

Descendants of Orville T. Gossett

First Generation

1. Orville Thomas Gossett, son of James H. (1824-1902) and Mary Gossett (b. abt 1838). Born in Jun 1862 in Abingdon, Knox County, Illinois. Was on the census for La Moille, Bureau County, Illinois, in 1870. Was on the census for Mendon, Chariton County, Missouri, in 1880. Was on the census for Waverly, Coffey County, Kansas, in 1900. Was on the census for Harper County, Oklahoma, in 1910. Was on the census for El Dorado, Butler County, Kansas, in 1920. Orville Thomas died in Wichita, Sedgwick County, Kansas, on 16 Jan 1947; he was 84. Buried in El Dorado, Butler County, Kansas.

About 1886 when Orville Thomas was 23, he first married **Mary Ellen Lawrence**. Born on 21 Feb 1865 in Illinois. Mary Ellen died on 23 Jun 1923; she was 58. Buried in El Dorado, Butler County, Kansas.

They had the following children:

- i. Lawrence A. Born on 21 Feb 1887 in La Salle, La Salle County, Illinois. Was on the census for Waverly, Coffey County, Kansas, in 1900. Lawrence A. died in Siloam Springs, Benton County, Arkansas, in 1976; he was 88.
Lawrence A. married **Lillian May**. Born in 1893. Lillian May died in Siloam Springs, Benton County, Arkansas, in 1969; she was 76.
- ii. John Arthur. Born on 4 Nov 1888 in Illinois. Was on the census for Waverly, Coffey County, Kansas, in 1900. John Arthur died on 13 Nov 1919; he was 31. Buried in El Dorado, Butler County, Kansas.
John Arthur married **Dora**. Born abt 1894 in Washington.
- iii. Mabel A. Born in Jan 1890 in Illinois. Was on the census for Waverly, Coffey County, Kansas, in 1900.
Mabel A. married **Recknagel**.
- iv. Ruth E. Born in May 1893 in Kansas. Was on the census for Waverly, Coffey County, Kansas, in 1900. Was on the census for Harper County, Oklahoma, in 1910. Was on the census for El Dorado, Butler County, Kansas, in 1920.
Ruth E. married **Wilson**.
- 2 v. Jesse Emery (1896-1983)

On 25 Aug 1928 when Orville Thomas was 66, he second married **Mary Emma Hopkins**, age 51, daughter of Barclay Brown Hopkins (1839-1914) & Mary Ann Dailey (1841-1927), in Wichita, Sedgwick County, Kansas. Born on 25 Feb 1877 in Jay County, Indiana. Mary Emma died in Wichita, Sedgwick County, Kansas, on 12 Mar 1962; she was 85. Buried in Wichita, Sedgwick County, Kansas.

Second Generation

2. Jesse Emery Gossett. Born on 13 Mar 1896 in Missouri. Was on the census for Waverly, Coffey County, Kansas, in 1900. Was on the census for Harper County, Oklahoma, in 1910. Was on the census for El Dorado, Butler County, Kansas, in 1930. Jesse Emery died in Los Angeles County, California, on 19 Jul 1983; he was 87.

Jesse Emery married **Effie K.**. Born abt 1895 in Missouri.

They had one child:

- i. Richard T.

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