

Rayen and Related Families

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Pedigree Chart for William Rayen

William Rayen

b: 21 Oct 1776 in Kent County,
Maryland
m:
d: 05 Apr 1854 in Youngstown,
Mahoning County, OH

James Rayen

b:
m:
d: Bet. 1797–1805 in Missouri
Territory

Susannah Tennant

b: Abt. 1737
d: 04 Sep 1825

Name:

b:
m:
d:

Name:

b:
d:

Moses Tennant

b:
m: Aft. 03 Jun 1730 in Burlington,
New Jersey, USA
d: Bet. 1755–1766 in Kent
County, Maryland

Rachel Siddon

b:
d:

Name:

b:
m:
d:

Name:

b:
d:

Name:

b:
m:
d:

Name:

b:
d:

John Tennant

b:
m:
d: Bet. 1743–1744

Elizabeth

b:
d: Abt. 1748

Name:

b:
m:
d:

Name:

b:
d:

Pedigree Chart for James Tennant Rayen

<p>James Tennant Rayen</p> <p>b: m: d: Abt. 1835</p>	<p>James Rayen</p> <p>b: m: d: Bet. 1797–1805 in Missouri Territory</p>	<p>Name:</p> <p>b: m: d:</p> <p>Name:</p> <p>b: d:</p>	<p>Name:</p> <p>b: m: d:</p> <p>Name:</p> <p>b: d:</p>
<p>James Tennant Rayen</p> <p>b: m: d: Abt. 1835</p>	<p>Susannah Tennant</p> <p>b: Abt. 1737 d: 04 Sep 1825</p>	<p>Moses Tennant</p> <p>b: m: Aft. 03 Jun 1730 in Burlington, New Jersey, USA d: Bet. 1755–1766 in Kent County, Maryland</p> <p>Rachel Siddon</p> <p>b: d:</p>	<p>John Tennant</p> <p>b: m: d: Bet. 1743–1744</p> <p>Elizabeth</p> <p>b: d: Abt. 1748</p> <p>Name:</p> <p>b: m: d:</p> <p>Name:</p> <p>b: d:</p>

Pedigree Chart for John Rayen

John Rayen

b: 09 Mar 1792 in Indiana
County, PA
m: 29 May 1817
d: 02 Oct 1852

James Rayen

b:
m:
d: Bet. 1797–1805 in Missouri
Territory

Name:

b:
d:

Name:

b:
m:
d:

Name:

b:
d:

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m:
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d:

Name:

b:
m:
d:

Name:

b:
d:

Pedigree Chart for Margaret Rayen

Margaret Rayen

b: 23 Apr 1818 in Pike County,
PA
m: 27 Nov 1849 in Youngstown,
OH
d: 11 Jun 1897 in Cleveland, OH

John Rayen

b: 09 Mar 1792 in Indiana
County, PA
m: 29 May 1817
d: 02 Oct 1852

Sally Porter

b: 24 Feb 1799 in Indiana
County, PA
d: 07 Jun 1882

James Rayen

b:
m:
d: Bet. 1797–1805 in Missouri
Territory

Name:

b:
m:
d:

Name:

b:
d:

Name:

b:
m:
d:

Name:

b:
d:

Name:

b:
m:
d:

Name:

b:
d:

Name:

b:
m:
d:

Name:

b:
d:

Pedigree Chart for James Parmelee

James Parmelee

b:
m:
d:

William Samuel Parmele

b: 06 Mar 1811 in North
Killingworth, CT
m: 27 Nov 1849 in Youngstown,
OH
d: 08 Sep 1881 in Cleveland, OH

Samuel Parmele

b:
m:
d:

Azubal Munson

b:
d:

Name:

b:
m:
d:

Name:

b:
d:

Name:

b:
m:
d:

Name:

b:
d:

James Rayen

b:
m:
d: Bet. 1797–1805 in Missouri
Territory

Name:

b:
d:

Name:

b:
m:
d:

Name:

b:
d:

John Rayen

b: 09 Mar 1792 in Indiana
County, PA
m: 29 May 1817
d: 02 Oct 1852

Margaret Rayen

b: 23 Apr 1818 in Pike County,
PA
d: 11 Jun 1897 in Cleveland, OH

Sally Porter

b: 24 Feb 1799 in Indiana
County, PA
d: 07 Jun 1882

Register Report of James Rayen

Generation 1

1. **JAMES¹ RAYEN** . He died between 1797-1805 in Missouri Territory¹. He married (1) **SUSANNAH TENNANT**. She was born about 1737². She died on 04 Sep 1825³.

Notes for James Rayen:

MISSOURI RECORDS - WHO IS THIS JAMES RAYEN, father or son?

Question: Could this James Rayen be the father of Judge William Rayen and his brother James Tennant Rayen; and also the father of John Rayen? Could the Marie Rayen mentioned above be the step mother of William and James, and the mother of John?

OR could this James Rayen be William's brother who was possibly in Missouri Territory, leaving three children: Susan/Susannah, William, James Tennant Rayen?

OR is the James T. Rayen/Rayne of Kent County, MD died 1835 leaving minor children James T. Rayen and Susan Ann T. Rayen, the brother or is he the nephew of William Rayen? (see further under James T. Rayen/Rayne)

Photocopies provided by Ellen E. Young, 23 April 1997 from the St. Charles County, Missouri, Recorder of Deeds:

Marie Rayen, Saint Charles County, MO appoint Lowrey T. Hampton with power of attorney. Dated 6 November 1813.

Deed - Fremon Delaurier and his wife Celeste, Saint Louis District, Louisiana Territory to James Rayen of Saint Charles District, Louisiana Territory, dated 5 November 1811 for the following property:

Located in St. Charles District, 380 arpens or more being part of a grant from Zenon Trudeau (Lt. Gov.) of Upper Louisiana dated 13 May 1799 to Fremon Delaurier and Louis Labaume for 10,000 arpens of a grant for the same from Charles Dehault Delapur dated 26 March 1801 for 10,000 arpens surveyed 1 January 1804.

Tract to James Rayen is: Lower line of the original survey on the east adjoining lands owned by John Dale on the south and on the west adjoining land of Simon (Kenton?) and on north salt river. Original plot numbered in 21 lots. This is no. 17 and part of no. 12.

The entry in the Judge's day book might be indicating that this James died in 1813 and that the information about his death and the other facts written in the daybook were provided to the Judge by Mariah (Marie?) Rayen (same as in above document?)

Photocopies of Arbitration Case File sent to Mahoning Valley Historical Society by Ellen E. Young August 16, 1992 obtained from the Illinois State Historical Library: 14 August 1793 Bartholomew Tardiveau and James Rayen entered into an agreement on which said Rayen undertook and Obligated himself to erect and build on Harroffs the Bayou Ft Thomas near the town of New Madrid, a dam and saw-mill." By December 1793 Rayen had failed to do so. Rayen requested payment which Tardiveau believed was in excess of what had been accomplished. After appraisal of the lumber and supplies, Tardiveau requested that all building materials in Rayen's possession be turned over to him.

Houck, Louis. The Spanish Regime in Missouri. Chicago: R. R. Donnelley & Sons Co., 1909, page 400-401 mentions the above case: Barolome Tardiveau contracted to have constructed a flour mill in the vicinity of New Madrid. Tardiveau contracted with "Jayme Rayan [i.e., James Ryan?] for the construction of a casueway through the middle of the shallows [estero] of San Juan and a sawmill which was to be finished later, at the end of March 1794."

Generation 1 (cont.)

Minute Book 1, Minutes of the First and Second Board of Land Commissioners, Missouri, page 140 as sent to Ellen E. Young, 15 March 2006 from Jane Jackson: "Richard J. Waters, assignee of James Rayen, claiming 840 arpens of land situate Cape Girardeau, produced a warrant of Survey from Zenon Trudeau dated September 15, 1797 and a survey of the same dated 1 May 1798, a certificate of public sale of the effects and property of the said James Rayen by commandant of Cap Girardeau dated July 18, 1805. Edward Robinson being duly sworn says that the said James Rayen did settle and cultivate the said tract of land in the year 1797 and did also prior to and on the 1st day of October 1800 actually inhabited and cultivate the same - The Board confirms to the said claimant assignee aforesaid 840 arpens of land as per the aforesaid warrant of Survey." [Arpens is a French term for measuring land. One Arpen equals approximately .85 acres.]

James Rayen mentioned in census of the area in New Madrid, 1796 and in 1797 with one slave. [Spanish Regime of Missouri, page 393.]

St. Clair County Genealogical Society Quarterly, St. Clair County Genealogical Society, Vol. 4-5, page 74: "Personally came before the subscriber, John HAY, Clerk of our County Court, James RAYEN, with a Negro Girl named ANN, aged about Sixteen, who agreed in my presence to serve the Said James RAYEN as a Servant for the Space of fifteen years from this day the said James RAYEN having signed his name to the above.

Cape Girardeau County Probate Box 30 Bundle 572, James Rayen [photocopies provided by Ellen E. Young who received them from Cap Girardeau County Archive Center, 112 E. Washington, Jackson, MO, 2006]: Original document written in French. Translation provided by Jane Randol Jackson, Cape Girardeau County Archive Center, 14 December 2005:

"The year 1797 the 5th day of February. I, James Rayne, being ill in my bed, being of sound mind and understanding, foreseeing that I am approaching the end of my life, and submitting my soul to God as it leaves my body if it pleases Him to be merciful. Wishing to arrange all of my earthly affairs that I may possess, for which reason I have called upon Azor, Piees and Louis Francois Largeau, my friends to receive my last wishes and kindly to carry them out as soon as God will have disposed of me.

First I want all my legal and legitimate debts to be paid immediately.

Secondly, I ask my executors to call in or collect all debts that are owed to me, be it obligations, bills, agreements, or others and that an accounting be made of them.

Thirdly, my said executors will make an exact inventory of all my herds, linens, tools, furniture and properties, which will neither be sold nor transferred without the unanimous consent of the said executors.

Fourth my said executors will have the work begun on my property at Cape La Cruche continued; by James McLean and John Devaul, who agreed to do it according to their contract with me and as soon as the said work is finished they will be paid by the said executors by deducting the advances made them in both food and other goods.

Seeing nothing more which interests me in this world and wanting to give the little that I possess to one of my sons named William Rayne to whom my executors of my will will give an exact accounting of everything they will have in their possession after my death except to deduct the costs or necessary expenditures that may ensue.

Recognizing the honesty of my said executors and wishing that no harm will come to my property if it is possible, I ask them to avoid as much as in their power all unnecessary expenses and argument so that good harmony will exist between them and my son, William Rayne; without any need for resorting to the courts. I further enjoin my said son, William Rayne to hold in high regard and to be duly grateful to my said executors who are willing to take charge of the little that I possess and to transfer it to him. These are my last wishes. And to attest to the present document that I sign in my own hand, after having read, and reread, and signed on the envelope and sealed it by my usual seal; and it will be further signed by seven persons on the said envelope witnessing it as my own signature, the present document will be submitted to Don Louis Lorimier commandant at this post to have recourse there. Done at Cape La Cruche. The

Generation 1 (cont.)

Day and year following, James Rayen." Envelope signed by James Rayen, Gme Lorimier, John Loslu, David Brooks, John Duvall, Joseph Parsons, Hugh Wallace.

The property James Rayen mentions in his will is mentioned further in the translation provided. There is also a copy of the agreement between "Jas. Rayen millwrigth of Cape la Cruce of the first part and Jas. McLain and Jon. Devaul, laborers of the second part for them to clear land... on the said Rayens plantation." Ten acres were to be prepared for plowing; all trees removed with brush and logs burnt to the ground and girdling additional trees. All good timber to be split to obtain a certain amount of cut and split wood. One hundred silver dollars was the price to be paid for the work carried out. The original agreement was dated 16 December 1796.

Whitaker, Arthur Prescott. The Mississippi Question, 1795-1803: A Study in Trade, Politics, and Diplomacy. C. Appleton Century Company, 1934, digitized June 4, 2007, at <http://books.google.com>. Page 275 footnote: Notation made by Tomas Portell, commandant of New Madrid, on a representation in English by James Rayen, New Madrid, July 2, 1794: "Hable esta parte en Castellano respecto a que estamos en Castilla y se le oira."

Early Missouri Archives, Missouri Historical Records Survey, 1941, page 33:

...6/5-6/13/1798 and JAMES RAYEN vs. SAMUEL MS ON Petition for judgement to obtain payment of dept. Mason is known as horse thief and man of bad character."

Feldman, Lawrence H. Anglo-Americans in Spanish Archives: Lists of Anglo-American Settlers in the Spanish Colonies of America: A Finding Aid. Genealogical Pub. Company, 1991, entry #233 James Rayen, militia, 1794-06-15.

---- Pennsylvania:

There is mention of a James Rayen being paid for his service in the Rangers on the frontier of Westmoreland County, PA in 1791 under Captain William Donahu. PA Archives Sixth Series Vol. V, published in Harrisburg, PA: Harrisburg Publishing Company, 1907, page 663.

Houck, Louis. The Spanish Regime in Missouri. Chicago, IL: R. R. Donnelley & Sons Co., 1909:

Vol. I page 401: Bartolome Tardiveau, along with Messrs Dehault de Lassus and Pedro Audrain contracted in April 1793 with Governor of province to construct in vicinity of New Madrid a flour mill, "...on the fourteenth of August preceding he had made a contract with Jayme Rayan [i.e. James Ryan?] for the construction of a causeway through the middle of the shallows [estero] of San Juan and a sawmill which was to be finished later, at the end of March 1794."

Vol. II page 393: statistical census of New Madrid, 1797: James Rayen, 1 slave, in New Madrid in 1796.

County Court Records of St. Charles County, Missouri, page 15. "On motion of Nathaniel Simonds that the visible property of the estate of James Rayen deceased be taken out of the hands of Henry Hight, Administrator of the estate, and that a citation issue 15 O."

James Rayen had the following child:

2. i. JOHN² RAYEN⁴⁻¹⁵ was born on 09 Mar 1792 in Indiana County, PA¹⁶⁻¹⁹. He died on 02 Oct 1852^{17-18, 20-22}. He married Sally Porter on 29 May 1817¹⁷. She was born on 24 Feb 1799 in Indiana County, PA^{18, 23-26}. She died on 07 Jun 1882^{18, 23, 27}.

More About Susannah Tennant:

Generation 1 (cont.)

Baptism: 17 May 1739 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA⁴⁵

James Rayen and Susannah Tennant had the following children:

3. ii. WILLIAM RAYEN²⁸⁻²⁹ was born on 21 Oct 1776 in Kent County, Maryland³⁰⁻³³. He died on 05 Apr 1854 in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH³³⁻³⁴. He married MARGARET CAREE. She was born on 17 Nov 1767³⁵. She died on 17 Apr 1826 in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH³⁶⁻³⁷.
4. iii. JAMES TENNANT RAYEN³⁸⁻⁴². He died about 1835⁴³. He married Julia Ann ?.

Generation 2

2. **JOHN² RAYEN** (James¹)⁴⁻¹⁵ was born on 09 Mar 1792 in Indiana County, PA¹⁶⁻¹⁹. He died on 02 Oct 1852^{17-18, 20-22}. He married Sally Porter on 29 May 1817¹⁷. She was born on 24 Feb 1799 in Indiana County, PA^{18, 23-26}. She died on 07 Jun 1882^{18, 23, 27}.

More About John Rayen:

Emigration: 1827 in to Youngstown, Ohio⁶

Emigration: 1833 in Champion, Trumbull County, OH⁶

Burial: Center Cemetery, Champion Township, Trumbull County, OH^{23, 46}

Notes for John Rayen:

Letter from Venango County Historical Society, 2 January 1996 concerning the Rayen family provided the following from the Memorial History of St. Paul's Lutheran and Reformed Churches 1813-1960:

page 109 1810 Tax List for Richland Twp., Venango Co., PA lists John Range, Sr. (Ryan) and John Range, Jr. with children John, Sally, Thebalt, Sholtas

page 7 1820 Tax List John Rayen, Richland Twp. Venango Co. PA

1820 Federal Census, Venango County, Richland Twp.: John Rayen (010010-10100) between Jacob Ault and Jacob Auts (Atz?)

1840 United States Federal Census, Champion, Trumbull County, OH. Roll 429 page 48 image 112, www.ancestry.com with images:

John Rayen: 2 males under 5; 1 male 5-9; 1 male 10-14; 1 male 15-19; 1 male 40-49; 2 females 5-9; 1 female 10-14; 1 female 15-19; 1 female 30-39; 1 female 90-99; 3 engaged in agriculture, 12 total, no slaves

1850 United States Federal Census. Champion District, Trumbull County, OH. Film 444726, Digital GS No. 4093960, Image No. 00229, Line 18, Dwelling #66 Family #67, www.familysearch.org:

John Rayen, 60 M farmer 1500 Indiana County, PA

Sarah Rayen, 51 F Indiana County, PA

James Rayen, 22 M farmer noen Venango County, PA

Porter Rayen, 21 M farmer Mahoning County, O

Jane Rayen, 18 F Mahoning County, O

Maria Rayen, 16 F Mahoning County, O

John Rayen, 14 M Trumbull County, O

Joseph Rayen, 12 M Trumbull County, O

Florence Rayen, 5 F Trumbull County, O

17th Annual Reunion of the Rayen Family, July 19, 1942, H. K. Rayen. Held at Liberty Park, Girard, OH: "...John Rayen, was one-fourth Indian of the famous Black Hawk tribe."

War of 1812 Pension Application Files Index, 1812-1815. Widow's Pension, Widow ORiginal 13520, NARA Roll 77 M313, www.ancestry.com with images:

Service PA Mil. John Rayen, widow Sarah Rayen.

Generation 2 (cont.)

More About Sally Porter:

Also Known As: Sarah Porter¹⁴⁴

Burial: Center Cemetery, Champion Township, Trumbull County, OH^{23, 145}

Notes for Sally Porter:

Letter from Venango County Historical Society, 2 January 1996 concerning the Rayen family provided the following from the Memorial History of St. Paul's Lutheran and Reformed Churches 1813-1960:

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[possible birth family?]

1810 Tax List for Richland Twp., Venango Co., PA Lists: Joseph Porter Sr., Joseph Porter Jr., Andrew Porter Sr., Andrew Porter Jr., William Porter with children Sarah Ann, William; Matthew Porter

Henry Baldwin Genealogical Records, Vol. 16-17 entry, Champion Township, Trumbull County, OH:

Rayen, John born 1792 died 1852

Clarion Co., PA Rayen, Sally (Porter) born 17 died 18 Had Indian Blood desc't of Black Hawk

Henry Baldwin Genealogical Records, Vol. 40 entry, Champion Township, Trumbull County, OH:

F Rayen, John born 1792 died 1852 bur Center

Clarion Co, PA Rayen, Sally (Porter) Had Indian Blood desc'd't of Black Hawk

Pioneer Women of the Western Reserve, Champion Township, page 230:

"Sallie Porter was another of the early pioneers of Champion. Her parents moved to Clarion county, Pennsylvania in 1797, from an interior county in the State." Indicates that Sally was born 24 February in that year. "Sallie's early life was spent in Clarion county. She married John Rayen, and about 1834 moved to Champion.... She died in 1882. Four of her daughters are living, viz., Mrs. Margaret Parmelee and Mrs. Jane Rayen of Cleveland; Pollie, wife of Benjamin Leach; and Florence, wife of J. H. McEwen, of Youngstown."

John Rayen and Sally Porter had the following children:

5. i. MARGARET³ RAYEN^{8, 17, 58-60} was born on 23 Apr 1818 in Pike County, PA⁶¹⁻⁶³. She died on 11 Jun 1897 in Cleveland, OH^{17, 65}. She married William Samuel Parmele, son of Samuel Parmele and Azubal Munson, on 27 Nov 1849 in Youngstown, OH⁶⁶. He was born on 06 Mar 1811 in North Killingworth, CT^{9, 62}. He died on 08 Sep 1881 in Cleveland, OH⁹.
- ii. JAMES RAYEN¹⁷ was born on 25 Sep 1820¹⁷. He died on 24 Jan 1821¹⁷.
6. iii. WILLIAM RAYEN^{6, 8, 17, 74} was born on 03 May 1821 in Venango County, PA^{6, 17}. He died on 04 Jan 1898 in Nashville, Davidson, Tennessee, USA^{17, 77}. He married Lucy Moser, daughter of John Moser, on 22 Oct 1850 in Trumbull County, OH⁸⁰⁻⁸¹.
- iv. NANCY RAYEN¹⁷ was born on 21 Feb 1823¹⁷. She died on 25 Sep 1841¹⁷.
7. v. MARY RAYEN^{8, 17, 82-83} was born on 03 Mar 1825 in Ohio^{13, 17, 59, 84}. She died on 06 Jan 1912 in Niles, Trumbull County, OH^{13, 17, 84}. She married Benjamin Leach in Sep 1844⁵⁹. He was born on 01 Dec 1816 in Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH^{17, 85-86}. He died on 30 Jun 1906^{17, 84}.
8. vi. JAMES RAYEN^{8, 87-92} was born on 11 Feb 1827 in Venango County, Pennsylvania^{17, 93-95}. He died on 14 Feb 1911 in Austintown Township, Mahoning County, OH⁹⁶⁻⁹⁸. He married Rachel Louisa Templeton on 18 Aug 1853 in Trumbull County, OH⁹⁹⁻¹⁰⁰. She was born about 1832¹⁰¹. She died on 03 Nov 1909¹⁰².
- vii. ROSS PORTER RAYEN^{17, 103} was born on 20 Jul 1829 in Ohio^{17, 104}.

Generation 2 (cont.)

More About Ross Porter Rayen:
Military Service:¹⁷

9. viii. JANE E. RAYEN^{8, 50, 105-107} was born on 27 Jun 1831 in Ohio^{17, 55-56}. She died in 1915⁵⁷. She married James Tennant Rayen, son of James Tennant Rayen and Julia Ann ?, on 03 Apr 1860 in Youngstown, OH⁵²⁻⁵⁴. He was born before 1835⁵¹.
- ix. MARIA RAYEN^{17, 108} was born on 23 Sep 1833 in Ohio^{17, 109}.
- x. JOHN RAYEN^{17, 110} was born on 16 Nov 1835 in Ohio^{17, 111}.
10. xi. JOSEPH RAYEN^{8, 11, 17, 57, 112-116} was born on 20 Mar 1838 in Ohio^{17, 117-121}. He died on 15 Feb 1910 in Girard, Trumbull County, OH¹²²⁻¹²⁴. He married Margaret A. Kincaid, daughter of Joseph Kincaid and Caroline Wilson, on 05 Dec 1867 in Trumbull County, OH¹²⁵. She was born in 1845 in Ohio^{118-119, 126}. She died on 06 Jan 1917 in Girard, Trumbull County, OH¹²⁷⁻¹²⁸.
- xii. WARREN RAYEN^{17, 129} was born on 16 May 1840^{17, 130}. He died on 18 Mar 1843²³.

More About Warren Rayen:
Burial: Center Cemetery, Champion Township, Trumbull County, OH²³

- xiii. FLORENCE RAYEN^{8, 131-133} was born on 23 Oct 1845 in Champion, Trumbull County, OH¹³⁴⁻¹³⁷. She died on 04 Feb 1912 in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH¹³⁸⁻¹³⁹. She married James Harris McEwen, son of James McEwen and Mary E. Fitch, on 22 Feb 1883^{17, 140}. He was born on 13 Oct 1842 in Youngstown, Trumbull County, OH¹⁴⁰.

More About Florence Rayen:
Residence: 1912 in 534 Bryson Street, Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH¹⁴¹
Burial: 07 Feb 1912 in Oak Hill Cemetery, Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH¹⁴²
Cause Of Death: carcinoma of stomach¹⁴³
Occupation: teacher at Rayen School¹³⁸

More About James Harris McEwen:
Occupation: Bookkeeper for Mahoning County Bank¹⁴⁰
Occupation: Secretary and Teller for Youngstown Savings and Loan Assoc. which became Mahoning National Bank in 1877. Served as cashier until 1908. President from 1908-1910¹⁴⁰

- xiv. SALLY RAYEN⁵⁹.

3. **WILLIAM² RAYEN** (James¹)²⁸⁻²⁹ was born on 21 Oct 1776 in Kent County, Maryland³⁰⁻³³. He died on 05 Apr 1854 in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH³³⁻³⁴. He married **MARGARET CAREE**. She was born on 17 Nov 1767³⁵. She died on 17 Apr 1826 in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH³⁶⁻³⁷.

More About William Rayen:
Residence: Bet. 1796-1799 in Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania
Residence: 1802 in Youngstown, Trumbull County, OH
Burial: Oak Hill Cemetery, Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH³⁴

Notes for William Rayen:

Pennsylvania

Original Document found within Builders' of Youngstown File, "William Rayen 1802:" William Rayen of County of Westmoreland, State of Pennsylvania bound to Hugh McKenney for payment for 20 pounds for land, dated 1797. [penciled notation on back bottom mentions that this had been found in one of the Rayen daybooks.]

Rayen Daybook Acc. No. 949 covers 1796-1799 at which time Rayen was in Westmoreland County, PA possibly in the vicinity of North Huntingdon Township. Daybook for mercantile has an entry for Hugh McKenney.

Generation 2 (cont.)

Hugh McKinney listed as being a freeman, owning no lands in Mt. Pleasant Twp., Westmoreland Co., PA for 1783. [Albert, George Dallas (editor). History of the County of Westmoreland, Pennsylvania. Philadelphia: L. H. Everts & Co., 1882, page 535.]

Hugh McKinney is listed as a member of the militia of Westmoreland County for 1782. [Pennsylvania Archives Sixth Series, Volume II, page 355.]

Ohio

Residence of William Rayen, later Margaret Rayen Parmele, [Mahoning County, OH Probate Case No. 469, Judge William Rayen]: Will of William Rayen, dated February 5, 1854 mentions the following in regard to his residence: "...Also my Homestead, where I now reside bounded Eastwardly by the town plat, Northwardly by the Holmes Road, Westwardly by Thornton land, and Southwardly by the Mahoning river and the highway, including the warehouse on the Canal and the store house occupied by Thos. H. Wells being a part of lot No. 29 in the township of Youngstown. Also all the real estate which I hold or own in the town plat of Youngstown, including the outlots..." left to his niece Margaret Parmele, wife of William Parmele. He also left all of his household furniture and utensils, including plate, etc. to Margaret.

William Rayen kept a public house, Rayen's Tavern, until 1812, mercantile until 1837. With James Mackey as partner circa 1814 as Rayen & Mackey. Postmaster 1818-1839 in his store. Served as treasurer of Youngstown Twp. 1804, township clerk in 1805 - 1812 and 1816. Colonel 1st Reg't, 3rd Brigade, 4th Division OH militia in 1812. Commissioned Justice of Peace 22 Nov 1819. Assoc. Judge of Court of Common Pleas, Trumbull Co., 27 August 1820. Member of board of public works of the state 1840-1845. One founder of Mahoning County Bank, Youngstown, OH, serving as president. Was also Corresponding Secretary and a founder of the agricultural society, corporator for the Pennsylvania & Ohio Canal Co. and stockholder and director. Also stockholder of Cleveland & Mahoning Railroad Co.

Wilms, Jocelyn, et al. Mahoning County, Ohio - Guardianship Records 1846-1860. Volume I. Mahoning County, OH: Mahoning County Chapter, OGS, 1987, page 30: #399 (no date but between 15 Dec. 1857 and 2 Feb. 1858)

William S. Parmale_, David Tod & James McEwen appointed by the will of hon. William Rayen dec'd trustees for William Rayen Parmele. Bond: same as given by them as executors of Rayen's estate (\$30,000.00) p. 201.

U. S. Appointments of U. S. Postmasters, 1832-1971, www.ancestry.com with images: William Rayen, Youngstown, Trumbull County, Ohio. Vol. 9 1832-1843.

Children:

From Baldwin, Henry B. Henry B. Baldwin Genealogical Records. Volume 6. "Oldest Inscriptions, With Revolutionary and War of 1812 Records, of the Cemeteries of Trumbull, Mahoning and Columbiana Counties, Ohio and Lawrence, Mercer and Beaver Counties, Pennsylvania.":

Buried in Oak Hill Cemetery, Youngstown, OH:

Rayen, William b. Oct 21, 1776, d. April 5, 1854 age 77 yrs 6 mos 16 days

Rayen, Margaret (wife of William Rayen) d. April 17, 1826 age about 60 years

Rayen, William, Jr. d. age 11 years

Rayen, Margaret. d. age 17 years

Newspaper Clipping, Youngstown Vindicator, n.d.: "Judge Rayen and his wife, the former Margaret Caree, had two children, both of whom died without descendants."

"Although he was not blest with children of his own, yet he was always strongly interested in the education of youth...." Left provisions for what became Rayen High School. Trustees established to administer this part of his will and serve the Rayen School including: James

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Mackey (the younger) and Robert W. Tayler. School opened in 1866. Florence Rayen serving as an assistant (1882). NOTE: There appear to have been two children born to William and Mary Caree/Carey Rayen. Neither survived to adulthood. See Cemetery records listed above..

There are two different sources that indicate William and Margaret (Caree/Carey) Rayen actually had two children, both of whom died prior to adulthood. Although both of these sources are secondary in nature, the possibility does exist that they are based on primary information that has yet to be re-discovered. Granted, we do not yet have conclusive evidence to prove this; it must remain a possibility until additional evidence shows otherwise.

Other Business Interests:

History of Trumbull and Mahoning Counties. Cleveland: H. Z. Williams & Bro., 1882, Volume II page 132:

Judge Rayen began store in Austintown Center, circa 1830, corner where Doncaster house located. Employed Cornelius Thompson. Built brick store circa 1834 on nw corner.

From Higley, George. Youngstown an Intimate History. Youngstown, OH: n.p., 1953, page 52: "...oldest drug business was that of Mackey and Rayen at Spring Common...."

"A Sketch of Judge Rayen" written for the Rayen Record in 1902 by Thomas H. Wells: Served in the war of 1812 with Major James Mackey, Dr. Henry Manning, Charles A. Boardman (later to become pastor of Presbyterian Church), Colonel James Hillman. Royal Arch Freemason - Membership in which lodge?

James L. Wick Jr. Coll. Builders of Youngstown File "William Rayen 1802:"

Notes prepared by Ronald Lynn at address at Rayen School, circa 1946-1955: James Rayen, 1/2 brother to Judge William Rayen. No explanation as to how this relationship is based.

Receipt Wm. Rayen & Son, 188-? William Rayen and William C. Rayen.

The Mahoning Valley Historical Society has a number of daybooks/ledgers written and kept by William Rayen within its collection. There is also a cased photograph [acc. 804] of William Rayen and a portrait. Additional artifacts from William Rayen are also in the collection.

Deeds from Kent County, Maryland: JR 2/325 Kent County:

Francis L. Wallis and wife Emily to Charles F. Hupfeld, Jr. of Philadelphia, PA 7 October 1852 for parcels of land called "Deptford" and "Killingsworthmore" along road leading from Chesterville to Chester Town and at the end of the second line of that part of a tract of land called "Killingsworthmore" which was bought by James Tennant of Rachel Hutcheson near lands of heirs of John Rutter, decd. And near lands of Hugh Wallis excepting the road for Joseph Doman and the grave yard (square enclosed, 49 feet) on the premises. Were owned in fee by James Tennant, late of Kent County, deceased and were devised by him in fee to William Rayne, 18 May 1846 conveyed to Emily Wallis by William Rayne, 28 March 1850 then conveyed by Francis L. Wallis, Emily Wallis to Francis Adolphus Wallis and then on 28 March 1850 conveyed back to Francis L. Wallis. Also part of tract called "Plain Dealing" and Charles Town Lot, 1 acre 3 roods, 10 ½ perches conveyed to Francis L. Wallis by Hugh Wallis on 27 August 1850

Gilkey, Elliot Howard. The Ohio Hundred Year Book: A Handbook of the Public Men and Public Institutions of Ohio. Columbus: Fred J. Heer, St. Printer, 1901, page 511: Judges of Courts of Common Pleas, elected during session of 1821 - William Rayen, Trumbull County.

William Rayen also served as a commissioner to "view and permanently locate the seat of justice for the county of Ottawa...." General Assembly of the State of Ohio, March 6, 1840. [Journal of the Senate of Ohio at the First Session of the Thirty-Eighth General Assembly. Columbus, Samuel Medary, Printer to the State, 1839, page 532.]

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Tributes

Maline, William A. The Nineteenth Century and Other Poems. Cleveland: The Burrows Brothers Company, 1898, pages 40-41:

TO THE MEMORY OF WILLIAM RAYEN,

To-night we meet in academic halls
 Builded by thee, where spirits round us hover;
Foremost of all art thou, who hearing calls
 Of helpless ignorance, hastened that ignorance to cover.

With generous hand, thy bounty o'er and o'er
 Has borne the children of this town to pleasant fields,
Where sturdy work of mind mid learning's store
 Has gathered golden grain which earnest study yields.

Born in the year when liberty found birth,
 Thy soul to boundless heights for self and others soared;
Coeval with this state thy soul of zeal and worth
 Began the century here, and here adored.

Most keenly felt the need of learning's prop
 For multitudes whose share of wealth was small,
And feeling thus grim death they spirit could not stop,
 For thou didst fill the lamp of Knowledge for us all.

Thousands now bless thee for thy matchless prize,
 Whose Alma Mater is the Rayen school;
Thousands unborn thy name shall praise unto the skies
 For mental aid from off this generous spool.

O blessed shade! enwreathed in glorious fame,
 Teach men of wealth to love the better part,
That those who envy thee and would achieve thy name,
 Must drop the dross to cultivate the mind and heart.

Artifacts

Lantern attributed to William Rayen - According to Frank LeRoy Stewart II, the lantern was brought to Ohio by Judge Rayen. Anna Leach, Frank's grandmother, had an iron standard made for it and had it in her vestibule in their home in Niles, OH. By then it had been electrified. The lantern was donated to the Mahoning Valley Historical Society in 2011 by the estate of Frank L. Stewart II.

TAXES:

Ohio, Compiled Census and Census Substitutes, 1790-1890, www.ancestry.com:

William Rayen, Youngstown, Mahoning County (then Trumbull), 1804

William Rayan, 6th Collection District, Trumbull County, 1806

William Rayne, Mixed townships, Trumbull County, 1808

William Rayne, Youngstown, Trumbull County, 1809

Ohio Tax Records, 1800-1850, found at www.familysearch.org. Also www.ancestry.com with images. Except where noted, this website includes actual images of the record:

1817 William Rayen, acres 3 rate, lot, town, range, County of Trumbull for all entries,
Dollars/Cents/Mills, Penalties

72, -, 2, 2 1.08 -

50, 31, 2, 2, -, .75

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40, 29, 2, 2, -, .60
150, -, 3, 2, -, 2.25
104, 30, 2, 2, -, 1.56,
16, 31, 2, 2, -, .24

1818, William Rayen, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. Acres 3rd rate, lot, town, range, Trumbull County, dollars and cents

72, -, 2, 2, 3.72
40, 29, 2, 2, 3.40
150, - 3, 2, 1.50
104, 30, 2, 2, 1.04

1819 William Rayen, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. Acres 3rd rate, lot, town, range, Trumbull County, dollars and cents

72, - , 2, 2, .72
40, 29, 2, 2, .40
104, 30, 2, 2, 1.04

1820 William Rayen, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. Acres 3rd rate, Range, Town, Lot, dollars and cents

112, 2, 2, 29, 1.12
104, 2, 2, 30, 1.04

1821 William Rayen, Trumbull County, OH. Range, Town, Lot, Acres 3rd, taxes

2, 2, 29, 112, .84.0
2, 2, 30, 104, .78.0

1822 William Rayen, Trumbull County, OH. Range, Town, lot, Acres 3rd rate, taxes

2, 2, 29, 112, 1.12
2, 2, 30, 104, 1.04

1824 William Rayen, range 2 town 2 Lots 28, 29, 30. Total tax: 60.8; 90.7; 84.2. Total includes road tax, state tax

1825 William Rayen, Range 2 Town 2 Lots 28, 29, 30. Total tax 75.0; 1.12.0; 1.04.0. Total includes road tax and state tax

1826 William Rayen, taxes total including state, county, road and town taxes

Range 2 Town 2 Lot 29, 9 acres, 8.78.5
Range 2 town 2 Lot 30, 104 acres, 1.40.0
Range 2 Town 2 Lot 31, 14 acres, 18.9
Range 2 Town 2, Lot 31, 22 acres, 79.4
Range 2 Town 2 Lot 29, 92 acres, 1.41.4

City Land:

S.E. Pt. Out lot 11 W. Div. value 200 tax 1.40.0
Out lot 2 S. Div. 60, 42.0
Out lot 3, S. Div, 66, 46.2
Out Lot 4, S. Div. 66, 46.2
Out Lot 5, S. Div. 63, 44.1
Out Lot 6, S. Div. 56, 39.2
Out Lot 7, S. Div. 42, 79.4
Out Lot 8 S. Div. 90, 63.0
In Lot 5 whole, 7, 04.9
In Lot 17 Whole, 7, 04.9

Rayen & Mackey, Youngstown, Pt. 11 W. Div, 63, tax 44.1

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1827 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 17 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1828 tax Records Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 13 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1829 tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 23 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1829 Tax Records, Liberty Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 1 entry including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1830 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 24 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1830 Tax Records, Liberty Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 1 entry including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1831 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 23 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1831 Tax Records, Liberty Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 1 entry including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1832 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 22 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1833 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 23 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1834 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 1 entry for taxes paid by William Rayen

1835 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 6 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1836 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 18 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1837 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 18 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1837 Tax Records, Champion Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 1 entry taxes paid by William Rayen

1838 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 17 entries including county and personal taxes paid by

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William Rayen

1838 Tax Records, Champion Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 1 entry taxes paid by William Rayen

CENSUS:

Pennsylvania, Septennial Census, 1779-1863. 1800 Derry, Westmoreland County, PA: William Rainey

1800 United States Federal Census, Derry, Westmoreland County, PA. www.ancestry.com with images, NARA Series M32 roll 41 page 1222, image 317

William Rainey: 1 male 16-25; 1 male 45+; 1 female 16-25; 1 female 45+, total 4, no slaves

1820 United States Federal Census, Youngstown, Trumbull County, OH. enumerated 7 August 1820. www.ancestry.com with images. NARA Series M33 Roll 89 image 303:

William Rayen (indexed as Rayon): 1 male under 10; 3 males 16-25; 1 male 26-44; 1 female under 10; 1 female 10-15; 1 female 16-25; 1 female 45+, 4 engaged in agriculture, 1 engaged in commerce, total 9, no slaves

1830 United States Federal Census, Youngstown, Trumbull County, OH. www.ancestry.com with images. NARA Series M19 Roll 141 page 229:

William Rayne, 1 male 10-14; 4 males 20-29; 1 male 50-59; 2 females 10-14; 2 females 20-29; total free persons 10, no slaves

1840 United States Federal Census, Youngstown, Trumbull county, OH. www.ancestry.com with images, Roll 429 page 242 image 504:

Wm Rayen: 1 male 5-9; 1 male 15-19; 1 male 20-29; 1 male 60-69; 2 females 15-19; 1 female 30-39; 2 engaged in agriculture, total 7, no slaves

1850 U. S. Fedferal Census, Non-population schedules, Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH. www.ancestry.com with images:

line 8 William Rayen, 200 acres improved, 200 acres unimproved, cash value of farm 12,000; value of farming implements 700; 4 horses, 3 milk cows, 8 working oxen, 44 other cattle, 19 swine, value of livestock 1215; bushels of wheat 200; bushels of Indian Corn 800; bushels of oats 400? (illegible)

William Rayen and Margaret Caree had the following children:

- i. MARGARET³ RAYEN⁶⁷⁻⁶⁸ was born between 1805-1810⁶⁹. She died after 1820^{34, 70}.
 - ii. WILLIAM RAYEN^{34, 75} was born between 1811-1820⁷⁶. He died after 1820⁷⁸⁻⁷⁹.
4. JAMES TENNANT² RAYEN (James¹)³⁸⁻⁴². He died about 1835⁴³. He married Julia Ann ?.

Notes for James Tennant Rayen:

JAMES T. RAYEN/RAYNE of Kent County, MD

Estate Papers - copies provided by the Kent County Probate Court Office, May 1997.

Dated June 16, 1835. Bond from Vol. 11 page 285; Inventory, Vol. 21 page 304; Sales from vol. 21 page 314; Debts from vol. 21 page 687; other from vol. 16 page 376. [Maryland Probate Estate and Guardianship Files, 1796-1940, Kent County, MD Estate No. Inv290, filed July 14, 1835, also now available on www.familysearch.org]:

Bonded: 23 June 1835

Hugh Wallis Also to serve as administrator of James T. Rayen/Rayne

James Tennant

John Moody

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Widow listed as being Julia Ann Rayen

Sale of personal estate, 27 July 1835 includes purchasers: Hugh Wallis, James Tennant

Accounts - includes: *Sale of negroes in the State of Missouri by William Rayen of Ohio.

Funds also sent to William Rayen for the sale of the negroes

The estate was divided into thirds: one third to the widow of dec'd, one third the daughter of dec'd; one third to son of dec'd upon final settlement dated 13 November 1839 by Hugh Wallis.

Trumbull County, Ohio. Abstract of Probate Records and actual document: James T. Rayen, late of Maryland. Appointment of William Rayen as guardian to James T. Rayen until age 14 and to Susan Ann T. Rayen until she reaches age 12. Minors of James T. Rayen. Bonded for \$4,000.00. Listed under April term 1837.

Day book of Judge William Rayen's. MVHS Acc. #965:

Estate of James Rayen

1837

January 26 To Cash paid William, one of the heirs, 500.00

May 6 To Cash paid William on above, 1,000.00

(May) 13 To amt. paid Hugh Wallis admr. on James Rayen one of the heirs to said estate

deceased, \$1,093.43

To cash pd. to Juliann Rayen Widow of James Rayen deceased, \$110.46

1853

June 13 To a draft sent to Julian Rayen on Bank of Philadelphia by Order of James T. Rayen on acct. of his legacy left by James Tennant deceased for \$200.00

Next page:

1836

Nov. 7

By amt of the price of 5 negroes sold to William Eckart of St. Charles which I received of the administrator N. Simons vis. one Negro man Isaac, one negro woman Susan, and her three children John nine years old, William six years old, and Amanda Ann one year old for \$2,500.00

By cash received of N. Simons admr. \$107.28

1839

April 16 By Cash William Rayen, returned to me to pay H. Wallis on acct. of James Rayen Estate \$200.00

James Tennant Rayen and Julia Ann ? had the following children:

11. i. JAMES TENNANT³ RAYEN⁴⁷⁻⁵⁰ was born before 1835⁵¹. He married Jane E. Rayen, daughter of John Rayen and Sally Porter, on 03 Apr 1860 in Youngstown, OH⁵²⁻⁵⁴. She was born on 27 Jun 1831 in Ohio^{17, 55-56}. She died in 1915⁵⁷.
- ii. SUSAN ANN T. RAYEN⁶⁴. She married J. D. CHANDLER.

More About Susan Ann T. Rayen:

Name: Susan A. Rayen⁷¹⁻⁷³

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Generation 3 (cont.)

5. **MARGARET³ RAYEN** (John², James¹)^{8, 17, 58-60} was born on 23 Apr 1818 in Pike County, PA⁶¹⁻⁶³. She died on 11 Jun 1897 in Cleveland, OH^{17, 65}. She married William Samuel Parmele, son of Samuel Parmele and Azubal Munson, on 27 Nov 1849 in Youngstown, OH⁶⁶. He was born on 06 Mar 1811 in North Killingworth, CT^{9, 62}. He died on 08 Sep 1881 in Cleveland, OH⁹.

Notes for Margaret Rayen:

James L. Wick, Jr. Builders' of Youngstown File "William S. Parmele 1848" [Mahoning Valley Historical Society Collections]: Typewritten account, probably written by James L. Wick, Jr. who was compiling information concerning William Parmele in 1950 for a presentation (pagination 14-16):

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The house was a two-story white frame house, shingled on the sides instead of weatherboarding. There was a log house attached to it on the north and a kitchen at the rear, built of round logs. Between the log and the frame part was a wide hall open at both ends with wooden benches. This is a description of the original house. It was later replaced by a stone house."

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It was located in what is now Federal Street, and from its front porch, Mrs. William Rayen could look down Federal Street and at the other end she could see the house of her close friend, Mrs. Homer Hine, who lived in the Hine homestead where the New York Central Railroad Station is now located - in the vicinity of Hine Street....Mrs. Charles H. Booth - that is Harriet Arms Booth - was a very intimate friend of Miss Margaret Parmelee, daughter of Margaret Rayen and William S. Parmelee. Mrs. Booth states that the Parmelees lived in a stone house. She says it was a small stone house opposite the old Pennsylvania Depot which was recently torn down to make way for the Spring Common elimination, that this small stone house stood away back in what she called a 'field.'"

According to obituary for James Parmelee (Coll. 26 Etta May Kyle Collection, Mahoning Valley Historical Society, newspaper clippings "P") the Parmelee family moved to Cleveland in 1876. James was the son of Margaret Rayen and husband William S. Parmele.

Mahoning County, Ohio Probate Estate Case File #469 William Rayen: Niece Margaret Parmele wife of William S. Parmele and to the heirs of her body:

- A. farm lying in north part of Yo. Twp. both sides of Holmes Road (now Fifth Ave.), 206 acres
- B. tract owned by William Sr. north of town plat of Yo. & east of Holmes Road.
- C. homestead bounded east by town plat, north by Holmes Rd. west by Thornton lands, and south by Mahoning River and highway "including the warehouse on the canal and the store house occupied by Thos. H. Wells being a part of Lot #29 Youngstown Twp."
- D. town plat of Youngstown all real estate including the outlots
- E. household furniture, farming equipment, stock

If she dies without issue, all above part of residuary fund mentioned further.

Deed - Contract between William S. Parmele and Margaret Parmele to the Trustees of the Welsh Congregational Church of Youngstown, OH. 1860 for land near Elm Street. [Mahoning Valley Historical Society Collections]

Notes for William Samuel Parmele:

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James L. Wick, Jr. Builders' of Youngstown File "William S. Parmele 1848"
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There is also a photograph of the house taken by LeRoy and Terrill of Youngstown, Ohio circa 1870-1875 [acc. no. 68.5.3-3 Mahoning Valley Historical Society Collections]

Deed - Contract between William S. Parmele and Margaret Parmele to the Trustees of the Welsh Congregational Church of Youngstown, OH. 1860 for land near Elm Street. [Mahoning Valley Historical Society Collections]

William Samuel Parmele and Margaret Rayen had the following children:

- i. JAMES⁴ PARMELEE⁵⁸.

More About James Parmelee:

Residence: 1876 in Cleveland, OH⁵⁸

- ii. WILLIAM RAYEN PARMELEE¹⁶⁹⁻¹⁷⁰.

Notes for William Rayen Parmelee:

Mahoning County, Ohio Probate Estate Case File #469 William Rayen: Executors receive in trust: dairy farm in Coitsville Twp., 580 acres with stock and

\$14,000.00 stock in Mahoning County Bank with income from this going to education of William Rayen Parmele "son of my niece Margaret Parmele and

William S. Parmele." Items held in trust to eventually go to William Rayen Parmele and his heirs including the Judge's gold watch. If he dies, then goes to any other children of Margaret Parmele. Otherwise become part of residuary fund.

- iii. ROBERT MURRAY PARMELEE⁶⁰. He married Esther Dewey Merrill, daughter of Charles Ferrand Merrill and Mary Louise Dewey, in Nov 1925¹⁷⁷. She was born on 19 Jan 1893 in Bennington, VT¹⁷⁸. She died on 25 Jul 1969 in Bennington, VT⁶⁰.

- iv. HELEN PARMELEE⁹. She married ? SHOEMAKER.

6. **WILLIAM³ RAYEN** (John², James¹)^{6, 8, 17, 74} was born on 03 May 1821 in Venango County, PA^{6, 17}. He died on 04 Jan 1898 in Nashville, Davidson, Tennessee, USA^{17, 77}. He married Lucy Moser,

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daughter of John Moser, on 22 Oct 1850 in Trumbull County, OH⁸⁰⁻⁸¹.

More About William Rayen:

Residence: Bet. 1853-1854 in Girard, Trumbull County, OH⁶

Residence: 1880 in Liberty Township, Trumbull County, OH

Burial: Liberty Union Cemetery, Liberty Township, Trumbull County, OH¹⁵¹⁻¹⁵²

Occupation: merchant

Notes for William Rayen:

William Rayen was bequeathed 107 acres of land in Champion, Trumbull County, OH by his uncle William Rayen in 1854 [Mahoning County, Ohio Probate Estate Case File #469 William Rayen]

United States Federal Census, 1880. Liberty Township, Trumbull County, OH.

www.familysearch.org, NARA Film T9-1070, page 236 C, entry 735:

William Rayen, birth 1821 PA, spouse Lucy Rayen, child: John Rayen.

More About Lucy Moser:

Burial: Liberty Union Cemetery, Liberty Township, Trumbull County, OH¹⁵¹

William Rayen and Lucy Moser had the following children:

- i. IDA⁴ RAYEN¹⁵⁸⁻¹⁵⁹ was born about 1857¹⁵⁹.

More About Ida Rayen:

Burial: Liberty Union Cemetery, Liberty Township, Trumbull County, OH¹⁶⁸

- ii. WILLIAM C. RAYEN^{6, 171} was born about 1852¹⁵⁹. He married Minnie Soule on 23 Oct 1876 in Trumbull County, OH¹⁷³.
- iii. ? RAYEN⁶.

7. **MARY³ RAYEN** (John², James¹)^{8, 17, 82-83} was born on 03 Mar 1825 in Ohio^{13, 17, 59, 84}. She died on 06 Jan 1912 in Niles, Trumbull County, OH^{13, 17, 84}. She married Benjamin Leach in Sep 1844⁵⁹. He was born on 01 Dec 1816 in Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH^{17, 85-86}. He died on 30 Jun 1906^{17, 84}.

More About Mary Rayen:

Burial: 09 Jan 1912 in Niles Union Cemetery, Weathersfield Township, Trumbull County, OH^{13, 17, 149}

Cause Of Death: apoplexy, secondary given as indigestion

Residence: Moved to Hubbard, Trumbull County, OH then to a farm at Hake's Corners⁵⁹

More About Benjamin Leach:

Residence: Abt. 1830 in Champion, Trumbull County, OH⁵⁹

Residence: 1863 in Hubbard, Trumbull County, OH⁸²

Residence: Aft. 1863 in Niles, Trumbull County, OH⁸²

Burial: Niles Union Cemetery, Weathersfield Township, Trumbull County, OH^{17, 149}

Benjamin Leach and Mary Rayen had the following children:

- i. LAURA⁴ LEACH^{17, 59} was born on 09 Oct 1846¹⁷. She died in 1927¹⁷. She married ? TIBBETTS.
- ii. SARAH LEACH^{17, 59} was born on 15 Apr 1848¹⁷. She died in 1929¹⁷. She married ? VAN WYN.

More About Sarah Leach:

Burial: Union Cemetery, Niles, Trumbull County, OH¹⁷

- iii. FRANK LEACH¹⁷ was born on 10 Dec 1850¹⁷. He died in 1859¹⁷.
- iv. JAMES RAYEN LEACH^{17, 188} was born on 14 May 1852¹⁷. He died in Aug 1939¹⁷.

More About James Rayen Leach:

Burial: Lordstown, Trumbull County, OH¹⁷

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- v. KITTIE LEACH^{17, 189} was born on 15 Apr 1854¹⁷. She died on 03 Feb 1938¹⁷. She married ? HARPER.

More About Kittie Leach:

Burial: Niles Union Cemetery Mausoleum¹⁷

- vi. JOHN R. LEACH^{17, 190} was born on 06 Sep 1856^{17, 191}. He died on 24 Jun 1903^{17, 191}.

More About John R. Leach:

Burial: Niles Union Cemetery¹⁹²⁻¹⁹³

12. vii. CAROLYN LEACH^{59, 194} was born on 10 Aug 1861¹⁹⁵. She died on 06 Sep 1937¹⁷. She married ? AGLER.

13. viii. ANNA LEACH^{17, 59, 196} was born on 28 Jul 1863 in Hubbard, Trumbull County, OH^{82, 197-198}. She died on 11 Mar 1947¹⁹⁹⁻²⁰¹. She married Frank LeRoy Stewart on 02 Mar 1884^{82, 202}. He was born about 1858²⁰³. He died on 10 Nov 1919²⁰⁴⁻²⁰⁵.

8. **JAMES³ RAYEN** (John², James¹)^{8, 87-92} was born on 11 Feb 1827 in Venango County, Pennsylvania^{17, 93-95}. He died on 14 Feb 1911 in Austintown Township, Mahoning County, OH⁹⁶⁻⁹⁸. He married Rachel Louisa Templeton on 18 Aug 1853 in Trumbull County, OH⁹⁹⁻¹⁰⁰. She was born about 1832¹⁰¹. She died on 03 Nov 1909¹⁰².

More About James Rayen:

Burial: 16 Feb 1911 in Cornersburg Cemetery, Mahoning County, OH^{89, 147}

Cause Of Death: paralytic stroke and La Grippe⁸⁹

Occupation: farmer⁸⁹

Notes for James Rayen:

Mahoning Dispatch, Friday 17 Feb 1911: "Neighborhood News - James Rayen, aged 84 years, died Tuesday morning of paralysis at his home at Four-Mile-Run in Austintown township. Funeral services were held from the family home Thursday afternoon."

James Rayen and Rachel Louisa Templeton had the following children:

- i. LUCIUS LOREN⁴ RAYEN¹⁶¹⁻¹⁶² was born on 09 Mar 1854 in Champion, Trumbull County, OH¹⁶¹. He died on 11 Mar 1937 in Austintown Township, Mahoning County, OH¹⁶¹. He married Margaret Luella Miller, daughter of J. A. Miller and Maria Dustman, on 22 Sep 1909 in Mahoning County, OH¹⁶⁴. She was born in 1867¹⁶⁷.

More About Lucius Loren Rayen:

Cause Of Death: em? prostate, influenza¹⁶¹

Occupation: farmer¹⁶¹

- ii. ? RAYEN¹⁷⁹ was born on 28 Nov 1869 in Girard, Trumbull County, OH¹⁶³.

14. iii. HARRY KEY RAYEN^{17, 180-182} was born on 28 Nov 1870 in Girard, Trumbull County, OH^{88, 183}. He died in 1960¹⁸⁴⁻¹⁸⁵. He married Caddie Ann Kyle on 05 Sep 1894⁸⁸.

- iv. ? RAYEN.

9. **JANE E.³ RAYEN** (John², James¹)^{8, 50, 105-107} was born on 27 Jun 1831 in Ohio^{17, 55-56}. She died in 1915⁵⁷. She married James Tennant Rayen, son of James Tennant Rayen and Julia Ann ?, on 03 Apr 1860 in Youngstown, OH⁵²⁻⁵⁴. He was born before 1835⁵¹.

More About Jane E. Rayen:

Burial: Tod Cemetery⁵⁷

More About James Tennant Rayen:

Name: James T. Rayen^{64, 146}

James Tennant Rayen and Jane E. Rayen had the following children:

- i. SALLIE⁴ RAYEN⁵² was born on 31 Jan 1863 in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH¹⁵⁴⁻¹⁵⁵. She died on 23 Dec 1884¹⁶⁰.

Generation 3 (cont.)

More About Sallie Rayen:

Burial: Oak Hill Cemetery, Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH. Lot #566¹⁵⁵

- ii. MARY C. RAYEN⁵² was born in 1868¹⁷².

10. **JOSEPH³ RAYEN** (John², James¹)^{8, 11, 17, 57, 112-116} was born on 20 Mar 1838 in Ohio^{17, 117-121}. He died on 15 Feb 1910 in Girard, Trumbull County, OH¹²²⁻¹²⁴. He married Margaret A. Kincaid, daughter of Joseph Kincaid and Caroline Wilson, on 05 Dec 1867 in Trumbull County, OH¹²⁵. She was born in 1845 in Ohio^{118-119, 126}. She died on 06 Jan 1917 in Girard, Trumbull County, OH¹²⁷⁻¹²⁸.

More About Joseph Rayen:

Burial: 17 Feb 1910 in Liberty Union Cemetery, Liberty Township, Trumbull County, OH^{126, 148}

Cause Of Death: cerebral hemorrhage¹⁵⁰

Cause Of Death: cerebral hemorrhage, valvular heart disease¹⁵³

More About Margaret A. Kincaid:

Burial: Liberty Union Cemetery, Liberty Township, Trumbull County, OH¹²⁶

Cause Of Death: pneumonia¹⁵⁰

Joseph Rayen and Margaret A. Kincaid had the following children:

15. i. HARRY PORTER⁴ RAYEN^{17, 57, 113, 156} was born on 22 Jun 1879 in Girard, Trumbull County, OH^{57, 157}. He died on 13 Jul 1944 in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH⁵⁷. He married MARY FARRAGHER.
- ii. DAVID TOD RAYEN^{112, 163} was born on 02 Feb 1869 in Girard, Trumbull County, OH^{112, 163, 165}. He died on 21 Apr 1913 in Girard, Trumbull County, OH^{112, 150, 166}.

More About David Tod Rayen:

Burial: 24 Apr 1913 in Liberty Union Cemetery, Liberty Township, Trumbull County, OH^{112, 126}

Cause Of Death: tuberculosis of the lungs^{112, 150}

Occupation: contractor¹¹²

16. iii. IDA BELL RAYEN^{11, 17, 57, 163} was born on 21 Sep 1870 in Liberty, Trumbull County, OH¹⁶³. She married THOMAS MORRIS.
17. iv. GRACE RAYEN^{17, 163} was born on 14 Feb 1874 in Liberty, Trumbull County, OH¹⁶³. She married ED BEYNON.
- v. FRANK WARNER RAYEN^{114, 174-175} was born on 02 Apr 1880 in Weathersfield, Trumbull County, OH^{163, 176}. He married Clara I. Witt, daughter of Arthur Witt and Isabelle Donaldson, on 30 Jun 1908 in Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan¹¹⁴. She was born in 1880 in Michigan¹¹⁴.
- vi. FLORENCE EMILY RAYEN^{163, 186} was born on 31 May 1883 in Weathersfield, Trumbull County, OH^{163, 165}. She died on 30 Oct 1899 in Weathersfield, Trumbull County, OH^{165, 187}.

More About Florence Emily Rayen:

Burial: Liberty Union Cemetery, Liberty Township, Trumbull County, OH¹²⁶

Cause Of Death: spinal meningitis¹⁵⁰

11. **JAMES TENNANT³ RAYEN** (James Tennant², James¹)⁴⁷⁻⁵⁰ was born before 1835⁵¹. He married Jane E. Rayen, daughter of John Rayen and Sally Porter, on 03 Apr 1860 in Youngstown, OH⁵²⁻⁵⁴. She was born on 27 Jun 1831 in Ohio^{17, 55-56}. She died in 1915⁵⁷.

More About James Tennant Rayen:

Name: James T. Rayen^{64, 146}

More About Jane E. Rayen:

Burial: Tod Cemetery⁵⁷

James Tennant Rayen and Jane E. Rayen had the following children:

Generation 3 (cont.)

- i. SALLIE⁴ RAYEN⁵² was born on 31 Jan 1863 in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH¹⁵⁴⁻¹⁵⁵. She died on 23 Dec 1884¹⁶⁰.

More About Sallie Rayen:

Burial: Oak Hill Cemetery, Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH. Lot #566¹⁵⁵

- ii. MARY C. RAYEN⁵² was born in 1868¹⁷².

Generation 4

- 12. CAROLYN⁴ LEACH (Mary³ Rayen, John² Rayen, James¹ Rayen)^{59, 194} was born on 10 Aug 1861¹⁹⁵. She died on 06 Sep 1937¹⁷. She married ? AGLER.

? Agler and Carolyn Leach had the following child:

- i. BENJAMIN F.⁵ AGLER¹⁷. He married JOSEPHINE FORD.

- 13. ANNA⁴ LEACH (Mary³ Rayen, John² Rayen, James¹ Rayen)^{17, 59, 196} was born on 28 Jul 1863 in Hubbard, Trumbull County, OH^{82, 197-198}. She died on 11 Mar 1947¹⁹⁹⁻²⁰¹. She married Frank LeRoy Stewart on 02 Mar 1884^{82, 202}. He was born about 1858²⁰³. He died on 10 Nov 1919²⁰⁴⁻²⁰⁵.

More About Anna Leach:

Burial: Union Cemetery, Niles, Trumbull County, OH⁸²

Frank LeRoy Stewart and Anna Leach had the following children:

- 18. i. CARL HARRISON⁵ STEWART^{59, 206} was born in 1888^{59, 207}. He died in 1952⁵⁹. He married ERMA EATON.
- ii. MARY H. STEWART^{82, 207} was born in 1892.
- 19. iii. CLARENCE CASPER STEWART⁵⁹ was born in 1885²⁰⁷⁻²⁰⁸. He died in 1923⁵⁹. He married IRENE BUTLER.
- 14. HARRY KEY⁴ RAYEN (James³, John², James¹)^{17, 180-182} was born on 28 Nov 1870 in Girard, Trumbull County, OH^{88, 183}. He died in 1960¹⁸⁴⁻¹⁸⁵. He married Caddie Ann Kyle on 05 Sep 1894⁸⁸.

More About Harry Key Rayen:

Occupation: Superintendant of Schools of Youngstown Township¹⁸³

Notes for Harry Key Rayen:

United States Federal Census, 1920. Film No. 1821415, Image 809, Sheet No. 10. Mahoning County, Ohio. www.familysearch.org

H. K. Rayen, 49

Caddie Rayen, 44

Doris Rayen, 22

James Rayen, 12

James P. Carroll, 24

Marion Carroll, 24

Marion L. Carroll, 7 months

United States Federal Census, 1930. Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH. Series T626 Roll 1846 image 899. www.familysearch.org

Harry K. Rayen, 59

Caddie Rayen, 54

James W. Rayen, 22

Marion R. Carroll, 33

Marion R. Carroll, 10

Harry Key Rayen and Caddie Ann Kyle had the following children:

- 20. i. MARION⁵ RAYEN^{17, 88} was born in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH¹⁸². She died in 1977 in 212 N. Ware Drive, West Palm Beach, FL¹⁸². She married JAMES CARROLL.

Generation 4 (cont.)

- 21. ii. JAMES WENDELL RAYEN^{17, 88, 182} was born on 04 Jan 1908²⁰⁹. He died on 16 May 1990 in Scottsdale, Maricopa, Arizona, USA²¹⁰. He married Marjorie Wilson, daughter of Archibald C. Wilson, on 18 Nov 1933.
- 22. iii. ? RAYEN^{17, 88}. She married WALTER W. STRAND.
- 15. **HARRY PORTER⁴ RAYEN** (Joseph³, John², James¹)^{17, 57, 113, 156} was born on 22 Jun 1879 in Girard, Trumbull County, OH^{57, 157}. He died on 13 Jul 1944 in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH⁵⁷. He married **MARY FARRAGHER**.

More About Harry Porter Rayen:

Burial: 15 Jul 1944 in Calvary Cemetery, Mahoning County, OH¹¹³

Cause Of Death: cerebral hemorrhage, arterial hypertension¹¹³

Occupation: foreman, Youngstown Sheet and Tube Company¹¹³

Residence: 2217 Selma Avenue, Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH¹¹³

Harry Porter Rayen and Mary Farragher had the following children:

- i. DOROTHY⁵ RAYEN^{57, 163} was born on 04 Nov 1908 in Girard, Trumbull County, OH^{163, 211}. She married ? SCARBOROUGH.
- ii. FLORENCE RAYEN^{57, 163} was born on 08 Sep 1905 in Girard, Trumbull County, OH^{163, 212}. She died in 1976⁵⁷. She married HOWARD DUNN.
- iii. MARY MARGARET RAYEN⁵⁷ was born about 1912⁵⁷. She married J. R. DAILY.
- iv. DAVID RAYEN⁵⁷.
- 23. v. FRANK RAYEN⁵⁷. He married CLARA.
- vi. FLORENCE RAYEN⁵⁷.
- 16. **IDA BELL⁴ RAYEN** (Joseph³, John², James¹)^{11, 17, 57, 163} was born on 21 Sep 1870 in Liberty, Trumbull County, OH¹⁶³. She married **THOMAS MORRIS**.
Thomas Morris and Ida Bell Rayen had the following children:
 - 24. i. CORNELIA⁵ MORRIS^{11, 57}. She married WILLIAM MARTIN.
 - ii. THOMAS MORRIS⁵⁷. He died in 1906⁵⁷.
- 17. **GRACE⁴ RAYEN** (Joseph³, John², James¹)^{17, 163} was born on 14 Feb 1874 in Liberty, Trumbull County, OH¹⁶³. She married **ED BEYNON**.
Ed Beynon and Grace Rayen had the following children:
 - i. ELIZABETH⁵ BEYNON⁵⁷ was born about 1906⁵⁷. She married CHARLES SCHRECONGOST.
 - ii. MARGARET BEYNON⁵⁷ was born about 1908⁵⁷. She married ? WENAS.
 - iii. DAVID EDWARD BEYNON^{57, 213} was born about 1914⁵⁷.

Generation 5

- 18. **CARL HARRISON⁵ STEWART** (Anna⁴ Leach, Mary³ Rayen, John² Rayen, James¹ Rayen)^{59, 206} was born in 1888^{59, 207}. He died in 1952⁵⁹. He married **ERMA EATON**.
Carl Harrison Stewart and Erma Eaton had the following children:
 - 25. i. JEAN MARIE⁶ STEWART²¹⁵.
 - ii. SHIRLEY ANN STEWART²¹⁶.
- 19. **CLARENCE CASPER⁵ STEWART** (Anna⁴ Leach, Mary³ Rayen, John² Rayen, James¹ Rayen)⁵⁹ was born in 1885²⁰⁷⁻²⁰⁸. He died in 1923⁵⁹. He married **IRENE BUTLER**.
Clarence Casper Stewart and Irene Butler had the following child:
 - i. FRANK LEROY⁶ STEWART II²¹⁷.
- 20. **MARION⁵ RAYEN** (Harry Key⁴, James³, John², James¹)^{17, 88} was born in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH¹⁸². She died in 1977 in 212 N. Ware Drive, West Palm Beach, FL¹⁸². She married

Generation 5 (cont.)

JAMES CARROLL.

James Carroll and Marion Rayen had the following child:

- i. MARION⁶ CARROLL¹⁸². She married ? OWEN.

- 21. **JAMES WENDELL⁵ RAYEN** (Harry Key⁴, James³, John², James¹)^{17, 88, 182} was born on 04 Jan 1908²⁰⁹. He died on 16 May 1990 in Scottsdale, Maricopa, Arizona, USA²¹⁰. He married Marjorie Wilson, daughter of Archibald C. Wilson, on 18 Nov 1933.

More About James Wendell Rayen:

Social Security Number: 292-10-7365²¹⁴

James Wendell Rayen and Marjorie Wilson had the following child:

- i. JAMES WILSON⁶ RAYEN^{88, 182}.

- 22. ?⁵ **RAYEN** (Harry Key⁴, James³, John², James¹)^{17, 88}. She married **WALTER W. STRAND**.

Walter W. Strand and ? Rayen had the following child:

- i. WILLIAM RAYEN⁶ STRAND^{88, 182}.

- 23. **FRANK⁵ RAYEN** (Harry Porter⁴, Joseph³, John², James¹)⁵⁷. He married **CLARA**.

Frank Rayen and Clara had the following children:

- i. ISABELLE⁶ RAYEN⁵⁷ was born about 1909⁵⁷.
- ii. JANE RAYEN⁵⁷ was born about 1913⁵⁷. She married PAUL DENLETH.

- 24. **CORNELIA⁵ MORRIS** (Ida Bell⁴ Rayen, Joseph³ Rayen, John² Rayen, James¹ Rayen, Thomas)^{11, 57}. She married **WILLIAM MARTIN**.

William Martin and Cornelia Morris had the following child:

- 26. i. SALLY⁶ MARTIN¹¹ was born in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH¹¹. She married THOMAS J. SAVAGE.

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- 25. **JEAN MARIE⁶ STEWART** (Carl Harrison⁵, Anna⁴ Leach, Mary³ Rayen, John² Rayen, James¹ Rayen, Carl Harrison⁵, Frank LeRoy)²¹⁵.

Jean Marie Stewart had the following child:

- i. ELLEN⁷²¹⁸. She married ? YOUNG.

- 26. **SALLY⁶ MARTIN** (Cornelia⁵ Morris, Ida Bell⁴ Rayen, Joseph³ Rayen, John² Rayen, James¹ Rayen)¹¹ was born in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH¹¹. She married **THOMAS J. SAVAGE**.

More About Sally Martin:

Education: Girard High School, Girard, Trumbull County, OH¹¹

Education: Youngstown State University, Youngstown, OH. Master's Degree¹¹

Thomas J. Savage and Sally Martin had the following children:

- i. THOMAS⁷ SAVAGE¹¹.
- ii. JEFF SAVAGE¹¹.
- iii. SCOTT SAVAGE¹¹.

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- 40 Mahoning County, OH Probate Court, Mahoning County, Ohio - Probate Estate Case File #469 William Rayen (Original file available at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, There is a receipt dated 26 February 1855 in Youngstown paid by the executors of William Rayen (dec'd) \$800.00 which with \$200.00 previously paid as a legacy of \$1,000.00 bequeathed to James T. Rayen by James Tennant, late of Kent County, MD.
- 41 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - James Tennant of Maryland. Vol. 4 page 222; Vol. 5 pages 368, 421, 442 and Vol. 5 page 2 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Mentions James Rayen, son of James T. Rayen and his wife Julia Ann in his will.
- 42 Register of Wills, Kent County, MD, Maryland, Probate Estate and Guardianship Files, 1796-1940 (www.familysearch.org), Estate No. Inv290 James T. Rayne, filed 7-14-1835.

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- 43 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - James T. Rayen/Rayne of Maryland. Vol. 11, page 285; Vol. 21 pages 304, 314, 687; Vol. 16 page 376 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Packet dated 16 June 1835. Bond issued 23 June 1835 with the sale of personal property on 27 July 1835. Hugh Wallis to serve as administrator. James Tennant and John Moody also bonded, along with Wallis. Account sheets include the sale of Negroes in the State of Missouri by William Rayen of Ohio. Funds were also sent to William Rayen for the sale of the Negroes.
- 44 Register of Wills, Kent County, MD, Maryland, Probate Estate and Guardianship Files, 1796-1940 (www.familysearch.org), Estate No. Inv290 James T. Rayne, filed 7-14-1835. Widow is listed as being Julia Ann Rayen. She renounced all right to administer the estate, signing her name as Julia Ann Rayn. Her signature was witnessed by John Moody, Jr.
- 45 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), Suannah Tennant, 2 years 3 months, baptised 17 May 1739 to Moses and Rachel Tennant. Philadelphia, PA. Born ca. 1737.
- 46 Contributed by Bonnie, 16 Oct 2010, Findagrave Entry for John Rayen #60180267 (www.findagrave.com).
- 47 Mahoning County, OH Probate Court, Mahoning County, Ohio - Probate Estate Case File #469 William Rayen (Original file available at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Receipt dated 26 February 1855: "came to the hands of said William Rayen, as my guardian from Hugh Wallis, administrator of the estate of James T. Rayen dec'd, and interest thereon: signed by James T. Rayen. Another receipt dated 6 June 1856, Warren, OH reads pay to James T. Rayen monies owed from the estate of William Rayen to the estate of William Rayen, Jr. Another receipt dated 1855 mentions James T. Rayen and Susan A. Rayen.
- 48 Mahoning County, OH Civil Court, Mahoning County, Ohio - Probate Estate Case File #592 William Rayen, Jr. (Original file available at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, "being the only heirs at law of said William decline administering of said estate and agree to John Hutchins" appointment as administrator. Paper signed by James T. Rayen and Susan A. Rayen.
- 49 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - James Tennant of Maryland. Vol. 4 page 222; Vol. 5 pages 368, 421, 442 and Vol. 5 page 2 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, "i give and bequeath to James Rayen, son of James T. Rayen and Julia Ann, his wife the sum of one thousand dollars to be paid to him without interest after he shall have attained the age of twenty one years..." Codicil to will appoints deceased's nephew William Rayen as guardian to James, to "take, keep, maintain and educate said minor....".
- 50 Oak Hill Cemetery Inscriptions, 3 Dec 1878 - 18 Sept 1894, Vol. I, Cemetery Inscription - Rayen, Sally (Youngstown, OH: Mahoning County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1995), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 65. provides parents' names as J. and Jane E. Rayen.
- 51 Ohio, County Marriages 1790-1950 (www.familysearch.org), entry for James T. Rayen and Jane E. Rayen. This original record gives date of license as 31 March 1860, not the date of the marriage itself. Groom's age given as 21 indicating birth year circa 1839. Bride's age given as 18, indicating birth year circa 1842.
- 52 Powers, William Tatnall., Mahoning County, Ohio Divorces, 1846-1887. (Mahoning County, OH: Mahoning County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1993), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 21.
- 53 Wilms, Jocelyn Fox and Margaret Miller Simon (editor), Mahoning County, Ohio Marriage Records, 1846-1870. (Mahoning County, OH: Mahoning County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1989), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 74. "Rayen, James T./Jane E. Rayen, 3 April 1860, Levi B. Wilson, r:20 Apr [2-344] L:31 Mar, self. Youngstown [4-130]".

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- 54 Ohio, County Marriages 1790-1950 (www.familysearch.org), entry for James T. Rayen and Jane E. Rayen. This original record gives date of license as 31 March 1860, not the date of the marriage itself.
- 55 Ohio, County Marriages 1790-1950 (www.familysearch.org), entry for James T. Rayen and Jane E. Rayen. This original record gives date of license as 31 March 1860, not the date of the marriage itself. Groom's age given as 21 indicating birth year circa 1839. Bride's age given as 18, indicating birth year circa 1842.
- 56 United States, Federal Census, 1850. Champion District, Trumbull County, Ohio. (www.familysearch.org), Film No. 444726, Digital GS No. 4093960, Image 00229. Dwelling #66 Family #67 Household of John Rayen.
- 57 Information from Margaret Rayen Daily, wife of J. R. Daily, July 1980 (Donation acc. no. 80.84 to Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 58 unidentified, undated, Obituary - James Parmelee. (Etta May Kyle Collection #26, Newspaper Clippings "P" Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 59 Ellen Erdmann Young, Letter from Ellen Erdmann Young to Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 2 April 1995 (unpublished), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 60 Rose M. Morrissey (Mrs. Francis), Bennington, Vermont 05201, Letters from Mrs. Francis E. Morrissey to Mahoning Valley Historical Society, August 6 and 20, 1970 concerning Esther M. Parmelee Estate. (James L. Wick, Jr. Builders of Youngstown "William Rayen 1802" File. Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 61 Ellen Erdmann Young sent photocopy to MVHS 4 April 1996, Letter written by Frank L. Stewart II to Ellen Erdmann Young, 18 December 1995 (unpublished. Frank Stewart, Arlington Heights, Illinois), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, gives date only.
- 62 Rose M. Morrissey (Mrs. Francis), Bennington, Vermont 05201, Letters from Mrs. Francis E. Morrissey to Mahoning Valley Historical Society, August 6 and 20, 1970 concerning Esther M. Parmelee Estate. (James L. Wick, Jr. Builders of Youngstown "William Rayen 1802" File. Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, gives place only.
- 63 Dorothy H. Smallwood, Letter written to James L. Wick, Jr. from Dorothy H. Smallwood, 15 May 1950 (unpublished. James L. Wick, Jr. Builders of Youngstown "William S. Parmele 1848" file, Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, date and state of birth given.
- 64 James T. Rayen, Late of Maryland. Appointment of William Rayen as guardian to James T. Rayen and to Susan Ann T. Rayen, minors of James T. Rayen, Trumbull County, Ohio Abstract of Probate Records and Actual Document (Listed under April term 1837), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 65 Dorothy H. Smallwood, Letter written to James L. Wick, Jr. from Dorothy H. Smallwood, 15 May 1950 (unpublished. James L. Wick, Jr. Builders of Youngstown "William S. Parmele 1848" file, Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, gives date and place.
- 66 Wilms, Jocelyn Fox and Margaret Miller Simon (editor), Mahoning County, Ohio Marriage Records, 1846-1870. (Mahoning County, OH: Mahoning County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1989), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 69. "Parmalee, William S./Margarett Rayen, 7 Nov. 1849, Rev. C. A. Boardman, r:2 Sept 1852 [I-239]. Does this indicate that William was divorced from his first wife who did not die until 1857 or is there an error in his first wife's death date?
- 67 Baldwin, Henry B., Henry B. Baldwin Genealogical Records, Volume 6 - Oak Hill Cemetery, Youngstown, OH (Public Library of Youngstown and Mahoning County, 305 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44503), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Age at death given as 17 years, no date indicated.

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- 68 James L. Wick, Jr. Builders of Youngstown "William Rayen 1802" file, Newspaper Clipping - William Rayen (Youngstown Vindicator, undated), "Judge Rayen and his wife, the former Margaret Caree, had two children, both of whom died without descendants."
- 69 United States, Federal Census, 1820. Village of Youngstown, Trumbull County, OH. NARA Series M33 Roll 89 (www.heritagequestonline.com, with images), page 337 entry for William Rayen. Entry indicates there is 1 male age under 10; 1 male age 45+; 1 female age over 10 under 16; and two females over age 45 in the household of William Rayen. This may well be William, his wife Margaret and their children William and Margaret. The second older female is not identified.
- 70 United States, Federal Census, 1820. Village of Youngstown, Trumbull County, OH. NARA Series M33 Roll 89 (www.heritagequestonline.com, with images), page 337 entry for William Rayen. Entry indicates there is 1 male age under 10; 1 male age 45+; 1 female age over 10 under 16; and two females over age 45 in the household of William Rayen. This may well be William, his wife Margaret and their children William and Margaret. The second older female is not identified.
- 71 Mahoning County, OH Probate Court, Mahoning County, Ohio - Probate Estate Case File #469 William Rayen (Original file available at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Refers to niece Susannah Rayen, daughter of James T. Rayen (dec.). An additional receipt dated 26 February 1855 mentions William Rayen as my guardian, from Hugh Wallis, administrator of the estate of James T. Rayen, dec'd and interest thereon...signed Susan A. Rayen. Another receipt dated 1855 mentions James T. Rayen and Susan A. Rayen. One receipt dated 3 February 1857 is made out to J. D Chandler from the estate of William Rayen, Jr. Chandler's wife is given as Susan A. Rayen.
- 72 William Rayen, handwritten entry, Daybook of William Rayen, 1805-1843. [acc. no. 959] (unpublished, Mahoning Valley Historical Society Collections), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, "James Rayen died Jan 11, '13; Susannah Rayen, born March 10, 1807; William Rayen born Sept. 25, 1808; James Tennant Rayen born Nov 28, 1810; The above data handed me by Mariah Rayen April 17, 1814. William Rayen" Following this section are the following entries "Susannah T. Rayen died Sept. 4, 1825; Henry Hoyt, Esq. Saint Charles Adm Estate of James Rayen."
- 73 Mahoning County, OH Probate Court, Mahoning County, Ohio - Probate Estate Case File #469 William Rayen (Original file available at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, "being the only heirs at law of said William decline administering of said estate and agree to John Hutchins" appointment as administrator. Paper signed by James T. Rayen and Susan A. Rayen.
- 74 Mahoning County, OH Probate Court, Mahoning County, Ohio - Probate Estate Case File #469 William Rayen (Original file available at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Mentions William Rayen in the context of Sally Rayen, widow of John. Judge Rayen leaves 107 acres of land to their son William.
- 75 James L. Wick, Jr. Builders of Youngstown "William Rayen 1802" file, Newspaper Clipping - William Rayen (Youngstown Vindicator, undated), "Judge Rayen and his wife, the former Margaret Caree, had two children, both of whom died without descendants."
- 76 United States, Federal Census, 1820. Village of Youngstown, Trumbull County, OH. NARA Series M33 Roll 89 (www.heritagequestonline.com, with images), page 337 entry for William Rayen. Entry indicates there is 1 male age under 10; 1 male age 45+; 1 female age over 10 under 16; and two females over age 45 in the household of William Rayen. This may well be William, his wife Margaret and their children William and Margaret. The second older female is not identified.
- 77 Tennessee Deaths and Burials, 1874-1955 (www.familysearch.org), Entry for William Rayen, Oct 1896-Dec 1898 page 101.
- 78 Baldwin, Henry B., Henry B. Baldwin Genealogical Records, Volume 6 - Oak Hill Cemetery, Youngstown, OH (Public Library of Youngstown and Mahoning County, 305 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44503), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Age given at death is 11 years, no date indicated.

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- 80 History of Trumbull and Mahoning Counties - Entry for William Rayen of Champion (Cleveland, OH: H. Z. Williams and Bro., 1882 Volume II, page 445), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Gives date as 1849.
- 81 Roberta Graves Hyde, Sally Bloomfield Mazer, Barbara Houser Layfield, Trumbull County Ohio Marriage Record Index One Hundred Years 1800-1900 (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1998), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 528. "Rayen, William, Jr. and Moser, Lucy of Liberty m 22 Oct 1850 by C A Boardman MG (L 1850-58 p63) (5/147)".
- 82 Newspaper Clipping - Etta M. Kyle Collectin #26 "S" File (Etta May Kyle Collection #26, Newspaper Clippings "S" Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 83 Ellen Erdmann Young, Letter from Ellen Erdmann Young to Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 2 April 1995 (unpublished), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Niece of Judge William Rayen.
- 84 Trumbull County Cemetery Inscriptions 1800-1930 (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1983), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 384. year given only.
- 85 Ellen Erdmann Young, Letter from Ellen Erdmann Young to Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 2 April 1995 (unpublished), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Gives 1 December 1816 as the date of birth. Also provides location.
- 86 Trumbull County Cemetery Inscriptions 1800-1930 (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1983), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, gives year only.
- 87 History of Trumbull and Mahoning Counties - Entry for William Rayen of Champion (Cleveland, OH: H. Z. Williams and Bro., 1882 Volume II, page 445), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, John Rayen left seven children and his wife.
- 88 Obituary - H. K. Rayen (James L. Wick, Jr. Builders of Youngstown "William Rayen 1802" File. Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 89 State of Ohio, Mahoning County, Death Certificate - James Rayen. #10175 State of Ohio. Informant: Fred M. Orr (Website: <http://labs.familysearch.org>), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society.
- 90 State of Ohio, Mahoning County, Death Certificate - Lucius L. Rayen. #20180 State of Ohio. Informant: Margaret Miller Rayen (website: <http://labs.familysearch.org>), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, gives father's name as James Rayen.
- 91 Ohio, County Marriages 1790-1950 (www.familysearch.org), entry for Lucius Loren Rayen and Margaret Luella Miller.
- 92 United States, Federal Census, 1850. Champion District, Trumbull County, Ohio. (www.familysearch.org), Film No. 444726, Digital GS No. 4093960, Image 00229. Dwelling #66 Family #67 Household of John Rayen.
- 93 State of Ohio, Mahoning County, Death Certificate - James Rayen. #10175 State of Ohio. Informant: Fred M. Orr (Website: <http://labs.familysearch.org>), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, provides date of birth, place given as Pennsylvania.
- 94 United States, Federal Census, 1850. Champion District, Trumbull County, Ohio. (www.familysearch.org), Film No. 444726, Digital GS No. 4093960, Image 00229. Dwelling #66 Family #67 Household of John Rayen.
- 95 Contributed by Jennifer L. Neff, 29 Aug 2009, Findagrave Entry for James Rayen #41288136 (www.findagrave.com).

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- 96 Etta M. Kyle. Etta M. Kyle Collection #26, Box 6, Notebook - Etta M. Kyle (Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, provides date of death, supposedly aged 84 years.
- 97 State of Ohio, Mahoning County, Death Certificate - James Rayen. #10175 State of Ohio. Informant: Fred M. Orr (Website: <http://labs.familysearch.org>), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, gives date. Place is Austintown Twp., Mahoning County, OH. Cause of death is paralytic stroke, and La Grippe as secondary cause. Burial in Cornersburg Cemetery. Informant is Fred M. Orr, Youngstown, OH. Age at death is 84 years, 0 months 3 days.
- 98 Contributed by Jennifer L. Neff, 29 Aug 2009, Findagrave Entry for James Rayen #41288136 (www.findagrave.com).
- 99 Roberta Graves Hyde, Sally Bloomfield Mazer, Barbara Houser Layfield, Trumbull County Ohio Marriage Record Index One Hundred Years 1800-1900 (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1998), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 528. "Rayen, James and Templeton, Rachel L. of Champion m 18 Aug 1853 by Jefferson Palm JP (L 1850-58 p. 309) (5/158).
- 100 Ohio, County Marriages 1790-1950 (www.familysearch.org), Entry for James Rayen and Rachel L. Templeton. Jefferson Palm, Justice of the Peace.
- 101 Etta M. Kyle. Etta M. Kyle Collection #26, Box 6, Notebook - Etta M. Kyle (Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, age given at death as 77 years.
- 102 Etta M. Kyle. Etta M. Kyle Collection #26, Box 6, Notebook - Etta M. Kyle (Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, gives date of death and age 77 years.
- 103 United States, Federal Census, 1850. Champion District, Trumbull County, Ohio. (www.familysearch.org), Film No. 444726, Digital GS No. 4093960, Image 00229. Dwelling #66 Family #67 Household of John Rayen. listed as Porter Rayen.
- 104 United States, Federal Census, 1850. Champion District, Trumbull County, Ohio. (www.familysearch.org), Film No. 444726, Digital GS No. 4093960, Image 00229. Dwelling #66 Family #67 Household of John Rayen.
- 105 Powers, William Tatnall., Mahoning County, Ohio Divorces, 1846-1887. (Mahoning County, OH: Mahoning County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1993), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 21. Rayen, Jane E. and James T. 11 May 1865, XD-10-104, CP8-344. Jane E. nee (apparently) Parmele vs. James T. 15 Sept. 1868, md. 3 April 1860 in Youngstown. She custody of Sallie 5y, Mary C. 8m. Ne neglect, drunkenness; he cross filed, denied. XD11-128, CP9-512, CH2-359.
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- 107 United States, Federal Census, 1850. Champion District, Trumbull County, Ohio. (www.familysearch.org), Film No. 444726, Digital GS No. 4093960, Image 00229. Dwelling #66 Family #67 Household of John Rayen.
- 108 United States, Federal Census, 1850. Champion District, Trumbull County, Ohio. (www.familysearch.org), Film No. 444726, Digital GS No. 4093960, Image 00229. Dwelling #66 Family #67 Household of John Rayen.
- 109 United States, Federal Census, 1850. Champion District, Trumbull County, Ohio. (www.familysearch.org), Film No. 444726, Digital GS No. 4093960, Image 00229. Dwelling #66 Family #67 Household of John Rayen.
- 110 United States, Federal Census, 1850. Champion District, Trumbull County, Ohio. (www.familysearch.org), Film No. 444726, Digital GS No. 4093960, Image 00229. Dwelling #66 Family #67 Household of John Rayen.
- 111 United States, Federal Census, 1850. Champion District, Trumbull County, Ohio. (www.familysearch.org), Film No. 444726, Digital GS No. 4093960, Image 00229. Dwelling #66 Family #67 Household of John Rayen.

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- 112 State of Ohio, Mahoning County, Death Certificate - David Tod Rayen. #25176 State of Ohio. Informant: P. J. King (website: <http://labs.familysearch.org>), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society.
- 113 State of Ohio, Mahoning County, Death Certificate - Harry Porter Rayen. #45718 State of Ohio. Informant: Mrs. Mary Rayen (website: <http://labs.familysearch.org>), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society.
- 114 Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925. Film No. 2342683 Digital GS No. 4032391 Image No. 239. Ref. No. Item 5 page 271 rn 61095, Marriage Record - Frank W. Rayen to Clara I. Witt (website: <http://labs.familysearch.org>), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society.
- 115 State of Ohio Bureau of Vital Statistics, Death Certificate - Joseph Rayen #11080 (www.familysearch.org).
- 116 United States, Federal Census, 1850. Champion District, Trumbull County, Ohio. (www.familysearch.org), Film No. 444726, Digital GS No. 4093960, Image 00229. Dwelling #66 Family #67 Household of John Rayen.
- 117 Trumbull County Cemetery Inscriptions 1800-1930 (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1983), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 278. gives year as 1839.
- 118 State of Ohio, Mahoning County, Death Certificate - David Tod Rayen. #25176 State of Ohio. Informant: P. J. King (website: <http://labs.familysearch.org>), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, gives state only.
- 119 State of Ohio, Mahoning County, Death Certificate - Harry Porter Rayen. #45718 State of Ohio. Informant: Mrs. Mary Rayen (website: <http://labs.familysearch.org>), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, gives location as Ireland.
- 120 State of Ohio Bureau of Vital Statistics, Death Certificate - Joseph Rayen #11080 (www.familysearch.org), Gives the date of birth as March 20, 1837.
- 121 United States, Federal Census, 1850. Champion District, Trumbull County, Ohio. (www.familysearch.org), Film No. 444726, Digital GS No. 4093960, Image 00229. Dwelling #66 Family #67 Household of John Rayen.
- 122 Barbara Houser Layfield, Roberta Graves Hyde., Trumbull County Ohio Death Records, 1867-1908. (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 2004), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 343. Age given as 72 years. Parents' names also given.
- 123 Trumbull County Cemetery Inscriptions 1800-1930 (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1983), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 278. Gives date as 17 February 1910.
- 124 State of Ohio Bureau of Vital Statistics, Death Certificate - Joseph Rayen #11080 (www.familysearch.org), aged 72 years 10 months 25 days. Informant was P. J. King of Girard, OH. King Bros. undertakers handled the arrangements.
- 125 Roberta Graves Hyde, Sally Bloomfield Mazer, Barbara Houser Layfield, Trumbull County Ohio Marriage Record Index One Hundred Years 1800-1900 (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1998), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 528. "Rayen, Joseph and Kincaid, Maggie of Weathersfield m 5 Dec 1867 by J H Vance MG (L 1867-71 p113) (6/442).
- 126 Trumbull County Cemetery Inscriptions 1800-1930 (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1983), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 278.
- 127 Barbara Houser Layfield, Roberta Graves Hyde., Trumbull County Ohio Death Records, 1867-1908. (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 2004), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 343. Also provides parents' names. Age given as 71 years.
- 128 Trumbull County Cemetery Inscriptions 1800-1930 (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1983), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, gives date as January 8, 1917.
- 129 Trumbull County Cemetery Inscriptions 1800-1930 (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1983), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 62. Buried with John and Sally Rayen. Relationship not given.

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- 130 Trumbull County Cemetery Inscriptions 1800-1930 (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1983), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 62. age at time of death given as 2 years 10 months 2 days.
- 131 Butler, Joseph G., Jr., History of Youngstown and the Mahoning Valley, Ohio - Entry for James McEwen (Chicago: American Historical Society, 1921, Volume III, pages 501-502), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, James Harris McEwen...married Florence Rayen on 22 February 1883, daughter of John Rayen "a half brother of Judge William Rayen."
- 132 Ellen Erdmann Young sent photocopy to MVHS 4 April 1996, Letter written by Frank L. Stewart II to Ellen Erdmann Young, 18 December 1995 (unpublished. Frank Stewart, Arlington Heights, Illinois), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, gives name as Julia Florence Rayen.
- 133 United States, Federal Census, 1850. Champion District, Trumbull County, Ohio. (www.familysearch.org), Film No. 444726, Digital GS No. 4093960, Image 00229. Dwelling #66 Family #67 Household of John Rayen.
- 134 Transcript of article, Obituary - Florence Rayen McEwen (Vindicator, 5 February 1912. Builders of Youngstown File "William Rayen 1802" Mahoning Valley Historical Society Collections), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Gives date of birth and death, marriage to J. Harris McEwen and parentage "daughter of John and Sallie Rayen, her father having been a half brother to Judge William Rayen."
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- 136 State of Ohio Bureau of Vital Statistics, Death Certificate #10327 Florence McEwen (www.familysearch.org), aged 66 years 3 months 12 days. Informant was J. H. McEwen.
- 137 United States, Federal Census, 1850. Champion District, Trumbull County, Ohio. (www.familysearch.org), Film No. 444726, Digital GS No. 4093960, Image 00229. Dwelling #66 Family #67 Household of John Rayen.
- 138 Transcript of article, Obituary - Florence Rayen McEwen (Vindicator, 5 February 1912. Builders of Youngstown File "William Rayen 1802" Mahoning Valley Historical Society Collections), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 139 State of Ohio Bureau of Vital Statistics, Death Certificate #10327 Florence McEwen (www.familysearch.org), aged 66 years 3 months 12 days. Informant was J. H. McEwen. Undertaker was John S. Orr & Son, Youngstown, OH.
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- 155 Oak Hill Cemetery Inscriptions, 3 Dec 1878 - 18 Sept 1894, Vol. I, Cemetery Inscription - Rayen, Sally (Youngstown, OH: Mahoning County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1995), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 65.
- 156 Rosemary Stroup Grayson, Roberta Graves Hyde, Barbara Houser Layfield, Trumbull County Ohio Birth Records, 1867-1908. (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 2002), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, "R" entries. Entry for daughter Florence lists his given name as Harvey.
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- 158 History of Trumbull and Mahoning Counties - Entry for William Rayen of Champion (Cleveland, OH: H. Z. Williams and Bro., 1882 Volume II, page 445), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, gives only that the couple had three children.
- 159 U. S. Federal Census, 1860 Federal Census Series M653 Rolle 1041 - Churchill Post Office, Liberty Twp., Trumbull County, OH (Heritage Quest Online), 305. Enumerated 16 July 1860. Rayen, William, 38, male, white, PA, Farmer; Lucy, 37, female, white, OH; William C. 8, male, white, OH; Ida, 3, female, white, OH.
- 160 Oak Hill Cemetery Inscriptions, 3 Dec 1878 - 18 Sept 1894, Vol. I, Cemetery Inscription - Rayen, Sally (Youngstown, OH: Mahoning County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1995), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 65. Funeral Director was John S. Orr.
- 161 State of Ohio, Mahoning County, Death Certificate - Lucius L. Rayen. #20180 State of Ohio. Informant: Margaret Miller Rayen (website: <http://labs.familysearch.org>), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society.
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- 163 Rosemary Stroup Grayson, Roberta Graves Hyde, Barbara Houser Layfield, Trumbull County Ohio Birth Records, 1867-1908. (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 2002), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, "R" entries.
- 164 Ohio, County Marriages 1790-1950 (www.familysearch.org), entry for Lucius Loren Rayen and Margaret Luella Miller.
- 165 Trumbull County Cemetery Inscriptions 1800-1930 (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1983), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 278. year given.

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- 170 Mahoning County, OH Probate Court, Mahoning County, Ohio - Probate Estate Case File #469 William Rayen (Original file available at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, William Rayen Parmele "son of my niece Margaret Parmele and William S. Parmele."
- 171 Roberta Graves Hyde, Sally Bloomfield Mazer, Barbara Houser Layfield, Trumbull County Ohio Marriage Record Index One Hundred Years 1800-1900 (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1998), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 528.
- 172 Powers, William Tatnall., Mahoning County, Ohio Divorces, 1846-1887. (Mahoning County, OH: Mahoning County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1993), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 21. age given as 8 months.
- 173 Roberta Graves Hyde, Sally Bloomfield Mazer, Barbara Houser Layfield, Trumbull County Ohio Marriage Record Index One Hundred Years 1800-1900 (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1998), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 528. "Rayen, William C. and Soule, Minnie of Warren m 23 Oct 1876 by Nathaniel P Bailey MG (L 1876-81 p27) (7/423)".
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- 175 Rosemary Stroup Grayson, Roberta Graves Hyde, Barbara Houser Layfield, Trumbull County Ohio Birth Records, 1867-1908. (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 2002), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, "R" entries. Gives full name.
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- 177 Rose M. Morrissey (Mrs. Francis), Bennington, Vermont 05201, Letter from Rose M. Morrissey to Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 27 July 1970 (unpublished. Mahoning Valley Historical Society Builders of Youngstown "William Rayen 1802" file), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, second marriage for Robert M. Parmelee.
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- 179 Rosemary Stroup Grayson, Roberta Graves Hyde, Barbara Houser Layfield, Trumbull County Ohio Birth Records, 1867-1908. (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 2002), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, "R" entries. Given name is listed as unknown. sex of child is given as male.

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- 181 unpublished, Letter from Jane Lamb to Patricia Cummins, 1980. (James L. Wick, Jr. Builders of Youngstown "William Rayen 1802" File. Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, H. K. Rayen is the grandson of John and a son of James Rayen and his wife Rachel Templeton.
- 182 Clipping - "Mrs. James Carroll Dies; Member of Rayen Family." (Vindicator, June 9, 1977 page 52. Builders of Youngstown "William Rayen 1802" file. Mahoning Valley Historical Society Collections), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 183 Clipping - "Prof. H. K. Rayen" (Vindicator, September 17, 1901. Builders of Youngstown "William Rayen 1802" file. Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
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- 186 Barbara Houser Layfield, Roberta Graves Hyde., Trumbull County Ohio Death Records, 1867-1908. (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 2004), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 343. Full name given.
- 187 Barbara Houser Layfield, Roberta Graves Hyde., Trumbull County Ohio Death Records, 1867-1908. (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 2004), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 343. Does not give parents' names.
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- 197 Ellen Erdmann Young, Letter from Ellen Erdmann Young to Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 2 April 1995 (unpublished), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Gives year of birth as 1868.
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- 215 Ellen Erdman Young, E-Mail from Ellen Erdman Young to Pamela L. Speis, Mahoning Valley Historical Society Archivist (Unpublished, 2 February 2011), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
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Family Group Sheet - James Rayen and wife Susannah Tennant

Husband:		James Rayen
	d:	Bet. 1797-1805 in Missouri Territory ¹
	Sex:	Male
	Father:	
	Mother:	
Wife:		Susannah Tennant ²⁻³
	b:	Abt. 1737 ¹⁶
	Baptism:	17 May 1739 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA ¹⁷
	d:	04 Sep 1825 ¹⁸
	Sex:	Female
	Father:	Moses Tennant ⁴⁻¹⁰
	Mother:	Rachel Siddon ¹¹⁻¹⁵
Children:		
1	Name:	William Rayen ²⁴⁻²⁵
M	b:	21 Oct 1776 in Kent County, Maryland ¹⁹⁻²²
	Residence:	Bet. 1796–1799 in Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania
	Residence:	1802 in Youngstown, Trumbull County, OH
	d:	05 Apr 1854 in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH ²²⁻²³
	Burial:	Oak Hill Cemetery, Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH ²³
	Sex:	Male
	Spouse:	Margaret Caree ²⁶
2	Name:	James Tennant Rayen ²⁸⁻³²
M	d:	Abt. 1835 ²⁷
	Sex:	Male
	Spouse:	Julia Ann ? ³³⁻³⁴
Notes:		
<p>James Rayen</p> <p>MISSOURI RECORDS - WHO IS THIS JAMES RAYEN, father or son?</p> <p>Question: Could this James Rayen be the father of Judge William Rayen and his brother James Tennant Rayen; and also the father of John Rayen? Could the Marie Rayen mentioned above be the step mother of William and James, and the mother of John?</p> <p>OR could this James Rayen be William's brother who was possibly in Missouri Territory, leaving three children: Susan/Susannah, William, James Tennant Rayen?</p> <p>OR is the James T. Rayen/Rayne of Kent County, MD died 1835 leaving minor children James T. Rayen and Susan Ann T. Rayen, the brother or is he the nephew of William Rayen? (see further under James T. Rayen/Rayne)</p> <p>-----</p> <p>Photocopies provided by Ellen E. Young, 23 April 1997 from the St. Charles County, Missouri, Recorder of Deeds:</p> <p>Marie Rayen, Saint Charles County, MO appoint Lowrey T. Hampton with power of attorney. Dated 6 November 1813.</p> <p>Deed - Fremon Delaurier and his wife Celeste, Saint Louis District, Louisiana Territory to James Rayen of</p>		

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Saint Charles District, Louisiana Territory, dated 5 November 1811 for the following property:

Located in St. Charles District, 380 arpens or more being part of a grant from Zenon Trudeau (Lt. Gov.) of Upper Louisiana dated 13 May 1799 to Fremon Delaurier and Louis Labaume for 10,000 arpens of a grant for the same from Charles Dehault Delapur dated 26 March 1801 for 10,000 arpens surveyed 1 January 1804.

Tract to James Rayen is: Lower line of the original survey on the east adjoining lands owned by John Dale on the south and on the west adjoining land of Simon (Kenton?) and on north salt river. Original plot numbered in 21 lots. This is no. 17 and part of no. 12.

The entry in the Judge's day book might be indicating that this James died in 1813 and that the information about his death and the other facts written in the daybook were provided to the Judge by Mariah (Marie?) Rayen (same as in above document?)

Photocopies of Arbitration Case File sent to Mahoning Valley Historical Society by Ellen E. Young August 16, 1992 obtained from the Illinois State Historical Library: 14 August 1793 Bartholomew Tardiveau and James Rayen entered into an agreement on which said Rayen undertook and Obligated himself to erect and build on Harroffs the Bayou Ft Thomas near the town of New Madrid, a dam and saw-mill." By December 1793 Rayen had failed to do so. Rayen requested payment which Tardiveau believed was in excess of what had been accomplished. After appraisal of the lumber and supplies, Tardiveau requested that all building materials in Rayen's possession be turned over to him.

Houck, Louis. The Spanish Regime in Missouri. Chicago: R. R. Donnelley & Sons Co., 1909, page 400-401 mentions the above case: Barolome Tardiveau contracted to have constructed a flour mill in the vicinity of New Madrid. Tardiveau contracted with "Jayme Rayan [i.e., James Ryan?] for the construction of a casueway through the middle of the shallows [estero] of San Juan and a sawmill which was to be finished later, at the end of March 1794."

Minute Book 1, Minutes of the First and Second Board of Land Commissioners, Missouri, page 140 as sent to Ellen E. Young, 15 March 2006 from Jane Jackson: "Richard J. Waters, assignee of James Rayen, claiming 840 arpens of land situate Cape Girardeau, produced a warrant of Survey from Zenon Trudeau dated September 15, 1797 and a survey of the same dated 1 May 1798, a certificate of public sale of the effects and property of the said James Rayen by commandant of Cap Girardeau dated July 18, 1805. Edward Robinson being duly sworn says that the said James Rayen did settle and cultivate the said tract of land in the year 1797 and did also prior to and on the 1st day of October 1800 actually inhabited and cultivate the same - The Board confirms to the said claimant assignee aforesaid 840 arpens of land as per the aforesaid warrant of Survey." [Arpens is a French term for measuring land. One Arpen equals approximately .85 acres.]

James Rayen mentioned in census of the area in New Madrid, 1796 and in 1797 with one slave. [Spanish Regime of Missouri, page 393.]

St. Clair County Genealogical Society Quarterly, St. Clair County Genealogical Society, Vol. 4-5, page 74: "Personally came before the subscriber, John HAY, Clerk of our County Court, James RAYEN, with a Negro Girl named ANN, aged about Sixteen, who agreed in my presence to serve the Said James RAYEN as a Servant for the Space of fifteen years from this day the said James RAYEN having signed his name to the above.

Cape Girardeau County Probate Box 30 Bundle 572, James Rayen [photocopies provided by Ellen E. Young who received them from Cap Girardeau County Archive Center, 112 E. Washington, Jackson, MO, 2006]: Original document written in French. Translation provided by Jane Randol Jackson, Cape Girardeau County Archive Center, 14 December 2005:

"The year 1797 the 5th day of February. I, James Rayne, being ill in my bed, being of sound mind and understanding, foreseeing that I am approaching the end of my life, and submitting my soul to God as it leaves my body if it pleases Him to be merciful. Wishing to arrange all of my earthly affairs that I may

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possess, for which reason I have called upon Azor, Piees and Louis Francois Largeau, my friends to receive my last wishes and kindly to carry them out as soon as God will have disposed of me.

First I want all my legal and legitimate debts to be paid immediately.

Secondly, I ask my executors to call in or collect all debts that are owed to me, be it obligations, bills, agreements, or others and that an accounting be made of them.

Thirdly, my said executors will make an exact inventory of all my herds, linens, tools, furniture and properties, which will neither be sold nor transferred without the unanimous consent of the said executors.

Fourth my said executors will have the work begun on my property at Cape La Cruche continued; by James McLean and John Devaul, who agreed to do it according to their contract with me and as soon as the said work is finished they will be paid by the said executors by deducting the advances made them in both food and other goods.

Seeing nothing more which interests me in this world and wanting to give the little that I possess to one of my sons named William Rayne to whom my executors of my will will give an exact accounting of everything they will have in their possession after my death except to deduct the costs or necessary expenditures that may ensue.

Recognizing the honesty of my said executors and wishing that no harm will come to my property if it is possible, I ask them to avoid as much as in their power all unnecessary expenses and argument so that good harmony will exist between them and my son, William Rayne; without any need for resorting to the courts. I further enjoin my said son, William Rayne to hold in high regard and to be duly grateful to my said executors who are willing to take charge of the little that I possess and to transfer it to him. These are my last wishes. And to attest to the present document that I sign in my own hand, after having read, and reread, and signed on the envelope and sealed it by my usual seal; and it will be further signed by seven persons on the said envelope witnessing it as my own signature, the present document will be submitted to Don Louis Lorimier commandant at this post to have recourse there. Done at Cape La Cruche. The Day and year following, James Rayen." Envelope signed by James Rayen, Gme Lorimier, John Loslu, David Brooks, John Duvall, Joseph Parsons, Hugh Wallace.

The property James Rayen mentions in his will is mentioned further in the translation provided. There is also a copy of the agreement between "Jas. Rayen millwrigth of Cape la Cruce of the first part and Jas. McLain and Jon. Devaul, laborers of the second part for them to clear land... on the said Rayens plantation." Ten acres were to be prepared for plowing; all trees removed with brush and logs burnt to the ground and girdling additional trees. All good timber to be split to obtain a certain amount of cut and split wood. One hundred silver dollars was the price to be paid for the work carried out. The original agreement was dated 16 December 1796.

Whitaker, Arthur Prescott. The Mississippi Question, 1795-1803: A Study in Trade, Politics, and Diplomacy. C. Appleton Century Company, 1934, digitized June 4, 2007, at <http://books.google.com>. Page 275 footnote: Notation made by Tomas Portell, commandant of New Madrid, on a representation in English by James Rayen, New Madrid, July 2, 1794: "Hable esta parte en Castellano respecto a que estamos en Castilla y se le oira."

Early Missouri Archives, Missouri Historical Records Survey, 1941, page 33:

...6/5-6/13/1798 and JAMES RAYEN vs. SAMUEL MS ON Petition for judgement to obtain payment of dept. Mason is known as horse thief and man of bad character."

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Houck, Louis. The Spanish Regime in Missouri. Chicago, IL: R. R. Donnelley & Sons Co., 1909: Vol. I page 401: Bartolome Tardiveau, along with Messrs Dehault de Lassus and Pedro Audrain contracted in April 1793 with Governor of province to construct in vicinity of New Madrid a flour mill, "...on the fourteenth of August preceding he had made a contract with Jayme Rayan [i.e. James Ryan?] for the construction of a causeway through the middle of the shallows [estero] of San Juan and a sawmill which was to be finished later, at the end of March 1794."

Vol. II page 393: statistical census of New Madrid, 1797: James Rayen, 1 slave, in New Madrid in 1796.

County Court Records of St. Charles County, Missouri, page 15. "On motion of Nathaniel Simonds that the visible property of the estate of James Rayen deceased be taken out of the hands of Henry Hight, Administrator of the estate, and that a citation issue 15 O."

William Rayen**Pennsylvania**

Original Document found within Builders' of Youngstown File, "William Rayen 1802:" William Rayen of County of Westmoreland, State of Pennsylvania bound to Hugh McKenney for payment for 20 pounds for land, dated 1797. [penciled notation on back bottom mentions that this had been found in one of the Rayen daybooks.]

Rayen Daybook Acc. No. 949 covers 1796-1799 at which time Rayen was in Westmoreland County, PA possibly in the vicinity of North Huntingdon Township. Daybook for mercantile has an entry for Hugh McKenney.

Hugh McKiney listed as being a freeman, owning no lands in Mt. Pleasant Twp., Westmoreland Co., PA for 1783. [Albert, George Dallas (editor). History of the County of Westmoreland, Pennsylvania. Philadelphia: L. H. Everts & Co., 1882, page 535.]

Hugh McKiney is listed as a member of the militia of Westmoreland County for 1782. [Pennsylvania Archives Sixth Series, Volume II, page 355.]

Ohio

Residence of William Rayen, later Margaret Rayen Parmele, [Mahoning County, OH Probate Case No. 469, Judge William Rayen]: Will of William Rayen, dated February 5, 1854 mentions the following in regard to his residence: "...Also my Homestead, where I now reside bounded Eastwardly by the town plat, Northwardly by the Holmes Road, Westwardly by Thornton land, and Southwardly by the Mahoning river and the highway, including the warehouse on the Canal and the store house occupied by Thos. H. Wells being a part of lot No. 29 in the township of Youngstown. Also all the real estate which I hold or own in the town plat of Youngstown, including the outlots..." left to his niece Margaret Parmele, wife of William Parmele. He also left all of his household furniture and utensils, including plate, etc. to Margaret.

William Rayen kept a public house, Rayen's Tavern, until 1812, mercantile until 1837. With James Mackey as partner circa 1814 as Rayen & Mackey. Postmaster 1818-1839 in his store. Served as treasurer of Youngstown Twp. 1804, township clerk in 1805 - 1812 and 1816. Colonel 1st Reg't, 3rd Brigade, 4th Division OH militia in 1812. Commissioned Justice of Peace 22 Nov 1819. Assoc. Judge of Court of Common Pleas, Trumbull Co., 27 August 1820. Member of board of public works of the state 1840-1845. One founder of Mahoning County Bank, Youngstown, OH, serving as president. Was also Corresponding Secretary and a founder of the agricultural society, incorporator for the Pennsylvania & Ohio Canal Co. and stockholder and director. Also stockholder of Cleveland & Mahoning Railroad Co.

Wilms, Jocelyn, et al. Mahoning County, Ohio - Guardianship Records 1846-1860. Volume I. Mahoning County, OH: Mahoning County Chapter, OGS, 1987, page 30:

Notes: (cont.)

#399 (no date but between 15 Dec. 1857 and 2 Feb. 1858)

William S. Parmale_, David Tod & James McEwen appointed by the will of hon. William Rayen dec'd trustees for William Rayen Parmele. Bond: same as given by them as executors of Rayen's estate (\$30,000.00) p. 201.

U. S. Appointments of U. S. Postmasters, 1832-1971, www.ancestry.com with images:

William Rayen, Youngstown, Trumbull County, Ohio. Vol. 9 1832-1843.

Children:

From Baldwin, Henry B. Henry B. Baldwin Genealogical Records. Volume 6. "Oldest Inscriptions, With Revolutionary and War of 1812 Records, of the Cemeteries of Trumbull, Mahoning and Columbiana Counties, Ohio and Lawrence, Mercer and Beaver Counties, Pennsylvania.":

Buried in Oak Hill Cemetery, Youngstown, OH:

Rayen, William b. Oct 21, 1776, d. April 5, 1854 age 77 yrs 6 mos 16 days

Rayen, Margaret (wife of William Rayen) d. April 17, 1826 age about 60 years

Rayen, William, Jr. d. age 11 years

Rayen, Margaret. d. age 17 years

Newspaper Clipping, Youngstown Vindicator, n.d.: "Judge Rayen and his wife, the former Margaret Caree, had two children, both of whom died without descendants."

"Although he was not blest with children of his own, yet he was always strongly interested in the education of youth...." Left provisions for what became Rayen High School. Trustees established to administer this part of his will and serve the Rayen School including: James Mackey (the younger) and Robert W. Tayler. School opened in 1866. Florence Rayen serving as an assistant (1882). NOTE: There appear to have been two children born to William and Mary Caree/Carey Rayen. Neither survived to adulthood. See Cemetery records listed above..

There are two different sources that indicate William and Margaret (Caree/Carey) Rayen actually had two children, both of whom died prior to adulthood. Although both of these sources are secondary in nature, the possibility does exist that they are based on primary information that has yet to be re-discovered. Granted, we do not yet have conclusive evidence to prove this; it must remain a possibility until additional evidence shows otherwise.

Other Business Interests:

History of Trumbull and Mahoning Counties. Cleveland: H. Z. Williams & Bro., 1882, Volume II page 132:

Judge Rayen began store in Austintown Center, circa 1830, corner where Doncaster house located.

Employed Cornelius Thompson. Built brick store circa 1834 on nw corner.

From Higley, George. Youngstown an Intimate History. Youngstown, OH: n.p., 1953, page 52:

"...oldest drug business was that of Mackey and Rayen at Spring Common...."

"A Sketch of Judge Rayen" written for the Rayen Record in 1902 by Thomas H. Wells:

Served in the war of 1812 with Major James Mackey, Dr. Henry Manning, Charles A. Boardman (later to become pastor of Presbyterian Church), Colonel James Hillman. Royal Arch Freemason - Membership in which lodge?

James L. Wick Jr. Coll. Builders of Youngstown File "William Rayen 1802:"

Notes prepared by Ronald Lynn at address at Rayen School, circa 1946-1955: James Rayen, 1/2 brother to Judge William Rayen. No explanation as to how this relationship is based.

Receipt Wm. Rayen & Son, 188-? William Rayen and William C. Rayen.

Notes: (cont.)

The Mahoning Valley Historical Society has a number of daybooks/ledgers written and kept by William Rayen within its collection. There is also a cased photograph [acc. 804] of William Rayen and a portrait. Additional artifacts from William Rayen are also in the collection.

Deeds from Kent County, Maryland: JR 2/325 Kent County:

Francis L. Wallis and wife Emily to Charles F. Hupfeld, Jr. of Philadelphia, PA 7 October 1852 for parcels of land called "Deptford" and "Killingsworthmore" along road leading from Chesterville to Chester Town and at the end of the second line of that part of a tract of land called "Killingsworthmore" which was bought by James Tennant of Rachel Hutcheson near lands of heirs of John Rutter, decd. And near lands of Hugh Wallis excepting the road for Joseph Doman and the grave yard (square enclosed, 49 feet) on the premises. Were owned in fee by James Tennant, late of Kent County, deceased and were devised by him in fee to William Rayne, 18 May 1846 conveyed to Emily Wallis by William Rayne, 28 March 1850 then conveyed by Francis L. Wallis, Emily Wallis to Francis Adolphus Wallis and then on 28 March 1850 conveyed back to Francis L. Wallis. Also part of tract called "Plain Dealing" and Charles Town Lot, 1 acre 3 roods, 10 ½ perches conveyed to Francis L. Wallis by Hugh Wallis on 27 August 1850

Gilkey, Elliot Howard. The Ohio Hundred Year Book: A Handbook of the Public Men and Public Institutions of Ohio. Columbus: Fred J. Heer, St. Printer, 1901, page 511: Judges of Courts of Common Pleas, elected during session of 1821 - William Rayen, Trumbull County.

William Rayen also served as a commissioner to "view and permanently locate the seat of justice for the county of Ottawa...." General Assembly of the State of Ohio, March 6, 1840. [Journal of the Senate of Ohio at the First Session of the Thirty-Eighth General Assembly. Columbus, Samuel Medary, Printer to the State, 1839, page 532.]

Tributes

Maline, William A. The Nineteenth Century and Other Poems. Cleveland: The Burrows Brothers Company, 1898, pages 40-41:

TO THE MEMORY OF WILLIAM RAYEN,

To-night we meet in academic halls
 Built by thee, where spirits round us hover;
Foremost of all art thou, who hearing calls
 Of helpless ignorance, hastened that ignorance to cover.

With generous hand, thy bounty o'er and o'er
 Has borne the children of this town to pleasant fields,
Where sturdy work of mind mid learning's store
 Has gathered golden grain which earnest study yields.

Born in the year when liberty found birth,
 Thy soul to boundless heights for self and others soared;
Coeval with this state thy soul of zeal and worth
 Began the century here, and here adored.

Most keenly felt the need of learning's prop
 For multitudes whose share of wealth was small,
And feeling thus grim death thy spirit could not stop,
 For thou didst fill the lamp of Knowledge for us all.

Thousands now bless thee for thy matchless prize,
 Whose Alma Mater is the Rayen school;
Thousands unborn thy name shall praise unto the skies
 For mental aid from off this generous spool.

O blessed shade! enwreathed in glorious fame,

Notes: (cont.)

Teach men of wealth to love the better part,
That those who envy thee and would achieve thy name,
Must drop the dross to cultivate the mind and heart.

Artifacts

Lantern attributed to William Rayen - According to Frank LeRoy Stewart II, the lantern was brought to Ohio by Judge Rayen. Anna Leach, Frank's grandmother, had an iron standard made for it and had it in her vestibule in their home in Niles, OH. By then it had been electrified. The lantern was donated to the Mahoning Valley Historical Society in 2011 by the estate of Frank L. Stewart II.

TAXES:

Ohio, Compiled Census and Census Substitutes, 1790-1890, www.ancestry.com:

William Rayen, Youngstown, Mahoning County (then Trumbull), 1804

William Rayan, 6th Collection District, Trumbull County, 1806

William Rayne, Mixed townships, Trumbull County, 1808

William Rayne, Youngstown, Trumbull County, 1809

Ohio Tax Records, 1800-1850, found at www.familysearch.org. Also www.ancestry.com with images.

Except where noted, this website includes actual images of the record:

1817 William Rayen, acres 3 rate, lot, town, range, County of Trumbull for all entries, Dollars/Cents/Mills, Penalties

72, -, 2, 2 1.08 -

50, 31, 2, 2, -, .75

40, 29, 2, 2, -, .60

150, -, 3, 2, -, 2.25

104, 30, 2, 2, -, 1.56,

16, 31, 2, 2, -, .24

1818, William Rayen, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. Acres 3rd rate, lot, town, range, Trumbull County, dollars and cents

72, -, 2, 2, 3.72

40, 29, 2, 2, 3.40

150, - 3, 2, 1.50

104, 30, 2, 2, 1.04

1819 William Rayen, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. Acres 3rd rate, lot, town, range, Trumbull County, dollars and cents

72, -, 2, 2, .72

40, 29, 2, 2, .40

104, 30, 2, 2, 1.04

1820 William Rayen, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. Acres 3rd rate, Range, Town, Lot, dollars and cents

112, 2, 2, 29, 1.12

104, 2, 2, 30, 1.04

1821 William Rayen, Trumbull County, OH. Range, Town, Lot, Acres 3rd, taxes

2, 2, 29, 112, .84.0

2, 2, 30, 104, .78.0

1822 William Rayen, Trumbull County, OH. Range, Town, lot, Acres 3rd rate, taxes

2, 2, 29, 112, 1.12

2, 2, 30, 104, 1.04

1824 William Rayen, range 2 town 2 Lots 28, 29, 30. Total tax: 60.8; 90.7; 84.2. Total includes road tax, state tax

1825 William Rayen, Range 2 Town 2 Lots 28, 29, 30. Total tax 75.0; 1.12.0; 1.04.0. Total includes

Notes: (cont.)

road tax and state tax

1826 William Rayen, taxes total including state, county, road and town taxes

Range 2 Town 2 Lot 29, 9 acres, 8.78.5

Range 2 town 2 Lot 30, 104 acres, 1.40.0

Range 2 Town 2 Lot 31, 14 acres, 18.9

Range 2 Town 2, Lot 31, 22 acres, 79.4

Range 2 Town 2 Lot 29, 92 acres, 1.41.4

City Land:

S.E. Pt. Out lot 11 W. Div. value 200 tax 1.40.0

Out lot 2 S. Div. 60, 42.0

Out lot 3, S. Div, 66, 46.2

Out Lot 4, S. Div. 66, 46.2

Out Lot 5, S. Div. 63, 44.1

Out Lot 6, S. Div. 56, 39.2

Out Lot 7, S. Div. 42, 79.4

Out Lot 8 S. Div. 90, 63.0

In Lot 5 whole, 7, 04.9

In Lot 17 Whole, 7, 04.9

Rayen & Mackey, Youngstown, Pt. 11 W. Div, 63, tax 44.1

1827 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 17 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1828 tax Records Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 13 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1829 tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 23 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1829 Tax Records, Liberty Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 1 entry including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1830 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 24 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1830 Tax Records, Liberty Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 1 entry including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1831 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 23 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1831 Tax Records, Liberty Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 1 entry including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1832 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 22 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1833 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 23 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1834 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 1 entry for taxes paid by William Rayen

1835 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not

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available as of 1/20/2012). 6 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1836 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 18 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1837 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 18 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1837 Tax Records, Champion Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 1 entry taxes paid by William Rayen

1838 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 17 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1838 Tax Records, Champion Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 1 entry taxes paid by William Rayen

CENSUS:

Pennsylvania, Septennial Census, 1779-1863. 1800 Derry, Westmoreland County, PA: William Rainey

1800 United States Federal Census, Derry, Westmoreland County, PA. www.ancestry.com with images, NARA Series M32 roll 41 page 1222, image 317
William Rainey: 1 male 16-25; 1 male 45+; 1 female 16-25; 1 female 45+, total 4, no slaves

1820 United States Federal Census, Youngstown, Trumbull County, OH. enumerated 7 August 1820. www.ancestry.com with images. NARA Series M33 Roll 89 image 303:
William Rayen (indexed as Rayon): 1 male under 10; 3 males 16-25; 1 male 26-44; 1 female under 10; 1 female 10-15; 1 female 16-25; 1 female 45+, 4 engaged in agriculture, 1 engaged in commerce, total 9, no slaves

1830 United States Federal Census, Youngstown, Trumbull County, OH. www.ancestry.com with images. NARA Series M19 Roll 141 page 229:
William Rayne, 1 male 10-14; 4 males 20-29; 1 male 50-59; 2 females 10-14; 2 females 20-29; total free persons 10, no slaves

1840 United States Federal Census, Youngstown, Trumbull county, OH. www.ancestry.com with images, Roll 429 page 242 image 504:
Wm Rayen: 1 male 5-9; 1 male 15-19; 1 male 20-29; 1 male 60-69; 2 females 15-19; 1 female 30-39; 2 engaged in agriculture, total 7, no slaves

1850 U. S. Federal Census, Non-population schedules, Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH. www.ancestry.com with images:
line 8 William Rayen, 200 acres improved, 200 acres unimproved, cash value of farm 12,000; value of farming implements 700; 4 horses, 3 milk cows, 8 working oxen, 44 other cattle, 19 swine, value of livestock 1215; bushels of wheat 200; bushels of Indian Corn 800; bushels of oats 400? (illegible)

James Tennant Rayen

JAMES T. RAYEN/RAYNE of Kent County, MD
Estate Papers - copies provided by the Kent County Probate Court Office, May 1997.
Dated June 16, 1835. Bond from Vol. 11 page 285; Inventory, Vol. 21 page 304; Sales from vol. 21 page 314; Debts from vol. 21 page 687; other from vol. 16 page 376. [Maryland Probate Estate and Guardianship Files, 1796-1940, Kent County, MD Estate No. Inv290, filed July 14, 1835, also now available on www.familysearch.org]:

Notes: (cont.)

Bonded: 23 June 1835

Hugh Wallis Also to serve as administrator of James T. Rayen/Rayne

James Tennant

John Moody

Widow listed as being Julia Ann Rayen

Sale of personal estate, 27 July 1835 includes purchasers: Hugh Wallis, James Tennant

Accounts - includes: *Sale of negroes in the State of Missouri by William Rayen of Ohio. Funds
also sent to William Rayen for the sale of the negroes

The estate was divided into thirds: one third to the widow of dec'd, one third the daughter of dec'd; one third to son of dec'd upon final settlement dated 13 November 1839 by Hugh Wallis.

Trumbull County, Ohio. Abstract of Probate Records and actual document: James T. Rayen, late of Maryland. Appointment of William Rayen as guardian to James T. Rayen until age 14 and to Susan Ann T. Rayen until she reaches age 12. Minors of James T. Rayen. Bonded for \$4,000.00. Listed under April term 1837.

Day book of Judge William Rayen's. MVHS Acc. #965:

Estate of James Rayen

1837

January 26 To Cash paid William, one of the heirs, 500.00

May 6 To Cash paid William on above, 1,000.00

(May) 13 To amt. paid Hugh Wallis admr. on James Rayen one of the heirs to said estate
deceased, \$1,093.43

To cash pd. to Juliann Rayen Widow of James Rayen deceased, \$110.46

1853

June 13 To a draft sent to Julian Rayen on Bank of Philadelphia by Order of James T. Rayen on
acct. of his legacy left by James Tennant deceased for \$200.00

Next page:

1836

Nov. 7

By amt of the price of 5 negroes sold to William Eckart of St. Charles which I received of the
administrator N. Simons vis. one Negro man Isaac, one negro woman Susan, and her three children
John nine years old, William six years old, and Amanda Ann one year old for \$2,500.00

By cash received of N. Simons admr. \$107.28

1839

April 16 By Cash William Rayen, returned to me to pay H. Wallis on acct. of James Rayen Estate
\$200.00

Sources:

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- 1 Cape Girardeau County, Missouri, Probate Estate Case File - Cape Girardeau County, Missouri - James Rayen, Box 30 Bundle 572 (Cape Girardeau County Archive Center, 112 E. Washington, Jackson, MO), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, According to the translation, James Rayen's will was dated 5 February 1797. The will was filed 19 August 1805, suggesting a death date between 1797 and 1805. Notice of the sale of his property was given by L. Lorimier dated 1 July 1807 at Cape Girardeau. The property was located on the south side of Cape ala Cruche creek, above its mouth containing approximately 240 acres, formerly surveyed for James Rayen.
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Sources: (cont.)

- 2 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - Moses Tennant of Kent County, MD (Photocopy sent to Mahoning Valley Historical Society in 1997), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Listed as a daughter of the deceased. Daughters to divide the house and boat yard in Morgan's Creek.
- 3 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), Suannah Tennant, 2 years 3 months, baptised 17 May 1739 to Moses and Rachel Tennant. Philadelphia, PA. Born ca. 1737.
- 4 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - John Tennant of Maryland, Volume 2 Page 228 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Legacy: Moses Tennant (son) southern section of Deptford and Negro child Jack.
- 5 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - Moses Tennant of Kent County, MD (Photocopy sent to Mahoning Valley Historical Society in 1997), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 6 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), Sarah Tennant, baptised aged 10 months 10 days, birth ca. 1734. Baptism 21 aug 1735 Philadelphia, PA. Parents: Moses and Rachel Tennant.
- 7 New Jersey, U.S., Marriage Records, 1683-1802 (www.ancestry.com), Moses Tennant of Maryland and Rachel Siddon of Philadelphia, 3 June 1730 marriage license.
- 8 New Jersey, U.S., Marriage Records, 1670-1965 (www.ancestry.com), Rachael Siddon and Moses Tennant, 3 June 1730 Burlington, New Jersey. Film No. 007578629.
- 9 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), John tennant, 11 months, baptised 7 Jun 1731 to Moses and Rachel Tennant. Philadelphia, PA. Born ca. 1730.
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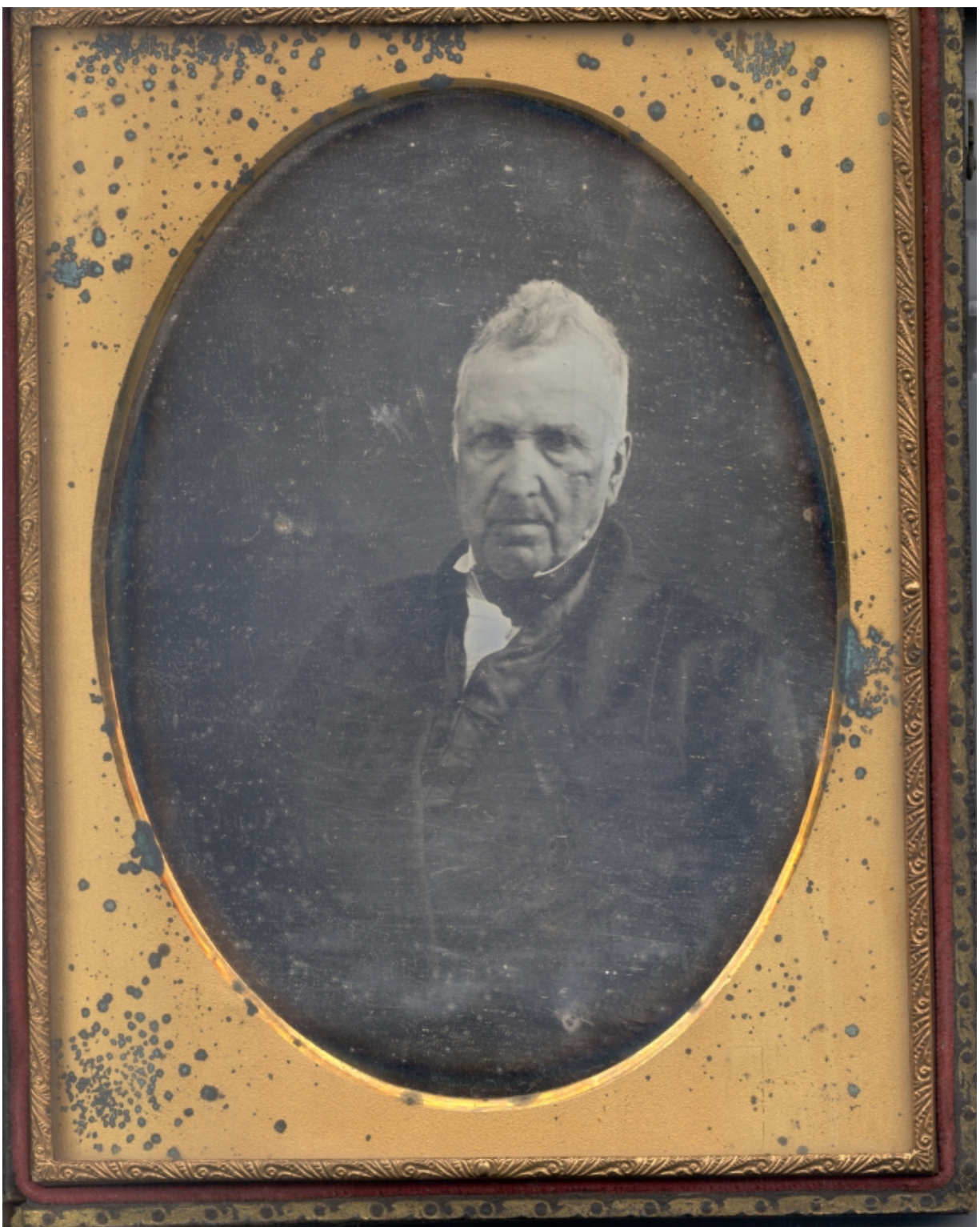
- 18 William Rayen, handwritten entry, Daybook of William Rayen, 1805-1843. [acc. no. 959] (unpublished, Mahoning Valley Historical Society Collections), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, This may or may not be William Rayen's mother. The entry does not specify relationships. "James Rayen died 11th Jan 1813; Susannah Rayen, born 10th March 1807; William Rayen born 25th Sept 1808; James Tennant Rayen born 28th Nov. 1810; The above data handed to me by Mariah Rayen 19th April 1814. William Rayen" Following this section are the following entries "Susanah T. Rayen died on Sunday Morning the 4th September 1825. died by bleeding at the lungs; Henry Hoyt, Esq. Saint Charles Upper Luisanah, he adminstrated on the Estate of James Rayen Capt. Christopher Clark at Clarks fort St. Charles to the care of James Stanley Judge to Correspond with."
- 19 History of Trumbull and Mahoning Counties - Entry for William Rayen (Cleveland, OH: H. Z. Williams and Bro., 1882 Volume I, pages 427-428), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 20 Butler, Joseph G., Jr., History of Youngstown and the Mahoning Valley, Ohio - Entry for William Rayen (Chicago: American Historical Society, 1921, Volume III, pages 588-589), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 21 Baldwin, Henry B., Henry B. Baldwin Genealogical Records, Volume 6 - Oak Hill Cemetery, Youngstown, OH (Public Library of Youngstown and Mahoning County, 305 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44503), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Entry includes: Rayen, William b. Oct. 21, 1776, d. April 5, 1854 age 77 yrs 6 mos. 16 days; Rayen, Margaret (wife of William Rayen) d. April 17, 1826 age about 60 years; Rayen, William, Jr. d. age 11 years; Rayen, Margaret d. age 17 years.
- 22 Wells, Thomas H., William Rayen - From Builders of Youngstown "William Rayen 1802" file, MVHS Collections (Unpublished account [acc. no. 69.70.2] written and sent to Robert McCurdy, February 22, 1895 by author), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 23 Baldwin, Henry B., Henry B. Baldwin Genealogical Records, Volume 6 - Oak Hill Cemetery, Youngstown, OH (Public Library of Youngstown and Mahoning County, 305 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44503), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 24 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - James Tennant of Maryland, Photocopies received 24 April 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, William Rayen, nephew of deceased. Farm called "Deptford" in Kent County, residue of real estate, and lot of woodland (39 acres) in Queen Anne County, MD. Also personal estate to him.
- 25 Cape Girardeau County, Missouri, Probate Estate Case File - Cape Girardeau County, Missouri - James Rayen, Box 30 Bundle 572 (Cape Girardeau County Archive Center, 112 E. Washington, Jackson, MO), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, Names "one of my sons, William Rayne" as heir to his property and estate. Others are not named.
- 26 James L. Wick, Jr. Builders of Youngstown "William Rayen 1802" file, Newspaper Clipping - William Rayen (Youngstown Vindicator, undated).
- 27 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - James T. Rayen/Rayne of Maryland. Vol. 11, page 285; Vol. 21 pages 304, 314, 687; Vol. 16 page 376 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Packet dated 16 June 1835. Bond issued 23 June 1835 with the sale of personal property on 27 July 1835. Hugh Wallis to serve as administrator. James Tennant and John Moody also bonded, along with Wallis. Account sheets include the sale of Negroes in the State of Missouri by William Rayen of Ohio. Funds were also sent to William Rayen for the sale of the Negroes.
- 28 Lynn, Ronald., Notes Prepared for an Address at Rayen School, circa 1946-1955 (James L. Wick, Jr. Builders of Youngstown "William Rayen 1802" File. Mahoning Valley Historical Society), "James Rayen, half brother to Judge William Rayen." There is no explanation as to how this relationship is based.

Sources: (cont.)

- 29 Mahoning County, OH Probate Court, Mahoning County, Ohio - Probate Estate Case File #469 William Rayen (Original file available at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Refers to niece Susannah Rayen, daughter of James T. Rayen (dec.).
- 30 Mahoning County, OH Probate Court, Mahoning County, Ohio - Probate Estate Case File #469 William Rayen (Original file available at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, There is a receipt dated 26 February 1855 in Youngstown paid by the executors of William Rayen (dec'd) \$800.00 which with \$200.00 previously paid as a legacy of \$1,000.00 bequeathed to James T. Rayen by James Tennant, late of Kent County, MD.
- 31 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - James Tennant of Maryland. Vol. 4 page 222; Vol. 5 pages 368, 421, 442 and Vol. 5 page 2 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Mentions James Rayen, son of James T. Rayen and his wife Julia Ann in his will.
- 32 Register of Wills, Kent County, MD, Maryland, Probate Estate and Guardianship Files, 1796-1940 (www.familysearch.org), Estate No. Inv290 James T. Rayne, filed 7-14-1835.
- 33 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - James Tennant of Maryland, Volume 12 page 33 and others (Photocopies received 24 April 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Mentions James Rayen, son of James T. Rayen and his wife Julia Ann as an heir of the deceased.
- 34 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - James T. Rayen/Rayne of Maryland. Vol. 11, page 285; Vol. 21 pages 304, 314, 687; Vol. 16 page 376 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Widow is listed as being Julia Ann Rayen. She renounced all right to administer the estate, signing her name as Julia Ann Rayn. Her signature was witnessed by John Moody, Jr.



Judge William Rayen.
From portrait in collection at Mahoning Valley Historical Society.



Original photograph of Judge William Rayen.
MVHS Collections

James Rayen died 11th Jan^y 1813

Susanah Rayen Born 10th March 1807

William Rayen Born 25th Sept^r 1808

James Tennant ^{Rayen} Born 28th Dec^r 1810

The above dates were handed to me by
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Henry Hoyt Esq^r
Saint Charles

he administered on upon Susanah
the Estate of James Rayen

Capt^t. Christopher Clark
at Clark's fort
St. Charles
to the care of James Houtay Judge

to correspond
with

Page from daybook of William Rayen. Entries written by William Rayen.
MVHS Acc. No. 959

189	Youngstown August 15 th 1844		
	Jerry Tubbs D ^r		
	13 1/2 yds. Warrant Binding C. 4 - 54	~	54
	Richard Young D ^r for (land)		
	1/8 lb Sugar C. 12 - 1.00		
	2 lb corn C. 12 - 37 1/2	1	37 1/2
	Thomas Craft D ^r		
	7 yds cotton C. 60 - 4.20		
	2 lbs mules C. 10 - 20	4	40
	Thomas Carly D ^r		
	10 yds Iron C. 4 - 2.17		
	4 lb 62 Steel C. 25 - 1.00		
	1 lb 30 - 20 C. 37 1/2 - 25	3	71 1/2
	George Night D ^r		
	10 lb salt C. 6 1/2 - 1.23 1/2	1	23 1/2
	John Watters C ^r		
	Pay Cash - 1.00		
	5 lb 1 yd Muslin C - 1.37 1/2		
	James Hilson D ^r		
	1/2 young Hyson tea C. 35 - 1.75	1	75
	John Lowman D ^r		
	6 lb salt C. 6 1/2 - 3.9	~	3.9
	16 John Surger D ^r		
	1 lb Allum C - 35	35	
	Andrew Byners D ^r		
	3 yds linen C. 45 - 1.35	1	35
	Philip Stumphers D ^r		
	1/2 lb Coffee C - 25 - 0.62		0.62
	Daniel Wommar D ^r		
	7 yds cotton C. 60 - 4.62		
	24 yds salt C. 6 1/2 - 1.91	6	53 1/2
	John Musgrove C ^r		
	for Henry Swint - 5.17	5	17
	Henry Swint D ^r for (land)		
	5 lb 62 Cash - 5.00	5	00
	Anthony Ague C ^r		
	Cash - 1.00	1	00
	5 lb 3 yds muslin C. 50 - 1.50	1	50
	2 lb 30 - 20 C. 2 - 0.4		

190	Youngstown August 17 th 1844		
	Andrew Byners D ^r		
	1 cut thread - 12 1/2 - 12 1/2		
	George Abraham D ^r		
	1 twist tobacco C. - 0.62 - 0.62		
	John Ague D ^r		
	1 twist tobacco - 0.62 - 0.62		
	John Jewin D ^r		
	1 lb tobacco C - 25 - 25		
	C. Matilda Doty		
	Pay Cash - 2.00	2	00
	Dr. H. W. Book Muslin C. 1.72		
	2 Balls Pop. - 1.22 1/2 - 1.94 1/2		
	John Myers D ^r		
	3 lb tobacco - 75 - 75		
	Jacob A. Huff C ^r		
	Pay Cash - 25 - 25		
	1 lb 30 - 37 1/2 - 37 1/2		
	18 Horonimus Eckman D ^r		
	13 yds cloth - 65 - 11.37 1/2	11	37 1/2
	Robert Brown D ^r		
	24 yds Muslin C. 48 - 1.18	1	08
	Joseph Craft D ^r		
	1 lb 30 - 14 - 14		
	Roger Brown for wife D ^r		
	1 1/2 yds bamboo muslin C. 3.18 1/2 - 2.18 1/2	2	18 1/2
	6 lb 62 Cash - 5.64		5.64
	Thomas Durr D ^r		
	1 lb Coffee - 44 - 44		
	19 William Raper D ^r		
	2 1/2 lb Butter C. 12 - 28 - 28		
	John Russell for wife D ^r		
	2 turnbure C. 18 - 36		
	1 Wine glass - 22 - 58		
	William Raper D ^r for		
	1/2 lb Coffee C. 44 - 22 - 22		
	Martha Kimbade Widow D ^r		
	Balance on tea spoon - 20		
	Orton Lowman D ^r		
	63 yds Iron C. 14 - 94 1/2		
	1 lb 30 - 25 - 40 1/2		
	1/2 lb 30 - 25 - 12 1/2 - 1.47 1/2		

Pages 189-190 from daybook ledger of William Rayen.
MVHS Acc. No. 956

Register Report for Mariah

Generation 1

1. JAMES¹ RAYEN ¹.

Notes for James Rayen:

St. Charles County, Missouri Probate Records, Call No. F508.3 Sa21bar3, 1827-1836:

Page 44: 1821 "On motion of Nathaniel Simonds, Guardian of Susannah Rayan, William Rayan and James Rayan, minor children of James Rayan, deceased it is ordered and decreed by the court that Henry Hight, Administrator of the Estate of the said James Rayan deliver over to the said Nathaniel Simonds as Guardian, the slaves named Susan and Isaac belonging to the estate of the said deceased in part distribution of the said estate and that the said Guardian do have the possession of the said slaves on the account of the said minors."

Page 45: 1821 "On motion of Nathaniel Simonds by Mr. Smith his attorney, it is ordered that an attachment issue against Henry Hight, Admr. of James Rayan for his contempt in not making settlement of his said administration in conformity to the statute in such case made and provided."

Page 64: "On Motion of Nathaniel Simonds, Guardian of the orphan children of James Rayan deceased and it appearing to the court that Henry Hight, administrator de bonis non is wasting said estate and that the and that the regular process of law cannot be served upon him it is therefore ordered the court that the said Nathaniel Simonds Guardian as aforesaid take possession of all property to be found belonging to said estate and well and truly to account for the same according to law."

"On Motion of Nathaniel Simonds Guardian of the orphan children of James Rayan deceased, it is ordered by the court that an attachment issue against Henry Hight administrator De Bonis Non of James Rayan, deceased returnable to next term for his contempt in not making annual settlement of his said administration in conformity to the statute in such case made and provided. The court order that Henry Hight administrator de bonis non of James Rayan deceased be served with the following notice. You are hereby notified that unless you appear before our county court at the next term and make final settlement of your administration on the estate of James Rayan deceased your letters will be revoked."

Page 153: "Henry Hight administrator of James Reyon deceased having been previously cited to settlement, being solemnly called, came(illegible) the court upon examination of the accounts find due on a former settlement the sum of six hundred and sixteen dollars, twelve and one half cents, which had been previously ordered to be paid over, and also the court allow interest on the aforesaid sum of six hundred and sixteen dollars, twelve and one half cents at the rate of six per centum, per annum for (illegible) years and ten months amounting to three hundred and twenty six dollars and forty eight cents; and the court also upon testimony find in the hands of said Hight the sum of two hundred and eighty dollars for the hire of a negro girl, the property of said estate for seven years, from the year 1815 to the year 1822 amounting in the while to the sum of one thousand two hundred and twenty two dollars and sixty cents to be accounted for. Whereupon the court order that the said Henry Hight pay over to Nathaniel Simonds, Guardian of the heirs of James Reyon deceased, the said sum of one thousand two hundred and twenty two dollars and sixty cents." (entry following this one is dated 1824).

Transcript - #749 Mary Rein/Rayne? to show cause why she did not deliver all ---- belonging to the estate of James Rayne..Henry Hight made petition to sell/make partition of the estate to heirs.

Transcript - #30 The heirs of James Reyon vs. Nathaniel Simmonds their guardian. Money from hire of the slaves.

Transcript - #407 Nathaniel Simonds, Adm. of James Reyon heirs continued settlement

Transcript - #429, 28 November 1832: Nathaniel Simonds, guardian of heirs of James Reyon,

Generation 1 (cont.)

dec'd accounts; paid bond to Smith & Hunt in suit vs. Irwin S.? L.? Pitman in Montgomery County..Ezra Hunt his fee in Supreme Court. The hire of the slaves Isaac and Suky is also shown.

Daybook of William Rayen #959, Mahoning Valley Historical Society collections entry on unpaginated page: "James Rayen died 11th Jan 1813; Susannah Rayen, born 10th March 1807; William Rayen born 25th Sept 1808; James Tennant Rayen born 28th Nov. 1810; The above data handed to me by Mariah Rayen 19th April 1814. William Rayen" Following this section are the following entries "Susanah T. Rayen died on Sunday Morning the 4th September 1825. died by bleeding at the lungs; Henry Hoyt, Esq. Saint Charles Upper Luisanah, he adminstrated on the Estate of James Rayen Capt. Christopher Clark at Clarks fort St. Charles to the care of James Stanley Judge to Correspond with."

James Rayen had the following children:

- i. SUSANNAH² RAYEN¹⁻² was born on 10 Mar 1807².
- ii. WILLIAM RAYEN²⁻⁴ was born on 25 Sep 1808².
- iii. JAMES TENNANT RAYEN¹⁻² was born on 28 Nov 1810².

Sources

- 1 St. Charles County, Missouri, St. Charles County, Missouri Probate Records - James Rayen (State Historical Society of Missouri, photocopies sent to Mahoning Valley Historical Society by Ellen E. Young), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, St. Charles County, Missouri Probate Records, Call No. F508.3 Sa21bar3, 1827-1836:
Page 44: 1821 "On motion of Nathaniel Simonds, Guardian of Susannah Rayan, William Rayan and James Rayan, minor children of James Rayan, deceased it is ordered and decreed by the court that Henry Hight, Administrator of the Estate of the said James Rayan deliver over to the said Nathaniel Simonds as Guardian, the slaves named Susan and Isaac belonging to the estate of the said deceased in part distribution of the said estate and that the said Guardian do have the possession of the said slaves on the account of the said minors."
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- 2 William Rayen, handwritten entry, Daybook of William Rayen, 1805-1843. [acc. no. 959] (unpublished, Mahoning Valley Historical Society Collections), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, transcription of a page from an original daybook (Acc. #959 William Rayen Daybook 1805-1843) of William Rayen's in MVHS Collections: The entry does not specify relationships. "James Rayen died 11th Jan 1813; Susannah Rayen, born 10th March 1807; William Rayen born 25th Sept 1808; James Tennant Rayen born 28th Nov. 1810; The above data handed to me by Mariah Rayen 19th April 1814. William Rayen" Following this section are the following entries "Susanah T. Rayen died on Sunday Morning the 4th September 1825. died by bleeding at the lungs; Henry Hoyt, Esq. Saint Charles Upper Luisanah, he adminstrated on the Estate of James Rayen Capt. Christopher Clark at Clarks fort St. Charles to the care of James Stanley Judge to Correspond with."

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- 4 Missouri State Archives, April 24, 1999, Deed of Release - William Rayen, 23 November 1836 (Copy provided by Ellen E. Young to the Mahoning Valley Historical Society.), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Deed of Release mentions that "I William Rayen of Trumbull County Ohio, one of the two heirs of James Rayen dec'd formerly of St. Charles County in Missouri, do acknowledge to have received from Nathaniel Simonds, my former guardian my full share of all the negroes and money and personal estate of every kind that ever came to his hands or possession as my said guardian..." witnessed by George Parsons, Robert W. Taylor. Filed in Court of Common Pleas.

Register Report for John Tennant

Generation 1

1. **JOHN¹ TENNANT¹**. He died between 1743-1744²⁻³. He married **ELIZABETH**. She died about 1748⁴.

Notes for John Tennant:

Maryland Records - Register of Wills Office, Photocopies of records received 14 May 1997 for the following individuals: JOHN TENNANT/TENANT

Will from Volume 2, page 228 of Kent County Register of Wills, Chestertown, MD. Dated 23 September 1743. Probated June 16, 1744.

Heirs: Elizabeth Tennant (wife) appointed executor. For her natural life retain property

Moses Tennant (son) southern section of Deptford and Negro child Jack [see Moses Tennant Estate File

James Tennant (son) northern section of Deptford. If has no legal heirs, then this tract revert to Moses Tennant's youngest son unnamed in will

Negro boy called Dick young horse called Roan

Richard Tennant (son) Lot in Chester Town, Kent County, No. (13 24 ?) Also instruments and clothes not valued with personal estate

Elizabeth (daughter). Negro man called Tom

Hannah (daughter). Negro woman Judith

Susannah (daughter). Negro woman Phillis

Highly probable that this is Judge William Rayen's maternal great grandfather. See comparisons between heirs of John Tennant and James Tennant particularly in regard to the property called "Deptford." Also see estate files for Moses Tennant (probable grandfather of William Rayen)

Maryland, U.S., Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1777, www.ancestry.com with images: Wills, Vol. 23-24, 1743-1746, oages 422-424, John Tennant, written 23 Sep 1743, proved 16 June 1744

In the name of God, Amen the twenty third day of September in the year of Our Lord one thousand seven hundred and forty three I John Tennant being of perfect mind and memory thanks be to God for it and alling to mind the the(sic) mortality of any body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die to appoint and ordain this my last Will and Testament. And First of all I recommend my soul to God that gave it as for my Body I recommend it to the care of my Executors to be Buried in a Christian and Decent like manner, nothing Doubling but at the general resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God and as for my worldly goods wherewith is hath pleased God to Order me with in this life I dispose of (illegible) in manner and form following after all my debts are fully satisfied and paid. Imprimis I give and bequeath to my sons Moses Tennant and James Tennant that Tract or parcel of Land called Dedford lying and being in Kent County Maryland which is my now Dwelling Plantation at the End of One hundred and twenty seven perches or thereabouts - south from the Beginning or Bounded free of said tract (illegible phrase)a Black oak and white oak both together at the bottom standing grove to the fence the said trees I deem for dividing the said tract of land running from said trees west half south untill it intersect the opposite north and south line of said tract of land called Dedford and all that part or parcell(sic) of land lying on the south side of said line Belonging to the said tract I give to my son Moses Tennant to him and his heirs for Ever with all th eappurtenances thereunto belonging and that part or parcel of Land Belonging to said tract lying on the borth side of said line of Division I give to my son James Tennant to him and heirs for

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Ever lawfully Begotten he the said James Tennant dieing without such heirs it shall immediately pass to my son Moses Tennants youngest son to him and his heirs for ever. I give to my son Richard Tennant part of a lott at ChesterTown in Kent County number thirteen twenty four foot three inches front to him and his heirs forever. Adjoining to a Lott(sic) belonging to George Garnetts Lott(sic) upon the Water side. Item I give unto my daughter Elizabeth my negor man called Tom. Item I give unto my daughter Hannah my Negro woman called Judith. I give unto my daughter Susanna my Negro woman called Phillis. I give unto my son Moses a Negro Child Jack. Item I give unto my son James a Negro Boy called Dick and likewise a young Horse called Roan. Item I give unto my son Richard my Books, Instruments and Cloaths(sic) not valued with my personal Estate. I give and order that the Negroes above mentioned except Jack and Dick may be valued together with the rest of my personall(sic) estate and divided share and share alike - amongst all my children Except Moses Tennant and James Tennant and I likewise appoint my wife Elizabeth Tennant to be whole and sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament and to have and to hold all and singular my Estate both real and personal during the time of her natura life without any trouble or molestation. In Witness whereof this being my last will and testament I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year above written. John Tennant.

Signed sealed and declared by John Tennant
as his last will ad testament in the presence of us

John Cove

Samuel Murfey

John Watson

On the back of the foregoing ill was there written viz

Kent County june 16, 1744 came John Cove and Samuel Murfey two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will being duly and solemnly sworn on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God depose and say that they saw John Tennant the Testator signe(sic) the foregoing will and heard him publish and declare the same to be hi slast will and testament and that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind and memory and that they subscribed their respective names as witnesses to the said will in the provence of the Testator and at his request and that at the(?) and Timothy saw John Watson the other witness signe the same. Sworn before Chs. Aynson, D. Comry Jr. Kent County.

Land Ownership:

DEPTFORD, KENT COUNTY, MARYLAND, 300 acres surveyed in 1724 for WILLIAM COMEGYS and JOHN TENNANT.

1 September 1738 John Tennant and wife Elizabeth conveyed to Edmond Iliff the tract called Deptford, 300 acres. Conveyed back to them on the same day.

1. JOHN TENNANT will probated June 16, 1744 wife ELIZABETH ----- bond dated July 8, 1748. Property known as Deptford, Kent County, MD

Children associated with Deptford in estate file of John Tennant.

2. JAMES TENNANT

Northern section of Deptford - if dies without heirs, tract to Moses' youngest son, unnamed in will (could this youngest son be James listed below, thereby uniting the two pieces of Deptford again?)

2. MOSES TENNANT, will probated 14 Nov. 1766: Southern Section of Deptford, Negro child named Jack

Children associated with Deptford and Slave "Jack":

3. MOSES TENNANT: Plantation - unnamed, Negro adult named Jack

3. WILLIAM TENNANT

Plantation - unnamed if brother Moses dies without heirs. If William dies without heirs, plantation goes to JAMES TENNANT (brother)

Generation 1 (cont.)

Negro adult named Jack

3. JAMES TENNANT (possibly the one whose will was probated 7 May 1840?)
Plantation - unnamed, if brothers Moses and William die without heirs

4. WILLIAM RAYEN, nephew of deceased, Farm called Deptford

Sources for Deptford Land Ownership:

Michael Owen Bourne. Historic Houses of Kent County: An Architectural History, 1642-1860. Chestertown, MD: Historical Society of Kent County, Inc., 1998, page 198.

Robert W. Barnes & F. Edward Wright. Colonial Families of the Eastern Shore of Maryland, Volume I. pages 328-330.

John Tennant, will from Volume 2, page 228 of Kent County Register of Wills, Chestertown, MD dated September 23, 1743, probated June 16, 1744. Widow listed as Elizabeth Tennant.

Elizabeth Tennant Bond Vol. 4 page 307 Kent County, Maryland. Bond dated 8 July 1847. Inventory Vol. 3 page 525 and Final Account Vol. 3 page 117.

Estate packets for Moses Tennant, Kent County, MD. Will dated 24 June 1755, probated 14 Nov. 1766. No volume no. given. Bonds are located in Vol. 1 page 233, Vol. 5 page 476 with inventories also available.

James Tennant Bond Vol. 12 page 33. Will dated 31 December 1836, probated May 7, 1840. Will also from county records, volume not given with copy. Kent County, Maryland

Notes for Elizabeth:

Kent County, Maryland, Register of Wills: Bond Vol. 4 page 307, Dated 8 July 1748. Bonded: Samuel Wallis (Quaker, also administrator), John Wallis, John Hart

Inventory Vol. 3 page 525 for Mrs. Elizabeth Tennant dated 1748. Of special note the inventory mentions: Charts and coasting pilot, negro man named Tom, negro woman named J-?

Final Account Vol. 3 page 117. Debits include: John Wallis, Hugh Wallis. Also mentions "freedom dues" paid possibly to Anthony (Morris?) mentioned in the final account sheet. Freedom dues were given to indentured servants at the close of their indenture.

Representatives of the Deceased: Moses Tennant, James Tennant "of full age" John Wallis, John Hart "sureties"

Question: Could this be the wife of John Tennant and therefore the maternal great grandmother of Judge William Rayen? Note the time period and heirs

John Tennant and Elizabeth had the following children:

2. i. MOSES² TENNANT⁵⁻¹¹. He died between 1755-1766 in Kent County, Maryland¹². He married Rachel Siddon after 03 Jun 1730 in Burlington, New Jersey, USA¹³⁻¹⁴.
3. ii. JAMES TENNANT¹⁵⁻¹⁷. He died about 1765¹⁸⁻¹⁹. He married SARAH.
- iii. RICHARD TENNANT²⁰. He died about 1755²¹.

Notes for Richard Tennant:

Kent County, MD Register of Wills, vol. 4 page 255, vol. 3 page 314, vol. 4 page

Generation 1 (cont.)

18: Richard Tennant.
Documents dated 7 October 1755, John Smith, administrator.

"□paid by this accountant to William (Rasin/Rajin, Rayen?) Sheriff of Kent County for the use of the Honble (honorable) Benjamin ----? And Daniel Dulaney esqur□."

Final Accounts and Inventory includes: Navigation books, 1 negro boy
Mentioned at bottom: Moses Tennant, James Tennant
Creditor list includes: Hugh Wallis

Question: Could this be the son of John and Elizabeth Tennant and therefore the great uncle of Judge William Rayen?

- iv. ELIZABETH TENNANT²².
- v. HANNAH TENNANT²³.
- vi. SUSANNAH TENNANT²⁴.

Generation 2

2. **MOSES² TENNANT** (John¹)⁵⁻¹¹. He died between 1755-1766 in Kent County, Maryland¹². He married Rachel Siddon after 03 Jun 1730 in Burlington, New Jersey, USA¹³⁻¹⁴.

More About Moses Tennant:
Occupation: boat builder⁶

Notes for Moses Tennant:
Estate Packets for MOSES TENNANT, Kent County, MD. Two packets concern the estate of Moses Tennant - possibly due to a son Moses's death? His name appears in the first batch with his brother William who is also appointed administrator but does not appear in the second packet where William stands alone as administrator.

Bond vol. 1 page 233; Inventory vol. 7 page 303; final vol. 6 page 80

Bond vol. 5 page 476; Inventory vol. 6 pages 50, 115, 275, 287; Debts vol. 6 page 275, 287;
final vol. 5 page 135

Bonded: Moses Tennant, William Tennant. Both to serve as administrators of the estate,
Ald(?) Chandler, Francis Rutter (signed by her mark)

Nearest Kin listed: Sarah Tennant, John Tennant
Creditors: Phillip Warner, Samuel Wallis, Hugh Wallis also mentioned

Will gives the following information: dated 24 June 1755 Probated 14 Nov. 1766, Moses
Tennant, deceased, boat builder

Heirs: Sons	
John Tennant	Riverfront ½ lot in town leased to Hugh O'Neel, Boat Building tools
Moses Tennant to	Plantation (undisclosed location) if die without heirs the plantation to go William Tennant
William Tennant	Plantation equally with Moses until William reaches age 30 at which time he must move unless Moses dies without heirs. If William receives the plantation and dies without heirs the plantation will go to James Tennant (see below)

Generation 2 (cont.)

*Both Moses and William receive ownership of an adult slave Jack [see above notation under John Tennant's estate] Also share some livestock and tools

James Tennant ½ lot #9 in Chestertown. Also receive plantation if brothers Moses and William die without heirs

Daughters: House and boat yard in Morgan's Creek to be divided amongst daughters:
Elizabeth, Sarah, Susanna, Hannah

Brother James Tennant to serve as executor.

Nearest of Kin listed on inventory: John Tennant, Elizabeth Tennant

Creditors: Jonah Worth, Henry Wallis

Theory: Based on comparison of dates, heirs listed, property mentioned (e.g. slave Jack) this Moses Tennant is the son of John Tennant and therefore the grandfather of Judge William Rayen of Youngstown, OH. Moses appears to have named his daughters for his sisters.

Maryland, U.S. Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1777, www.ancestry.com with images:
Moses Tennant, Kenty County, Maryland. Wills Vol. 33-36, 1764-1768

In the Name of God, Amen, I Moses Tennant of Kent County in the Province of Maryland Boat Builder being sick and weal of body but of sound mind and memory (thanks be to God for the same) Do make and ordain this my last will and testament and desire it may be received as such.

Imprimis I give and bequath unto my son John Tennant the Reversion of half Lott in Town that was leased to Hugh (illegible) for thirty years or three ives I likewise give him all my working tools that belongs to Boat Building.

Item I give and bequeath unto my son Moses Tennant the plantation whreon I now dwell to him an dhis heirs lawfully begotten for ever but in case of wanting such an heir to pass immediately to my son William tennant to him and his heirs forever butt(ic) in case my son William should die without heir my will is that my son James Tennant should imediately(sic) after his brother William dies enjoy it him and his heirs forever my will and desire is that my two sons Moses and William Tennant shall each o fthem enjoy & have an equall(sic) plantation untill(sic) my son William comes to the age of thirty & then imediately(sic) to move of & give it up to his brothe rMoses. I likewise give and bequeath to my said sons Moses and William Tennant my negro Jack with these Plow (illegible) & tackling untill(sic) my son William comes to the age of thirty & moves of of the plantation and then my said son William to have said negro Jack with one half of the said horses & tack in but in case that the said Jack should die before the above mentioned time is expirage then my son Moses tennant to pay to my son William Tennant the sum of fifty pound curcy. & lmedially(sic) at his moving of the place I give and bequeath unto my said sons Moses and William Tennant one cow and calf, one breeding sow, two ewes, and my feather bed equally between them.

Item I give and bequeath unto my son James Tennant half oa Lott(sic) in Chester Town commonly known by the name of Number Nine to him and his heirs forever. I likewise will and bequeath to my son James all my drawing tools, wood, steel, brass and Iron - my will and desire is that my house and boat yard on Morgans Creek with the rest of my personal estate not mentioned in my will be apraised(sic) & equally divided amongst my four daughters Elizabeth, Sarah, Susana & Hannah.

Generation 2 (cont.)

Lastly I ordain and apoint(sic) my loving brother James Tennant executor of this my last will and testament as witness my hand and seal this 24 day of the 6th month 1757. Signed sealed and delivered by the said Moses Tennant as hi slast will and testament in the presence of us who were present at the signing and sealing thereof.

David his X mark Syllivant

David Sillavant

Joseph his X mark Tuckerman

Moses Tennant

Kent SS. on the fourteenth day of November 1766 David Syllavant, David Sillavat and Joseph Tuckerman being sworn on the Holy Evangels do say that they were present and did see the testator Moses Tennant sign and seal the foregoing instrument of writing and did hear him publish and declare the same to be his last will and testament and that at the same time he did appear(sic) to be of sound disposing mind that they did subscribe their names as witnesses thereto in the presence of the testator and at his request. Examined Sworn before B. Hand, D. Com. Kent.

Maryland, U.S., Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1777, www.ancestry.com with images: Moses Tennant, Inventory remarks: [note: ancestry attributes him with a list of slaves - this is in error. The slaves are clearly held by James McLachlan Esq. Deceased]

Desperate Debts

Margaret Barnett twenty shillings

Moses and William Tennant

Moses Tennant & William Tennant administrators of Moses Tennant being sworn on the Holy Evangelist do say that the foregoing is a true list of desperate debts of the deceased that hath come to their knowledge worn this 4th day of Feby 1769. D. Hands, D. C. Kent

Sperit? Debts on the Estate of Moses Tennant deceased

Peter Stear for years rent three pounds seventeen shillings

Moses Tennant & William Tennant administration of Moses tennant being sworn on the Holy Evangelist do say that the foregoing is a true list of (illegible) debts that hath come to their knowledge that if they shall receive any further sum of money or discover any other debts due they will declare the same, sworn this 4th day of February 1769. B. Hands, D. C. Kent

Moses Tennant and Rachel Siddon had the following children:

- i. JOHN³ TENNANT²⁷⁻²⁸ was born about 1730²⁹.

More About John Tennant:

Baptism: 07 Jun 1731 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA³⁰

- ii. SARAH TENNANT³³⁻³⁵ was born about 1734³⁶. She married ? KINNEY.

More About Sarah Tennant:

Baptism: 21 Aug 1735 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA³⁷

4. iii. SUSANNAH TENNANT^{34, 38} was born about 1737³⁹. She died on 04 Sep 1825⁴⁰. She married JAMES RAYEN. He died between 1797-1805 in Missouri Territory⁴¹.
- iv. MOSES TENNANT⁴².
- v. WILLIAM TENNANT⁴³. He died about 1776. He married REBECCA.
- vi. JAMES TENNANT⁴⁴⁻⁴⁵. He died in 1840 in Kent County, Maryland⁴⁶.

More About James Tennant:

Burial: Protestant Episcopal Church⁴⁷

Notes for James Tennant:

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Maryland Records - Register of Wills Office. Photocopies of records received 24 April 1997 for the following individuals: JAMES TENNANT/TENANT

Bond - Volume 12 page 33. William Rayen of Ohio, Hugh Wallis and John Mansfield of Kent County, MD bound to MD for \$5,000.00 dated 7 May 1840. William Rayen as executor of James Tenant/Tennant, late of Kent County, MD. Filed 7 May 1840

Will - also from county records, volume not given with copy. Gives the following information:

James Tennant requests burial in the Protestant Episcopal Church. Will dated 31 December 1836. Probated 7 May 1840.

Heirs are given as:

James Rayen, son of James T. Rayen and his wife Julia Ann, \$1,000.00 once reach age 21 years

Sarah Kinney (sister of deceased) (her grandchildren get portion of the above James Rayen's legacy should he die before age 21 years)

Elizabeth A. Randall (sister of deceased) (her grandchildren get portion of the above James Rayen's legacy should he die before age 21 years)

William Wallis, son of Hugh Wallis and his wife Margaret. Six acres land on north side of public road leading from head of Chester River to Chestertown beginning at the beginning of the original tract called "Deptford"

William Rayen, nephew of deceased. Farm called "Deptford" in Kent County, residue of real estate, and lot of woodland (39 acres) in Queen Anne County, MD. Also personal estate to him. Executor of the will

Witnesses to will: Hugh Wallis, Thomas Brooks, Stansbury Moffett

Codicil to Will (added at time will written): William Rayen to serve as guardian of minor James Rayen mentioned in the will.

Comparison of heirs, time frame, property ownership as indicated in wills and estates - Probable that this James Tennant is the son of Moses Tennant who is the son of John Tennant and wife Elizabeth (making John Tennant the maternal great grandfather of Judge William Rayen)

vii. ELIZABETH A. TENNANT^{34, 48}. She married ? RANDALL.

viii. HANNAH TENNANT³⁴.

3. **JAMES² TENNANT** (John¹)¹⁵⁻¹⁷. He died about 1765¹⁸⁻¹⁹. He married **SARAH**.

Notes for James Tennant:

JAMES TENNANT/TENANT

Estate papers from Kent County, MD Volumes 4 page 222; Vol. 5 pages 368, 421; Vol. 5 page 442; Vol. 5 page 2. Will dated 22 Second Month 1765

Sarah Tennant, widow and executrix of estate. To have use of dwelling plantation during natural life

Children:

James Tennant, son. Dwelling plantation (unnamed, no location given) unless die without heirs

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then to deceased's oldest daughter Sarah

Sarah Tennant (oldest daughter to receive plantation) If die without heirs to the next oldest daughter, etc.

Balance of personal property, after decease of wife to be divided equally amongst daughters.

Others named:

Moses Tennent, (deceased owed him money) Also listed as "Nearest of Kin" along with Benjamin Riley

Hugh Wallace (Wallis?) also mentioned in the accounts

Inventory includes negroes named:

Dick (abt. 24 yrs old) (see John Tennant's Estate where his son James received
Negro boy called Dick)
Child called ? 2 yrs old
Rachel (about 20 years old)
Rachel's child called Isaac about 6 weeks old

Maryland, U.S. Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1777. Wills Vol. 33-36, 1764-1768, pages 128-129, www.ancestry.com with images:

In the Name of God, Amen, I James Tennant of Kent County in the province of Maryland cordwainer being sick and weak of body but of perfect mind and memory do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form as followeth - I give and Bequeath to my son James Tenant my dwelling plantation to him and his heirs forever but in case he should die without issue my will is that it shall go to my eldest daughter Sarah Tenant to her and her heirs and in case she should die without heirs to my next daughter & so on to the youngest. Item I give & bequeath unto my loving wife Sarah Tenant my dwelling plantation during her widowhood as also all my personal estate. Item I give and bequeath all my personal estate to be equally divided amongst my daughters after my wifes widowhood in testimony whereof I have herunto set my hand & seal this twenty second day of the second month 1765. James Tennant

Signed sealed published and declared in the presence of the word my between the sixth of seventh line interlined before signed (illegible) Banjn Riley, Hannah Warner, Mejure Stewart

At the same time Sarah Tenant the widow doth refuse to abide by the said will or any article thereof. D. Hands, Dep. C(illegible), Kent.

Kent SS onth e19th day of March 1765 Benjamin Riley, and Mejure Stewar being sworn on the holy Evangelist (illegible phrase) and Hannah Warner being one of the people called Quakers on her solemn affirmation do severally sa that they were present and did see James Tennant sign and seal the foregoing instrument of writing and did hear him publish and declare the same to be his last will and that they did write their names as witnesses thereto in the presence of the testator and at his request and in the presence of each other. Sworn & affirmed before. D. Hands, Dy. Com. Kent.

Inventories of Estates, Vol. 90-93, 1766-1767, Maryland, James Tennant, page 367:

A List of Debts Due to Ye Estate of James Tennant, Deceased [names mentioned, each with amounts written next to name, totalling 30 pounds 12 shillings 5 pence]:

Sarah Mulling
Alexander Kelly
Philip Warner
Moses Tennant
Lewis Welsh
William Parker
William Boots?

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Sarah Jobson
Robert Hutcheson
james Welsh
Jacob Dulcones?
Able Chandler
Thomas Milburn
Henry Glafford
Jonathan Smith
William underhill
Barlus? Piner
James Graham
Sarah Wyal
Mary Nock
Jaes Nash
Moses Sullivan

Sarah Tennant, administrator.

QUESTION: Could this be John Tennant's brother? The time frame and mention of a Hugh Wallace (Wallis?) as well as a Moses Tennant in this case compared to John Tennant may be indicative of a family relationship.

James Tennant and Sarah had the following children:

- i. JAMES³ TENNANT²⁵⁻²⁶.
- ii. SARAH TENNANT³¹⁻³².

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4. **SUSANNAH³ TENNANT** (Moses², John¹)^{34, 38} was born about 1737³⁹. She died on 04 Sep 1825⁴⁰. She married **JAMES RAYEN**. He died between 1797-1805 in Missouri Territory⁴¹.

More About Susannah Tennant:

Baptism: 17 May 1739 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA⁴⁹

Notes for James Rayen:

MISSOURI RECORDS - WHO IS THIS JAMES RAYEN, father or son?

Question: Could this James Rayen be the father of Judge William Rayen and his brother James Tennant Rayen; and also the father of John Rayen? Could the Marie Rayen mentioned above be the step mother of William and James, and the mother of John?

OR could this James Rayen be William's brother who was possibly in Missouri Territory, leaving three children: Susan/Susannah, William, James Tennant Rayen?

OR is the James T. Rayen/Rayne of Kent County, MD died 1835 leaving minor children James T. Rayen and Susan Ann T. Rayen, the brother or is he the nephew of William Rayen? (see further under James T. Rayen/Rayne)

Photocopies provided by Ellen E. Young, 23 April 1997 from the St. Charles County, Missouri, Recorder of Deeds:

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Marie Rayen, Saint Charles County, MO appoint Lowrey T. Hampton with power of attorney. Dated 6 November 1813.

Deed - Fremon Delaurier and his wife Celeste, Saint Louis District, Louisiana Territory to James Rayen of Saint Charles District, Louisiana Territory, dated 5 November 1811 for the following property:

Located in St. Charles District, 380 arpens or more being part of a grant from Zenon Trudeau (Lt. Gov.) of Upper Louisiana dated 13 May 1799 to Fremon Delaurier and Louis Labaume for 10,000 arpens of a grant for the same from Charles Dehault Delapur dated 26 March 1801 for 10,000 arpens surveyed 1 January 1804.

Tract to James Rayen is: Lower line of the original survey on the east adjoining lands owned by John Dale on the south and on the west adjoining land of Simon (Kenton?) and on north salt river. Original plot numbered in 21 lots. This is no. 17 and part of no. 12.

The entry in the Judge's day book might be indicating that this James died in 1813 and that the information about his death and the other facts written in the daybook were provided to the Judge by Mariah (Marie?) Rayen (same as in above document?)

Photocopies of Arbitration Case File sent to Mahoning Valley Historical Society by Ellen E. Young August 16, 1992 obtained from the Illinois State Historical Library: 14 August 1793 Bartholomew Tardiveau and James Rayen entered into an agreement on which said Rayen undertook and Obligated himself to erect and build on Harroffs the Bayou Ft Thomas near the town of New Madrid, a dam and saw-mill." By December 1793 Rayen had failed to do so. Rayen requested payment which Tardiveau believed was in excess of what had been accomplished. After appraisal of the lumber and supplies, Tardiveau requested that all building materials in Rayen's possession be turned over to him.

Houck, Louis. The Spanish Regime in Missouri. Chicago: R. R. Donnelley & Sons Co., 1909, page 400-401 mentions the above case: Barolome Tardiveau contracted to have constructed a flour mill in the vicinity of New Madrid. Tardiveau contracted with "Jayme Rayan [i.e., James Ryan?] for the construction of a casueway through the middle of the shallows [estero] of San Juan and a sawmill which was to be finished later, at the end of March 1794."

Minute Book 1, Minutes of the First and Second Board of Land Commissioners, Missouri, page 140 as sent to Ellen E. Young, 15 March 2006 from Jane Jackson: "Richard J. Waters, assignee of James Rayen, claiming 840 arpens of land situate Cape Girardeau, produced a warrant of Survey from Zenon Trudeau dated September 15, 1797 and a survey of the same dated 1 May 1798, a certificate of public sale of the effects and property of the said James Rayen by commandant of Cap Girardeau dated July 18, 1805. Edward Robinson being duly sworn says that the said James Rayen did settle and cultivate the said tract of land in the year 1797 and did also prior to and on the 1st day of October 1800 actually inhabited and cultivate the same - The Board confirms to the said claimant assignee aforesaid 840 arpens of land as per the aforesaid warrant of Survey." [Arpens is a French term for measuring land. One Arpen equals approximately .85 acres.]

James Rayen mentioned in census of the area in New Madrid, 1796 and in 1797 with one slave. [Spanish Regime of Missouri, page 393.]

St. Clair County Genealogical Society Quarterly, St. Clair County Genealogical Society, Vol. 4-5, page 74: "Personally came before the subscriber, John HAY, Clerk of our County Court, James RAYEN, with a Negro Girl named ANN, aged about Sixteen, who agreed in my presence to serve the Said James RAYEN as a Servant for the Space of fifteen years from this day the said James RAYEN having signed his name to the above.

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Cape Girardeau County Probate Box 30 Bundle 572, James Rayen [photocopies provided by Ellen E. Young who received them from Cap Girardeau County Archive Center, 112 E. Washington, Jackson, MO, 2006]: Original document written in French. Translation provided by Jane Randol Jackson, Cape Girardeau County Archive Center, 14 December 2005:

"The year 1797 the 5th day of February. I, James Rayne, being ill in my bed, being of sound mind and understanding, foreseeing that I am approaching the end of my life, and submitting my soul to God as it leaves my body if it pleases Him to be merciful. Wishing to arrange all of my earthly affairs that I may possess, for which reason I have called upon Azor, Piees and Louis Francois Largeau, my friends to receive my last wishes and kindly to carry them out as soon as God will have disposed of me.

First I want all my legal and legitimate debts to be paid immediately.

Secondly, I ask my executors to call in or collect all debts that are owed to me, be it obligations, bills, agreements, or others and that an accounting be made of them.

Thirdly, my said executors will make an exact inventory of all my herds, linens, tools, furniture and properties, which will neither be sold nor transferred without the unanimous consent of the said executors.

Fourth my said executors will have the work begun on my property at Cape La Cruche continued; by James McLean and John Devaul, who agreed to do it according to their contract with me and as soon as the said work is finished they will be paid by the said executors by deducting the advances made them in both food and other goods.

Seeing nothing more which interests me in this world and wanting to give the little that I possess to one of my sons named William Rayne to whom my executors of my will will give an exact accounting of everything they will have in their possession after my death except to deduct the costs or necessary expenditures that may ensue.

Recognizing the honesty of my said executors and wishing that no harm will come to my property if it is possible, I ask them to avoid as much as in their power all unnecessary expenses and argument so that good harmony will exist between them and my son, William Rayne; without any need for resorting to the courts. I further enjoin my said son, William Rayne to hold in high regard and to be duly grateful to my said executors who are willing to take charge of the little that I possess and to transfer it to him. These are my last wishes. And to attest to the present document that I sign in my own hand, after having read, and reread, and signed on the envelope and sealed it by my usual seal; and it will be further signed by seven persons on the said envelope witnessing it as my own signature, the present document will be submitted to Don Louis Lorimier commandant at this post to have recourse there. Done at Cape La Cruche. The Day and year following, James Rayen." Envelope signed by James Rayen, Gme Lorimier, John Loslu, David Brooks, John Duvall, Joseph Parsons, Hugh Wallace.

The property James Rayen mentions in his will is mentioned further in the translation provided. There is also a copy of the agreement between "Jas. Rayen millwrigth of Cape la Cruce of the first part and Jas. McLain and Jon. Devaul, laborers of the second part for them to clear land... on the said Rayens plantation." Ten acres were to be prepared for plowing; all trees removed with brush and logs burnt to the ground and girdling additional trees. All good timber to be split to obtain a certain amount of cut and split wood. One hundred silver dollars was the price to be paid for the work carried out. The original agreement was dated 16 December 1796.

Whitaker, Arthur Prescott. The Mississippi Question, 1795-1803: A Study in Trade, Politics, and Diplomacy. C. Appleton Century Company, 1934, digitized June 4, 2007, at <http://books.google.com>. Page 275 footnote: Notation made by Tomas Portell, commandant of New Madrid, on a representation in English by James Rayen, New Madrid, July 2, 1794: "Hable esta parte en Castellano respecto a que estamos en Castilla y se le oira."

Early Missouri Archives, Missouri Historical Records Survey, 1941, page 33:

...6/5-6/13/1798 and JAMES RAYEN vs. SAMUEL MS ON Petition for judgement to obtain payment of dept. Mason is known as horse thief and man of bad character."

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Feldman, Lawrence H. Anglo-Americans in Spanish Archives: Lists of Anglo-American Settlers in the Spanish Colonies of America: A Finding Aid. Genealogical Pub. Company, 1991, entry #233 James Rayen, militia, 1794-06-15.

---- Pennsylvania:

There is mention of a James Rayen being paid for his service in the Rangers on the frontier of Westmoreland County, PA in 1791 under Captain William Donahu. PA Archives Sixth Series Vol. V, published in Harrisburg, PA: Harrisburg Publishing Company, 1907, page 663.

Houck, Louis. The Spanish Regime in Missouri. Chicago, IL: R. R. Donnelley & Sons Co., 1909:

Vol. I page 401: Bartolome Tardiveau, along with Messrs Dehault de Lassus and Pedro Audrain contracted in April 1793 with Governor of province to construct in vicinity of New Madrid a flour mill, "...on the fourteenth of August preceding he had made a contract with Jayme Rayan [i.e. James Ryan?] for the construction of a causeway through the middle of the shallows [estero] of San Juan and a sawmill which was to be finished later, at the end of March 1794."

Vol. II page 393: statistical census of New Madrid, 1797: James Rayen, 1 slave, in New Madrid in 1796.

County Court Records of St. Charles County, Missouri, page 15. "On motion of Nathaniel Simonds that the visible property of the estate of James Rayen deceased be taken out of the hands of Henry Hight, Administrator of the estate, and that a citation issue 15 O."

James Rayen and Susannah Tennant had the following children:

5. i. WILLIAM⁴ RAYEN⁵⁰⁻⁵¹ was born on 21 Oct 1776 in Kent County, Maryland⁵²⁻⁵⁵. He died on 05 Apr 1854 in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH⁵⁵⁻⁵⁶. He married MARGARET CAREE. She was born on 17 Nov 1767⁵⁷. She died on 17 Apr 1826 in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH⁵⁸⁻⁵⁹.
6. ii. JAMES TENNANT RAYEN⁶⁰⁻⁶⁴. He died about 1835⁶⁵. He married Julia Ann ?.

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5. **WILLIAM⁴ RAYEN** (Susannah³ Tennant, Moses² Tennant, John¹ Tennant)⁵⁰⁻⁵¹ was born on 21 Oct 1776 in Kent County, Maryland⁵²⁻⁵⁵. He died on 05 Apr 1854 in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH⁵⁵⁻⁵⁶. He married **MARGARET CAREE**. She was born on 17 Nov 1767⁵⁷. She died on 17 Apr 1826 in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH⁵⁸⁻⁵⁹.

More About William Rayen:

Residence: Bet. 1796-1799 in Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania

Residence: 1802 in Youngstown, Trumbull County, OH

Burial: Oak Hill Cemetery, Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH⁵⁶

Notes for William Rayen:

Pennsylvania

Original Document found within Builders' of Youngstown File, "William Rayen 1802:" William Rayen of County of Westmoreland, State of Pennsylvania bound to Hugh McKenney for payment for 20 pounds for land, dated 1797. [penciled notation on back bottom mentions that this had been found in one of the Rayen daybooks.]

Rayen Daybook Acc. No. 949 covers 1796-1799 at which time Rayen was in Westmoreland County, PA possibly in the vicinity of North Huntingdon Township. Daybook for mercantile has

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an entry for Hugh McKenney.

Hugh McKinney listed as being a freeman, owning no lands in Mt. Pleasant Twp., Westmoreland Co., PA for 1783. [Albert, George Dallas (editor). History of the County of Westmoreland, Pennsylvania. Philadelphia: L. H. Everts & Co., 1882, page 535.]

Hugh McKinney is listed as a member of the militia of Westmoreland County for 1782. [Pennsylvania Archives Sixth Series, Volume II, page 355.]

Ohio

Residence of William Rayen, later Margaret Rayen Parmele, [Mahoning County, OH Probate Case No. 469, Judge William Rayen]: Will of William Rayen, dated February 5, 1854 mentions the following in regard to his residence: "...Also my Homestead, where I now reside bounded Eastwardly by the town plat, Northwardly by the Holmes Road, Westwardly by Thornton land, and Southwardly by the Mahoning river and the highway, including the warehouse on the Canal and the store house occupied by Thos. H. Wells being a part of lot No. 29 in the township of Youngstown. Also all the real estate which I hold or own in the town plat of Youngstown, including the outlots..." left to his niece Margaret Parmele, wife of William Parmele. He also left all of his household furniture and utensils, including plate, etc. to Margaret.

William Rayen kept a public house, Rayen's Tavern, until 1812, mercantile until 1837. With James Mackey as partner circa 1814 as Rayen & Mackey. Postmaster 1818-1839 in his store. Served as treasurer of Youngstown Twp. 1804, township clerk in 1805 - 1812 and 1816. Colonel 1st Reg't, 3rd Brigade, 4th Division OH militia in 1812. Commissioned Justice of Peace 22 Nov 1819. Assoc. Judge of Court of Common Pleas, Trumbull Co., 27 August 1820. Member of board of public works of the state 1840-1845. One founder of Mahoning County Bank, Youngstown, OH, serving as president. Was also Corresponding Secretary and a founder of the agricultural society, incorporator for the Pennsylvania & Ohio Canal Co. and stockholder and director. Also stockholder of Cleveland & Mahoning Railroad Co.

Wilms, Jocelyn, et al. Mahoning County, Ohio - Guardianship Records 1846-1860. Volume I. Mahoning County, OH: Mahoning County Chapter, OGS, 1987, page 30:

#399 (no date but between 15 Dec. 1857 and 2 Feb. 1858)

William S. Parmale_, David Tod & James McEwen appointed by the will of hon. William Rayen dec'd trustees for William Rayen Parmele. Bond: same as given by them as executors of Rayen's estate (\$30,000.00) p. 201.

U. S. Appointments of U. S. Postmasters, 1832-1971, www.ancestry.com with images: William Rayen, Youngstown, Trumbull County, Ohio. Vol. 9 1832-1843.

Children:

From Baldwin, Henry B. Henry B. Baldwin Genealogical Records. Volume 6. "Oldest Inscriptions, With Revolutionary and War of 1812 Records, of the Cemeteries of Trumbull, Mahoning and Columbiana Counties, Ohio and Lawrence, Mercer and Beaver Counties, Pennsylvania.":

Buried in Oak Hill Cemetery, Youngstown, OH:

Rayen, William b. Oct 21, 1776, d. April 5, 1854 age 77 yrs 6 mos 16 days

Rayen, Margaret (wife of William Rayen) d. April 17, 1826 age about 60 years

Rayen, William, Jr. d. age 11 years

Rayen, Margaret. d. age 17 years

Newspaper Clipping, Youngstown Vindicator, n.d.: "Judge Rayen and his wife, the former Margaret Caree, had two children, both of whom died without descendants."

"Although he was not blest with children of his own, yet he was always strongly interested in the

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education of youth...." Left provisions for what became Rayen High School. Trustees established to administer this part of his will and serve the Rayen School including: James Mackey (the younger) and Robert W. Tayler. School opened in 1866. Florence Rayen serving as an assistant (1882). NOTE: There appear to have been two children born to William and Mary Caree/Carey Rayen. Neither survived to adulthood. See Cemetery records listed above..

There are two different sources that indicate William and Margaret (Caree/Carey) Rayen actually had two children, both of whom died prior to adulthood. Although both of these sources are secondary in nature, the possibility does exist that they are based on primary information that has yet to be re-discovered. Granted, we do not yet have conclusive evidence to prove this; it must remain a possibility until additional evidence shows otherwise.

Other Business Interests:

History of Trumbull and Mahoning Counties. Cleveland: H. Z. Williams & Bro., 1882, Volume II page 132:

Judge Rayen began store in Austintown Center, circa 1830, corner where Doncaster house located. Employed Cornelius Thompson. Built brick store circa 1834 on nw corner.

From Higley, George. Youngstown an Intimate History. Youngstown, OH: n.p., 1953, page 52: "...oldest drug business was that of Mackey and Rayen at Spring Common...."

"A Sketch of Judge Rayen" written for the Rayen Record in 1902 by Thomas H. Wells: Served in the war of 1812 with Major James Mackey, Dr. Henry Manning, Charles A. Boardman (later to become pastor of Presbyterian Church), Colonel James Hillman. Royal Arch Freemason - Membership in which lodge?

James L. Wick Jr. Coll. Builders of Youngstown File "William Rayen 1802:"

Notes prepared by Ronald Lynn at address at Rayen School, circa 1946-1955: James Rayen, 1/2 brother to Judge William Rayen. No explanation as to how this relationship is based.

Receipt Wm. Rayen & Son, 188-? William Rayen and William C. Rayen.

The Mahoning Valley Historical Society has a number of daybooks/ledgers written and kept by William Rayen within its collection. There is also a cased photograph [acc. 804] of William Rayen and a portrait. Additional artifacts from William Rayen are also in the collection.

Deeds from Kent County, Maryland: JR 2/325 Kent County:

Francis L. Wallis and wife Emily to Charles F. Hupfeld, Jr. of Philadelphia, PA 7 October 1852 for parcels of land called "Deptford" and "Killingsworthmore" along road leading from Chesterville to Chester Town and at the end of the second line of that part of a tract of land called "Killingsworthmore" which was bought by James Tennant of Rachel Hutcheson near lands of heirs of John Rutter, decd. And near lands of Hugh Wallis excepting the road for Joseph Doman and the grave yard (square enclosed, 49 feet) on the premises. Were owned in fee by James Tennant, late of Kent County, deceased and were devised by him in fee to William Rayne, 18 May 1846 conveyed to Emily Wallis by William Rayne, 28 March 1850 then conveyed by Francis L. Wallis, Emily Wallis to Francis Adolphus Wallis and then on 28 March 1850 conveyed back to Francis L. Wallis. Also part of tract called "Plain Dealing" and Charles Town Lot, 1 acre 3 roods, 10 ½ perches conveyed to Francis L. Wallis by Hugh Wallis on 27 August 1850

Gilkey, Elliot Howard. The Ohio Hundred Year Book: A Handbook of the Public Men and Public Institutions of Ohio. Columbus: Fred J. Heer, St. Printer, 1901, page 511: Judges of Courts of Common Pleas, elected during session of 1821 - William Rayen, Trumbull County.

William Rayen also served as a commissioner to "view and permanently locate the seat of justice for the county of Ottawa...." General Assembly of the State of Ohio, March 6, 1840. [Journal of

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the Senate of Ohio at the First Session of the Thirty-Eighth General Assembly. Columbus, Samuel Medary, Printer to the State, 1839, page 532.]

Tributes

Maline, William A. The Nineteenth Century and Other Poems. Cleveland: The Burrows Brothers Company, 1898, pages 40-41:

TO THE MEMORY OF WILLIAM RAYEN,

To-night we meet in academic halls
 Builded by thee, where spirits round us hover;
Foremost of all art thou, who hearing calls
 Of helpless ignorance, hastened that ignorance to cover.

With generous hand, thy bounty o'er and o'er
 Has borne the children of this town to pleasant fields,
Where sturdy work of mind mid learning's store
 Has gathered golden grain which earnest study yields.

Born in the year when liberty found birth,
 Thy soul to boundless heights for self and others soared;
Coeval with this state thy soul of zeal and worth
 Began the century here, and here adored.

Most keenly felt the need of learning's prop
 For multitudes whose share of wealth was small,
And feeling thus grim death thy spirit could not stop,
 For thou didst fill the lamp of Knowledge for us all.

Thousands now bless thee for thy matchless prize,
 Whose Alma Mater is the Rayen school;
Thousands unborn thy name shall praise unto the skies
 For mental aid from off this generous spool.

O blessed shade! enwreathed in glorious fame,
 Teach men of wealth to love the better part,
That those who envy thee and would achieve thy name,
 Must drop the dross to cultivate the mind and heart.

Artifacts

Lantern attributed to William Rayen - According to Frank LeRoy Stewart II, the lantern was brought to Ohio by Judge Rayen. Anna Leach, Frank's grandmother, had an iron standard made for it and had it in her vestibule in their home in Niles, OH. By then it had been electrified. The lantern was donated to the Mahoning Valley Historical Society in 2011 by the estate of Frank L. Stewart II.

TAXES:

Ohio, Compiled Census and Census Substitutes, 1790-1890, www.ancestry.com:
William Rayen, Youngstown, Mahoning County (then Trumbull), 1804
William Rayan, 6th Collection District, Trumbull County, 1806
William Rayne, Mixed townships, Trumbull County, 1808
William Rayne, Youngstown, Trumbull County, 1809

Ohio Tax Records, 1800-1850, found at www.familysearch.org. Also www.ancestry.com with images. Except where noted, this website includes actual images of the record:
1817 William Rayen, acres 3 rate, lot, town, range, County of Trumbull for all entries,
Dollars/Cents/Mills, Penalties

Generation 4 (cont.)

72, -, 2, 2 1.08 -
50, 31, 2, 2, -, .75
40, 29, 2, 2, -, .60
150, -, 3, 2, -, 2.25
104, 30, 2, 2, -, 1.56,
16, 31, 2, 2, -, .24

1818, William Rayen, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. Acres 3rd rate, lot, town, range, Trumbull County, dollars and cents

72, -, 2, 2, 3.72
40, 29, 2, 2, 3.40
150, - 3, 2, 1.50
104, 30, 2, 2, 1.04

1819 William Rayen, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. Acres 3rd rate, lot, town, range, Trumbull County, dollars and cents

72, -, 2, 2, .72
40, 29, 2, 2, .40
104, 30, 2, 2, 1.04

1820 William Rayen, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. Acres 3rd rate, Range, Town, Lot, dollars and cents

112, 2, 2, 29, 1.12
104, 2, 2, 30, 1.04

1821 William Rayen, Trumbull County, OH. Range, Town, Lot, Acres 3rd, taxes

2, 2, 29, 112, .84.0
2, 2, 30, 104, .78.0

1822 William Rayen, Trumbull County, OH. Range, Town, lot, Acres 3rd rate, taxes

2, 2, 29, 112, 1.12
2, 2, 30, 104, 1.04

1824 William Rayen, range 2 town 2 Lots 28, 29, 30. Total tax: 60.8; 90.7; 84.2. Total includes road tax, state tax

1825 William Rayen, Range 2 Town 2 Lots 28, 29, 30. Total tax 75.0; 1.12.0; 1.04.0. Total includes road tax and state tax

1826 William Rayen, taxes total including state, county, road and town taxes

Range 2 Town 2 Lot 29, 9 acres, 8.78.5
Range 2 town 2 Lot 30, 104 acres, 1.40.0
Range 2 Town 2 Lot 31, 14 acres, 18.9
Range 2 Town 2, Lot 31, 22 acres, 79.4
Range 2 Town 2 Lot 29, 92 acres, 1.41.4

City Land:

S.E. Pt. Out lot 11 W. Div. value 200 tax 1.40.0
Out lot 2 S. Div. 60, 42.0
Out lot 3, S. Div. 66, 46.2
Out Lot 4, S. Div. 66, 46.2
Out Lot 5, S. Div. 63, 44.1
Out Lot 6, S. Div. 56, 39.2
Out Lot 7, S. Div. 42, 79.4
Out Lot 8 S. Div. 90, 63.0
In Lot 5 whole, 7, 04.9
In Lot 17 Whole, 7, 04.9

Generation 4 (cont.)

Rayen & Mackey, Youngstown, Pt. 11 W. Div, 63, tax 44.1

1827 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 17 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1828 tax Records Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 13 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1829 tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 23 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1829 Tax Records, Liberty Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 1 entry including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1830 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 24 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1830 Tax Records, Liberty Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 1 entry including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1831 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 23 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1831 Tax Records, Liberty Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 1 entry including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1832 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 22 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

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1834 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 1 entry for taxes paid by William Rayen

1835 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 6 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1836 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 18 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1837 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 18 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1837 Tax Records, Champion Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 1 entry taxes paid by William Rayen

Generation 4 (cont.)

1838 Tax Records, Youngstown Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 17 entries including county and personal taxes paid by William Rayen

1838 Tax Records, Champion Township, Trumbull County, OH. www.familysearch.org (images not available as of 1/20/2012). 1 entry taxes paid by William Rayen

CENSUS:

Pennsylvania, Septennial Census, 1779-1863. 1800 Derry, Westmoreland County, PA: William Rainey

1800 United States Federal Census, Derry, Westmoreland County, PA. www.ancestry.com with images, NARA Series M32 roll 41 page 1222, image 317

William Rainey: 1 male 16-25; 1 male 45+; 1 female 16-25; 1 female 45+, total 4, no slaves

1820 United States Federal Census, Youngstown, Trumbull County, OH. enumerated 7 August 1820. www.ancestry.com with images. NARA Series M33 Roll 89 image 303:

William Rayen (indexed as Rayon): 1 male under 10; 3 males 16-25; 1 male 26-44; 1 female under 10; 1 female 10-15; 1 female 16-25; 1 female 45+, 4 engaged in agriculture, 1 engaged in commerce, total 9, no slaves

1830 United States Federal Census, Youngstown, Trumbull County, OH. www.ancestry.com with images. NARA Series M19 Roll 141 page 229:

William Rayne, 1 male 10-14; 4 males 20-29; 1 male 50-59; 2 females 10-14; 2 females 20-29; total free persons 10, no slaves

1840 United States Federal Census, Youngstown, Trumbull county, OH. www.ancestry.com with images, Roll 429 page 242 image 504:

Wm Rayen: 1 male 5-9; 1 male 15-19; 1 male 20-29; 1 male 60-69; 2 females 15-19; 1 female 30-39; 2 engaged in agriculture, total 7, no slaves

1850 U. S. Fedferal Census, Non-population schedules, Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH. www.ancestry.com with images:

line 8 William Rayen, 200 acres improved, 200 acres unimproved, cash value of farm 12,000; value of farming implements 700; 4 horses, 3 milk cows, 8 working oxen, 44 other cattle, 19 swine, value of livestock 1215; bushels of wheat 200; bushels of Indian Corn 800; bushels of oats 400? (illegible)

William Rayen and Margaret Caree had the following children:

- i. MARGARET⁵ RAYEN⁷⁵⁻⁷⁶ was born between 1805-1810⁷⁷. She died after 1820^{56, 82}.
 - ii. WILLIAM RAYEN^{56, 87} was born between 1811-1820⁸⁸. He died after 1820⁸⁹⁻⁹⁰.
6. JAMES TENNANT⁴ RAYEN (Susannah³ Tennant, Moses² Tennant, John¹ Tennant, James)⁶⁰⁻⁶⁴. He died about 1835⁶⁵. He married Julia Ann ?.

Notes for James Tennant Rayen:

JAMES T. RAYEN/RAYNE of Kent County, MD

Estate Papers - copies provided by the Kent County Probate Court Office, May 1997.

Dated June 16, 1835. Bond from Vol. 11 page 285; Inventory, Vol. 21 page 304; Sales from vol. 21 page 314; Debts from vol. 21 page 687; other from vol. 16 page 376. [Maryland Probate Estate and Guardianship Files, 1796-1940, Kent County, MD Estate No. Inv290, filed July 14, 1835, also now available on www.familysearch.org]:

Bonded: 23 June 1835

Generation 4 (cont.)

Hugh Wallis Also to serve as administrator of James T. Rayen/Rayne
James Tennant
John Moody

Widow listed as being Julia Ann Rayen

Sale of personal estate, 27 July 1835 includes purchasers: Hugh Wallis, James Tennant

Accounts - includes: *Sale of negroes in the State of Missouri by William Rayen of Ohio.
Funds also sent to William Rayen for the sale of the negroes

The estate was divided into thirds: one third to the widow of dec'd, one third the daughter of dec'd; one third to son of dec'd upon final settlement dated 13 November 1839 by Hugh Wallis.

Trumbull County, Ohio. Abstract of Probate Records and actual document: James T. Rayen, late of Maryland. Appointment of William Rayen as guardian to James T. Rayen until age 14 and to Susan Ann T. Rayen until she reaches age 12. Minors of James T. Rayen. Bonded for \$4,000.00. Listed under April term 1837.

Day book of Judge William Rayen's. MVHS Acc. #965:

Estate of James Rayen

1837

January 26 To Cash paid William, one of the heirs, 500.00

May 6 To Cash paid William on above, 1,000.00

(May) 13 To amt. paid Hugh Wallis admr. on James Rayen one of the heirs to said estate

deceased, \$1,093.43

To cash pd. to Juliann Rayen Widow of James Rayen deceased, \$110.46

1853

June 13 To a draft sent to Julian Rayen on Bank of Philadelphia by Order of James T. Rayen on acct. of his legacy left by James Tennant deceased for \$200.00

Next page:

1836

Nov. 7

By amt of the price of 5 negroes sold to William Eckart of St. Charles which I received of the administrator N. Simons vis. one Negro man Isaac, one negro woman Susan, and her three children John nine years old, William six years old, and Amanda Ann one year old for \$2,500.00

By cash received of N. Simons admr. \$107.28

1839

April 16 By Cash William Rayen, returned to me to pay H. Wallis on acct. of James Rayen Estate \$200.00

James Tennant Rayen and Julia Ann ? had the following children:

7. i. JAMES TENNANT⁵ RAYEN⁶⁷⁻⁷⁰ was born before 1835⁷¹. He married Jane E. Rayen, daughter of John Rayen and Sally Porter, on 03 Apr 1860 in Youngstown, OH⁷²⁻⁷⁴. She was born on 27 Jun 1831 in Ohio⁷⁸⁻⁸⁰. She died in 1915⁸¹.
- ii. SUSAN ANN T. RAYEN⁸³. She married J. D. CHANDLER.

More About Susan Ann T. Rayen:

Name: Susan A. Rayen⁸⁴⁻⁸⁶

Generation 5

7. **JAMES TENNANT⁵ RAYEN** (James Tennant⁴, Susannah³ Tennant, Moses² Tennant, John¹ Tennant)⁶⁷⁻⁷⁰ was born before 1835⁷¹. He married Jane E. Rayen, daughter of John Rayen and Sally Porter, on 03 Apr 1860 in Youngstown, OH⁷²⁻⁷⁴. She was born on 27 Jun 1831 in Ohio⁷⁸⁻⁸⁰. She died in 1915⁸¹.

More About James Tennant Rayen:

Name: James T. Rayen^{83, 91}

More About Jane E. Rayen:

Burial: Tod Cemetery⁸¹

James Tennant Rayen and Jane E. Rayen had the following children:

- i. **SALLIE⁶ RAYEN⁷²** was born on 31 Jan 1863 in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH⁹²⁻⁹³. She died on 23 Dec 1884⁹⁴.

More About Sallie Rayen:

Burial: Oak Hill Cemetery, Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH. Lot #566⁹³

- ii. **MARY C. RAYEN⁷²** was born in 1868⁹⁵.

Sources

- 1 Maryland, U.S., Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1777 (www.ancestry.com), Prerogative Court. wills, vol. 23-24, 1743-1746, page 422, John Tennant, will written 23 Sep 1743.
- 2 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - John Tennant of Maryland, Volume 2 Page 228 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Will Written 23 September 1743 and probated 16 June 1744.
- 3 Maryland, U.S., Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1777 (www.ancestry.com), Prerogative Court. wills, vol. 23-24, 1743-1746, page 422, John Tennant, will written 23 Sep 1743.
- 4 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - Elizabeth Tennant of Kent County, MD. Vol. 4 page 307; Vol. 3 pages 117, 525. (Photocopy sent to Mahoning Valley Historical Society in 1997), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Bond dated 8 July 1748. Samuel Wallis serving as administrator, bonded along with John Wallis and John Hart. Samuel Wallis was Quaker.
- 5 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - John Tennant of Maryland, Volume 2 Page 228 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Legacy: Moses Tennant (son) southern section of Deptford and Negro child Jack.
- 6 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - Moses Tennant of Kent County, MD (Photocopy sent to Mahoning Valley Historical Society in 1997), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 7 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), Sarah Tennant, baptised aged 10 months 10 days, birth ca. 1734. Baptism 21 aug 1735 Philadelphia, PA. Parents: Moses and Rachel Tennant.
- 8 New Jersey, U.S., Marriage Records, 1683-1802 (www.ancestry.com), Moses Tennant of Maryland and Rachel Siddon of Philadelphia, 3 June 1730 marriage license.
- 9 New Jersey, U.S., Marriage Records, 1670-1965 (www.ancestry.com), Rachael Siddon and Moses Tennant, 3 June 1730 Burlington, New Jersey. Film No. 007578629.
- 10 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), John tennant, 11 months, baptised 7 Jun 1731 to Moses and Rachel Tennant. Philadelphia, PA. Born ca. 1730.
- 11 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), Suannah Tennant, 2 years 3 months, baptised 17 May 1739 to Moses and Rachel Tennant. Philadelphia, PA. Born ca. 1737.

Sources (cont.)

- 12 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - Moses Tennant of Kent County, MD (Photocopy sent to Mahoning Valley Historical Society in 1997), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Will written 24 June 1755 and probated 14 November 1766. Moses' brother James Tennant to serve as executor.
- 13 New Jersey, U.S., Marriage Records, 1683-1802 (www.ancestry.com), Moses Tennant of Maryland and Rachel Siddon of Philadelphia, 3 June 1730 marriage license.
- 14 New Jersey, U.S., Marriage Records, 1670-1965 (www.ancestry.com), Rachael Siddon and Moses Tennant, 3 June 1730 Burlington, New Jersey. Film No. 007578629.
- 15 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - John Tennant of Maryland, Volume 2 Page 228 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Legacy: James Tennant (son) northern section of Deptford. If has no legal heirs, then this tract revert to Moses Tennant's youngest son unnamed in will. Also received Negro boy called Dick and a young horse called Roan.
- 16 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - Moses Tennant of Kent County, MD (Photocopy sent to Mahoning Valley Historical Society in 1997), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Names his "loving brother James Tennant Executor of this my last will and testament...".
- 17 Maryland, U.S., Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1777 (www.ancestry.com), James Tennant, will dated 22 of second month 1765, proved 29 March 1765, Wills Vol. 33-36, 1764-1768.
- 18 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - James Tennant of Maryland. Vol. 4 page 222; Vol. 5 pages 368, 421, 442 and Vol. 5 page 2 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Will dated 22nd day of the second month 1765.
- 19 Maryland, U.S., Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1777 (www.ancestry.com), James Tennant, will dated 22 of second month 1765, proved 29 March 1765, Wills Vol. 33-36, 1764-1768.
- 20 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - John Tennant of Maryland, Volume 2 Page 228 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Legacy: Richard Tennant (son) Lot in Chester Town, Kent County, No. (13 24 ?) Also instruments and clothes not valued with personal estate.
- 21 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - Richard Tennant of Kent County, MD. Vol. 4 pages, 18, 255; Vol. 3 page 314. (Photocopy sent to Mahoning Valley Historical Society in 1997), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 22 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - John Tennant of Maryland, Volume 2 Page 228 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Elizabeth (daughter) to receive Negro man called Tom.
- 23 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - John Tennant of Maryland, Volume 2 Page 228 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Hannah (daughter) to receive Negro woman called Judith.
- 24 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - John Tennant of Maryland, Volume 2 Page 228 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Susannah (daughter) to receive Negro woman called Phyllis.
- 25 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - James Tennant of Maryland. Vol. 4 page 222; Vol. 5 pages 368, 421, 442 and Vol. 5 page 2 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, James Tennant, son. Dwelling plantation (unnamed, no location given) unless die without heirs then to deceased's oldest daughter Sarah.

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- 26 Maryland, U.S., Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1777 (www.ancestry.com), James Tennant, will dated 22 of second month 1765, proved 29 March 1765, Wills Vol. 33-36, 1764-1768.
- 27 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - Moses Tennant of Kent County, MD (Photocopy sent to Mahoning Valley Historical Society in 1997), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Named as son. Legacy: Riverfront ½ lot in town leased to Hugh O'Neel and Boat Building tools.
- 28 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), John tennant, 11 months, baptised 7 Jun 1731 to Moses and Rachel Tennant. Philadelphia, PA. Born ca. 1730.
- 29 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), John tennant, 11 months, baptised 7 Jun 1731 to Moses and Rachel Tennant. Philadelphia, PA. Born ca. 1730.
- 30 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), John tennant, 11 months, baptised 7 Jun 1731 to Moses and Rachel Tennant. Philadelphia, PA. Born ca. 1730.
- 31 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - James Tennant of Maryland. Vol. 4 page 222; Vol. 5 pages 368, 421, 442 and Vol. 5 page 2 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Sarah Tennant (oldest daughter to receive plantation) If die without heirs to the next oldest daughter, etc. Balance of personal property, after decease of wife to be divided equally amongst daughters.
- 32 Maryland, U.S., Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1777 (www.ancestry.com), James Tennant, will dated 22 of second month 1765, proved 29 March 1765, Wills Vol. 33-36, 1764-1768.
- 33 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - James Tennant of Maryland, Photocopies received 24 April 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, Sarah Kinney (sister of deceased) (her grandchildren get portion of the above James Rayen's legacy should he die before age 21 years)
- 34 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - Moses Tennant of Kent County, MD (Photocopy sent to Mahoning Valley Historical Society in 1997), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Listed as a daughter of the deceased. Daughters to divide the house and boat yard in Morgan's Creek.
- 35 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), Sarah Tennant, baptised aged 10 months 10 days, birth ca. 1734. Baptism 21 aug 1735 Philadelphia, PA. Parents: Moses and Rachel Tennant.
- 36 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), Sarah Tennant, baptised aged 10 months 10 days, birth ca. 1734. Baptism 21 aug 1735 Philadelphia, PA. Parents: Moses and Rachel Tennant.
- 37 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), Sarah Tennant, baptised aged 10 months 10 days, birth ca. 1734. Baptism 21 aug 1735 Philadelphia, PA. Parents: Moses and Rachel Tennant.
- 38 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), Suannah Tennant, 2 years 3 months, baptised 17 May 1739 to Moses and Rachel Tennant. Philadelphia, PA. Born ca. 1737.
- 39 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), Suannah Tennant, 2 years 3 months, baptised 17 May 1739 to Moses and Rachel Tennant. Philadelphia, PA. Born ca. 1737.

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- 40 William Rayen, handwritten entry, Daybook of William Rayen, 1805-1843. [acc. no. 959] (unpublished, Mahoning Valley Historical Society Collections), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, This may or may not be William Rayen's mother. The entry does not specify relationships. "James Rayen died 11th Jan 1813; Susannah Rayen, born 10th March 1807; William Rayen born 25th Sept 1808; James Tennant Rayen born 28th Nov. 1810; The above data handed to me by Mariah Rayen 19th April 1814. William Rayen" Following this section are the following entries "Susanah T. Rayen died on Sunday Morning the 4th September 1825. died by bleeding at the lungs; Henry Hoyt, Esq. Saint Charles Upper Luisanah, he adminstrated on the Estate of James Rayen Capt. Christopher Clark at Clarks fort St. Charles to the care of James Stanley Judge to Correspond with."
- 41 Cape Girardeau County, Missouri, Probate Estate Case File - Cape Girardeau County, Missouri - James Rayen, Box 30 Bundle 572 (Cape Girardeau County Archive Center, 112 E. Washington, Jackson, MO), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, According to the translation, James Rayen's will was dated 5 February 1797. The will was filed 19 August 1805, suggesting a death date between 1797 and 1805. Notice of the sale of his property was given by L. Lorimier dated 1 July 1807 at Cape Girardeau. The property was located on the south side of Cape ala Cruche creek, above its mouth containing approximately 240 acres, formerly surveyed for James Rayen.
- 42 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - Moses Tennant of Kent County, MD (Photocopy sent to Mahoning Valley Historical Society in 1997), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Named as son. Legacy: Plantation (undisclosed location) if die without heirs the plantation to go to William Tennant. Both Moses and William receive ownership of an adult slave Jack [see notation under John Tennant's estate] Also share some livestock and tools.
- 43 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - Moses Tennant of Kent County, MD (Photocopy sent to Mahoning Valley Historical Society in 1997), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Named as son. Legacy: Plantation equally with Moses until William reaches age 30 at which time he must move unless Moses dies without heirs. If William receives the plantation and dies without heirs the plantation will go to James Tennant. Both Moses and William receive ownership of an adult slave Jack [see notation under John Tennant's estate] Also share some livestock and tools.
- 44 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - James Tennant of Maryland, Volume 12 page 33 and others (Photocopies received 24 April 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 45 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - Moses Tennant of Kent County, MD (Photocopy sent to Mahoning Valley Historical Society in 1997), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Named as son. Legacy: ½ lot #9 in Chestertown. Also receive plantation if brothers Moses and William die without heirs.
- 46 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - James Tennant of Maryland, Volume 12 page 33 and others (Photocopies received 24 April 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Will written 31 December 1836 and proved 7 May 1840. Witnesses to will were: Hugh Wallis, Thomas Brooks, and Stansbury Moffett. A codicil to the will added at the same time appointed William Rayen to serve as guardian of the minor James Rayen mentioned in the will.
- 47 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - James Tennant of Maryland, Volume 12 page 33 and others (Photocopies received 24 April 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, James Tennant requested burial in the Protestant Episcopal Church in his will.

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- 48 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - James Tennant of Maryland, Photocopies received 24 April 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, Elizabeth A. Randall (sister of deceased) (her grandchildren get portion of the above James Rayen's legacy should he die before age 21 years).
- 49 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), Suannah Tennant, 2 years 3 months, baptised 17 May 1739 to Moses and Rachel Tennant. Philadelphia, PA. Born ca. 1737.
- 50 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - James Tennant of Maryland, Photocopies received 24 April 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, William Rayen, nephew of deceased. Farm called "Deptford" in Kent County, residue of real estate, and lot of woodland (39 acres) in Queen Anne County, MD. Also personal estate to him.
- 51 Cape Girardeau County, Missouri, Probate Estate Case File - Cape Girardeau County, Missouri - James Rayen, Box 30 Bundle 572 (Cape Girardeau County Archive Center, 112 E. Washington, Jackson, MO), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, Names "one of my sons, William Rayne" as heir to his property and estate. Others are not named.
- 52 History of Trumbull and Mahoning Counties - Entry for William Rayen (Cleveland, OH: H. Z. Williams and Bro., 1882 Volume I, pages 427-428), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 53 Butler, Joseph G., Jr., History of Youngstown and the Mahoning Valley, Ohio - Entry for William Rayen (Chicago: American Historical Society, 1921, Volume III, pages 588-589), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
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- 55 Wells, Thomas H., William Rayen - From Builders of Youngstown "William Rayen 1802" file, MVHS Collections (Unpublished account [acc. no. 69.70.2] written and sent to Robert McCurdy, February 22, 1895 by author), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
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- 72 Powers, William Tatnall., Mahoning County, Ohio Divorces, 1846-1887. (Mahoning County, OH: Mahoning County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1993), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 21.
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- 78 Ellen Erdmann Young sent photocopy to MVHS 4 April 1996, Letter written by Frank L. Stewart II to Ellen Erdmann Young, 18 December 1995 (unpublished. Frank Stewart, Arlington Heights, Illinois), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
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- 92 Powers, William Tatnall., Mahoning County, Ohio Divorces, 1846-1887. (Mahoning County, OH: Mahoning County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1993), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 21. age given as 5 years, indicating birth year circa 1863.
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Family Group Sheet - John Tennant

Husband:		John Tennant ¹
	d:	Bet. 1743-1744 ²⁻³
	Sex:	Male
	Father:	
	Mother:	
Wife:		Elizabeth ⁴⁻⁵
	d:	Abt. 1748 ⁶
	Sex:	Female
	Father:	
	Mother:	
Children:		
1	Name:	Moses Tennant ¹⁰⁻¹⁶
M	m:	Aft. 03 Jun 1730 in Burlington, New Jersey, USA ⁷⁻⁸
	d:	Bet. 1755-1766 in Kent County, Maryland ⁹
	Occupation:	boat builder ¹⁰
	Sex:	Male
	Spouse:	Rachel Siddon ¹⁷⁻²¹
2	Name:	James Tennant ²⁴⁻²⁶
M	d:	Abt. 1765 ²²⁻²³
	Sex:	Male
	Spouse:	Sarah ²⁷⁻²⁸
3	Name:	Richard Tennant ³⁰
M	d:	Abt. 1755 ²⁹
	Sex:	Male
4	Name:	Elizabeth Tennant ³¹
F	Sex:	Female
5	Name:	Hannah Tennant ³²
F	Sex:	Female
6	Name:	Susannah Tennant ³³
F	Sex:	Female
Notes:		
John Tennant		

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Maryland Records - Register of Wills Office, Photocopies of records received 14 May 1997 for the following individuals: JOHN TENNANT/TENANT

Will from Volume 2, page 228 of Kent County Register of Wills, Chestertown, MD. Dated 23 September 1743. Probated June 16, 1744.

Heirs: Elizabeth Tennant (wife) appointed executor. For her natural life retain property

Moses Tennant (son) southern section of Deptford and Negro child Jack [see Moses Tennant Estate File

James Tennant (son) northern section of Deptford. If has no legal heirs, then this tract revert to Moses Tennant's youngest son unnamed in will

Negro boy called Dick young horse called Roan

Richard Tennant (son) Lot in Chester Town, Kent County, No. (13 24 ?) Also instruments and clothes not valued with personal estate

Elizabeth (daughter). Negro man called Tom

Hannah (daughter). Negro woman Judith

Susannah (daughter). Negro woman Phillis

Highly probable that this is Judge William Rayen's maternal great grandfather. See comparisons between heirs of John Tennant and James Tennant particularly in regard to the property called "Deptford." Also see estate files for Moses Tennant (probable grandfather of William Rayen)

Maryland, U.S., Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1777, www.ancestry.com with images:
Wills, Vol. 23-24, 1743-1746, pages 422-424, John Tennant, written 23 Sep 1743, proved 16 June 1744

In the name of God, Amen the twenty third day of September in the year of Our Lord one thousand seven hundred and forty three I John Tennant being of perfect mind and memory thanks be to God for it and alling to mind the the(sic) mortality of any body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die to appoint and ordain this my last Will and Testament. And First of all I recommend my soul to God that gave it as for my Body I recommend it to the care of my Executors to be Buried in a Christian and Decent like manner, nothing Doubling but at the general resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God and as for my worldly goods wherewith is hath pleased God to Order me with in this life I dispose of (illegible) in manner and form following after all my debts are fully satisfied and paid. Imprimis I give and bequeath to my sons Moses Tennant and James Tennant that Tract or parcel of Land called Dedford lying and being in Kent County Maryland which is my now Dwelling Plantation at the End of One hundred and twenty seven perches or thereabouts - south from the Beginning or Bounded free of said tract (illegible phrase) a Black oak and white oak both together at the bottom standing grove to the fence the said trees I deem for dividing the said tract of land running from said trees west half south untill it intersect the opposite north and south line of said tract of land called Dedford and all that part or parcell(sic) of land lying on the south side of said line Belonging to the said tract I give to my son Moses Tennant to him and his heirs for Ever with all th eappurtenances thereunto belonging and that part or parcel of Land Belonging to said tract lying on the borth side of said line of Division I give to my son James Tennant to him and heirs for Ever lawfully Begotten he the said James Tennant dieing without such heirs it shall immediately pass to my son Moses Tennants youngest son to him and his heirs for ever. I give to my son Richard Tennant part of a lott at ChesterTown in Kent County number thirteen twenty four foot three inches front to him and his heirs forever. Adjoining to a Lott(sic) belonging to George Garnetts Lott(sic) upon the Water side. Item I give unto my daughter Elizabeth my negor man called Tom. Item I give unto my daughter Hannah my Negro woman called judith. I give unto my daughter Susanna my Negro woman called Phillis. I give unto my son Moses a Negro Child Jack. Item I give unto my son James a Negro Boy called Dick and likewise a young Horse called Roan. Item I give

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unto my son Richard my Books, Instruments and Cloaths(sic) not valued with my personal Estate. I give and order that the Negroes above mentioned except Jack and Dick may be valued together with the rest of my personall(sic) estate and divided share and share alike - amongst all my children Except Moses Tennant and James Tennant and I likewise appoint my wife Elizabeth Tennant to be whole and sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament and to have and to hold all and singular my Estate both real and personal during the time of her natura life without any trouble or molestation. In Witness whereof this being my last will and testament I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year above written. John Tennant.

Signed sealed and declared by John Tennant
as his last will ad testament in the presence of us

John Cove

Samuel Murfey

John Watson

On the back of the foregoing ill was there written viz

Kent County june 16, 1744 came John Cove and Samuel Murfey two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will being duly and solemnly sworn on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God depose and say that they saw John Tennant the Testator signe(sic) the foregoing will and heard him publish and declare the same to be hi slast will and testament and that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehension of sound and disposing mind and memory and that they subscribed their respective names as witnesses to the said will in the provence of the Testator and at his request and that at the(?) and Timothy saw John Watson the other witness signe the same. Sworn before Chs. Aynson, D. Comry Jr. Kent County.

Land Ownership:

DEPTFORD, KENT COUNTY, MARYLAND, 300 acres surveyed in 1724 for WILLIAM COMEGYS and JOHN TENNANT.

1 September 1738 John Tennant and wife Elizabeth conveyed to Edmond Iliff the tract called Deptford, 300 acres. Conveyed back to them on the same day.

1. JOHN TENNANT will probated June 16, 1744 wife ELIZABETH ----- bond dated July 8, 1748. Property known as Deptford, Kent County, MD

Children associated with Deptford in estate file of John Tennant.

2. JAMES TENNANT

Northern section of Deptford - if dies without heirs, tract to Moses' youngest son, unnamed in will (could this youngest son be James listed below, thereby uniting the two pieces of Deptford again?)

2. MOSES TENNANT, will probated 14 Nov. 1766: Southern Section of Deptford, Negro child named Jack

Children associated with Deptford and Slave "Jack":

3. MOSES TENNANT: Plantation - unnamed, Negro adult named Jack

3. WILLIAM TENNANT

Plantation - unnamed if brother Moses dies without heirs. If William dies without heirs, plantation goes to JAMES TENNANT (brother)
Negro adult named Jack

3. JAMES TENNANT (possibly the one whose will was probated 7 May 1840?)
Plantation - unnamed, if brothers Moses and William die without heirs

4. WILLIAM RAYEN, nephew of deceased, Farm called Deptford

Sources for Deptford Land Ownership:

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John Tennant, will from Volume 2, page 228 of Kent County Register of Wills, Chestertown, MD dated September 23, 1743, probated June 16, 1744. Widow listed as Elizabeth Tennant.

Elizabeth Tennant Bond Vol. 4 page 307 Kent County, Maryland. Bond dated 8 July 1847. Inventory Vol. 3 page 525 and Final Account Vol. 3 page 117.

Estate packets for Moses Tennant, Kent County, MD. Will dated 24 June 1755, probated 14 Nov. 1766. No volume no. given. Bonds are located in Vol. 1 page 233, Vol. 5 page 476 with inventories also available.

James Tennant Bond Vol. 12 page 33. Will dated 31 December 1836, probated May 7, 1840. Will also from county records, volume not given with copy. Kent County, Maryland

Elizabeth

Kent County, Maryland, Register of Wills: Bond Vol. 4 page 307, Dated 8 July 1748. Bonded: Samuel Wallis (Quaker, also administrator), John Wallis, John Hart

Inventory Vol. 3 page 525 for Mrs. Elizabeth Tennant dated 1748. Of special note the inventory mentions: Charts and coasting pilot, negro man named Tom, negro woman named J-?

Final Account Vol. 3 page 117. Debits include: John Wallis, Hugh Wallis. Also mentions "freedom dues" paid possibly to Anthony (Morris?) mentioned in the final account sheet. Freedom dues were given to indentured servants at the close of their indenture.

Representatives of the Deceased: Moses Tennant, James Tennant "of full age"
John Wallis, John Hart "sureties"

Question: Could this be the wife of John Tennant and therefore the maternal great grandmother of Judge William Rayen? Note the time period and heirs

Moses Tennant

Estate Packets for MOSES TENNANT, Kent County, MD. Two packets concern the estate of Moses Tennant - possibly due to a son Moses's death? His name appears in the first batch with his brother William who is also appointed administrator but does not appear in the second packet where William stands alone as administrator.

Bond vol. 1 page 233; Inventory vol. 7 page 303; final vol. 6 page 80

Bond vol. 5 page 476; Inventory vol. 6 pages 50, 115, 275, 287; Debts vol. 6 page 275, 287; final vol. 5 page 135

Bonded: Moses Tennant, William Tennant. Both to serve as administrators of the estate, Ald(?) Chandler, Francis Rutter (signed by her mark)

Nearest Kin listed: Sarah Tennant, John Tennant
Creditors: Phillip Warner, Samuel Wallis, Hugh Wallis also mentioned

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Will gives the following information: dated 24 June 1755 Probated 14 Nov. 1766, Moses Tennant, deceased, boat builder

Heirs: Sons

John Tennant Riverfront ½ lot in town leased to Hugh O'Neel, Boat Building tools

Moses Tennant Plantation (undisclosed location) if die without heirs the plantation to go to William Tennant

William Tennant Plantation equally with Moses until William reaches age 30 at which time he must move unless Moses dies without heirs. If William receives the plantation and dies without heirs the plantation will go to James Tennant (see below)

*Both Moses and William receive ownership of an adult slave Jack [see above notation under John Tennant's estate] Also share some livestock and tools

James Tennant ½ lot #9 in Chestertown. Also receive plantation if brothers Moses and William die without heirs

Daughters: House and boat yard in Morgan's Creek to be divided amongst daughters: Elizabeth, Sarah, Susanna, Hannah

Brother James Tennant to serve as executor.

Nearest of Kin listed on inventory: John Tennant, Elizabeth Tennant

Creditors: Jonah Worth, Henry Wallis

Theory: Based on comparison of dates, heirs listed, property mentioned (e.g. slave Jack) this Moses Tennant is the son of John Tennant and therefore the grandfather of Judge William Rayen of Youngstown, OH. Moses appears to have named his daughters for his sisters.

Maryland, U.S. Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1777, www.ancestry.com with images: Moses Tennant, Kenty County, Maryland. Wills Vol. 33-36, 1764-1768

In the Name of God, Amen, I Moses Tennant of Kent County in the Province of Maryland Boat Builder being sick and weal of body but of sound mind and memory (thanks be to God for the same) Do make and ordain this my last will and testament and desire it may be received as such.

Imprimis I give and bequath unto my son John Tennant the Reversion of half Lott in Town that was leased to Hugh (illegible) for thirty years or three ives I likewise give him all my working tools that belongs to Boat Building.

Item I give and bequeath unto my son Moses Tennant the plantation whreon I now dwell to him an dhis heirs lawfully begotten for ever but in case of wanting such an heir to pass immediately to my son William tennant to him and his heirs forever butt(ic) in case my son William should die without heir my will is that my son James Tennant should imediately(sic) after his brother William dies enjoy it him and his heirs forever my will and desire is that my two sons Moses and William Tennant shall each o fthem enjoy & have an equall(sic) plantation untill(sic) my son William comes to the age of thirty & then imediately(sic) to move of & give it up to his brothe rMoses. I likewise give and bequeath to my said sons Moses and William Tennant my negro Jack with these Plow (illegible) & tackling untill(sic) my son William comes to the age of thirty & moves of of the plantation and then my said son William to have said negro Jack with one half of the said horses & tack in but in case that the said Jack should die before the above

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mentioned time is expirage then my son Moses tennant to pay to my son William Tennant the sum of fifty pound curcy. & Imedially(sic) at his moving of the place I give and bequeath unto my said sons Moses and William Tennant one cow and calf, one breeding sow, two ewes, and my feather bed equally between them.

Item I give and bequeath unto my son James Tennant half oa Lott(sic) in Chester Town commonly known by the name of Number Nine to him and his heirs forever. I likewise will and bequeath to my son James all my drawing tools, wood, steel, brass and Iron - my will and desire is that my house and boat yard on Morgans Creek with the rest of my personal estate not mentioned in my will be apraised(sic) & equally divided amongst my four daughters Elizabeth, Sarah, Susana & Hannah.

Lastly I ordain and apoint(sic) my loving brother James Tennant executor of this my last will and testament as witness my hand and seal this 24 day of the 6th month 1757. Signed sealed and delivered by the said Moses Tennant as hi slast will and testament in the presence of us who were present at the signing and sealing thereof.

David his X mark Syllivant

David Sillavant

Joseph his X mark Tuckerman

Moses Tennant

Kent SS. on the fourteenth day of November 1766 David Syllivant, David Sillavat and Joseph Tuckerman being sworn on the Holy Evangels do say that they were present and did see the testator Moses Tennant sign and seal the foregoing instrument of writing and did hear him publish and declare the same to be his last will and testament and that at the same time he did apear(sic) to be of sound disposing mind that they did subscribe their names as witnesses thereto in the presence of the testator and at his request. Examined Sworn before B. Hand, D. Com. Kent.

Maryland, U.S., Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1777, www.ancestry.com with images: Moses Tennant, Inventory remarks: [note: ancestry attributes him with a list of slaves - this is in error. The slaves are clearly held by James McLachlan Esq. Deceased]

Desperate Debts

Margaret Barnett twenty shillings

Moses and William Tennant

Moses Tennant & William Tennant administrators of Moses Tennant being sworn on the Holy Evangelist do say that the foregoing is a true list of desperate debts of the deceased that hath come to their knowledge worn this 4th day of Feby 1769. D. Hands, D. C. Kent

Sperit? Debts on the Estate of Moses Tennant deceased

Peter Stear for years rent three pounds seventeen shillings

Moses Tennant & William Tennant administration of Moses tennant being sworn on the Holy Evangelist do say that the foregoing is a true list of (illegible) debts that hath come to their knowledge that if they shall receive any further sum of money or discover any other debts due they will declare the same, sworn this 4th day of February 1769. B. Hands, D. C. Kent

James Tennant

JAMES TENNANT/TENANT

Estate papers from Kent County, MD Volumes 4 page 222; Vol. 5 pages 368, 421; Vol. 5 page 442; Vol. 5 page 2. Will dated 22 Second Month 1765

Sarah Tennant, widow and executrix of estate. To have use of dwelling plantation during natural life

Children:

James Tennant, son. Dwelling plantation (unnamed, no location given) unless die without heirs then to deceased's oldest daughter Sarah

Notes: (cont.)

Sarah Tennant (oldest daughter to receive plantation) If die without heirs to the next oldest daughter, etc.

Balance of personal property, after decease of wife to be divided equally amongst daughters.

Others named:

Moses Tennent, (deceased owed him money) Also listed as "Nearest of Kin" along with Benjamin Riley

Hugh Wallace (Wallis?) also mentioned in the accounts

Inventory includes negroes named:

Dick (abt. 24 yrs old) (see John Tennant's Estate where his son James received

Negro boy called Dick)

Child called ? 2 yrs old

Rachel (about 20 years old)

Rachel's child called Isaac about 6 weeks old

Maryland, U.S. Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1777. Wills Vol. 33-36, 1764-1768, pages 128-129, www.ancestry.com with images:

In the Name of God, Amen, I James Tennant of Kent County in the province of Maryland cordwainer being sick and weak of body but of perfect mind and memory do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form as followeth - I give and Bequeath to my son James Tenant my dwelling plantation to him and his heirs forever but in case he should die without issue my will is that it shall go to my eldest daughter Sarah Tenant to her and her heirs and in case she should die without heirs to my next daughter & so on to the youngest. Item i give & bequeath unto my loving wife Sarah Tenant my dwelling plantation during her widowhood as also all my personal estate. Item i give and bequeath all my personal estate to be equally divided amongst my daughters after my wifes widowhood in testimony whereof I have herunto set my hand & seal this twenty second day of the second month 1765. James Tennant

Signed sealed published and declared in the presence of the word my between the sixth of seventh line interlined before signed (illegible) Banjn Riley, Hannah Warner, Mejure Stewart

At the same time Sarah Tenant the widow doth refuse to abide by the said will or any article thereof. D. Hands, Dep. C(illegible), Kent.

Kent SS onth e19th day of March 1765 Benjamin Riley, and Mejure Stewar being sworn on the holy Evangelist (illegible phrase) and Hannah Warner being one of the people called Quakers on her solemn affirmation do severally sa that they were present and did see James Tennant sign and seal the foregoing instrument of writing and did hear him publish and declare the same to be his last will and that they did write their names as witnesses thereto in the presence of the testator and at his request and in the presence of each other. Sworn & affirmed before. D. Hands, Dy. Com. Kent.

Inventories of Estates, Vol. 90-93, 1766-1767, Maryland, James Tennant, page 367:

A List of Debts Due to Ye Estate of James Tennant, Deceased [names mentioned, each with amounts written next to name, totalling 30 pounds 12 shillings 5 pence]:

Sarah Mulling

Alexander Kelly

Philip Warner

Moses Tennant

Lewis Welsh

William Parker

William Boots?

Sarah Jobson

Robert Hutcheson

james Welsh

Jacob Dulcones?

Able Chandler

Notes: (cont.)

Thomas Milburn
Henry Glafford
Jonathan Smith
William underhill
Barlus? Piner
James Graham
Sarah Wyal
Mary Nock
Jaes Nash
Moses Sullivan

Sarah Tennant, administrator.

QUESTION: Could this be John Tennant's brother? The time frame and mention of a Hugh Wallace (Wallis?) as well as a Moses Tennant in this case compared to John Tennant may be indicative of a family relationship.

Richard Tennant

Kent County, MD Register of Wills, vol. 4 page 255, vol. 3 page 314, vol. 4 page 18: Richard Tennant. Documents dated 7 October 1755, John Smith, administrator.

"□paid by this accountant to William (Rasin/Rajin, Rayen?) Sheriff of Kent County for the use of the Honble (honorable) Benjamin ----? And Daniel Dulaney esqur□."

Final Accounts and Inventory includes: Navigation books, 1 negro boy
Mentioned at bottom: Moses Tennant, James Tennant
Creditor list includes: Hugh Wallis

Question: Could this be the son of John and Elizabeth Tennant and therefore the great uncle of Judge William Rayen?

Sources:

- 1 Maryland, U.S., Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1777 (www.ancestry.com), Prerogative Court. wills, vol. 23-24, 1743-1746, page 422, John Tennant, will written 23 Sep 1743.
 - 2 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - John Tennant of Maryland, Volume 2 Page 228 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Will Written 23 September 1743 and probated 16 June 1744.
 - 3 Maryland, U.S., Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1777 (www.ancestry.com), Prerogative Court. wills, vol. 23-24, 1743-1746, page 422, John Tennant, will written 23 Sep 1743.
 - 4 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - John Tennant of Maryland, Volume 2 Page 228 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Elizabeth Tennant listed as widow of the deceased, also appointed executrix.
 - 5 Maryland, U.S., Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1777 (www.ancestry.com), Prerogative Court. wills, vol. 23-24, 1743-1746, page 422, John Tennant, will written 23 Sep 1743.
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Sources: (cont.)

- 6 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - Elizabeth Tennant of Kent County, MD. Vol. 4 page 307; Vol. 3 pages 117, 525. (Photocopy sent to Mahoning Valley Historical Society in 1997), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Bond dated 8 July 1748. Samuel Wallis serving as administrator, bonded along with John Wallis and John Hart. Samuel Wallis was Quaker.
- 7 New Jersey, U.S., Marriage Records, 1683-1802 (www.ancestry.com), Moses Tennant of Maryland and Rachel Siddon of Philadelphia, 3 June 1730 marriage license.
- 8 New Jersey, U.S., Marriage Records, 1670-1965 (www.ancestry.com), Rachael Siddon and Moses Tennant, 3 June 1730 Burlington, New Jersey. Film No. 007578629.
- 9 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - Moses Tennant of Kent County, MD (Photocopy sent to Mahoning Valley Historical Society in 1997), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Will written 24 June 1755 and probated 14 November 1766. Moses' brother James Tennant to serve as executor.
- 10 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - Moses Tennant of Kent County, MD (Photocopy sent to Mahoning Valley Historical Society in 1997), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 11 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - John Tennant of Maryland, Volume 2 Page 228 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Legacy: Moses Tennant (son) southern section of Deptford and Negro child Jack.
- 12 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), Sarah Tennant, baptised aged 10 months 10 days, birth ca. 1734. Baptism 21 aug 1735 Philadelphia, PA. Parents: Moses and Rachel Tennant.
- 13 New Jersey, U.S., Marriage Records, 1683-1802 (www.ancestry.com), Moses Tennant of Maryland and Rachel Siddon of Philadelphia, 3 June 1730 marriage license.
- 14 New Jersey, U.S., Marriage Records, 1670-1965 (www.ancestry.com), Rachael Siddon and Moses Tennant, 3 June 1730 Burlington, New Jersey. Film No. 007578629.
- 15 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), John tennant, 11 months, baptised 7 Jun 1731 to Moses and Rachel Tennant. Philadelphia, PA. Born ca. 1730.
- 16 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), Suannah Tennant, 2 years 3 months, baptised 17 May 1739 to Moses and Rachel Tennant. Philadelphia, PA. Born ca. 1737.
- 17 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), Sarah Tennant, baptised aged 10 months 10 days, birth ca. 1734. Baptism 21 aug 1735 Philadelphia, PA. Parents: Moses and Rachel Tennant.
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- 20 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), John tennant, 11 months, baptised 7 Jun 1731 to Moses and Rachel Tennant. Philadelphia, PA. Born ca. 1730.
- 21 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S., Church Records, 1709-1760 (www.ancestry.com), Suannah Tennant, 2 years 3 months, baptised 17 May 1739 to Moses and Rachel Tennant. Philadelphia, PA. Born ca. 1737.
- 22 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - James Tennant of Maryland. Vol. 4 page 222; Vol. 5 pages 368, 421, 442 and Vol. 5 page 2 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Will dated 22nd day of the second month 1765.
- 23 Maryland, U.S., Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1777 (www.ancestry.com), James Tennant, will dated 22 of second month 1765, proved 29 March 1765, Wills Vol. 33-36, 1764-1768.

Sources: (cont.)

- 24 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - John Tennant of Maryland, Volume 2 Page 228 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Legacy: James Tennant (son) northern section of Deptford. If has no legal heirs, then this tract revert to Moses Tennant's youngest son unnamed in will. Also received Negro boy called Dick and a young horse called Roan.
- 25 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - Moses Tennant of Kent County, MD (Photocopy sent to Mahoning Valley Historical Society in 1997), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Names his "loving brother James Tennant Executor of this my last will and testament...".
- 26 Maryland, U.S., Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1777 (www.ancestry.com), James Tennant, will dated 22 of second month 1765, proved 29 March 1765, Wills Vol. 33-36, 1764-1768.
- 27 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - James Tennant of Maryland. Vol. 4 page 222; Vol. 5 pages 368, 421, 442 and Vol. 5 page 2 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Sarah Tennant, widow and executrix of estate. To have use of dwelling plantation during her natural life.
- 28 Maryland, U.S., Wills and Probate Records, 1635-1777 (www.ancestry.com), James Tennant, will dated 22 of second month 1765, proved 29 March 1765, Wills Vol. 33-36, 1764-1768.
- 29 Register of Wills, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - Richard Tennant of Kent County, MD. Vol. 4 pages, 18, 255; Vol. 3 page 314. (Photocopy sent to Mahoning Valley Historical Society in 1997), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 30 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - John Tennant of Maryland, Volume 2 Page 228 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Legacy: Richard Tennant (son) Lot in Chester Town, Kent County, No. (13 24 ?) Also instruments and clothes not valued with personal estate.
- 31 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - John Tennant of Maryland, Volume 2 Page 228 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Elizabeth (daughter) to receive Negro man called Tom.
- 32 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - John Tennant of Maryland, Volume 2 Page 228 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Hannah (daughter) to receive Negro woman called Judith.
- 33 Register of Wills Office, Kent County, Maryland, Probate Estate File - John Tennant of Maryland, Volume 2 Page 228 (Photocopies received 14 May 1997. On file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Susannah (daughter) to receive Negro woman called Phyllis.

In the name of God, Amen.

I James Tennant of Kent County in the state of Maryland, being weak and infirm of body, but of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, considering the certainty of Death and the uncertainty of the time thereof and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs and thereby be better prepared to leave this world when it shall please God to call me hence do therefore make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following, that is to say first and principally I do commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God and my body to the earth to be decently buried after the ritual of the Protestant Episcopal Church, and after all my just debts and funeral charges are paid I devise and bequeath as follows, -
I give and bequeath to James Rayen, son of James T. Rayen and Julia Ann his wife the sum of One Thousand Dollars to be paid

of to him without interest after he shall have attained
the age of twenty one years but if he should die
before that time then I will that the said sum
of One Thousand Dollars be equally divided, share
and share alike, between the grandchildren of my two
sisters Sarah Kemney and Elizabeth A. Randall.

I give and devise to William Wallis, son of Hugh
Wallis and Margaret his wife Six Acres of land
lying on the North side of the public road leading
from the head of Chester River to Chester town
beginning at the beginning of the original tract
called "Deptford" to him and his heirs forever.

To my nephew William Rayen I give and devise
all the residue of my real estate being the farm
called "Deptford" lying and being situate in Kent
County, and a lot of Woodland in Queen Anne's
County, in the state of Maryland containing thirty
nine Acres more or less to him and to his heirs
forever—

To my said nephew William Rayen I give and
bequeath all my personal estate of every kind; and
lastly, from the great confidence, which I repose in
him I do hereby constitute and appoint him, my
said nephew William Rayen, to be sole executor of
my last will and testament without any security
whatsoever on his part making and annulling all

former wills, by me heretofore made, ratifying and
confirming this, and none other to be my last will
and Testament —

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set
my hand and affixed my seal this thirty first
day of ~~December~~ in the year of Our Lord One thousand
eight hundred and thirty six —

Signed, sealed published
and declared by James
Tennant, the above named
testator as and for his
last will and Testament
in the presence of us, who
at his request, in his presence
and in the presence of each
other have subscribed our names
as witnesses thereto.

Hugh Wallis
Thos Brooks
Stansbury Moffet

I also having considered the fitness of the said
William Rayen to act as guardian to the minor
James Rayen mentioned in the foregoing will do
further desire that he shall act as such, that he
shall take, keep, maintain and educate said
minor until he shall have arrived at the age of twenty
one years, at his, the said William Rayen's own proper cost &
charge, without diminishing in any wise the legacy herein
before bequeathed to the said Minor James Rayen.

Jo Tennant

I do hereby confirm and ratify this Codicil as a part of and an addition to my last will and testament as hereinbefore declared and published - In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Affixed my seal the day and year first above written -

Sign and seal in the presence of us as the Codicil to the last Will and Testament of James Stewart

Jas. Stewart

Hugh Wallis

Thos Brooks

Stansbury Moffatt

Book under 508 - 2nd

Read by Jas. Brown Rep. Will

Witness May 7 1840 James Stewart by Thos Brooks and Stansbury Moffatt

Chas. Stewart Will

1840

Maryland } On this 7 May 1840 personally appeared Hugh
Kent County } Wallis one of the subscribing witnesses to the within
will before me and made oath on the Holy Evangel of Almighty God
that he did see James Stewart the within named testator sign
and seal this will and that he heard him publish pronounce
and declare the same to be his last will and testament and at
the time of his so doing they believed him to possess a sound
disposing mind memory and understanding and that he together
with Thomas Brooks and Stansbury Moffatt signed this will
as witnesses at the request of the testator in his presence and
in the presence of each other Jas. H. Brown Rep. Will

Maryland } On this 3rd June 1840 personally appeared
Kent County } Thomas Brooks one of the subscribing witnesses to
the within will and codicil before me and made oath on the
Holy Evangel of Almighty God that he did see James Stewart
the within named testator sign and seal this will and codicil
to the will and that he heard him publish pronounce and
declare the same to be his last will and testament, as
also a codicil to his last will and testament, and at the
time of his so doing he believed him to possess a sound
disposing mind memory and understanding, and that he together
with Hugh Wallis and Stansbury Moffatt signed this will
and codicil as witnesses at the request of the testator in his
presence and in the presence of each other Jas. H. Brown Rep. Will

Know all men by these Presents, that we ^{of Ohio} William Rayen,
Hugh Wallis and John Mansfield

of Kent county and state of Maryland, are held and firmly bound unto the said State of Maryland, in the full and just sum of *Five thousand*

_____ dollars, current money of the State, to be paid to the said state to which payment well and truly to be made and done we do hereby bind ourselves and every of us, our and every of our heirs, executors and administrators, in the whole and for the whole, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated this *Seventh* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty*.

The condition of the above obligation is such, That if the above bounden *William Rayen* execut or of *James Tennant* late of Kent county, deceased, shall well and truly pay all just debts and claims against the said deceased, and all damages which shall be recovered against *him* as execut or afore said; and also, all legacies bequeathed by the last will and testament of the said *James Tennant* then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in law.

Signed sealed and delivered
in the presence of

J. M. Spencer

William Rayen



Hugh Wallis



John Mansfield

Seal

Part of the Estate of James Tennant of Kent County, Maryland

256 In the Name of God Amen I William Tennant of Kent
County in the Province of Maryland being Sane & of Body
and of perfect mind and Memory therefore calling to mind the Mortali-
ty of mans body and knowing that it is appointed for all men
once to dye & make and devise this my last will and Testament
and that in Manner and force following which is to say —
I Give and Bequeath unto my two Sons George and James
Tennant all my whole Right Title Claim and Interest of a Tract
or Part of Land called Middle Neck to be Equally Divided Among
the said Sons —
Then I Give and Bequeath unto my Son Daniel Tennant one hundred
Acres of Land called South Chance where my now Dwelling Place
is, with all Improvements and Appurtenances thereto
Belonging —
I Likewise now Give and Bequeath unto my beloved wife to be my
whole and sole Executrix of this my last will and Testament
that as to my Personal Estate I leave to be Equally Divided Be-
tween all my Children vizt George Daniel and James and
Anne Coover —
I do hereby utterly Revoke and Disannul all other wills by me in
any way made Concerning this and another to be my last
will and Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set
my hand and this twentieth day of September one thousand
seven hundred sixty & five —
Signed Subscribed and acknowledged to be the last
will and Testament of the within Wm.
Tennant Wm. Coover before us the Jurors
Witnesses —
Griffith Jones }
John Gale Junr } & Marshall Medford —
of August 1766. Griffith Jones & Marshall Medford being sworn or

the holy Evangelists do say that they did see the Testator written (257)
Cross sign and seal the foregoing Instrument of writing and did here-
after publish and deliver the same to be of Law and disposing mind that
they did Subscribe their names as witnesses thereto in the presence of
the Testator and all his Leguees and that John Gale had sworn
-sworn and did Subscribe his name in like manner —
and Elizabeth the wife and Executrix of the Testator being sworn
in like manner doth say that the same Instrument of writing
is the true and only will and Testament of William Tennant late of
Kent County Deceased that she hath come to her Right possession or
Possessions —
Sworn before B. Hands & Medford

In the Name of God Amen I Mps Tennant of Kent
County in the Province of Maryland being Sane & of Body
and of perfect mind & Memory therefore calling to mind the Mortali-
ty of mans body and knowing that it is appointed for all men
once to dye & make and devise this my last will and Testament & devise it away to them
as such —
I Give and Bequeath unto my Son John Tennant the Sum of
half dollar in Taxes that was due to Hugh Deal by thirty years or
there about I Likewise give him all my working Tools that belong to
Boat Building —
Then I Give & Bequeath unto my Son Mps Tennant the plantation
wherein I now dwell to him & his heirs lawfully Begotten forever but
because of wanting such an heir to poss. Immediately to my Son William
Tennant to have & his heirs for ever but in case my Son William should
die without heir my will is that my Son James Tennant should imme-
diately after his Brother Williams Death enjoy it him & his heirs forever my
will & devise is that my two Sons Mps & William Tennant should each
of them enjoy & have an Equal part plantation whilst my Son William
comes to the age of thirty & then Immediately to move of & give it up to
the

Will of Moses Tennant, page 257

259 The Brother Moses S. Schreiner gave & Bequeathed unto my said son Moses
and William Tennant my Negro Jack with three fellow Creatures a fellow & looking
untill my son William comes to the age of twenty & seven of the plantation
& then my said son William to have said Negro Jack with one half of the
house & kitchen but in case that the said Jack should die before the above
Mentioned time is expired then my son Moses Tennant to pay to my son
William Tennant the sum of fifty pounds hereinafter at his coming
of the place of the said Moses & Bequeathed unto my said son Moses & William Tennant
one £100 & half one shilling seven pence & my father said Equally between
them
Then Moses & Bequeathed unto my son James Tennant half a Letter Case
his seven hundred shillings by the name of number seven to him & his
seven pence S. Schreiner with & Bequeathed to my son James all my house
and tools wood that he has & seven
My will & desire is that my house & Boat good in Morgan's Creek with
the tent of my Son's wife be not mentioned in my will be appraised &
Cognately David amongst my four Daughters Elizabeth Sarah Rebecca &
Ann each to receive & appoint my loving Brother James Tennant
Executor of this my last will & Testament as witness my hand and
seal this 26th day of the 6th month 1786
Signed sealed and Delivered by the said Moses Tennant as his last
will & Testament in the presence of us who were present all the time
writing & sealing thereof
David's Testament
David Tennant
Joseph's Testament
Joseph Tennant
And I the said David Tennant and Joseph Tennant being sworn on the holy Evangelists do say that they were present and did see the
said Moses Tennant sign and seal the foregoing Instrument of
Writing and did hear him publish and declare the same to be his last
will and Testament and that all the same time he did appear to be of
sound disposing mind

260 sound disposing mind that they did subscribe their names as witnesses
therein in the presence of the Testator and all his nearest
relatives before
B. Hands Deft. Court Clerk
In the Name of God Amen bearing the 26th 1786 William M. Schreiner
being sick in body but of sound and perfect Memory and calling to mind the
necessity of all flesh do therefore Commend my soul into the hands of God
who gave it, and as for my body I leave it to be buried in decency and order
I shall think fit when I hereafter stand
and as for my worldly Goods I desire that all my just debts may be paid as far
as I shall have ability
and what ever is over after the said Bequeathed to my Daughter Elizabeth and
Sally if the 6th child dies before the issue of age I will it to my son George
Clark
Then I bequeathed and devise my well beloved friend George Clark my wife
and her Executor of this my last will and Testament her heirs and
assigns
In the presence of
Matthew Hargel
Sarah Gordon Dill
I the said Matthew Hargel and Sarah Gordon Dill being sworn on the holy Evangelists do say
that they were present and did see the Testator sign and seal the foregoing
Instrument of Writing and did hear him publish and declare the same
to be his last will and Testament all which time he did appear to be of
sound disposing mind and that they subscribe their names as witnesses
therein in the presence of the Testator and all his nearest relatives before
the Executor being sworn do say that the same writing is
the true and only last will and Testament of William M. Schreiner (all of which
I solemnly swear that both come to his hands possession in knowledge
I was before
B. Hands Deft. Court Clerk

Will of Moses Tennant, pages 259-260

Register Report for James Rayen and Clarissa Porter

Generation 1

1. **JAMES¹ RAYEN¹⁻³** was born on 05 Mar 1797 in Maryland^{2, 4}. He died in Jun 1860 in Pennsylvania². He married Clarissa E. Porter on 05 Mar 1822 in Youngstown, OH⁴⁻⁸. She was born on 26 Jul 1798 in Connecticut³.

More About James Rayen:

Emigration: 1806 in Ohio²

Residence: 1854 in Wolfcreek Township, Mercer County, PA⁹

Notes for James Rayen:

1860 Federal Census, Series M653 Roll 1140 page 946. Henderson Post Office, Worth Township, Mercer County, PA, enumerated 19 September 1860:

Rayen, James age 63, Male, White, Born MD, Farmer, 1900, 465

Rayen, Clarissa age 62, female, white, born CT

Rayen, Philo age 25, male, white, born OH, farmer

Rayen, Clarissa age 17, female, white, born OH

James Rayen and Clarissa E. Porter had the following children:

2. i. **MARGARET A.² RAYEN^{2, 10}** was born on 24 Jan 1823 in Youngstown, Trumbull County, OH². She married **WILLIAM KNOX**. He was born in 1812 in Mifflin County, PA¹¹. He died on 08 Jun 1873 in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH¹¹.
3. ii. **CLARISSA RAYEN¹²** was born on 11 Jan 1843 in Boardman, Mahoning County, OH¹³⁻¹⁴. She married William Penn McCullough on 13 Apr 1865⁴.
- iii. **PHILO RAYEN¹⁵** was born in 1835 in Ohio¹⁶. He died on 24 Aug 1862¹⁷.
- iv. **JAMES RAYEN¹⁸** was born in 1836 in Ohio¹⁹. He married **FRANCES**. She was born in 1836 in Pennsylvania¹⁹.
- v. ? RAYEN.
- vi. ? RAYEN.
- vii. ? RAYEN.

Generation 2

2. **MARGARET A.² RAYEN** (James¹)^{2, 10} was born on 24 Jan 1823 in Youngstown, Trumbull County, OH². She married **WILLIAM KNOX**. He was born in 1812 in Mifflin County, PA¹¹. He died on 08 Jun 1873 in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH¹¹.

More About William Knox:

Emigration: 1823 in Ohio¹¹

Occupation: blacksmith¹¹

William Knox and Margaret A. Rayen had the following children:

- i. **CYRUS³ KNOX¹⁰⁻¹¹**.
- ii. **LOIS E. KNOX¹⁰⁻¹¹**.
- iii. **ANNA L. KNOX¹⁰⁻¹¹**.
- iv. **ELIZA KNOX¹⁰⁻¹¹**.
- v. **IDA C. KNOX¹⁰⁻¹¹**.
- vi. **GRANT KNOX¹⁰⁻¹¹**.
3. **CLARISSA² RAYEN** (James¹)¹² was born on 11 Jan 1843 in Boardman, Mahoning County, OH¹³⁻¹⁴. She married William Penn McCullough on 13 Apr 1865⁴.

William Penn McCullough and Clarissa Rayen had the following children:

Generation 2 (cont.)

- 4. i. ?³ MCCULLOUGH¹³.
- ii. ? MCCULLOUGH¹³.
- iii. ? MCCULLOUGH¹³.
- iv. ? MCCULLOUGH¹³.
- v. ? MCCULLOUGH¹³.
- vi. ? MCCULLOUGH¹³.

Generation 3

- 4. ?³ MCCULLOUGH (Clarissa² Rayen, James¹ Rayen, William Penn)¹³.

 ? McCullough had the following child:

- i. HAZEL⁴ MCCULLOUGH¹³. She married PAUL LOWMAN.

Sources

- 1 Mahoning County, OH Probate Court, Mahoning County, Ohio - Probate Estate Case File #469 William Rayen (Original file available at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, James Rayen formerly of Youngstown, now of Mercer County, PA and his wife were granted the farm on which they reside in Wolfcreek Township, Mercer County, PA, the same being conveyed to William Rayen (dec'd) by Alex. S. Kyle, and then to any of their children.
- 2 History of Trumbull and Mahoning Counties - Entry for William Knox (Cleveland, OH: H. Z. Williams and Bro., 1882 Volume I, pages 457-458), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Margaret A. Rayen, born in Youngstown, 24 January, 1823 a daughter of James Rayen a native of Maryland born 5 March 1797, to Ohio in 1806 who married Clarissa Porter in 1822. James and Clarissa had seven children. James Rayen died June 1860, PA.
- 3 Hazel Lowman and Shirley Balint. Lowman's letter was sent to Patricia Cummins, MVHS Director. Balint's letter was sent to Pamela L. Pletcher, MVHS Archivist, Letters written to Mahoning Valley Historical Society from Hazel Lowman (undated) and her daughter Shirley Balint (10/25/1996) (unpublished. Hazel Lowman, 1175 Lowman Road, RD4, Indiana, PA 15701. Shirley Balint, 300 Lowman Road, Indiana, PA 15701. Mahoning Valley Historical Society Collections), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Letters mention that James Rayen was a nephew of Judge William Rayen. According to these writers the Judge took James in after his family perished in Maryland. According to Shirley Balint's letter the Judge's father had built a new brick house and the famiy had moved in prior to the plaster being completely dry. James was spared as he was visiting the Judge at the time. Hazel Lowman's letter conveys it in this manner, "...nephew of Judge Rayen, James Rayen, an orphan whom the Judge reared following the sudden death of his parents family in their home in Maryland. James was visiting his uncle when the family moved into a new brick home and all were found dead int he morning of a sudden type of pneumonia! We feel it must have been from carbon monoxide in an unventilated house."
- 4 Hazel Lowman and Shirley Balint. Lowman's letter was sent to Patricia Cummins, MVHS Director. Balint's letter was sent to Pamela L. Pletcher, MVHS Archivist, Letters written to Mahoning Valley Historical Society from Hazel Lowman (undated) and her daughter Shirley Balint (10/25/1996) (unpublished. Hazel Lowman, 1175 Lowman Road, RD4, Indiana, PA 15701. Shirley Balint, 300 Lowman Road, Indiana, PA 15701. Mahoning Valley Historical Society Collections), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.

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- 6 Unknown, Handwritten transcription, Handwritten Note - marriage of James Rayen and Clarissa Porter (James L. Wick, Jr. Builders of Youngstown "William Rayen 1802" File. Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, "Quarter Session Record Vol. I page 211 James Rayen married Clarissa E. Porter, 5 March 1822 by Asa Baldwin. Recorded 15 March 1822 George Parsons, Clerk."
- 7 Roberta Graves Hyde, Sally Bloomfield Mazer, Barbara Houser Layfield, Trumbull County Ohio Marriage Record Index One Hundred Years 1800-1900 (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1998), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 528. "Rayen, James and Porter, Clarissa E. of Boardman m 5 Mar 1822 by Asa Baldwin JP (L 1816-22 p218) (QS/211).
- 8 Ohio, County Marriages 1790-1950 (www.familysearch.org), Entry for James Rayen and Clarissa E. Porter with illustration of original record. Asa Baldwin, Justice of the Peace.
- 9 Mahoning County, OH Probate Court, Mahoning County, Ohio - Probate Estate Case File #469 William Rayen (Original file available at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 10 Mahoning County, OH Civil Court, Mahoning County, Ohio - Civil Court File #940 William Knox, 1874 (Original file available at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Administrator of William Knox's will and estate was John M. Osborn. Margaret A. King is listed as being the widow of William Knox. Minor children listed as: Grant Knox, Ida Knox, Eliza Knox. Remainder are listed as heirs: (Stiumts?) Knox, Clark Knox, Frank Knox, Robert Knox, Annie Knox, Lois Knox, Cyrus Knox, Martha Knox.
- 11 History of Trumbull and Mahoning Counties - Entry for William Knox (Cleveland, OH: H. Z. Williams and Bro., 1882 Volume I, pages 457-458), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 12 Hazel Lowman and Shirley Balint. Lowman's letter was sent to Patricia Cummins, MVHS Director. Balint's letter was sent to Pamela L. Pletcher, MVHS Archivist, Letters written to Mahoning Valley Historical Society from Hazel Lowman (undated) and her daughter Shirley Balint (10/25/1996) (unpublished. Hazel Lowman, 1175 Lowman Road, RD4, Indiana, PA 15701. Shirley Balint, 300 Lowman Road, Indiana, PA 15701. Mahoning Valley Historical Society Collections), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, "...my grandmother Clarissa Rayen was born in Boardman January 11, 1843. She married William McCullough Mercer Co. PA April 13, 1865. They were parents of six sons, all married with many children..." Shirley Balint refers to Clarissa as a "grandneice of Judge Rayen."
- 13 Hazel Lowman and Shirley Balint. Lowman's letter was sent to Patricia Cummins, MVHS Director. Balint's letter was sent to Pamela L. Pletcher, MVHS Archivist, Letters written to Mahoning Valley Historical Society from Hazel Lowman (undated) and her daughter Shirley Balint (10/25/1996) (unpublished. Hazel Lowman, 1175 Lowman Road, RD4, Indiana, PA 15701. Shirley Balint, 300 Lowman Road, Indiana, PA 15701. Mahoning Valley Historical Society Collections), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, "...my grandmother Clarissa Rayen was born in Boardman January 11, 1843. She married William McCullough Mercer Co. PA April 13, 1865. They were parents of six sons, all married with many children..."

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- 19 U. S. Federal Census, 1860 Federal Census - Series M653 Roll 1140. Worth Township, Mercer County, PA (Heritage Quest Online), 941.

Register Report for James Rayen and Nathaniel Simonds guardian

Generation 1

1. **JAMES¹ RAYEN¹⁻⁷** was born on 11 Feb 1827 in Venango County, Pennsylvania⁸⁻¹¹. He died on 14 Feb 1911 in Austintown Township, Mahoning County, OH¹²⁻¹⁴. He married Rachel Louisa Templeton on 18 Aug 1853 in Trumbull County, OH¹⁵⁻¹⁶. She was born about 1832¹⁷. She died on 03 Nov 1909¹⁸.

More About James Rayen:

Burial: 16 Feb 1911 in Cornersburg Cemetery, Mahoning County, OH⁴, ¹⁹

Cause Of Death: paralytic stroke and La Grippe⁴

Occupation: farmer⁴

Notes for James Rayen:

Mahoning Dispatch, Friday 17 Feb 1911: "Neighborhood News - James Rayen, aged 84 years, died Tuesday morning of paralysis at his home at Four-Mile-Run in Austintown township.

Funeral services were held from the family home Thursday afternoon."

James Rayen and Rachel Louisa Templeton had the following children:

- i. **LUCIUS LOREN² RAYEN²⁰⁻²¹** was born on 09 Mar 1854 in Champion, Trumbull County, OH²⁰. He died on 11 Mar 1937 in Austintown Township, Mahoning County, OH²⁰. He married Margaret Luella Miller, daughter of J. A. Miller and Maria Dustman, on 22 Sep 1909 in Mahoning County, OH²². She was born in 1867²³.

More About Lucius Loren Rayen:
Cause Of Death: em? prostate, influenza²⁰
Occupation: farmer²⁰
 - ii. ? RAYEN²⁴ was born on 28 Nov 1869 in Girard, Trumbull County, OH²⁵.
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 - iii. **HARRY KEY RAYEN^{8, 26-28}** was born on 28 Nov 1870 in Girard, Trumbull County, OH^{2, 29}. He died in 1960³⁰⁻³¹. He married Caddie Ann Kyle on 05 Sep 1894².
 - iv. ? RAYEN.

Generation 2

2. **HARRY KEY² RAYEN** (James¹)^{8, 26-28} was born on 28 Nov 1870 in Girard, Trumbull County, OH^{2, 29}. He died in 1960³⁰⁻³¹. He married Caddie Ann Kyle on 05 Sep 1894².

More About Harry Key Rayen:

Occupation: Superintendant of Schools of Youngstown Township²⁹

Notes for Harry Key Rayen:

United States Federal Census, 1920. Film No. 1821415, Image 809, Sheet No. 10. Mahoning County, Ohio. www.familysearch.org

H. K. Rayen, 49

Caddie Rayen, 44

Doris Rayen, 22

James Rayen, 12

James P. Carroll, 24

Marion Carroll, 24

Marion L. Carroll, 7 months

United States Federal Census, 1930. Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH. Series T626 Roll 1846 image 899. www.familysearch.org

Harry K. Rayen, 59

Caddie Rayen, 54

James W. Rayen, 22

Marion R. Carroll, 33

Marion R. Carroll, 10

Generation 2 (cont.)

Harry Key Rayen and Caddie Ann Kyle had the following children:

3. i. MARION³ RAYEN^{2, 8} was born in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH²⁸. She died in 1977 in 212 N. Ware Drive, West Palm Beach, FL²⁸. She married JAMES CARROLL.
4. ii. JAMES WENDELL RAYEN^{2, 8, 28} was born on 04 Jan 1908³². He died on 16 May 1990 in Scottsdale, Maricopa, Arizona, USA³³. He married Marjorie Wilson, daughter of Archibald C. Wilson, on 18 Nov 1933.
5. iii. ? RAYEN^{2, 8}. She married WALTER W. STRAND.

Generation 3

3. MARION³ RAYEN (Harry Key², James¹)^{2, 8} was born in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH²⁸. She died in 1977 in 212 N. Ware Drive, West Palm Beach, FL²⁸. She married JAMES CARROLL.

James Carroll and Marion Rayen had the following child:

- i. MARION⁴ CARROLL²⁸. She married ? OWEN.
4. JAMES WENDELL³ RAYEN (Harry Key², James¹)^{2, 8, 28} was born on 04 Jan 1908³². He died on 16 May 1990 in Scottsdale, Maricopa, Arizona, USA³³. He married Marjorie Wilson, daughter of Archibald C. Wilson, on 18 Nov 1933.

More About James Wendell Rayen:

Social Security Number: 292-10-7365³⁴

James Wendell Rayen and Marjorie Wilson had the following child:

- i. JAMES WILSON⁴ RAYEN^{2, 28}.
5. ?³ RAYEN (Harry Key², James¹)^{2, 8}. She married WALTER W. STRAND.

Walter W. Strand and ? Rayen had the following child:

- i. WILLIAM RAYEN⁴ STRAND^{2, 28}.

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- 2 Obituary - H. K. Rayen (James L. Wick, Jr. Builders of Youngstown "William Rayen 1802" File. Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 3 Obituary - Sarah Rayen (Vindicator, 9 June 1882 page 5. Builders of Youngstown File "William Rayen 1802" Mahoning Valley Historical Society Collections), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, "Mrs. Sarah Rayen, widow of John Rayen, died Wednesday morning at the house of her daughter, Mrs. Benjamin Leath, near Girard. Her age was 83 years. She was the mother of Mrs. Margaret R. Parmlee and Miss Jane Rayen of Cleveland, Miss Florence Rayen of this city and William James and Joseph Rayen of Girard."
- 4 State of Ohio, Mahoning County, Death Certificate - James Rayen. #10175 State of Ohio. Informant: Fred M. Orr (Website: <http://labs.familysearch.org>), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society.
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- 6 Ohio, County Marriages 1790-1950 (www.familysearch.org), entry for Lucius Loren Rayen and Margaret Luella Miller.
- 7 United States, Federal Census, 1850. Champion District, Trumbull County, Ohio. (www.familysearch.org), Film No. 444726, Digital GS No. 4093960, Image 00229. Dwelling #66 Family #67 Household of John Rayen.

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- 9 State of Ohio, Mahoning County, Death Certificate - James Rayen. #10175 State of Ohio. Informant: Fred M. Orr (Website: <http://labs.familysearch.org>), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, provides date of birth, place given as Pennsylvania.
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- 11 Contributed by Jennifer L. Neff, 29 Aug 2009, Findagrave Entry for James Rayen #41288136 (www.findagrave.com).
- 12 Etta M. Kyle. Etta M. Kyle Collection #26, Box 6, Notebook - Etta M. Kyle (Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, provides date of death, supposedly aged 84 years.
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- 17 Etta M. Kyle. Etta M. Kyle Collection #26, Box 6, Notebook - Etta M. Kyle (Mahoning Valley Historical Society), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, age given at death as 77 years.
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- 19 Contributed by Jennifer L. Neff, 29 Aug 2009, Findagrave Entry for James Rayen #41288136 (www.findagrave.com), Row 19 of cemetery.
- 20 State of Ohio, Mahoning County, Death Certificate - Lucius L. Rayen. #20180 State of Ohio. Informant: Margaret Miller Rayen (website: <http://labs.familysearch.org>), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society.
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- 25 Rosemary Stroup Grayson, Roberta Graves Hyde, Barbara Houser Layfield, Trumbull County Ohio Birth Records, 1867-1908. (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 2002), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, "R" entries.

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- 28 Clipping - "Mrs. James Carroll Dies; Member of Rayen Family." (Vindicator, June 9, 1977 page 52. Builders of Youngstown "William Rayen 1802" file. Mahoning Valley Historical Society Collections), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
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Register Report for Michael Rayen

Generation 1

1. **MICHAEL¹ RAYEN¹**. He married Caroline Fitch on 02 Oct 1822 in Youngstown, OH²⁻³.

Sources

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- 3 Roberta Graves Hyde, Sally Bloomfield Mazer, Barbara Houser Layfield, Trumbull County Ohio Marriage Record Index One Hundred Years 1800-1900 (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1998), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 528. "Rayen, Michael and Fitch, Caroline m 5 Oct 1822 by Samuel Bryson JP; rd Youngstown (QS/227)".

Register Report for William C. Rayen

Generation 1

1. **WILLIAM C.¹ RAYEN¹⁻²** was born about 1852³. He married Minnie Soule on 23 Oct 1876 in Trumbull County, OH⁴.

Sources

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Register Report for William Rayen, Jr.

Generation 1

1. **WILLIAM¹ RAYEN JR.** ¹⁻². He died about 1854³⁻⁶.

More About William Rayen Jr.:

d: Bef. 1854⁶⁻⁸

Sources

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- 2 William Rayen, handwritten entry, Daybook of William Rayen, 1805-1843. [acc. no. 959] (unpublished, Mahoning Valley Historical Society Collections), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, "James Rayen died Jan 11, '13; Susannah Rayen, born March 10, 1807; William Rayen born Sept. 25, 1808; James Tennant Rayen born Nov 28, 1810; The above data handed me by Mariah Rayen April 17, 1814. William Rayen" Following this section are the following entries "Susannah T. Rayen died Sept. 4, 1825; Henry Hoyt, Esq. Saint Charles Adm Estate of James Rayen."
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- 7 Mahoning County, OH Civil Court, Mahoning County, Ohio - Probate Estate Case File #475 William Rayen, Jr. (Original file available at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Youngstown, OH 1854 Joseph G. Henry, administrator. W. G. Moore and R. J. Powers also named in the packet. With the death of William Rayen, Sr. (see Case File #171) there was need for a new administrator for the estate.

Sources (cont.)

8 Mahoning County, OH Civil Court, Mahoning County, Ohio - Probate Estate Case File #171 William Rayen, Jr. (Original file available at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, William Rayen, Sr. named as administrator. Tax receipt for Town Lot #16 in Youngstown. 1854 appraisers named: Norman Andrews, Joseph Barclay, John Stambaugh. Accounts of 1854 mentions William S. Parmele, James McEwen, David Tod. Will was written near Pulaski, PA for William Rayen "He wishes when dead to be laid by the side of his dear Aunt who was always more than a mother to him..." "He leaves all in the charge of his Uncle William Rayen and he can keep it himself (and?) dispose of it to James or Margaret or to any Benevolent Institution or any other way he may think proper..." witnessed by T. Woodbridge and Isaac Barclay. Sureties were Francis Barclay, Joseph G. Henry, Justice of the Peace. An account sheet mentions William Rayen, Jr. with Hebron Lodge #55 dated 1854.

Register Report for William Rayne

Generation 1

1. **WILLIAM¹ RAYNE**¹⁻². He married Eliza Reiter on 04 Oct 1855 in Trumbull County, OH³.

William Rayne and Eliza Reiter had the following child:

- i. **WILLIAM² RAYEN**⁴ was born on 18 Oct 1868 in Michigan⁴. He died on 09 Jun 1914 in Cleveland, Cuyahoga County, OH⁴.

More About William Rayen:

Burial: 11 Jun 1914 in Brooklyn Heights⁴

Cause Of Death: bronchiopneumonia⁴

Occupation: steam fitter⁴

Sources

- 1 Roberta Graves Hyde, Sally Bloomfield Mazer, Barbara Houser Layfield, Trumbull County Ohio Marriage Record Index One Hundred Years 1800-1900 (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1998), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 528.
- 2 State of Ohio, Mahoning County, Death Certificate - William Rayen. #32853 State of Ohio. Informant: Mrs. Elizabeth Ray (website: <http://labs.familysearch.org>), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, name given as William H. Rayen.
- 3 Roberta Graves Hyde, Sally Bloomfield Mazer, Barbara Houser Layfield, Trumbull County Ohio Marriage Record Index One Hundred Years 1800-1900 (Trumbull County Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, 1998), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, 528. "Rayne, William and Reiter, Eliza of Weathersfield m 4 Oct 1855 by John Campbell JP (L 1850-58 p489) (5/246)".
- 4 State of Ohio, Mahoning County, Death Certificate - William Rayen. #32853 State of Ohio. Informant: Mrs. Elizabeth Ray (website: <http://labs.familysearch.org>), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society.

Register Report of Alexander Briscoe

Generation 1

1. **ALEXANDER¹ BRISCOE¹**. He married **MARY**.

Alexander Briscoe and Mary had the following children:

2. i. **MARIA² BRISCOE²**. She died before 1834¹. She married **JAMES RAYEN**.
3. ii. **CALEB BRISCOE¹**. He died before 1834¹. He married **JULIA**.
4. iii. **MARTHA BRISCOE¹**. She died before 1834¹. She married **JOHN ROCHESTER**.
5. iv. **ALEXANDER BRISCOE¹**. He died before 1834¹. He married **MARY**.
- v. **BENJAMIN BRISCOE¹**.
- vi. **JAMES BRISCOE¹**. He married **MARY**.
6. vii. **DAVID BRISCOE¹**. He died before 1834¹.

Generation 2

2. **MARIA² BRISCOE** (Alexander¹)². She died before 1834¹. She married **JAMES RAYEN**.

James Rayen and Maria Briscoe had the following children:

- i. **JAMES T.³ RAYEN¹**.
- ii. **WILLIAM T. RAYEN¹**.

3. **CALEB² BRISCOE** (Alexander¹)¹. He died before 1834¹. He married **JULIA**.

Caleb Briscoe and Julia had the following children:

- i. **MARY MARIA³ BRISCOE¹**.
- ii. **GEORGE A. BRISCOE¹**.
- iii. **ARAMINTA BRISCOE¹**.
- iv. **HENRIETTA BRISCOE¹**.

4. **MARTHA² BRISCOE** (Alexander¹)¹. She died before 1834¹. She married **JOHN ROCHESTER**.

John Rochester and Martha Briscoe had the following child:

- i. **WILLIAM³ ROCHESTER¹**.

5. **ALEXANDER² BRISCOE** (Alexander¹)¹. He died before 1834¹. He married **MARY**.

Alexander Briscoe and Mary had the following children:

- i. **SARAH A.³ BRISCOE¹**. She married **DIXON S. MIERS**.
- ii. **MARY J. BRISCOE¹**. She married **FRANCIS W. BALJOINER**.
- iii. **MARTHA M. BRISCOE¹**. She married **GEORGE L. STEPHENS**.
- iv. **JOHN G. BRISCOE¹**.
- v. **ALEXANDER BRISCOE¹**.

6. **DAVID² BRISCOE** (Alexander¹)¹. He died before 1834¹.

David Briscoe had the following children:

- i. **MARY ROSETTA³ BRISCOE¹**. She married **THOMAS S. WELCH**.
- ii. **SARAH JANE BRISCOE¹**. She married **JOHN MILWARD**.
- iii. **MARIA LOUISA BRISCOE¹**.

Sources

- 1 photocopies of Maryland documents relating to sale of lands known as Ringgold Manor, of Mary Briscoe, Kent County, Maryland, 1834, Correspondence - Ellen E. Young to Pamela L. Speis 25 May 2007 with enclosures.

Sources (cont.)

2 photocopies of Maryland documents relating to sale of lands known as Ringgold Manor, of Mary Briscoe, Kent County, Maryland, 1834, Correspondence - Ellen E. Young to Pamela L. Speis 25 May 2007 with enclosures, Maria Briscoe listed as being a child of Mary Briscoe and "intermarried with a certain James Rayen, and died intestate, leaving the said James T. Rayen and William T. Rayen her children and heirs at law."

Register Report of James McEwen

Generation 1

1. **JAMES¹ MCEWEN¹** was born in 1799 in Elkton, Cecil County, Maryland¹. He died in 1872¹⁻². He married **MARY E. FITCH**. She was born in New York City, NY¹.

More About James McEwen:

Residence: Bef. 1836 in Western Pennsylvania¹

Residence: 1836 in Youngstown, Trumbull County, OH¹

Occupation: cooper¹

Occupation: engineer for PA and Ohio Canal, serving also as superintendant and later as president¹

James McEwen and Mary E. Fitch had the following children:

- i. **JAMES HARRIS² MCEWEN¹⁻³** was born on 13 Oct 1842 in Youngstown, Trumbull County, OH¹. He married Florence Rayen, daughter of John Rayen and Sally Porter, on 22 Feb 1883^{1,3}. She was born on 23 Oct 1845 in Champion, Trumbull County, OH⁴⁻⁷. She died on 04 Feb 1912 in Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH⁸⁻⁹.

More About James Harris McEwen:

Occupation: Bookkeeper for Mahoning County Bank¹

Occupation: Secretary and Teller for Youngstown Savings and Loan Assoc. which became Mahoning National Bank in 1877. Served as cashier until 1908. President from 1908-1910¹

More About Florence Rayen:

Residence: 1912 in 534 Bryson Street, Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH¹⁰

Burial: 07 Feb 1912 in Oak Hill Cemetery, Youngstown, Mahoning County, OH¹¹

Cause Of Death: carcinoma of stomach¹²

Occupation: teacher at Rayen School⁸

- ii. **MARY MCEWEN¹⁻²**. She married **JOHN MCCURDY**.

More About John McCurdy:

Occupation: Doctor¹

- iii. **JOHN FITCH MCEWEN¹⁻²**. He died in 1898¹.

Sources

- 1 Butler, Joseph G., Jr., History of Youngstown and the Mahoning Valley, Ohio - Entry for James McEwen (Chicago: American Historical Society, 1921, Volume III, pages 501-502), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 2 Mahoning County, OH Civil Court, Mahoning County, Ohio - Probate Estate Case File #1631 James McEwen (Original file available at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Sureties: J. H. McEwen, J. F. McEwen and John McCurdy as principal and William S. Parmele. Robert McCurdy as sureties, dated 16 Oct 1872. Will names executors as "my sons" James Harris McEwen, John Fitch McEwen, and his son-in-law Dr. John McCurdy (married to Mary S. McEwen also named in the will). Will dated 7 March 1872. Robert W. McCurdy acted as one of the witnesses.
- 3 Ellen Erdmann Young sent photocopy to MVHS 4 April 1996, Letter written by Frank L. Stewart II to Ellen Erdmann Young, 18 December 1995 (unpublished. Frank Stewart, Arlington Heights, Illinois), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.
- 4 Transcript of article, Obituary - Florence Rayen McEwen (Vindicator, 5 February 1912. Builders of Youngstown File "William Rayen 1802" Mahoning Valley Historical Society Collections), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, Gives date of birth and death, marriage to J. Harris McEwen and parentage "daughter of John and Sallie Rayen, her father having been a half brother to Judge William Rayen."

Sources (cont.)

- 5 Ellen Erdmann Young sent photocopy to MVHS 4 April 1996, Letter written by Frank L. Stewart II to Ellen Erdmann Young, 18 December 1995 (unpublished. Frank Stewart, Arlington Heights, Illinois), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502, gives date as 3 October 1845.
- 6 State of Ohio Bureau of Vital Statistics, Death Certificate #10327 Florence McEwen (www.familysearch.org), aged 66 years 3 months 12 days. Informant was J. H. McEwen.
- 7 United States, Federal Census, 1850. Champion District, Trumbull County, Ohio. (www.familysearch.org), Film No. 444726, Digital GS No. 4093960, Image 00229. Dwelling #66 Family #67 Household of John Rayen.
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Register Report of Jedediah Dewey

Generation 1

1. **JEDEDIAH¹ DEWEY** was born on 11 Apr 1714 in Westfield, MA. He died on 21 Dec 1778 in Bennington, VT. He married (1) **MINDWELL HAYDEN** on 04 Aug 1736. He married (2) **BETTY BUCK** on 20 Feb 1761.

Jedediah Dewey and Mindwell Hayden had the following child:

2.
 - i. **ELDAD² DEWEY** was born on 12 Aug 1747 in Westfield, MA. He died on 31 Jul 1821 in Bennington, VT. He married Mary Tilden on 16 Feb 1774.

Generation 2

2. **ELDAD² DEWEY** (Jedediah¹) was born on 12 Aug 1747 in Westfield, MA. He died on 31 Jul 1821 in Bennington, VT. He married Mary Tilden on 16 Feb 1774.

Eldad Dewey and Mary Tilden had the following child:

3.
 - i. **JEDEDIAH³ DEWEY** was born on 08 May 1794 in Bennington, VT. He died on 31 Mar 1864 in Bennington, VT. He married (1) **HANNAH ELDREDGE** on 22 Sep 1825. He married (2) **MARY KINSLEY** on 30 Jan 1857.

Generation 3

3. **JEDEDIAH³ DEWEY** (Eldad², Jedediah¹) was born on 08 May 1794 in Bennington, VT. He died on 31 Mar 1864 in Bennington, VT. He married (1) **HANNAH ELDREDGE** on 22 Sep 1825. He married (2) **MARY KINSLEY** on 30 Jan 1857.

Jedediah Dewey and Hannah Eldredge had the following child:

4.
 - i. **CHARLES EDWARD⁴ DEWEY** was born on 29 Nov 1826 in Bennington, VT. He died on 02 Dec 1912 in Bennington, VT. He married Martha Hamlin on 05 Feb 1857.

Generation 4

4. **CHARLES EDWARD⁴ DEWEY** (Jedediah³, Eldad², Jedediah¹) was born on 29 Nov 1826 in Bennington, VT. He died on 02 Dec 1912 in Bennington, VT. He married Martha Hamlin on 05 Feb 1857.

Charles Edward Dewey and Martha Hamlin had the following child:

- i. **MARY LOUISE⁵ DEWEY¹** was born on 13 Dec 1857 in Bennington, VT. She married Charles Ferrand Merrill on 01 Oct 1886.

Sources

- 1 Rose M. Morrissey (Mrs. Francis), Bennington, Vermont 05201, Letter from Rose M. Morrissey to Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 27 July 1970 (unpublished. Mahoning Valley Historical Society Builders of Youngstown "William Rayen 1802" file), Mahoning Valley Historical Society, 648 Wick Avenue, Youngstown, OH 44502.

Register Report of John F. Rayen

Generation 1

1. **JOHN F.¹ RAYEN¹**. He married **ALICE MOORE**.

John F. Rayen and Alice Moore had the following child:

- i. **ALICE N.² RAYEN¹** was born in 1895 in Kansas City, Michigan¹. She married Stanley Bradford Sweet, son of B. Frand Sweet and Alice N. Balbaugh, on 27 Jun 1920 in Crystal, Montcalm County, Michigan¹. He was born in 1882 in Carson City, Nevada¹.

Sources

- 1 Michigan Marriages, 1868-1925. Film No. 2342738 Digital GS No. 4032471 Image No. 36 Ref. No. V3 p. 171 rn 11016, Marriage Record - Stanley Bradford Sweet to Alice N. Rayen (website: <http://labs.familysearch.org>), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society.

Register Report of James Rayen

Generation 1

1. **JAMES¹ RAYEN¹** was born in Maryland¹. He married **SUSANAH ULOTY?**. She was born in Maryland¹.

James Rayen and Susanah Uloty? had the following child:

- i. **JAMES T.² RAYEN¹** was born in Feb 1834 in Maryland¹. He died on 16 Apr 1910 in Perkins, Erie County, OH¹.

More About James T. Rayen:

Burial: 20 Apr 1910 in O. S. S. Home²

Cause Of Death: facial erysipatas¹

Occupation: railroader¹

Sources

- 1 State of Ohio, Mahoning County, Death Certificate - James T. Rayen. #20194 State of Ohio. Informant: illegible signature (website: <http://labs.familysearch.org>), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society.
- 2 State of Ohio, Mahoning County, Death Certificate - James T. Rayen. #20194 State of Ohio. Informant: illegible signature (website: <http://labs.familysearch.org>), photocopy on file at Mahoning Valley Historical Society, could this stand for Old Soldiers and Sailors Home?.

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
DELAWARE

JAN 10 1936

STATE OF DELAWARE
DIVISION OF VITAL STATISTICS

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

3001

O.K. MAY 11 1936

MARGIN RESERVE FOR BINDING
WRITE FULLY, WITH UNFADING INK—THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD
N. B.—Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. EXACT statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

PLACE OF DEATH
DEPARTMENT New Castle State of Delaware, Registered No. _____
Hundred White Clay Creek or Village _____ or
City Newark No. _____ St. _____ Ward _____
If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.
Length of residence in city or town where death occurred _____ years _____ months _____ days. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? _____ years _____ month _____ days.

2. FULL NAME James T. Rayne
(a) Residence: No. Newark Del Ward 9-122A
(Usual place of abode) (If non-resident give city or town and State)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX M. 4. COLOR OR RACE W. 5. Single, Married, Widowed, or Divorced (write the word) widow
6a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of _____
6. DATE OF BIRTH (mo. day and yr.) Apr 11-1850
7. AGE Years _____ Months _____ Days _____ If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as spinner, sawyer, bookkeeper, etc. Retired
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as silk mill, saw mill, bank, etc. _____
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) _____ 11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation _____

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

20. DATE OF DEATH (mo. day and yr.) Dec 7-35
21. I HEREBY CERTIFY that I attended deceased from _____ to _____
I last saw him alive on Dec 6 death is said to have occurred on the date stated above at _____
The principal cause of death and related causes of importance in order of onset were as follows:
Myocardial Infarction
Nervous
Chronic Hypertension
Contributory causes of importance not related to principal cause _____

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) _____ (State or country) Ind
13. NAME James T. Rayne
14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) _____ (State or country) Ind
15. MAIDEN NAME Julia E. Black
16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) _____ (State or country) Ind
THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
17. INFORMANT James E. Todd
(Address) Newark Del
Date of Information Dec 7-35
18. BURIAL, CREMATION OR REMOVAL
Place Newark Del Date Dec 11-35
19. UNDERTAKER P. J. Jones
Address Newark Del

Name of operation _____ Date of _____
What test confirmed diagnosis? N/A Was there an autopsy? No
22. If death was due to external causes (violence) fill in also the following:
Accident, suicide, or homicide? _____ Date of injury _____
Where did injury occur? _____ (Specify city or town, county, and State)
Specify whether injury occurred in industry, in home, or in public place _____
Manner of injury _____
Nature of injury No
23. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? _____
If so, specify _____
(Signed) Chas W Rhodes M. D.
(Address) Newark Del

24 FILED _____ 19 _____
FILED Dec 31 19 35 Chas W Rhodes Local Sub-Registrar
Local Registrar

THIS CERTIFICATE MUST BE FILED WITH THE LOCAL REGISTRAR WITHIN 72 HOURS AFTER DEATH AND BEFORE INTERMENT OR OTHER DISPOSAL OF THE BODY

Death Certificate of James T. Rayne/Rayne

Maryland, Kent County; June 16th. 1835
 I hereby renounce all right, title and
 claim to administration on the personal
 Estate of my Deceased Husband James T.
 Rayne and recommend that Letters of
 Administration may be granted to Hugh
 Wallis Edge of Kent County. —
 (Witness)
 John Moody, Jr.
 Julia Ann Rayne

Julia Ann Rayne renouncing administration of her husband James T. Rayne's estate.

The State of Ohio, }
 Mahoning County, ss. Personally appeared James T. Rayne and
 made application for a MARRIAGE LICENSE, for himself, and
Jane E. Rayne, of the Township of Youngstown, in said County,
 and made solemn oath, that he is of the age of 21
 years, and that the said Jane E. Rayne is of the age of 15 years;
 that they are both single, and not nearer of kin than first cousins; that he knows of no legal
 impediment against their being joined in marriage.
 Sworn and subscribed, this 31st day)
 of March, 1866, before me.) Jas T. Rayne
L. A. Young Probate Judge.

The State of Ohio, }
 Personally appeared John Thomas and

Marriage Record for James T. Rayne and Jane E. Rayne

The State of Ohio, Cuyahoga County, ss.

I Certify that on the 30th day of June 1888

Mr. James T Rayen AND Ann Williams were by me legally joined in marriage.

J H Brumby

The State of Ohio, Cuyahoga County, ss.

James T Rayen having made application for a Marriage License for himself and Ann Williams of said County, and being duly sworn on his oath, says that he is of the age of not less than twenty-one years, that he has no wife living, that said Ann Williams is of the age of not less than eighteen years, that she has no husband living, and that the parties are not nearer of kin than second cousins, as he verily believes.

Subscribed and Sworn to before me, and license issued this 28 day of June 1888

James T Rayen

N A Schwab Probate Judge. Deputy Clerk.

Marriage Record for James T. Rayen and Ann Williams
Death Certificate for Joseph Rayen

Form V. S. No. 11-462M-9-3-08.

PLACE OF DEATH.

County Franklin

Township of Grand Registration District No. 2589 File No. 11080

Village of Grand Primary Registration District No. 5

City of Grand (No. 5 Ward) (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

FULL NAME Joseph Rayen

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX Male COLOR OR RACE White

DATE OF BIRTH Nov 20 1837 (Month) (Day) (Year)

AGE 72 years, 10 months, 25 days.

SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Married

BIRTHPLACE (State or Foreign Country) Ohio

OCCUPATION Retired

NAME OF FATHER John Rayen

BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or Foreign Country) Ohio

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Sarah Foster

BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Foreign Country) Ohio

THE ABOVE STATED PERSONAL PARTICULARS ARE TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF

(Informant) J H Brumby (Address) Grand

DATE July 17 1910

W H Cunningham Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

DATE OF DEATH July 15 1910 (Day) (Month) (Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from May 10 1909 to Feb 15 1910 and that I saw him alive on Feb 15 1910 and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 9:30 P. M. The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:

Cerebral Hemorrhage

(Duration) 10 Days

Contributory Valvular Heart Disease (Duration) 10 Days

(Signed) W H Cunningham M. D. July 17 1910 (Address) Grand

SPECIAL INFORMATION only for Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recruit Residents.

Former or Usual Residence Grand How long at Place of Death? 10 Days

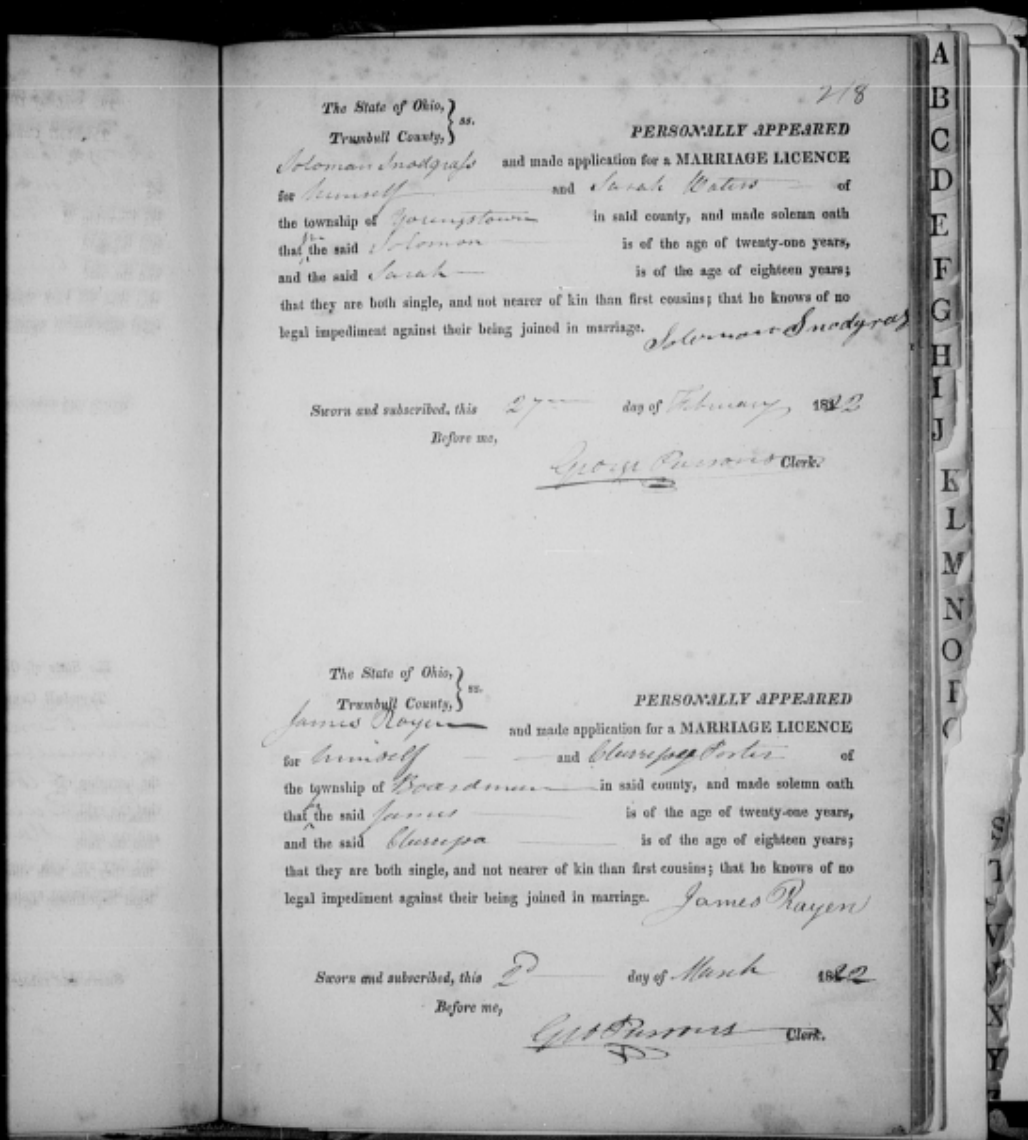
Where was disease contracted, If not at place of death? Grand

PLACE OF BURIAL or REMOVAL Liberty Union DATE OF BURIAL July 17 1910

UNDERTAKER King Bros ADDRESS Grand

WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK—THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

N.B.—Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, that it may be properly classified. The "Special Information" for persons dying away from home should be given in every instance.



Marriage Record for James Rayen and Clarissa Porter

N. B.—Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, that it may be properly classified. The "Special Information" for persons dying away from home should be given in every instance.

Form V. 5, No. 11—500M-3-1-09

STATE OF OHIO
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

PLACE OF DEATH.		798		F	
County of <u>Mahoning</u>	Registration District No. <u>8359</u>	File No. <u>10327</u>			
Township of _____	Primary Registration District No. _____	Registered No. <u>140</u>			
or Village of _____	City of <u>Youngstown</u> (No. <u>534</u> <u>Dayton</u> St. <u>1</u> Ward)	(If death occurred in a Hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)			
(If death occurs away from USUAL RESIDENCE give facts called for under "Special Information.")	FULL NAME <u>Florence R. McEwen</u>				
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS			MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH		
SEX <u>Female</u>	COLOR OR RACE <u>Wh.</u>	DATE OF DEATH <u>Feb</u> - <u>4</u> 19 <u>12</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)			
DATE OF BIRTH <u>Oct 23</u> 18 <u>45</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)		I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from <u>June</u> 19 <u>11</u> to <u>Feb 4</u> 19 <u>12</u>			
AGE <u>66</u> years, <u>3</u> months, <u>12</u> days.		that I last saw her alive on <u>Feb 4</u> 19 <u>12</u>			
SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED		and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at <u>6</u>			
BIRTHPLACE (State or Foreign Country) <u>Ohio</u>		P. M. The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows: <u>Carcinoma of Stomach</u>			
OCCUPATION <u>Housewife</u>		(Duration) <u>8 months</u> Days			
NAME OF FATHER <u>John Rayen</u>		Contributory _____			
BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or Foreign Country) <u>Unable to learn</u>		(Duration) _____ Days			
MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Sallie Porter</u>		(Signed) <u>A. Clark</u> M. D.			
BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Foreign Country) <u>Unable to learn</u>		<u>46</u> 19 <u>12</u> (Address) <u>Youngstown O.</u>			
THE ABOVE STATED PERSONAL PARTICULARS ARE TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF					
(Informant) <u>J. H. McEwen</u>					
(Address) <u>Youngstown O.</u>					
Filed <u>FEB - 6 1912</u>			PLACE OF BURIAL or REMOVAL <u>Calvary Cemetery</u>		
<u>B. C. Staunton</u> Registrar			DATE OF BURIAL <u>Feb 7</u> 19 <u>12</u>		
			ADDRESS <u>John F. Clark & Son Youngstown</u>		

Death Certificate for Florence Rayen McEwen

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