

# Family Group Record

<b>Husband</b> <b>Russell E. Cannon</b>		
Born	Abt 1797	Place    , Union Co., or, Greenville District, South Carolina
Christened		Place    Resided in SC, until c1825
Died	May 1860	Place    Sonora, Gordon Co., Georgia
Buried		Place
Married	Abt 1819/1822	Place    Perhaps, Pendleton District, South Carolina
Husband's father	Richard Cannon	
Husband's mother	Elizabeth Cole	

<b>Wife</b> <b>Elizabeth Powell</b>		
Born	1794/1804	Place    Perhaps, , South Carolina
Christened		Place
Died	Bef 1834	Place    Perhaps, Greenville Co., SC, or Habersham Co., Georgia
Buried		Place
Wife's father		
Wife's mother		

**Children**    List each child in order of birth.

<b>1</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>[Male] Cannon</b>	
	Born	Abt 1819/1820	Place    , Pendleton District, South Carolina
	Christened		Place
	Died		Place
	Buried		Place
	Spouse		
	Married		Place

<b>2</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>Hulda Serena Cannon</b>	
	Born	28 May 1823	Place    , Pendleton District, South Carolina
	Christened		Place
	Died	24 May 1894	Place    Pleasant Hill, Gordon Co., Georgia
	Buried		Place    Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Gordon Co., Georgia
	Spouse	William D. Rich	
	Married	23 Mar 1842	Place    , Cass Co., Georgia

<b>3</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>John Milton Cannon</b>	
	Born	28 May 1824	Place    , Pendleton District, South Carolina
	Christened		Place
	Died	11 Jan 1865	Place    Camp Morton, Indianapolis, Indiana
	Buried		Place    Union PrisonCamp, Indianapolis, Indiana
	Spouse	Elender Malinda Rich	
	Married	1846	Place    Probably, GA

<b>4</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>William Bird Cannon</b>	
	Born	Abt 1825/1828	Place    , Pendleton District, South Carolina
	Christened		Place
	Died	Aft 1880	Place    Probably, Hunt Co., Texas

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<b>4</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>William Bird Cannon</b>
	Buried	Place
	Spouse	Levina Dawson
	Married	Abt 1847 Place Probably, Georgia
<b>5</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>Adeline Frances Cannon</b>
	Born	28 Nov 1826 Place Probably, Habersham Co., Georgia
	Christened	Place
	Died	21 Feb 1913 Place Perhaps, Anderson Co., Texas
	Buried	Place Muse Cemetery, Anderson Co., Texas
	Spouse	Reuben Lively
	Married	1844 Place Probably, GA
<b>6</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>Elizabeth Cannon</b>
	Born	20 Feb 1831 Place , Habersham Co., Georgia
	Christened	Place [Never married]
	Died	1 Jun 1901 Place Perhaps, Crocket, Anderson Co., Texas
	Buried	Place Muse Cemetery, Anderson Co., Texas
	Spouse	
	Married	Place
<b>7</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>Nancy Elizabeth Cannon</b>
	Born	1 Aug 1832 Place , Habersham Co., Georgia
	Christened	Place
	Died	8 May 1918 Place , DeKalb Co., Alabama
	Buried	Place , DeKalb Co., Alabama
	Spouse	Miles Wooten
	Married	Abt 1847 Place Perhaps, Georgia

**Notes**

HUSBAND - Russell E. Cannon

DNA Analysis shows that descendants of Russell E. Cannon, son of Richard Cannon, match closely with a descendant of Simcock Cannon, increasing confidence that Richard was a son of Simcock or related to him closely another way.

Information from Lo Moss Moore in Hurst, Texas, now deceased. She obtained it from Arthur Cannon in Florida, now deceased also. I have extensive correspondence with them in my files -- Cecilie Gaziano, 4511 Fremont Ave. S., Minneapolis, Minnesota 55419.

Also information from David C. Ballard, who is not a Cannon descendant, but who managed affairs for his elderly relative, Cleo Cannon Hughes, who was a granddaughter of John Milton Cannon. Cleo was 100 years old in January 1992.

Mary Turney (marymt@gower.net) also researches this line.

Also see the webpage of Darrell Clakley, Clakley@aol.com, at WorldConnect on www.rootsweb.com, last updated 1 Jan 2003; accessed 2 Jan 2008.

Because Russell E. Cannon's household with a wife born about 1794/1804 and a male born 1810/1820 appeared in

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the 1820 census (and could not have been Russell Cannon who married Jane Campbell, a much older man), Russell E. married before 1820, perhaps about 1818 if the child was a son. It is unclear whether or not Russell had 1, 2, or 3 wives.

For Russell E. Cannon's marriage data I am using undocumented information from Ashley Cagle, on [www.familysearch.com](http://www.familysearch.com) <<http://www.familysearch.com>>, posted two wives for Russell E. Cannon:

Elizabeth Powell in 1822

Elizabeth Guess in 1834

I wrote to her to ask for sources of her information but received no reply. Her address was 1908 SW 41st Street Lawton, Oklahoma 73505.

1800 Census, Greenville District, SC: Richard CANNON household, p. 250/275 (male born 1790-1800).

1810 Census, Pendleton District, SC: Richard CANNON household, p. 146A (male born 1784-1794).

1820 Census, Pendleton District, SC: Russel CANNON, p. 212: 1001; 001

1830 Greenville Co., Russell sold land on 12 Mile River, wit: AmM.Duke. Information in notes of Dewell Lott. See fuller information below.\*

1830 Census, Habersham Co., Georgia: Rusel Canon, p. 53 111011; 21001

1832 gold lottery in Habersham Co., Russell applied for land

1840 Census, Cass Co., Georgia: Russel Cannon, p. 80, District 973. 111101; 121101

1850 census of Division 12, Gordon Co., Georgia, p. 29, enumerated Nov. 29, 259/261:

Russel Canon	53	M	S	C
Elizabeth "	43	F	S	C
Malinda "	11	F	Geo	
Celia E. M. "	2	F	Geo	

1860 Mortality Schedule of Sonora, Gordon Co., Georgia, line 4, p. 1 of 1:

Russell Cannon 65 M Married born in So. Carolina Died in May of Palsy, ill for 5 weeks Farmer

His widow, Elizabeth Guess, is in the 1860 Census.

16 Oct 1830 Greenville Co., SC, Russell Cannon sold to Richard Poe(sp?) 130 acres of land for \$100 on the branches of Twelve Mile River, beginning at a Chestnut tree thence a conditional line made by Christopher & Henry Whitmire to a post and thence to the wagon road, then alone said road to the original line then to a post oak tree thence to a hickory tree thence along said original line so far as to fill the condition made by said Whitmire thence to beginning chestnut corner. Wit: Abraham Duke. (another version of notes said A. M. Duke.)

WIFE - Elizabeth Powell

Information that I'm reporting for Elizabeth Powell is undocumented. See my notes for husband, Russell E. Cannon.

CHILD 2 - Hulda Serena Cannon

Data from David C. Ballard of Avoca, TX.

This is the line of Patrick Scoggin, Pueblo, CO.

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CHILD 2    -    Hulda Serena Cannon    (Continued)

Information from Lowanna Hendrix, nana50@my180.net, on WorldConnect at www.rootsweb.com, last updated 16 Oct 2007; accessed 3 Jan 2008.

Some information about children in message 3934 at genforum.genealogy.com/cannon by Lynn Pollak of Wimberley, Texas, gpollak@austin.rr.com, Cyrus and Huldah had children located in the 1880 Georgia Census of Gordon Co., Roll T9\_149, Film 1254149, ED 113, p. 155D. (7 Mar 2005) Additional information is given in this message.

1850 census of Division 12, Gordon Co., Georgia, p. 57, enumerated Dec. 7, 657/660:

Huldah Rich	22 F	S C
William "	7 M	Georgia
James D. "	5 M	Georgia
Albert "	4 M	Georgia
Jesse "	1 M	Georgia
Nancy Wooten	19 F	Georgia
Mary E. "	1 F	Georgia

1860 census of Sonora, Gordon Co., Georgia, p. 9, enumerated 19 June, 424/407, line 16:

Cyrus Powell	34 M Farmer	400 250 So. Carolina
Huldah "	34 F Domestic	So. Carolina
Elmira "	5 F	Georgia
Robert F. "	4 M	Georgia
Mary A. "	2 F	Georgia
John H. "	8/12 M	Georgia
Wm R. Rich	16 M	Georgia
James D. "	15 M	Georgia
Albert C. "	13 M	Georgia
Jesse P. "	10 M	Georgia

There is a marriage record in the online Georgia marriages database on www.ancestry.com for William D. RITCHIE and Hulda G. CANNON. It is for the same date given by sources, above: 23 Mar 1842, Cass Co., Georgia.

CHILD 3    -    John Milton Cannon

Cleo Cannon Hughes (deceased), compiled some of the information. She was a granddaughter of John Milton Cannon.

Lo Moss Moore (Mrs. Porter Moore, now deceased) had this information also from Arthur Cannon of Maitland FL (deceased) but date of birth was 28 May 1824, date of death 12 Jan 1865.

Information also from Lynn Pollak, gpollak@austin.rr.com at genforum.genealogy.com/cannon/messages/4379.html, 25 Sep 2007.

1850 census of Division 12, Gordon Co., Georgia, p. 57, enumerated Dec. 7, 656/659, line 5:

John M. Canon	25 M Farmer	Geo
Malinda "	22 F	Geo
Huldah "	3 F	Geo

1860 census of Sonora, Gordon Co., Georgia, p. 9, enumerated 19 June, 422/405, line 2:

John M. Cannon	32 m Farmer	1500 500 So. Carolina
Ellen M. "	31 F Domestic	Georgia
Huldah "	12 F	Georgia
Mary E. "	9 F	Georgia
William C. "	7 M	Georgia
James F. "	5 M	Georgia

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Eliza A.	4	F		Georgia
John A.	1	M		Georgia

CHILD 4 - William Bird Cannon

Some public family trees at Ancestry.com give Levina Dawson as a first wife for William Bird Cannon, which seems plausible, as the 1850 census shows a wife named Levina. It is not clear when Levina died. The public family trees, unverified, indicate that this couple had 3 children: Mary Martha Jane, Lucy Josephine, and Georgia Ann. It is possible that other children belong to this couple as well. The second wife was Elva A. Powell, according to public family trees, unverified information.

Born about 1825 in Pendleton District, South Carolina or Habersham County, Georgia. The 1850 census shows SC, so this location is preferred because it was the closest to the event (birth).

Married abt 1847 in Georgia, probably Gordon County.

1850 Census of Division 12, Gordon County, Georgia, Roll M432\_71; p. 56B, household 646/family 649

Bird Cannon	25	M	W	Farmer	\$300	SC	[1825]
Levina	20	F	W			SC	[1830]
Mary E.	2	F	W			GA	[1848]

1860 Census of Beat 9, Houston County, Texas, Roll M653\_1297, p. 260, household 745/family 696

W. B. Cannon	30	M	W	Farmer	\$640 \$350	GA	[1830]
Elvy	30	F	W	Housewife		GA	[1830]
Josephine	12	F	W			GA	[1848]
Ann	9	F	W			GA	[1851]
Miley	3	F	W	Twins		TX	[1857]
Miles	3	M	W	Twins		TX	[1857]
Robt	2	M	W			TX	[1858]
Mary	1	F	W			TX	[1859]

1870 Census of Kaufman County, Texas, NARA microfilm M593\_1594, p. 47A, household 273, family 284

Bird Cannon	41	M	W	Farmer		GA	[1829]
Elva	31	F	W	Keeping house		GA	[1839]
Georgia	15	F	W	At home		GA	[1855]
Robert	14	M	W	At home		GA	[1856]
Hayden	12	M	W	At home		GA	[1858]
Mary E.	10	F	W	At home		TX	[1860]
Sukey	8	F	W			TX	[1862]
Katy	7	F	W			TX	[1863]
Dock	1	M	W			TX	[1869]

\_1880 Census of Precinct 7, Hunt County, Texas, Roll 1312, Family History Film 1255312, p. 592B, household 246/family 250

William B. Cannon	52	M	W	Farmer		AL GA GA	[1828]
Elvey A.	47	F	W	Keeping house		GA SC SC	[1833]
Georgia A.	24	F	W			GA AL GA	[1856]
Milus H.	23	M	W	Farm labor		TX AL GA	[1857]

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CHILD 4 - William Bird Cannon (Continued)

Robert	21	M W	Farm labor	TX AL GA	[1859]
Mary E.	19	F W	At school	TX AL GA	[1861]
Sarah B.	18	F W	Works on farm	TX AL GA	[1862]
Catharine	15	F W	School	TX AL GA	[1865]
Daniel	11	M W	Laborer	TX AL GA	[1869]
Reuben	9	M W		TX AL GA	[1871]
Joseph B.	8	M W		TX AL GA	[1872]
Emma	6	F W		TX AL GA	[1874]
John L.	5	M W		TX AL GA	[1875]
Mandy M.	3	F W		TX AL GA	[1877]

CHILD 5 - Adeline Frances Cannon

See the webpage of Darrell Clakley, Clakley@aol.com, at WorldConnect on www.rootsweb.com, last updated 1 Jan 2003; accessed 2 Jan 2008.

CHILD 6 - Elizabeth Cannon

Elizabeth never married. She lived with her sister, Adeline Frances. Elizabeth had a mental disability.

CHILD 7 - Nancy Elizabeth Cannon

According to information sent to Cecilie Gaziano of Minneapolis, MN, from Lo Moss Moore of Hurst, Texas, now deceased, Nancy Elizabeth Cannon married (1) Miles Wooten and (2) George Marion Powell. Lo received this information, she stated, from Don Wilson, now deceased, who lived in Tacoma, Washington. He told her that Miles Wooten died in the Civil War and that George Marion Powell deserted her and their children. Lo was the source of information from Don that George Marion Powell was a son of Josiah and Seely Powell, living in Gordon Co., Georgia, with SC birthplace. A brother of George was Cyrus Powell, who married Huldah, Nancy's sister.

According to David C. Ballard of Avoca, Texas, who obtained this information from his relative, Cleo Cannon Hughes, Nancy Elizabeth Cannon died in DeKalb, Alabama. Other information supplied by David C. Ballard, who is not a Cannon descendant.

According to Tom Grimes, tgrimes@fuse.net, webpage at Rootsweb.com's WorldConnect project, Nancy Elizabeth Cannon died in DeKalb Co., GA. He stated that she married William Marion Powell. Webpage last updated 19 Oct 2003; accessed 02 Jan 2008.

According to Jeanne Allen, jba075@yahoo.com, webpage at Rootsweb.com's WorldConnect project, Nancy Elizabeth Cannon married George Marion Powell, son of Josias Powell and Cecelia (unknown). Last updated 07 Sep 2003; accessed 02 Jan 2008.

According to Jerry [no last name given], jerry41@eastex.net, webpage at Rootsweb.com's WorldConnect project, Nancy Elizabeth Cannon married William Powell. Last updated 23 Apr 2007; accessed 02 Jan 2008.

Also see webpage of Darrell Clakley, Clakley@aol.com, at WorldConnect on www.rootsweb.com, last updated 1 Jan 2003; accessed 2 Jan 2008.

From information in my correspondence with Lo Moss Moore, verbatim:

"From Don Wilson:

"Great Grandmother Nancy Elizabeth Cannon said she was ¼ Cherokee Indian. Said her mother was named Huldah Hood (Hoad). Believe she may have said her great grandmother or grandmother and in passing down the story lost the grand." [Census shows wife of Russell E. Cannon, father of Nancy Elizabeth, as Elizabeth.]

"Nancy E. b. 1832, could not read or write. Spoke little - recited and sang 'From the Hills of Habersham to the Valley

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of Hall' for her small grandchildren.

"She sand a Cherokee Indian son to the tune of 'Away Over in the Promised Land' - Her grand daughter, Bertha L. Powell, writes it as it sounded:

'Heigh-Hi Ho Nitchie Natchie  
Poly Go She Previe an She  
Prag a Natif Flow'

"Nancy E. said she married at 15 'for a home.' Census dates vary three years concerning her age, no real proof which is right.

"Married 2) she said 1850 near Pendleton, SC. She is listed in 1850 Gordon County, GA, census, a widow, living with her sister, Huldah Rich, who was also a widow. Huldah Rich also married a Powell, Cyrus Powell, brother of George Marion Powell. They were sons of Josiah and Seely Powell, living 1850 in Gordon County, Ga., with a place of birth listed as SC."

Lo Moss Moore wrote me in a letter of 26 Aug 1993 that Don Wilson, descendant of Nancy E., died in 1978. His wife Mary B. Wilson sold their home in Tacoma, WA, and was moving to Columbia, SC, to be near a sister and to do some research in the NW part of SC. Don, per letter of 14 Aug 1993:

Donald Curtis Wilson, b 7 May 1922 in Ellis Co., TX; m 15 June 1940 Mary Bonita Halford; d 1979 in Washington. They lived at 908 East 65th Street, Tacoma, WA 98404. He was a son of Jesse Elijah Wilson.

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Albert "	4 M	Georgia
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Nancy Wooten	19 F	Georgia
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1860 census of Sonora, Gordon Co., Georgia, p. 9, enumerated 19 June, household 421/family 404, line 34:

George M. Powell	30 M	Farmer	200	So. Carolina	
Nancy E. "	26 F	Domestic		Georgia	[Nancy's mother lived next door]
Milly O. "	9 F			Georgia	
Lilly A. "	6 F			Georgia	
Victoria C. "	4 F			Georgia	
Josiah Powell	75 M	Farm Laborer		So. Carolina	

1870 census: not found

1880 census of Beat 6, DeKalb Co., Alabama, Twp. 8, Range 6, SD 1, ED 57, p. 16, in household of James and Nancy Copeland, 108/109:

Powel Nancy	W F 47	Servant	Widow	House Keeper	Cannot read	Cannot write	Ga (birthplaces of parents blank)
"	Lafaett	W M 19	Servant	Single	Laborer		Ga (birthplaces of parents blank)

He is listed as crippled, one leg.

1900 census of Pct. 18, Lathamville, DeKalb Co., AL, SD 7, ED 75, sheet 22A, 390/395:

Powell, Harston L.	Head	W M	Aug 1860	39	Married 4 years	Georgia	South
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CHILD 7 - Nancy Elizabeth Cannon (Continued)

Carolina Georgia Peddling dry goods Renter

" Savannah Wife W F ??? --- 24 Married 4 years 2 children/2 living Georgia South

Carolina South Carolina

" Bertha L. Dau. W F Mar 11897 3 Single Alabama Georgia

Georgia

" Iler G. Dau. W F Jun 1899 11/12 Single Alabama Georgia

Georgia

" Nancy E. Mother W F Aug 1831 68 Single Georgia North

Carolina North Carolina Can't read/can't write

1910 census of Johnson, DeKalb Co., AL, SD 7, ED 54, Sheet 7B (enumerated 25 Apr), 124/128: Nancy was living in the home of her son, Harleston, & his wife Savannah (children Bertha, Ila, Ovalee [male], Otto). Nancy was aged 78, widow, white female, 4 children/3 living. [According to the 1850 census, however, it appears that she had an additional child, Mary, who appears to have died before 1860.]