Descendants of Elijah W. Couch

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Our goal is to research the pioneers that came into the Walla Walla Valley Area, as a starter for those doing their family genealogy; we are not related.
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Generation No. 1
1. Elijah W.1 Couch was born 1812 in Spartanburg Dist, SC. He married Nancy A, Allen. She was born 1812 in Franklin County, GA.

Notes for Elijah W. Couch:
1850 US Census Georgia > Coweta > Division 19 > 94
Line 42
John Couch 19 M Farmer GA Married within year.
Next page 95 - Line 1
Jane Couch 17 F TN Married within year
(Ellie 2)
Elijah W. Couch 38 M Farmer $300 SC
Nance A. Couch 40 F GA
James A.; Sarah J; Martha 10; Wm T; Mary A.; Elijah 1.
Source Citation: Year: 1850; Census Place: Division 19, Coweta, Georgia; Roll M432_66; Page: 329B; Image: 473.

More About Elijah W. Couch:
Census: 1850, Georgia > Coweta > Division 19 > 94
More About Nancy A, Allen:
Census: 1850, Georgia > Coweta > Division 19 > 94 (See Husband)
Children of Elijah Couch and Nancy A are:
+ 2 l. John B.2 Couch, born Mar 1831 in Franklin County, GA; died 19 Aug 1912 in Umatilla County, OR.
3 ii. James A. Couch.
More About James A. Couch:
Census: 1850, Georgia > Coweta > Division 19 > 94 (See Father)
4 iii. Sarah J. Couch.
More About Sarah J. Couch:
Census: 1850, Georgia > Coweta > Division 19 > 94 (See Father)
5 iv. Martha Couch, born 1840.
More About Martha Couch:
Census: 1850, Georgia > Coweta > Division 19 > 94 (See Father)
6 v. William T. Couch.
More About William T. Couch:
Census: 1850, Georgia > Coweta > Division 19 > 94 (See Father)
7 vi. Mary A. Couch.
More About Mary A. Couch:
Census: 1850, Georgia > Coweta > Division 19 > 94 (See Father)
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8 vii. Elijah Couch, born 1849.
More About Elijah Couch:
Census: 1850, Georgia > Coweta > Division 19 > 94 (See Father)

Generation No. 2
2. John B.2 Couch (Elijah W.1) was born Mar 1831 in Franklin County, GA, and died 19 Aug 1912 in Umatilla County, OR. He married (1) Jane Bell 1850 in Coweta, GA. She was born 1833 in TN.
He married (2) Melvina ‘Couch’ 1858 in MO. She was born 1834 in KY. He married (3) Elvira Pitman Bollen Abt. 1869 in AR. She was born 1846 in AR, and died 02 Sep 1917 in Walla Walla, Walla Walla, WA.
Notes for John B. Couch:
1850 US Census Georgia > Coweta > Division 19 > 94 (12 Sept 1850)
Line 42
John Couch 19 M Farmer GA Married within year.
Next page 95 - Line 1
Jane Couch 17 F TN Married within year
(Line 2)
Elijah W. Couch 38 M Farmer $300 SC
Nance A. Couch 40 F GA
James A.; Sarah J; Martha 10; Wm T; Mary A.; Elijah 1.
Source Citation: Year: 1850; Census Place: Division 19, Coweta, Georgia; Roll M432_66; Page: 329B; Image: 473.
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Civil War Soldiers, 1861-1865 Results
This record has been added to your shoebox.
U.S. Civil War Soldiers, 1861-1865
about John Couch
Name: John Couch
Side: Union
Regiment State/Origin: Missouri
Regiment Name: 40 Missouri Infantry
Regiment Name Expanded: 40th Regiment, Missouri Infantry
Company: C
Rank In: Private
Rank In Expanded: Private
Rank Out: Private
Rank Out Expanded: Private
Film Number: M390 roll 10
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U.S. Civil War Soldier Records and Profiles
about John Couch
Name: John Couch
Rank at enlistment: Private
State Served: Missouri
Service Record: Enlisted in Company C, Missouri 40th Infantry Regiment.
Sources: Index to Compiled Military Service Records
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Civil War Pension Index: General Index to Pension Files, 1861-1934
Index to Pension Files, 1861-1934
Name: John Couch
State Filed: Kansas and Oregon
Widow: Elvira Couch
Source Information:
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1870 United States Federal Census Missouri > Washington > Belleview > 29 PO Osage
Line 24
John B Couch 40 MW Farmer GA Voter
Malvina Couch 36 FW Keeping House KY
Frances A Couch 11 FW MO Attd School
John C Couch 7/12 MW MO (Oct)
Source Citation: Year: 1870; Census Place: Belleview, Washington, Missouri; Roll M593_825; Page: 15A; Image: 33; Family History Library Film: 552324.
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1880 United States Federal Census Arkansas > Crawford > Richland > District 49 > 12
Line 15
John Couch 50 WM M Engineer GA TN KY
Eloing Couch 34 WF Wife M House Keeper AR
John C. Couch 10 WM Son AR GA AR
Tomfry M. Couch 2 WF Dau AR GA AR
M. E. Balding 15 WF Stepdau IL TN
Mary E. Balding 13 WF Stepdau IL TN
Margrett Balding 9 WF Stepdau IL TN
Source Citation: Year: 1880; Census Place: Richland, Crawford, Arkansas; Roll 42; Family History Film: 1254042; Page: 575B; Enumeration District: 49;

1900 United States Federal Census Oregon > Umatilla > Milton > District 114 > 33
Line 99
John Couch 69 Head WM Mar 1831 M30yrs GA VA VA Day Laborer Rent/House
Elvira Couch 57 Wife WF Aug 1848 M30yrs (9-4) IN IN IN
Next Page 34 Line 1
John Couch 28 Son WM Jan 1872 S MO GA IN Day Laborer
Robert Couch 17 Son WM Oct 1882 S KS GA IN At School
Henry Couch 13 Son WM Oct 1886 S KS GA IN At School
Source Citation: Year: 1900; Census Place: Milton, Umatilla, Oregon; Roll T623_1352; Page: 14B; Enumeration District: 114.

1910 United States Federal Census Oregon > Umatilla > North Milton > District 266 > 12
Line 77 - Lower Walla Walla Road
John Couch 81 Head MW M3-30yrs GA TN TN Farmer/Renter
Elvira Couch 45 Wife FW M2-30yrs (3-1) IN IN IN None
Robert Couch 24 Son MW S MO GA IN Farmer Rent Farm
Source Citation: Year: 1910; Census Place: North Milton, Umatilla, Oregon; Roll T624_1289; Page: 6B; Enumeration District: 266; Image: 992.

More About John B. Couch:
Burial: 21 Aug 1912, IOOF Cemetery N-4, Milton-Freewater, Umatilla, OR
Census 1: 1870, Missouri > Washington > Bellevue > 29 PO Osage
Census 2: 1850, Georgia > Coweta > Division 19 > 94
Census 3: 1880, Arkansas > Crawford > Richland > District 49 > 12
Census 4: 1900, Oregon > Umatilla > Milton > District 114 > 33
Census 5: 1910, Oregon > Umatilla > North Milton > District 266 > 12
More About Jane Bell:
Census: 1850, Georgia > Coweta > Division 19 > 94 (See Husband)
More About John Couch and Jane Bell:
Marriage: 1850, Coweta, GA
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More About Melvina 'Couch':
Census: 1870, Missouri > Washington > Bellevue > 29 PO Osage (See Husband)
More About John Couch and Melvina 'Couch':
Marriage: 1858, MO
More About Elvira Pitman Bollen:
Burial: 05 Sep 1917, IOOF Cemetery N-4, Milton-Freewater, Umatilla, OR
Census 1: 1880, Arkansas > Crawford > Richland > District 49 > 12 (See Husband)
Census 2: 1900, Oregon > Umatilla > Milton > District 114 > 33 (See Husband)
Census 3: 1910, Oregon > Umatilla > North Milton > District 266 > 12 (See Husband)
More About John Couch and Elvira Bollen:
Marriage 1: Abt. 1869, AR
Marriage 2: Abt. 1880
Children of John Couch and Melvina 'Couch' are:
9 i. Frances A. Couch, born 1859 in MO.

More About Frances A. Couch:
Census: 1870, Missouri > Washington > Belleview > 29 PO Osage (See Father)


More About John C. Couch:
Burial: 08 Oct 1916, IOOF Cemetery N-4, Milton-Freewater, Umatilla, OR
Census 1: 1870, Missouri > Washington > Belleview > 29 PO Osage (See Father)
Census 2: 1880, Arkansas > Crawford > Richland > District 49 > 12 (See Father)
Census 3: 1900, Oregon > Umatilla > Milton > District 114 > 33 (See Father)

11 iii. Tomfry M. Couch, born 1878 in AR.

More About Tomfry M. Couch:
Census: 1880, Arkansas > Crawford > Richland > District 49 > 12 (See Father)

+ 12 iv. Robert T. Lee Couch, born 15 Aug 1884 in MO; died 27 Feb 1957 in Multnomah County, OR.

Child of John Couch and Elvira Bollen is:
+ 13 i. Henry Maran3 Couch, born 21 Oct 1885 in KS; died 10 Mar 1942 in San Francisco County, CA.

Generation No. 3
12. Robert T. Lee3 Couch (John B.2, Elijah W.1) was born 15 Aug 1884 in MO, and died 27 Feb 1957 in Multnomah County, OR. He married Leona Cox. She was born 1900 in CO, and died 27 Oct 1957 in Multnomah County, OR.

Notes for Robert T. Lee Couch:
1920 United States Federal Census Oregon > Multnomah > Portland > District 148 > 19
Line 32 - Williams Street
Couch, Robert Head Rent MW 35 M MO IL MO Truck Driver/Transfer Co.
Leona Wife FW 20 M CO US US None
Line 34
Henry M Couch 32 Head Rent MW M KS GA MO Machinist/Automobile
Merian Couch 29 Wife FW M MO NE MO None
Loyd Couch 7 Son MW S OR KS MO None
Source Citation: Year: 1920; Census Place: Portland, Multnomah, Oregon; Roll T625_1502; Page: 10A; 5 19 Oct 2010 7:58 AM

1930 United States Federal Census Oregon > Multnomah > Portland (Districts 271-553) > District 438 > 8
Line 97 - 657 ??
Robert Couch 42 Head Rent$17 MW M@28 US US US Truck Driver/Hauling Co.
Leona Couch 31 Wife FW M@17 CO MO MN None
Darrell M Couch 7 Son MW S WA US CO None
Orval A Couch 2 11/12 Son MW S OR US CO None
Source Citation: Year: 1930; Census Place: Portland, Multnomah, Oregon; Roll 1953; Page: 4B; Enumeration District: 438; Image: 605.0.

More About Robert T. Lee Couch:
Census 1: 1910, Oregon > Umatilla > North Milton > District 266 > 12 (See Father)
Census 2: 1900, Oregon > Umatilla > Milton > District 114 > 33 (See Father)
Census 3: 1920, Oregon > Multnomah > Portland > District 148 > 19
Census 4: 1930, Oregon > Multnomah > Portland (Districts 271-553) > District 438 > 8
Draft Registration 1: 12 Sep 1918, Walla Walla, WA
Draft Registration 2: 1942, Portland, OR

More About Leona Cox:
Census 1: 1920, Oregon > Multnomah > Portland > District 148 > 19 (See Husband)
Census 2: 1930, Oregon > Multnomah > Portland (Districts 271-553) > District 438 > 8 (See Husband)

Children of Robert Couch and Leona Cox are:
+ 14 i. Darrell M.4 Couch, born 30 Jul 1922 in Multnomah County, OR; died 24 Jun 1992 in
Clackamas County, OR.

More About Orval A. Couch:
Census: 1930, Oregon > Multnomah > Portland (Districts 271-553) > District 438 > 8
(See Father)

13. Henry Maran Couch (John B.2, Elijah W.1) was born 21 Oct 1885 in KS, and died 10 Mar 1942 in San Francisco County, CA. He married (1) Belva Todd. She was born 1911 in SD. He married (2) Iva Bell Long 03 Jul 1906 in 1888. She was born 1891 in Linn County, MO.

Notes for Henry Maran Couch:
1910 United States Federal Census Oregon > Umatilla > North Milton > District 266 > 13 Line
Henry Couch 22 Head MW M1-4yrs KS GA IN Laborer/Odd Jobs Rent/House
Iva Couch 19 Wife FW M1-4yrs (1-1) MO MO MO None
Gertie Couch 2 Dau FW S OR KS MO None
Source Citation: Year: 1910; Census Place: North Milton, Umatilla, Oregon; Roll T624_1289; Page: 7A; Enumeration District: 266; Image: 993.

1920 United States Federal Census Oregon > Multnomah > Portland > District 148 > 19
Line 32 - Williams Street
Couch, Robert Head 35 Rent MW M MO IL MO Truck Driver/Transfer Co.
Leona Wife 20 FW M CO US US None
Line 34
Henry M Couch 32 Head Rent MW M KS GA MO Machinist/Automobile
Merian Couch 29 Wife FW M MO NE MO None
Loyd Couch 7 Son MW S OR KS MO None
Source Citation: Year: 1920; Census Place: Portland, Multnomah, Oregon; Roll T625_1502; Page: 10A; 6 19 Oct 2010 7:58 AM

1930 United States Federal Census California > San Francisco > San Francisco (Districts 1-250) > District 135 > 32
Line 89
Henry Couch 41 Head M@20yrs KS US US Machinist/Auto
Belva E Couch 19 Wife VW <@19yrs SD IA WS None
Bertrice Couch 5/12 Dau FW S CA KS SD None
Source Citation: Year: 1930; Census Place: San Francisco, San Francisco, California; Roll 199; Page: 16B; Enumeration District: 135; Image: 859.0.

California State Library California Voter Registrations, 1900-1968 Record for California Voter Registrations, 1900-1968
San Francisco County > 1934 > Roll 48 (Jul) > 578
37 Couch, Henry M., 374 Hickory, Mechanic - Dem

California State Library California Voter Registrations, 1900-1968 Record for California Voter Registrations, 1900-1968
San Francisco County > 1936 > Roll 55 (Mar, Vol 3) > 16
6 Couch, Henry M., 2460 Post, Mechanic Rep

California State Library California Voter Registrations, 1900-1968 Record for California Voter Registrations, 1900-1968
San Francisco County > 1938 > Roll 58 (Jul, Vol 2) > 16
31 Couch, Henry M., 632 Webster, Mechanic Rep

California State Library California Voter Registrations, 1900-1968 Record for California Voter Registrations, 1900-1968
San Francisco County > 1939 > Roll 62 > 191
41 Couch, Henry M. 244 Allison, Roofer Rep

California State Library California Voter Registrations, 1900-1968 Record for California Voter Registrations, 1900-1968
San Francisco County > 1940 > Roll 64 (Jul, Vol 1-2) > 429
41 Couch, Henry M., 244 Allison, Roofer - Rep

Modesto News-Herald (Modesto, California) 1926 > November > 13 > 1
If interested, check it out.
More About Henry Maran Couch:
Census 1: 1900, Oregon > Umatilla > Milton > District 114 > 33 (See Father)
Census 2: 1910, Oregon > Umatilla > North Milton > District 266 > 13
Census 3: 1920, Oregon > Multnomah > Portland > District 148 > 19
Census 4: 1930, California > San Francisco > San Francisco (Districts 1-250) > District 135 > 32
Draft Registration: 05 Jun 1917, Walla Walla, Walla Walla, WA 11

More About Belva Todd:
Census: 1930, California > San Francisco > San Francisco (Districts 1-250) > District 135 > 32 (See Husband)

More About Iva Bell Long:
Census 1: 1910, Oregon > Umatilla > North Milton > District 266 > 13 (See Father)
Census 2: 1920, Oregon > Multnomah > Portland > District 148 > 19 (See Husband)
Parents (Facts Pg): H. George Long and Nancy Geir
More About Henry Couch and Iva Long:
Marriage: 03 Jul 1906, 188812
Children of Henry Couch and Belva Todd are:
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More About Beatrice Pauline Couch:
Census: 1930, California > San Francisco > San Francisco (Districts 1-250) > District 135 > 32 (See Father)
17 ii. William Henry Couch, born 06 Mar 1931 in San Francisco County, CA 14; died 12 Feb 1943 in Mendocino County, CA 15.

Children of Henry Couch and Iva Long are:
19 i. Gertie Couch, born 1908 in OR.
More About Gertie Couch:
Census: 1910, Oregon > Umatilla > North Milton > District 266 > 13 (See Father)
+ 20 ii. Loyd M Couch, born 30 May 1912 in OR; died 21 Feb 1976 in Yolo County CA.

Generation No. 4
14. Darrell M. Couch (Robert T. Lee3, John B.2, Elijah W.1) was born 30 Jul 1922 in Multnomah County, OR, and died 24 Jun 1992 in Clackamas County, OR17,18. He married Emma Louise Beckel 20 Oct 1942 in Clark County WA19. She was born 04 Mar 1923 in Multnomah County, OR, and died 14 Jan 1997 in Clackamas County, OR.
More About Darrell M. Couch:
Burial: 28 Jun 1992, Willamette Cemetery, OR20
Census: 1930, Oregon > Multnomah > Portland (Districts 271-553) > District 438 > 8 (See Father)
More About Emma Louise Beckel:
Burial: 16 Jan 1997, Willamette Cemetery, OR21
More About Darrell Couch and Emma Beckel:
Marriage: 20 Oct 1942, Clark County WA22
Child of Darrell Couch and Emma Beckel is:
+ 21 i. Darlene Ann Couch, born 04 Mar 1951 in Portland, OR.

20. Loyd M Couch (Henry Maran3, John B.2, Elijah W.1) was born 30 May 1912 in OR, and died 21 Feb 1976 in Yolo County CA23,24. He married Nancy Zell King. She was born 20 Apr 1918 in CA, and died 06 Dec 1993 in Sacramento County, CA25.
More About Loyd M Couch:
Burial: 24 Feb 1976, Odd Fellows Lawn Cemetery and Mausoleum, Sacramento, Sacramento, CA26
Census: 1920, Oregon > Multnomah > Portland > District 148 > 19 (Se eFather)

More About Nancy Zell King:
Burial: 08 Dec 1993, Odd Fellows Lawn Cemetery and Mausoleum, Sacramento, Sacramento, CA27
Child of Loyd Couch and Nancy King is:

More About Beth Alice Couch:
Burial: 14 Mar 1960, Odd Fellows Lawn Cemetery and Mausoleum, Sacramento, Sacramento, CA29

Generation No. 5
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21. Darlene Ann5 Couch (Darrell M.4, Robert T. Lee3, John B.2, Elijah W.1) was born 04 Mar 1951 in Portland, OR. She married Unknown Fitch.

More About Unknown Fitch:
Parents (Facts Pg): Vern Howard Fitch and Fletcher
Children of Darlene Couch and Unknown Fitch are:
23 i. Geri Lynn6 Fitch, born 16 Feb 2000 in Lincoln City, OR.
24 ii. Shannon Marie Fitch, born 30 Jul 2000 in Lincoln City, OR.

Endnotes
2. Washington State Death Records, Elvina Couch - Tipkin - Unknown - Washington State Death Records Record Series:
White Roll: 31887_B016814 Age: Occupation: Nearest Relative: Height/Build: Color of Eyes/Hair: Signature: View image ARC Number: 563991 Box Number: 26 Name of person who will know where you are. Leona Couch.

7. Oregon Death Index, 1903-98, Oregon Death Index, 1903-98 about Orvil Alfred Couch Name: Couch, Orvil Alfred
County: Clackamas Death Date: 15 Aug 1987 Certificate: 87-15822 Age: 60 Birth Date: 23 May 1927 Spouse: Kathal

8. Social Security Death Index, Social Security Death Index about Orvil Couch Name: Orvil Couch SSN: 544-22-0296
Last Residence: 97222 Portland, Clackamas, Oregon, United States of America Born: 23 May 1927 Last Benefit: 97222
Portland, Clackamas, Oregon, United States of America Died: Aug 1987 State (Year) SSN issued: Oregon (Before 1951)

9. California Death Index, 1940-1997, California Death Index, 1940-1997 about Henry Couch Name: Henry Couch Social Security #: 0 Sex: Male Birth Date: 21 Oct 1885 Birthplace: Kansas Death Date: 10 Mar 1942 Death Place: San Francisco
Mother's Maiden Name: Bollen Father's Surname: Couch.

Groom's Name: Henry Couch Bride's Name: Iva Bell Long Marriage Date: Jul 3 1906 Filing Date: County: Walla Walla Notes:


Groom's Name: Henry Couch Bride's Name: Iva Bell Long Marriage Date: Jul 3 1906 Filing Date: County: Walla Walla Notes:


17. Social Security Death Index, Social Security Death Index about Darrell M. Couch Name: Darrell M. Couch SSN: 544-
19. Clark Marriage Records, Darrell M Couch - Elma Beckel - Clark Marriage Records Record Series: Marriage Records Collection: Clark Marriage Records County: Clark Document Number: swclkmca20963 Groom's Name: Darrell M Couch Bride's Name: Elma Beckel Marriage Date: 10/20/1942 12:00:00 AM County : Clark Notes: .
Sex: Female Birth Date: 7 Oct 1942 Birthplace: California Death Date: 12 Mar 1960 Death Place: Sacramento
Mother's
Maiden Name: King.
29. Find a Grave, Beth Alice Couch Memorial Photos Flowers Edit Learn about upgrading this memorial... Birth: Oct. 7, 1942 Death: Mar. 12, 1960 Burial: Odd Fellows Lawn Cemetery and Mausoleum Sacramento Sacramento County California, USA Plot: Sec. F Lot 146 Gr 3 Created by: Scott Bolliger Record added: Mar 05, 2010 Find A