

Richard & Louisa's Children

J.H.F—E. Wright—Julius Faver—Emma Susan
(Mary Magdaline's profile is included in the Owens' family essay.)

J. H. F. JOLLY

Joseph H. F. Jolly was born April 26, 1866. He received his training at free school and under Prof. Bert Bridges at Mooresboro, North Carolina. He lived with his father until he was twenty-four years of age. March 10, 1890, he married Emma Blanton, a daughter of Jones and Sarah Blanton. He owns his own home. The couple has reared a large family which has entailed much work and trouble. Below are the names of the children,

- Collis married — Stacy. They separated soon after marriage. They had two children.
- Horace first married — Elliott.
- Marta lives in Gaffney with her and two children.
- Brivet married Minnie Allison, lives at home, and has two children. Minnie was a daughter of John, a son of James Allison.
- Fay married — White. He lives at Gaffney where he is a superintendent of a glove factory.
- Vernon married a daughter of Landrum Allison.
- Pitman lives with his father on the farm.
- Joe Dean lives with his father on the farm.
- James lives with his father on the farm.
- Kirk and Dane at home,



E. [Edwin] WRIGHT JOLLY

EWright was born December 13, 1868, in Cleveland County, N. C. He was from the beginning energetic; he always liked to mingle with people. He had an especial favor for any young lady. He was fond of dancing. As a youngster he was in demand for calling sets. However, he was a dutiful child and was always ready to move when requested. He has been a good child and has always treated his parents with the utmost respect and consideration. He likes to attend to his own affairs, and has no occasion to dig into those of others. He loved his stepmother. He was ever ready to respond to her commands and entreaties. He has made a good father, ready in providing for the needs of his children.

In his farming he has made a success because he has a keen business judgment, and is willing to treat his hands fair and square. He has quit drinking. I want to live to see him leave off another bad habit—using the name of God in vain. May all good things help him to do this before I am gathered to

my fathers.

March 9, 1894, he and Della Surratt, daughter of John M. Surratt, whose father was Obadiah Surratt, and an industrious woman, became one in matrimony. She has tried faithfully to rear her children to be just, honest, fair and good. Their children are as follows:

- John Deever did not live to reach his manhood. He was a happy, cheerful boy, ready to lay his hands to all tasks. He was an especially good rider. He prided himself on his ability to ride anything that came into his father's lot. His young spirit returned to God and left a void in the hearts of relatives and friends.
- Sallie Louise, fair-skinned, brown-eyed, fair build, with a lovable disposition, after going to school fell in love and married Edgar Williams of Buncombe County, and they live near Asheville, N. C., on their own farm with their two children.
- Graham Edward is a man with an aptitude for tools. He seems to be able to fashion any sort of tool in the shop. He does not know what he would like to do. He has a fair education, but does not belong to any church. He married Allie Sparks of Cherokee County. She is pretty, slim, industrious, and thoughtful. May God bless them both.
- Daisy Belle Jolly went to the public school until fifteen years old, when she began her attendance of three sessions at Boiling Springs High School. She then spent three years in the store of Hawkins in Gaffney. She then went into a large wholesale and retail and notions store of Smith and Company where she remained until she met her husband, C. C. Foster, who is engaged in sign posting. He is a splendid husband and is good to his wife.
- Lucille lived with me for ten months. In that time I came to know her for a whole-souled girl. She has her temper under control and has no jealousy in her. Her husband is Elley Surratt, son of Samuel Surratt of Gaffney, a businessman of means and high ideals. I pray that their lives may ever be happy and prosperous.
- Pauline Cora, the wife of John Dailey Camp, a machinist, is a good housekeeper and is always employed at her tasks. His father was Clayton Camp, the son of Solie Camp, while his mother was a Quinn, while Clayton's wife was an Adkins. She has married into an old and honorable family. The Clayton Camp family is Baptist in faith, and the members are loyal and persistent workers in the vineyard of the Lord.
- Stella Estelle must yet develop in herself the splendid qualities of womanhood which are at this time ready for cultivation. She plans to attend high school this year in preparation of this task.
- Edwin 'Wright is now thirteen years of age, a bright happy child going to school in the fourth grade. He is a champion greasy pig catcher. He seldom speaks, but is always cheerful. I hope that he may rise to the promise in him. One's development lies in one's self. No one else can make another. If in after years he should chance to read these lines he may know that I have confidence in him and that I fool that he will make his life count in the world,
- Maggie Marguerite is now eight years old. She bids fair to live a useful and helpful life. I pray that she may fulfill the promise of her childhood,



EMMA SUSAN BONNER

Emma Susan was born June 22, 1872, in Georgia. She lived a happy useful life bringing into the world six children. She toiled for her family and is now gathered into the arms of Jesus. She married Andrew Bonner, Jr., the son of Andrew Bonner.

Their eldest daughter, Myrtle, married Dr. Cofer, a practicing physician of Atlanta. It is a happy union.

Pinkney married Alta Blanton, a charming daughter of Riley Blanton, an old soldier of South Carolina, and Jenny. Pink has caught a vision, is a worker in the church, and is trying to live a useful life. They have three children. Hillard, J. C., and James Edwards. They own their own farm. He buys cotton for W. H. Brown. I predict for the family a rosy future.

Fort, Pink's twin brother, was killed when he fell from the cab of a power plant locomotive, near Gaston Shoals. He was buried at Grassy Pond.

Before Emma died, she wanted me to take Valera. I did but she longed for her brothers and sisters. She lived with me off and on for a long time. Finally she decided to marry. Her husband soon deserted her and child. The latter is now the adopted son of Dr. and Mrs. Cofer, in Atlanta, and promises to grow into well-prepared manhood.

Aline lives in Atlanta with her husband, Dr. Durham, a dentist. They have their own home and are hospitable and happy.

Julia married a regular soldier of the United States Army. They have one child, and she resides in Atlanta. he has served sixteen years, which entitles him to a discharge and pay of \$100.00 per month until his death.

All of these children have been reared for the most part by Myrtle and Pink. I want to take this means of expressing to them my sincere admiration for the way in which they have shouldered the care of the girls and have prepared them for life.



JULIUS FAVER JOLLY

The subject of this sketch was born November 4, 1870. He is reserved, quiet, unassuming. As a child he was obedient, thoughtful and painstaking. He remained with me until he was twenty-seven years old. To show my regards for his efforts I presented him with fifty acres of land. He has added to that and has greatly improved his farm. It is his ambition to provide an education for all of his children.

His wife Lily is a daughter of James Burgess, whose wife was Jane Galt of Union county, both

of whom were members of Grassy Pond church at which the former is buried. She is a loving wife, a sympathetic mother, and a careful partner in the serious business of making a home. She is able to do anything about the house, makes her own clothing, and has an interest in her neighbor's welfare. I love her as a child of my own. She has ever made me feel that she cares for me.

Orene is the oldest child. She was educated in the free schools at Piedmont High School at Lawndale, N.C., and at the Charlotte Business College. Since completing her course there, she has held a responsible position as stenographer in Gaffney, South Carolina, in the State Senate at Columbia, and is now bookkeeper for the factory at Enoree, South Carolina. She is a Christian and is interested in the work of the church.

Rhett Freeman is attending school at Brevard Institute, Brevard, N. C., and is a fine, upright and loyal lad. He is, as all children are, mentally adept. For him I predict a prosperous future.

Furman is off at high school. He is a bright boy,

Julius Burgess is still at home, a cheerful, industrious and ambitious boy.

Amajean, five years old, is also with her parents.

Warren, the twin, died.

