

1866-1933

Levi Sherman Hudelson was born in Illinois about 1866. Levi- after his Brother-in-law, and Sherman honoring the historic General under which his father William F. Had served in the war.

Relocating to Parker, Montgomery county Kansas with his parents prior to 1875 and purchasing a farm in Sedan, Chautaugua County, Kansas, about 1885 when 19 years old, he settled down in Sedan .

Selma's parents were from Sweden. Selma E. Anderson was born 1872 in Illinois according to the 1900 census. However, I remember her telling me about traveling to Oklahoma Territory via covered wagon. She lived in Coody's Bluff, Indian Territory where she apparently met Levi.



The Selma/Levi wedding was held on 8 January, 1892 in Independence, Montgomery County Kansas, Producing first, a daughter, Bessie 29 Sept. 1893, and Carrell [Carl] in 1895 in Coffeyville. There apparently was a second daughter, Selma G., born Sept. 1894. was alive in 1900, but must have died shortly thereafter. Never was mentioned.

Even though the birth records show all children being born in Coffeyville, 1900 census records have Levi's residence as Sedan. And Levi's occupation was Farmer. There was also a tenent at the Farm named William Crisman

Census of 1895 has Selma and Levi as well as the children living with William F. Hudelson in Coffeyville. After 1902 Selma and family lived at #12 E. 2nd in coffeyville. It, therefore, isn't much of a leap to assume they were living in William's house in the "Big City" while Levi worked the farm in Sedan with his tenent, William Crisman.

On Friday, 13 June 1902, Having had enough of Levi's absence, Selma sues for divorce. Apparanty granted, Levi S. Disappears to the farm in Sedan, and thereafter to Bryan, Okmulgee County, Oklahoma , there working in the oil fields, at least until 1920.

Selma died 16 Feb. ,1964 and is buried at Fairview Cemetary, Coffeyville KS

In 28 December ,1912, Levi married Alberta Crowe, in Haskell, Oklahoma. There were another 2 children. A son, Guy Earl Hudelson in [b. 1907-before they were married- probably from a previous marriage, And Roy Hudelson [b.1914].

She died 9 Sept 1951, buried at Resthaven Memorial Park, Pottawatomie County, Oklahoma.

There is no record of his death or burial. In 1933, Selma is listed in the Coffeyville City Directory as "Widow".

MARRIAGE RECORD 25/91 X 9

APPLICATION FOR MARRIAGE LICENSE

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, TULSA COUNTY, IN COUNTY COURT

I, Levi S. Hudelson do hereby certify that the following party apply for a Marriage License to be issued to
 to: Levi S. Hudelson age 26 years, whose residence is
 in Haskell State of Oklahoma and
 and Alberta Crowe age 27 years, whose residence is
 in Haskell State of Oklahoma and

for the purpose of contracting the same, do solemnly swear that I have personal knowledge of the facts herein stated, that the names, ages and places of residence of said parties are truly and correctly set out above; that neither of said parties are disqualified or incapable under the law of contracting into the marriage relation, nor are they related to each other within the degrees prohibited by law. That I am 26 years of age, and being competent to make and take an oath, and that I reside at Haskell City of McIntosh County of Oklahoma.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of December 1912.
Levi S. Hudelson Applicant.
Paul Barlett Clerk County Court, Deputy.

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, TULSA COUNTY, IN
 being first duly sworn, depose and say that I am the
 of Levi S. Hudelson named in the above application as being of the age of 26 years; that I do
 hereby consent to the marriage to Alberta Crowe of the age of 27 years.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of December 1912.
Levi S. Hudelson Clerk County Court, Deputy.

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