

JOHN FRANKLIN CARRELL 1856-1932

John Franklin Carrell was born 13 April 1856 in Manti, Sanpete County, Utah, to William Thomas Carrell and Dorothy Pectol.

When he was just a lad, his father took his older brother and left John and his mother to get along the best they could. John got out and worked to support his mother for many years.

He loved music –he played the accordion and banjo; he could also stepdance and recite poetry. He married Olive Louise Foy on 10 March 1878 and lived a happy, full life. He held many church office including Presiding Elder in Gaineville Thurber Branch and President of the M.I.A. in Caineville. We have no dates of these.

This part was related to me by his daughter, Cedina c. Webster of Salt Lake City, Utah. All I remember of my grandfather is that he loved his grandchildren very much, for he used to fuss over us and play with us all the time.