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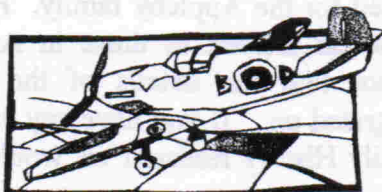
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Ray Appleby.

Ray Appleby who listed his address as ST. JOSEPH, Mo. USA in November 1945, served in the 303rd Airdrome Squadron of the US Army Air Corps during WW2 in the Pacific Theater. From January 1944 to the end of the war, the 303rd served in New Guinea (Wakde Island, in particular), the Philippines (Leyte and Mindoro) and was routed to Korea after VJ day.

I am writing a history of the 303rd Airdrome Squadron, and I am trying to reach surviving members of the unit. If you know anything about Ray Appleby, please contact me at: davidsgenealogy@yahoo.com

ARO/Doc/736

Paston, Northamptonshire.

We are grateful to Marion Brown who has kindly sent us copies of a transcript of Appleby Memorials from the Churchyard at Paston, Cambridgeshire, formerly Northamptonshire.

ARO/Doc/737

DNA Study.

One of our members in the United States of America has written to ask if anyone was pushing to get a DNA Study started for the Appleby family. He feels that it would be of particular interest to those in America and Australia who cannot find the details of the ship that their ancestors emigrated on. If you have any experience of using DNA in Family History research we would be pleased to hear from you.

ARO/Doc/731.

John D. Appleby.

John Dorris Appleby, Justice of the Peace, of Dublin Township, Huntingdon County, Philadelphia, died Thursday, August 21st 1918, at his home.

He was the second son of William and Elizabeth Appleby and was born September 13, 1836, being therefore almost 82 years old. He lived his whole life in Dublin township, and followed the carpenter trade for many years.

He married Rachel Bennett Harper, of the same township, during the civil war. They reared a family of sons and daughters, - Mrs Dora Peterson, James A. Appleby both of Mt. Union; Miles of Newton Hamilton; _____ Speer (?) of Altoona; Janie, Mrs David Cree, at home. He had been a member of the Presbyterian church for sixty years. For many years he was the undertaker of the Shade Gap community. He was elected a Justice of the Peace many years ago, since which his daughter, Mrs Cree has kept his home and tenderly cared for him. The funeral will be held this Friday afternoon, followed by interment at Shade Gap.

Altoona Tribune, August 23, 1918.

ARO/Doc/732



Henry O. Appleby.

Henry O. Appleby. This honoured and respected citizen of Columbia Township, Tuscola County, Michigan is a son of Odell and Eliza (Curtis) Appleby, who were natives of Dutchess County, New York., and he was born October 19, 1834, in Twinsburg, Summit County, Ohio. The parents were married in New York but migrated to Ohio about the year 1832 and bought one hundred and thirty-six acres of land, which the father improved and there they lived until his death. He was a prominent member of the society and influential in the Democratic party. He died about the year 1885 at the age of 72 and was long mourned as a useful and influential member of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Odell Appleby was twice married and the mother of our subject bore to him four children namely: William, Henry O., Mary and Hiram E. The second wife was known in her maidenhood as Hula Richardson and at the time of her marriage to Mr. Appleby she was the widow of Sherman Oviatt.

A common district school education was all that was furnished Henry Appleby as the family circumstances did not admit of his having further opportunities. At nineteen he began to learn the carpenter's trade and in the spring of 1869 he came to Michigan and settled 120 acres of land on section 16, Columbia Township. This property he has improved and put in under thorough tillage. He has made his own way in the world as he has not inherited wealth upon which to build.

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The Appleby's of Kelloe

Researched and written by Sheila Suggett

This family of Appleby's begins with the birth about 1740 at Kelloe in the County of Durham of one John Appleby who married Mary Davidson on the 18th May 1769 at Kelloe. When John did for an occupation is not known, but it could be assumed that he was either a coalminer or an agricultural labourer. John died 30th October 1803 at Penshaw but it is not known when Mary died.

They had six children, all born at Kelloe: Hannah, John, Thomas, James and William (twins) and Sarah.

Of these children it is Thomas born 1779 that we follow down the ancestral line

Thomas married on the 22nd September 1804 at Penshaw to Jane Simpson. The marriage took place at All Saints Church. The parish register shows that only two sons were born to Thomas and Jane at Penshaw and these were John born 11 January 1805 and William born 25 May 1806.

According to the 1841 census, Thomas and his new wife Elizabeth were residing at Burnmoor, so Jane must have died between 1806 and 1841. There is a reference to Thomas marrying an Elizabeth Marlow at Gateshead on the 2nd February 1818. It seems a possibility.

Of the two children of Thomas and Jane it is William we will now follow. It seems certain that William married three times and possibly four times. William was employed as a "Miner" and on the 11th May 1827 he married Jane Lee at Penshaw. There has been a theory put forward by other researchers that William was the son of John Appleby and Hannah Hall of Chester-le-Street or Birtley. However, at no

time during any of the census records from 1841-1891 did William even assert that he was born anywhere other than Penshaw or Burnmoor.

The registers of Penshaw parish were researched and the baptisms of William and his brother John were found proving he was the son of Thomas and Jane Simpson of Penshaw. According to the 1841 census William and Jane were residing in New Penshaw with their seven children, all born there.

Henry born 1830, Thomas born 1831, William born 1832, Joseph born 1834, John born 1836, James born 1838 and Jane born 1840 died young.

It appears that Jane the wife of William Appleby died between July and September 1843 at Penshaw. The next census of 1851 shows William married to a Margaret born about 1815 at Penshaw. This is where the puzzle about three or four wives rears its head.

This census shows them living at Penshaw Staithes with their children, with three more added to the family group although there is no mention of Jane (born 1840), so it must be assumed that she died as an infant. The three extra children born at Penshaw are: William Stout born 1841(step-son); Robson born 1849 (later referred to as Robinson) and Robert born 1850.

No-one has been able to trace any marriage for William and Margaret, but a marriage did take place in 1848 at Gateshead between William Appleby and Mary Ann Stout. People used nicknames a lot in those days e.g. Sarah-Sally, Margaret=Peggy, so it may be that this Mary was known as Margaret. If Margaret's surname was not Stout then it appears more than possible that William was married 4 times.

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His marriage November 3, 1866, united him with Wealthy A. Richardson, who was born in Bedford, Ohio, and is the daughter of Godfrey and Anna (Taylor) Richardson, who came from Vermont to Ohio. Mr Richardson is a saddler by trade and had a family of nine children.

To Mr and Mrs Henry Appleby has been born one child whose name is Adelbert. This family has the esteem and good will of all who have come into business or social relations with them, as their character and life have been such as to yield them such a return, and their influence in the community has ever been for good. This gentleman's political views bring him into sympathy with the Democratic party with which he is ever ready to cast his vote.

"1892 portrait and biographical Album of Genesee, Lapeer & Tuscola Counties, Chapman Bros. Michigan"

ARO/Doc/735

Northamptonshire.

Marion Brown has emailed us to say: "While I was in the Northamptonshire Record Office on Monday, I took some pictures and have just noticed that on one is a list of Freeholders eligible to vote in a poll of the County of Northampton 1831 (election of a knight of the shire, I think).

One of these was John Appleby, Farmer of Dogsthorpe who owned freehold land. (doesn't say how much land though.)"

ARO/Doc/738

Penshaw, Co. Durham.

We are truly grateful to Sheila Suggett who has told us that she has been tracing the family history of a friend, Josephine Appleby who was born in 1924. Josephine was the daughter of Joseph Appleby born circa 1886 in Penshaw/Fatfield in County Durham. It was to be a surprise for her 82nd birthday.

Fortunately we had quite a lot of information on this family, and were able to update the information that Sheila had already collected, in fact Josephine is related to our member Joseph Forsyth who lives in Canada.

In appreciate for the help that we were able to give to Sheila, she has kindly sent us many pages of data that she acquired about Appleby's from the Penshaw/Fatfield area as well as Chester-le-Street, Houghton-le-Spring and other areas of Durham. EQ/350.



William Appleby from Gt. Horkesley.

We are trying to identify William Appleby who died on the 16 April 1848 in Great Horkesley, Essex, England. He was aged 22 from which we calculate his year of birth as being 1826. ARO/Doc/733.



Apple Bites by John S Appleby, FRHistS

F Dougal & Co. Unclaimed Money Register, 62 Strand, London, files

<i>Name, abode</i>	<i>File No.</i>
APPLEBY, Wm.	108-G2
APPLEBEE, James	53-S12
APPLEBEE, John, Westminster	3643-R
APPLEBEE, Rev. John, Essex	137-G3
APPLEBEE, John William	5-A
APPLEBEE, William	8-A
APPLEBEE, William J.	96-G3
APPLEBY, Charles	45-23
APPLEBY, Eleanor	130-9
APPLEBY, Flora	133-9
APPLEBY, George	9-B
APPLEBY, William	25-G3
APPLEBY, William, Southwark	400-D
APPLEBY, William, Yorkshire	400-D
APPLEBY, William H.	134-9
APPLEBYE, Joseph	2-A