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LONG-TERM RESEARCH QUESTION: Was Lila Bird Buzzo, who died on 23 September 1946 in Long Beach, Los Angeles, California and whose death certificate lists her birth place as Augusta County, VA, the same individual as Lilla B. Tyree, the 8-year-old child of Henry & Eliza Tyree as listed in the 1880 census in enumeration district #2, Rivanna, Albermarle County, Virginia, dwelling 478, family 490?

BACKGROUND: This is the third round of research with Tracy on this research question. This phase of research was divided into two parts: (1) three hours of paid research of the ledgers of Dr. William Carr Shackelford to (a) locate a birth record for Lilla B. Tyree to Henry & Eliza Tyree and (b) any reference to tutelage of Dr. Shackelford of Lilla B. Tyree correlating to the listing of her occupation as a nurse on her death certificate; (2) ten complimentary research hours to compare, contrast and analyze relevant new and existing records from Tracy's family tree for the quality of evidence to answer our long-term research question.

KEY FINDINGS: I would assert that it is likely¹ that Lilla B. Tyree and Lillian (Tyree, Terry, Terrell) Rogers Buzzo are the same person. Some evidence supports this conclusion, but additional evidence is needed to prove this assertion.² At the end of these arguments, you will find additional research which, if performed, may reveal additional direct, indirect or negative evidence that could improve this conclusion on the evidentiary scale to probably or certainly. Alternatively, additional sources may provide evidence to refute this tentative conclusion. The following arguments are provided:

- The evidence of **birthplace** is consistent between Lilla B. Tyree, the daughter of Henry & Eliza Tyree, as recorded in the 1880 census and Lillian (Tyree, Terry, Terrell) Rogers Buzzo.
- The evidence of **birthdate** is relatively consistent between Lilla B. Tyree, the daughter of Henry & Eliza Tyree, as recorded in the 1880 census and Lillian (Tyree, Terry, Terrell) Rogers Buzzo.
- An analysis of three categories of evidence supports the hypothesis that the **identities of the father(s)** of Lilla B. Tyree and Lillian (Tyree/Terry/Terrell) Rogers Buzzo, Henry Tyree and Douglas Tyree, **are likely the same person** (please refer to the previous definition of "likely" on the evidentiary scale): (1) Correlation and analysis of the name of Henry Tyree and his son, Henry Tyree, Jr. (2) An analysis of Lillian's birthplace as relatively consistent with the residence of Henry Tyree, Sr. (3) An analysis of the varied recording of Lillian's own maiden name as Tyree, Terry and Terrell.
- Evidence supports the hypothesis that **Ellen Winn, Eliza Winn and Eliza Brown are possibly** (one step lower than "likely" on the evidentiary scale) **the same person**.
- Evidence about **fair skin and race** within the Tyree family suggests that it is **possible** that Lillian (Tyree/Terry/Terrell) Rogers Buzzo, **recorded as white** and Lilla B. Tyree, **recorded as black** could be the same person.

¹Elizabeth Shown Mills, "Fundamentals of Evidence Analysis," *Evidence Explained*, third edition., (Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Company, 2015), p. 19-20, 1.6: Levels of Confidence.

²Ibid., p. 19.

- **Did Lilla/Lillian go alone out west as a young girl?** In September 1892, Henry Tyree, Jr., enlisted in the U. S. Army from Washington D.C.; he was discharged from Fort DuChesne, Utah on 14 Nov 1894.³ Lillian/Lilla would not have been alone out west. While it would not explain her trip out west, seemingly alone in the beginning, she would not have been alone for her first two years. Furthermore, Henry Tyree Jr's wife, Susie, was listed as a widow in the 1935 City Directory for Washington, DC.⁴ In the 1940 US Census, Lillian's residence in 1935 was recorded as Augusta, Georgia.⁵ Could the informant or census taker have misrecorded Georgia for Virginia? Perhaps, Lillian came back to Virginia to bury her brother or to comfort him after a separation from Susie. (There was a 1938 social security application in his name and a Henry Tyree without Susie running a boarding house in 1940 in Alexandria, Virginia, the suburbs of Washington, DC. No SS death index listing or death record has been located yet. See details in paper) Additional research is suggested on Henry Tyree Jr's death record.
- Albemarle County and Augusta County are adjoining counties. The county seats are a straight-line distance of 35 miles apart. Trains ran through both cities. Major north-south thoroughfares, however, run more heavily through Staunton. Researching old rail and road maps might answer the question as to why Staunton, Augusta County, Virginia might have been used as a frame of reference when describing her birthplace to others when she lived out west.

Limitations: Due to time limitations, I did not perform a full table analysis of the siblings and how they listed their parents names. Given the limited nature of available records on them at this time, I did cover relevant existing records that identified their parents' names. Also, time limitations prohibited a full review and analysis of the existing 1891 arrival record for Miss Lillian C and Miss Blanche E Rogers on the New York passenger lists on your tree and the 1925 New York state census listings for Robert & Lillian Rogers. I also did not include the full range of newspaper clippings in this analysis, but I did address one that seemed incongruous in Lillian's history. I specifically did not address the city directory listings for James B and Lillian Buzzo as they did not provide supporting or refuting evidence to answer our research question. However, I will note that the 1896 listing for L B Rogers as a Notary Public in Salt Lake City would be interesting to research in the county or city records in Salt Lake to see if it provides evidence of matching our Lilla/Lillian.

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³U.S. Army, Register of Enlistment, 1798-1914," database with images, *Ancestry* (<http://www.ancestry.com> : accessed 13 April 2017) , entry for Henry Tyree, line number 204, p. 273 of yearbook for 1891-1892, enlisted on 12 September 1892, discharged 14 November 1894 from Fort DuChesne, Utah, physical description: dark blue eyes, dark brown hair and "fair" complexion, unit: B Co., 9 Cav., Records of the Adjutant General's Office, 1780's-1917, Record Group 94; National Archives, Washington, D.C.

⁴*Boyd's District of Columbia City Directory, 1935* (unimaged publication page(s): R. L. Polk & Co., 1935), p. 1978, digital image 996, digital images of original book, *Ancestry* (<http://www.ancestry.com> : viewed 13 April 2017), entry for Susie (wid Henry) maid r [residence] 939 F [Street] sw.

⁵1940 United States Federal Census, Long Beach, Los Angeles, California, population schedule, enumeration district (ED) 259-59, 621 E. 4th Street, household 271, line 70, Lila Terry Buzzo, lodger in household of Donna Leach, database and images, *Ancestry* (<http://www.ancestry.com> : viewed 13 Apr 2017); citing National Archives microfilm T627, roll 371.

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Correspondence

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"Lilla B. Tyree." Digital image of the original, unknown date of original, unknown provenance, thumbnail. Available on Buzzo Christensen Family Tree. *Ancestry*. <http://www.ancestry.com> : 2017.

"William C. Shackelford [sic] Ledger, 1867-1886." Microfilm edition, reel 2690. Library of Virginia, Richmond, Virginia.

NOTE: Omitted from this list are five microfilm of Virginia birth records that were researched in our last research round. They are referenced and cited once in the paper, but are not further analyzed in this report.

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RESEARCH NOTES

Phase 2B, Part 1: In response to the correspondence of Mr. A. Colquitt Shackelford,⁶ grandson of Dr. William C. Shackelford who was the Master of Henry Tyree, I ordered and reviewed the following records of Dr. William C. Shackelford on microfilm from the Library of Virginia.

Microfilm #1: *William C. Shackelford [sic] Ledger, 1858-1863 [medical school notes & minimal medical practice receipts on last page]*, microfilm edition, one roll (Library of Virginia, Richmond), reel 5826, series 44113 (personal papers collection), system number 001609535.

Microfilm #2: *William C. Shackelford [sic] Ledgers, 1867-1918 [farm and medical receipts]*, microfilm edition, two rolls (Library of Virginia, Richmond), reel 2690 for ledgers from 1867-1886, series 39027 (business records collection), system number 000503170.

On microfilm #2 (reel 2690), Dr. Shackelford maintained a running ledger on Henry Tyree and his family. The ledger included receipt entries for medical services provided by Dr. Shackelford to the Tyree family and for payments to the Tyree family for work performed on the Shackelford farm and in support of the Shackelford family. This phase of research focused primarily on locating two pieces of information in the Shackelford family papers: (1) a birth record for Lilla B. Tyree to Henry & Eliza Tyree in Dr. Shackelford's medical practice records; (2) a reference to any tutelage of Dr. Shackelford of Lilla B. Tyree as a nurse in training to correlate to death certificate assertions of Lilla Buzzo's vocation as a nurse.

Findings: No evidence was found of Dr. Shackelford having trained Lilla B. Tyree as a nurse. While no specific birth record was located for Lilla/Lillian, an entry was made on 23 February 1872 on one of Henry Tyree's dedicated ledger pages that read, "prescription medicine for twin children."⁷ In the 1880 census, Lilla B. and Rosa B. Tyree are both 8 years old.⁸ With this new piece of evidence, we shift into Phase 2b, Part 2 for further correlation and analysis.

Phase 2b, Part 2:

In an effort to answer the research question of whether these two identities are the same person, evidence from multiple perspectives is compared, correlated and analyzed.

BIRTHDATE:

Are the birthdates of these two identities consistent? Yes. In a review of new evidence from the ledger of Dr. Shackelford⁹ in Phase 2b, Part 1 and existing documentation which you have provided, the birthdate of Lilla (Lillian) B. Tyree (Terrell) maintained relative consistency. Across the records, the date of birth for Lilla/Lillian Tyree/Terrell Rogers Buzzo remained consistent with the record formed for Lilla B. Tyree, the daughter of Henry & Eliza Tyree, as recorded in the 1880 US Census and the Shackelford ledger in Rivanna, Albemarle County, Virginia.

⁶ A. Colquitt Shackelford, Jr., Keswick, Virginia [e-address for private use], to Pamela Moore, e-mail, 14 March 2017, "Henry Tyree"; Tracy Phillips File, Lilla/Lillian B. Tyree Identity Project, privately held by researcher and client [(CONTACT INFORMATION PRIVATELY HELD)].

⁷ *William C. Shackelford [sic] Ledger, 1867-1886*, microfilm edition, one roll (Library of Virginia, Richmond), reel 2690, p. 29, "prescription medicine for twin children," series 39027 (business records collection), system number 000503170.

⁸ 1880 United States Federal Census, Rivanna, Albemarle County, Virginia, population schedule, enumeration district (ED) 2, p. 66A, dwell. 478, fam. 490, household of Henry Tyree, Lilla B and Rosa B. Tyree, age 8, database and images, images reproduced by Family Search, Ancestry (<http://www.ancestry.com> : viewed 14 Apr 2017) citing National Archives microfilm publication T9, roll 1352, FHL microfilm 1255352.

⁹ *William C. Shackelford [sic] Ledger, 1867-1886*, reel 2690, p. 29, entry for 13 February 1872, "prescription medicine for twin children."

It was not uncommon for people to record birthdates that varied by a couple of years. It is remarkable that the month of birth, February, remained consistent throughout the records. (See Figure 1 for full list of records evaluated for birthdate.)

Note: In our last phase of research, no birth record was located for a Lilla or Lillian Tyree, Terry or Terrell in Albemarle County or Augusta County, Virginia between 1870 and 1875.¹⁰

BIRTHPLACE:

Are the birthplaces of these two individuals consistent? (See Figure 2) There is inconsistency in the recorded birthplaces of Lillian (Tyree, Terry, Terrell) Rogers Buzzo, but the evidence weighs in favor of a birthplace of Virginia. The evidence seems to suggest that there was an effort on the part of Lillian or a member of her family to mask the location of Virginia as her birthplace. *Explanation:* In the 1900-1930 census listings, the birthplace of Lillian was recorded as Pennsylvania (1900-1910)^{11,12} and Kentucky (1920-1930)^{13,14}; however, it is evident that her son, Raymond Rogers (from her first marriage to Frank Rogers), was informed differently. In the 1910 and 1930 census, he recorded his mother's birthplace as Virginia.^{15, 16} In the 1920 census, he simply stated his mother was

¹⁰ Birth records for Lilla or Lillian Tyree, Terry and Terrell between 1870 and 1875 were searched with negative results on the following microfilm: Works Project Administration. Virginia. Birth Records. (1) "Old birth index, v. 25, Sto-Walz, 1867-1879." 1936-1939. Library of Virginia, Richmond, VA. FHL microfilm #2026339. (2) Works Project Administration. Virginia. Birth Records. "Albemarle County births, 1853-1872, to page 456 (missing years, 1854, 1863, 1869-1870)." Library of Virginia, Richmond, VA. FHL microfilm #2046908. (3) Works Project Administration. Virginia. Birth Records. "Albemarle County births, 1872-1896, from pg. 266 (missing year, 1891)." Library of Virginia, Richmond, VA. FHL microfilm #2046909. (4) Works Project Administration. Virginia. Birth Records. "Augusta County births, 1853-1883, to pg. 459." Library of Virginia, Richmond, VA. FHL microfilm #2046913. (5) Works Project Administration. Virginia. "Old birth index, Reel 2, 1867-79 (Bo-Griggs, Nannie)." 1936-1939. Prince William County Library, Manassas, VA. RELIC Microfilm 929.3755 Uni.

¹¹ 1900 United States Federal Census, Victor, Tell, Colorado, population schedule, enumeration district (ED) #0135, p. 12B, 322 Fifth Street, dwelling 311, family 327, household of Frank C. & Lillian B Rogers with Raymond A. Rogers, age 6, as their only child; database and images, images reproduced by *Family Search, Ancestry* (<http://www.ancestry.com> : viewed 13 Apr 2017); citing National Archives microfilm publication T623, roll 130 & FHL Film 1240130.

¹² 1910 United States Federal Census, Salt Lake City, Utah, population schedule, enumeration district (ED) 103, sheet no. 8B, 520 South 3rd East Street, visitation number 163, family no. 189, household of James B. & Lillian Buzzo with Jay B., age 4, their child; database and images, images reproduced by *Family Search, Ancestry* (<http://www.ancestry.com> : viewed 13 Apr 2017); citing National Archives microfilm publication T624, roll 1606 & FHL Film 1375619.

¹³ 1920 United States Federal Census, Salt Lake City, Utah, population schedule, enumeration district (ED) 136, sheet no. 2A, 128 C. North State Street, dwelling 18, family 39, household of Lillian Buzzo, with son, Jay Buzzo, age 13; database and images, images reproduced by *Family Search, Ancestry* (<http://www.ancestry.com> : viewed 13 Apr 2017); citing National Archives microfilm T625, roll 1865, FHL film number not listed.

¹⁴ 1930 United States Federal Census, Long Beach, Los Angeles, California, population schedule, enumeration district (ED) 19-1104, sheet no. 6A, 417 S. Sixth Street, dwelling 106, family 191, household of Anina H. Buzzo with her mother-in-law, Lillian Buzzo, widow, database and images, images reproduced by *Family Search, Ancestry* (<http://www.ancestry.com> : viewed 13 Apr 2017); citing National Archives microfilm T626, roll 2339864, FHL film 2339864.

¹⁵ 1910 United States Federal Census, Salt Lake City, Utah, population schedule, enumeration district (ED) 107, sheet no. 14B, 556 South 9 East, dwelling 254, family 325, line 99, Raymond A. Rogers, lodger in the household of Chas W & Alberta L Listmann, database and images, images reproduced by *Family Search, Ancestry* (<http://www.ancestry.com> : viewed 13 Apr 2017); citing National Archives microfilm T624, roll 1606, FHL microfilm 1375619.

¹⁶ 1930 United States Federal Census, Denver, Colorado, population schedule, enumeration district (ED) 16-84, 677 South Emerson Street, dwelling 209, family 215, household of Raymond A. Rogers, listed his mother's birthplace as Virginia, database and images, images reproduced by *Family Search, Ancestry* (<http://www.ancestry.com> : viewed 13 Apr 2017); citing National Archives microfilm T626, roll 236, FHL microfilm 2339971.

born in the United States.¹⁷ In the 1936 social security application for Lila Terrel Buzzo,¹⁸ the 1940 census in Long Beach, California¹⁹ and in her son's (Raymond A. Rogers) recording of Lillian's birthplace on her death certificate,²⁰ all three listed the state of Virginia. To be more specific, the social security application and the death certificate list Augusta County, Virginia. The 1940 census also records that "Lila" resided in Augusta, Georgia in 1935.²¹ Could it be that the informant or recorder mixed up Augusta County, Virginia with Augusta, Georgia?

Two records exist of the birth of Lilla B. Tyree, the daughter of Henry and Eliza Tyree: (1) the 1880 US census in Rivanna, Albemarle County, Virginia, where she is listed as age 8 and having been born in Virginia,²² as the daughter of Henry Tyree, whose wife was Eliza; a second child of age 8 exists: Rosa B. Tyree, suggesting they may have been twins; (2) the ledger entry by Dr. William C. Shackelford under the receipts of Henry Tyree as having provided "prescription medicine for twin children" on 23 February 1872.²³

Of note, Albemarle County and Augusta County are adjoining counties. The straight line distance between the county seats of Charlottesville and Staunton is about 35 miles. If Lillian were describing her birthplace to her family on a map of the US, she might have chosen to say "on a farm near Staunton in Augusta County, Virginia." Researching old rail and road maps might answer the question as to why Staunton might have been used as a frame of reference when describing her birthplace to others when she lived out west.

What happened that might have taken Lillian back east in 1935? The death or divorce of Henry Tyree, Jr., the brother of Lilla B. Tyree and son of Henry and Eliza Tyree, may have taken her back to Augusta County, Virginia (if the 1940 census informant or census taker mistakenly recorded Augusta County, Virginia as Augusta, Georgia). In the 1935 city directory for Washington, DC, Henry Jr.'s wife, Susie, is listed as a widow.²⁴ While a social security application was made for Henry in May 1938,²⁵ this application may have been made on behalf of his widow. There

¹⁷ 1920 United States Federal Census, Phoenix, Maricopa, Arizona, population schedule, enumeration district (ED) 58, 385 North Sixth Avenue, dwelling 45, family 63, household of Raymond & Gertrude Rogers, listed his mother's birthplace as United States, database and images, images reproduced by Family Search, Ancestry (<http://www.ancestry.com> : viewed 13 Apr 2017); citing National Archives microfilm T625, roll 49, FHL film number not listed.

¹⁸ Lila Terrel Buzzo, SS no. 564-10-3640, 3 December 1936, Application for Account Number (For SS-5), Social Security Administration, image of SS-5, Ancestry ProGenealogists, Joseph Shumway, AG, research manager, to Tracy Phillips, research report in letter format, 30 November 2016, viewable on Buzzo Christensen Family Tree in gallery for Lilla B. Tyree as "Lillian SS Appication" (sic) on Ancestry (<http://www.ancestry.com> : viewed on 13 April 2017), Woodlawn, Maryland.

¹⁹ 1940 United States Federal Census, Long Beach, Los Angeles, California, pop. sch., ED 259-59, 621 E. 4th Street, household 271, line 70, Lila Terry Buzzo, born in Virginia.

²⁰ California, Department of Public Health, amended death certificate, file #46 06618 3900 (stamped) B200 (penned), (issued 4 Oct 1946 for death that occurred on 22 September 1946), Lila Bird Buzzo, formerly "Jane Doe #33"; viewable on Buzzo Christensen Family Tree in gallery for Lilla B. Tyree as "Lillian Buzzo Death Certificate" on Ancestry (<http://www.ancestry.com> : viewed on 13 April 2017). U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

²¹ 1940 United States Federal Census, Long Beach, Los Angeles, California, pop. sch., ED 259-59, 621 E. 4th Street, household 271, line 70, Lila Terry Buzzo, resided in Augusta, Georgia in 1935.

²² 1880 United States census, Rivanna, Albemarle County, Virginia, pop. sch. ED 2, p. 66A, dwell. 478, fam. 490, Lilla B and Rosa B. Tyree.

²³ William C. Shackelford [sic] Ledger, 1867-1886, reel 2690, p. 29, entry for 13 February 1872, "prescription medicine for twin children."

²⁴ Boyd's District of Columbia City Directory, 1935 (unimaged publication page(s): R. L. Polk & Co., 1935), p. 1978, digital image 996, entry for Susie (wid Henry) maid r [residence] 939 F [Street] sw.

²⁵ Social Security Administration, "U.S., Social Security Applications and Claims Index, 1936-2007," database, Ancestry (<http://www.ancestry.com> : viewed 13 April 2017), entry for Henry Douglass Tyree, SS no. 224-18-0092. Note: birthplace: Stone (sic) Point, Virginia; father: Henry D. Tyree; mother: Eliza Brown.

is a 1940 census listing for a Henry Tyree running a boarding house in Alexandria, Virginia.²⁶ I would recommend researching Henry Tyree, Jr.'s death record and burial, as well as pulling the social security application record for more details. (See Figure 2)

Note: In our last phase of research, no birth record was located for a Lilla or Lillian Tyree, Terry or Terrell in Albemarle County or Augusta County, Virginia between 1870 and 1875.

Miscellaneous:

The Scranton Republican news story of a Lillian Bird's divorce from Charles Bird is probably not your Lillian.²⁷ In a search for a marriage record for a Charles Bird and Lillian (maiden name unknown), the following record appeared:

- Charles E. Bird, male, 22, birth 1869, married Lillie May Marks, daughter of Francis & Julian A. Bird, on 2 December 1891 in Clearfield, Pennsylvania.²⁸

The 1940 US Census listing for Frank B. & Lillian Rogers in Washington, DC is probably not the same Lillian.²⁹ The middle initial is different. The birthplace of Lillian is consistent with the place she always listed when married to Frank, but, as you show on your tree, there is a Find A Grave listing for Frank C. Rogers as having died in 1931.³⁰ Additional research of Frank C. Rogers death record in Colorado would be recommended to rule out the 1940 entry for Frank B. & Lillian Rogers in Washington, DC.

PARENTS: The parents on Lila Bird Buzzo's death certificate are listed as Douglas Terrell, born in England and Ellen Winn, born in England.³¹ At first glance this would appear to rule out Lilla B. Tyree, the daughter of Henry & Eliza Tyree, as the same person as Lilla Bird Buzzo, who died on 23 September 1946 in Long Beach, Los Angeles County, California. In a more complete review and analysis of existing records, however, the following evidence is revealed:

Could Henry Tyree and Douglas Terrell be the same person? Yes, it is possible. (See Figure 3)

²⁶ 1940 United States Federal Census, Alexandria, Virginia, population schedule, enumeration district (ED) 62B, 525 North Alfred Street, dwelling 182, household of Henry Tyree, database and images, Ancestry (<http://www.ancestry.com> : 14 Apr 2017) citing National Archives microfilm publication T627, roll 4304.

²⁷ "Eight Divorces Granted," *The Scranton Republican*, 11 November 1892, p. 5, column 2; image copy, *Newspapers.com* (<http://www.newspapers.com> : accessed 13 April 2017), "Lillian Bird against Charles Bird: Decree in divorce is granted; cause, adultery of husband."

²⁸ "Pennsylvania, County Marriages, 1885-1950", database with images, *FamilySearch* (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:VF3Z-J59> : 24 June 2016), Charles E. Bird and Lillie May Marks, 1891.

²⁹ 1940 United States Federal Census, Washington, D.C., population schedule, enumeration district (ED) 1-220, sheet no. 19B, 435 Oneida Street, dwelling 389, household of Frank B. & Lillian Rogers, database and images, Ancestry (<http://www.ancestry.com> : viewed 14 April 2017) citing National Archives microfilm publication T627, roll 560.

³⁰ *Find A Grave*, database with images (<http://www.findagrave.com> ; accessed 14 April 2017), memorial #130972816, Frank C. Rogers (1851-1931), Fairmount Cemetery, Denver, Colorado.

³¹ California, amended death certificate, file #46 06618 3900 (stamped) B200 (penned), (issued 4 Oct 1946 for death that occurred on 22 September 1946), Lila Bird Buzzo, formerly "Jane Doe #33", Long Beach, Los Angeles, California.

Recorded name of father and son comparison. For this analysis, we compare and contrast two individuals: Henry Tyree, Sr. and his son Henry Tyree. In existing records in your tree, Henry Tyree (ca. 1834-1924)^{32,33} was recorded with the middle initial “D” twice: (1) on his own confederate pension application in which he was the informant³⁴ and (2) in the 1900 US Census in Albemarle County, VA;³⁵ for the 1900 census, we do not know the informant. Furthermore, he was recorded with the middle initial “D” a *third time* on his son’s social security application in 1935.³⁶ On that application, Henry Tyree Jr.’s middle name was listed as “Douglass” and his father’s middle initial was listed as “D.”³⁷ There is only one record thus far that recorded Henry Sr’s middle initial different than “D.” On his death certificate, he was referred to as Henry E. Tyree, Sr, but the informant was St. F. Taylor and the identity or relationship of this individual to Henry Sr. or to the larger family is yet unknown.³⁸ Given the comparison of Henry Sr and Henry Jr, it is quite possible that Henry and Douglas are indeed the same person. (See Figure 3.)

Future research question: Who was St. F. Taylor? Was he the husband of or related to Elizabeth Taylor, the daughter of Henry Tyree, as recorded in the 1920 census?³⁹

Recorded maiden name of Lillian and the surname of her father comparison. For part 2 of the analysis of whether Henry Tyree and Douglas Terrel could be the same person, one must only review the dynamic pattern used by Lillian throughout her lifetime of her maiden name. Lilla/Lillian’s maiden name was recorded as Tyree, Terrel, Terrell and Terry. If you couple this fact with the comparison of Henry Tyree Sr to Henry Tyree Jr, it is quite possible that Henry Tyree is indeed the same person as Douglas Terrell. (See Figure 4)

Future research question: Was there a Douglas Terrell (Tyree, Terry) in Augusta County, Virginia at the time of Lillian’s birth?

Could Ellen Winn and Eliza Winn and Eliza Brown be the same person? Yes, it is possible.

³²1860 United States Federal Census, Fredericksville Parish, Albemarle County, Virginia, population schedule, p. 73, dwelling 480, family 485, listing for Henry Tyree, age 26, in household of Drucella [Drucilla] Tyree, database and images, images produced by *Family Search, Ancestry* (<http://www.ancestry.com> : viewed 13 April 2017) citing National Archives microfilm publication M653, roll 1331, FHL microfilm 805331.

³³Virginia, Department of Health, death certificate #26437 (file no.), Henry E. Tyree (or Tryree?), 12 December 1924, database and images online, “Virginia, Death Records, 1912-2014,” Ancestry (<http://www.ancestry.com> : accessed 13 April 2017), Albemarle County, Virginia.

³⁴“Alabama, Texas and Virginia, Confederate Pensions, 1884-1958,” database with images, Ancestry (<http://www.ancestry.com> : accessed 13 April 2017) entry for Henry D. Tyree, veteran, no unit listed, served under Col. Mumford, no application number, date of application November 1924.

³⁵1900 United States Federal Census, Stony Point, Albemarle County, Virginia, population schedule, p. 6B, dwelling 105, family 110, listing for Henry Tyree, age 64, database and images, images reproduced by Family Search, Ancestry (<http://www.ancestry.com> : viewed 13 April 2017) citing National Archives microfilm publication T623, roll 1697, FHL microfilm 1241697.

³⁶Social Security Administration, “U.S., Social Security Applications and Claims Index, 1936-2007,” entry for Henry Douglass Tyree, SS no. 224-18-0092.

³⁷Ibid., father of Henry Douglass Tyree: Henry D. Tyree.

³⁸Virginia death certificate #26437 (file no.), Henry E. Tyree (or Tryree?), 12 December 1924.

³⁹1920 United States Federal Census, Rivanna, Stony Point, Albemarle County, Virginia, population schedule, enumeration district (ED) 5, sheet no. 8B, household of Henry Tyree, age 90, with daughter Elizabeth Taylor, age 59, database with images, images reproduced by *Family Search, Ancestry* (<http://www.ancestry.com> : viewed 13 April 2017) citing National Archives microfilm publication T625, roll 1878, FHL microfilm number not listed.

Lillian/Lila Bird (Tyree/Terry/Terrell) Rogers Buzzo's mother's name is absent in all records from her marriage in 1892 to her death in 1946 with two exceptions: (1) her 1936 Social Security application⁴⁰ and (2) her 1946 death certificate.⁴¹ In both of these records, the name of her mother is the same: Ellen Winn.

Eliza or Ellen? It is possible that both are accurate. The mother of Lilla B. Tyree, born in 1872 in Albemarle County, VA, was Eliza Tyree.^{42,43} In the 1910 US Census, Eliza is listed as Eliza "E." Tyree.⁴⁴ The question remains as to whether this initial of "E", never before recorded, could be indicative of a middle name of Ellen; we do not know the identity of the informant for the 1910 census for this household. The question also remains as to whether the name "Ellen" was simply misrecorded as the mother's name of Lillian on the 1936 social security application⁴⁵ and death certificate of Lilla Bird Buzzo in 1946.⁴⁶ This deserves further exploration.

Winn or Brown? It is possible that both are accurate. According to the 1880 and 1900 census, Eliza, Henry's wife, was born in about 1840 in Virginia.^{47,48} On Eliza Tyree's death certificate in 1914, her husband, Henry, was the informant; he listed Eliza's mother as Eliza *Winn*.⁴⁹ Before the Civil War, marriages of African Americans were not generally recognized in civil records. After the Civil War, cohabitation registers were created to legitimize these couples.⁵⁰ It may be that Eliza's (ca. 1840-1914) mother's maiden name was Winn or Brown and the surname of the father of Eliza, was the opposite. This would make the recording of Eliza's maiden name as either Brown or Winn historically accurate given the lack of marriage recognition for African Americans during the period. It is also unclear whether Eliza may have been free or slave before the

⁴⁰Lila Terrel Buzzo, SS no. 564-10-3640, 3 December 1936, Application for Account Number (For SS-5), Social Security Administration.

⁴¹California, amended death certificate, file #46 06618 3900 (stamped) B200 (penned), (issued 4 Oct 1946 for death that occurred on 22 September 1946), Lila Bird Buzzo, formerly "Jane Doe #33", Long Beach, Los Angeles, California.

⁴²*William C. Shackelford [sic] Ledger, 1867-1886*, reel 2690, p. 29, entry for 13 February 1872, "prescription medicine for twin children" and entries for "prescription medicine for wife" and on p. 30 for "Eliza cleaning up house;" several other entries on other pages list "wife" and "Eliza" several times.

⁴³1880 United States Federal Census, Rivanna, Albemarle County, Virginia, pop. sch. ED 2, p. 66A, dwell. 478, fam. 490, wife of Henry Tyree is Eliza; they had a daughter named Eliza, who was only 6 in the 1880 census; it is more likely that the Eliza recorded in receipts in Dr. Shackelford's records is Henry's wife and not his daughter.

⁴⁴1910 United States Federal Census, Rivanna, Stony Point, Albemarle County, Virginia, population schedule, enumeration district (ED) 7, sheet no. 6A, household of Henry Tyree, wife, Eliza E. Tyree, database and images online, images reproduced by Family Search, Ancestry (<http://www.ancestry.com> : accessed 13 April 2017) citing National Archives microfilm publication T624, roll 1619, FHL microfilm 1375632.

⁴⁵Lila Terrel Buzzo, SS no. 564-10-3640, 3 December 1936, Application for Account Number (For SS-5), Social Security Administration.

⁴⁶California, amended death certificate, file #46 06618 3900 (stamped) B200 (penned), (issued 4 Oct 1946 for death that occurred on 22 September 1946), Lila Bird Buzzo, formerly "Jane Doe #33", Long Beach, Los Angeles, California.

⁴⁷1880 United States census, Rivanna, Albemarle County, Virginia, pop. sch. ED 2, p. 66A, dwell. 478, fam. 490, Eliza, age 40.

⁴⁸1900 United States Federal Census, Stony Point, Albemarle County, Virginia, pop. sch., p. 6B, dwelling 105, family 110, Eliza, age 60.

⁴⁹Virginia, Department of Health, death certificate #15254 (file no.), registered no. 19, Eliza Tyree, 14 July 1914, database and images online, "Virginia, Death Records, 1912-2014," Ancestry (<http://www.ancestry.com> : accessed 13 April 2017) Albemarle County, Virginia.

⁵⁰"Augusta County Cohabitation Record, 1866," *Digital Library of Virginia*, (http://edu.lva.virginia.gov/online_classroom/shaping_the_constitution/doc/cohabitation : accessed 13 April 2017), part of the "Shaping the Constitution, Resources From The Library of Virginia and The Library of Congress" series.

Civil War. In the 1900 census, Henry and Eliza had reportedly been married since 1853⁵¹; however, Henry was recorded in the 1860 census living in his mother's household (Drucilla Tyree) and Eliza was not present with him in the household.⁵² Where was she? Perhaps, she was not free.

Name of Eliza or Ellen on the records of her children:

- Death Certificate of John Allen Tyree lists his parents as Henry Tyree and Eliza Winn.⁵³
- Death Certificate of Mary (Tyree) Woodson lists her parents as Henry Tyree and Eliza Brown.⁵⁴
- Death Certificate of Lilla Bird Buzzo lists her parents as Douglas Tyree and Ellen Winn.⁵⁵
- Social Security Applications and Claim Index lists parents of Henry Douglass Tyree as Henry D. Tyree and Eliza Brown.⁵⁶

Both of the above inquiries would be well served by tracing additional records of the children of Henry and Eliza Tyree to see how each records their mother's name. A future comparison could prove useful if enough records of the children throughout their lifetimes can be located.

Birthplace of Ellen Winn, Eliza Brown & Eliza Winn

Only one record in your collection recording the life and death of Lilla (Tyree, Terry, Terrell) Rogers Buzzo lists her parents as having been born in England: her death record.⁵⁷ The informant was her son from her first marriage, Raymond A. Rogers. Raymond was still a minor when his mother remarried in 1904.⁵⁸ He is found in the 1910 census as a lodger in the home of Chas. & Alberta L. Listmann in Salt Lake City, UT⁵⁹; he was employed as a YMCA clerk boy.⁶⁰ It was also during the 1910 census that we discover that England was listed as the birthplace of Lilla's new husband, James B. Buzzo, and his parents (though not England for

⁵¹1900 United States Federal Census, Stony Point, Albemarle County, Virginia, pop. sch., p. 6B, dwelling 105, family 110, Eliza and Henry reported being married for 47 years, estimated marriage date: 1853.

⁵²1860 United States Federal Census, Fredericksville Parish, Albemarle County, Virginia, pop. sch, p. 73, dwelling 480, family 485, listing for Henry Tyree, age 26, in household of Drucella [Drucilla] Tyree; there was no Eliza or Ellen in the household.

⁵³Virginia, Department of Health, death certificate #12787 (file no.), registered no. 4, John Allen Tyree, 115 June 1928, database and images online, "Virginia, Death Records, 1912-2014," Ancestry (<http://www.ancestry.com> : accessed 13 April 2017) Albemarle County, Virginia.

⁵⁴Pennsylvania, Department of Health, death certificate file #22824 (stamped), registered no. 7195, 30 March 1943, Mary Woodson; database and images, "Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1964," Ancestry (<http://www.ancestry.com> : viewed on 13 April 2017), Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

⁵⁵California, amended death certificate, file #46 06618 3900 (stamped) B200 (penned), (issued 4 Oct 1946 for death that occurred on 22 September 1946), Lila Bird Buzzo, formerly "Jane Doe #33", parents: Douglas Terrell and Ellen Winn.

⁵⁶Social Security Administration, "U.S., Social Security Applications and Claims Index, 1936-2007," entry for Henry Douglass Tyree, SS no. 224-18-0092.

⁵⁷California, amended death certificate, file #46 06618 3900 (stamped) B200 (penned), (issued 4 Oct 1946 for death that occurred on 22 September 1946), Lila Bird Buzzo, formerly "Jane Doe #33", Long Beach, Los Angeles, California, parents born in England.

⁵⁸Salt Lake, Utah, Marriage License and Minister's Return #15087, James B. Buzzo to Lillian B. Rogers, 20 September 1904, digital image, viewable on Buzzo Christensen Family Tree, Ancestry (<http://www.ancestry.com> : 14 April 2017), Salt Lake City, Utah.

⁵⁹1910 United States Federal Census, Salt Lake City, Utah, pop. sch., ED 107, sheet no. 14B, 556 South 9 East, dwelling 254, family 325, line 99, Raymond A. Rogers, lodger in the household of Chas W & Alberta L Listmann.

⁶⁰ibid.

Lilla's parents).⁶¹ Given Raymond's childhood experience (and his second-hand knowledge of his grandparents' birthplace) and the absence of other records listing Lillian's parents' birthplace as England, the recording of Lillian's parents' birthplace as England is uncorroborated and unreliable, at this time.

With regard to the recording of Lillian's parents as having been born in Pennsylvania and/or Kentucky in the 1900-1930 census listings^{62,63,64,65}, the evidence must be discussed from at least two perspectives:

- (1) The records of Lillian also record her own birthplace twice each in Pennsylvania and Kentucky, but the preponderance of evidence supports her birthplace as Virginia (please refer back to details in the "Birthplace" section above for Lillian). Given these sporadically varied recordings of Lillian's birthplace, the same skepticism could be applied to the recording on census records of Lillian's parents' birthplace; again, the identity of the informants on these census recordings were unknown. There certainly seems to be a storyline behind the claim for these other two states as birthplaces for Lillian; her sister was present in at least one of those states, Pennsylvania, during the timeframe, perhaps future research will reveal that another family member was also present in Kentucky. For that story, I would refer you to the next section on race.
- (2) The information on the birthplace of Lillian's parents would have been secondary information even if provided by Lillian. Given the inconsistency in the recording of Lillian's own birthplace and that of her parents, I would deem the **birthplace** of Lillian's parents as recorded on current records in your collection for Lillian throughout her lifetime as unreliable evidence on which to form any conclusion of merging or separating the identities of Lilla B. Tyree and Lillian (Tyree, Terry, Terrell) Rogers Buzzo.

Could Lilla B. Tyree, whose race was recorded as black in the 1880 US Census, be the same person as Lilla B. Tyree/Terrell Rogers Buzzo, whose race was recorded as white? Yes, it is possible.

Of all the issues to address, this is perhaps the most difficult and sensitive to research, analyze and draw conclusions. First, if we hypothesize for a moment that Lillian B. (Tyree, Terry, Terrell) Rogers Buzzo was the same person as Lilla B. Tyree, the following sources exist:

While Lilla B. Tyree was recorded as black in the 1880 census,⁶⁶ she was likely a mulatto. Her father, Henry Tyree, was recorded as a mulatto in the 1860 census, as was her paternal grandmother, Drucilla Tyree.⁶⁷ For at least two generations prior to Lilla's birth, her family was listed as mulatto. Henry's father also remains unknown. If his father was white, this could have led to even fairer skin of Henry than that of previous generations.

⁶¹1910 United States Federal Census, Salt Lake City, Utah, pop. sch., ED 103, sheet no. 8B, 520 South 3rd East Street, visitation number 163, family no. 189, household of James B. & Lillian Buzzo with Jay B., age 4, their child; James' parents born in England.

⁶²1900 United States Federal Census, Victor, Tell, Colorado, population schedule, enumeration district (ED) #0135, p. 12B, 322 Fifth Street, dwelling 311, family 327, household of Frank C. & Lillian B Rogers, Lillian's parents born in Pennsylvania.

⁶³1910 United States Federal Census, Salt Lake City, Utah, pop. sch., ED 103, sheet no. 8B, 520 South 3rd East Street, visitation number 163, family no. 189, household of James B. & Lillian Buzzo; Lillian's parents born in Pennsylvania.

⁶⁴1920 United States Federal Census, Salt Lake City, Utah, pop. sch., ED 136, sheet no. 2A, 128 C. North State Street, dwelling 18, family 39, household of Lillian Buzzo, Lillian's parents were born in Kentucky.

⁶⁵1930 United States Federal Census, Long Beach, Los Angeles, California, pop. sch., ED)19-1104, sheet no. 6A, 417 S. Sixth Street, dwelling 106, family 191, household of Anina H. Buzzo with her mother-in-law, Lillian Buzzo, widow, Lillian father was born in Pennsylvania; her mother was born in Kentucky.

⁶⁶1880 United States census, Rivanna, Albemarle County, Virginia, pop. sch. ED 2, p. 66A, dwell. 478, fam. 490, household of Henry Tyree, all household members recorded as black.

⁶⁷1860 United States Federal Census, Fredericksville Parish, Albemarle County, Virginia, pop. sch, p. 73, dwelling 480, family 485, household of Drucilla Tyree, all household members listed as mulatto.

Lilla B. Tyree, was not the only fair-skinned in her family. When Lilla B. Tyree's brother, Henry, enlisted in the Army in 1892, his complexion was listed as "fair" instead of black or negro.⁶⁸

A thumbnail image, that is difficult to examine due to size and lack of provenance, exists on your family tree on Ancestry of Lillian (Tyree, Terry, Terrell) Rogers Buzzo as attached to your tree from another Ancestry member.⁶⁹ The image of Jay Bartle Buzzo, the son of Lillian, reveals a complexion that could easily be categorized as caucasian; if this is any indication of Lillian's complexion, the picture answers any questions about how fair skinned Lillian might have been.⁷⁰ If Lillian's image could be obtained in a larger, clearer format and a provenance could be provided to prove the identity of the woman in the photo as Lillian, it would be useful to include and evaluate it for its quality of evidence to answer the difficult question of varied recording of race. Coupled with the record of Lilla's brother, Henry, as fair-skinned,⁷¹ this *could* provide useful corroborating evidence of race to support a conclusion that the two identities could be the same person.

One hypothesis: As a mulatto, who was allegedly fair-skinned enough to pass for a caucasian (if the two identities are the same person), perhaps her story is one of attempting to avoid the discrimination. Perhaps, she preferred to protect her background and claimed the home of her grown siblings as her birthplace and the home of her parents. The following may provide initial leads for further research to explain the safety in the claim of Kentucky and Pennsylvania as potential birth states for her parents:

⁶⁸"U.S. Army, Register of Enlistment, 1798-1914," entry for Henry Tyree, line number 204, p. 273 of yearbook for 1891-1892, enlisted on 12 September 1892, discharged on 14 November 1894 from Fort DuChesne, Utah.

⁶⁹"Lilla B. Tyree," digital copy of the original, photographer unknown, provenance unknown, thumbnail, viewable on Buzzo Christensen Family Tree, Ancestry (<http://www.ancestry.com> : accessed 12 April 2017), no further information provided.

⁷⁰"Jay Bartle Buzzo," digital copy of original taken ca. 1929, viewable on Buzzo Christensen Family Tree on the profile for Jay Bartle Buzzo, Ancestry (<http://www.ancestry.com> : viewed 13 April 2017), originally uploaded by Tracy Phillips.

⁷¹U.S. Army, Register of Enlistment, 1798-1914," entry for Henry Tyree, line number 204, p. 273 of yearbook for 1891-1892, enlisted on 12 September 1892, physical description: "fair" complexion.

- Her sister, Rose B. (Rosebud) Tyree, married in Pennsylvania in 1896 and was recorded in Pennsylvania for two marriages and possibly a third; the hypothetical third husband died in 1960 recording he was married (not widowed) to Rosa.^{72,73,74,75,76,77,78,79}

Future research: The marriage record for the third husband, Jacob Briggs, needs to be pulled to verify the index listing.

- Another sister, Mary (Tyree) Woodson, also died on 30 Mar 1943 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.⁸⁰
- It is also interesting that the states of Kentucky, a neutral state in the Civil War, and Pennsylvania, a Union state in the Civil War, as a birthplace for her and/or her parents.
- Her father was a Confederate soldier in the Civil War,⁸¹ who may have been forced into service by Virginia's impressment policy of negroes.

⁷²Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, marriage docket covering 1896, Jeremiah Reid to Rosa B. Tyree, 18 Oct 1892, as visible in "Pennsylvania, County Marriages, 1885-1950", database with images, *FamilySearch* (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:VF4S-FDR> : 24 June 2016).

⁷³1900 United States Federal Census, Lower Merion, Montgomery, Pennsylvania, population schedule, enumeration district (ED) 215, sheet no. 10A, dwelling 179, family 182, household of Jeremiah and Rosa Reid with a Lillian Turner as a boarder, [interesting for future research], database with images, images reproduced by Family Search, Ancestry (<http://www.ancestry.com> : accessed 14 Apr 2017) citing National Archives microfilm publication T623, roll 1443, FHL microfilm 1241443.

⁷⁴1910 United States Federal Census, Lower Merion, Pennsylvania, population schedule, enumeration district (ED) 97, sheet no. 3B, 30 Prospect Avenue, dwelling 48, family 49, household of Jerry Reid, Jr., and his wife, Rosie, database with images, images reproduced by Family Search, Ancestry (<http://www.ancestry.com> : accessed 14 April 2017) citing National Archives microfilm publication T624, roll 1378, FHL microfilm 1375391.

⁷⁵1920 United States Federal Census, Lower Merion, Montgomery, Pennsylvania, population schedule, enumeration district (ED) 113, sheet no. 3B, 24 South Prospect Avenue, dwelling 47, family 60, household Rosa Reid, widow, database with images, images reproduced by Family Search, Ancestry (<http://www.ancestry.com> : accessed 14 April 2017) citing National Archives microfilm publication T625, roll 1606, FHL microfilm number not listed.

⁷⁶"Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Marriage Index, 1885-1951," marriage license #446307, 1921, digital GSU number 4141818, marriage license for Rosa B. Reid to Leo H. Bruce, database, Ancestry, (<http://www.ancestry.com> : accessed 14 Apr 2017), Clerk of the Orphans' Court, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

⁷⁷"Pennsylvania, Philadelphia Marriage Indexes, 1885-1951," database with images, *FamilySearch* (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:JVSZ-Y6X> : 14 April 2017), Jacob H Briggs and Bruce, 1942; citing license number 752827, Clerk of the Orphan's Court. City Hall.

⁷⁸"Pennsylvania, Philadelphia Marriage Indexes, 1885-1951," database with images, *FamilySearch* (<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:JVSD-99S> : 7 December 2014), Briggs and Rosa R Bruce, 1942; citing license number 752827, Clerk of the Orphan's Court. City Hall.

⁷⁹Pennsylvania, Department of Health, death certificate file #086276-60, local registration no. 923, 25 September 1960, Jacob Briggs, database and images, "Pennsylvania, Death Certificates, 1906-1964," Ancestry (<http://www.ancestry.com> : viewed on 14 April 2017), Norristown, Montgomery, Pennsylvania.

⁸⁰Pennsylvania, Department of Health, death certificate file #22824 (stamped), registered no. 7195, 30 March 1943, Mary Woodson.

⁸¹"Alabama, Texas and Virginia, Confederate Pensions, 1884-1958," database with images, entry for Henry D. Tyree, veteran, no unit listed, served under Col. Mumford, no application number, date of application November 1924.

NEXT STEPS:

Before relying primarily or solely on indirect or negative evidence to solve any genealogical problem, research and analysis should reasonably exhaust the existence of or quality of **direct evidence** to answer the question. At a minimum the following sources should be researched for the quality of direct evidence that may exist to answer our research question:

- Probate records (will or estate settlement) of Henry Tyree, Sr. for the possible naming of children and their current residence locations.
- Death records or obituaries of the siblings of Lilla B. Tyree to examine the listing of siblings that may include Lillian/Lilla Rogers Buzzo. This kind of research would require tracing them through their lives until death in order to make sure that we have the right individuals.

The following sources should be searched for the presence of a Douglas Terrel (Tyree/Terry) in Augusta County, VA between 1872-1874 (at the time of Lilla/Lillian's birth) to prove or disprove the existence of a different Douglas Terrel from Henry Douglas Tyree. The result may provide **direct evidence** or **negative evidence**, both of which would support our research question:

- Tax records for Augusta County, Virginia from 1870-1875
- Tax records for Albemarle County, Virginia from 1870-1875

A marriage license for Lilla B. Tyree to Frank Rogers in 1892 in Pueblo, Colorado, as a precursor to the marriage certificate, to see the identity of the informant and any additional information that might be recorded on the parents of Lilla B. Tyree.

A separate invoice can be provided for any of the above research. In an interest of meeting the deadline for today's research results, I did not include it in this report.

Attachment: Copy of pages from the general ledger of farm and medical receipts of Dr. William C. Shackelford (I still owe you one page from the ledger. It will be forwarded post-report submission.)

Figure 1. Comparison and correlation of **birthdate** of Lilla B. Tyree & Lillian (Tyree, Terry, Terrell) Rogers Buzzo.

Record	Date of Birth or Age	Informant:
23 February 1872 entry on ledger, page 29: <i>William C. Shackelford [sic] Ledgers, 1867-1918 [farm and medical receipts]</i> , microfilm edition, two rolls (Library of Virginia, Richmond), reel 2690 for ledgers from 1867-1886, series 39027 (business records collection), system number 000503170.	"prescription medicine for twin children" of Henry Tyree on 23 February 1872 . (While this is not an actual birth record, it is the record recorded nearest to Lilla's actual birthdate that has been located to date. The below pieces of evidence remain consistent with the month of birth).	Dr. William C. Shackelford, Primary Information (first-hand knowledge)
1880 US Census, Rivanna, Albemarle County, VA	Age: 8 (date of birth estimated 1872)	Unknown informant on the census, presumed to be a household member
1900 US Census, Victor, Teller, Colorado	Age: 27; date of birth February 1873	Unknown informant on the census
Social Security Application on 3 December 1936	Age: 62; date of birth: 13 February 1874	Lila Terry [Tyree/Terrell] Buzzo, Primary
Death Certificate of Lila Bird Buzzo	Age: 72; date of birth: 13 February 1874	R. A. Rogers [Raymond A. Rogers] her son from her first marriage with Frank Rogers. Secondary

Future Research: Does additional supporting documentation exist for the Social Security application? Was that researched or ordered by Ancestry ProGenealogists? If not, we might consider looking into this. According to Family Search, the Social Security Administration did not require birth records to be submitted until after 1937, but I would be curious exactly what was contained in the application packet and whether Ancestry ProGenealogists requested that.

Figure 2. Comparison and correlation of **birthplace** of Lilla B. Tyree & Lillian (Tyree, Terry, Terrell) Rogers Buzzo.

Record	Place of Birth	Informant	
23 February 1872 entry on ledger, page 29: <i>William C. Shackelford [sic] Ledgers, 1867-1918 [farm and medical receipts],</i> microfilm edition, two rolls (Library of Virginia, Richmond), reel 2690 for ledgers from 1867-1886, series 39027 (business records collection), system number 000503170.	“prescription medicine for twin children” o“prescription medicine for twin children” of Henry Tyree who continued to work for Dr. Shackelford on Dovedale Farm in Rivanna, Albemarle County, Virginia.	Dr. William C. Shakelford	Indirect evidence that Lilla was born in Albemarle County, Virginia.
1880 US Census, Rivanna, Albemarle County, Virginia	Virginia	Unknown informant	
1900 US Census, Victor, Teller, Colorado	Pennsylvania	Unknown informant	Her twin sister, Rosa B. married her first husband in 1896. In 1900, Rosa lived in Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania. Pennsylvania was a Union state in the Civil War.
1910 US Census, Salt Lake City, Utah, for James and Lillian Buzzo, with their six-year-old child, Jay B. Buzzo.	Pennsylvania	Unknown informant	Her twin sister, Rosa B. married her first husband in 1896. In 1910, Rosa still lived in Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania. Pennsylvania was a Union state in the Civil War.

Record	Place of Birth	Informant	
1910 US Census, Salt Lake City, Utah, for Raymond A. Rogers, 16, Lillian's son with her first husband, Frank.	Raymond listed his mother's place of birth as Virginia	Unknown informant, presumed it was a member of the Chas & Alberta L. Listmann family with whom he lived.	
1920 US Census, Salt Lake City, Utah, Lillian Buzzo, 45 and her son, Jay Buzzo, 13.	Kentucky	Unknown informant	Did another sibling of Lilla or a relative live in Kentucky? Perhaps, this is why she felt safe to claim this as a birthplace. Kentucky was a neutral state in the Civil War.
1930 US Census, Denver, Colorado, Raymond Rogers, 26	Claimed his mother was born in Virginia	Unknown informant	
1930 US Census, Long Beach, Los Angeles, California, Lillian Buzzo, 56, widow	Kentucky, claimed father was born in Pennsylvania and mother was born in Kentucky	Unknown informant	She lived in the household with her daughter-in-law, Anina H. Buzzo, 26 and her two grandchildren: Betty J., 2 and J. Bryan, 9 months. Jay Buzzo was not in the household, but Anina reported being married and not widowed.
Social Security Application of Lila Terrel Buzzo, 3 December 1936	On a farm near Staunton [in] Augusta County, Virginia	Lila Terrel Buzzo	

Record	Place of Birth	Informant	
<p>1940 US Census listing for Lila Terry Buzzo, Long Beach, Los Angeles, California</p>	<p>Virginia</p>	<p>Unknown informant</p>	<p>She lived in the home of Donna Leach, 68, a widow, who was born in Tennessee. In 1935, Donna lived in the same place; HOWEVER, Lila was reported to have been living in Augusta, Georgia in 1935. Did the census taker (or informant other than Lilla) mistake Augusta, Virginia for Augusta, Georgia? Did Lilla come back to visit family in Albemarle County or someone now living in Augusta County, VA or take care of an aging family member? Did she come back for business or just to come home? Her brother's wife was listed as a widow in the 1935 City directory in Washington, DC; however, a social security application was made in his name in 1938, but no SS death index listing or death record has been located for him, yet. Perhaps, Eliza came back to bury him or to be with him after a separation from Susie.</p>

Record	Place of Birth	Informant	
<p>1940 US Census, Washington, DC for Frank B. Rogers and Lillian Rogers. Not reliable source of Lillian; additional research of Frank's death record recommended.</p>	<p>Pennsylvania</p>	<p>Unknown informant</p>	<p>Find A Grave memorial #130972816 is a listing for Frank C. Rogers (1851-1931). Wife is listed as Lilla Bird Tyree Terrell Buzzo (1872-1946); however, no supporting evidence is attached. Further research of Franks's death record is recommended to rule in or out this record of the Frank "B" Rogers & Lillian Rogers in Washington, DC. Furthermore, Lila/Lillian is recorded in California at this time making it further unlikely that this is a record of your Lillian.</p>
<p>California Death Certificate, for Lila Bird Buzzo.</p>	<p>Augusta County, Virginia</p>	<p>R. A. Rogers [Raymond A Rogers], her son</p>	<p>See also the newspaper article, to prove that this R.A. Raymond was her son that identified the body and was the informant.</p>

Figure 3. Comparison of names of Henry Tyree & his son, Henry Tyree, Jr (Note: Date of Henry Tyree, Jr.'s death is far from proven.)

Henry Tyree (ca. 1834-1924)		Henry Tyree (ca. 1870-ca. before 1935)	
1860 Census, Fredericksville Parish, Albemarle County, VA	Henry Tyree , 26, mulatto: mother, Drucilla Tyree, 48		
1880 Census, Rivanna, Albemarle, Virginia (see also 1880 agricultural census)	Henry Tyree , 49, black; wife, Eliza Tyree		Henry Tyree , age 10, black
		U.S. Army Enlistment Record, 12 Sept 1892	Henry Tyree , 23, residence: Washington, DC, place of birth: Albemarle Co., VA; dark blue eyes, dark brown hair, fair skin [ditto marks for three lines, so questionable if accurate], 59 1/4" tall, unit: B., 9 Cav, discharged Nov. 14, 1894, S.O. 260, Fort Duchesne, Utah , Pvt. Excellent characterization of service.
1900 Census, Stony Point, Albemarle, Virginia	Henry D. Tyree , 64, black; wife, Eliza Tyree		
1910 Census, Rivanna, Albemarle, Virginia	Henry Tyree , 78, mulatto; wife, Eliza E. Tyree		Henry Tyree, Jr. , 42, mulatto; wife, Susie, 38, five children in household.
1920 Census, Stony Point, Rivanna, Albemarle County, VA	Henry Tyree , 90, mulatto, married [but wife passed in 1914]; Elizabeth Taylor, his daughter, was recorded in the household		

Henry Tyree (ca. 1834-1924)		Henry Tyree (ca. 1870-ca. before 1935)	
Signed in Sept 1924, Confederate Pension Application to the state of Virginia, Filed in Nov 1924.	Henry D. Tyree , 94, Albemarle County, VA		
Death Certificate, death: 12 Dec 1924	Henry E. Tyree, Sr. , age: 97, date of birth: 8 mar 1827; informant: St. F. Taylor, Stony Point, VA (Was this informant a relative by marriage to Elizabeth, his daughter?)		
		1935 City Directory for Washington, DC	Susie Tyree (wid Henry) maid r939 F sw
		Social Security Applications & Claim Index, May 1938	Name listed as Henry Douglass Tyree ; father: Henry D. Tyree ; mother: Eliza Brown; is this possibly a posthumous application for Henry's widow or had Henry and Susie simply separated? (Social Security was in its infancy at this time.)
		1940 Census, Alexandria, Virginia	Henry Tyree , 72, negro, head of a boarding house. born in Virginia. Was this our Henry?

Figure 4. Comparison of maiden names used by Lila/Lillian

Record	Name	Informant
1880 US Census, Rivanna, Albemarle County, Virginia	Lilla B. Tyree	Unknown informant
Certificate of Marriage, Pueblo, Colorado; 14 April 1892	Miss Lillian B. Tyree	Rev. T. Anderson, the minister performing the ceremony. <i>QUESTION: Is there a marriage license for this marriage?</i>
Social Security Application, 3 December 1936	Lila Terrel Buzzo; parents: Douglas Terrell & Ellen Winn	Unknown informant, but presumed to be Lila herself.
1940 US Census	Lila Terry Buzzo	Unknown informant
Death Certificate, 23 Sept 1946	Lila Bird Buzzo, parents: Douglas Terrell & Ellen Winn	Raymond A. Rogers, her son; given the distance, it is possible that he never met his grandparents. If he did, it is also quite possible that the visits were too infrequent and he was too young to remember them.