

INFORMATION & DATA ON THE FAMILY OF:

ANDERSON & MARY JANE (MEREDITH) TANSEY  
1828-1901                      1838-1882

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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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TANSEY

Surname

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

Husband's full name <u>Anderson TANSEY</u>	Authority or Source of Data:
born on <u>14 Nov. 1828</u> at _____, <u>Indiana</u>	
married <u>15 July 1855</u> at _____	
died on <u>28 Feb. 1901</u> at _____	
intered at _____ . Groom's _____ marriage	
Farmer _____	Records, Census & Others:
Occupation _____ Religion _____ Military Service _____	1870, pg. 6 & 1880, pg. 13, Washington Co., Iowa Twp., Iowa; Federal Population Census.
Absalom TANSEY . Catherine	Dates for Anderson & Mary J. were provided by Evelyn Chace Also 1900 Fed. Census, Wash- ington Co., IA, E.D. 114, Sheet 2; E.D. 115, Sheets 2 & 15; E.D. 118, Sheet 6.
His Father _____ Mother's maiden name _____	Anderson Tansey was enumerated w/his son-in-law, Aldis D. Ford & wife Minnie M.(Tansey), at age 72.
Wife's maiden name <u>Mary Jane MEREDITH</u>	
born on <u>5 Apr. 1838</u> at _____, <u>Indiana</u>	
died on <u>29 July 1882</u> at _____	
intered at _____ . Bride's _____ marriage	
Her Father _____ Mother's maiden name _____	

Abodes and removals :

Sex	Their Children	Additional Information:
	(1) Name <u>Albert C. TANSEY</u> born on <u>Oct. 1858</u> at _____, <u>Iowa</u> died on _____ at _____ married _____ at _____ to: <u>Eliza J.</u> <u>June 1865 -</u>	Children: 1. John A. Tansey b. June 1887, Iowa 2. Ray A. Tansey b. Oct. 1891, Iowa 3. Mary E. Tansey b. Oct. 1894, Iowa
	(2) Name <u>Ellen Permelia TANSEY</u> born on <u>12 Sept. 1861</u> at <u>Washington County, Iowa</u> died on <u>5 Mar. 1941</u> at <u>Manhattan, Kansas</u> married <u>21 Mar. 1877</u> at <u>Washington County, Iowa</u> to: <u>Josiah Wilson WARD</u> <u>1848 - 1938</u>	Children: They had ten.
	(3) Name <u>Laura J. TANSEY</u> born on <u>June 1864</u> at <u>Washington County, Iowa</u> died on _____ at _____ married _____ at _____ to: <u>William MCBRIDE</u> <u>Sept. 1859 -</u>	Children: 1. Edith Tansey b. Apr. 1890, Iowa 2. Howard Tansey b. Nov. 1891, Iowa 3. Opal Tansey b. Oct. 1894, Iowa 4. Leona Tansey b. Dec. 1895, Iowa

List other children on the reverse side.

Form B-0285

OVER, Please

Sex

( ) Name Katherine Mae (Katie) TANSEY  
 born on Jan. 1871 at Washington County, Iowa  
 died on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_  
 married \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_  
 to: Henry Floyd STEELE  
July 1877 -

Children:

1. Lola Steele  
b.
2. Neva Steele  
b.

( ) Name Minnie M. TANSEY  
 born on Apr. 1873 at Washington County, Iowa  
 died on 1904 at \_\_\_\_\_  
 married \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_  
 to: Aldis D. FORD  
Apr. 1871 - 1953

Children:

1. Don Aldo Ford  
b. 26 Aug. 1896, Iowa  
d. 11 June 1964

Grave stones for Aldis, Minnie and Don Aldo are found in the Riverside, IA, Prot. Cemetery

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

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

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

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

Use this side of another of these forms if there are more than nine children.



TANSEY

Surname

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

Husband's full name Absalom TANSEY  
 born on 18 Jan. 1792 at \_\_\_\_\_, South Carolina  
 married \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_  
 died on 7 June 1861 at Iowa Twp., Washington Co., IA  
 interred at Riverside, Iowa, Cemetery. Groom's \_\_\_\_\_ marriage  
Farmer  
 Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Religion \_\_\_\_\_ Military Service \_\_\_\_\_

His Father \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's maiden name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Wife's maiden name Catherine  
 born on Nov. 1800 at \_\_\_\_\_, Virginia<sup>1</sup>  
 died on 23 Feb. 1888 at Iowa Twp., Washington Co., IA  
 interred at Riverside, Iowa, Cemetery. Bride's \_\_\_\_\_ marriage

Her Father \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's maiden name \_\_\_\_\_

Abodes and removals :

Authority or Source of Data:

Records, Census & Others:  
 1850 to 1880 Fed. Census of  
 Iowa Twp., Washington Co., IA

1. 1850, 60 & 70 census has  
 Virginia as Kate's place of  
 birth. Washington Co. Death  
 Register, Book 1, pg. 71 has  
 it So. Carolina which is prob-  
 ably incorrect. Therein her  
 age was 87 yrs., 3 mos. when  
 she died.

Sex

Their Children

Additional Information:

(1) Name Anderson TANSEY  
 born on 14 Nov. 1828 at \_\_\_\_\_, Indiana  
 died on 28 Feb. 1901 at \_\_\_\_\_  
 married 15 July 1855 at \_\_\_\_\_  
 to: Mary Jane MEREDITH  
b. 5 Apr. 1838, d. 29 July 1882

Children:  
 1. Albert C. Tansey  
 2. Ellen Permelia Tansey  
 3. Laura J. Tansey  
 4. Katherine Mae Tansey  
 5. Minnie M. Tansey

(2) Name Stewart R. TANSEY  
 born on ca. 1832 at \_\_\_\_\_, Indiana  
 died on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_  
 married \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_  
 to: \_\_\_\_\_

A Civil War Veteran buried in  
 the Riverside, Iowa, Protest-  
 ant Cemetery - has a Govt.  
 military stone w/o any dates

(3) Name Margaret TANSEY  
 born on ca. 1833 at \_\_\_\_\_, Indiana  
 died on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_  
 married \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_  
 to: \_\_\_\_\_

List other children on the reverse side.

Form B-0285

Mary J. Meredith was born in Hendricks Co., Indiana and had lived in Iowa 29 yrs. at  
 time of her death. Washington Co. Death Register , Book 1, pg. 24 OVER, PLEASE

William Israel, Ass't Marshal

CENSUS - UNITED STATES THE 20 DIVISION  
 1890 ENGLISH RIVER TWP. Roll No. 189

*Joseph Hadlowe married  
 M. Tansey  
 Book F Pg 74 Washington  
 County Iowa.*

State	County	Dwelling Number	Family Number	Names	Occupation, etc.	Value - Real Estate	Birthplace	Married within year	School within year	Cannot read or write	Enumeration Date	Remarks
1115		559 632 632		John B. WEBSTER	(Farmer) do	700	Ohio				27th Sept	
				Mara ann			Virg					
				Eliza			Ohio	1				
				Lidda Ann			do	1				
				Elizabeth			do	1				
				John R.			do					
1123		563 686 687		Abasalem TANSEY	Farmer	(nl)	South C			1	30th Sept	
				Catharne			Virg			1		
				Anderson	do		Ind			1		
				Margarett ✓			do					
				Stewart	do		do					
1124				James			Ind					
				William P.			Iowa					
				Mara			do					
Pages nos. 1115 - 1124; nos. 559 & 563 were printed on the census form. (nl) = none listed												
Transcribed from the film by Edw Bartlett, Jan 9, 1986												



1870 CENSUS — UNITED STATES

SCHEDULE 1. — Inhabitants in Iowa Township, Washington, State

of Iowa, enumerated by me on the 20th day of AUGUST, 1870

Post Office: Lexington, Iowa

Sam'l C. Gardner, Ass't Marshal

Line No.	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	No. if married w/in census yr.	Attended School within the year	Cannot read	Cannot write	Whether deaf and dumb, blind, insane or idiotic	Male citizen 21 yrs. & up	Male citizen 21 yrs. & up w/Right to vote
17	45	45	TANSEY, Anderson	41	M	W	Farmer	1200		Ind										/
18			— Jane	31	F	W	K House			Ind										
19			— Albert C.	12	M	W	School			Ia				/						
20			— Ellen 1.	9	F	W	" "			Ia				/						
21			— Laurie	6	F	W	" "			Ia				/						
22	46	46	TANSEY, W. P.	40	M	W	Farmer	1200		Ind										/
23			— Rachael	35	F	W	K House			Ind										
24			— Minnie	1	F	W	At home			Ia										
25			FLOOD, Jas.	11	M	W	School			Ia										
26	47	47	TANSEY, Kate 2.	70	F	W	Boarding			Va										
19	55	55	WARD, T. M.	56	M	W	Farmer	2400	400	Ohio										/
20			— Alvira	50	F	W	K House			NY										
21			— Joshua 1.	22	M	W	Work farm			Ill										/

1. Josiah W. WARD and Ellen P. TANSEY were married in Washington County, Iowa, 21 March 1877.  
 2. Kate TANSEY, widow of Absalom TANSEY, is boarding the Jas. BOLINE family.



1880 CENSUS — UNITED STATES

Supervisor's Dist. No. 1  
 Enumeration Dist. No. 133

SCHEDULE 1. Inhabitants in Iowa Township, in the County of Washington, State of Iowa  
 enumerated by me on the 3rd day of June, 1880

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	Divorced	Widowed	Married in census yr.	Profession, Occupation or Trade	No. of months unemployed	Health Inform. - National Item No.	Attended School	Cannot read	Cannot write	Place of birth	Place of birth of father	Place of birth of mother	Enumerator
	37	37		WARD, Josiah W.	W	M	32				/				Farmer					Ill	Ohio	NY	Joseph Dudley	
				— Permelia E.	W	F	18		Wife	/					Keeping house					Iowa	In	In		
				— Ellen M.	W	F	2		Daughter											"	Ill	Iowa		
	104	104		TANSEY, Anderson	W	M	52			/					Farmer					Indiana	NC	Vg		
				— Mary J.	W	F	42		Wife	/					Keeping house					Ind	"	NC		
				— Albert C.	W	M	21		Son						Farm laborer					Iowa	Ind	Ind		
				— Laura J.	W	F	15		Daughter											"	"	"		
				— Katherine M.	W	F	9		"						At School			/		"	"	"		
				— Minnie M.	W	F	7		"						"			/		"	"	"		
				1. Permelia Ellen TANSEY. 2. Later known as Alice May.																				

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







1900 CENSUS — UNITED STATES

Film Roll No. 464

State Iowa  
 County Washington  
 Township or other division of County

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 Supervisor's Dist. No. 74 } Sheet No.  
 Enumeration Dist. No. 115 } 2

Iowa Township X  
 Name of incorporated city, town, or village, within the above named division, X  
 day of June, 1900, Charles J. Dautrimont, Enumerator.  
 Ward of City X

LOCATION	NAME	PERSONAL DESCRIPTION										NATIVITY			CITIZEN	OCCUPATION	EDUCATION				HOME									
		Relation to head of family	Color	Sex	Month of birth	Year of birth	Age at birthday	Single, married, widowed, divorced	No. of years married	Mother of how many children	Number of these children living	Place of birth	Place of birth of father	Place of birth of mother			Year of immigration to U.S.	Year of immigration to U.S.	Year of naturalization	Occupation, Trade or Profession of each person ten years of age and over.	No. of months not employed	Attended school (months)	Can read	Can write	Can speak English	Home owned or rented	Home owned or mortgaged	Tree or house	Farm or house	Number of farm schedule
32	FORD, Aldis D.	Head	M	M	Apr	1871	29	M	5	1	Iowa	Iowa	Iowa	Iowa	0	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	R								
	— Minnie M. 1.	Wife	M	F	Apr	1873	27	M	5	1	Iowa	Indiana	Indiana																	
	— Don Aldo	Son	M	M	Aug	1896	3	S			Iowa	Iowa	Iowa																	
	TANSEY, Anderson	Flaw	M	M	Nov	1821	72	M			Indiana	N. Carolina	Virginia																	
	1. Minnie M. TANSEY, daughter of Anderson & Mary Jane (MEREDITH) TANSEY.																													







Kate      Laura      Ellen  
            Tansey