

Isaac Butler

Pioneer of 1845

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Isaac Butler with his children and his second wife, Polly (Tidwell) Butler  
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Isaac Butler

b. 13 Jun 1820 Alabama

d. 01 Jun 1904 Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon

buried Hillsboro Pioneer Cemetery, Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon

s/o John Butler (-1836)



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m1. 14 Mar 1845 Buchanan Co, MO

Tabitha J. Tucker

b. 31 Jan 1828 MO

d. 27 Mar 1867 Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon

buried Hillsboro Pioneer Cemetery, Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon

m2. 15 Aug 1869 Oregon

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1910: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, Polly C. Butler, head, 69, wid, 8-4, IL IL AL, own income; Mark I., son, 35, s, OR AL IL, carpenter-house; Lottie H., dau, 27, s, OR AL AL, dressmaker-at home

"BUTLER, ISAAC.--Born in Alabama in 1820; came to Oregon and settled near Hillsboro, Washington County, which is his present place of residence, and farming is his occupation. He married Tabitha J. Tucker in 1845, and fifteen children are the fruits of this marriage." [History of the Willamette Valley by Herbert Lang p.633].

"Isaac Butler of Hillsboro, Washington county, Oregon, is one of the few brave pioneers of Oregon that are left of the number who crossed the vast plains in 1845, and who have made their continuous hone in that State. He has made it the place of his residence for the past forty-seven years, a period covering the settlement, growth and development of the now great commonwealth. Mr. Butler was born in Alabama on the 13th of June, 1820. His father, John Butler, was born in the same State, and married Mrs. Margaret Thrasher. They had eight children, two sons and six daughters. They removed to Tennessee, and settled twelve miles east of Memphis. When Mr. Butler was eight years old his mother died, and later the family removed to Illinois, and from there to Missouri. During this time the father and one sister perished in a blizzard. After this he was left to depend on himself. Having to look out for his own support as he did, of course, he never enjoyed any of the advantages of education.

He married in Missouri Miss Tabitha J. Tucker, and soon after they crossed the plains together to make for themselves a home in the then comparatively unknown region, Oregon Territory. They left Missouri in the spring of 1845, and were six months on the way. Some of their company suffered with sickness, but both Mr. Butler and his wife kept their health. Mr. Butler had one yoke of oxen, and he hitched it with the teams of another man and agreeing; to drive reached Fort Fisher. They disagreed and dissolved partnership, but Mr. Butler had another

chance with a man, and in that way completed the journey. His leather breeches so shrunk on the trip that he had to cut them off when he reached Oregon, He took a donation claim in the public region, four miles east of Hillsboro, in Washington county. The nearest town was Oregon City, and that had only a few inhabitants, He built a little log cabin on his land, and struggled to live during those hard pioneer days, He improved his farm, and resided on it for forty-one years, when he rented it and went to Hillsboro to reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Butler had ten children, all of whom they raised, and all are now living. She died in 1869. The children are: George W., John Thomas; Sarah, now Mrs. George Hoopengartner; Charles, William; Ann Elizabeth, now Mrs. Alonza Sigler; Elzadia A., now Mrs. C. Boyd; Benjamin F.; Lucy Ellen, now Mrs. James Sigler; Mary Emaline, now Mrs. Roscoe Staples. Three years after the death of his wife, Mr. Butler married again, this time Mrs. Polly C. Moore. She had a daughter, Anna Eliza Moore. They have had five children, namely: Hattie May, Isaac Mark, Fred, James and Lottie H., making in all, sixteen children that Mr. Butler has raised, and has twenty-three grandchildren.

In 1860 he engaged in sawmilling, which he has continued in addition to his farm work. He has recently built a mill adjacent to Hillsboro, and his sons are attending to it for him. Mr. Butler has been a Democrat all his life. and he is a member of the Christian denomination. He is a member of the Tualitin Lodge, A. F. & A. M. His life has been one of industry, and all the wealth that he enjoys at present was obtained by hard and steady work." [An Illustrated History of the State of Oregon by Hines p. 630-1]

**GRIIP FATAL TO HILLSBORO  
PIONEER OF 1846.**



**Mrs. Polly Caroline Butler.**

**HILLSBORO, Or., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Mrs. Polly Caroline Butler, pioneer of 1846 and widow of Isaac Butler, died here Monday from grip, aged 75. With her parents in 1846 she crossed the plains to Oregon, the family settling on a farm in Clackamas County, near Oregon City. In 1865 she was married to James H. Moore, a pioneer of 1852, and of three children born one, Mrs. W. H. McEldowney, of Forest Grove, survives. Mr. Moore died in 1861, and in 1869 she was married to Isaac Butler, and two of their five children survive, as follows: James E. Butler, living in Portland, and Lottie H. Butler in Hillsboro.**

Children of Isaac Butler and Tabitha Tucker:

1. George W. Butler

b. Apr 1847 Washington County, Oregon

d. 12 Jun 1920 Washington County, Oregon

buried Hillsboro Pioneer Cemetery, Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon

m. Never married

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1900: Holbrook, Multnomah County, Oregon, June 6, 1900; James Sigler, head, Nov 1858, 41, m-16yrs, sawyer-sawmill; Lucy, wife, Nov 1866, 33, m-16yrs, 6-6, OR AL IN; Doyle, son, Apr 1885, 15, s, OR OR OR; Clara, dau, Aug 1882, 7, s, OR OR OR; Gussie, dau, Jan 1892, 8, s, OR OR OR; Ray, son, Oct 1894, 5, s, OR OR OR; Fay, dau, Oct 1894, 5, s, OR OR OR; Beth, dau, Oct 1897, 2, s, OR OR OR; George Butler, brother in law, Apr 1847, 52, s, OR AL IN, laborer-sawmill

1910: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, April 9, 1910; James Sigler, head, 53, m1-27yrs, OR US AL, sawyer-sawmill; Lucy E., wife, m1-27yrs, 6-6, OR AL US; Clare T., dau, 22, s, OR OR OR, laundry; Julia A., dau, 18, s, OR OR OR; Roy H., son, 16, s, OR OR OR; Fay H., dau, 16, s, OR OR OR; Mary E., dau, 12, s, OR OR OR; George W. Butler, brother in law, 62, s, OR AL US,

1920: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, January 12, 1920; James Sigler, head, 62, OR US US, sawyer-sawmill; Lucy, wife, 54, OR AL MO; Augusta, dau, 28, s, OR OR OR, bookkeeper-groc store; Fay Kellington, 25, OR OR OR, laborer-milk company; Harold Kellington, son in law, 35, US US US, jeweler-jewelry store; Arleigh Kellington, granddau, 5, OR US OR; Geo W. Butler, brother in law, 72, s, OR AL IN

"BUTLER, GEORGE W.--Born in Washington County, Oregon, in 1847. Is a salesman and surveyor by occupation, and resides at Salem. Mr. Butler is remarkable as having been one of the first white children born in Oregon." [History of the Willamette Valley by Herbert Lang p.666] Note: George W. Butler was far from being among the first white children born in Oregon.

## 2. John Thomas Butler

b. 14 Mar 1849 Washington County, Oregon

d. 17 Jan 1920 Tacoma, Pierce County, Washington

buried Tacoma Cemetery, Tacoma, Pierce County, Washington

m. c1870 Oregon

Rosa Anna Beeks

b. Mar 1853 Oregon

d. 24 Jun 1948 Centralia, Lewis County, Washington

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1880: Klickitat County, Washington, June 17 & 18, 1880; J.T. Butler, 31, farmer, OR MO MO; R.A., 27, wife, keeping house, OR MO MO; Lula A., 8, dau, OR OR OR; Ruhama, dau, 6, OR OR OR; Mary M., dau, 3, WA OR OR; Daisy A., dau, (b. Apr), WA OR OR

1900: Yakima, Yakima County, Washington, June 5 & 6, 1900; John T. Butler, head, Mar 1849, 57, m-28yrs, OR MO MO, farm laborer; Rosa A., wife, Mar 1853, 47, m-

28yrs, 8-6, OR MO MO; Myrtle M., dau, Dec 1877, 22, s, WA OR OR, saleslady-dry goods; Daisy A., dau, Apr 1880, 20, s, WA OR OR; William I., son, Nov 1882, 17, s, WA OR OR, day laborer; Greta A., dau, Jan 1893, 7, s, WA OR OR

1910: Yakima, Yakima County, Washington, May 13, 1910; John T. Butler, head, 61, m-38yrs, OR MO MO, laborer-farm; Rosa A., wife, 57, m-38yrs, 8-6, OR MO MO; Rebecca Julian, grand dau, 17, m1-2yrs, 1-1, WA WA WA; Oliver Julian, grandson, 25, m1-2yrs, MO LA LA, laborer-farm; Wanna Julian, great grand dau, 14/12, WA MO WA

1920: Tacoma, Pierce County, Washington, January 3 & 5, 1920; John T. Butler, head, 70, OR KY MO, laborer-auctioneer; Rosa A., wife, 67, OR MO MO

### 3. Sarah Jane Butler

b. Sep 1850 Washington County, Oregon

d. 04 Mar 1939 Portland, Multnomah Co, OR

buried Lone Fir Cemetery, Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon

m. 1870 Oregon

George M. Hoopengarner

b. Dec 1840 Ohio

d. Apr 1906 Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon

buried Lone Fir Cemetery, Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon

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1880: Forest Grove, Washington County, Oregon, June 12, 1880; G.M. Hoopengarner, 37, teacher in public schools, OH OH OH; Sarah J., 28, wife, keeping house, OR TN MO; Guy V., 8, son, OR OH OR; Earl L., 6, son, OR OH OR; Isaac May, 4, son, OR OH OR; Lloyd, 2, son, OR OH OR, Alzada Butler, 21, sister in law, OR TN MO

1900: Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon, June 14, 1900; George Hoopengarner, head, Dec 1840, 59, m-30yrs, OH OH OH, school teacher; Sarah J., wife, Sep 1850, 49, m-30yrs, 8-6, OR IN MO; Earl L., son, Oct 1873, 26, s, OR OH OR, telegraph operator; Max, son, Apr 1876, 24, s, OR OH OR, gold miner; Lloyd, son, Jun 1879, 20, s, OR OH



OR, traveling salesman; Bertha, dau, Jul 1881, 18, s, OR OH OR, saleslady; Hazel, dau, Oct 1890, 9, s, OR OH OR, at school

1910: Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon, April 18, 1910; Sarah J. Hoopengartner, 59, wid, 8-6, OR TN MO; Earl L., son, 36, s, OR OH OR, bookkeeper, construction wrks; Bertha C. Reig, dau, 39, div, 1-1, OR OH OR, bookkeeper-creamery company; Hazel M., dau, 19, s, OR OH OR; George O. Reig, grandson, 5, OR IL OR

1920: Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon, January 15 & 16, 1920; Sarah J. Hoopengartner, 69, wid, OR IN MO; Betha C. Rieg, dau, 39, div, OR OH OR, bookkeeper, bank; Hazel M., dau, 29, s, OR OH OR, stenographer-machinery company; Alice M., grand dau, 13, s, CA OR CA; Helen H., grand dau, 11, s, CA OR CA

1930: Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon, April 3, 1930; Sarah A. Hoopengartner, 79, wid, m-age 18yrs, OR AL MO; Hazel M., dau, 39, s, OR OR OR; stenographer-lumber

**HOOPENGARNER—March 4, Sarah Jane Hoopengartner, 3058 N. E. 62d ave., mother of G. V. Hoopengartner of El Paso, Texas; E. L. of Oakland, Cal.; L. P. of N. Y.; Mrs. Geo. M. Shrock and Hazel Hoopengartner of Portland; sister of J. E. Butler, Portland; Mrs. James Sigler and Miss Lottie Butler of Hillsboro, Mrs. Clarence Bloyd of Coquille. Remains are at Finley's, S. W. Montgomery at 4th. Notice of funeral later.**

[Sunday Oregonian, Portland, Oregon, March 5, 1939 p.2]

... will recover.

**FUNERAL OF AN EDUCATOR.**—The funeral of George M. Hoopengartner, a pioneer teacher of Oregon, was held yesterday afternoon from his late home, 354 1/2 West Street, McMillen's Addition. He was born in Ohio sixty-five years ago, came to Oregon in 1870, and for twenty years was principal of several prominent schools in Washington County. Several years ago he retired from active duties as a teacher. He died of pleuro-pneumonia after an illness of two weeks. Mr. Hoopengartner is survived by his widow and the following children: G. V. Hoopengartner of Arizona, E. L. Hoopengartner of Portland, Max Hoopengartner of Hornbrook, Cal., I. P. Hoopengartner of New York City, Mrs. J. M. Rieg and Miss Edna Hoopengartner of Portland.

[Oregonian, Portland, Oregon, April 27, 1906 p.9]

4. Mary Emeline Butler

b 20 Feb 1852 Washington County, Oregon

d. 22 Nov 1920 Los Angeles Co, California

buried Pomona Cemetery and Mausoleum, Pomona, Los Angeles County, CA

m1. 25 Dec 1870 Washington County, Oregon

Ransom Roscoe Staples

b. 04 Nov 1846 Lebanon, York County, Maine

d. 20 Jan 1917 Sawtelle, Los Angeles County, California (divorced?)

m2. 08 Nov 1892 Chino, San Bernardino County, California

Henry Edmund Berjiman

b. Nov 1854

d. 16 Dec 1934 Chino, San Bernardino County, California

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1880: San Juan, Los Angeles County, California, June 24 & 25, 1880; Roscoe Staples, 37, aparist (bee keeper), ME ME MO; Mary E., 28, wife, keeping house, OR OR OR; Robert, 13, son, OR ME OR; C.R., 10, son, OR ME OR; R.C., 7, son, OR ME OR; R.F., 3, son, OR ME OR; Minnie, 1, dau, OR ME OR

1900: Chino, San Bernardino County, California, Henry Berjiman, June 11, 1900; Henry E. Berjiman, Nov 1854, 45, m-8yrs, UT PA OH, hotel keeper; Mary E., wife, Feb 1852, m-8yrs, 7-6, OR PA MO; Royal F., son, Feb 1877, 23, s, CA UT OR, farm laborer; Charles A., son, Mar 1884, 16, s, CA UT OR, at school

1910: Chino, San Bernardino County, California, Henry Berjiman, 59, m1-11yrs, NY IA NY, carpenter; Emeline C.M., wife, 58, m2-19yrs, 7-5, OR MO MO, proprietor-rooming home

1920: Chino, San Bernardino County, California, Henry Berjiman, 65, UT unk OH, carpenter, Mary E., wife, 67, OR, unk MO

#### 5. Ann Elizabeth Butler

b. 17 Oct 1853 Washington County, Oregon

d. 16 Sep 1930 Hillsboro, Washington County, OR

buried Hillsboro Pioneer Cemetery, Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon

m. 08 Oct 1871

Alonzo Sigler

b. 28 Apr 1845 Peoria County, Illinois

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1880: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, June 18, 1880; Alonzo Sigler, 35, farmer, IL IL IL; Elizabeth, wife, 26, keeping house, OR TN MO

1900: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, June 8, 1900; Alonzo Sigler, head, Apr 1845, 55, m-29yrs, IL PA IL, teamster; Bessie E., wife, Oct 1853, 46, m-29yrs, 1-1, OR IL MO; Bessie V., dau, Aug 1882, 17, s, OR IL OR, at school

1910: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, April 19, 1910; Alonzo Sigler, head, 64, m1-38yrs, IL IL IL, laborer-railroad; Ann E., wife, 56, m1-38yrs, 1-1, OR TN MO; William D. Smith, boarder, 50, wid, IL OH OH, own income

1920: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, January 5, 1920; Alonzo Sigler, head, 74, IL IL US, laborer, railway; Ann E., wife, 65, OR AL MO

6. Charles Arthur Butler

b. 17 Oct 1855 Washington County, Oregon

d. 15 Sep 1897 Waldo, Josephine Co, OR

buried Canyon Creek Miner's Burying Ground, Cave Junction, Josephine County, Oregon

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7. Elzada Amelia Butler

b. 23 Oct 1857 Washington County, Oregon

d. 19 Apr 1950 Oregon

buried Fir Lawn Cemetery, Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon

m. 1883 Washington County, Oregon

Clarence R. Boyd

b. 1862 Oregon

d. 27 Jun 1941 Coos County, Oregon

buried Fir Lawn Cemetery, Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon

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1900: Holbrook, Multnomah County, Oregon, June 6, 1900; C.B. (sic) Boyd, head, Nov 1862, 38, m-17yrs, OR IL OR, engineer?; Eliander (sic), wife, Oct 1862, m-17yrs, OR IL MO; Zoa, dau, Feb 1884, 16, s, OR OR IL; Minnie, dau, Mar 1886, 14, OR OR OR; Mattie, dau, Aug 1890, 9, s, OR OR OR; Lucy A., dau, Dec 1893, 6, s, OR OR OR; Claus (sic) V., son, Apr 1895, 5, s, OR OR OR; baby, dau, Jan 1900, 4/12, s, OR OR OR

1910: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, May 3, 1910; Clarence R. Boyd, 48, m1-26yrs, OR IL Ark. chiropractor; Elzada, wife, 52, m1-26yrs, 6-6, OR KY MO; Zoa A., dau, 26, s, OR OR OR, teacher-public schools; Minnie E., dau, 24, OR OR OR, clerk-abstract office; Lucy A., dau, 17, s, OR OR OR, Clarence W., son, 15, s, OR OR OR; Bertha F., dau, 11, s, OR OR OR

1920: Coquille, Coos County, Oregon, January 17, 1920; Clarence R. Boyd, head, 58, OR IL Ark, doctor-drugless; Elzada A., wife, 62, OR KY MO

1930: Coquille, Coos County, Oregon, April 4, 1930; Charles (sic) R. Boyd, head, 68, m-age 22yrs, OR IL Ark, chiropractor; Elzada A., wife, 73, m-age 25, OR IL MO

8. William Henry Butler

b. 25 Dec 1859 Washington County, Oregon

d. 20 Aug 1947 Crescent City, Del Norte Co, CA

m. Never married

1860: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, July 6, 1860; Isaac Butler, 38, farmer, \$4875 \$2800, AL; Letitia (sic-Tabitha), 33, \$1000, IN; Geo W., 13, OR; John, 11, OR; Sarah, 9, OR; Emeline, 8, OR; Anna, 5, OR; Chas, 4, OR; Ezada, 3, OR; William, 6/12, OR

1870: Forest Grove, Washington County, Oregon, 1870; Isaac Butler, 47, farmer, \$10000 \$2000, MO m'd in August; Polly C., 29, keeping house, IL, m'd in August; George W., 23, farm laborer, \$0 \$350 OR; John L., 21, farm laborer, \$0 \$175, OR; Emeline, 18, OR; Robert. 2/12 (Mar), OR; Anna E., 17, OR; Charles, 14, OR; Alzada, 12, OR; Wm H., 10, OR; B.F., 7, OR; Lucy E., 4, OR; Eliza A. Moore, 12, OR

1880: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, June 20 & 22, 1880; Isaac Butler, 58, farmer, AL unk unk; Polly C., 39, wife, keeping house, IL unk AL; George W., 33, son, at home, OR AL IN; Charles A., 24, son, at home, OR AL IN; William H., 20, son, at home, OR AL IN; Benjamin F., 18, son, at home, OR AL IN; Lucy C., 14, dau, at school, OR AL IN; Hattie M., 8, dau, at school, OR AL IL; Isaac M., 5, son, OR AL IL; Roland F., 2, son, OR AL IL; Ann E., 23, step-dau, OR AL IL

1920: Althouse, Josephine County, Oregon, January 8, 1920; William H. Butler, boarder, 59, s, OR TN MO, miner-gold; enumerated in Edwin E. Johnson household

1930: Klamath, Del Norte, California, April 2, 1930; Oscar W. Morrell, head, 61, div, Eng Eng Eng, laborer-State highway; William Butler, 69, lodger, OR MO TN, laborer, State highway

1940: Del Norte County Hospital, Crescent City, Del Norte, California, April 22, 1940; William H. Butler, lodger, 79, OR

9. Benjamin Franklin Butler

b. 14 Jun 1862 Washington County, Oregon

d. 20 Aug 1942 Globe, Gila County, Arizona

buried Globe Cemetery, Globe, Gila County, Arizona

m. Never married

1870: Forest Grove, Washington County, Oregon, 1870; Isaac Butler, 47, farmer, \$10000 \$2000, MO m'd in August; Polly C., 29, keeping house, IL, m'd in August; George W.,

23, farm laborer, \$0 \$350 OR; John L., 21, farm laborer, \$0 \$175, OR; Emeline, 18, OR; Robert. 2/12 (Mar), OR; Anna E., 17, OR; Charles, 14, OR; Alzada, 12, OR; Wm H., 10, OR; B.F., 7, OR; Lucy E., 4, OR; Eliza A. Moore, 12, OR

1880: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, June 20 & 22, 1880; Isaac Butler, 58, farmer, AL unk unk; Polly C., 39, wife, keeping house, IL unk AL; George W., 33, son, at home, OR AL IN; Charles A., 24, son, at home, OR AL IN; William H., 20, son, at home, OR AL IN; Benjamin F., 18, son, at home, OR AL IN; Lucy C., 14, dau, at school, OR AL IN; Hattie M., 8, dau, at school, OR AL IL; Isaac M., 5, son, OR AL IL; Roland F., 2, son, OR AL IL; Ann E., 23, step-dau, OR AL IL

1910: Payson, Gila County, Arizona, May 10, 1910; Benjamin F. Butler, head, 47, s, OR TN MO, miner-mines

1920: Payson, Gila County, Arizona, January 2, 1920; Benjamin F. Butler, 57, s, OR TN MO, miner-gold

1930: Payson, Gila County, Arizona, April 1930, Ben F. Butler, 67, s, OR TN MO, laborer-odd jobs

1940: Gila County, Arizona, April 19 & 20, 1940, Ben F. Butler, head, 77, s, OR

10. Lucy Ellen Butler

b. 08 Nov 1865 Washington County, Oregon

d. 29 Sep 1941 Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon

buried Hillsboro Pioneer Cemetery, Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon

m. 1900

James Sigler

b. 30 Oct 1856 Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon

d. 31 Jul 1928 Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon

buried Hillsboro Pioneer Cemetery, Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon

1870: Forest Grove, Washington County, Oregon, 1870; Isaac Butler, 47, farmer, \$10000 \$2000, MO m'd in August; Polly C., 29, keeping house, IL, m'd in August; George W., 23, farm laborer, \$0 \$350 OR; John L., 21, farm laborer, \$0 \$175, OR; Emeline, 18, OR; Robert. 2/12 (Mar), OR; Anna E., 17, OR; Charles, 14, OR; Alzada, 12, OR; Wm H., 10, OR; B.F., 7, OR; Lucy E., 4, OR; Eliza A. Moore, 12, OR

1880: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, June 20 & 22, 1880; Isaac Butler, 58, farmer, AL unk unk; Polly C., 39, wife, keeping house, IL unk AL; George W., 33, son, at home, OR AL IN; Charles A., 24, son, at home, OR AL IN; William H., 20, son, at

home, OR AL IN; Benjamin F., 18, son, at home, OR AL IN; Lucy C., 14, dau, at school, OR AL IN; Hattie M., 8, dau, at school, OR AL IL; Isaac M., 5, son, OR AL IL; Roland F., 2, son, OR AL IL; Ann E., 23, step-dau, OR AL IL

1900: Holbrook, Multnomah County, Oregon, June 6, 1900; James Sigler, head, Nov 1858, 41, m-16yrs, sawyer-sawmill; Lucy, wife, Nov 1866, 33, m-16yrs, 6-6, OR AL IN; Doyle, son, Apr 1885, 15, s, OR OR OR; Clara, dau, Aug 1882, 7, s, OR OR OR; Gussie, dau, Jan 1892, 8, s, OR OR OR; Ray, son, Oct 1894, 5, s, OR OR OR; Fay, dau, Oct 1894, 5, s, OR OR OR; Beth, dau, Oct 1897, 2, s, OR OR OR; George Butler, brother in law, Apr 1847, 52, s, OR AL IN, laborer-sawmill

1910: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, April 9, 1910; James Sigler, head, 53, m1-27yrs, OR US AL, sawyer-sawmill; Lucy E., wife, m1-27yrs, 6-6, OR AL US; Clare T., dau, 22, s, OR OR OR, laundry; Julia A., dau, 18, s, OR OR OR; Roy H., son, 16, s, OR OR OR; Fay H., dau, 16, s, OR OR OR; Mary E., dau, 12, s, OR OR OR; George W. Butler, brother in law, 62, s, OR AL US

1920: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, January 12, 1920; James Sigler, head, 62, OR US US, sawyer-sawmill; Lucy, wife, 54, OR AL MO; Augusta, dau, 28, s, OR OR OR, bookkeeper-groc store; Fay Kellington, 25, OR OR OR, laborer-milk company; Harold Kellington, son in law, 35, US US US, jeweler-jewelry store; Arleigh Kellington, granddau, 5, OR US OR; Geo W. Butler, brother in law, 72, s, OR AL IN

1930: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, April 15, 1930; Lucy Sigler, head, 64, wid, m-age 18yrs, OR AL MO; Edward H. Brandan, son in law, 42, m-age 24yrs, IA Ger Ger, machinist-cannery; Clare Brandan, dau, 42, OR OR OR; Augusta Sigler, dau, 39, s, OR OR OR, bookkeeper-bank

1940: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon. April 16, 1940, Lucy Sigler, head, 74, wid, OR; Gusta, 48, s, OR; Edward Brandan, son in law, 52, ND; Clare Brandan, dau, 52, OR

### **James Sigler.**

HILLSBORO, Or., Aug. 2.—(Special.)—James Sigler, 72, pioneer, who was born in Washington county, died late Tuesday and was buried from the Hillsboro Free Methodist church this afternoon. The Rev. Mr. Coffee of Portland officiated. His widow and children survive.

[Morning Oregonian, Portland, Oregon, August 3, 1928, p.16]



Children of Isaac Butler and Polly Tidwell:

11. Hattie M. Butler

b. Feb 1872 Washington County, Oregon

d. 30 Oct 1908 Hillsboro, Washington Co, OR

buried Hillsboro Pioneer Cemetery, Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon

m. Never married

1880: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, June 20 & 22, 1880; Isaac Butler, 58, farmer, AL unk unk; Polly C., 39, wife, keeping house, IL unk AL; George W., 33, son, at home, OR AL IN; Charles A., 24, son, at home, OR AL IN; William H., 20, son, at home, OR AL IN; Benjamin F., 18, son, at home, OR AL IN; Lucy C., 14, dau, at school, OR AL IN; Hattie M., 8, dau, at school, OR AL IL; Isaac M., 5, son, OR AL IL; Roland F., 2, son, OR AL IL; Ann E., 23, step-dau, OR AL IL

1900: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, June 1 & 2, 1900; Isaac Butler, head, June 1820, 79, m-30 yrs, AL unk unk; Polly C., wife, Dec 1840, 59, m-30yrs, 8-5, IL IL AL; Hattie M., dau, Feb 1872, 28, s, OR AL IL; James E., son, Oct 1880, 19, s, OR AL IL, salesman-grocery; Lottie H., dau, Dec 1882, 17, s, OR AL IL, at school

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**Hattie Butler, Native Daughter.**

**HILLSBORO, Or., Oct. 30.—(Special)**  
—Miss Hattie Butler, daughter of the late Isaac Butler and Mrs. Polly Butler, who survives, died at the family home in this city this morning from tuberculosis. Miss Butler was born in this county 36 years ago, her father being a pioneer of 1842.

[Oregonian, Portland, Oregon, Saturday, October 31, 1908 p.6]

12. Mark Isaac Butler

b. 01 Apr 1875 Washington County, Oregon

d. 30 Aug 1914 Hillsboro, Washington Co, OR

buried Hillsboro Pioneer Cemetery, Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon

m. Never married

1880: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, June 20 & 22, 1880; Isaac Butler, 58, farmer, AL unk unk; Polly C., 39, wife, keeping house, IL unk AL; George W., 33, son, at home, OR AL IN; Charles A., 24, son, at home, OR AL IN; William H., 20, son, at home, OR AL IN; Benjamin F., 18, son, at home, OR AL IN; Lucy C., 14, dau, at school,

OR AL IN; Hattie M., 8, dau, at school, OR AL IL; Isaac M., 5, son, OR AL IL; Roland F., 2, son, OR AL IL; Ann E., 23, step-dau, OR AL IL

1900: Prineville, Crook County, Oregon, June 7, 1900; Mark Butler, lodger, Apr 1875, 25, s, OR AL MO, engineer

1910: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, Polly C. Butler, head, 69, wid, 8-4, IL IL AL, own income; Mark I., son, 35, s, OR AL IL, carpenter-house; Lottie H., dau, 27, s, OR AL AL, dressmaker-at home

### 13. Fred Rolland Butler

b. 17 Nov 1877 Washington County, Oregon

d. 24 Aug 1898 Hillsboro, Washington Co, OR

buried Hillsboro Pioneer Cemetery, Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon

m. Never married

1880: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, June 20 & 22, 1880; Isaac Butler, 58, farmer, AL unk unk; Polly C., 39, wife, keeping house, IL unk AL; George W., 33, son, at home, OR AL IN; Charles A., 24, son, at home, OR AL IN; William H., 20, son, at home, OR AL IN; Benjamin F., 18, son, at home, OR AL IN; Lucy C., 14, dau, at school, OR AL IN; Hattie M., 8, dau, at school, OR AL IL; Isaac M., 5, son, OR AL IL; Roland F., 2, son, OR AL IL; Ann E., 23, step-dau, OR AL IL

### 14. James Edward Butler

b. 13 Oct 1880 Washington County, Oregon

d. 07 Nov 1972 Portland, Multnomah Co, OR

buried Hillsboro Pioneer Cemetery, Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon

m. 1907 Washington County, Oregon

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b. 1882

d. 1967

buried Hillsboro Pioneer Cemetery, Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon

1900: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, June 1 & 2, 1900; Isaac Butler, head, June 1820, 79, m-30 yrs, AL unk unk; Polly C., wife, Dec 1840, 59, m-30yrs, 8-5, IL IL AL; Hattie M., dau, Feb 1872, 28, s, OR AL IL; James E., son, Oct 1880, 19, s, OR AL IL, salesman-grocery; Lottie H., dau, Dec 1882, 17, s, OR AL IL, at school

1910: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, April 30, 1910; James E. Butler, head, 30, m1-3yrs, OR AL IL, draftsman-railroad company; Marian, wife, 28, m1-3yrs, 1-1, IA IA IA; Morris C., son, 2, s, OR OR IA

1920: Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon, January 5, 1920; James E. Butler, head, 39, OR TN IL, draftsman-railroad company; Marian E., wife, 37, IA OH NY; Maurice C., son, 10, OR OR IA

1930: Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon, James E. Butler, head, 49, m-age 26yrs, OR TN IL, draftsman-railroad company; Marion E., wife, 47, m'd age 24yrs, IA OH NY; Maurice C., son, 22, s, OR OR IA (absent)

1940: Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon, April 3, 1940; James Butler, head, 59, draftsman-public works, engineer dept; Marian, wife, 57, IA

15. Lottie Hyacinth Butler

b. 30 Dec 1882 Washington County, Oregon

d. 06 Jul 1974 Washington County, Oregon

buried Hillsboro Pioneer Cemetery, Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon

m. Never married

1900: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, June 1 & 2, 1900; Isaac Butler, head, June 1820, 79, m-30 yrs, AL unk unk; Polly C., wife, Dec 1840, 59, m-30yrs, 8-5, IL IL AL; Hattie M., dau, Feb 1872, 28, s, OR AL IL; James E., son, Oct 1880, 19, s, OR AL IL, salesman-grocery; Lottie H., dau, Dec 1882, 17, s, OR AL IL, at school

1910: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, Polly C. Butler, head, 69, wid, 8-4, IL IL AL, own income; Mark I., son, 35, s, OR AL IL, carpenter-house; Lottie H., dau, 27, s, OR AL AL, dressmaker-at home

River, Oregon.  
**BUTLER — Lottie H., 91, of Hillsboro. Funeral services 11 am. Tuesday, at the Hillsboro Congregational Church, Dr. Levering Reynolds officiating. Private interment Hillsboro Pioneer Cemetery. DONELSON, SEWELL & MATHEWS, directors**

[Oregonian, Portland, Oregon, June 9, 1974 p.40]

Additonal:

Anna Eliza Moore

b. Sep 1857 California/Oregon

d. 20 Mar 1943 Washington County, Oregon

d/o James H. Moore and Polly Caroline (Tidwell) Moore Butler  
step daughter of Isaac Butler

m. 1882 Washington County, Oregon

William H. McEldowney

b. 1856 Iowa

d. 16 Mar 1946 Washington County, Oregon

m1. 1877 Anna M. Lewelling

m2. 1882 Eliza Ann Moore

1880: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, June 21, 1880; William H. McEldowney, 24, farmer, IA PA PA; Annie, wife, 25, CA IA Mass; Wilber, 2, son, OR IA CA; Mary, 10/12, July, dau, OR IA CA; Thomas W. Davis, 38, carpenter, Eng Eng Eng

1900: Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, June 4, & 5, 1900; William H. McEldowney, head, Feb 1856, 44, m-18yrs, farmer, IA PA PA; Eliza A., wife, Feb 1857, m-18yrs, 0-0, OR Ark, IL

1910: Forest Grove, Washington County, Oregon, April 15, 1910; William H. McEldowney, head, 54-m-27yrs, IA PA PA, manager-farm; Eliza A., wife, 52, m-age 27yrs, 0-0, OR Ark IL; Helen M., mother, 74, wid, 9-6, PA PA PA

1920: Reedville, Washington County, Oregon, January 10 & 12, 1920; William H. McEldowney, head, 63, IA PA PA, manager-farm; Eliza, wife, 62, OR Ark IL

1930: Forest Grove, Washington County, Oregon, April 10, 1930; William H. McEldowney, head, 78, m-age 20yrs, IA PA PA, retired; Eliza A., 72, m-age 24yrs, OR OR IL

1940: Forest Grove, Washington County, Oregon, April 19, 1940; William A. (sic-H) McEldowney, 84, IA; Eliza A., 82, OR; living in same house

McELDOWNEY—March 20, Eliza Ann Mc-  
Eldowney, late of Forest Grove, Or., be-  
loved wife of William H., mother of Mrs.  
Mary Strickland of Forest Grove; sister  
of Miss Lottie H. Butler of Forest Grove  
and James E. Butler of Portland. Funeral  
services Wednesday, March 24, at 2:30  
P. M., at the Chapel of the Forest Grove  
Undertaking Co. Interment Forest View  
cemetery.

[Oregonian, Portland, Oregon, Tuesday, March 23, 1943, p.9]