

I know very little about the  
Cooly family. My grandfather  
Nathan G. Cooly moved west  
before my mother married.  
Grandfather was married  
twice his first wife was  
Polly Cary. She died when  
my mother (Mahella) was  
~~only~~ about three years old and  
a brother John, who was  
only a few days old at the <sup>in 1857</sup>  
time of grandmother's death  
Uncle John was killed in  
a few years after moving west  
Uncle John was married  
at the time of his death, and  
left two children, a boy, and  
a girl. Grandfather's  
second wife name was  
Shirley. Several children  
were born this union. Will  
give you the names of

the three I happen to know.  
<sup>Mr</sup> Allie Bloomer of Montpelier  
Idaho. <sup>Mr</sup> Dora Eaton of Union  
Arg. and William G. of  
Bentley, Arg. The last time  
I heard from either of  
these was about twenty  
years ago. I have heard  
Mother say her grandfather  
came to this country from  
Kentucky. My Mother and  
Father have been dead  
several years, I know of  
no one to ask, and I have  
no date records. The Cooleys  
you ask about I have  
never heard of. I hope  
what little information I  
have been able to give will  
be of some help to you.

Yours truly  
Blanche McCedow.

Nankunda, Mo.

*I wrote her again  
June 9 - 1932.*