

**Individual Narrative of Ellison⁸ D. Millis [375]
Son of Elizabeth⁷ Sackett Leverich [193] and John Nicholson Millis, Jr.
Husband of Mary Elizabeth B. Mooney**

Ellison D. Millis was born on 31 May 1832 Manhattan, New York County, New York.^{1,2} Ellison's middle name is given as "Dobson" in several Ancestry Family Trees, but the records pertaining to Ellison only use the middle initial "D."

Ellison D. Millis was recorded in the 1850 U.S. Census and the 1855 New York State Census of Oswego, Oswego County, New York. Ellison is single, age 19 in 1850, 23 in 1855, and living with his parents and several siblings.^{3,4}

Ellison D. Millis, Carpenter, was listed in the 1856 Oswego New York City Directory living at 80 West Schuyler Street.⁵

Ellison D. Millis, age 28 Carpenter, was recorded in the 1860 U.S. Census of Oswego Ward 3, Oswego County, New York. Ellison was still living with his parents and some siblings at the time the Census was taken.⁶

Ellison D. Millis married Mary Elizabeth B. Mooney on 14 June 1860 place unknown but possibly Oswego.⁷

Mary Elizabeth B. Mooney was born 11 April 1829 in Smith Creek, Studholm Parish, Kings County, New Brunswick, Canada. She was the daughter of Peter Mooney and Margaret M. (unidentified).^{8,9}



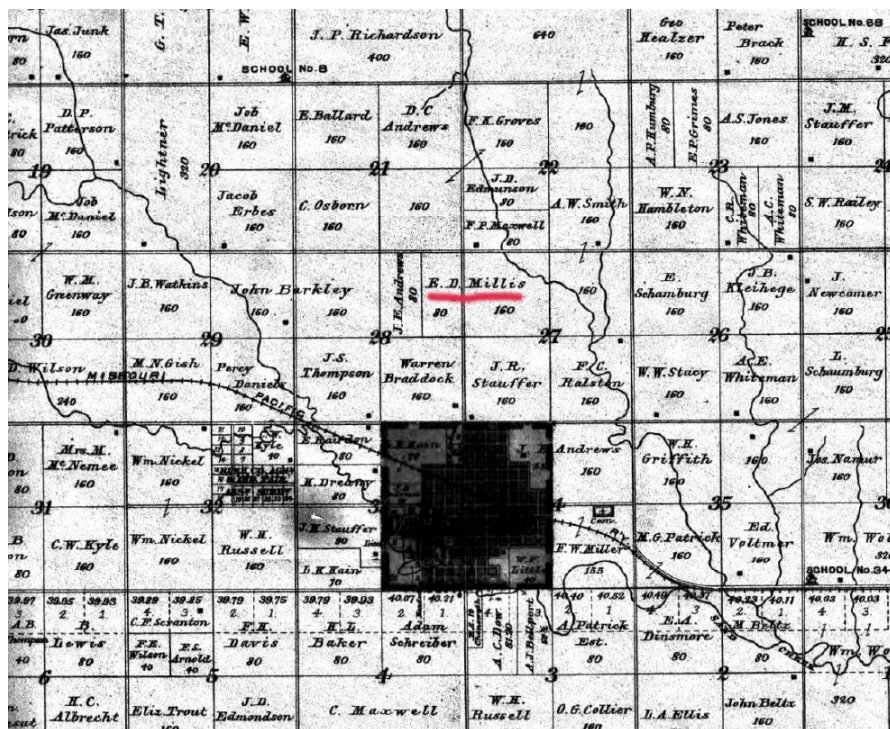
Ellison Dobson Millis



Mary Elizabeth B. Mooney

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Shortly after their marriage Ellison D. and Mary Elizabeth Millis moved to New York City where they remained until the end of the Civil War. After the war they returned to Oswego, New York where they lived until 1867 when they started west and located at Janesville, Rock County, Wisconsin. In 1869 they moved to Independence, Montgomery County, Kansas and from there to Rush County, Kansas where they located on a homestead north of the city of LaCrosse where Ellison lived forty years.¹⁰



1901 Land Ownership Map Rush Co, Kansas: Townships 17 & 18 South, Range 18 West (Ancestry.com)

Ellison D. Millis, Joiner, was listed in the 1861 Oswego, New York City Directory living at 92 West Oneida Street.¹¹ Ellison D. Millis, carpenter, was recorded in the Oswego City Directory, 82 West Schuyler Street in 1866, 111 West Oneida Street in 1867.^{12,13}

Ellison D. Millis, age 38 carpenter, was recorded in the 1870 U.S. Census of Rutland, Montgomery County, Kansas. Ellison's household consisted of his wife M.E. Millis, age 38, and children G.E. Millis, age 9; C.H. Millis, age 7; Frank E. Millis, age 3; and C.M.M. Millis, age 1. The household also included his mother-in-law M.M. Mooney.¹⁴

Ellison D. Millis, age 40, was recorded in the 1875 Kansas State Census of Rutland, Montgomery County. Ellison's household included his wife Mary, age 40, and children George, age 14; Herbert, age 12; Frank, age 8; and Cora (aka Maude "Minnie"), age 5.¹⁵

Ellison D. Millis, age 48 carpenter, was recorded in the 1880 U.S. Census of LaCross, Rush County, Kansas. Ellison's household included his wife M.E.B. Millis, age 49 and children George, age 18; C. H., age 16; Frank, age 13; and Minnie (Cora in 1875), age 10 (born in Wisconsin).¹⁶

Ellison D. Millis, age 68 farmer, was recorded in the 1900 U.S. Census of LaCrosse, Rush County, Kansas. Ellison's household included his wife Mary, age 71; his son Frank E., age 34; and grandchildren Howard Millis, age 12, and Blanche Millis, age 9.¹⁷

Ellison D. Millis, age 73, was recorded in the 1905 Kansas State Census of LaCrosse, Rush County. Ellison's household consisted of his wife M.E., his son F.E. age 37, and his granddaughter Blanche, age 15.¹⁸

Ellison D. Millis, age 77 Farmer, was recorded in the 1910 U.S. Census of LaCrosse, Rush County, Kansas. Ellison's household included his wife Mary E. B. Millis, age 81; his son Frank E. Millis, age 42; and his granddaughter Blanche Millis, age 20.¹⁹

Mary Elizabeth (Mooney) Millis died 23 January 1912 at LaCrosse, Rush County, Kansas. Mary Elizabeth was buried at LaCrosse Cemetery.²⁰

Ellison D. Millis died 5 February 1916 at LaCrosse, Rush County, Kansas. Ellison was buried at LaCrosse Cemetery.²¹

Ellison D. Millis and Mary Elizabeth Mooney had four children, all of whom survived to adulthood.

- i. George E. Millis was born 13 April 1861 in New York City, New York. George married Mary Maggie Elizabeth Shade in 1891, either 14 January 1891 in Russell, Russell County, Kansas; or 22 January 1891 in Hays, Ellis Co, Kansas (different Ancestry.com Family Trees cite different dates and places without citing sources). George died 30 October 1932 in Pueblo, Pueblo Co, Colorado. George was buried at Roselawn Cemetery in Pueblo. George was recorded in the 1880 and 1900 U.S. Census in Rush County, Kansas; 1910, 1920, and 1930 Pueblo Co, Colorado.^{22,23,24,25,26,27,28,29,30}
- ii. Charles Herbert Millis was born circa February 1863 probably in New York City, New York. Charles married Madora Naomi Whittle 6 June 1887 at Castle Rock, Douglas County, Colorado. Charles died 6 April 1941 at the State Hospital in Larned, Pawnee County, Kansas. Charles was buried at the LaCrosse Cemetery in Rush County, Kansas. Charles was recorded in the 1880 U.S. Census of Rush County, Kansas; 1900 Jasper County, Missouri; 1920 Stafford County, Kansas; 1930 Rush County, Kansas.^{31,32,33,34,35,36,37}
- iii. Frank E. Millis was born circa May 1867, probably in Oswego, Oswego County, New York. Frank married Cordelia F. Barger 6 September 1886 in LaCrosse, Rush County, Kansas. Frank died 25 September 1929 in Greensburg, Kiowa County, Kansas. Frank was buried in LaCrosse Cemetery. Frank was recorded in the 1880, 1900, 1910, and 1920 all in Rush County, Kansas.^{38,39,40,41,42,43}
- iv. Maude "Minnie" (aka Cora, see 1875 Kansas State Census of Rush County) was born 22 July 1869 in Madison, Dane County, Wisconsin. Minnie married Ibrahim Monroe DeTar 1 September 1886 in Independence, Montgomery County, Kansas. Minnie died 4 January 1961 in Palm Beach County, Florida. Minnie was buried in the Hillcrest Memorial Park, Palm Beach County. Minnie was recorded in the 1880 U.S. Census of Rush County, Kansas; 1900, 1910, 1920, and 1930 Edwards County, Kansas; 1945 Florida State Census of Palm Beach County.^{44,45,46,47,48,49,50,51,52}

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