

Helen Elmira Cauble

Helen Elmira [Ann] Cauble (15 August 1819 Franklin County, Alabama-03 April 1889 Tyler County, Texas of stroke; buried Cauble-Burch Cemetery, Tyler County, Texas) married **Valentine Ignatius [Bob] Burch** (14 February 1813 Bullit County, Kentucky-17 October 1892 Corrigan, Polk County, Texas of heart failure; buried Cauble-Burch Cemetery, Tyler County, Texas) about 1842 probably in Tyler County, Texas. They had ten children.



Helen Elmira Cauble Birch

D1 Joseph Burch (before 22 June 1843 Liberty County, Texas-between 1861-1865 in Civil War, Richmond VA of typhoid) never married and had no known descendants.

D2 Martha Jane Burch (before 22 December 1844 Liberty County, Texas-11 August 1908 Grand Coteau, St. Landry Parish, Louisiana) first married **John Butler**, who died in the Civil War. They had a child, who has not been identified.

Secondly, she married **Edward Columbus Gardiner** (25 June 1821 Mattawoman (Bryantown) Maryland-27 February 1899 Grand Coteau, St. Landry Parish Louisiana), son of Cecelia Edelen and John Gardiner, on 11 December 1864. Edward Columbus Gardiner was first married to Anna Maria Thompson, who died 20 June 1864. Martha Jane Burch Butler and Edward C. Gardiner may have been the parents of twenty-one children, five having died within two weeks from bloody flux.

D3 Angeline Burch (13 September 1846 Polk County, Texas-19 December 1928 Lufkin, Angelina County, Texas; buried Glendale Cemetery, Angelina County, Texas) married **Robert Lynn Poindexter** (24 August 1846 Rapides Parish, Louisiana-06 December 1925 Lufkin, Angelina County, Texas; buried Glendale Cemetery, Angelina County, Texas), a son of Mary Mathilde Mainer (1815 Georgia-unknown) and William S. Poindexter (1810 Tennessee-unknown), on 22 January 1867. The couple had ten children in a 25-year marriage. Poindexter served in Company E, Twentieth Texas Infantry, Harrison's Brigade, from 1862 until the end of the war. At some time Angeline and Robert Poindexter lived in Peter Cauble House at Peach Tree Village in Tyler County. Reportedly, Poindexter managed the farm that surrounded the Cauble House for his father-in-law, Valentine Burch.

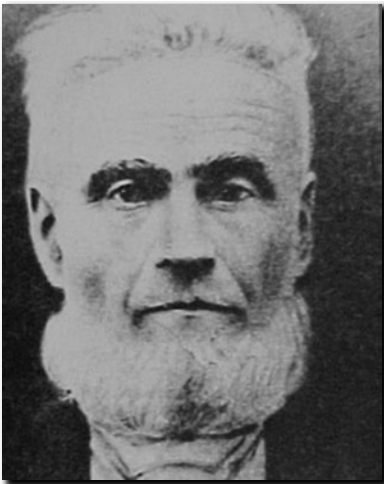
D4 James Burch (12 October 1847 Houston County, Texas-20 May 1898; buried Cauble-Burch Cemetery, Peachtree Village, Tyler County, Texas) married **Emma T. Fulton** (27 December 1846-16 April 1913 Pecos County, Texas; buried Balmorhea Cemetery, Pecos County, Texas) on 03 June 1869 in McLennan County, Texas, with J. N. Kellis, Baptist minister, officiating. They had four children and lived at Valley Mills, Texas, in 1880.

D5 Samuel Houston Burch (25 November 1850 Houston County, Texas-after 1890) **Sarah Aurelia Kirby** (1854 Tyler County, Texas-1945; buried Forest Park Lawndale Cemetery, Houston, Harris County, Texas), daughter Sarah Payne and John T. Kirby, on 15 January 1873 in Tyler County, Texas. The couple had six children and may have lived in Houston, Texas, at the end of life.

D6 Mary Ann Burch (after 22 June 1852 Trinity County, Texas-22 February 1918) married **Stephen Lafayette Lewis** (20 April 1851-27 April 1924) 05 January 1874 in Tyler County, Texas. Lafayette Lewis was a farmer and stockman. They had eleven children, four of whom died young.

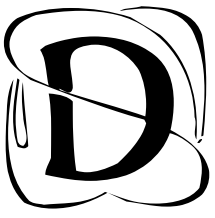
D7 Valentine Ignatius Burch, Jr. (15 July 1853 Trinity County, Texas-14 July 1929 Valley Mills, Bosque County, Texas; buried Old Valley Mills Cemetery, Bosque County, Texas) married **Mary [Mittie] Eliza McNeil** (03 June 1863-26 February 1938 Bosque County, Texas; buried Old Valley Mills Cemetery, Bosque County, Texas) on 30 March 1882 in Bosque County, Texas. They had five children.

D8 Catherine Matilda Burch (23 December 1856 Trinity County, Texas-13 May 1941 Harris County, Texas; buried Magnolia Cemetery, Tyler County, Texas) married **John McRae Futch** (10 June 1852 Tyler County, Texas-19 May 1925; buried Magnolia Cemetery, Tyler County, Texas), son of Isaac Futch, on 18 January 1875 in



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The Burch Sisters

D9 Emma Clementine Burch (03 June 1859 Trinity or Polk County, Texas-27 June 1939 San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas) first married **Julius L. Byrne** (09 August 1840-06 May 1892 Tyler County, Texas; buried Cauble-Burch Cemetery, Peach Tree Village, Tyler County, Texas) on 10 July 1883 in Tyler County, Texas, with the Reverend Father T. Hennessy officiating. Julius L. Byrne was a physician. The couple had a daughter and a son.

Secondly, the widowed Emma Burch Byrne married **John William Hammond** (12 August 1845 Polk County, Texas-08 January 1925, San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas) on 25 June 1893. Reportedly, John W. Hammond was once sheriff of Polk County. It is known that John W. Hammond campaigned for the office in The Polk County Banner on 28 September 1878. The couple had a daughter and a son.

D10 Peter Ignatius Burch (06 October 1861 Polk County, Texas-unknown) married **Emma Sparks** on 22 December 1887 in Bosque County, Texas. The couple may have had five daughters. Annie May died at birth; one died in an auto accident; three were named Ethel, Gladys, and Mabel. They lived at Valley Mills in Bosque County, Texas, in the fall of 1888 when their daughter, Annie May, was born and died. In July 1929, Peter lived at San Benito, Cameron County, Texas. Sister Mary's family lived near Brownsville,



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