

The Shaffer Family

WILLIAM SHAFFER: Born Wednesday, November 21st, 1810, in Washington, Pa. Married by Rev. James Sansom, in Washington, Pa., Wednesday, May 7th, 1834, to ANN RUTH. Died in Fairfield, Iowa, Friday, January 1st, 1875.

ANN RUTH, daughter of John and Jane Ruth, was born in Washington, Monday, October 23rd, 1815. Died in Fairfield, Iowa, Tuesday, January 26th, 1897.

Their Children—

JOHN RUTH; CHARLOTTE ANN; CHRISTIAN
SLAGLE; MARY JANE; MARTHA SLAGLE;
WILLIAM; ELIZABETH HUEY; GEORGE
WASHINGTON; SARAH TAYLOR.

JOHN RUTH SHAFFER: Born in Zanesville, Ohio, Sunday, August 30th, 1835. Married by Rev. John Hocheely, in Fairfield, Iowa, Tuesday, May 20th, 1862, to MARY ELEANOR THOMPSON.

Mary Eleanor, daughter of Col. James and Mary Thompson, was born near Harlem, Ohio, Thursday, March 17th, 1842. Died at Downer's Grove, Illinois, Thursday, November 20th, 1913.

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Their Children—

WILLIAM EZRA, CLARA AUGUSTA, GENEVIEVE,
JAMES ROLLIN, FREDERICK THOMPSON,
HELEN LOUISE.

WILLIAM EZRA SHAFFER: Born Tuesday, December 15th, 1863, in Fairfield. Died Wednesday, May 9th, 1888, in Des Moines, Iowa.

CLARA AUGUSTA SHAFFER: Born Saturday, November 4th, 1865, in Fairfield. Married by Rev. Van Antwerp (Episcopalian), Wednesday, February 27th, 1889, in Des Moines, Iowa, to MARK M. BAKER.

Mark M. Baker, son of Morris LaFayette and Isabella Olivia Baker, was born at Keosouqua, Iowa, Tuesday, May 16th, 1862.

GENEVIEVE SHAFFER: Born Saturday, February 4th, 1871, at Fairfield, Iowa.

JAMES ROLLIN SHAFFER: Born Wednesday, August 2nd, 1876, in Fairfield. Married by Right Reverend Charles P. Anderson, at Evanston, Illinois, Wednesday, September 4th, 1901, to MARY OPHELIA WALTER.

Mary Ophelia Walter, daughter of Charles Joel and Alemina Alice Walter, was born at Lake Geneva, Wisconsin, Monday, December 12th, 1881.

Their Children—

MARY ELIZABETH SHAFFER: Born at Chicago, Ills., Friday, June 6th, 1902.

MARTHA ELEANOR SHAFFER: Born Monday, May 2nd, 1904.

FREDERICK THOMPSON SHAFFER: Born Friday, July 30th, 1880, at Fairfield. Married Wednesday, June 6th, 1906, at Atlantic, to ELVA BAYLIES, daughter of G. A. Baylies, of Omaha, Nebraska. Frederick Thompson Shaffer died at Aberdeen, South Dakota, Wednesday, December 18th, 1907.

Their Child—

MARK BAKER SHAFFER: Born March, 1907.
HELEN LOUISE SHAFFER: Born at Fairfield, Monday, August 25th, 1884.

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CHARLOTTE ANN SHAFFER: Daughter of William and Ann Ruth Shaffer, was born at Zanesville, Ohio, Sunday, February 11th, 1838. Married by Rev. Samuel Hestwood, in Fairfield, Iowa, Tuesday, May 29th, 1866, to JAMES F. CRAWFORD. Died Thursday, September 17th, 1908.

James F. Crawford, son of James and Margaret Crawford, was born in Brooke County, West Virginia, Friday, June 28th, 1833. Died Sunday, March 22nd, 1903, in Fairfield, Iowa. Both are buried in Fairfield.

Their Daughter —

MARGARET SHAFFER CRAWFORD: Born in Fairfield, Wednesday, July 31st, 1867. Married by Rev. Mark Bamford, Thursday, May 22nd, 1884, in Fairfield. to HARRY WEBSTER MEDES.

Harry Webster Medes, son of Jackson and Amanda Jane Medes, was born Saturday, December 18th, 1858, at Keokuk, Iowa.

Their Daughter—

MADELINE CRAWFORD MEDES: Born in Fairfield. Tuesday, September 22nd, 1885.

CHRISTIAN SLAGLE SHAFFER: Son of Wm. and Ann Ruth Shaffer, was born in Zanesville, Ohio, Friday, January 10th, 1840. Died Tuesday, June 6th, 1843. in Zanesville.

MARY JANE SHAFFER: Daughter of Wm. and Ann R. Shaffer, was born Thursday, December 29th, 1842. in Zanesville, Ohio. Died Sunday, January 22nd, 1879, in Fairfield, Iowa.

MARTHA SLAGLE SHAFFER: Born in Zanesville, Ohio, Tuesday, November 4th, 1845. Married by Rev. Wallace W. Thorpe, in Centerville, Iowa, Tuesday, May 6th, 1884, to MATTHEW JOHNSTON JUNKIN.

Matthew Johnston Junkin, son of Joseph and Sarah Junkin, was born in Wheeling, Va. (now W. Va.), Saturday, May 16th, 1829. Died in Fairfield, Iowa, Saturday, May 21st, 1887.

Their Daughter—

GALEN SHAFFER JUNKIN: Born Saturday, June 19th, 1886, in Fairfield. Married by Rev. Christian S. McEl-

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hinny, in Fairfield, Tuesday, October 20th, 1908, to LIEUT. WILLIS CRAIG KNIGHT, U. S. A. Willis Craig Knight, son of Hervy B. and Jennie Moore Simonson Knight, was born in Fairfield, Sunday, July 29th, 1883.

WILLIAM SHAFFER: Son of Wm. and Ann R. Shaffer, was born at Zanesville, Ohio, Sunday, June 30th, 1848. Married by Rev. H. Rahmeier, at Kehoka, Missouri, Sunday, July 3rd, 1881, to MARGARETTA MARION ELIZABETH LANG.

Margaretta M. E. Lang, daughter of John Philip and Catherine Lang, was born at Kendanheim, Rhine Falls, Bavaria, Thursday, January 18th, 1855.

ELIZABETH HUEY SHAFFER: Born in Zanesville, Ohio, Wednesday, November 13th, 1850. Married by Rev. Levi H. Coddington, in Fairfield, Thursday, January 16th, 1873, to CHRISTIAN SHAFFER BYRKIT.

Christian Shaffer Byrkit, son of Jesse and Isabelle Byrkit, was born in Fairfield, Sunday, June 3rd, 1849.

Their Children—

EDWARD MARING BYRKIT: Born Tuesday, May 16th, 1876, at Centerville, Iowa. Married in Memphis, Tennessee, Monday, November 4th, 1907, to MRS. MYRA SNIVELY SMITH. Died Wednesday, July 3rd, 1912, at Des Moines, Iowa.

ANNA SHAFFER BYRKIT: Born Tuesday, November 5th, 1878, at Centerville, Iowa. Married by Rev. G. W. L. Brown, at Des Moines, Tuesday, July 15th, 1902 to ALFRED BOSTWICK PRAY.

Alfred Bostwick Pray, son of Benjamin and Ida Bostwick Pray, was born at Cedar Falls, Iowa, Saturday, August 24th, 1872.

ROLLIN JUNKIN BYRKIT: Born at Centerville, Iowa, Tuesday, May 11th, 1880. Married by Rev. O. W. Fifer, at Des Moines, Iowa, Wednesday, November 1, 1905, to BEULAH ALICE SAMM.

Beulah A., daughter of Valentine and Mary Sylvina Samm, was born at Des Moines, Iowa, Saturday, October 18th, 1879.

Their Children—

ROLLIN JUNKIN BYRKIT, JR.: Born Tuesday, November 6th, 1906.

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HELEN ELIZABETH BYRKIT: Born Saturday, June 5th 1909.

HARRY DWIGHT BYRKIT: Born Monday, February 12th, 1883, at Centerville, Iowa.

GEORGE WASHINGTON SHAFFER: Son of Wm. and Ann R. Shaffer, was born in Zanesville, Ohio, Thursday, November 29th, 1855. Died in Fairfield, Iowa, March 3rd, 1880.

SARAH TAYLOR SHAFFER: Daughter of Wm. and Ann R. Shaffer, was born at Zanesville, Thursday, November 4th, 1858. Married by Rev. John Haynes, at Fairfield, Iowa, Thursday, September 2nd, 1880, to WILLIAM EDGAR JOHNSON.

William Edgar Johnson, son of Walker Stanton and Sarah B. Johnson, was born at Cincinnati, Iowa, Thursday, July 8th, 1858.

Their Children—

HARRY SHAFFER JOHNSON: Born at Centerville, Iowa, Monday, July 28th, 1884. Married by Rev. E. Vandyrke Wight, at Hastings, Nebraska, Saturday, December 23rd, 1905, to ROSE ELLEN BOWLES. Rose Ellen, daughter of Jacob Angel and Lenore Belle Bowles, was born at Republican City, Nebraska, Sunday, October 25th, 1885.

Their Children—

CHARLOTTE VIRGINIA JOHNSON: Born at Edgemont, South Dakota, Sunday, October 21st, 1906.

Jacob Angel Bowles, father of Mrs. Shaffer, was born at Welch Run, Pa., Monday, May 4th, 1846.

Lenore Belle Bowles, his wife, was born at Ft. Dodge, Iowa, Saturday, March 5th, 1864.

RUTH JOHNSON: Daughter of Sarah T. and Wm. E. Johnson, was born at Holyoke, Colorado, Tuesday, December 25th, 1888.