Genealogical notes of
J. Doris Scofield

Daughter of Josephine F. Rainwater & William J. Scofield

c. 1990
JOSEPHINE FLORENCE (Rainwater) SCOFIELD - Born March 9, 1888 - Died April 17, 1987
Born in Stoutland, Missouri

Her mother: Sarah Catherine (Waters) Rainwater - Born March 11, 1853 - Died Jan. 16, 1939
Grandmother: Polly (White) Waters
Grandfather: Johnny Waters

Sarah Catherine had two brothers, Tom and George Waters, a sister, Jenny.

Her father: Abraham Butler Rainwater - Born May 16, 1844 - Died October 30, 1917
Grandmother: Mary (Hammonds) Rainwater
Grandfather: Gideon Rainwater (both born in Kentucky)

Mary and Gideon were married in Kentucky, and moved by covered wagon to Camden County, Missouri in about 1841.

Abraham had 4 brothers, George, Marion, John and Ely; 3 sisters, Hulda, Martha, Mary Ann

Children of Abe and Sarah Rainwater (Josie's parents)

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<th>Name</th>
<th>Birth Date</th>
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<tr>
<td>Lunettia (called Nettie)</td>
<td>September 8, 1871</td>
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<td>Mary Elizabeth</td>
<td>December 25, 1872</td>
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<td>Benjamin Franklin</td>
<td>November 5, 1874</td>
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<td>George Edward</td>
<td>October 20, 1876</td>
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<td>Rubin (?)</td>
<td>March 8, 1878</td>
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<td>Jeremiah (?)</td>
<td>May 20, 1879</td>
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<td>William Merritt (called Murt)</td>
<td>April 14, 1881</td>
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<td>Trinkie F.</td>
<td>October 5, 1883</td>
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<td>Anna Rose</td>
<td>September 17, 1885</td>
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<td>Josephine Florence</td>
<td>March 9, 1888</td>
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<td>Harrison Spurgeon</td>
<td>October 22, 1890 - Died April 3, 1981</td>
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<td>Stella May and baby boy (still born)</td>
<td>July 18, 1892</td>
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<td>Lemuel Oliver</td>
<td>February 8, 1894 - Died January 25, 1975</td>
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Aunt Nettie married George Dobbins - lived in the state of Washington all her adult life.

Mary Elizabeth married Joe Jones. She divorced him after six children (guess he was a stinker), and she made a good living for all of them as a seamstress in a big manufacturing place in downtown Kansas City, Mo.

And Trinkie married John Gladden - lived in Kansas City area.

Aunt Anna married Adolph Binner - lived in Kansas City area.

Josephine married William Joshua Scofield - lived hither and yon - from farm to Kansas City - back to farm - back to city, etc., etc.

These records came to me from J. Doris (Dee) Scofield, Josephine's 8th child, about 7 years ago. Some of the dates differ from those in the Registry, but overall the information is excellent.
Children of Jay and Josie Scofield -- Married on May 14, 1905

Lucy Lavern --born May 27, 1906 (Lavern) Died June 26, 1995
William Isaac --born September 23, 1908 (Bill) Died July 15, 1986
Frank McComb --born September 9, 1910 Died September 8, 1994
Oliver Abraham --born March 8, 1913 Died November 1, 1993
Joshua Glenn --born April 17, 1915 (Jay) Died July 7, 1994
Ruth Kathryn --born February 9, 1917
Gertrude Pauline --born May 9, 1917 (Trudy)
J. Doris --born July 28, 1921 (Dorothy) Died March 28, 1929
Ralph Edward --born February 19, 1927

Lavern married Jewell Gish - 2 children, David, Virginia Jo (Jewell died Dec. 15, 1956)
" " Ben Anderson - he died in 1989
" Bill " Bonda Meredith - 4 sons, Bill, Ralph, Bruce, Gregory
" Frank " Lorraine McCan - one son, Frank Eugene
" " Rose Sansone - one daughter, Letha Rose
" " Adeline Taylor - one son, Stephen
" " Doris Rice - 2 girls, Stephanie and Mary, 1 son, Paul
" Oliver " Jonybelle Nash - 3 girls, Joyce, Leona Ruth, Nancy, one son Oliver II
" " Stephanie Zarinski
" " Helen Oshel - 1 son, Joshua Gless (J.G.), 1 daughter, Jo Marie
" " Alberta Powell - 1 son, Johnny, 1 girl, Glenda
" Ruth " Clyde Rodelander - no children
" " Elmer K. Smith " "
" Trudy " Wesley D. King - 1 son, Wesley Dean
" Doris " Everett Collins (divorced - resumed maiden name)