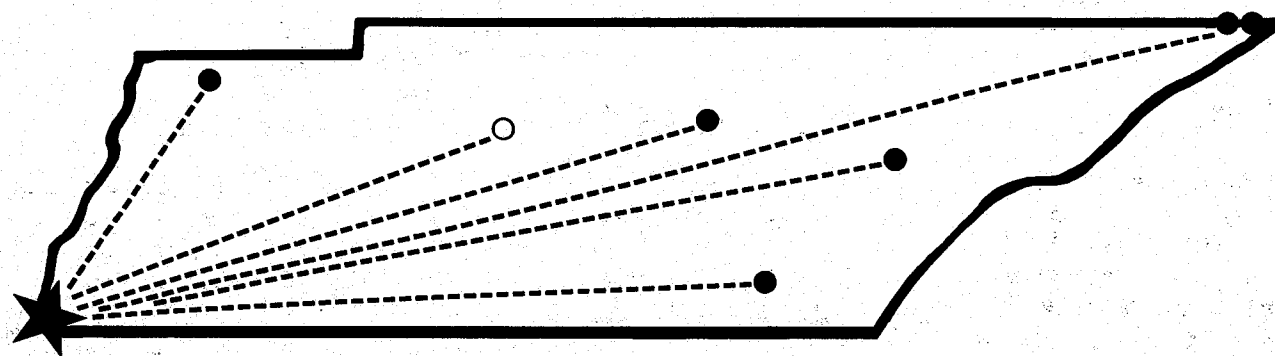


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OVER THE EDITOR'S DESK

We welcome a newly formed group of genealogists, The Middle Tennessee Genealogical Society, which first met March 1987 in Nashville. Mrs. Nancy Goodman, P.O. Box 863, Hendersonville, TN 37077, was elected Secretary. Persons interested in the Middle Tennessee area may contact her for additional information.

Reports from the National Genealogical Society Conference in the States, hosted in May by the North Carolina Genealogical Society, proclaim that it was successful, educational and entertaining. The 1200 participants came from across the entire USA and five other countries to hear 106 speakers lecture on an equal number of topics.

Next year's conference, open to all interested parties, will be held in Biloxi, Mississippi April 27-30 and will be hosted by the L.W. Anderson Genealogical Library. Titled "A Family Affair," this meeting will be a treat for the whole family - a vacation on Mississippi's Gulf Coast, with nearby Mobile and New Orleans offering additional history, research and entertainment possibilities. It's not too early to write for information to be sent to you as soon as it is available. Send your name and address to: NGS Conference Committee

4527 Seventeenth St., Arlington, VA 22207-2362

"Maryland in Depth," a genealogical conference, hosted by The Genealogy Committee of the Maryland Historical Society, The Maryland Genealogical Society and The Genealogical Council of Maryland will be held July 16-18, 1987 at the Baltimore Hilton Inn, Pikesville, MD. Write: Maryland in Depth, P.O. Box 11084, Baltimore, MD 21212-1084.

The second annual reunion of the NATIONAL ELY FAMILY REUNION will be in August 1987 at Lancaster, PA. For further information write Nancy Ely Conrad, 3108 Superior Ln., Bowie, MD 20715.

NEWS AND NOTES FROM OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Prepared by Sherida K. Eddlemon

THE SOUTHERN GENEALOGISTS EXCHANGE QUARTERLY, 5323 Heatherstone Drive, Baton Rouge, LA 70820. Vol. 27, No. 119. \$16. Contains cemetery records, Alabama land grants, information on families of Grimes, Bowles, Wortley, Gafton and Robert Campbell Crow of Carter County, Tennessee. Also included is information on preservation methods to use for all types of materials, artifacts and collections.

ROOTS AND LEAVES, P.O. Box 541, Fremont, NE 68025. Vol. 10, No. 1, 20 pp. \$12 per year initially; \$8 renewal. Includes citizenship papers, Dodge County marriages, a biographical sketch of Dr. M. B. Croll, historical information, and queries.

PLATTE COUNTY MISSOURI HISTORICAL AND GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY BULLETIN, Platte County Historical Society, P.O. Box 113, Platte City, MO 64079. Vol. 40, No. 1, 31 pp. \$10. Features 1863 Platte County tax list, cemetery records, bar docket of 1899, photos, news and queries.

GARFIELD COUNTY ROOTS AND BRANCHES, Garfield Co. Genealogists, Inc., P.O. Box 1106, Enid, OK 73701. Vol. 10, No. 1, 30 pp. \$10 per year. Contains news, township maps, 1903 taxable lands and personal property, Shaffer Funeral Home records, marriages and queries.

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FAMILY GATHERINGS

Prepared for publication by Jessie Taylor Webb and Mary Louise Graham Nazor

RHODES LEAD TO TENNESSEE AND McEWEN BIBLE - Contributed by Mr. Gifford Rhodes,
669 Creighton Rd., Orange Park, FL 32073

A Bible and additional notes were handed down to Mr. RHODES by his grandparents, Lucian M. and Anna Rhodes. Lucian was born near Huntingdon, Carroll Co TN; Anna (nee McEWEN) was born near Trenton, Gibson Co TN. They moved to Jacksonville, FL in 1917.

An earlier Lucian Rhodes moved to what is now Elbert Co GA before the American Revolution. Accompanied by four brothers-in-law in 1848, John W. Rhodes, grandfather of Lucian M., took his wife, Mary "Polly" (nee KELLEY), and their children to Carroll Co TN. John's maternal ancestors (MORGAN, GREEN, SIMMONS AND GARRETT) had settled in Carroll County during the early 1800's.

John W. Rhodes - born 6 Jan 1813; died 19 Feb 1878; married Mary "Polly" Kelley - born SC 14 Jan 1822; died 30 Jun 1901. Their children were:

1. William B. - married Sarah CONNER; settled in McLeansboro, IL
2. Adaline M. - married ____ BELL; settled in Missouri
3. Nancy Evaline - married ____ KING; settled in Arkansas
4. Arena E. - did not marry
5. Mary A. - may have died in infancy; a son also died in infancy
6. John Marion - married Nannie Jane Morgan; settled in Carroll Co TN
7. Aaron Dave - married Bettie MONTGOMERY; stayed in Carroll Co TN
8. James Vache - m/1 Fannie McCASLIN; m/2 Aury KELLY; stayed in Carroll Co TN
9. Susan - married Bill TOSH; settled in TN and Arkansas
10. Margaret (?) Hulda - married ____ SELLERS; stayed in TN
11. Sarah (?) Elizabeth - no record
12. Andrew Brownlow - married Belle WARSHUM; settled last in Carroll Co TN

John Marion Rhodes - born 23 May 1849 Carroll Co TN; died 29 Feb 1916; married 31 Dec 1873 Nannie Jane Morgan - born 21 Oct 1854; died 26 Jun 1913. Her parents were Needham Morgan (born 19 Mar 1831 Carroll Co TN; died 7 Feb 1899) and Martha Matilda SHAW (born 14 Feb 1835 Carroll Co TN). The children of John M. and Nannie were:

1. Louchen/Lucian M. - born 13 Oct 1874; married Anna E. McEwen
2. Florence Emer - born 9 Jan 1876; married Eligah M. DEMOSS
3. Ida Estelle - born 12 Jan 1878; married James McCOLLUM
4. Lillie Osker - born 21 Dec 1879; died young
5. Mattie Ethel - born 26 Aug 1881; married Wade BENNETT
6. Gallispie McCall - born 28 Jun 1895; died young

The McEwen Bible was apparently held by Linnie McCracken CARTER until it was sent to Anna McEwen Rhodes 10 Jul 1967. Gifford Rhodes has this Bible which was published by A.J. Holman & Co., No. 930 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 1880.

Levi McEwen - born 8 Jan 1826 Henderson Co TN; died 4 Apr 1895; married Frances E. THOMAS of Mifflin, TN 9 Nov 1849 at the home of James Thomas. They were married by James BEAVER, M.G. with witnesses: James A. HENRY, Rebecca HART, James M. COOPER and Josephine PURDY. Frances was born 10 Jul 1830 and died 14 Mar 1900. Levi moved to Huntingdon in 1870. Their children were:

1. John Dickinson - born 19 Aug 1850; married Katie JOHNSON 26 Dec 1872; a daughter, Katie, was born 22 Dec 1873

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2. Elizabeth - born 30 May 1852 Henderson Co TN; died 5 Jun 1886; married Joe McCracken 28 May 1868; Linnie McCracken born 3 Nov 1871

3. James Franklin - born 19 Feb 1855; died 18 Apr 1887; married Minnie TRAVIS 5 Sep 1875; a son, Joe, was born 6 Apr 1878

4. Ellen Agnes - born 26 May 1858; died Oct 1910; married 18 Oct 1885 to James R. ALGEE (at one time editor of the Memphis Press-Scimitar newspaper)

WICKER AND BLACKWELL FAMILIES - Contributed by Miss Glenna L. Deal
1300 S. Jackson #1002, Amarillo, TX 79101

The Robert WICKER information was found by Miss Deal while she was doing research to publish a Wicker family book.

Robert Wicker, son of Thomas Jr. and Esther, was born about 1770/80 in Chatham Co NC and died after 1830 in Greene Co TN. Known children were:

1. John - born c1805 NC married Naomi ? c1825; 1840/50 Lincoln Co TN census
2. William - born c1807; married Rhoda BABB 9 Sep 1829 Greene Co TN; 1840 Lincoln Co TN; 1850 Marshall Co TN
3. Milly - born c1808; married William WHITAKER 8 Aug 1824 Greene Co TN
4. Sarah - born c1812; married Wallis/Wallace BRITTON 24 May 1829 Greene Co TN
5. Ambrose - born c1818; m/1 Nancy Britton 7 Jul 1836 Greene Co TN; m/2 Mary A. ? in Greene Co TN

William Wicker, who married Rhoda Babb, died after 1850 while Rhoda died before 1850. Their children were:

1. Alexander - born c1830 Greene Co TN
2. Martha - born c1832 (will of Seth Babb, 9 Sep 1836, Greene Co TN mentions granddaughter Martha, daughter of Rhoda Wicker)
3. Thomas Harvell - born Nov 1833; married Rebecca Jane REDDEN 30 Aug 1860 in Carroll Co AR
4. George - born c1836; married Jemima ? ; living 1860 Franklin Co TN

Thomas Harvell Wicker, who married Rebecca Jane Redden (born 22 Jul 1843 Coffee Co TN), was a Boone Co AR resident in 1880 and moved to Fannin Co TX in 1886. Thomas died 4 Feb 1908 and Rebecca died 23 Jan 1919. Thomas served in the Civil War from Arkansas. Their children, all born in Arkansas, were: 1. William Elbert - born 6 Apr 1866; 2. Martha C. - born 24 Feb 1867; 3. Minnie L. - born 16 Jun 1869; 4. James C. - born 21 Feb 1871; 5. Allen Garrett - born 14 May 1877; 6. Minerva E. - born 12 Nov 1879; 7. Roda E. - born 2 May 1881; 8. Ralph A. - born 28 Feb 1884.

John Blackwell, born c1740 Hanover Co VA, married c1765 Frances POMFRET (born 7 Aug 1747, died c1825), daughter of John Pomfret and Anne HUNT of King William Co VA. In 1779 John purchased land in Granville Co NC and moved there between 1782-87 where he left a will 28 Dec 1816 which was probated Feb 1818. In the will he names his wife, Frances; sons, Pomfret (married Rebecca STOVALL); James; Samuel (married Nancy ?); William (married Elizabeth MARSHALL) died 1823/24 Granville Co NC; John, Jr. who moved to Smith Co TN; Fleming who moved to Lincoln Co TN; and Robert L. who moved to Smith Co TN; daughters, Anne (married John MALONE and moved to Alabama); Frances (married James HEGGIE) died 1832 Person Co NC; and Mary (married Wm. W. ELLECKSON).

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John Blackwell, Jr. born c1769 died prior to, enroute or shortly after arrival in Smith Co TN. John Sr. mentioned the heirs of John Jr., dec'd, in his will and wife of John Jr. bought property in 1815 in Smith Co TN (later Trousdale Co). John Jr. married 19 Dec 1795 Granville Co NC to Elizabeth SANDERS/SAUNDERS (born 9 Mar 1778 Mecklenburg Co VA and died 1850/60 Smith Co TN). She was the daughter and orphan of Edward Saunders, killed in Revolutionary War, and his wife, Jane YANCEY. The children of John and Elizabeth, all born in NC, were:

1. William - born c1797; died unmarried mid-1820's Smith Co TN
2. Jane - born c1800; married ____ CLARIDY
3. John Sanders - born 27 Aug 1804; died 29 May 1832 on trip to Iron Bank, MS; married 16 Aug 1827 Alitha McMURRY (Alitha m/2 William STALCUP)
4. Frances - born c1805; died after 1880; married Charles McMurry, bro, Alitha
5. Yancey - born c1808; married Ann ____ (Henry Co TN 1860 census)
6. James M. - born 1810; married Margaret ____

Robert L. Blackwell - born c1789; died 2 Jul 1845 of fever; married 30 Sep 1822 Mecklenburg Co VA to Jane NORTHINGTON - born 1807; died May 1877 Smith Co TN. He served in the War of 1812 from NC. They lived in Mecklenburg Co NC until about 1842 when they moved to Smith Co TN. Their children were:

1. John - born c1824 VA; died 18 Jul 1845 of fever Smith Co TN
2. Harriett R.F. - born c1825 VA; died Apr 1883 Smith Co TN; married 25 Sep 1845 James Alexander BENNETT - born 10 Apr 1820 Knox Co TN
3. Mary Elizabeth - born 1827 VA; died 23 Dec 1913 Smith Co TN; married James NOLLNER
4. Sarah Jane - born 1833 VA; died Oct 1881 Smith Co TN; married James BRIGGS
5. William N. born 1835 NC; died May 1843 Smith Co TN
6. Adeline - born 1836 NC; married Robert ALLEN
7. Robert L. - born 1838 NC; died after 1882 Smith Co TN; unmarried
8. Emily - born 1840 NC; died Jul 1891 Smith Co TN; m/1 ____ SHEPPARD and m/2 ____ ARMSTED
9. Maria Amie - born 10 May 1842 NC; died 4 Jun 1923 Smith Co TN; m/1 8 Jan 1866 Robert J. JEFFREYS - died 11 May 1893; m/2 1912 John Hill Jeffreys

Fleming Gaines Blackwell - born 7 Apr 1787 Granville Co NC; died 1857; married 27 Jun 1822 Mary N. EDWARDS - born 12 Jun 1803; died 1857; daughter of Charles (d 1815) and Margaret "Peggy" (nee SMITH) Edwards (d 1855). Fleming and Mary lived in Granville Co NC until about 1837 when they moved to Lincoln Co TN; both are buried in Mulberry Cemetery. Their children were:

1. Alexander P. - born 27 Jul 1822 NC; died c1892; married 14 Mar 1872 Franklin Co TN to Frances E. MOSELEY - born 10 Jul 1849; died 10 Dec 1897; He was in Civil War and moved c1873 to Rendon, TX.
2. James N. - born 14 Feb 1824 NC; died Lincoln Co TN; married 6 Nov 1849 Elizabeth C. SCOTT - born 21 Jul 1831; died 2 Dec 1901 Lincoln Co TN
3. Demetres E. - born 24 Dec 1825 NC; died 5 Feb 1826 NC
4. Margaret F. - born 16 Jan 1827 NC; married 20 May 1852 John G. ENOCHS; living Franklin Co TN 1860/70 and moved to Johnson Co TX c1873
5. Mary Ann - born 14 Jun 1829 NC; married 13 Jan 1857 William P. WHITE
6. Eliza Jane - born 21 Apr 1831 NC; died 28 Jun 1917 buried Hedley, TX; married 18 Jan 1854 David Anderson LUTTRELL - died 23 Dec 1873 San Antonio
7. William A. - born 25 May 1833 NC; married Sarah ____; Washington Co AR 1880
8. John E. - born 26 Oct 1838 Lincoln Co TN; married 24 Sep 1858 Agness ROREX
9. Charles Fleming - born 20 Sep 1842 TN; died 9 Nov 1923; married 26 Oct 1865 Martha Jane MITCHELL - born 21 Jun 1844; died 29 Dec 1913; ser. Civil War
10. Robert F. - born 19 Mar 1845 TN

Family Gatherings (continued)

PETTUS BIBLE FOUND IN VIRGINIA - Submitted by Mr. Robert Young Clay
3704 Ellwood Ave., Richmond, VA 23221

Mr. Clay found this Bible at the Valentine Auction Company in Richmond. It was to be sold, but he zeroxed the family information and a few clippings for the Virginia State Library. He has shared it with us because of the Tennessee connection. Since the names mentioned are not related to Mr. Clay and there is no one to write for additional data, it is being printed exactly as written in the Bible.

On cover - Presented to Mrs. L.O. PETTUS by her Father
Titlepage - printed 1873 at University Press, Oxford; sold by William W. Harding, Philadelphia

Leroy Overton Pettus, son of Wm Wingfield Pettus, & Martha E. (LIPSCOMB) Pettus was born at Louisa Co Ho VA December 11th 1836

Margaret LeRoy Pettus & G. Howard SQUIRE were married at Grace Church, Cismont, Va. April 2, 1925 8:00 P.M.

Robert Overton Pettus born at Cismont, son of Marie W. & Spencer Pettus Va. Aug 19th 1902

Sadie Wood, daughter of Spencer Roane Wood and Mary J. (HOWELL) Wood was born at Brownsville Ten. September 13nd 1847

William Spencer Pettus son of L.O. and Sadie Pettus was born February 24th 1872 at Memphis, TN

Margaret LeRoy Pettus, dau of Mamie & Spencer Pettus born Aug 28th 1904 at Cismont, Va.

L.O. Pettus and Sadie Wood were married at Central Baptist church (Rev: Dr. FORD.) Night May 18th 1870 at Memphis Tenn

Leroy James Pettus, son of L.O. & Sadie Pettus was born September 5th 1875 at Memphis Tenn

Leroy O. Pettus died Sept 7th 1878 of Yellow fever at Memphis Tenn.

William Spencer Pettus & Mamie W. LORING were married at Grace Episcopal Church - Dec. 22, 1898 (Noon) at Cismont, VA.

Mamie W. Loring, dau of Wm & Willie C. Johnson, was born Oct 9 1871 at Cismont Va.

Sadie Wood Pettus died Oct 28th 1878 of Yellow fever at Memphis Tenn.

Mamie Johnson Pettus died July 8th 1955, age 83

William Woods Pettus son of W.S. & Mamie Pettus was born Sept. 30, 1899 at Charlottesville, Va.

G. Howard Squire, husband of M. Pettus Squire, died Oct 29th 1976. He was 80 yrs old at Death - Howard Squire

ERNEST STOUT SWORN STATEMENT - Contributed by Joan G. Threet
Box 205, Alexander, AR 72002

At a Pulaski Co AR Flea Market, Ms Threet found a scrap book with poems and clippings. Noting the genealogical value of this sworn statement she has shared it with us. She comments that if someone is interested in the scrapbook she will check to see if it is still at the flea market.

"STATE OF ILLINOIS. COUNTY OF COOK. Ernest STOUT, being first duly sworn, on oath deposes and says as follows: That he was born at Memphis, Tennessee, United States

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of America, on October 18, 1866; that he is the son of Charles Stout and Irene McClure Stout (now deceased) and the grandson of Nathaniel Stout and Caroline Benton Stout, dec'd.

"That he was married, on June 3, 1884, at Memphis, Tennessee, to Alice Marian SCHAURER, the daughter of Julia MYERS Schaurer and George P. Schaurer, of Nashville, Tennessee; that as the result of said marriage there were born to him and his said wife, Alice Marian Schaurer Stout, the following six children, at the places and on the dates hereinafter set against their names, respectively, to wit:

Alice Irene Stout, at Memphis, Tennessee, on March 3, 1885
 Ethel Benton Stout, at Memphis, Tennessee, on November 4, 1887
 Charles Ernest Stout (also known as Charles Mitchell Stout), at Memphis, Tennessee, on October 29, 1890
 Caroline Benton Stout (also known as Carolyn Benton Stout and Carrie May Stout), at Cincinnati, Ohio, on September 28, 1892
 Ernest Stout (Jr.), at Cincinnati, Ohio, on April 10, 1895
 Katherine Heath Stout, at Chicago, Illinois, on January 24, 1899

Affiant further states that his said daughter, Carolyn Benton Stout, is at this date the wife of Homer Hill HARRISON, of Chicago, Illinois, and that his said daughter, Katherine Heath Stout, is at this date the wife of Dudley B. TROTT, of Chicago, IL.

Affiant further states that he makes this affidavit for the purpose of establishing the parentage and dates of birth of his above-named six children, particularly as he is informed that no records were kept at Memphis, Tennessee, on the respective dates of birth of his three children who were born in that city. Subscribed and sworn 2 July, A.D. 1935."

HAY FAMILY BIBLE - Submitted by Elizabeth (Libby) Ann Powers,
 11108 Kibbee Ave., Whittier, CA 90604

James Christian Hay was born 30 Jun 1830 in Marshall Co TN. He was the son of Jeremiah Hay, who was born 1785/86 VA and died 3 Apr 1865 Williamson Co TN, and Elizabeth HARBER born c1790. Her father was Jacob Harber. The paternal grandfather of James C. was John Hay Sr., who died before 1827 in Williamson Co TN. James C. married 24 Dec 1857 Rebecca Ann Giles born 9 May 1840. She was the daughter of Wesley A., born 1798 VA, and Elenora Giles. Her grandfather was James Giles whose will dated 3 Mar 1853 was recorded in Marshall Co TN. James C. died 8 Mar 1892 Dyer Co TN and Rebecca died 16 Feb 1906 Kennett, MO. Their children were:

1. Lucinda A./E. - born 4 Dec 1858 Marshall Co TN; died 4 Jan 1860 Humphreys Co TN
2. William W. - born 16 Dec 1860 Humphreys Co TN
3. Mary Jane - born 3 Dec 1862 Humphreys Co TN; married 6 Jun 1881 Thomas LANNOM; children: Ollie Lee and Myrtle Estelle
4. Sallie A. - born 8 May 1866 Humphreys Co TN; died 2 Sep 1933; married ? BLAKEMORE of Kennett, MO; children: Elmo - born 12 Jan 1894 and Hilda R. - born 10 Jul 1897

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5. Lillian - born 10 Oct 1870 Crockett Co TN; died 18 Mar 1902; married Dr. Arthur HARRISON; children: A. Lucille - born 28 Apr 1895 and Gilbert S. - born 19 May 1899; died 28 Jun 1902
6. Electra O. - born 19 Jun 1874; died 24 Sep 1875 Crockett Co TN

James Christian Hay was commissioned 8 Jun 1861 as a Captain of the 95th Regiment of the Tennessee Militia. He enlisted as a Private in Capt. W.A. HOBBS' Co A, NAPIER's Tennessee Cavalry (CSA) 10 Nov 1862 by J.W. JOHNSON. His horse was valued at \$150.

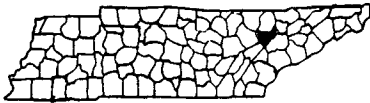
GILES COUNTY TN WILLS OF JOHN AND WILLIAM YOUNG, SR. - Contributed by Mrs. Marvin Lee Moore (Juanita), 1123 Elmdale Pl., Dallas, TX 75224

The will of John YOUNG dated 22 Oct 1837 Giles Co TN and William Young, Sr. dated 25 Sep 1865 seemed to be of a father and son, but Mrs. Moore learned through a Mr. John Young of California that they were uncle and nephew. The father of William was Joseph Young, a brother of John Young.

After the usual statements about health, God, burial and debts, John Young notes "there has been agreement between me and my beloved wife Nancy that her daughter, Frances T. CARVIN/CORVIN should have her property that she had before we were married and the part of her father's Estate." He wills to his wife the part of the house that she now lives in and cleared land to support her lifetime and at her death that part of the house and land to belong to Archebald S. Young. I will the tract of land where I now live to my two sons, Spencer and Archebald S. Young.

I will the land where John CRAVIN now lives to William A. Young, my grandson. Beside Spencer, Archebald and William A., he leaves parts of his estate including negroes to: son Nathaniel's children - Caroline, Robert, Nancy, Margaret and Felex; daughter Elizabeth FULLER's children - "Martha ann Dolfen and Ralph and Archebald and James"; and "for all my living children to have my negros that is to say Buckner Rebecca Dianna Spencer and martha Archebald Smith and Nancy." I will John W. Fuller one dollar. Several slave names were mentioned including hilyard, penelope and Jeffison. He mentions 50 acres on Buckannan Creek on which he made a joint entry with Robert SMITH. After John Young signed his name it was witnessed by Aaron Smith and Joseph Smith.

The will of William Young leaves to his wife, Elizabeth, his entire estate during her natural life or widowhood and at her death or marriage he wills that the estate be equally divided between his children: Martha A. ERWIN, Joseph, ~~Malissa-MOOR~~, Mary J., Alfred A., Nancy E. MOORE, Margaret K. BURGESS, Ann E., John A., Amanda J., Elizabeth Young and two granddaughters, Sarah A. FINLEY and Nancy E. Moore. In trying to equalize the estates William wants son equal to son and daughter to daughter. Son, John A., at his marriage or upon his arriving at his majority, be furnished with one thousand dollars in money without interest, and one hundred and ninety-five dollars, a horse, cow, bed, bedstead, furniture and my single daughters at their marriage be furnished with one hundred and ninety-five dollars and a horse, cow, bed and bedstead and furniture and saddle. William appointed his sons, Joseph and Alfred A. as executors. His signed will was witnessed by Willis WORLEY and Samuel SHERRILL.



INDEX TO 1840 CENSUS, ANDERSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

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from Micro-Copy T-5, Roll #164

[Ed. Note: It was necessary to check three different rolls of microfilm to complete this census. On two rolls the last two names on page 1 and the last twelve names on page 2 were blacked out. This discrepancy was found when the names were being proofed; our transcriber had read the microfilm with all the names shown.]

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Preston Sharp
William Jones
John Miller
George Taylor
Henry Piles
Peter Clair
James Still
Isaac Fox
Joseph Oaks
Kiah Oaks
Caswell Brim
Elizabeth Poore
Renny Poore [fem]
Christopher Poore
David Ridenour
Henry Taylor
Henry Ridenour

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James Melton
Gilford Melton
Beauford Milton
Abraham Mozier
William Oaks
John B. Mitchell
Armstead Carden
John Robbins
Sam^l Robbins
David Sharp
Wm Harley
Newton McKinney
Gabriel Keith
Robt H. Lea
Collins Roberts
David McAmis
Nancy Ann Butler
H.F. Marshall
Leonard Moore
Wm Smith
Charles Luallen
George Miller
Afred Duncan
William Hambloten
Hiram Brogan
William Hobbs
Calvin Kirk
Ezekeil Rutherford
James Hunter

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Levi Adkins
William Reynolds
John Rutherford
Robt Wallace

Isaac Rutherford
John Dew
Wm Irwin
Matthias Kissinger
Lloyd Rutherford
John Reynolds
Jackson Whitman
Sam^l Foster
Amos Demarcus
John Wallace
Richd Taylor
Sarah Miles
John Daniel
Sam^l C. Young
David Hooks
Jesse Bailey
D.P. Hackney
Rebeca Horton
John Cross
Martin Gibson
John Ridenour
Arthur Kirkpatrick
John Perry
Lazaros Moore
Wm King

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John Hagler
William Gamble
Sarah Farmer
Add Leath [sic]
Abraham Qualls
Sam^l Sieber
Elizabeth Rector
John Hoskins
John R. Young
John Leinert
Samuel Moore
George W. Fraker
John Luallen
Thos Millican
John Millican
Jacob Leinert
Robt Kirkpatrick
Fleming Wade
Sam^l M. Conkey
Robt E. Cummings
Greif Talley
Richd Oliver
Robert M. Dunington
Squire Richardson
Sarah Stubbs
Caleb Butler
Martha Butler

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John Richardson
Wm R. Butler
Rebeca Prior
Walter Talon
James Nail
Johathan Scarbrough
Rueben goldson
Thomas Carnel
William B. Smith
James Trowel
John W. Peters
stephan Bradly
Eligah Cross
Alexander Brown
Thomas Hart
John Loy
Henry snodderly
Daniel Beeler
William Lumill?
John M. Kuller?
Jacob Stukesberry
Loften Dyches
Jacob Piles
Elijah Longmire
Daniel Linebaugh
John Able
Hiram Kirk
Thos Elliot
John Lott

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Hiram Sparks
John Whitson
John Jarnagin
James Weaver
William M. Linn
Geo Summers
William McAdoo
Price Wallace
Saml Edmondson
Lucinda Totton/Lotton
S.S. Luallen
Sarah Miles
Eli Rhea
John Rhea
Nancy Sartin
Isaac Mabry
Hugh Massey
John Overton
Alfred Overton
Levi Sartin
Daniel Green
William Dale
John York
Eli Morgan
James Moore

Simeon Mundon
David Foust/Forest
Elizabeth Turner
Charles Foust
Charles Davis
Daniel Foust

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Moses Overton
Alex Powell
Isaac Garmon
Isaac Stokes
Austin Moore
James Beats/Beals
William Baker
Susannah Moore
William Bookout
John Weaver
George Baker
John R. Edmondson
Thos Wallace
Silas Gentry
Hary Baker
Thos Kirk
Joseph Havins
Debby Owings?
Stephen Ballard
Stacy Bryant
Lewis Warwick
James Childeress
Wm Smith
Wash. Underwood
Winston Ballard
Dilela James [fem]
James Fielding
Mary Fielding
Martin Gentry
George Davis
Thomas Hudson

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Moses Duncan
William Taylor
Andr McKamey
Wm S. Freels
Thos Davis, Jr
Andr McKamey [sic]
Wm Davidson
James M. Oliver
Douglas Oliver
Saml Galbraith
Wm Goldstone
O.D. Freeman
Lewis Hackworth
James Andrews
Richd Cox
Thos Hale
John Sieber
Martin Terpin
James Terpin
Stephen Rice

Elijah Silber
Claebourn Jackson
William Cross
John Key
Thos Peters
John Frazier
James Gamble
Alfred Cross
Geor Whitaberry
Spencer Kieth
Add. Leath [sic]

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Samuel Guinn
Rueben Weaver
John Weaver
Thos Weaver
Chisly Mitchell
Salathial Blackburn
Rachal Mitchell
Ephraim Hammock
John Childress
Obediah Brook/Brock
Nancy Martin
Issac Lewis
James Johnson
Wiley Warwick
Edwin Warwick
Thos Quiller
Synch B. Goodman
George Turner
Willis Turner
George Turner, Jr
George Martin
Johnson Summers
Edwin Turner
Joseph Oaks
Alex Turner
William Howard
William Brummet
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Wm Graham

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Danl Smith
Thos Terpin
West W. Ellis
Gideon Taylor
David Byars
Wesly Peters
John Ashlock
Clingon Kincaid
William Oliver
Joseph Alldridge
John Goldson
James Wyatte
F.H. Robertson
William Wright
Philip Seiber
Elias Butler

David Wallace
Robt McKamey
Samuel Wallace
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Michael Henderson
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James Webber
Gavin Miller
John Webber

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Mary Hill
Monroe Slaughter
Lewis Frost
Jackson Cox
Rice Levi
Elizabeth Horton
Sterling Smith
Margaret Stewart
William Goain
Jesse Henderson
Austin Rucker
Daniel Yarnall
Wm Britton
Spencer Aultom
John Aultum
John C. Alverson
James Vandergriff
Thomas Coward
John Sively/Lively
Geo Scarborough
William Rowe
James Fry/Foy
Rueben Russell
Wm C. Griffith
Wm Cross
Jesse Cross
Nancy Tunnell
John England
John Gamble

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James Vann
Lark Hackworth
John Martin
Sib/Lib Bailey
Hardy Martin
Joseph Shaw
Robt Millicum
John McAdoo
Clark King
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Michael Clardy
Williamson Clark
James Farmer
James Wadkins

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Wm Henderson	A. Carrolle	Lewis Edmundson	George Long
Dennis Vann	Nancy Goodman	William Williams	Job Demarcus
Lydia Dunavin	Mashack Emery	Robert Roysdon	Charles Mitchell
Isaac W. Freel	Matthew Massingal	Isaiah Roysdon	A.B. Hansard/Howard
W.H. Irvin	Henry Thompson	Isaac Williams	Rueben Owlin
Thos J. Lamar	Philip Lowe	Solomon Webber	Timothy Weaver
B.B. Bradly	A.S. Keith	Robt Roysdon [sic]	John Mozier
W.M. Levi	Matthew Patterson	Daniel Beals	Nelson Jackson
John Goodman	John Keith	William Aultum	M. Kieth
Madison Kenedy	Saml Cooper	John Beals	Subert Rich
John Carrolle	Michael Henderson	Charles Aultum	Wm Humphrys
Eli Dougherty	Aaron Hendrin	Daniel Beals, Jr	Isaac Long
Silas Arthur	James Garner	Henry Farmer	Thos Long
	Pleasant H. Garner	William Bradshaw	James Long
		Nelson Johnson	Katherine Kirk
		Elijah Brummett	Wm Warwick
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Michael Ward		Peter Johnson	Enoch Wallace
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Label Ward [fem]	Elizabeth Reagin	Phillip Davis	Alexander Williams
Michael Ward, Jr	Joseph Morris	Joseph Bray	Bennett Demarcus
John Philips	Jamimah Riley	G.W. Hoskins	Sarah Davis
Wm Wilson	Polly Ann Warwick	George Moore	James Dyches
Abraham Wilson	John Roop	George Hoskins	James Kirk
Elisha Adkins	Isaac Coward	Alfred England	James Overton
Thos Morton	James Phibbs	Armsted Hoskins	Jo Overton
Asa Dougherty	William York	Jacob McGhee	J.W. Wallace
Solomon Duogherty	Jessee Shelton	Saml W. Robbins	John Fox
James Bunch	Henry York	Morris Vann	Benj Weaver
Isaac Philips	David Hall	Solomon Allred	James Lamar
Charles Philips	John Chiles	Philip Sieber	Mary Lamar
Wm Philips	Wiley Young	Robert Sieber	Richard Hicks
Danl Dougherty	William Norman	Judy Duncan	Parasida Luallen
Clark Patterson	Francis Keeslin	Elizabeth Noel	Stephen Johnson
John Sieber	John Marley	John Duncan	Jo. Tucker
Mary Henderson	John Norwood	Jo Lively	Margaret Shelton
Sarah Jackson	Saml Chapman	John Carnalle	Enoch Foster
Martin Harden	Saml Cooper	Beng Lively	Elizabeth Russell
Joseph Black	William Hicks	Moses Winter	Page Portwood
John Garner	Thos Ingram	Solomon Lively	Wm Hill
Clark Freel	Thos Norman	James W. Turner	John Gossett
Nimod Sieber	Synthy Phips	W.H. Harbinson	Roland Frost
Isaac Duncan	Aaron Norman	James Lott	Isaac Martin
Terrell Harrison	Stephen Wring	Allen McCoy	J.E. Moore
James Tiller	James Carter	Keenas Gilbert	John Bowland
	Mack Marshall		
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Andrew England	David Hall	Daniel Snoderly	Katharine Millican
Robert Patterson	John Carnalle	Soloman Baker	David Wade
Englis Patterson	Joshua Frost	John Vandergriff	James Braden
William Patterson	Joshua Bray	Jacob Vandegriff	Andr Braden
William Rich, Jr	John Wilson	Jermiah Romines	Elias Dagly
David Craig	Eli Norman	James Weaver	Thos Brummett
Beaufort Emry	James Messamiro	John Humphrys	Francis Davidson
William Rich, Sr	Rebecah Murphy	Nath Humphrys	John Bradshaw
Michael Low, Jr	Ransom Hasqua	John King	
Isaac Duncan	Barnard Slaughter		
Polly Masengil			
David Overton			
Michael Low			

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Susan Argubrite
John Severs
J. Kuney/Keeney, Sr
J.C. Moore
Jas Kirkpatrick
Ab^r White
Bunister Vowell
Aron Slover
Aron Slover, Jr
Charles Slover
Elijah Miles
John Leach
Wm Harrell
Sarah Leach
Caswell Bowling
John Huckby
Preston Huckby
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William Webb

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John Burton
Paul Harmon
William Harness
Delila Reynolds
Thos Brooks
William Kuney
William Johnson
James Wilson
Nancy Huckabay
William Huckaby
Jacob Hatmaker
Batson Hays
Doria/Dova Adkins
William R. Lovly
S/L. H. Bowling
William Martin
Mearedith Cravens
A.B. Bowling
James Baxter
Caswell Williams
Chesly H. Boatright
John Dizny
John Vandergriff

John Webb
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George Webb
John Huckabay
James Ross
Nancy Allen
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I.J. Williams
Milly Ashurst
Jacob Lienert
William Brummett
John Diggs
Ezeliel Taylor
Wm Leinert
Michael Spesart
Tabitha Beach
Jesse Hoskins
Charles Shinliver
William Robbins
Craven Johnson
Kinza Johnson
Mark Johnson
Fred Shinliver
W.W. Tally
Oscar Coleman
Micajah Portwood
Alfred Norris
George Bledsoe
George Thomas
William Ashlock

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Abner Farmer
James Farmer
Alfred Cross
Joseph Worthington
Jesse Worthington
Hiram Hoskins
James Farmer
John Leiber

Sarah Cooper
John C. McKamey
Samuel Keith
James Duncan
Samuel Dunn
Moses Brown
John Webb
Jo. Webb
William Brummett [sic]
William Braden
Burton McKamey
John Keebler
And^r Braden
George Moore
Banister Smith
Wm Smith
Edward Bray
Richard Andrews
Sam^l Jones
Isaac Braden
James Hollingworth

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Nancy Weaver
William Peak
Louisa Melton
Jacob Peak
Ervin Shannon
John Shannon
Edward Hawkins
Green West
William West
Benj Gallaher
Jonath. Winchester
Rebecca Brown
Charles Craig
Jethro W. Menger
Mahala Romines
Jonathan Hughling
John Pitman
Titus England
Briant Bandy
Mary Hackworth
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Sam^l Tunnell
Fanny Farmer
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And^r Shannon
Robt Gamble
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Wesly Shannon
William Diggs
Nancy King
Wm Shannon
Willis Leath
Henry Peters
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Henry Peters, Jr
Willie B. Hale
Martha Noel
Eppy Lea
Rachell Nickle
Matthew Todd
Phebe Wyatte
H. S/L. White
Halary Himler
Anciel Manly
Kiziah Butler
Roland Chiles
Wm Galbraith
Wm Butler
A.L. Galbraith
Wm Shelton
Isaac Freels

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William Lockett
Ezra Russell
Ann McLinn
Joseph Galbraith
William Scarbro
Josiah Rice
Mary Tovery
James Scarbrough

1840 ANDERSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE REVOLUTIONARY & MILITARY PENSIONERS

<u>Pensioner</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>In home of</u>	<u>Pensioner</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>In home of</u>
James Trowell	78	James Trowel	Peter Johnson	87	Head of house
Douglas Oliver	88	Head of house	Page Portwood	83	Head of house
Wm Cross	80	Head of house	Thos Brummett	87	Head of house
William Patterson	87	Head of house	I.J. Williams	81	Head of house

Census completed 30 Oct 1840 by Richard Oliver, Enumerator

Certified by Sam^l Roberson/Robinson

Total 5,658

PETITIONS TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF TENNESSEE

*Abstracted from Tennessee State Library and Archives Microfilm**Roll No. 3, Legislative Petitions 1805-1812**(Continued from Spring issue)*

19-2-1809 Petition of citizens, "Settlers in the Late purchase from Diferent States" for protection from persons who are "About to take Our Land With the Improvements that We have made thereon from us, your Humble petitioners, After us having Grapled With Many Dificultyes in our Setling and Improving...."

[Ed. Note: Many of these names are on the Franklin County Tax List for 1812 in *The Tennessee Genealogical Magazine*, "Ansearchin'" News 1971, Vol. 18, No. 4, pages 157 and ff.] (3 pages)

Peter Noe, Sen	John Duke	Wm Dey	John McBerry
James Baulch	Jesse Daniel	William Crawford	John Hinds
Jesse Williams	Isaac Nicholas	William Bean	This Roberson
George Cimbrow	Jacob Nicholas	William Day	Isaac Roberson
Thomas Dougan	James Nicholas, Sen	Solomon George	Danniel Roberson
Peter Noe, Junr	Charles Duncan	Asa Street	John Dougan
Sharp Dougan	Cockran Sm nal?	Wm Street	John Billingsley
Robert Dougan	James Luttrell	Thomas Wall/Hall	Andrew Blare
John Cimbrow	J.? [too dim to read]	Saml Berry	David Bell
Thomas Balch		Bejamin ___ hue?	David McCord
Thomas Williams	James arnold	George Bean	Thomas Hall, Senior
Charles Williams	thomas Reed	William Clun/Cleen	Barton Rice
John Williams	John Winfrey	Jacob Clun/Clur	Thomas Estes
Richard Tankersly	Nathen Luttrell	Nathaniel Hall	William Rosson
Lewis albiason	Shelton Luttrell	Robert Hall	John Couns
James Dougan	Elezebeth ? winfrey	Jonathan Barry	Canniday Estes
Rob C.? Dougan	John Luttrell	Jonathan M. Edward	Peter Couns
Thomas power	William Luttrell	Matthew Dickey	John Couns, Scenior
Wm Gilmore	Jarman Shelton	Andrew Cowan	John Silor
Wm Short	J. James Shelton	James Bean	John Sparks
Richard Pyrete?	Silas Luttrell	Robert Bell	Izaer Foster
John Power	Richard Eubank	George Couns	John Jackson
lish? Shelton	George Eubank	James Hall	Joseph Sparks
lisham Shelton	Begamine Lumley	William Cowan	Abel Sparks
lilan luttrll	H/Juriel Nickson	Elshe Stovall	Benjamin Sparks
Jas lutrll	Robert Eubank	John Bell	Ellis/Elix HighSmith
James Daniel	John head	Jacob Rich	Miller King
Nathaniel Daniel	William Hinson?	Thomas Rich	Esoph Allexander
John L. Burton	Jacob greaves	Caswel Cibe/Cove	Hezekiah Morris
James Nicholas, Jun	Alex McFarlin	Armsted Bellor/	Moses Allexander
Pleasant Duke	Jas Champion	Bellou	

20-2-1809 Statement for the Legislative Record from the Board of Trustees of Greenville College concerning the business and operation of the college.

Signed by: Hezah BALCH, President; Charles COFFIN, Vice President; Jos HAMILTON, Jno RUSSELL, John A. McKINNEY, B./P. DICKSON, Geo DUFFIELD, Val. SEVIER, A.P. FORD, James TEMPLE and John GOSS. Rec. 4 Nov 1809 in House, A.W. NELSON, Clk; in Senate 6 Nov 1809, Luke LEA, Clk. (4 pages)

21-2-1809 Petition to add twenty nine acres to the town of Gallatin, to the north-east corner of Gallatin, by citizens "who own lots within said boundaries

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and Gallatin...."

25 Mar 1809

(2 pages)

Will Trigg, Junr	Davis King	James Trowsdale	Zac ^s Wilson
Abram Trigg	Jn ^o Jones & Company	Robt B. Mitchel	John R. Tewitt?
S.K. Blythe	John H. Bowen	Wm F. McNutt	Wm A. Covington
Richard King	Rd Scott	Ja ^s C. Wilson	David Dement
Richard Blythe	James Gray	Wm Neall	
David Walton	Charles Lewis	Jacob Leavell	
Joseph Motherel	F. Tompkins	Elisha Queen	

Rec 4 Apr 1809, J. PECK, CHR; 6 Apr 1809, Jo M. ANDERSON, Senate Cryer

22-2-1809 Petition of Basil SHAW, Smith County "Joalor", for reimbursement of expenses in feeding prisoners in the county jail. The prisoners named in the expense account are James HAWKINS, Sally OWENS (released for want of a prosecutor), James COIL, Wesley BYERS, Negro Bill, Jesse JORDON.

Affidavit of John GORDON, late Sheriff of Smith Co. 4 Apr 1809 (3 pages)

23-2-1809 Petition of citizens of Montgomery County requesting an extension of the term of office of "the Commissioners who Were to Judge of the Validity of Land Warrants and to grant Warrants on Interfereing Titles...." Signers: (2 pages)

Wm Trigg	Francis Smith	Thos K. McElrath	Samuel Lynes
Robt W. Temple	E. Willis	Sam ^l Vance	D. Stewart
James Baxter	Jn ^o Blair	Hugh MClure	James Elder
Henry Small	Haydon Wells	Abner Harris	W.R. Bell
John H. Poston	James Stewart	Sterling Neblett	Nm Whitfield
Ja ^s Huling	J.B. Reynolds	James Carraway	Stephen Handlin
Dan ^l Anderson	Absolom Tribble	Reubin Pollard	John Stewart
John Carns	James Adams	Sam ^l Worthington	Sam ^l Worthington
John Phillips	John Steele	J. Woolfolk	[sic]
Stephen Cocke	Barry Duff	Sam ^l Gattis	Ch ^s Murry
Francis Long	C. Duvall	Thos Smith	Timothy Drake
Jaramiah Lewis	Thos C. Minor	Bryan Whitfield	Au Crutcher
Thomas Travis	J.P. Vaughan	James M. Reynolds	W.J. Parker

24-2-1809 Petition of Robert BELL for restoration of land lost by interference of other claims...his Grant #694 was issued from North Carolina to William TATHAM/LATHAM 5 Nov 1795 for 500 acres. 4 Apr 1809 (2 pages)

25-2-1809 Petition of James DAVIS to amend conflicting land laws and "make the way for to obtain grants for land in the most cheap and easy and plain way that the nature of the case will admit of." 23 Mar 1809 (3 pages)

26-2-1809 Petition of citizens of Bledsoe County who settled in the Indian Boundary Line before it was run and who left their improvements asking that some provision be made to restore their property when the Indian title is extinguished. Signed by: No date given (1 page)

John Anderson	Peter Looney	John Thomas	Benj Grayson
Joseph Grayson	James Standefer	Wm Lee	John Walker
Eli Thurman	Thomas Allred	Jesse Roberts	T. Coulter
Sam ^l Terry	John Portman	John Smith	Isaac Stephens

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Robert Long/Lang	George C. Cozby	J. Narramore	Stephen Sutton, Sr
Jame Gooden	John Dwiggin	Ephraim Hixson	Richard Moon
William Roberson	Alex ^r Coulter	[name written in	Wm Holland
John Rogers	John Hutson	German]	Alexander Lamb
James Roberson	Timothy Hixson	forgason Jackson	Benj Grayson, Sn ^r
Geo Skillern	Mills Robinson	Josep Grayson	John Stanfill
Daniel Wood	Archabald Beard	Wren Grayson	James Hoose?
John Julien	Jos/Jas Hoge	Stephen Chelton	Jonathan Basham
Stephen Bishop	Joel Hillerd	Adam Lamb	
Michael Rawlings	Charles Copland	John Scofy?	

27-2-1809 Petition of citizens of Rhea County for extension of time to procure warrants on their land. Signed by: No date (2 pages)

Jas Campbell	David Caldwell	John Lewis	Fedrick Washington
Joseph Williams	William winton	Daniel Walker	Adam Hous/Haris
David Murphree	William semore	James Reid	Jeremiah dunkin, Sr
John Moore	William price	Laban Gravily	William Newmon
David [sic]	Amos Lewis	John Cathie	Jessy Hortn
William Murphry	William Alexander	Levi Lewis	William Stuard
William Ramsey	John Cowan	Isaac Lewis	Mathias House
George Riggel	Henry Riggel	Henry Thomas	Jacob Derrick
Hamilton Reid	Jacob Riggel	George Winton	John peters
John Smith	Joab Wassum	Jeremiah Dunkin	John Bush
Samuel Reid	James Snelson	Henry Styers, Sen ^r	John Wasson
Hugh Rhea	Jesse Young	Saymore Catching	Barnet Freeze
John Howard	John Love	Cullen Carter	Morgan Rector
Miller Francis	Charles L. Walker	Nicodemus Hackworth	Joseph Carlile
Thos Kelley	James Cowan	Jesse Thompson	Solomon Riggel
George Lewis	John BirdSong	James Thompson	george morley
John Collins	Jn ^o Locke	Jonathan Fine	micel Swisher
Joseph Cowan	Robert Locke	James Thompson, Jr	James newman
Voluntine Shall	Daniel Armstrong	John Owens	Fardenand Jet

28-2-1809 Petition of Thomas HENDERSON of Grainger County to regain land. He had entered and obtained a warrant for 500 acres, but due to conditional lines, his survey contained only 286 acres, 214 acres less than he had paid North Carolina for. Upon applying for a certificate for the 214 acres he was told the land must be resurveyed and applied to Mr. BROWN, then at Knoxville. Mr. Brown referred him to Mr. Walter EVANS of Claiborne County. "Your Petitioner applied to Mr. Evans three or four different times but from the Capital Hurry of Mr. Evans Business he could not get a Resurvey untill Some time in September, your petitioner Set out from Knoxville on the Same day, and The Board of Commissioners had Risen before he arrived...."

3 Apr 1809 (2 pages)

29-2-1809 Petition of citizens of East Tennessee for a change in the existing land laws. They object to the fees required by surveyors and the distance of the survey office from the land being surveyed. Signers are: No date (3 pages)

Richard Shelton	Thomas Jones	John Hodge	James McVay, Jun ^r
James McVay	James Blair, Sn ^r	Alexander Blair	Samuel Rail/Reid
Thomas Johnston	James Blair, Jun ^r	William Blair	Daniel Roberson

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Nicholas Kerns	Thomas Dosset	Zachariah Keith	Wm McNeill
Fielding Roberson	George Thomason	John Smith	Jno Moore
Thomas Bunch	Charles Woodall	Peton/Peter Cambell	Wm Keith
Joseph Stubblefield	Robert Long	Thomas McBrum	Sterling Cocke
Martin Stubblefield	Jesse Cheak	James Campbell	Frederic Myers
Wyette Stubblefield	Joseph Cobb	Miller Casley/Cosby	Chesley Jarnagin
William Jones	William Kirk	Thomas Timmins	Michael Tabler
David Holt	Elexander A. Rose	Sam ^l Bunch	William Anderson
James Woods	Nicolas Counts	Joshua Hickey	

30-2-1809 Petition of citizens of Grainger County...a repeat of the above petition, signed by: George GIFFORD, Neal McCOY, John JONSTON, Luas COLLANS, Grifan Collans, Dowal Collans, Robert McGINESS, Joseph COLINS, Squire HARLOW.

No date (2 pages)

31-2-1809 Petition of Vance GREER, Deputy Sheriff of Bedford County, to be released from the responsibility of replacing \$88 of county taxes which has been deposited in Nashville "in the Bar of Mr. Thomas TALBOTT Inn Keeper...That the evening on which the Said Monies were deposited as aforesaid the outer Windows of the Said Bar by some person unknown was broken open...and the said Monies Taken and carried off." His only witness was "Thomas G. CHEMBLISS The Bar Keeper of the said Talbott and that he is since deceased."

Vance Greer made oath before John HILLSMAN, Acting Justice for Knox Co., that his statement was true.

7 Apr 1809 (2 pages)

32-2-1809 Petition of John BRIGHT, Jailor for Knox County, Hamilton District, 1 May 1808 to 23 Jan 1809, for refund of personal expenses incurred in feeding prisoners during that period. Thomas HUMPHRYS and John Humphrys were jailed "for horse Stealing" from 1 May 1808 to 23 Jan 1809 - 268 days; Thomas CANWAY from 17 Jun 1808 for 41 days & discharged; Jesse SPELLINGS 8 Sep 1808 and bailed out after 41 days; John PATE jailed 14 Sep 1808 & discharged after incurring the expense of \$4.75; Thomas CARREL jailed 10 Oct 1808 for 65 days & then discharged; William JOHNSTON jailed 28 Nov 1808 for 30 days, then was discharged. In Senate 12 Apr 1809 Included under the same number is a half-page invoice which seemingly has no connection with the above. It reads:

24 Oct 1808 Isaac McPHERSON Dr [debit] to Michael ARNOLD
To Diet, Liquor, Lodging etc for three men
Aqilla LOWE, Mr. Jno HAYNS, Wm WHITE

(3 pages)

33-2-1809 Petition of William GIBSON...he was summoned to attend Carthage Court in behalf of the State against an Indian that was tried for Murder...he traveled Eighty six miles and attended two days and has lost the voucher given to him by the Clerk and "knows of no other way to git releaf than by applyining...." 23 Mar 1809. Signed William GIBON.

(1 page)

34-2-1809 Petition of Thomas HENDERSON concerning Land Entry No. 404 and conflicting land claims of Stokley DONALDSON. The 5000 acres of land in question lies in Greene County on the north side of the Nolichucky River and mentions Thomas KEY's survey, Donaldson's and GORDON's 840 acre survey, Philip HAIL's survey, George LEEPER's corner, Warren's line, Leonard SIMON/LEMON's survey. 27 Aug 1795

A grant (#203) taken from the records of the North Carolina Land Office states that "we have Granted unto George JAMES Sixty thousand acres of land in our

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Eastern District in a great Bend of the Tennessee river opposite the mouth of the Holston...opposite Cowan's bend...dated 20 Oct 1794." On 7 May 1808 the North Carolina Secretary's Office certified that the grant was "...founded on twelve different Warrants of five thousand acres each...amongst which is Warrant No. 404 for five thousand acres entered the 25th of October 1783." (5 pages)

35-2-1809 Petition of persons who obtained grants of land for military services from the Secretary of State of North Carolina...the land has not been registered because the grants applied to land already taken by prior entries or better titles. Signed by: Jn^o DOAK, T. WADLY, Wm PILLOW, John K. WYNNE, Wm L. ALEXANDER, Jn^o DAVIS, Will LYTTLE, John BOWHANAN, James BLAKEMORE, Wm L. ARMSTRONG, and James Davis. 4 Apr 1809 (2 pages)

36-2-1809 A letter to his Excellency, John SEVIER, dated Saturday the 18th of Feb 1809 in the town of Sevierville, from Wm LILLARD, Chairman, and J. THOMAS, Jun^r, Clerk, representing the people south of French Broad and Holston, and west of Big Pigeon [*Cocke, Jefferson, Sevier and Blount Counties*] complaining of their situation and asking that he convene the legislature as soon as possible so that they might lay their grievances before that body. (3 pages)

37-2-1809 The next ten pages deal with land problems in the French Broad and Holston area. Names mentioned include: Andrew M. LUSK, Esqr "formerly a member of the Board of Commissioners", Edw SCOTT, PEERY and CRAIG, Deputy Surveyors; Robt WEAR, Benjamin SHAW, John COCKE, John F. JACK; John LOWERY, Clerk; John CARTER, John BELINOLY, Nath^l TAYLOR, John BILLINGSLY, Jn^o C. Taylor, Jn^o W. CANNON; James McFARLAND a witness; ROYAL & JENINGS, witnesses; William HORNER of Jefferson County (who had lived on Bent Creek since the fall of 1784); Aquila LANE, J.P. of Jefferson County; Edward SCOTT, Register of the Land Office for East Tennessee. Documents were dated from 2 Apr 1779 through 4 Apr 1809. (10 pages)

1811 - 1812 Petitions

[Ed. Note: There are no Petitions for 1811 on this film. The General Assembly met in Nashville in 1812.]

1-1-1812 Petition of Daniel WILLIAMS of Montgomery County...a land warrant to the heirs of his father, Theophilus Williams, for 1096 acres for his services as an officer in the Revolutionary War, was sent from North Carolina while Daniel was a minor. Location of land was made at Nashville in the name of Daniel Williams as heir, but the grant was refused because there was a variance between the warrant and the entry, and because there were other heirs, viz, "five sisters of said Daniel now living." 5 Oct 1812 (1 page)

1-2-1812 Petition of citizens of Clarksville [*Montgomery County*] to resurvey and change certain lots and streets in the town. Signed by:

John H. Postan	John Elder	Zebdee Dennes	Timothy Drake
David Gould	Levi Smith	Jas Williams	Herod Wilson
James G. Jenkins	Henry Small	T. Bradford	Thos Fitzgerald
Hugh McCollam	James Elder	F.W. Huling	John H. Hyde
Samuel Lynes	Colmann Duvall	Richd Postan	
William McClure	Hugh MClure	Wm Hynes	

8 Oct 1812 (3 pages)

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3-1-1812 Petition of inhabitants of Montgomery and Robertson Counties to build a mill and dam on the Red River between the mouth of Sulphur Ford and the Kentucky line. Signed by: No date (4 pages)

James Baxter	Hugh Brantley	Ph/Pr Carney	Henry H. Bry[an]
J. Woolfolk	Conaway Oldham	Daniel Huff	William Grayson
Wm Williams	T.F. Bradford	C.N. Carney	Ja ^s Huling
Littleton Johnston	John H. Hyde	Samuel Northington	Owin Reilly
Joseph Robinson	Samuel Roberts	David Gould	Tho ^s Johnson
Ja ^s Williams	Daniel Kyle	Robert Edmonston	Jobe/Jake Hannlee?
Israel Robinson	James Gray, Juner	B. Hawkins	Timothy Drake
William Hutcherson	Thomas B. Crutcher	Tho ^s Rivers	Benjamin Weakly
James G. Jenkins	A. Peterson	Charles Basher/	Francis McCarrell
Stephen Cocke	Jn ^o Edmonston	Rasher	Jn ^o M. Willis
Samuel Lynes	Epa ^a Lawson	Robt Searcy	Constant H. Marr
Barney/Barry Duff	P. McGowen	Robt Cooper	Fred ^r W. Huling
Thomas Jolly	L. Dilliard	C. Duvall	William Hubbard
Levi Smith	G.A. West	Wm E. Williams	E.T. Paine
Elisha R. Oldham	R.B. Blount	Tho ^s Smith	

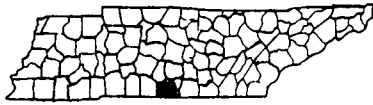
4-1-1812 Petition of William PHILLIPS...to have a fine remitted. He was indicted in the White County Circuit Court in Mar 1812 and sentenced to ten days in jail, court cost and fined \$500 for passing a \$20 counterfeit bank note of Virginia to Thomas VINING...he was convicted on testimony of James LYON...character witnesses included Col^l Alexander LOWERY of White County. He cites a similar case in the Circuit Court of Carthage [Smith County] against LOONEY, which included witnesses Col^l WALTON, Major SHAW, Capt^t GORDON, John L. MARTIN, and Wilson CAGE. Phillips has a family to support. Marked unreasonable, 7 Oct 1812. Gen^l John COCKE, Speaker of the House. (3 pages)

5-1-1812 Petition of citizens of Roane County to extend the length of time for the Circuit Court session to a term of two weeks semi-annually. Signed by: P.W. HUMPHREYS, P.M. MILLER, Enoch PARSONS, John M. CAMPBELL, John McEWEN, William SHIEL/ONEIL, William ALLEN, W. BROWN, Tho Brown, Wm KIELY, J.S. McMEANS, James TRIMBLE, John WILLIAMS. No date (2 pages)

6-1-1812 Petition of Henry CLARK to be released from jail..."sometime previous to October 1810 unfortunately killed a man in affray, in the heat of passion in Rutherford county...he was acquitted of murder, but was convicted of manslaughter" ...although his sentence has been served, he has been jailed in Nashville since that time because he cannot pay the costs and fines. His relatives and friends are in North Carolina. (3 pages)

7-1-1812 Petition of William HADDEN of Giles County for compensation for service against the Cherokees in 1789/90 under "Major STUART in the Company Commanded by Captain John FAIN who was killed in the Service of Said tower of Duty." They marched from Jonsborough to the Cherokee town called Sitico, where they were defeated by about 400 Indians. The company numbered 31 persons of which 15 were killed and 5 wounded in their 24 days of duty. Hadden, A Rev. soldier, feels threatened by "the haughty and tyrannical BURTON" in a land dispute. Attested by John DICKEY, J.P. of Giles County, Aug 1812.

"N.B. also sd petitioner furnished the Commisry of sd fort, or Mr. HUSTON, with a hors^e two days to ride to little river." 8 Sep 1812 - unreasonable (3 pages)



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FRANCIS ASBURY'S TRAVELS IN TENNESSEE

By Betsy Foster West

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By the year 1800 Bishop Asbury's health had become a serious problem for him. He had a traveling companion, Nicholas Snethen, later called Asbury's "silver trumpet", who shared the preaching responsibilities as they toured the country; but the administrative reins of the church were still firmly held by Bishop Francis Asbury. Not all of his preachers and Presiding Elders were content with the power vested in him. One James O'Kelley withdrew in 1792 and took with him many of his followers to form the Republican Methodist Church. This dissension was grievous to the bishop, but it was mainly his failing health which prompted him to consider stepping down from his station.

On February 19th, 1800 Asbury and Snethen left Charleston, beginning their trek through the Carolinas and Virginia. Their ultimate destination was Baltimore and the General Conference to be held there in May. In his Journal and in correspondence, Asbury expressed concern that his "impaired health made him unequal to rapidly increasing episcopal demands." At this conference, the one hundred and sixteen members voted to continue Asbury in his station, and elected Richard Whatcoat a bishop with equal status.

The summer months were devoted to travel in the northeastern states, but by September Asbury, Whatcoat and William McKendree were riding through Virginia and headed toward Holston.

On this visit to Tennessee, Whatcoat and McKendree rode horses as usual, but Bishop Asbury entered driving a carriage! He commented: "I had enough to do to drive; I could think but little - only now and then sending up a message to heaven." Imagine driving a carriage through the Blue Ridge Mountain roads of 1800!

The party traveled through Abingdon, "which is greatly improved", crossed the border into Tennessee, and continued to Edward Cox's home, east of Bluff City, TN. A section of the present Appalachian Scenic Trail takes this route; it could be based on the old roads used in 1800.

23 Sep 1800 - "...Breakfasted at Craig's, and then had a pleasant ride to Cox's, but it is excessively warm for the country and season. At Acuff's I talked a little upon coming to the throne of grace. We hasted home with Charles Baker upon Holston. If we have dry moon and month we may get through the wilderness."

24 Sep 1800 - "We rested - man and beast. We have ridden sixty miles since Sabbath evening...Blountville looks very respectable, and they have built a needful and good bridge at the end of the town. We crossed at Charles Baker's by putting the chaise in two canoes and swimming the horses over Main Holston. The Stubblefields were upon the north side, so that we were compelled to work through the woods into the road to Snipes Ferry. We came along eight or ten miles where they had made new cuttings; at last we struck into a new road, and strayed three miles out of our way; we then returned back two. Now is was that I felt properly content to leave my felicity, so called [his carriage?], before it came to the wilderness. We made it nearly thirty miles to Ball's mill; we had no time from six in the morning till seven at night to feed man or beast."

26 Sep 1800 - "We rode twenty-one miles to Benjamin Van Pelt's upon Lick Creek; we fed our horses twice, the riders not once. Here I left the horse and carriage and borrowed a horse to ride to Kentucky."

27 Sep 1800 - "Rode twenty miles across to Holston quarterly meeting at the Stubblefields'. I now rode upon horseback, and the rain came on powerfully until we were dripping. I had no cloak but the carriage covering, the rain took shoulders elbows and feet; for eight miles it was violent; I had not been so steeped for four years. I washed the wet parts with whiskey and did not take the damage I feared. O thou of little faith, wherefore didst thou doubt? Bishop Whatcoat

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preached. Our local brethren were loving and lively - brothers Van Pelt, Wells and Winton."

One authority says this is Martin Stubblefield, who lived in Hamblen Co.

29 Sep 1800 - "We began our grand route to Kentucky at eight o'clock. We had to climb the steepes of Clinch about the heat of the day; walk up I could not: I rode and rested my horse by dismounting at times. We came to Hunt's for the first night. Such roads and entertainment I did not ever again expect to see, at least in so short a time."

The party had come to the Wilderness Road, approximately present-day US 25E. Hunts Tavern was at Tazewell, TN in what is now Claiborne Co.

30 Sep 1800 - "We came to Davis's to breakfast, and at night we slept at Ballinger's upon Cumberland River."

Notes in the 1958 edition of Asbury's Journal say that a Mrs. Davis ran a tavern on the north side of Cumberland Mountain where Middlesboro, KY now stands. Richard Ballinger's Tavern was at a settlement on the bend of Cumberland River which is now Barbourville, KY.

Bishops Asbury & Whatcoat and William McKendree rode north toward Lexington and crossed Kentucky River at Camp Nelson in Jessamine Co. Their destination was Bethel Academy, near Lexington, where the Kentucky Conference was held. By the 14th of October the preachers were turning southwest to cross "the barrens" of KY which bordered the settlements within the large bend of the Cumberland River. As they entered Tennessee, Asbury wrote:

16 Oct 1800 - "We came on to Lucas's; this poor woman was excessively displeased because I asked her if she prayed with her children. Next day we made thirty-five miles to Sharp's old place where we had good entertainment: they charged twenty shillings for men and horses. We then hasted to Mr. Dickinson's on White's Creek. I waked at four o'clock, ate but little breakfast, and rode twenty-eight miles..."

The 1958 notes do not identify Mrs. Lucas or Mr. Sharp, but they do tell us that White's Creek rises in Robertson and Davidson counties north of Nashville, and that White's Creek Pike, leading to Springfield, is present U.S. Highway 41. U.S. Highway 31W is Dickinson Pike, on which Joab Dickinson built a Baptist Church and school at an early date.

18 Oct 1800 - "At Parker's my subject was Col. 2:6. Brothers McGee, Lugg, Jones and Speir, local preachers, came to meet me."

19 Oct 1800 - "I rode to Nashville, long heard of, but never seen by me until now...not less than a thousand people were in and out of the stone church, which if floored, ceiled and glazed, would be a grand house. We had three hours of public exercises...We returned the same evening, after dining with Mr. M'Kain. I had a feeling sight of my dear old friend Green Hill and his wife."

The stone church was the present McKendree Methodist Church organized in 1787. The church is now occupying its seventh building. The site of Nashville had been occupied since 1714, when a trading post was built at a deer lick by M. Charleville, a French trader. It was known then as French Lick. James Robertson and his party were settled there by 1779, and the settlement was known as Cumberland. It was called Nashborough before its incorporation in 1784 as Nashville.

At the meetings in Nashville, Asbury met Green Hill, who had moved from Franklin Co. NC to Williamson Co. TN in 1799. His home, Liberty Hill, three miles from Brentwood, TN, is the site of his family burying ground. Asbury commented "I had not time, as formerly, to go to their house to eat and sleep."

20 Oct 1800 - "We came by Mansker's to Drake's creek meeting house at the close of a sacramental solemnity that had been held four days by Craighead, Hodge, Rankin, M'Gee and Mr. Adair, Presbyterian officiating ministers; we came in and

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Brother M'Kendree preached upon Jer. 4:14; after him brother Whatcoat...I also spoke ...Last Sabbath was my birth-day. This will make the thirtieth year of my labours in America. It is supposed that there are one thousand souls present, and double that number heard the word of life on Sunday."

On the night of October 19th, the Asbury party had returned to Joab Dickinson's for a meeting. They had probably heard in Nashville about a large gathering of preachers and citizens in Sumner County, and on the morning of Oct. 20th they set out on the Gallatin Road to join the meeting. They rode along present-day U.S. Hwy 31E toward Saundersville and the Drake's Creek Meetinghouse. Along the way they passed the settlement of Casper Mansker. He was one of the earliest white men to penetrate the Cumberland Valley, having been a member of a company from Virginia and North Carolina who explored as early as 1769. According to the 1834 Tennessee Gazetteer, he returned in 1771-'72 with a company which included Joseph Drake, Isaac Bledsoe, William Linch, William Allen, Christopher Stoph, David Linch, _____ Hughes, and "an old man by the name of Russell." They hunted, trapped and explored. "Joseph Drake discovered the places later called Drake's Lick, and Drake's Pond; Isaac Bledsoe discovered Bledsoe's Lick, now called Castalian Springs; and Mansker discovered the Lick on Mansker's Creek." Today, Mansker's Creek is the dividing line between Davidson and Sumner Counties.

A note from the 1958 editors of Asbury's Journal comments that his chronology is not "strictly accurate." He was born 20/21 Aug 1745 and reached America on 27 Oct 1771, but considering all he had experienced and endured, even a genealogist should forgive him.

21 Oct 1800 - *"Yesterday, and especially during the night, were witnessed scenes of deep interest. In the intervals between preaching, the people refreshed themselves and horses, and returned upon the ground. The stand was in the open air, enbosomed in a wood of lofty beech trees. The ministers of God, Methodists and Presbyterians, united their labours and mingled with the childlike simplicity of primitive times. Fires blazing here and there dispelled the darkness..."*

It's obvious that Asbury was enjoying this meeting! This was one of the earliest camp meetings on record and the forerunner of the religious revival which swept through "the Bible belt" early in the nineteenth century. Though started by the Presbyterians, camp meetings were received so enthusiastically by Methodists they became a Methodist trademark. Leaders in the idea were the McGee brothers, William, a Presbyterian, and John, a Methodist. They were joined by James McGready, a North Carolina Presbyterian, and Peter Cartwright and other evangelists.

One of the five Presbyterian ministers named by Asbury was the Rev. Craighead (first name not given here). The 1958 edition notes that he had a school at Spring Hill, which later became the University of Nashville and George Peabody College for Teachers. He also founded the Spring Hill Cemetery between Nashville and Gallatin, and is buried there. The present First Presbyterian Church at Nashville grew out of his church at Madison, TN.

The end of the entry for 21 Oct 1800 is: *"We have passed only two counties in the District of Mero: quiet Cumberland keeps 'the noiseless tenor of his way' through the midst of the settlement; Nashville crowns its lofty bank."*

The Tennessee Gazetteer, published in 1834, gives the following brief explanation of the organizing of the State of Tennessee and the part played by the Mero District:

"In 1789, the Legislature of North Carolina authorized and required their Senators in Congress to execute a deed, or deeds, of conveyance for the territory now the State of Tennessee; and on the 25th day of February 1790, Samuel Johnston and Benjamin Hawkins, the senators from that state, executed the same. On the second day of April following, Congress passed an act accepting the ceded territory..."

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In May 1790 Congress passed a law for the government of the country south west of Ohio, and William Blount was, by President Washington, appointed the first governor of the territory. He also appointed David Campbell and Joseph Anderson judges. Governor Blount arrived in the territory in Oct 1790, and took up his residence in East Tennessee. He appointed and commissioned the officers, both civil and military, for the counties of Washington, Sullivan, Greene and Hawkins, which formed the district of Washington. In November he set off for the district of Mero, which was then composed of Davidson, Sumner and Tennessee, to appoint the necessary officers there. He could not appoint Brigadier generals, but recommended Col. Sevier for Washington and Col. Robertson for Mero." [See *TN Gen Mag.*, "Ansearchin'" News Vol. 33, No. 3, p. 100 for a map of this area.]

22 Oct 1800 - *"We had a meeting at Richard Strother's, upon a branch of Station Creek..."*

23 Oct 1800 - *"We came to Edward's. Brother Whatcoat began...I continued ...William McGee concluded. We lodged with James Douglas."*

24 Oct 1800 - *"We came to Thomas Blackmore's...Whatcoat and McKendree sermonized; the people were not greatly moved; I concluded with prayer."*

The group of preachers were traveling along present US Hwy 31E to Gallatin and State Hwy 25 to Hartsville. Richard Strother lived about seven miles west of Gallatin and had built a meeting house on Station Camp Creek; the house has been moved to the campus of Scarritt College for Christian Workers in Nashville. Bethel church is still in operation about a mile from the original site. James Douglass lived on the same creek; Douglass Chapel is still in existence. William McGee was pastor of Shiloh Presbyterian Church, located five miles north of Gallatin on the road to Scottsville, Ky. Thomas Blackmore lived on the north side of Cumberland River near present Hartsville.

25 Oct 1800 - *"We crossed Cumberland River at Bishop's Ferry. What a long solitary river is this! It is probably seven hundred miles upon a line, and near one thousand in its meanderings before it empties its waters into the Ohio, twelve miles above the mouth of the Tennessee."*

We began our quarterly meeting at Elmour Douglas's...Whatcoat...McKendree and McGee...there were more shouters than converts; nevertheless the Lord was in the midst. We have ridden but about sixty-six or seventy miles this week. The country is greatly in want of rain; the large streams are much absorbed, and the people grind their grain with horse mills. I could not be content to leave the settlement without circumstantial account of the work of God, and I therefore desired John McGee to give it me..."

The editors of 1958 say that "Bishop's ferry was doubtless at Rome" which is on the south side of Cumberland due south of Dixon Springs in Smith County. Although current maps show a "local" road from Dixon Springs to the river at Rome, the Rhea map of 1832 shows none. There was an early road on the north side of Cumberland from Nashville to Gallatin, to Ft. Blount (later called Williamsburg). This road was called Avery's Trace. It is not explained why the preachers would have crossed at Rome on the south side and have ridden to Carthage and crossed again to the north side, when they might have kept to the trace and have reached Ft. Blount without crossing Cumberland twice. Perhaps Elmour Douglas lived on the south side, and they were meeting all of the local preachers there for the quarterly meeting. The McGee at this meeting would be John McGee, the Methodist. William, as a Presbyterian, would not be attending.

26 Oct 1800 - *"We forded Cumberland River and came to John McGee's. We now began to think seriously upon our march through the wilderness, and providing food and provisions for man and horse - we took our departure."*

27 Oct 1800 - *"We travelled through rich forests of beech, with rank under-*

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growth of cane or reed, and arrived at Fort Blount; thence pursuing our way up Flinn Creek, we took the ridge and reached Mrs. Blackburn's, where we lodged and were well accomodated. This day we have ridden thirty-five miles."

The party had forded Cumberland south to north at the mouth of the Caney Ford River. John McGee lived somewhere along the route they took into Ft. Blount. The Rhea map shows Williamsburg on the north side of the Cumberland, a little southwest of present Gainsboro, and the Tennessee Gazetteer says: "Ft. Blount (Williamsburg) was the first seat of justice of Jackson County. The community survives; the post office has been discontinued." Flinn's Creek is shown on the Rhea map; it rises on the Cumberland Plateau and flows north west into Cumberland River opposite Williamsburg. There is a road shown which follows the creek eastward; it joins a larger road called Emery Road or Marchbank's Turnpike, a few miles west of present Cookeville. A map, published in 1984 by Facts on File, Inc., shows Avery's Trace extending from Ft. Blount in a southwest arc to Southwest Point, which is present Kingston in Roane County. This is probably the route taken by the Asbury party, as it is dated 1795. An earlier date, 1788, is placed on the one labeled Emery Road, which runs east and west between Carthage and Knoxville on the north side of the Avery Trace. The two roads join and run together between present Cookeville and Monterey. Thus, the preachers would have taken approximately the route of present-day State Hwy 56 from Gainesboro south to its intersection with US Hwy 70A, then east to Monterey and Crossville, where US 70 rejoins it, and 70 east to Kingston.

28 Oct 1800 - No date is given here, but this obviously begins a new day. *"We urged on our way, expecting rain, which overtook us about two o'clock at Flat Rock. We pressed on over Drowning Creek, and the sleepy discoloured waters of Obey River. About twilight in the barrens we met the Presbyterian ministers Hall, Montgomery and Bowman, with whom we rejoiced at the work of God in Cumberland, and then parted. We came on to a place where we found the woods were burning, and finding we had made about forty-five miles, we encamped whilst the rain was falling upon us."*

The travelers were pressing eastward along what has become US Highway 70N. The Obey River, referred to here, must have been mistaken for Obed River. The two branches of Obey River rise in the south of Overton County and flow north into present Dale Hollow Lake on the Kentucky line.

29 Oct 1800 - *"We came to the new station at the Crab Orchard where, although the station was not yet put in order, Mr. Sidnor received us politely and treated us to tea. Here we found a cabin under the direction of the Cherokee nation, on land they claimed as theirs. We journeyed on to Spencer's Hill, so-called because here a man of that name was killed by Indians. Thence we travelled forward to Prospect Hill and the descent to Cumberland Mtn."*

Thomas Sharpe Spencer was one of the pioneers into the Cumberland area; he came before the Revolution and stayed when others returned to the east. It is said that he lived for a time in a large hollow sycamore tree near Gallatin. Although a dead shot himself, he was killed by Indians near Crab Orchard.

Prospect Hill must have been near present Ozone, TN. It is at the top of the Cumberland range and a few miles east of there lies the "descent" from the mountains.

29 Oct 1800 (continued) - *"On our route we experienced a heavy rain. Through damps and mud we pushed forward to Clarke's ferry, upon Clinch, in sight of the fort at South West Point at the junction of Tennessee and Clinch rivers, one hundred miles below the mouth of Powels River. We have travelled nearly seventy miles upon land belonging to the Cherokee nation; the soil is generally barren and broken, except where we enter on Cumberland Mts. and the neighborhood of the new station. This Indian land cuts the state of Tennessee into two parts, passing nearly through the middle, making an indent upon the state of Kentucky on Yellow Creek. We*

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arrived at Mr. Clark's where we received great entertainment; there was a good fire in the hall, and we were provided with a good dinner, and treated to tea; a fire was also kindled upstairs at which we dried our clothes; to which may be added excellent lodging in two inner rooms; thus we were within whilst our horses were feeding to fulness in a grassy valley without. Our kind host rents the land from the Indians at six hundred per annum, himself making the improvements."

The host was Thomas Norris Clark, a wealthy merchant and planter.

30 Oct 1800 - "We rode slowly on to Starr's, twenty-two miles, and had a heavy shower of rain on our way. From Monday morning (27 Oct 1800) to Thursday afternoon we have made one hundred and thirty miles; we have experienced no stoppage by water-courses, and have found the roads of the wilderness, their unevenness excepted, pretty good. And here let me record the gracious dealings of God to my soul in this journey: I have had uncommon peace of mind, and spiritual consolations every day, notwithstanding the long rides I have endured and the frequent privation of good water and proper food to which I have been subjected..."

31 Oct 1800 - "I gave a long discourse upon the epistle in the office of ordination for deacons, and ordained John Winton in the congregation."

John Winton was a local preacher who lived at Muddy Creek, seventeen miles below Knoxville.

1 Nov 1800 - "Came twenty miles to Knoxville, of which I had often heard, and which mine eyes now saw. We visted my old friend Greer."

2 Nov 1800 - "I preached in the state house on Isaiah 55:6,7. I was very unwell, but was enabled to bear the heavy cross of public speaking; we had about seven hundred people in and about the house. We came off in haste, intending to make twenty miles that evening; but Francis Alexander Ramsey pursued us to the ferry, franked us over and took us to his excellent mansion - a stone house. It may not be amiss to mention that our host has built his house and takes in his harvest without the aid of whiskey. We were kindly and comfortably entertained."

On his first trip to Tennessee, Asbury mentioned coming to Andrew Greer's house (see *TN Gen Mag.*, "Ansearchin'" News Vol. 33, No. 3, Fall 1986, p. 101). On his first trip to Knoxville, he says he visited with his "old friend Greer."

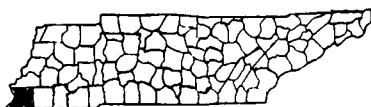
The 1958 editors say this is Joseph Greer, a trader with the Cherokees. At this time Knoxville was the state capital, and Francis A. Ramsey was elected the first Clerk of the state senate. He arranged Asbury's free passage on the ferry, either by virtue of his office or by having the charge put on his own tab. He was a wealthy man and the father of the historian John A. Ramsey. Asbury referred to the pioneer custom of holding house-raising, log-rollings and harvesting parties where all neighbors came to lend a hand. The host provided refreshments of all kinds, and a wealthy man could have spread a feast that would attract all the labor necessary for any project.

3 Nov 1800 - "We rode up to M'Cleary's, fourteen miles, where we dined, and pursued our journey to William Blackburn's."

Neither McCleary nor Blackburn are identified, but they lived between Knoxville and Mosheim, near which Van Pelt's Chapel was located. The Asbury party probably followed a road shown on the Rhea map of 1832. It crosses Holston at Armstrong's Ferry and runs northeast from Knoxville between the Holston and French Broad Rivers. Passing over Robinson's, Lyon's and Criswell's Creeks, it runs to New Market and Oakland, joins the Cumberland Gap road at Cheek's Cross Roads, and continues to Russellville. This is the approximate route of present US 11E, which turns southeast to Mosheim.

4 Nov 1800 - "Rode twenty miles up Nolachucky to Benjamin Van Pelt's, where I had left my horse and chaise. In this neighbourhood the land, except in a few spots, is little better than barren; nevertheless, good cultivation will make it

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SHELBY COUNTY, TENNESSEE TAX LISTS, 1837 - 1838
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Abbreviations: DIST. = District, A = Acres, TL = Town Lot, S.L. = School Land, SL = Slave, P = White Poll.

DIST. #7 - 1838	ACRES	SL	P	DIST. #7 (cont'd)	ACRES	SL	P	DIST. #7 (cont'd)	ACRES	SL	P
Andrews, A.G.	250	5	1	Gant, John H.			1	Reddit, Starky	200	3	1
Amonett, E.	153	6	1	Gregory, Wm	212	1		Rhodes, Lyne	512		
Alexander, A.B.	350	10		Galloway, Jno		9		Robbins, Benj	800	1	
Allen, Newton	8	1		Garner, Thomas		1		"	301		
*Abanathy, Thos		3		Gift, Robert	200	1	1	Rhea, Gatewood	200		1
Alexander, Mrs.	140			"	175			Sanderlin, W.	204		
Bland, Levin	724	1	1	Howard, Jno		1		"	121		
Bell, Wm H.		5	1	Hall, Richd	100	1		"	160		
Bond, Jno	200	6	1	Hill, William	370	4		"	200		
Buck, Fredk	104	1		Hill, Eli		1		"	79		
Bayne, Scott	250	3	1	Hill, Lewis		1		Shivers, Benj	195	11	1
Blair, Geo D.	222	1		Hill, Thomas	317	8		Snead, W.H.			1
Blair, Jane		2		"	600			Shelby, J.M.	200	1	1
Blair, David	100	3		Hill, G.W.		1	1	Sullivan, B.B.	195		1
Bell, Lovett		9		Ham, Mansfield		2	1	Stone, Rowland			1
Bell, D.H.		4	1	Harrington, A.		1		Twiford, Wm S.	200		1
Bland, H.	175	1	1	Houston, Thos		1		Tate, U.M.	348	3	1
Bland, Tlep	205	1		Harrell, H.		1		Tate, Madison			1
Bland, Jno	500	3	1	Hope, William		2		Tate, W.H.	294	3	
Benlly, David	200	1	1	Haris/Hans, William	165	1		Vaughan, Wm	50		1
Bland, W.H.		1		Hatcher, J.P.		1		"	144		
Berryhill, L.B.		1		Jones, H.T.		5	1	Williams, H.			1
Bond, Washn	140	5	1	Jorner, Rebecca		1		Williams, L.	200		1
Berry, Mrs.	90	-2-		Jones, A.G.	212	5		Wood, Jno	224	3	
Bland, Saml	584	14	1	Kelly, Mrs. Ann	193	2		Waddle, Jno			1
Clayton, Mansfield		3	1	Keys, O.B.	625			Waddle, Jno S.	130		
Clayton, William	137	-3-	1	Kennedy, Jno	134	1		Warren, Jas	350	4	
Chrisman, J.F.	270			Love, R.T.	1600	10	1	Williamson, B.	320	8	1
Cowles, Wesley	208	7	1	Locke, Joseph	500			"	72		
Crouch, R.H.		2	1	Morris, Mrs. Lucy	100			Ward, J. & J.W.	1111	17	2
Choate, Joseph	588	8		Massey, Reuben	220	6	1	Walker, D.H.	200		1
"	200			"	160			Williams, Jno	200	4	2
Conn, William		1		McDowell, J.J.	715			Willet, Joseph	215	1	1
Clark, Elitha		4		McDowell, Asa	640			Wooten, Henry	95		
Cotton, J.M.	400	29	1	Montgomery, J.C.	80			*Adams, J.R.	500		1
Deason, Phebe	125			Magowan, Thos	249	4	1				
"	150			Magowan, H.	153	3	1	DIST. #8 - 1837			
Daniel, Josiah	300	7		McNabb, Hez		1		Animin, Peter	280		1
Davis, Jeremiah		1		Miller, B.H.		1		Anderson, Robt R.			1
Dickins, Thomas	370	10		McKnight, B.	2211	2	1	Anderson, Thomas			1
Dick, William A.		1	1	Nelson, A.C.	93	1		Bate, Humphrey	570		
Ellis, Gilbert R.		1		Osborne, E.	1600			Bledsoe, I.L.			1
Edward, Jas		3		Plummer, N.L MS/N&M		2		Beckton, John H.	11		1
Estill, Milton	128	1	1	Patton, E.	260	1		Beckton, Edwin	8		1
Edwards, Lewis	407	3	1	Porter, Jno B.	360			Bledsoe, Anthony T.			1
"	150			Powers, M.M.		3	1	Buckley, Lewis			1
Epps, Mrs. M.	1100			Parks, Robert	163			Brooks, Jos W.	200		1
Edwards, Cullin	110	1		Reddit, Jonathan		1		Barding, David	232		1
Edwards, Wm M	200	1	1	Redditt, Aquilla	200	3		Bond, William	280	2	1
Edwards, J.M.	300	3		"	200			Briley, Jesse	218	3	1
Elliot, B.E. & W.B.	580	2		Rogers, Cullin		1		Bolton, Charles	100	7	
Elliot, R.M.D.J.		2		Rogers, McG/M.G.		1		Buckley, Paschall			1
Edwards, Crandall		1		Rogers, Theoph		1	1	Bledsoe, J.W.			1
Ecklin, Joshua	156	5	1	Rogers, William	274			Bradley, Jefferson C.		3	1

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DIST. #8 (cont'd)	ACRES	SL	P	DIST. #8 (cont'd)	ACRES	SL	P	DIST. #8 (cont'd)	ACRES	SL	P
Carrell, James	130			Shoulders, Alfred		1		Hale, J.B.			1
Chisholm, Jacob			1	Scott, James T.		1		Hays, L.J.	220	50	1
Chisholm, John			1	Sturgiss, J.L. & S.M.	151	2		Herring, Edwin	100	1	1
Donelson, John	1243	16	1	Scott, John	200	1		Herring, Lewis	274	4	
Donelson, Alexander	520		1	Starre, Charels A.	640	2	1	Herring, Joel			1
Donelson, Samuel	1293	12	1	Thompson, John M.		1		Herring, Lewis [sic]			1
Dickey, W.R.		4	1	Tolerman, John		6	1	Hale, E.D.		1	1
Eason, Howel D.	260	3	1	Thurman, F.C.	390	12	1	Hale, Nicholas	197		1
Essex, Mildred		7		Wherry, Elizabeth	200	4		Hardin, Joshua			1
England, John			1	Wherry, Silas	99	1		Hardin, William			1
Fluharty, M.D.			1	Wooldridge, Jeremiah	30	1	1	Hardin, Hiram			1
Fleetwood, Stark	200		1	Weathered, William	50	1		Harris, J.	50		1
Ferguson, John	200		2	Wherry, John	210		1	Hill, W.B.			1
Gray, James	128	4		Wortham, Thomas			1	Hallum, George			1
Glisson, Abram	133	2	1	Wherry, Thomas	220			James, Steph			1
Gillespie, James	100		1	Wherry, Saml A.			1	Johnson, James			1
Griffin, William	19	6	1	Wherry, Andrew J.			1	Jackson, W. F/T.		1	1
Gillespie, Francis			1	Wash, Richard			1	Kimbrough, T.			1
Hale, E.D.		1	1					Linn, Jesse			1
Hazlewood, Abner			1	DIST. #8 - 1838				Land, Tyler	80		1
Ham/Hain, James R.	122	2	1	Andesson, Rob	133	1	1	Leake, Saml	440	13	1
Harden, William			1	Anderson, Thos		1	1	Leake, Richd	937	12	1
Hawkins, Harvey			1	Becton, Jno H.		11	1	Love, Thomas	700		
Harding, Joshua			1	Bledsoe, A.T.		3	1	Moore, Geo W.P.			1
Harbeson, John D.		1	1	Bledsoe, D.S.			1	Minton, Joseph			1
Herring, Edwin	104	1	1	Buckly, W.L.			1	Massey, N.J	82	3	1
Hardin, Hiram			1	Buckley, Paschal			1	Miller, Thos H/C.			1
Hale, Nicholas	200		1	Bolton, Charles	100	7		Michell, S.			1
Hale, John B.			1	Bledsoe, J.W.		1	1	Noble, Jno			1
Helm, George			1	Baxter, Jas			1	Neal, Alfred	192		1
Hays/Haye, Saml J.	2140	46		Bond, William	280	6		Nelson, C.J.	447	9	1
Herring, Lewis	274	4	1	Briley, Jesse	116	3	1	Powell, Henry		3	1
Johnson, J.H.			1	Buckly, Patrick			1	Reddit, David			1
Jones, Joshua J.	250			Beckton, Edwin		8		Reaves, Jno Sen.	200		1
Jenkins, Abram	202		1	Bradly, J.C.		4	1	Rhodes, Tyre	512		
Jenkins, Levi			1	Carr, G.L.			1	Redford, Geo			1
Jones, Stephen			1	Dyer, B.T.		5	1	Royster, J.W.	900	10	1
Kimbrough, T.Y.			1	Dickey, W.R.			1	Royster, L.S.	320		
Lynn, Jesse			1	Dickey, J/I. L.			1	Reaves, W.P.	200		
Land, Tyler	80	1	1	Donelson, Jno	1150	11	1	Sturges, J.L. & S.N.	151		2
Leake, Richard		12	1	Donelson, S.	1250	13	1	Scott, Jno	200		1
Leake, Samuel	460	10	1	Donelson, A.	519	5		Sandling, Rob			1
McCullim, Malcom			1	Estell, Mildred		7		Simonton, J.	2298		
Moore, George W.			1	Ferguson, Jno	200		1	Shoulders, Alfred			1
Moore, Ann C.		3		Fleetwood, Sta	200		1	Tharman, F.C.	382	9	1
Moore, N.W.			1	Flaherty, M.B.			1	Thomson, J.N.			1
Minton, William			1	Griffin, Wm	18	10	1	Thomson, Jas			1
Massey, I/J. N.	82	2	1	Gillespie, Jas	100		1	Tarman, Jno		6	
Mahon, Thomas			1	Gillispie, F.	150		1	Wortham, Thos			1
Nelson, Charles J.	330	9	1	Gillespie, J.W.			1	Wooldridge, H.	40		1
Neal, Alfred	192		1	Goodwin, _____	25		1	Weathered, William	50		1
Powell, Henry		3	1	Gray, James	123	4		Wherry, Silas	100		1
Reaves, Wm P.	200		1	Hazlewood, A.			1	Wiley, Jesse			1
Redditt, David			1	Horne, Susanna	300	4		Wherry, Thomas	220		
Reaves, John Sr.	200			Horne, Thos C.			1	Wherry, S.A.P.			1
Reaves, John Jr.			1	Horne, W.R.			1	Wherry, A.J.			1
Redford, John M.	1000		1	Horne, Jas B.			1	Wherry, John	205		1
Royster, J.W.	1220	10	1	Horne, Jas R.	122	2	1	Wherry, Elizabeth	200	3	
Simonton, John	1202			Hazlewood, R.		1	1	Wilson, Simon			1
Simonton, John &				Hackey, Chas S.			1	Wooldridge, Washn			1
Robt	1096			Harbertson, J.D.		1	1	Weathered, Wm	40		
								YoungBlood, Thos	320		

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DIST. #9 - 1837	ACRES	SL	P	DIST. #9 (cont'd)	ACRES	SL	P	DIST. #9 (cont'd)	ACRES	SL	P
Askew, Benjamin	150			Owen, Travis		1		Williams, Peter			1
Alexander, A.A.	1000	2	1	Payne, Hiram	140	1		Williams, Lewis		4	
Anderson, Joseph			1	Powell, McNeill		1		Williams, John P.	130		
Anderson, Richard			1	Potts, Joseph		2	1	Williams, Robert	100		
Allen, Walter	280	3	1	Potts, Edward		1		West, Neal A.		1	
Alvis, Elijah			1	Patrick, Jos W.	15	2	1				
Boulton, Moses	50	2	1	Patrick, Wm		1	1	DIST. #9 - 1838			
Barns, Tabitha	108			Ramsey, Valentine		1		Alexander, A.A.	921		
Bagley, Bennett			1	Redford, John F.		1		Askew, Benj	150		
Bryley, Richard			1	Redd, Jesse	340			Allen, Walter	200	3	1
Brashears, Robert			1	Smith, T.B.		1		Allen, Thomas	500	7	
Brashears, John	50	1	1	Sanderson, Overall	320	2	1	Allen, Lewis		1	
Brandon, Phillip			1	Sanderlin, Ezekiel		1		Anderson, James		1	
Brookshire, E.W.	100			Spears, Benjamin		1		Atchison, Rob.	100	3	1
Carter, Baxter		1	1	Shane, Andrew		1		Allen, W., Jr			
Crenshaw, Thos B.	400	19	1	Steeleman, Joshua		1		Alvis, Elijah		1	
Cruthers & Stoddard	3840			Snell, James		1		Allen, Jas T.		1	1
Crouch, Edward R.	113	1	1	Spears, Burrell		1		Bolton, Cary	50	2	
Conell, James A.			1	Spears, John		1		Bright, Isaac		1	
Donelson, John	640			Strong, Benjamin		1		Bland, Isaac	300		
Ellis, Jesse			1	Seigler, William	287	3	1	Baley, Bennet		1	
Farabee, Francis	640	11	1	Spears, George	150			Briley, Richd		1	
Fletcher, Payton	356	2	1	Snowden, Nathan	260	2	1	Brook, L./T.	100		
Gillespie, James	60	2		Sanderlin, Wilson	1198	3		Brashears, Jno	100	1	1
Gillespie, William			1	Sanderlin, Christy		2	1	Brashears, Ro.		1	
Gray, James	150			Vincent, Amos		1		Barnes, Tabitha	108		
Gregory, A.	138	1		Vaulx, Joseph	200			Bolton, Jefferson	100	1	
Gregory, Malichi			1	West, Franklin		1		Bolton, Washn		1	1
Hamner, William	400	2	1	Wooten, Alexander		1		Crenshaw, T.B.	200	16	1
Husky, Blake	60	2	1	Warford, Isaac		1		Crouch, John E.		1	
Harris, Moody	100	1	1	West, Benjamin	160	1		Carter, Baxter	144	1	1
Harris, George			1	Weson, Edward	196			Crouch, Edward	113	1	
Hewston, John			1	Weson, Wm P.		1		Carr, Rob. B.		1	
Jones, James			1	Yblood, Thomas	320			Crawley, Thos L.		1	
Irvin, Andrew			1					Chimblin, C.L.		1	
Irby, Martha		2		DIST. #9 - DOUBLE TAX				Conner, Jas		1	
Jenkins, Aaron			1	Boulton, Jefferson	100	1	1	Cameron, Simon	100	1	
Jenkins, Isaac	310		1	Blay, Richard		1		Caruthers & Stoddard	3840		
King, Reuben		2	1	Fletcher, George		1		" "	640S.L.		
Kerr, Robert B.			1	Gathright, Thomas	243	1	1	Crenshaw, Asbury	640S.L.		
Kirk, John	300	2	1	Gillmore, Peter		1		Donelson, Jno	640S.L.		
Leake, Richard	887S.L.			Harald, Warner		1		Ellis, Jesse		1	1
Little, William		3		Hooker, James		1		Edwards, Jared	320	2	1
Lerry, Wilson	100	2		Hooker, Fred		1		Ecklin, Rob.		6	1
Lewis, Charles W.	365	7	1	Irwin, Hiram		1		Farabee, F.D.	640S.L.	11	1
Lloyd, Thomas			1	Irwin, Jerry		1		Flecher, George		1	
McCullen, E.A.		2		Lerry, Charles		1		Flecher, Peyton	356	2	1
McNeely, John			1	Lewis, John	72	4	1	Gilmore, Peter		1	
McClanahan, David			1	Noble, William	600			Gathright, Thomas	249	2	
Marler, William			1	Priddy, William	66	5		Grigery, Saml	138	1	
McDowell, John	500			Priddy, John		1		Gillespie, William		1	
Monroe, Wm B.			1	Pennington, M.S.	112	1		Gillespie, James	160	3	
Nutt, John			1	Pillow & Bradshaw	1285			Gray, James	265		
Nutt, Sampson			1	Ramsey, Preston		1		Gregory, Malachi		1	
Nutt, Thomas	190		1	Ramsey, A.	640S.L.			Graham, J.D.	152		
Nutt, William			1	Stevison, James		1		Hite, Zacharia	640S.L.		
Neel, Wm H.	500			Stawther, Coalman		1		Hooper,	238		
Overton, Benjamin	57			Strong, James		1		Hamner, Wm	400	2	1
Owen, Sarah		7		Stockden, Lewis		1		Houston, Jno		1	
Owen, William			1	Thomeson, Fleming		1		Harris, Moody	100	1	1
Owen, Tait H.			1	Till, John		1		Harrell, W.		1	

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DIST. #9 (cont'd)	ACRES	SL	P	DIST. #9 (cont'd)	ACRES	SL	P	DIST. #10 (cont'd)	ACRES	SL	P
Harris, T.			1	Ramsay, A.	640S.L.			Cross, Shadrick	200	2	
Irvin, H.			1	Ramsay, Catherine	340			Cook, _____			1
Irvin, Jerry			1	Ramsay, V./U.		1		Collier, J.R.	320		1
Irby, Martha		3		Redd, Katharine	340			Dewoody, George			1
Jenkins, Abram	202			Simmons, Thos		1		Fowler, William			1
Jackson, W.F.		1		Stother, Coleman		1		Floyd, William			1
Jenkins, Levi		1		Steelman, Josh		1		Ford, Garrett	290	6	
Jenkins, Aaron	89	1		Spear, George	150			Ford, Lloyd			1
Jenkins, Isaac	75	1		Spear, B.B.		1		Gerdis, _____			1
Jones, James		1		Sanderlin, E.	180	1		Gee, Robert			1
Kirk, John	300	2	1	Sanderlin, Wilson	1018	3		Gandy, James			1
King, Reuben		2	1	Sigler, William	287	4	1	Gowing, Meshac			1
Lewis, C.W.	246	7	1	Strong, I./J.		1		Griffin, William	300		
Lewis, John N.		5	1	Shane, Andrew		1		Harris, James T.	110		1
Little, William		4		Sanders, Overall	320	3	1	Hodge, Adams	133	9	
Lerry, Wilson	100	2		Stephens, P.H.		1		Hunter, James	100		
Loyd, Thomas		1		Strong, James		1		Hall, William	100	2	1
Lerry, Charles		1		Starr, Charles		6	1	Hall, Joseph			1
Leake, Richd	887S.L.			Sanderlin, McCh		2	1	Haden, Richardson		2	1
Leake, Samuel	83			Smith, Jno W.		1		Hodge, John			1
Lewis, William	1800			Snowden Nathl	160	2	1	Hodge, Amacy			1
McDowell, Jno	500			Snowden, _____	160	2	1	Hodge, Drury			1
McNealy, Jno		1		Tatem, H.W.		1		Hodge, Martin			1
McNealy, Wm H.		1		Tubbs, Jno		1		Ingersoll, Moses			1
Marler, Wm		1		Vaulx, Joseph	200			Imes, Allen			1
Mason, Allen		1		Vincent, Amos		1		Koons, Amos		2	1
McMullen, Elias		6	1	West, N.A.		1		Kennedy, William			1
Mangum, B.		1		Williams, Rob.	100			Logan, John			1
Mires, Turner		1		Williams, Lewellin	633	4		Miller, _____			1
McCue/McCui, Saml		1		Wesson, Edward	196			Moore, John			1
Moore, Nathl		4	1	Wesson, W.P.		1		Mason, Eliza		3	
Moore, George		1		Watson, Jno		1		Mitchell, Charles			1
McLelland, M.		1		West, Jas F.		1		Puckett, Asa D.			1
McLanahan, D.		1		West, Benjamin	100	1		Price, Benjamin			1
Nutt, Samson		1		Webber, Natt		10	1	Pillow, Gideon J.	830		
Nutt, William		1		Williams, Lewis		1		Peterson, Peter		1	1
Nutt, John		1		Wesson, Benj		1		Roberts, Scuyley	80	8	1
Nutt, Thomas	190	1		Williams, James		1		Rodgers, Green B.			1
Noble, William	450	1		Yates, Thomas	100	1	1	Rodgers, Tyre heirs	1100		
Noble, Martin	150	1						Rafter, James	264	5	1
Neale, W. H./A.	514							Renic, Wm Jr.			1
Nox, Ormond [see Knox, Dist 6, 1838]	300			DIST. #10 - 1837				Renic, Wm Senr		2	
Owen, William		1		Atkinson, James	190	2	1	Russell, Robert			1
Owen, B.		1		Allen, Thomas	500			Snow, John		4	
Owen, Sarah		6		Bounds, Thomas	200	1		Sebastian, Joseph	200		1
Overton, Benj	220			Bettis, Wm J.	132	1		Sanders, Robert		4	
Owen, Howard		1		Buster, Saml W.		2	1	Tate, Thomas		3	
Parham, Ed.		1		Breeding, Bryant		1		Titus, George	226	2	
Potts, Joseph	200	2	1	Breeding, Sylvia	66			Titus, Peter W.		1	1
Pillow & Bradshaw	785			Bayliss, Abram Heirs	75			Townsend, Ira		2	1
Patrick, William		1	1	Brown, Allen	1616			Wortham, Frank			1
Patrick, Joseph	15	1	1	Boggns, Franklin		1		Wood, Joseph			1
Pennington, N.?	112			Boggns, Bryant A.	366	1		Whaley, Elijah			1
Priddy, William		5		Bradshaw, Hugh	570			Whitley, Richardson	206		1
Priddy, John		1		Balew, John		1		Woolard, Seth			1
Powell, McNeal		1		Brown, Matthew	110	1		Young, Thomas C.			1
Redford, Jno		1		Crane, Samuel	320			Yandle, Thomas		2	1
Redout, Jno		1		Crane, William							
Redford, Jno [sic]	1000			Clark, William							
Ramsay, Preston		1		Clark, George		3	1				
				Cross, Macajah		1					

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News and Notes From Other Publications (continued from page 50)

THE PIPELINE, Campbell Area Genealogical & Historical Society, Campbell, MO 63933-0401. Vol. 3, No. 6, 20 pp. \$5. Contains excerpts from early history of Campbell, abstracts and clippings from newspapers, photocopies of fair ads, and a premium list of the 6th annual fair.

RICHARDSON FAMILY RESEARCHER AND HISTORICAL NEWS, P.O. Box 123, Broken Bow, NE 68822. Vol. 12, No. 4, 16 pp. \$7.50. Features letters, queries, and information on Richardson and related surnames of Moore, Hite, Lovell, Eastham, and Chrisman.

NEWSLETTER OF THE PARKE SOCIETY, Theodore E. Park, Registrar, P.O. Box 590, Milwaukee, WI 53201. Vol. 23, No. 3. Application fee \$5; annual dues \$10. Published 3 times year. Includes photos, verification of Robert Parke ancestry to 1400, news of contemporary Parkes, genealogical information, queries, and biographic sketches of George Ferris, the builder of the Ferris Wheel.

McCULLOUGH MEMOS, W. R. Yarwood, 1250 N. State College Blvd., #31, Anaheim, CA 92806. Vol. 11, No. 1, 23 pp. \$10. Includes genealogical information, photos, and news of McCulloughs.

MILTON-MELTON POT, Nancy Pratt Melton, 6809 Thunderhead Circle, Orangevale, CA 96662. Vol. 6, No. 2, 19 pp. \$13. Contains census, probate, deed, death, and marriage records, as well as queries for this surname (all spelling variations).

VAUGHAN, ETC. NEWSLETTER, Verna Baker Barnes, 5302 Marsh Creek Drive, Austin, TX 78759, or P.O. Box 7435, Huntsville, TX 77340. \$8. This issue has family group sheets, census, stories, letters, wills, Bible records, vestry book, correspondence, and newspaper clippings.

THE TERRY FAMILY HISTORIAN, Robert Terry, Editor, P.O. Box 1661, Sapulpa, OK 74067. Vol. 7, No. 1, 48 pp. \$16. Contains marriage records of Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and Campbell County, Tennessee; also, wills obituaries, queries, etc. on the Terry surname.

NESBITT/NISBET SOCIETY, Stuart Nisbet, President, 1443 Dorothy Drive, Glendale, CA 91202. \$20. Vol. 5, No. 1, 8 pp. This issue contains information on reorganization of the Society and its affiliation with Australia and United Kingdom Societies, queries, news, and genealogical data.

SEARCHING FOR SCRUGGS, Scruggs Family Association, Dr. B. O. Scruggs, Jr., Secretary-Treasurer, Ottawa Hill, Rt. 1, Box 154, Miami, OK 74354. \$20. The 84 pages in this issue researched the meaning and early origin of the Scruggs name, Bible records, wills, order book, Wilson Co. Tennessee information, pedigree chart, queries, surname index, census, and family histories.

ALABAMA FAMILY HISTORY AND GENEALOGICAL NEWS, The North Central Alabama Genealogical Society, P.O. Box 13, Cullman, AL 35056-0013. Vol. 8, No. 1, 28 pp. \$12. Includes Christopher family of Limestone County, Lawrence County newspaper items, Blount County marriages, Marshall County 1850 mortality schedule, obituaries, as well as Morgan and Cullman County information.

G. R. I. NEWS & NOTES, Genealogical Research Institute of Virginia, P.O. Box 29178, Richmond, VA 23229. Vol. 7, No. 1, 8 pp. \$10. To obtain application for membership or other information write Norma Pennington, Membership Chairman, 201 Goodward Rd., Richmond, VA 23236. This issue contains queries, book reviews, deeds, listing of surname index cards, etc. Published monthly.

TIMBER TRAILS, Yamhill County Genealogical Society, P.O. Box 568, McMinnville, OR 97128. \$6. Vol. 7, No. 3. Had conclusion of John Rogers' letters from the California gold fields, probate records, marriages, queries, and Newberg directory.

THE THREE RIVERS CHRONICLE, Three Rivers Historical Society, P.O. Box 811, Hemingway, SC 29554. Vol. 6, No. 4, 12 pp. \$7. Family of Nathaniel Snow, Jr., Nelson Bible records, lineage charts, Hughes Bible records, photos, and queries.

GIRDNER GATHERINGS, 1311 N. Parkland Ave., Claremore, OK 74017. Vol. 1, No. 2, 10 pp. \$15. Contains historical sketches of Girdner family, news, ancestor charts, cemetery listings, etc.

FULTON FOOTPRINTS, Fulton Chapter, OCGS, 305 Chestnut Street, Swanton, OH 43558. Nov./Dec., 21 pp. Write for information. Contains queries, chancery court records, death of A. A. Redd, obituaries from Delta Atlas 1913, ancestor charts, etc.

Francis Asbury's Travels in Tennessee (continued from page 78)

productive. From the twenty-seventh of last month, the day on which we left the pleasant mansion of our friend Van Pelt, to the day of our return, we rode, I presume, quite six hundred and sixty, if not seven hundred miles. We have had twelve proper appointments, two of which (Sabbath days) were near failing because of rain."

5 Nov 1800 - "At Van Town I preached in the new chapel on Luke 4:18."

6 Nov 1800 - "Crossed Nolachucky at Cureton's ferry, and came to Major Craig's, eighteen miles. I next day pursued my journey and arrived at the Warm Springs, not however without an ugly accident. After we had crossed the Small and Great Paint mountain, and had passed about thirty yards beyond the Paint Rock, my roan horse, led by Mr. O'Haver, reeled and fell over, taking the chaise with him. I was called back when I beheld the poor beast and the carriage, bottom up, lodged and wedged against a sapling, which alone prevented them both being precipitated into the river. After a pretty heavy lift all was righted again, and we were pleased to find there was little damage done. Our feelings were excited more for others than ourselves. Not far off we saw clothing spread out, part of the loading of household furniture of a wagon which had overset and was thrown into the stream, and bed-clothes, bedding etc. were so wet that the poor people found it necessary to dry them on the spot. We passed the side fords of French Broad, and came to Mr. William Nelson's; our mountain march of twelve miles calmed us down for this day..."

The Rhea map shows a road running beside the Nolichucky River from the "Bend of Chucky" in Cocke County, through Warrensburg, and on to Curtin's Ferry. Once on the south side of Nolichucky, they could work their way southeast across Paint Rock Mtn. and Creek into present Madison County, NC and Warm Springs, which is now called Hot Springs. It is shown on the Rhea map, as is Neilson's.

Mr. O'Haver was John O'Haver, who lived in present Cocke County, Tennessee near Newport.

The Asbury party traveled along the general route of US 70 to Asheville, NC and from there due south to Hendersonville and the Table Rock area of South Carolina. December found Bishops Asbury and Whatcoat in Georgia and South Carolina, still on the move, still preaching at every opportunity, still holding quarterly conference meetings.

Asbury's last entry for 1800 says,

30 Dec 1800 - "Came to Camden. I have received several letters from the North; they bring small consolation...murmurs - complaints of partiality - and with this I may console myself in the midst of unremitted and hard travelling and labour. I was presented with a petition from about eighty male members of the society in the city of brotherly love, entreating me to do what I had no intention of doing - that was to remove brother Everett from the city: how, indeed, was this to be done? ... (he) restored to office three or four elders who had been put out for murmurings and mischiefs...and they had great congregations, great shoutings; and God was with them, and nearly one hundred had joined society. To all this what can we do but say, "Well done, good and faithful servant" and servants! Poor bishop! No money for my expenses. I am afflicted - my life threatened on the one hand, my brethren discontented on the other: true, I received from them a petition dipped in oil and honey; and if I approve, all will be well; but if not, drawn swords may be feared."

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BOOK REVIEWS

Marilyn J. Baugus, Judy C. Cleveland, Bettie B. Davis, Jane C. Hollis,
Wanda C. James, Marilyn D. Kimberling, William R. Phillips,
Robert D. Tice, Bess C. Twaddle, and Nancy F. Walters

GENEALOGY OF THE BLANDING FAMILY With Blanden, Blandin, Blandon by Leonard Clark Blanding. 1986. Soft cover, 6x9. 431 pp. Indexed. \$25.00. Order from the author, P.O. Box 1078, Grand Rapids, MI 49501.

The data section of this volume contains the Blanding family tree, "disconnected branches" of the tree, miscellaneous bits of information, and spouse ancestral data. There are four indexes, Blanding names and "non-Blanding names" (hundreds of these) comprising separate alphabetical lists, and references given both alphabetically and numerically. BCT

INDEX TO WAR OF 1812 SERVICE RECORDS FOR VOLUNTEER SOLDIERS FROM GEORGIA by Judy Swaim Kratovil. 1986. Soft cover, 8½x11. 158 pp. Indexed. \$20.00 (GA residents add sales tax). Order from the author, P.O. Box 450062, Atlanta, GA 30345.

More than 20,500 names of soldiers with military unit and rank are abstracted and listed alphabetically by surname. The author includes examples of 1812 service records, bounty land applications and certificates, and procedures for obtaining the same from the National Archives. Here is help to fill the void of the missing 1810 Georgia Federal Census. MJB

MY HERITAGE A History of Black, Acklen, Lee, Williams, Young, Eskridge, Smith, Graves, Charlemagne and Allied Families by Lona Black Koltick. 1986. Hard cover, 9x11. 235 + xiv pp. Indexed. \$25.00. Order from the author, P.O. Box 476, Cowan, TN 37318.

Mrs. Koltick's book is enhanced with family pictures and maps and well documented with census, probate, tax, military, and other source records; wills; deeds and Bible records. Some of her families are traced from Europe through New England, Virginia and Tennessee where records begin in Sumner County in 1786 with all paths leading to Franklin County, 1826. MJB

THE HARDEMAN IMPACT ON EARLY TEXAS HISTORY by Francis W. Wilson, M.D. 1986. Hard cover, 8½x6. 162 pp. Indexed. \$14.00. Order from the author, Drawer 1005, Luling, TX 78648.

Dr. Wilson's study begins in Hardeman County, Tennessee in late 1835 where twenty-five Hardemans gathered to begin their move to the Matagorda community in the Mexican State of Texas and covers the period extending through the Civil War and reconstruction. The work is in three sections: the first focuses on Hardemans, their friends, neighbors, and relatives; the second on family genealogy; and the third on allied families. MDK

THE YOUNG FAMILIES OF EARLY GILES COUNTY, TENNESSEE by East, Ellis, Short, Worsham, and Young. 1986. Soft cover, 8½x11. 263 pp. + index. Request price and/or order from John E. Young, 6513 N. San Pablo, Fresno, CA 93704.

Alphabetically arranged biographies focus on Youngs settling along Bradshaw Creek in Giles County, Tennessee prior to 1830. "Memoir of Major Thomas Young" details experiences of a Revolutionary soldier born in 1764 in Laurens District, South Carolina and died in 1848. A code section details information sources and bibliography; another describes places of interest. MDK

HEREDITARY ORDER OF DESCENDANTS OF COLONIAL GOVERNORS edited by Robert Glenn Thurtle. 1980. Hard cover, 6x9. 393 + xii pp. Indexed. Available to libraries and genealogical societies. Contact Judson P. Mason; P.O. Box 183; Lancaster, VA 22503-0183.

The purpose of this Colonial Governors' Register is "To commemorate the services of those men who, prior to July 4, 1776, singly exercised supreme executive power in the American colonies and who laid in them the foundations of stable government...which made the maintenance of their future independence possible." Information given includes each generation through whom the Colonial Governor lineage was inherited along with place and date of birth, death, and marriage and like information on the spouse. JCH.

Book Reviews (continued)

MARRIAGES OF SOME AMERICAN RESIDENTS AND GUIDE TO DOCUMENTS Volume II by Yates Publishing Company. 1986. Soft cover, 8½x11. 246 pp. \$8.00. Order from the publisher, P.O. Box 237, Ozark, MO 65721.

Data comprising this work is presented in two parts. Part one lists the name of the husband, date and place of his birth and marriage, and wife's name. Part two lists the wife with the same information in identical format. The data comes from pedigree charts submitted to the Family Group Sheet Exchange of the Yates Publishing Company. For comments on the first volume of this series, refer to "Ansearchin'" News, Volume 34, No. 1, Spring 1987. MDK

MOORE FAMILY REGISTER Number Five by Ophelia Wade. 1986. Soft cover, 8½x11. 101 pp. Indexed. \$13.00. Order from the author, Rt. 1, Box 26, Bragg City, MO 63827.

This, the fifth Moore family volume published by the author, is made up of queries and various records contributed by, and of interest to, Moore family researchers. The author invites queries and contributions and announces plans to publish periodically. For comments on previous issues refer to "Ansearchin'" News, Volume 33, No. 4, Winter 1986. JCH

PENCE FUNERAL HOME CONWAY, ARKANSAS by Desmond Walls Allen. 1986. Soft cover, 8½x11. Vol. I, 1881-1904 154 pp. \$16.50. Vol. II, 1904-1926 209 pp. \$19.50. Order from the author, P.O. Box 303, Conway, AR 72032.

Each of these volumes contains more than three thousand names of people buried during the indicated periods. They are listed alphabetically by surname of the deceased. Along with the name of the deceased, his residence, race, cause and date of death, and place of burial are given. A separate index lists names found in a "Remarks" column of the primary record. This funeral home served, in addition to Faulkner County, parts of Perry, Conway, Pulaski, Van Buren, White, and Lonoke Counties, and its records are a rich genealogical source. JCH

A MAN CALLED JIM by Anemone Love Binkley. 1986. Hard cover, 8½x11½. 296 pp. + index. \$50.00. Order from the author, Box 62, Lovington, NM 88260.

Brothers Joseph and Samuel Love were in Augusta County, Virginia as early as 1744. The Loves united with the Bell and the Dillard families moving to present-day Washington County, Tennessee in 1783. A portion of the book is presented in the first person stories of James B. "Jim" Love of the title who, along with his brother John, lived in Texas from about 1899. Pictures, letters, and interesting stories of early family members enhance this history. MDK

McCLINTOCK MEMORIAL-Descendants of James (Timothy) McClintock and Some Related Families - Lawrence, Ribble, Streit (Stright) by Louise McClintock Shelton. 1985. Hard cover, 7½x10½. 836 pp. Indexed. \$40.00. Order from the author, 1255 W. Grangeville #74, Hanford, CA 93230.

In 1772 James (Timothy) McClintock and his wife Eleanor Hamilton sailed from County Antrim, Ireland and arrived in the port of Charleston, South Carolina. This book offers data on three of their five children. Beginning in the fourth generation with Alexander McClintock and his wife Mary Steele, the line is traced through the tenth generation. Some of the family remained in McNairy County, Tennessee while others went to Arkansas and Missouri. Allied families include Davis, Donnell, Dorsey, Garner, Goodin, Johnson, Jones, Miller, Moore, Northcutt, Robinson, Rutherford, Smith, Taylor, Walker, White, Williams, and Wilson. MDK

DANIEL BEGAT by Robert Lee Hankins, Edith Jackson Hankins, and Florence Jackson Hankins. Hard cover, 5x8. 138 pp. + index. \$15.00. Order from the authors, 3773 Birchvale Dr., Germantown, TN 38138.

An intriguing title leads to an interesting beginning: "Daniel begat Robert Stanley; and Robert Stanley begat Madison Lee; and Madison Lee begat Florence the wife of Eldon, by whom was born Robert Lee, who is called Hankins." The authors' ancestor, Daniel Jackson, was one of seven men with that name in early 1800 Walton County, Georgia, and distinguishing him from the others was no easy task. Five children of Daniel and his second wife, Nancy Woodruff (Ingram) England, are the inspiration for this family history. MDK

Book Reviews (continued)

AN INDEX TO GEORGIA TAX DIGESTS 1789-1799, Volume I, 83 pp. + xxiii. 1800-1802, Volume II, 90 pp. + xxiii. 1804-1806, Volume III, 98 pp. + xxiii. 1809-1811, Volume IV, 103 pp. + xxiv. 1814-1817, Volume V, 103 pp. + xxiv. Edited by Marilyn Adams and published for the R.J. Taylor, Jr., Foundation, Atlanta, GA. 1986. Soft cover, 8½x11. \$15.00 each volume. Order from The Reprint Co., Publishers, P.O. Box 5401, Spartanburg, SC 29304.

These indexes to pre-1820, unpublished tax digests in the Georgia Department of Archives and History are a notable resource for Georgia researchers and historians. They are particularly significant in view of the absence of early federal census records for that period in that state. An efficient format affords easy access to approximately 75,000 names and accompanying information which, otherwise, would have remained inaccessible to many genealogists. MDK, JCH

FULTON COUNTIANS IN THE CIVIL WAR by Donald L. Livingston. 1985. Soft cover, 8½x11. 89 pp. \$9.00. Order from the author, 112 Clanton St., Fulton, KY 42041.

Brief, biographical sketches of men who fought in the Civil War and who were from Fulton County, Kentucky area comprise most of this volume. Arranged alphabetically, the sketches contain a wealth of genealogical data. Also offered here are unit histories and muster rolls for many of the units whose members included Fulton Countians. RDT, JCH

WASHINGTON COUNTY, TEXAS DEED ABSTRACTS 1834-1841 by Joyce Martin Murray. 1986. Hard cover, 6x9. 160 pp. Indexed. \$25.00 (TX residents add \$1.53 tax). Order from the author, 2921 Daniels, Dallas, TX 75205.

Although the deed books from which these abstracts were taken date from 1834, there are numerous instruments bearing earlier dates. Deeds, bonds, cattle brands, bills of sale, agreements, wills, land certificates and land grants make up the 2000 pages of microfilmed records painstakingly searched by Mrs. Murray for this volume. RDT, JCH

TOMBSTONE INSCRIPTIONS OF GRUNDY COUNTY, TENNESSEE by Charles A. Sherrill. 1986. Soft cover, 8½x11. 170 pp. Indexed. \$16.00. Order from the author, P.O. Box 595, Cleveland, TN 37364.

First published in 1977, revised in 1978 and revised again in 1986, this volume is now available after being out of print. There are some 7000 listings from all of Grundy County's cemeteries. From three of the largest and newer ones, only pre-1950 stones are listed here. The revamped index includes the first names of members of the larger families. WRP, JCH

GRUNDY COUNTY, TENNESSEE WILLS AND ESTATES 1844-1900 abstracted by Charles A. Sherrill. 1986. Soft cover, 8½x11. 61 pp. Indexed. \$11.00. Order from the author, P.O. Box 595, Cleveland, TN 37364.

Mr. Sherrill has abstracted wills, deeds, and estate records housed at the Grundy County courthouse and included a full name index. Terming this volume an incomplete sample of Grundy County records extant at the present time and affirming that many others are stored in the courthouse attic (source of this book) under conditions most unfavorable to their continued preservation and availability for study, Mr. Sherrill urges immediate action to rectify this deplorable situation and preserve valuable Grundy County resources. WRP, JCH

OBITUARY NOTICES FROM THE ALEXANDRIA [VIRGINIA] GAZETTE 1784-1915 by The Staff of Lloyd House, Alexandria Library. 1987. Soft cover, 5½x8½. 365 pp. + iv. Indexed. \$21.50. Order from Heritage Books, Inc., Suite 313, 3602 Maureen Ln., Bowie, MD 20715.

This alphabetical listing gives the subject's name, date of death, and the date the notice appeared in the newspaper along with the page citation. An additional index lists women whose middle names appear to be maiden names. Publication of early death notices generally required payment of a fee. As a result, such notices were brief and included only the prominent of the community. By the late 1800's, however, this changed: appearing in greater numbers, the average length of obituaries increased, and the information detailed such items as the deceased's occupation, family members, church affiliation, and site of interment. JCH

Book Reviews (continued)

ABSTRACTS OF DEED BOOK A, SEQUATCHIE CO., TENNESSEE (1875-1883), 65 pp.

ABSTRACTS OF DEED BOOK B, SEQUATCHIE CO., TENNESSEE (1858-1875), 60 pp.

by Norma J. Hobbs and Sarah A. Gions. 1986. Soft cover, 8½x11. \$10.00 each + \$1.25 first book, \$0.35 each additional book (TN residents add 7 3/4% tax). Order from Goins and Hobbs Genealogy Service, P.O. Box 333, Dunlap, TN 37327.

These abstracts are concise, easy to read and list names of grantor, grantee, witnesses, and others mentioned in the deed. Included in each volume is a grantor-grantee index. JCH

UNITED STATES CENSUS, BLEDSOE CO., TENNESSEE 1850, 124 pp. \$10.00. 1860, 89 pp. \$13.00.

1870, 126 pp. \$14.00. 1900 and 1910, 161 pp. each. \$18.00 each.

UNITED STATES CENSUS, GRUNDY CO., TENNESSEE 1850, 60 pp. \$10.00.

UNITED STATES CENSUS, MARION CO., TENNESSEE 1850, 138 pp. \$10.00.

UNITED STATES CENSUS, SEQUATCHIE CO., TENNESSEE 1860, 48 pp. \$8.00. 1870, 32 pp. \$8.00.

1880, 63 pp. \$12.00. 1900, 83 pp. \$14.00. 1910, 104 pp. \$16.00. All volumes published by Goins and Hobbs Genealogy Service. 1986. Soft cover, 8½x11. Indexed. To prices listed please add \$1.25 postage, first book, \$0.35 each additional book (TN residents add 7 3/4% tax.) Order from Goins and Hobbs Genealogy Service, P.O. Box 333, Dunlap, TN 37327.

Federal census information for these Tennessee Counties is transcribed from microfilm of the original records and offered for researchers' convenience. Each of the volumes contains all the basic information from the original population schedule for year indicated, and all are presented in an easy-to-read format with an index that includes all surnames. MDK, JCC, JCH

MARRIAGE RECORDS OF SEQUATCHIE CO., TENNESSEE 1858-1874, 62 pp. + index. \$16.00.

MARRIAGE RECORDS OF SEQUATCHIE CO., TENNESSEE, Book 2, 1897-1911, 33 pp. + index. \$10.00.

MARRIAGE RECORDS OF SEQUATCHIE CO., TENNESSEE, Book 3, 1911-1922, 30 pp. + index. \$10.00.

Three volumes abstracted and published by Goins and Hobbs Genealogy Service. 1986. Soft cover, 8½x11. To prices listed, please add \$1.25 postage, first book, \$0.35 each additional book (TN residents add 7 3/4% tax). Order from the publisher, P.O. Box 333, Dunlap, TN 37327.

Abstracted from the original marriage books, information provided here includes date, name of bride, groom, officiant and, in most cases, that of the bondsman. Each volume has both a bride index and a groom index. Although the abstractors have solved many problems for Sequatchie County researchers, they advise caution about spelling variations and, in case of doubt about an entry, the obtaining of a photostatic copy from the clerk. JCC, JCH

MORGAN COUNTY, TENNESSEE CEMETERY INSCRIPTIONS compiled by Lee M. Cross and edited by Larry R. Spurling. 1986. Soft cover, 5½x8½. 215 pp. + vii. \$15.50. Order from Heritage Books, Inc., Suite 313, 3602 Maureen Ln., Bowie, MD 20715.

About 9,700 inscriptions from more than seventy cemeteries are presented alphabetically. Each listing consists of name, date of birth and death, and a three letter code indicating the cemetery. A separate index gives apparent maiden names of women from the larger listing. JCH

CONFEDERATE RESEARCH SOURCES A Guide To Archive Collections by James C. Neagles. 1986. Soft cover, 5½x8½. 286 pp. Indexed. \$12.95. Order from Ancestry Publishing, P.O. Box 476, Salt Lake City, UT 84110.

Author Neagles traveled to each of the Confederate and border states to determine what Confederate records are to be found in libraries and archives there. He then describes those records giving exact locations and detailing the intricacies of searching for Confederate ancestors. He has produced a thorough and comprehensive guide to Confederate records. JCH

MOTTOES FIRST EDITION Editors, Laurence Urdang and Celia Dame Robbins. 1986. Hard cover, 6x9. 1,162 pp. Indexed. \$75.00. Order from Gale Research Co., Book Tower, Detroit, MI 49226.

Most of these mottoes, originating throughout history and used around the world by families and institutions, tend to stress positive themes and have a religious basis. This compilation of more than 9,000 is arranged in 345 thematic categories giving the motto in its original language with its English translation and its source. MDK

Book Reviews (continued)

INDEX ARKANSAS Wills and Administrations From the Earliest to 1900 compiled and edited by Mrs. James Harold Stevenson and Mrs. Edward Lynn Westbrooke, Honorary State Regents, Daughters of the American Revolution. 1986. Hard cover, 8½x11. 748 pp. + vi. \$33.50. Order from Gilberta Westbrooke, P.O. Box 248, Jonesboro, AR 72403.

With the exception of Madison County records, which are arranged by date, all these are listed alphabetically by surname of the testator. Compiled with care and diligence, this massive index almost certainly will lift the spirits of weary Arkansas researchers (this reviewer included) who frequent dusty courthouses with little success. RDT JCH

POSTLE(S) IN AMERICA, Volume I by Martha A. Montgomery and Joanne V. (Lewis) Thomas. 1984. Spiral bound, 8½x11. 293 + xxiv pp. Indexed. \$27.00. Order from Joanne V. Thomas, Rt. #5, Box 36M, Liberty, MO 64068.

The authors have collected a wealth of family data on this Ohio family whose annual reunions date from 1895. The immigrant ancestor, born ca 1700, probably in England, was Thomas Postles whose will was recorded in 1774 in Sussex County, Delaware. He married Sarah Nunes/Nunez, and their progeny is traced through the sixth, and sometimes the seventh, generations in this well organized and tastefully written family history. JCH

PITFALLS In Genealogical Research BY Milton Rubincam, FASG. 1987. Soft cover, 5½x8½. 74 pp. \$5.95. Order from Ancestry, Inc., P.O. Box 476, Salt Lake City, UT 84110.

A noted author and speaker in the field of genealogy draws upon his years of experience and extensive reading on the subject to detail common mistakes waiting to happen to the unwary genealogist--amateur, avocational, or professional. This very readable monograph, an extension of lectures presented to various groups by the author, is both interesting and informative. JCH

CHICAGO And COOK COUNTY SOURCES, A Genealogical and Historical Guide by Loretto Dennis Szucs. 1986. Soft cover, 5½x8½. 334 + x pp. Indexed. \$12.95. Order from Ancestry, Inc., P.O. Box 476, Salt Lake City, UT 84110.

According to the author, "To catalog all of the sources available for Cook County genealogical and historical research would take more than a lifetime." This book, she tells us, results from a careful survey of available sources and is an outgrowth of experiences--hers and others. A sampling of chapter titles indicates the broad scope of its coverage: Adoption Records, Architectural and House History Sources, Chicago Communities and Neighborhoods, Church and Religious Records, Ethnic Sources, Naturalization Records, Newspapers, Societies, Archives and Manuscript Collections. JCH

APPRENTICES OF CONNECTICUT, 1637-1900 by Kathy A. Ritter. 1986. Soft cover, 5½x8½. 183 pp. Indexed. \$12.95. Order from Ancestry, Inc., P.O. Box 476, Salt Lake City, UT 84110.

The author has done a superb job of abstracting, listing, and presenting some unusual record sources for genealogists. The focal listing is alpha-by-surname of the apprentice. A separate index contains the names of masters and others mentioned in the record. A letter-number code at the end of each listing in the main body of the work refers to a list of sources enabling the researcher to quickly locate the primary record. JCH

BIOGRAPHY ALMANAC, Third Edition edited by Susan L. Stetler. 1987. Hard cover, 5½x8. Three Volumes. Vols. 1(A-K)-2(L-Z), Biographies, 1,771 pp., \$50.00; Vol. 3, Indexes, 924 pp., \$50.00; \$88.00 for three volume set. Order from Gale Research Co., Book Tower, Detroit, MI 48226.

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Book Reviews (continued)

THE MASSENGILLS OF JOHNSTON COUNTY, N.C. Volume II by Florence Roberta Walker Butler. 1986. Spiral bound, 8½x11. 94 + viii pp. For price and ordering information contact the author; 202 Battley Rd., Hamlet, NC 28345.

The author dedicates this volume of Massengill records to the contributors and devotes its first two pages to listing those contributors. A correction of data published in Mrs. Butler's first Massengill volume, reviewed in "Ansearchin'" News, Vol. 34, No. 1, Spring 1987, constitutes the preface. There is a great deal of information here that needs to be examined by anyone tracing Massengills through Johnston County, North Carolina. JCH

OLD MARRIAGE RECORDS OF HICKMAN COUNTY, TENNESSEE, VOL. II compiled by Duck River Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution. 1986. Soft cover, 8½x11. 206 + iv pp. \$14.00. Order from the compilers, 140 N. Central Ave., Centerville, TN 37033.

The records included here extend from 1894 to 1907. According to the compilers, all earlier marriage records were lost to fire in 1864, and "We have been told that couples wishing to marry at this time had to go to adjoining counties for licenses, etc." Presented in this volume is an efficient listing with all pertinent information included and alphabetized. There is one exception to the latter--a twenty page concluding section offering miscellaneous Bible records. JCH

THE DESCENDANTS OF JOHN AND ELIZABETH HARBISON BELL by Janet Marrs Huston. 1986. Spiral bound. 8½x11. 145 pp. + index. \$12.50. Order from the author; 912 E. Sixth, Newberg, OR 97132.

John Bell (1789-1869) was born in Augusta County, Virginia and moved to Kentucky some time prior to 1811. He married Elizabeth Harbison (1790-1875), daughter of Mathew Harbison. After 1830 the Bells moved to St. Francois County, Missouri and produced eight children. Mrs. Huston traces the line through seven generations and welcomes comments and corrections. NFW

GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH DIRECTORY, National and International, 1987, and Guide to Genealogical Societies by Keith A. Johnson and Malcolm R. Sainty. 1987. Soft cover, 5x8. 864 pp. \$20.50. Order from Mrs. Netti Schreiner-Yantis, 6818 Lois Dr., Springfield, VA 22150.

This eighth Directory is larger than the seventh (reviewed in "Ansearchin'" News, Vol. 33, No. 3, Fall 1986) by almost 100 pages. It contains entries from some 5,778 individual contributors from twenty countries--a total of more than 100,000 entries to the Directory--and is a notable international research tool. JCH

THE DALES OF EASTERN SHORE MARYLAND AND TENNESSEE compiled by Clarice Neal. 1986. Hard cover, 8½x11. 280 pp. Indexed. Write for price; order from the compiler, 2209 Shoal Creek Blvd., Austin, TX 78705.

This excellent work traces descendants of brothers James and John Dale who came to Maryland in the late 17th Century, and those of their kinsman William Dale, mariner, who lived across the Chesapeake in Norfolk County, Virginia. Progeny who scattered to Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Mississippi, Ohio, Tennessee and points west are followed. Mrs. Neal, who has compiled the Dale-Deale-Dial research of Harry Wright Newman and Margaret Dale with her own, presents the material in a manner that is both easy to understand and to use with references generously noted. Several pages of family pictures, Bible records, and maps are included. Another significant inclusion are letters of Adam Dale, dated 1851, in which he records his genealogy and his recollections of the Revolution and the War of 1812. Allied families of Evans, McKnight, Milbourne, and Hall also receive attention. BBD

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QUERIES

Prepared for publication by Margaret Norvell Sinclair

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CORRECTION: 87-34 Nd desc/David HALEY b 1760 Halifax Co VA, d 1839 Roane Co TN; m 1783 Eliz Brooks GRAVES 1767-1815. Chn: Elijah Graves; Sarah EDDINGTON; Robt K; David W; Wm B; Eliz BEAN; Martha DAVIS; Letha DIBRELL; Burris; Malinda G COFFEE. David m/2 Elizabeth HENSLEY 1816. Patricia Lee Murphy, 20 W. Lucerne Circle, Apt 916, Orlando, FL 32801

87-73 JENNINGS: Nd pts, sibs: Robt Jennings/Prince Edward Co VA m Rachel PATTERSON; their son Doctor m Rhoda WILEY; their son Schuyler (Perry Co TN) m Polly BARNETT & came to UT 1848. Wish to buy JENNINGS & ALLIED FAMILIES by Beatrice McKay Douthie. Des corr any Jennings resch. Lois J. Bracken, 181 South 500 East, St. George, UT 84770

87-74 COOK: Des corr desc/Christian Cook & wf Elizabeth. Chn: Jesse b 1815, Elizabeth b 1816, Jordan b 1818, Jamis A b 1819, Isham b 1820, Loucinda b 1821, Jackson b 1822, Martha b 1824. Christian Cook lived in Tishomingo Co MS 1840-60. W. H. Beavers, P.O. Box 156, China, TX 77613

87-75 MERONEY: Nd wives, chn, pl & da/d Galen Wright Meroney, b Blount Co TN 1835. Will exch. Sherrie Yokley, Rt. 8, Box 28, Columbia, TN 38401

87-76 Resch PURCELL/TN, NC & Ire; DENTONS/Clay & Jackson Cos TN. Hardi Purcell b c1775 NC (s/ Edward Purcell) m Eliz MANNING b c1778 (nd pts); liv Jackson Co 1850 with Denton & Tabitha Purcell MOORE. Was Hiram Denton/Clay Co 1826 (wf Eliz CHERRY, dau/Lemuel) s/Isaac b NC? Margaret Moore Warmuth, 26833 Tannahill Ave., Canyon Country, CA 91351

87-77 Burton ACREE b 1794 VA, wf Eliz b 1805 VA (nd pl/mg); in Rutherford Co TN 1830-50 with Margaret, Temperance? (m E H DEAN), Pernelia? I (m Newton C CARNAHAN), Annabella? (m Richard GRIMES), Terissa (m Barton SMOTHERMAN), R D, Jno C, Levi F (m Louisiana DUNN), Nancy E, Martha J F & Jas F; chn b 1820-1845. Carolyn Odle Smotherman, P. O. Box 130, College Grove, TN 37046

87-78 RITTENBERRY: Nd pts, pl/b & da/d of Chas Rittenberry b c1771 VA, d Jackson Co TN 1851-60. Richard G Rittenberry b c1771 VA, liv Jackson Co TN, d 22 Jan 1873 Saline Co IL. Des corr desc. James A. Rittenberry, P. O. Box 143, Harrisburg, IL 62946

87-79 WILSON-BOYD: Francis A Wilson b 1824 SC, d 1903 Fayette Co TN, bur Mt Pleasant Cem, Hickory Withe, TN; m/1 Haddassah Boyd (d 1879), m/2 Cordelia Boyd (d 1907, bur Rehoboth Cem, Fayette Co), daus/Calvin Boyd & Elizabeth ? . Did Francis & Delia have chn? Mrs. Pauline Miller, P. O. Box 622, Earle, AR 72331

87-80 KING-GAMBLE: Nd info Jos N King b c1832-1841; m/1 ? (d Hardeman Co TN), m/2 Nancy Gambil; chn b 1861-1878 Hardeman Co TN, m in Greene & Craighead Cos AR: Eliz (ODELL), Ellen (SPEAKS), Jos (WILKINS), Chas Danl (HUNTER), Parlie (WILKINS), Macy (CLARK), Jess, Tennie (BYRD). Leah Ingram King, 1501 Cartwright, Earle, AR 72331

87-81 Nd info on: Wm TOMPKINS b 1772, wf Eliz OWENS b 1778 & chn Jos, Nancy, Thos, Vinah, Alfred, Eliz, Rebecca, Jane, Susannah & Elijah; Arthur PIERCE; Rev John, Sampson & Benj Brown COLE; all/Carter & Overton TN 1700s & c1850; CAIN-HOWELL & BLAGGS fams in TN. Lynn Kappelman, 920 Melrose Dr., Richardson, TX 75080

87-82 DOBBS-REEVES: John Calvin Dobbs b 2 Jun 1851 Nashville, d 2 Mar 1942 Vinita, OK, m 15 Dec 1874 Honey Grove, TX Nancy Reeves; was he s/John A Dobbs (liv Nashville 1860)? Des corr desc. Virginia Hayes, Box 154, Minco, OK 73059

87-83 LOWREY-DAVIS-BERRY: Nd info on: orgins/Col John Lowrey's pts, Geo Lowrey (Scots trader) & Nannie (desc/Oolootsa of the Holly clan of the Cherokees); Wm Davis b 1780 VA & wf Margaret Berry. They settled Bedford Co TN c1808. Pamela W. Hagen, 1530 Ridge Rd., Lancaster, PA 17603

Queries (continued)

87-84 Nd pts/Thos Benj GLEAVES b 1830 Williamson? Co TN, liv Dyer Co TN 1850-66; m/1 Lucinda WRIGHT (dau/Jason & Mary Wright b NC c1800; nd pts); sons John & Jacob. Thos m/2 1866 Nancy Ann BURNHAM; both bur Roger Mills Co OK. Will exch.
Lois D. Gleaves, 2636 So. 46th, Lincoln, NE 68506

87-85 Nd all info: Mary PHILLIPS, Jan BELL, Becky ALEXANDER, Paul HUIER c1863-1940, nr Cumberland Co TN. Nd pts, sibs, fam/Jas W GIPSON b 1848 Whitley Co KY; chn: Doc, Hollie, Pat, Colonel, & Angela Gipson.
Gail Gillis, Box 916, Parowan, UT 84761

87-86 CARTER-PRICE: Nd info: Chas Carter, Alice (Price) Carter, & dau Pauline Mae Carter b 1902/3. Gen area/Nashville or surrounding Cos, 1900-1910. Was Chas killed in crane or derrick collapse while working for TN St Road Dept?
Frank C. Davis, P. O. Box 141193, Coral Gables, FL 33114

87-87 GILLIAM-ADAMS-BIVINS: Nd pts/Nancy Gilliam b VA, m 1827 Edward Adams, Rutherford Co TN; chn: Eliza, Frances, Nancy, Jesse, & Docey. Eliza m 1848 Beverly Randolph Bivens, s/Lewis & Nancy Bivins [nd pts] who mov to Rutherford Co fr Rowan Co NC early 1820s).
Mrs. Frank Burian, 4 Sweetwood Court, Ballwin, MO 63011

87-88 MANNING-CHERRY: Nd info re John Manning b NC c1758, m Elizabeth Cherry; mov to Stewart Co TN with bros Cornelius, Markham & Whittell in early 1800s.
Mrs. Shirley Manning Beauchamp, Rt. 1, Box 120, Boaz, KY 42027

87-89 Wm K KULBETH/CULBREATH/GALBREATH b c1765 VA?, liv Rhea Co TN 1810-1816 gave middle names of DILCO-JONES-PETERSON-WILLBURN-McCLOUD to daus b NC & TN 1802-1810. Will exch info.
John A. Kulbeth, 2453 Hemlock Ct., Merced, CA 95340

87-90 WIMBERLEY-SEXTON-SMITH: Lewis Wimberley 1807-1877 & wf Berthenia Sexton 1811-1885 (nd pts) had 11 chn; liv Henry Co TN. Son Frederick Noah 1842-1919 m 1866 Mary Emiline Smith (nd her pts).
Mrs. Ulues Wimberley, 1466 Whitewater Rd., Memphis, TN 38117

87-91 WATSON-GRIFFIN-WILLIAMS-RANDOLPH-SHEFFIELD: Nd pts/David Watson b 1785 SC, vol in War of 1812 fr Davidson Co TN; m 1816 Sally, dau/Nimrod & Christiana Griffin Williams. Son Nimrod b 1817, m 1842 Mary Brunson Randolph, dau/Jas & Lucretia Sheffield Randolph of Lincoln Co TN.
Dixie X. Smith, 3300 Tudor Rd., Oklahoma City, OK 73122

87-92 BLOUNT/BLUNT-HARMAN/HARMON: Nd pts, sibs/Harriet E Blount (Blounts from VA?) b 19 Aug 1811 Dickson Co TN, m John Harman (s/Jacob) c 1831 Perry? Co TN (present Decatur Co area?). To TX 1837, Washington Co AR 1840-45, TX 1846 on.
Mrs. A. E. Regan, 2140 Legion Drive, Gretna, LA 70056

87-93 PERRY-FLYNT-HARDER: Ann Fountain Perry (1745-c1796) m Richard Flynt (1720-1791) fr E TN migration; Mary Ann Perry (d aft 1827) m John Nicholas Harder (1752-1818) fr Williamson Co TN. Nd Perry contacts for pts & ancestry.
David B. Howell, 111 Parlange St., Thibodeaux, LA 70301

87-94 Des corr desc/Francis PERRY (1727-1813), wf Mable/Sally; chn Sion 1760-1814, Aaron 1762, son Darling c1767, Francie Jr c1769, Nathan c1770, Wm c1771-1822, Mary TRULOVE, Mable WILLIAMS, Sally HUNTER, Agnes MAGIBES, Anna BRIDGES, Racheal AMARDAL, Hanner (m 1785 Wm PARHAM), Olive (m Benj Wright 1789). NC & TN.
Mamie J. Gregg, 401 Brain St., Borger, TX 79007

87-95 Pub GOODBREAD FAM HISTORY: Nd chn & their mgs/Richard & Minty BRADLEY; Thos WALTON & Mary Eliz WILLIAMS: Jas & Mary MORRIS (& 2nd wf Temperance FOX); John PHILLIP & Nancy JOHNSON; Linnie & David SNODGRASS. Nd chn/Geo Walton Bradley (RS) & wf Sarah Goodbread (dau/Phillip Goodbread Sr/Rutherford Co NC). Sarah & chn d White Co TN.
James T. Goodbread, Rt. 1, Box 285, Cleveland, OK 74020

87-96 Was Benj WILKINSON f/Geo Wilkinson b c1815 Spartanburg/Greenville SC, drowned c1847 Cumberland River, Smith Co TN; m c1835 Mary CANTRELL (dau/Abraham Cantrell & 1st wf Susan COLLINS).

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Nd wf/Stephen GARDNER (s/John c1755-1841) b 1781 NC, d aft 1850 Stewart Co TN; dau Celia b GA? Marilyn Creighton, 10423 W. Devonshire, Phoenix, AZ 85039

87-97 WILLIAM-JOHNSON-PEELER-ELINOR: Benj William b 2 Feb 1778 NC, d 10 Jan 1835 Carroll Co TN, m Nancy Johnson; 13 chn. Son Ephraim (30 Dec 1824-16 Jul 1891) m Adaline Peeler 27 Nov 1856 Carroll Co; 4 chn. Son Geo Samuel m Nancy Benj Elinor 15 Jan 1882 Carroll Co. Helen Weaver Williams (Mrs. George), 423 Griffin Parkway, Mission, TX 78572

87-98 CLAXTON-MATHIS-MARTIN: Nd pts, sibs/Hiram Maddison Claxton b TN 1817, m 1837 LaGrange, TN Temperence Mathis; had one bro Jms A b Franklin Co TN. Liv Tippah Co MS to 1860. Died Howell Co MO 1890. Had 13 chn. Who was Martha Martin with Hiram & Temp, Tippah Co 1860 cen? Wanda L. Claxton Warehime, 2431 S. 108 E. Ave., Tulsa, OK 74129

87-99 MORRIS-GILBERT: Nd pts/Wm Arch Morris b c1813 TN, m 5 Oct 1837 Sumner, TN Martha Gilbert b c1808 TN; they mov to Dade, MO c1845. Mrs. La Cretia H. Stout, 2524 E. 88th S., Apt. 8, Tulsa, OK 74137

87-100 HOLMES-HARVEY: Nd info: Gardner J. Holmes b c1821 SC (where), m Charlotte/Carrie Melissa Harvey? 1843 Carroll Co TN; chn: Glover M, Albert H, Wm Harmon b 1851, Ardena E, Allie A, Mary A, Sarah J. Was father Jacob?, mother Polly? Diana Holmes Schraeder, 7963 Woodstone, Dallas, TX 75248

87-101 WALL(S)-SULLINGER: Des corr on Wall line fr TN who settled in Cape Girardeau Co & old New Madrid Co MO by 1840. Nd pts/Mary Walls, m Thos Sullinger c1840 Stoddard Co MO. Dora Stafford Robinson, 2237 Flair, Oklahoma City, OK 73159

87-102 Nd info: Geo W WILLIAMS b 1843 TN?, d 1908, bur Holly Grove Cem nr Jones, TN, m/l Marie A ROBERTS, m/2 Virginia ROBERTSON; chn: Martha, Lidia Ann, Sarah, Thos Franklin, Amanda M, Levi, Porter (liv Sheboygan, WI), Chas, Ida F (m/l Boggs, m/2 NORVELL), Jenetia, Dasey, Clidia Belle. T. F. Norvell, 10908 East 28th Place South, Tulsa, OK 74129

87-103 KELLUM(S)/KILLEM(S)/CALLUM(S)/COLLUM(S): Spelled many ways; fam believed fr PA c1776; in Lee Co VA c1790; to NE TN c1800; to KY c1810; to IN c1815. Known names: Asa, Daniel, Gilbert, Geo, Jas, John, Wm. Nd info on any & all. R. W. Nash, Rt. 2, Box 198, Neodesha, KS 66757

87-104 SMITH-SHADDEN: Nd all info: Jas (Andy) Smith b c1845 m Eliz Shadden, Monroe, Blount or NC border cos. Known chn: John Henry, Hense, Betta, Lark. Father of Jas thought to be Michael b c1825 m full blooded Cherokee. Her father Immanuel? Resch ROGERS-TAYLOR-HALCOMB-STEWART-NICHOLSON fams same area; will exch. Pat Marshall (Mrs. David H.), 2512 Westridge Drive, Plano, TX 75075

87-105 TAYLOR-STRANGE: Nd da & pl/d of Chas Taylor & Jesse A Strange, prob in Shelby Co c1850. Chas was gr f of John Henry Taylor of Memphis; Jesse was John's Father-in-law. Was Chas s/ Lewis Taylor of Granville Co NC? Catherine McMahon, 2521 17th St., Lake Charles, LA 70601

87-106 Nd pts, pl/b, pl/m & pl/d of all: John LAHIFF/Bridget; Wm WITCHER/Patsy ROY/RAYS, Thos REYNOLDS/Durinda SLADEN; W B HOOPER/Rebecca BELL; Thos WOODSON/Mary Hooper; Wm Reynolds/Nannie MANN; Edward MOSLEY/Nora Woodson; all Stewart, Montgomery, Cheatham Cos as known. John La Hiff, 3317 Covered Wagon Court, Sacramento, CA 95827

87-107 HILL-ANDERSON-PETTY-VAUGHAN-WHITFIELD: Nd pts & sibs/Agnes Hill b 1860 TN, m Joel Anderson 1882. Old piece/paper had "Agnes Hill Petty Anderson". Only known rel was niece Lee Emma Whitfield, wf/Robt Pickney Vaughan, both b TN. How was she related to Lee Emma? Shirley Anderson Howard, 7001 N. Country Club Pl., Oklahoma City, OK 73116

87-108 BROWN-AWALTS: Nd pts, any info: Wade H Brown b 17 Aug 1815, Wilkes Co NC, m 11 Jan 1835 Elizabeth Awalts, Franklin Co TN. Leelena Sheeley Hickman, 8062 Orlando Way, Arvada, CO 80005

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87-109 BIRD: Nd obit & pl/bur for Jas Mathew Bird b 24 Sep 1861 NJ, d 1st wk/Aug, 1923, Waverly, Humphreys Co TN; m 17 Jul 1888 Marie Isabelle ? . They liv in "Poverty Hills" area.
Fran Erickson, 1028 South Vine, Park Ridge, IL 60068

87-110 DAVIDSON-PATTON: Nd ances/John Davidson; m Rebecca Patton & liv Williamson Co TN c1803-c1820. Nd pts/Saml Davidson b 1805 Williamson Co; was he s/Jas Davidson of Buncombe Co NC?
S. T. Davidson, 115 Glenhaven Terr., Tallahassee, FL 32312

87-111 EDMONDSON-WRENN-SHANKLIN-MEREDITH: Archibald Edmondson, wf Nancy Wrenn & s Jas (m 1819 Logan Co KY Malinda Shanklin) in Weakley Co TN 1820. Saml B Meredith b c1785 NC & sons Saml, Danl, Wm (b TN) in 1820-30 Weakley Co. Aft 1830 fams/Jas & Saml in Lawrence/Greene Co AR.
Mary J. Carter, 5701 E. Glenn #62, Tucson, AZ 85712

87-112 WILSON: Des corr desc/Robt & Elonar Wilson. Son Jas, RS, d 1843 in Marshall Co TN. Is this fam related to Thos B Wilson of Franklin Co TN 1860?
Verna Banes, 5302 Marsh Creek Drive, Austin, TX 78759 or Box 7435, Huntsville, TX 77340

87-113 WINFORD-LEACH: Nd info Billy Mack Winford b 11 Feb 1882 Fayette/Fayetteville, TN, d 2 Jan 1958 Memphis, TN, m 1925/1926 Covington, TN, Ruth Leach. He liv Florence, AL bef 1926.
Pamela C. Sanders, 3766 Oak Lake Ln, Memphis, TN 38118

87-114 HESTER-BAKER-HOPKINS-CUMMINGS-SIPES: Nd info: Mary Eliz Hester Baker Hopkins (1833-1902) of Bedford/Rutherford/Marshall Cos (dau/Jeremiah Hester, Granville Co NC & Rutherford Co TN?); John/Jack Cummings (1859-1940) of Madison/Henderson/Hardin Cos (s/Riley, sib/Jennie Cummings Sipes?).
Jeff Reece, 1820 Poplar Ave., #29, Memphis, TN 38104

87-115 MOORE-FIELDS-HURST: Des corr desc/Hannah Moore Fields Hurst b 1845 SC, (wf/Edward J Hurst), & her bro Ransom Jos Fields b 1843 SC, living Saline Co AR 1880-1910.
Beverly S. Crone, 544 W. Clover Dr., Memphis, TN 38119

87-116 DEZARN-GALLION: Nd pts/Elizabeth Gallion of Hawkins Co TN, m c1810 there Francis Dezarn; they settled in Clay Co KY where most of chn b. Will pay postage & copying/any info.
Coralie Allsberry Waddell, 4524 E. Gettysburg, Fresno, CA 93726

87-117 ROADY: Researching Roady anywhere, any time. Thanks.
Ermine Roady Stewart, P. O. Box 1167, Camarillo, CA 93011

87-118 Des corr: Jonathan MOODY b c1780 NC (s Jonathan b 1815 TN); Thos RANDALL m Martha STEWART (dau Mary Sarah b 1813 TN); Jas H C CALHOUN b 1803 SC, m Barbara PENCE b 1807 AL (s Geo b 1824 AL); Danl SANDERS c1760-1809, m Jane, d 1813 Maury Co TN (chn Peter & Wm Archie).
Austin Stalford, 4333 Prairie Ln., Del City, OK 73115

87-119 Is Ann BEATY HOPE the 60-70 F in house/Mathew WALKER 1830 cen Davidson Co TN? Is she bur Walker fam plot, Craighead Cem, now pt/Spring Hill Cem? Was John HOPE, d 6 Mar 1805 bur on farm on Dry Cr, Davidson Co? Did Jephtha MOORE m c1820 Giles Co Lucy JONES?
Mrs. Robert S. See, 206 Miami, Coleman, TX 76834

87-120 HAMMOCK-MAPLES-BOULTON: John Hammock made declaration of VA service Oct 1838 in Grainger Co TN; his wf was Nancy Maples; dau Elizabeth m 1805 Grainger Co John Boulton. Is there a connection between John Hammack & Robt Hammack who d 1825 Surry Co NC?
Nancy Long, 6192 Hellman Ave., Alta Loma, CA 91701

87-121 Nd pts, info Marion McDONALD BAILEY b c1846 KY, d c1890 TN?KY?; m/1 Martha E OLIVER 1869 Henry Co TN, m/2 c1878 Calloway Co KY Clarinda HAWES. Sibs: Eliz M b 12 Oct 1833, d 1914 Big Sandy, TN m 1858 John Thos SHROAT Henry Co & Henry C Bailey b c1832 KY.
Betty Moran, 18832 Cordary Ave., Torrance, CA 90504

87-122 HUNT: Nd any info: Irby D Hunt b c1902 AL, liv Chattanooga, TN 1910, m c1924 Los Angeles area Ida Marjorie ? . He was s/Jas Hunt (cabinet maker in coffin factory) & Leila ? . Sib/Olin, Swarmer?, Mamie, Vurna?, & others unknown.
Sally Nick, W. 14809 Autumn Lane, Nine Mile Falls, WA 99026

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87-123 Nd pts, sibs, desc/Wm W BASKETT b c1770, d 1834 Roane Co TN, & wf Sarah; chn: Sarah Ann, Jas A, Andrew J (both sons in Cumberland Co fr 1856). Des corr desc/Samuel HOPE m Agnes DUNCAN 1812 Roane Co. Isaac OWSLEY/HOUSELEY of Claiborne Co TN, f/Saml D Ousley, d 1887 Rhea Co TN. Ronny O. Bodine, 3024-E Thompson Loop, Fort Meade, MD 20755

87-124 ALDRIDGE-NIGHT-PIPPIN: Nd ances & desc: Isaac Aldridge b 1804 NC, m 1831 Minda ? ; (Smith Co TN 1840-50); Wm Night b c1830, d 1860s Jackson Co TN, m 1851 Mariah Pippin (f/Jas Simpson Night?); Henry Pippin b 1810 NC, liv Jackson Co TN 1830-70; was dau Mary b 1833 Mariah? Mrs. Gale W. Bamman, CG, P. O. Box 8161, Nashville, TN 37207

87-125 OWEN-STUART: Nd pts/Thos Edward Owen, Halifax Co VA, m c1808 Sally Eugenia (dau/Chas & Rachel Stuart); aft wf d, mov to Rutherford Co TN & d there. Chn: Daniel, Chas, Stephen, Henry Eppie (15 May 1813-17 Feb 1893 Ray Co MO), Nathaniel, Branch, Mary & Catherine. Ralph Theodore Reavis, 2242 Kirby Parkway, Memphis, TN 38119

87-126 Nd info on Elijah DUNCAN b 1840 & wf Manervey (nd name) b 1848, both b Anderson Co TN; son Wilson 2 yrs on 1870 cen. Nd later info; was Louis another son? Where did they go? Ann Duncan Kunkel, Rt. 3, Box 136, Greenwood, WI 54437

87-127 Wm ALLEN m Lydia STROU(T/D), Orange, Wilkes, Burke Cos NC & Jackson Co TN, (sibs Annanias, Goshum, Chas, Saml, Isaac); Howell HERN, Chatham Co NC & Overton Co TN, John C H(O/A)NEY m Eliz STE(I)GALL, Anson Co NC, Overton, Benton Cos TN. Jos TOWNSEND b VA, Overton, Carroll, Benton Cos TN 1760s to 1840. Mrs. Josephine Allen Zaugg, 860 West Delta, Union, OR 97883

87-128 LOTHERY-BROWN-VAN METER-MANN: Nd pts/Kathryn & Mary Elizabeth/Betty Lothery, both b & reared E TN. Kathryn b 1845 m/1 ? Brown, m/2 Aaron R Van Meter, liv Hart & Warren Cos KY, d 1927. Betty m Joe Mann, liv Hardin Co KY, d 1912. Jack H. Thacker, 557 Dorado Dr., Fairborn, OH 45324

87-129 WILLIS-McVAY-MUMPOWER: Nd info on Robt Willis b 1784 VA, m/1 1806 Mary McVay, m/2 1816 Polly Mumpower; fam mov to IN c1835. Was he bro/Moses & Wm of Sullivan, later Grainger Co TN? Barbara Peterson, Box 8307, Nikiski, AK 99635

87-130 DONELSON-HA(Y)DEN-HARRISON: Nd pts & pl/m Jane Donelson m 1776 Elisha Haden b VA 1755 (s/Joshua & Susanna Haden?, cousins). Son Elisha m 1799 Russellville, KY Mary Harrison b 1790 SC. Nd any info. Betty Brockell Kupersmith, 1511 N.E. 92 Street, Seattle, WA 98115

87-131 SA(U)NDERSON: Des corr with desc/Molly (EUBANK) & Edward Sanderson, Sumner & Davidson Cos; emigrated fr Amherst Co VA c1807. His inventory was rec 22 Dec 1826 Davidson Co. Chn: John E (stayed in VA), Mary/Polly, Edward S, Geo E, Elizabeth M, & Wm P. Mrs. Margaret L. Hill, P. O. Box 236, Mollusk, VA 22517

87-132 Nd info: Noah b 1813, m Laura b 1817, GARNER fr McNairy Co; John Dee Witt MORROW b 1832, m Margaret Ann BALL b 1844 fr Giles/Lawrence Co; Winston ELLINGTON b 1820; Thos WILLIAMS b 1792, m Dilly Ann MEDLIN b 1795 fr Bells, Madison/Crockett Co TN. William H. Garner, 2175 N. Heritage Way, Oak Harbor, WA 98277

87-133 McREE: Nd: names, da & pl/b for pts/Jas McRee, d 1804 Bedford Co TN; da & pl/mg & name, da & pl/b of wf. Wm Elliott McRee (b 2 Apr 1784 NC, d TX 1843 on stagecoach) only known ch; nd names of any others. Marymaganes McCool Fenwick (Mrs. E. C.), 204 Hickory St., Kosciusko, MS 39090

87-134 STEPHENS: Nd any & all Stephens info from Newport, Cocke Co TN for yrs 1803 & before. Betty A. Feakes, 330 3rd Ave., Apt 317, Fairbanks, AK 99701

87-135 GIBSON-BATES-McGeHEE: If you have access to past local society quarterlies for Bedford-Cannon-Wilson-Rutherford-Warren-Coffee-Lincoln Cos, please help by looking for Jas Gibson & wf Catherine, d bef 1850; Jas Bates & daus Nancy & Catherine; Wm McGehee & wf Derina bef 1840. Mary Jane Davis, 7451 North Shore Rd., Norfolk, VA 23505

Queries (continued)

87-136 Nd pts/Walter GARDENHIRE b 1800 MD, m 1823 Greene Co OH Mary McCONNELL: chn: Margaret (m PINKERTON & LYNCH), Eliza Ann HOUSTON; Nancy Jane ENLOE; Wm Finley (m/1 Rachel Ann LYNCH); Jas Madison (m Susan GRIGGS & Nancy W CHANDLER), Saml; David; Geo, Mary Julie, Martha FLEMING; Mary Louise.

Mrs. John Martsching, 3000 N. W. Roosevelt Drive, Corvallis, OR 97330

87-137 WILLIAMS-HILL-HUFFMAN-BEAVER: Nd info on Wm Williams b 1810 TN (was he s/Wm Williams b 1781 NC & sib/Johnson, Bartley, Priscilla Guiss, John?), m Elizabeth Hill; in Franklin Co 1830; to MO 1848. Nd pts/Joshua Huffman; in Carroll Co TN 1850; m Catherine Beaver.

Pauline Williams Huffman, 318 E. McGee, Springfield, MO 65807

87-138 FARNSWORTH-McCLAIN: Nd info on pts/Robt John Farnsworth b Greene Co 1804. Also nd info on wf Nancy Jane McClain b 1805 Scotland.

Sharon Affeltranger, 374 Coral Ridge Dr., Pacifica, CA 94044

87-139 RANGLES-BENNETT-McCONEY: Nd info on Wm Randles (s/Richard Randles & Elizabeth Bennett), b 12 Feb 1786 VA, m Elizabeth McConey; both d TN. All 9 chn b Sevier Co TN.

Mrs. Terry Randles, 2716 San Paula Ave., Dallas, TX 75228

87-140 KILPATRICK-WATSON: Nd info/Jas M Kilpatrick, 1840 Maury Co TN; m 1803 Rutherford Co NC Elizabeth Watson; wit deeds 1811 & 1816 Buncombe Co when my Wm Allen Kilpatrick was b there.

Believe sons inc Andrew B, John Watson, Enos Simpson. Nd proof he is my ances.

Mrs. Alice K. Lambert, 10707 Rosehaven St., Fairfax, VA 22030

87-141 DURHAM-DEATON: Des corr on Willis F Durham b Orange Co NC 11 Nov 1828 & Amanda M Deaton Deaton, b Van Buren Co TN 20 Jan 1837; m 31 Mar 1853; liv Van Buren, White, Warren Cos TN. Mov to Bell Co TX 1869.

Opal Hagler, 1717 Norfolk, Apt. 1420, Lubbock, TX 79416

87-142 ROLLINS-KEEL-BRITT-SISSOMS-YATES: Nd info: Jos Rollins & Susan Keel (1813-1893), m 1864 Rutherford Co TN. Chn: Jas Robt (1866-1957) m 1887 GA, Emily Lena Britt; Wm Mack (1870-1970) m Ada Asline Sissom; Daniel Robt m Maggie Yates; Barbie; Susan; Liza; Thankful?; Lewis.

James A. Rollins, P.O. Box 22, Ochlocknee, GA 31773

87-143 SIMPSON-HENDERSON: Will exch info: Asa Simpson b 1805 TN, (older bro John W), m Emily Henderson b 1815 TN. Was Pheasant H. Simpson the f/Asa & John W, who d 1848, Dade Co MO?

Asa & John in Barry, Dade & Polk Cos MO. Where did they live in TN?

Reva Hopkins Bruhn, P.O. Box 1575, Visalia, CA 93279

87-144 DRUEN/DRAUGHON/DREWIN-COUCH-COOPER-WEST-COLLINS-GILMORE: Resch fol TN fams: Andrew J Druen m Celia Couch; Jas Cooper m Martha West; John Collins & son Jas m Malinda Gilmore.

Nita J. Cameron, 4014 10th St., N. W., Gig Harbor, WA 98335

87-145 CUNNINGHAM-WATKINS-MICKLE: Nd pts & sibs/John Elliott Cunningham b 1846 TN?, d Montgomery Co TX 1904; (on 1880 Coffee Co TN cen in house/Nelson Watkins), m Nannie Frank Mickle 1883 Coffee Co; to Montgomery Co TX c1886. Chn: Walter, Myrtle, Earl, Mickle, Edward.

Grace M. Cunningham, 328 S.W. 4th St., Grand Prairie, TX 75051

87-146 COX-TROUT-SESSUMS: John R Cox b 18 Jul 1840 Trimble, TN & d there 1885, m c1866 (where?) Amanda C Trout b 10 Apr 1848 Trimble, TN, d 19 May 1934 Wilbarger Co TX; 3 chn bur same fam cem as John R (nd loc). Trimble records in Dyer/Obion/Gibson/Weakley Cos.

N. Carolyn Sessums-Steeley, 7615 Ave. O, Santa Fe, TX 77510

87-147 BOYLE-GAFFNEY: Nd info on pts, da/b, da/mg, pl/bur: ? Boyle, d bef 1871, wf Rosannah Gaffney b 2 Feb 1848, Madison, Jefferson Co IN; son Jas Michael b 12 Sep 1869 TN? Rosannah & Jas Boyle liv Memphis, Shelby Co TN 1870 cen, pg 218, 7th Ward.

Audrey E. Kargus, 1289 Reavis Barracks Road, St. Louis, MO 63125

87-148 Nd info re Jos ENGLAND b 1760/70 VA & known chn: John b 1791 VA (m Lina HALL), Sebird b 1802 Knox Co TN (m Mary Ann WHITE), Sarah b 1807 TN (m Wm WILKINS). Will pay for info & copies. Nd info/Phebe ENGLAND on Morgan Co TN 1830 cen.

Mrs. Alberta Kates, P. O. Box 1076, Livingston, TX 77351

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