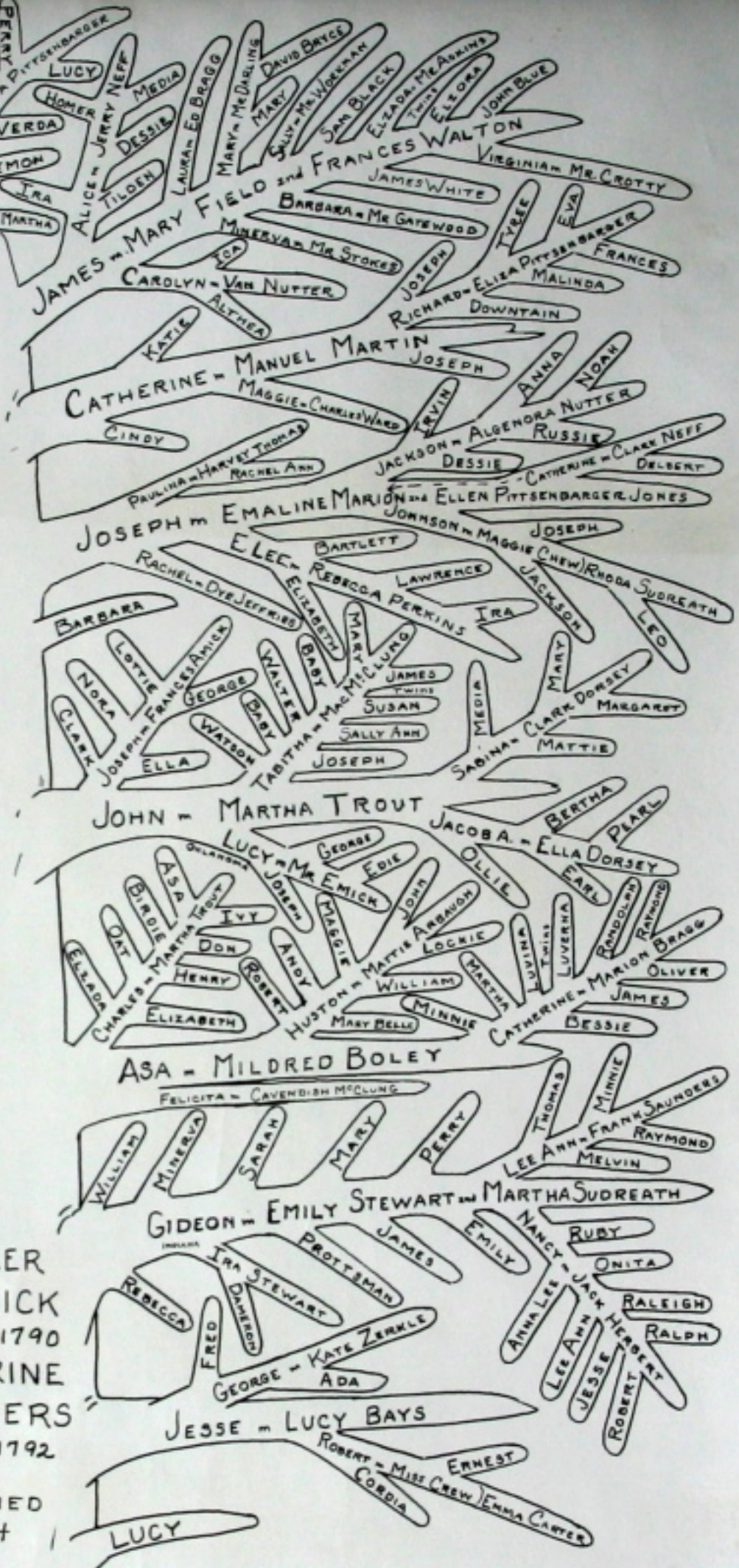


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JOHN MILLER AMICK WAS THE SON OF HENRY AND CATHERINE EMICK (OLD SPELLING) HENRY AND TWO BROTHERS, JACOB AND JOSEPH, CAME FROM GERMANY AND SETTLED IN PENNSYLVANIA AND NORTHWESTERN VIRGINIA. JOHN M. AND HIS WIFE WERE BORN AND MARRIED IN PENDLETON COUNTY-NOW W. VA. HERE THEY LIVED UNTIL THERE WAS AN EXPLOSION IN THE POWDER PLANT THEY OPERATED. MR. AND MRS. AMICK AND SIX OR SEVEN CHILDREN JOURNEYED ON FOOT AND ON HORSEBACK TO NICHOLAS COUNTY. THEY SETTLED IN A BEAUTIFUL VALLEY ALONG ANGLING'S CREEK AND REARED THEIR FAMILY. MR. AMICK WAS A SUCCESSFUL FARMER, GRIST MILL AND SAWMILL OPERATOR, AND PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER.

SIX OF JOHN M.'S SONS SERVED IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY. ELI, WHO WAS A VETERAN OF THE MEXICAN WAR, WAS KILLED IN A CAVALRY CHARGE AT GETTYSBURG. JOHN WAS SHOT BY GUERRILLAS WHILE VISITING HIS FAMILY AT BUCKHORN. ASA ENDURED STARVATION IN A POW CAMP AND DIED FROM OVEREATING SOON AFTER HIS RELEASE. JOSEPH, JAMES AND PERRY RETURNED HOME SAFELY. GRATEFUL ACKNOWLEDGEMENT TO JOHN'S GRANDDAUGHTER, THE LATE GENEVA DYER FOR MUCH OF THIS INFORMATION. SINCERE APOLOGIES TO ANY AMICK WHOSE NAME SHOULD HAVE BEEN LISTED, BUT ISN'T, DUE TO LACK OF INFORMATION.

LUDELLA SEABOLT  
CLEORIS O'DELL