

Notes for HETTY SMITH:

Life as a young adult was not kind to Hetty Smith. Four of her siblings, her husband and her first born child died before her 23rd birthday. Only two children were born to her first marriage. Her first spouse died in February 1934 and within three months she buried her seven year old daughter. Her second marriage was to Winson (Tince) Jacobs, the Great Grandson of Allison Jacobs, a pioneer from the Cherokee Indian Nation and Civil war hero. From this marriage to Tince another nine children were added to Hetty's life accomplishments. She and Tince remained together 57 years until her death in 1992. Two of her off-springs Christopher Elmore and Kathy Robinson" brother and sister " were killed in an automobile accident on December 15, 1992 (two days after Hetty died). They were killed in route to attend their Great Grandmother's Wake. They were the Grandchildren of Mary Lou Grice Elmore, the daughter of Hetty Smith Jacobs by her previous marriage. Only three days separated the three generation funerals.