A Tradition in Nevada Education

James T. Jr. and Mary Jane Elliott moved to White Pine County, Nevada in 1907. Growing up in a company town, their seven children benefitted from being exposed to the rich atmosphere found in a small town. Sadie was the first to go to college. She pursued a career in education and became a teacher and principal in White Pine County, thus starting the Elliott education tradition. Russell, professor emeritus who taught history at Nevada for 28 years, and John (Jack) followed shortly thereafter. The next generation of six cousins continued to lean towards education. They are all avid Wolf Pack football and basketball fans and bleed silver and blue.

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