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I need to search Snell.

FIRST GENERATION

1. Levi<sup>1</sup> Snell<sup>1</sup>. Born, 24 May 1845, in Indiana<sup>2</sup>. Died, 23 Jun 1912, in Edison, Furnas Co., NE<sup>3</sup>. Emmigrated in Nebraska. What year?

"Levi Snell (a brother to my grandmother Ross), died 23 June 1912, while preaching. He married 18 Dec 1868, six children; a daughter, Ida May Snell married Ezra Frantz, son of John J. Frantz." In a letter from Keith E. Ross, Oct 1990.

He married, first, Harriett E. Denny, 18 Feb 1868, in Kosciusko Co., IN<sup>4</sup>. Marriage(2): 18 Dec 1868<sup>3</sup>. Born, 20 Apr 1843<sup>5</sup>. Died, 22 Jun 1880<sup>6</sup>. Burial in Jackson Twp., Kosciusko Co., IN<sup>7</sup>. Children:

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| 2 | i.   | Ida May <sup>2</sup> Snell.  |    |
| 3 | ii.  | Elmer D. Snell.              |    |
|   | iii. | Mary J. Snell <sup>8</sup> . | b. |
|   | iv.  | Dica Snell <sup>8</sup> .    | b. |
|   | v.   | Sarah Snell <sup>8</sup> .   | b. |
|   | vi.  | John Snell <sup>8</sup> .    | b. |

He married, second, Mary Magdalena Frantz<sup>1</sup>, daughter of John E. "Big John" Frantz and Susanna Frantz, 25 Dec 1881, in Kosciusko Co., IN<sup>9</sup>. Born, 20 Mar 1849, in Indiana<sup>10</sup>. Birth(2): 20 May 1849 (?)<sup>11</sup>. Children:

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|   | vii.  | Anna May Snell. Born, 17 Mar 1884 <sup>2</sup> . Died, 28 Feb 1907 <sup>8</sup> .                     |
|   | viii. | Levi Milton Snell <sup>12</sup> . Born, 26 Oct 1886 <sup>13</sup> . Died, 21 Dec 1886 <sup>13</sup> . |
| 4 | ix.   | Jacob Henry Snell.  |

SECOND GENERATION

2. Ida May<sup>2</sup> Snell (Levi, 1)<sup>14</sup>. Born, 16 Dec 1868, in Wabash Co., IN<sup>15</sup>.

She married<sup>14</sup> Ezra Frantz, son of John J. "Black John" Frantz and Rebecca Frantz, 28 Sep 1885<sup>16</sup>. Marriage(2): Sep 1886 (?)<sup>12</sup>. Born, 11 Jan 1860, in Wabash Co., IN<sup>17</sup>. Died, 28 Dec 1942<sup>18</sup>. Death(2): Jan 1944 (?)<sup>12</sup>. Burial in Spokane, Spokane Co., WA<sup>12</sup>. Occupation: Farmer. "They were said to have had seven children. I do not have names." The Dore Frantz Manuscript. Children:

- i. Edith M.<sup>3</sup> Frantz. Born, 9 Mar 1887<sup>15</sup>. Died, 3 Sep 1901<sup>15</sup>.
- ii. Florence? /Francis? Frantz. Born, 9 Jul 1890<sup>15</sup>.
- iii. Maud Frantz. Born, 25 May 1894<sup>15</sup>.
- iv. Trumman Frantz. Born, 25 Jan 1897<sup>15</sup>.
- v. Glenn Frantz. Born, 20 Apr 1900<sup>15</sup>.
- vi. Ernest Frantz. Born, 25 Oct 1902<sup>15</sup>.
- vii. Eloie Frantz. Born, 26 Sep 1905<sup>15</sup>.

3. Elmer D.<sup>2</sup> Snell (Levi, 1)<sup>8</sup>. Born, 27 Apr 1870<sup>15</sup>.

He married<sup>15</sup> Dora Myrtle Kay. Born, 1 Jan 1874<sup>15</sup>. Children:

- i. Levi Frank<sup>3</sup> Snell. Born, 28 Jun 1898<sup>15</sup>. He married<sup>15</sup> Dotie Mary.
- ii. Edith Mary Snell. Born, 5 Dec 1904<sup>15</sup>.

4. Jacob Henry<sup>2</sup> Snell (Levi, 1)<sup>19</sup>. Born, 12 Aug 1888<sup>13</sup>. Died, 5 Aug 1951, in Kansas<sup>15</sup>. Death(2): 5 Aug 1941 (?)<sup>8</sup>.

He married<sup>12</sup> Constance Corder<sup>20</sup>, 26 Aug 1908<sup>13</sup>. Born, 6 Oct 1885<sup>21</sup>. Birth(2): 24 Mar 1885 (?)<sup>22</sup>. Children:

- i. Clarence<sup>3</sup> Snell<sup>19</sup>. Born, 24 Mar 1910<sup>13</sup>.

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Dotie Mary (1904- ), 2

**Corder**

Constance (1885-dec.), 2

**Denny**

Harriett E. (1843-1880), 1

**Frantz**

Edith M. (1887-1901), 2

Eloie (1905- ), 2

Ernest (1902- ), 2

Ezra (1860-1942), 2

Florence? /Francis? (1890-dec.), 2

Glenn (1900- ), 2

Mary Magdelina (1849-dec.), 1

Maud (1894- ), 2

Trumman (1897- ), 2

**Kay**

Dora Myrtle (1874-dec.), 2

**Snell**

Anna May (1884-1907), 1

Clarence (1910- ), 2

Dica, 1

Edith Mary (1904- ), 2

Elmer D. (1870-dec.), 1, 2

Ida May (1868-dec.), 1, 2

Jacob Henry (1888-1951), 1, 2

John, 1

Levi (1845-1912), 1

Levi Frank (1898-dec.), 2

Levi Milton (1886-1886), 1

Mary J., 1

Sarah, 1