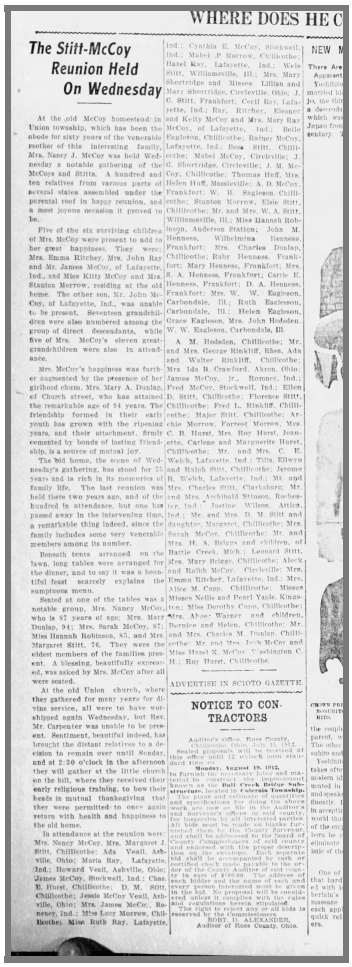
Newspapers by ancestry

Downloaded on Oct 17, 2020



WHERE DOES HE C

The Stitt-McCoy Reunion Held On Wednesday

At the old McCoy homestead in Union township, which has been the abode for sixty years of the venerable mother of this interesting family, Mrs. Nancy J. McCoy was held Wednesday a notable gathering of the McCoys and Stitts. A hundred and ten relatives from various parts of several states assembled under the parental roof in happy reunion, and a most joyous occasion it proved to be.

Five of the six surviving children of Mrs. McCoy were present to add to her great happiness. They were: Mrs. Emma Ritchey, Mrs. John Ray and Mr. James McCoy, of Lafayette, Ind., and Miss Kitty McCoy and Mrs. Stanton Morrow, residing at the old home. The other son, Mr. John McCoy, of Lafayette, Ind., was unable to be present. Seventeen grandchildren were also numbered among the group of direct descendants, while five of Mrs. McCoy's eleven great-grandchildren were also in attendance.

Mrs. McCoy's happiness was further augmented by the presence of her girlhood chum, Mrs. Mary A. Dunlap, of Church street, who has attained the remarkable age of 94 years. The friendship formed in their early youth has grown with the ripening years, and their attachment, firmly cemented by bonds of lasting friendship, is a source of mutual joy.

The old home, the scene of Wednesday's gathering, has stood for 75 years and is rich in its memories of family life. The last reunion was held there two years ago, and of the hundred in attendance, but one has passed away in the intervening time, a remarkable thing indeed, since the family includes some very venerable members among its number.

Beneath tents arranged on the lawn, long tables were arranged for the dinner, and to say it was a bountiful feast scarcely explains the sumptuous menu.

Seated at one of the tables was a notable group, Mrs. Nancy McCoy, who is 87 years of age; Mrs. Mary Dunlap, 94; Mrs. Sarah McCoy, 87; Miss Hannah Robinson, 85, and Mrs. Margaret Stitt, 76. They were the eldest members of the families present. A blessing, beautifully expressed, was asked by Mrs. McCoy after all were seated.

At the old Union church, where they gathered for many years for divine service, all were to have worshipped again Wednesday, but Rev. Mr. Carpenter was unable to be present. Sentiment, beautiful indeed, has brought the distant relatives to a decision to remain over until Sunday, and at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon they will gather at the little church on the hill, where they received their early religious training, to bow their heads in mutual thanksgiving that they were permitted to once again return with health and happiness to the old home.

In attendance at the reunion were: Mrs. Nancy McCoy, Mrs. Margaret J. Stitt, Chillicothe; Ada Veail, Ashville, Ohio; Maria Ray, Lafayette, Ind.; Howard Veail, Ashville, Ohio; James McCoy, Stockwell, Ind.; Chas. E. Horst, Chillicothe; D. M. Stitt, Chillicothe; Jessie McCoy Veail, Ashville, Ohio; Mrs. James McCoy, Bonesey, Ind.; Miss Lucy Morrow, Chillicothe; Miss Ruth Ray, Lafayette, Ind.; Cynthia E. McCoy, Stockwell, Ind.; Mabel P. Morrow, Chillicothe; Hazel Kay, Lafayette, Ind.; Wels Stitt, Williamsville, Ill.; Mrs. Mary Shortridge and Misses Lillian and Mary Shortridge, Circleville, Ohio; J. C. Stitt, Frankfort; Cecil Ray, Lafayette, Ind.; Ray, Ritchey, Eleanor and Kelly McCoy and Mrs. Mary Ray McCoy, of Lafayette, Ind.; Belle Eagleson, Chillicothe; Rainey McCoy, Lafayette, Ind.; Bess Stitt, Chillicothe; Mabel McCoy, Circleville; J. C. Shortridge, Circleville; J. M. McCoy, Chillicothe; Thomas Huff, Mrs. Helen Huff, Mussieville; A. D. McCoy, Frankfort; W. H. Eagleson, Chillicothe; Stanton Morrow, Elsie Stitt, Chillicothe; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stitt, Williamsville, Ill.; Miss Hannah Robinson, Anderson Station; John M. Heuness, Wilhelmina Heuness, Frankfort; Mrs. Charles Dunlap, Chillicothe; Ruby Heuness, Frankfort; Mary Heuness, Frankfort; Mrs. S. A. Heuness, Frankfort; Carrie E. Heuness, Frankfort; D. A. Heuness, Frankfort; Mrs. W. W. Eagleson, Carbondale, Ill.; Ruth Eagleson, Carbondale, Ill.; Helen Eagleson, Grace Eagleson, Mrs. John Hodsden, W. W. Eagleson, Carbondale, Ill.

A. M. Hodsden, Chillicothe; Mr. and Mrs. George Rinkliff, Rhea, Ada and Walter Rinkliff, Chillicothe; Mrs. Ida B. Crawford, Akron, Ohio; James McCoy, Jr., Romney, Ind.; Fred McCoy, Stockwell, Ind.; Ellen D. Stitt, Chillicothe; Florence Stitt, Chillicothe; Fred L. Rinkliff, Chillicothe; Major Stitt, Chillicothe; Archie Morrow, Forrest Morrow, Mrs. C. B. Hurst, Mrs. Roe Hurst, Jeanette, Carlene and Marguerite Hurst, Chillicothe; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Welch, Lafayette, Ind.; Tilla, Ellwyn and Ruth Stitt, Chillicothe; Jerome B. Welch, Lafayette, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stitt, Clarksburg; Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Stinson, Rochester, Ind.; Justine Wilson Attlee, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Stitt and daughter, Margaret, Chillicothe; Mrs. Sarah McCoy, Chillicothe; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Briggs and children, of Battle Creek, Mich.; Leonard Stitt, Mrs. Mary Briggs, Chillicothe; Aleck and Ralph McCoy, Circleville; Mrs. Emma Ritchey, Lafayette, Ind.; Mrs. Alice M. Cupp, Chillicothe; Misses Misses Nellie and Pearl Yaple, Kingston; Miss Dorothy Cupp, Chillicothe; Mrs. Abner Warner and children, Bernice and Helen, Chillicothe; Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Dunlap, Chillicothe; Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCoy and Miss Hazel N. McCoy, Washington C. H.; Roy Hurst, Chillicothe.

ADVERTISE IN SCIOTO GAZETTE

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Auditor's Office, Ross County, O.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon standard time on

Monday, August 19, 1912,

to furnish labor, tools and material for construction the Improvement known as the **Bull Creek Bridge Substructure**, located in **Colerain Township.**

The plans and estimate of quantities and specifications for the same will be on file in the Auditor's office and in the surveyor's office in said county, for inspection by all interested parties.

All bids must be made on blanks furnished from the office of the Board of County Commissioners of said county and endorsed with the proper description on the envelope. Each separate bid shall be accompanied by cash or draft on the bank of deposit of the order of the Commissioners of Ross County in sum of $100.00. The address of each bidder and the name of each and every person interested must be given in the bid. No proposal will be considered unless accompanied with all plans, conditions herein stipulated.

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved by the Commissioners.

ROBT. H. ALEXANDER,
Auditor of Ross County, Ohio.

Clipped By:

Bandman2020
Sat, Oct 17, 2020

Copyright © 2020 Newspapers.com. All Rights Reserved.

Powered by Newspapers.com