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Feb. 3, 1990

Dear Paul,

It is past time for me to send comments on the enclosures with your letter of Jan. 5. Please excuse my handwriting, which is easier for me.

The autobiographies are great to have in this form. I quoted some of the same writings in my book, as you remember. But I did not have these from Aunt Bertha. Her beautiful recollections and stories really help to round out the picture of that community and the various family members in and around Mt. Hermon Church and the Rardin School which my mother spoke about so often. For possible changes: In Chap. 10, second line, I think she meant to say "... meat on the table." Now I know why I still use sorghum molasses! Chap. 11 she mentions the marriage of Ida and Jordan and that Sam Selby was there with Candy; I was hoping she would recall the marriage of Mary Eva and Sam Selby two years later. Did you find anywhere she mentioned that occasion on Dec. 28, 1881?

In Chap. 14, first line, fifth word, she must

have meant to say "nine".
are ~~there~~ ^{there} more than these 26
chapters? the title page note sounds
as if there may have been more.

I enclose several pages of the family
group records on which I have
suggested additions and changes. For
those who might be confused with the
city of Athens I think it would help
to mention where the homes were from
Mt. Hermon Church.

Now that I am beginning to feel
more at home in Thomas House, I am
also making plans for some corrective
surgery in my prostate region. I'm
scheduled to have the work done in
G. W. Hospital on Feb. 20 and may be
there the rest of that week; then
take things easy around here for three
or four weeks after that - just some-
thing that every older man seems
to need at some point.

I hope you received the various
items I sent to you about Jan. 12.

Thanks so much for all the
many charts you sent.

Sincerely,
Malcolm

Daniel Webster Lambert of Ohio and some of his Descendants
By Malcolm Lambert Smith

Lambert

A Lambert family line extending back to John Lambert (1715-1772) and his wife Elizabeth Sayre (1716-1760), who lived at Elizabethtown New Jersey, was described by cousin Bette Lambert Knapp in the July, 1976 NewsLetter. Her charts showed that the 2nd Abner Lambert (1749-1833) became a Quaker in 1782 in North Carolina and that he and his second wife, Winifred Cartwright, were part of the Trent Monthly Meeting when it closed and moved to Ohio in 1800. Their son, Abner, Jr., (1790-1850) married Elizabeth Stanton who had also migrated from North Carolina with her parents. They were such staunch Quakers that three of their children were given names of famous Quaker leaders (Barclay, Chalkley and Elwood). Other of their sons were Reece Benjamin Lambert, the great grandfather of Bette Lambert Knapp; and Daniel Webster Lambert, the great grandfather of this writer.

Daniel Webster Lambert (1837-1918), shown in chart I, married Deborah Vernon Embree (1840-1921). They were both born in Athens county, OH, as were their ten children. Daniel developed skills as a stone cutter but was soon led into the ministry of the United Brethern Church, serving for more than forty years as an active itinerant minister in the Ohio Southeast conference. Later the family moved to Westerville, OH, where many of them attended Otterbein College. Several of these Lamberts were ministers or married ministers or missionaries.

Their second child, Mary Eva Lambert (1861-1914) married Samuel V. Selby, a farmer on the Selby family farm below Mt. Hermon Church, Athens county, OH. Chart II shows the five children born to them there; Grace May, their oldest child, was often in her Lambert grandparents' home as a child and carried the Lambert relatives in her fondest recollections through life, naming a son Daniel Lambert. This Selby family later moved to an improved farm by the Ohio river near Haverhill, OH.

As chart III indicates, Grace married Lindley M. Smith and they lived briefly in North Carolina before settling in Illinois. As an assistant state entomologist he traveled widely while living at Carbondale, IL; then when his early orchards began to bear they moved to the fruit farm at Ozark, IL. There they raised the family of eight boys and two girls while both parents were active in programs of the Cooperative Extension Service and other community, region and state activities. My book, Working with People, Bugs and Apples, An Old Fashioned Family, L.M. and Grace Smith, Parents of Ten, is the story of their lives. It relates the family to ancestors who were in ten of the original colonies, most coming from Great Britain, showing ancestry to families of Anders, Brainerd, Bundy, Bunting, Calhoun, Clarke, Coffin, Cone, Doan, Embree, Farquhar, Hodgins, Humphrey, Kirk, Laing, Lambert, Lundy, Maddock, Mears, Rardin, Roberts, Sayre, Selby, Shotwell, Smith, Spencer, Stanton, Starbuck, Stubbs, Talbott, Vernon, Willets, Williams and numerous others. It contains pictures, charts, references, appendix and indexes; 444 pages in hardback, printed by Adams Press, Chicago and available from Malcolm Lambert Smith, P.O. Box 6712, Washington, DC 20020.

Samuel VanLaw Selby

FAMILY GROUP No. II Husband's Full Name

This Information Obtained From:

Collected family records in my possession; see other Selby details in my book: Working with People, Bugs and Apples.

Husband's Data	Day	Month	Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
Birth	29	Jun	1859		Athens Co.	OH	
Chr'nd							
Mar.	28	Dec	1881		Athens Co.	OH	
Death	1	Oct	1938	Ironton//		OH	
Burial				Haverhill		OH	

Places of Residence Athens Co., Haverhill & Ironton, OH
 Occupation Farmer Church Affiliation
 Other wives, if any, No. (1) (2) etc. 8 Jul 1867 Military Rec.
 Make separate sheet for each marriage End wife Adah Rogers m 27 Apr 1919
 His Father Hines Cone Selby Mother's Maiden Name Sarah Ann Bardin

Wife's Full Maiden Name

Wife's Data	Day	Month	Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
Birth	24	Nov	1861		Athens Co.	OH	
Chr'nd							
Death	12	Oct.	1914	Haverhill		OH	
Burial				Haverhill		OH	

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 Occupation if other than Housewife Church Affiliation Methodist
 Other husbands, if any, No. (1) (2) etc.
 Her Father Daniel W. Lambert Mother's Maiden Name Deborah V. Embree

Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Data	Day	Month	Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Children
F	1 Grace May Full Name of Spouse* Lindley M. Smith	Birth	18	Dec	1882		Athens Co.	OH	
		Mar.	28	Dec	1908		Athens Co.	OH	
		Death	2	Feb	1967	Vienna		IL	
		Burial				Robinson Cem., Ozark,		IL	
F	2 Alice Belle Full Name of Spouse* James A. Folsom	Birth	23	Aug	1885		Athens Co.	OH	
		Mar.	26	Jun	1918				
		Death	21	Jun	1930	Columbus		OH	
		Burial							
F	3 Bertha Jane Full Name of Spouse* Roland E. Wagoner	Birth	6	Sep	1888		Athens Co.	OH	
		Mar.							
		Death		Aug	1965	Athens		OH	
		Burial							
M	4 Paul Lambert Full Name of Spouse* Ellis Hopkins	Birth	20	Mar	1895		Athens Co.	OH	
		Mar.							
		Death	2	Sep	1967	Pompano Beach		FL	
		Burial				Forest Lawn Mem. Gar. Pompano B.,		FL	
M	5 George Harold Full Name of Spouse* Helen M. Butterfield	Birth	6	Oct	1897		Athens Co.	OH	
		Mar.			1923				
		Death	27	Aug	1967	Haverhill		OH	
		Burial				Haverhill		OH	
	6 Full Name of Spouse*	Birth							
		Mar.							
		Death							
		Burial							
	7 Full Name of Spouse*	Birth							
		Mar.							
		Death							
		Burial							
	8 Full Name of Spouse*	Birth							
		Mar.							
		Death							
		Burial							
	9 Full Name of Spouse*	Birth							
		Mar.							
		Death							
		Burial							
	10 Full Name of Spouse*	Birth							
		Mar.							
		Death							
		Burial							

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FAMILY GROUP No. III Husband's Full Name Lindley M. Smith

This Information Obtained From: **Collected family records in my possession; see many other Smith details in my book;**

Working with People, Bugs and Apples.

Husband's Data
 Birth: 27 Sep 1881, Chesterhill, OH
 Chr'nd:
 Mar.: 28 Dec 1906, Athens Co., OH
 Death: 2 Sep 1966, Vienna, IL
 Burial: Robinson Cem., Ozark, IL

Places of Residence: Chesterhill, OH, Raleigh, NC, Carbondale, IL
Occupation: fruit grower
Church Affiliation: Quaker
Military Rec.:
 Other wives, if any, No. (1) (2) etc.
 Make separate sheet for each mar.
His Father: Stephen Smith **Mother's Maiden Name:** Elizabeth Roberts

Wife's Full Maiden Name: Grace May Selby

Wife's Data
 Birth: 18 Dec 1882, Athens Co., OH
 Chr'nd:
 Death: 2 Feb 1967, Vienna, IL
 Burial: Robinson Cem., Ozark, IL

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Places of Residence: Athens Co., OH, Raleigh, Carbondale & Ozark
Occupation if other than Housewife: Teacher
Church Affiliation: United Brethern & Baptist
Her Father: Samuel V. Selby **Mother's Maiden Name:** Mary E. Lambert

Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Data	Day	Month	Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Children
M	1 Philip Selby	Birth: 11 Nov 1907				Athens Co.	OH		
	Full Name of Spouse* Kathryn Menoher	Mar.: 18 Mar 1934					PA		
		Death: 14 Apr 1979							
		Burial: <i>Figonier PA</i>							
M	2 Homer Lindley	Birth: 27 Aug 1909				Carbondale	IL		
	Full Name of Spouse* Ellen Smoot	Mar.: 13 Nov 1937				St. Louis	MO		
		Death:							
		Burial:							
M	3 Malcolm Lambert	Birth: 19 Nov 1911				Carbondale	IL		
	Full Name of Spouse* Margarette Wheeler	Mar.: 3 Jun 1933				Du Quoin	IL		
		Death:							
		Burial:							
F	4 Alice Elisabeth	Birth: 10 Oct 1913				Carbondale	IL		
	Full Name of Spouse* Pauline Farley	Mar.: Not married							
		Death: 4 Jun 1973				Des Moines	IA		
		Burial: Robinson Cem., Ozark, IL							
M	5 Alfred Thomas	Birth: 20 Jul 1915				Ozark	IL		
	Full Name of Spouse* Pauline Farley	Mar.: 8 Apr 1939					IN		
		Death:							
		Burial:							
M	6 David Paul	Birth: 6 Dec 1917				Ozark	IL		
	Full Name of Spouse* Vera Harris	Mar.: 5 Jun 1943				Garden City	KN		
		Death: 12 Dec 1986				<i>Jeddo, MI</i>			
		Burial:							
M	7 Daniel Lambert	Birth: 20 Oct 1919				Ozark	IL		
	Full Name of Spouse* John Alexander	Mar.: Not married							
		Death: 10 Jun 1944				New Guinea			
		Burial: National Cem., Springfield, IL							
F	8 Mary Eva	Birth: 24 Dec 1921				Ozark	IL		
	Full Name of Spouse* John Alexander	Mar.: 23 Dec 1944				Ozark	IL		
		Death: <i>5/11/1982</i>							
		Burial:							
M	9 Stephen James	Birth: 4 Jan 1924				Carbondale	IL		2) Margaret Gilmore Waits
	Full Name of Spouse* Colleen Doom	Mar.: 1) 29 Oct 1944				Harrisburg	IL		
		Death:							
		Burial:							
M	10 Samuel Lindbergh	Birth: 17 Jun 1927				Carbondale	IL		21 Aug 1888
	Full Name of Spouse* Louise Beltz	Mar.: 18 Jun 1949				Harrisburg	IL		Dallas TX
		Death:							
		Burial:							

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