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Last Rites Held February 9 For

Leonard Moore

Funeral services for Leonard Lewis Moore, 87, of Bedford, retired Bedford businessman, held February 9 in Shum-Novinger Funeral Home in Bedford, were conducted by Carl Cummings. Mr. Moore died February 6, 1979 in a nursing home in Emmetsburg, lowa. Interment was at Bedford Cemetery, Bedford, la.

Leonard, son of Aetna F. Moore and Martha Miller, was born April 24, 1891 at Zearing, lowa. He lived and grew to maturity in Zearing where he attended the public schools and later graduated from Drake University in Des Moines. He then coached and taught in the Bedford school system.

On August 16, 1916 he was united in marriage to Della Keith and they lived two years in Aspen, Colo. and two years in New Providence, lowa where he continued his career in Education. In 1921 they moved to a farm near Bedford. In 1931 Leonard successfully ran for the office of Country Treasurer. Two terms in that office were followed by two terms as Representative in the lowa legislature.

During World War II he worked as a carpenter in war plants in Nebraska and Kansas.

Returning to their home in Bedford in 1945, he entered the insurance business serving as eecretary of the Farmers' Mu-

His family and friends will remember him as a kind and considerate father, grandfather, friend and neighbor and he will be sadly missed by all who knew and loved him.

tual for many years. He then opened his own office from which he retired when he was 81 years of age. Leonard was a devoted active member of the Christian Church. He was the tenor in a quartet which sang all over the countryside at funerals. Also receiving his support and leadership were the Republican Party, Boy Scouts and the Red Cross. He was a good man, a quiet man, a true gentleman with high ideals and a deep faith in God.

He was preceded in death by his wife, his parents, three brothers and three sisters.

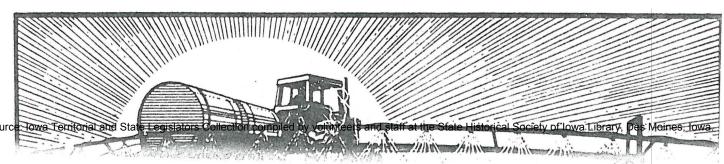
Left to cherish his memory are his two daughters, Mary Lois Farlow and husband Francis and Josephine Root and husband Lee Moore, two sisters, Iva Rosen and Nellie Manning; seven grandchildren: Beverly Farlow, William Farlow, Virginia Portillo, Virgil Farlow, Jeri Dell Meyer, Sharon Clark, Jeffrey Root; and seven great grandchildren.

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7 101 have Bedwas ward was an honor student. He then attended and aduated from Northwest Missouri State Unirsity at Maryville, Missouri in 1979 with a Bechelor of Science degree, receiving the ward P. Morgan Citizenship Award. He is now tending the University of Iowa in Iowa City, where he is a first-year law student. Submitdby K.L. Moore



LEONARD AND DELLA MOORE

Della Keith Moore was always proud of being born in a log cabin in Taylor County. That was in 1890 and Taylor County was her home for most of her more than 88 years. Leonard L. Moore, anative of Zearing, Iowa, and a recent graduate of Drake University, arrived in Bedford to teach school. He met Della who was teaching in Lenox and they were married in 1916. After two years in New Providence, lowa and two in Aspen, Colorado, they returned to farm the Joe Keith farm southwest of Bedford.

Elected Taylor County Treasurer in 1930, Leonard moved the family, now with two daughters, Mary Lois and Josephine, to 1001 West Main Street. Incidentally, this house had been home also to Della's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keith, themselves pioneers in the county, when he died in 1930. Too, Della's sister, Loa, and her husband, Virgil "Pete" Kinnison, had lived there when she died.

Leonard served four years as treasurer, with Della, his deputy, and four as Iowa State Representative. "War" work took them away temporarily. There followed many years as secretary to the Farmers' Mutual Association, then his own insurance agency until age of 82, when he felt it might be time to retire. Zealous workers in the Christian Church and Farm Bureau; he in Red Cross, Boy Scouts and politics, she in women's clubs - they were contributors to the life of the county for a span of over 60 years. Della, always interested in children, was a fabulous story-teller, spinning tales with great effect. One favorite, requested again and again, was the one she loved to tell of "Going West in a Covered Wagon'' when she was a small child. Will Keith and his wife, Ellie, Joe Keith and his wife, Polly, and their three little girls, Zetta, Della, and Loa traveled for six weeks to reach Wyoming. Runaway horses, a night in a "sodfording of rivers — all made enthralling listening. Leonard, Ruth Putman, Hattie Mitchell and Emmett Bradley sang at funerals; he was the tenor in a barbershop quartet, and a faithful member of the church choir until he was over

On the evening of December 6, 1978, Leonard suffered a stroke and an ambulance rushed him to the hospital. Della died of a massive heart attack three hours later. Leonard lingered two months longer and died on February 6, 1979.

MILDRED HUSS MOORE

Mildred Oine Huss Moore was born November 1, 1910, the second child of Lewis Bertain Huss and Nancy Jane Firkins Huss. The oldest child was Vada Iola, born December 9, 1908. Other children born to Lewis and Jane were Calvin Woodrow Huss, born March 13, 1912,

Charles Alonzo Huss, born September 31. 1915, and Lola Clem Huss, born March 27, 1919. Mildred grew to womanhood in the Antiock school district where she attended school for 8 years. She went to Villisca High School for one year so her sister, Vada, could take Normal Training. Then Mildred went to Gravity High School for 3 years where she graduated in May, 1929. For 12 weeks she went to Cedar Falls Extension Summer School in Corning to get her teaching certificate. She started teaching the fall of 1929 and the summer of 1930 went to Shenandoah for 12 weeks to obtain her first grade certificate. She taught at Holt #8 for 4 years and then at Washington #3 for 2 years

On June 1, 1935 she married Claude Donald Moore. Their first year they lived 1 mile east of Gravity, Iowa. March of 1936 they moved 2 miles east and 1 mile south of Gravity, where they lived for 5 years. Then in 1941, Claude's folks moved to Gravity and Claude and Mildred moved to their farm, which was only 1 mile west, and they lived there till they moved to Bedford in 1975. In 1950 they bought the Moore farm. From 1941 till 1950, they rented the farm.

On Sunday afternoon, April 15, 1979, Claude and Mildred went for a ride. Claude lost control of the car and it ended up in the ditch. The ambulance and sheriff were called and it was decided that the ambulance would take Claude and Mildred to the Clarinda Municipal Hospital. Claude had a broken arm and Mildred had surgery as soon as they could get ready. She had a broken rib that had punctured her spleen and she had lost a lot of blood. Doctor Leach, assisted by Doctor Kuehn, did the surgery. Claude died in the hospital April 20, 1979 and his funeral was held April 24. Charles Huss and Catherine Moore made the arrangements. He was buried in their lot at Gravity. Mildred was able to attend the funeral. Hampton Wintermute went to the hospital for her. Mildred was able to come home from the hospital May 13, providing someone would stay with her. Lola Perdew and Mary Margaret Moore Allen stayed for 2 weeks and did the work. No company was



Claude and Mildred Moore

Morrison S. Moore

Morrison S. "Much" Moore, a salesman for the Midland Implement Company of St. Joseph, Missouri, married Emma Griffin, born September 4, 1865. They moved to Tarkio, Missouri, then later to Lenox, Iowa, where Morrison died in 1915. Their children were Roy, born September 23, 1882 and Stella, born October 11, 1885. Roy, a telegrapher for the



Emma Griffin (Moore) Gordon

Denver and Rio Grande Western Railroad for many years, married Lela Ruth Winger in 1910 and Stella married first O.W. Clarke who was a traffic manager of the Grain Belt Mills in St. Joseph, Missouri. They later moved to Kansas City where he died in 1943. Her second husband was R.E. Palmer of St. Joseph. Neither Roy nor Stella had children.

Emma Griffin Moore married Richard T. Gordon in 1917. She died November 8, 1951 and is buried by her first husband in East Fairview Cemetery, Lenox. Written by Josephine Beach Walter

RAYMOND MOORE

Raymond and Twila Moore moved from Harlan Twp., Page Co., Clarinda, Iowa, February, 1948, to the farm known as the Harkless farm. It is located six and one-half miles northwest of Bedford. We bought it from Carl Wagoner, whose daughter, Mrs. Arnold Magwitz and family lived on it.

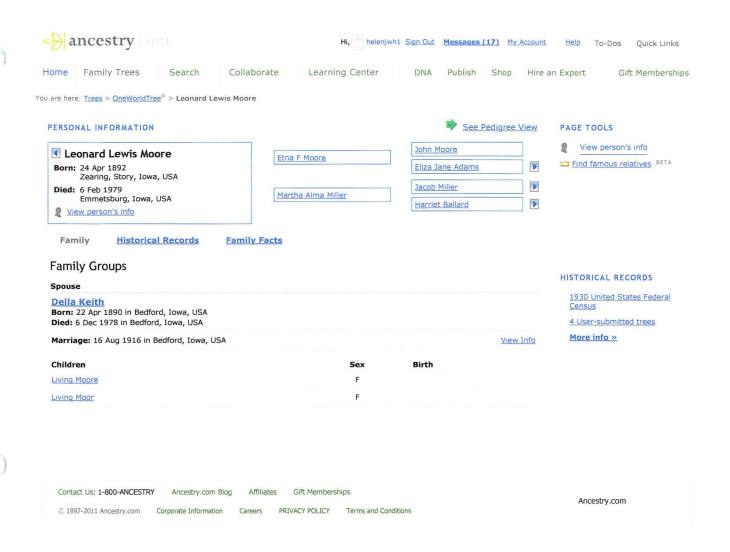
We have four children, Marie, Margaret, Robert, and Richard. They all attended Dunning country school and graduated from the Bedford High School. They were members of the 4-H clubs of the community. Marie married Lynn Hensley, and have four daughters, Sherri, Julie, Carolyn, and Connie. Margaret is employed by Employees Mutual and Casualty Ins. Co. of Omaha, Neb. Robert is Wildlife Biologist of Southwest Iowa, living at Sidney, Iowa. Richard and his wife, Jeri, and daughter, Mindi Rae, farm three and one-half miles southeast of New Market, lowa.

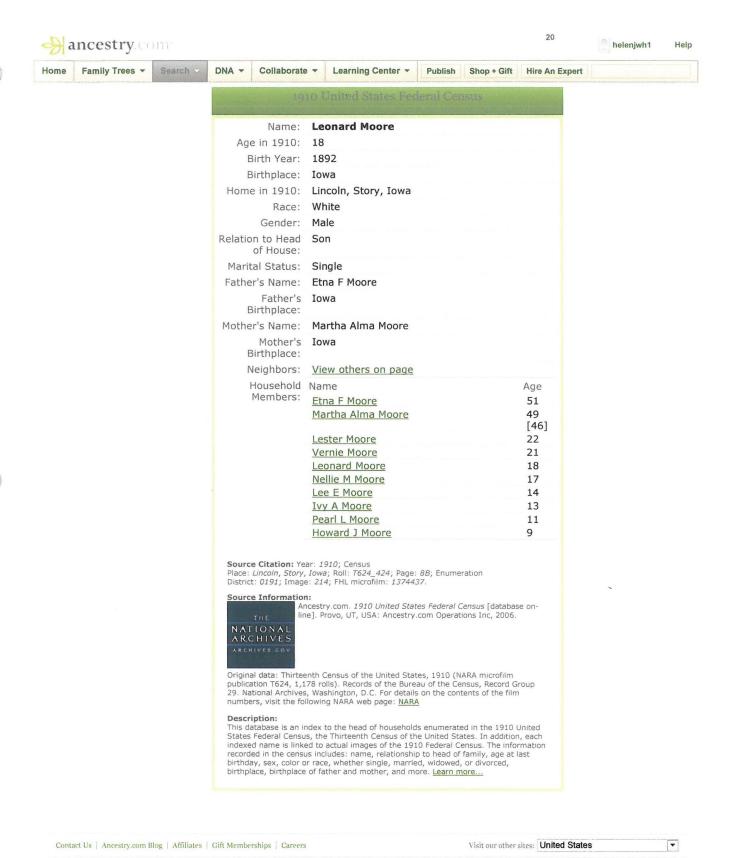
In 1980 we moved to Clarinda, having sold the home place to Marie and Lynn. However, we are only semi-retired as we still farm land that we own across from Richards.

ROBERT MOREHOUSE

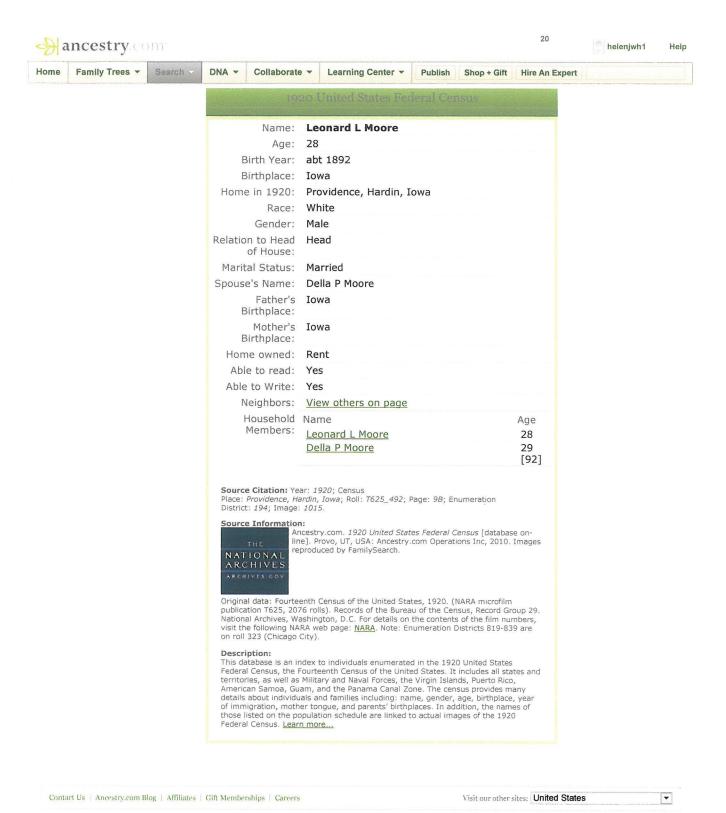
The Churchills and Williamsons came from England to Canada and New York state in the mid-nineteenth century, later migrating westward to Illinois, then to Missouri, and finally lowa when my mother, Lena Edith, was 7. My grandparents, Alonzo and Celia Ann Rutlidge Williamson, purchased a farm on the state line. Shortly thereafter they traded for a farm located six miles southeast of Bedford. Here the family of 8 grew up, attending Banner school and Berea Church.

My father, Robert Pleasant, born in Saline County, Missouri, lived in Rose Hill and Prairie Ridge areas, moved at age 7 to lowa with his parents, William Thompson and Elvina Ann

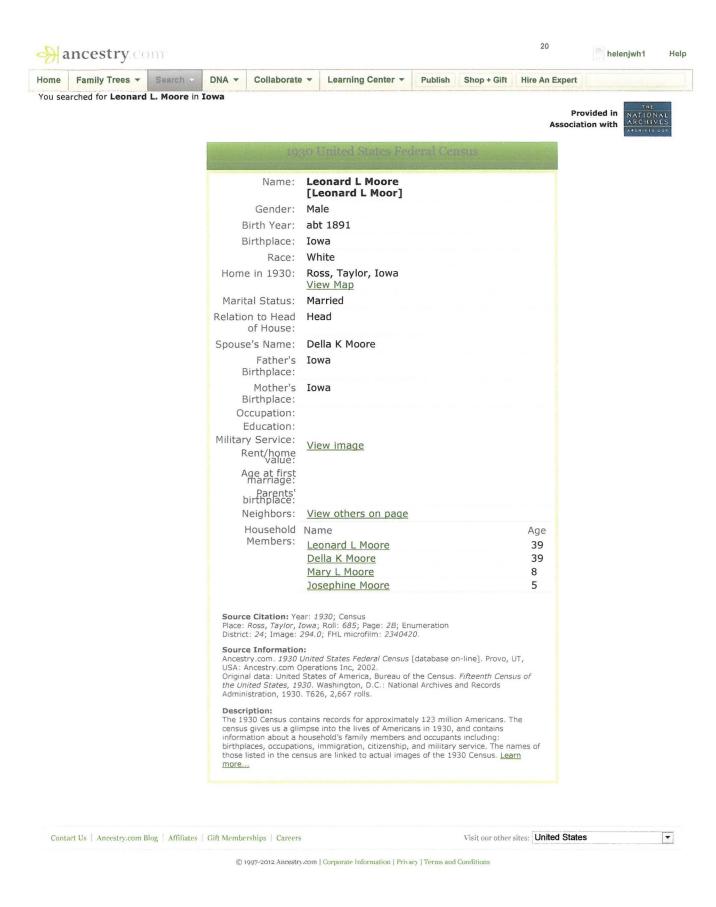


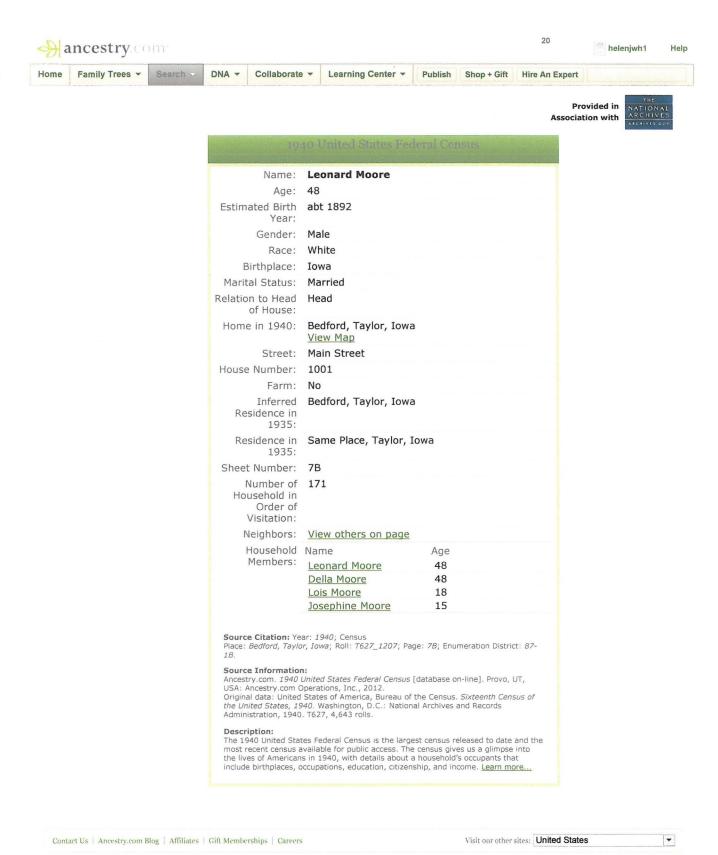


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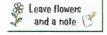








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