

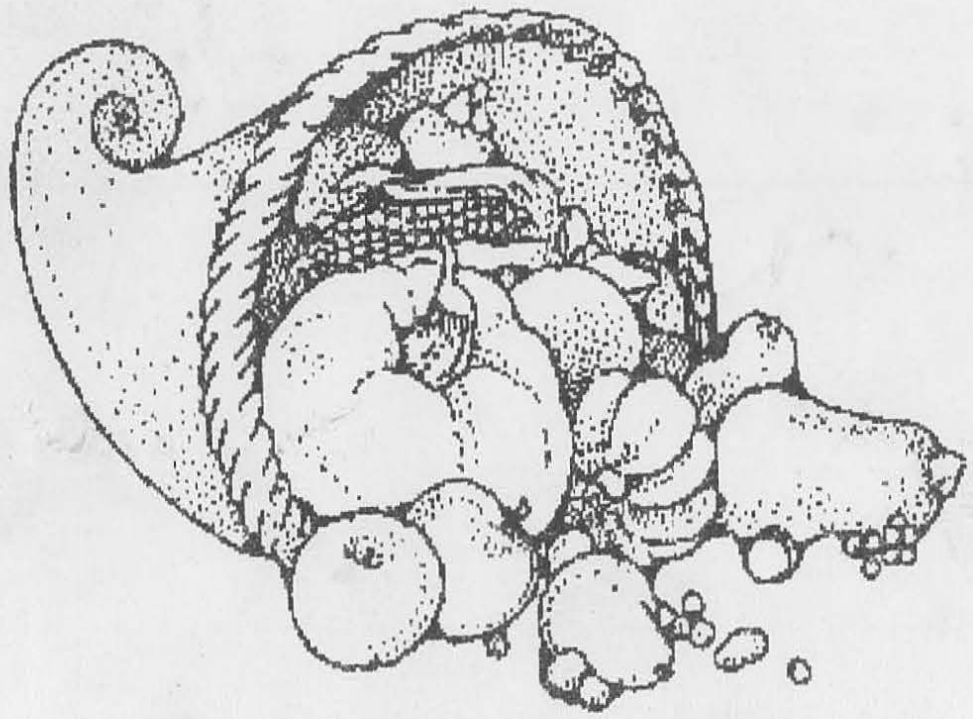
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### EDITOR'S THOUGHTS

Well we have had our reunion in Reno, Nevada, and what a reunion it was! Ron Soule (our president/host)and his wife Nan gave us a fabulous time. (Photos and all other data is in this issue.)

You will notice a photo of our logo (which was voted on at the Board of Directors meeting at Reno), at the bottom of this page. I think it speaks for itself and its about time. (We have had a Soule Newsletter published since 1967).

Please take a few minutes and read the special appeal from Robert Soules. It concerns all of us that are Soule Cousins. Bob has some good ideas that can be used for information gathering. (pg. 175).

I would like to wish all of you a happy Thanksgiving and a Happy Holiday season...

See you all in Plymouth



Dear Cousins,

Our Reunion Reno was, from all reports, another successful gathering of the Kindred. Cousins in attendance came from the East and West coasts, from Canada to Brazil, and from many points in-between. They ranged in age from Faith Hannah Benesch who was a few months old, to a couple of very dear 90 year-young ladies, Opal Manly and Ruth Johnson. It is always very exciting and interesting to meet so many cousins from different areas and walks of life, and to realize that we are all descendants of Pilgrim George Soule and Mary Becket (Bucket).

While strolling the streets of Virginia City, I remarked to Opal that you could still imagine what times were like one-hundred-and-thirty-years ago when Virginia City was in its heyday. Opal thought for a moment, and then said "Yes, and the descendants of George Soule who were here had already been in this county for two-hundred-and-fifty years!" I had to stop and think about that for a moment. And the more you think about it, the more impressive it becomes -- our family has been in America for **almost four centuries**. Our country has just celebrated its bi-centennial, but we will be celebrating three-hundred-and-seventy-three-years of Soule heritage in America when we meet in Plymouth next year! Nothing like a Soule Kindred Reunion to restore your pride in your past, and put a deeper perspective on our heritage.

Your Soule Kindred Board and Officers are all non-professional volunteers. Without their unselfish support, dedication and donation of time, the Kindred would not be the progressive and growing organization that it is today. We owe a vote of thanks to all of these fine people. I would, however, like to single out a few of our cousins who continue to provide that extra effort to keep our organization moving forward. Our family historian, Gerry Schlosser, spends more hours than many of us realize in maintaining and updating our Kindred records, as does Betty-Jean "B J" Haner in maintaining our financial and membership records. And only those who have published a newsletter know the tremendous time and effort required by Jeanette Taylor to accomplish this task! My deep and sincere thanks for the outstanding support of these fine people!

This will be my final "President's Pen", although my term runs through the end of the year. Norman Soule' will take over the duties of President on January 1, 1993, and I know you will give him the fine support you have given to me. I thank you for placing your faith in my leadership this past year, and look forward to many years of continued association with the Kindred.

See you in Plymouth next September.

Your Cousin,

*Ron*

The Landing of the Pilgrim Fathers \*  
Dorthea Hemans (1793-1835)

The breaking waves dash'd high  
On a stern and rock-bound coast,  
And the woods against a stormy sky  
Their giant branches toss'd,  
And the heavy night hung dark  
The hills and waters o'er,  
When a band of exiles moor'd their bark  
On the wild New England shore.

Not as the conqu'ror comes,  
They, the true-hearted, came  
not with the roll of the stirring drums,  
And the trumpet that sings of fame;  
In silence and in fear,  
They shook the depths of the desert gloom  
With their hymns of lofty cheer.

Amidst the storm they sang,  
And the stars heard, and the sea;  
And the sounding aisles of the dim woods rang  
To the anthem of the free.  
The ocean eagle soared  
From his nest by the white wave's foam.  
And the rocking pines of the forest roared,  
This was their welcome home.

What sought they thus afar?  
Bright jewels from the mine"  
The wealth of seas, the spoils of war?  
They sought a faith's pure shrine  
Ay, call it holy ground  
The soil which first they trod;  
They have left unstained what there they found...  
Freedom to worship God.

\*taken from The Story of George Soule by Mrs. Edwin S. Harris (1973)

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ANNUAL REPORT

For the period August 10, 1991 to July 16, 1992

Balance on hand August 10, 1991 \$51,214.38

RECEIPTS

Dues	\$4,392.50	
Newsletters (1 set +7 issues sold)	142.50	
Col. John E. Soule Scholarship donations	87.50	
Life members	800.00	
Patron Memberships	50.00	
Indices - Spouse	30.00	
Terry	20.00	
Note Paper	49.50	
Reunion Refunds 1990	51.26	
1991	213.09	
Postage (includes \$25.00 toward postage for set sent to England)	29.00	
Post Cards	3.00	
THE STORY OF GEORGE SOULE	9.00	
Miscellaneous	5.00	5,882.35
Interest (11 months)		<u>2,962.30</u>
		60,059.03

EXPENSES

Newsletters (typing, publishing, postage etc. 3 issues)	2,582.48	
Office expenses of Membership Sec.-Treas.(includes typing, copies, postage, supplies etc.)	727.22	
Historian (copies, supplies,postage)	29.00	
Scholarships	2,000.00	
New shelves for N.L.storage (materials & building)	432.44	
Index Project (printing, postage, supplies)	43.89	
Miscellaneous	23.00	
		<u>5,838.03</u>
		54,221.00

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1-163853-3	Estate CD	16,706.34
1-163854-41	Memorial Savings Certificate	3,156.67
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1-089-791-6	Savings-Operating Expenses	3,703.55
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BALANCE ON HAND JULY 16, 1992

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Respectfully submitted,

*B. J. Haner*  
 Betty-Jean Haner, Treasurer

MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY'S REPORT  
AUGUST 1992

Regular members	290	of which 39 are new
Life members	81	of which 4 are new
Libraries & family groups	35	of which 1 is in England - Sole Society
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	406	total membership

Two Life members deceased in 1991

Mary Thomas Crismore of Pensacola, Fla  
Charles Soule Co. John's Brother

One regular member deceased

Mrs. George Sutherland (my aunt)  
M.M. Fidler  
Merton C. Soule

Reminder letters sent in April and July. (Nine former members have responded to my letters.

218 letters have been answered.



Respectfully,

Betty Jean Haner  
Membership

OLDEST AND THE YOUNGEST  
Opal Soule Manly of Los Angeles, Ca.  
Faith Soule Benesch of Reno, Nevada

Jim & Tami Benesch are Faith's parents  
Howard Soules is Faith's grandfather

sent in by Mary Soule Kelly



## FAMILY HISTORIAN'S ANNUAL REPORT 15 AUGUST 1992

By Geraldine Sowle Schlosser

1991-92 has been a busy year for your historian. Since last August, I've received approximately 87 letters and phone communications, and have written 74 letters in reply. Most of those letters required several hours of research in our files.

I produced the Soule Kindred Index Supplement 1, along with corrections and additions to the original index. The information for this index was obtained from the family group sheets that members have sent in.

Another big project has been the recently completed Surname Index-- to Soule descendants that have other names. This, too, came from the family group sheets. There are almost 1000 names in this index, and it is barely a beginning. Compiling and proof-reading an index like this is a very tedious job, but it has helped your historian become more familiar with many branches of our extended family.

I am continuing to work on putting our files in order. There is another box to go before I have everything re-filed in its proper place. Families are filed according to the 4 digit number denoting a 5th generation descendant.

I have made several contacts through Prodigy (computer bulletin board). There are many people asking about Soule descent. I have recruited at least 4 of these contacts to join Soule Kindred.

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September 1992

I'd like to add a few words to my annual report. The reunion in Reno gave us a chance to meet several of our California cousins. Some of you also turned in more family records-- all of which will be duly indexed, so that we can match up more family groups.

If you are near an LDS Library, and would like to look at our records as copied in 1988, there are 12 rolls of film numbered 1531547 through 1531558. The arrangement is by Soule Kindred Family Number. This is the number given your fifth generation descendant. Those of you not interested can skip the following rather complicated explanation, but if you do want to use our microfilmed records, try to follow along.

The first digit always indicates a son or daughter of George<sup>1</sup>: 2=John<sup>2</sup> and his first wife Rebecca Simmons; 3=John<sup>2</sup> and 2nd wife Esther (---) Sampson; 4=Nathaniel<sup>2</sup>; 5=George<sup>2</sup>; 6=Patience<sup>2</sup> (Haskell); 7=Susanna<sup>2</sup> (West); 8=Mary<sup>2</sup> (Peterson); 9=Elizabeth<sup>2</sup> (Walker). The second digit indicates the birth order of the 3rd generation descendant; third digit is birth order of 4th generation; 4th digit is birth order of 5th generation.

To illustrate: My 5th generation descendant is James (Wesson<sup>4</sup>, Nathaniel<sup>3</sup>, Nathaniel<sup>2</sup>, George<sup>1</sup>). To get the 4-digit number:

Nathaniel<sup>2</sup> = 4  
Nathaniel<sup>3</sup> = 1 (1st child of Nathaniel<sup>2</sup>)  
Wesson<sup>4</sup> = 5 (5th child of Nathaniel<sup>3</sup>)  
James<sup>5</sup> = 3 (3rd child of Wesson<sup>4</sup>)

The Soule Kindred Number is then 4153.

This number can then be added to for succeeding generations. My 6th generation is Wesson<sup>6</sup>, who was the 2nd son of James<sup>5</sup>, so that number would be 41532. A word of caution: the birth order as shown in Mayflower Families 3 is not always the same as Col. John used when setting up the files. Consequentially, his numbers do not always agree with what we figure out using later information. I have cross-referenced the new numbers to the old files as I note them, so if you are having trouble deciphering your 5th generation number, contact me.

To get back to the LDS microfilm: Reel 1531550 includes MA through VT vital records, and Col. John's Red notebooks for families 3244 through 6311. #1531551 Red Notebooks 6400 through 8999 and SK files 2253 through 2912. Some of these are out of order and a later number (5237) is included here. #1531552 includes families 2912 through 4228, many of which are out of order so must be viewed carefully. #1531553 includes families 4221 through 52x3. #1531554 includes 52x3 through WEST. #1531555 begins the alphabetical card file - starts A. G. Soule to Eliza Elmira Soule. #1531556 begins with Elizabeth Soule to Lewis<sup>6</sup> Soule. #1531557 continues Lewis<sup>6</sup> Soule through Zerviah Soule followed by several cards not in order, most showing military service. #1531558 has William Soules which were not filmed in order on earlier reel, and also Willis, Wilson, Winsor, and Zachariah; includes many miscellaneous cards. You could look here if you couldn't find your name in alphabetical order. (I have re-filed all the alphabetical cards, so they are now in order in our files. If you don't find a name, ask me to check the actual cards.)

I hope that you are not all thoroughly confused. This explanation is really to aid you if you want to order films from the LDS library.

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I finally completed the surname index to Soule descendants with other surnames. This index is only a beginning. It must be used with our earlier indexes: 1986 index compiled by Milton Terry and the 1992 Supplement compiled by me, and printed in the Summer 1992 issue of our Newsletter. The "parent number" often refers back to those indexes. If you want a copy of the Surname Index or earlier ones, there is an order form elsewhere in this issue.



MINUTES OF THE BOARD MEETING 8/15/92

The meeting was called to order by the President, Ron Soule at 3:02 PM with the following Board Members present: Ronald J. Soule, President; Norman Soule', First Vice President; Stanley E. Soule, Second Vice President; Betty Jean Haner, Treasurer/Membership Secretary; Christine Schlosser, Secretary to the Board; Geraldine Sowle Schlosser, Family Historian; Jeanette Taylor, Newsletter Editor; Jim Schlosser, Newsletter Indexer; Mary Soule Kelly and Peg Turner Class of 1992; James I. Soule, Past President.

In his opening remarks Ron said he hoped everyone was enjoying their stay in Nevada. He had arranged activities to provide us with an understanding of this country. He also stated that he did not wish to continue in the office of president due to outside commitments.

Chris Schlosser moved that we dispense with the reading of the minutes from the 1991 board meeting and accept them as printed in the Fall 1991 newsletter. Jim Schlosser seconded and the motion carried.

Betty Jean Haner presented an annual report through July 16, 1992. The current balance on hand was \$54,221.00. She stated that a significant savings was accomplished by storing most records in her garage (\$360.66). She also reported that as membership secretary she had answered 218 letters. We currently have 290 regular members and 81 life members. Jim Soule moved that we accept the treasurer/membership secretary report. Norman Soule' seconded and the motion carried.

Gerry Schlosser (Family Historian) reported that she has received a total of 87 letters and phone calls. She has sent out 74 replies with several hours of research entailed for almost every response. She has produced the Soule Kindred Index Supplement 1, along with corrections and additions to the original index. She has also recently completed a Surnames Index with almost 1000 names. It is barely a beginning but has provided her with an opportunity to become more familiar with the various family lines. The information for both of these indices was primarily obtained from Family sheets. She has also made four contacts via Prodigy (a computer bulletin board). Betty Jean Haner moved that we accept the historian report. Chris Schlosser seconded and the motion carried.

Jim Schlosser reported that he has sold a few indices but there does not appear to be much of a market. He prints five copies at a time so the inventory on hand is not great.

Jeanette Taylor reported that she has enjoyed the letters and notes from members and is always looking for more news. She has tried to arrange for the lowest publishing costs in the area but there are not a lot of options in Deer Isle. She also brought up the idea of a logo both for the Newsletter and as a letterhead for our correspondence. This topic was deferred to be discussed under new business. Ron emphasized how much we appreciate the hard work that goes into this task and how important it is to the organization.

Under old business, Stan Soule noted that the Soule cemetery in Fairfield, VT was, once again, very overrun. Ron had written a letter to the Town Manager but received no response. He had also spoken with a cousin who said that it was in disrepair but cemetery maintenance falls low on the priority list. Stan had been at the site the previous week and it was overgrown. Another gravestone had fallen over. They tried to clean it up but it is a tough job. It was suggested to get in touch with the Old Cemeteries Society which will often oversee the task of upkeep. Ron said he would again write the Town Manager as well as the Old Cemeteries Society. He will also contact his brother who lives in the area to see if a group outing could be arranged to aid in the cleanup. Chatten Soule suggested contacting the state penal institution as a source of able bodied workers.

Several topics were discussed under new business.

Ron Soule had received a letter from the Family History Library of the Church of Latter Day Saints. They would like to microfilm the Soule Kindred newsletter and retain a copy for use within their library. A discussion followed. A motion was made by Jim Soule to allow the microfilming of the newsletters with the stipulation that this information could not be used for gain or profit. Betty Jean seconded and the motion carried.

Ron had also received a letter from the Scottsdale Family Treasury. They are in the preparation stages of releasing a book of Soules. This is basically a listing of people in the United States with the Soule/Sowle/Soul... surname. The discussion which followed led to the conclusion that this offer should be further researched before we would publish any advertisement of the upcoming book.

In giving the scholarship committee report, Betty Jean Haner reported that we only had three candidates for scholarships this year. The Colonel John Soule memorial scholarship will be presented to Sara Megan Morgan who will be attending Colorado College. The George Standish Soule memorial scholarship will be split into two scholarships of \$500.00 each. It will be presented to Jill Denise Canton who will attend the University of Maine-Farmington and Kendra D. Selly who will be attending a community college.

There was much discussion about a possible logo. The final outcome was a motion by Jim Soule to adopt the logo which is on our flag to be used as a logo throughout the organization. Betty Jean Haner seconded and the motion carried unanimously.

As previously mentioned, the new Surname Index is available. Chris Schlosser moved that we sell this new index for \$10.00. Jeanette Taylor seconded and the motion carried.

Gerry Schlosser mentioned that the Mayflower Society is preparing a new book "George Soule In Progress" The editor is Robert Wakefield. All other "In Progress" books currently being written by the Society do not have a 5 generation project already published. There has been no attempt by the Mayflower Society to contact our family organization for assistance or input. Jim Soule motioned that we write to the Mayflower Society offering ourselves as a resource and expressing concern that we ought to be a part of any project related to George Soule. Peggy Turner seconded and the motion carried.

There was a general discussion about where to hold next years reunion. Based on past history, we should hold the 1993 reunion in Plymouth MA just prior to the Mayflower triennial congress. Since we have no active members within close proximity to Plymouth, this is difficult to plan. Jeanette and Fred Taylor volunteered to host the reunion in Plymouth and this offer was heartily accepted. The 1993 reunion will be held in Plymouth Massachusetts September 9-11.

Ron Soule brought up the idea of having the various classes of the board form committees to target different areas of responsibility such as publicity, new membership ideas. No official action was taken.

The next order of business was election of officers.

Norman Soule' was nominated for president by Betty Jean Haner and seconded by Jim Soule. There were no other nominees and Norman Soule' was elected unanimously.

Stan Soule was nominated for 1st vice president by Jim Soule and seconded by Peg Turner. There were no other nominees and Stan Soule was elected unanimously.

For the position of 2nd vice president, the following people were nominated. Peggy Turner was nominated by Barbara Granum and seconded by Stan Soule. Phyllis Hulse was nominated by Nancy Soule and seconded by Jim Soule. Ben George Soule was nominated by Jim Soule and seconded by Bonnie Wochnick. Peggy Turner was elected by a show of hands.

All other officers were re-elected without contention.

The position of Immediate Past President will be filled by Ron Soule as he leaves his position as president.

The following nominations were made for the Class of 1995 board members:

Nominee	Nominated by	Seconded by
Bonnie Wochnick	Gerry Schlosser	Jeanette Taylor
Mary Soule Kelly	Jim Schlosser	Betty Jean Haner
Toni Dark	Gerry Schlosser	Jim Soule

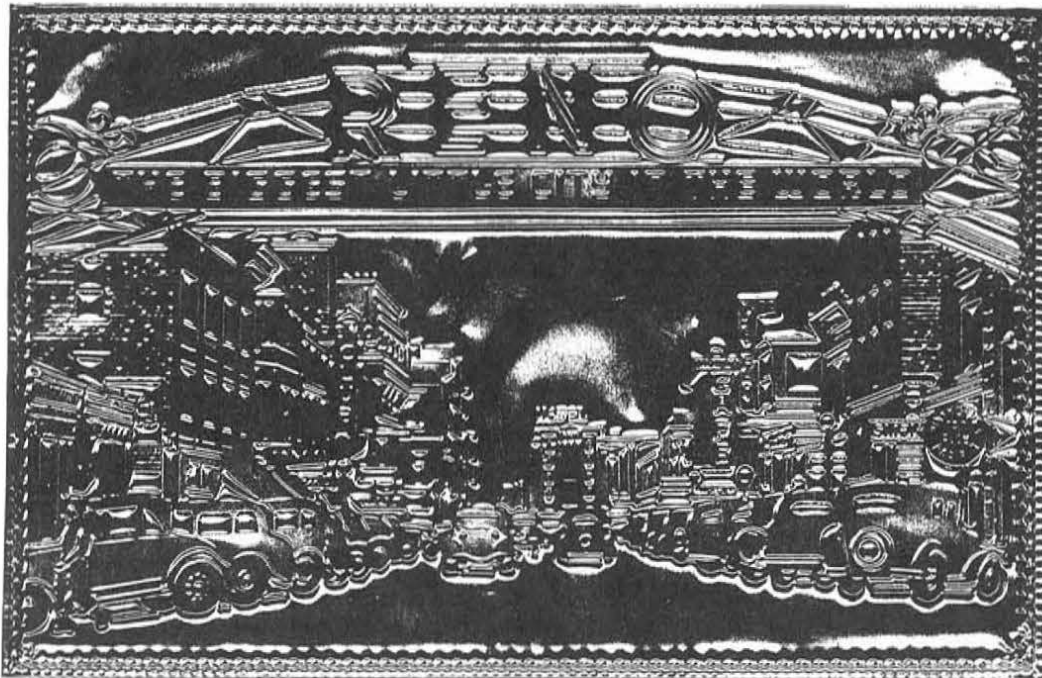
Betty Jean moved that nominations be closed. Gerry Schlosser seconded and the above nominees were unanimously elected to serve as the Class of 1995.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:00.

Respectfully submitted



Chris Schlosser  
Secretary to the Board





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BOB MILLER  
Governor

August 5, 1992

GREETINGS FROM THE STATE OF NEVADA

It gives me great pleasure to extend a hearty Nevada welcome to the members of the Soule Kindred in America. We in Nevada are pleased to be host to your annual reunion in Reno this year.

Soule Kindred in America is an organization that has made a significant contribution to the preservation of the values and beliefs that our great country was founded on. It is this commitment to building a better future by honoring and preserving the past that has made Soule Kindred such a vital part of our historical culture.

May this year's reunion be rewarding and informative, and may all of you have a safe and pleasant trip.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Bob Miller".

BOB MILLER  
Governor

BM/pz



# City of Reno

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August, 1992

## GREETINGS

To All in Attendance

It is my pleasure to welcome the members of Soule Kindred in America to Reno, the "Biggest Little City in the World." I am delighted that you have chosen our community to host your annual reunion.

As you gather, I hope you will find time to enjoy the many and varied opportunities for recreation and entertainment which Reno and the surrounding area offers. Beautiful Lake Tahoe, colorful and historic Virginia City, and Nevada's state capital, Carson City are all within one hour's drive from Reno. You will find that our city will provide you with all your needs: fine dining, top name entertainment, elaborate shows, shopping, and accommodations to please even the most discriminating tastes.

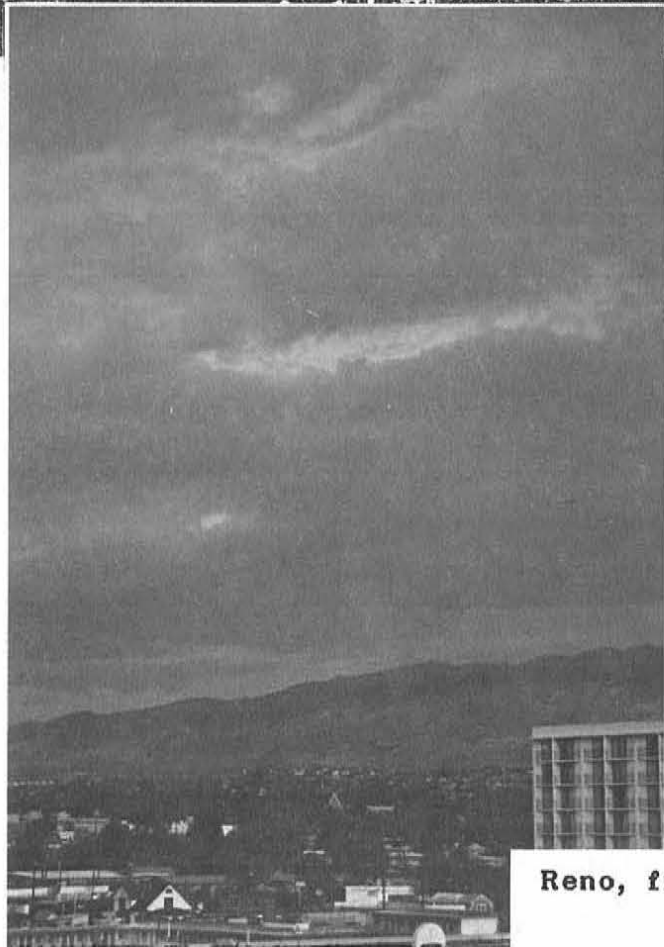
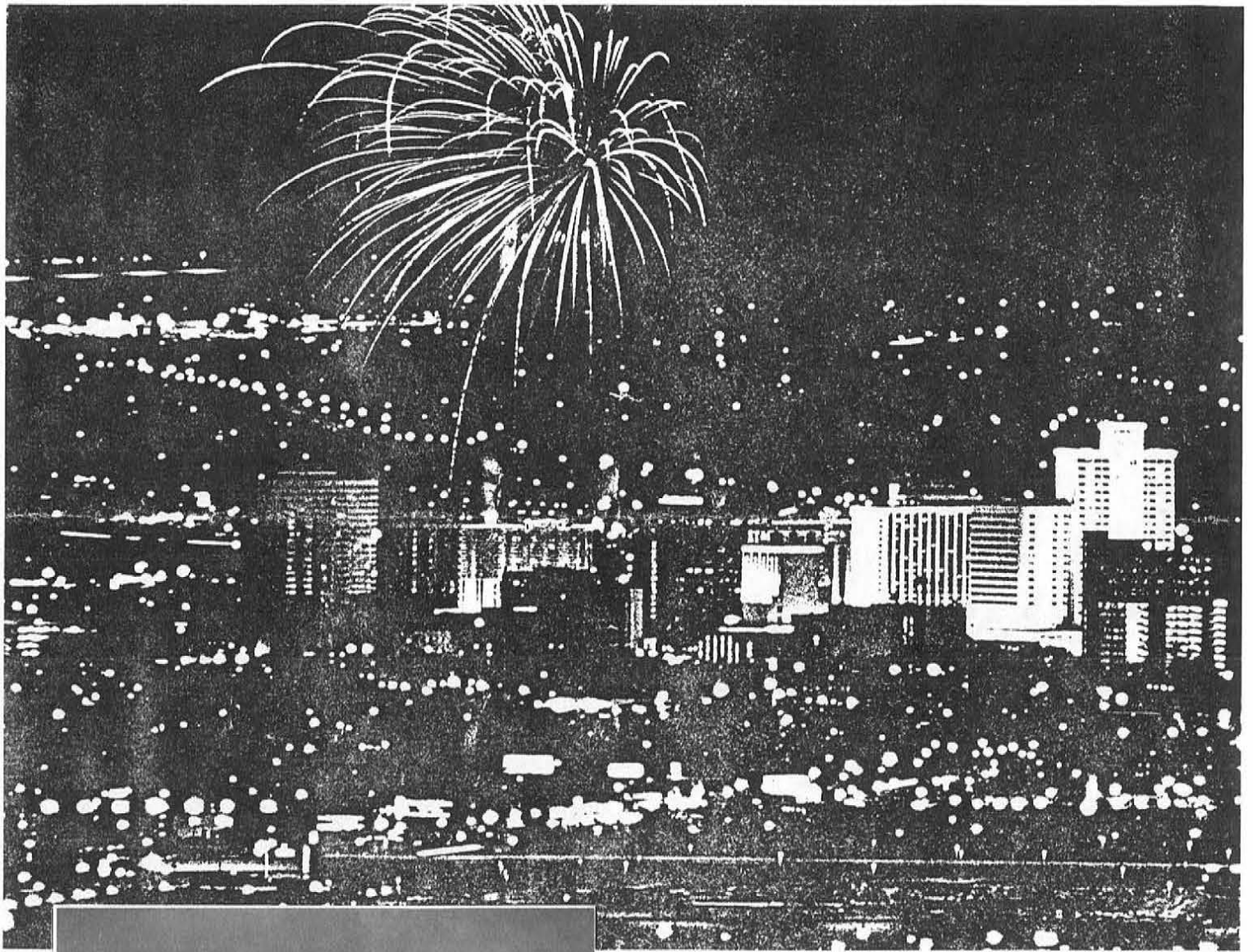
Again, welcome to Reno, and may your stay be enjoyable. I wish you a most successful event.

Sincerely,

Peter J. Sferrazza  
Mayor

PJS/pm





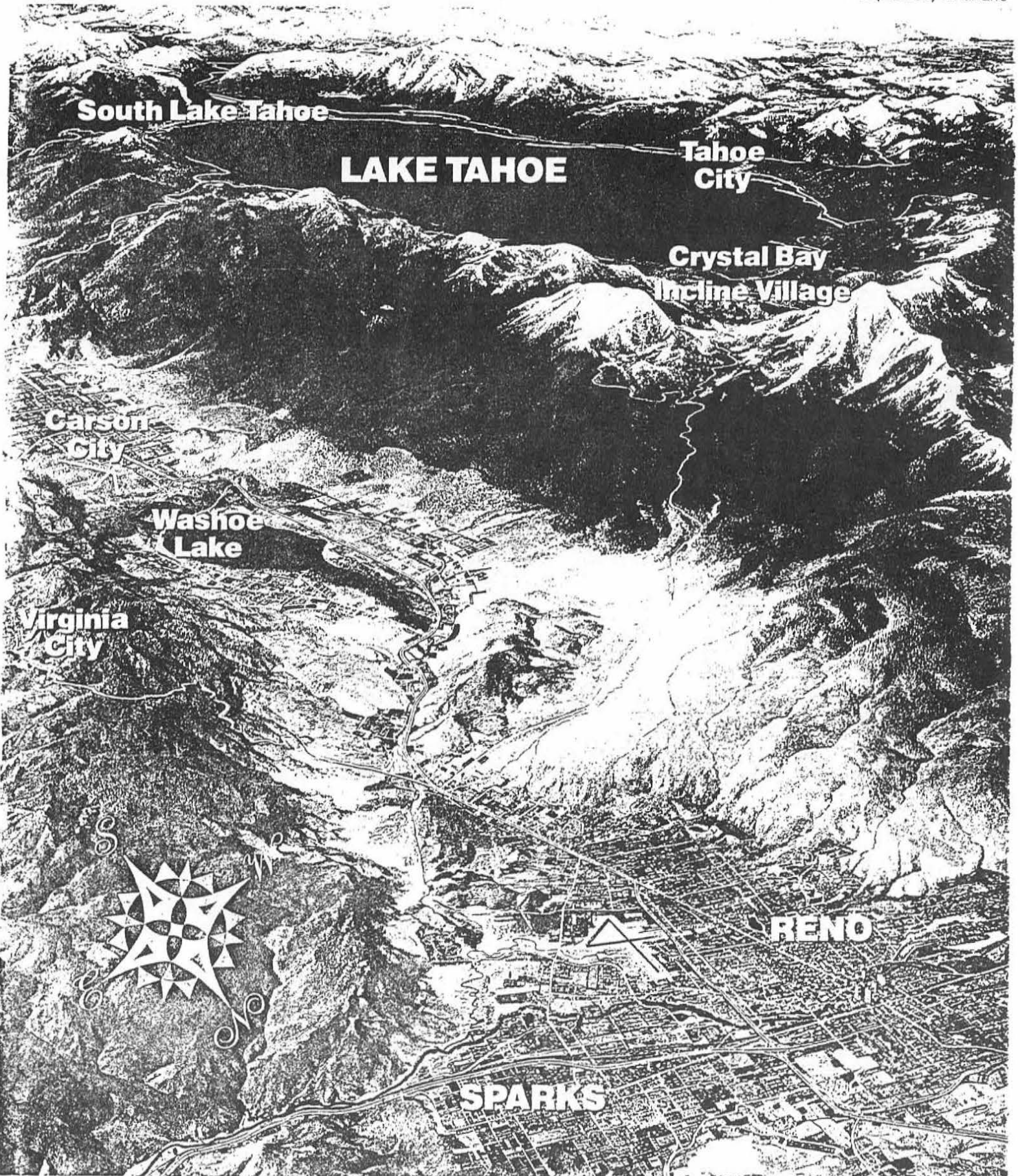
Reno, from my window (editor)



Our reunion Hotel entrance

# LAKE TAHOE

Map courtesy of Harrah's



South Lake Tahoe

LAKE TAHOE

Tahoe City

Crystal Bay  
Incline Village

Carson City

Washoe Lake

Virginia City

RENO

SPARKS

SOULE KINDRED RENO REUNION

List of Attendees

1	HULSE	RICHARD	2330 Terrace View Drive
2		PHYLLIS	Eugene, OR 97405-1414
3	KELDGORD	ROBERT	1400 Thistlewood Way
4		NORMA	Carmichael, CA 95608-6124
5	KELLY	MARY	1218 Fourth Ave W., Hendersonville, NC 28739
6	KELLY	MARCY	12711 Ventura Blvd, Suite 250, Studio City, CA 91604
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9	DARK	TONI	Box 116
10		DUANE	Mokelumne Hill, CA 95245-0116
11	SOULE	JIM	5214 13th Ave South, Minneapolis, MN 55417
12	HOLDEN	JULIA SOULE	COULD NOT ATTEND
13		CHRIS	
14	SCHLOSSER	GERRY	801 E. Brownell Street
15		JIM	Tomah, WI 54660 - 7018
16	SOULE'	NORMAN	9011 S. E. 88th Street
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19	SOULE	HAROLD V.	Spencerville, Ontario, Canada KOE 1X0
20		MADELINE	
21	SCHLOSSER	CHRISTINE	8629 N. Deerwood Drive, Brown Deer, WI 53209
22	ROCKE	MARGARET (PEG)	2208 Navarra Ave, Vero Beach, FL 32960
23	JOHNSON	RUTH M.	108 E. Erd Street, Safford, AZ 85546
24	CLAXTON	FELICE A.	?? California (Ruth Johnson's Granddaughter)
25	EPPERSON	ALBERTA	10 Camelia Drive,
26		LOREN	Napa, CA 94558
27	O'CONNELL	MARIAN	COULD NOT ATTEND
28	SEVIER	MARIE	
29	SOULE	STANLEY	PO Box 1223
30		CAROL	Bedford, Que, Canada JOJ 1A0
31	SOULE	RON	430 Heron Lane
32		NANCY	Fallon, NV 89406
33	DAILY	FAYE	COULD NOT ATTEND
34	TURNER	PEGGY	5773 Oakland Ter, #E, Indianapolis, IN 46220 - 5459
35	SOULE'	HERBERT	2911 Wacos Drive
36		IGNEZ	San Antonio, TX 78238 - 4318
37	HALLEY	BONNIE-JEAN	302 Pattie Way, Napa, CA 94558
38	SOULES	ROBERT	2099 Arroyo Dr,
39		RACHAEL	Riverside, CA 92506 - 1659
40	SOULE'	HOWARD	PO Drawer SS, Walnut Creek, CA 94596
41	MARTIN	ARLINE	(Guest)
42	EARL	PHILLIP	Guest Speaker, Nevada Historical Society, Reno, NV
43	BERVER	YVONNE	California - Ruth Johnson's Daughter.
44	WOCHNICK	FELIX	705 S.E. 17th Street
45		BONNETTE	Owatonna, MN 55056
46	ABRAHAMS	HEIDI	(Granddaughter)
47	GRANUM	ARTHUR	4828 Hazelwood Avenue
48		BARBARA	Carmichael, CA 95608
49	MANLEY	OPAL	Los Angeles, CA
50	SOULE	REBECCA	Sacramento, CA
51	TAYLOR	JEANETTE	RR 1, Box 149
52		FRED	Deer Isle, ME 04627
53	SOULE	MILDRED	New York, NY
54	BENESCH	JIM, TAMMY, and	2790 Markridge Drive,
55		FAITH HANNAH	Reno, NV 89509
56	??? (SOULE)	CYNTHIA	???
57		(New Husband)	San Antonio, Texas

Name: Phillip I. Earl,  
Curator of History,  
Nevada Historical Society, Reno

B.A., History/Political Science, University of Nevada, Reno

M.A., History, University of Nevada, Reno,

Thesis: "Sagebrush Volunteers: Nevadans in the Spanish-American War and the Philippine Insurrection, 1898-1900."

Work experience: Teaching Assistant, History Department, UNR, 1964-66  
Teacher, Social Studies, Reno High School, 1966-67  
Teacher, Social Studies, Alameda School District, California, 1966-67  
Teacher, Elementary School, Empire, Nevada, 1969-70  
Psychiatric Technician, Nevada Mental Health Institute, 1971-72  
Curator of History, Nevada Historical Society, 1973-Present  
Lecturer in History, Truckee Meadows Community College, Reno, 1976-present

Other experience: Dozens of publications on Nevada and the West for both popular and scholarly journals, one book, This Was Nevada, and several publications devoted to the place of history in secondary education, and a syndicated column, "This Was Nevada" which is now going on fifteen years and no end in sight. I have also consulted for motion picture and television filming in Nevada, served as a consultant to several companies doing work on cultural resources and environmental assessments, worked with the Nevada State Park System on developing interpretative programs for visitors, the Division of Historic Preservation and Archaeology in developing architectural and preservation programs and the Division of Tourism and Economic Development in writing and publishing promotional material. I have also conducted bus tours, an average of three a year, since 1981 in connection with my duties at the Nevada Historical Society. These tours have included Lake Tahoe, the Gold Rush country of northern California, as far east as Ely, Nevada and as far south as Candelaria, Belleville and Marietta. I have also conducted walking tours of historic areas in and around downtown Reno, industrial sites in the Truckee Meadows and architectural and park tours. In addition, I have also worked designing museum exhibits, doing oral history, consulting with other museums on exhibits and visitor programs and have been active as a public speaker on a variety of historical topics. I am also a board member of the National Association for Outlaw and Lawman History, a member of E Clampus Vitus, Forest History Society, Western Society of Military Historians, Council on Abandoned Military Posts and other historical groups too numerous to list.



Phillip I. Earl, Curator of History, and Reunion Banquet speaker



Relaxed Gourmet Dining  
In An Elegant Log Cabin



We at the Soule Domain  
Welcome the Soule Kindred for a luncheon

Menu (Coffee & Iced Tea included)  
all other drinks extra

Cold Tomato Gazpacho Soup

Spinach Salad w/ a sour cream,  
lemon, & blue cheese dressing

Entree

- ① Grilled Swordfish w/ papaya-corn-  
& red bell pepper salsa
- ② Grilled petite Filet Mignon w/ BBQ sauce
- ③ Grilled breast of Chicken w/ teriyaki pineapple

One scoop of sherbet - Dessert

(Includes 15% tip & tax - \$15.00 without entree. \$7.00)

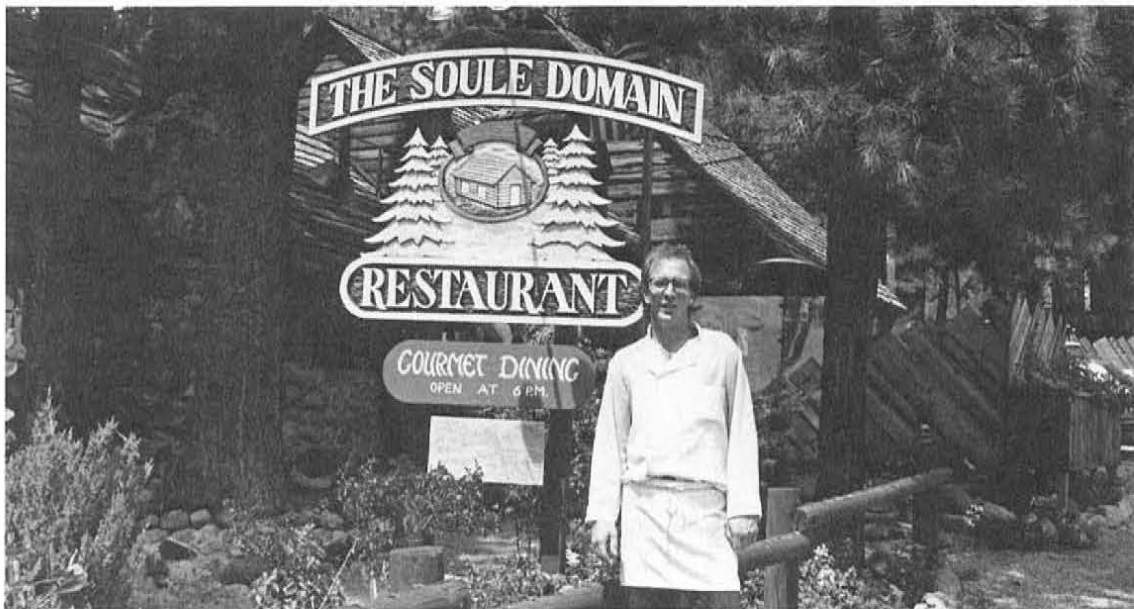
Charles Edward Soule III  
chef-owner

8/14/92



Mary S. Kelly, B.J. Haner, Jim Soule

Soule Cousins at Soule Domain Restaurant



Our cousin, the Chef, Charles E. Soule, IV

Hello from the Biggest Little City in the World!

The Soule Kindred reunion for 1992 was held in Reno Nevada. We started gathering on Wednesday evening with some heading straight for the slot machines to win (lose) their fortunes. Ron Soule (our host) was available in our hospitality suite for anyone with questions. For the most part, people renewed old acquaintances and started new ones.

Things really started rolling (as in dice) on Thursday when we toured Hidden Cave and the Navy Air Station in Fallon, Nevada east of Reno. Hidden Cave is an archeological dig. It was used by indians to store food and utensils during their wanderings at a time when Fallon, Reno and much of this area was underwater. Ron is a volunteer tour guide for the BLM and also quite knowledgeable in geology so we were treated to an excellent tour of the site and surrounding area. After an hour in the hot hot sun, we headed for air conditioned comfort and lunch at the NAS Officer's Club. After lunch, we toured the base including a trip to the tower, a walkthrough of the debriefing the pilots go through after their test runs, a demonstration of the flight gear worn by an actual pilot, and a stroll onto the tarmac to get a closeup look at one of the fighter planes actually used in the movie "Top Gun". Thursday evening we were on our own. Some people took in a show at a nearby hotel, some people discussed their research with the family historian, some people relaxed and talked with cousins in the hospitality suite and some people gambled.

Friday was another busy day of touring the sights. Today we headed south and west of Reno. Our first stop was Virginia City. We had about an hour to take in the sights of this old mining town. It felt good to stretch the legs with a jaunt down the wooden boardwalks but for those who wanted to see and learn more about the town, a riding tour turned out to be very interesting. We took a quick drive through Carson City, the state capitol, and then on to Lake Tahoe. We began to wonder whether the bus would make it over the pass as our top speed seemed to be about 20 mph. It did make it but it took a while. The wait was worth it when we arrived at the Soule Domain Restaurant. The place is not normally open for lunch but Charles Soule (owner, chef and fellow cousin) opened to provide us a delicious gourmet lunch. The restaurant is housed in a quaint log cabin that the Kindred group completely filled. The food was great and the atmosphere couldn't be beat. The meal will long be remembered as a real treat by those who participated. We had time for a group photo in front of the Soule Domain before the raindrops started to fall. What a treat - we get to see rain in Reno where it never rains! We couldn't complain too much since the area is in such a drought. Besides we were too busy praying our bus would make it back to our hotel without us having to get out and push. We did make it back for another evening on our own. By this time I had found my "lucky" machine and was waiting to strike it rich. It was a nickel slot machine. That way it took me a little longer to lose \$10.00 than if I played the quarter machines. Of course my big strike ended up to be \$18.00 which as is expected I quickly returned to the casino as I continued to play. It is fun to just sit and watch the assortment of people plugging these machines for hours at a time.

Saturday was museum day. First we visited the Nevada Historical Society Museum. Here we took a walk through time from early Indian life to the very recent past. We learned what life was like in Nevada throughout its history. Some reminisced as we looked at a classroom from the early 20th century and telephone switchboards which were around a lot longer in parts of Nevada than where most of us came from. Our next stop was the Wilbur May Museum. Wilbur May was a businessman, adventurer, rancher, big game hunter and philanthropist. Upon his death, his ranch was converted into a museum per his wishes. It is filled with dioramas from his travel all over the world. In addition to this permanent display, the rotating exhibit was photographs of nature in the West. There is also a great children's area where they can learn about the water cycle through many hands on exhibits. At this point we returned to the hotel for lunch and the business meeting. The notes from that meeting are published elsewhere in this issue. After this meeting, we had some time to relax and get ready for our banquet. The crowd started to gather around 6:30 and dinner was served an hour later. Barbara Granum led us in prayer before the meal. The food was good and the company was even better. After dinner, Philip Earl, curator of the Nevada Historical Society Museum, presented an entertaining talk about Ghost Towns as They Once Were. Ron Soule read letters from the Governor of Nevada and the Mayor of Reno. He then presented the new officers and announced that the 1993 reunion will be hosted by Jeanette and Fred Taylor in Plymouth Massachusetts September 9-11.

Sunday morning, a group attended church services at St. Thomas Catholic Church and returned to the hotel for brunch. The sad note in this reunion came on Saturday morning when we received word that three of our cousins had been involved in an accident on the way to the reunion. Faye Daily, Marian O'Connell, and Marie Sevier were hospitalized in Palm Springs CA with injuries but none life-threatening. Our thoughts and prayers are with you now as they were throughout the reunion./ We hope to see you in '93! Most of the gathering headed for home that day and everyone left with fond memories of a great reunion in Reno, new friends and looking forward to Plymouth in 1993.



**Ron Soule, our President/host of the Reno Nevada reunion**



## HIDDEN CAVE INTERPRETIVE TRAIL

Welcome to the Hidden Cave Interpretive Trail. This trail is approximately one mile in length and is moderately steep. Be sure to watch for loose rocks as the trail can be slippery in spots. This area is home to a variety of plants and animals; please leave them alone. There are also rattlesnakes here - avoid them and they will avoid you.

The area you are about to visit contains highly sensitive archaeological values which are protected by Federal and state laws. Unauthorized collection or excavation on public lands is a felony offense.

Hidden Cave is open for public tours on the second and fourth Saturday of each month. Tours begin at the Churchill County Museum in Fallon at 9:30 a.m. The museum is located at 1050 S. Maine Street. There is no access to the cave at other times.



**STATION 1:** This boulder displays outstanding examples of Great Basin rock petroglyphs (rock art) thought to date from 2,000 to 500 years ago. There are numerous theories which seek to explain their meaning. Maps, hunting magic, or simple graffiti, these links to our past continue to intrigue us today. Please visit the Grimes Point petroglyph site (1.5 miles south) to view other examples.

**STATION 2:** The brightly colored scaly materials you see on the surface of many of the boulders are called lichens. Lichens are made up of a fungus and an alga. Lichen represent a parasitic-host relationship in which the fungus is a weak parasite on its algal host. The algae produces food for itself and the fungus. The fungus does provide some protection and an extra means of retaining water during periods of drought. The alga expends more energy for the fungus than the fungus does for the alga, therefore, the fungus is considered to be the alga's parasite. The lichen color differences are thought to be a result of differences in age and species, as well as local conditions of growth.

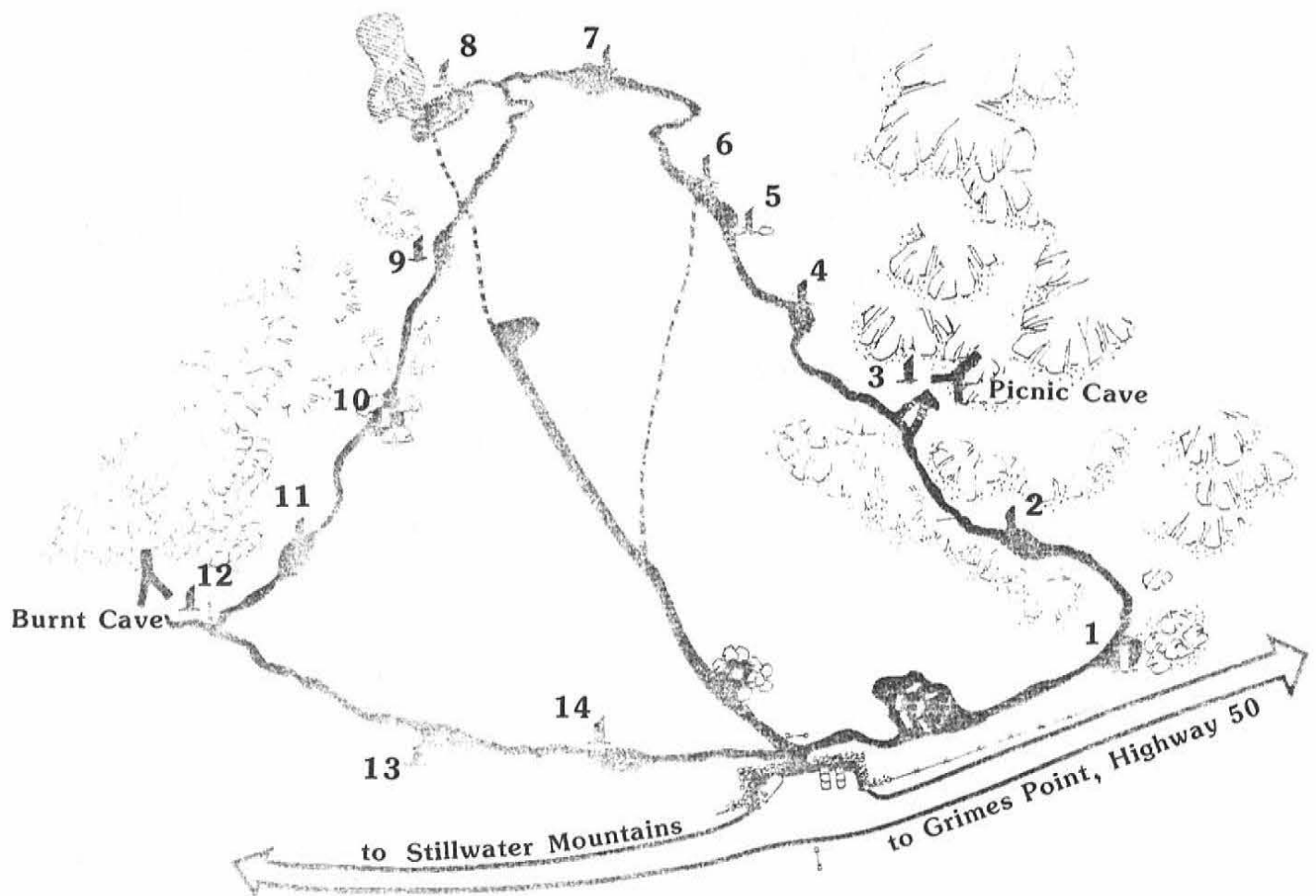
Investigations in Hidden Cave tell us the local vegetation has changed over the last ten thousand years. Today the hillside is covered with shadscale, Indian ricegrass and greasewood; 7,000 years ago we would have seen vegetation representative of a wetter climate.

**STATION 3:** Picnic Cave is one of several rockshelters and caves in the region that was occasionally occupied by prehistoric hunter-gatherers. Note the tufa encrustations on the ceiling; these are the calcium carbonate secretions left behind by underwater algae. What does this mean to you? The fireplace is not aboriginal, but was built by someone unaware or uncaring of the fragile and irreplaceable nature of cultural resources.

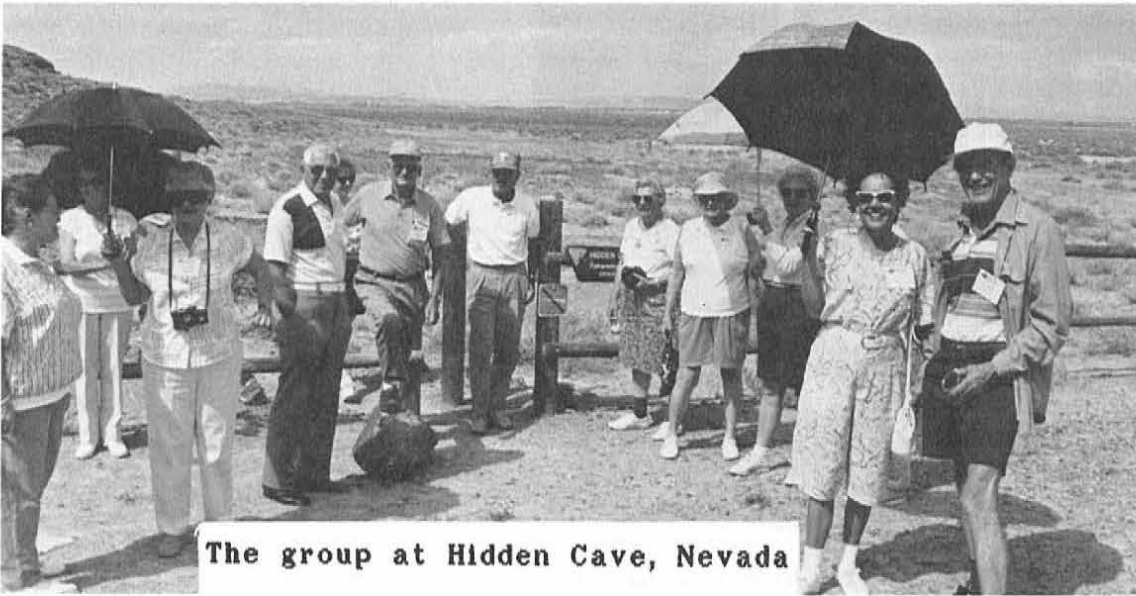
**STATION 4:** At your feet you will notice a sandy area deposited by a small stream that forms during rare intense rainfalls. On a miniature scale this is representative of the erosional forces which characterize the Great Basin; an area of internal drainage which covers much of the intermountain west. All water which falls within the Great Basin stays there, never reaching the ocean. During periods of prolonged increased rainfall many of the lower lying areas filled with water.

**STATION 14:** When loose material containing pebbles or larger stones is exposed to wind action, the finer dust and sand are blown away and the pebbles gradually accumulate on the surface, forming a sort of mosaic which protects the finer material underneath from attack. This is known as desert pavement. Although it appears hard and resilient, once disturbed it may be many years before it returns to this condition. This is the last stop on the trail. You may now proceed to the parking lot.

Thank you for visiting the Hidden Cave area.

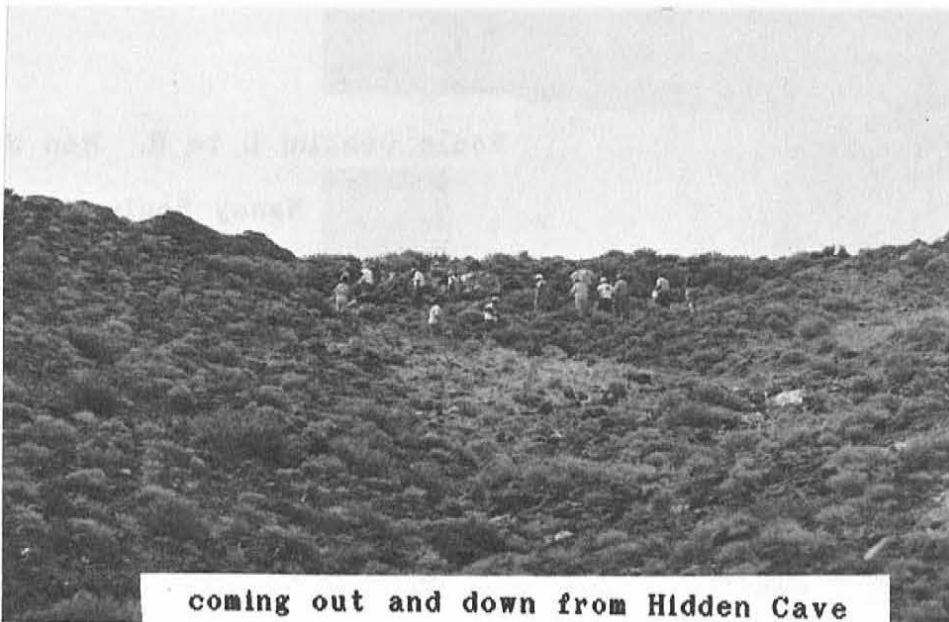


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The group at Hidden Cave, Nevada

starting up to Hidden Cave



coming out and down from Hidden Cave



Soule Domain: Fred Taylor, Gerry & Jim Schlosser

Marcy Kelly (Mary's daughter)  
at the Sand's slot machines



Soule Domain: L to R. Ron Soule, Jim Soule,  
Nancy Soule, Chris Schlosser.



**Ruth Johnson, Feicia Claxton (Ruth' granddaughter),**

**Yvonne Berver (Ruth's daughter)**

**Norman and Florence Soule**



**Felix and Bonnie Wochinick**

"The Diary of George Soule,

The Mayflower, Sept. 6, 1620."

It lies upon the library desk,  
A diary brown and old.  
The leather back is torn away,  
The pages blurred with mould.

But still a sentence here and there  
It left by time, to show  
The hopes and fears of Pilgrim Soule,  
Who kept it, long ago.

In what a stiff, old-fashioned hand  
His solemn thoughts were penned,  
And how the Mayflower must have rolled,  
For half the letters blend.

And here he enters "Grievous sick,"  
And here, "A child was born."  
And later on, "A sailer died  
This holy Sabbath morn."

He mentions, too, a Mistress Anne  
He left across the sea  
In some old garden hedged with box  
And haunted by the bee.

And if you hold the ~~sticker~~ tattered leaf  
Between you and the light  
You still can see the pilgrim's tear,  
That blistered "Land in sight."

In stately tomb and simple mound  
The Pilgrim Fathers sleep,  
Forgetting in their final rest,  
The perils of the deep.

The Mayflower, with her oaken ribs  
Is nothing but a name.  
But Pilgrim Soule, your little book,  
Outlived your sturdy frame.

(By Minna Irving.)

BURT and IGNEZ SOULE FROM SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS account of  
their trip to the Aug '92 SOULE REUNION  
AND some side excursions

OUR TEN DAY VACATION WAS FILLED WITH SO MANY INTERESTING EXPERIENCES I THOUGHT A DAY TO DAY RECORD SHOULD BE MADE. I AM ALSO GOING TO SEND A COPY TO ALL THE FRIENDS AND RELATIVES WHO HELPED US OUT OF PROBLEMS, MAKING OUR TRIP SO MUCH FUN. SO MANY THINGS JUST HAPPENED, UNANTICIPATED SITUATIONS WHOSE RESOLUTIONS CAME OUT PERFECTLY. LUCK WAS ALWAYS WITH US, BUT IGNEZ DID HER ROSARY EVERY NIGHT, SO GOD MUST HAVE HEARD US AND HELPED GUIDE US THROUGHOUT.

I EXTENDED THE TRIP TO TWO WEEKS SO WE COULD VISIT MARK'S GRANDFATHER AND JAMES ROUSE'S MOTHER'S PRUNE RANCH WE HAD HEARD SO MUCH ABOUT. JAMES WOULD BE THERE "SHAKING" THE PRUNE TREES - THIS WE JUST COULDN'T MISS. WE ALSO WANTED TO SPEND A FEW DAYS AT LEGENDARY LAKE TAHOE WHERE THE "JET" SET GO FOR THEIR HOLIDAY. THIS WAS TO BE MY NEW WIFE'S FORMAL INTRODUCTION TO OUR U.S.A. FAMILY, WHO, FORTUNATELY, WOULD ALL BE AT OUR DESTINATION AT THE SAME TIME.

ALAMO CAR RENTAL SAID THEY WERE THE LOWEST PRICED AGENCY IN THE WORLD. JUDGING FROM THE MASS OF PEOPLE ARRIVING WITH US AT THE ALAMO AGENCY IN RENO, "WORD" MUST HAVE GOT AROUND. ALTHOUGH OUR PLANE ARRIVED AT 1 P.M., IT WAS AFTER 4 WHEN WE FINIALLY CHECKED INTO THE REGENCY, TIRED, FRUSTRATED AND DISCUSTED. FIRST WE HAULED OUR HEAVY BAGS OUT TO THE ALAMO BUS STOP, WAITING IN THE HOT SUN 25 MINUTES WITH 15 OTHERS. WE ALL PUSHED INTO THE MINI BUS AND THE DRIVER BEGAN HAULING IN OUR SUITCASES THRU THE FRONT DOOR. THEY WERE LITTERLY DUMPED INTO A PILE 4' HIGH IN THE ISLE, BUT ALAS, POOR IGNEZ SOFT BAGS ON THE VERY BOTTOM. AT THE ALAMO AGENCY, I WAS 1ST IN LINE, STILL WAITING 30 MIN. TO SIGN UP. WHEN I SAW "OUR" CAR, A GEO METRO, I HAD SECOND THOUGHTS ABOUT ALAMOS ADS. I WAS TOO HOT AND TIRED TO TRY FOR AN UPGRADE, PLUS ANOTHER MINI BUS LOADED DOWN JUST ARRIVED.

WE DIDNT REALIZE JUST HOW BIG THE SANDS REGENCY WAS. IT TOOK UP A LARGE CITY BLOCK, AND 21 STORIES HIGH. THE ENTIRE 1ST FLOOR WAS A GAMBOLING CASINO, WITH ROULETTE, BLACK JACK, CRAPS, EVERYWHERE ELSE FULL OF ONE ARM BANDITS AND THE CLINK

LETTERS.....WE GET LETTERS

CLINK CLINK OF COINS HITTING THE BOTTOM PANS. BELLS RANG FOR MAJOR JACKPOTS, WITH CROWDS GOING TO SEE "HOW MUCH". I PARKED AT THE WRONG END AND HAD A DEVIL OF A TIME FINDING THE REGISTRATION DESK. WE WOUND UP CARRYING ALL OUR BAGS THE WHOLE LENGTH OF THE BUILDING. OUR ROOM WAS LARGE, ON THE 15TH FLOOR, WITH A NICE VIEW OF THE CITY.

THURSDAY, AUG 14, THE SOULE REUNION BUS TOOK US EAST INTO THE NEVADA DESERT TO AN ANCIENT ARCHEOLOGICAL CAVE IN A MOUNTAIN SIDE. RONALD SOULE SOON PROVED HE WAS AS GOOD A GUIDE AS A PRESIDENT. HIS IN DEPTH KNOWLEDGE OF THIS SITE WAS FAR MORE THAN WE EXPECTED. HE HAD THE KEY TO THE CAVE DOOR, STARTED THE GENERATOR FOR OUR LIGHT, AND EXPLAINED HOW THE PEOPLE LIVED THOUSANDS OF YEARS AGO, FROM THEIR TOOLS AND REMAINS. THEN AFTER DINNER AT FALLON NAVY BASE, WE ENJOYED A TWO HOUR BRIEFING ON THE NAVY'S USE OF HIGH TECHNOLOGY FOR NAVY PILOTS, HERE, HUNDREDS OF MILES FROM THEIR CARRIERS. THESE WERE ACTUAL WAR EXERCISES, LESS THE WEAPON "KILLS". BASE PERSONNEL GAVE US "THE WORKS" IN A FANTASTIC DISPLAY.

THAT NIGHT IGNEZ AND I MET HAROLD'S SON JIM AND HIS WIFE TAMMY. THEY INVITED ALL OF OUR IMMEDIATE FAMILY TO A SPECIAL DINNER AT THEIR HOME. THE NEXT NIGHT, MILDRED FROM N.Y.C. JOINED BROTHER HAROLD, HIS WIFE MADELENE, AND JIM'S MOTHER BARBARA AT YET ANOTHER MEAL AT THEIR HOME. THESE WERE VERY SPECIAL TIMES FOR IGNEZ AND ME, TO VISIT WITH OUR FAR OUT FAMILY AGAIN.

FRIDAY, THE SOULE REUNION COUSINS WENT SOUTH TO CARSON CITY, NEVADA'S CAPITOL, AFTER SPENDING SOME TIME IN HISTORIC VIRGINIA CITY. THIS AREA WAS FAMOUS BY THE GOLD RUSH OF 1849-AND THEN DISCOVERY OF TONS OF PURE SILVER IN THE GOLD "TAILINGS", UNTIL THEN DISCARDED. OUR TRIP CONTINUED TO BEAUTIFUL LAKE TAHOE, WHERE WE HAD A NICE DINNER AT THE GOURMET "SOULE DOMINION".

WE VISITED THE NEVADA HISTORICAL SOCIETY MUSEUM AND THE WILBER MAY MUSEUM ON SATURDAY. MY DAUGHTER CYNTHIA AND NEW HUSBAND MARK ARRIVED LATER, FROM YUBA CITY, CALIF.-125 MILES WEST OF RENO. NOW ON THEIR HONEYMOON, THEY WERE HAVING A REUNION OF MARK'S FAMILY THERE.

OUR ANNUAL 1992 SOULE REUNION BANQUET WAS A HUGE SUCCESS FOR ME. I INTRODUCED MY NEW WIFE ALL AROUND, CYNDI DID LIKEWISE WITH MARK. I AM SURE EVERYONE ENJOYED THEMSELVES.

SUNDAY MORNING WE FOLLOWED CYNDI'S CAR OVER THE FAMOUS DONNER PASS TO CALIF. AND YUBA CITY, TO VISIT MARK'S GRANDFATHER, ROY DODSON.



IT WAS WHEN UNPACKING THE CAR I GOT MY BIGGEST SCARE OF MY LIFE. MY SHOULDER BAG WITH OUR AIR TICKETS, CREDIT CARDS AND MONEY WAS GONE. I COULDN'T BELIEVE I HAD BEEN SO CARELESS. I REMEMBERED PUTTING IT ON THE COUNTER WHEN CHECKING OUT OF THE SANDS. MARK PHONED THEM, AND LUCKY ME, THE BAG WAS SAFE IN THE SECURITY VAULT, "COULD I IDENTIFY IT?" I STILL HATE TO THINK ABOUT IT, NO MONEY OR CREDIT CARDS. I SWEAR TO BE MORE CAREFUL FROM NOW ON.

WE VISITED WITH ETHEL ROUSE, JAMES' 90 PLUS MOTHER AND HER PRUNE RANCH IN YUBA CITY. WE ENJOYED A NICE DINNER WITH HER, JAMES, HIS BROTHER WILL AND HIS WIFE BARBARA. CYNDI AND MARK JOINED US, WENT SWIMMING IN ETHEL'S BIG POOL AND THEN WATCHED THE PROCESS OF "SHAKING" PRUNE TREES. WE WATCHED THE BIG EQUIPMENT MOVE FROM TREE TO TREE TO GRAB IT AND CATCH THE DROPPING FRUIT, MOVING IT INTO LARGE BOXES. IT WAS ALL DONE EFFICIENTLY WITH ALMOST NO LOSS OF FRUIT.

WE ALL BADE YUBA CITY A FOND FAREWELL TUES, 18 AUG., CYNDI AND THE BOYS HEADING FOR DENVER, AND US BACK TO RETREVE MY BAG AND ON TO CARSON CITY. THERE WE VISITED THE OLD U.S. MINT, NOW A MUSEUM. THE "MAKE BELIEVE" GOLD MINE IN THE BASEMENT WAS A HIGHLIGHT FOR US, AS IT REPLICATED THE TOOLS, TIMBERS AND CONDITIONS OF THE 1860 MINES. NEXT DAY WE "LUCKED" INTO A ROOM AT THE MOTEL 6 AT SOUTH LAKE TAHOE. THIS IS THE HIGH MOUNTAIN LAKE WITH CALIE ON THE WEST AND NEVADA ON ITS EASTERN SHORE. THIS IS THE FAMOUS SPOT WHERE THE "JET" SET COMES IN SUMMER TO SPEND THEIR LOOT, GAMBLING AT THE CASINOES, EATING THE BEST IN FOOD, AND HAVE FUN. WE JOINED THEM FOR FOUR WONDERFUL SUNNY DAYS, DOING UP ALL THE TOURIST ATTRACTIONS, DINING WITH THE FAMOUS-AND CAME AWAY HAPPY AND MONEY LEFT TO GO AGAIN.

BEAUTIFUL LAKE TAHOE IS 8 MILES WIDE, 25 MILES LONG, RINGED BY 2500 FOOT MOUNTAINS. ITS' 100 FOOT PINES MAKE SENIC VIEWS FROM THE WINDING ROAD HIGH ABOVE ITS' ONE MILE HIGH SURFACE.

THE 1ST DAY WE SCOUTED AROUND THE CASINOS, EATING DINNER ON THE <sup>HARRIS</sup> 28TH FLOOR, WITH THE LAKE BENEATH US, AND THE SUNSET OVER THE MTNS. THE 2ND DAY WE SPENT CLIMBING AROUND THE TOP OF A 2500 FOOT PEAK AT THE SOUTH END OF LAKE TAHOE. THE "HEAVENLY TRAM" SKI LIFT TOOK US UP A FULL MILE AND WE HIKED ANOTHER 1000 FEET ON A ROCKY TRAIL AMID HUGE PINES AND CONIFERS. THAT NIGHT WE SAILED ON A 30 PERSON CATA-MARAN ON THE "ROMANTIC SUNSET CHAMPAGNE CRUISE". WITH SAILS UP IN A GOOD BREEZE, A FEMALE DECK HAND KEPT EVERYONE'S GLASS FULL OF THE BUBBLEY STUFF, HANGING ON LIKE A MONKEY BETWEEN EVERY WAVE. SHE

ALWAYS HELD ONTO THREE BOTTLES, NEVER SEEMED TO SPILL A DROP, WHILE WE SANG SONGS AND DANCED A BIT IN THE WAVE TOSSED COCKPIT. IT WAS AN EVENING TO REMEMBER, JUST PERFECT FOR ALL US HONEYMOONERS.

ONE DAY WE WENT COMPLETELY AROUND THE LAKE. THE NARROW ROAD TWISTS AND TURNS AROUND THE MANY BAYS, CLIMBING HIGH NOW-AND NEXT TO THE SHORE, FURTHER ON. WE FOUND THE "SOULE DOMAIN" AND TALKED TO OUR SOULE RELATIVE AGAIN, THEN ON TO BONANZA WHERE THE CARTWRIGHTS WERE SUPPOSED TO HAVE THEIR RANCH. IT TOOK US FOUR HOURS TO GO AROUND THE LAKE, STOPPING AT ALL THE OVERLOOKS FOR THE VIEWS OUT ACROSS THE WATER.

EARLY SAT. WE THOUGHT TO GO SWIMMING, IN SPITE OF THE VIGOUOUS WIND CHOPPING UP THE SURF. WE FOUND A BEACH A MILE WEST OF OUR MOTEL, SITTING OUT MOST OF THE MORNING AT AN ELITE RESORT. WE ATE LUNCH WITH THEM AT AN OUTDOOR BAR RESTAURANT. NO ONE WENT IN THE WATER, IT WAS FREEZING, - AND FEW SAILBOATS BRAVED THE WIND. WE SPENT A QUIET AFTERNOON AT A PRETTY 2 MILE LONG LAKE I HAD SPOTTED ON MY MAP, TO THE SOUTH OF TAHOE. THERE WAS A ROCKY WATERFALL AND A SEMI PRIVATE LODGE ON A WALKING TOUR WE MADE AROUND THE LAKE END. IT WAS SUCH A PRETTY SPOT, WITH THE BLUE JAYS AND TAME SQUIRRELS EATING PINE CONES.

THEN I FELT WE HAD DONE EVERYTHING OF INTEREST AND TRY FOR A QUICK TRIP HOME SUNDAY. I PHONED DELTA'S 800 NUMBER, FINDING A 10 A.M. FLIGHT OUT OF RENO, WITH ME AS A STANDBY. THIS WAS TRICKY BUSINESS AS I WAS ON TWO STANDBYS, ONE IN RENO AND ONE IN SALT LAKE CITY. I HAD NEVER DONE THIS BEFORE, BUT FELT OUR GOOD LUCK WOULD SEE US HOME. WE PACKED OUR BAGS SAT NIGHT AND GOT UP AT 5 A.M. SUN., ARRIVING AT RENO, 70 MILES NORTH, AT 8. ALL 3 BAGS WERE CHECKED ON IGNEZ TICKET IN CASE I GOT STUCK WITHOUT A SEAT. I HAD MY BACK PACK JUST IN CASE I HAD TO OVERNITE SOMEWHERE. BEING EARLY HELPED. AT THE RENO DELTA GATE, WE PERSUADED THE AGENTS TO GIVE US ADJACENT SEATS, AS I WAS A "SENIOR" AND A FREQUENT FLIER ON THEIR RECORDS. AT S.L. CITY, I JUST STOOD FIRST IN LINE AT THE GATE, GAVE MY NAME FOR STANDBY AND SAT DOWN. I WAS CALLED FOR A REAR SEAT IN 10 MINUTES. SO WE REALLY HAD NO TROUBLE GETTING BACK TO SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

WE HAD A WONDERFUL 10 DAY TRIP, EVERYTHING COMING OUR WAY AND NO PROBLEMS WE COULDNT RESOLVE.

AGAIN, IGNEZ AND I WANT TO THANK ALL THE WONDERFUL FRIENDS WHO MADE OUR VACATION SO PLEASANT. I HOPE EVERYONE GOT HOME SAFELY AND HAD AS MUCH FUN AS WE DID.

OUR BEST WISHES TO ALL

HERBERT AND IGNEZ SOULE

**LETTERS.....CONTINUED NEXT PAGE**

FROM LAWRENCE & MARIAN SOWLE OF RICHLAND CENTER, WIS.

"My husband Lawrence Sowle is a member of the Mayflower Society, as of March 12, 1979

Lawrence's lineage is:

Lawrence-10, Herbert-9, Harvey-8, Hiram-7, Wesson-6, James-5, Wesson Sowle-4, Nathaniel Sowle/Soule-3, Nathaniel-2, George-1

Lineage No. 11, Our four Daughters: Judith S. McDonough, Jeannie S. Coppernoll, Joycene S. Manning, Jelayne S. Brewer

Lineage No. 12: Our eleven grandchildren: Rochelle (McDonough) Burgermeister, Lori (Coppernoll) Brinkley, Joseph McDonough, Gregory McDonough, Todd Coppernoll, Tina Manning, Heather Manning, Michael Manning, Charlette Manning, Joseph Manning, and Angela Brewer.

Lineage No. 13: Our three great grandchildren: Brent Coppernoll, born July 8, 1991, age one year; Ashley Brinkley, born February 14, 1992, age five months; Emma Burgermeister, born May 31, 1992, age two months. We are expecting our fourth great grandchild in February 1993, another little Coppernoll.

We have ~~two~~ grandsons in the service. Grandson T/Sgt. Joseph McDonough married Sgt Kelly Egan on September 21, 1991.

The Richland Observer, Aug. 27, 1992



### AARP urges voting . . .

Lawrence Sowle, Past President; Marian Sowle, 1992 President of Richland County AARP 3691; and granddaughter, Angie Brewer, present Ann Greenheck, chairperson of the Richland County Board of Supervisors, with a cap with the logo "Get Out and Vote." The local AARP chapter and the National AARP-VOTE is promoting, this year, for everyone to be informed on the issues and "Get Out and Vote." The hats can be bought from Richland County AARP members or call 647-4726 for a hat.

**C-SPAN**

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## WHO WATCHES C-SPAN?

# In Wisconsin, a C-SPAN Party Line

*Viewer Created 'Telephone Tree' to Alert Local Retirees About Network Programming*

by MARY HOLLEY

**F**OR WISCONSIN NATIVE Marian Sowle, the telephone and the television go hand in hand when she watches C-SPAN. As legislative chairperson of the American Association of Retired Persons' chapter in Richland Center, Wis., Ms. Sowle uses the telephone to alert other elderly viewers that C-SPAN is airing something of interest to them.

Ms. Sowle uses a "telephone tree" to get the word out. "If I'm watching something on Medicare, Social Security, or the presidential candidates, I immediately get on the phone and call the 12 other telephone tree volunteers. Then we each call 15 or so other AARP members, and the word spreads."

Information eventually reaches the chapter's 175 members, Ms. Sowle says. The entire community has cable TV service—it is located in a valley where broadcast reception is poor. But few local AARP members knew about C-SPAN until Ms. Sowle and her telephone tree volunteers began calling. She worried at first that her frequent calls might bother some people, but the initial nervousness wore off as the system began to work, she says. "We look out for each other."

"I don't know what I'd do without C-SPAN," Ms. Sowle says. "I watch C-SPAN every day and think it's a necessary part of every citizen's education process."

Her devotion to the network stems from C-SPAN's balanced programming, she says. "It lets people look at both sides. People can't just be blind and vote one way because of a political party."

Ms. Sowle started watching C-SPAN about five years ago when she "came across it" while flipping through the channels. A 64-year-old homemaker, mother of four daughters and grandmother of 10, Ms.



C-SPAN viewer Marian Sowle and her husband, Lawrence: "If I'm watching something on Medicare, Social Security, or the presidential candidates, I immediately get on the phone and call the 12 other telephone tree volunteers. Then we each call 15 or so other AARP members, and the word spreads."

Sowle was not interested in public affairs until she started watching C-SPAN. "My mother was getting up in years, and one day when I was watching C-SPAN I saw a program about Medicare. That got me interested in issues concerning the elderly, and I've been addicted ever since," Ms. Sowle explains.

Soon after she began watching C-SPAN, Ms. Sowle became interested in AARP. Her husband, Lawrence, served as Richland County chapter president for two years while Ms. Sowle served as the chapter's link to state and federal legislative issues. "We meet once a month, and I keep the members up to date on what's going on in Washington and around the state that might interest them." Ms. Sowle also brings tapes of C-SPAN programming to the monthly meetings.

Ms. Sowle says she enjoys watching "just about anything" on C-SPAN.

addition to issues affecting the elderly, Ms. Sowle enjoys watching coverage of the candidates. "I can't see how people can vote for someone without really educating themselves." Ms. Sowle calls herself neither a Democrat nor a Republican. "I vote for the person, not the party."

Richland Center, located 60 miles northwest of the state capital, Madison, has a branch of the state university in town. But Ms. Sowle is disappointed that neither the university nor the local schools make full use of C-SPAN. She recently has taken her C-SPAN crusade to the classrooms. "I spoke to the high school principal, and he doesn't watch C-SPAN. I think it should be required viewing in all schools around the country."

Her quest to get C-SPAN in the classroom coincides with a desire to "make the world a better place," Ms. Sowle says. "C-SPAN is the best

Dear Jeanette,

I have seen the picture of the Soule Park located in Ojai, California in the Soule Kindred Newsletter, but I have never seen any backup data. Therefore, while in Ojai one weekend and during vacation the next week, I did a little research into the Soule Park history.

Cyrus Edwin Sowles brought his family to Ojai from Sonoma County, California in 1873 in hopes that the climate would make him a well man. He established a farm in Ojai. He and his wife Matilda Adaline Kager, had five children: William E., Lillian E., Nina E., Earl E., and Zaidee E. None of his children ever married. His property (see map), encompassed 310 acres. Part of this property is now Soule Park and Soule Golf Course.

The local newspaper noted that the Soules had a handsome dwelling, which was nicely painted. The fact that he graveled his road also impressed the editors. Numerous natural live oaks dotted the landscape and he brought in four Italian cypress trees to further adorn the yard. He had about two acres planted to fruit trees including cherry, a county novelty. The barn measured 40 by 50 feet including the crib and carriage shelter. He also planted 100 acres of wheat, twelve acres of barley and six acres of alfalfa.

A lot was purchased from Cyrus by the Los Angeles Presbytery to build a church, which was completed on January 6, 1884 and was located at the corner of Ojai Avenue and what is now called Fairway Lane.

The first Ojai Valley organization, outside of churches and schools, was the Grange founded by twenty farmers in 1875. C. E. Sowles was included in the original roster.

Mr. Sowles changed his name to Soule sometime prior to 1890 from the data found. This leads to the speculation that he could have known of the George Soule connection and the spelling.

In 1893 a committee was formed to bring a railroad to Ojai. Mrs. Soule let it be known that there was already a railroad in the valley, for she had a short line that ran from the drying field to the sulphuring house.

L. Orsin Sowles, possibly C. E. Soule's brother, had 40 acres with fifty fruit trees. His comfortable cottage and whitewashed barn were tucked under the spreading branches of a large cluster of oaks.

Lillian served as the librarian starting in 1895 and when Lillian died at the age of 25 in 1900, her sister Zaidee took her place. In 1819 Zaidee resumed her job as the librarian. In 1944, Zaidee retired as the librarian after a combined total of over 30 years.

#### THE "MURDER" OF BILL SOULES

Nordhoff, a small town near Ojai, was basically a peaceful town, the main excitement being an occasional runaway horse, or a staged bucking show in front of Clark's livery stable. In the teen years of this century, however, a killing took place in the quiet, country village.

Sid Houk ran the billiard parlor then. As the story goes, Bill Soule, had lost quite a bit of money in a card game at Houk's. He was still angry about it the next day and decided to take his losses out on the proprietor. Bill knew that Sid walked home for lunch every day along Signal Street, so he waited for him.

Soule situated himself between two buildings ... a bottle of wine in one hand and a gun in the other ... and waited for Sid to walk past. Mr. Raddick usually relieved Houk at noon, but that day, he was too ill to come in.

Soon it became obvious to Bill that Houk wasn't coming out on the

street. He was pretty well liquored up as he bolted through the front door of the pool hall and began waving his gun at Sid. Earl Christman grabbed the barrel of the gun just as Soule squeezed the trigger and the bullet grazed Sid Houk's arm. Sid ducked behind the counter, came up with a gun of his own, and killed Bill on the spot.

The coroner hadn't arrived yet from Ventura by the time school was out and the children remembered the sense of wonderful horror they felt as they walked slowly past the pool hall and saw the feet of the corpse just inside the doorway.

Earl Soule served as one of the early mayors of Ojai. In 1893, he had twenty acres of olive trees. In 1901 he was part of a group that formed the Ojai Olive Association and built a two story mill with a basement. In 1903 they marketed 11,000 gallons of oil from 100 acres of locally grown olives. In 1927 Earl had planted eighty acres of his ranch to beans, making this the largest planting of this vegetable ever in Ojai.

Zaidee Soule maintained a card index file of important events in the Ojai area. In 1957, Zaidee, the only remaining member of the pioneer Soule family gave some land to the county for a park. Excited by this generous gift, county leaders began talking of building a pool, trout ponds, bridle trails, an archery and pistol range, and riding stables.. none of which were feasible at the time. In 1961, despite public protest, they tore down the old Soule home where Zaidee had been born eighty-three years earlier. The original home was reportedly on the spot where the golf clubhouse now stands.

The Soule Park, 1033 East Ojai Avenue has a eighteen-hole championship course built around its thousand trees. It is a par seventy-two course with a 69.0 rating. Reservations are required. Presently the beautiful grassy park on Boardman Road includes a softball diamond, horse arena, tennis courts, playground equipment, barbecue pits, and lots of open space where children can fly their kites or just run and tumble.

In the 1870 US Census, which was taken on July 12, 1870, Cyrus E. 31 and his wife Adaline 25 were living in Healdsburg, Sonoma County, California and he was a laborer. Their children were; William E. 5, Lillie E. 4, Nannie 2 and Baby (a male) 1. Cyrus was born in Canada, Adaline in Missouri, and the children in California. Cyrus had real estate valued at \$5,000 and personal property of \$5,000. His mother-in-law, Matilda Cafer 61 was living with him. Matilda had personal property of \$4,000.

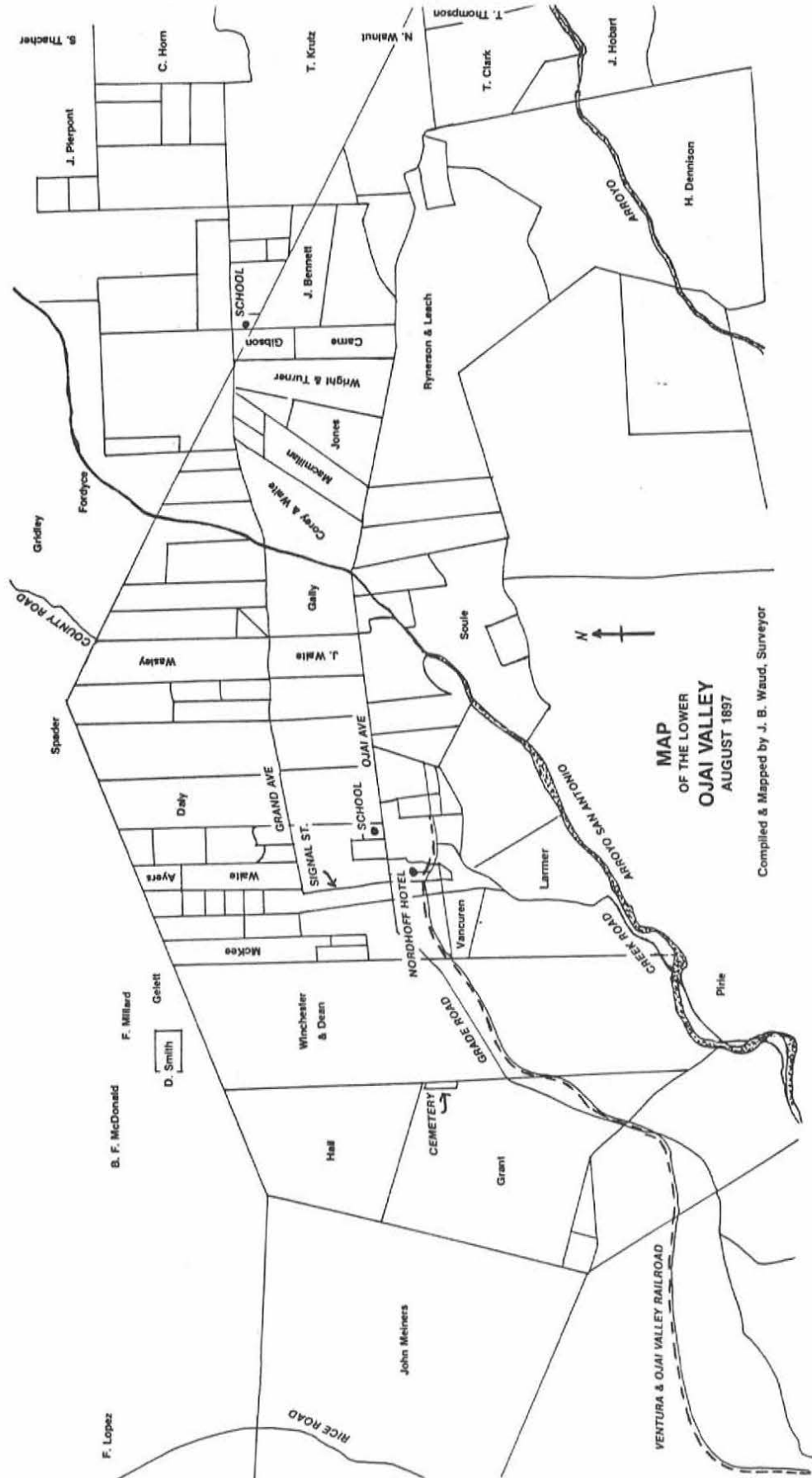
In the 1880 US Census, which was taken on June 21, 1880, C. E. Sowles 41 and his wife Ada 35 were living in Ventura County, California and he was a farmer. Their children were; Wm. 16, Lillin 14, Nina 12, Earle 11 and Zadie 2. C. E. was born in Canada, Ada in Missouri and the children in California. C. E.'s parents were born in Canada.

In the 1880 US Census, which was taken on June 22, 1880, L. O. Sowles 40 and his wife Mary E. 34 were living in Ventura County, California and he was a farmer. Their children were; Laulla 13, Edward 8, Clarence 6, Esther 4, and Jennie 2. L. O. was born in New York, Mary in Canada and the children in California. L. O.'s father was born in Canada and mother in New York.

In the 1900 US Census, which was taken on June 29, 1900, Mathilda 55 (October 1844), a widow, was living in Ojai Twp., Ventura County, California. Her children were; Lillian E. 34 (November 1865), Nina E. 32 (October 1867), Earl E. 31 (March 1869) and Zaidee E. 22 (March 1878). Mathilda was born in Missouri and the children in California. Mathilda's parents were born in Virginia. Mathilda was a farmer, Lillian was a librarian and Earl was a farm laborer.



Elmer R. Nelson  
10532 Jordan Avenue  
Chatsworth, CA 91311



MAP OF THE LOWER OJAI VALLEY AUGUST 1897  
 Compiled & Mapped by J. B. Waud, Surveyor

D. Alberta Soule Epperson  
10 Camelia Drive  
Napa, California 94558

Dear Geraldine,

It has been an exciting year for me. At last I had the opportunity to find proof of my Great Grandmother Sarah Chambers. Sardine Stone Soule's wife.

Lineage: Alberta Soule 10, Norval Adelbert Soule 9, Albert Mason Soule 8, Sardine Stone Soule 7, Almond Soule 6, Asa 5, Micah 4, Josiah 3, John 2, George 1, Soule Kindred File #3246.

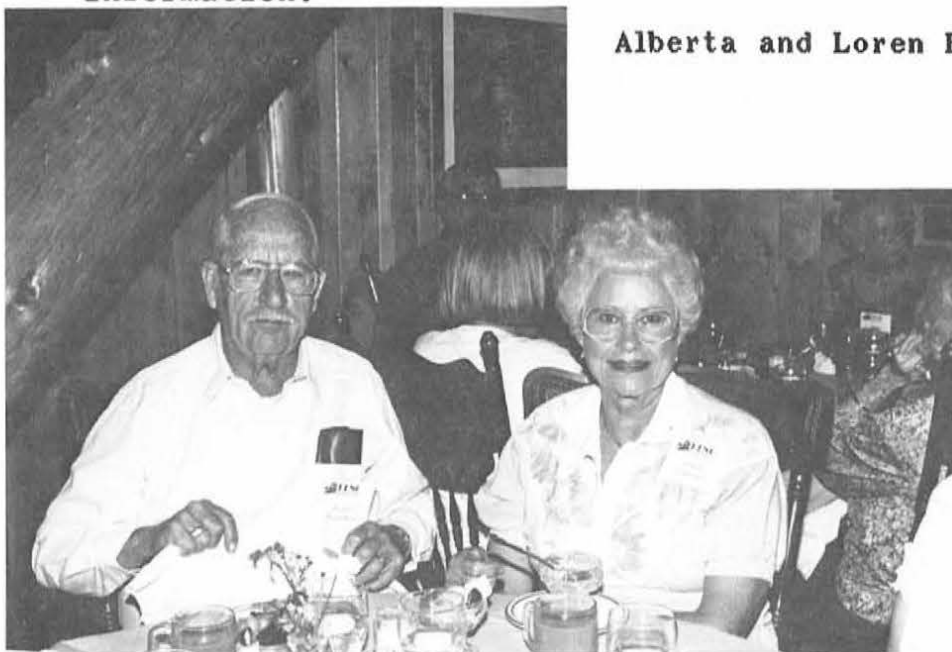
We traveled from city to city and looked at cemetery records included Guthrie, Ok. which I found My Great Grandfather Sardine S. Soule buried in the Summit View Cemetery at Guthrie, Oklahoma. The records on file were incorrect as to location of grave. I searched for a block away and at last I saw the Civil War Veteran Headstone with Co. I 12th Ks. Inf. and a metal with post 3, G.A.R. The headstone was very clear with all information.

We then traveled to Arkansas City, Ks. and located Sarah Chambers Soule burial at the 1872 Riverview cemetery. This section PW Lot 15, Space 5. The old records in the vault at this city told about Sarah purchasing lots as Ray Soule born March 1879 age 9 months, buried beside Sarah and a Baby M. also.

I also found a lovely writing in the Arkansas City Traveler Page 3 on Sept. 15, 1881. Sarah Chambers Soule was buried the same day as death, age 51 years 8mo, 14 days. She has no marker on grave.

They had fourteen children.

We have traveled a lot through our years and always find new information.



Alberta and Loren Epperson of California



DESCENDANCY CHART from Dorothy Alberta (Soule) Epperson, 10  
Camelia Dr., Napa, California.

Alberta's lineage: D. Alberta (10) Soule Epperson, Norval  
Adelbert (9) Soule, Albert Mason (8) Soule, Sardine Stone (7)  
Soule, Almond (6) Soule, Asa (5) Soule, Micah (4) Soule, Josiah  
(3) Soule, John (2) Soule, George (1).

Society of MAYFLOWer Descendants Member.

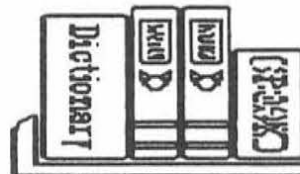
1--George Soule  
Sp. Mary Beckett  
2--John Soule  
Sp. Ester(---)Sampson  
3--Josiah Soule 1679 MF3:7,19  
Sp. Lydia Delano 1680 MF-3:19

June 10, 1992 Descendancy Chart--Asa Soule

1--Asa Soule(1753) Soule Kindred File #3246  
Sp-Olive Southworth (1744) MF3:59,192  
2--Almond Soule (1773) MF3"192 (#w54625)  
SP--Mary (Polly) Kimball (1781)  
3--Moses Kimball Soule (1799)  
3--Almond Soule Jr. (1799)  
Sp-Dolly Kimball McClure(1779)  
3--Bejamine Soule (1800)  
3. Olive Soule(1804)  
Sp-Perkins  
3--ASa Soule (1807)  
Sp--Mahala (1812)  
3--Joathan Soule (1809)  
Sp-Lunicda M. Sharp (1828)  
3--Mary Kimball Soule (1812)  
SP-Thomas Prentice Fogg(1799)  
3--Hannah c(l?)Soule (1814)  
Sp-Chambers  
3--Lucinda Soule (1864)  
3--Philander Soule (1818)  
Sp-Mary Goldsmith Athey (1822)  
3--Sardine Stone Soule (1821)w#54625  
Sp-Sarah Chambers (29 Dec.1828-9 Sept.1880 Ark.City,Ks.  
(Records at Riverview Cemetery)  
4--Jasper S. Soule (1848)  
4--Albert Mason Soule (1852)MF(w54625)  
Sp Isadora D. Stryker (1851) Mf #54625.  
5--Norval Adelbert Soule (1887) Mf #w54625.  
Sp-Agnes Christina Steller (1896) Mf#54625  
6--Dorothy Alberta Soule(1918)Mf#w54625.Epperson  
Sp-Loren Leslie Epperson(1917)Mf#w54625.  
7--Beverly Joeann Epperson (1938)Mfw54625.  
Sp.-William Norman Palmer (1938)  
8--Cynthia Lorene Palmer(1957)  
Sp-Garey Steven Donati  
9--Danielle Melissa Donati (1978)  
Sp-Stanley Roy Shaparnis  
9--Marisa Amanda Shaparnis (1988)  
9--Connie Chanda Shaparnis (1990)

- 8--Deanna Noreen Palmer (1960)
  - Sp.Charles Meserve
  - 9--Charles Nathan Merserve (1978)
  - 9--Dustin W. Loren Meserve (1980)
- 7--Nancy June Epperson (1939)
  - Sp-Y.B. Crawford (1936)Div.Sp James Schloesser
- 8--Robin Leslie Crawford (1960)
  - Sp--Bob W. Jordan Jr.
  - 9--Jeremy Ryan Jordan (1982)
  - 9--Britney Danay Jordan (1986)
  - 9--Tyler Bradley Jorday (1988)
- 8--Terri Lynn Crawford (1962)
  - Sp--Gerald Eugene Scheruan (1961)
  - 9--Jason Allen Scheuman (1984)
  - 9--Tyson Crawford Scheuman (1987)
- 6--Maxine Irene Soule (1922)
  - Sp-Robert Lorraine Creighton (1922)
  - 7--Stanley Robert Creighton (1946)
  - Sp--Elizabeth Sue Haven Div., (1948)
  - 7--Steven Douglas Creighton (1949)
  - Sp-Elizabeth Diane Wells Div (1951)
  - 7--Kathryn Susanne Creighton
  - Sp-Chris. Short
  - 7--Kristina Maxine Creighton (1954)
  - Sp
- 6--Marjorie June Soule (1925)
  - Sp--Ray Ivan Bradley (1916)
  - 7--Larry Ray Bradley (1944)
  - 7--Donald Ray Bradley (1945)
  - Sp-Francis Jeanette Adams Div
  - Sp--Melody
  - 7--Gerald Robert Bradley (1947)
  - Sp--Carrol Ann LaPlante (div)
  - 7--Billey Frank Bradley (1949)
  - Sp Nancy
  - 7--Mary Agnes Bradley (1952)
  - Sp--Garey
  - Homer Adelbert Bradley (1954)
  - Sp.
- 6--Bonnie-Jean Regina Soule (1930)
  - Sp Eugene Halley (1928)
  - 7--Shirleen Regina Halley (1948)
  - Sp--Billey Wayne McMillian (1965) (div)
  - Sp--William Bozeman Sloan
- 5--Lillian I. Brooks (1878)
  - Sp-Fred Brooks
- 5--Earl A. Soule (1884)
  - Sp--Josephine F. Wagner (1877)
- 5--Altie May Soule (1851)
- 4--Ida E Soule (1856)
  - Sp-- Nelson Cooper
  - Sp--Delbert Demo
- 4--Nettie I Soule (1856)
  - Sp--Norulle E. Shyrer

- 4--Charles S. Soule (1859)
- 4--Dolly A. Soule (1861)
- 4--Almond Soule (1863)
- 4--Jessie Soule (1865)
- 3--Lorenzo Dave Soule (1824)
- 2--Benjamin Soule (1776)
- 2--Micah Soule (1779)
- 2--Jehiel Soule (1783)
- 2--Philander Soule (1785)
- 2--Betsey Soule (1789)
- 2--Walter Soule (1769)
- 2--Lucetta Soule (1798)



For Your  
Information

TOMAH MONITOR-HERALD  
MONDAY, JULY 20, 1992

**SOWLE FAMILY REUNION**  
Sowle Family Association members gathered on July 11 in Firemen's Park for their fifth reunion since 1980. These are people who descend from the Sowles who settled in Dorset Corners in 1855 -- and back to George Soule of the Mayflower. The morning was spent renewing acquaintances with "cousins" and meeting new ones. The huge wall charts showing descent from George Soule of the Mayflower, and the four sons of James and Patience (Macomber) Sowle were displayed. These occupied the interest of many, especially those

Sent in by Geraldine  
Sowle Schlosser,  
Tomah, WI.

The big hit of the reunion was the wall charts (below) showing descent from James<sup>6</sup> and Wesson<sup>6</sup> (James<sup>5</sup>, Wesson<sup>4</sup>, Nathaniel<sup>3</sup>, Nathaniel<sup>2</sup>, George<sup>1</sup>) The reunion is planned for all descendants of James<sup>5</sup>. There were 97 in attendance July 11th.

who hadn't attended a reunion before.

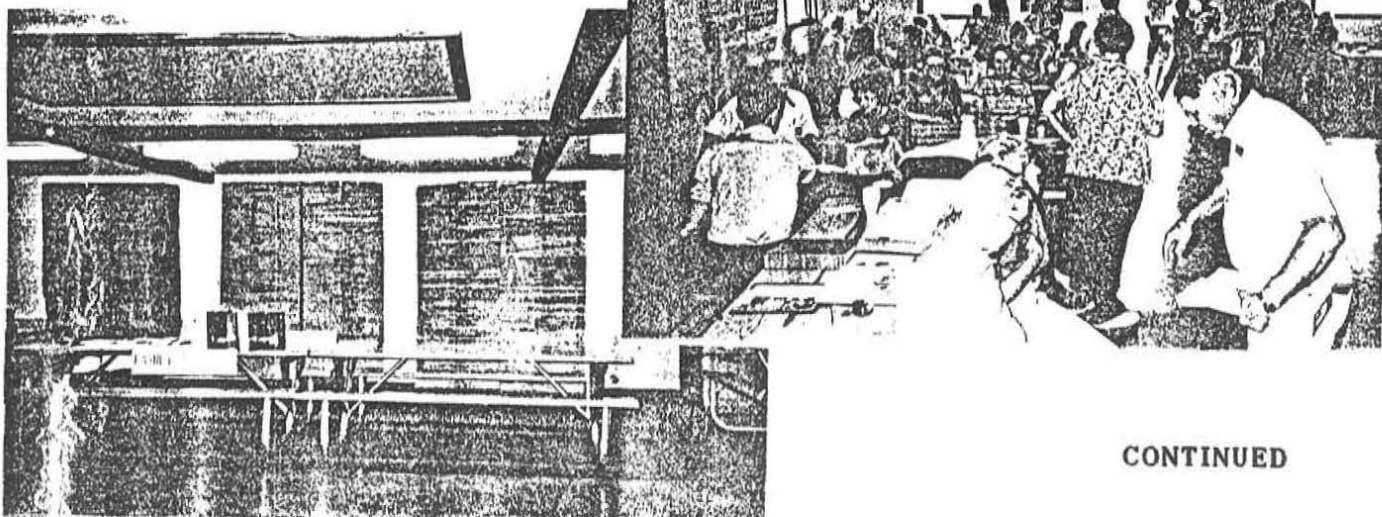
Following a potluck lunch, there was a short business meeting, and new officers were elected (all from Tomah): President - Gloria Sowle Hesper, Vice-President - Steve Waugh, Secretary-Treasurer - Karyl Nordwig, Board Members - Maxine Hart, Geraldine Sowle Schlosser, Kenny Anderson, Marlene Anderson. The group voted to hold its next reunion in Tomah in 1995.

Those attending from out of state were: Rick and Pam (Blanchard) Blood, Alexis and Ethan, El Toro, CA; Tania (Potekhen) Teke, Jennifer and Chris, Silverthorne, CO; Don and Sharon Campbell, Marshalltown, IA; Drs. John T. and William H. Sowle, Rockford, IL; Bill Blanchard, Nancy, Sally and Scott, Indianapolis, IN; Brian and Laura (Blanchard) Peterson, Eric and Samantha, Zionsville, IN; Susi Roeder, St. Paul, MN; Bernie and Joycene Manning, Char, Heather, Joe, Mike and Tina, Stewartville, MN; Bud and Thelma Hane, Fort Shaw, MT; Loyd and Polly Berry, Harlowton, MT; Carol Seim, Missoula, MT; Bob and Hazel Holland, Simms, MT; Margaret Wirtli,

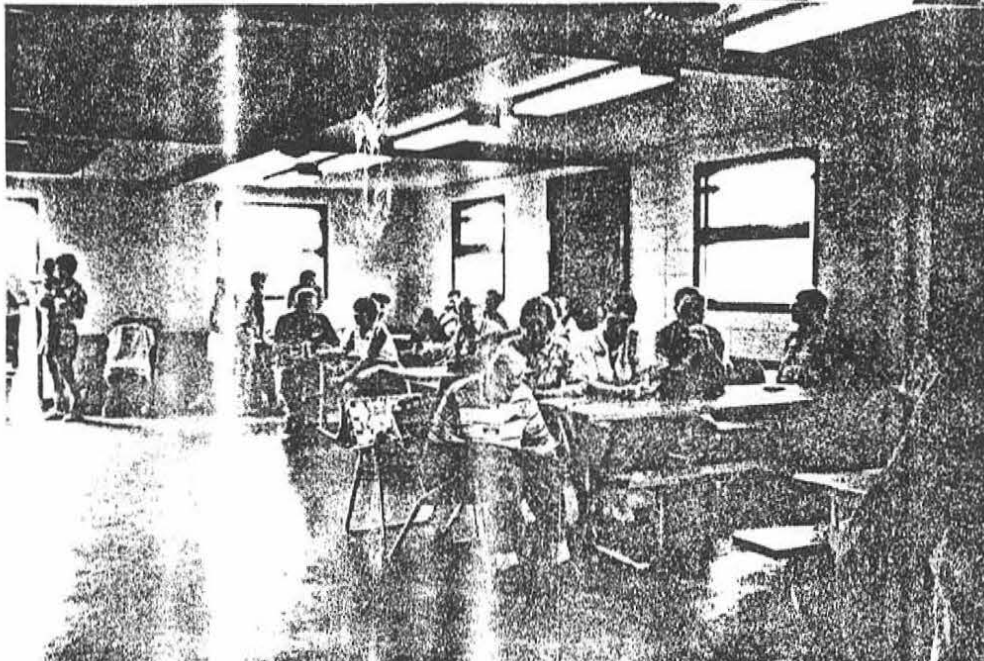
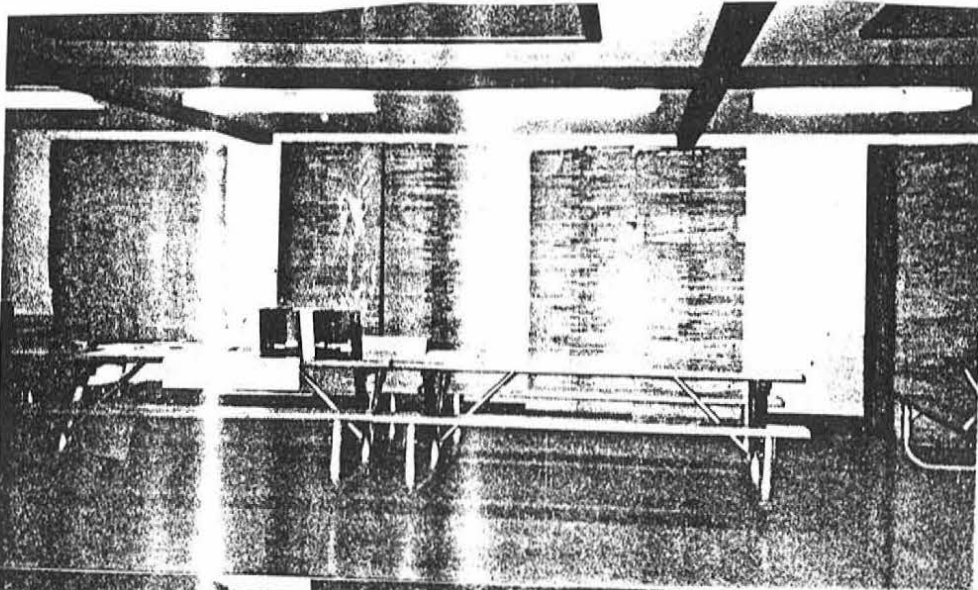
Stevensville, MT; Jack and Melissa Sowle, Senecaville, OH; Robert and Mary Blanchard, Turtletown, TN; Sam and Sandie Stubblefield, Harlingen, TX.

The greatest number of participants were from Wisconsin. Brown Deer - Chris Schlosser; Cedarburg - Jeanette Sowle Blanchard; DePere - Edwin and Nancy (Blanchard) Watts; Menomonee Falls - Robert and Misti Blanchard; Milwaukee - Ken Schlosser; Mondovi - Walter and Ruth Sowle; Oconto - Garner and Jeanne Sowle; Onalaska - Herb and Ann Hesper; Oregon - Helen, Bobbi and Debbie Anderson, Lyle Lenski, Stacey Thompson; Reedsburg - Judith McDonough; Richland Center - Skip and Jeannie Coppemoll and Brent, Chuck, Jelayne and Angie Brewer, Duane, Lori and Ashley Brinkley, Lawrence and Marian Sowle; Spring Green - Robert Anderson; Marilyn and Gene Davis of Union Grove.

The others, all from Tomah, were: Marlene, Ken, Marsha and Charlie Anderson, Maxine Hart, Gloria and Harry Hesper, Dee and Ken Randall and Sheri, Jim and Geraldine (Sowle) Schlosser, Art and Bev Sowle, Tenno and Denise Sowle, Helen Waugh, Tarry Wiltzie.



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**MARRIAGES:**

June 28, 1992

THE SUNDAY GAZETTE

**WEDDINGS**



**THOMAS NILES  
PATRICIA SOWLE**

Patricia Sowle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Sowle Jr. of Crannell Road, Galway, was married May 9 to Thomas Niles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Niles of Binghamton, at West Charlton Presbyterian Church.

Matron of honor was Peggy Roser. Bridesmaid was Kellie Sowle. Flower girl was Amanda Sowle.

Best man was Joseph Niles. Ushers were Mark Sowle and Robert Sowle. Junior usher was Kristopher Roser. Ring bearer was Joshua Roser.

The bride is a graduate of Galway Central School. She is employed by Kmart in Amsterdam.

Her husband is a graduate of Chenango Forks High School in Binghamton and the State University of New York College at Oswego, where he earned a bachelor's degree in business administration. He is employed by Kmart in Amsterdam.

The couple lives in Amsterdam.

MAINE WEEKEND Style 7

Sat.-Sun., September 5 - 6, 1992



**Huffstutler/Soule**

WINTERPORT — Michelle Leigh Huffstutler, daughter of Thomas and Christine Huffstutler of Lincoln, and Andrew Howard Soule, son of Howard Soule of Carmel and Edwina Soule of Bangor, were married May 23 at the Winterport United Methodist Church by the Rev. Robert Murchie. Maid of honor was Loretta Martin of Bangor. Jennifer Tozier of Lincoln was bridesmaid. Best man was Corey Haskell of Bangor. Ushers were David Williams of Bangor; Robert Brushwein, Auburn, uncle of the bridegroom; and David Huffstutler of Lincoln, brother of the bride. The flower girl and ring bearer were Amanda Hart and Andrew Hart of Winterport, niece and nephew of the bridegroom. The bride is a graduate of Mattanawcook Academy, Lincoln, and is employed by Erin Inc., Bangor. The bridegroom graduated from Bangor High School and is employed as the afternoon news anchor by WZON radio in Bangor. The couple spent their honeymoon in Plymouth, Mass., and reside in Bangor.

From Jeanette Taylor of Deer Isle, Maine

From B. J. Haner of Albany, New York

# OBITUARIES

## Arthur Soules Sr.

MAYFIELD — A service will be held for Arthur F. Soules Sr., 76, of Mountain Road, who died Thursday afternoon at Nathan Littauer Hospital in Gloversville after a long illness.

Born in Johnstown, Mr. Soules was a lifelong area resident.

He was an Army rifleman with the 32nd Red Arrow Division Infantry Scouts during World War II. He served in the Philippines in the Japan Theater and received a combat infantry badge and Pacific Service Badge.

Mr. Soules was employed as a leather worker and glove worker for the former G. Levour Co. in Gloversville before his retirement.

He was a member of the Gloversville Veterans Foreign War Post and the Gloversville Moose Lodge.

Survivors include his wife, Anne Christiano Soules, whom he married Feb. 10, 1934; a son, Arthur J. Soules of Gloversville; a daughter, Beverly Ashbey of Mayfield; a brother, William Soules of Plean, Calif.; a sister, Florence Hopkins of Yuba, Calif.; five grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

The service will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday at the John W. Finocan Funeral Home, 13 Prospect Ave., Gloversville. Burial will be in the Ferndale Cemetery in Johnstown.

Calling hours will be from 2 to 4 this afternoon and 7 to 9 tonight at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to charity.

## ESTHER (SOULE) GROSS

WALDOBORO — Esther (Soule) Gross, 88, died at a Damariscotta hospital July 23, 1992. Born in Waldoboro, May 28, 1904, she was the only child of John F. and Emma (Newbert) Soule, a direct descendant in the ninth generation from George Soule of the Mayflower. A member of the Society of Mayflower Descendants, she was one of the four people in Maine who contributed family data for the Soule volume of "Mayflower Families to the Fifth Generation". She was also a member of the Soule Kindred in America and served a year as its secretary. Educated in Waldoboro schools, she was a member of the Class of 1921 Waldoboro High School and graduated valedictorian. She was a former member and past noble grand of Good Luck Rebekah Lodge and the Rebekah Assembly of Maine. The Decoration of Chivalry, for community service and good citizenship had been conferred upon her by the Patriots Militant IOOF of Maine. She was a former member of Meenahga Grange No. 555 for which she was secretary for 13 years and held other offices. Mrs. Gross was a life member of the Waldoborough Historical Society. She was well-known locally for her interest in Waldoboro and area history and had been active in genealogy for the greater part of her life. She was interested in the preservation of the Old German Church and served in the Ladies Auxiliary, German Protestant Society. Mrs. Gross was also a member of the First Baptist Church of Waldoboro. Survivors include a daughter, Marjorie Bragg of New Sharon; two granddaughters, Sharron Buckalew of Columbia, La., Charlotte Webster of Trevett; one cousin, Mrs. Wendall (Phyllis) Genthner; three great-grandchildren, and two great-great-grandchildren. Her only son, Elroy H. Gross Jr., died in 1955. A graveside service will held 3 p.m. Monday, July 27, at the German Cemetery, Waldoboro, with the Rev. David W. Bell officiating. Visiting hours are 7-8 p.m. Sunday at the Hall Funeral Home, 949 Main St., Waldoboro. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the heart and cancer funds.

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Saturday, November 9, 1991

From B. J. Haner of Albany, New York.



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## SOULE ELECTED NEW ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT

A change in leadership occurred at the Association's Annual Meeting June 2nd when **Carson A. Soule** was elected President for 1992-93. A Board member since 1988, Soule is the Executive Director of the Heartland Film Festival in Indianapolis.



Carson A. Soule  
President

From Peg S. Turner of Indianapolis, Indiana

## Soule elected trustee

WESTBORO - Charles Soule, formerly of Middleboro and president of the Paul Revere Insurance Group, Worcester, has been elected to the board of trustees of the Worcester Foundation.

A graduate of Middleboro High School, Soule is married to the former Elna Eayrs, also formerly of Middleboro.

He is a member of the board of directors of Textron Investment

Management Company, Inc. and the Massachusetts Electric Company, and chairman of the board of the Life Insurance Association of Massachusetts. He is a director of the Worcester Business Development Corporation, and is co-chairman of the Massachusetts Business Alliance for Education.

A graduate of Dartmouth College, he lives in Westboro.

From Alberta Soule of Middlebury, Ma.

8/20/92

Middleboro Gazette

# need for names



Craig Sailor/Gazette-Journal

**IN SEARCH OF KIN:** Boyd and Dora Price, left, and John Cordine in the Family History Center's computer room.

By Jo Anna Phillips

**M**ore and more people are looking to the past to answer questions about the present. Questions like: "Who am I?" and "Where do I come from?" Tracing ancestry, or genealogy, has become a national pastime.

"People want to learn more about themselves, and they do that by finding out about their ancestors," said Tom Sawtelle, 62, director of the Family History Center in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints on Neil Road. "They seek information about family history, including medical backgrounds. Here at the center, we have seen an increase in requests that is 2 to 3 times higher than 3 years ago."

Jean Klebenow, 59, of Reno began her search about eight years ago. "When my oldest grandchild was born, my daughter asked me, 'How do I fill in her baby book where family information is requested?' There were many missing pieces which I decided to try to fit together. I was very fortunate in obtaining information. I was able to trace our family history back to the 1500s."

"But the desire for more is addictive!" she warns.

Klebenow was assisted in her genealogy by the Family History Center. Staffed by volunteers, the center, one of 1,100 in the United States (and 1,600 worldwide) is part of the vast network of genealogical information gathered yearly by the LDS Church.

**AS PART** of its religious tenets, the church, which is headquartered in Salt Lake City, is dedicated to assisting people like Klebenow in researching and obtaining family histories. In fact, there are 200 teams of microfilmmers worldwide seeking out and recording family information. In the Salt Lake City headquarters alone there are 1.8 million rolls of microfilm, 4,000 books and several hundred thousand microfiche. There is information on 3 BILLION people. It may very well be the largest data base of its kind in a non-governmental entity. And all the services, except for supplies, are free.

"We have a computer center here in the Reno facility with extensive ancestral files, an International

Genealogical index, and many other resource files," explained Bob Preston, 62, a Carson City volunteer and fellow researcher.

How do you start the journey backward? According to Sawtelle:

**1. Begin with yourself** and information about the present generation. Collect everything you can get your hands on relative to family history.

**2. Talk with the family generations** you have access to — grandparents, great-grandparents. Obtain oral histories while they are able to provide them. Sometimes casual comments made by elders can be clues that will save you months of research.

From The Gazette-Journal of Reno, Nevada

**3. Organize the information** so that you can see exactly what you

have. Use a Pedigree Chart and Family Group Record or other genealogy form as a guide. Then select a goal, information on a maternal aunt, for example, and stay focused. The amount of information will overwhelm you if you are not focused.

**4. Identify the kinds of records** that will be helpful: birth and death certificates, military service documents, land records, wills, life insurance papers, letters and diaries.

**5.** As you obtain information, **review priorities** and, if needed, re-evaluate goals. Often, new information may take you in a different direction.

Don't be discouraged if initial efforts are less than fruitful. It may mean that a little extra detective work is required. But it's worth it.

Just ask Jean Klebenow:

"Pursuing my genealogy made me feel good. My family was enthusiastic about the project, but beyond that, it gave me a feeling of being truly connected to my ancestors. I developed lots of reverence for them — crossing oceans to unknown lands, learning a new language, uprooting their families to take a chance on a better life. It made me wish that I had been there."

Jo Anna Philips is a Reno-based free-lance writer.

## INFORMATION FROM BOOKS

- "The Source: A Guidebook of American Genealogy," by Arlene Eakle and Johni Cerny, Salt Lake City, Utah, Ancestry Inc., 1984.
- "Ancestry's Guide to Research: Case Studies in American Genealogy," by Eakle and Cerny, Ancestry Inc., 1985.
- "The Handy Book for Genealogists," by George B. Everton, Logan, Utah, 1981.
- "In Search of Your European Roots," Angus Baxter, Baltimore, Genealogical Publishing Co., 1985.
- "Locating Your Immigrant Ancestor," James C. and Lila Lee Neagles, Logan, Utah, Everton Publishers, 1975.
- "Computer Genealogy: A Guide to Research Through High Technology," by Paul Andereck and Richard Pence, Salt Lake City, Utah, Ancestry Inc., 1985.

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From "LEGENDS, LIES AND CHERISHED MYTHS OF AMERICAN HISTORY". PG 140:

"Christmas had not, by the way, always been regarded as a proper time for celebration. In the seventeenth century this holiday, which was to become so American, was widely regarded in New England as an unappealing popish import. The leaders of the Massachusetts Bay Colony so disdained Christmas that in 1659 they passed a law against celebrating the holiday, punishing "anybody who is found observing (it), by abstinence from labor, feasting, or any other way." The law was repealed twenty-five years later, but the prejudice against Christmas remained strong. Judge Samuel Sewall was happy to report in his diary in 1685 that he didn't see anybody celebrating the holiday.



Virginia City, Nevada  
What a ride that was

Dick and Phyllis Hulce



The Soules from Canada



Checking out the planes  
from the tower

Watching the planes land  
at Fallon Naval Air Station



Jim Soule & Norman Soule  
at the Banquet

CORRECTION FROM SOULE NEWSLETTER VOLUME XXV, NO 3, SUMMER 1991

From Barbara Soule' Granum:

- 10--William MacLeod Truesdale (1956)
  - sp-Philip Loring REED (1918)
- 9-- Evelyn MacLeod SOULE (1921)
  - sp- Colin MacAllister CUNNINGHAM (1917) ,
- 10--Evelyn Soule CUNNINGHAM (1943)
  - sp-Lawrence George MALOOMIAN (1940)
  - 11-- Kimberly Soule MALOOMIAN (1983)
- 10--Colin MacAllister CUNNINGHAM, JR. (1945)
  - sp-North Winnett LYMAN (1948)
  - 11-Colin MacAllister CUNNINGHAM III, (1973)
  - 11-Winnett Lyman CUNNINGHAM (1976)

CORRECTIONS START HERE:

- 7-- Edward Lincoln SOULE - 2nd marriage
  - sp- Georgia MAY (ca. 1871) d. May 1956)
- 8-- Edward Lincoln SOULE, JR. (April 22, 1894)
  - sp- Jane Edith HOLBROOK
  - 9--Leonard SOULE ( Aug 12, 1928)
  - 9--Barbara May SOULE (May 26, 1930)
    - sp- Norman Hayden (divorced)
    - 10--Diane HAYDEN (Mar. 17 1963) adopted by Art
  - sp2- Arthur GRANUM (Nov. 19 1922)
    - 10--Barry (Sept. 6, 1952)
    - 10-- Sue (Aug. 11, 1955)
    - 10-- Craig Arthur GRANUM (Dec. 1, 1964)
- 9--Laura Jean SOULE (Nov. 28 1932)
  - sp- Larry Evans
    - 10-- Charlie
    - 10-- Edward
    - 10- Linda
- 8-- HelenSOULE (Aug 1, 1907)
  - sp. William J Speer, deceased
- 8--Lillian SOULE (Oct. 1,1909) d. Nov. 14, 1987
  - sp. ? DICKSON divorced
    - 9-- Mary Ann DICKSON (Oct. 10, 1933)
      - sp- ? HALE divorced
    - 9--Lillian DICKSON (Nov. 20, 1934)
      - sp- ? WARWICK divorced
    - 9-- Edgar DICKSON (Nov. 28 1936)
      - sp- Sarah ?
- 8--Eva Cogswell SOULE (June 26, 189?) d. Dec. 8, 1964
- 8--Mary SOULE (1898) d. 1973
- 8--Arthur Harris SOULE (Mar. 31, 1902) d. Jan. 10, 1970
- 8--Harry SOULE (unknown) d. 1940's?

SPECIAL NOTICE CONCERNING SOULE COUSINS:::

Fellow Cousins, this is a appeal for you to come to the aid of your kindred. In order to remain healthy, progressive, and to insure our future the kindred needs a continuous supply of new members. We all should be aware that there is a vast pool of cousins in the great land, who do not know of the Soule Kindred, or are just waiting for an invitation. Most of you are aware of some who are just procrastinating, and just need you to give them a little push.

Another potential source of new members is the phone book. When you are traveling, take a few minutes in several of the towns you pass through and look up some Soule, Sole, Sowles, or Soules and give them a call; being sure to invite them to join us..... It could be a very rewarding experience, and you may find a part of your own family tree.

Recently, my wife and I were spending our vacation in Honolulu, and I picked up the phone book for a look. To my surprise, for the first time in my life, I found a listing for Robert Soules with exactly the same spelling as my own. The resulting phone call provided a pleasant conversation with a serviceman stationed in Hawaii, whom I invited to join with the Kindred.

Bob Soules,  
Membership Chairman

QUERY                    QUERY                    QUERY                    QUERY                    QUERY

From Jim Soule

I am trying to trace my line back to George Soule. So far, I have gone from my father William F. Soule (b. 1925) to William F. (b. 1896) to Fredrick I. (b. 1871) to Deacon Elizha P. (b. 1841) to Arnold (b. 1803) to Sylvanus Soule (b. 1780, d.1848) Can anyone help me to continue my quest backwards?

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From Phyllis Soule Hulse, Eugene, Oregon

Information on any of the following from Brownville, Maine would be very useful.

David Soule:    Born: 12 March 1784 Plimpton (Plymouth) Mass.  
                  Died: 20 April 1847 Brownville, Maine  
                  Married: Sarah Allen in Brownville  
                                  born: 1796     Brownville  
                                  died: 1860     Brownville

Benjamin Franklin Soule  
                  Born: 16 Mar. 1820     Brownville, Maine  
                  Died: 3 Jul. 1898     Brownville  
                  Married: Phebe M. Smith in Brownville  
                                  born: 15 Jan 1826 Brownville  
                                  died: 20 Mar. 1916 Princeton, Minn.

Smith Nathaniel Soule\*  
                  Born: 22 Feb. 1850 Brownville, Maine  
                  Died: 31 May 1908 Sweet, Idaho  
                  Married: Emogene Bigelow  
                                  born: 29 Jul 1853 Orwell, Ohio  
                                  died: 23 May 1924 Princeton, Minn.

\* Editor's Note: possible Smith born 1852 in Mill Lacs, Maine

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### SOULE KINDRED INDEXES AVAILABLE

A third index has been completed for about 1,000 persons who are descendants but do not have the name Soule or other spellings. This Surname Index was created primarily from lineages submitted recently by members of Soule Kindred. It should be used with our earlier indexes and the 1992 supplement published in the Soule Kindred Newsletter Summer edition 1992.

Also available are copies of the original index created by Dr. Milton Terry listing more than 7,000 individuals with the name Soule, including codes for the source of information and a numbering system for tracing lineage of many. That index includes the names of the spouse of about 5,000 of the individuals.

Those spouse names have been indexed in alphabetic order with the name and code number of the individual in the original Terry index. However, you must have the Terry index to use the spouse index.

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RECORDING OF FAMILY DATA

By Geraldine Sowle Schlosser, Soule Kindred Historian

One of the objectives of Soule Kindred is the gathering of information pertaining to the descendants of Pilgrim George Soule. Mayflower Families 3 covers the first 5 generations, to about 1800. Our families did a lot of moving around in the 19th century, and you can help locate migration patterns for family groups. That is why the Family Data Chart is printed in each issue of the Newsletter. Our historian may be able to help you with that "missing link". So please keep the information coming.

We would like to suggest that you begin with your sixth generation ancestor from George Soule (or your earliest Soule ancestor, if you haven't made the connection to George<sup>1</sup>). Fill out a form for that ancestor, and then submit forms for each of your ancestors down to yourself. This is especially important if you descend through a female line; Soule women who marry tend to become lost Soules.

We'll give a short explanation of how to fill out the form. Samples were printed in V. 20, #2 and #3-- April and July, if you'd like to refer to those.

(1) The "Generation" space in the upper left corner shows the generation from the immigrant ancestor. Please leave it blank unless you are certain.

(2) In the far upper space on the right for "FAMILY", leave it blank if the surname of "Soule Descendant" is SOULE, SOWLE, or variants, because we'll assign a code number for closely related family groups. If the "Soule Descendant" has a different surname, insert the name in the right upper space.

(3) The next two lines show the ancestors of the "Soule Descendant" back to George Soule<sup>1</sup>. Unless you have an approved Mayflower Lineage or other positive proof, we suggest this be left blank.

(4) When writing dates, follow the genealogical style-- first the day in numbers, then the month in letters, and the full year, such as 6 Feb 1833.

(5) When listing children on the reverse side, put in as much information as you can-- such as spouse's parents, if known.

(6) List your name and address as compiler unless someone else gathers the information. We may need to contact the compiler.

(7) It is VERY important to list sources of data; if the information comes from a family Bible or other record, a photocopy of the information should be included. Other sources, such as Vital Records from towns or states, and census should be indicated.

(8) Leave "Verification" blank for our purposes.

(9) Please give as many clues as possible to facilitate further research. If you are uncertain about a date, enter it, but add "circa" or "ca". For questionable place names, add "possibly" or "probably".

Send completed forms to;

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