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CHRISTIAN KABLE

His Ancestry and Descendants

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Christian Kable (1823-1867), my grandfather, was the son of Frederick Kable (1774-1861) and grandson of the immigrant Kasper Kable (1731-1815). Christian was born and reared on a farm near Herndon in Northumberland County, Pennsylvania.

Two hundred and one years ago, August 24, 1750, Kasper Kable, age 19, with his brother Daniel, age 16, signed the oath of allegiance to the British at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. They came to America on the ship "Two Brothers", 271 passengers. They were born at Weinheim, Germany, Feb. 20, 1731 and April 27, 1734, sons of Nicolaus Kable who married Sabina Katharina Artz on July 30, 1720. An older brother Friedrich was born Sept. 4, 1721, and there were ~~three~~ sisters: Regina and Christina, Анна.

Nicolaus Kable was born at Brensbach in the Odenwald, July 4, 1686, only son of Hans and Margaretha Kable or Kaibel. Hans or Johannes, son of Leonhard, the burgermeister (mayor) of Brensbach, was baptised May 20, 1652; he had three sisters, and one brother Peter who died in infancy. The earliest records of the Lutheran Church at Brensbach do not give the birth of Leonhard, only his death, Feb. 14, 1676, and we have no earlier records of the family.

The immigrant brothers were first taxed in Heidelberg and Bethel townships of Berks Co., Penn.; but baptismal records of Kasper's first seven children by wife Susanna, (surname and date of marriage not found), are in the records of Rev. John Wald-Schmidt of Lancaster County, just across the border. These records are in Penn. Archives, 6th Series, Vol. 6, as follows: Abraham 1753, twins Jacob and Isaac 1755, Magdalena 1757, Susanna 1759, Elizabeth 1761, and Daniel 1763. This Daniel (1763-1823) is the man for whom Kabletown, West Virginia, was named; and his grandson, Capt. Wm. Hartman Kable, was the founder of Staunton Military Academy at Staunton, Virginia.

The above named children are listed with eight others in Kasper's will, which my brother, Harry Kable, found in the Northumberland County Court House at Sunbury, Penn. Kasper was still taxed in Berks County in 1768, but had settled in Northumberland Co. prior to the birth of his son Frederick on July 7, 1774. His son Joseph was born August 3, 1776, but no birth dates have been found for two sons, Bernet and Christien, and four daughters, Anna Maria, Christina, Catharina and Frena.



Kaspar's first wife, Susanna, was living in March 1765, when she and Kaspar are recorded sponsors at baptism of infant Susanna Hoffer. Church records of two later marriages list him as "Widower". Doubtless pioneer life with frequent child bearing was very hard on women. October 31, 1768 he married Anna Maria Riehl; the daughter of that name was probably her child, and it is my guess that she died in childbirth. Frederick's birth record in very plain German script, names his mother "born Katharina Schafer of Zweibrucken, Germany", and the date 1774, but the Stouchburg Church has March 10, 1776 as date of Kaspar's marriage to Katharina Glasser, (she apparently widowed also), which probably was 1770 in the German from which it was copied. Katharina is the wife named in his will dated June 14, 1810; two children were deceased before that date: Isaac and Frena. Kaspar died in March of 1815 at age 84.

I have been able to trace descendants of only three sons of Kaspar: Daniel (1763-1823) of Kabletown, W. Va.; Frederick (1774-1861) whose farm was near Herndon, Penn.; and Joseph (1776-1872) whose grave is near Clay City, Indiana. I have not found proof of any descendants of the immigrant Daniel, altho he had four sons: Adam, Nicholas, John and Daniel.

Daniel of Kabletown married Mary Hartman Rice, had eleven children: Jacob 1785, Daniel 1792, Elizabeth 1793 (m. Berry), John 1795, Margaret 1796 (m. Heedwohl), Mary Ellen 1798 (m. Johnston), Samuel 1801, Sarah 1803 (m. Edmonds), James 1805, Dr. Wm. 1809, Benjamin 1812. John (1795-1857) was father of Capt. Wm. Hartman Kable (1837-1912). Benjamin's grandson, David Mayer Kable (1866-1938), operated 25 Kable restaurants in Indiana, Ohio, New York and Pennsylvania.

As far as can be determined, Joseph (1776-1872) had four sons and three daughters, some of whose descendants spell their name Kauble; others Cable. Christian (1810-1859) stayed in Penn., at one time had 1200 acres in Ralpho township of Northumberland Co., was a farmer and clockmaker. Jesse Geo. Cable (b. 1883) of Drexel Hill, Penn., now retired, is a grandson of Christian; he operated Cable's Pharmacy at Pottsville, Penn., which his father Albert (1850-1932) started and managed for more than 60 years. Jesse Geo. has a son Geo. Roland b. 1910. Other sons of Joseph: Abraham (b. 1807), Daniel (1814-1889), Barnhart (1822), moved to Ohio and Indiana. Howard W. Cable, 6'3" National League basketball star of Akron, Ohio, is grandson of Barnhart. In 1949 he was sent to Bombay, India, as representative of Firestone Co. An older half brother, John Edgar, whose twin died at birth, lives at Paoli, Penn., and has an only son of same name, who is an honor student in Colgate Univ., Eagle Scout, active in athletics, debate and glee clubs.

My great-grandfather Frederick (1774-1861) had five sons who shared in his estate: Samuel (1802-1865?), John (1809-1888), Jacob (1815- ?), Christian (1823-1867), and Isaac (1825-1903). Father said there was also a son Daniel who went west when young, but I have found no proof. Jacob and Isaac stayed in Northumberland Co. Jacob was a shoemaker in Sunbury, Isaac was a farmer; I have traced some of their offspring but do not have complete records. Samuel, listed in the 1850 census as Gable, a wagonmaker, was in Marion County, Ohio, with wife and ten children; these same children are listed in "release", heirs to estate of Frederick, signed by son Samuel, as attorney for the others at Bowling Green, Clay Co., Indiana, Jan. 23, 1866. Delbert J. Kauble, an accountant of Muskogee, Okla., is a great-grandson of Samuel. John (1809-1888) had an estate, called The Hermitage, near Kabletown, W. Va., he married a schoolteacher, Elizabeth Leake; they had no children, but helped financially with the Kable school at Staunton. He was known as "Dutch John" to distinguish him from the John at Kabletown, had numerous slaves, who stayed with him after they were freed and to whom he willed plots of land and their houses. It was with this son that Frederick spent his last days, after the death of his wife, Magdalena, (maiden name unknown); but Jacob of Sunbury was the administrator of his estate. The one thing I remember father telling about Frederick was that he played a flute in the war of 1812. It was from the daughter of Capt. Wm. H. Kable that I obtained Frederick's German script birth certificate.

I regret that we have no exact dates for my grandfather, Christian Kable. My father had no written records except his own birth and marriage certificates. In questioning father about his people, I may have neglected to ask for dates, or perhaps he did not remember them. If his mother had records in a family Bible, as was customary, that book was lost. The first federal census which names each individual is the 1850, in this census of Jackson township, Northumberland Co., Penn., taken in November, Christian is listed as a farmer, age 27; the 1860 census taken in July, lists Christian as a weaver, age 36. So it seems apparent that he was born in 1823 between July and Nov. He was living in Lykens, Penn., just before bringing his family to Carroll Co., Illinois, in the spring of 1866. The following year he died of typhoid, when my father, the eldest child was 20. The country was very sparsely settled, father had trouble to obtain even a roughbox and oxen for the burial in Chambers Grove Cemetery, east of Lanark. The grave was never marked.

My father told that Christian was greatly interested in education, was a leader in the Penn. subscription schools; was so opposed to the use of tobacco and alcoholic beverages that he warned his sons they could not live under his roof if they became addicted to these narcotics. Two sons died quite young, but of the other five, Henry was the only one who disregarded his father's wishes.

Christian Kable had seven sons and two daughters, all born in Pennsylvania. My father, John Arthur, was born in Mifflin township of Dauphin Co., which is just south across the border from the town Hebe, in Jordan township of Northumberland Co., the home of his mother, Esther Bowman (1824-1894). Esther was the daughter of John Bowman (1781-1859), and granddaughter of Jacob Bauman (1752-1829) and wife Susannah Bruch (1758-1827), whose graves with German inscriptions are in the Hebe cemetery. Esther and Christian were no doubt influenced in coming west to Illinois by her brothers, Adam Bowman (1813-1882) and Jacob (1816-1879), who purchased farms in Carroll Co. My father often spoke of his Uncle Adam, "a big man, who paid cash for his land". Adam Bowman is buried at Shannon, Illinois.

Christian Kable's children:

	<u>Birth</u>	<u>Married</u>	<u>Death</u>
John Arthur	June 27, 1847	Elizabeth Speicher	Oct. 1, 1919
Henry Calvin	Aug. 3, 1849	Mary Whipple	Aug. 24, 1918
William D.	Nov. 27, 1850	Lavinia Snyder	Jan. 1920
Phebe	March 6, 1853	(John Mallo (Dennis Calkins	March 18, 1884
Chas. Cornelius	Apr. 8, 1855	- - - - -	June 19, 1893
Levi	1857	- - - - -	1882 ?
Cyrus H.	April 24, 1859	Anna Shaffer	Oct. 25, 1928
Beneval	1862	- - - - -	1874 ?
Emma Veerah	March 27, 1866	Edward Buy	July 1, 1940

Since my father has by far the largest number of descendants, I shall give the record of them last. For five years he was the chief support of his widowed mother and the younger children, but he was married on his 25th birthday in 1872. It must have been about this time that his mother married Henry Rahn, a farmer of Carroll County, who turned out to be a drunkard, so that when she was able to she left him. The 1885 state census of Kansas lists Charles, his mother and sister Emma in the home of Henry in Marion.

Henry Calvin Kable, second son of Christian, was a pioneer in Marion County, Kansas. His obituary states that he went to Kansas in 1870. But in 1909, when he came to Mount Morris for a Kable reunion, he and father had not met in forty years. He came to our back door, his collar turned up and his hat pulled down, pretending to be a tramp and asked for a bite to eat, but father recognized him at once. "He was a contractor and builder and many of the best buildings in Marion stand as a monument to his art, faithfulness, and skill. He was ever courteous and kindly and a workman of real knowledge and ability." He was a Mason, a member of one of the first bands in Kansas, played tuba or baritone. His marriage was at Marion, Jan. 1, 1877, the following were his children:

	<u>Birth</u>	<u>Married</u>	<u>Death</u>
Charles Raymond	Sept. 30, 1878	Edna Graham	Jan. 23, 1941
Donald Aline	April 28, 1880	Margaret Knight	Oct. 7, 1947
Katherine Corine	Dec. 8, 1881	- - - - -	Dec. 17, 1896
Clara Belle	Oct. 28, 1884	Claud Blackwelder	Oct. 25, 1948
Boy-unnamed	July 14, 1887	- - - - -	Aug. 8, 1887
Harley Clay	July 22, 1888	Flora E. Powell	Nov. 27, 1919
Milton A.	Nov. 18, 1894	- - - - -	Oct. 14, 1918

Ray Kable worked as a railroad brakeman until his leg was injured in an accident in 1924. He was in the Sante Fe Hospital at Topeka, Kansas, until Christmas 1927. Later he was tower man at Wellington, Kansas, until he retired. His widow lives at Holly Ridge, Louisiana. There are two children, and two grandchildren. Dorothy was born June 22, 1904, her husband, Robert E. Lee, is a direct descendant of a brother of the famous general of the same name; they have a son, Thomas E. Lee, born Jan. 30, 1939. Dorothy was formerly soloist in Methodist choir. She and her husband have only recently returned from the Philippines, where he was stationed at Manila. Torrance was born August 19, 1906, he served seven years as master sergeant in air weather service, from Nov. 1940 to end of 1947, in England, France, Italy, Germany and Austria. He married Berta Louder of Judenburg, Austria, Jan. 14, 1948. They have a daughter Kathleen, born Jan. 28, 1950, are now living at Indian Head, Maryland.

Donald Aline Kable also worked on the railroad for fourteen years as traveling brakeman, operator and freight agent, in Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, New Mexico and Montana, then as merchandise broker in Kansas City, Missouri, for more than thirty years. He was married at Lewistown, Montana, July 7, 1906. There are three children: Virginia Ann born June 19, 1910; Donald Mark born Oct. 27, 1916; and Gertrude Mary born May 18, 1919. The daughters are now living with their widowed mother in St. Louis, Missouri, where Gertrude holds a responsible position with an electrical company, she is a graduate of Iowa State College. Donald Mark is Commander of a new submarine, the Blackfin. He graduated from the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis in 1940, most of his Navy service has been spent on the west coast, but in 1950 he was in the east training members of the Turkish Navy to whom his submarine was being turned over. He was injured at Pearl Harbor on board the battleship Tennessee, Dec. 7, 1941. In May 1942 he was released from Mare Island Hospital and has been in submarine service since, with bases at San Diego, California and Perth, Australia, and cruises to Samoa, the Fijis, the Solomons and Hawaii in peace time, to Formosa, Okinawa, south Japan, Truk and Midway during the war. He married Patricia Poe Cooper of Berkeley, Calif., on Dec. 22, 1943; they have two children: Donald Mark Jr. born Feb. 17, 1948, and Kristine Lucille born Feb. 4, 1951.

Clara Kable worked in the Post Office of Marion, Kansas, until her marriage to Claude Blackwelder Sept. 28, 1913, by whom she had four children:

Mary Katherine b. July 10, 1914 m. Robert Francis Goldstein
Corrins b. Jan. 29, 1916 m. Frederick Kniskern
Jean Henry b. Aug. 22, 1919 m. Barbara Mayer
Louise Jean b. July 5, 1924 m. Renati Rossi

There are four grandchildren: Jeffrey Alan Blackwelder b. Feb. 11, 1948 and Timothy Scott Blackwelder b. April 27, 1950; Alan Juan Rossi b. July 23, 1948, and Charles Robert Goldstein b. Jan. 24, 1951. For many years the Blackwelder home has been at 1105 Elgin Ave., Forest Park, Illinois, where the eldest daughter and family live with her father. Corrine lives in Detroit, Michigan; Jean at Oak Lawn, Illinois; and Louise at Lima, Peru.

Harley Kable was shot as result of a neighborhood feud over range in the Cow Creek country on the south side of the mountains near Chinook, Montana. I have in my files the entire newspaper story of the trial. He had no children.

Milton Kable died of influenza during the first world war, while a soldier at Camp Dodge, Iowa, less than two months after attending the funeral of his father at Marion, Kansas.

William D., third son of Christian, was a prosperous hardware merchant in Kirkland, Illinois, where he had a fine modern home long before most people had modern plumbing, he had his own water tower. He was married at Lanark, August 11, 1880, but they had no children, offered at one time to adopt me. He kept a splendid team of black horses that he allowed me to drive during frequent visits in his home. When my brother Harvey was a schoolboy, I understood he worked in Uncle Will's store one summer. Harvey was appointed administrator of Uncle Will's estate after the death of his widow on June 14, 1924. Altho her name was Lavinia Margaret, she was always known to us as Aunt Minnie. Their tombs are in Mausoleum in Rockford, Illinois, where she lived her last years when not in Florida for the winters.

Phoebe Kable was married twice, had at least one child who died young, but I never heard much about her, altho we have several pictures of her as a young woman. An elderly farmer south of Shannon, who had been a neighbor of the family, recalled helping with the burial of Phoebe, Levi and Beneval in the cemetery by the Cherry Grove Church west of Lanark, Illinois, but the graves are not marked.

Charles Cornelius Kable was much taller than my father, a handsome man, an expert cabinetmaker. His obituary states that he lived in Shannon before going to Kansas in 1871, "where he worked as a carpenter for nine years. He was employed by the government at Fort Riley, proceeding thence to St. Louis." His death at 38 was caused by cancer, result of continual use of brace and bit. He was a Mason, had never married. He is buried in Shannon cemetery.

Cyrus H. Kable was a tinsmith in Shannon, Illinois, where he was married April 24, 1883. He and Aunt Anna were very active in church work there. They had two children: Nellie Ariel b. Jan. 7, 1884; George Wallace b. May 24, 1888. About the time George entered High School, they moved to Dixon, Illinois, and years later to Lincoln, Nebr., where others of the Shaffer family lived. Uncle Cyrus looked so much like my father, that when he visited in Mount Morris, he was greeted on the street as John.

Nellie Kable attended Mount Morris College, married Geo. LieVan at Dixon on his 32nd birthday, 1908. They had four children: Mary Anna b. Feb. 18, 1917; Loren Dale b. Dec. 3, 1919; and twins Dorothy Louise and Donald George b. Sept. 30, 1921. Nellie died July 17, 1933; he still lives at Lamar, Missouri. Mary Anna m. Jack Copeland Trelue, of French descent, as is her father; they live at Clarkdale, Arizona, have three children: Donna Louise Trelue b. Feb. 11, 1943; Sandra Alice b. Feb. 15, 1944; Ronald Edward Trelue b. Nov. 17, 1948. Loren LieVan died of polio at thirteen months. Dorothy m. Richard Winters Townley of U.S. Navy, Jan. 20, 1945 at Vallejo, Calif. This couple graduated with top honors from Golden City, Missouri, High School. They have no children. Donald m. Helen Mae Porter Nov 12, 1944, at Chapel of Eagle Pass Army Air Base, Texas. Helen was a W.A.C. Don is a garage mechanic at Council Bluffs, Iowa. They have two children: Sharon Kaye b. Aug. 31, 1945, and Marilyn Sue b. Dec. 28, 1946.

George W. Kable (1888-1950) decided to be self-supporting while yet in High School. He worked his way thru the University of Washington at Seattle and University of California at Berkeley, from which latter school he received B.S. in civil engineering in 1914; M.S. in Agricultural Engineering from Univ. of Nebraska 1922, A.E. Iowa State College 1936. Three summers he worked with Alaska Boundary Survey. He held positions in New Mexico, Washington, Oregon, Maryland, and at Knoxville, Tennessee, before he went to New York City as editor of "Electricity on the Farm". His untimely death, Nov. 6, 1950, was caused by a brain tumor. He married Florence Kopan at Portland, Oregon, July 20, 1919. Their only child, Kelvin Duane, was born Nov. 18, 1923, he was a flyer in Europe during World War 2, is now a student at Bowman-Gray Medical School at Wake Forest, North Carolina. Kelvin was married June 25, 1949 to Meriam June Oglesby at Jacksonville, Florida.

Emma, while a seamstress in Rockford, Illinois, changed her name to Veerah. After her mother's death, Oct. 7, 1894, she studied at Moody Bible Institute in Chicago, went to Danville, Illinois, as an assistant pastor. She married Edw. Buy, a Danville merchant, a widower with three children, on Aug. 1, 1906, and May 13, 1907, at age 41, gave birth to a daughter, Geraldine, who is now Mrs. Arthur Fritsen of Inglewood, Calif. The Fritsens have adopted two children: Brian b. May 14, 1940, and Sharon b. June 4, 1946.

John Arthur Kable, eldest son of Christian, was always a hard worker and at several trades, coal mining in Pennsylvania, logging in Wisconsin, farming in Illinois. He operated his own carpet weaving shop after moving from Lanark to Mount Morris in 1882, designed and built his heavy wooden hand looms. He made furniture for his home, was even known to sew his own shirts, always had a fine garden of fruit and vegetables, and loved flowers. He did not have much schooling but spoke both German and English, never used profanity, altho he did not unite with mother's church, the Lutheran, until late in life. He sang and whistled at his work. An old farmer near Shannon told us how jolly father was when a young man, that as boss of a threshing crew, he kept everyone in good humor. Having five daughters and only two sons must have been a disappointment to him, for he often said: "One boy is worth a dozen girls"!

	<u>Birth</u>	<u>Married</u>	<u>Death</u>
Minnie Mae	Aug. 6, 1873	Charles U. Nimen	
Allie Edith	Mar. 20, 1875	- - - - -	Aug. 4, 1906
Lulu Emma	Sept. 7, 1877	Harry F. Longman	Feb. 25, 1945
Harvey Jerry	July 15, 1880	Pearl Hershey	Apr. 13, 1931
Harry George	July 15, 1880	Edith Walkup	
William Elmer	Sept. 15, 1883	- - - - -	Sept. 15, 1883
Hazel Genevieve	May 25, 1891	Milo D. Zimmerman	
Ruth Vivien	Jan. 14, 1894	- - - - -	July 22, 1947

Dates of marriages: Minnie- Nov. 14, 1900; Lulu- Oct. 29, 1902; Harvey- May 7, 1903; Harry- June 14, 1906; Hazel- Dec. 23, 1915.

Minnie was a seamstress, after marriage she lived on farms in Ogle Co., Illinois and near Grandview, Wash. Allie learned to set type by hand, also to operate a linotype, working with her brothers. Lulu taught school before her marriage, was always very active in church work. Lulu, Harvey and Hazel graduated from Mount Morris College Academy. Harry learned the printing trade, and with Harvey in 1898, at age 18, borrowed \$400 to buy the local newspaper, the Mount Morris Index, and its small print shop, which they developed into a large printing plant, incorporated for over a million dollars, with 1200 employees in 1950 and gross sales over eleven millions. The twins loved music,

organized and maintained a fine concert band, in which Harry, at age 21, still plays the baritone. Both sang in the Lutheran choir for many years, I did also. Both followed their father's example, abstaining from tobacco and liquor. They were instrumental in constructing a golf course adjoining the printing plant, a game they both took much pleasure in. The Businessmen's League of Mount Morris, Illinois, in August 1948, erected a large boulder in front of the Community Gymnasium, which Kable Bros. Co. helped to build, with a bronze marker engraved thus: "Fiftieth Anniversary Kable Brothers Company In grateful appreciation of the contribution made by its co-founders, Harvey and Harry Kable, to the printing industry and the life of this community. Their civic spirit has set a high standard of enterprise, integrity, and kindness in the American way of life." The twins published a history of Mount Morris in 1900. In 1938, Harry published a revised edition celebrating the centennial of the village, also "War Record of Mount Morris" in 1947. He is listed in the latest editions of Who's Who in America. Harvey died of incurable Hodgkin's disease. Ruth, after finishing High School, kept house for our ageing parents, then three years for me, and worked for twenty years in the accounting dept. of the printing plant. For twelve years I worked with the brothers as cost accountant and assistant treasurer.

Grandchildren of John Arthur Kable:

	<u>Birth</u>	<u>Date of Marriage</u>	
Hale Kable Niman	Nov. 20, 1901	May 27, 1933	Adda Vinette Hill
Dorothy Elizabeth N.	Dec. 2, 1903		
Donald Olin Niman	Dec. 7, 1905	Apr. 21, 1945	Helen Stephenson
Roger Curtis Niman	May 21, 1910	Dec. 25, 1941	Janet Morse
Ruth Marian Niman	May 11, 1912		
Faith Leona Longman	Oct. 31, 1903	July 20, 1929	Ray Seibert
Joyce Kable Longman	Feb. 12, 1912	May 10, 1937	Richard Roth
Harold Francis "	Nov. 2, 1914	Oct. 23, 1937	Naomi Womichel-Div.
		June 7, 1941	Marian Buisker
Harvey's children:			
Forrest Theodore K.	May 13, 1907	Oct. 28, 1927	Jane Selig-Div.
		Sept. 7, 1932	Bernice Bruner
Justin Maxwell Kable	Dec. 17, 1910	Aug. 4, 1934	Velma Galor
Virginia Kable	Sept. 1, 1916	Nov. 10, 1934	Eugene Johnston-Div.
		May 3, 1945	Clyde Godwin
Harry's son:			
Robert Rudolph Kable	Aug. 30, 1914	Oct. 5, 1940	Margaret Heuston-Div.
		Mar. 18, 1945	Ruth Hardt
Ward Kable Zimmerman	Feb. 11, 1917	Apr. 29, 1939	Grace Jiracek
Doris " Zimmerman	Nov. 11, 1919	June 19, 1942	Richard Baldwin
Bryant " Zimmerman	Nov. 19, 1922	Jan. 20, 1946	Harriet Bong

Nine of John Kable's fifteen grandchildren are college graduates. Hale and Roger worked their way thru Puget Sound College at Tacoma, Wash. Hale lived in Washington for many years, but now works for an electrical company in Denver, where his widowed mother lives with the two daughters: Dorothy a stenographer and artist, Ruth a graduate nurse. Roger is an electrical and chemical engineer employed by the Sound View Pulp Co. at Everett, Wash. Donald has been employed by Kable Co. since 1924, as folder operator, now in job dept. Faith lives at Port Huron, Mich., is Grand Esther of O.E.S. Joyce is contralto soloist, plays piano and organ, her husband is Lutheran pastor in Forest Park, Ill. Joyce, Ruth and Justin are graduates of our Lutheran school, Carthage College at Carthage, Ill. Justin has a responsible position in purchasing dept. of Kable Co. Forrest is Sales mgr. since 1949, is also head of the Elbak Publishing Co. which prints several sports magazines. Virginia and husband have been living near her mother at Phoenix, Arizona, he is in the hotel business. Harold has been night foreman in rotogravure dept. of Kable Co., but recently moved to Clearwater, Florida. Robert, graduate of Dartmouth, is interested in farming as well as printing, is first vice-president of Kable Printing Co., firm name having been changed last year. Ward, graduate of New Mexico Military Institute and University of Chicago, is supervisor in engineering dept. of Kable Co. Doris, graduate of Stephens College and Northwestern Univ. School of Music, taught for two years, plays both piano and organ, as does Bryant, she lives at Breckenridge, Mich. Bryant, graduate of Augustana College at Rock Island, Ill., and Harvard Law School, is with law firm in San Francisco, lives at Burlingame, Calif.

During World War II, six of the above were in the Armed Services. Donald served with the army at Fort Benning, Ga. Ruth was 2nd Lieut. in the Army Nurse Corps at Camp McCoy, Wis. and Camp Butner, N.C. Roger studied at Harvard, was commissioned a Lieutenant in the Navy, as was Doris' husband, both served in the South Pacific, where Ward was stationed on New Guinea with the Army Medical Corps for most of two years. Harold was with Army replacements on Okinawa. Bryant studied at Washington Univ. and at Yale, where he was commissioned Lieut. in the Air Corps, served in Florida and California Camps.

It might interest the other cousins that three of these boys as Scouts attended World Scout Jamborees: Robert went to England in 1929, Ward to Hungary in 1933, Bryant to Holland in 1937, the last one held until this year. These trips included tours of several European countries. Ward and Bryant are Eagle Scouts, the latter a member of the Order of the Arrow. Harry Kable has been traveling extensively in recent years, mostly by air: to Europe, Australia, Alaska, Hawaii, Mexico, Guatamala, Caribbean cruise, and Mediterranean cruise including travel in Africa and Palestine.

Great-grandchildren of John Arthur Kable:

	<u>Birth</u>	
Patricia Ann Kable	Oct. 16, 1928	to Forrest & Jane
Diane Lee Kable	Feb. 13, 1935	" " " Bernice
Joan Kable	Mar. 29, 1938	" " " "
Judith Ann Kable	Dec. 13, 1939	" " " "
Carol Joyce Niman	July 31, 1936	" Hale & Adda
Philip Harvey Kable	Oct. 8, 1935	" Justin & Velma
Valerie Anne Kable	March 1, 1938	" " " "
Justina Kay Kable	June 30, 1939	" " " "
Gynne Sue Kable	Nov. 1, 1942	" " " "
Wendy Mae Kable	May 17, 1949	" " " "
Benj. Franklin Kable	Oct. 29, 1941	" Robert & Margaret
Harry George Kable II	May 9, 1947	" " & Ruth
Margarst Louise Niman	Nov. 23, 1942	" Roger & Janet
Randolph Chas. Niman	Sept. 27, 1946	" " " "
Daniel Albert Niman	May 10, 1951	" " " "
Stuart Jiracek Zim.	Dec. 13, 1942	" Ward & Grace
Sally Gay Zimmerman	April 6, 1947	" " " "
Paula Rosalind Zim.	Nov. 22, 1945	" Bryant & Harriet
Keith Rudolph "	June 26, 1948	" " " "
Craig Karl Zimmerman	Feb. 22, 1951	" " " "
Joy Ann Roth	Jan. 12, 1945	" Joyce & Richard Roth
Ted Lee Longman	Oct. 3, 1945	" Harold & Marian
Cathy Lou Longman	Feb. 27, 1948	" " " "
Diane Baldwin	Dec. 24, 1947	" Doris " Richard Baldwin

Patricia Kable m. John Charles Mullarkey, Jr. - July 3, 1948
 Michael John Mullarkey b. April 9, 1951, Los Angeles, Calif.