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Hi All. I hope that you have all been happy and healthy.

So far I've been okay myself. Since I last wrote a newsletter much has happened. I've retired and in fact went to Arizona for the winter.

When I lived in Alaska in the early 1970's the house I lived in caught fire and I lost all my family photo's. A cousin of mine had some photo's that his father George Knight had. In them, among others, I found this one of my first marriage. This photo is a treasure found for my children. It's the wedding photo of my first wife Holly Bastin and myself. They had never seen a wedding photo of me and their mother before.

Seems like so long ago..... I've been in touch with many new (new to me) family members. Some have sent me information and photo's. Here's one that I'd never seen that was sent to me from Jane McGowan a distant

Frank and Holly (Bastin) Clyburn 10 Feb. 1970, Reno, Nevada



Mr. and Mrs. Franklin L. Clyburn

Parks relative of my Grandma. The back of the photo was listed as 'Narcy and Frances' on the back.

I immediately recognized my Grandma Nancy Hulda (Parks) Clyburn and my Aunt Nancy Fay (Clyburn) McBain as a girl. Someone got Fay mixed up with Frances when they wrote on the back of that photo. Now if you think that I am wrong and it is Frances please let me know.

I've been in touch with many other relatives in the recent months. Ben McCanna the son of Patsy Clyburn is once again in touch. He sent this wonderful photo of him riding a horse.

Carole Allen is still in touch. Martha Clyburn of NC writes occasionally. Carol Martin is still out there. Robin Bennett a Clyburn descendent from SC has been in touch. Lisa D. a distant Canadian Clyburn cousin contacts me occasionally. Narcie Yess, Aunt Fay's daughter is in touch. Frank R. Clyburn, a son of 'Bud' Clyburn is in touch (I haven't heard from Jim Clyburn, Frank's brother, lately). I've heard from Eric Clyburn. Also heard from Robert Clyburn. Yvonne Clyburn of Florida has been in touch. Angelika Clyburn of Denver, has been in touch, in fact she told me her son Jon Clyburn is now in the Submarine Corps of the Navy. Distant Cousin Vickie Johnson has also stayed in touch with me for a long time now. I also hear from Joe Cliburn, a distant cousin occasionally. Dan E. Clyburn stays in touch as

Daughters of Jane McGowan



Back of Photo says: Nancy and Frances (Back says like Fay to us...P)

does his wife. A cousin Kate Selby emails me now and then. Robin Stafford a Parks cousin



stays in touch as does her mother Michaelene. Dan M. Clyburn stays in touch. Dave Clyburn is in touch. Paul Clyburn of Ohio, one of my favorite cousins, stays in touch. Jack Team a Clyburn descendent contacted me recently. Owen Parks stays in contact with me.

All in all I stay busy corresponding with many of my relatives both close and distant.

My son Woodrow and I visited a distant cousin of our in Santa Rosa, CA last fall. While there we also visited Jack London's grave. See Photo.



Frank Clyburn at Jack London's grave, Nov 2009



Woodrow Clyburn at Jack London's grave, Nov 2009

I have just got back from spending the winter in Arizona. While there I was visited by my cousin Lucille. She drives truck and was passing bye one day so I took her photo. She is the daughter of my Aunt Patricia (Knight) Elwell. She most recently stopped in Yreka, Ca to visit. See Photos.



Lucille (Smith) Fausto, Feb, 2010



March 27, 2010 Yreka, CA. L-R: David Knight, Lucille (Smith) Fausto, Agnes (Knight) Howarth, Ralph Howarth, and Franklin Clyburn.

My Cousin Dan Clyburn sent me this photo of his Grandson Brody Jones of Homer, AK and a moose he tagged last fall. Looks like a lot of meat there! Nice photo.



Brody Jones with moose he tagged in 2009. Homer, Alaska

This is all for now folks. Please e-mail me your family stories for the family newsletter. Thanks, Frank Clyburn