

## The Doyei Cade Family

(Alabama)

This is a pioneer Barbour County family. The first Doyei Cade was born in Georgia in 1833 to G. G. and Susan B. Cade, moved to Barbour County, died there in 1899, and was buried in the Cade family plot near Batesville. He married Mary F. Cariker of Pike County, Georgia (1834-1902). They had seven children, James Smith, George R., Mary Susan, Matilda, Julia Tamilda, Levi W. and Annie Terlow (Luvenia).

James Smith Cade (1855-1908) married Joanna Smart (1859-1881) in 1877. They had two children, Mary Cleopatra (1878-1885) and Joanna (1881), who died at birth with her mother.

He married his second wife, Carrie Elizabeth Martin (1862-1928), in 1882. She was known as "mother" to her children and grandchildren. She was kin to the Copeland family of Eufaula.

From this union came eight children.

They were Rosa Lee (1883-1971), Doyei (1884-1975), Addie Elizabeth (1886-1887), James Loyd (1887-1948), John Martin (1890-1953), Carrie Belle (1893-1988), Lula Ruth (1896) and George Franklin (1898-1899).

Doyei Cade, born near Batesville, moved with his family to Eufaula in 1898 at age 14. He died there at 91. For most of his life he was a Railway Express Agent on the Central of Georgia Railway. After retirement,

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he was a clerk in the Barbour County Sheriff's office in Enfield. He was a familiar sight taking daily walks downtown.

He was married in Enfield on March 17, 1907 to Valley Love Ellis of Enterprise (1888-1958). They honeymooned on Tybee Island. She loved to fish and cook. She always put her family above herself. She never turned away a hungry person.

The family lived in two homes on East Broad Street and lastly at 226 N. Orange Street (later avenue). The house, built about 1870-75, was bought in 1927 from Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Johnston of Enfield. It was listed in the National Register of Historic Places. It was sold in 1992.

Doyei and Love Cade had six children. Ellis Martin (1914) died about three months old. The others were James Cleaveland (1908-1991), Mildred Elizabeth (1911-1991), Doyei Copeland (1917 —), Evelyn Ruth (1920 —), and William Horace (1922-1981). All were reared in Enfield, graduated from Enfield High School, and belonged to the First Presbyterian Church.

James was part owner of Gulf service stations on Broad Street and Enfield Street (later avenue), then was founder and owner of the Motor Parts Company on Enfield Street. He was a 32<sup>nd</sup> Degree Scottish (more)

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Rite Mason and Shriner, an Elder and choir member in his church.

He married Emmie Juanita Parkers <sup>Hatcher, Jr.</sup> (1911-1970) (after her death Anne Johnson of <sup>Paris, Tenn.</sup>). James and Emmie had two daughters, Emmie Elizabeth (Betty) (1932 —), now Mrs. Van Smith living in Eufaula, and Patricia (Patsy), now Mrs. Robert J. Brooks of Dallas.

Betty has two sons, James Curtis and Stewart Cade. Patsy has three children, Natalie, Wally and Rosanne.

Mildred was a beauty queen, Miss Eufaula and Miss Alabama, and first runner-up for Miss Dixie. She was a telephone operator for Southern Bell, then was employed by Schaub's Book Store and Price Drug. She lived with and took care of her father for many years.

She married William Bruce (Bill) Collins (1911-1948) of Birmingham. They had two daughters, Mildred Elizabeth (1939 —), now Mrs. James (Jim) Bradley of Seabrook Island, S.C., and Sarah Margaret (Sally) (1947 —), now Mrs. Terry Schanz of Dutton. Mildred has three children, Kim, William and Jonathan. Sally has two, Margaret and Sarah Katherine.

Doyen holds degrees from Alabama, Northwestern and Iowa. He served in China during World War II with O.S.S., retiring as a full colonel. He was a newspaperman in Eufaula, Tuscaloosa, Atlanta and Chicago. He taught Journalism at Emory, Northwestern, Georgia (more)

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He married Catharine Tomlinson (Kay) Woodman (1925 —) of New Jersey (51 years) + They live on Hilton Head Island, S.C. They have two sons, Doyei Woodman (Woody) (1951 —) of Nashville and Dr. James Ellis (Jimmy) (1953 —) of New Orleans. Jimmy married Barbara Fulton of Knoxville + They have four children, Benjamin Woodman, Mary Elizabeth, Mark James and John Fulton. These three boys are the last of the male line in the Doyei Cade family +

Ruth worked for years in Whitlock's Jewelry Store in Eufaula under successive owners. As a saleslady, she was much sought after by customers. For many years she has been a faithful member of the First Presbyterian Church of Eufaula, and also a Sunday School officer +

She was married to John Fern White (1918-1992) of Abbeville (53 years). He was an Elder, Clerk of Session and Sunday School superintendent in the church. They had two children, Rosalie (1940 —), now Mrs. Murray T. (Buster) Greer, Jr. of Davidsonville, Ind., and John Fern, Jr. (Johnny) (1950 —) of Beloxi, married to Linda Carol Rogers of Eufaula. The Greers have three children, Vivian Lee, Susan Renee and Murray T. III. The Whites have three, John Fern III (Trey), Roger Christopher and Christine Lee.

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Horace was a graduate of Alabama, and studied Journalism at Northwestern.

He worked on the Florence Times, and was a combat Infantry officer in World War II, after returning home, he became a field director in the American Red Cross, serving in Camp Le Jeune, Charleston, Durham, Charlotte, Miami, Jackson and Virginia Beach.

He married Minnye Roberts of Abbeville, later Polly Weston of Pink Hill, N.C., now Mrs. Al Green of Virginia Beach. He and Polly had two daughters, Cathy Alisa, now Mrs. Roger Cuder of Virginia Beach, and Mary Isura, now Mrs. Isuri Pierce of Satellite Beach, Fla.

Cathy has three children, Michael Cade, Alisa Weston and Charles Daniel. Isura has five, William Ashton and Brandon Kyle Booth, and Carrie Nicole, Melissa Elaine and Bruce Alexander Pierce.

The family is of Scotch-Irish, English and French Huguenot lineage, with a Salzburger connection, John Adam Trentler, first governor of Georgia (1777). There is a Doyen, Alabama and a Cade, Louisiana.

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## The Dozier Cade Family

The Dozier Cade family is a pioneer Barbour County family. The first **Dozier Cade** was born in Georgia in 1833 to **J. J. And Susan B. Cade**, moved to Barbour County, died there in 1899, and was buried in the Cade family plot near Batesville, as were other early family members.

The word "Cade" probably originally meant "a new-born child," but later came to mean "offspring abandoned by animals and raised by humans." This word especially refers to motherless lambs fed by hand by people, which indicates possibly the earliest Cades were shepherds. Dozier, original meaning unknown, is a French Huguenot name, normally a family name. There is a Dozier family in Eufaula.

After coming to this country, the Cades are recorded as coming south through North Carolina to South Carolina, Tennessee (settling Cades Cove near Gatlinburg), Alabama, Louisiana and Texas, although they are now found throughout the country. There is a Dozier, Alabama and a Cade, Louisiana.

The Dozier Cade family is of Scotch-Irish, English and French lineage, with a Salzburger connection, **John Adam Treutlen**, first governor of Georgia in 1777. The Petry family of Eufaula ~~have~~ have a more direct ancestral link to Governor Treutlen.

The first **Dozier Cade** married **Mary F. Cariker** of Pike County, Georgia (1834-1902) in Barbour County. They had seven children, all of whom lived and died in Barbour County: **James Smith, George R., Mary Susan, Matilda, Julia Tamilda, Levi W. and Annie Terlou (Luvenia)**.

**James Smith Cade** (1855-1908) married **Joanna Smart** (1859-1881) in 1877 in Barbour County. They had two children, **Mary Cleopatra** (1878-1885) and **Joanna** (1881), who died at birth along with her mother.

His second wife was **Carrie Elizabeth Martin** (1862-1928) of Barbour County. They were married in 1882. She was known as "Mother" not only to her own children but to her grandchildren. She and her family lived on Orange Street in Eufaula. She was closely related to the Copeland family of Eufaula. She was much-loved and revered by all members of the family.

From this union came eight children, all of whom lived, died and were buried in Barbour County, either in the Batesville cemetery or Fairview Cemetery in Eufaula. Three died as infants.

They were **Rosa Lee** (1883-1971), **Dozier** (1884-1975), **Addis Elizabeth** 1886-1887) (9 months old), **James Loyd** (1887-1948), **John Martin** (1890-1953), **Carrie Belle** (1893-1986), **Lula Ruth** (1896) (about a month old), **George Franklin** (1898-1899) (seven weeks old).

**Dozier Cade**, born near Batesville, moved with his family to Eufaula in 1898 at age 14. He died there at age 91. For most of his life he was a Railway Express agent on the Central of Georgia Railway, which ran through Eufaula from Montgomery to Macon, Georgia, and also to Savannah, Georgia. After retirement, he worked as a clerk in the Barbour County Sheriff's office in Eufaula. He was a familiar sight taking daily walks downtown. After the Great Depression of the 1930s, when he lost all his savings when the Commercial National Bank failed, he cashed his payroll

checks and paid his bills by taking cash in person to his various creditors, getting receipts marked "Paid," then putting them on a "spike" at home. He kept them for years.

He was married in Eufaula on March 17, 1907 at age 22 to **Valley Love Ellis** (1888-1958), 18, of Enterprise Alabama. They honeymooned on Tybee Island, Georgia. She loved to fish, visit with relatives and friends, and cook. At Christmas time she baked eight to ten different kinds of cakes. She was well-known for her original ways of expressing herself and her colorful language. Eufaulians knew her for her kind heart and sunny disposition. If a person were criticized in her presence, or something bad was said about that person, she would think of something good to say about him or her. She was caring and compassionate, always putting her family first in her life and being concerned about their needs rather than hers. She never turned away a hungry person from her door.

The family lived at various times on East Broad Street (two homes) and North Orange Street (later Avenue), in the historic Seth Lore district. The 226 Orange Street home, built about 1870-1875, was bought in 1927 from Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Johnston of Eufaula. It was listed in the National Register of Historic Places. It was sold in 1992.

**Dozier and Love Cade** had six children, one of whom, **Ellis Martin**, was born in 1914 and died when about three months old. The others were **James Clarence** (1908-1991), **Mildred Elizabeth** (1911-1991), **Dozier Copeland** (1917----) (named for Dr. William Preston Copeland of Eufaula, a relative), **Evelyn Ruth** (1920----) and **William Horace** (1922-1981). All were reared in Eufaula, and graduated from Eufaula High School. All belonged to the First Presbyterian Church.

**James** worked at Gulf service stations on Broad Street and Eufaula Street (later Avenue), Clifton Hardware Company on Broad Street, and was the founder and co-owner of the Motor Parts Company, first on East Broad Street, then on Eufaula Street. He was a left-handed pitcher on the high school baseball team, a 32nd-degree Scottish Rite Mason and Shriner, an Elder and choir member in the First Presbyterian Church and Sunday School Superintendent. He was married to **Emmie Juanita Perkins** (1911-1970) of Hatcher, Georgia, and they lived first on Orange Street and then on West Broad Street. (He later married **Anne Johnson** of Paris, Tennessee). **James and Emmie** had two daughters, **Emmie Elizabeth (Betty)** (1932----), now **Mrs. Van der Veer (Van) Smith** living in Eufaula, and **Patricia (Patsy)** (1940----), now **Mrs. Robert J. (Bob) Brooks** of Dallas, Texas. Betty has two sons, **James Curtis (Curt)** (1956----) and **Stewart Cade (Cade)** (1958----). Patsy has three children, **Natalie, Walter (Wally) and Rosanne**.

**Mildred** was a beauty queen, winning the Miss Eufaula and Miss Alabama contests, and was first runner-up for Miss Dixie. For years she was a switchboard telephone operator for Southern Bell, then was employed by Schaub's Book Store and later Price Drugs. She was vivacious and personable, had many friends in the community, and like her mother, loved people. Her smile was her trade-mark. She was married to **William Bruce (Bill) Collins** (1911-1948) of Birmingham, a combat artillery lieutenant-colonel in Europe during World War II, who died at an early age (37). He was an executive for the Alabama Power Company in Eufaula. They had two daughters, **Mildred Elizabeth** (1939----), now **Mrs. James (Jim) Bradley** of Seabrook Island, S. C. and **Sarah Margaret (Sally)** (1947----) now **Mrs. Robert Terry<sup>is</sup> (Terry) Schenz** of Dothan. Mildred has three children, **Kim, William and Jonathan**. Sally has two, **Margaret and Sarah Katherine**.

**Dozier** was a newspaperman, starting his career on the Eufaula Tribune while in high school. He had been a newspaper carrier for the Eufaula Daily Citizen and the Tribune, and also had sold and delivered out-of-town newspapers. He holds bachelor's, master's and doctor's degrees in Journalism with highest honors from the University of Alabama, Northwestern University and the University of Iowa. He served in China during World War II with the Office of Strategic Services (O.S.S.), operating behind enemy lines as an intelligence and demolitions officer. He retired in 1969 as a full colonel after 30 years of active and reserve service. After the war, he worked on newspapers in Tuscaloosa, Atlanta, and later briefly in Chicago. Later he became a Journalism professor and administrator at Emory, Northwestern, Georgia State and Tennessee for about 30 years, retiring as Director of the School of Journalism at the University of Tennessee in 1980. He has been married ~~30~~ years plus, since 1949, to **Catherine Tomlinson (Kay) Woodman (1925----**), a New Jersey native and herself a Journalism graduate and high school English teacher about 20 years. They have lived the past 20 years on Hilton Head Island, S.C. They have two sons, **Dozier Woodman (Woody) (1951----**) of Nashville, Tennessee, and **Dr. James Ellis (Jimmy) (1953----**) of New Orleans. He and his wife, the former **Barbara Fulton** of Knoxville, Tennessee, have four children: **Benjamin Woodman, Mary Elizabeth, Mark James and John Fulton**. These three boys are the last of the male line left in the Dozier Cade family to carry on the Cade name.

**Ruth** worked for years in Whitlock's Jewelry Store under successive owners. As a saleslady, she was much sought after by customers for gifts, especially for weddings and graduations. For many years she has been a faithful member of the First Presbyterian Church of Eufaula, and also a Sunday School Officer. She loves cats, and has so all her life. She was married to **John Fern White (1918-1992)** of Abbeville, who worked in a hardware store there and later owned and operated his own store in Eufaula. For awhile he traveled and sold hardware and fishing supplies. He was an Elder, Clerk of Session, and Sunday School Superintendent in the First Presbyterian Church. They had two children, **Rosalie (1940----**), now **Mrs. Murray T. (Buster) Greer, Jr.** of Davidsonville, Maryland, and **John Fern, Jr. (Johnny) (1950----**) of Biloxi, Mississippi, married to **Linda Carol Rogers** of Eufaula. The Greers have three children, **Vivian Lee, Susan Rene, and Murray T. (Tom), III**. The Whites have three children, **John Fern, III, Roger Christopher and Christine Lee**.

**Horace** was a Journalism graduate of the University of Alabama, and studied Journalism at Northwestern University. He sang in the Eufaula High School and Alabama glee clubs. After working on the Florence (Alabama) Times, he served as a combat Infantry officer in Europe. After returning home, he joined the American Red Cross as a field director, serving in Camp LeJeune, N.C., Charleston, S.C., Durham, N.C., Charlotte, N.C., Miami, Fla., Jackson, Miss., and Virginia Beach, Va. He was married to **Minnye Roberts** of Abbeville, and later to **Polly Weston** of Pink Hill, N.C., now **Mrs. Al Greer** of Virginia Beach. They had two daughters, **Cathy Alisa**, now **Mrs. Roger Crider** of Virginia Beach, and **Mary Gina**, now **Mrs. Gina Pierce** of Satellite Beach, Fla. **Cathy** has three children, **Michael Cade, Alisa Weston, and Charles Daniel**. **Gina** has five children, **William Ashton and Brandon Kyle Booth, Carrie Nicole, Melissa Elaine and Brian Alexander Pierce**.