

Dear John -

Please do think of me as "Julia" and  
not Mrs. Ryan.  
Your letter - and, of course, all the  
wonderful family info - sent me on a  
"Nostalgia Trip." As a result, I will  
try to fill in some added information on  
my mother's other sisters, whose names you  
apparently do not have. Also, any other  
family data Grandmother shared with me.  
All of that - as I can find time.

In this mailing I'm sending you a copy  
of a wonderful letter I have kept through  
the years because it was so special to me.  
My mother & father took me to Cutbert in  
the spring of 1935. While there we went to  
see Mother's relative "Cousin Henry Abell."  
I was just 10 years old in May of 1935.  
Early that year, <sup>after our visit</sup> ~~she~~ wrote him requesting some  
of his memories of living in Vilross. This letter  
is his answer. I hope you will find it as  
special as I did - enough to keep it  
(over)

for them 91 years.

The other enclosure is a chart made  
by Clark Johnson, Troy County Historian,  
himself a descendant of Sarah Howell -  
from the Thomas Howell line. Clark  
had told me he wanted to make this  
chart as I could see how our line  
came together long ago. He showed the  
"Love" connection because this is the line  
of other close friends here. He had never  
known that was a family connection with the  
Loves until now.

Please forgive my penmanship. I had a  
badly artistic right thumb which has  
ruined my writing for legibility.

Incidentally, I loved my visit to  
"Corrin Henry." I was fascinated to see him  
even an octave with his thumb and first finger.  
He played no pieces for me and was very  
nice to a little girl who remembers him with  
love. I loved his red horse too.  
Thanks for "looking me up" and sharing  
with me.

Sincerely,  
Julia Howell  
Trayler Dyer