

THE BROWER FAMILY CIRCLE

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This newsletter is published with the hope that with enough interest, someone will send in the necessary information to fill out all the blank spaces in Brower-Brewer-Brouwer lines clear back to the countries in Europe, where we all originated from. At the present time there are a lot of unanswered questions.

Anyone having Brower lineage may have their lines published here, as long as they send in a release authorizing such publication. All queries are welcomed as well. The cost is being born by the publisher in order to generate interest in the Brower line. Send your lineage to:

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Below is listed the line of Katy Brower of 226 Monroe Avenue in Peru, Indiana 46970.

Henry Brower, born in PA., m. Hannah Dillman who was born in Virginia. Their only child:

Daniel Brower b. 1 Nov 1822 in Preble Co, Ohio. At the age of 16 he came with his parents to Cass County, Indiana. In 1852 he was elected treasurer of Miami County, Indiana for one term. He was a farmer. On 13 Nov 1859 he married Mary E Tompson, a native of Virginia and of English descent. Their children:

Margaret A	b.	21 Jan 1861	d.	1940	m.	Jones
Viola A	b.	6 Jun 1864	d.	1941	m.	Irwin
Frank W	b.	22 Jan 1867	d.	1934	m.	Dillman
Irwin D	b.	20 Nov 1869	d.	19(?)	m.	Dillman
George L	b.	5 Apr 1872	d.	1935	m.	Newman (Family Line)

George Lyman Brower and Mary Leora Newman were married 11 Mar 1896.

Their children:

Delta	b.	3 Jul 1897	m.	Charles Bradley
Hubert	b.	13 Sep 1898	m.	Cecilia _____ (?)
Doris	b.	26 Jun 1900	m.	Louis Fornero
Walter	b.	5 Feb 1902	m.	Catherine Birk (Family Line)
Monelle	b.	8 Oct 1903	m.	Robert Rimpler
Berniece	b.	8 Feb 1905	m.	Ora Grable
Ann	b.	19 Feb 1908	m.	John Komeshak
Herman	b.	12 May 1912	d.	Killed in Action 1944 Anzio Beach
Donald	b.	6 Jul 1916	m.	Ileen Schwier

Walter Raymond Brower b. 5 Feb 1902 married on 22 Feb 1927 to Catherine Mary Birk. She was born on 11 Sep 19____ (?). Walter died on 17 Jul 1946 and lies in the Greenlawn Cemetery in Mexico, IN. Their son:

Raymond John Brower b. 21 Nov 1927 and died 18 May 1974. He lies in Greenwood, Indiana. Raymond married Faye Lewis on 25 Sep 1948

The preceding George Lyman Brower, who was born on 5 Apr 1872 and married a Newman. More on the Newman below:

James Polk Newman was b. 17 Apr 1846 and d. 14 Feb 1925. He was married in Jan 1870 to Amelia Adella Ward who was born on 13 Jul 1850 and died on 29 Jun 1918. Buried in the Skinner Chapel at Twelve Miles, IN

Amelia was the only child of James and Amanda Berlin Ward. James was the son of Isaac and Susannah Hoover Newman. Both families came from Ohio to Indiana. Susannah Hoover was related to the President of that time and name. They had five children:

Mary LeOra	b.	25 Dec 1872	d.	1938	m.	G. L. Brower (Mary lies in Skinners Chapel)
Edith	b.	1874	d.	1940	m.	Charles Cress
Maude	b.	1876	d.	____ (?)	m.	Mert Andrews
Charles	b.	1878	d.	1958	m.	Never married
Grace	b.	1885	d.	1966	m.	Omer Maus

Below is listed the line of Mary O. Brower of 26434 McCall Blvd.,
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James Brower b. ca 1825. Moved from Champaign, IL and homesteaded in Sedgwick County, Kansas (Halstead Twp). Sect 29, Twp 25, Range 2 West 10 Apr 1870. James Brower and Rebecca Snyder were married by a minister (Uncle) on a homestead in Sedgwick County, Kansas. NOTE: "Millie" (Mildred Mary Brower) states that the name was always Brower. Her Uncle "Lon" (Alonzo J. Brower) joined the Rebel Army under the name of Brower as his older brother, George, had joined the Union Army under his name of Brower. Family has not proven this record however. The children of James Brower and Rebecca Snyder are listed below:

George E	b. ___(?)
Alanzo J	No information known
Lorenzo Dow	b. 12 Sep 1847 d. 16 Feb 1910 m. 27 Jan 1871 He married Leonora Imogene Niles and was b. in Henry County, Iowa.
Mary	b. ___(?)

Lorenzo Dow Brower lies in Sedgwick, Kansas. He married Lenora I Niles on 27 Jan 1871, their children:

Myrtle Anna	b. 14 Jul 1874 (Halstead,KA)	d. 22 Dec 1947
Martin Ingals	b. 22 Sep 1877 (Halstead,KA)	d. 7 Nov 1956 (Fam Line)
Fred Oliver	b. 14 Aug 1879 (Halstead,KA)	d. 21 Feb 1958
Mildred Mary	b. 22 Mar 1882 (Halstead,KA)	Lives in Portland, OR
Oscar Niles	b. 28 Apr 1884 (Halstead,KA)	d. 19 Sep 1966
Earl Alanzo	b. 6 Aug 1889 (Halstead,KA)	d. (?) Dec 1954
Henrietta M	b. 18 Mar 1896 (Nevada,MO)	Lives in Prineville, OR

Martin Ingals Brower m. Myrtle Elizabeth Clore date unknown. He lies in the Crestlawn Memorial Park in Norco, CA. Myrtle E. Clore was born on 3 Nov 1877 in Joplin, MO. She died in Feb 1957 and lies in the Crestlawn Memorial Park in Norco, CA. Their children:

Orval S	b. 14 Mar 1895 m. 25 Sep 1954 Mary <u>Riegel</u> (?) (Family Line)
Velma	b. (?) Aug 1897 m. 20 Sep 1947 Ben Fife
Billie B	b. 17 Apr 1917 m. 20 Sep 1947 Eileen Fowler Ardice

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