

INFORMATION & DATA ON THE FAMILY OF:

FREDRICK STANLEY & EUNICE (ARCHER) WARD  
1870-1947                      1872-1942

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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.

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WARD  
Surname  
FAMILY INFORMATION CHART NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Husband's full name <u>Fredrick Stanley WARD</u> born on <u>20 Apr. 1870</u> at <u>Washington County, Iowa</u> married <u>14 June 1896</u> at <u>Kanona, Decatur County, Kansas</u> died on <u>27 July 1947</u> at <u>Wichita, Sedgwick Co., Kansas</u> Interred at <u>Wichita Park Cemetery</u> Groom's <u>1<sup>st</sup></u> marriage Occupation <u>Carpenter</u> Religion <u>R.L.D.S.*</u> Military Service _____ His father <u>Elias Perry WARD</u> 1843-1917 Mother's maiden name <u>Alta Ocena BRANDON</u> 1848-1936	Authority/Source of Data: Tartus M. Ward family bible; Mrs. Clarence (Mary) Ward; Ira A. & Perry Otis Ward & Tavish C. MacGregor. Records, Census & Other: *R.L.D.S. = The reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, of which Fred, Eunice, Ira A. & Flossie M. were members. Church Records are found in Independence, Missouri.
Wife's maiden name _____ born on <u>16 Dec. 1872</u> at <u>Geneva, Fillmore Co., Nebraska</u> died on <u>25 Feb. 1942</u> at <u>Wichita, Kansas</u> Interred at <u>Wichita Park Cemetery</u> Bride's <u>1<sup>st</sup></u> marriage Her father <u>George ARCHER</u> Mother's maiden name <u>Elizabeth RAKESTRAW</u>	

Abodes & removals:

Sex	Their Children:	Additional Information:
	(1) Name <u>Ira Albert WARD</u> born on <u>23 Oct. 1897</u> at <u>Kanona, Decatur Co., Kansas</u> died on <u>10 Mar. 1990</u> at <u>Wichita, Kansas</u> married _____ at _____ to: <u>#1. Grace Caroline HULSE, 23 Nov. 1917</u> <u>#2. Mrs. Alice I. HAMILTON Peedoom</u>	Children: 1. Wilmer Vaun WARD b. 12 Oct. 1918 2. Burton Dwight WARD b. 12 Apr. 1921 3. Carol May WARD b. 20 May 1928 All were born in Wichita, Kansas.
	(2) Name <u>Flossie May WARD</u> born on <u>23 July 1899</u> at <u>Oberlin, Decatur Co., Kansas</u> died on <u>Aug. 1982</u> at <u>Wichita, Kansas</u> married _____ at _____ to: _____	Marriages: #1. Clarence SHOMBER m. #2. Roy FISSEL m. 18 Oct. 1918 w. Tulsa, Oklahoma #3. Ralph W. MCCLENDON m. 12 July 1930 w. Wichita, Kansas
	(3) Name <u>Edith Pearl WARD</u> born on <u>14 Apr. 1901</u> at <u>Norcatour, Decatur Co., Kansas</u> died on <u>29 Dec. 1971</u> at <u>Lynwood, California</u> married _____ at _____ to: <u>#1. James K. WALKER, 18 July 1917, Wichita, KS</u> <u>#2. Abraham O'LAUGHLIN</u>	Child: 1. Jessie Lorene WALKER b. 1920 w. Cleburne, Texas d. Sep. 1972 m. to _____ Leary Edie is buried at the Rose Hill Memorial Park.

1880 CENSUS — UNITED STATES

Monegaw Tp, in the County of St Clair, State of Missouri  
 enumerated by me on the 24th day of June, 1880

Chas W. Nesbit Enumerator

Name of Street	House Number	Dwelling Number	Family Number	Names	Color	Sex	Age prior to June 1st	Month of birth if born in census yr.	Relationship to head of house	Single	Married	Widowed, Divorced, /	Married in census yr.	Profession, Occupation or Trade	No. of months unemployed	Health Inform- nation Item No.	Attended School	Cannot read	Cannot write	Place of birth	Place of birth of father	Place of birth of mother
	107		111	WARD, Perry	W	M	36				/			Farmer						Ohio	Ohio	NY
				Alta	W	F	32		Wife	/				Keeping House						Illinois	Ky	Mo
				Laura	W	F	12		Daughter						/					Iowa	Ohio	Ills
				Fredie S.	W	M	10		Son						/					Iowa	Ohio	Ills
				Earnest H.	W	M	3		Son											Missouri	Ohio	Ills
				Charles C.	W	M	12		Son											Missouri	Ohio	Ills

Health Information Item Numbers: 15 - Sick or temporarily disabled; 16 - Blind; 17 - Deaf & dumb; 18 - Idiotic; 19 - Insane; 20 - Maimed or crippled

**Marriage License**

State of Kansas, Decatur County, ss. No 37

James S A. D. 1894. To any Person Authorized by Law to Perform the Marriage Ceremony, Greeting:

You are hereby Authorized to Join in Marriage: Fred S Ward  
of Kanona Mo aged 24 years, and Carrie Archer  
of " " aged 24 years, and of this License you will make due return to my office within  
thirty days. [L.S.] John Heyward Probate Judge.

**CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE**  
State of Kansas, Decatur County, ss.

I the Undersigned, a James Slinson in " " in said County, do hereby certify,  
that in accordance with the authorization of the within License, I did, on the 14 day of June A. D. 1894  
at my office in said County, join and unite in Marriage the within named Fred S Ward  
and Carrie Archer  
witness my hand, the day and year above written.

State of Kansas, Decatur County, ss.  
I hereby certify the above to be a correct copy of the original Marriage License by me issued on the day first above written, together with a copy of the return indorsed  
or such license by the person performing the marriage ceremony.  
James Slinson Official Title: Probate Judge of said County,  
John Heyward Probate Judge.

Court House in Decatur K.A. 478

RESEARCH RECORD

Name or Subject: <u>Fred Stanley WARD</u>	Location, State, County, Etc <u>Kansas</u>
Time Period: <u>Census year 1900</u>	Researcher: <u>Edward E. Bartlett</u>

Result or Product	
Date: Jan. 09, 1991	
Record or Source: 1900 Soundex for the State of Kansas. Code W-630 T-1046 Roll No.145	Did not find him listed therein.
Call No.	
Date: Jan. 09, 1991	
Record or Source: 1900 Soundex for the State of Oklahoma. Code W-630 T-1066 Roll No. 43	Did not find him listed therein.
Call No.	
Date: Jan. 09, 1991	
Record or Source: 1900 Soundex for the State of Nebraska. Code W-630 T-1057 Roll No.105	Did not find him listed therein.
Call No.	
Date: Jan. 09, 1991	
Record or Source: 1900 Soundex for the State of Colorado. Code W-630 T-1035 Roll No. 67	Did not find him listed therein.
Call No.	

Ward family relations with the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints as found in the church records at the World Headquarters located in Independence, Missouri. A careful search reveals that there were no other members of Elias P. and Alta O. Ward's family associated with this church.

Ward, Alta C. G 36  
 born 19 Nov. 1848, Detroit, Pike County, Ill.  
 bap. 11 Nov. 1894 at Oronoque, Norton County, Kansas  
 by G. W. Shute conf. by G. W. Shute

Ward, Elias P. G 36  
 born 25 Sept. 1843, Newark, Licking County, Ohio  
 bap. 28 Apr. 1895 at Oronoque, Norton County, Kansas  
 by G. W. Shute conf. by G. W. Shute  
 33nl Norcatour, Kans. Death assumed because of age  
 Nov. 1930

Ward, Fredrick Stanley 1.  
 born 20 Apr. 1870, Riverside, Washington County, Iowa  
 bap. 16 Apr. 1895 at Oronoque, Norton County, Kansas  
 by G. W. Shute conf. by G. W. Shute  
 ord. Priest 16 Feb. 1898 at Lamoni, Iowa by Alma Kent  
 ord. Elder 5 Dec. 1903 by S. J. Madden  
 License surrendered 29 Aug. 1936 at Wichita, Kansas:  
 (Rep. Sept. 1936) 33nl 38r2 42t5 78w7 Wichita, Kans.  
 died in 1948, reported 1950

Ward, Eunice G 36, H251  
 born 16 Dec. 1872, Geneva, Nebr.  
 bap. 12 Sept. 1897 at Kanona, Decatur County, Kansas  
 by Edw. Rowley conf. by L. F. Johnson  
 died 25 Feb. 1942  
 33nl, 38r2, 42t5, 78w7 Wichita, Kansas

Ward, Ira A. (Twin Creek Branch Records)  
 born 23 Oct. 1897, Kanona, Decatur County, Kansas  
 bap. 25 Aug. 1912 at Alexander, Rush County, Kansas  
 by John A. Teeter conf. by W. E. Peak & John A. Teeter

Ward, Charles Clinton  
 born 27 July 1879, St. Clair County, Mo.  
 bap. 24 June 1956 at Ocoola, St. Clair County, Missouri  
 by Peter Harder conf. by LeRoy Beckhan & Lawrence Beckhan  
 married 6 Aug. 1932 at Franklin, Nebr. to Betty E. Sumner

1. Fred S. Ward family transfer records:

Book	From	To	Date
38r2	Norcatour, Kansas	Rural Dale Branch, NW Dist.	31 May 1902
42t5	Rural Dale (Kans.)	Twin Creek Branch (Kans.)*	30 Aug. 1912
78w7	Twin Creek	Wichita, Kansas	3 Feb. 1918

\* A branch of this church was organized here 26 October 1884 by I. N. Roberts.

Edw. Bartlett, 10/24/80

1916  
Ordered Revised

From the Archives of The Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints  
TWIN CREEK BRANCH of the NORTHWEST KANSAS DISTRICT (#198)

No.	Name	Birth Date	Town	County	State	Date	Town	County	State	Baptism	By Whom	Confirmed By Whom
122	Shomber (1) -Ward, Flossie May	July 23, 1899	Oberlin	-	Kans.	July 21, 1912	Osborne	Osborne	Kans.	Matthew Scott	Matthew Scott	H. J. Jemison F. S. Ward Married
129	Ward, Eunice	Dec. 16, 1872	Geneva	-	Nebr.	Sept. 12, 1897	Kanona	-	Kans.	Edward Rowley	Edward Rowley	L. F. Johnson
130	Ward, Fred S.	Apr. 20, 1870	Riverside	-	Iowa	Apr. 14, 1895	Orenoque	-	Kans.	Geo. W. Shute	Geo. W. Shute (Elder)	Geo. W. Shute (Elder)
131	Ward, Ira A.	Oct. 23, 1897	Kanona	-	Kans.	Aug. 25, 1912	Alexander	Rush	Kans.	Jno. A. Teeter	Jno. A. Teeter	W. E. Peak Jno. A. Teeter

(Gains, page 12)

129 Ward, Eunice . . . . . Ordination . . . . . by letter, Northwest Kansas District Aug. 30, 1912

130 Ward, Fred S. . . . . Ordination . . . . . by letter, Northwest Kansas District Aug. 30, 1912

Baptism and Confirmation Services that Fred S. Ward participated in.

#	No.	Name	Date	Town	County	State	By Whom	Confirmed By Whom
#202 (1).	page 59							
45	Hopkins, John Wm.	Jan. 12, 1902	Gaylord	Smith	Kans.	Fred S. Ward (Priest)	Elder L. F. Johnson	
#198	66	Sellers, Walter W.	June 15, 1902	Osborne	Osborne	Kans.	Fred S. Ward	
67	Marshall, Wm. D.	Dec. 4, 1903	Downs	Osborne	Kans.	Fred S. Ward		
72	Crouse, Ella M.	Jan. 20, 1904	Portis	Osborne	Kans.	S. A. Madden	F. S. Ward (Elder)	
#912	Record of Hill City Boyd, Carrie M.	Apr. 3, 1904	Hill City	-	Kans.	John A. Teeter	Fred S. Ward	
#198	121	White, Dora	June 30, 1912	Osborne	Osborne	Kans.	Matthew Scott	F. S. Ward F. C. Taylor
Shomber	122	-Ward, Flossie May	July 21, 1912	Osborne	Osborne	Kans.	Matthew Scott	H. J. Jemison
125	Scott, Pearl (Colored)	July 7, 1912	Osborne	Osborne	Kans.	H. J. Jemison	F. S. Ward H. J. Jemison	
126	Walker, Ray Ira	July 7, 1912	Osborne	Osborne	Kans.	H. J. Jemison	H. J. Jemison F. S. Ward	

(1) Flossie Ward's married name is not distinct on any of the records. The most readable is in File 817 and appears as No. 72 Shornber, Flossie M. but her brother, Ira A. Ward, has told me that she married an ex-marine by the name of Clarence Shomber in about 1920.

Transcribed by Edward Bartlett, August 17, 1982

BRANCH RECORDS  
 Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, World Headquarters in the  
 Auditorium, Independence, Missouri

#202 (1) NORTHWEST KANSAS  
 DISTRICT  
 1888-1905

Branch name	Page	INDEX
Blue Rapids	1 to 17	Removed to Northeast District April 1902
Twin Creek	18 to 26	Reorganized page 63 Disorganized August 20, 1898
Rural Dale	85 to 95	Organized October 10, 1896
Norcatatur	80 to 83	Disorganized March 15, 1902
	(see page 17 for another index)	
1. Twin Creek	68	
2. Goodland	35	
3. Homestead	57-60	
4. Scandia	75	
5. Rural Dale (1)	85	
Scattered members	109	

#202 (2) NORTHWEST KANSAS  
 DISTRICT  
 1888-1916

Branch name	Page	INDEX	Town
1. Twin Creek (2)	3		Osborne, Kansas
2. Goodland	Now disorganized		
3. Hill City			Hill City, Kansas
4. Scandia	27		Scandia, Kansas
5. Rural Dale	36		Gaylord, Kansas
6. Mount Olive	44		Greeley, Colorado
7. Homestead (3)	49		Alexander, Kansas

#198 TWIN CREEK BRANCH  
 Osborne, Osborne County,  
 Kansas N.W. Kansas Dist.  
 Records 1888-1919  
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- (1) Rural Dale Branch was located in Smith County, Kansas, with an address of Gaylord, Kansas. Fred S. & Eunice Ward transferred to here, 31 May 1902, from the Norcatatur Branch of Decatur County, Kansas. (38r2)
- (2) Twin Creek Branch was organized in 1884 by I. N. Roberts. Located in Osborne County with an address of Osborne, Kansas, Fred S. & Eunice Ward transferred to here, 30 August 1912, from the Rural Dale Branch of Gaylord, Kansas. (42t5) Twin Creek empties into the South Fork of the Solomon River. At one time there was a town by the name of Twin Creek in the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 5, T9S, R12W located along the south side of Twin Creek. A school house was directly south in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 8, T9S, R12W.
- (3) Homestead Branch was located in Alexander, Rush County, Kansas. Although Ira A. Ward was baptised here in August of 1912 there does not seem to be any record of Fred S. Ward and family being members of that branch.



Downs, Kansas, located in Osborne County, was platted in August, 1879 and occupies part of the E $\frac{1}{2}$ , Sec. 28 and W $\frac{1}{2}$ , Sec. 27, Town 6S, Range 11W.

Gaylord, Kansas, located in Smith County, is along the North Fork of the Solomon River, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 1, Town 5S, Range 14W.

Portis, Kansas, was platted in May, 1879 as Bethany and included a part of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 5 and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 6, Town 6S, Range 12W. The Central Branch railroad had made this one of its stations and when the Missouri Pacific took it over they had two stations named Bethany, one being in Missouri, so the name was changed to Portis in honor of the Vice President of the Missouri Pacific.



## Obituary

### FRED STANLEY WARD

Fred Stanley Ward, 77, retired street car conductor and a resident of Wichita for the past 30 years, died Sunday in a local hospital after a short illness. He resided at 1515 North Santa Fe.

Mr. Ward was born in Story county, Ia., April 20, 1870, and resided on a farm in Rollins county, Kansas, before coming to Wichita.

Surviving are three sons, Perry, 1328 West Twenty-ninth; Ira, 522 Boston Court; and Al, Los Angeles; two daughters, Mrs. Florence McClendon, Little Rock, Ark., and Mrs. Edith O'Laughlin, Los Angeles; nine grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held in the Cochran mortuary at 9:30 a. m. Tuesday with Rev. Harold Bond officiating. Burial will be in Wichita Park cemetery.

## DEATH CLAIMS

### FRED S. WARD

Fred Stanley Ward, 77, of 1515 North Santa Fe, resident of Wichita for 30 years, died Sunday morning at a local hospital. He was a street car conductor here for 14 years, retiring with the coming of the bus system.

Born April 20, 1870, in Storey County, Iowa, Ward came to Wichita from Rawlins County, Kansas.

Surviving are three sons; Perry of 1328 West Twenty-ninth, Ira of 522 Boston Court, and Al of Los Angeles, Calif.; two daughters, Mrs. Florence McClendon, Little Rock, Ark., and Mrs. Edith O'Laughlin, Los Angeles; nine grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday morning with the Rev. Harold Bond of Westminster Presbyterian Church officiating. Interment will be in Wichita Park Cemetery. Cochran Mortuary is in charge.



WARD  
Surname  
FAMILY INFORMATION CHART NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Husband's full name Ira Albert WARD  
 born on 23 Oct. 1897 at Kanona, Decatur County, Kansas  
 married 23 Nov. 1917 at Wichita, Sedgwick Co., Kansas  
 died on 10 Mar. 1990 at Wichita, Kansas <sup>1.</sup>  
 Interred at \_\_\_\_\_ Groom's 1<sup>st</sup> marriage

Authority/Source of Data:  
 Ira A. Ward  
 Mrs. Wilmer V. Ward

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Religion \_\_\_\_\_ Military Service \_\_\_\_\_  
Fredrick Stanley WARD Eunice ARCHER  
 His father 1870-1947 Mother's maiden name 1872-1942

Records, Census & Other:

1. Ira was staying at the Masonic home when he died.

Wife's maiden name Grace Caroline HULSE  
 born on 13 Aug. 1899 at Logan County, Oklahoma  
 died on 3 Mar. 1974 at Wellington, Sumner Co., Kansas  
 Interred at \_\_\_\_\_ Bride's \_\_\_\_\_ marriage  
Ira Samuel HULSE Jennie Joy WRIGHT  
 Her father \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's maiden name \_\_\_\_\_

Ira S. Hulse was born in Illinois. Jennie Wright, a half Cherokee, was born in North Carolina.

Abodes & removals:

Sex	Their Children:	Additional Information:
	(1) Name <u>Wilmer Vaun WARD</u> born on <u>12 Oct. 1918</u> at <u>Wichita, Kansas</u> died on _____ at _____ married <u>7 Aug. 1937</u> at <u>Wellington, Kansas</u> to: <u>Barbara Jane RITTENOURE</u> <u>b. 26 Mar. 1918, Liberal, Kansas</u>	Children: 1. Sue Ann WARD b. 5 Feb. 1943 2. Barbara Jane WARD, Jr. b. 15 June 1950 Both born in Wichita, KS
	(2) Name <u>Burton Dwight WARD</u> born on <u>12 Apr. 1921</u> at <u>Wichita, Kansas</u> died on _____ at _____ married _____ at _____ to: <u>Doris BEEBE</u> - 5 May 1990	Children: 1. Michael Lee WARD b. 6 Jan. 1943 2. Gayle WARD b. 3. Danny WARD, the twin to 4. Dana WARD b.
	(3) Name <u>Carol May WARD</u> born on <u>20 May 1928</u> at <u>Wichita, Kansas</u> died on <u>28 June 1988</u> at <u>Oklahoma City, Oklahoma</u> married _____ at _____ to: <u>#1. John Henry RULE</u> <u>#2. John HILDERBRAND</u>	Children: 1. John Henry RULE b. 2. James RULE b. 3. Timothy Ward RULE b. Carol divorced Mr. Rule.

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1910 CENSUS — UNITED STATES

FILM ROLL NO. 453 SUPERVISOR'S DIST. NO. 6 SHEET NO. 4 B  
 STATE Kansas (ENUMERATION DIST. NO. 155)  
 COUNTY Rawlins (WARD OF CITY X)  
 TOWNSHIP OR OTHER DIVISION OF COUNTY Celia Township NAME OF INCORPORATED PLACE X DAY OF April 1910 Darwin Higley ENUMERATOR  
 NAME OF INSTITUTION X ENGENERATED BY ME ON THE 28 DAY OF April 1910

LOCAT'N.	NAME	PERSONAL DESCRIPT'N						NATIVITY.			CITIZN	OCCUPATION.				EDUCAT'N				HOME	Blind in both eyes.						
		Relation to head of family.	Sex.	Color or race.	Age last birthday.	Single, married, widowed or divorced.	No. years of present marriage.	No. born.	Mother of how many children.	Place of birth.		Place of birth of father.	Place of birth of mother.	Year of immigration to the U.S.	Naturalized/Allen.	Speaks English or other.	Trade or Profession.	General nature of work.	Employer, employee or works on own.			Out of work Apr. 15.	Weeks out of work '09.	Can read.	Can write.	Attended School.	Home owned/rented.
85	WARD, Fred S	Head	M	W	40	M1	12	5	5	Iowa	Ohio	Illinois		Eng	Farmer	Farm	OA			Yes	Yes		R			78	
	Unice *	Wife	F	W	37	M1	12			Nebraska	Illinois	Indiana		Eng	Keeps own House					Yes	Yes						
	Ira A.	Son	M	W	12	S				Kansas	Iowa	Nebraska		Eng	none					Yes	Yes						
	Flossa M *	Dau	F	W	10	S				Kansas	Iowa	Nebraska		Eng	none					Yes	Yes						
	Edie P	Dau	F	W	9	S				Kansas	Iowa	Nebraska			none					Yes	Yes						
	Alma F	Son	M	W	6	S				Kansas	Iowa	Nebraska			none					Yes	Yes						
	Elsa R *	Dau	F	W	4	S				Kansas	Iowa	Nebraska			none												
	* sic.																										