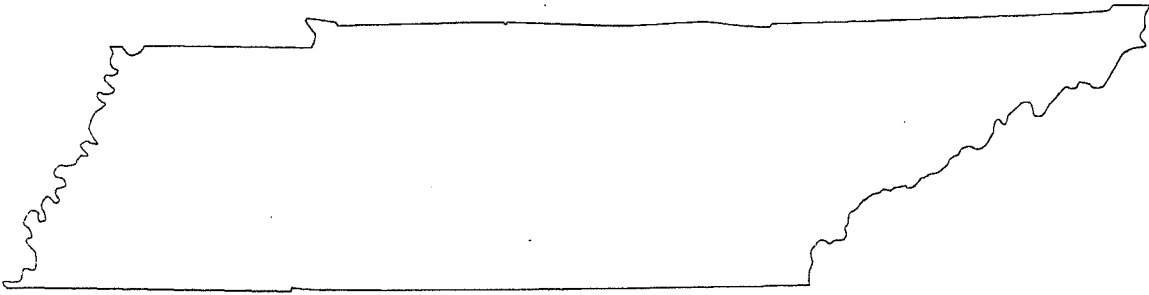


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Across the Editor's Desk

By Dorothy Marr Roberson, Acting Editor

IT'S NOT TOO EARLY to start making plans to attend the National Genealogical Society's annual conference here in the grand old state of Tennessee next May. The conference is being sponsored in Nashville May 8-11 by the Middle Tennessee Genealogical Society in honor of the state's bicentennial celebration. With a theme of "Traveling Historic Trails: Families on the Move," the three-day meet will feature 75 speakers and 150 presentations. A variety of workshops and seminars will cover topics of relevance to beginner, intermediate, and advanced researchers. A special series will treat migration, land records, repositories and their holdings not only in Tennessee but in the several states from which early Tennesseans migrated and to which many removed. Computer-related sessions will demonstrate the latest genealogical technology and products, supplemented by hands-on computer labs that will demonstrate new software programs. The conference will be at the Nashville Convention Center and adjoining Stouffer Hotel one block south of Church Street. The Tennessee State Library and Archives, located only a few blocks from the Center, will be open extra hours to accommodate convention-goers. For a conference registration brochure -- available in December -- write 1996 NGS Conference in the States, 4527 -17th St. N., Arlington, VA 22207-2399

If you're one of our subscribers who live west of the Mississippi and decide to drive to the conference, be sure to visit the TGS library here in Memphis on your way to and from Nashville. We're on the third floor of the Deerfield Building at 3340 Poplar Avenue. Call to make sure we're not out to lunch (physically, that is) and c'mon by. We'll be glad to see you! And that goes for any time you're in the Memphis area. Our regular hours are 10 a.m.- 2 p.m. every Tuesday and Thursday, and every second and fourth Saturdays of each month. Someone is usually here working on the other days, but call first to be sure. Our number is (901) 327-3273. In case you forget, it's in the phone book.

THE USE OF SHAVING CREAM to light up lettering on tombstones has a lot of genealogists in a lather. It seems that a couple of years ago one genealogical publication recommended cleaning the stone with some watered-down vinegar and then spraying a small amount of shaving cream into the lettering. It recommended using a ruler or straight-edge to spread the shaving cream and remove the excess. This supposedly makes it much easier to decipher the lettering and also makes the inscription photograph better. But now several genealogical newsletters are warning their readers to use the shaving cream for their own five o'clock shadows and not for tombstones. Read the label, they say, and you'll learn that shaving cream contains stearic acid which is more acidic than typical acid rain. Another no-no is the use of blackboard chalk. It contains gypsum, which also is harmful to tombstones. What can you use without running the risk of hastening the disintegration of Grandpaw's marker? The Tuolumne Co., Calif., Genealogical Society's newsletter, *The Gold Diggers* suggests using inert or neutral materials like talc or powdered limestone (as in crushed TUMS) for dark-colored stones and powdered graphite for light-colored stones. Try it ... and let your ancestors R.I.P.

THINK ABOUT IT: Aunts, uncles, and grandparents become greater with each successive generation while cousins just keep getting removed.

Huntingdon Doctor Writes of 'Dark and Troublous' Times of 1861

(Developed from information submitted by Bradford Livingston Jarratt, 8149 Cairn Drive, Cordova, TN 38018, great-great grandson of Dr. Ashton W. Hawkins. Other sources: History of Carroll Co., Tenn., Vol. 1, published by Carroll Co. Homecoming '86 Historical Book Committee; Carroll Co., Tenn., Marriages and History 1838-80, Vol. 1, published by Carroll County Historical Society; Compiled Service Records of Volunteer Soldiers Who Served on Organizations from State of Tennessee, National Archives Microcopy No. 395, Roll No. 65.)

Doctor, lawyer, preacher, newspaper publisher, a Union Army captain, and the father of ten children ... that's a thumbnail description of Ashton W. Hawkins of Huntingdon, Tennessee. Born 12 Oct 1824 in Bath Co., Ky., he moved with his parents, John Milton Hawkins and Polly Graham Ralston, to Tennessee at age two. The family first settled in Maury County and two years later moved to Carroll County where John ran a gunshop. Ashton was among 13 sons born to the Hawkins. Two of the boys died young ... and the 11 who lived to maturity became men of distinction: one a justice of the state Supreme Court and later governor of Tennessee ... another a state senator ... two doctors ... three newspaper editors .. and two ministers.

CHILDREN OF JOHN MILTON HAWKINS & POLLY GRAHAM RALSTON

1. Alvin T. - b. 2 Dec 1821, Bath Co., Ky, d. 27 Apr 1905; Supreme Court justice 1865-70, governor of Tennessee 1881-83, ambassador to Panama; m. Justinia Melross Ott (1825-1901).
2. Camillus - b. 29 Jan 1822 in Bath Co., Ky., d. 11 Jan 1825.
3. Ashton William - b. 12 Oct 1824, Bath Co., Ky., d. 9 Feb 1888 in Huntingdon, Tenn., physician; publisher of *The West Tennessean*; m. (1) Sarah Ann Lilly, (2) Sally Ann May.
4. Milton - b. 21 Aug 1826 in Tenn., d. 2 Jul 1850; attorney; never married.
5. James N. (Neely?) - b. 12 Apr 1828 in Tenn., d. in 1912; farmer; m. Matilda A. Harris, lived Cape Girardeau, Mo.
6. Samuel J. - b. 21 Aug 1830 in Tenn., d. ca. 1888, minister; m. (1) Mildred Elliot Trotter, (2) Evaline M. Burk.
7. Joseph Ralston - b. 6 Jul 1832 in Tenn., d. 21 Jul 1908; lawyer; soldier in Battle of Shiloh; m. (1) E.A., (2) Mary Ellen Cockran (1840-1902).
8. William H. - b. 16 Mar 1834 in Tenn., d. Abilene, Tex.; captain in Confederate Army, established the *Carroll Patriot* at the start of the Civil War, editor of *The People's Paper* 1874; m. (1) Mary E. Blackwell (1849-1876), (2) Sally Mitchell.
9. Franklin - b. 7 Aug 1838 in Tenn., CSA soldier, 27th Tenn. Infantry, killed in battle in Mississippi on 14 Aug 1864, never married.
10. Alfred - (twin) b. 24 Apr 1841 in Tenn., d. 21 Sep 1841 in Tenn.
11. Albert G. - (twin) b. 24 Apr 1841 in Tenn., d. 17 May 1908, state senator; m. (1) Susan Ellen Prince (1849-1899), (2) Kate Van Horn.
12. Camillus (II) - b. 8 Mar 1843, d. 11 Mar 1908, editor of *The McKenzie Times*, 1871; m. Joe Anna Cole.
13. Elvis B. - b. 31 Mar 1845, d. from typhoid fever 5 Jul 1871, attended medical school in Louisville, Ky., served as a doctor in the Confederate Army; never married.

Ashton, the son who wore many hats, practiced medicine as well as law, preached the Gospel as a Methodist minister, established and published *The West Tennessean* and the *Olney, Ill., Journal*. On 15 Sep 1847 he married Sarah Ann Lilly, 18-year old daughter of Col. Thomas Franklin Lilly (b. 4 Jan 1810 in North Carolina, d. 5 Dec 1882 in Texas) and Minerva Hassell. Sarah Ann was born in Henry County, Tenn., in 1829 and died there 19 June 1855 as the result of complications from childbirth.

CHILDREN OF ASHTON AND SARAH ANN (LILLY) HAWKINS

- (1.) Flora Ann Hawkins - b. 5 Aug 1852 in Carroll Co., Tenn., d. 23 Nov 1899 in Carroll Co., m. on 16 Sep 1868 to John Wesley McCullough (b. 1846, d. 1888)
- (2.) Alverda Hawkins - b. 25 Mar 1855, d. 19 Aug 1855.

HUNTINGDON DOCTOR (continued)

On 8 May 1856, Ashton married Sally Ann May of Dickson County. Born 9 Jul 1836, she was the daughter of John May. Five years after their marriage, Tennesseans were caught up in a hot debate over the question of secession. Ashton, in a letter on 24 May 1861 to his former father-in-law, Col. Lilly, discussed the difficult situation facing the state and the nation:

"You properly style these dark and troublous times. They may be called dark in more than one sense. They are dark from the fact that, sanguine as my disposition is, I confess I can see no ray of hope gilding our future prospects as a people -- dark from the fact that reason no longer guides and controls the minds of our people but her throne is usurped by prejudice and passion - doubly dark from the fact that our people are thirsting for the blood of their brethren.

"As to the immediate cause of the evils which now environ us, I would point to the corruption of our politicians. The dissolution of our Union is a thing premeditated and labored for for years past. For this end the Democratic party was disrupted at Charleston and Baltimore, thereby invoking a purely sectional contest in which the North was bound to triumph. The Cotton States having seceded upon an allegation of grievances, it then became an object to drag the border slave states into the whirlpool of secession - to this end was the hasty military preparations of the South and the pusillanimous attack upon a handful of starving men at Fort Sumpter. (*sic*).

"To accomplish this object (i.e., the secession of border states), we have had a continued succession of sensational dispatches and a systematic suppression of truth and misrepresentation of the acts and objects of the administration. I am no apologist for Mr. Lincoln. I think his war policy unwise and evincing a poor conception of exalted statesmanship. As to the charges against Mr. Lincoln of having violated the Constitution in his haste to wage war on the South, I confess I am not able to decide from the unreliable nature of the statements as to what he has done. At the same time, I think Mr. Lincoln as president was bound to use every legal and constitutional means to put an end to revolution in any part of the country.

"As to the blockade of Southern ports, it should be remembered that ere this step was taken, Mr. Davis issued his proclamation authorizing the fitting out of privateers to prey upon the commerce of the Northern states. But secessionists say it is useless to talk of the past. Let us then look to the present and what do we find? You and I as well as every citizen of Tennessee is today a citizen of the United States and yet by the recent action of our Legislature in forming the League,¹ we are today at the disposal of a man assuming to be president of a nation at war with our own government bound to take up arms and fight at

¹ Hawkins is referring to an agreement which would place Tennessee's military forces under the control of the president of the United States.

HUNTINGDON DOCTOR (continued)

his bidding. This league was formed or ratified by men sworn to support the Constitution which plainly says no state shall form such a league. We all profess to respect our state constitution and yet this legislature assumes to change its provisions. A military bill was passed calling into service 55,000 men, being about every third man in the state liable to military duty. I have taken the trouble to compute the cost of this armament for one year and can assure you that for pay, subsistence, etc., it cannot be less than \$50 million. Whence shall this money come? Is it answered that the Southern Confederacy by the terms of the League is bound to meet the expense? But is not each state alike involved? Then multiply this sum by the number of seceding states -- say 12 -- and you have the smug sum of \$600 million to be paid by these 12 states. This, you will perceive, does not lessen the difficulty and I still ask whence shall the money come. But I will be told I should not stop to count the cost. Ah, sir, when my children shall be crying for bread and my wife shall offer the empty breast to her starving babe, will you tell me not to stop to count the cost?

"But will you consent to be subjugated? Who has told us of an attempt to subjugate any state -- especially one which makes no war on the government. Then let Tennessee repudiate the League. Let her remain true to the Constitution which the wisdom of our fathers by God's blessings gave us. Let her take her position beside glorious old Kentucky and lend her influence to stay the impious tide of fratricidal war. For myself, I expect to vote "No Separation," "No Representation." ² If the state should vote otherwise, I do not know what else I can do than quietly submit to the decision. I do not see that in conscience I could justify any factious opposition to the decision of the people.

"Now, sir, I have given you briefly my convictions as to our true position and in part the impressions upon my mind in regard to the dangers which surround us. I have not spoken in regard to the lawless spirit which animates and gives vitality to secessionism everywhere. I have not spoken of the demoralizing influence of this spirit just beginning to develop. These, with many other points, I might dwell upon did the limits of a letter permit. In reply to your last question, I will say but a word. Providence makes us (North and South) the instruments of his wrath and will favor those who first return to their allegiance and own him God over all.

"Without a change, Carroll³ will give 1,000 or more majority for the Union."

(Signed) A. W. Hawkins

² On the ballot, "separation" meant "secession" or the dissolving of all political connection with the U.S. government, and "representation" meant adopting the provisional government of the Confederate states.

³ Carroll County did vote against secession but not by as wide a margin as Hawkins predicted. The actual vote on separation was FOR -- 967, AGAINST- 1,349; on the matter of representation, the vote was FOR - 952, AGAINST - 1,351. (Goodspeed's *History of Tennessee*, 1887).

HUNTINGDON DOCTOR (continued)

When the war began, the Hawkins family -- like many others -- was divided. Polly and half of the brothers took the side of the Confederacy. John Milton and the rest sided with the Union. Ashton was among the sons supporting the Union, and he joined the Union's 7th Cavalry as a doctor, attaining the rank of captain. On 13 Apr 1863, Capt. Hawkins wrote to his daughter Flora from Camp Chase, Ohio, expressing a strong desire to "be at home in peace and quiet as I once was."

Describing some of the things he saw at camp, Capt. Hawkins wrote:

"Every morning there are numbers of old men and women, little girls and boys, all dirty and ragged looking, very poor and bad, in camp begging scraps of bread and everything the men have to give away. One old woman, who must be 60 years old, with her back bent like a rainbow, walks out from town every morning, which is four miles. She then walks around the camp, which makes two miles more. By the time she gets around, she has a sack full of bread. About a bushel and a half. Then she walks back to the city with the sack of bread on her shoulder, making a walk of about ten miles. What she does with so much bread I do not know.

"One very nice, clean little boy comes round every day with a basket of hickory nuts, ready cracked and picked out, which he sells at five cents a glass full. There are three little girls that come round twice a day to sell apples and oranges. One of them is called Libba. She is 14 years old and about your size; she is not pretty but is very smart. Another is named Eliza. She is 12 years old and is a good size larger than the first one. The other one is named Jennie. She also is 12 years old and is very pretty. Now we all like to have these little folks come round and talk with us; it looks somehow homelike. They make two or three dollars a day at this business, but I am afraid it is a bad school for them.

"We have two young ladies from Tennessee here in prison. They are Rebels and are charged with forging a military pass. I guess they will stay here till they get sick of the place. One of them, Miss Battle, is very handsome. We have a little over 2,000 paroled men here. They are from nearly all the Western States. The most of them are very well behaved men, but some of them get drunk and have to be sent to the guardhouse. There are some men here who are in 50 miles of home, who have been out for two years since they saw their homes. Now it does look to me that these men ought to have furlough for a few days, but they are good and will not desert."

Ashton went on to say: "I am not sorry I joined the Army because I thought it was right, and if we always try to do what is right we will not have very much to be sorry for on our own account. I am sorry I was taken prisoner and have to stay away from home so long.⁴ But the time will soon pass by and after it is over, it will not seem so very long."

⁴ He was captured at Trenton, Tenn., on 20 Dec 1862 by Brig. Gen. N. B. Forrest and was paroled by him the same day to Co. B, 2nd Battalion, Paroled Cavalry, Camp Chase, Ohio. Paroled prisoners of war were allowed to return to their command from time to time for duty comparable to their parole. Hawkins was paroled as a physician..

HUNTINGDON DOCTOR (continued)

Five months later, in another letter to Flora from Camp Chase, Ashton told his daughter: "The war is coming to a close very fast now, and if we have no bad luck it won't last a great while longer. I hope it soon may close; I do not like so much fighting and killing. It is cruel work."

On 26 Oct 1863, Ashton was mustered out of the service at Saulsbury, Tenn., and returned to his family at Huntingdon where he resumed his many-faceted career. He died 9 Feb 1888 in Huntingdon, and Sally died 23 Mar 1894.

CHILDREN OF ASHTON AND SALLY (MAY) HAWKINS

1. Wilhella M. - b. 11 Apr 1857, d. 1935 in Denver, Col.; Huntingdon postmistress; on 1 Sep 1880 m. Dr. Algermon Sidney Brevard (1848-1894), house doctor at Presbyterian Home Hospital, Memphis.
2. John Milton - b. 5 Mar 1859, d. 1947; in 1 El Paso, Tex.; m. Julia Arnold Hunt; newspaper reporter in Sacramento and San Francisco, Calif.; later Alamogordo, N.M., postmaster.
3. William Ashton - b. 6 Apr 1861, d. 1939 in La Lux, N.M.; m. (1) Anna Hale Frizzell who d. in 1888 in Silver City, N.M., (2) Clara Gardiner b. 1865 in New York, d. 1947.
4. Alvin R. - b. 11 Jul 1864, d. 22 May 1868.
5. Horace Norman - b. 19 Feb 1867, d. 1947; graduated Vanderbilt University 1893; attorney in Denver, Col., vice-president Gold Canyon Mine 1909; m. Frances Rubin of Nashville who d. 1913.
6. Lena Gertrude - b. 15 Jan 1870, d. 1935 in Huntingdon; m. (1) Elwood Marshall Watson, (2) the Rev. Clough Anderson Waterfield.
7. Effie Mustto - b. 1873, d. 1965 in Waverly, Tenn.; m. Jefferson Davis Luten (1861-1944).



Tennessee Easing Restrictions on Some Adoption Records

A new Tennessee law is making it easier for adopted persons 21 years of age or older to acquire copies of adoption and court records that previously could be opened only by court order. The law also applies to the adopted person's parents, siblings, lineal descendants, or legal representative. The first phase of the law, which took effect in July of this year, makes available (1) any adoption records maintained at any time by the Tennessee Children's Home Society, and (2) adoption records that were closed or sealed before March 16, 1951. Also subject to being opened under the new law are adoption agency records and Health Department vital records. The second phase of the law, which is to take effect on July 1, 1996, allows the release of adoption and court records sealed or closed after 1951. The state of Tennessee is reported to hold records on 98,000 adoptions, with 12,000 of these involving placements before 1951.

Fees vary, depending upon the service requested. "For this reason, persons making requests need to be as specific as possible about the service requested," says Jean E. Chittick, program director of adoption services for the Tennessee Department of Human Services in Nashville. She explained that requests are processed in the order in which they are received, and persons making requests will be notified in advance of the fee involved. Requests must be in writing, and must contain certain information. For further details, write Adoption Services, Tennessee Department of Human Services, 400 Deaderick St., Citizens Plaza Bldg., Nashville, TN 37219.

FOR GENEALOGISTS:

Tennessee Gee-ography!

You can drive from Paris to Moscow in less than two hours journey from Washington to Cleveland in an hour or less ... travel from Brazil to Quebec without a passport ... and get from Cuba Landing to Pittsburg Landing before Castro even knows you're gone. The best part of it is that you can visit all these places without ever leaving Tennessee.

Paris, of course, is in Henry County, Moscow's in Fayette, Washington's in Rhea, and Cleveland's in Bradley. You'll find Brazil in Gibson County, and Quebec (spelled with a "k" on the end) in White County. Cuba Landing is situated in Humphreys County, and Pittsburg Landing is anchored in Hardin. (If you don't want to land at that Pittsburg, keep cruising until you get to South Pittsburg. It's in Marion County.)

Besides the famous and the obvious, Tennessee has its own special collection of towns and communities you may never have heard of until you ran across them in a deed or an old letter in your grandmother's trunk. Frankly, some of them sort of make you wonder about our ancestors.

Why, for instance, would somebody want to name a place Only? Do you think it might originally have been "If Only" -- as in "If only the axle hadn't broke on the waggon, we'd of made it to somewheres else." Not so. The folks in Hickman County say the community was originally named Dreamer and its name was changed after the settlers found out there was another Tennessee town already called that. (They don't say where.) So Only, Tenn., must be the only town by that name.

A poignant-sounding name is Lonely in Humphreys County. (Maybe it was named by one of the Long Hunters who missed his folks back home.) And an intriguing town name is Topsy in Wayne County. You can't help wondering if Topsy "just grewed" (as in the book) or if some pioneer's wagon turned topsy-turvy. Equally intriguing is Difficult, Tenn., in Smith County. Was it hard to get to or get out of?

Some of our ancestors were no doubt hungry and thirsty when they finally decided to hunker down and establish a settlement. That's why we have places like Winesap in Cumberland County, Sweetwater in Monroe County, Watertown in Wilson County, Fruitland in Gibson County, Nutbush in Haywood County, Strawberry Plains in Jefferson County, and Peeled Chestnut in White County.

Other settlers must have had visions of striking it rich in the precious metals field. There's Gold Dust in Lauderdale County, Silver Point in Putnam County, Mineral Park in Hamilton County, Ironsburg in Monroe County, Iron City in Wayne County, and Copperhill in Polk County. Needless to say, they didn't all pan out.

Tennessee settlers also seemed to have been impressed with the geological formations they found in the territory. Maybe that's why we have Big Rock in Stewart County, Hollow Rock in Carroll County, Rockwood in Roane County, Rockford in Blount County, Rock Creek in Pickett County, Rockvale in Rutherford County, and Rocky River in Van Buren County.

Trees inspired names like Piney Flats in Sullivan County, Cedarcreek in Greene County, White Pine in Jefferson County, Crab Orchard in Cumberland County, Ashwood in Maury County, and Oak Ridge in Roane County.

For contrasts, Tennessee offers genealogists the choice between Daylight in Warren County ... Sunbright in Morgan County ... Shady Valley in Carter County ... and Pleasant Shade in Smith County. (We left Evening Shade for Arkansas.)

FAMILY FINDINGS: Giles-Webb Bible Awaits Rightful Heirs

The remains of an old Bible -- with family record pages from two other Bibles stuck inside -- caught the eye of R. W. Harris of Pensacola, Fla., when he and his wife stopped at an antique shop in Mississippi just out of Memphis. Written in beautiful penmanship in front of the Bible was the inscription, "Ellen Douglas Henry from Aunt Eliza ... Ellenbower, Virginia, November 7th 1864." The pages stuck inside the Bible listed births, deaths, and marriages for the Giles and Webb families. The names meant nothing to Harris, but still he hated to see the information going to waste and the records eventually being destroyed. So he decided to purchase the Bible and see if he could locate the present-day descendants. The antique shop owner told Harris he had a box of other family memorabilia -- so Harris took that, too. It contained some 40 or 50 letters, family photographs, locks of hair, and even a linen certificate issued by the Medical Board of Examiners to Dr. Edwin Webb in the District of Columbia in 1896.

Harris' quest to locate the rightful owners has been unsuccessful to date. He does know that the family apparently came from Virginia to Tennessee, and some descendants removed to Washington, New York, St. Louis, and Illinois. Harris would like to make a gift of the Bible and other memorabilia to the family -- if he can locate them. Giles or Webb relatives can call Harris at 1-800-239-1479 or write him in care of P.O. Box 2726, Pensacola, FL 32513.

GILES FAMILY RECORDS

Births

William Hodge Giles was born on the 2nd of July 1804¹
 Sydney Stone was born on the 5th October 1812²

Marriage

William Hodge Giles was married to Sydney Stone 5th October 1826.

Their Children

Births

1. Thomas Leroy Giles born 14 June 1827.
2. Sarah Frances Giles born 19th November 1829.
3. Josiah Edward Giles born 9th March 1831.
4. William Hodge Giles born 10th June 1833.
5. Malvina Carolina Giles born 11th July 1836.
6. Eliza Giles born 9th January 1838.
7. Mary Ann Giles born 4th March 1840.
8. Martha William Giles born 19th October 1841.
9. James Washington Giles born 20 November 1845.
10. Eliza Jane Giles born 9th April 1847.
11. Virginia Antoinette Giles born 30th November 1849.

Deaths

- Died 8th January 1856.
 Died 25th July 1840.
 Died 5th August 1840.
 Died 9th January 1838.
 Died 7th June 1846.

Other Marriages

Sarah F. Giles was married to Alfred W. Campbell 15th October 1851
 Thomas Leroy Giles was married to Genoa C. U. Lock on 16th March 1853
 Malvina C. Giles was married to Joseph A. F. Minter on 8th May 1856
 Martha William Giles was married to James F. McDaniel on 27 March 1865

¹ The will of Josiah E. Giles, written 30 Aug 1827 and proved in Sumner County, Tenn., on 29 Nov 1827, lists William Hodge Giles as a son.

² According to the 1850 census, she was born in Virginia. The census shows Sidna {sic} and William H. Giles living in Fayette Co., Tenn., with seven children.

FAMILY FINDINGS (continued)

Mary Ann Giles was married to J. W. McAden the 16th of May 1865

Eliza Janes Giles married to N. L. Webb on April 9th, 1808

Virginia Annette Giles was married to John W. Caldwell (no date discernible)

Other Births

William Alfred, son of W. A. and Sarah F. Campbell, was born 24th April 1853.

James Winfield, their 2nd son, born 11 August 1855.

Other Deaths

Sydney Giles departed this life Aug 5, 1867.

MISCELLANY

A marriage certificate states that the rite of Holy Matrimony was celebrated between Newton L. Webb of Virginia and Eliza J. Giles of Tennessee on April 9th 1868 at her father's residence by the Rev. Lewis Adams.

A certificate issued in Nashville, Tenn., names Miss Ellen Douglas Webb as a pupil nurse in the Nashville City Hospital from Oct. 27th, 1899, to Dec. 11th, 1901.

A certificate issued by the Board of Medical Supervisors of the District of Columbia in June 1896 attests that Edwin D. Webb registered as a practicing physician at the Health Office of the District of Columbia upon receiving a diploma from Columbian University, and was licensed to practice medicine and surgery in the District. The certificate was issued 2 Jan 1897, recorded on 15 Feb 1897 in the Office of the Clerk of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, and registered at the District Health Office on 18 Feb 1897.

A collection of letters indicates that Ellen Douglas Webb was doing extensive genealogical research in the late 1800's. Her notes state that her great-grandfather Henry (on her mother's side) was a physician who came to America from Ireland, and her great-grandmother Henry was the former Elizabeth Bainbridge of New Jersey, the daughter of Commodore Bainbridge of the U.S. Navy. Ellen's great-great grandfather Douglas was an Episcopal minister from Scotland.

THE WEBB FAMILY

George William Webb had four sons:

- I. George William Webb II - had one son
 - (1) Thomas William Webb -- died leaving no heirs
- II. Edwin Bathurst Webb - had two children:
 - (1) James Ratcliffe Webb -- died leaving no heirs
 - (2) Martha Lane Webb Hay -- died leaving no heirs
- III. Willoughby Lane Webb of Washington, D.C., had four sons:
 - (1) Newton Lane Webb - m. Eliza Jane Giles; they had several children
 1. Ellen Douglas Webb, 353 N. Montgomery St., Memphis, Tenn.³
 2. Annie Webb
 3. Pattie Webb
 4. George Webb
 - Others.
 - (2) Edwin Douglas Webb - had two children
 1. Willoughby Lane Webb, 63 Wall St., New York, N.Y.
 2. Mary Douglas Webb

³ A note in the Bible indicates Ellen Douglas Webb was living in Georgetown, Westwood, District of Columbia, in June 1888.

FAMILY FINDINGS (continued)

- (3) George Willoughby Webb - died single.
- (4) Bainbridge Webb - died single.
- IV. John Steptoe Webb - had two children
 - (1) Susan Emily Webb Cooke - had three children
 - 1. Mercy Elizabeth Cooke, Grayville, Illinois
 - 2. Margaret E. Cook, 218 E. 7th St., Mt. Carmel, Ill.
 - 3. Pattie Webb, 408 Pine St., St. Louis, Missouri
 - (2) George William Webb - died leaving no heirs.

DEATHS (Page from Webb Bible)

Edwin Bathurst Webb died Jan 18th 1878.

(Next two lines too faint to read)

Newton L. Webb (father to above) died Jan 8, 1901.

Eliza J. Webb (wife of N.L.W.) died Aug 22, 1926. Sunday 11 p.m.

Anne Elizabeth Webb Simonton died June 28, 1931.

Newton Lane Webb, Jr., died May 24, 1936.

John H. Simonton (husband of Anne Elizabeth Webb) died Oct. 23, 1931.

J.C.C. Monte (husband of Patty Webb) died Dec 5, 1933.

Merwin Bible, Photo Album Restored To Family

A Bible and handsomely bound family photo album have been turned over to J. T. Pulliam, Kirby Pines, Memphis, by the Tennessee Genealogical Society. The items had belonged to his late wife, Jessie Elizabeth (Merwin) Pulliam who died about four years ago. They had been salvaged from a scrap heap by TGS member Sarah Blaylock, who asked TGS to help locate the owners of the items. The Bible had been a 1922 Christmas gift to Elizabeth by her parents, Jesse Daniel Merwin and Ora (Taylor) Merwin of Whiteville, Tenn., and the photo album had belonged to her grandmother, Mrs. C. M. Merwin. The Bible's family register and the photo album revealed the following genealogical information:

THE MERWIN FAMILY

Charles Murray Merwin,* Ohio - b. ca. 1843-44, d. 6 Jul 1891 at 47 years 9 days) Marriage date & place
Amanda V. Brown, Iowa) not indicated

*Charles had two brothers, Wilbert Merwin and Simon Merwin, and two nephews, Clem Merwin, who moved to the state of Washington, and Edwin Merwin.

CHILDREN OF CHARLES AND AMANDA MERWIN:

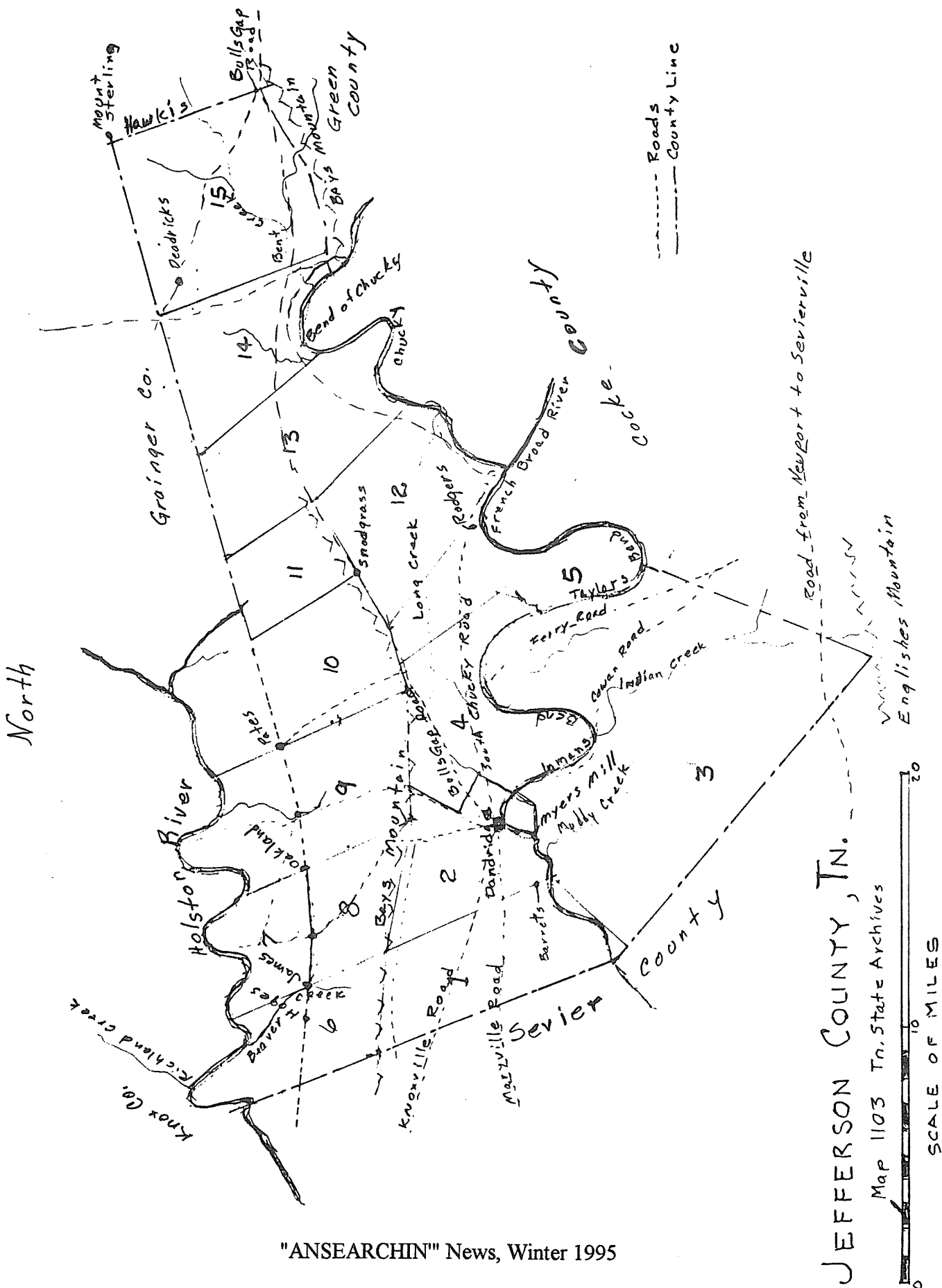
- (1) Jesse Daniel Merwin - b. 1 Dec 1876, d. 8 June 1968) Married 27 June 1912
- Ora Taylor - b. 12 Sep 1881, d. 10 Mar 1962) in Bolivar (Hardeman Co.), Tenn.

- (2) Maud Merwin - m. ___ Rust

CHILDREN OF JESSE AND ORA MERWIN:

- (1) Elizabeth Merwin - b. 7 Apr (year not indicated) in Bolivar, Tenn., d. in Memphis ca. 1991; married J. T. Pulliam in Memphis on 12 Nov 1960
- (2) Charles William Merwin - b. 12 Feb (year not indicated), m. Mamie Marino on 24 Feb 1952

The album contained a number of family photographs, including a tintype of Charles Murray Merwin and his wife Amanda, and a portrait of Maud Merwin Rust taken at a Jackson, Tenn., studio.





Transcribed from Tennessee Archives microfilm,
Tax List Roll No. 5

Abbreviations: DIST (District), A (Acres), TL (Town Lot), S (Slave, age 12 to 50), P (White Poll)

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	TL/A	S	P		TL/A	S	P		TL/A	S	P
Gass, Samuel	147			Turnley, John C	2TL			Morris, William	135		1
Gass, James T	125		1	Gass, David, Heirs	65			Mitchell, John			1
Gibbons, Henry			1					Miller, John			1
Green, John O			1	DIST NO. 3				Moore, James	50		1
Gass, John	514		1	Austill, William	123	4		Moore, Jefferson			1
Henderson, Andrew			1	Aley, Jacob	248			Mills, Asa	50		
Henderson, Thomas			1	Aley, Washington			1	Proffitt, Samuel	176		1
Henderson, Coffin		1	1	Baker, James G	113			Payne, Thompson D	50		
Hoskins, Charles C	133		1	Black, Robert	171			Payne, Stephen	150		
Hoskins, William N	42			Black, Robert Jr	25		1	Parrott, Henry	239		
Hynds, Robert H			1	Black, Joseph			1	Parrott, Benjamin	209		1
Hill, John	2TL			Brimer, John	300		1	Parrott, Job	214		
Hoskins, James	263			Brimer, Vinyard	190		1	Rinehart, Philip	332		
Hoskins, Thomas A	100		1	Branner, George	200			Rainwater, Vincent	100		
Hall, Stephen A			1	Burchfield, Joseph	280			Rainwater, James	50		
Henderson, John	473			Burchfield, Robert			1	Rainwater, Eli D	100		1
Hamilton,				Birchfield, William			1	Rader, John	88		1
Joseph	4TL/948	3	1	Beeson, Benjamin	202			Renear, John			1
Inman, Shadrach	5TL/354	3	1	Beeson, Isaac			1	Renear, Isaac			1
Jacobs, Thomas			1	Baker, Wilkerson			1	Rainwater, John	100		
Jones, John T			1	Baker, Elijah			1	Strange, James	200		
Jones, Thomas	172			Bird, Jacob	74			Smith, John	388		1
Jones, Miles			1	Bird, John	25			Swan, Katharine	285	5	
Kilgore, James			1	Coons, Joseph	100			Swan, Nicholas			1
Kimbrough, Jacob C			1	Craig, Robert	85	2		Swan, Robert	223		1
Kimbrough, Thomas	107		1	Chambers, Henry			1	Swan, John	260		1
Kimbrough, Isaac	282		1	Chambers, William	50		1	Smeltzer, Adam	174		
Kimbrough, James			1	Chambers, William C	100		1	Sliver, Isaac			1
Lea, Caswell	4TL/33	1	1	Chambers, John			1	Smith, J T	50		
Leeper, Matthew	95		1	Denton, Jacob	440	2		Thornton, Darnel	370		1
Miller, Robert	310			Denton, Josiah	459			Taff, George Sr	125		
McCormick, Benjamin			1	Denton, Joel R	200		1	Taff, James	147		1
Moore, William	3TL/400	4		Denton, George			1	Taff, George Jr			1
Moyers, Jacob	3TL/100	1	1	Davis, Thomas C	150		1	Taff, Willie B			1
Moyers, John	155			Dickey, John			1	Taff, Isaac	300		1
Mariem, James			1	Derrick, Jonas	50			Tucker, John H	200		1
McChambers, William			1	Eslinger, Andrew	134			Webb, Jesse	272		
Meyers, William	241		1	Eslinger, Philip			1	Webb, Thomas	475	1	1
McCampbell, John	132			Eslinger, David			1	Webb, James	120		1
Martin, Hugh	1TL/1527	5		Edgar, Andrew	148			Walden, Richard			1
Nobly, Joseph M	1TL		1	Edgar, John H			1				
Palmer, Thomas			1	Edmunds, Fanny	100			DIST NO. 4			
Patterson, Nathan	324		1	Edmunds, Brice	80		1	Anderson, David			1
Riley, Pleasant			1	Elliott, George	150			Ash, James W	600		1
Reece, William L	2TL			Elliotts, Heirs	55			Brannor, Michael	146		
Rawlings, Michael A			1	Ellis, Uriah			1	Brannor, Casper	635	3	1
Rinehart, Philip	20			Fain, John	625			Biddle, Samuel	200		
Reuth, John	525			Fain, John M	303		1	Biddle, Samuel	200		1
Roper, John	5TL/951	6		Francis, Edward	83		1	Bellis, Bradley	100		
Rankin, William	396		1	Fox, William	150			Bellis, William Jr	203		
Rankin, James,				Garner, John	243		1	Blackburn, Edward	292		
Heirs of	60			Henderson, William	193		1	Blackburn, John N	190		1
Shields, David	1TL/4			Hance, John Sr	162			Bradford, Thed I	126		
Shields, John	251		1	Hance, John Jr	170		1	Blackburn, James	100		
Summers, Morning	144			Hance, Daniel	46		1	Bragg, Nicholas	163	4	
Sheddan, William	154			Hall, William	200		1	Blackburn, Benjamin	320	1	1
Sheddan, James,				Hall, Joel			1	Balch, John	120		
Heirs of	133	1		Hill, William	30			Blackburn, John			1
Sheddan, Joseph	133			Hill, Joseph	210			Blackburn, Andrew A			1
Sheddan, Alex M			1	Hill, James	359			Bettis, Allen			1
Sheddan, John H			1	Hill, John			1	Bettis, William Sr	505		1
Sheddan, James T			1	Hill, John's heirs	88			Bettis, John	53		1
Sheddan, John Sr			1	Jones, Layman	50			Balch, James P	200		1
Thompson, Vred??	4TL		1	Kilner, John	125			Blackburn, John Sr	378		
Turnley, Matthew T			1	Kilner, Jonathan	287		1	Bear, John	160		1
Thornhill, Joseph	160		1	Kilner's heirs	(no data)			Birdwell, Russel	165	1	1
Travillim, Hiram			1	Kitrell, Joseph	100			Bradshaw, Richard	664		1
Thornburgh, Nimrod	50			Lewis, Gabriel	250		1	Bradshaw, Joseph C			1
Underwood, Justin	158		1	Lewis, Chrisman			1	Bradshaw, Tho R			1
Underwood, Magaret	58			Lewis, Jackson A			1	Bradshaw, John P	9		1
Vincent, James			1	Lewis, Aaron's				Biddle, Samuel Jr			1
Vandyke, David			1	heirs	113			Coffman, Thomas K	233		1
Williams, David			1	Litchliter, Aaron	181		1	Coffman, Andrew J			1
Wood, John	1TL/11		1	McAndrew, John	190		1	Corbet, James	375		
Wilcox, Joseph			1	Mannix, John	100		1	Chanley, William	115		1
Whittington, John	125		1	McCarter, Abel	200		1	Carson, James N	140		1

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	TL/A	S	P		TL/A	S	P		TL/A	S	P
Walker, Haynes			1	Night, Jacob			1	Elmore, Lewis			1
DIST NO. 6				Night, James			1	Elder, Jacob	37		
Adcock, William		1		Perregrine, James			1	Elmore, Joel	223	1	
Arms, Hezekiah		1		Patrick, Pierce			1	Fielding, James Sr	159		
Allen, Benton		1		Routh, Solomon			1	Frazier, Levi	156	1	
Bakely, James		1		Right, Thomas			1	Flatford, Leven		1	
Brown, Abner		1		Stone, Allen			1	Fielding, Richard	63	1	
Brown, Thomas		1		Stogner, Alfred			1	Fielding, Dempsey		1	
Blakely, Joseph		1		Todd, Samuel,				Fielding, Berry G	13	1	
Bradshaw, Lewis		1		Heirs of	50			Flatford, Nathaniel	100	1	
Browning, Henry R		1		Thornton, Thomas D	163	1		Griffin, Madison		1	
Coil, Aarin C		1		Turner, Ryal	125		1	Hatcher, William		1	
Cox, Dudley		1		Turner, James			1	Howard, Samuel Sr	145	1	
Cates, Silas		1		Thornton, James A				Haworth, William Sr	558		
Cate, Richard	460	1		Vance, James Jr		1		Haworth, William Jr		1	
Cox, Reed	587			Vance, Samuel	288	1		Haworth, John		1	
Doan, Jesse	105			Vance, John Jr		1		Howard, Samuel Jr		1	
Dick, Henry	167			Vance, James Sr	262			Hedgern, Sterling		1	
Doan, John		1		Vance, John		1		Hawkins, Henry T		1	
Doan, Robert		1		Vance, John Sr	420	2		Hinshaw, William	150	1	
Eudaley, David		1		Vance, Elizabeth	219			Haworth, David	993		
Eudaley, John		1		Wilkerson, Thomas	157	2		Howard, Jacob		1	1
Eudaley, William				Richey, heirs of	90			Hammonds, Dorcas	235		
Evans, Samuel A		1		Russell, Moses	50			Hammer, Seth	150		
Evans, Samuel	250	1		McBee, Adam H	233		1	Inman, Ezekiel	1TL		1
Eudaley, James		1		Hodges, Joseph D		1		Jolly, Abner			1
Frazier, William	313	1		Hightower, Allen			1	Johnson, Samuel	326	1	
Frazier, Solomon	126	1						Jolly, Joseph		1	
Glover, Daniel		1		DIST NO. 7				Janeway, Charles		1	
Glover, Delaney		1		Ayres, John	95			Knight, Tristram D	2TL	3	1
Gatlin, Radford	184	1		Bates, Joseph	145			Kidwell, David	50	1	
Housely, Thomas		1		Brazellon, William	1000	11	1	Kidwell, William		1	
Housley, Robert		1		Box, Jonathan			1	King, Barna B	1TL		1
Hodges, Charles D	450	7	1	Blackburn, Archibald			1	Lyles, Thomas	270	4	
Hodges, Calloway	812	17		Ballenger, John	50		1	Lewis, Henry	150		1
Hodges, Charles		1		Bates, Ambrose	167		1	Lyles, Richard Jr	190		1
Hammer, Elisha	210	1		Ballenger, Aaron			1	Lyles, Zachariah A	115	1	1
Hammer, Seth		1		Ballenger, Jackson			1	Lyles, Robert T		3	1
Hankins, Thomas	182	1		Bradshaw, Learner	35		1	Lawrence, Jonathan	1TL		1
Hodges, Welcome	446	2	1	Box, Samuel Jr	190		1	Lotspeech, William	213		1
Hankins, James		1		Box, Louisia	30			Lotspeech, Ira			1
Hankins, Edw Sr	65			Brazellon, Jacob	127			Lewis, Evan	139		1
Hankins, Edw Jr		1		Brazellon, William Jr			1	Lawrence, Richard	200		1
James, Alvah	200	2		Bates, Sterling	37		1	Lewis, Absalom	400		1
Janeway, Benjamin	100			Bradshaw, Benjamin	200			Lea, Leander			1
Janeway, Daniel	135	1		Bradshaw, Pierce W			1	Morgan, William H	175		1
Kelly, William		1		Ballinger, William D	83			Moffett, William N		2	1
King, Joseph		1		Ballinger, William Jr			1	Martin, John			1
Lock, William		1		Cox, William	630	4		Murphey, Daniel R	150		1
Largo, Thomas		1		Childers, Finley E	75		1	Mills, Nathan	175		1
Loyd, Anderson		1		Cledrenger, Thomas			1	Maples, Willson S			1
Laman, Thomas	226	1	1	Crews, I Craven			1	Maples, Morgan			1
Laman, Henry		1		Cledrenger, Benjamin			1	Maples, Jacob			1
Lock, Isaac		1		Collins, John Jr			1	McNiece, William			1
Laman, William	240	3	1	Cox, Samuel T			1	Morgan, Joshua	75		1
Maggott, John		1		Chisher, Presley S		1	1	Mills, Zachariah	195		
Martin, William		1		Carmen, Thomas			1	McGhee, Claibourne	275		1
Mitchell, Berry Jr		1		Chase, Obed	506	4		Northern, William	90		1
Martin, Robert Jr		1		Chillam, Westley			1	Northern, John Sr	200		
McKenney, Daniel	105	1	1	Chase, J P &				Northern, James	50		1
Meek, Adam K	410	4	1	John H	4TL		1	Northern, Alfred			1
Meek, David	242	3	1	Chillam, John			1	Neal, Thomas Jr			1
Mullens, Burrell		1		Dumiddie, John	110		1	Neal, Hamilton	1TL		1
McBee, Adam A		1		Dick, Henry G			1	Neal, Benjamin Sr	192	3	
Moulden, William		4	1	Dyer, Joseph	150			Neal, John	150		
McBee, Isaac M	230	1		Dean, John Sr	276			Neal, Benjamin Jr			1
Mills, James	250	1		Dean, John Jr		1		Neal, Isaac	70		
Mitchell, Berry D	49	1		Dick, Jacob	153	2	1	Northern, John Jr	50		1
Mahoney, Phillip	321	1		Daily, John	85		1	Nance, John	444	7	1
Martin, Robert Jr	257	1		Elmore, Thomas	86			Nance, Calvin B			1
McKnight, Thomas	226	1		Elmore, William	65		1	Orr, Nelson	374	1	1
Martin, Robert Sr	407			Elder, James			1	Overby, Rovbert			1
Meek, Alexander W	530	3	1	Elmore, Hannah	332			Perrin, William	100		
Mills, John	68	1		Elmore, Benjamin H			1	Powell, Henry	5		
Martin, William		1		Elmore, Allen			1	Pate, Bird	306	1	1
Martin, John		1		Elmore, Robert			1	Pate, Anderson	407	2	1
				Elmore, Austin	80			Pierce, George Sr	120		

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	TL/A	S	P		TL/A	S	P				
Pierce, Robert W			1	Gilliland, David I			1	Thompson, Samuel			1
Philips, Jeremiah			1	Grist, Andrew			1	Thornburgh, Richard	558		
Province, Lewis			1	Grist, Willis			1	Wilson, Israel	600		1
Peck, William R	240	1	1	Goodlin, Cyrus M	1TL		1	Wilson, William H			1
Rash, Robert			1	Graggsin, William	1TL		1	Wooten, Joseph			1
Rholen, Joseph			1	Gwinn, James			1	Warren, Charles H	300		
Still, Abraham	1TL/130	1	1	Gass, James H	100		1	Warren Thomas W			1
Smith, Jacob	1TL	1	1	Hurt, Gallant			1	Watkins, William	116		1
Smith, William	279			Hankins, Merchant			1	Warren, Charles H	2		1
Spencer, Nathaniel	53		1	Hoskins, George C	2TL		1	DIST NO. 9			
Smith, Moses	151		1	Hatcher, Martin			1	Ashmore, David			1
Sparks, George W			1	Mumbard, Samuel	274		1	Bettis, Solomon			1
Sparks, James			1	Hodgen, Harry			1	Barby, Elza			1
Shelly, Nathan	19			Hodgen, Zilphar	96			Barns, Moses	82		1
Sutherland, William			1	Hasket, John	100			Barns, Dennis	57		1
Saffle, Henry C			1	Hays, Enoch	143		1	Brazellon, Santy A	200		1
Smith, Bowdry			1	Hodges, Thomas	200		1	Bradley, Lawrence			1
Toller, George	126		1	Hammonds, William	259		1	Bettis, William	210		
Trogdon, Ezekiel	52			Howell, Patton	2TL			Bruce, James Sr	200		
Trogdon, Abner	150			Howard, William			1	Bruce, Jordan			1
Thornburgh, A	1TL/132			Hammonds, Robert	265			Bruce, James			1
Thornburgh, Samuel	250		1	Huffar, Henry H			1	Barns, Elizabeth	207		
Teeney, Samuel			1	Johnson, Eli W			1	Bowman, Daniel			1
Thomas, Joseph			1	Jones, Thomas	110			Branner, George	900	4	1
Trogdon, Abijah	150			Jones, Conway			1	Crawford, William	340		1
Thornburgh, Ninner			1	King, William			1	Caldwell, William	54		
Thornburgh, John	15		1	Knight, T D	138			Caldwell, Anthony	124		
Warren, James T	1TL/151		1	King, Sanders	200		1	Coil, Major			1
Woodward, Abraham	200			Lawrence, Johathan	1TL			Copeland, John			1
Woodward, John T			1	Lockhart, John	350			Cate, Daniel H			1
Woodruff, William			1	Largo, Isham			1	Coppock, Jacob	100		
DIST NO. 8				Lea, William			1	Caldwell, Robert	134		1
Boyd, John W			1	Lenen, John			1	Chinutt, Bird	108		1
Brooks, John W			1	McNiece, John			1	Churchman, Rouen			1
Boles, John Jr			1	McClure, Cyrus			1	Cate, Anderson			1
Brazillon, William	1TL			McCoy, William			1	Carney, Thomas			1
Bales, Owen			1	Murphey, Abraham	1TL		1	Cate, Thomas			1
Bane, Andrew	161		1	Mahoney, Elizabeth	1TL			Coulsen, William			1
Bethell, John Sr	100			McDaniel, Lewis			1	Cledringer, George	75		
Bethell, John Jr			1	Mills, Jonathan			1	Caldwell, John	219		1
Branion, Levi	5			Manly, Benjamin	140		1	Caldwell, James	199		1
Bethell, Austin	418		1	Martin, Cullen			1	Churchman, Kinten	600		
Bennet, Thomas	175		1	Malcohn, Joseph A			1	Crawford, Hugh			1
Bales, John Sr	316			Morgan, William Sr	152		1	Douglass, Thomas	33		1
Bales, Pleasant			1	Morgan, William Jr			1	Dobbins, Abner			1
Bennet, Richard			1	Mills, Zachariah	160			Dyke, John			1
Burns, William			1	Mills, William F			1	Daniel, Edward	127		1
Bunker, Jesse F	1TL	1	1	Mills, William	200			Duncan, Joel			1
Baker, John	1302		1	Mitchell, James			1	Ferguson, William			1
Cate, William			1	Newman, John			1	Green, Nathan	64		1
Coppock, John	920			Ohowell, William			1	Garrett, Margaret	100		
Caldwell, Anthony	201		1	Pollard, Jesse			1	Gwin, William R			1
Cunningham, Wm D			1	Powell, Henry	1TL		1	Graham, Jas L H			1
Cate, John	65		1	Pierce, Robert	138			Grubb, Jacob	230		
Caldwell, William Jr	80		1	Pierce, Jonathan			1	Grubb, John			1
Caldwell, Anthony	80		1	Pierce, David			1	Grubb, Jacob Jr			1
Campbell, William Jr			1	Peck, Jacob	1000	2		Garrett, Arthur L C			1
Chase, William	1TL/102		1	Peck, Adam C			1	Gwin, Alexander M			1
Caldwell, William A	169		1	Pierce, George Sr	48			Heath, Reins	62		1
Caldwell, Alex	95			Pierce, George Jr	76		1	Hammonds, Samuel			1
Caldwell, John	104		1	Pollard, George			1	Heath, Howell			1
Caldwell, James H	236		1	Routh, John	358			Haworth, Richard	450	2	1
Carr, Benjamin			1	Sellars, William	228		1	Holsten, Henry	100		1
Collins, Thomas			1	Routh, G W	126			Howard, Robert	82		
Chase, John			1	Sellars, Nathan			1	Hellon, William			1
Caldwell, William Sr	32	1	1	Stillings, Griffin			1	Hill, Jethro	100		2
Campbell, Robert F	200	2	1	Shelly, Nathan	148			Hull, Isaac	992		1
Dick, William	18		1	Summers, Waitman			1	Haynes,			
Dunn, Isaac	1TL		1	Spears, Daniel			1	Christopher	3000	1	
Derieux, Henry	138		1	Steel, Alexander			1	Haynes, Pleasant G			1
Douglass, Jesse	102		1	Thornburgh, Obed C			1	Hammonds, John			1
Douglass, James			1	Thornburgh, A	7		1	Hammonds, James			1
Elmore, Thomas	236		1	Thompson, William	177			Hickman, James			1
Elmore, Peter	49		1	Thompson, Baxter			1	Howell, Patton	212		1
Frasier, Abram	1TL			Trott, James			1	Johnson, William	182		1
				Tallott, Williston			3	Jones, Robert			1
								Johnson, William			1

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Johnson, Thomas	261		1	Campbell, Thomas	100		1	Richey, Robert	165		
Kimbrough, Robert			1	Campbell, Charles			1	Smith, John			1
Kimbrough, Duke	218		1	Carter, Enoch	205			Solomon, Henry	77		1
Kimbrough, John	358	1	1	Carter, Daniel			1	Steerman, Thomas K	30		1
Line, Joab	199		1	Cluck, Jacob	400			Smith, William			1
Lockhart, John	10			Cluck, Daniel	447		1	Sunderland, William	180		1
Mendenhall, John	245		1	Cluck, Peter	318			Skeen, Moses	443		1
McClannahan, Robert			1	Cannon, Thomas	300			Sunderland, Thomas			1
McGwin, Randolph	100		1	Cannon, Duke K			1	Sunderland, Abram	150		
McGuire, Michael	136			Cannon, William Jr			1	Sherrod, James D	340		1
Maddox, James	164			Cannon, Isaac B			1	Talbott, John	555	7	1
Matthews, George			1	Crow, John	232		1	Tillett, William			1
Newman, Blair	116		1	Cox, Jesse	146		1	Tealpin, Jacob	83		1
Newman, Aaron	200		1	Denniston, John Sr	140			Trebbia, Joseph			1
Newman, Isaac M	150		1	Denniston, Joel			1	Thornhill, Richard	236		1
Newman, John			1	Denniston, John Jr			1	Tredor, Landen	160		1
Newman, Madison			1	Farmer, Nimrod			1	Watkins, Isaac I	1100	4	1
Newman, Aaron Jr	130		1	Farmer, Joseph			1	Williams, James E	120		1
Newman, Samuel Jr	32		1	Grant, David	80		1	Watkins, Susan	350		
Newman, William			1	Grant, James	378		1	Watkins, Richard	111		1
Newman, Thomas Jr			1	Greenlee, James	99		1	Watkins, Abram	100	1	1
Newman, Joseph	680			Greenlee, Hamilton			1	Watkins, Mary B	100		
Newman, Jarrett	388	1		Gates, Mary	30			Watkins, Nancy I	100		
Newman, Jarrett C			1	Grant, Isaac Jr			1	Watkins, Tomprey R	100		
Newman, James	321		1	Grant, John	250		1	Watkins, Osborne R	300	3	1
Newman, Jonathan			1	Grant, Isaac Sr	103			Walker, John	664		
Newman, John Sr	276			Green, Thomas			1	Witt, Anderson			1
Newman, John	285		1	Howerton, John	150	1	1	Miller, Abraham Sr	115		
Odell, Samuel C	250		1	Hickey, John			1				
Ore, Joseph	200			Henderson, Wililam			1	DIST NO. 11			
Ore, Wilson	112			Harmon, Jacob	6			Barton, William	411	1	1
Pick, Benjamin	190			Hetton, James	250		1	Brown, Thomas	200		1
Pick, John	60		1	Hodge, Thomas			1	Crosby, George	300	4	
Pick, Moses J.	377	3	1	Hodge, Henry			1	Conner, James			1
Prenel, Mathis			1	Haun, Nathaniel	200		1	Coward, David			1
Pick, Henry H.	280	1	1	Harris, Crampton	246		1	Crow, John	146	1	
Pate, Daniel	367	5		Henson, Joseph	50			Crow, James			1
Rankin, William	200			Ivy, Philip Jr			1	Crow, Russel			1
Rice, John			1	Ivy, Philip Sr	190		1	Crow, Isaac			1
Rholen, John F	254		1	Jett, William A			1	Cooter, John			1
Reen, Jonah B M	1404	13	1	Jett, Edward T			1	Cooter, Joseph			1
Shields, John	172			Jacobs, Thomas	100			Cooter, James			1
Sartom, William				Kimbrough, Thomas			1	Coffin, John	18		1
Sellars, John W	128		1	Kimbrough, Benoni	124			Counts, Henry	336		1
Tally, Joseph			1	Kidwell, David	400		1	Chaney, William	175		1
Talbott, Perry	4			Lambden, Samuel	150		1	Day, John	200	1	
Talbott, John	524			Lawrence, John	350	2	1	Day, William	125		1
Tittsworth, Thomas	278			Lewis, John			1	Edgar, George D	137		1
Wells, Coleman			1	Lewis, Jacob	46			Edgar, Andrew B	252		1
White, Jesse			1	Line, Willie	260		1	Estes, James			1
Weistbrook, Yancy			1	Line, Nathaniel	75			Fuller, James			1
Watson, Andrew			1	Lea, Epssy		1	1	Gregory, Isaac	150		
York, William			1	Lanning, Richard	89	1	1	Greenlee, Andrew			1
York, Jackson			1	Moyers, John	120			Gibbs, Thomas P	147		1
				Mofferd, Jacob			1	Harris, William	110		
DIST NO. 10				McLaughlin, John			1	Hazlewood, Blaney	91		
Alexander, William			1	McLaughlin, Willson	200		1	Hazlewood, James	25		
Blake, Benjamin	498			McKinney, Robertson			1	Helms, Harry	2685		1
Blake, Joab			1	Mansfield, Robert	84		1	Hazlewood, Richard			1
Bettis, William	260			McDonald, James	200			Hickey, Thomas			1
Burress, Thomas	73			McDonald, Alex			1	Howell, Jesse	266		1
Boles, William	252			McNiece, Samuel	50			Howell, William	112		1
Boles, John J	150		1	McNiece, George W			1	Harrison, Henry			1
Boles, William H			1	McCullough, Alex	51		1	Harris, William A	183		1
Breeden, William			1	McClannahan, Robt	125			Jones, Eli			1
Breeden, Keziah	250			Miller, Abraham	60		1	Johnson, Stephen	262		1
Bell, Edmond	80		1	Matthews, Allen B			1	Jennings, Benjamin	100	1	
Bettis, Bradley	80			Ormoimt, Hutson			1	Jarnagen, Pleasant J			1
Bettis, Eli	145		1	Perryman, Sterling			1	Kyle, Temple			1
Biggs, James	144		1	Patton, John	101		1	Loyd, Pharoah	250		1
Cardwell, Anthony	330		1	Patterson, Thomas			1	Landrum, James	398	2	
Churchman, James S	100		1	Pate, Daniel	331			Landrum, Robert M	130		1
Churchman, Stephen J	25			Pate, Flemming			1	Longacre, Richard	256		1
Churchman,				Pate, John			1	Long, Nicholas			
Pleasant Sr	100		1	Riggins, Ephraim	150			Larimar, James	80		
Carmichael, Joseph			1	Rice, William	100		1	McFarland, John	489		
Carmon, John			1	Rice, Thomas			1	McFarland, George			1

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McFarland, Andrew B		1	Campbell, Nancy			Scroggs, Harry		1
McFarland, Alexander	100	1	Guen	51		Staples, Crawford B		1
Mansfield, John	260	1	Chunn, Joseph S	695	11 1	Scruggs, James	400	
Manson, William S	213	1	Chilton, James	232	2 1	Smith, Henry	1TL/647	2 1
Moore, Ephraim	200	1	Caldwell, David	288	1	Smith, H Guardian H		2
Morris, John	850	2	Castiller, Jonas		1	Smith, Elias	100	1
Morris, John		1	Carson, John	198	1	Tanner, James D		1
Morris, Gideon	125		Carson, Samuel		1	Vinyard, William	158	1
Matthews, Uriah		1	Carson, Elijah		1	Williams, John	90	
McKinney, Vincent	121	1	Coffman, George		1	Will, Daniel	472	1
McKinney, John	150	1	Cromby, Jesse		1	Woods, Alfred J		1
McKinney, James		1	Cohorns, Heirs	200		Welch, John C		1
McKinney, Lampkin		1	Campbell, George W		1	Worley, John		1
McKinney, Joseph		1	Day, David W		1	Witt, James S		1
Millikan, Elihu Sr	289	1	Drake, George W	250	2 1	Watkins, William W		1
Millikan, Alexander	180	1	Drinnen, John		1	Kimbrough, Brathy		1
Millikan, Pleasant		1	Drinnen, Lawrence		1			
McClannahan, Alfred	14		Drinnen, Thomas		1	DIST NO. 13		
Minis, William	162	1	Daniel, Thomas		1	Archibald, Austin	100	
Newton, John	82		Flowers, Charles		1	Austin, Archibald		1
Nolen, Daniel		1	Franklin, Henry		1	Anderson, Alexander	410	4
Nix, Daniel	20		Fry, William	60	1	Anderson, Pierce B	210	1 1
Palmer, Joshua	100		Farris, Joseph J		1	Burch, John	172	1
Poindexter, William	100	1	Harte, Baldwin	420	4	Burch, Dixon	109	1
Poindexter, John		1	Harrison, Charles	422	3 1	Burch, William		1
Poindexter, Thomas	230	1	Hunter, James	193		Baker, William	138	1
Rodgers, Jacob		1	Hall, Elkany	8		Cox, William Sr	260	1
Rodgers, Alexander	104		Hickman, Benjamin		1	Coffman, James	100	1
Rodgers, Elisha		1	Hazlewood, Thomas	200	1	Cunningham, Frances	15	
Rodgers, James		1	Inman, John	135	1 1	Dillard, James		1
Ryans, William	127	1	Jarnagin, Benjamin			Davis, Benjamin	255	6 1
Riggs, Lewis	443	1	Heirs	203	1	Davis, Joseph H	276	3 1
Riggs, Russel			Jarnagin, Thomas Jr	240	1	Davis, Rips I		5 1
Riggs, Pleasant		1	Jarnagin, Bynum	592	4 1	Dickson, Thomas		1
Riggs, Azariah		1	Jarnagin, C T P	205	1	Doggett, Thomas	262	1
Riggs, Samuel	704		Leeper, Lewis F		1 1	Evans, William	27	1
Statham, Love	90		Love, William	100		Evans, Ezekiel		1
Snoddy, Edward B	150	1	Lafferty, Edward A		1	Evans, Jacob	200	
Statham, William		1	Moser, John V A	160	2	Evans, Walter	149	1
Stailnas, James		1	Moser, John for			Felkner, James	307	1
Staples, John Y	172		Kelly's heirs	400		Franklin, Lewis		1
Staples, John B	42	1	McKinney, George	168		Fox, Ramsom		1
Summers, William R		1	Maze, William	148	1	Glossap, John		1
Stubblefield, Martin	376		Moyers, Hiram		1	Goins, Ezekiel	113	1
Snyder, William		1	Moyers, Joshua	315		Harrison, Josiah		1
Shelton, John M	334		Moyers, Alfred I		1	Hamilton, Joseph	550	3
Snoddy, John D	50		Moyers, David	228		Hancock, Berry	75	1
Smith, Aaron	50	1	Manor, Shadrach		1	Hale, Jeremiah	367	1
Shepherd, Thomas		1	Moore, Jesse	262	2	Holdaway, Joseph		1
Taylor, James		1	Moore, Isaac R W	100	1	Hedges, David		1
Templeton, William		1	Moyers, James	165		Hopkins, James	79	1
Ward, John	148		Mills, William		1	Hanes, Abraham	135	1
Ward, Johathan	75	1	Moser, Joseph V	150	1	Inman, Charles		1
Willson, Abram	166		Moser, Samuel	100	1	Inman, Shadrach		1 1
Willson, Robert I	175	1	Moser, Sarah		1	Inman, Jeremiah	700	4
Will, George	140	1	Moser, Sarah M	260		Inman, Daniel		1
Will, John		1	Maze, William Jr		1 1	Landrum, William D		1
Will, Anderson		1	McFarland, John	181	2	Landrum, Alexander S		1
Williford, Abijah		1	Margraves, Andrew J	6	2 1	McClister, William	134	1
Williford, Meredith	90	1	Nelson, William	57	1	McClister, James	140	
Walker, Jeremiah	7		Oden, Jethro		1	McClister, John	100	1
			Potter, Samuel		1	Moore, William	630	19 1
DIST NO. 12			Poore, Edward		1	McKee, William	320	
Angle, Jacob		1	Petty, William		1	McKee, William Jr		1
Ashmore, Andrew A		1	Randolph, Henry Sr.	360		McFarland, Robert	250	
Alexander, Thomas	100	1	Randolph, Henry Jr		1	McFarland, Robert Jr	270	1
Brown, Garland R	170	1	Richy, Thomas		1	McFarland, Benjamin		1
Bell, Jacob		1	Snodgrass, Russel		1	McFarland, Alexander	860	1
Bell, Westley	(no data)		Snodgrass, Lynn		1	McDonald, Nancy	390	
Bell, Samuel	232		Snodgrass, David	611		McClannahan, Alex		1
Biddle, Thomas	271	1	Snoddy, Thomas	191		McFarland, John	100	
Biddle, John V		1	Snoddy, John D	132	1	Newell, John	300	1
Conyers, Sarah	133	3	Snoddy, Carey		1	Newell, William		1
Crosby, George	166		Smith, Benjamin	228	1	Newell, Joseph		1
Carmichael, Lemuel	92		Smith, Levi		1			
			Smith, Alexander		1			
			Staples, Robert F		1			

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Newell, David			1	Riddle, Zachariah	224			Kerkpatrick,			
Owens, William J			1	Riddle, James	80		1	Jacob Sr	1000		
Owens, Richard G W			1	Rightsell, William			1	Kerkpatrick, James W			1
Purkepite, John	110		1	Ryans, Willie			1	King, Ezekiel	200		
Robertson, Jesse			1	Read, Gideon			1	Kerkpatrick,			
Rice, Augustus	313	1	1	Starr, Sampson	150		1	Wilkins	360		
Riggs, Edward	73		1	Starr, David			1	Kerkpatrick,			
Read, Jesse Y			1	Stansberry, Elijah	100		1	Jacob Jr			1
Riggs, Harry	100		1	Smith, James D		4	1	Kerkpatrick,			
Riggs, Samuel	150		1	Tylor, Jacob	217		2	Pleasant M			1
Riggs, Clisle	607	2		Tylor, Felix			1	Kerkpatrick, Hugh			1
Read, Willie	235		1	Todd, Hiram			1	Lane, Isaac	390		1
Scruggs, James	580	8	1	Wyatt, Rueben	159		1	Lane, Bluford M			1
Shipley, Adam	158		1	Wyatt, Solomon	200			Lane, Tidence Jr	55		1
Staples, James			1	Wyatt, William			1	Lane, James M	87		1
Scuggs, William	100			Walker, Thomas I			1	Lane, Tidence Sr	340		
Statham, David	50		1	Witt, Caleb	80		1	Lane, Samuel Sr	220		
Sittsellar, John			1	Witt, Samuel H	204		1	Lane, Thomas I	270	1	1
Taylor, Hughs W	196		1	Witt, James	275		1	Lane, Samuel Jr			1
Talley, Joseph			1	Witt, Coleman	91		1	Lane, John			1
Thompson, James	160	2	1	Witt, Pleasant	270		1	Lane, Tarlton			1
White, Pleasant			1	Weaver, George	130	3		Lane, Lewis			1
Williams, John F	150		1	Weaver, James			1	Legg, Samuel			1
Williams, Alexander	379		1	Werter, John F	90		1	Molore, Elijah	20		
White, John			1	White, Samuel			1	Moore, Robert	199	4	
Willsin, Benjamin			1					McAlpin, John	260		1
White, James	460			DIST NO. 15				Marshall, Enoch			1
Riggs, Jesse			1	Alderson, James M			1	Marshall, Benjamin	250		1
Scaggs, Milly	100			Austin, Clisbe	3		1	Moffett, John S			1
				Anderson, William			1	McDonald, Thomas	336		1
DIST NO. 14				Arnett, Holbert	305		1	Neal, James I			1
Anderson, Joseph	207		1	Anderson, William	100		1	Nenney, Lucy			3
Anderson, James	84			Austin, Archibald	1/4			Nenney, Patrick			
Anderson, James	111			Anderson, John	125		1	heirs	2TL/475		
Anderson, Jesse			1	Austin, John S			1	Nenney, Charles P	465	1	1
Andrews, Harry			1	Arnett, Marvell			1	Nenney, William B	73		1
Baker, Allen	264		1	Anderson, David			1	Rangle, David	27		1
Brittin, Joseph	80			Burket, Peter			1	Philips, Micajah			1
Barton, William M	58		1	Coffman, Andrew	184			Pullen, William	220	3	
Bell, Edmund			1	Courtney, James	174	1		Pangle, Frederick	520	4	
Curden, Robert			1	Caswell, William R	7	2	1	Pangle, George C			1
Clopton, John			1	Courtney, James Jr			1	Petty, Samuel			1
Coffman, Samuel	70			Courtney, Marshall	345	3		Long, Joseph	147		1
Cox, Abraham	150			Cox, Hiram			1	Pangle, John Jr	190		1
Cox, William	204	1	1	Day, Andrew J			1	Phagan, John P			1
Cox, Isaac	156		1	Dyer, Abraham	213		1	Potter, Robert	1/2		1
Donaldson, William	176		1	Drinnen, James			1	Pogue, John	226		1
Donaldson, John	326	3		Eaton, Andrew C	2		1	Pangle, Westly			1
Donaldson, Andrew	133		1	Eaton, William G			1	Pangle, John Sr	215		
Dawson, William			1	Forter, James			1	Riggs, Samuel	6		
Deaderick, James W	600	3	1	Gist, William			1	Reynolds, Sarah	250	1	
Ervin, George			1	Golliher, James	24		1	Rippete, Thomas B			1
Evans, George (decd)	510			Gillespie, George T	645	7		Rayl, George	200		1
Hurley, Joseph W	143		1	Hann, David	220		1	Robertson, Toliver			1
Hale, Richard	262			Horner, Spencer			1	Squibb, George	259		1
Hale, James			1	Hann, Adam			1	White, Noah	410		1
Hill, William			1	Hann, Abraham			1	Ward, James		1	1
Hill, John W			1	Hann, Alexander	15		1	White, Samuel	229		
Horner, John B	205		1	Hann, Hannah	162			Williams, Ezekiel	515	1	
Haun, Adam	100		1	Horner, Cavalier	65	1		White, Richard	593		1
Hill, Massy	150	1	1	Horner, Caleb			1	Wright, Enoch P			1
Hubbs, Paul K	500			Horner, Pleasant			1	Yoe,			
King, John			1	Hann, Abraham Sr	196			Perregrim G	5TL/232	4	1
King Ambrose			1	Hann, Jacob	664		1	Young, James			1
King, Robert	60		1	Hann, James	104		1	Young, Josiah			1
King, Susannah	260	2		Horner, Isaac	434	3	1				
King, Russell L			1	Hampton, William			1				
Markall, William	288		1	Hutchison, A A			1				
McMillian, Josiah	179		1	Hann, George			1				
Magee, James	150			Hann, William			1				
Magee, Bartley	80		2	Irvine, George	320	5					
Moore, Eli			1	Johnson, Thomas D	321	2	1				
Moffett, John S	100			Jenkins, Joseph			1				
Moore, William	75			Jarnagin, N	5TL						
Petty, George			1	Johnson, James	165		1				
Pope, Peter			1	Kerkpatrick, Jesse	120		1				
Porter, Sarah (dec)	557	1		Kerkpatrick, Wm M	36		1				

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Two Texas Women Save Home Built By Their Tennessee Ancestor

Tennessee-born Jefferson Madison Dunnaway would have been proud of the way his women folks stood up to the federal and state government people who wanted to demolish the house he built in the Bethel community of Ellis County, Texas, 140 years ago. And he would have been prouder still of the fact that they not only fought but won their three-year battle to preserve the family home. Thanks to the efforts of Jeff's granddaughter, 93-year old Frances Dunaway McGregor, and his great-granddaughter, 54-year old Dow Anna McGregor, the old house today is still standing and doing well. It's still in Ellis County ... and only a quarter of a mile away from its original site.

The house was originally on a 148-acre tract sold to the Texas National Research Laboratory Commission in 1991 when it was acquiring land for the \$8.2 billion super collider project. In 1993 when Congress killed the project, the Energy Department began deeding land back to the state. Texas officials didn't want any buildings on the Dunaway property and looked to the federal government to carry through with its responsibility to dispose of the house. However, the house had been recorded as a Texas Historic Landmark in 1970 and was eligible for permanent protection on the National Register. To get it back for her family, Dow McGregor had to satisfy the federal and state agencies which wanted to demolish the house as well as satisfy the Texas Historical Commission which didn't want it moved. Five days before the scheduled date for bulldozing the house, Dow finally got the U.S. Department of Energy to agree to give the house back to the family if they would move it to another site.

"People nowadays don't realize how precious family is," Dow told a newspaper reporter covering the move. "This house has survived this long for a reason -- it's a rallying point for the family."

Her mother Frances rode shotgun in the truck that carried the house to its new location. "I couldn't help crying," she said. "I was born in that house."

Her grandfather, Jefferson M. Dunaway, who was born 14 Feb 1825 in Warren County, Tenn., had been among the large number of Tennesseans migrating to Texas in 1850.¹ In moving, he was following the lead of his parents, Samuel and Polly Dunaway, who migrated to Tennessee from Virginia decades before. Jefferson set out for Texas on horseback, intending to join the California gold rush. Upon arriving in Dallas, however, the mare he had been riding gave birth to a mule colt so he settled in as a pants cutter in a tailor shop. While working there he cut a denim suit for another former Tennessean, U.S. Senator and former governor Sam Houston, a long-time friend of the Dunaways. Jefferson proved to be a shrewd horsetrader. He managed to swap his old mare and her colt for 640 acres on Cole Creek in the newly formed Ellis County. In 1851 he moved to the Farmers Branch community where he worked as a farmhand for \$10 a month. Meanwhile, he became acquainted with the E. M. Brack family who were en route to Ellis County from their home in Mississippi. Jefferson took an immediate liking to the Bracks'

¹ The 1850 census showed 17,692 Tennessee-born residents in Texas or about 19% of the total non-Texas born population. This was the largest migration to Texas from any state. - *Migration Into East Texas 1835-60* by B.F. Lathrop.

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young daughter, Sarah Ann, and vowed to see her again. In 1853, Jefferson decided to go to Waxahachie and look over the 640 acres he had acquired in his swap. As luck would have it, his acreage adjoined that of E. M. Brack, who by now had become a judge in Ellis County. Jefferson soon became overseer of Brack's farm and renewed his friendship with Sarah. They married in 1854 -- the groom aged 19 and the bride 14. The following year Jefferson built a home for his bride in Ellis County's Bethel community seven miles southwest of Waxahachie. In 1862 Jefferson enlisted in Col. Childer's Company B and served until the end of the war.

In 1866, Jefferson's parents -- Samuel and Polly (Stembridge) Dunaway -- decided to move to Texas with some of their children. En route their son Eli died from cholera, and then Polly died shortly after reaching Texas. Samuel, a Baptist missionary preacher and carpenter, died in 1878. Both he and his wife are buried at Lebanon community in Collin County, Texas. (Samuel and Polly had 11 children: Catherine, Clem, Foster, Jefferson, Mary, Jane, Eli, Lucinda, Eliza, Carolina, and Bashala.)

Jefferson and Sarah had eight children, all sons and all born in Texas:

William Dunaway - b. 17 Feb 1855	Samuel Madison Dunaway b. 23 Feb 1866
Eugene J. Dunaway - b. 27 Feb 1858	James Brack Dunaway b. 1 Jan 1874
John Foster Dunaway - b. 21 Jun 1860	John Emsley Dunaway b. 4 Dec 1878
Jefferson Richard Dunaway - b. 1 Mar 1862	Ota Brack (O. B.) Dunaway - b. 16 Feb 1881

J. R. Dunaway, the fourth son, inherited the family home. He and his wife, Jo Anna Forrester, whom he married in 1896, had four children:

Sarah Maurine Dunaway - m. O. P. Claunch, Waxahachie
 Frances Lois Dunaway - m. Dow McGregor, Waxahachie
 Ruth Lewelyn Dunaway - m. Fred Sherwood, Childress
 Richard Waldo Dunaway - m. Bess Ballard

The family continues to be prominent in Ellis County, and a new elementary school built in the Waxahachie Independent School District in 1986 is named the Dunaway Elementary School, a fitting tribute to area pioneers Jefferson Madison Dunaway and his wife Sarah.

SOURCES: *The Dallas Morning News*; *Associated Press*; *Searchers & Researchers*, Vol. XIII, Issue 2, Vol. XV, Issue 2, published by Ellis County (Tex.) Genealogical Society; 1860 Federal Census of Tennessee.

■ New Bethel Cemetery Guide Catalogs Over 1400 Graves

More than 1,400 graves are catalogued in *Kirk's Guide to the New Bethel Cemetery*, compiled by Kirk Pittendreigh. The 94-page book includes a brief history of the cemetery, an alphabetical listing of all graves with their location, tombstone inscriptions, and information about relatives, when known. It can be ordered for \$22 (including postage) from Kirk Pittendreigh, 573 New Bethel Rd., Piney Flats, TN 37686.

■ Bettis Family History Ready for Distribution

Dr. Nat C. Bettis, Jr., has announced publication of *What I Have Learned About the Ancestry and Descendants of Alford and Margaret Conyers Bettis*. The 624-page book, says Bettis, is the product of more than 50 years of research. It contains 252 photos and more than 100 charts and diagrams. The book sells for \$50 postpaid and can be ordered from Bettis at 903 N. Main St. #9, San Angelo, TX 76903.

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Transcribed by Jean Alexander West
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Abbreviations: SCCC - Shelby County Court Clerk; A - Acres; P/A - power of attorney; RSC - Registrar of Shelby County; D - District; att - attesor; RWT - Registrar of Wesr Tenn.; R - Range; cor - corner; att/fact - attorney in fact; S - Section; Co. - County; occ. ent. - occupant entry; Reg - registered; adj. - adjoins; wit - witness

p 32 - 3 Dec 1832 - State of Tenn. #2793 186 3/4A CWT Cert #3113 and #3118 dated 3 Dec 1832 and 1 Jan 1833 respectively for 56 3/4A and 100A to heirs of **George M. Deadrick** and **John C. McLemore** entered under Occ Ent #1552 6 Nov 1834 in name of **Humphrey Bate** assignee of said heirs of George M. Deadrick and John C. McLemore; granted to **James H. Bate** assignee of Humphrey Bate containing 156 3/4 A by survey 18 Mar 1831 situated in Shelby Co. on Loosahatchie River R5 S4 adj Ent #803 **Thomas Henderson** 1000A, SE cor **Shadarack Gardner's** occ claim with hereditaments and appurtenances and the river on the west; Att: **Daniel Graham**, Sec protem; **William Carroll**, Gov, 1 Sept 1835, Bk 4, p 69; reg 30 Mar 1838, Bk G, p 32, ABT, RSC

p 32 - 12 Jul 1834 - Power of Attorney of **Nathaniel Bailey** of Shelby Co. to **Littleton Henderson** to attend to my business as agent of **George Bigelow** or as a partner in Henderson and Bailey to take possession of my house -- now occupied by **William Cowin** -- to Cowin and Bias & Co. and house debt created by me is paid and also payment due **James McWilliams** for work due on house; Att 12 Jul 1834 Nathaniel Bailey by **Ro Lawrence**, SCCC; reg 2 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 32 & 33

p 33 - 21 Feb 1838 - **Wyatt Christian** and **Frederick Christian**, debtor, **Bailey Anderson**, trustee, and **Thomas Dickens**, creditor, all of Shelby Co.; Said parties of the first part convey unto Bailey Anderson; Trust for \$5.00 property in R8 twp 1 S4 (in Chickasaw Purchase) Lots 5 & 6 containing 320A where Frederick Christian lives and also tract being part of Lots 7 & 8 north of S4 R8 twp west containing 36A, Negroes Anderson 24, Thomas 20, Solomon 25, Henry 14, James 28, Viney 29? and her children Phillip 6, Martha 3 and a girl child named ___ 18 mo, Violet 20 and her two children, Ann and unnamed infant 4 wks, girl 16, Adeline 15, Sarah Ann 10, Lots #211 and #212 in Memphis on Main at Exchange and #270 near above lots for \$4460 for purpose of sec? and to pay **Tom Dickens** in ten years notes due each Feb. 22; Att: **Seth Wheatly**, **P. G. Gaines**, **John T. Harkins/Haskens**, and **Wm Spickenale** above trust deed; for diverse good reasons and moving, we hereby quit claim and release to Wyatt and Frederick Christian all Negro slaves mentioned and conveyed in Trust Deed 22 Feb 1838; Att: John T. Haskens/Harkens, Bailey Anderson, Seth Wheatly, and Thomas Dickens

p 35 - 12 Mar 1838 - **John T. Haskens** attests to trust and quit claim, JWF; 3 Apr 1830 **Seth Wheatley** att. to Quit Claim; reg 3 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 33, 34, 35, ABT

p 35 - 2 Apr 1838 - **Thomas Dickens** of Shelby Co. to **Joseph Cotton** for \$4460, 321A begins at Stage Road adj **Dandridge**, now Joseph Cotton's, Daughtery's 3000A and Jacob ____ in R6 S3 11D; tax recd, JWF, SCCC; reg 3 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 35, ABT, RSC

p 36 - 15 Oct 1838 - **William W. Hadnot** of Shelby Co. to **Thomas Dickens** 43A for \$150 on south side of Loosahatchie adj P & T SW cor Cert #647, Ent #646 crosses Loosahatchie; founded on Grant #20762 to **Humphrey Scroggins** 43A R7 S3 on south side Loosahatchie with hereditaments; Att: **J/I Bolton/Botton** and **Wm Hensley**; 1 Att 2 Apr 1838 by Bolton and Hensley; State tax pd, JWF, SCCC; reg 3 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 36, ABT, RSC

p 36 - 11 Mar 1836 - **Thomas Hunt** of Mississippi to **James Rucks** and **Jeremiah Jamerson** of State of Tennessee for \$1250, 640A in Shelby Co. according to south boundary of Tenn. and Miss. as lately run about 10 miles south of Memphis Sec 15 twp 1 R A west of meridian, it being Indian Reservation of **W. Measles** purchased from him by Hunt; Wit: **P. G. Gaines**, **E. Hickman**, and **R. Topp**; **Smith Criddle**, clk of Davidson Co. attests that Hickman and Topp made such deed 1 Nov 1837; State tax pd JWF CSC; reg 5 Apr 1838, BK G, p 36 & 37, ABT; James Rucks of Nashville, Tenn. and Jeremiah Jamison of Smith Co. are owners of 640A 10 miles so of Memphis, it being reservation of **W. Measles**, an Indian, and purchased from him by Thomas Hunt in Sec 15 twp 1 R8 west of meridian and sold by Hunt to Rucks & Jamison for \$1.00 pd by Rucks by Jameson & Jameson who conveys his right to Rucks; **John I. Burnett**, clk of Smith Co. att: Jamison, exec 22 Dec 1837; State tax recd, JWF, SCCC; reg 5 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 37, ABT, RSC

p 38 - 15 Jan 1838 - **Joseph J. McDowell** of Highland Co., Ohio and **Elisha Clark** of Shelby Co. for \$500, 125A in Shelby Co. on waters of Wolf River 11D R6 S2 adj **Joshue Ecklin** 156A, J. J. McDowell 865 A of which this is a part with appurtenances;

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signed McDowell by his agent Benjamin Robbins att/fact; Att: 2 Apr 1838 by Robbins; State tax pd, JWF, SCCC; reg 5 Apr 1838 Bk G, p 38, ABT, RSC

p 38 - 5 Dec 1833 - **James/Jones Cooke** of Franklin Co., N.C. to **William Person** of same Co. and State one man slave named Guilford for \$400; Wit **A. C. Perry** and **Wm D. Davis**; Att 16 Apr 1838 by Davis; reg Bk G, p 38 & 39

p 40 - 14 Apr 1838 - **M. B. Winchester**, Spec Agt and att/fact, to **Nathaniel Anderson** for \$50, Lots #385 on the south side of Jackson running west to Commerce St. and Third St. and Lot #399 on the north side of Winchester at Third to Commerce with contents and rt? of a 45ft street between lots; State tx pd, JWF, SCCC; reg 16 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 39 & 40, ABT

p 40 - 16 Apr 1832 - **M. B. Winchester**, Spec Agt and att/fact for owners and heirs to **Zachariah Edwards** for \$37.50 the west half of Lot #406 at intersection of north side of Poplar with east side of Third with all its appurtenances; Wit: **J. Graham** and **Mason Smith**; MBW, ack deed, 14 Apr 1838; State tx recd, JWF, SCCC; reg 16 Apr 1837, Bk G, p 40 & 41, ABT

p 42 - 14 Apr 1838 - **M. B. Winchester**, Spec Agt and att/fact, to **John W. McMahon** and to heirs of **Fransis McMahon**, two lots or parcels of ground Lot #29 and #165 in Memphis, located on west side of Main and north side of Auction Sq. then south to Exchange Sq. then with north side of square; Wit: **James M. Weathered** and **Hezekiah Cobb**, MBW att: to deed beginning at Lot #29 survey 1830 to **Margaret Cowels**; State tx recd, JWF, SCCC; reg 16 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 42 & 43, ABT, RSC.

p 43 - 10 Apr 1838 - **Anderson B. Carr** to **Wiley Kimbrough**, **Albert Kimbrough** and **James Kimbrough** of Shelby Co. for \$3000, land in Memphis, part Lot #50 begins north side Commerce St. with Mississippi Row, Mosby brick wall to **W. W. Wood** and **L. F. Woods** line then north to **Samuel Mosby's** NW cor; Wit: **M. B. Winchester** and **Arch McLean**; State tx recd, JWF, SCCC; reg 16 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 43 & 44, ABT, RSC

p 44 - 2 Apr 1838 - **Samuel Merry** of St. Louis, Mo. to **Eugene McGivney**, assignee of **A. Smith** who was assignee of **E. Hickman**, for \$245 known and designated on **John D. Graham's** ____ plan of Samuel Merry Bayou Lots 9 & 10 on north side of Adams to **H. L/S. Morgan** lot with hereditaments and appurtenances; Wit: **J. W. Fowler** and **W. H. Bolton**, 14 Apr 1838 **Seth Wheatley** att to deed of conveyance; State tx recd, JWF, SCCC; reg 16 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 44 & 45, ABT, RSC

p 46 - Jul 1837 - **William Cowan** to **Thomas G. Johnson**, both of Shelby Co., for \$450 an unnumbered lot east of lots #327 and #328, begins east side of alley east of Second St. thence south to Exchange with hereditaments privldges and appurtenances, Wit: **Henry R. Pugh** and **Solon Borland**; Att to sale 14 Apr 1838; State tx pd, JWF, SCCC; reg 17 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 45 & 46, ABT, RSC

p 46 - 11 Apr 1838 - **M. B. Winchester**, Spec Agt and att/fact to **Anderson B. Carr** for \$75 Lot #207 begins at east side Main with north side of Exchange then south to #208 with appurtenances; Wit: **John Y. Carr** and **John Feeney**; State tx pd, JWF, SCCC; reg 18 Apr 1838 Bk G, p 46 & 47, ABT, RSC

p 48 - 1 Mar 1838 - **Zachariah Edmonds** to **A. Smith** for \$2000 west side of Lot #401 begins west side Poplar; Wit: **Thomas B. Oliver** and **Eugene McGivney**; State tx pd, JWF, SCCC; reg 14 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 48, ABT, RSC

p 49 - 31 Mar 1838 - **A. Smith** debtor to **Zachariah Edmonds** and **T. B. Oliver** creditors and **Frazier Titus** trustee, whereas **A. Smith** owes creditors \$134.25 and **T. B. Oliver** \$600 all due next Oct. for \$5.00 sells west 1/2 lot #406 to **Frazier Titus**, note to Oliver given by **A. Smith** and **Edmonds** together with **Fred P. Stanton**; the two latter being securities; Wit: **C. H. Alexander** and **Eugene Magivney**; reg 18 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 48, 49 & 50, ABT, RSC

p 50 - 16 Apr 1838 - **Sallie M. Smith**, 1st part, **Robert Reddick**, 2nd part and **Henry R. Pugh**, 3rd part all of Shelby Co., whereas **Robert Reddick** and **Sally M. Smith** will shortly marry, she places in trust for the maintainance and education of her children for \$10.00 on hand; she transfers two slaves **Hester** and **Emma** and all other property she possesses or may possess chiefly her distributive share of her father, sums of money, articles of personal property (amount not known to her) in the hands of her guardian **Reddick Cross** of Fayette Co. etc. **Hugh R. Pugh** will hold for her personal benefit and separate use as she shall direct; Wit: **Saml Daughtery** and **H. S. Holt** att deed, JWF, SCCC; 18 Apr 1838 "This yoke of bondage, deed of trust or marriage settlement" Reg Bk G, p 51 & 52, ABT

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p 51 - 13 Apr 1838 - **Marcus B. Ragan** of Fayette Co. to **John Brown** of Memphis for \$1890 Lot #123 fronting on Main St. at Washington St. 74 ft. and 3 in. by 148 ft. 6 in.; Wit: **S. R. Brown** and **E. H. Porter**; State tx recd JWF, SCCC; reg 20 Apr 1838 Bk G, p 50 & 51

p 52 - 18 Dec 1837 - **Hezekiah Cobb** is bound to **Charles Stewart** and **Chs Alexander** for \$6400 Lot #4 fronting on Chickasaw St; notes for \$3200 and in six months to make a true and safe deed; Wit: **Jesse Williamson** and **Henry Payne**; JWF, SCCC; reg 20 Apr 1838 Bk G p 51 & 52 ABT RSC

p 52 - 3 Nov 1837 - **Francis T. Latham** to **Charles Alexander** for purposes therein and \$5.00 and Lot #340 adj **Charles Stewart's** residence; he is indebted to Charles Stewart for \$2000 in two notes of \$1000 due July next and 1 Jan 1839; if not paid Alexander is authorized to advertise and sell at public sale giving 20 days notice; Wit: **J. W. Fowler** and **Benj F. Dill**; reg 21 Apr 1838 Bk G p 52 & 53 ABT

p 53 - 21 Apr 1838 - I, **Ezekiel Hubbard**, am bound to **Daniel Coleman** for \$2000 16 Jun 1837; he has sold Coleman a lot in town of Raleigh 12 1/2 ft. north of Lot # 1 NE cor of Block D containing one acre and 3p (movable property excepted); Coleman executed notes of \$500 each, one payable 12 months from above date 16 Jun 1838 and one payable two years after 16 Jun 1839; Wit: **C. E. Reinhardt** and **Jas R. Wray**; FWF SCCC by **T. H. Hayden** Dpt Clk; reg 23 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 53, ABT

p 54 - 24 Mar 1838 - **Felix Lewis** of Ponotoc Co., Mississippi, is bound to **Wm H. Kennedy** of Memphis for \$14,000; Kennedy has pd \$3200 and executed a note binding himself to my order for \$3556 12 months from said date for purchase of land in Chickasaw session of Tenn. twp S10 P8 twp 1 R8 west of meridian line and south of Winchester line; Wit: **John T. Brown**, **Wm W. Blackwell**, **Wm H. Shelton** and **Lewis Shanks**; Shelton and Shanks att to above title bond 19 Apr 1838, JWF, SCCC; reg 23 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 54, ABT, RSC

p 54 - 20 Apr 1838 - **Neil B. Holt** to **John T. Trezevant** both of Shelby Co. for \$1.00 six lots #2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 on **John D. Graham** map; NW cor lot 1 on Exchange St.; deed make for following purposes, I am indebted to **Charles Stewart** for \$1000, \$200 due Jul 1838, \$400 due 1 Jan 1839 and \$400 due Jan. 1840; deed void if anyone of said notes should be unpaid and Trezevant, trustee, shall advertise and sell to highest bidder for balance and pay me all over balance due after costs paid; Wit: **Seth Wheatley** and **Calvin Goodman**, 3 Nov 1837; reg 23 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 54 & 55

p 55 - 22 Nov 1837 - **D. F. Sims** to **Charles Stewart** both of Shelby Co. for \$1800 Lots #17, 12, 34, 56 and 7 on J. D. Graham map begins SW cor Lot #16 on north side of Poplar to SE cor #7 and north to Exchange St.; Wit: **P. F. Ruth** and **F. R. Gall**; State tx pd, JWF, SCCC; reg 23 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 55 & 56

p 56 - 23 Nov 1837 - **Charles Stewart** of Shelby Co. to **Neil B. Holt** for \$1000 Lots #2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 on John D. Graham's map begins NE cor #1 on Exchange St.; Wit: **John T. Trezevant** and **Seth Wheatley**; State tx recd, JWF, SCCC; reg 23 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 56 & 57, ABT

p 57 - 2 Aug 1837 - **Stith M. Nelson** of Shelby Co. and **D. F. Sims** of Memphis for \$1500 part of Lot #472 on JDG map and **Wm Lawrence**, Lots #17, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, & 7; Wit: **John H. Morgan** and **Jas Henderson**; State tx pd, JWF; reg 23 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 57 & 58

p 58 - 22 Nov 1839 - **John T. Trezevant** to **Henry R. Pugh** for \$1.00 two Lots #17 and #7 on John D. Graham's map for Jan. 1840 payable to Farmers and Merchants Bank; Wit: **Seth Wheatley** and **G. B. Locke**; reg 24 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 58 & 59, ABT

p 59 - 25 Nov 1837 - **Joseph Minton** to **Washington Boulton** both of Shelby Co.; I am indebted to said Boulton for \$150, a lot where Minton now resides containing 2A with all appurtenances; note to be paid in 12 mo. and if not Boulton may advertise and sell; Wit: **N. W. Moore** and **J. W. Smith**; JWF, SCCC by **Y./Z. H. Hayden**, Dpt Clk; reg 24 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 59, ABT

p 60 - 26 Apr 1836 - **She nah ha** (x) his mark #148 Alberson district of Chickasaw Nation of Indians and **Wilson T. Caruthers** and **Richard Bolton** for \$800 section of land #7 twp 1 R6 part of She nah ha reserve; Wit: **Isaac (x) James** and **Ben F. Coopwood**; **Benjamin Love** and **Henry Lane** commissioners appointed for the purpose, certify that She nah ha is capable and

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able to take care of his affairs 26 Apr 1836; signed Benj Love and **James Colbert**; **Benjamin Reynolds**, agent for Chickasaw Nation of Indians attests to deed is true and a fair price has been paid 26 Apr 1836 app by **Wm Carroll**; Ponotoc Co., Miss. Benj J. Coopwood attests to **Joel Pinson**, Probate Judge that deed was made 19 May 1836; DeSoto Co., Miss. Caruthers and Bolton deposited in office of Probate Court above deed 30 Jun 1836 and rec Bk B, p61 & 62 **S. T. Cobb**, clk; State tx recd, JWF; reg 25 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 60, ABT

p 61 - 18 Oct 1836 - **William Kerney** #72 Tishomingo Dist of Chickasaw Nation and **William F. Caruthers** and **Richard Bolton** for \$2000 section of land #9 Lots 5, 6, 7, 8 in fractional section #4 twp 1 R4 west; signed **Wm (X) Kerney**; Wit: **Isaac (X) James**, **W. Webb** and **John L. Tindall**; Ponotoc Co., Miss. **James I/Q. Wilson** clk Probate att Webb deed and he saw Kerney deliver same; State tx recd, 14 Nov 1836; reg 14 Nov 1836, Bk G, p61; Love and Colbert att that Kerney is able to take care of his affairs; Reynolds certifies that he has been paid for sale of land 18 Oct 1836; Marshall Co. MSD, 17 Jan 1837, Rec Bk B, p 278-80 **Will H. Bourland**, clk

p 62 - 20 Jun 1836 - **Wilson T. Caruthers** and **Richard Bolton** holding a joint undivided interest of the first part and Wilson T. Caruthers on second part for \$800; party of 1st part give grant deed sell and convey to party of 2nd part; Wit: **Jno L. Tindell** and **J/G. L. Tindall Jr.**; Caruthers and Bolton att: to conveyance to Wilson T. Caruthers 20 Jun 1836; **Jas W. Drake**, clk; **Sam T. Cobb**, clk of Probate certifies deed dep in his office 30 Jun 1836; entered Bk B, p24, 17 Nov 1836; State tx recd, JWF, SCCC; reg 25 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 62

p 62 - 3 Jan 1837 - **Wilson T. Caruthers** and **Richard Bolton** to Wilson T. Caruthers for \$1000 1 section #9 twp 1 R4 west of basis meridian Chickasaw session State of Miss.; Wit: **David Hubbard**, **W. S. Henderson** and **John L. Tindell**; Ponotoc Co., Miss. **James I/Q Wilson** acknowledges deed delivered 4 Jan 1837; Marshall Co., Miss. **William H. Bourland** certifies deed deposited and recorded Bk C, p 285, 286, 17 Jan 1838; Shelby Co., Tenn. reg 25 Apr 1838, Bk G, p 62 & 63

p 63 - 9 Feb 1837 - **John C. McLemore** of Shelby Co. to **D. F. Sims** for \$1200 about 13A being part of country Lot #525, 52 1/2A (which was in division of land belonging to property and subdivided by **John D. Graham** into various size lots); this 13A on north side Bayou Gayoso #1-27 17 1/2A, #18, 19, 20, 21 at 2A each, Lot #22 2 1/2A begin NW cor Lot 9 of 1 1/4a to **John Anderson** includes appurtenances; Wit: **M. B. Winchester** and **Wm W. Wood** att deed 2 May 1838; State tx recd JWF SCCC; reg 3 May 1838, Bk G, p 63 & 64, ABT

p 64 - 23 Apr 1838 - **D. F. Sims**, physician of Shelby Co. to **W. A. Bickford** for \$500 and above 13A part of Lot #525 containing 52A part of **John C. McLemore's** north of Bayou Gayoso and has been subdivided of John D. Graham's Survey and #1-27 (J. D. Graham's field notes 1 Dec 1836 Lot 17 10 1/2A, Lots 18, 19, 20, 21 10A each, Lot 22 2 1/2A); begins west Sboundary country Lot #525 NW cor #9 1 1/2A and conveyed to **John Anderson** in center of a road 66 ft wide; McLemore sold to D. F. Sims 9 Feb 1837 for \$1200 and it is now sold to **William Atkinson**; Wit: **Wm Henderson** and **James R. Wray**; reg 3 May 1838, Bk G, p 64 & 65

p 65 - 6 Jan 1838 - **Sampson Lane** of Marshall Co., Miss. to **John Fellows** for \$1600 north half of Northern Div of Sec 3 twp 1 R6 west; Wit: **S. M. Nelson** and **F. Titus** and att: to deed 2 May 1838; JWF, SCCC; reg 3 May 1838, Bk G, p 65 & 66, ABT

p 67 - 2 May 1837 - **M. B. Winchester**, agent and att/fact, to **John S. McAda/McAdo** Lot #168 with appurtances for \$75.00 begins west side Main and south side Second St.; State tx recd, JWF, SCCC; reg 4 May 1838, Bk G, p 66 & 67, ABT

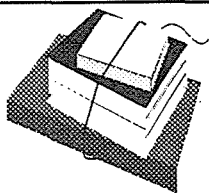
p 68 - 2 May 1838 - **M. B. Winchester**, Spec agt and att/fact, to **John S. McAda** for \$88 Lot #166 begins north side Overton Sq. and runs parallel with Chickasaw St; Wit: **S. N. (X) McAda** and **James Vaughan**; State tx recd, JWF; reg 4 May 1838, BkG, p 67-69, ABT

p 69 - 6 Apr 1838 - **Robert V. Oliver** to **Thomas B. Oliver** four negroes - Dolly 27, Eliza 9, Bob, Luayan a girl age 5 for \$1600; Wit: **Isaac Hooks** and **Elias (X) Guosar**; reg 4 May 1838, Bk G, p 69, ABT

- 4 Nov 1837 - **Joseph Henderson** and **William G. Adams**, merchants and partners in trade and trading under the firm Henderson and Adams; **Seth Wheatley** 2nd part trustee and **Wilcox Anderson** creditors of 3rd part for \$2660 due on 3 notes dated 1 Oct 1837, one for \$886.66

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TENNESSEE GLEANINGS from our exchanges



THE JONES B. CORLEY FAMILY is the subject of an article in *The Garland (Tex.) Genealogical Quarterly*, Vol. 6, No. 3. Jones (also known as J.B., Jonas, and James) was born 2 Feb 1838 in Wilson Co., Tennessee. When a young man, he moved to Salem Co., Ill., where in 1856 he married Nancy Gilmore. They returned to Tennessee and all seven of their children were born at Lebanon in Wilson County. In 1891 the Corleys moved near Garland, Tex., where Jones died 9 Mar 1911.

The family continues to be a part of Garland's history, with the sixth generation of Corleys still taking active leadership roles in the community.

Jones and Nancy's children were: William D. Corley b. 25 Dec 1857, Richard B. Corley b. 22 Jan 1860, Joseph B. Corley b. 5 Feb 1866, Ellyhugh H. Corley b. 5 Feb 1866, Caldonia Tamaroo Corley b. 24 Feb 1870, Lela A. Corley b. 23 Nov 1871, and Arzony E. Corley b. 17 Aug 1875 and d. 17 Aug 1875 in Wilson County.

TENNESSEE Confederate soldiers who became federal prisoners of war and died in Mobile, Ala., in 1864 and '65 are listed in the *Mobile Genealogical Society's Deep South Genealogical Quarterly*, Vol. 32, Nos. 2 and 3. All of the soldiers are buried in the national cemetery portion of Mobile's Magnolia Cemetery. The list, which includes each soldier's grave number, was transcribed from the 10 Sep 1865 issue of the *Mobile Daily News*.

Names of the men from the 7th Tennessee Regiment and the dates of their deaths are as follows: Sgt. Graves Carter and Pvt. W. F. Anderson - 14 Apr 1864; Pvt. J. T. McCord - 17 Apr 1864; Pvt. Samuel McCollum and Pvt. W. J. Roe - 25 Apr 1864; Pvt. James Childers and Pvt. J. S. Graves - 26 Apr 1864; Pvt. J.A. Ross - 21 May 1864; J. R. Mullins - 24 May 1864; Pvt. R. Bane - 2 Nov 1864.

Men of other regiments and dates of their deaths: Pvt. James D. Mays, 4th Tennessee Cavalry - 14 May 1865; Pvt. P. C. Arca, CSA, 8th Tennessee Regiment - 12 Jul 1865.

HAYWOOD COUNTY, Tenn., was the setting on 6 Dec 1854 for the marriage of Isabella Eliza Jane Mills and Rev. James Lawrence Culpepper, according to a family Bible record printed in *The Arkansas Family Historian*, Vol. 33, No. 3.

The family Bible, which belonged to Jane Rowe Coppedge Mills (1795-1863), shows the couple had eight children:

- (1) Fannie Jane b. 15 Oct 1855, d. 10 Mar 1859
- (2) Roxanna Oliver b. 10 Sep 1857, d. 10 Dec 1858
- (3) James Rufus b. 27 Nov 1859, d. 28 Nov 1859
- (4) & (5) Mary Victoria and Katie Mills twins b. 19 Jan 1862, d. 20 Jan 1862
- (6) James Noel b. 8 May 1863, d. in 1936
- (7) William David Benjamin b. 12 Dec 1864
- (8) Fannie Lenora Thomas Culpepper b. 17 Feb 1860.

Following Rev. Culpepper's death, Isabella Eliza Jane married George H. Ware on 19 Dec 1875 in Little Rock. Isabella was the daughter of Rev. David Mills (b. 27 Jan 1791, d. 5 May 1860) and Jane Rowe Coppedge (b. 6 Oct 1795, d. 10 Nov 1863).

HOW DID the ARP community in Lauderdale County get its name? Not from the Association of Retired Persons, but from a fellow named Bill Arp, who was a columnist for the *Atlanta Constitution*. That's what the Lauderdale County, Tenn., Historical Society reports in its newsletter (Vol. VI, No. 5).

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It seems that Arp was among a group of fellows who visited the store of James Franklin Morris, the community's first merchant. The settlement was called "Morrisville" as late as 1898, according to the newsletter. Surnames of some of the early residents were Faust, Gracey, Grammer, Osteen, Byrn, Cagill, Hipp, Howard, Mathews, Landreth, Sandlin, Halfacre, Sellers, and Stone.

OLD-TIMERS in Iberia, Mo., fondly remember Jefferson Davis "Jeffrey" Skaggs as the man who set up his merry-go-round in the local park at every Fourth of July picnic and gave all the children free rides. Born in Knox Co., Tenn., on 22 Mar 1861, he is the subject of an article in *Seeking 'N Searching Ancestors*, (Vol. II, No. 5), edited by Peggy Smith Hake, Rt. 1, Box 52, St. Elizabeth, MO 65075.

Skaggs met with a tragic death in 1927 when he was caught in machinery at his power plant in Iberia. He and his wife, Mary Arendall, had four children but only one, Gordon Bennett Skaggs (b. 1891), lived to adulthood. Jeffrey was the 11th of 12 children born to Freeman J. Skaggs (1816-89) and Mary Ann Harbison (1822-77), both East Tennessee natives. The Skaggs came from South Carolina, and the Harbisons from North Carolina. The family migrated to Miller County, Mo., after the Civil War.

COFFEE COUNTIAN Lot Banks is featured in the *Endsley Family Newsletter* (Vol. 2, Issue 3), published by Erman Charles Endsley, Jr., in Newcastle, Oklahoma. Born 3 Feb 1821, Lot was the son of former Virginians David and Sarah Banks. Lot enlisted as a soldier in the Mexican War and was mustered in at Nashville in October 1847. In 1848, he was mustered out at Memphis due to chronic illness. By 1856 he married Elizabeth "Betsy Ann" Woodard of West Virginia, and bought a farm near Pea Ridge, Arkansas. Lot had two brothers, John and Solomon Banks, and a sister, Louisiana.

The Banks eventually moved to Washburn, Mo., where Lot died 19 Aug 1896. His wife had died 10 years earlier. They had 11 children: Louisiana Ellen b. 1857, Francis Victory b. 1860, John W. b. 1862, Alice b. 1864, Houston b. 1867, S. Parades b. 1869, Perota (?), Belle, Martie, Dillie Banks, and another whose name is not known.

AT LEAST SEVEN ODELLS migrated from Powell's Valley, Va., to East Tennessee in the early 1800's, reports *The O'Dell Diggin's*, a family quarterly edited in Pinetop, Ariz., by Mrs. Kay Phillips O'Dell. The seven were among the eight children of James Odell, whose present-day descendants live in Saline Co., Missouri. James, the son of Samuel and Elizabeth Odell, was born in 1738 and died in 1806. He bought land in Frederick Co., Va., in 1768 and was a soldier in the Revolutionary War. His children who moved to Tennessee were (1) Samuel, (2) Abraham, born ca. 1761-62, settled in Washington Co., Tenn., where he died in 1829, (3) Jeremiah Odell who married Mary, (4) John who married Nancy Moore (?) possibly in Jefferson Co. in 1797, (5) James who married Delilah, (6) Isaac who is believed to have moved to the Tennessee Settlement ca. 1806-07, and (7) Jemmia Odell who married a Mr. Job, believed to have also come from the Shenandoah Valley.

TENNESSEE DESCENDANTS of Benjamin and Winifred (Turner) Wheeler, and Martin and Celia (Jones) Wheeler hold a family reunion in Nashville on the third Saturday of every June. Benjamin and Martin were brothers and are believed to have been the sons of William Wheeler who died in Granville Co., N.C., about 1781. Another family branch - the descendants of Benjamin and Winifred's son Benjamin Franklin Wheeler and his son Christopher Columbus Wheeler -- has a reunion in Creedmoor, Granville Co., N.C., on the second Sunday in July. For more information, contact Frances Wheeler, Editor; *Wheeler Tracks*, 9920 N.E. 120th St., Okeechobee, FL 34972.

Some 1865-66 Marriages from the Memphis Daily Appeal

(Because marriage records for Memphis and Shelby County were destroyed during and shortly after the Civil War, Jean Alexander West has abstracted this information from the local paper as a service to TGS members.)

1865

NOV. 12 - Married at Sommerville, Tenn., 31 Oct. by Rev. Edwin Cuter, **Dr. J. J. Williams** and **Rebecca Watkins**, daughter of Richard Watkins. (Jackson, Miss., paper, please copy).

NOV. 15 - Married at bride's father's by Rev. Schriver, **C. W. Harnes** of Selma, Ala., and **Miss Ida Southworth**.

NOV. 16 - Married at Inglewood at residence of Col. Robert J. Chester, Shelby Co., Tenn., on 15 Nov 1865, **Col. James M. Crews** and **Miss Lin(blot) V. Donnelason**.

- Married last week **John Cobb** and **Kate Webb** - "Look out for little spiders."

NOV. 17 - Married at residence of Mr. Willie Trigg by Rev. J. O. Steadman, **Miss Donna Watson** and **John H. Trigg**.

- Married 14 Nov 1865 at Mrs. Hope's by Dr. Steadman, **John M. Peters** and **Eliza J. Andrews**. (North Alabama and Chicago papers, please copy.)

NOV. 18 - Married on 14th near Hickman, Ky., **P. B. Jones** and **Mrs. E. G. Garth** by Rev. Mr. Cowgill..

NOV. 21 - Married on 7 Nov 18 by Rev. Mr. Cobb, **Capt. Thomas O. Mosby** and **Sallie S.**, daughter of Mrs. Emma Hare, all of Cross Co., Ark. He, a gallant soldier.

NOV. 22 - Married at R. B. Mitchell residence by Rev. Dwight Witherspoon, **Maj. J. P. Strange** and **M. Louisa Martin**, daughter of Honorable William P. Martin of Columbia, Tenn.

NOV. 25 - Married on 20th by Rev. A. C. Caperton, **Mr. D. S. Jones** and **Miss Sallie Goderly**, all of Tunica Co., Miss.

NOV. 27 - Marshall Co., Miss., marriages: **Mary H. McFadden** and **Mr. John A. Mahan**, **Margaret J. Prickett** and **Joseph H. Baum**, **Fannie Harris** and **John B. Roberts**, **M.S. Presbury** and **Mr. Peter C. G. Gooley, Jr.**, **Susan M. O'Stein** and **Mr. Thomas R. Jones**, **Ida Parrish** and **Mr. Frances M. Palmer**.

NOV. 30 - Married on 29 Nov by Rev. Andrew J. Smith, **Mr. Thomas J. Vanderville** to **Mrs. L. Person** of Shelby Co., Tenn. (Nashville papers, please copy.)

DEC. 1 - Married in Nashville 18 Oct 1865 by Rev. R. H. Allen, **Mr. R. L. Jones** and **Miss Cornelia**, youngest daughter of Samuel B. Snowden.

DEC. 3 - Married Nov 28 at Carrolton, Miss., at residence of Thomas P. Chambers, Esq., by Rev. H.W. Moore, **Col. Andrew J. Kellar** of Shelby Co., Tenn., to **Miss Maggie A. Chambers** of Coahoma Co., Mississippi.

- Marriage licenses issued this week in Shelby County by Garland P. Ware, county court clerk: **M. E. Carr** and **J. W. Carroll**; **Mary Fibbetts** and **Hyman W. Blow/Brown**; **Mrs. S. J. Gift** and **G.W. Massey**; **Mrs. Mary L. Person** and **Ted Vanderville**; **Louise Atherton** and **W. C. Foulk**; **Mary A. Thompson** and **T. F. Harris**; **Almira E. Oliver** and **H. C. Lane**; **Mrs. Elizabeth Bishop** and **John W. Armstrong**; **C. M. Boswell** and **David Lampken**; **Mary Jacobs** and **T. V. O'Brien**; **Letitia A. Church** and **John H. Parks**; **Bridget McDonald** and **Jeremiah Leary**; **Missouri Jane Flowers** and **Peter Reiter**; **Margaret F. Merrill** and **G. W. Wilkens**; **Eliza G. Merrill** and **W. J. Elliot**; **M. L. Perry** and **T. S. Adverson**; **Mollie E. Mechan** and **David H. McFall**.

DEC. 6 - Married by Rev. Jolly, **Mr. C. J. Seldon** of Tennessee and **Mrs. Lavinia F. Devine** at residence of her father, John J. Flournoy of Paducah, Kentucky.

SOME 1865-66 MARRIAGES (continued)

DEC. 12 - Married at residence of bride's father, Mr. Z. Willis, by Rev. A. Thomas of M.E.C. Church, **Mr. James C. Horne** and **Mrs. Annie B. Coffee**, all of Memphis.

DEC. 13 - Married by Rev. Miller, **Capt. J. F. Maudy**, late of 2nd Iowa Cavalry, and **Miss Rosanna McDonald** of this city.

DEC. 15 - Married at Calvary Church on Dec. 13 by Rev. Richard Hines, **Carrol W. Allen** of New Orleans and **Miss Marietta W. Dabb/Dobb**, eldest daughter of Rev. A. F. Dabb/Dobb of Trinity Church, New Orleans.

DEC. 16 - Married on Dec. 14 at Mrs. William Joyner's home, **Col. Thomas H. Logwood** and **Mrs. M. F. Goyer**.

DEC. 24 - Married by Rev. L. C. Taylor on Dec. 6, **Mr. J. B. T. Boone** of DeSoto Co., Miss., and **Miss Liddie Glen** of Shelby Co., Tenn.

DEC. 27 - Married in Macon, Ga., by Rev. Phillip H. Thompson, **J. Fletcher Nelson** of Memphis and **Miss Mary Louise Bond** of Macon.

DEC. 28 - Married in Washington Co., Miss., Dec. 21 by Rev. Archer, **Charles W. Johnston** and **Miss Annie F. Dunn**, daughter of the late Dr. Samuel Dunn.

DEC. 29 - Married Dec. 28 by Rev. D. J. Allen at residence of bride's brother, Dr. J. P. Dromgoole, **Mr. Robert D. Shields (DeShields)** of St. Louis and **Miss Jennie H. Dromgoole** of this city.

DEC. 30 - Married at residence of bride's mother, **Mr. Warren Rabb** and **Miss Dena King**, all of Helena, Arkansas

DEC. 31 - Marriage licenses issued by Garland Ware, county court clerk, this week: **America Neville** and **Mr. Washington Thecker**, **Laviena Busick** and **Mr. W. B. Smallwood**; **Mary Jane Graham** and **Mr. John A. Anderson**; **Mary Reid** and **Mr. Phillip Wright**; **Emily K. Trout** and **Mr. J. Greer Happersott**; **Rebecca Smith** and **Mr. Wade Hampton**; **Sarah Conelly** and **Mr. George Anderson**; **Jane Jackson** and **Mr. Daniel Waggener**; **O. A. Edwards** and **Mr. J. S. Dickey**; **Nancy Webb** and **Mr. Harrison Williams**; **Jannie B. Dromgoole** and **R. DeShields**; **Susan Palmer** and **Thomas Cole**; **Fannie Wise** and **Phil Ruffin**; **Kate Keener** and **Samuel Mitchell**; **Susan Kesterson** and **Isaac Allen**; **Harriet Lake** and **Abner Walton**; **Rachel Cole** and **Matt Ward**; **Donie Blackwell** and **Henry Pulliam**.

1866

JAN. 2 - Married in New Orleans by Rev. Dr. Palmer at First Presbyterian Church, **Col. Matthew H. Moore**, formerly of Missouri and late of Aberdeen, Miss., to **Mrs. Jane P. Curry** of Bolivar Co., Miss.

JAN. 3 - Married at home of bride's mother by Rev. W. W. Bolt, **Mr. R. R. D. Eason** and **Miss Ann Eheim**.
- Married on 31st at E. G. Payne's store in Memphis, **Miss Victoria Stocks** and **E.B. Blackburn**.

JAN. 4 - Married at home of bride's father, **John B. Hill, Esq.**, on 3 Jan by Rev. Witherspoon, **Robert H. Sheppard** of Louisville, Ky., and **Miss Immogene Hill**.

JAN. 5 - Married at residence of Gen. Barnell in Madrid Bend, Obion Co., Tenn., on 28 Dec 1865 by Rev. J. B. Harris, **Mr. R. B. Lane** and **Miss Julia King**.

- Married on 23 Dec by Dr. Ford at residence of R. T. Cook in Hernando, Miss., **Mr. J. B. Sanderson** and **Miss Lucy C. Given**, all of DeSoto Co., Mississippi.

JAN. 7 - Marriage licenses issued the past week in Shelby : **Nannie R. Woodson** and **W. H. Sawyer**, **Mary Haft** and **Robert Mosby**, **Sina Rembert** and **Edward Holmes**, **Caroline Garner** and **Henry Harman**, **Mary F. Lewis** and **T. H. McGee**, **Matilda Boyd** and **Lewis Cooper**, **Kate S. Linden** and **Edward Byron Cunnion**, **Elizabeth Aiken** and **William Johnson**, **Martha Hill** and **Benjamin Parker**, **Kesiah York** and **Washington Thomas**, **Amanda Mullins** and **George Washington**, **Johanne Powers** and **Hugh Clarke**, **Mary Gross** and **Jacob Loeb**, **Mrs. Mary Megmeum** and **August Belle**, **Victoria**

SOME 1865-66 MARRIAGES (continued)

Stocks and L. E. Blackburn, Elizabeth Branson and L. B. Scott, Sarah Noan and John Connor, Mattie Bridges and George Hatherly, Mary E. Ward and W. D. Lewis, Mary E. Carroll and John F. Smith, Imogene Hill and R. Shepherd, Matilda C. Hein and John Gerber, Rowena Stockburger and Charles Sloffner, Mrs. Susan Armstrong and W. G. Olive, Miss Eufield (Enfield) and U.A. Miller, Minerva Shelton and Horace Paine, Ellen Donnelly and Michael Connors, Sarah C. Allen and James H. Brooks.

JAN. 9 - Married at residence of her father, Capt. George L. Bartlett, in Monticello, Ga., **Mr. A. Proudfit** of Memphis and **Menara Bartlett**.

- Married at home of bride's mother by Rev. Mr. Cogan, **Warren Rabb** and **Dena King**.

JAN. 11 - Married at residence of Mrs. Pittman by Rev. Mr. Murphey, **Dr. William J. Matthews** and **Mary E. Eastland**. They left for their future home in St. Francis Co., Arkansas.

- Married at Calvary Church on 10 Jan by Bishop Quintard, **Mr. E. B. Lamb** and **Ann E. Pugh**.

JAN. 12 - Married 11 Jan by Dr. John H. Gray, **George E. Morrison** and **Rachel D. Rawlings**, daughter of the late John H. Rawlings.

JAN. 13 - Married 11 Jan at Second Presbyterian Church by Rev. T. D. Witherspoon, **William J. Jehle** and **Nannie J. Richardson**, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Specht.

- Married 26 Dec 1865 at residence of bride's father in Cahoba, Ala., by Rev. Dr. Sparrow, **Ellen Craig** and **J. V. Patrick**.

JAN. 14 - Married 4 Jan at First Presbyterian Church by Rev. Mr. Steadman, **U. W. Miller, Esq.**, and **Mary Enfield Sale**, daughter of John F. Sale, all of Memphis.

JAN. 20 - Married in the Presbyterian Church in Oxford, Miss., 18 Jan by Rev. John L. Waddel, D.D., **Rev. T. D. Witherspoon**, pastor of Second Presbyterian Church in Memphis, and **Lottie V. Ingram** of Marshall Co., Mississippi.

- Married in Panola Co., Miss., on 4 Jan, **Dr. Pinckney Miller** and **Fannie Dickens**.

- Married 18 Jan at residence of bride's mother near Shelby Depot in the county by Rev. Mr. Ewing, **John H. Lenow** and **Mollie Wash**, daughter of the late William Wash, Esq.

JAN. 21 - Shelby Co. marriage licenses: **Sarah Bland** and **Mr. H. L. Owen**, **Mary Grant** and **Matthew Zimmerly**, **Emma Jones** and **James Carroll**, **Martha Williams** and **I. F. Anderson**, **Anne Bailey** and **John W. Goodhue**, **McHannehen Gross** and **Mr. Kalishie**, **Pena Goldsmith** and **Adolph Loeb**, **Louise A. Patterson** and **John F. Shanks**, **Martha Sullivan** and **William Howard**, **Annie E. Chairs** and **S. M. Whiting**, **Mrs. Catherine Smith** and **Alexander Hargis**, **Lettie Scruggs** and **H. P. Bridges**, **Mrs. Anna Osterhaun** and **Henry H. Besson**, **Minerva A. Hoffman** and **G. Wales Carr**, **Ansie Carrigan** and **Y. H. Westerman**, **Lizzee Ann Remady** and **Enoch H. Curtis**, **Mollie Walsh (Wash)** and **John H. Lenow**, **Mary Trawley** and **John Linnahan**, **Mrs. H. Jennings** and **John Simpson**, **Sallie Finch** and **John McAssay**, **Sarah Dicks** and **Alexander DeMar**, **Mary Keiser** and **William Souler**, **Susan D. Kelts** and **Edwin G. Bricker**.

JAN. 23 - Married Jan. 19 at residence of Mr. Franklin on Chelsea by Rev. W. Sample, **Alexander DeWar** and **Sarah Dicks**.

- Married **John McAssay** and **Sallie Finch**.

- Married at Third Presbyterian Church Jan. 21 by Rev. W. Sample, **William M. Taylor** and **Emily C. Edwards**.

JAN. 25 - Married at Calvary Church Jan. 14 by Rev. Dr. Collins, **James F. McLin** of Tipton Co. and **Maggie B. Sale**.

JAN. 26 - Married Jan. 24 at bride's residence in DeSoto Co., Miss., **Capt. T. G. Morris** of Memphis and **Betty M. Liddell** of DeSoto County.

- Married at First Presbyterian Church, New Orleans, on Nov. 30, 1865, by Rev. Dr. Palmer, **Col. M. H. Moores** and **Mrs. Jane P. Cubayt** of Bolivar Co., Mississippi.

(To be continued)

Ohio Genealogists Plan 35th Annual Conference

The Ohio Genealogical Society will sponsor its 35th annual conference April 19-20 in Cincinnati. Designed to expand genealogical skills, the conference will focus on German, Irish, English, and Jewish research.

Other topics will include research and resources in Ohio, Kentucky, and Indiana; the use of computers in genealogy, and additional subjects designed to build researching skills. Details can be obtained from OGS Headquarters, P.O. Box 2625, Mansfield, OH 44906-0625.

New Quarterly Coming On Northern Virginia Genealogy

A new quarterly, *Northern Virginia Genealogy*, will begin publication in January. The magazine will publish records relating to the city of Alexandria, and the counties of Loudoun, Fairfax, Fauquier, Arlington, and Prince William. Craig R. Scott and Marty Hiatt, certified genealogical record specialists, will edit and publish the 48-page magazine. For further information, write Northern Virginia Genealogy, Rt. 1, Box 15 A, Lovettsville, VA 22080-9703. Telephone and Fax number is (703) 822-5292.

Texas Confederate Indigent Families Listed in New Book

Some 24,000 indigent Confederate soldiers and their families in 110 Texas counties are named new publication by Linda Mearse, San Marcos. Entitled *Confederate Indigent Families Lists of Texas 1863-65*, it contains a transcript of all such lists known to be in the Texas State Archives. The lists, created as the result of an 1863 state law, give the name of the soldier or current head of the household and total number of dependents. The book can be ordered for \$55 postpaid from Linda Mearse, 2841 Paso del Robles, San Marcos, TX 78666, phone (512) 396-6182.

What's *NEW* IN GENEALOGY

Californian Pens Book About Dugger Family Of Tennessee

Frances Dugger Rowan has compiled a 345-page book on the Dugger family of Johnson County, Tenn., after 18 years of research and the writing of thousands of letters. The book includes a short history of the Johnson area in Carter County, and the genealogy of such related families as Cable, Duncan, Fritts, Greenwell, Forrester, Stout, Tester, Potter, Walker, and Morris. John and Mary Engle Dugger and their 20 children are listed along with their spouses. The book, \$38.50 postpaid, can be ordered from Mrs. Rowan, 463 Grove St., Bishop, CA 93514, phone (619) 873-7044.

History of Methodist Church In Columbia, Tenn., Published

Fifty years of church history is recounted in *Riverside United Methodist Church 1945-95*. The publication contains membership rolls, baptismal records, and biographical sketches of all ministers who served the church in Columbia (Maury County), Tenn., during the past half century. The book can be ordered for \$7.00, including postage and handling, from the 50th Anniversary Committee, Riverside United Methodist Church, 313 Sixth Avenue, Columbia, TN 38401.

French Emigration to America To Be Topic At Baton Rouge

Jacques de Guise, historian, lecturer, and teacher, will be guest speaker at the Louisiana Genealogical & Historical Society's seminar Saturday, April 27, in Baton Rouge. Topics will include French emigration to America, genealogical research in France, and oddities awaiting genealogists planning to research in Europe. For further information, contact LGHS, P.O. Box 82060, Baton Rouge, LA 70884-2060.

John Clark Descendants Traced For 13 Generations

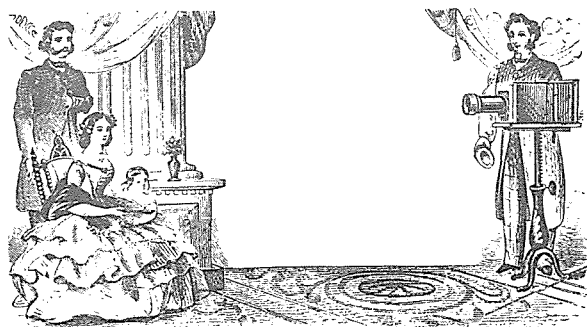
A 960-page book with 30 pages of photos and an 86-page index awaits genealogists with Clark family roots. The book contains information on 13 generations who descended from John Clark who was born about 1612 and sailed to America from Ipswich, County Suffolk, England, in 1634. He died at New Haven, Conn., in 1648. Genealogical data on more than 85 related families are included. The book is \$26 postpaid and can be ordered from Lloyd Hoagland, 49 Blanca Lane #54, Watsonville, CA 95076, phone (408) 722-6916.

South Carolina Book Lists Military, Civilian War Dead

Some 18,666 South Carolina soldiers, sailors, and citizens who died during the Civil War are listed in a new 400-page book, *Broken Fortunes*, by Randolph W. Kirkland, Jr. The publication, said to be based on more than 200 sources, includes each individual's name, age, rank, unit, home district, place, and cause of death. It sells for \$43 postpaid, and can be ordered from the South Carolina Magazine of Ancestral Research, P.O. Box 21766, Columbia, SC 29221.

Gourley Book Culminates 12 Years of Research

The Gourley family of Pennsylvania, Tennessee, North Carolina, and Kentucky is delineated in a 622-page book written by Sam and Beverly Gourley after a dozen years of research. Ten generations are identified from 1752 to 1991, starting with Thomas Gourley, an Irish-born Scotsman who came to Lancaster, Pa., in 1768 at the age of 16. By 1828, his grandson James Samuel Gourley had come to Carter Co., Tenn., and married Sarah Birchfield. The family later moved into Carlisle and Graves counties in Kentucky. Postpaid price for the book is \$40. Order from the Gourleys at 2972 Lowes Rd., Cunningham, KY 42035.



Photographs Can Add Life To Your Family History Book

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Photographs are an important part of the story of a family, in my opinion. Permanent images were not possible until 1839, so you won't find a photograph of an ancestor who died prior to that time. It is unlikely one will be located for several years after that date, even though the practice of photography grew rapidly. Thanks to the process developed by Louis Daguerre in France in 1839, photography had spread over the world by 1840 and could be found even in remote areas.¹

The Daguerreotype -- as the process was called -- produced a negative image, made on a highly polished silver surface resembling a mirror which, when viewed in the right light, appeared as a positive. However, the process produced only the original image. It was not until the discovery of the glass-plate negative that multiple pictures could be made. Following the Daguerreotype was the tintype, an image made on tin which had been painted black and coated with an emulsion. When the exposure was made and the photo developed, the image was bleached so that what is normally the black part of a negative appears white and the thin part of the image shows black, causing it to appear as a positive picture. This process appeared in the early 1850s, about the same time as images on glass. The glass photos came in two varieties. One was the Ambrotype in which the image made in the camera in negative form was once more bleached and backed with either black paint or black velvet, making it appear to be a positive. The other way glass plates were used was as a negative as we know it today. This led to the making of paper prints which allowed multiple photos to be printed and gave us the option of having copies to send or give to others. The Daguerreotype, Ambrotype, and sometimes tintypes are found in cases. All three processes produced but one image for each exposure in the camera.

When my parents died, I inherited all the family pictures from both sides, some of them going back a couple of generations. One problem with a family accumulation is that the photographs are sometimes not identified. This frustrates many people and they lose interest in the family pictures, which usually become lost. Fortunately for me, my parents and my one surviving grandmother went through the collection and identified all they could, leaving less than a half unknown. Before the advent of the automobile and the ability to visit frequently, people had photographs made at a studio and sent copies to relatives in distant places. Because money was scarce, they often did not keep a copy for themselves. So it is possible that your immediate family pictures are in the possession of another family and you, in turn, may have their family pictures. People were not always consistent about identifying the subjects shown in the photograph. Sometimes they wrote the names on the back of the photo, and sometimes they wrote the names in the letter accompanying the photo. For several years after I began research into my ancestors, I took the photo

¹ By the 1850s more than 3 million Daguerrotypes had been produced in America alone. - 'Click' by Russell Miller, Arco Publishing Co., Inc., New York, N.Y., 1974, p. 26.

PHOTOGRAPHS (continued)

collection with me when visiting newly found family members and gradually was able to put names with faces. It was mostly this mission to identify what were unknown and probable relatives that got me interested in genealogy. It also helped to find which ancestral line the picture belonged to. Before I obtained the photos, they had been mixed up with no way to tell what line they were from. As I began asking relatives, the mystery began to clear up. If someone remembered the picture or had a duplicate, it led to the conclusion they were probably of the same family line as I was. Many unidentified photos also showed up in other collections which I was able to name, and some of the images others had were named. This slow process brought about a fairly successful campaign to determine who these people were.

I was lucky to have an interest in photography and a good camera, so when new pictures showed up, I would make copies on the spot. As a result, I now have an extensive collection of family pictures. There are books in the library which will tell you how to make copies. It is fairly simple but will call for research if you do not already know how to handle the copying procedure. More recent technology has produced copying machines which make the process much simpler. The first advance was when copying machines came out with a photo mode, making for much better reproduction. Before that, everything was translated into either black or white. Everything dark came out black, and the lighter areas became white, leaving an unsatisfying image. Then the color laser copier was developed. It makes an image almost as good as a photographic copy and, in many instances, a better picture to copy for use in exchanging images with people. It is expensive to have a professional photographer copy and print a photo you wish to reproduce. In comparison, the copying machine approach is relatively inexpensive.

My approach is to have a copy made on the color copier, requesting it to be made in black only, and then place this copy in a format to fit into the final usage such as a book or other means of producing a family history. The color laser copy costs about \$1.30 (check for the best price) for a picture up to 8-1/2" by 11." For distribution, make copies from it on the standard copier with the photo setting. These can be made at most places, self service, for five to ten cents apiece. Shop around for the best deal. In other words, if you want ten copies, they will cost you about \$1.30 for the original laser copy plus 50 cents for the other ten copies or 18 cents apiece for the finished product. One other aspect to this method -- and a valuable tool to use -- is that the laser copies can be made larger or smaller. They can be as much as four times larger than the original or reduced to one-half the original size -- and the quality will astound you. These copiers also will make excellent copies of color prints. Talk to the machine operators. You'll find them helpful.

■ **About Our Contributor** - Jim Dixon this year published two family histories, *The Family of John Casselberry*, which traces descendants in South Carolina, Alabama, and Texas, and *Shade's Tree*, a history of Shadrack Dixon of Hays Co., Texas. The latter book has a 27-page pictorial section containing 90 family photographs, which Dixon says is probably his favorite part of the book. "The photographs were gathered from many sources, each family having some duplicates of ones in my collection and other families having photographs previously unknown to me. It is exciting to find pictures of ancestors." Mr. Dixon has generously contributed copies of both books to the TGS Library. If you've published a family history or begun work on one, share your experiences with other TGS members. Let us hear from you! Write *Ansearchin' News*, P.O. Box 111249, Memphis, TN 38111-1249.



CD-Rom Proves Useful In Locating Distant Relatives

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I became serious about doing family history research about six years ago and supposedly have done what many have done -- e. g., focused upon both my father and mother's ancestors and, to a lesser extent, upon my wife's ancestors. One thing that has been in my favor is that all of my grandparents and great-grandparents lived in Tennessee. Since I also live in Tennessee and the local city library has an excellent genealogy section, this has afforded me the opportunity to gather much useful information (without a lot of travel) from the U. S. Census Records and various other historical documents about the state, some of its early settlers, and those who fought in the Civil War.

Ansearchin' News also has provided tidbits from time to time, especially records from Shelby County where my mother's ancestors settled in the 1820s and '30s. Three of my four great-grandfathers fought for the Confederacy in the infantry and cavalry divisions formed in Tennessee, information which also is in our local library. I also find it helpful to go to other county and state libraries, courthouses, cemeteries, and the U.S. archives in Washington. Thus far I have not used the Mormon resources, but I intend to in due time.

When I started my ancestor search, I acquired a computer and software to organize my data. This has proved to be a valuable decision. The software links relationships of ancestors and descendants, checks for inconsistencies, and performs numerous other functions. I find it important to record birth, death, and marriage dates, if possible, especially since the same name will often be found from one generation to another. With the computer and CD-Rom software, I find it useful to search for living distant relatives from the entire U.S. residential phone book. I have contacted many third, fourth and fifth cousins this way, and am currently planning to make a modest mass mailing to persons with surnames the same as mine to high potential areas seeking family information.

Finding other relatives with interest in family history has proved valuable. This helps divide some of the painstaking work in libraries and searching courthouse records. To minimize errors in the collected data, it also is useful when possible to use multiple sources for information, especially historical information. In searching for descendants of "lost" relatives, we have found success asking newspapers to publish a notice of inquiry in places where someone remembered something about a person living there years ago. For example, we made such an inquiry in Caruthersville, Missouri. A woman from Michigan who still subscribed to the Caruthersville newspaper wrote us and said she had the address and telephone number of a lost relative of ours who lived in New Mexico. I then contacted the lost relative and this led to the discovery of around another 60 lost relatives scattered all over the country.

I have shared my work with others in the family by printing booklets on a particular line of descendants. These booklets have proved to be very popular at family reunions, and this always leads to other information and contacts. I have now traced all of my ancestors back to the early 1900's to the third and fourth great-grandparents, and am continuing to research their children which to me is interesting and rewarding. I focus primarily upon my paternal and maternal grandparents' lines which are Laster, Forrester, Lynn, and Jones. I now have nearly 3,000 ancestors and relatives in my data base. My estimate is that I am just hitting the tip of the iceberg. The potential is estimated to be approximately 40,000 relatives from the descendants of my third great-grandparents!

BOOK REVIEWS

TENNESSEE LAND ENTRIES, JOHN ARMSTRONG'S OFFICE, PARTS 1 & 2, by Dr. A. B. Pruitt. 1995. Paperback, 8x11", 320 pp. Full-name, 60-page index. Order from Bruce Pruitt, Box 815, Whitakers, NC 27891. \$38. (North Carolina residents add \$2 tax.)

North Carolina's legislature in 1783 authorized an entry office for "Western Land" and named John Armstrong as entry taker. The office was located in Hillsborough, N.C., so it would be "convenient to citizens in general" (but obviously more convenient to North Carolina residents than to Tennessee residents). Citizens of the state could claim up to 5,000 acres in each claim, except for land in southeast Tennessee and southwest North Carolina which was kept for the Cherokee Indians, and land previously set aside for former North Carolina officers and soldiers in the continental line. Only part of Armstrong's original entry book survives today. To supply information on pages missing from transcripts made by John Overton and Samuel Love of the original records once in the office of the North Carolina Secretary of State, Dr. Pruitt has drawn on abstracts from three books in the Tennessee Archives plus loose land surveys, petitions, and other information in the North Carolina Archives. (Entry #382 in Armstrong's office resulted in the sale of a 5000-acre survey to John Overton, Andrew Jackson, and James Winchester which was later subdivided to form the city of Memphis.) Pruitt has donated the two-part book to the TGS library in memory of Samuel Love, the clerk who transcribed Armstrong's entry book for Tennessee.

WHEN YOUR OX IS IN THE DITCH by Vera McDowell. Originally published 1992, reprinted 1995. Paperback, 8-1/2x11", 161 pp. Indexed. \$19.95 plus \$3.50 P&H. Maryland residents add 5% sales tax; Michigan residents 6%. Order from Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc., 1001 N. Calvert St., Baltimore, MD 21202-3897, 1-800-296-6687.

This is said to be the first how-to genealogy book written as a series of letters. Vera McDowell's letters filled with practical advice to genealogists first appeared in the Augusta (Ga.) Genealogical Society's newsletter, *Southern Echoes*, in 1982, and since then she has emerged as the "Dear Abby" of genealogy. Emphasizing problem-solving, all of Ms. McDowell's letters bear the unstated refrain: when your ox is in the ditch (i.e., when you're stuck), here's what you do. The series of more than 100 letters is an ideal guide for beginners, and some of the problem-solving techniques might even teach seasoned researchers some new tricks. As one reviewer wrote, "I have been researching for over 15 years, and after reading this book, I now have many wonderful ideas as to how I will continue my research on those so-called 'dead-end' lines."

THE LEONARDS AND RELATED FAMILIES, WITH ADDENDUM #1 by Clark McCue Leonard. 1993. Hard cover, 8 x 11", 480 pages. Full-name, 22-page index. Addendum #1, published 1994, paperback, 74 pages. \$30 postpaid. Order from Clark M. Leonard, 736 Via Lido Nord, Newport Beach, CA 92663, phone (714) 675-1861.

In the preface to his book, author Clark M. Leonard admits starting the project with the expectation of writing the definitive work for all time on the Leonard family. Like many others, he discovered that his book was only a beginning on which to build. The Leonard family tree is printed on the inside front cover of the book, and the McCue family tree on the inside back cover. Ahnentafel pedigree charts are used in tracing 16 paternal lines and 16 maternal lines, and the author gives a detailed explanation of how to make the best use of the charts, index, code numbers, and reference numbers. One map shows the family's cross-country migration in the years following their prime ancestors' arrival from Germany ca. 1752, and others indicate land owned by family members in various states. Family photographs, documents, and articles giving historical settings for events in the life of the family are included. Addendum #1 adds four totally new chapters covering the Hale, Barrett, Morgan, and Hippert families, plus corrections and additions to the original book.

MISSISSIPPI CONFEDERATE PENSION APPLICATIONS P-Z by Betty C. Wiltshire, 1995. Paperback, 5-1/2 x 8-1/4", 324 pages. \$27.50 postpaid. Order from Pioneer Publishing Co., P.O. Box 408, Carrollton, MS 38917.

This is the last of a series designed to be used as an index for locating Civil War pension applications. While a few pensions were given soldiers, sailors, and their widows in the 1890's, most were granted after 1900. Applications in the 1890's provided little information of use to today's genealogical researcher. Those after 1900 are far more informative, usually giving

 BOOK REVIEWS (Continued)

the serviceman's name, age, place of residence, service unit, officers, date of discharge, length of service, medical condition, property ownership and income, and person or persons with whom he lived. Widows' applications give the husband's name, along with the date and place of their marriage and the husband's death.

SULLIVAN COUNTY, TENNESSEE, DEATH RECORDS, 1919-25, VOL. 2 by Eddie M. Nikazy, 1995. Paperback, 5-1/4 x 8-1/4", 346 pages, full-name index. \$22.00. Order from Heritage Books, Inc., 1540-E Pointer Ridge Pl., Suite 300, Bowie, MD 20716.

Transcribed from microfilm in the Tennessee State Archives, this book contains death records for some Sullivan County residents born before the Civil War and, in many cases, identifies their parents. Each record contains, where available, the deceased's birthplace (if other than the local county), birth date or age, marital status, parents' names and birthplaces, date and cause of death, burial place, and the informant's name and place of residence. Marriage information is especially valuable since these records were burned during the Civil War. Variations in name spellings have been preserved, and the cause of death is quoted as it appears in the record. More than 8,000 entries are listed in the every-name index. Record numbers correspond with official death record numbers on file in the archives.

THE CHATTANOOGA COUNTRY: GATEWAY TO HISTORY by James W. Livingood, 1995. Hardcover, 6-1/4 x 9-1/4", 648 pages, full-name index. \$30.00 plus \$4.50 p&h. Order from Chattanooga Area Historical Association, Box 8755, Chattanooga, TN 37414.

Subtitled "The Nashville to Atlanta Rail Corridor of the 1860's," this book was published by the Chattanooga Area Historical Association to honor the state's bicentennial anniversary. Professor Livingood donated his manuscript, and the Tennessee Historical Commission contributed to the project's funding. The author notes that Chattanooga had become a busy junction by 1860, with rail connections leading in all directions. This gave it a strategic importance matched by few inland towns in the entire country, and its military significance was called to the attention of President Jefferson Davis as early as July 1861. After the fall of Nashville and then Memphis, Chattanooga's role in strategic developments and logistic planning increased. With the Nashville & Chattanooga route a Union supply road, the Confederates made every effort to obstruct service while the Union Army sought to isolate Chattanooga so it could be captured readily and transportation could be disrupted throughout a wide area. All indications pointed to the fact that the struggle had become a railroad war. The book not only gives fascinating accounts of this aspect of the Civil War, but also provides information about wartime Chattanooga's hospitals, newspapers, hotels, and other businesses as well as the people who worked in these areas. This well-documented book, replete with footnotes, photographs, maps, and names should become an outstanding source of Civil War history for the general reader as well as scholars, researchers, and Civil War buffs -- not to mention genealogists whose ancestors lived or fought in the Chattanooga area during this era.

THE GOADS - A FRONTIER FAMILY by Kenneth F. Haas, revised 1995. Paperback 8-1/2 x 11", 152 pages, not indexed. \$15.95 plus \$1.00 postage. Order from author at 1730 Fairmeadows Dr., Bettendorf, IA 52722.

Originally published in 1984, this family history has been revised and 25 pages of new data and corrections added. Material added in the second edition is printed on colored pages that follow each chapter. The Goads first appeared in Eastern Virginia in the 17th century. In ca. 1782, some of the family removed to the western lands that were to become part of the new state of Tennessee and eventually migrated to most states of the Union. The author estimates that more than 90 percent of the Goad/Goard/ Gourd/Gord family are descendants of Abraham and Katherine (Williams) Goard of Lancaster and Richmond counties, Va., ca. 1670-1735. To hold down the cost of his book, Haas has eliminated much material for the post-Civil War years, but states that he will share the data with any reader who needs further help. In tracing the family's migration from the 1600's to the Civil War and in some cases beyond, the author believes this will help the serious researcher develop an unbroken record of 10 or 12 generations. He dedicates his publication to his 101-year old mother, Hattie Annis Goad who removed from Virginia to Montana in 1916 and married his father, Herbert H. Haas/Hass, three years later. Mrs. Haas now lives in Iowa.



Books reviewed in these columns are available in the TGS Library.

LETTERS

■ To The Tennessee Genealogical Society:

I want to thank Mary Ann Little Bell and anyone else who may have assisted in providing me with the information I received on the Farris family. Living out of state and being a beginner at this, it would have taken months or even a year to obtain half of the information that was sent to me.

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■ Editor, *Ansearchin' News*:

I have just read with enjoyment Helen (Read) Tice's article, "A Family Affair" in the Fall, 1995 issue. I, too, remember stories told to me by my grandmother and elderly cousins. In fact, those stories prompted me to get interested in genealogy after I retired. How I wish I had taken it up sooner when more relatives were around to add to those stories!

Some of my paternal grandmother's stories were true. I found that she was indeed one of the charter members of the first DAR chapter in Memphis (The Hermitage Chapter), that she was descended from the sister of Thomas Jefferson, and her own grandmother grew up at the foot of Monticello Mountain in Virginia. In Mrs. Tice's interesting narrative, I wonder if my own mother's Reed family is connected.

My mother's great-great-grandfather also was a John Reed, born in Baltimore Co., Md., on 10 June 1777, but moved to Rockingham, N.C. He married Jane Dilworth. They both died in 1844. They had seven sons and one daughter:

- Zalmon Reed, b. 20 Feb 1803
- Ira D. Reed, b. 23 Feb 1804
- Preston H. Reed, b. 21 Aug 1806
- Pinckney Reed, b. 27 Nov 1808.

(He was my great-great-grandfather, and first moved to Somerville, Tenn., in 1841 or '42 where he built the old Eagle Hotel, which is still standing on

the square. He later moved to Iuka, Miss., where my mother, Mattie Cook Reed, was born.)

- Alfred Reed, b. 9 Jul 1811

- Ansilom Reed, b. 1 Sep 1813

- John Jackson Reed, b. 15 Jan 1817

- Mary Jane Reed, b. 26 Dec 1818, m. John L. Campbell 24 Jul 1844.

John's father was Reuben Reed or Reid and his father was Hugh/Hough Reed of Chester Co., Pa. He moved south and married Jemina Carman in Baltimore Co., Maryland. In 1785 he purchased 550 acres near what is now Reidsville, N.C., then in Granville Co., and later in Rockingham. One of Reuben's sons, David Settles Reid, was governor of North Carolina.

An interesting aspect of research on my father's family, the Stockleys, was my experience with Delaware's Orphans Courts. Cornelius Stockley died in 1789 before the birth of his son William. Everyone in the family knew he had been orphaned, but all kinds of stories were passed down. However, in Orphans Court records, I found that William's mother died later during the year he was born. These courts assigned guardians to protect the assets of the orphan, and provided a detailed genealogy.

I found records of five different guardians assigned by these courts as one after the other died during those disease-ravaged years after the Revolutionary War. Despite what must have been a horrible childhood, William was apprenticed as a tailor, received schooling from local teachers (paid for out of his estate by Orphans Court), and went on to become a successful "Merchant Tailor" in Philadelphia. Unfortunately, he died in 1869 on a visit to his son, Charles Ambrose Stockley, during those yellow fever years in Memphis.

Capt. Charles Stockley had moved to Memphis about 1840 and married Lucy Jane Trigg, the daughter of John Trigg, a wealthy land merchant who had settled here from Virginia in 1837. They were the ancestors of all the Stockleys and their kin of

Memphis, Corona Island in Tipton County, and Arkansas.

I have rambled too long, but let's have more stories like Mrs. Tice's in our *Ansearchin' News*.

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Henderson County Offers Historical Calendar For '96

The Henderson County Tennessee 200 Committee is seeking to raise funds for its observance of the state's 1996 bicentennial by publishing a historical calendar illustrated with photographs of people and places dating back to the early 1900's.

The calendar includes a short history of the county by William L. Barry, honorary committee chairman and former speaker of the state House of Representatives.

Barry says Henderson County has two distinctions of note: (1) it was the residence of the heaviest man in North American history, Mills Darden (1797-1857), who weighed about 1,000 pounds at his death, and (2) it is the site of Natchez Trace State Park which has an ancient pecan tree claimed to be the largest of its species in the world.

Historical tidbits about the county are scattered throughout the calendar. For instance, January 8, 1822 was the day the county issued its first marriage license (to H. N. Hopkins and Sophia Greer). February 4, 1889 marked the first railroad run to Memphis and back. And on June 8, 1861, Henderson County voted against secession. The calendar even carries a recipe for Carl D. Overman's stew. It can be ordered for \$5 (plus \$1 postage) from Brenda Fiddler, 331 Eastern Shores Dr., Lexington, TN 38351, phone 968-7739.

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Alabama Newspaper Excerpts About Shelby Countians

(Continued from Fall 1995 issue)

George G. Armstead, executor of the will of Fannie Armstead, deceased, petitioned to sell land; heirs are Isabella Brocchus, Frances Bragg and husband, Henry Bragg, all of Memphis; Harriet M. Noland and husband, William J./H. Noland of DeSoto Co., Miss., and Robert Armstead of Lauderdale to be notified. (Lauderdale Co., Ala., Probate Court, Aug 1856.)

Mr. J. D. Rosser of Memphis married on 15th in Tuscumbia, Ala., by Rev. Mr. Cline to Miss Sallie M. Simpson, daughter of William Simpson. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 18 Nov 1857.

Miss E. A. Weatherford of Limestone Co. married on Dec 31st by Rev. Mr. Humphrey to Mr. R. G. Tucker of Memphis. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 11 Jan 1860.

Henry C. Clarke of the firm of Spivey & Clarke of Memphis died 23rd, age 27; formerly of Huntsville. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 28 Mar 1860.

The Nashville Union announces the death of "our" editor and one of the editors of the *Memphis Argus*, Walter Scott Hay who died the 31st from hemorrhage of the lungs; born in Nashville 13 Apr 1836 but lived in Memphis during the last 13 years; son of Preston Hay, formerly clerk of Supreme Court of Tennessee. - *Montgomery, Ala., Mail*, 18 Jan 1861.

Mrs. Jane Sanders, wife of Francis A. Sanders of Memphis, died on the 9th after a long illness at the residence of Col. J. C. Bradley of Huntsville. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 13 Mar 1861.

Miss Hettie (Henrietta) McDonald married on the 15th at the residence of her father, Jonathan Mc-Donald, in Limestone County by the Rev. Dr. Rivers to John E. Logwood of Memphis. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 29 May 1861.

James R. Maltbre died in Memphis on the 28th; for many years a citizen of Huntsville. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 6 Nov 1861.

Will of John Holzworth; brothers George of Madison Co., Ind. (by 8 Nov 1865 in Memphis) and Henry of Memphis; Joseph Taller, my baker, a legatee; Andrew D. Lighton, executor; will witnesses: Cyrus Staymake and Wm. J. Mastin. (Madison Co., Ala., Probate Court 1860-62.)

Hamilton Bible records show John W. Hamilton died 17 Nov 1865 in Shelby Co., Tenn.

T. Fuller Martin, formerly of this city, died in Memphis on 7th (Note: son of Thomas and Sarah (Irby) Martin; grandson of William H. Irby.) - *Huntsville Advocate*, 7 Jul 1866.

Miss Sallie Nixon of Mobile, Ala., married in Memphis on 12th by Rev. Father Walsh to John R. Shroyer of the *Public Ledger* and at the same time and place, Miss L. J. Nixon married Frank Van Horn. - *Huntsville Advocate*, 26 Nov 1867.

Capt. Z. N. Estes of Memphis married on 19th to Miss Nettie Collier of Florence (Lauderdale Co., Ala.). - *Huntsville Advocate*, 28 Feb 1868.

Miss Anne L. Margerum of Memphis married in Memphis on 2nd by Rev. B. N. Sawtelle to Charles B. Creamer of Tuscumbia. - *Huntsville Advocate*, 10 Apr 1868.

Charles J. Phillips married on the 20th by Rev. W. H. Mitchell in Florence, Ala., to Miss E. E. Andrews of Florence. - *Tuscaloosa Observer*, 6 Feb 1869.

Albert M. Hines, age 19, brother of Capt. J. J. Hines, died in Memphis on the 1st. - *Huntsville Advocate*, 10 Dec 1869.

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Miss Annie Blackwell, daughter of Mrs. Mary Blackwell of Limestone Co., Ala., died in Memphis of pneumonia on the 20th of November. - *Huntsville Advocate*, 24 Dec 1869.

Miss Bettie Matkin married Apr 12th by the Rev. M. B. DeWitt at the residence of the bride's father to William Clark of Memphis. - *Huntsville Advocate*, 15 Apr 1870.

John B. Sale was raised in Lawrence Co., Ala., the son of Rev. Alexander Sale who resided in the neighborhood of Courtland; John B. was educated at La Grange College; previous to 1844 he was a judge of County Court; when defeated for Solicitor, he left Alabama and settled in Aberdeen, Miss.; from there, he removed to Memphis where he is now a lawyer. - *Garrett's Public Men In Alabama 1871*.

Miss Emma Walker Nelson, daughter of Col. Thomas A. Nelson, was married in Memphis on the 26th to Samuel W. Cooper of Somerville, Tenn. - *Huntsville Advocate*, 10 Feb 1871.

Thomas H. Broochus was married Oct 11th in Memphis to Miss Fanthe (?) Penn, formerly of this city. - *Huntsville Advocate*, 17 Nov 1871.

Capt. A. J. Edmondson of Memphis, a veteran under Jackson, is dead; and Col. John W. Dawson, a prominent citizen of Memphis, died on the 29th. - *Huntsville Republican*, 3 May 1872.

Miss Mary W. Bowers of Memphis married June 25th to Col. William C. Julian of East Tennessee at the residence of her mother by Rev. Dr. George White, rector of Calvary Church. - *Huntsville Democrat/Advocate*, 25 Jun 1872.

George McNabb of Memphis married on the 17th to Miss Mattie Crow, formerly of Florence, Ala., in Memphis. - *Huntsville Advocate*, 2 Aug 1872.

J. M. Provine, one of the oldest citizens of Memphis, died on the 10th. - *Huntsville Advocate*, 18 Oct 1872.

Married on the 7th by Rev. Dr. F. A. Ross at the home of the bride's father, Benjamin Jolly of this city, was Miss Sue Jolly to R. P. Cousins of Memphis, Tenn. - *Huntsville Advertiser*, 15 Nov 1872.

Died in Memphis, Tenn., on Christmas morning Kate, youngest daughter of George and Mary Harper, formerly of this city. - *Huntsville Advertiser*, 3 Jan 1873.

Married in this city on the 10th by Rev. T. H. Bowman at the residence of the bride's father, John T. Stratton, was Miss Kate J. Stratton of Memphis to William B. Leedy of Huntsville, Ala. - *Huntsville Advertiser*, 11 Sep 1873.

Miss Maggie L. Landrum of Memphis married on Jan 18th at Central Baptist Church in Memphis to Rev. B. W. Bussey, the popular pastor of the Baptist Church of this city; Rev. Dr. Landrum officiated. - *Huntsville Advocate*, 17 Feb 1877.

April 14, 1877 - A. Jordan, a dentist and for many years a citizen of Huntsville, died in Memphis one day last week.

W. V. McKeon of Memphis died 20 Apr 1877; he was well known in this city. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 2 May 1877.

Edmond Epps of Memphis married on Oct 15th by Rev. W. Franklin Kone to Mrs. Tennessee Dupree of Huntsville. - *Huntsville Advocate*, 17 Oct 1877.

Miss Ella Peyton of Memphis married at the First Methodist Church in Memphis Oct 10 by Rev. S. B. Suratt to Ferdinand N. Holt of Huntsville. - *Huntsville Advocate*, 24 Oct 1877.

Original bill 25 Mar 1878, Elizabeth W. Sheffey vs. Wm. Y. C. White, Thos. W. White, and Newton K. White, admrs. of James White, deceased; lists heirs including William Y. C. Humes and Andrew R. Humes of Shelby Co., Tenn. - (Madison Co., Ala., Chancery Court Record L, page 338).

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In Madison Co. Chancery Court on 18 Feb 1878, R. M. Sledge, executor of the estate of O. D. Sledge, deceased, vs. Alfred O. Williamson, et al. Defendants are Monroe M. Cheatham and wife Edith R., Ellen Vance, William H. Vance, Jr., and Erskine S. Helm, now residents in Nashville except W. H. Vance who resides in Shelby Co., Tenn., and Erskine S. Helm who is under 14 and resides with his father, Thomas Helm in Jackson, Miss. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 27 Mar 1878.

Jolly, Caroline E. - died intestate 16 Apr 1878 in Madison Co., Ala.; five children: Sue, wife of Peter R. Cousins, Memphis, Tenn.; Frances, wife of Bartley M. Lowe, Lawrence Co., Ala.; Benjamin Jolly, Memphis, Annie Jolly and Frank Jolly under 21 of Madison Co.; grandchildren of her deceased daughter Sue Barham: Carrie and Benjamin, infants in Madison County.

Capt. Arthur Henley Keller, editor of the *Tuscumbia North Alabamian*, was married in Memphis July 1st to Miss Kate Adams, daughter of the Hon. Charles Adams of that city (Note: They became the parents of Helen Keller). - *Huntsville Democrat*, 17 Jul 1878.

Frederick O. Shaudres, Jr., son of Mr. F. O. Shaudres of Huntsville, aged 23, died at Memphis July 31st; left a wife and child; body returned to Huntsville for burial. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 14 Aug 1878.

Dr. John Henry Erskine died Sep 17th of Yellow Fever in Memphis; a native of Huntsville and reared in our midst. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 18 Sep 1878.

Died at Big Cove in this county Sep 7th of convulsions, Mamie, infant child of the late Fred O. Schaudres? Jr., aged 3 mos; she was brought back from Memphis and the parents took her camping and nursed her till her death, fearing it might be yellow fever. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 18 Sep 1878.

Mrs. Jennings of Memphis died of Yellow Fever at Madison yesterday; her sister, Miss Pledge, who recovered, is also from Memphis. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 2 Oct 1878.

Estate of Mary H. Garner, deceased; Thomas W. Martin, administrator; William L. Garner who resides in Waco, Tex.; John T. Garner, who resides in Aberdeen, Miss.; Rebecca Sullivan and her husband who reside near Clarksdale, Coahoma Co., Miss.; Robert H. Garner and Walter B. Garner who reside near Germantown, Shelby Co., Tenn.; Mollie E. Garner and Oliver G. Garner who also reside in Coahoma Co., Miss. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 30 Oct 1878.

Petition for sale of land of Charles P. Cabaness, deceased, who died 5 Jul 1880; never married but left brothers and sisters and their descendants including: Bettie Capps, granddaughter of Elizabeth H. Tate, daughter of deceased daughter Lucy A. Wellborn, residing with her husband William W. Capps in Memphis; Mary M. Wiley, a granddaughter of Elizabeth H. Tate (who was a sister of Chas. P. Cabaness), daughter of her deceased daughter Historia Wilburn, residing with her husband George W. Wiley in Shelby Co., P.O. Morning Sun. (Note: Historia Tate married Abner C. Wellborn, son of Isaac, Jr., and grandson of Isaac, Sr., Revolutionary soldier. (Madison Co., Ala., Probate Court Bk 36).

Frank Ficklen of Memphis married Miss Sue W. White, daughter of Thomas W. White, in the Presbyterian Church by Rev. Dr. Bryson. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 22 Dec 1880.

Mrs. Nellie Burford, wife of H. N. Burford, died in Memphis Jan 4th; left many friends in this city. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 26 Jan 1881.

Dr. Alexander Erskine of Memphis is visiting his mother. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 16 Feb 1881.

John Joseph Dew, over 50, died in Memphis 13 Mar 1881 of diabetes; one of founders of Huntsville but a native of Lebanon, Tenn.; moved to Huntsville in 1855 and associated with Alex R. Wiggs and after war with John Young and Humes Caruthers in a daily edition of *The Independent*; shortly after Civil War, he married Miss Mary Withers; for some years past they and their two boys, Frank and Joseph, have lived in Memphis. - *Huntsville Democrat & Independent*, 16 and 17 Mar 1881.

Sad news from Memphis of the death of little Acklen Goodman from lockjaw (caused by a cap pistol); Col. Goodman had just presented the little chap with what was supposed to be a harmless pistol. - *Huntsville Independent*, 28 Apr 1881.

ALABAMA NEWSPAPERS (continued)

Died - Mrs. L. Virginia French, born in Virginia in 1830, educated in Pennsylvania, and in 1848 with her sister, Mrs. Miles Meriwether (now of Memphis), went to Memphis and became a teacher; our heart weeps with her gifted daughters, sister, and other relatives. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 20 Apr 1881.

Obituary of William Acklen Goodman, son of Walter A. and Corinne A. Goodman, who died Apr 10, aged 6 (Memphis Appeal). - *Huntsville Independent*, 19 May 1881.

From the Hot Springs Evening Star: We shook the hand and said goodbye to Otis Newman of Memphis who left for the Bluff City; brother of our townsman, Eason Newman. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 13 Jul 1881.

Archibald E. Wells, a native of Huntsville, now of Memphis, is visiting here. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 20 Jul 1881.

William Simpson died Feb. 21 in Memphis, age 66 years. - *Huntsville Advocate*, 1 Mar 1882.

Death of Thomas H. McAllister on 26th in Memphis, son of Mr. T. J. McAllister; left wife and two little children. - *Huntsville Advocate*, 31 May 1882.

Death of Thomas W. McAllister of small pox at Memphis, Tenn.; was a telegraph operator, leaving wife and two children. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 31 May 1882.

Miss Tommie Patterson of Memphis married Nov 21st at Grace Episcopal Church to Harry Gordon Coltart. - *Huntsville Advocate*, 22 Nov 1882.

Mrs. Susan Glenn, mother of Mr. John E. Glenn, died in Memphis 10 Nov 1885. - *Huntsville Independent*, 12 Nov 1885.

Katie Duprey, daughter of Col. Edmund Epps, died Dec 1st. - *Huntsville Advocate*, 6 Dec 1882.

Capt. Walter A. Goodman died at his residence in Memphis on Jan 20th after a brief illness; last year elected Judge of County Court of Shelby Co.; he was exemplary as a husband, father, friend, citizen, and as a gallant Confederate soldier. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 24 Jan 1883.

The Memphis papers announce the death of Major Walter A. Goodman, Chairman of the County Board of Shelby County. In May 1859 in the Church of Nativity (Episcopal Church of Huntsville), he married the gifted and beautiful Corinne Acklen. - *Huntsville Independent*, 25 Jan 1883.

Samuel Ridgley Cruse died in Memphis Jan 25th, age 53; born in Huntsville Dec 23, 1824; was married to Miss Bessie Newman, daughter of Dr. Francis H. Newman Nov 25, 1858; served in Civil War as 1st Lt. in Capt. J. J. Ward's Battery 1861 (more on war record); father Samuel Cruse died during war; buried Huntsville; survived by wife and three sons. - *Huntsville Democrat*, 31 Jan 1883.

Madison Co., Ala., Death Certificate 11 Sep 1883 - William Young Conn Humes born in Virginia, aged 53 years 3 months 11 days died in Huntsville; buried in Memphis; married. **Col. W. Y. C. Humes** died of consumption Sep 11th, age about 53, at the residence of his brother, Milton Humes; buried in Memphis. - *Huntsville Independent*, 13 Sep 1883.

Judge T. M. Logwood, formerly of Memphis, late of Austin, Tex., died May 24th at Florence, Ala.; after Civil War, he was elected Judge of the Criminal Court of Memphis; about 16 years since, he married Miss Kate, daughter of Gen. Samuel D. Weakley of Florence; they had three boys, two have died and only one age 14 survives. - *Huntsville Advocate*, 30 May 1884.

Miss Bessie Anderson of Memphis married Jul 23 at Peabody Hotel by Rev. Mr. Daniels to William Vaughan of Memphis. - *Huntsville Independent*, 29 Jul 1886.



CIVIL WAR BIOGRAPHIES

Extracted from Gen. Clement A. Evans' *Confederate Military History* published in 1899 --Continued from Fall, 1995

(For a full-page photocopy of any veteran's biography contained in this book, send your name, mailing address, and \$5.00 to the Tennessee Genealogical Society, Attn. Mary Ann Bell, P. O. Box 111249, Memphis, TN 38111-1249)

LONG, William - Native of Frankfort, Ky.; made home in Nashville after war.

LOONEY, Col. Robert Fain - Born 5 Aug 1824 Maury Co.; father Abram Looney, Sullivan Co.; grandfather David Looney II of Virginia moved to Tennessee after Revolutionary War; great-grandfather David Looney born on Isle of Man, migrated to Maryland then Virginia; mother Elizabeth Gammon, daughter of Richard Gammon, native of London, England, who settled in North Carolina area that became Sullivan Co., Tenn.; married 1847 to Louisa M. Crawford, daughter of Col. James T. Crawford; Memphis resident since 1852.

LOUDEN, Lt. James Arlington - Born 3 Jan 1846 Covington, Ky.; father John Loudon of Loudon Co., Va., was steamboat captain who married Miriam Trowbridge; grandfather David Trowbridge lived to age 101; mother Mary Boyd; has had farming interests in Arkansas since war; married 1870 to Virginia Lewis Shanks; has one son; lives in Memphis.

LUCKY, Cornelius Evarts - Born 1841 Jonesboro, Tenn.; after war, practiced law in Knoxville.

LURTON, Horace Harmon - Born 1844 Campbell Co., Ky.; at 17 moved with parents to Clarksville, Tenn., but enlisted at Bowling Green, Ky.; after war was law partner of Col. James E. Bailey until 1876 when elected Tennessee Supreme Court justice; became Chief Justice 1893; home in Nashville.

LUTTRELL, Capt. James C. - Born Knoxville 1841; after war lived in New York for five years; moved back to Knoxville and went in business with brother, S. B. Luttrell; has been Knoxville mayor three times.

LYNCH, Capt. David - Born 19 Mar 1840 Franklin Co.; after war farmed in Texas until 1885 when he returned home; three sons; resident of Winchester.

LYONS, James A. - Born 1845 Knoxville; after war studied at University of Knoxville two years; instructor at Tennessee School for Deaf & Dumb for six years; joined Holston Conference in 1875; in mid-1880's had church at Gonzales, Tex.; in 1892 returned to Holston Conference; now pastor of Methodist Episcopal Church in Johnson City, Tenn.

McCABE, Barney - Born 1833 County Donegal, Ireland; came to America 1852; resided Nashville 1853-61; after war became proprietor of McCabe's Hotel in Nashville.

McCALLUM, Capt. James R. - Born 1839 Knox County; lives in Knoxville.

McCLUNG, Capt. Hugh Lawson - Born 1840 Knoxville; one of first to fall at battle of Fort Donelson; body returned to Knoxville for burial; brother, C. J. McClung.

McCROSKEY, Maj. Elijah E. - Born 1838 Sevier Co.; graduated 1857 from Carson-Newman College, Mossy Creek, Tenn., and moved to Montgomery, Ala.; after war lived in Montgomery for about a year before returning to Knoxville.

McCUTCHEN, Capt. James Thomas - Born 1833 Carroll County; before war in mining in California; after war went to Mexico with Gen. Joe Shelby; returned to Tennessee in Fall, 1865; lives in Jackson.

McDAVITT, James C. - Born 25 Nov 1834 Shelby Co., Ky.; father Dr. George McDavitt; grandfather, Gen. James McDavitt (War of 1812) born in Charleston, S. C., in 1769; great-grandfather, James McDavitt, came to Charleston from Scotland in 1760; mother, Linnie Nowlin of Kentucky, was descendant of Huguenot Nelson Nowlin of North Carolina; reared in Richmond, Ind.; started law practice in Memphis 1857; married Flora R. Dobyns 1866; one daughter.

CIVIL WAR BIOGRAPHIES (continued)

McDONOUGH, Dr. James Sevier - Born 1830 Knox County; graduated Atlanta Medical College 1860 and practiced in Concord, Tenn; after war resumed medical practice at White Station near Memphis, moving later to Rockwood and Sweetwater, Tenn., and in 1875 to Knoxville.

McDOWELL, John Hugh - Born 12 Dec 1844 near Trenton; son of John Davis McDowell from North Carolina who was Gibson Co. pioneer in 1832; grandson of Revolutionary War soldier John McDowell whose parents settled in Pennsylvania in 1729 before removing to Mecklenburg, N. C.; mother Nancy Hunter Irwin was granddaughter of Gen. Robert Irwin of Pennsylvania (Rev. War); married Nov 1865 to Mary Emma Rebecca Sandeford; lives in Union City.

MacGOWAN, Evander L. - Born 22 Aug 1835 Rutherford County; moved to Shelby County 1836; son of Thomas McGowan (born in Virginia) and Martha Jones Locke of North Carolina; grandfather, Rev. Ebenezer MacGowen, Methodist minister who moved from London to Virginia in 1783; great-grandfathers, Rev. John Macgowan, Scotsman, and Dr. Reuben Burrow both ministers; seven sons and three daughters; Memphis resident.

McGUIRE, Maj. Calvin B., M.D. - Born 1831 Lincoln County; graduated 1856 University of Nashville; married 1863 to Lizzie P. Green; moved to Fayetteville in 1871 and retired there in 1885; three children.

McHENRY, Eli Bass - Born 15 Apr 1840 Jefferson City, Mo.; son of James Bennett McHenry of Kentucky; after war moved to Memphis.

McLEAN, Capt. William L. - Born 4 Oct 1842 in Shelby County; son of Col. Charles D. McLean, Albemarle Co., Va., and Jane Elizabeth Love, Breckinridge Co., Ky.; maternal grandfather, a War of 1812 veteran, settled in Shelby County 1831; paternal grandfather, Dr. Lachlan McLean of Scotland, was British Army surgeon who married French nobleman's daughter, Sarah Gabourelle; grandfather in Virginia for a time, then moved to Nashville; great-grandfather was Donald McLean; William married in 1861 to Helen J. Donelson who died in 1881; four living children; Memphis resident.

McLEMORE, William H. - Born 1843 Lincoln County; son of Sterling Jackson McLemore; brother, Christopher C. McLemore; resident of Tullahoma.

McLENDON, Andrew J. - Born 10 Sep 1844 Houston, Miss.; son of Albert Griffin McLendon, Yazoo River steamboat captain who died 1853, and Mary Jane Seay (father was Alabamian who pioneered in Chickasaw Co., Miss.); married 1871 to Sallie May Hawthorn, daughter of John W. Hawthorn; only child died at age 10; Andrew moved to Memphis 1866; elected Shelby County sheriff in 1888 and reelected twice.

McMANUS, Lt. Samuel Vance - Born 1830 White County; son of Robert H. McManus, South Carolina; resided in Kansas 1855-58; since war has had farming operation on extensive land holdings in Texas and Tennessee; married in 1858 to Mary Brown of Virginia parentage; two children; lives in Sparta.

McMURRAY, Lt. William Josiah, M.D. - Born 1842 Williamson County; graduated University of Nashville 1869 as valedictorian; esteemed by Confederate veterans for his devotion to their interests; was moving spirit of committee that secured \$45,000 appropriation and use of The Hermitage for the Tennessee Soldiers' Home; assisted in procuring passage of bill appropriating \$60,000 per annum for pensions; served as chaplain until 1865; resident of Nashville.

McNEAL, Capt. Albert T. - Born 9 Dec 1842 in Coffeeville, Miss.; son of Albert McNeal who died 1844 in Coffeeville but also lived in Bolivar, Hardeman County; family returned to Bolivar; Albert married Kate Fentress on 24 Apr 1867; began law practice 1866; lawyer in Bolivar.

McNEILLY, James Hugh, M.D. - Born 1838 Dickson Co.; father Robert McNeilly; enlisted 1862 and served as chaplain until 1865; pastor of Glen Lenon Presbyterian Church, Nashville.

McTEER, Joseph T. - Born 1840 Maryville, Tenn.; after war lived in Knoxville for a year then moved to Baltimore for 15 years; since 1876 has resided in Knoxville.

CIVIL WAR BIOGRAPHIES (continued)

McWHIRTER, Fountain Pitts - Born 19 Nov 1836 in Lebanon, Tenn.; reared in Davidson County; in business in Clarksville; lives in Nashville.

MALONE, Dr. George Booth - Born 25 Oct 1844 in Tippah Co., Miss.; son of William G. Malone and Sarah Battle, daughter of William Battle, North Carolina; grandfather, Rev. Booth Malone of Virginia, was of Irish descent; when George was four, father moved to Shelby County; after war graduated in medicine at Washington University, Baltimore; practiced 15 years at Indian Bay, Ark., before moving to Memphis; married 1873 to Kate Carson of Baltimore; four children; home in Memphis.

MALONE, Capt. Nicholas Davis - Born in June 1844 in Athens, Ala.; moved to Nashville in 1868; lawyer in Nashville.

MALONE, Capt. Thomas H. - Born 1834 near Athens, Ala.; graduated University of Virginia 1855; admitted to Nashville bar in 1859; retired 1892; lives in Nashville.

MANEY, Maj. William B., M.D. - Born 1834 in Franklin Co., Tenn.; lived in Nashville from age six; after war was doctor in Nashville two years then moved to Phillips Co., Ark., for 10 years; lived in Williamson Co., Tex., until 1889 when returned to Nashville.

MANNING, John W. - Originally from Cobb Co., Ga.; represented at Chattanooga by D.J. Manning; brothers George M., William S. (killed in Battle of the Wilderness), and Cicero J. Manning; after war engaged in milling and farming until death in 1896

MARKS, Col. Albert Smith - Born 16 Oct 1836 in Daviess Co., Ky; father died when he was 14; studied law at Winchester, Tenn., and resumed study after war; governor of Tennessee 1878; died 4 Nov 1891 in Nashville.

MARSHALL, Lucius S. - Born 16 Dec 1842 in Fayette County (then Marshall Co., Miss.); son of Dr. James Marshall and Eliza N. Richardson; married in 1886 to Cora Norfleet; one child; lives in Collierville, Shelby Co., Tenn.

MARTIN, Chaplain Joseph E., L. L. D. - Born 23 May 1840 in Cumberland Co., Pa.; son of Richard and Rosanna Martin; grandfather, Severn Martin, came to U.S. ca. 1796 from Ireland and migrated to Virginia soon after 1840; after war Joseph studied at University of Virginia; served as minister of Protestant Episcopal Church in Mississippi and Tennessee; married in 1863 to Mary E. Hamilton, Richmond, Va.; lives in Jackson.

MARTIN, William A. - Born 18 May 1839 in Madison, Ga.; father John Bryan Martin was in Florida Indian War; grandfather James Martin of North Carolina in War of 1812; has lived in Chattanooga since 1866; married in Feb 1877 to Alice Gillespie; three sons and one daughter; died 29Apr 1887 in Chattanooga.

MARTIN, Lt. William Dawson - Born 1838 Baltimore, Md.; father Isaac W. Martin born in Baltimore; lives in Jackson.

MATHES, Adj. James Harvey - Born 29 June 1841 in Dandridge, Tenn.; father, Rev. William Alfred Mathes, Cumberland Presbyterian Church clergyman; grandfather William was first white born in Jonesboro, Tenn.; great-grandfather George, born Augusta Co., Va., moved to East Tennessee at close of Revolutionary War and was killed by Indians; grandmother Rachel Porter, daughter of John Balch (Rev. War) and niece of James Hezekiah Balch; mother Margaret M. Hart (granddaughter of Revolutionary War soldier Joseph Hart who married Mildred Spotswood Cash, daughter of Benjamin Cash, North Carolina, and Spotswood Dandridge of Virginia); five children; lives in Memphis.

MATTHEWSON, J. P., M.D. - Born 22 Sep 1840 in Callaway Co., Ky.; son of Daniel Matthewson; grandson of John Matthewson; married in 1866 to Marjorie Currier, daughter of N. Currier, Paris, Tenn.; five children; home in Paris.

MAURY, Ferdinand Claiborne - Born 1845 near Franklin in Williamson County; after war studied law at Lebanon; graduated 1867; settled in Nashville.

CIVIL WAR BIOGRAPHIES (continued)

MAURY, Richard Brooke, M.D. - Born 5 Feb 1834 Georgetown, D.C.; father Richard Brooke Maury, Sr., Spottsylvania Co., Va., was 1812 soldier 1812; mother Ellen Magruder, daughter of James A. Magruder, Georgetown; grandfather Fontaine Maury; great-grandfather Matthew Maury of Gascony married Mary Ann Fontaine; cousin to Commodore Matthew F. Maury, Maj. Gen. Dabney Maury, and Capt. William Lewis Maury; reared in Fredericksburg, Va.; two years after war moved to Memphis; married (1) daughter of Judge H. T. Ellet; (2) daughter of Hon. W. K. Poston; six living children.

MENEES, THOMAS, M.D. - Born 26 Jun 1823 in Davidson County; great-grandfather Benjamin Menees, Amherst Co., Va., was Revolutionary War soldier who moved with his brother James to Tennessee as early as 1788 and settled in region now Robertson County; parents, Benjamin W. Menees and Elizabeth Harrison of Davidson County, both died during Civil War; grandfather James Menees was longtime Robertson County sheriff; after war Thomas went to Nashville; married (1) on 21 Apr 1853 to Elizabeth Hooper of Davidson who died 1861 leaving three sons, (2) in 1868 to widow of Hiram Walker, had one daughter; lives in Nashville.

MEWBORN, Joseph L., D.D.S. - Born 3 Mar 1838 Madison Co., Ala.; second of 16 children of Charlton A. Mewborn and Mary J. Long, natives of North Carolina and Alabama; reared in Fayette Co., Tenn.; graduated in dentistry in New York in 1870; married 1886 to Mary A. Matthews; four sons and four daughters; lives in Memphis.

MINOR, John, M.D. - Born 7 Apr 1822 Albemarle Co., Va.; attended University of Virginia and graduated medical school in 1842; after war practiced medicine near Rapidan, Va., where he died 30 Jan 1881.

MINOR, James L., M.D. - Born 14 Oct 1854 in Stafford Co., Va.; son of John Minor (above); was an oculist; graduated University of Virginia 1876; Memphis resident since 1885; married Margaret Rogers, daughter of Dr. W. E. Rogers, Confederate Army surgeon.

MITCHELL, George W. - Born 1844 Whitfield Co., Ga.; son of James Mitchell who moved to Georgia from North Carolina in his youth; lives in Grand Junction, Tennessee.

MITCHELL, Robert Wood, M.D. - Born 26 Aug 1831 in Madison Co., Tenn.; son of Guilford D. Mitchell; grandfather John D. Mitchell of North Carolina; during childhood moved with parents to Mississippi; graduated 1856 medical school at University of Louisiana; relocated to Memphis in 1858; married 1872 to Rebecca F. Park, daughter of late William Park.

MITCHELL, Capt. William Howard - Born in 1842 in Carthage, Tenn.; Nashville resident since 1857.

MOORMAN, Capt. H. C. - Born 1842 in Hardeman County; only son of Dr. R. A. Moorman and Martha Morgan; father originally from Lynchburg, Va., still resides in Hardeman; married 1871 to Mrs. Frances Jeanette Armstrong who died 1892; seven living children; Somerville resident.

MORGAN, Lt. Henry B. - Born 1842 in area that became Moore County; son of William A. Morgan; married 1868 to Mary J. Bryant; two children.

MORROW, William, M.D. - Born 1839 in Jacksboro; was Tennessee state treasurer 1870-77; lives in Nashville.

MORTON, Capt. John W. - Born 1843 Williamson County; moved to Nashville 1854 with father, Dr. John W. Morton, Sr.

MYERS, Capt. Daniel Emmet - Born 17 Feb 1842 in Bracken Co., Ky.; son of Alexander M. Myers and Sarah Ellis, both Kentucky natives; after war went to France until Fall, 1865, then lived in Bloomington, Ill., until Feb 1866 when he moved to Memphis; married 1870 to Emma Apperson, daughter of E. M. Apperson; one child; Memphis resident.

MYERS, Henry Clay - Born 17 Oct 1847 in Anson Co., N.C.; son of Absalom Myers, North Carolina (eight sons in war); brothers George B. and Henry C. Myers; lived in Mississippi after war; moved to Memphis in 1889.

CIVIL WAR BIOGRAPHIES (continued)

MYERS, John - Born 15 Apr 1845 Tipperary County, Ireland; came to America 1850 with parents, John and Eliza Myers and settled in New Orleans where both parents died shortly afterward from yellow fever; after war in railroad service for 24 years; married 1872 to Honora Lyons, Huntsville, Ala.; four children; Memphis resident since 1889.

NAIL, Lt. Nicholas Pope - Born 1822 Bledsoe County; daughter Elizabeth, who was born 1848 in Chattanooga, married Samuel C. Bush in 1872.

NEAL, Edward M. - Born ca. 1840 Williamson County; after war in business at Lebanon until 1883 then moved to Nashville.

NEELY, Capt. Hugh McDowell - Born near Jackson, Madison County; parents moved from Mecklenberg Co., N.C., in 1833; son of Moses Neely II; grandparents, Moses Neely and Margaret Campbell, daughter of Robert Campbell (Revolutionary War); great-grandfather Capt. James Neely (Rev. War); mother Jane Parks, daughter of Hugh McDowell and Margaret Irwin whose fathers, John McDowell and Gen. Robert Irwin, were both in Rev.; family moved to Shelby County 1839; in 1886 Hugh married Mrs. Mary B. Cown, daughter of Maj. W. M. Sneed, Granville Co., N.C.; Memphis resident.

NEELY, Col. Rufus Polk - Born 26 Nov 1808 in Maury County; son of Capt. Charles Neely of Virginia who married daughter of Col. Ezekeil Polk and sister of President Polk; brothers Col. J. J. Neely and R. P. Neely, register of deeds for Hardeman County for 32 years before war.

NEIL, James Benton, M.D. - Born 1837 Marshall County; practiced medicine in Lewisburg after war until 1891; home in Nashville.

NELSON, Herman Otto - Born 1841 in Prussia; came to America 1860 locating at Galveston, Tex.; after war lived in New York until 1873, then moved to Knoxville.

NESBITT, Capt. J. M. - Born 1837 Charlotte, Dickson Co., Tenn.; son of Thomas Nesbitt and Dorcas McDoo; married 1889 to Mrs. M. P. Brown; lives in Erin, Houston Co., Tenn.

NEWMAN, Charles S. - Born 1839 Orange Co., Va.; after war taught school near Bristol, Tenn., then Columbia, and afterwards in Knoxville where he now lives.

NEWSOM, Mrs. Ella K. - Army nurse, born in Mississippi and reared in Arkansas; daughter of Baptist minister, Rev. T. S. N. King; married Dr. Frank Newsom of Tennessee, who died two years later; resided in Winchester, Tenn.; in 1867 married Col. W. H. Tradere who died 1885; moved to Washington where she worked for federal government.

NICHOL, Maj. Bradford - Born 5 Dec 1841 in Nashville; returned to Nashville after war.

NICHOL, William Lytle, M. D. - Born Nashville 1828; graduated in medicine from University of Pennsylvania 1849; returned to Nashville after war.

NICHOLS, T. W., M. D. - Born 31 May 1835 Dickson County; son of N. H. Nichols and Eliza Prather; graduated Shelby Medical College 1859; married 1864 to Alice Moore, daughter of Charles Moore of Georgia; two children; home in Erin, Houston County.

NICHOLSON, Maj. Hunter - Born 1834 Columbia, Tenn.; second son of Alfred Osburn Pope Nicholson and Caroline A. O'Reilly; resided in Knoxville since 1870.

NIXON, Col. George H. - Born in Tennessee; died 4 Jul 1887 at his home near Lawrenceburg.

NORWOOD, John H. - Born 1838 Henderson County; lives in Jackson.

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QUERIES



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95-121 **ESTES:** Need info on James Estes, b. 5 Oct 1818 in Tenn., parents unknown; d. 29 Aug 1861 in St. Francois Co., Mo., m. Margaret (?) b. 1817 in N.C. Their children b. in Tenn.-- Jasper b. 1843, Newton b. 1848, Joseph b. 27 Dec 1852. Children b. in Mo.-- Wm. Goff b. 1856, Martha b. 1857. Census 1860 shows Sarah S. Smart (b. 26 Jul 1839, N.C.) living with Estes family in St. Francois Co. Katherine Holley, 105 Helen, Desloge, MO 63601-9725, phone (314) 431-2369.

95-122 **ALEXANDER:** Desire to correspond with descendants of Franklin P. and Elizabeth Gibson Alexander, b. Maury Co., Tenn., ca. 1855, m. in Maury Co., living in Gibson Co., Tenn., in 1900 and 1910 censuses; not in 1920 census. Where were they? Carolyn Alexander Simpson, 243 Sherry Circle, Gallatin, TN 37066.

95-123 **ROBINSON/ROBERSON, CONLEY, SHIRLEY, CARTRITE, CHOATE:** Need parents of Noah Shirley, b. 1809 Tenn.; m. Rebecca Sparks, b. 1816 Va. Also need parents of George Conley, b. 1850 Tenn., m. Margaret "Peggy" Shirley b. 1851 in White or Putnam Co.; and info on Sarah "Sally" (Robinson) Cartrite b. 1830 Tenn., d. after 1880 Tenn., daughter Moses Robinson and Naomi Choate. Ginger Davis, 435 S. Main St., Springboro, OH 45066

95-124 **SMITH, VANN, GREGORY:** Seeking info on John and Margaret Smith, parents of Newton Casper Smith, b. 1844, d. 1916 in Shelby Co., Tenn. Newton m. Mary Cornelia Vann. Need info on James S. Vann (b. 1825) and Mary Elizabeth Gregory (b. 1827). Was James Vann a Cherokee Indian? Sandra Austin, 3352 Addah Drive, Bartlett, TN 38133.

95-125 **HURLEY:** Who was Josiah Hurley's wife? She died before 1850. Josiah, probably son of Amos Hurley, Chatham Co., N.C., b. 1783 N. C., lived in Hardin Co., Tenn. Who was Josiah's mother? Wanda Hawkins, 6485 Ruffle Cove, Bartlett, TN 38134.

95-126 **BRUMMETT, HARLESS, BOOKOUT, ALDERSON:** Need parents, siblings, and birthplace of Caswell Brummett, b. 1808 (Knox Co.?) Tenn., m. Charlotte Harless in 1836 in Alabama; living in Mercer Co., Mo., by 1840. Seek relationship of John Brumit, grantor; Stacy Brummit, grantee, and Calvin Brummit, witness, on 1830 Knox Co. deed. Stacy m. John Bookout in Knox Co. 1831. Also need parents, siblings of Louisa Brummett, m. Calaway Alderson in 1848 in Anderson Co., moved to Jewell Co., Kans., by 1880. Mrs. Carl L. Brummett, 1601 Olive St., Apt. 406, Eugene, OR 97401-3932, Phone (503) 344-7240.

95-127 **LYON:** Need place and date of Peter Lyon's marriage to Margaret Lewis, daughter of Charles Lewis, Buck Island, Va. Mrs. Ralph L. Noyes, 6224 Lamont Cove, Memphis, TN 38119-6317.

95-128 **DOUGLAS/DOUGLASS:** Seeking descendants of James McEwing Douglas, b. 1834 Hamilton Co., Tenn., d. 1904 Ouachita Co., Ark., m. Martha Jane Grayson b. 1836 in Tenn. James was son of Hiram Douglas (b. 1814, Spartanburg Co., S.C., d. 1864 Hamilton Co.), and Mary C. Warnock (b. 1812, S.C.). Hiram's parents were Jesse Douglas (b. 1784 S.C., d. Gilmer Co., Ga.) and Sarah Ann ? (b. 1791, S.C.) Gaye Majors, P.O. Box 82, Sebastopol, CA 95473, Phone (707) 829-1279.

95-129 **McDANIEL:** Need info all descendants of Charles McDaniel, Sr., b. 1760/70 (where?), d. 1837 Franklin (now Coffee) Co., Tenn. Married Elizabeth (?) b. 1770/80, lived McNairy Co., Tenn., 1843. Children (b. 1790-1820): William (d. by 1837), George, Hiram, Charles, Jr., (m. Sarah Box), Middleton (living 1880, m. Ann __), Elijah, James, Elizabeth (m. James Mathis), Sally (Sarah) m. John Burris; Patsy (m. Wm. H. Floyd), and Seley (m. Watson). Plan to publish. Charles R. McDaniel, Sr., 440 Avalon Dr., Rocky Mount, VA 24151, Phone (540) 483-9568.

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95-130 **COX:** Need parents Marshall W. Cox, b. 1 Aug 1818 in North Carolina, d. 4 Jan 1893 in Fayette Co., Tenn., m. in Hardeman Co., Tenn., on 26 Nov 1840 to Nancy Gatley (b. 28 Dec 1819 in N.C., d. 19 Jul 1899 in Fayette Co., Tenn.) Kay Hudson, 275 Fawn Lake Drive, Millington, TN 38053-6803.

95-131 **BEAN, FLEANOR:** Death certificate of Mary Jane Bean (Herod, Musgraves), b. 25 Jul 1834 in Roane Co., Tenn., d. 30 May 1914 in Dent Co., Mo., lists parents as Thomas Bean and Martha Fleanor. Need info on them as well as their other children. Jo Ann Brown, 2540 S.E. 32nd, Topeka, KS 66605-2206.

95-132 **ROBERTSON:** Need parents of Mathew Robertson b. 1794 Tenn., m. Jane Pickard 1816 Maury Co., d. 1825. Children: (1) Ann b. 1817, m. William Cooper; (2) Ruth b. 1818, m. James Beckum; (3) Rebecca b. 1820, m. Peter Bailey, (4) Lucinda b. 1823, m. Thomas Williams; (5) Mahala b. 1824, m. Young Allen Ball. Lera Powell, 3609 Therondunn, Plano, TX 75023-6011.

95-133 **DUNKIN:** Need ancestors of John (S.?) Dunkin, b. 7 Jun 1822, Stewart Co., Tenn.; d. 13 Jan 1886 Crawford Co., Ark.; m. ca. 1845 to Jane Milton Huggins (dau. of Luke Huggins and Nancy Milton). Jane b. 15 Oct 1820, d. 15 Jan 1905, Franklin Co., Ark. Fern R. Rogers, 1409 West Avenue, H-14, Lancaster, CA 93534.

95-134 **HOLMES, STEWART/STUART:** Searching for birth location and ancestors with vital statistics of Phineas Holmes b. in N. C. on 12 Nov 1786 and wife Rachel Stewart/Stuart, b. in Ga. 21 Aug 1787. In Bedford Co. 1812, Carroll Co. 1825, and Arkansas 1836. Associated with Wallace, Pomeroy, Hall, Woods, Miller, Davidson Atkisson, Huffman, and Armstrong families. Lorna Freihofer, 800 Fawn Drive, San Anselmo, CA 94960.

95-135 **CAVENER/CAVENDER:** Looking for parents of John C. Caver/Cavender b. Mar 1821 Va., d. 1903-10 Mo. (?) and wife Amanda Swinford b. 1830-31 Tenn., d. 1859-60 Tenn. or Mo.? They m. 12 Mar 1847 Lincoln Co., Tenn. Where did they die? Also need info on their daughter Mary Cathrine b. 19 Jan 1854, (d. Tex?), m. Thomas Scott Elliott, had son Wm. Nelson b. 7 Jul 1877, d. 20 Jun 1956 (Tex?), m. Rhonda A. Kinard. Have picture of Thomas and Mary taken ca. 1910-20 in Paris, Tex. Will share info. Bob Steele, 4309 Stella Ct., Arlington, TX 76017-1343.

95-136 **SUTTON AND OTHERS:** Seeking info on Uriah Sutton b. 1820-21 Tenn., wife Mary M. born 1823-24 in Va., children all born in Tennessee. Uriah in Calloway Co., Ky., in 1870, then in Obion Co., Tenn. Children in Obion, Weakley counties, and Missouri. Am researching all Suttons in Tennessee and will answer all letters. Also researching surnames McDaniel, Lamb, Tabor, Turnage, Ligon, Horn, Ives, Clark, Gifford, Vaughn, Pennington, Jordan, Money/Mooney, and Jones. Darlene Gifford, 1101 Illinois Ave., Fairfield, IL 62837-1849

95-137 **HOUSTON, SMITH:** Need info William Houston b. ca. 1842 Tenn., mother Delilah (?); wife Martha A. (?), b. ca. 1849. Children presumed b. in Pikeville 1871-79: Olly J., Burvada, James H., Lucy Ann, George H. Olly in Texas Co., Mo., in 1900s. Was rest of family there? Olly d. in Calif., m. Charley H. Smith, b. 9 Apr 1867 Sweetwater, Tenn., and d. 8 Jan. 1940 Springfield, Mo. Parents Frank N. Smith, b. 17 Jan 1842 Tenn., and Elizabeth N. (?). Seek info on Smiths while in Tennessee. Cheri A. De Geere, 2024 Brier Cliff Crescent, Chesapeake, VA 23320.

95-138 **MAXWELL:** Who were William L. Maxwell's parents and what became of him after his wife Mary Mamfredonia Napier died in childbirth 10 Apr 1842 in Putnam Co., Ga.? What was child's name? William m. Mary, daughter of Thomas T. Napier, on 18 May 1841 in Maury Co., Tenn.; she is buried Rose Hill Cemetery, Macon, Ga. Jean Harrell, P.O. Box 205, Dry Branch, GA 31020.

95-139 **LOVELACE/LOVELESS:** Does anyone know name of first wife of George Lovelace/Loveless? He came to Hickman Co., Tenn., from Caswell Co., N.C., before 1830 with three young children: Pryor Lee, Peter R., and Lucy Ann; re-married in Hickman Co. and had several more children. Katherine P. Robinson, 5224 Doles Rd., Albany, GA 31705-9229.

95-140 **ASHLOCK:** Seeking burial places of (1) Jesse Ashlock who died 21 Dec 1846 in Overton (now Clay) Co., Tenn.; (2) his first wife Anne Scott who d. after 1840 Overton Co. census, and (3) his second wife Sarah Scott who d. ca. 1888. Also

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looking for info on Mahala Ann Ashlock, daughter of Thomas Ashlock, who lived in Overton Co. in 1858. Ty Ashlock, 3135 Comanche NE #254, Albuquerque, NM 87107-4651.

95-141 **RICHARDSON, LAMBERT:** Need additional dates and info on F. E. Richardson and Tennessee Lambert who married 21 Dec 1864 in Coffee Co., Tenn. Also seeking info on their parents. Carolyn L. Cunningham, 1214 Summerfield, San Antonio, TX 78258

95-142 **OVERTON:** Need parents of William Monroe Overton (b. 1833 Maryland or Indiana) and Jesse H. Overton (b. 1838 Kentucky). William m. Mary Jane Mashburn 1856 in Hardeman Co., Tenn., and was in Texas by early 1880's. Jesse last recorded 1900 in Tipton Co., Tenn. W. W. Simmons, 11311 Leprechaun Dr., Riverview, FL 33569, phone (813) 677-1981.

95-143 **STAPP/STEPP, CLARK:** Seeking info on Jesse Levi Stapp's mother, grandparents, and wife Carey E. Clark. In 1860 Tennessee census, Jesse, 8, was living with father, John Stapp, 45, in Bradley Co., but mother not listed. In 1870 census, Jesse and siblings Margaret 16, Manerva 14, Robert 12, and Thomas 6 living with Jane Stapp, 48, but father John not listed. Was Jane stepmother? Jesse and Carey probably m. in Tenn. before 1882, moved to Grayson Co., Tex., in 1889. Nellie D. Tomlin, 2934 Paces Lake Dr., N.W., Atlanta, GA 30339.

95-144 **SCOTT, WOOD:** Seeking info on family of Joseph Scott, son of Joseph, Sr., and Suranna (?), who married Nancy Wood in Jackson Co., Ga., in 1807. Children: Sirena, Thomas, Frankin, and Nancy. Will pay copying costs. Arliiss Soto, 14313 Bass Ave., Weldon, CA 93283-9502.

95-145 **BROWNLOW:** Need info on William Brownlow, born ca. 1792, N.C., m. Elizabeth __, b. ca. 1794 N.C. Were in Giles Co. 1820-50. Their daughter, Sarah, b. 1824 in Tenn., m. Green Bittick. Frank Paessler, 4260 Long Creek Rd., Memphis, TN 38125-3087.

95-146 **HARRIS:** Seek info on descendants of Thomas R. Harris, born 1850, and wife Nancy James Teasley b. 1858 in Tenn. Married 1876 in Cheatham Co., and lived in Thomasville community through 1920 census. Children, b. 1877-1900, were Anna L., Tally F., Elizabeth, Thomas J., Nancy M., Susie, Percalia, David F., and twin daughters. Will share on Harris line and reimburse. Thank you. Barbara Harris Hensley, 14111 Cindywood Circle, Houston, TX 77079.

95-147 **LONG, OWEN, MILLER:** Need parents and siblings of Minos M. Long, born 9 Aug 1824 in Tenn., d. 16 Mar 1901, buried Oakwood Cemetery, Austin, Tex. Married (1) Sarah A. Owen on 23 Nov 1852 in Bastrop Co., Tex., (2) Amanda Miller on 7 Jan 1856 in Bastrop Co. Children: Fannie, Belle, Adelle, Josephine, Howard, John, Minos, and Frank. Howard Long, 1510 Betty Jo Drive, Austin, TX 78704, Phone (512) 442-7054.

95-148 **HARRISON:** Seeking info on James Harrison, originally from Virginia; in Tenn. ca. 1805 or earlier. Wife's name unknown. Sons were John (b. ca. 1807), Oliver (ca. 1815), both in Tenn., Andrew and Samuel. Family moved to Laurel Co., Ky., ca. 1830. Carol Harrison Adams, 9308 Bishop's Lane, Fredericksburg, VA 22407

95-149 **PAUL, RUBLE:** Need info Martin Luther Paul, b. 2 Jun 1846 in Va., d. 3 Oct 1904 in Overton Co., Tenn., m. Susan Abbot (ca. 1851-1923), both buried Monroe Cem., Overton Co. Also need info Jasper Ruble b. 1 Apr 1838, d. 3 Sep 1903, m. Mary Ann Eldridge (1872-1947), both buried Hoover Cem., Overton Co. Will share names, dates from numerous Overton Co. cemeteries. Louise Stover, 132 Bailey Collins Dr., Smyrna, TN 37167, Phone (615) 459-5828.

95-150 **BLACK, FRAZIER:** Need parents of James, Nelson, and William Black who came to West Tenn. in 1830s; their father was from Mecklenburg Co. area of N.C. and they had nine brothers. In early 1830's they traded furs at Conner's Store. Was Jeremiah Frazier who m. Emily Walls, Fayette Co., Tenn., related to Frazers, Taylors, Hunts, or Rogers of Mason, Tenn., area? Margaret Norvell Sinclair, 4984 Welchshire, Memphis, TN 38117-5647.

95-151 **THOMAS BENSON:** Researching Thomas Benson who lived in Bush, Sandy, and Polecat creek areas in Randolph Co., N.C., ca. 1780s. Neighbors were Julin, Long, York, Odell, Alred, Aldridge, Elliott, Davis. Thomas in Knox Co., Tenn., in 1797; Anderson Co. in 1799, and Bledsoe Co., 1815. Jean W. Gayle, 124 Riverpark Blvd., Titusville, FL 32780.

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