

Toni Jean SCHOFIELD: Information on parents

Albert George SCHOFIELD was born on 10 Jun 1912 in Berkley, CA. Al was a student at San Jose State from 1929-31 and at Stanford 1931-32. He also attended the University of California and Fresno State. He was an Engineer with the U.S. Bureau of Public Roads in 1931, U.S. Forest Service 1932-41, Lockheed Aircraft Corporation 1941-46, Pacific Gas and Electric Co. 1947-51 and a highway engineer with the California Division of Highways 1951-1960. He was a general practice civil engineer in Fresno, CA in 1960. He married Eunice Alward BANNON on 21 May 1935.

Eunice Alward BANNON died on 19 Jan 1969 in Fresno, CA. Eunice and her sister had been actresses in Hollywood before her marriage; she was also an artist.

Source: Cuma Drury Schofield. *My Drury Family*. Published by the author: 1987, pp. 139-140.

4112. John Alden BLACKLEDGE

was born on 11 Nov 1941 in Kansas City, Jackson Co, MO.¹⁷⁰⁸ John was born at Research Hospital at 6:31 p.m. He graduated in 1959 from Sierra High School, Whittier, CA.¹⁹³¹ He attended Los Angeles State College in Los Angeles, CA for two years before transferring to Oregon State University. He graduated in Dec 1963 from Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR.¹⁹³¹ (BS in Agricultural Economics). He was a statistician from 15 May 1964 to 30 Nov 1996 in the Bureau of the Census.¹⁹³¹

John worked at the Suitland, MD, offices for all but 6 1/2 years of his career during which he was at the Jeffersonville, IN office. He had served as Branch Chief for several branches of the Agricultural Census before retiring in 1996. He had several interesting experiences during his career including a nine-week posting to Zambia, Africa and a one-month posting to the Food and Agricultural Organization of the UN which resulted in a trip to Italy. He also represented the Agricultural Division on a trip to China in 1995. He was honored with a Bronze Medal Award for his work. He is an avid outdoorsman, enjoying hunting, fishing, and hiking.

John Alden BLACKLEDGE and Mary Ann RYZA married on 2 Sep 1967 in Washington, D.C. Before his senior year of college, John suffered a critical injury while doing summer work on a logging operation in Oregon. The only consequent problem resulted in a 1-week delay in his marriage to Mary Ann -- he was in the hospital recovering from surgery on the original wedding date. As a result, he frequently jokes that Mary Ann got him to the altar when he was indisposed and didn't fully know what he was doing.....

Mary Ann RYZA (daughter of Adolph Frank RYZA Sr. and Marie Antonia HAJOVSKY) was born on 3 Aug 1943 in La Grange, Fayette Co, TX.¹⁹³² She graduated in May 1961 from Smithville High School, Smithville, Bastrop Co, TX.⁷⁶³ Mary Ann was Valedictorian of her graduating class. She was in the Band, a majorette, a member of several clubs, and held several offices. She attended Texas Girls State in Austin and was one of the captains of the girls basketball team her senior year. She graduated on 28 May 1965 from Incarnate Word College, San Antonio, Bexar Co, TX.⁷⁶³ (with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Nursing). She was treasurer of the junior class, a member of Alpha Chi national honor society, and was elected to Who's Who In American Colleges and Universities. She was also a member of Phi Lambda Chi, a nursing sorority, and served one year as Corresponding Secretary of the Texas State Student Nurses Association. She graduated in May 1970 from The Catholic University of America, Washington,



Tomi [5592], Mary Ann, John [4112], and Todd [5593] c.2000.

D.C. (Master of Science in Nursing). Mary Ann was elected to the Kappa Chapter of Sigma Theta Tau, National Honor Society for Nurses.

All of Mary Ann's known ancestors came from Moravia (now in the Czech Republic) and settled in Fayette Co, TX. Her mother's grandfather, Josef Muzny, immigrated as a young boy with his parents in 1854 and were among the group of immigrants from Moravia who founded the town of Dubina, TX. John Alden BLACKLEDGE and Mary Ann RYZA had the following children:

- +5592 i. **Tomi Lynn BLACKLEDGE**, born on 12 Nov 1968, Washington, D.C; married Christopher Robert KNIGHT, on 8 Dec 1990, University of Georgia Catholic Center, Athens, GA¹³⁸¹; married Robert L. COUSINEAU, on 6 Nov 1993, Vancouver, Clark Co, WA⁵⁴².
- +5593 ii. **Todd Alan BLACKLEDGE Ph.D.**, born on 28 Jan 1972, Louisville, Jefferson Co, KY²⁰³¹; married Amie Lyn SCARPITTI, on 16 Aug 2011, Akron, Summit Co, OH²⁰³¹.

Mary Ann RYZA: Information on parents

Adolph Frank RYZA Sr. was born at 4 a.m. on 27 Mar 1914 in Plum, Fayette Co, TX. He was a Western Auto Associate Store dealer from 1940 to 1980 in Smithville, Bastrop Co, TX. Adolph received help from his father-in-law, Adolf Hajovsky, to begin the business. The Hajovsky family was the largest family of Western Auto dealers in the U.S. for many years, with eight brothers and one brother-in-law (Adolph Ryza) having stores in Texas. He died of a heart attack on 29 Jul 1983 at his home in Smithville, Bastrop Co, TX with his wife, Marie, at his side. He was buried on 1 Aug 1983 in Queen of the Holy Rosary Catholic Cemetery, Hostyn, Fayette Co, TX. He married Marie Antonia HAJOVSKY on 1 Jun 1937 in Ammansville, Fayette Co, TX.

Marie Antonia HAJOVSKY was born on 10 Aug 1912 in Holman, Fayette Co, TX. She died on 6 Apr 1997 in Smithville, Bastrop Co, TX.

Sources: Birth Certificate of Adolf Frank Ryza in possession of Mary Ann Ryza Blackledge.

Obituary for Adolph F. Ryza, Sr; unreferenced and undated.

"Hajovsky Family Making Dealer History in Texas". *Western Auto Dealer Edition Magazine*, November, 1959, p. 13.

Fayette County, Texas Heritage, V.II. Curtis Media, Inc., 1996. p. 409.

Marriage Certificate from St. Vaclav's Catholic Church, Holman, TX, copy in possession of Mary Ann Ryza Blackledge.

4113. **Charles Byron KELLOGG** was born on 23 May 1940 in Kansas City, Wyandotte Co, KS.

Charles Byron KELLOGG and <unknown> married (his first marriage). <unknown>.

Charles Byron KELLOGG and Merle married (his second marriage). **Merle**. Charles Byron KELLOGG and Merle had the following children:

- +5594 i. **Deanna KELLOGG**.

Charles Byron KELLOGG and Carole Elizabeth ATKINS married on 2 Jul 1994 in Louisville, Jefferson Co, KY.¹⁰¹² This was Charles's third marriage. **Carole Elizabeth ATKINS** was born on 6 Sep 1939 in Louisville, Jefferson Co, KY.¹⁰¹²

4114. **Thomas Blakeley HAMILTON Jr.** was born on 7 Jun 1937.⁶⁶⁴ He was a professional engineer with the Boeing Company.¹⁰³⁰