# Descendants of Thomas Clark Tinsley

#### Generation No. 1

**1.** THOMAS CLARK<sup>1</sup> TINSLEY<sup>1,2,3,4</sup> was born 1815 in Virginia<sup>5,6,7,8</sup>, and died in VA. He married ELIZABETH FROST 23 Aug 1946 in Richmond, Henrico County, VA; Marriage: married by Rev. Woodcock. She was born 1829.

Notes for Thomas Clark Tinsley:

Thomas Clark Tinsley served in the Confederate forces in the defense of Richmond during the Civil War. Records in the National Archives.

More About THOMAS CLARK TINSLEY:

Residence: 1860, Richmond Ward 3, Henrico, Virginia<sup>8</sup>

Children of THOMAS TINSLEY and ELIZABETH FROST are:

- i. MARY M.<sup>2</sup> TINSLEY, b. 1846, Henrico County, VA.
- ii. WILLIAM CLARK TINSLEY, b. 1848, Henrico County, VA.
- iii. HENRY BENNETT TINSLEY, b. Jan 1849, Henrico County, VA; d. 21 Feb 1928, Haywood County, TN.
  - iv. MARGARET TINSLEY, b. 1851, Henrico County, VA.
  - v. CHARLES TINSLEY, b. 1852, Henrico County, VA.
  - THOMAS CLARK, JR. TINSLEY, b. 01 Jul 1854, Henrico County, VA; d. 28 Dec 1934, Richmond, Henrico County, VA; m. JOSEPHINE, 1879, VA.
  - vii. STEPHEN T. TINSLEY, b. 1860, Henrico County, VA.

#### Generation No. 2

**2.** HENRY BENNETT<sup>2</sup> TINSLEY (*THOMAS CLARK*<sup>1</sup>)<sup>9,10,11,12</sup> was born Jan 1849 in Henrico County, VA<sup>13,14,15,16</sup>, and died 21 Feb 1928 in Haywood County, TN. He married LUCY ANN SHERMAN<sup>17,18,19</sup> 13 Mar 1872 in Haywood County, TN, daughter of MACK SHERMAN and LUCY MORRISON. She was born May 1854 in Tennessee<sup>20,21,22</sup>, and died 1941 in Haywood County, TN.

Notes for Henry Bennett Tinsley:

Civil War Service of Henry Bennett Tinsley

Henry Bennett Tinsley, so the story goes, ran away from home to join the Confederate Army in 1864, when he was about 15 years old. His mother didn't want him to go. He was in the 6th VA Cavalry, Co I, CSA, according to records in the National Archives and his widow's Pension Application, and served as a courier at Appomattox. At some point he was wounded in the hand by a minie ball which passed between his thumb and first finger, taking out some of the fleshy part of his hand and leaving a permanent scar. After the war he migrated to West Tennessee, but still kept in touch with his family in Richmond, and named all his own children after his own brothers and sisters.

More About HENRY BENNETT TINSLEY:

Burial: Buried at Oakwood Cemetary, Brownsville, TN Residence: 1860, Richmond Ward 3, Henrico, Virginia<sup>23</sup>

More About LUCY ANN SHERMAN:

Residence: 1880, Brownsville, Haywood, Tennessee, United States<sup>24</sup>

Children of HENRY TINSLEY and LUCY SHERMAN are:

EDDIE BYNE<sup>3</sup> TINSLEY, b. 09 May 1873, Haywood County, TN; d. 15 Feb 1957, Haywood County, TN.

 HENRY BENNETT JR. TINSLEY, b. 1875, Haywood County, TN; d. 30 Dec 1931, Haywood County, TN.

More About HENRY BENNETT JR. TINSLEY:

Known as "Hal" to family & friends, obit appeared under Hal Tinsley in local pap

 SAMUEL THOMAS TINSLEY, b. 1878, Haywood County, TN; d. 1958, Haywood County, TN; Age 79 at death.

More About SAMUEL THOMAS TINSLEY:

Deacon at Shaw's Chapel Baptist Church; Died of heart attack

iv. STEVEN TAYLOR TINSLEY<sup>25</sup>, b. 1880, Haywood County, TN<sup>25</sup>; d. 31 Oct 1953, Haywood County, TN.

More About STEVEN TAYLOR TINSLEY:

Burial: Interred at Oakwood Cemetary, Brownsville, TN

Residence: Haywood, Tennessee25

- v. MARY ELIZABETH TINSLEY, b. 1883, Haywood County, TN; d. 1977, Haywood County, TN.
- vi. JULIA WINSTON TINSLEY, b. 1885, Haywood County, TN; d. 1980, Haywood County, TN.
- vii. BESSIE LEE TINSLEY, b. 17 Nov 1889, Haywood County, TN; Bessie was twin to Helen; d. 1955, Haywood County, TN.
- viii. HELEN LAYCOCK TINSLEY, b. 12 Nov 1890, Haywood County, TN; twin to Bessie; d. 02 Sep 1980, Knoxville, Knox County, TN.

## Generation No. 3

**3.** HELEN LAYCOCK<sup>3</sup> TINSLEY (HENRY BENNETT<sup>2</sup>, THOMAS CLARK<sup>1</sup>) was born 12 Nov 1890 in Haywood County, TN; twin to Bessie, and died 02 Sep 1980 in Knoxville, Knox County, TN. She married Granville Auston White<sup>26,27</sup> 12 Oct 1912 in Brownsville, Haywood, Tennessee, son of Henry White and Melissa Pittman. He was born 12 Aug 1889 in Whiteville, Hardemon County, TN, USA<sup>28,29</sup>, and died 12 Mar 1977 in Brownsville, Haywood, Tennessee.

More About GRANVILLE AUSTON WHITE:

Cause of Death: after short illness following stroke Residence: 1930, Brownsville, Haywood, Tennessee<sup>29</sup>

Children of HELEN TINSLEY and GRANVILLE WHITE are:

- 4. i. ERNEST AUSTON<sup>4</sup> WHITE, b. Aug 1915, Haywood County, TN; d. 18 Jul 1984, Haywood County, TN.
  - ii. HENRY EDGAR WHITE, b. 24 Jan 1928, Haywood County, TN; d. 03 Jan 1935, Haywood County, TN.

More About HENRY EDGAR WHITE:

Cause of Death: Died of Meningitis after a 4-day illness.

Burial: Buried in Lebanon Methodist Church Cemetery

- iii. MELISSA LUCILLE WHITE, b. Feb 1930, Haywood County, TN.
- iv. MABLE ZADY WHITE, b. 1932, Haywood County, TN.

## Generation No. 4

**4.** ERNEST AUSTON<sup>4</sup> WHITE (HELEN LAYCOCK<sup>3</sup> TINSLEY, HENRY BENNETT<sup>2</sup>, THOMAS CLARK<sup>1</sup>) was born Aug 1915 in Haywood County, TN, and died 18 Jul 1984 in Haywood County, TN. He married (1) PATTY. He married (2) MARGARET MATTHEWS in Brownsville, TN.

More About ERNEST AUSTON WHITE:

Burial: Buried at Memorial Gardens, Brownsville, TN

Children of Ernest White and Patty are: i. Joan<sup>5</sup> White, b. Florida. ii. Linda White, b. Florida.