Cannot read. | Whether deaf and dumb, blind, insane or idiotic. | Male citizen 21 yrs. & up w/ right to vote | Male 21 & up w/ right to vote denied/abridged |
|---------------|------------------------|----------------|--|---------------------|------|--------|--|-----------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------|--|--|---|
| 29 | 377 | 386 | COFFMAN, Benjamin | 27 | M | W | Nursery man | — | 1750 | Ohio | | | | | | | | / | |
| 30 | | | — Rebecca 1. | 24 | F | W | Keeping house | | | Ohio | | | | | | | | | |
| 31 | | | — George B. | 6 | M | W | Attending School | | | Ohio | | | | | / | | | | |
| | | | 1. Rebecca HALDERMAN, born 29 Dec. 1845 in Fairfield County. daughter of George Wm & Eliza (WILLIAMSON) HALDERMAN. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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DESCENDANTS OF NICHOLAS HALDEMAN

of

Lower Salford Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.
(His probable arrival from the Emmenthal district of
Canton Bern, Switzerland, was about the year 1719 or 1720)

A-1 (1) NICHOLAS HALDERMAN, SR. 1.

b. probably before 1686, Canton Bern, Switzerland.

d. 1762, Coventry Twp., Chester Co., Pennsylvania.

m. Mary

1. John (Hans) Haldeman,
2. Chrisitan Haldeman, b. before 1715, Germany or Switzerland.
3. Nicholas Haldeman, Jr., b. 1718, Germany or Switzerland.
4. Christopher Haldeman, b. before 1727, Pennsylvania.
5. Barbara Haldeman, b. Pennsylvania.
6. Mary Haldeman, b. Pennsylvania.
7. Maley (Magdalena) Haldeman, b. Pennsylvania.

B-4 (5) CHRISTOPHER HALDEMAN (HALDERMAN)

b. before 1727, Pennsylvania.

d. 1803, Coventry Twp., Chester Co., Pennsylvania.

i. Coventry Mennonite church yard.

m. possibly Mary Eva Lauer, about 1750.

1. Magdalena Halderman, b. 1751.
2. Mary Halderman,
3. Barbara Halderman,
4. Jacob Halderman, b. 1757.
5. Catherine Halderman, b. 1758...
6. Christopher Halderman, b. 1759.
7. Elizabeth Halderman,
8. Christian Halderman, b. 1767.
9. Daniel Halderman,
10. Samuel Halderman, b. 15 Nov. 1774.

C-9(28) DANIEL HALDERMAN

b.

d. 1833, Fairfield Co., Ohio.

m. Christianna Margaret Ellis,

1. Rebecca Halderman, b. ca. 1794, Pennsylvania.
2. George William Halderman, b. 31 Mch. 1799, Pennsylvania.
3. Elizabeth Halderman, , Pennsylvania.
4. David Halderman, , Pennsylvania.
5. Daniel Halderman, Jr., Pennsylvania.
6. Mary Halderman, , Pennsylvania.

D-2 GEORGE WILLIAM HALDERMAN

b. 31 Mch. 1799, Pennsylvania.

d. , Fairfield Co., Ohio.

m. Eliza Williamson, 13 Apr. 1826, Fairfield Co., Ohio.

1. Levi Halderman, b. 18 Feb. 1826, Fairfield Co., Ohio.
2. Virginia Halderman, b. ca. 1831, Fairfield Co., Ohio.
3. Maria Halderman, b. 21 June 1834, Fairfield Co., Ohio.
4. Elizabeth Halderman, b. ca. 1836, Fairfield Co., Ohio.
5. Sarah Halderman, b. 5 Jan. 1837, Fairfield Co., Ohio.
6. Rhoda Halderman, b. ca. 1840, Fairfield Co., Ohio.
7. Anna Halderman, b. ca. 1842, Fairfield Co., Ohio.
8. Rebecca Halderman, b. 29 Dec. 1845, Fairfield Co., Ohio.

E-1 LEVI HALDERMAN

- B. 18 Feb. 1826, Fairfield Co., Ohio.
- d. 2 July 1907, Phillips Co., Kansas.
- m. Marthaetta Littlefield, 25 Nov. 1849, Fairfield Co., Ohio.
 - 1. William Ray Halderman, b. 21 June 1853, d. 6 Aug. 1855.
 - 2. Fides Amelia Halderman, b. 6 Oct. 1854, Fairfield Co., Ohio.
 - 3. Charles M. Halderman, b. 8 Mch. 1857, Fairfield Co., Ohio.
 - 4. Alda Belvia Halderman, b. 13 June 1859, Fairfield Co., Ohio.
 - 5. Arges Halderman, b. 21 Aug. 1861, d. 6 Mch. 1862.
 - 6. Frank M. Halderman, b. 13 Apr. 1862, Fairfield Co., Ohio.
 - 7. George W. Halderman, b. 6 Mch. 1865, Fairfield Co., Ohio.
 - 8. Augustus E. Halderman, b. 17 Oct. 1868, Iowa.
 - 9. Dayton Barrett Halderman, b. 21 Aug. 1871, Linn Co., Iowa.

F-6 FRANK McCLELLEN HALDERMAN

- b. 13 Apr. 1862, Fairfield Co., Ohio.
- d. 20 Apr. 1936, Phillips Co., Kansas.
- m. Iowa Henrietta Chapman, 19 May 1887, Phillips Co., Kansas.
 - 1. Ernest Levi Halderman, b. 8 Apr. 1890, Phillips Co., Kansas
 - 2. Vernie Hattie Halderman, b. 17 Jan. 1892, Phillips Co., Kans.
 - 3. Ray Franklin Halderman, b. 21 Jan. 1896, Phillips Co., Kansas.
 - 4. Milton Robert Halderman, b. 6 Nov. 1900, Phillips Co., Kansas.

G-2 VERNIE HATTIE HALDERMAN

- b. 17 Jan. 1892, Phillips Co., Kansas.
- d. 9 Dec. 1985, Norton, Norton Co., Kansas.
- m. Frank Henry Ward, 1 June 1915, Alma, Nebraska.
 - 1. Ethel Mae Ward, b. 2 Mch. 1916, Long Island, Kansas.
 - 2. Edward Earl Ward, b. 9 Mch. 1918, Falls City, Nebraska.
 - 3. William Perry Ward, b. 8 Mch. 1920, Alma Nebraska.
 - 4. Velma Fern Ward, b. 14 Mch. 1922, Emporia, Kansas.
 - 5. Margaret Viola Ward, b. 5 Apr. 1924, Long Island, Kansas.

Prepared by Edward E. (Ward) Bartlett,
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1. All information from Nicholas Haldeman, Sr. to Daniel Halderman, but not including his children, are taken from A SURVEY OF IMMIGRANTS OF THE HALDEMAN FAMILY by The Rev. Carl T. Smith, in THE PENNSYLVANIA GENEALOGICAL MAGAZINE, Vol. XXI, 1958.

Nicholas moved from Salford Township to Coventry Township, Chester County, Pennsylvania, in 1742. (page 60 & 62, footnote 26) He traveled to Philadelphia in April of 1743 to be naturalized.

Note: Most all estimated birth years are figured from census records.

Barter by George Haldeman, January 2nd 1812

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15) 24 yards of cloth be given for 50 lb of tobacco at 12s per Cwt what is the cloth rated at per yard Ans 8s 3d 3/4

$$\begin{array}{r} 10 \text{ @ } 5 \text{ @ } 11 \text{ @ } 8 \\ 4 \text{ @ } 2 \text{ @ } 11 \text{ @ } 0 \\ 4 \text{ @ } 1 \text{ @ } 0 \\ \hline 9 \text{ @ } 6 \text{ @ } 11 \text{ @ } 6 \\ \hline 9 \text{ @ } 19 \text{ @ } 6 \\ \hline 24 \quad | \quad 2394 \quad | \quad (12) 99 \\ \hline \quad \quad 216 \\ \hline \quad \quad 234 \\ \quad \quad 216 \\ \hline \quad \quad 184 \\ \hline 24 \quad | \quad 72 \quad | \quad 3 \end{array}$$

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16) A barter 40 yards of cloth at 11s per yard with B. for 28 lb of tea at 11s 6c per lb which must pay balance and how much was Ans A 11 1/2 50

$$\begin{array}{r} 6 \text{ @ } 8 \text{ @ } 40 \text{ @ } 7 \text{ @ } 4 \\ 8 \text{ @ } 10 \text{ @ } 13 \text{ @ } 6 \text{ @ } 8 \\ \hline \quad \quad 116 \text{ @ } 8 \\ \hline 24 \text{ @ } 14 \text{ @ } 13 \text{ @ } 4 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 28 \text{ @ } 11 \text{ @ } 6 \text{ @ } 11 \text{ @ } 6 \\ \hline 11 \text{ @ } 8 \\ \hline 0 \text{ @ } 14 \text{ @ } 5 \text{ @ } 9 \\ \hline B \text{ @ } 16 \text{ @ } 7 \text{ @ } 9 \\ \hline 14 \text{ @ } 13 \text{ @ } 4 \\ \hline A \text{ @ } 7 \text{ @ } 1 \text{ @ } 1 \text{ @ } 5 \end{array}$$

17) Two merchants barter, A receives 20 Cwt of cheese at 21s 6c per Cwt. B 8 pieces of linen at 36 1/4s per piece which of them must receive money, and how much, Ans A 8 1/2 25

$$\begin{array}{r} 20 \text{ @ } 21 \text{ @ } 6 \text{ @ } 25 \\ \hline 6 \text{ @ } 36 \text{ @ } 1/4 \text{ @ } 8 \\ \hline 25 \text{ @ } 2 \text{ @ } 1 \text{ @ } 1 \text{ @ } 0 \text{ @ } 5 \end{array}$$

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A page from an old ledger type book once owned by George W. Holderman
and later on used by Alda Halderman Leach for a scrapbook.

Copy courtesy Alda's daughter, Muriel Leach Hart
16 Nov. 1981.

[The image shows a highly degraded and noisy scan of a handwritten document. The text is extremely faint and difficult to decipher due to the high level of contrast and noise. Legible fragments include:]

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George
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A page from an old ledger type book once owned by George W. Holderman
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