

First marriage:

5a. James A. Lester, b. 1883, d. 1947, bur Lackey Cem.

Second marriage:

5b. Walter C. Lester, b. Feb 25, 1888, d. Feb 23, 1978 (Roa Co),
bur Evergreen Cem, veteran WW I, m. Hazel Eulas, b. Jan 4,
1895, d. Dec 28, 1971 (Roa), bur Evergreen Cem.

5c. Mary V. Lester, b. 1892(Pat. Co), d. Jan 15, 1990(Roa Co),
aged 97, bur Blue Ridge Memorial Gardens, m. May 15, 1919(F),
William J. Linkous Sr, b. 1890(Dublin), son of W. E. & Ella
Linkous; 2 children.

5d. Eleanor Lester, b. May 16, 1894, m. G. E. Umhau, Washington, DC.
Her mother died when she was 8 days old.

Third marriage:

5e. John Dewey Lester, b. Feb 26, 1900, d. July 18, 1920, bur
Lackey Cem.

3d. Ann E. Lester, b. 1820, m. Nov 1, 1852(F), James B. Ross. Lived in
Patrick County; sometime before 1871 they moved to West Virginia.

3e. Sarah (Sally) Lester, b. 1824, d. ca. 1863, m. Dec 16, 1850(F),
James L. Kelly, b. 1829, d. 1882, son of George W. & Sarah Constant
Kelly, Pvt, Co. H, 54th Va. Inf., CSA; 5 children. (James Kelly
m. (2) Sally Anne Sowder).

Sarah Lester Kelly took her own life. During the Civil War while
her husband was away fighting in the war, she was at home with the
five children and they were having a hard time. They nearly starved
to death. The dread disease diphtheria struck the family and on
November 2, 1862, the three youngest children died in one day.
Several months later on a cold afternoon the two remaining children
were in the woods gathering firewood. Their mother came out to them
and told them to come to the house before dark. When they went in
they found their mother - she had hung herself.

4a. Nancy Mary Kelly, b. Sept 28, 1851(F), d. Jan 12, 1929(F), bur in
family cem, m. April 25, 1872(F), (Rev.) Joseph Thomas Turner,
b. 1843 (Franklin Co), d. Nov 3, 1931(F), bur in family cem,
son of Constantine & Mary Turner; Pvt, Co. I, 54th Va. Inf., CSA;
they had 8 children.

5a. Laura A. Turner (1873-1923)

5b. Mary A. Turner (1876-1877)

5c. John L. Turner (1879-1918)

5d. Wm. Conley Turner (1881-1965)

5e. Isaac J. Turner (1884-1902)

5f. James W. Turner (1887-1962)

5g. Eliza Jane Turner, b. Sept 19, 1889, d. Aug 1, 1970, m. April 12,
1910, Arch Smith, b. Aug 22, 1887, d. Sept 19, 1972, son of
Jackson & Mary Smith, both bur at Sunset Memorial, Beckley,
W.Va; 7 children.