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## **BROWNING FAMILY HISTORY**

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As to the American origin of the family there are two traditions. One was that they descended from John Browning an emigrant from England to Virginia coming in the ship "Abigail" in 1621. The other was that the father of Francis Browning came from Suffolk England, and settled in Maryland. It is certain that Francis Browning Sr. received a grant of land in Caroline Co. in June 1735. He was born about 1690. It was thought that Francis Browning Sr. married Elizabeth Lloyd, but records of Essex Co. shows his wife's name was Rachel. He may have been twice married.

Captain John Browning was born approximately 1588 in England. He married Elizabeth Demaron (b abt 1590) abt 1614. He sailed to America from Gravesend, England aboard the "Abigail" in 1621. He landed at the "College Lands" later known as Jamestown, York Co, VA. He finally settled in Elizabeth City, VA, where as a prominent citizen he served in the Burgess of Elizabeth and Mound Cities. Captain John Browning is acknowledged as the founder of the "Southern Branch of the Brownings".

Their known children were:

1. George b 1614 London, Middlesex, England
2. William b 1615 london, Middlesex, England
3. Joseph b 1617 London, Middlesex, England

(1-1) George Browning was born abt 1614 in England and came with his father and brother William aboard the Abigail to America.

(1-2) William Browning was born 1615 london, Middlesex, England His wife was born 1619 London, Middlesex, England. They married abt 1645 Jamestown, VA. He immigrated to Virginia with his father and brother George, aboard the Abigail.

Their known children were:

1. John b 1646 Jamestown, James City, Virginia

(1-2-1) John Browning II was born 1646 Jamestown, James City, VA. He is mentioned 6 Oct 1682 as connected with the Somers Island Co. and as having signed a petition to the Governor of Somers Islands. It is reported that he lived in Culperpper Co. and Caroline Co., VA, although vital records burned in the Jamestown rebellion of 1676, and sources are unproven. His wife was born ABT 1646 Jamestown and died abt 1665/75 Jamestown. They married abt 1665 Jamestown, Va.

**Their children were:**

**1. John III b 1666 or 1676 Jamestown, James City, VA**

**(1-2-1-1) John Browning III was born 1676 in Jamestown, James City, VA. His wife was born abt 1680 Jamestown.**

**Their known children were:**

**A. Francis b abt 1700 Caroline Co, VA d ABT 1775 Culpepper, VA**

**B. John b ABT 1702 Caroline , VA**

**(1-3) Joseph Browning was born ABT 1617 in England. He came to America after his father, aboard the ship "Thomas", leaving London on August 21, 1635. He settled at Jamestown and was reported to be the brother of William and George. Nicholas Browning is believed to be the father of James Browning, who was in Henrico Co., VA. James is probably in Goochland Co., VA (which adjoins Henrico) in 1810. We do not know who Archibald's parents were but since he was in VA, and had descendents named Francis Browning. He could have been related to Francis who is descendent of Capt John Browning**

**(A) Francis Browning Sr. was born ABT 1700 Caroline Co., VA and died abt 1775 Culpepper, VA. He married Elizabeth Lloyd (b 8 Jan 1687 Maryland) in 1723 Culpepper, VA**

**Their children were:**

- 1. John b 1721 m Elizabeth Demarest**
- 2. Francis Jr. b 1724 m Frances Norman**
- 3. Nicholas b ABT 1726 m Sarah Washburn**
- 4. Jacob b ABT 1730 m Elizabeth Waters**
- 5. Edmund b ABT 1732 m Mary**
- 6. Caleb b ABT 1734 m Alice Grigsby**
- 7. Ruth b ABT 1736 m James Duncan**
- 8. Mary b ABT 1738 m Courtney Norman**
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**Their children were:**

- 1. James b ABT 1745 Culpepper, VA**
- 2. Joshua b ABT 1747**
- 3. Enos b ABT 1751**
- 4. Francis b ABT 24 Nov 1753**
- 5. John R. b17 May 1757**
- 6. William b ABT 1759**
- 7. David b ABT 1760**
- 8. George b ABT 1761**
- 9. Eunice b ABT 1763**
- 10. Daniel b ABT 1765**

**(A1-2) Joshua Browning was born Abt 1747 Culpepper, VA and died abt 1814 in Bourbon, KY. He married Anne**

**Scott (b abt 1765 White Va)**

**Their children were:**

- 1. John b abt 1766 Culpepper,VA m Miss Pendleton**
- 2. Thomas b 17 Dec 1767 m Elizabeth Leewright**
- 3. Francis b abt 1768**
- 4. Enos b abt 1768**
- 5. James b abt 1769**
- 6. Annie b 1771 m William Pendleton**
- 7. Edmund b abt 1772**
- 8. Jacob b abt 1775**

9. Polly b abt 1776 m William Grant
10. Elizabeth b abt 1777 m Isaac Browning
11. Hannah b abt 1778
12. Mary b abt 1780
13. Jennie b abt 1782

**(A1-3) Enos Browning was born ABT 1751 Culpepper, VA. He married Jennie Trim in Culpepper.**

**(A1-4) Francis Browning was born 14 Nov 1753 Elizabeth City, Culpepper, VA. He moved to North Carolina with his father's family where he fought in the Revolutionary War, gaining the title of Captain. He married Elizabeth Vermillion and later the family including two children at that time, moved to Elk Garden Community of Russell County, Virginia in about 1780. Beautiful Elk Garden was his home for the rest of his 75 years; he died July 19, 1955 at his home at the age of 101 years 7 months and 24 days. At the first court held in Russell County on the second Thursday of May 1786, Francis Browning was named coroner of the county. He was three times sheriff of the county, a member of the state legislature 1798-99 and served as Captain of Militia of Washington County, Va.**

**Francis Asbury, first circuit riding bishop of American Methodism is reported to have lodged with Francis on different trips visiting churches in this region of the United States. Captain Francis was an active layman in the Methodist Church during his long residency in Elk Garden Community. At the time of this death, 1855, he left 262 living descendents. Francis and Elizabeth had eleven children, three of which died in infancy in Russell County.**

**The eight children were:**

1. Jesse b NC Oct 20, 1775
2. James b NC March 19, 1778
3. Nancy b VA Mar 27, 1781
4. Mary b VA 1 Oct 1785
5. William b VA Mar 29 1787
6. Francis Jr. b VA 19 Aug 1791
7. John v VA 2 Aug 1793
8. Wilson b VA 8 Nov 1795

**(A3) Nicholas Browning was born ABT 1726. He married Sarah Washburn abt 1747.**

**Children:**

1. John b 1748
2. Jonathan b 1750
3. Nicholas b 1752
4. Charles b 1754
5. William b 1756
6. James b 1758
7. Perry b 1760
8. Daniel b 1762

**(?-) James Browning was born abt 1769 in VA and died after 1840 in Knox, TN. He married Elizabeth, b abt 1770 and died after 1840 in Knox TN.**

**Their known children were:**

1. Jency Devine Ann b abt 1790 in VA, died abt 1866 m Joseph Martin Blakely
2. Elizabeth "Betsey" b abt 1797 VA, died abt 1797 m Francis Brown
3. Letitia b abt 1806 VA m David Long
4. Clarissa b abt 1808 VA m Hugh Leeper Brown
5. Sally b abt 1809 VA m Walender Cliborne
6. Henry Rice b ABT 1810 VA m Elizabeth Cliborne
7. Rebecca b abt 1812 VA m William McGunn, Jr.

(?-1) Jency Devine Ann Browning, dau of James & Elizabeth, was born 1790 in Knox County She married Joseph Martin Blakely (b 1789 VA - died on 21 Jan 1857 in Nodaway County, MO) on 18 Mar 1808 in Knox, TN.

Their children were:

1. Elizabeth D. b 1810 Jefferson TN, d aft 1860
2. James b 26 Nov 1812 Knox TN, and died 29 Jan 1913 in Linn Co., OR
3. Margaret Devine b 1815
4. John Calloway b 1817 and died 1896 in New Market, MO
5. Sarah Hale b 20 Apr 1819 Knoxville, Knox CO., TN
6. Felix b 15 Mar 1821 and died 13 Dec 1915 Atchison, KS
7. Ann b 20 Jun 1823 Knox, TN and died on 20 Aug 1906 in Foyil, OK
8. Jency b 1825 TN, d 17 Nov 1845 Nodaway, Mo.
9. Joseph b 1827 in TN
10. Alexandria b 1829
11. Robert Anderson b 1833 TN 9 Oct 1856 Nodaway, MO

(?-1-6) Felix Blakely was born 15 Mar 1821 in Jefferson Co., TN and died 13 Dec 1915. He came west when he

was 17 years old. Seven men in the vicinity built a flatboat and floated down to the Ohio river, where they took a steamboat to Blue Landing, Mo. His father, Joseph Martin, took up a claim near Platt City, and Felix worked for him until he was 20. He found that life too monotonous so he went to Nodaway Co., MO. and bought 80 acres of land for \$105, but sold this and took up another claim.

He married Ann Lackey 4 Jan 1844 in Andrew, MO and settled on a farm in Nodaway Co., MO. Between that time

and the Civil War he made a fortune at cards, and lost much of it and was a saloon operator. For 40 years he was said to have had a hand in every big game on the Missouri River, and never lost his nerve. On one occasion he won \$ 5,000 in three hours. His wife, Ann, was a very careful manager, and took care of the large plantation, which had grown to 700 acres, with a large number of slaves. Felix was one of the best judges of horse flesh, mules , cattle and hogs in Missouri. There was an 1845 deed recorded between Felix and Ann Blakely and Martin and Sarah (Blakely) Noland.

Felix and Ann had nine children, all born in New Market, Platte Co., MO.

1. Joseph Andrew - 1825
2. James - 1847
3. Jency Ann - ( 11 Aug 1848 - 30 Oct 1938)
4. Sarah Eveline - 1851
5. Jesse - 1853
6. Mary Catherine 1855, m G. W. Wells
7. John Callaway 27 Apr 1857 - 1896 at election
8. Felix 1861
9. Unknown

At the outbreak of the war, Felix enlisted with the South in 1861, was made a Captain, and saw four years of hard service, with battles at Lexington and Pea Ridge, although he came through without a scratch. He is said to have won \$30,000 of Confederate money, which wasn't worth thirty cents after the war. Besides his place was all run down on his return, and the greater part of his fortune gone.

Ann Lackey Blakely died before Sep 1868 from a rattlesnake bite, leaving Felix with 9 children. She went to gather lettuce in the garden one Sunday morning, did not see the rattlesnake coiled in the bed until it struck her. Their daughter Jincy Ann Blakely b 11 Aug 1848 in New Market, Platte Co., MO was the great great grandmother of Wanda ( Land )Joyce. Felix was later married to Sarah Jane Shough, who bore him 6 more children.

10. Eva Esther 4 Sep 1870
11. Charles 2 Dec 1872 - 4 Sep 1873
12. Lulu May 15 Dec 1874 - 3 Dec 1950 m Mr. Zeeman resided St. Joseph 1915
13. Captolia Eugene - 20 Oct 1876, Mound City Hold Co., MO d 17 Mar 1930
14. George Washington 5 Sep 1879 resided in St. Joseph, MO 1915
15. David Watson - 2 Mar 1883 resided in Portland, OR in 1915

He was a great smoker for years and had no notion of quitting on the theory that it might prolong life. Even in his nineties he was an avid reader, requiring no glasses. He remained very independent and self sufficient. He did have great trouble with his feet. They got so hot he could hardly stand it and would soak his feet in a bucket of cold and icy water and smoke his pipe until his feet were comfortable. In the summer his loafing place in the orchard could be found through a pile of shavings made with his knife. Possibly he whittled and thought of the "good old days" when he was known as one of the greatest gamblers along the Missouri River & reflected that he was the only one of them left.

(?-1-6-3) Jency Ann Blakely was born 11 Aug 1848 and died 30 Oct 1938. She married Felix C. Brown 15 Feb 1866.

Their children were:

1. Eugene b July 2, 1867 d Sept 4, 1867
2. Clairborne b July 17, 1868 d Feb 8, 1879
3. Thomas J. b Oct 30, 1870 d Oct 11, 1955
4. Cora Matilda b Dec 20, 1872 d Jan 30, 1940
5. Maude b Feb 14, 1875
6. Felix Leonard b Mar 4, 1877 d Dec 25, 1927
7. Gideon August (Gus) b June 13, 1880 d Feb 28, 1933
8. Jesse C. Brown( b Aug 23, 1882 d Dec 18, 1952
9. James Ernest b Aug 8, 1886 d Nov 30, 1929
10. E.Kirby b June 28, 1890. d Mar 21, 1925

(?-1-6-3-4) Cora Matilda Brown was born Dec 20,1872 and died Jan 30, 1940. She and Arthur Lloyd Land were married by Rev. W. N. Page on December 8, 1897 at Leavenworth, KS. She was Wanda Land Joyce's grandmother. Arthur Lloyd Land was born Dec 20, 1872 in Patrington , England. and died Jan 30, 1940 in Sherman Oaks , CA. He spent a number of years in Texas and was living in California at the time of his death in 1940. Arthur and Cora had two children:

1. Felix Clifton Land b Oct 5, 1898-Nov 14,1 959
2. Arthur Lloyd Land Jr. b Feb 22, 1905 -Sept 27, 1968

(?-1-6-3-4-1) Felix Clifton Land was born Oct 5, 1898 in Leavenworth KS, and died in Las Vegas, NV on Nov

14, 1959. He was married to Gladys Louella Schwartz (July 27, 1904) on May 15, 1925 in Manhattan Beach, CA. Felix was a carpenter by trade and later moved to California. He worked at Warner Brothers as a set builder, then went in to partnership with Archie Roscoe under the name of Roscoe & Land. Roscoe and Land were quite active in the Southern California area. They built El Toro marine base, a number of schools and many movie stars homes in the Bel Air area, including Judy Garland and Hedy Lamarr. They lived in Sepulveda and later built a home on Sherman Oaks Avenue in Sherman Oaks. They had two daughters:

1. Beverly Jeanene (Land) Terry b May 27, 1929
2. Wanda Cliftine (Land) Joyce July 31, 1931

(?-1-6-3-4-1-2) Wanda Cliftine Land was born July 31. 1931 in Glendale, CA. She married Claude Clinton (Clint) Joyce on December 7, 1951 in Tucson, AZ.

**Their children were:**

- 1. Clifton Claude born Oct 24, 1954 San Diego, California**
- 2. Lani Caprice born Aug 20, 1956 San Diego California**

**The family moved from San Diego to San Francisco in 1957 and to Boise, Idaho in 1968. Boise provided the family with a small town atmosphere similar to what Clint and Wanda had known in Douglas, AZ. Cliff and Lani took advantage of skiing, driving a car at age 14, and the general freedom found in a small town wholesome environment. Cliff was involved in De Molay and Lani in Job's Daughters, serving as Honored Queen. .**

**Wanda's life dream growing up in a family in the construction business and seeing so many beautiful homes was to build adream home. Following retirement Clint and Wanda build a spacious country french home on the Boise River in an area called Woods Island -Riverside Village. The home was designed by Wanda and turned over to an architect for scaling and final design.**

**Clint was raised to Master Mason on July 31, 1952 on Wanda's birthday in Crossroads Lodge in San Diego, accompanied by Wanda's dad, Felix Clifton Land. He took his Royal Arch and Commandery degrees in Palo Alto, CA in 1962 and became a Shriner in El Korah Lodge in Boise, ID in 1969. He belonged to the Players unit of El Korah, which put on many melodramas and did the ceremonial work and served as President of the unit.**

**Wanda was active in the Daughters of the Nile and was Directress of the Dancers unit for many years. Lani joined her mother as a Daughter of the Nile and a Dancer and the family obtained many pleasures from their Masonic affiliations. Wanda's artistic talents, zest for life, skill as a decorator and homemaker created a fertile atmosphere for the creative development of Cliff and Lani which further enriched the joys of the Boise Joyces.**

**(?-1-6-3-4-1-2-1) Clifton Claude Joyce Cliff and Lani both graduated from South Junior High, and Borah High School. Cliff attended Boise State as an art major for two years while working in an Albertsons grocery store. He then spent three years at Cal Arts in Valencia, CA. This school was founded by Walt Disney. Cliff graduated in 1979. He married Karen Famillian on June 10, 1979. Shortly thereafter they moved to Northridge, CA. Cliff and Karen gave birth to a daughter, Ashley Sara Joyce, on August 30, 1983. Their second daughter, Chelsea Rose was born October 6, 1987. Cliff and Karen moved from Northridge to Woodland Hills after Chelsea's birth.**

**Cliff started his own company, Artword Graphics just prior to graduation. Both Cliff and Karen worked many long hours to keep the Company growing. They specialized in graphics art, design work, electronic typesetting and advertising layout work. After a couple of years, they merged with a printing Company to form Artword Granada, which was located in Chatsworth, CA.**

**Cliff bought an Apple ][e computer and became quite competent working with microprocessors both as a hobby and in his business. When the Apple Macintosh Computer was introduced Cliff bought one and tried his hand at developing a graphics software package. He developed one Called Mac The Knife, that was published by Miles Computing and immediately gained prominence on the Softsel Hot List. Cliff sold out his interest in Artword Granada and developed a second Volume of Mac The Knife, a collection of type fonts, which also sold well. When the Publisher failed to make royalty payments to Cliff, Cliff started his own publishing Company, which he named Dubl Click. He developed a number of products in this company including, Calculator Construction Set, World Class Fonts, Wet Paint, Pro Glyph , Mac Tut, Click Change and Menu Fonts and Go Figure, one of the first new products for the Apple Newton.**

**One experience Cliff and Karen did not relish was living through a 6.6 earthquake on January 17, 1994 which severely damaged their home but fortunately did no bodily harm to the family. They moved their business and home to Bend, Oregon June 1994.**

(?-1-6-3-4-1-2-2) Lani Caprice Joyce received her Business Degree from Boise State in 1978. She was first runner up in the Miss Boise pageant and received scholarships for two years at Boise State. She was Honored Queen of her Bethel in Job's Daughters. She worked part time at a dress shop while in College. Upon graduation, she worked at Albertson's Credit Union to gain business experience while searching for a career position. She then joined Farm Bureau Insurance Company as a Claims Adjuster. She gained much recognition during the four years in Claims. In early 1983 she entered sales and was shortly promoted to Division Manager of the Boise office of Farm Bureau. She married Gary Denniston on July 12, 1986. She joined First Security Bank to help start their insurance department in January 1987. Lani and Gary moved to Richland, WA in early 1988. Lani accepted a position there and was made an investment officer selling annuities and investments for the bank U.S. Bankcorp and received the top sales award for the state of Washington in 1991. She was named Vice President in January 1994.

Gary had three sons from a previous marriage, Anthony Scott 20 Nov 1968, Timothy Glenn 16 July 1971 and Sean Patrick 5 Apr 1978. Clint and Wanda were delighted to gain three such nice grandsons from Gary and Lani's union.

(?-4) Clarissa Browning , dau of James & Elizabeth, was born 8 Feb 1810 Va d 8 Apr 1898 Brownsville, OR and died 23 Jan 1888 Brownsville, Linn Co., OR. She married Hugh Leeper Brown ( born 24 Jun 1810 In Knox, TN d 8 Apr 1898) The town of Brownsville was named after her husband Hugh, who had the first store there.

1. John b 24 Sep 1831 Knox TN d 17 Sep 1894 Brownsville, m Amelia Spaulding 12 Nov 1863 Linn Co., OR
2. Eveline Jane b 1834, Knox TN d 23 Jul 1911 Brownsville m Robert Montgomery 5 Mar 1850 Linn Co., OR
3. Harriet b 1836/.37 drowned in MO 1839/46
4. Infant b, d 1840
5. Elizabeth B b 1840 MO d 30 May 1921 Portland, OR, m John M. Moyer 4 Jun 1857 Linn Co., OR
6. Felix Grundy b 1842 MO m May E. Stuart 1867/68
7. Missouri Ann b 1845 MO d 22 Feb 1915 Brownsville, Linn Co., OR m John Tyler 30 Dec 1862 Linn Co., Or
8. Amanda b 1847 Brownsville, Linn Co., OR d 6 Nov 1936 Portland, OR m Nelson J. Cochran 30 Dec 19??
9. Louisa b 1847 Brownsville, Linn Co., OR d 7 Jul 1935 Linn Co., OR, m John Carolin 21 Sep 1868
10. Hugh Leeper Jr. b 1854/57 Brownsville, Linn Co., OR

?-6) Henry Rice Browning , son of James & Elizabeth, was born ABT 1810 VA. He married Elizabeth Cliborne

(b1815) 9 Oct 1832.

Their children were:

1. Margaret A. Browning born 8 Jun 1833, TN, d 7 Jul 1910 TN
2. William R. b ABT 1840
3. Francis Marion b 27 Jan 1842
4. Nancy b abt 1844
5. Calvin K. b abt 1846
6. Rufus D. b abt 1846

(?-6-1) Margaret A. Browning was born 8 Jun 1833, TN and died 7 Jul 1910, TN. Married Curtis Wood Pedigo , born 19 Dec 1830, TN, died 20 Feb 1908, Clay County, TN, son of Robert Pedigo and Susannah King .

**(?-6-3) Francis Marion Browning was born 27 Jan 1842 in Knox, TN and died 22 Mar 1917. He is buried in the Vincent Cemetery Bee Spring, KY. He married Rebecca Bean 20 Oct 1862 Jackson, TN.**

**Their children were:**

- 1. William T. b abt 1863**
- 2. Elizabeth b abt 1864**
- 3. Henry Rice b abt 1865**

**Frances served in the Civil War as a Union soldier in Company A, 8th Tennessee Mounted Infantry. He enlisted on November 22, at Carthage, TN and was mustered in at Nashville. He was mustered out on Aug 17, 1865.**

**Rebecca died Jan 1866. Francis next married Mary S. Barton 23 Jan 1869 Barren, KY. She passed away in July 1869. There were no children from this marriage. His next marriage was to Sarah Francis Elmore 2 Jan 1870 Holly Springs Church.**

**Their children were:**

- 4. Parazada b 15 Aug 1871 m Hartford Phelps 9 Dec 1886**
- 5. James Rice b 5 Apr 1873 m Annie M. Russell 14 Nov 1895**
- 6. Mary Adeline b 18 Jan 1875, d 11 Feb 1945 Mt Vernon, IN m Wiliam L. Gross 11 May 1893**
- 7. Hiram Dit b 10 Mar 1879, d 1 Aug 1956 Carmi, Il**
- 8. Tishie Bell b 1882 m William P. Lashley 30 Mar 1900**
- 9. Minerva J.(Nervie) b 11 Feb 1884 d 1955 Carmi, Il.**
- 10. John S. b 2 Oct 1886 b 2 Oct 1886 d 7 Mar 1919**
- 11. Kittie M. b 3 Nov 1889 d 17 Nov 1909 m Lawson Saling 11 Nov 1909**

**When Hiram Dit's wife, Rosa died, their two girls went to live with their grandparents, Francis and Sarah who owned about 50 acres in Edmondson Co. Sarah passed away in 1905 and Francis married Lizzie (Wills) Crowder in 1906 in Grayson Co., KY.**

**(?-6-3-4) Parazada Browning was born 15 Aug 1871 She married Hartford Phelps (b 1858 Butler Ky) on 9 Dec 1886**

**Edmonson KY.**

**Their children were:**

- 1. William Washington b 1898 Edmonson, KY and died 1911 Edmonson, KY**

**(?6-6-3-4-1). William Washington Phelps was born 1898 Edmonson, KY and died 1911 Edmonson, KY. He married**

**Beulah May Manion (b 1904 Louisville, KY) in 1920 Clark Co IN.**

**Their children were:**

- 1. Mary Lou**

**(?-6-3-4-1-1) Mary Lou Phelps m David Dravland ( b 26 Oct 1946)**

**(?-6-3-5) James Rice Browning was born 5 Apr 1873. He married Annie M. Russell 14 Nov 1895**

**(?-6-3-6) Mary Adeline Browning was born 18 Jan 1875 and died 11 Feb 1945 Mt Vernon, IN. She married Wiliam L. Gross 11 May 1893**



**(?-6-3-7) Hiram Dit Browning was born 10 Mar 1879 and died 1 Aug 1956 Carmi, Il. He married Rosa Emma Torence (Torrance) on 24 Nov 1898.**

**Their children were:**

- 1. Millie Lou**
- 2. Zona**

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**Hiram next married Mishie (Stewart) Green on 19 Mar 1903.**

**(?-6-3-8) Tishie Bell Browning was born 1882. She married William P. Lashley 30 Mar 1900**

**(?-6-3-9) Minerva J. Browning ( Nervie) was born 11 Feb 1884 and died 1955 Carmi, Il. She married 1st Porter Merideth and 2nd Riley Yates.**

**(?-6-3-10) John S. Browning was born 2 Oct 1886 and died 7 Mar 1919. He married Luelia Lashley on 31 Oct 1907**

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#### **Royal Connections Of Elizabeth Lloyd, Wife Of (A) Francis Browning**

**Charles V, King of France was born 21 Jan 1337 in France and died 16 Sep 1380. He married Jeanne De Bourbon 8 Aug 1340. She was born 23 Feb 1338 in Bourbon, France and died 6 Feb 1378. Their son was Charles VI, King of France b 3 Dec 1368 in France.**

**Charles VI, King of France was born 3 Dec 1368 in France and died 22 Oct 1422. He married Isabel of Bavaria**

**Ingoldstadt on 13 Jul 1385. She was born circa 1370 in Bavaria, Germany and died 30 Sep 1435. Their daughter was: Catherine, Princess of France- b 27 Oct 1401**

**Catherine Princess of France was born 27 Oct 1401 in France and died 3 Jan 1437. She married Owen Tudor, circa**

**1422. Owen was born circa 1402 in Snowdon, Carnarvonshire, Wales and died 2 Feb 1461. Their son was: Edmund Tudor b circa 1430 Hadham, Bedfordshire, England.**

**Edmund Tudor was born circa 1430 Hadham, Bedfordshire, England and died 3 Nov 1456 in Carmentshire, Wales. He married Margaret Beaufort circa 1455. She was born 31 May 1443 in Bletso, Bedfordshire, England and died 29 Jun 1509.**

**Their son was:**

**Henry VII, King of England b 28 Jan 1457 Pemroke Castle, Pembroke, Wales.**

**Henry VII, King of England was born 28 Jan 1457 Pemroke Castle, Pembroke, Wales and died 21 Apr 1509 in Sheen Palace, Richmond, Surrey, England. He married Elizabeth Plantagenet on 18 Jan 1486 in Westminster, London, England. Elizabeth was born 11 Feb 1466 Westminster Palace, London, England and died 11 Feb 1503 Tower of London, England.**

**Their son was:**

**Henry VIII, King of England b 28 Jun 1491**

**Henry VIII, King of England was born 28 Jun 1491 in Greenwich, England and died 28 Jan 1547. He married Mary Berkeley. Their son was John Perrott**

**John Perrott had a daughter named Anne.**

**Anne Perrott married John Phillips, a Baronet, born in Picton Castle, Pembrokeshire, Wales. He died 27 Mar 1629. Their Daughter was:  
Olive Phillips**

**Olive Phillips married Sampson Lort. Their daughter was:  
Sarah Elizabeth Lort b 2 Nov 1633 Stackpole Court, Pembrokeshire, Wales**

**Sarah Elizabeth Lort was born 2 Nov 1633 Stackpole Court, Pembrokeshire, Wales and died 2 Nov 1685. She married Charles Lloyd 11 Nov 1661 Charles was the son of Charles Lloyd (b circa 1613 Dolobran, Montgomery, Wales d 17 Jan 1651) and Elizabeth Stanley (b circa 1616 Knockyn, Salop, England., daughter of Thomas Stanley. Their son was:  
Sampson Lloyd b 26 Feb 1664.**

**Sampson Lloyd was born 26 Feb 1664. He married circa 1685 Elizabeth Good. She died 10 Apr 1692. Their daughter was:  
Elizabeth Lloyd b 8 Jan 1687 in Maryland Married (A) Francis Browning listed below:**

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13. Jennie b abt 1782

**(A1-3) Enos Browning was born ABT 1751 Culpepper, VA. He married Jennie Trim in Culpepper.**

**(A1-4) Francis Browning was born 14 Nov 1753 Elizabeth City, Culpepper, VA. He moved to North Carolina with his father's family where he fought in the Revolutionary War, gaining the title of Captain. He married Elizabeth Vermillion and later the family including two children at that time, moved to Elk Garden Community of Russell Co., VA in about 1780. Beautiful Elk Garden was his home for the rest of his 75 years; he died July 19, 1955 at his home at the age of 101 years 7 months and 24 days. At the first court held in Russell County on the second Thursday of May 1786, Francis Browning was named coroner of the county. He was three times sheriff of the county, a member of the state legislature 1798-99 and served as Captain of Militia of Washington County, Va.**

**Francis Asbury, first circuit riding bishop of American Methodism is reported to have lodged with Francis on different trips visiting churches in this region of the United States. Captain Francis was an active layman in the Methodist Church during his long residency in Elk Garden Community. At the time of this death, 1855, he left 262 living descendents. Francis and Elizabeth had eleven children, three of which died in infancy in Russell County. the eight children were:**

1. Jesse b NC Oct 20, 1775
2. James b NC March 19, 1778
3. Nancy b VA Mar 27, 1781
4. Mary b VA 1 Oct 1785
5. William b VA Mar 29 1787
6. Francis Jr. b VA 19 Aug 1791
7. John v VA 2 Aug 1793
8. Wilson b VA 8 Nov 1795

**(1-3) Joseph Browning was born ABT 1617 in England. He came to America after his father, aboard the ship "Thomas", leaving London on August 21, 1635. He settled at Jamestown and was reported to be the brother of William and George.**

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