

Notes from the Clarkson Family Bible  
belonging to Richard Albert Clarkson and Elizabeth Jane Robinson

In May of 1986 I had the opportunity to view and make copies of the family record pages of a Clarkson Family Bible that originally belonged to Richard Albert Clarkson and Elizabeth Jane Robinson. At that date, the Bible was in the possession of Rita Galvin Clarkson, widow of Samuel Edwin Clarkson Jr. In the family record pages of the Bible there is a list of Births, six obituary newspaper clippings for family members, one newspaper clipping of an anniversary party, a few hand-written notes, and six family photographs. A more detailed listing of these contents is given below.

I also have a paper, referencing this same Clarkson Family Bible. It was prepared for submission to the Oklahoma City Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, probably 1940-1950. It gives this information:

Illustrated Polyglot FAMILY BIBLE Published by C. F. Vent, Cincinnati, Ohio 1869 now in possession of Mrs. S. E. Clarkson (Aubin Fry), 1000 N. E. 20<sup>th</sup>, Oklahoma City, Okla.

The DAR submission paper includes the list of Births, up through 1938, and also includes a listing of three marriages. For unknown reasons, I failed to copy the list of marriages when I viewed the Bible in 1986. They are given below.

At the present date, August 2008, I believe this Bible is in the hands of Samuel Edwin "Sam" Clarkson III.

Pamela Hutchison Garrett, August 2008

## **List of items in the Clarkson Family Bible:**

### **Births**

A transcription of the Birth listings appears below, following these notes.

### **Marriages**

A transcription of the Marriage listings appears below, following these notes.

Obituary newspaper clipping for Miss Henryetta Clarkson, dated 7 February 1910.

See her personal record – Henrietta Jeffries Clarkson.

Obituary newspaper clipping for Mrs Camilla H Vick, dated 10 October 1911.

See her personal record – Camilla Hall Clarkson.

Newspaper clipping of Anniversary party for RA Clarkson and Lizzie Robinson, dated 3 September 1908.

See their personal records – Richard Albert Clarkson and Elizabeth Jane Robinson.

Obituary newspaper clipping for Mrs Maria F Bryant, dated following 18 March 1847. Handwritten note says, "This is the obituary of RA Clarkson's mother."

See her personal record – Sarah Maria Forest Jeffries.

Obituary newspaper clipping for Miss Henryetta Clarkson, dated 9 February 1910.

See her personal record – Henrietta Jeffries Clarkson.

Obituary newspaper clipping for Mrs Camilla Vick, dated 10 October 1911.

See her personal record – Camilla Hall Clarkson.

Obituary newspaper clipping of Mrs Sarah N Robinson, dated following 28 November 1909.

See her personal record – Sarah Nugent Edmonston.

Handwritten note, "Cousin Julia Mundie of Essex Co. Va died Monday, Aug 25<sup>th</sup> 1913."

Photograph of a woman in simple black dress with lace collar. Note written out to the side of the photo says, "Mrs. Jeffries Clarkson". This suggests that the photo is of Sarah Maria Forrest Jeffries Clarkson. Questions remain.

Photograph of a man with groomed beard, probably age 25-35. The photo was taken in St Louis and I believe that it is Richard Albert Clarkson.

Photograph of a young child, probably age 1-2. No ID appears, but other photos I have seen suggest this is Henrietta Jeffries Clarkson.

Photograph of a young woman, attractively dressed with stylish hair and earrings. No ID and I do not have a clue as to who she might be.

Photograph of a man with bushy beard and lots of hair, dress suggests this photo is old. Note written out to side of photo says, "Mr Clarkson, husband of Maria Etta Jeffries." This would suggest that it is a photo of Richard Henry Clarkson, but that remains questionable.

Photograph of four young people, possibly cousins. No ID is given, but I clearly recognize Henrietta Jeffries Clarkson and Samuel Edwin Clarkson Sr.

### **Births**

Richard Albert Clarkson, January 29<sup>th</sup> 1845.

Lizzie Jane Robinson, January 11<sup>th</sup> 1848.

Camilla Hall Clarkson, October 1<sup>st</sup> 1869.

Annie Preston Clarkson, January 31<sup>st</sup> 1871.

Etta Jeffries Clarkson, March 6<sup>th</sup> 1873.

Samuel Edwin Clarkson, February 9<sup>th</sup> 1875.

Elizabeth Virginia Boyd was born Dec 22 - 1894.

Henrietta Clarkson Boyd was born March 13 - 1899.

Albert Luther Clarkson was born Aug 9 - 1901.

Samuel Edwin Clarkson Jr was born Sept 12 – 1909.

R. A. Clarkson Vick was born July 21 – 1903.

William Henry Vick Jr. was born Oct 5 – 1911.

Rowland Albert Clarkson was born Dec. 20 - 1928

Blanche Aubin Clarkson was born Jan. 8 – 1932

Norman E Reynolds Jr was born Dec 1 1919

Elizabeth Anne Dalbey was born Jan 24 1920

Carl Shepard Dalbey Jr was born Oct 22 1922.

William Henry Vick Jr was born June 28 1938

Joan Mildred Clarkson was born Feb 28 1947

Theresa Marie Clarkson was born May 13 1949

Robert Lawrence Hutchison was born July 5, 1951

Samuel Edwin Clarkson III was born May 21, 1951

Lynn Aubin Clarkson was born Nov. 16 1951

Leslie Germaine Clarkson was born Sept 9, 1953

Pamela Sue Hutchison was born July 3, 1953

## **Marriages**

Alfred Waller Boyd, (formerly of Boydton, Virginia) and Annie Preston Clarkson were married in Ft Smith, Ark. Oct. 19<sup>th</sup> 1893 by Rev H.F. Throgmorton – Baptist minister.

William Henry Vick, (formerly of Colliersville, Tenn) and Camilla Hall Clarkson were married in Ft. Smith, Ark. Feb'y 9<sup>th</sup> 1909 by Rev. McKay, O.S. Presbyterian Minister.

Samuel Edwin Clarkson (formerly of Annapolis, Mo.) and Aubin Mildred Fry were married in Ft. Smith, Ark. April 19, 1899 by Rev. Allen, Episcopalian minister.