

Dabney Uel Keele & Elizabeth Ann Bracken

Dabney Uel Keele and Elizabeth Ann Bracken were married on May 11, 1851. Dabney was born to Richard John and Nancy Eleanor McCullough. He was born on September 15, 1826 at Bedford City, Bedford County, Tennessee. Elizabeth was born October 30, 1828 in Noble, Rush County, Indiana. Her parents were Levi and Elizabeth Clark Bracken. Two children were born in Big Pigeon—Elizabeth Eleanor and Richard Levi. The twins did not survive long and are probably buried in Big Pigeon.



The 1851 Iowa State Census lists Dabney and Elizabeth. They joined the Henry Bryant Manning Jolley Company in Kanesville. They departed for the west on June 15, 1852 and arrived in the Salt Lake Valley on September 9, 1852. They settled in Utah County where four of their children were born. Then they moved to Franklin, Oneida County, Idaho Territory, where two children were born and finally their last three children were born in Pine Valley, Washington County, Utah Territory.

Dabney died on July 21, 1902 in Thurber, Wayne County, Utah and then Elizabeth died in Delta, Millard County, Utah on July 6, 1915.