

Married— Alta Smith  
 3 Irtie Mae Hawkins— born November 16, 1892 in Commerce, Missouri; died 1974.  
 Buried in the Oakdale Cemetery, Commerce, Missouri.  
 Married— John Sherwood Smith— born 1888; died 1943.  
 3 Joseph Asa Hawkins— born January 4, 1895 in Commerce, Missouri; died 1977 in  
 Cape Girardeau, Missouri.  
 Married— Leona Ida Lux  
 2 Henry Cortland "Clay" Hawkins— born 1845 in Commerce, Missouri; died after 1875.  
 2 Aldorena Hawkins— born 1849 in Commerce, Missouri  
 Married— Dennis K. P. Chewning

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Note from Editor: The information on the Thomas E. "Asa" Hawkins family was gotten off the Internet at <http://www.patpny.com/asa-fg.htm>

If you have any information on any of these families please contact us at [commercemo@clas.net](mailto:commercemo@clas.net) or write to the Commerce Historical Society, P. O. Box 93, Commerce, MO 63742-0093.

The death date of John Sherwood Smith needs to be checked as in one book on cemeteries it is listed as 1974.

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From a letter written to Mrs. Ann Huck dated September 3, 1976:

Rolfe E. Eldridge  
 9500 SW 62 Court  
 Miami, Florida 33156

3 Sept. 1976

Dear Mrs. Ann Huck:

*My grand parents, Mr. & Mrs. Wm. C. Marshall were once buried in the hill cemetery but were moved by my Uncle Garrett Marshall, to Oakdale.*

*I'm sending the Delta Metro article to my Aunt Matti Mae Tesreau (age 90) Franklin N. C.*

*Please accept this small contribution toward your good efforts.*

*Rolfe E. Eldridge*

*P. S. I was born in Commerce.*

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Editor's Note:

If you know of any other people that were moved from the Commerce/Anderson/Hill Cemetery please let us know. We have a clean up planned for the first weekend in April for the Commerce/Anderson Cemetery. We will be cleaning another portion of the cemetery and can use all the help we can get. Visit the Commerce web site at [www.clas.net/~commercemo](http://www.clas.net/~commercemo) and you can access the list we have on the people buried at the cemeteries around Commerce.

If you know of anyone buried in the cemeteries in Scott County please let us know and we will work to get the cemetery listed and a list of the people so others can find them. That way the loved ones will know that they are not forgotten.

Jack Carson High Sr.'s (1921-1998) body was moved out to the Oakdale Cemetery on Jan 27, 1999.