

BYRON - ANCESTRY

Byron>Turner>Paul Turner

The Byron family emigrated from Scotland to the USA and settled finally in Michigan.



The following information was received with appreciation from Edward Schneider.
For further information on the Byron family you should visit;





Rachel M. COWELS at:
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(11) Peter A. BYRON [1812-1887] m.1839 Janet ALLISON [1816-1879]
|----(12) Peter BYRON [1840-1899]
| |----(13) William BYRON
| |----(13) Minnie BYRON
| |----(13) Jessie BYRON
| |----(13) Kilou ??? BYRON
| |----(13) Frank BYRON
|----(12) Jeanette (Janet) BYRON [1845-1916] m.1859 [Charles Knox TURNER](#)
|----(12) Robert BYRON [c.1846-1912]
| |----(13) Herman BYRON
| |----(13) George BYRON
| |----(13) John BYRON
| |----(13) Fred BYRON
| |----(13) Ernest BYRON
|----(12) Alexander BYRON [1847-1912]
|----(12) William BYRON [1849-1850]
|----(12) Agnes BYRON [1851-1868]
|----(12) George BYRON m. Susan HALL
| |----(13) Bertha BYRON
| |----(13) Eugene BYRON
| |----(13) Mertle BYRON
| |----(13) Mamie BYRON
| |----(13) Wesley Robert BYRON [1893-1960] m.1919 Ruby SEYMOUR
| | |----(14) Lucille BYRON
| | |----(14) Tharon BYRON
| | |----(14) 3rd dau.
| | |----(14) 4th dau.
| | |----(14) Frank BYRON
| | |----(14) Leon BYRON
| |----(13) Floyd BYRON
| |----(13) Nell BYRON
| |----(13) Orlo BYRON
|----(12) John A. BYRON m. UKN
| |----(13) Edward W. BYRON [1884-1886] ???
| |----(13) Lillian M. BYRON [1885-1918] ???
| |----(13) John A. BYRON [1886-1916] m. Ernestine UKN [1865-1940] ???
| | |----(14) Alice C. BYRON [1908-1969] ???
| |----(13) Walter BYRON
| |----(13) Albert C. BYRON
| |----(13) Chester BYRON
| |----(13) Clarence BYRON
| |----(13) Arthur H. BYRON [-1917] ???
| |----(13) Charles BYRON
| |----(13) Nelson BYRON
| |----(13) Beatrice BYRON
| |----(13) Janet BYRON
| |----(13) Mildred BYRON
| |----(13) Alice BYRON (twin to Mildred)
| |----(13) Alixe BYRON
| |----(13) Ralph BYRON
|----(12) Ada E. BYRON [1859-1929] m. Ukn UKN
| |----(13) Grace UKN
| |----(13) Archie UKN
| |----(13) Jess UKN
| |----(13) Claude UKN
| |----(13) Faye UKN

BYRON - DOSSIERS

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11	<p>Peter A. BYRON [1812-1887] and Janet ALLISON [1816-1879] <i>born at Queensferry, Scotland on 11 Sep, 1812; married Janet Allison; died at Saginaw, Mich. on 21 Aug, 1887. Janet was born on 16 Jan, 1816 and died 20 Sep, 1879</i> For more on the Byron family see:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Rachel's site is temporarily unavailable</p>
12	Peter BYRON [1840-1899]
13	William BYRON; Minnie BYRON; Jessie BYRON; Kilou ??? BYRON; Frank BYRON
12	<p>Jeannette Whittier Allison BYRON, [1845-1916] [obit] and Charles Knox TURNER [1837-1913] <i>born Glasgow, Scotland 7 Jun, 1845; daughter of Peter A. Byron and Janet Allison; immigrated 1849; married Charles K. Turner, 8 Jun., 1859 at Saginaw, Mich.; died 9 Oct, 1916 at Saginaw, Mich.</i></p> 
12	Robert BYRON [c.1846-1912]
13	Herman BYRON; George BYRON; John BYRON; Fred BYRON; Ernest BYRON
12	Alexander BYRON [1847-1912]
12	William BYRON [1849-1850]
12	Agnes BYRON [1851-1868]
12	George BYRON m. Susan HALL
13	Bertha BYRON; Eugene BYRON; Mertle BYRON; Mamie BYRON
13	<p>Wesley Robert BYRON [1893-1960] m.1919 Ruby SEYMOUR <i>Wesley, born 6 Mar, 1893 in Knocville Twnsp; served with the US Army as a machine gunner in France during WW I; married 26 Jun, 1919; lived at Saginaw; employed with Saginaw Chevrolet Grey Iron foundry; retired 1958; member of Wadsworth Presbyterian and Salina Lodge No. 155 F&AM; died at Saginaw 19 Dec, 1960</i> Issues: named in Obit: Mrs. Cowles; Mrs. Swanton; Mrs. Erdman; Mrs. Johnson; Frank and Leon Byron</p>  <p style="text-align: center;">Wesley Byron</p>  <p style="text-align: center;">Ruby Seymour c.1950</p>
14	Lucille BYRON

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13		Ralph BYRON
	(not proven to be this person in the picture)	
12	Ada E. BYRON [1859-1929] m. Ukn UKN	
13	Grace UKN; Archie UKN; Jess UKN; Claude UKN; Faye UKN	

The following are notes that were given to me via **Ed Schneider** and are interesting, not so much as to whom it is attached, but what life was like in those days:

Bits of Family History

The old family Bible, 18 x 14" and three inches thick, is of interest in that it has our great grandfather's name in the flyleaf spelled "Peter Barram" as it was written and pronounced in Scotland. This Bible was probably used for daily devotions. Jess Byron, daughter of Peter Byron, Jr., remembers when six families met each Sunday afternoon for prayer, rotating in their homes.

A daily school was conducted in 1855 at the Allison home at Mackinaw and Tittahawsee Roads. Aunt Jeannie (Janet) taught it. Ada Byron Smith (Grace, Jess and Claude's mother, was too young to attend, but found a way to get to the room above and peeked thru a knothole at the children getting their lessons. On day she took the cat up and poked its tail thru the knothole. This made the children laugh. Thereafter she found the stair door locked.

It was 1878, or 23 years later, that Saginaw City built its first public school.

Frank and Jess Byron remembered when fold had their feet fitted for shoes, and one time Ada Byron was taken for a fitting; as they walked away she lingered to whisper to the clerk to "put in a penny's worth of squeaking leather (so folk could hear and know she had a new pair of shoes).

And here is one about skunk's oil. Grandmother Byron put a skunk in the oven to cook out the oil. After pouring off the oil, she left the remains and they became crisp. One night the boys came in late and raided the oven for a lunch. New morning they told her, "We ate your nice rabbit we found in the oven!"

When the new house was built out on the farm, George and John used to enjoy running from the old house to the new in the snow, barefooted.

When the Peter Byrons were stocking the farm and came to the gate with the first car. Grandmother Janet Byron opened the front door just a crack and called, "Does the beastly bite?"

Jess and Frank's father, Peter Byron, and Grandmother Janet often worked in the woods on the farm helping to clear it; and many times it was dark as they started to the house. When the wolves began to howl, they would run for their lives. Grandmother was plump and could hardly keep up with Pete, so she would keep calling, "Wait for me, Petey; wait for me."

Grandmother Janet always saw to it that the house was thoroughly cleaned every year the week before Christmas, from cellar to garret to start the New Year.

There is a report that her neighbors claim she was never known to say one work against anyone.

She often made pie in square bread pans; and usually made an extra one for her brother John, whose wife had died. Ada was assigned to deliver it one day, and half way there discovered that some of the crust had lost out. So she sat it down under a tree while she made here way back to find it. When she returned she discovered a dog had gotten into the pie. Puzzled between duty and punishment, she finally decided to deliver it anyway. Uncle John was out in the field, so she left it on the table and hurried home. Always after that she was afraid to face him.

(Grandmother Janet referred to is the wife of Peter Byron, Sr.)

Records have not disclosed what the initial "A" in Peter A. Byron stands for.

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(in alphabetical order)

BYRON, Jeanette W. Allison. [1843-1916]

(from The Saginaw Daily News, Thursday, October 12, 1916 p.4)

TURNER- The funeral of Mrs. Jeanette W. A. Turner, widow of the late Charles Turner, will take place at 10 o'clock Friday morning from the family home and will be private. Rev. H. R. Stark will officiate and burial will be in Oakwood.

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BYRON, Wesley R. [1893-1960]

(From Saginaw Daily News, Tuesday, Dec, 20, 1960)

Passed away Monday afternoon at Saginaw General Hospital after three week's illness. Age 67 years. He was born March 6, 1893 in Kochville township and had been a lifelong resident of Saginaw County. He served in the U.S. army during World War I, as a machine gunner in France. On June 26, 1919, he married Ruby Seymour. She survives him. He had been employed at the Saginaw Chevrolet Grey Iron Foundary for over 32 years, retiring in 1958. He was a member of the Wadsworth Avenue Presbyterian Church and of Salina Lodge No. 155 F.& A. M. Surviving besides his wife are for daughters and two sons, Mrs. Harold Cowles, Muskegeon; Mrs. Edward Swanton, Mrs. Abraham Erdman, Mrs. Christian B. Johnson; Frank and Leon Byron all of Saginaw; 22 grandchildren; also three brothers, Orlo Byron, Saginaw; Floyd Byron, Hemlock; Neil Byron, Whitehall. Funeral service will take place at 3:00pm Thursday at that Case Chapel. Reverend Kenneth Anderson will officiate with Masonic burial service under the auspices of Salina Lodge No. 155 F.&A. M. at Roselawn Memorial Gardens

Oakwood Cemetery, Saginaw City, Michigan

courtesy of Patti Turner Bergman



TURNER PLOT
Oakwood Cemetery
Saginaw , Michigan

Byron Graves



Left to Right:

- Edward W. Byron [1884-188]?;
- (I think there is another name on the stone but can not make it out.)
- Lillian M. Byron [1885-1918]
- John A. Byron [1886-1916]
- John A. Byron [1886-1916]
- 'Mother': Ernestine Byron [1865-1940]
- 'Daughter': Alice C. Byron [1908-1969]

Arthur H. is behind the front row (2nd row beside the flowers)

Byron Graves



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