

Timeline - Mary Smart McMurry

OBJECTIVE: Identify the parents of Mary Smart, who married John McMurry probably in 1880 or 1881, in or around Winn Parish, Louisiana, and died sometime after December 1888,							
EVENT	DATE	PLACE	SOURCE CITATION	SOURCE Orig / Deriv / Auth	INFO Pri / Sec / Und	EVIDENCE Dir / Indir / Neg	NOTES
Birth	most likely before 1866	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Estimated at least 16 years before birth of oldest child Robert Franklin McMurry
		Texas	1900 U.S. census, Winn Parish, Louisiana, population schedule, Ward 7, enumeration district (ED) 119, sheet 3-B, dwelling 50, family 50, John McMurry household; digital image, Ancestry.com (https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/7602/4119813_01131/20025011 : accessed 1 Apr 2019), citing NARA microfilm publication T623, roll 586.	Original	Undetermined	Direct	Birthplace of all sons' mother listed as Texas
		Louisiana	1910 U.S. census, Franklin Parish, Louisiana, population schedule, Ward 7, p. 105 (stamped), enumeration district (ED) 51, sheet 28-B, dwelling 391, family 433, Robert F McMurry in the Thomas Ragan household; digital image, Ancestry.com (https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/7884/31111_4329976-00681 : accessed 1 Apr 2019), citing NARA microfilm publication T624, roll 514.	Original	Undetermined	Direct	Birthplace of Robert Franklin McMurry's mother listed as Louisiana; he was a hired hand in this household
		Louisiana	1910 U.S. census, Franklin Parish, Louisiana, population schedule, Ward 7, p. 94 (stamped), enumeration district (ED) 51, sheet 16-A, dwelling 208, family 233, George McMurry in the Elmer E Wiggins household; digital image, Ancestry.com (https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/7884/31111_4329976-00656 : accessed 1 Apr 2019), citing NARA microfilm publication T624, roll 514.	Original	Undetermined	Direct	Birthplace of George Washington McMurry's mother listed as Louisiana; he was a hired hand in this household
		Louisiana	1910 U.S. census, Franklin Parish, Louisiana, population schedule, Ward 8, p. 130 (stamped), enumeration district (ED) 52, sheet 18-A, dwelling 340, family 340, Jim Murry household; digital image, Ancestry.com (https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/7884/31111_4329976-00730 : accessed 1 Apr 2019), citing NARA microfilm publication T624, roll 514.	Original	Undetermined	Direct	Birthplace of James McMurry's mother listed as Louisiana
		Mississippi	1920 U.S. census, Franklin Parish, Louisiana, population schedule, Ward 8, p. 217 (stamped), enumeration district (ED) 41, sheet 5-A, dwelling 94, family 94, Robert McMurry household; digital image, Ancestry.com (https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/6061/4300967_00927/74402280 : accessed 13 Jan 2020), citing NARA microfilm publication T625, roll 612.	Original	Undetermined	Direct	Birthplace of Robert Franklin McMurry's mother listed as Mississippi
		Louisiana	1920 U.S. census, Franklin Parish, Louisiana, population schedule, Ward 8, p. 221 (stamped), enumeration district (ED) 41, sheet 9-B, dwelling 146, family 146, James McMurry household; digital image, Ancestry.com (https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/6061/4300967_00936/74402696 : accessed 13 Jan 2020), citing NARA microfilm publication T625, roll 612.	Original	Undetermined	Direct	Birthplace of James McMurry's mother listed as Louisiana
		Alabama	1920 U.S. census, Franklin Parish, Louisiana, population schedule, Ward 8, p. 214 (stamped), enumeration district (ED) 41, sheet 2-A, dwelling 27, George Murrie household; digital image, Ancestry.com (https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/6061/4300967_00921/74401971 : accessed 13 Jan 2020), citing NARA microfilm publication T625, roll 612.	Original	Undetermined	Direct	Birthplace of George Washington McMurry's mother listed as Alabama
		Ireland	1920 U.S. census, Franklin Parish, Louisiana, population schedule, Ward 8, p. 214 (stamped), enumeration district (ED) 41, sheet 2-A, dwelling 27, George Murrie household; digital image, Ancestry.com (https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/6224/4584877_01102/34797920 : accessed 13 Jan 2020), citing NARA microfilm publication T626, roll 793.	Original	Undetermined	Direct	Birthplace of Robert Franklin McMurry's mother listed as Ireland
		Louisiana	1930 U.S. census, Franklin Parish, Louisiana, population schedule, Ward 8, enumeration district (ED) 21-20, sheet 5-A, dwelling 90, family 90, James McMurry household; digital image, Ancestry.com (https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/6224/4584877_01106/34798111 : accessed 13 Jan 2020), citing NARA microfilm publication T626, roll 793.	Original	Undetermined	Direct	Birthplace of James McMurry's mother listed as Louisiana
Residence of Husband	1880	Ward 2 Jackson Parish, Louisiana	1880 U.S. census, Jackson Parish, Louisiana, population schedule (1st enumeration), Ward 7, enumeration district (ED) 37, p. 235 (stamped), p. 35 (penned), dwelling 311, family 311, John McMurry in the G.B. Higgs household; digital image, Ancestry.com (https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/6742/4241370-00793 : accessed 1 Apr 2019), citing NARA microfilm publication T9, roll 454.	Original	Undetermined	Direct	Marital Status = Single; working in household of G B Higgs
Marriage	after Apr 1880		1880 U.S. census, Jackson Parish, Louisiana, population schedule (1st enumeration), Ward 7, enumeration district (ED) 37, p. 235 (stamped), p. 35 (penned), dwelling 311, family 311, John McMurry in the G.B. Higgs household; digital image, Ancestry.com (https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/6742/4241370-00793 : accessed 1 Apr 2019), citing NARA microfilm publication T9, roll 454.	Original	Undetermined	Negative	John McMurry is single in the 1880 census; cannot find Mary
Birth of Son Robert Frank McMurry	Oct 1881	Louisiana	1900 U.S. census, Winn Parish, Louisiana, population schedule, Ward 7, enumeration district (ED) 119, sheet 3-B, dwelling 50, family 50, John McMurry household; digital image, Ancestry.com (https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/7602/4119813_01131/20025011 : accessed 1 Apr 2019), citing NARA microfilm publication T623, roll 586.	Original	Undetermined	Direct	
	3 Oct 1882	Winn Parish, Louisiana	U.S. World War II Draft Cards, 1942, Caldwell Parish, LA Registration Card for Robert Franklin McMurry, serial number 839; digital image, Ancestry.com (https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/1002/004436669_01554/11091301 : accessed 18 Aug 2018); citing Records of the Selective Service System, NARA record group 147.	Original	Secondary	Direct	
	3 Oct 1882	Winnfield, Louisiana	Social Security Administration, "U.S., Social Security Applications and Claims Index, 1936-2007," database, Ancestry.com (https://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/ssse.dll?indiv=1&dbid=60901&h=9218984&ssrc=pt&tid=49495569&pid=20220265807&usePUB=true : accessed 1 Apr 2019), entry for Robert Frank McMurry, SS no. 435-28-0010.	Original	Secondary	Direct	Mother listed as Mary Smart; father as John McMurry
	3 Oct 1882		Ancestry, Find A Grave, database with images (https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/9100279/robert-franklin-mcmurry : accessed 24 Jan 2019), memorial 9100279, Robert Franklin McMurry (1882-1965), Chatham Cemetery, Chatham, Jackson Parish, Louisiana.	Original	Secondary	Direct	

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Birth of Son James J McMurry	Mar 1884	Louisiana	1900 U.S. census, Winn Parish, Louisiana, population schedule, Ward 7, enumeration district (ED) 119, sheet 3-B, dwelling 50, family 50, John McMurry household; digital image, Ancestry.com (https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/7602/4119813_01131/20025011 : accessed 1 Apr 2019), citing NARA microfilm publication T623, roll 586.	Original	Undetermined	Direct	
	13 Mar 1884		Ancestry, Find A Grave, database with images (https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/13324159/james-j_-mcmurry : accessed 24 Jan 2019), memorial 13324159, Jim McMurry (1884-1948), Ogden Cemetery, Liddieville, Franklin Parish, Louisiana.	Original	Secondary	Direct	
	13 Mar 1884		"U.S., World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918," images, Ancestry.com (https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/6482/005152033_02936/33955110 : accessed 31 May 2019), card for James McMurry, serial no. 759, Franklin Parish, Louisiana; citing NARA microfilm publication M1509, roll 1684674.	Original	Secondary	Direct	
	13 Mar 1884	Gaar's Mill, Louisiana	U.S. World War II Draft Cards, 1942, Franklin Parish, LA Registration Card for Robert Franklin McMurry, serial number 2112; digital image, Ancestry.com (https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/1002/004436669_01550/11091293 : accessed 18 Aug 2018); citing Records of the Selective Service System, NARA record group 147.	Original	Secondary	Direct	
Birth of Son George Washington McMurry	Dec 1887	Louisiana	1900 U.S. census, Winn Parish, Louisiana, population schedule, Ward 7, enumeration district (ED) 119, sheet 3-B, dwelling 50, family 50, John McMurry household; digital image, Ancestry.com (https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/7602/4119813_01131/20025011 : accessed 1 Apr 2019), citing NARA microfilm publication T623, roll 586.	Original	Undetermined	Direct	
	10 Dec 1888	Gaar's Mill, Louisiana	"U.S., World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918," images, Ancestry.com (https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/6482/005152033_02851 : accessed 31 May 2019), card for George McMurray, serial no. 35, Precinct 9, Franklin Parish, Louisiana; citing NARA microfilm publication M1509, roll 1684674.	Original	Secondary	Direct	
	10 Dec 1888		Ancestry, Find A Grave, database with images (https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/13324056/george-washington-mcmurray : accessed 31 May 2019), memorial 13324056, George Washington McMurray (1888-1920), Ogden Cemetery, Liddieville, Franklin Parish, Louisiana.	Original	Secondary	Direct	
Land Purchase by Husband	1 Dec 1898	Gaar's Mill, Louisiana	Bureau of Land Management, "Land Patent Search," database, General Land Office Records (https://glorecords.blm.gov/details/patent/default.aspx?accession=LA1420___069&docClass=STA&sid=cebip0u5.c4g : accessed 1 Apr 2019), entry for John McMurry, Winn Parish, Louisiana, no. 8073.	Original	Primary	Direct	Obtained through Homestead Act; therefore, had been living there at least 5 years
Death	before Apr 1900		1900 U.S. census, Winn Parish, Louisiana, population schedule, Ward 7, enumeration district (ED) 119, sheet 3-B, dwelling 50, family 50, John McMurry household; digital image, Ancestry.com (https://www.ancestry.com/interactive/7602/4119813_01131/20025011 : accessed 1 Apr 2019), citing NARA microfilm publication T623, roll 586.	Original	Undetermined	Negative	
Evidence of Relationship			Johnston, Agnes McWeeny (Green Valley, Arizona) to John D. Horne. Letter. 25 Nov 1992. Privately held by Jessica Horne Collins, [ADDRESS FOR PRIVATE USE], Houston, Texas. 2015.	Authored	Secondary	Direct	"...Wallace McMurry says that his grandmother was a sister to Jim Smart and Alma and Georgia." William Wallace McMurry (1916-1997) was the son of Robert Frank McMurry.