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Alexander Martin, North Carolina Governor, and the Martin, Henderson, Rogers, and Searcy Connections of Tennessee

By Charles D. Rodenbough¹

THE PUBLIC RECORD OFTEN IS THE SINGLE AVAILABLE INDICATION OF THE migration of a family in the eighteenth and early nineteenth century in America. There are some routes of migration that were used by thousands and so give us a glimpse of the difficulty of the trip. Less frequently do we have information about the factors that motivated the migration. At an earlier time, European migration and emigration could frequently be attributed to the ravages of war or religious persecution. In America, those factors did not predominate and migration of a family was not always the result just of economics. This article deals with these motivational factors within one extended family. Generally the influence centered on one person, Governor Alexander Martin of North Carolina, but it involves many individuals and several prominent families that ultimately assumed positions of leadership, particularly in Middle Tennessee.

lexander Martin (1740-1807) was elected Covernor of North Carolina for six one-year terms and served as acting Governor on two emergency occasions.2 He was Governor when North Carolina stretched to the Mississippi River. During his term the state first ceded the Western lands to the national government then rescinded that action and he issued "A Manifesto" that declared the state of Franklin illegal.4 As a young lawyer, he was an advisor to Daniel Boone and later was a friend of young Andrew Jackson. 5 It was Jackson who gave to Martin the first proof leading to the Glasgow Land Scandal which came to involve so many leaders in North Carolina and Tennessee.⁶ It was Martin, as US Senator, who confirmed to the Senate the letter which led to the impeachment of Tennessee Senator William Blount. Finally, it was Martin who was honored by the tremontaine people when they established Martin Academy, reputed to be the "first legislative action taken anywhere west of the Alleghenies, for the encouragement of learning."8

Martin's father, Hugh, had emigrated from County Tyrone, Ireland, and his mother, Jane Hunter, from County Antrim. Both their families were part of the Scotch-Irish flow of settlement and they located in Hunterdon County, New Jersey. In the next generation, most members of the Hunter and Martin families moved, first to the Valley of Virginia, then into North Carolina.

By the time of Alexander Martin's death, it had been the course and influence of his public life that had directed the lives of many of his friends and relatives. For some of them, that meant a move over the mountains into Tennessee. The Armstrong brothers, Martin and John, friends and associates at Surry County (North Carolina) Court, were appointed entry taker and surveyor for the military bounty lands around Nashville and for East Tennessee respectively. The Bounty Lands represented the commitment of North Carolina to repay those men who had served the state during the Revolution, and Alexander Martin, by virtue of his service as an officer of the Line and as Governor had pledged to promulgate the acts of the state legislature, and was therefore bound to see effective distribution of those acres.

Francis McNairy was Martin's neighbor at Martinville, the county seat of Guilford County, North Carolina. In 1787, when Martin had returned from Philadelphia after serving as a delegate of North Carolina to the Constitutional Convention, it was certainly with McNairy, his son John, and John's young friend, Andrew Jackson, that Martin described the debate of the summer in Philadelphia. Jackson and John McNairy had recently completed their studies under Spruce McCay at Salisbury and were now in the process of being licensed in the several county courts of the Piedmont. 11 Jackson lived with two friends, Thomas Henderson and Thomas Searcy, at their Martinville store and helped as a clerk.¹² It was through Martin, among others, that John McNairy was named judge in December of the newly created judicial district of Mero in the western district and he, in turn, appointed Jackson as Attorney General for the District.

McNairy and Jackson were joined in their move west by Thomas Searcy, nephew of Martin, who had been appointed Clerk of Court for Mero.¹³

Thomas Henderson was the brother of Richard Henderson, leader of the Transylvania Company, and Samuel Henderson, a member of Boone's party in the establishment of Boonesboro. ¹⁴ After Samuel Henderson returned to Rockingham County in 1782, ¹⁵ he was sent to the western district as the representative of Governor Martin to Old Tassell,

leader of the Cherokees. and to John Sevier, commander of the district militia.16 Thomas Henderson became Alexander Martin's partner in the acquisition of the confiscated land of Edmund Fanning in Guilford on which the town of Martinville was located and constituted as the Court House. 17 In March, 1778, Henderson married Martin's sister, Anne Jane. 18 They came to own the plantation called "Mt. Pleasant," which adjoined Martin's plantation, "Danbury." A fourth Henderson brother. Pleasant. served as Clerk of the North Carolina Council of State and as private secretary to Governor Martin between 1782 and 1784.19

These examples demonstrate the attraction that the Western District, and afterwards Tennessee, repre-

sented within the extended family of Governor Alexander Martin. Ultimately, it is within the bequests that Martin chose to make in his own will that we find the most composite example of this attraction as cause and effect.

Alexander Martin spent many hours in the composition of his will. He completed his last public service as Speaker of the North Carolina Senate in December 1805 and returned to "Danbury." His will was dated February 20, 1807, but he added important codicils in April, June and September before his death on November 2nd. More than most wills written in his age, his was testamentary,

dealing with land, slaves and personal property with explanations as to the significance of each bequest. There are only marginal glimpses of his public life but much of what was important in his private, family life is captured in the will in terms expressing fealty and fraternity.²⁰

Martin owned about 15,000 acres, including town lots in Martinville and Raleigh, when he died. Half of that acreage was in Tennessee. When he came to distribute that land, it is clear that he

recognized that he would be directing part of his family into the path of westward migration which he had helped to make part of the future of the United States.

What he called "his entry land" was 5,000 acres which he had acquired through the Land Office in Hillsborough. often referred to as John Armstrong's Office. There individuals could enter a claim for no more than 5,000 acres at the rate of £ 10 per 100 acres. Income to the state for land sales made in this manner went toward redemption of the state's war debt.²¹ This was the westernmost of his land in Tennessee lying near the ore bank on the Mississippi in the northwest part of the state. He picked out five members of his

extended family who were veterans of the Revolution. Each already had western bounty land in his own right: Thomas Henderson, his brother-in-law; Pleasant Henderson, married to his niece, Sally Martin; his brothers,

James and Robert Martin; and his cousin, James Hunter of Beaver Island. Martin knew that these men very likely were too rooted in North Carolina to move their large families over the mountains. Of the five, only Pleasant Henderson, in the very last years of his life, moved to Carroll County, Tennessee, where he died.²² But for all these veterans, Martin was providing a bequest that was salient.

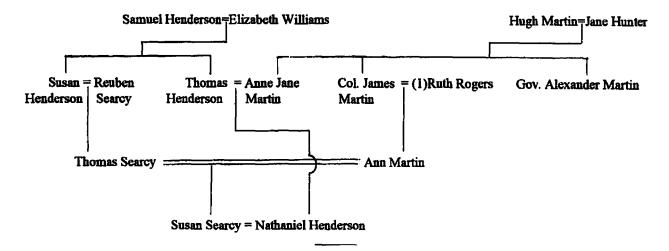
Thomas Henderson, a dozen years Martin's junior, became a close associate when both men used Martinville as their residence. After Henderson married Jane Martin, they became a part of the immediate family which came to surround Martin



ALEXANDER MARTIN

Engraving from a portrait attributed to James Sharples. If the work of Sharples, it was done while Martin was a Senator. The original is in private hands but there are copies at Independence Historical Park in Philadelphia and in the North Carolina State Archives.

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Inter-relation of Martin-Searcy-Henderson Family

at "Danbury." Henderson had been Clerk of Court in Guilford County and, when that county was divided to create Rockingham in 1785, he took the same post in the new county.²³ The Henderson children, Alexander, Nathaniel, Samuel, Thomas, and Fanny, all were legatees of their uncle, Alexander Martin. Their parents were left "Danbury" on the condition that they care for the Governor's mother, Jane, during the remainder of her life. (Since she survived her son by only four days, they quickly came into full possession of the plantation.) Thomas, as a widower, left most of his estate, which included his fifth interest on the Iron Bank Land, to his several children.24 At least two of the Henderson siblings eventually migrated to Tennessee, Samuel and Thomas, Junior.²⁵

Pleasant Henderson, Thomas' younger brother, married the Governor's niece, Sarah Martin.²⁶ In 1797 he moved from Rockingham County to Chapel Hill where he became Steward of the University of North Carolina and operated a store as Henderson & Searcy.²⁷ He migrated from Chapel Hill to Carroll County, Tennessee, in 1830.²⁸

James Martin, Alexander's next oldest brother, settled in Stokes County, North Carolina, after the Revolutionary War. By his first wife he had ten children.²⁹ He married a second time in 1800 and had five more children.³⁰ Aside from his own bounty land,³¹ to which he was entitled as Colonel-Commandant of the Guilford Militia from 1774 to 1781, James had a one third interest in a 5000 acre grant on the Mississippi and Obion Rivers at "Big Clover Lick" which he had located and secured for Robert and James Gallaway in 1788.³²

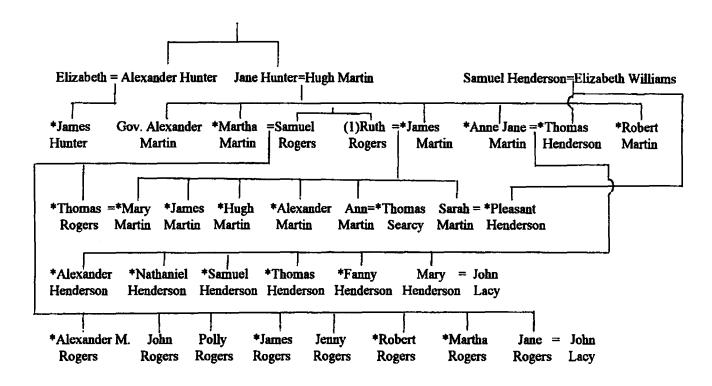
Alexander Martin made significant bequests to

his brother's children by his first wife. The eldest, Sarah, was already the wife of Major Pleasant Henderson and so had already benefitted by his bequested interest in the Iron Bank Land. Alexander must have suspected that his brother would also give the benefit of the Tennessee land to his second family of children.

Robert Martin was the first of the five heirs of the western land to convert land to cash. Only two years after Alexander's death, he sold his thousand acres to Alexander McClaran for \$4,000. The deed noted that the land was "within the Indian Boundary (their titles not being yet extinguished by Government)." Robert Martin, therefore, had to provide a bond of £450 Virginia currency to secure the eventual title to the land "whenever Government shall extinguish the Indian titles..." 33

The Hunter Family had located in North Carolina from New Jersey, via Virginia, almost as early as had Alexander Martin. James Hunter had been an active leader in the Regulator Movement which had singled out the excesses of the North Carolina court and legal system as the source of local injustice. Among those leaders of government and court who were beaten in Court House riots was Kings Attorney Alexander Martin. James Hunter was one of the few Regulator leaders who ultimately became an active Patriot in the American Revolution. These cousins, products of the Scotch-Irish migration, repeatedly provided dramatic leadership in the creation of civil government and western expansion.

James Hunter, for his service as a Militia Major, had received a 640-acre section as bounty land. He also had purchased 2,000 acres on the Obion River which he described as "an undivided part of



* indicates bequest from Gov. Alexander Martin

Family Heirs of Governor Alexander Martin

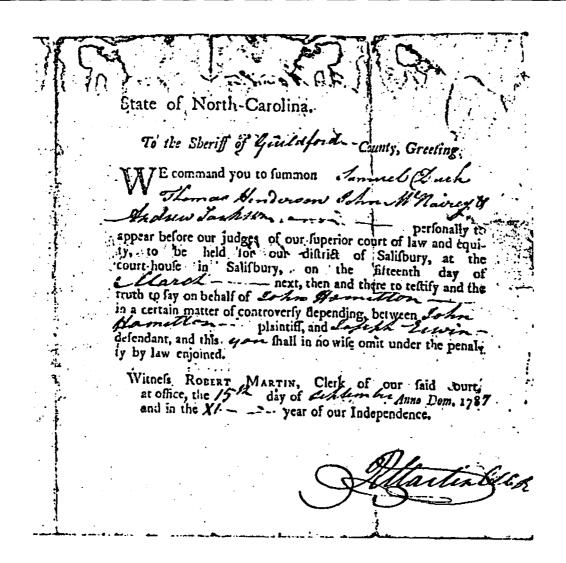
5,000 acres granted [James] Martin by North Carolina in 1788."37 When Hunter died in 1821, his will designated that this 2,000 acres, along with his one-fifth interest in the 5,000 acre ore bank land, should be equally divided between his children.38 From this devise the Tennessee lands on the Obion were partitioned in 1827, between Mary Dearing, Rachael Dalton, Samuel Hunter and Pleasant Hunter for one part each and for James and Robert Hunter, grandchildren, to share one part. 39 Of these heirs, James Hunter, the grandson, became a doctor and settled and married in Obion County, Tennessee.⁴⁰ Son Samuel Hunter settled for a time Fayette County before he moved his family to Texas.⁴¹ Samuel and James Hunter were commissioners for the building of the Presbyterian Church in Fayette County in 1835.42

Governor Martin and his brothers, James and Robert, had started to acquire land in North Carolina on the upper branches of the Dan river, which contained deposits of iron ore, before 1775. James Martin established the Union Iron Works in Stokes County using a name that had applied to a similar iron works near their birthplace in Hunterdon County, New Jersey. As the Revolution began they took advantage of new bounty laws of the Provincial

Congress, which encouraged mining of such ore, and took out a number of land warrants. Many were for uncultivated woodland to provide charcoal for the process of an iron works including the lime kiln which James established. This experience with iron manufacturing gave them a background that they could use in the development of the potential of the iron ore bank on the Obion and Mississippi.⁴⁴

Alexander Martin had also acquired 2,314 acres on Big Harpeth River in Davidson County, Tennessee, in 1786.⁴⁵ At the time of his death he had already divested himself of 500 acres of that grant. The residue he directed toward the younger generation of his family. To his "natural son," Alexander Strong Martin, whom he had finally publicly acknowledged in the last year of his life, he assigned 450 acres. The remainder was to be equally divided between four of his nephews: Nathaniel Henderson, son of Thomas and Jane Henderson; and James, Samuel and Robert Rogers, sons of Alexander's sister, Martha, and her late husband, Samuel Rogers.⁴⁶

Martin had 2,000 acres on Duck River in Tennessee which is believed to be the land specifically given to him under an amendment to the "Act for the relief of the Officers and Soldiers of the Continental Line...." in 1783.⁴⁷ There is some confusion on the



Guilford County, North Carolina, summons signed by Robert Martin, brother of Governor Martin, and connecting Andrew Jackson, John McNairy and Thomas Henderson. Greensboro Historical Museum

distribution of this tract. One quarter went to Major Pleasant Henderson who, as Pleasant Henderson, Sr., already had received one fifth of the Iron Bank Land on the Obion. Another quarter went to Alexander Martin, who appears to have been his nephew, son of James Martin. He is also left the Pruitt's Creek land which may just be a further identification of his part of the Duck River whole. The remaining two quarters went to Thomas Searcy, husband of Alexander's niece, Ann Martin, and to Alexander Martin Rogers, his nephew and namesake. 48

One final bequest of Governor Martin has a particular connection with Tennessee. Prince, the Governor's trusted slave, "my man Prince," was to be freed upon the death of the Governor's mother and on the condition of meritorious services attested to and "the faithful & meritorious services the said Prince has rendered me in my life time." With par-

ticular detail, Martin attempted to guarantee that this wish would be carried out by his heirs and a less than tolerant legal system which was in conflict concerning the legal status of free blacks. The November Term of 1807 Rockingham County Court concluded Prince Martin to be "free and liberated." He left "Danbury" and in 1808 was recorded as living in Davidson County, Tennessee. When he died there in 1816 he left a small estate as a free black man. 49

lexander Martin never entered Tennessee but he recognized that the Western District represented the hope of greatness for the United States. He had a clear sense of the flow of history and he saw westward expansion as inexorable. His will is one place where that view is captured and his beneficence prodded his heirs toward that destiny.

Endnotes

- 1. This article is based on a larger manuscript biography of Alexander Martin by the author.
- 2. He was elected to successive one year terms 1782-84 and 1789-1791. He became Governor, by virtue of his position as Speaker of the state Senate, when Governor Burke was taken captive by the British in 1781 and again, briefly acted as Governor in 1805, when the incumbant, James Turner, was too busy to get sworn.
- 3. After the Treaty of Paris, long held American colonial claims that some state lines extended to the Pacific were generally abandoned but Martin as Governor, in a letter to R. R. Livingston (President of Congress) dated June 24, 1782 noting a map which showed the state extending only to the Mississippi, stated, "we consider ourselves not absolutely bound by, having a previous right by the Charter of Charles the Second to extend from sea to sea —." National Archives, Also see Index to the Papers of the Continental Congress 1774-1789 compiled by John P. Butler, 6p, M247, r99, i78, v. 16, p.295.
- 4. J. G. M. Ramsey, Annals of Tennessee to the End of the Eighteenth Century, 96-97; NCSR XVIII, 435.
- 5. Adelaid Fries, Moravian Records, II, 353. Martin and Boone were present at Salisbury in March 1769 when final plans were made with Richard Henderson for the exploration of Kentucky. Robert V. Remini, Andrew Jackson and the Course of American Empire 1767-1821, 34; Greensboro Daily News, 26 June 1938, "Jackson's Stay in Guilford Was Turning Point of Career."
- 6. Letter from Senator Alexander Martin to Governor Samuel Ashe, Philadelphia, December 7, 1879, NC State Archives; William Powell, Editor, Dictionary of North Carolina Biography (DNCB), II, 304-305.
 - 7. William H. Masterson, William Blount, 323.
 - 8. Ramsey, Annals of Tennessee, 294.
- Manuscript, "A History of the Martin Families as Received by Tradition from One Generation to Another by James Martin of Snow Creek," copy in the files of the author.
 - 10. Powell, DNCB, I, 46.
- 11. Andrew Jackson was admitted to the Bar in Anson County, October 1787; Surry County, November 12, 1787; Guilford County, November 20, 1787; Rockingham County, November 26, 1787; Randolph County, December 11, 1787; Washington County, TN, May 12, 1788.
 - 12. Remini, Andrew Jackson, I, 34.
- 13. GDN, 26 June 1938, Hoskins, "Jackson's Stay in Guilford"; Remini, Andrew Jackson, I, 34; Other sources indicate this was Bennett Searcy, see The Charlotte Observer, October 31, 1926, Dr. Archibald Henderson, "Jackson's History Making Pilgrimage Across North Carolina Mountains."
- 14. Samuel Henderson married Elizabeth Callaway at Bonnesborough August 7, 1776, the first marriage of a white couple in Kentucky.
 - 15. Alice Bamwell Keith, The Papers of John Gray

- Blount, I, 28. On that date it was still Guilford County.
- 16. Ramsey, Annals of Tennessee, 304-305. At this time Sevier had already been elected acting president of the state of Franklin.
- 17. On December 29, 1785, the North Carolina Legislature established the town as the site of the court house, and Martinville remained the county seat until 1807/08.



Book plate used by Alexander Martin
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- 18. DNCB, III, 107.
- 19. DNCB, III, 105.
- 20. Charles Rodenbough, "The Will of Alexander Martin, A Reflection," The Journal of Rockingham County History and Genealogy, XVII, June 1992, Nr. 1, 27-44 and December 1992, Nr. 2, 75-86.
 - 21. Blackwell Robinson, William R. Davie, 307.
 - 22. DNCB, III, 104-105.
- 23. DNCB, III, 107. Henderson resigned his position as Clerk in Guilford in 1786 to take the same post in Rockingham County.
- 24. Rockingham County Will Book A, page 175, November 8, 1821.
- 25. Thomas was Editor of the Raleigh Star and in 1835 moved to Madison County, Tennessee, see TNC "North Carolina Data from Alabama Newspapers," Voice of Sumpter, June 28, 1836.
 - 26. Surry County Marriage Bonds.
- 27. Archibald Henderson, The Campus of the First State University, 48-49.
- 28. Pleasant Henderson left Chapel Hill, May 21, 1830 and arrived in Tennessee on July 7. *Ibid*.
- 29. Ruth Rogers was "his cousin" and they were married in 1763 in New Jersey. The family moved to North Carolina in 1774, three years after James' father, Hugh, died. *DNCB*, IV, 225-226.
- 30. Married March 12, 1800, to Martha Loftin Jones, widow of Hamilton Jones, Sr. She survived her husband and received his military pension after his death. NA, Revolutionary War Pension Applications, File Designation W-4728.
- 31. There is some confusion over Martin's eligibility to the bounty since he served less than two years of active

duty with the Continental Line. The legislature made a specific gift of 2000 acres to him for service which may have been a way to bypass this technicality.

- 32. Rockingham County, North Carolina, Deed Book P, page 50, June 10, 1812.
- 33. Rockingham County Deed Book N, pages 163-164, August 31, 1809.
- 34. John Hunter acquired land on Little Rock House Creek in North Carolina, August 27, 1762. Alexander Martin acquired a grant of 436 acres on Jacobs Creek in North Carolina in December 1761. Walter Marvin Hunter, *The Hunters of Bedford County, Virginia*, 26.
 - 35. DNCB, III, 237-239.
 - 36. Ibid
- 37. Rockingham County Deed Book, page 167, June 4, 1811. He paid Martin 256 pounds specie certificates for this land which he also said was adjacent to Robert Martin's Warrant number 480.
 - 38. Rockingham County Will Book A, page 182.
- 39. Minute Book of Fayette County, TN, January 9, 1827.
- 40. Hunter, The Hunters of Bedford County, Virginia, 63-64.
- 41. Ibid, 73. He died October 22, 1842 as a Colonel in the Army of Texas in Gonzales County.
- 42. Historical Foundation of PC(USA), Montreal NC. Unpublished letter Alice Hunter Fallia to T. H. Spence, Jr., July 9, 1956. Includes a copy of a contract dated only 1835 for the building of the church on land originally owned by

- James Hunter of Fayette County. The description is very like a similar building constructed as a Presbyterian Meeting House by his Grandfather, James Hunter, on Beaver Island Creek a generation earlier.
- 43. Peter Hairston Papers, Southern Historical Collection, UNC-CH; Phyllis B. D'Autrechy, *Hunterdon County Place Names*. 64.
- 44. Joseph Winston Entry Book, Surry County, North Carolina, Number 27, 135; Moravian Records, IV, 1818.
- 45. Goldene Fillers Burgher, compiler, North Carolina Land Grants in Tennessee, 1778-1791, 138.
- 46. Alexander Strong Martin made trips to Tennessee, Alabama and Mississippi after his father's death but returned to North Carolina. The Rogers family, which lived in Stokes County, did move to Tennessee.
- 47. SR XXIV, 482-485. This was an amendment to An Act for the relief of the Officers and Soldiers of the Continental Line... "XIII. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That his excellency Alexander Martin, esquire, and David Wilson, esquire, be intitled, agreeable to the report of the committee, to two thousand acres of land each, adjacent to lands allotted for the officers and soldiers..."
- 48. Thomas Searcy married Ann Martin, daughter of James Martin of Snow Creek. Their son was named Alexander Martin Searcy. Alexander Martin Rogers also received half of all the Governor's books.
- 49. Compiled by Helen C. and Timothy R. Marsh, Davidson County Tennessee Wills and Indentures, I, 1783-1816.

A list of murders and depredations committed in Mero District, 1787

To the Honourable the General Assembly of North Carolina: The underwritten Representatives of the County of Davidson and the County of Summer beg leave to represent that the Inhabitants of the western Country are greatly distressed by a constant war that is carried on against them by parties of the Creeks and Cherokees and some of the Western Indians...

The following are the names of several persons Inhabitants of Davidson and Sumner Counties who have been killed since the first day of January 1787 by the Indians:

Mrs. Bowman Wm. Price & Mrs. Price Cornelius Ridle Encas & James Thomas Wm. Bush Major Wm. Hall and two sons Richard and James Hall John Buckanan Abner Bush Dunham Mark Robertson Iosiah Renfro Thomas Hickson Caless Wallis Thomas Ramsay Mr. Staton James Biswell Wm. Smithers Wm. Hays and five others in Company Thomas Nowhan, a frenchman Samuel Lewis William Colyears and 3 others

"and three others killed since the Representative left home as they are informed by letters."

[signed] Anthony Bledsoe Robert Hays Ias Sanders!

1. Petition [not dated], N.C. Legislative Papers, Box #75, North Carolina Archives, Raleigh, N.C.

Jas Robertson

Robert Ewing

Confederate Burials in Nashville during the Civil War

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On Thursday November 2, 1865 the Nashville Daily Union published a "List of Rebel Soldiers and Refugees buried by W. R. Cornelius, United States Federal Government Undertaker, 49 Church Street, Nashville, Tennessee." Originally buried in Nashville's City Cemetery, the bodies were moved to Confederate Circle at Mount Olivet Cemetery in Nashville. The list contains both soldiers and civilians.

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Name Date Buried Military Unit Or Home
Adams, R. A Dec. 23, 1864 Co. I, 46th Georgia
Adkins, B. T Jan. 3, 1865 Co. A, 12th Louisiana
Allen, J. G Dec. 5, 1863 Confederate
Allen, James B Apr. 16, 1865 Co. C, 40th Mississippi
Allmand, J. E May 18, 1865 Co. G, 18th Tennessee
Armstrong, J. G Sep. 24, 1864 Co. E, 4th TN Cavalry
Arrowood, Wm. B Jan. 18, 1865 . Co. D, lst Tenn. Lt. Art.
Athey, Geo. W Dec. 23, 1864 Co. K, 27th Alabama
Atkinson, E. D Jan. 30, 1864 lst Tennessee
Austin, Wm. T.[?] Mar. 3, 1865 Co. M, 10th Tennessee
Ayres, James S Dec. 25, 1864 Tennessee conscript
Ayers, John Dec. 28, 1864 Co. H, 48th Tennessee
Bailey, Wm. A May 13, 1865 Co. A. 31st Mississippi
Baird, P. C Dec. 16, 1863 Co. H, 45th Tennessee
Barbee, Felix G Jan. 20, 1865 Co. G, 49th Tennessee
Bard, A Jan. 4, 1865 Co. E, 4th Louisiana
Barker, Harris Jan. 6, 1865 unknown
Barksdale, Wm Jan. 11, 1865 Co. E, 13th Louisiana
Barlow, J. J Dec. 26, 1863 38th Alabama
Barnes, A May 12, 1863 . Co. H, McCann's Cavalry
Barton, F. J Feb. 6, 1864 Co. D, 16th So. Carolina
Baxiar, Geo. M. Corp Mar. 9, 1864 Co. I, 29th Georgia
Beard, J. S Apr. 22, 1863 Co. A, 52nd Alabama
Bedford, J Feb. 26, 1863 Co. F, 60th NC
Bedsaine, Elisha Mar. 10, 1864 Co. I, 64th Virginia
Beech, John Feb. 22, 1865 Co. C, lst Florida
Bell, Jas. B Jan. 10, 1865 Co. B, 34th Alabama
Bennett, Sanford Dec. 26, 1864 Co. I, 30th Alabama
Benson, Thomas H Mar. 10, 1864. Co. K, 16th So. Carolina
Berry, John W Jan. 10, 1865 Co. C, 60th Georgia
Biggers, Ezekial Jan. 5, 1865 Co. C, 27th Mississippi
Bird, J. R Oct. 20, 1863 Co. E, 43rd Alabama
Bird, Wiley Jan. 24, 1864 Co. C, 47th Georgia
Black, J. W Dec. 22, 1864 Co. I, 18th Tennessee
Bolin, Aaron Jan. 20, 1863 Refugee
Bolin, John V Apr. 26, 1865 Co. B, 28th Tennessee
Bond, Russell P Feb. 11, 1865 Co. F, 37th Georgia
Boothe, Wm Dec. 22, 1864 Co. K, 29th Alabama
Boyd, Wm. H Jan. 3, 1865 Co. B, 8th Mississippi
Bradford, Andrew Mar. 2, 1864 Co. B, 28th Alabama
Bradford, Geo.B Dec. 29, 1864 Co. I, 10th Tennessee
Bridge, John Oct. 14, 1863 Co. B, 19th Alabama
Briggans, John D Aug. 20, 1865 Co. F, 22nd Tenn. Cav.
Brigham, Samuel Mar. 18, 1864 Citizen of Georgia

Name Date Buried Military Unit Or Home
Brittin, Cudlin Jan. 6, 1865 Co. C, 12th Kentucky
Brock, R Jun. 26, 1863 Co. H, 10th Mississippi
Brown, John C Jul. 20, 1863 Confederate
Brown, V Apr. 1, 1863 Citizen Prisoner
Bullen, H. W., Lt Jan. 6, 1865 Mississippi Battery
Burk, Martin Sep. 3, 1864 Citizen
Burke, John T Jan. 3, 1865 Co. A, 9th Minn. [?]
Burks, L. A. J. Sgt Feb. 17, 1864 Co. I, 27th Mississippi
Byor, Simon May 28, 1865 Co. I, 8th Confederate
Caraline, Daniel W Dec.22, 1864 Co. G, Mauk's Batt.
Carmichael, Augst W Mar.3,1865 Co. D, 7th Mississippi
Carroll, W. F Mar. 31, 1862 Co. K, 8th Arkansas
Castin, J.S Sep .6, 1863 Co. I, lst Arkansas
Causey, Benj. F Mar. 8, 1865 Co. F, 46th Georgia
Chandler, Wm Jan. 23, 1865 Co. I, 17th Tenn. Cav.
Chaney, Peter L Feb. 17, 1864 Co. D, 50th Alabama
Chenry, John R Jan. 7, 1864 Co. D, 32nd Alabama
Childers, John W Dec. 21, 1864 Co. D, 46th Tennessee
Chisholms, N.K Oct. 12, 1864 Co. H, 17th Alabama
Clements, Luther Mar. 12, 1865 Co. E, 18th Texas
Cochran, Wm Dec. 18, 1863 Co. G, 3rd East Tennessee
Cock, Alonzo Jan. 7, 1865 Co. H, 47th Tennessee
Collins, R.C Oct. 18, 1863 Confederate
Cooksley, A. J Jan. 2, 1865 Co. D, 3rd Mississippi
Cooper, Thos. D Jan. 7, 1865 Co. B, 7th Arkansas
Cooper, John L Feb. 17, 1865 Co. G, 20th Mississippi
Copas, Thos. W Oct. 7, 1863 Citizen of Tennessee
Copas, Albert Oct. 7, 1863 Citizen of Tennessee
Corley, J.W Dec. 22, 1864 Co. G, 19th S. Carolina
Cornelius, Henry B Jan. 3, 1865 Co. H, 1st Arkansas
Cozine, John W Apr. 15, 1865 Co. I, lst Missouri
Craig, J. P. B Mar. 16, 1863 Co. H, 60th NC
Crapes, Wm.J Mar. 11, 1865 Co. D, 24th S. C. cavalry
Crosby, Wm Dec. 13, 1863. Co. E, 5th S & a.? Carolina
Cunningham, M. L. D. Dec. 13, 1863. Co. C, 32nd Mississippi
Curry, Robert Apr. 25, 1864 Co. A, 3rd Florida
Dale, CrockettJan. 14, 1865 Co. H, 3rd Mississippi
Daniel, John M Apr. 1, 1865 Co. E, 15th Mississippi
Darby, James Dec. 19, 1864 Co. I, 19th S. Carolina
Darrick, Wm. S. C Dec. 19, 1864 Co. K, 19th Alabama
Dausmore, Wm Jan. 23, 1864 Co. B, 27th Tennessee
Davidson, B.W Sep. 29, 1863 Confederate
Davidson, Jno Apr. 8, 1863 Co. I, 4th Alabama
Davis, Geo. W Jan. 1, 1865 Co. G, 1st Mississippi

	ate Buried Military Unit Or Home
Decowase, Lt	Dec. 19, 1864 Dupeak's Battery
Dellson, Geo	Jan. 14, 1865 Barrant's Battery
Derlord, M.V.	Feb. 6, 1864 Morgan's Command
Derrick, Geo	Mar. 2, 1864 Citizen of Alabama
Dewnum, James W	Apr. 13, 1864 Co. F, 1st AL Cavalry
Dickerson Ed. W	Mar. 1, 1865 Co. A, 29th Alabama
Dickerson, G. W	Jan. 8, 1864 Co. D, 25th Alabama
Duffy, H. A	Mar. 24, 1863 Co. F, 47th Tennessee
Duma, Abraham	Dec. 8, 1864 Co. K, 40th Georgia
Dunigan, Chas	Mar. 2, 1864 Co. H, 32nd Alabama
Easkley, Jno. W. Lt	Nov. 8, 1864 Co. C, 55th Alabama
Edgeman, William	
Edings, A.G	
Edison, Ed	May 16, 1864 Co. C, 39th Alabama
Elgin, John L. Capt.	Jan.17,1865 Forrest's staff
Elkins, John W	Mar. 10, 1865 Co. G, 10th Louisiana
Elliott, Jas. M	Jan. 21, 1865 Co. H, 46th Georgia
Enderwood, M	Feb. 6, 1863 Co. G, 3rd Tennessee
Etherton, Wm	Jan. 3, 1865 Co. E, 3rd Missouri
	Feb. 21, 1865 Co. F, 29th Mississippi Dec. 23, 1864 Co. G, 37th Georgia
Evans, Wm. E	Jan. 30, 1863 18th Tennessee
Fain, Alfred	
Fanster, Sumter	
Fay, R.E	
Feaster, E.D.	Dec. 7, 1863 Co. C, lst Tennessee
	Jan. 13, 1865 Co. C, 33rd Tennessee
Fielding, John	
Flood, W	Jan. 17, 1863 Refugee from Alabama
Flood, W	Dec. 17, 1863 Co. I, 16th S. Carolina
	Apr. 11, 1864 Co. H, 47th Georgia
	Apr. 23, 1865 Co. D, 25th Texas
	Dec. 17, 1863 Co. A, 26th Tennessee
	Jan. 27, 1863 Co. I, CSA
	Jan. 16, 1864 Co. H, 50th Alabama
	Mar. 23, 1864
	Co. H, Hansom's Legions, GA
Garrett, John G	Mar. 7, 1865 Co. B, 65th Georgia
	Jan. 4,1865 Co. K, 38th Mississippi
	Dec. 29, 1864 Co. A, 36th Alabama
	Jan. 3, 1864 Co. K, 6th S. Carolina
Gibbons, Wm. T	Mar. 29, 1865 Co. F, 14th Texas
Gibson, Henry C	Dec. 21, 1864 Co. L, 12th Louisiana
Gillyard, Geo	Dec. 29, 1864 Co. C, 29th Georgia
Gilpin, Thomas	Mar. 9, 1864 Co. C, 46th Alabama
	Dec. 13, 1864 Co. A, 65th Georgia
	Jan. 2, 1865 Co. H, 82nd Georgia
Godfrey, Thomas	Jan. 5, 1864 Co. C, 19th Alabama
	Jan. 26, 1865 Co. K, 7th Ala. Cav.
	June 7, 1865 Co. K, 8th Confederate
	Oct. 1, 1863 Co. A, 6th Florida
	Feb. 14, 1863 Co. A, 6th Arkansas
	Jan. 13, 1865 Co. G, 15th Tennessee
	Jan. 25, 1865 Co. K, 43rd Mississippi
	Mar. 29, 1864 Co. I, 11th Georgia
	Jan. 24, 1865 Co. K, 41st Mississippi
Grogan, James H	Feb. 23, 1865 Co. F, 18th S. Carolina

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	ate Buried Military Unit Or Home
	Aug.15, 1864 Co. H, 55th Alabama
	Dec. 26, 1862 Refugee from Alabama
	Feb. 11, 1863 Co. B, 39th NC
Guesnon, Edgar	Dec. 22, 1864 Louisiana Battery
Guildford, John A	Feb. 22, 1865 Co. E,? Alabama
Guttery, Calvin	Apr. 19, 1864 Co. I, 1st AL Cavalry
	Dec. 5, 1864 Co. H, 33rd Mississippi
	Mar. 23, 1865 Co. K, 44th Alabama
	May 29, 1863
	Co. I, 4th Alabama Cavalry
	Dec. 19, 1864 Co. H, 29th Alabama
	Jul. 26, 1863 Citizen prisoner
	Mar. 20, 1865 Co. B, 16th S. Carolina
	Nov. 20, 1864 N. C. Home Guard
	July 8, 1865 Co. G, 10th Alabama
	Apr. 7, 1865 Co. E, 30th Ala or Ga
	Jun. 14, 1863 Confederate nurse
	Jan. 2, 1865 Co. G, lst Georgia
Harn, R. A	Mar. 5, 1865 Co. C, 33rd Mississippi
Harney, Wm	Jan. 8, 1865 State prisoner
Harnin, H. M	Mar. 16, 1863 Co. B, 4th Tennessee
Harper, Capt	Oct. 9, 1864 Rebel Guerilla
	Dec.12, 1864 Co. A, 34th Alabama
	Dec. 19, 1863 Co. F, 33rd Tennessee
	Dec. 10, 1864 Battalion, Georgia
	Dec. 9, 1863 Co. I, 29th Mississippi
	Jan. 21, 1865 Co. G, 33rd Alabama
	Mar. 28, 1864 Co. B, 19t? Alabama
	Dec. 18, 1864 Co. H, 10th Texas
	Dec. 28, 1864 Co. E, 15th Mississippi
	Jan. 2, 1865 Co. C, 29th Alabama
	Apr. 9, 1865 Co. I, 15th Mississippi
	Apr. 5, 1865 Co. B, 16th S. Carolina
	Jan. 10, 1865 Co. C, 34th Alabama
	Feb. 23, 1863 Co. E, 44th Tennessee
Hendrickson, W. O	Feb. 14, 1863 84th? Tennessee
	Nov. 16, 1863 Co. D, lst Kentucky
Herring, Wm. G	Jan. 4, 1865 Co. B, 15th Mississippi
Hewey, Thomas	July 21, 1864 Co. K, 1st AL Cavalry
Heymondes, Jacob	Aug. 14, 1864 Co. E, 57th Alabama
Hodges, J.J.	Dec. 30, 1863 Co. C, 47th Georgia
	Jan. 11, 1865 Co. B, 3d Mississippi
	Jan. 5, 1865 Co. E, 8th Mississippi
-	Mar. 17, 1865 Co. I, 24th S. Carolina
**	Jan. 19, 1865 Co. G, 37th Georgia
	Jun. 2, 1863 Co. B, 28th Alabama
= =	Jan. 19, 1864 Co. B, 6th Kentucky
	Jan. 8, 1864 Co. E, 28th Tennessee
	Feb. 21, 1865 Co. K, 9th Texas
	Jan. 5, 1865 Co. F. 46th Tennessee
	July 3, 1864 Co. A, 1st Georgia
	Jan. 2, 1865 Co. C, 12th Tennessee Cav.
	Dec. 24, 1864 Co. A, 4th Louisiana
	Feb. 17, 1865 Co. E, 7th Tennessee
	Dec. 9, 1864 Co. C, 7th Kentucky
	Jan. 20, 1865 Co. D, 45th Alabama
Jackson, J. M	Jan. 10, 1864 Co. F, 46th Georgia

Name	Date Buried	Military Unit Or Home
		citizen
		Co. C, 5th S. Carolina
•	•	not stated
		Co. D, 25th Alabama
		Co. B, 45th Alabama
		Co. H, 19th Arkansas
_		Citizen Prisoner
-		Refugee
		. Co. H, 20th Tennessee
		Co. G, 29th Mississippi
		Refugee
		Co. F, 48th Tennessee
		. Co. K, 19th Tennessee
		28th Mississippi
		Co. A, 3rd Com. Cav.
		. Co. A, 12th Tennessee
		Citizen of Illinois
• .	•	Co. K, 30th Alabama
		. Co. K, 49th Tennessee
		Co. A, 18th Alabama
		Co. E, Missouri Battery
		Co. I, 29th Georgia
		Co. H, 29th Georgia
		Co. F, 12th Louisiana
		Refugee
		Co. F, 30th Alabama
		Co. C, 24th Alabama
		Co. F, 1st Alabama
		Co. K, 8th Arkansas
		Co. F, 5th Mississippi
		. Co. I, 4th GA Cavalry
		Co. F, 3d. Mississippi
		. Co. E, 59th Tennessee
		Co. D, 25th Georgia
		Co. H, 37th Georgia
		Gen. Hale's escort
		. Co. C, 2nd S. Carolina
		Co. B, 5th Alabama
	Citiz	en of Waverly Tennessee
Madden, Wm. C	Jan. 22, 1865	Co. C, 30th Alabama
Manderson, G. W	Dec. 16, 1863	Co. K, 36th Alabama
Martin, A. J.	Jan. 5, 1865	Co. H, 57th Alabama
		. Co. C, 2nd KY Cavalry
Martin, T. N.	Jan. 2, 1865 (Co. E, 4th Mississippi Batt.
Mathews, Gilbert	Dec. 18, 1864	Co. K, 57th Alabama
Maynard, Thos	Jan. 24, 1865	Seldon's Bat.
		Refugee
- :		Co. H, 31st Mississippi
		Co. H, 37th Alabama
		Co. B, 25th Alabama
		Co. B, 30th Mississippi
		Co. F, 17th Alabama
		Co.G, 51st Tennessee
		Co. I, 7th Alabama
Miles, Geo	May 30, 1863 .	. 6th Kentucky cavalry

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	Apr. 13, 1865 Co. K. 6th Mississippi
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Dec. 26, 1863 Co. A, Ellison's Guard
	Dec. 22, 1864 Co. D, 30th Alabama
Morgan, David	. Jan. 27, 1863 Refugee
Morgan, Thomas S	Oct. 27, 1862
	Nov. 13, 1863 Co. C, lst Alabama
	. Mar. 3, 1865 Co. A, 33rd Alabama
	Dec. 7, 1863 Co. D, 40th Alabama
•	Jan. 14, 1865 Co. A, 3rd Mississippi
	Feb. 6, 1863 Co. I, lst Tennessee
	Jan. 1, 1865 Co. B, 7th Mississippi Batr.
	May 5, 1863 Citizen prisoner
	June 26, 1864 20th Alabama
	Jan. 4, 1865 Citizen of Alabama
	Dec. 27, 1864 Co. C, 14th Louisiana
	Jan. 20, 1865 Co. H, 29th Tennessee
	Sep. 20, 1864 Citizen Prisoner
	Dec. 19, 1864 Co. I, 27th Alabama
	Jan. 2, 1865 Co. G., 8th Arkansas
	Oct. 31, 1864 Co. H, 40th Alabama
	Feb. 27, 1865 Co. F, 33d Missouri
	Jan. 11, 1865 Co. G, 30th Georgia
	Apr. 20, 1863 Citizen of Tennessee
	Apr. 29, 1865 Prisoner
	Oct. 24, 1862 Refugee from Alabama
Owen FM	Jan. 19, 1865 Co. D, 10th Mississippi
	Jan. 14, 1864. Co. C, 34th Mississippi
	Dec. 26, 1864 Co. K, 19th Louisiana
	Dec. 24, 1864 Co. E, lst Alabama
	Feb. 11, 1865 Co. D, 7th Florida
	Apr. 12, 1864 Co. F, 1st Alabama Cav.
	Dec. 28, 1863 Co. E, 6th Kentucky Cav.
	Jan. 30, 1863 Confederate
	Feb. 22, 1865 Co. A, 45th Alabama
Pate. B.F.	Dec. 7, 1863 Co. D, 29th Mississippi
Patton, Wesley F	Apr. 20, 1865 Co. C, 9th Mississippi
Pavne, S.M.	Dec. 26, 1863 Co. K, 48th Tennessee
Pavne, W.D.	Dec. 16, 1863 Co. G, 53rd Tennessee
Pearson, Wesley C	Feb. 11, 1865 Co. F, 14th Texas
	Feb. 17, 1865 Co. E, 3d Mississippi
	Oct. 2, 1863 Refugee
	Apr. 18, 1864 Co. K, 36th Alabama
	Feb. 10, 1863 Confederate
	Mar. 20, 1863 . Refugee from Alabama
	May 18, 1865 Co. G, 29th NC
	Dec. 10, 1863 Co. F, 38th Alabama
	Mar. 2, 1864 Co. B, 1st Alabama
	Dec. 8, 1863 Co. F, 4th Florida
	May 11, 1863 Co. B, 3rd Tennessee
	Dec. 13, 1863 Co. E, 38th N. Carolina
	Apr. 14, 1864 Co. F, 1st AL Cavalry
	Jul. 30, 1863 Co. E, 16th Alabama
Pollard, Wm	Dec. 26, 1864 Co. D, 9th Arkansas
Pope, E. W	Dec. 28, 1864 Co. L, 8th Alabama
Price, Lazarus	Apr. 9, 1865 Co. I, 17th Texas
Prichard, C. H	Dec. 26, 1864 Co. D, lst Alabama
Raines, Elijah	Apr. 14, 1864 Co. D, 36th Alabama

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	Dec. 18, 1863 Co. A, 50th Alabama
Rem. J.A.	Aug. 15, 1863 Co. L, 28th Alabama
Reynolds, W.S.	Oct. 10, 1863 Co. C, 4th Tennessee
Rhalaso, R. G.	Jan. 6, 1865 Co. H, 22nd Alabama
Riley, J. W	Jan. 10, 1864 Co. B, 32nd Alabama
Rillin, Geo	Feb. 2, 1863 Co. G, 8th Mississippi
Ritter, W.P.	Dec. 17, 1863 Co. E, 20th Tennessee
Robisons, Wm.R.	June 16, 1864 Co. D, 29th Alabama
Rockholt, F.,Lt.	May 5, 1863 Co. I, 3d Alabama
Rodgers, ? S	Jun. 7, 1863 Co. F, Smith's Scouts
Rodman, A. K.	Jan. 2, 1864 Co. A, 24th S. Carolina
Rogers, Andrew	Dec. 14, 1863 Co. F, 5th Tennessee
Rolling, Wm	Apr. 6, 1864 Co. M, 1st Alabama Cav.
Rollins, Wm	Apr. 1, 1864 Political Prisoner
Rothwell, Jno	July 21, 1864 Co. B, 63rd Georgia
Rusale, J	Sep. 14, 1862 Co. B, 1st Alabama
Rush, John	Mar. 26, 1865 Co. H, 6th Arkansas
Rye, W.L.	Sep. 2, 1863 Citizen of Alabama
Saint, Jas	Mar. 6, 1865 Co. I, Miss. Batt.
Same, Mathias	Jan. 8, 1865 Co. K, lst Arkansas
Sample, C	Mar. 2, 1864 Co. B, 1st Alabama
Sanford, S. U	May 21, 1863 Co. G, 28th Mississippi
Saunders, Mathew	July 15, 1864 Co. B, 46th Georgia
Scaggins, J. J	July 23, 1863 Co. H, 9th Alabama
Scott, Jesse	Nov. 24, 1863 Refugee
Scott, L. B	Sep. 29, 1863 Co. A, 9th Tennessee
Scott, Marshall	Oct. 17, 1863 Co. D, 4th Tenn. Cavalry
Seale, Jas. P	Mar. 3, 1865 Co. D, 31st Mississippi
Sealey, John	Jan. 7, 1865 Co. K, 6th Florida
Secompt, Jno	Jan. 19, 1863 Co. D, 4th Kentucky
Sedford, J	Feb. 26, 1863 Co. F, 60th NC
Sharp, Edward A Sharpston, Daniel	June 20, 1865 . Co. F, 12th KY Cavalry Sep. 9, 1864 Co. G, 1st Alabama
Shaw, Thos. C., Lt	Dec. 25, 1864 Co. C, 2nd Tennessee
Shrickler, James	Feb. 8, 1864 Co. D, 1st Georgia
Shultz, Sydan A	Feb. 16, 1865 Co. B, 113th Missouri Cav.
Sigler, Wm. C	June 17, 1865 Co. C, 2nd Kentucky
Silingin, A	Dec. 25, 1864 Co. K, 37th Mississippi
	Mar. 25, 1865 Co. E, lst Mississippi
Simpson, John	Jun. 2, 1863 Confederate
Singleton, And	Apr. 1, 1865 Co. I, 39th Alabama
Siunard, Henry	Aug. 24, 1864 1st Alabama Cavalry
Smith, B	Nov. 8, 1864 Co. H, 24th Kentucky
Smith, Isaac	June 26, 1865 . Co. D, 39th Mississippi
Smith, James Y	Apr. 26, 1865 Co. B, 11th Tennessee
Smith, Joseph H	May 27, 1865 Co. G, 34th Georgia
Smith, Powell	Feb. 15, 1865 Co. G, 25th Alabama
Smith, W.A.	Jan. 12, 1865 Co. A, 4th Tenn. Cav.
Smith, Wm. W	June 16, 1865 Co. I, 17th Alabama Dog 15, 1863
Snowden, W.C	Dec. 15, 1863 Co. E, 15th Arkansas Oct. 15, 1863 Co. D, 26th Tennessee
Soldman, Fred Sorrow, Jesse	Feb. 19, 1865 Co. G, 37th Georgia
Spencer, James	Dec. 10, 1863 Co. F, 29th Mississippi
Spruill, Martin G	Dec. 19, 1864 42nd Tennessee
Stearns, J. S	Oct. 19, 1863 Co. F, 29th Mississippi
Steele, Richard	Nov. 15, 1863. Co. I, 14th Texas Cavalry
Stewart, James W. Sgt.	Feb. 15, 1864 Co. E, 4th Florida
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	Apr. 29, 1864 Co. A, lst Alabama
	July 7, 1864 Co. D, 1st Missouri
	Oct. 2, 1863 Co. K, 3d Conf. Cavalry
	Apr. 17, 1865 Co. H, lst Confederate
	Jan. 2, 1862 Co. E, lst TN Cavalry
	Jul. 26, 1863 Co. A, 10th Tennessee
	Apr. 8, 1865 Co. E, 30th Alabama
	Jun. 6, 1863 Co. H 24th Mississippi
	May 28, 1863 Co. O, 41st Mississippi
	Dec. 20, 1864 Co. K, 15th Tennessee
	Jan. 1, 1865 Co. E, 46th Mississippi
	Dec. 30, 1864 Co. I, 15th Mississippi
Tomlin, W. J	Jan. 2, 1865 Co. L, 57th Alabama
	Aug. 7, 1864 Co. E, 8th Georgia
	Dec. 14, 1863 Co. B, lst Alabama?
Turner, John B	Jan. 15, 1864 Co. G, 58th Alabama
Turner, Wm. J	Jan. 2, 1865 Co. K, 42nd Georgia
	Jan. 18, 1865 Darden's Battery
	Oct. 12, 1863 Co. B, 11th Tenn. Cavalry
	Mar. 3, 1863 Co. G, 2nd Tennessee
	Oct. 1, 1863 Co. G, 34th Alabama
	Dec. 9, 1863 Co. A, 27th Alabama
	Jan. 7, 1865 Co. B, 20th Tennessee
	Mar. 27, 1863 29th Mississippi
	Apr. 15, 1865 Co. A, 7th Texas
	Jan. 29, 1863 Co. ?, 3rd Florida
	Mar. 2, 1863 Co. C, 6th Alabama
	Dec. 23, 1864 Co. , 4th Mississippi
	Aug. 8, 1863 Co., l0th Alabama
	Feb. 18, 1864 Co. , 90th Arkansas
	Aug. 12, 1864 Co., 54th VA
	Sep. 30, 1863 Co. , 19th Alabama June 29, 1864 Co. , 1st AL Cavalry
	Jan. 9, 1865 Co. , 55th Tennessee
	Jan. 24, 1865 Co 29th Alabama
	Feb. 4, 1863 4th Florida
	Mar. 9, 1865 Co., 34th Mississippi
	May 7, 1863 Co., 28 [unreadable]
Widham J	Jan. 17, 1864 Co., 20th Alabama
	Dec. 31, 1864 Co. E, 30th Alabama
	Jan. 22, 1865 Co. I, 8th Mississippi
	Mar. 19, 1865 Co. C, 55th Alabama
	Jan. 22, 1865 Co. K, 22d Alabama
	Dec. 17, 1864 Co. D, 46th Tennessee
	Dec. 22, 1864 Co. E, 20th Alabama
	Dec. 8, 1863 Co. C, 31st Louisiana
	Mar. 3, 1863 Co. A, 9th Tennessee
	Mar. 11, 1864. Citizen of Maury Co., TN
	Apr. 13, 1865 Co. C, 17th Alabama
Yell, M. D	Jul. 17, 1863 Citizen prisoner
York, R. J	Nov. 12, 1864 Co. H, 23rd Alabama
Young, A. M	Mar. 2, 1864 Co. A, S. C. A.

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Supreme Court Records, Box 17A, Middle Tennessee, 1817

John Partain and others vs. Hardy Hightower and others

(Original Bill Heard in Davidson County Court)

The Bill of Complaint of Elisha Partin, John Partin, Richmond Partin, Sally Partin, George Twitty and Ginsey Twitty his wife, complainants, against Hardy Hightower, Richard Hightower, Oldham Hightower and Sarah Hightower his wife, Aldred Hightower, and Delia Hightower, who is an infant under the age of twenty-one years, defendants.

Humbly complaining sheweth unto your honor that their father John Partin died in the month of August in the year 1793 in Wilkes County, Georgia, intestate, leaving your orators and oratrixes, Elisha, John, Richmond, Sally and Ginsey, who was then Ginsey Partin, but has since intermarried with your orator George, and Winniford Hooff, who was then Winniford Partin, but has since intermarried with Pater Hooff, Francis Partin, and Sarah Partin his widow, his legal representatives or distributees of personal estate. Complainants shew that no letters of administration were ever taken out on the estate of their said father Elisha the eldest of your orators being at the time of his said father's death not more than twelve years old. Your Orator John has purchased the interest of said George Hooff and Winniford his wife to the negroes in question and in evidence thereof they executed to him their

joint deed dated 6 September 1817. Your orator John has also purchased the interest of said Sarah Partin to the said negroes in question and hereafter particularly spoken of and she also on the 17th day of February 1818...executed to him a deed or bill of sale by means of which purchase your said orator John is entitled to three shares out of seven of said negroes belonging to the estate of John, deceased, your orator Elisha to one share, Richmond one share, your oratrix Sally one share, George Twitty and Ginsey his wife one share, said Fanny Partin having departed this life after the death of your orators' said father unmarried and intestate.

Your orators and oratrixes further shew that their said father some time in the year 1792 left his place of residence in Wilkes County, Georgia for the purpose of removing himself and negro family to the state of Kentucky, having at that time the possession and ownership, among other things, of four negroes, one a woman named Cate, one, a negro boy named Luke, another named Henry, another named Joe....

Supreme Court Records, Box 20, Middle Tennessee, 1819

John Partain and others vs. Hardy Hightower and others

(Original Bill Heard in Davidson County Court)

Messrs. Hardy Hightower, Richard Hightower, Oldham Hightower and Sarah is wife, Alfred Hightower and Delia Hightower. Take notice that we shall attend at the dwelling house of Col. John Patton in the County of Buncomb, North Carolina on the 14th day of January 1820 to take the depositions of John Patton, Zebulon Beard, Bident Beard, Joshua Jones, Senr.

Russell Jones and William Jones and on the 18th of the same month at the dwelling house of Majr. Lambert Clayton in said County of Buncomb to take the depositions of Lambert Clayton and Charles Lane to be read in evidence in the suit in equity now depending in the Supreme Court of Errors and appeals at Nashville in which we are plaintiffs and you are defendants. [signed] John Partin, Elisha Partin, Richmond Martin, Sally Partin, George Twitty, Ginsey Twitty.

Supreme Court Records, Box 14A, Middle Tennessee, 1817

David Cummins, Samuel Cummins and Henry Cummins vs.

George Fisher and others

(Original Bill Heard in Williamson County Court)

Your orators David Cummins and Samuel Cummins of Williamson County and Henry Cummins of North Carolina respectfully represent to your honor that about the year 1797 their father Samuel Cummins borrowed about \$650 from Richard Trotter ___[illegible] of Salisbury North Carolina Merchant near which place said Samuel then lived to secure the payment of said lien said Samuel mortgaged or pledged to said Trotter two negro salves one named Join[?] about 20 years of age, the other Dice about 19 years old and delivered possession of said slaves to him, and by their contract said slaves were to remain in said Trotter's possession for the interest of said lien until the money should be paid. Said Samuel in May 1800 died interested leaving your orators his only children and very little personal property besides said slaves and no person ever administered on his estate, your orators David and Samuel being then in Tennessee. Your orators possessed very little property and were unable to raise money to redeem or attempt to redeem said slaves for some time, until sometime in the year 1803....

 $^{^1}$ Cases selected for genealogical content. This series does not represent all filed records. -Ed.

Supreme Court Records, Box 21, Middle Tennessee, 1819

Wm. L. Bledsoe et al. vs. Oliver Kane et al.

(Original Bill Heard in Davidson County Court)

The Bill of Complaint of William Lytle Bledsoe, William Reed and Mary his wife, Joseph Desha and Peggy his wife, Samuel Gibson and Sarah his wife, Thomas Scurry and Catharine his wife, David Lauderdale and Clarissa his wife, and Ephraim Payton, Complainants against Oliver Kane and Ann Eliza Kane wife of said Oliver Kane of Rhode Island and Robert Hare and Harriet Hare wife of said Robert, Defendants.

Humbly complaining shew to your Honor, your Orators and Oratrixes the above named Complainants, that William Lytle Bledsoe, Mary the wife of William Reed, Peggy the wife of Joseph Desha, Sarah the wife of Samuel Gibson, Catharine the wife of Thomas Scurry and the said Clarissa are heirs at law, children, and devisees of Isaac Bledsoe now deceased hereinafter named, and are entitled to the undivided half of all the lands hereinafter mentioned to which their said father was entitled for his and the said Ephraim, having located and surveyed the lands hereinafter mentioned. And your orators and oratrixes shew that some time before the fourth day of August in the year 1784 General Thomas Clark being entitled to seven thousand two hundred acres of land for his services in the time of the Revolutionary War...in the Contintental Line belonging to the State of North Carolina, obtained a Warrant for the same, and by his agent William Hooper the older [sic] contracted with Col. Anthony Bledsoe now deceased in writing under seal as follows, to wit. "That the said Anthony shall survey, locate and lay out for the said Thomas Clark his said land, and he the said Anthony shall divide the said land into five equal parts, and the said Thomas shall choose four and the fifth shall remain to the said Anthony to his own proper use and behoof forever."

And the said Anthony afterwards engaged your orator the said Ephraim, and the said Isaac Bledsoe now deceased to perform that part of the agreement which was on his part to be performed...and the said Thomas Clark in his lifetime and John Clark hereinafter named the heir at law or devisee of said Thomas, or otherwise solely entitled to said lands, after the death of said Thomas knew of said substitution and assented thereto, and by William Hooper the younger the agent of said John corresponded with the said Isaac ..and the said Isaac in his lifetime and the said Ephraim in the month of August in the year of 1784 located and entered the said lands and caused the same to be surveyed and procured a grant to issue for the same, and therein the said lands are thus described...The said John Clark late a citizen and resident of the State of Rhode Island his heir at law or otherwise solely entitled to the said lands which the said Thomas was entitled to in his lifetime. since which the said John Clark as died having by his will devised said lands to Ann Eliza Kane wife of Oliver Kane of Rhode Island and Harriet Clark since married to Robert Hare of Philadelphia in fee simple, and the said John Clark in his lifetime by his agent William Hooper the younger of the State of North Carolina frequently hath promised in writing since the issuing of said grant to the said Thomas Clark...

State of Tennessee, Davidson County. This 25th day of January 1819 came Ephraim Payton one of the Complts. before me and made oath that the statement made in the foregoing Bill are just and true. [signed Ephraim Peyton] Sworn to before me the day above. R. McGavock, Clk.

I acknowledge myself security for the complainants security in the sum of \$500.00 ...this 25 January 1919. [signed] John Peyton, Senr.

Supreme Court Records, Box 21, Middle Tennessee, 1819

George Culbert vs. George and William Crockett (Original Bill Heard in Sumner County Court)

The bill of complaint of George Culbert a native of Ireland but now a citizen of Williamson County in the State of Tennessee, humbly complaining, sheweth to your honor, your orator George Culbert, that about the year 1800 Thomas Culbert brother to your orator emigrated from Ireland to the United States of America, that in the City of Baltimore and in Abingdon Virginia he made himself acquainted with the art and mystery of a currier and tanner...that about the year 1807 or 1808 the said Thomas Culbert removed from Abingdon in Virginia to Sumner county in the State of Tennessee, at which last place he established a tanyard and carried it on in partnership with a certain William Crockett until the month of August 1814, when the said Thomas Culbert died....

Supreme Court Records, Box 21, Middle Tennessee, 1819

Peter Turney's heirs vs. Wm. Tyrrell's heirs

(Original Bill Heard in Sumner County Court)

June the 20th 1820. Be it remembered that on this day the cause of Peter Turney's devisees against William Tyrrell's heirs came on to be heard...when it appeared that James Turney, Samuel Turney, Hopkins L. Turney, John S. Sanders and Elizabeth his wife, Elisha Price and Polly Dixon [sic] his wife and Charlotte Turney were the devisees of Peter Turney except said Elisha and John who married the daughters of said Peter and being deceased by his last will duly executed and proven were entitled to his real estate as hereinafter stated. That Peter Turney died in 1804...

That on the 19th day of May 1794 there issued a land warrant for 640 acres by the Secretary of North Carolina to John Foulks No. 922 a true copy of which is attached to the Bill, which warrant was readjusted by the Commissioners of West Tennessee, December 1814 and pronounced valid. That about January 1796 John Foulks died

intestate leaving David Foulks his sole heir at law. That in 1796 David Faulks the sole heir at law of John Foulks assigned said warrant...to William David Sloan.

That on 23rd of January 1796 said Sloan assigned said warrant to William Lytle, Jr. and William Tyrrell for a full and valuable consideration. That on the 23d day of November 1797 sd. Lytle assigned one half of said warrant to sd. Peter Turney...

The Bill and Complaint of James Turney, and Charlotte Turney an infant under twenty one years of age by Saml. Turney her next friend and Jno. S. Sanders and Elizabeth his wife of Smith County, Elisha Price and Polly Dixon his wife of Warren County, Samuel Turney and Hopkins L. Turney of the County of White against Henry Nail and Lydia his wife, William McQuistain and Susanna his wife, Henry Tyrrell, Joseph Tyrrell and Nancy Furgason of the State of North Carolina, sole heirs of Wm. Tyrrell, dec'd. defendants....

Supreme Court Records, Box 21, Middle Tennessee, 1819

Ross and others vs. Dillon and others

(Original Bill Heard in Smith County Court)

The Bill of Complaint of Samuel Ross and Mary Ross his wife formerly Mary Dillon, John Albertson and Ruth Albertson his wife formerly Ruth Dillon and Sarah Dillon, heirs at law of William Dillon, dec'd. Complainants against Nathan Dillon, Isaac Dillon, Daniel Dillon and William Dillon Defendants.

Humbly complaining unto your honors your orators and oratrixes Samuel Ross and Mary Ross his wife, John Albertson and Ruth Albertson his wife and Sarah Dillon beg leave to state that about the year 1810 a certain William Dillon of the County of Smith and State afsd. Departed this life seized and possessed of considerable property both real and personal, to wit several tracts of land lying in Smith County, one containing forty

five and 3/4 acres called the Mill Tract, one of 52 acres, and one other tract of 517 acres and 5000 acres on Tennessee River but your orators and oratrixes cannot state precisely where, and also personal estate to the amount of \$2,000.00 and more...

Thomas Dillon, dec'd., a settlement of his estate Recorded Novr. 7th 1814...to James Austin, Administrator....[follows an account of debits]....

Supreme Court Records, Box 21, Middle Tennessee, 1819

John Butler vs. William Newsam and others

(Original Bill Heard in Bedford County Court)

John Butler and Peggy his wife by their attorney, complains of William Newsam etc. in a plea of trespass on the case etc....

Supreme Court Records, Box 19, Middle Tennessee, 1819

Polly Hay and others vs. Adam Dale and others

(Original Bill Heard in Smith County Court)

Humbly complaining sheweth to your Honor your Oratrix Polly Hays, relict of James Hays, dec'd., Preston Hays, Betsey Hays, Jenny Hays and James P. Hays infants by their next friend Polly Hays, that James Hays of whom your oratrix Polly is the relict, and your orators and oratrixes Preston, Betsey, Jenny, and James P. are children, departed this life on the 25th day of January 1812 having first made and published his last will and testament and thereby appointed your oratrix Polly Hays Henry Thompson and Adam Dale executors thereof which at the March Term thereafter of the County Court of Smith county was duly proved and recorded and the said Adam Dale whom your orators and oratrixes pray may be made defendant hereto qualified as executor thereto and took upon himself the sole execution thereof.

Your orators and oratrixes would

further state that in said will are the following bequests: "I give and bequeath to my well beloved wife Polly Hays one negro girl named Fanny, also 2d I give and bequeath to my well beloved wife Polly my son Preston, my daughter Betsey, my daughter Jenny and my son James all my personal and real property that I possess to be equally divided among them....

Supreme Court Records, Box 31, Middle Tennessee, 1818

Raymond vs. Shoemake

(Original Bill Heard in Jackson County Court)

The Bill of Complaint of George W. Raymond a citizen of Jackson County against John Shoemake, Francis Shoemake, Edward Hogin, John Matthews and Philip Myers, citizens of Jackson County and State of Tennessee.

Humbly complaining unto your Honors, your orator George W. Raymond a citizen of Jackson County begs leave to state that in the town of Williamsburg in said county on the ___[blank] day of __[blank] of _[blank] he your orator was betting on shooting at a mark said Hogin betting on said Myers shooting within the size of a ___[blank] of the center when your orator agreed that he would stake a note for one hundred dollars on himself, a copy of which is marked as Exhibit A, against a note on said Defendant Hogin for the same amount...

The separate answer of Frances Shoemake to the Bill of Complaint filed against him Edward Hogan John Mathews John Shoemake and Phillip Mires in the Supreme Court at Sparta by George W. Raymond, Complainant... That some time in the month of __[blank] in the year 1818 Edward Hogan in company with the complainant applied to this deft. to write two notes of hand for one hundred dollars each... Upon this application this defendant wrote two notes for one hundred dollars each payable to his brother John Shoemake....

(To be Continued)

HANDLING and ORGANIZING HISTORIC PHOTOGRAPHS

By Frances Osborn Robb

Your photographs are significant documents in the history of your family and community. You will lose them forever unless you take steps to preserve them *now*.

Don't

- touch emulsion (image) side of prints or negatives. Handle edges only.
- cut photos into decorative shapes. The emulsion at the edges is fragile; cuts allow humidity, light, and pollution to destroy the image.
- write on photos with ink or use rubber stamps on front or back
- use scotch or pressure-sensitive tape, paper clips, rubber bands, rubber cement, commercial glues (clear or white).
- put photographs in "magnetic," "sticky page" or other nonarchival albums. The acids in these materials will permanently ruin your photographs.
- store photographs in cardboard boxes or unfinished wood drawers.
- store photographs and newspaper clippings face to face. Pulp paper acids will destroy your photographs.
- store photographs in basements, garages, storage buildings or top shelves of closets.
- don't photocopy more often than once every 2 years.

Do

- handle photographs and negatives carefully, by edges only.
- write identifications of people and places, dates, etc. on back lower edge with #2 pencil (don't press hard enough to leave an imprint on the front of the

print).

- store special photographs (the ones you would carry out of a burning building) in archival sleeves in an archival box or album (Cadillac-level protection).
- store the bulk of your photographic prints in archival boxes that create a micro-environment that protects photographs from humidity, light, pollution and insects (Chevrolet-level protection).
- store negatives in archival sleeves in a different location (a bank box is ideal).
- place the archival boxes and albums in a filing cabinet or on a bookshelf at floor level or on the next higher shelves. An environment in which you are comfortable is good for photographs too (the drier the better).

Copying Photographs

People copy photographs for two main reasons: (1) to create a decorative element for a room, often by having a photograph enlarged, perhaps handcolored, and put in an appropriate frame; (2) as a basis for genealogical or historical research.

For decor, the sky's the limit. Enjoy cropping, enlarging, coloring or combining images. Enjoy the results.

For research purposes, a two-step approach is best. First, make a working copy of the photograph. Best is a same-size color laser copy on a 7,000 or above model numbered machine. For black and white photos, use the black and white setting. Don't do this more than once every two years. Make photocopies from the laser copy, not from the original

(reducing wear and tear on the original). To preserve maximum data, make the laser copy same-size, edge to edge, including cardboard mount, if any, and photocopy the back (same-size) If there is any written or printed matter (like a photographer's name) on it. If the photocopy is not completely legible, transcribe the words on the copy in pencil. Warning: a photo or laser copy is no substitute for the original. These copies will deteriorate. You cannot depend on them to last.

Second, for the most significant photographs in your collection, have a large-size copy negative made of the entire image, including the mount, if any. Store it in an achival sleeve and use it to make high quality copies for research, genealogical albums, or as basis for decorative enlargements. Photographs made this "tried and true" way have lasted for more than a hundred and twenty-five years, plus which, the negative/positive approach gives you a "backup" for replacements of lost or damaged prints.

What about computerizing my special photos? Think twice. The paper and inks are not archival. They are too new for any estimates on longevity. In addition, just as most folks can no longer retrieve music stored on 8-tracks, the machine in which your image is stored may be obsolete in a year or two and the image no longer retrievable. The same goes for computer "enhancement." They are no longer historically accurate images, hence no good for research. Much useful data is lost.

Using Archival Materials

Using archival materials for housing your photographs is the best way for you to help ensure the longest possible life for photographs.

Purchase storage and housing materials only from archival supply companies or art suppliers that can show you the magic initials P.A.T. on the label (P.A.T. means archival: the material has passed the Photographic Activity Test).

Buyer beware! If you did not purchase archival materials in the past, you can be sure 9944/100% of your photograph storage boxes or albums are not archival and are causing your photographs to deteriorate (worst of all: sticky-page "magnetic" albums).

Quick low-tech test. Open the album or photo folder and take a deep whiff. If it smells musty or chemical, it is damaging your pictures. Do something about it quickly. Plastic photo folders or paper album pages that don't smell funny are second in priority; within the next six months, you should shift the photos in them to archival housing.

Here is a list of reliable sources for archival materials. You local librarian may be able to suggest others:

Gaylord Bros.
PO Box 4901 Syracuse NY13221-4901
(800) 448-6160

Hollinger Corp.
PO Box 8360, Fredericksburg VA 22404
(703) 898-7300

Light Impressions 439 Monroe Ave., Rochester NY 14607 (800) 828-6216

TALAS
130 5th Av New York NY 10011 (212) 675-0718

University Products
PO Box IOI Holyoke MA 01041 (800) 828-1912

Archival materials vary in price from inexpensive archival boxes to medium-priced albums, sleeves, and other housing. They may cost a bit more than "dime-store" materials, but even the handsomest archival albums are less than the non-archival albums in many gift shops. Non-archival materials will not help your photographs, and will

most likely damage them irretrievably. Buy and use archival materials (or get someone to give you some for that special birthday) and feel good about protecting your heritage!

Organizing Family Photos

Organizing accumulations of family photographs should have two central aims: (1) assembling, recording, amplifying, organizing, and preserving family history as an ongoing activity, and (2) providing information about the photographs in a way that will not damage them.

An organized collection of family photographs should present an illustrated history of the family. To create such a history you need photographs and words. Images of people and places. Family trees. Interesting events. Names of cousins, connections, friends, and schooland workmates. Names. Dates. Descriptions. Anecdotes. Descriptions. Who? When? Where? Why?

The family photographs least likely to survive are those that are unidentified, adversely housed, and disorganized. A photograph with an inscription is a "Catch-22"- likely to be kept, but often damaged by ink and finger pressure that cause the delicate emulsion layer (the image layer) to be broken or chemically altered. The least damaging inscription is a brief note made at lower edge (well away from the image's "center of interest") with a No. 2 pencil, pressing as lightly as possible.

Each family's accumulation of photographs is different, yet all probably have some things in common. There are usually only a few photographs dating from the 19th century; more from 1900 to 1960, and many more since then. The task can seem overwhelming: break the job down into smaller tasks.

Before you begin, think about your purpose and the form your organization and presentation might take. Who is this project for? If you are doing this for future generations, think about their needs: storage space, lifestyle, interests. Make it easy to understand the family's history. Make it easy to add to the collection. Interpret only the images that you would run back into your burning house to retrieve. House the others, minimally organized, archivally. Store them near the family documents. A later generation may respect your selection of significant family images, but will undoubtedly want to add others. Make it easy for other family members to become actively engaged in the search, identification, and interpretation of their visual history.

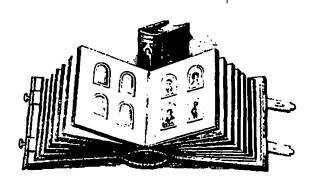
Archival storage is the best way to extend a photograph's life. It should be the only way in which you store your photographs. All photographic materials (prints, negatives, and one-of-a-kind positives; e.g. Polaroids, daguerreotypes) are complex and especially vulnerable-artifacts: a thin "skin" bearing the image atop a support of metal, glass, or paper. Image and support are, separately, extremely vulnerable and easily damaged; their interaction also has built-in hazards.

For most people, the combination of archival ring-binder album(s), and archival boxes will provide a flexible organization, housing, and storage for a family collection of photographs. Another archival box should house archival sleeves for negatives and associated prints. The folders you receive your prints and negatives in are *not* archival. They can damage and destroy your photographs.

Other archival boxes can be used to store family manuscripts, documents, and memorabilia. As you learn more about your family and accumulate new materials, additional pages of photographs and information can be added to your archival album and boxes. Purchase

additional boxes as needed.

Think carefully about the best and most suitable size for your archival boxes and album. Think



small! The box should house your largest photograph: no larger! The album should be a practical size. Your children may be nomads; if so, an album that fits upright on a standard book shelf (the largest shelf is usually 12 1/2") is far more likely to be kept available and enjoyed than an enormous "coffee table" album.

Begin by sorting your accumulation into smaller groups by generations, sides of the family, events, epochs, and or themes. You may have photographs that go back six or more generations; you are more likely to have photographs that begin four generations back and continue one or more generations forward.

Then divide each group into two parts: the "A" collection (100-150 of your family's most significant and interesting images), and the "B" collection, those worth keeping but not as significant at this point. The A's will get the "Cadillac" treatment in an archival ring-binder album. What makes a photograph belong to the A collection? The images that have passed the "burning building" test!

Perhaps you have a large group of a single event—wedding, golden anniversary, a very special vacation. If the occasion is special enough, it may warrant its own archival album. The other photographs become the "B" collection. They will get the "Chevy" treatment for now (six months later, you may change your

> mind-your descendants surely will!). They will be placed in a labeled archival box. Number the most interesting in pencil on the back, lower left; the numbers will correspond to those on a list, kept in the box, that identifies the item and/or provides significant information about

it. Someone looking at the "A" album may find an intriguing photograph: the Bicentennial camping trip, a wedding, school pictures. Other photographs in that category will be in one of the archival boxes.

For each page of photographs, you will need a transparent archival sleeve, a sheet of archival mounting paper, and four transparent archival photo corners for each photograph. It is prudent to leave ample room on each page for an additional image or two. Before using acid-free photo corners to locate a photograph on the left page, turn it over and record a title (sitter's name, the occasion, etc.) in #2 pencil, lightly at lower edge back.

You will also need an archival sleeve for the facing page, which will include words, photocopied documents, etc. Each photograph's title will begin its caption. Each caption should include name(s), identification, date or age, place, and genealogical chart number. If the image is a copy, include the name and current address of the owner. If the image is poorly identified, include the exact or approximate size (small, medium, large) of the original (that will make it easier to date the image).

Then, put on your family historian's hat! Record a few sentences of the most interesting things about

the sitter, family, occasion—whatever! Anecdotes, descriptions, personal interests, lifeways, connection to big events of local, state, national, and world history. Use sections of family trees as needed.

As you organize your photographs, you will find gaps in the visual record. Try filling these gaps by contacting relatives and connections, schools and other institutions, organizations, churches, and businesses in which your family was involved. Explore the resources of local, regional, and national photographic repositories, from your county historical society to the National Archives and Library of Congress. Combing local newspapers for information about family members may suggest new possibilities. Examination of documents, manuscript material, recordings, artifacts (including books) will provide valuable information to "flesh out" the genealogical skeleton.

Once you have sorted your collection in "A's" and "B's" and housed them archivally, you need to decide where to keep them. Locate them where you feel comfortable. Unless you could live comfortably for the rest of your life in an unairconditioned attic, damp cellar, metal storage shed, or that warm airless space on top of the closet shelf, don't store your photographs and family memorabilia there.

Now that you have organized your family photographs, you will find them an ongoing source of pleasure, wisdom, and insights. They will become a focus of conversation, remembrances, and anecdotes. Try to resist the temptation to idealize past generations; try not to be bitter over or vindictive about relatives' problems and failings (including divorce). A straightforward, generous-spirited "warts-and-all" approach will ensure that a couple of generations hence you are not viewed as the one with the problem! Have fun!

Heirs from Estates of Hugh Woods, 1870, and John V. Woods, 1887 Davidson County, Tennessee

Contributed by Thomas M. Green

Saturday morning March 12th 1870. County court of said county met pursuant to adjournment at the Courthouse in Nashville. Present, His Honor W. A. Glenn, Judge of Court.

In the matter of the estate of Hugh Woods, dec'd. -

Whereas it appears that here to fore upon an order of this Honorable court that Alfred Dunn, admin. of Hugh Woods, dec'd., paid out of hand of P. L. Nichol Clerk of the County Court the sum of ____ [blank].

It is therefore, upon motion of Uriah Peebles representing said parties to whom said funds of eight belong, ordered and decreed that the said P. L. Nichol., clerk of the County Court pay to the parties entitled to their perorate of said fund taking therefore a receipt for same. and it further appearing unto the Court that the said Uriah Peoples upon whose motion this order is made is entitled to the share of Join V. Woods, the son of Hugh Woods, dec'd., the same being one fifth and that he is entitled also to the share of I. N. Watson, P. L. Watson, Jno. Watson, E. E. Watson, Mary J. Peal, Emeline Hope, Charlotte T. Watson, Martha Whittemore, children of Sarah C. Watson, daughter of Hugh Woods, dec'd. The said interest, being one-ninth of one-fifth interest, and it also appearing that, heirs entitled to the interest of Harriet Peal daughter of Emeline Peal, since Roler who was a granddaughState of Tennessee }
Davidson County }

This day personally appeared before me, W. A. Glenn, Judge of the County Court of Davidson County, Uriah Peeples, who under his oath says that J. N. Watson, P. S. Watson, John Watson, R. K. Watson, Mary J. Peal, Martha J. Whittemore, Chas. T. Watson, Emeline Hope, John V. Woods, Harriet Hall, Margaret Peebles, Martha Roler, Mrs. R. K. Watson, and Harriet Peal are the heirs at law and distributee for Hugh Woods, dec'd., lately of this County and that he is the owner of the interest of the following named parties, having purchased the said from each one as will be shown by their receipt, to wit: J. N. Watson, P. S. Watson, John Watson, E. E. Watson, Mary J. Peal, Martha J. Whittemore, Chas. T. Watson, Emeline Hope, John V. Woods, and Harriet Peal.

[signed] Uriah Peeples Subscribed & sworn to before me this 15th day of March, 1870

W. A. Glenn, County Judge 1

State of Tennessee Davidson County Monday morning, May 30, 1887, County Court of said County....

F. M. McPherson, Adm'r }

vs

C. A. Hope & et al

Be it known that on this day this court came on to be heard upon the report of the clerk as to the interest of each heir of John V. Woods, dec'd., and upon the number of heirs of said deceased, which report is as follows:

To the Hon. R. R. Caldwell Judge oc.

In the above cause, I report that in pursuance of and order of your Honorable Court, entered on page 410 of Minute Book W, I have taken and filed the deposition of James Travis which is herewith submitted to the Court.

From this testimony, I find and report:

1st, That Jno. V. Woods died leaving surviving him five children, viz: Margaret Woods, Rosa Woods Pomeroy, Charlotte Woods Travis (now deceased), Fanny Woods Hope (now deceased), and Mattie Woods McPherson who is a minor.

2nd, That Charlotte Woods travis left two children surviving her, viz: Addie Travis and Andrew, both minors with no guardian and Fanny Woods Hope died leaving one child, John Hope, a minor surviving her.

3rd, That Rosa W. Pomeroy, Margaret Woods, Mattie McPherson and Jno. Hope would be each entitled to one fifth and Addie & andrew Travis to one tenth each of this estate.

Respectfully Submitted W. T. Smith, Clk By E. K. Glenn, o.c.

Which report being read and fully understood by the Court and unexcepted to is in all things confirmed.

The Clerk will therefore payout to the said heirs the amount due each as set forth in said report and demand and as fact as the same is paid into Court....²

ter of Hugh Woods, the interest being one-third of one-fifth. The said Peebles having filed with the Court his affidavit selling out his claim and ownership to the interest of the said parties which affidavit is as follows to wit:

¹ Davidson County, Tennessee, County Court Book K, pp. 320-321.

²Davidson County, Tennessee, Court Minute Book W, p. 419.



WILLIAMSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE, ORDINARIES, 1800-1824¹

Contributed by George Watson

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Gardner, Jean Wm. Berry 1806 Orton, Rich'd P. Hardeman & G. Childress 18	803
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Gault, Charles R. Hulme & Dan Evens 1805 Ralston, Joseph David Logan & Sam McCutchen . 18	803
Gault, James Thomas Price	802
Giddens, Francis B. Showey & G. Hardison 1823 Ralson, Joseph Joseph Maris	
Giddens, Trancy James Tirrel	
Gideon, Francis Samuel Word	
Goodman, Allen James Britan & Thomas King 1821 Reynolds, Thomas Holland L. White	
Robinson, Thomas Wm. P. Duke	
Robinson, Thomas L. Wm. McClellan	
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Licensee	Co-Signer	Year	Licensee	Co-Signer	Year
Sampson, Ephrain	n Mansfield House	1821	Staggs, John .	Wm. H. Wells & Wm. Crutche	r 1822
Simms, Millington	S. Gunter & J. Witherspoon .	1822	Stanfield, Shake	spear . J. Wood & James G. Jones .	1823
Simms, Millington	1 Thomas Perkins & Wm. Shute	1821	Sumer, Nathan	C. Manley & E. Sampson	1823
Smith, John L	Robt. Parrish & Wm. Peebles .	1824	White, Ben	J. David & H. Rutherford	1804
Smith, Stephan.	Wm. Mills & Wm. Reid	1823	White, Benjami	n Eli Megan & Richard Orton	1822
Smith, Stephen .	Eli Megan & S. Caperton	1822	White, Benjami	n Tom Reynolds & John Stacey	1823
Smith, William .	Wm. H. Hill & W. E. Owens	1822	White, Benjami	n W. Corbett & H. Childred	1803
Squier, David	J. Neely & J. Neely, Jr	1804	White, John	Charles Boils	1806
Squier, David	J. Herndon & Wm. Neely	1803	White, John	Geo. Stramley	1804
Squier, David	J. Walthal & R. Puckett	1806	White, John	John Mitchel	1803
Squier, David	Wm. Neely & Sam Curry	1802	White, John	Richard Graham	1805
Squiers, Daniel .	Wm. Neely & Joseph Porter .	1805	Wilson, James	Jason Wilson	1806
Stagg, John	Allen Hill & J. Williams	1823	Winstead, Samı	iel Arch. Lytle & Wm. Duke	1822∎

CIVIL WAR RECORD FINANCES IN WILLIAMSON COUNTY¹

Contributed by George Watson

WHEREAS; Our Country and State is now threatened and menaced with War of the most devastating nature and WHEREAS: Our State at this time unprepared to meet such an emergency as is now upon her and the undersigned believing it to be the best interests of Tennessee that she should be placed upon the best possible War footing at as early a day as possible and believing that Volunteer Troops should be formed speedily equipped-therefore to meet the present exigency of the times and to aid in the raising and equipping of troops.

We, the undersigned do Covenant and agree one with the other that we will raise the sum of five thousand dollars by note for that amount made payable in the planter's Bank of Tennessee at Franklin, four months after this 20th day of April 1861, namely Jno McGavock and others and such and all of parties assigned hereto are bound to protect and pay his prorated share to pay off and discharge the above described note provided the State of Tennessee shall not meet the same (record).

M. B. Nolen	Hailey J. Heawey	Thos. F. Perkins
Seth Thomas	A. R. Pinkston	Pinkney Cannon
B. B. Loon	3. B. Loon John N. House	
T. C. Tulloss	M. D. Dempsey	William Mathews
Henry Jackson	John E. Tulloss	James Carothers
B. F. Roberts	Henry Jackson	Henry Elbeck
Joel D. Higen	Thos. A. Marshall	William Burnett
J. C. Seward	Y. K. Marshall	J. F. Chadwell
W. D. Carothers	M. F. Comer	Lem Farmer
R. S. Stevens	W. A. Reyen	H. W. Jordan
I. M. Shelburne	G. W. Starnes	1. J. Bradly

^{1.} Transcribed from the original document in the Williamson County Preservation of Records, Franklin, Tennessee, 37064, Louise Lynch, Director.



SMITH COUNTY, TENNESSEE CEMETERY INSCRIPTIONS

From Records of Smith County [Tennessee] - Bible and Tombstone Records, SM-1, WPA [typesecript], pp. 58-63, Tennessee State Library and Archives, Nashville, Tennessee.

RIDGEWOOD CEMETERY

This cemetery is located about one-half mile due East of Carthage, Tennessee. The road that leads to the cemetery was known as the "Old Walton Trail" in 1937 when the cemetery was copied. According to Mrs. Cora Whitefield, Mrs. Bessie Gibbs, and Miss Hattie Winfree, all of Carthage, Tennessee, who read the stones on March 5, 1937, there were about 65 unmarked graves in the cemetery at that time.

James C. Sanders born Nov. 17, 1812 Died Jan. 20, 1903 Age 90 yrs., 2 mo., 3 days

Malvina Titald Sanders Born April 18, 1832 Married July 4, 1850 Died April 17, 1883 Age 50 years, 11 mos. 29 days

(Undertakers Marker) Charlie W. Chilcutt Died Feb. 27, 1937 Age 60 years, 4 mo. 27 days

William B. Bryant Aug. __, 1861-Sept. 26, 1929

Bessie Scudders Savage June 6, 1889-Apr. 26, 1921

F. P. McGinness July 5, 1849 Feb. 28, ____

William Housten McGinness Oct. 9, 1925 Nov. 6, 1929

Virgil Lee McGinness Mar. 18, 1836 Sept. 11, 1907

MATHEWS
John W. & Carsie L.
Sept. 2, 1920-June 18,
1922
Oct. 20, 1935 - Oct. 20,
1935
Newsboys - Brothers,
killed on their way
to deliver papers

WEBB Horace Hale Webb 1898-1918 died in France, A.E.F. Wilhelm Kerr Webb June 13, 1868 Feb. 7, 1936

Volina M. Manning 1916-1936 Louis Winston Stone Aug. 25, 1927 Nov. 11, 1933

Annie Francis Jordan Born Jan. 25, 1936 Died Feb. 2, 1936

Grace L. Ragland March 24, 1896 Jan. 23, 1920

(Undertakers Marker) Nellie Elizabeth (Timberlake) Winfree Died Feb. 1, 1937 Age 52 yrs., 4 mo., 28 days Born Oct. 3, 1884 Married A. C. Winfree Sept. 27, 1907

J. M. Williford
Jan. 18, 1924
Age about 92 years
Jennie Pettie
Oct. 12, 1889
Apr. 12, 1930

FORD Father: Rev. M. N. Ford Mar. 15, 1844 Jan. 23, 1928 Mother: Frances F. Ford Aug. 24, 1845 Apr. 2, 1925

FORD W. B. Ford Aug. 13, 1866 Dec. 10, 1932

McKinney Swope Apr. 15, 1859 Jan. 2, 1936

Roy Thomas Arnold Dec. 21, 1931 Mar. 12, 1933

J. T. Gann

Jan. 29, 1905 Aug. 5, 1931

Ollie Gibbs, Wife of J. N. Gann June 1, 1883 Nov. 24, 1930

MOTHER Martha Lynch Feb. 30, 1863 Dec. 23, 1922

Rev. Orion Lynch Died September 30th, 19__ Aged 79 years, 3 months,

MOTHER

Dora Lynch Wade

June 6, 1875

June 19, 1924

Robert C. Wade June 24, 1907 Aug. 5, 1927

FATHER
Titus Samson (Mason)
June 7, 1842
May 9, 1924

MOTHER Rebecca Samson Jan. 13, 1859 Dec. 20, 1928

SAMSON [all here-Ed.]

FISHER Martha Rebecca Fisher July 2, 1914 Nov. 24, 1919

May Sanders Fisher Apr. 15, 1893 Aug. 8, 1893

Virginia Flippen, Daughter of Thomas J. & Amelia B. Fisher Born May 16, 1882 Died July 23, 1890

Amelia Bryan Fisher Nov. 12, 1850 _____, 19____? Thomas Jefferson Fisher Feb. 22, 1847 Nov. 16, 1916

Landa Fisher May 30, 1854 Dec. 19, 1929

Martha Jane Fisher, wife of Wm. A. Turner Born July 9, 1857 Died Oct. 23, 1932

W. A. Turner Born Sept. 6, 1842 Died Jan. 2, 1897

Orfie Lee, dau. of W. A. & M. J. Turner
Born Mar. 10, 1886
Died April 30, 1887
Aged 1 yr., 11 mo., 20
days

ROBINSON R. R. Robinson 1858-1930

RUSSELL
Jefferson Lee Russell
May 1, 1869
May 21, 1932
His Wife,
Ollie Lee Kemp
Dec. 14, 1872 [no death
date]

KEMP Robt. H. Kemp Sept. 5, 1847 Dec. 23, 1928 Mary J. Mar. 30, 1852 June 4, 1929

FISHER

James Nelson Fisher

Jan. 30, 1878

Sept. 16, 1924

Willie Belle Pickering

Fisher

Sept. 9, 1881

Nov. 3, 1918

FLIPPEN

Luther B. Flippen

1861-1927

Annie McFarland Flippen Aug. 11, 1840 Sept. 4, 1925

DAVIS Joe Davis Junior Sept. 4, 1913 July 31, 1930

WILLIAMS Mother Adelle Ford Williams Mar. 28, 1898 Nov. 19, 1933

READ James Seay Read 1871-1920

READ Sadie King Sept. 10, 1907 Apr. 20, 1925

Little Sister
Alice T., daughter of
A. H. & T. B. Read
Born July 9, 1873
Died Mar. 20, 1875

Frank Duffy Read 9th child of **Thomas B. & Alice Read** Nov. 11, 1888 Feb. 12, 1919

Maude May, wife of F. D. Read Born Mar. 8, 1889 Died July 12, 1917

Infant son of **F. D. & M. M. Read**Born <u>8, Died Sept. 27, 1916</u>

Eleanor, dau. of Ellen D. & T. B. Read Born Jan. 18, 1905 Died Mar. 12, 1909

READ **Thomas B. Read** 1867-1927

Joseph Myer Read 6th child of Thomas B. & Alice T. Read Born Apr. 2, 1878 Died Apr. 5, 1898 Aged 20 years, 3 days

READ Thomas B. Read 1841-1900 Alice T. Read 1847-1933

Charles Smith Read 7th child of Thos. B. & Alice T. Read Oct. 16, 1880 Nov. 19, 1903

READ
Joe Read Pickering
Apr. 16, 1901
May 15, 1932

Wm. G. Read 1834-1882 Mary Read 1825-1909

HUFFINES
Edward Lee Huffines
Nov. 14, 1871
Apr. 1, 1933

Julian Fisher Mar. 27, 1875 Nov. 28, 1932

Hugh Jordan Hodges Dec. 21, 1925 July 16, 1927

STONESTREET Carrie S. Stonestreet Dec. 2, 1878 Mar. 2, 1926

William Howard Petty Oct. 27, 1927 July 14, 1928

Sarah Elizabeth Wright Sept. 26, 1861 [no death shown] MOTHER James Henry Wright Sept. 13, 1856 Aug. 25, 1921 FATHER

Mary Elizabeth Hackett Sept. 22, 1899 Oct. 14, 1931

HACKETT
T. E. Jack [Hackett]
Dec. 18, 1861
June 13, 1934
Fannie E., his wife,
July 26, 1865

Star Lee Farmer Born Oct. __, 1913 Died March 3, 1928

J. B. Mullican borned July 12, 1918 August 28, 1931

Samuel G. Lee May 5, 1849 Jan. 30, 1916 Matilda A. Lee May 27, 1852

Margaret Thompson Stevens Mar. 15, 1839 Oct. 5, 1901

J. T. Johnson 1844-1888

Emily A. Johnson 1821-1885

Geo. M. Key Sept. 27, 1832 Jan. 12, 1916

Florence Gardenhire Key wife of Dr. R. E. Key May 19, 1865 Nov. 12, 1924

James Leslie Key Nov. 30, 1872 June 10, 1935

Abram H. King Aug. 17, 1850 Feb. 16, 1933

Sadie Duke, wife of, Nov. 27, 1858

H. Grady, only daughter of A. H. & Sadie King Born Aug. 10, 1889 Died Feb. 26, 1894

Mrs. Belle Jones, wife of Tom Jones Born Feb. 10, 1856 Died Oct. 15, 1935 Age 79 yrs, 8 mos., 5 days

Infant son of Rev. & Mrs. J. F. Watson Born & died Dec. 22, 1928

Little Jimmie Anderson Died like a trooper in the office of J. J. Page Shows Aug. 22, 1935

(Undertakers marker)
Mrs. Lina Gibbs
Skurlock
Died Jan. 26, 1937
Age 52 years, 7 mo., 16
days

(Undertakers marker) Reuben Allen Angel Died Sept. 15, 1936

(Undertakers marker) Aletha E. Conner May 7, 1935 age 67 yrs.

Dortha Mildred Ballenger Aug. 15, 1930 Feb. 6, 1931

(Undertakers marker) Mrs. Nannie Bryant Died Dec. 11, 1930 Age 40 yrs, 6 mo., 5 days

Tom Silcox Born June 15, 1898 March 25, 1936

Little Billie Chism Butler Born July 7, 1932 Died June 24, 1935

Joy Hardcastle Born & Died July 22, 1936

G. E. Hardcastle Died Nov. 15, 1934 Age 65 ___

Melvin Silcox Born Oct. 25, 1905 Died Nov. 26, 1934

J. B. Silcox Born Aug. 12, 1876 Age 54 yrs, 2 mo., 2 days Died Oct. 14, 1930

Robt. Hindsley Died Feb. 10, 1935 Age 65

Nan Silcox Died Jan. 10, 1935 Age 62

I. D. Halladay Died Nov. 12, 1930 Age 50 years, 1 month

Ruth Evelyn Presley Born March 12, 1930 Died July 24, 1934

J. C. Mathews 1930 -

Elizabeth Rains Died Oct. 18, 1936 Age 67 yrs., 8 mos., 26 days

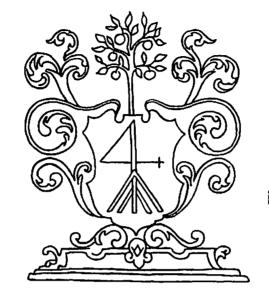
William Jr. Goosby Born & died March 28, 1930

Joel Dickerson [No birth date given] Died Aug. 25, 1936

Wade S. Knight Jan. 8, 1896 Nov. 28, 1933

Ethel C. Stockton Aug. 5, 1908 Apr. 8, 1928 ■

Early Watermarks

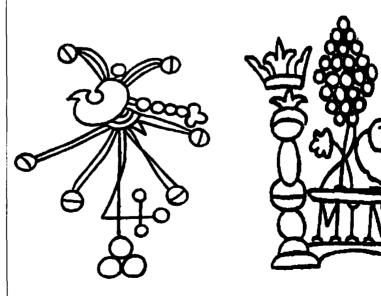




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Clockwise,
beginning below:
England, 1641
England, 1683
Revensburg, 1424
Holland, 18th Century
France, 1779



Dating Documents By Watermarks

by Dorothy Williams Potter

watermarking is the technique used to create these patterns or marks in a sheet of paper that are visible when the sheet is held to a light.

Until the middle of the 19th century all watermarks were formed in outline and were produced by the use of metal wires bent to the required design. These wire objects were then sewed to the mold on which the paper was to be formed, the wire leaving its impression in the wet sheet of paper by causing the fibers to lie thinner along its course.

The watermark has a long history as a maker's trademark and as a guarantee of quality. In paper to be used for currency the watermark has a security function, serving as a guarantee of authenticity.

Each papermill tended to use watermarks which were peculiar to the town or region where it was situated. The original Italian watermarks consisted of devices such as crosses, circles, triangles and other forms of the simplest kind that could readily be twisted in wire. Later Italian marks, in addition to the Greek cross, were the bow and arrow, hammer and anvil, the spoked wheel and the scales. By the eighteenth century

in central Italy the fleur-de-lys in a single or double circle was widely used as a variation of a device which had been in use centuries earlier.

Some watermarks lasted over many hundred years: for example, from the end of the fourteenth cen-

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The making of paper by hand

tury to the beginning of the seventeenth, the Gothic "p" was used in various designs. Another very poplar watermark was the oxhead.

In England, from about 1794 onwards, some papermills, such as Whatman's, used as a watermark their own trade name followed by the year of manufacture. This makes it possible to determine fairly accurately the date when an impression was taken, because engravers or publishers did not normally keep stocks of paper but bought sheets as they needed them. However, there were recur-

ring watermarks during each century, so it is obvious that although watermarks can be helpful in determining the age of a sheet of paper, and consequently of a document or print, careful judgment is necessary when examining them.

The ordinary watermarks in hand-made paper of the present day are made in the same manner as used since the inception of the art, the only difference being in

the employment of finer wire and greater skill in its formation. This natu-

rally gives a
brilliant and
clear-cut watermark. In machine-made
paper a wire
cylinder known
as a "dandy-

roll" or a circular rubber form is used to impart the lettering or symbol to the moist paper by rolling over its surface after the web of the paper has been formed. It is therefore not possible to produce as clear or distinct a watermark on a machine as it is by the use of a finely constructed mold in the hands of a skilled craftsman.

Often an artist, author, or his publisher will order expensive paper with a watermark which is partly to serve as a protective 'trademark' for the original edition. Watermarked paper has, in any case, become traditional over the centuries.

An Old 1813 Maury County, Tennessee, Letter

Contributed by Jim Douthat

To Elizabeth Hacket, Pleasant Garden, Rhea County, E. Tennessee¹

Pulgrims Rest Maury County July 22, 1813

Dear Sister:

I hope you will excuse my not writing to you sooner. I had nothing worth your atention to write and have not now only that we are all in good health and aught to be very thankful to Him who bestows these blessings. Sister Henderson is in the family way, if she has no misfortune she will be ocnfined in January. Male or female it will be called for our family. If a son, Hacket, if a daughter, Cynthia Hacket.

Sister wishes you to tell mother we are very well pleased with our new situation. W. Henderson is improving his little place very fast the ground is fertile. My dear sister I wish that our beloved mother and all of you were living in this county for it is far perferable to Rhea [County].

The society is very good I am always treated with atention at home and abroad by young and old. W. Henderson and sister are very kind to me and say that I am welcome to stay with them until I get married. You wrote that William would come for me in the fall but we think that you could illy spare him and the road is deligate to find and a great part of it wilderness and I would rather you would not send him but if you are very anxious I shall return this fall. Write me soon and I will endeavor to get company if I can.

My wants are generally suplied. W. Henderson got me a new bonnet the other day of the first fashion a shade likewise and several packs, Capes, stockings and a nomber of other parts of dress, I have got since I came here.

I have made grate proficiency in working needle work. I have worked me a cambric pock and some capes and sister a toilet.

You recollect that my hors run away last summer at which I not much sorry on my account for W. Henderson has gave me a much better one. Tell mother not to give herself one moments unesness on my account for I am doing as well here as if I was at home and perhaps better in the end.

Dear sister we are sepperated by hills and mountains but our thoughts no doubt are frequently on one another and may our prayers be continually assending

to heaven for our welfair. The Lord has promised that he will be a father to the fatherless and a husband to the widow if they will only put there trust in Him.

Dear sister we have our earthly parent no more but the Lord giveth and the Lord taketh away, and blessed be the name of the Lord for he is just sutch a father as we need. He can supply all our wants out of his fullness and O may he be our guide through life's slipry paths and in the end take all of us home to himself.

W. Henderson and sister joins with me in sending thar love to our death mother and all the family. Kiss little Hariat for me. All the children and servants desire to be remembered to you. Give my love to all inquiring friends. Write me soon....

I remain your loving sister while life's warm fluid continues to flow in the heart of

Cynthia W. Hacket

1. This letter in October 1938 was in the possession of Judge R. W. Smartt, McMinnville, Tennessee, at which time it was transcribed by copyist, Anna Lee Morrison.

Hackett Notes Supplied by Betty M. Majors

"The Hacketts were from Rhea County and I believe all descendants from Rev. War Veteran John Hackett. The Hackett girls all married in Rhea County:

Anne R. Hackett to Jesse Coffee, 9/9/1871 Cinthia W. Hackett to Luke Colville, 1/9/1815 Elizabeth Hackett to Richard C. Waterhouse, 1/1/1816 Mary Hackett to James Moore, 12/2/1812 Jean Hackett to Robert Henderson, 11/28/1798

"Elizabeth Hackett Waterhouse was the second wife of Gen. William C. Smartt. Of the above girls, the first three have definitely been located in Warren County.

"Cynthia Hackett was born 14 Dec. 1792 and died 26 Sept. 1842. She was the first wife of Major Louis Colville, son of Joseph and Sarah (Lusk) Colville.

"Elizabeth Hackett Waterhouse, second wife of Maj. Smartt was born 22 Feb. 1791 and died 1 May 1864. They married in 1828.

"In her will, Elizabeth Hackett Waterhouse Smartt (undated, but probated 7 July 1865 in Warren County Will Book 4, p. 143), she names the following children: Euclid Waterhouse, Ann Smartt, Vester Colville, Asenath Smartt, William H. Smartt, and Martha Ramsey.

"The Ann Smartt named here is Ann Waterhouse, daughter of Elizabeth and her first husband Richard G. Waterhouse. She married George W. Smartt, son of Wm. C. Smartt by his first wife Margaret Colville."

Emigrants from Albemarle County, Virginia to Middle Tennessee



Contributed by Irene Griffey, CG

To Bedford County, Tennessee: John Jameson Bland Maupin

To Davidson County, Tennessee:
Samuel & Lucinda (Farrar) Wharton
George and Elizabeth (Farrar) Wharton
Jacob and Sarah (Lewis) Tilman
Henry Kirby
Samuel and Austin Hamner
Edward Stone

To Fayette County, Tennessee: Nathan and Mary Blain William N. and Mary (Bates) Oliver

To Franklin County, Tennessee:
James and Lucy (Thomas) Lewis
James Woods
Dyer and Mary (Lewis) Moore
Lawrence T. Catlett

To Giles County, Tennessee: Tyree Rodes

To Dickson County, Tennessee: Gideon Carr Meekins and Mary (Hamner) Carr John B. and Susan (Hamner) Carr

To Maury County, Tennessee: Isaac B. Hardin John H. and Calvin M. Smith

To Montgomery County, Tennessee: Dr. Charles Meriwether

Alexander and Mary W. (Thomas) Clayton Nicholas L. and Ellen Thomas Charles L. and Margaret Thomas John J. and Lucy (Quarles) Thomas Frances (Thomas) Hart

To Overton County, Tennessee:
John and Elizabeth (Burrus) Davis

To Rutherford County, Tennessee: Lewis C. Anthony

To Sumner County, Tennessee:
Strother and John Winn Key
Robert McClary
John Davidson
Thomas Jones
Alexander Duff Gordon
Reuben D. and Robert T. Brown
Micajah Clark
Roland and Nancy Horsley
William and Lucy Nimmo
Thomas Meadow
William and Elizabeth Smith
Abraham Martin
Taverner and Mary (Edwards) Head

To White County, Tennessee: Randolph and Elizabeth Turner

To Wilson County, Tennessee: Thomas Carr

To Nashville, Tennessee:

John R. and Margaret (McKesson)

Campbell¹ ■

^{1.} Rev. Edgar Woods, "Emigrants from Albemarle to Other States," in *Albemarle County in Virginia*, Appendix No. 8 (Charlottesville, Va.: The Michie Company, printers, 1901), 391-392.

TENNESSEE COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA, DEED ABSTRACTS, 1789–1797 Early Records of Robertson, Montgomery, Stewart, Dickson, Houston, Hickman, Humphreys and Cheatham Counties

Transcribed by Yolanda G. Reid, Robertson County Historian

TENNESSEE COUNTY was formed in the fall of 1788 and was the third county created in what we now know as Middle Tennessee. The county seat of Tennessee County was Clarksville. The land within this county encompassed what is today known as Montgomery, Robertson, Dickson, Houston, Stewart, parts of Hickman, Humphreys and Cheatham Counties, Tennessee.

The importance of this material lies not only in their early date, but also that many of these are grants for Revolutionary War service.

The Tennessee County deed records are found on microfilm as Montgomery County, Tennessee, Deed Book A. Page numbers given here are the actual page numbers found in Deed Book A and on the microfilm. Surname spelling is given as originally written, but the word "registered" is indicated as "reg." in this series. —YGR

(Continued from Volume XII, Number 1)

- pp. 269-270 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA to JOHN RICE assginee of WILLIAM RAMSEY, Chain Carrier to the commissioners for laying off lands allotted officers & soldiers...640 acres on the waters of Millers Creek waters of Richland Creek... surveyed 19 February 1789 by R. NELSON by service right warrant No. 186 entered 26 January 1784, grant signed ALEXR. MARTIN 16 November 1790...reg. 24 July 1794
- p. 270 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA to JOHN RICE assignee of EZEKIEL REALY, Private in Continental line...No. 1249...428 acres...adjoining RICE's entry as assignee of WILLIAM RAMSEY...on Millers Creek...surveyed 19 February 1789 by R. NELSON by military warrant No. 1676, located 7 october 1785, grant signed ALEXR. MARTIN 16 November 1790...reg. 24 July 1794
- p. 271 ANDREW CASSELMAN to EDLEY EWING, both of Davidson County...indenture made 18 June 1794 ...\$100...320 acres on south side of Cumberland River on Dyers Creek...granted to CASSELMAN by North Carolina by patent dated 27 April 1793 and No. 123 and reg. in Davidson County Book C page 210...expressly meant and intended that following stake be token held and construed to be of equal force...that is to say that if sd. EDLY EWING should die in his minority or after he shall have come to full age shall die without issue being seized of the sd. land that is not having disposed of the same to any other person then and in that case the said land above described shall become the right and property of NATHAN EWING his heirs and assigns forever... acknowledged 5 July 1794 before JOHN MCNARY, Judge...reg. 30 July 1794
- p. 272 ELISHA RICE in behalf of JOHN RICE heirs to ALEX-ANDER EWING indenture made 19 March 1794...ALEXANDER EWING having obtained a judgement against the estate of JOHN RICE, decd. for 200 pounds...60 pounds paid by Ewing to ELISHA RICE...on the head of Millers Creek or the waters of Richland Creek...640 acres...signed 14 July 1794 by ELISHA RICE for himself and attorney in fact for NATHAN RICE, WM. H. RICE & JOEL RICE before JOHN MCNAIRY, Judge...reg. 30 July 1794

- pp. 273-274 ELISHA RICE in behalf of JOHN RICE heirs to ALEXANDER EWING, both of Davidson County...indenture made 19 March 1794...EWING having obtained judgement against the real estate of JOHN RICE, decd.for 200 pounds...60 pounds paid by EWING...tract adjoining the tract of land of JOHN RICE as assignee of WM. RAMSEY containing 640 acres...signed 14 July 1794 ELISHA RICE for himself and attorney in fact for NATHAN RICE, WM. H. RICE likewise signed JOEL RICE for himself as one of the heirs before JOHN MCNARY, Judge...reg. 30 July 1794
- p. 275 ELISHA RICE in behalf of JOHN RICE heirs to ALEX-ANDER EWING, both of Davidson County...indenture made 19 March 1794...428 acres of land on Millers Creek ...ALEX-ANDER EWING having obtained judgement against the estate for upwards of 200 pounds...60 pounds paid by sd. EWING...signed 14 July 1794 ELISHA RICE for himself and attorney in fact for NATHAN RICE & WM. H. RICE and JOEL RICE for himself the heirs & legatees of JOHN RICE, decd. before JOHN MCNARY, Judge ..reg. 30 July 1794
- p. 276 ELISHA RICE in behalf of JOHN RICE heirs to ALEX-ANDER EWING, both of Davidson County...indenture made 19 March 1794...640 acres on Millers Creek...ALEXANDER EWING having obtained judgement against the estate for upwards of 200 pounds...60 pounds paid by sd. EWING...signed 14 July 1794 by ELISHA RICE for himself and attorney in fact for NATHAN RICE & WM. H. RICE and JOEL RICE for himself as one of the heirs before JOHN MCNARY, Judge...reg. 31 July 1794
- p. 277 BAZEL BOREN to JAMES STARK, both of Tennessee County indenture made 16 December 1793...\$100...274 acres on waters of Sulpher Fork...GRIMES's north boundary...being a tract granted by North Carolina to MORGAN BRYAN...reg. 31 July 1794
- pp. 277-278 ROBERT PRINCE, Sheriff to SAMUEL WILCOX, both of Tennessee County...indenture made 4 July 1794...SAMUEL WILCOX recovered a judgement against the heirs of THOMAS FLETCHER, decd. of Tennessee County for 185 pounds plus 5 pounds 15 shillings & 8 pence for cost of suit at April Term 1793...public sale held 10 July 1793...WILCOX being highest bidder for 150 pounds 1 shillings with the same properties of the same properties of

- ling...290 acres part of a tract of 640 acres granted to said FLETCHER & FRANSISCO... including the mouth of Sulpher Fork of Red River...reg. 31 July 1794
- p. 279 ROBERT WEAKLEY of Davidson County to JOHN MONTGOMERY of With (sic) County Virginia...indenture made 22 July 1793...\$200...640 acres...north side of Cumberland River on both sides of Sycamore Creek between the mouth of RAMSEY's fork and Spring Creek...JOHN NICHOLS's south corner of a thousand acre survey...granted to said ROBERT WEAKLEY by North Carolina military warrant No. 2778...signed 13 June 1794 before JOHN MCNARY, Judge... reg. 31 July 1794
- pp. 279-280 SAMUEL COX, SENR of Logan County Kentucky to GEORGE HAMILTON of Tennessee County...indenture made 4 June 1794...80 pounds...133 acres on Red River... crossing Buzzard Creek...part of 320 acres granted by North Carolina to ROBERT HEATON...reg. 4 August 1794
- pp. 280-281 SETH LEWIS of Davidson County to WILLIAM LUSK of Fayette County Kentucky...indenture made 11 December 1793...\$300...487 acres...Beaver Dam Creek on north side of Cumberland River...beginning at DAVID HENRY's line...DOCTOR BREHON's line...signed GEORGE WALKER by BENJ. SEARCY attorney in fact & HOWEL TATUM & SETH LEWIS proven by oath of JOHN OVERTON, Esqr...reg. 4 August 1794
- pp. 281-282 JAMES MCCRORY heir of THOMAS MCCRORY, decd of Davidson County to TIMOTHY ANDERSON of Tennessee County...indenture made 14 January 1794...50 pounds/dollars?...320 acres... north fork of Madoes Creek being part of a tract granted to sd. JAMES MCCRORY heirs of THOMAS MCCRORY, decd containing 3840 acres, surveyed by warrant No. 34 dated 14 March 1784...corner of JAMES BROWN's survey... reg. 4 August 1794
- pp. 282-283 ROBERT NELSON to TIMOTHY ANDERSON, both of Tennessee County...indenture made 18 November 1793...40 pounds...250 acres...south side of the north fork of Madoes Creek...MR. BAILY's line...TAYLOR's corner... corner to MR. MCCRORYs large survey...reg. 4 August 1794
- pp. 283-284 JOSEPH HOPKINS to THOMAS PERRY, both of Sumner County...indenture made (no date)...60 pounds...640 acres...north side of Cumberland River on Duck Spring Creek...Witness: HUGH FOINEN?...reg. 5 August 1794
- p. 284 FREDERICK STUMP, JUNIOR to MATHEW JOHNSTON, both of Tennessee County...indenture made 1 November 1793...90 pounds...25 acres...Sulpher Fork of Red River...corner to another piece of land belonging to said MATHEW JOHNSTON and on FREDERICK STUMP's line...Witness: BENJAMIN MENEES, Esqr...reg. 5 August 1794

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pp. 285-286 ROBERT PRINCE, Sheriff to ROBERT NELSON, both of Tennessee County...indenture made 20 January 1794...judgement recovered by ROBERT NELSON against JOSEPH BROCK for 50 odd pounds...ROBERT NELSON being highest bidder for 12 pounds...400 acres...south side of

- Red River including the plantation where BENJAMIN RO-GERS now lives...ANDREW OLIVER's corner... reg. 5 August 1794
- pp. 286-287 ROBERT PRINCE, Sheriff to ROBERT NELSON, both of Tennessee County...indenture made 20 January 1794...judgement recovered by ROBERT NELSON against JAMES COLE MOUNTFLORENCE for 11 pounds odd shillings...ROBERT NELSON being highest bidder for 8 pounds...640 acres north side of Red River...ROBERT NELSON's line as assignee of THOMAS GUNN...PETERSON's line...GUFFEE's corner...MANN PHILLIPS's line...reg. 9 August 1794
- p. 287 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA to LEWIS CANNON, Private in Continental line...No. 1169...1584 acres...north side of Cumberland River on Spring Creek it being the creek where a party of Surveyors were defeated in November 1789? joining MOUNTFLORENCE's survey...surveyed 5 October 1789 by A. FOSTER by military warrant No. 1217, located 1 October 1789, grant signed SAM JOHNSTON 26 November 1789...reg. 11 August 1794
- p. 288 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA to THOMAS HAMEL-TON, assignee of heirs of CLEMENT TERREL, Private in Continental...No. 1257...640 acres...south side of Cumberland River on both sides of Yellow Creek...about two miles above the camp on said creek where RUSSELL GOWER, ANDREW LUCAS & JAMES RUSSELL hunted in 1784...surveyed 3 March 1790 by A. FOSTER by military warrant No. 1054, located 1 December 1785, grant signed ALEX. MARTIN 14 November 1790...reg. 11 August 1794
- pp. 288-289 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA to NICHOLAS CONROD, assignee of ROBERT BEAN, Private in Continental line...No. 2420...226 acres...on Millers Creek waters of Sulpher Fork of Red River including the place where ROBERT MCMILLIN now lives...surveyed by R. NELSON by military warrant No. 3448, located 1 October 1785, grant signed RICHD. DOBBS SPAIGHT 31 December 1793 ...reg. 11 August 1794
- p. 289 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA to NICHOLAS COON-ROD, assignee of ISAAC DAWSON, Private in Continental line...No. 2427...274 acres...between Miller Creek and Brush Creek including BENJAMIN HUDSON's plantation...surveyed by R. NELSON by military warrant No. 1983, located 19 July 1786, grant signed RICHD. DOBBS SPAIGHT 31 December 1793...reg. 11 August 1794
- p. 290 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA to NICHOLAS COON-ROD, assignee of GARRET FELPS, Private in Continental line...No. 2264...640 acres...on the head branch of Budds Creek at a place called Iron Ore...south boundary of SAML. BUDD's tract of 3840 acres... surveyed 3 November 1792 by WM. CRUTCHER by military warrant No. 3564, located 12 June 1789, grant signed RICHD. DOBB SPAIGHT 20 May 1793... reg. 11 August 1794
- pp. 290-291 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA to JAMES ME-NEES, assignee of JOHN OVERTON, Private in Continental line...No. 2410...274 acres...north side of Sycamore Creek above the big crossing place...surveyed 26 November 1792 by WM. CRUTCHER by military warrant No. 3156, located 3 June 1786, grant signed RICHD. DOBB SPAIGHT 31 Decem-

ber 1793...reg. 11 August 1794

- pp. 291-292 FREDERICK STUMP, JUNR. to ARCHER CHEATHAM, both of Tennessee County...indenture made 6 December 1793...105 pounds...320 acres excepting two acres and one half sold to HENRY HICKS joining WILLIS HICKS land including where HENRY HICKS's house now stands likewise excepting 25 acres conveyed by FREDERICK STUMP to MATHEW JOHNSTON joining the north boundary of said land... Sulpher Fork of Red River...being part of 640 acres granted by North Carolina to ANDREW THOMPSON grant No. 70... JAMES SMEATHERS...Witness: JOHN CHEATHAM...reg. 11 August 1794
- pp. 292-293 WILLIAM DOBBINS to THOMAS HAMILTON, both of Sumner County...indenture made 17 March 1793...60 pounds...640 acres...waters of Kers Creek of Sulpher adjoining land of THOMAS NORRIS and CAMPBELL...Witness: JAMES HAMILTON...reg. 12 August 1794
- pp. 293-294 ROBERT NELSON to BENJAMIN ROGERS, both of Tennessee County...indenture made 27 January 1794...10 pounds...276 acres...south side Red River including said RO-GERS's improvement...BROCK's line...ANDREW OLIVER's corner...reg. 12 August 1794
- pp. 294-295 BENJAMIN DRAKE, JUNIOR of Davidson County to JAMES HOLLIS of Tennessee County...indenture made 8 July 1793...100 pounds...640 acres ...north side of Cumberland River on the head of the north fork of McAdoes Creek... which land was granted to said BENJAMIN DRAKE as assignee of SHADRACH COBB by North Carolina patent dated 14 November 1789 and No. 1072... Witness: DAVID BAILY...reg. 12 August 1794
- pp. 295-296 LARDNER CLARK to WILLIAM BETTS, both of the town of Nashville, Davidson County...indenture made 21 October 1793...\$150...540 acres...about four miles from Clarksville and joining TOPP tract of 640 acres on the north side of Red River which tract of TOPP's is conveyed to ROBERT NELSON and is the identical one on which sd. NELSON now resides...Witness: B. SEARCY...reg. 13 August 1794
- pp. 296-297 EDMOND GAMBLE to JOHN HINDS, both of Davidson County...indenture made 29 April 1793...500 pounds...1058 acres...ROBERT EDMONSON's south east corner...GAMBLE's corner of another tract...HICKS's line... ARCHIBALD EDMONSON line...being part of grant No. 1457 from North Carolina to sd. GAMBLE who reserves for himself 158 acres in the southwest corner...Witness: ANTHONY CRUTCHER...reg. 13 August 1794
- pp. 297-298 MANN PHILIPS of the Territory of the U.S. South of the River Ohio to JOHN CAFFREY of Davidson County...indenture made 13 August 1793..."Forty Eight fourteen shillings & six pence"...640 acres...in Sumner County on the fifth Creek the Virginia line crosses to the east of Red River...EDWIN HICKMAN's northwest corner...being a patent granted to the said MANN PHILIPS dated 8 December 1787 from North Carolina...Witness: A. CRUTCHER... reg. 13 August 1794
- pp. 298-299 JOHN OVERTON, Esqr. to ANTHON HART, both of Davidson County...indenture made 22 July

- 1793...\$250...274 acres...both sides of Kers Creek...being the tract on which JOHN TAGERT formerly lived...HOGAN's line...reg. 13 August 1794
- pp. 299-300 GEORGE SCHWIMMER of Tennessee County to JAMES DRUMGOLD of Logan County Kentucky...indenture made 17 December 1793...20 pounds...two half acre lots in town of Clarksville known as lot No. 77 & 79...Witness: ANTHONY CRUTCHER... reg. 13 August 1794
- p. 300 GEORGE SCHWIMMER of Tennessee County to JAMES DRUMGOLD of Logan County Kentucky...indenture made 20 December 1793...20 pounds...340 acres...north side of Cumberland River near Clarksville...MASON's corner...BOD's preemption line...Witness: ANTHONY CRUTCHER...reg. 13 August 1794
- p. 301 JOSIAH RAMSEY to JAMES BOYD, both of Tennessee County...indenture made 9 April 1794...100 pounds...640 acres...on both sides of McAdoes Creek on the north side of Cumberland...southeast corner to ARTHUR MCADOE's land...being a preemption granted to RAMSEY by North Carolina dated 17 April 1786...Witness: ROBERT CLAY-TON...reg. 19 August 1794
- pp. 301-302 R. NELSON to JEDEDIAH HALL, both of Tennessee County...indenture made 19 February 1793...4 pounds...12 acres...north side of Red River...between said river and ELLIOTT and PETERSON survey... near Hornbarrigers ford...below Petersons Creek...part of grant 387 dated 13 September 1787...reg. 19 August 1794
- pp. 302-303 JOHN STANLY of Logan County Kentucky to SARAH WALLIS of Tennessee County...indenture made 18 October 1793...50 pounds...48 acres...Beaver Dam Creek, waters of Sulpher Fork ...near CRUMSTOCK's improvement...being part of 228 acres granted to said JOHN STANLY by North Carolina by patent dated 15 September 1787...Witness: JAMES BOYD...reg. 22 August 1794
- pp. 303-304 THOMAS JOHNSON to NATHANIEL DICKESON, both of Tennessee County...indenture made 21 July 1794...40 pounds...200 acres...on Millers Creek waters of the Sulphur Fork joining the west boundary of COONROD & north of RICE...granted by North Carolina to THOMAS JOHNSON No. 130 dated December 1793...reg. 25 August 1794
- pp. 304-305 JAMES MCCRORY of Davidson County to HUGH TAYLOR of Tennessee County...indenture made 1 October 1793...100 pounds...320 acres...both sides of the north fork of McAdoe north side of Cumberland River...southwest corner of a tract granted to said JAMES MCCRORY heir to THOMAS MCCRORY, decd...Witness: RICHARD MILES...reg. 25 August 1794
- pp. 305-306 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA to ELIAS FORT, assignee of heirs of EDWARD OVERTON, Private in Continental line...640 acres...Budd Creek, joining the south boundary of CAPT. SAMUEL BUDD...surveyed 18 September 1792 by WILLIAM CRUTCHER by military warrant No. 1428, located 4 August 1795, grant signed RICHARD DOBBS SPAIGHT 20 May 1793...reg. 26 August 1794
- pp. 306-307 ROBERT NELSON to HUGH TAYLOR, both

- of Tennessee County...indenture made 25 April 1793...20 pounds...140 acres...lying in the north fork of McAdows Creek...M. BAILY's corner...MCCRORY's line... reg. 26 August 1794
- pp. 307-308 ROBERT NELSON to ELI STRICKLAND, both of Tennessee County...indenture made 16 July 1793...60 pounds...580 acres...both sides of Sulphur Fork and running agreeable to courses & distances of Grant No. 373...WIL-LIAM PRENAL's south east corner...CANTRIL's line...CAPT. PRINCE's line...reg. 27 August 1794
- pp. 308-309 WILLIAM LUSK to JOHN CROCKET, both of Tennessee County...indenture made 19 April 1794...\$150...262 acres...Beaver Dam Creek on north side of Cumberland...DOCTOR BREHON's line... Witness: THOMAS JOHNSON, Esqr...reg. 27 August 1794
- pp. 309-310 DAVID MCFADDIN to HUGH BELL, both of Tennessee County...indenture made 21 October 1793...80 pounds...274 acres...north side of Cumberland River about a mile below the mouth of Red River... being granted by North Carolina to WM. PARR for his services as a Soldier in the Continental line grant No. 9 dated 16 February 1796 ...PARR conveyed to WILLIAM WALTAN and he to DAVID MCFADDIN... reg. 27 August 1794
- pp. 310-311 ROBERT NELSON to JACOB WINEMILLER, both of Tennessee County...indenture made 21 October 1793...20 pounds...200 acres...Red River... HORNBAR-RIER's corner...BROCK's line...reg. 27 August 1794
- pp. 311-312 WILLIAM DOBBINS of Sumner County to RICH-ARD THOMAS of Tennessee County...indenture made 18 November 1793...60 pounds...1000 acres...west fork of Brush Creek the waters of Red River...about a half a mile north of the west fork of Brush Creek...Witness: JOHN BUR-GESS before JOHN P. MCNARY, Judge...reg. 3 October 1794
- p. 312 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA to JOSHUA HADLEY, assignee of WILLIAM TERREL, Lieutenant in Continental line...No. 1712...2560 acres...south side of Cumberland River near Cross Creek adjoining the lower boundary of Lieut. JAMES CAMPAIN's survey of 2560 acres below Elk Creek...surveyed 24 September 1792 by R. NELSON by military warrant No. 3015, located September 1792, grant signed RICHD. DOBBS SPAIGHT 20 May 1793...reg. 21 October 1794
- pp. 312-313 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA to JOSHUA HADLEY, assignee of SAML. GREEN, Private in Continental line...No. 1681...228 acres...west fork of Parsons Creek joining WM. WINTERS... LINTON's corner...surveyed 30 December 1792 by R. NELSON by military warrant No. 3748, located 22 November 1792, grant signed RICHD. DOBBS SPAIGHT 20 May 1793...reg. 21 October 1794
- pp. 313-314 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA to JOSHUA HADLEY, assignee of heirs of LEWIS JOYNER, Private in Continental line...No. 1632...640 acres...south side of Cumberland River on waters of Guices Creek...CHARLES GERARD's north west corner of his survey No. 3050...surveyed 19 December 1792 by A. FOSTER by military warrant No. 2666, located 19 December 1792, grant signed RICHD. DOBBS

- SPAIGHT 23 February 1793...reg. 21 October 1794
- p. 314 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA to JOHN BOYD, JUNR., assignee of JOSEPH MCDILLON, Private in Continental line...No. 2426...230 acres...McAdoes Creek...joining CAPT. MCRORY's...BEATY's line...surveyed 12 September 1792 by WM. CRUTCHER by military warrant No. 3542, located 9 September 1792, grant signed RICHD. DOBBS SPAIGHT 31 December 1793...reg. 29 October 1794
- pp. 314-315 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA to HOWEL TATUM, assignee of heirs of AMOS HATHCOCK, Private in Continental line...No. 1604...640 acres...Sulpher Fork...ABRAHAM MILLER's south east corner...surveyed 13 December 1792 by GEO. WALKER by military warrant No. 2653, located 12 September 1792, grant signed RICHD. DOBBS SPAIGHT 23 February 1793...reg. 10 December 1794
- pp. 315-316 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA to HOWEL TATUM, assignee of heirs of JOHN COORITRUT, Private in Continental line...No. 1605...640 acres...Sulpher Fork of Red River...near the path leading from Holleys lick to Kilgores Station...surveyed 20 October 1792 by A. FOSTER by military warrant No. 2679, located 7 September 1792, grant signed RICHD. DOBBS SPAIGHT 23 February 1793... reg. 10 Decmeber 1794
- p. 316 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA to WILLIAM WICOFF, assignee of heirs of JAMES WINSENT, Private in Continental line...No. 1623...640 acres...south side of Cumberland River and east side of Guiers Creek...surveyed 22 December 1792 by WM. MACLIN by military warrant No. 2592, located 21 December 1792, grant signed RICHD. DOBBS SPAIGHT 23 February 1793...reg. 10 December 1794
- p. 317 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA to ADAM TATE, heir of JOSEPH TATE, Captain in Continental line...No. 2170...3840 acres...south side of Cumberland River opposite and below the first Island above Red River...small Hurricane Creek about two and a half miles above Clarksville...surveyed 22 August 1792 by R. NELSON by military warrant No. 684...HUGH BELL & WM. BELL chain carriers, located 8 August 1792, grant signed RICHD. DOBBS SPAIGHT 17 May 1793...reg. 29 December 1794
- pp. 317-318 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA to THOMAS JOHNSON, assignee of MARTIN ARMSTRONG, Surveyor of the military lands...No. 181...50 acres...Sulpher fork of Red River...on ROBERT KARR's line...DODGE's line...surveyed for and by THOMAS JOHNSON 17 August 1792 by entry dated 20 November 1790, grant signed RICHD. DOBBS SPAIGHT 18 January 1794...reg. 29 December 1794
- p. 318 STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA to THOMAS JOHNSON, assignee of MARTIN ARMSTRONG, Surveyor of the military lands...No. 163...50 acres...Sulpher Fork...THOMPSON's preemption line...ARCHD. MAHAN's line...FLEMING & SCOTT's preemption line...surveyed for & by THOMAS JOHNSON 2 November 1792 by entry dated 21 August 1792, grant signed RICHD. DOBBS SPAIGHT...reg. 29 December 1794

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Early Bible Records **Humphreys County, Tennessee**

From Humphreys County, (Tennessee), Bible, Family & Tombstone Records, WPA [typesecript], Tennessee State Library and Archives, Nashville, Tennessee

LONG BIBLE

Ibid, p. 38

"Bible owned by Mrs. B. D. Carnell, Waverly, Tennessee, whose family record it contains. The Bible is very old and badly damaged. Copied by Miss Minnie Stricklin, Sycamore Landing, Tenn., June 13, 1938." Spacing is used as found.—Ed.

BIRTHS

H. H. Long was born July 14, 1834

E. M. Long was born October 10, 1835

J. A. Blackburn was born January 4, 1817

N. R. Blackburn was born June 22, 1832

J. N. Long was born February 8, 1860

S. L. Long was born January 27, 1858

H. H. Long, Jr. was born February 5, 1884

J. J. Long was born March 12, 1886

I. I. Long was born March 3, 1890

E. E. & B. B. Long were born June 13, 1892

J. W. Long, Jr. was born September 22, 1907

L. L. Long was born June 30, 1909

M. L. Long was born July 26, 1902 (The sons of J. J. Long)

M. M. Long was born January 2, 1908 Homer Long was born February 2, 1910 (The daughter & son of H. H. Long, Jr.)

MARRIAGE

J. N. Long and S. L. Blackburn were married April 8, 1883.

DEATHS

H. H. Long died February 15, 1896 B. B. Long died January 17, 1893 Evline Long died May 30, 1919

S. E. L. Long was born August 3, 1917 Lexie Long was born August 9, 1912 Clyde Long was born August 5, 1917 Elsie M. Long was born January 29, 1921

T. D. Blackburn was born July 30, 1862 Mary Jane Blackburn was born April 8, 1864 W. A. Blackburn was born June 27, 1869 Beckie Blackburn was born May 9, 1871 Katherine Blackburn was born October 12, 1867

McKEEL FAMILY FAMILY RECORD

Ibid, p. 48

"The following is a copy of the family record of Eld. James McKeel, Cuba Landing, Tennessee, now owned by R. H. McKeel, Waverly, Tenn. Copied by Miss Minnie Stricklin, Waverly, Tennessee, March 22, 1938."

BIRTHS

Dorcas Walker was born August 15, A.D. 1802 Edna S. Gragg was born January 26, A.D. 1813 Thomas W. McKeel was born January 10, A.D. 1830 James L. McKeel was born March 27 A.D. 1832 William H. McKeel was born April 2, A.D. 1833 John W. McKeel was born May 5, A.D. 1834 Frances W. McKeel was born May 28, A.D. 1838

Lewis C. McKeel was born January 21, A.D. 1842 Martha. McKeel was born November 22, A.D. 1843 Green H. McKeel was born December 14, 1847 Lucrety E. McKeel was born January 21, A.D. 1850 Dr. Pleasant W. McKeel was born December 25, A.D.

George W. McKeel was born January 15, A.D. 1854 Anderson C. McKeel was born August 26, A.D. 1856

MARRIAGES

James McKeel was married to Dorcas Walker October 12, A.D.1828

Eld. James McKeel was married to Edna S. Galloway January 12, A.D. 1847.

DEATHS

Dorcas McKeel died October 23, A.D. 1846 Thomas W. McKeel died March 22, AD. 1857 Anderson McKeel died September 29, A.D. 1861 Edna S. McKeel died January 21, A.D. 1876 Eld. James McKeel died August 23, A.D. 1879
William H. McKeel died July 23, A.D. 1880
Green H. McKeel died February 23, A.D. 1904
Pleasant W. McKeel died March _, A.D. 1910
George W. McKeel died May 20, A.D. 1925
Frances W. McKeel died (date unknown)
John W. McKeel died April 17, 1910
Lewis C. McKeel died (date unknown)
Martha J. McKeel Daniel died (date unknown)
Lucretia E. McKeel Jones died (date unknown)
James L. McKeel died March, A.D. 1870

SIMPSON BIBLE

Ibid, pp. 59-61

"Bible record owned by A. B. Simpson of Waverly, Tennessee. The Bible contains the record of Wm. Simpson's family, grandfather of A. B. Simpson. The Bible is very old and in good condition. Copied by Miss Minnie Stricklin, Sycamore Landing, Tenn., May 15, 1938."

Wm. Simpson (grandpa) was born in N.C. January 12, 1777.

William Carroll Simpson was born October 29, 1816. Martha D. Lestatia Long Simpson was born January 24, 1827.

William Joseph Simpson was born January 12, 1847. Thomas Kanada Simpson was born August 15, 1849. David Long Simpson was born February 17, 1851. James Nathaniel Simpson was born March 6, 1853. John Vanburen Wright Simpson was born October 9, 1859.

Samuel Robert Walton Simpson was born December 23, 1861.

Infant Simpson (girl) was born July 17, 1863. Emma Luretta Simpson was born April 3, 1865. Alonzo Blount Simpson was born March 17, 1867. (Copied from old family Bible January 8th, 1889. A.B.S.)

Record taken from Grandpa Long's Bible:
J. H. Long and Blanche Roby married October 9, 1823.
Joe H. Long was born December 5, 1797.
Blanche Roby Long was born October 17, 1805.
Mary Long was born May 29, 1825.
Martha Long (Simpson) born January 24, 1827.
David Long born October 7, 1828.
William Long born March 29, 1830.
James H. Long born November 24, 1831.
Joseph Long born January 29, 1833. Died August 29, 1914.

Samuel Long born September 1, 1835.
Eliza Long (Spicer) born April 14, 1837.
Robert Long born February 22, 1839.
Emma Long (Pritchard) born October 15, 1840.
Myra Long (Pruett) born September 8, 1842. Died April 25, 1912.

John Long born March 12, 1844.

Ann Long (Rice) born November 11, 1849.

Record of Grandpa Simpson's family:

John Simpson was born 1804.

Sam Kanda Simpson born 1805. Died May 1, 1893.

Hester Simpson (Brown) born September 9, 1807. Died 1861.

Edward Simpson born November 2, 1809. Died in Arkansas.

Mary (Polly) Simpson (Shelby & Taylor) born July 28, 1811.

Thomas Simpson born October 28, 1813.

William Carroll Simpson born October 29, 1816. Died April 15, 1879.

MARRIAGES

William C. Simpson and M. D. Long married December 11, 1845.

Wm. J. Simpson and R. P. Myatt married November 28, 1867.

T. K. Simpson and K. J. Curtis married January 3, 1875. E. L. Simpson and Albert McPherson married Septem-

ber 1, 1880. Sam Simpson and Ruth Weigart married at Paragould,

Ark., April 30, 1891. John V. Simpson and Emma C. Claud married August

30, 1893.

A. B. Simpson and Kittie McMurry married November 11, 1894.

Sam R. Simpson and Mrs. Sue Harris married June 26, 1898.

Jno. V. Simpson and Mary Braddock married October 19, 1904.

Olga Simpson and Oliver Johnson married at Newport, Ky., Feb. 11, 1925 Mack C. Simpson and Dymple Shannon married 1926. David Long (Great Grandpa) served 5 years and 9 months in the Revolutionary War, received a pension for life. Died at age 98, in 1845. Came from N.C.

Mary (Howe) Long (Great Grandma) came from N.C. Was daughter or Joe Howe, died about 1850, at age 98, died of old age, was not sick.

BIRTHS

Margaret Ann (Hedge Gunn) born September 3, 1818. Nathanial Simpson born July 9, 1820, died 1852. Hulda Simpson born March 21, 1822, died at 2 years old. Nettle Jane Simpson (Hedge) born January 11, 1825.

DEATHS

Infant Simpson died June 3, 1864.

Wm. Simpson died May 20, 1875, aged 98 yrs. 4 mo. & 8 days.

William C. Simpson died April 15, 1879 aged 62 yrs. 5 mos. 6: 16 days.

D. L. Simpson died October 12, 1880, aged. 29 years, 7 mo. de 25 days.

Margarett Ann Simpson (grandma) died May 20, 1876, aged 93 yrs.

Martha D. Simpson died September 16, 1917, aged 90 yrs, 7 mo. & 22 days.

W. Joe Simpson died March 17, 1918.

T. K. Simpson died February 28, 1931.

John V. Simpson died November 11, 1931.

James F. Simpson died November 14, 1931.

Sam R. Simpson died December 21, 1934.

Jim N. Simpson died March 12, 1935.

Mrs. Sallie Gholston Petty died July 18, 1936.

The Robys came from Maryland to Georgia.

The Howes came from N.C. to Tennessee, and were related to Gen. & Lord Howe of Revolutionary fame.

DEATHS

Joseph Howe Long died October 15, 1858. Blanch Walton Roby Long died January 26, 1859. John Morgan Long died April 17, 1863.

Robert Roby Long killed by a ball thrown by Jake Tubb May 15, 1859.

David Matthew Long died in Texas.

William Thomas Long died 1863.

Elizabeth Katherine Long Spicer died 1875.

Mary Long died April 14, 1906.

Joe Long died August 29, 1914.

Myra Pruett died April 25, 1912.

MISCELLANEOUS

A. B. Simpson joined Christian Church December 29, 1885. Made a Master Mason May 5, 1890. Made a Royal Arch Mason July 15, 1893. Married Kittie McMurry November 11, 1894. Moved to Greely, Colo., April 24, 1914. Prin. High School Bell Buckle, 1918-19. Prin. High School at Estell Springs, Tennessee, 1919-20. Prin. High School at Morrison, Tennessee, 1920-21-22-23. Prin. High School Ga.insboro, Tennessee, 1923-24. Supt. Public School, Humphreys County, Tennessee, 1925-26, 1934-35-36-37-38.

FLEMING BIBLE

Ibid, 31

"Record from the family of George W. Fleming, found in an old Record book, in Judge J. E. Tubb's office, Judge of Humphreys County. This is an old book that store accounts were kept in. Copied by Miss Minnie Strickland, Sycamore Landing, Tennessee, January 12, 1937."

George Washion Fleming, was born October 1, 1828
Huldia S. Simpson, was born August 7, 1852
Margaret Jane Fleming was born February 7, 1856
William Samuel Fleming was born May 13, 1857
James Dempsey Fleming was born March 25, 1859
Fanie Bell Fleming was born April 10, 1860
John Marian Fleming was born March 22, 1864
Mandia Morandia Fleming was born November 21,

Nancie Elizziebeth Fleming was born February 8, 1867 Sha<u>rah</u> Ann Fleming was born February 27, 1863 George W. Fleming and Huldia S. Simpson was married April 16th 1854.

Mary Jane Fleming Departed this life, April 8, 1856 Mary Ann Fleming, Departed this life, November 1, 1 1856 Infant, born October 29th and departed this life 30th of the month, 1861.

Huldia S. Fleming, wife of George W. Fleming, Departed this life, May 30th 1870.

Mandia Morandia Fleming, Departed this life, August 31, 1870.

Nancie Elizziebeth Fleming, Departed this life, August 16, 1871.

George W. Fleming, Departed this life, December 22, 1877

John Marian Fleming, Departed this life, April 25, 1881.

Thomas Monroe Fleming, Departed this life June 10, 1905 His wife, L. N. A. Fleming, Departed this life, June 16, 1906. ■

The Nine Capitals of the United States

This is a story and a short history lesson about how the Revolutionary War and subsequent events, from 1774 to 1801, caused the capital to move. During those seventeen years government business was conducted in nine cities: Philadelphia (five times), Baltimore, Lancaster, York, Princeton, Annapolis, Trenton, New York City, and Washington, D.C.

In 1774, Philadelphia was chosen for the original meeting of the First Continental Congress because, with a population of 40,000, it was the metropolis of America. Seven newspapers were then published there. As we are frequently reminded, it was the home of Benjamin Franklin. The Capitol building chosen in Philadelphia was Carpenter's Hall, preferred by the delegates to the State House that had been offered. As reported by John Adams, the record notes: "The members met at the City (Or Smith's) Tavern at ten o'clock and walked to the Carpenter's Hall, where they took a view of the room and of the chamber where is an excellent library....The question was put whether we were satisfied with this room? It was passed in the affirmative."

After two months in Philadelphia, the first of an even dozen moves of the seat of government was to Baltimore in December 1776, because of the advance of the British army through New Jersey Then, after 10 weeks in Baltimore, back to Philadelphia again, but only for six months.

Next to Philadelphia, Lancaster was the most important town in Co-

lonial Pennsylvania at that time. On the main route to the West, it was a leading trading center for the furtrade and, with a population of 3,773, making it one of the larger colonial towns. To avoid the enemy the delegates took a roundabout way to Lancaster and there held one session, primarily concerned with military matters.

Soon after a resolution was passed to "... direct the Board of War to cooperate with General Washington in devising and carrying into execution the most effectual measures for supplying the Army." Before adjournment it was decided to "... repair to the town of York, in Pennsylvania."

The first session in York was convened on September 30, 1777; the last on June 27, 1778. An early matter of business was the resignation of John Hancock as its president, after having served for two-and-a-half years during troublesome times. He was succeeded by Henry Laurens of South Carolina, elected by unanimous vote.

During the nine months that York was the capital of the U.S. several significant events occurred. They were military victories in the North, highlighted by Burgoyne's surrender at Saratoga, and an alliance with France consummated on February 6, 1778. At that time Ben Franklin was the American representative in Paris and he made the most of the victory at Saratoga. Also, news reached the Congress at York that the British had evacuated Philadelphia and it was now safe to return there.

Philadelphia was always thought of as the continental capital and with the British departure a resolution was passed on June 25 that it adjourn "... from this place to meet at Philadelphia, on Thursday, the second of July next." Further a resolution was adopted to appoint a committee of three to take proper measures for a public celebration of the anniversary of independence at Philadelphia on the 4 day of July next."

Back in Philadelphia there was much disagreement with regard to the ratification of the Articles of Confederation. Questions of land grants, taxes, State vs. Federal authority, etc. were difficult to resolve. "The thirteen States were not yet ready to grant to a central government what they had just so recently refused to allow to an Imperial Parliament." The principal concern was the winning of the War for Independence, which was brought to a successful conclusion with the surrender of Cornwallis at Yorktown, Virginia, on October 19, 1781.

Quoting from the booklet: "But the conduct and the winning of the war were not the only responsibilities and new interests multiplied in vexatious quantity...One of the principal causes of this condition, as well as sign of it, was the sad state of the public finances."

Beginning in June 1783, Congress wandered from place to place: "Driven from Philadelphia by the jibes and taunts of a band of drunken ploughmen, it flees to Princeton...From Princeton it adjourns to Annapolis and from Annapolis to Trenton, from Trenton to New York. Meanwhile the press is making merry."

Finally, after New York City and Philadelphia once again, the Congress settled permanently in Washington, D.C. A quorum for business was first secured there on February 2, 1801. And they're still there. ¹

^{1.} Adapted from a small booklet by Dr. Robert Fortenbaugh, *The Nine Capitals of the United States* (York, Pa.: Maple Press, 1946).

MISSOURI - MIDDLE TENNESSEE CONNECTIONS

- The following listings were gleaned by Jean Ammon, 411 Grand Avenue Circle, Carrollton, Missouri, 64633, from old obituaries located in a scrapbook at the Carrollton Library, 206 W. Washington, Carrollton, Missouri 64633. If interested in the full obituary, write Ms. Ammon or the library to obtain a copy for a small fee and a SASE.
- Mrs. Elizabeth Ferguson died March 3, 1902. She was born in Nashville, Tennessee, May 4, 1814. Married John James in 1831 and went to Missouri where he died in 1855. Twelve children....
- Mrs. Daisy (Willis) Arnold died Jan. 3, 1900... Born Sept. 26, 1874 in Robertson County, Tennessee, and came to Missouri in 1879....
- Joseph Neil died August 1903...Born February 1835, Farmington, Tennessee. Came to Missouri in 1882... Left wife and six children...Body shipped to Shelbyville, Tennessee, for burial.
- Mrs. Susan Hill died April 28, 1904, aged 85 years, 2 months, 29 days. Sousanna Sugg was born Jan. 22, 1819 in Bedford County, Tennessee, where she grew up. Married in 1836 to George Hill and they came to Missouri in 1836/37. Four children...
- Thomas Taylor died July 1917. He was born in Robertson County, Tennessee, Dec. 22, 1834. Came to Missouri when twenty years old. In 1860 he married Catherine Van Hook. Twelve children....
- Mrs. Theresa Josephine Butcher died Feb. 21, 1915. She was born April 29, 1884 in Sparta, Tennessee, and came to Missouri in 1885 with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Carter. Later moved to Indiana, and on Dec. 18, 1907, she married Edgar L. Butcher. Three children....
- Margaret A. (Haines) Keltner died May 14, 1916, 86 years old. She was born April 12, 1831 in Bedford County, Tennessee, and in 1839 moved to Missouri where on Nov. 17, 1861 she married J. P. Keltner. Five children....
- Mrs. Hannah Maloy died Jan. 3, 1916, 87 years, 2 months, 25 days. She was born Oct. 8, 1828 near Nashville, Tennessee, and moved to Missouri when young. On Nov. 8, 1860, she married Francis M. Miller. Nine children....
- James Parsley died March 8, 1918. He was born

- in 1840 in Nashville, Tennessee, aged 78 years old when died. Lived in Carroll County, Missouri, for fifty years....
- Mrs. Louise Caroline Jacobs (Quarle) died Feb. 23, 1905, 80 years old. She was born Oct. 5, 1824 in Lebanon, Tennessee, and came to Missouri in March of 1850. She married Sept. 12, 1854 Thomas A. Jacobs who died in 1866....
- Mrs. Elizabeth A. (Reavis) Campbell died Aug. 17, 1905. She was born Jan. 8, 1823 in Shelby-ville, Tennessee where she married Jan. 7, 1845 G. B. S. Campbell. Moved to Missouri. Six children.
- Mrs. Wiley B. Huddleston died May 8, 1914. She was born Nannie Miller December 28, 1849, in Fentress County, Tennessee. Married there to Wiley T. Huddleston Dec. 31, 1865, and went to Missouri in 1867. Nine children....
- William Alexander Agee died May 1899, 63 years, 4 months and 13 days. He was born Dec. 31, 1835 in Robertson County, Tennessee, and came with his parents to Carrollton Missouri, March 15, 1852. Never married. Had two brothers and one sister....
- Ann Crockett Powell died June 23, 1903. She was born July 7, 1817 in Tennessee, and came to Missouri as a child with her father, William Crockett. Married in September 1839 to Charles A. Powell. Had nine children....
- John J. Little died Dec. 10, 1901. He was born May 6 (7 in another account), 1839 (1840 in the other account), in Tennessee. He was seven years old when came to Missouri in the 1850s. In the Confederate Army, Company D, 3rd Missouri Cavalry... Settled in Norborne, 1867 and in 1873 married Mary Briscoe.
- Mrs. Sarah W. Tuley died Sept. 3, 1899, aged 80 years. Born Sarah Ridgeway, Aug. 30, 1898 in Tennessee. At 9 years moved to Shelby Co., Kentucky. Md. Feb. 25, 1844 to Elisha Tuley, and moved to Marion County, Missouri in 1851.



BOOK REVIEWS

by Shirley Wilson, CG

Mecklenburg County, North Carolina Minutes of the Court of Common Pleas and Quarter Sessions Volume III:1821-1830 transcribed by Herman W. Ferguson. Softback 8 1/2 x 11, 251 pp., index, map, c1998. \$25 from author, 600 Chad Drive, Rocky Mount, NC 27803-1512.

The title of this book says it all. It is chock full of good information on the folks who lived in Mecklenburg County during this period of time. It is important to note that Ferguson has *transcribed* rather than abstracted the records. This permits readers to make their own interpretation of what is written. Court minutes are an excellent source for locating low profile ancestors who avoid the census taker and depart before the tax collector comes around.

By necessity the print is small but very clear with names in bold type. An excellent index and a map showing the creeks serve to enhance the usefulness of the book. This is an excellent "user friendly" reference book that those with roots in North Carolina will want to include in their libraries. This book is a fine example for anyone who might want to start compiling similar records.

Mecklenburg & Cabarrus Counties, North Carolina Decedents for Whom Loose Estate Papers are Extant compiled by Herman W. Ferguson. Softback 81/2 x 11, 70 pp., c1998 \$14 from author (see above address).

This is an index to loose estate papers for Mecklenburg and Cabarrus counties that are preserved at the North Carolina Archives. Divided into two alphabetical listings, one for each county, the book lists the name of the decedent and the approximate death date. It covers the time period from about the mid 1750s to the 1940s. This is a large collection of approximately 9,750 files.

Once the reader identifies a file of interest, the files can be ordered from North Carolina by a process explained in the preface. Original estate papers are a good source of fascinating and helpful genealogical information that cannot normally be found in book format. Ferguson has produced a publication offering excellent value for a very modest price.

Our Nunnally/Nunley Family by Jean Nunley Dennison. Hardback 7 x 10, 472pp., bibliography, illustrations, index, photographs, c1997.\$32 plus \$4 postage from author, 919 Waterswood Drive, Nash-

ville, TN 37220.

Richard Nunnally was born about 1640 and is found in the early records of Henrico County, Virginia. The book follows his many descendants, but it also includes information on the Welker, Niswonger, Ferrill, Biggs, Cherry and Eastwood families. Some of the counties in Tennessee where they settled are Grundy, Davidson, Stewart, Hickman and Humphreys. This is a well organized and carefully researched family history. It can claim another asset frequently lacking in similar books. Footnotes abound and the book contains a whole chapter devoted to transcripts of pertinent documents. Drawings, illustrations, photographs and a good index all serve to make this book of special value to those with an interest in these families.

Tennessee Land Grants by Barbara, Byron and Samuel Sistler. Softback 8-1/2 x 11 in 17 volumes, 1998. Order from Byron Sistler & Associates, Inc., 1712 Natchez Trace, PO Box 120934, Nashville, TN 37212. Prices listed below. Tennessee residents add 8.25% sales tax.

This information is from the land grant card file at the Tennessee State Library and Archives. Arranged alphabetically by name, each entry shows the name of the grantee, the county and year of the grant, acreage, district, book and page number of the grant, and grant number along with occasional notations. There is also a separate Cross Index that lists prior entry and warrant holders referenced throughout the regular listings.

The time period covered is from the settlement of Tennessee in the 1770s up to the very early days of the 20th century.

For those who don't have access to the Tennessee State Library and Archives in Nashville, this will provide extremely helpful information. Order the booklet by the surname of interest. Prices vary according to the size of the booklet.

A-Az: 33 pp., \$10	M-Mz: 117 pp., \$18.50
B-Bz: 105 pp., \$18	N-Oz: 27 pp., \$10
C-Cz: 92 pp., \$18	P-Qz: 52 pp., \$15.50
D-Dz: 52 pp., \$15	R-Rz: 58 pp., \$15.50
E-Fz: 49 pp., \$15	S-Sz: 88 pp., \$16.50
G-Gz: 50 pp., \$15	T-Vz: 47 pp., \$15
H-Hz: 97 pp. ,\$ 16.50	W-Z: 89 pp., \$16.50
I-Kz: 55 pp., \$15.50	Cross Index: 21 pp. , \$8
L-Lz: 45 pp \$13.50	••

HOW A NEW JERSEY PRIVATE SETTLED IN MIDDLE TENNESSEE The Experiences of a Soldier in the American Revolution

Contributed by Marvin D. Owens

On December 3, 1832 Ezekiel Billington of Bedford County, Tennessee, was granted a Revolutionary War pension of \$53.33 per annum. Unable to read or write, Ezekiel had dictated a long, rambling story of his experiences in the Revolution to Justices Samuel Phillips,

John B. Armstrong and John L. Neil of the Bedford County Court of Pleas on August 16, 1832. The title of the court record is "The Declaration of Ezekiel Billington in Order to Obtain the Benefits of the Act of Congress Passed June 7, 1832."

Because of the length of the application, the account that follows is an abstract, whenever exact words from they application are used, they are set off by quotation marks. No page numbers are used because the pages were not numbered in the original application, numbered W8354.

Ezekiel Billington "entered the service of the United States under Capt Abram Garrabrant and Colonel Joseph Allen of Newark in the state of New Jersey in the spring of the year 1776 at Elizabeth Town point...as a volunteer..." After serving a month Ezekiel was dismissed, but volunteered two additional times in 1776, under different officers. During Ezekiel's third enlistment, about 20

of the members of his New Jersey Militia were attacked from the rear by British soldiers. Several Militiamen were killed, but Ezekiel and a few others were captured. "Those captured with applicant were taken to the city of New York and put in a sugar house where there were a great many other prisoners who all suffered with—hungar and cold and many died...."

Ezekiel and other prisoners accepted the "proposition from the enemy" to join them rather than remain in prison....Sent to a British vessel off "Statton Island," Ezekiel made plans to jump ship and swim to shore once darkness fell. However, he revealed his plan to one John Tucker, a fellow capturee, who in turn informed authorities. when "a sargent with a file of men" came to arrest Billington, Tucker admitted his role, whereupon Ezekiel engaged his former friend in a fight. The result was that Ezekiel suffered "a severe wound on the hand" which required confinement on a hospital

ship.

In the fall of 1977 Ezekiel, his wound healed, was put aboard the transport *William*, part of a fleet being sent to Savannah, Georgia. However, a storm separated the fleet, and the sloop *Chisoway* was sent to

retrieve the American prisoners—now conscripts in the British Army—so they could be marched overland first to Savannah, then to Augusta, and finally to Hudson's Ferry.

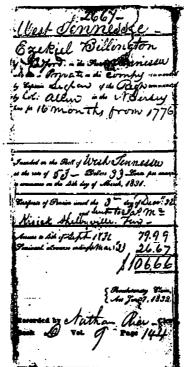
After serving in several battles at several locations between the British and the Americans with their French allies, Billington found an opportunity to escape the British army and join the American army led by General Greene. Ezekiel "remained with General Greenes army about 12 months until April 1780...," engaging in several battles and undergoing some unusual experiences. By now "...about 21 years of age...," Billington requested and received a discharge.

Upon leaving the colonial army, Billington started walking back to Newark. On his way home he stopped in Cumberland County "...in order to work to get some clothing he then being very naked...." After remaining in Cumberland County for some time he "...attached to People of his acquaintance..." who were "...burning...an overland from

Cumberland County." Billington went back and forth among several counties in North Carolina and Tennessee before settling in Bedford County, Tennessee, in 1810.

In an interesting portion of his testimony to the judges at his hearing, Billington told that "...while a single man in North Carolina [he] left his discharge that was given him by General Greene in a Chest of Betty Jones in Wane [sic] County together with a commendation given him by General Greene in allusion to [his] capture and imprisonment...." While searching for them he found they had been "...made into a paste board for a woman's bonnet..."!

Ezekiel Billington died September 29, 1848, in Marshall County, Tennessee. His widow, his second wife Esther, was assigned his pension. No mention of the name of his first wife is given in the application papers.



Ezekiel Billington of Bedford County

UNIVERSITY OF NASHVILLE MEDICAL SCHOOL GRADUATES, 1851-1909¹

Notes by Journal editor:

If a graduate's address was unknown in 1909, the address denoting the senior year in college was given in italics. If the current address was known in 1909, it was given in regular type. An asterisk (*) indicates a person who was known to be deceased by 1909.

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Farmer, W. M., 1865	ffalo Valley, Tenn.
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Farrar, Thomas Jefferson Flippin, 1901	Somerville, Tenn.
Farris, John Kennerly, 1899 Pra	irie Plains, Tenn.
Farris, William Rice, 1894	Clifton, Tenn.
Feeney, John Marks, 1894	Fayetteville, Tenn.
Ferguson, Henry Floyd, 1856	Dyersburg, Tenn.
Ferguson, Joseph Franklin Fulton, 1871.	
Ferguson, Robert F., 1876 Peac	chers Mills, Tenn.
Ferris, Edmond, 1869	Nashville, Tenn.
Fessey, William Frank, 1907	Nashville, Tenn.
Field, Charles Granderson, 1857	Covington, Tenn.
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Fisher, George Clary, 1901	Unionville, Tenn.
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Fisher, Robert Lial Andrews, 1858	. Bethesda, Tenn.
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Fitts, William Jefferson, 1900	. Gallatin, Tenn.
Fitzpatrick, Harrison, 1871 Chest	nut Mount, Tenn.
Flanery, David Lawrence, 1907	. Waverly, Tenn.
*Flatt, John Wright, 1884 Sta	
Fletcher, John Swepson, 1858	urfreesboro, Tenn.
Forbes, Eliphaz Cowan, 1899	. Blanche, Tenn.
Ford, Albert C., 1876	
Forehand, Martin Peyton, 1856	
Fort, Charles Henry, 1871	ort Station, Tenn.

^{1. &}quot;Alumni, Medical Department University of Nashville, Including graduates of 1909," Medical Department of the University of Nashville and the University of Tennessee, Sixtieth Session, 1910-11, Nashville-Tennessee Bulletin, Vol. I, No. 3 (Nashville, N.p., 1910).

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Francis, Christopher Columbus, 1859	Bristol, Tenn.
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Freeman, John Shaw, 1906	Ashland City, Tenn.
Freeman, Lewis Stevens, 1858	Elkton, Tenn.
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Frost, Sterling Brown, 1856	Nashville, Tenn.
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*Galbreath, Rolulus Lock, 1855	. Goodlettsville, Tenn.
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Garner, Charles Calaway, 1858	Tennessee
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Garrett, Isaac Levi, 1907	Byrdstown, Tenn.
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*Grizzard, Robert W., 1872
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Hall, Patrick M., 1868 Hartsville, Tenn.
Halley, Robert Ambrose, 1873
Hallum, Josiah, 1854 Carthage, Tenn.
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Ham, George W., 1868

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*Hamilton, A. L., Jr., 1862 Trenton, Tenn.
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*Herrin, Charles Freeman, 1868 Lawrenceburg, Tenn.	
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*House, Isaac S., 1853 Franklin, Tenn.	
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*Hoyte, James Wood, 1857 Nashville, Tenn.	
Hubbard, George Whipple, 1876 Nashville, Tenn.	
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Hughes, Brice Martin, 1857 Franklin, Tenn.
Hughes, Francis Marion, 1857 Nashville, Tenn.
Hughes, James Albert, 1858 Hopewell, Tenn.
Hughes, John L., 1861 Franklin, Tenn.
Hughes, Maurice Langon, 1897 Clarksville, Tenn.
Hunt, Irving Emerson, 1907 Clarksville, Tenn.
Hunt, John Franklin, 1900 Buffalo, Tenn.
Hunt, Robert Hardin, 1872 Gibson, Tenn.
Hunter, Albert Allen, 1892 Southside, Tenn.
Hunter, James S., 1871 Ripley, Tenn.
Hutchinson, John Luther, 1889 Tiptonville, Tenn.
*Hyde, Hartwell Blount, 1854 Truine, Tenn.
Hyde, Isaac Newton, 1891 Nashville, Tenn.
Hyde, Robert Hatton, 1891 Truine, Tenn.
Inglis, Andrew J., 1854 Tennessee
*Irion, John Thomas, 1872 Paris, Tenn.
Jackson, Virgil Palmer, 1899 Nashville, Tenn.
James, Francis Marion, 1855 Bluff Springs, Tenn.
James, George W., 1867 Humboldt, Tenn.
James, John P., Jr., 1861
James, John Williams, 1856 Eaton, Tenn.
Jamison, Andrew J., 1906
Jamison, James Marshall, 1870 Nashville, Tenn.
Jamison, William Thomas, 1855 Springfield, Tenn.
Jarrell, John Lewis, 1855
*Jenkins, Jo G., 1861
Jenkins, Orestes Edward, 1899 Nolensville, Tenn.
Jennings, Newbern A., 1866 Huddleston's Cross Roads, Tenn.
Jellson, Benjamin C., 1857
Johnson, Anthony Wayne, Jr., 1880 Nashville, Tenn.
Johnson, Henry Crockett, 1860 Franklin, Tenn.
Johnson, James Timothy, 1891 Nashville, Tenn.
Johnson, John Oliver, 1858
Johnson, Leonidas Fletcher, 1856 Gallatin, Tenn.
Johnson, Richard Claybrook, 1868 Hartsville, Tenn.
Johnson, Sebowin Wallace, 1857 Buena Vista, Tenn.
Johnson, Thaddeus W., 1885 South Pittsburg, Tenn.
Johnson, William Augustus, 1881 Hillsdale, Tenn.
Johnston, Christopher H., 1890 Shady Hill, Tenn.
Johnston, James Harvey, 1888 Sweetwater, Tenn.
Johnston, John Bedford, 1886 Lebanon, Tenn.
Johnston, Joseph T., 1861 Cornersville, Tenn.
Johnston, William Edward, 1874 Newbern, Tenn.
Jones, Alfred, 1858 Cornersville, Tenn.
Jones, George F., 1866 Tennessee
Jones, George Washington, 1858 Columbia, Tenn.
Jones, Henry Matthew, 1857 Shiloh, Tenn.
Jones, Horace Lamar, 1901 Jackson, Tenn.
Jones, Isaac M., 1876 Tennessee
Jones, James White, 1874
Jones, John Levi, 1872 Nashville, Tenn.
Jones, Joseph B., 1867 Palmersville, Tenn.
Jones, Paul S., 1852 Hastings, Tenn.
Jones, Robert Lee, 1890 Jefferson, Tenn.
Jones, Rush Alexander, 1890 Jackson, Tenn.

Jones, William Carilous, 1860 Nashville, Tenn.
Jones, William F., 1855
Jones, W. S., 1866 Mitchellville, Tenn.
Jordan, G. M., 1866 Truine, Tenn.
Jordan, Jesse H., 1864
Jordan, Marcus De Lafayette, 1894 Nashville, Tenn.
Jordan, Peyton, 1867 Nashville, Tenn.
Jordan, Samuel B., 1867 Nashville, Tenn.
Kane, Elizabeth C., 1898 Memphis, Tenn.
Keith, George Jones, 1890
Kell, Andrew Madison, 1873
Keller, Joseph P., 1904. Nashville, Tenn.
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Kelley, James David, 1902 Portland, Tenn.
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Kelsey, Jasper, 1869 Lynnville, Tenn.
Kelso, Henry Jefferson, 1893 Knoxville, Tenn.
Kelty, Edward Thomas, 1900 Tiptonville, Tenn.
Kerr, John Wesley, 1855 Dancyville, Tenn.
Key, Bailey Peyton, 1874 Tracy City, Tenn.
Key, Robert Edwin, 1904 Monoville, Tenn.
Kidder, D. C., 1861
Killion, Henry Austin, 1904 Tiptonville, Tenn.
Kimbrough, David Terry, 1897 Nashville, Tenn.
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Kimmel, Daniel B., 1887 Goodlettsville, Tenn.
Kimsey, Frederick M., 1890 Ducktown, Tenn.
Kincaid, James, 1856 Shelbyville, Tenn.
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Lee, William B., 1886	Nachvilla Tonn
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Lenoir, G. H., 18866	
Leonard, Thomas Bunyan, 1873	
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Lewis, Charles C., 1882	Nashville, Tenn.
Lewis, Charles Wilson, 1887	Nashville, Tenn.
Lewis, Edwin Taswell, 1874	Woolworth, Tenn.
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Ligon, John F., 1868	Dixon Springs, Tenn.
Lillard, John M., 1854	
Linck, William Todd, 1887	
Locke, James M., 1870	Lynnville, Tenn.
Loftin, Iverson Cony, 1860 Gallat	in Pike, Nashville, Tenn.
Logan, Thomas Riley, 1890	Lewisburg, Tenn.
Loggins, Lemuel F., 1909	
Logue, John, 1855	
Long, George Albert, 1855	Athens, Tenn.
Long, Jefferson Jackson, 1854	McGowanville, Tenn.
Long, John Albert, 1855	
Long, Milo Smith, 1872	
Long, Washington, 1867	Mt. Pleasant, Tenn.
Love, Landon Buchanan, 1873	Trenton, Tenn.
Lovelace, Robert Earl, 1909	Como, Tenn.
Lovelace, William Thomas, 1874	Como, Tenn.
Lovell, Carroll M., 1876	Dickson, Tenn.
Low, Robert Lee, 1884	Peytonville, Tenn.
Lowe, Columbus M., 1861	
Lowe, George Harvey, 1897	Green Hill, Tenn.
Lowry, James Barnett, 1894	
Lowry, John Shirley, 1899	Smyrna, Tenn.
Lumpken, Walter Wilson, 1891	Madisonville, Tenn.
Lyon, James Polk, 1873	Readyville, Tenn.
Lytle, Walter Alexander, 1894	Bristol, Tenn.
Mabry, Earl Winters, 1907	
*Maddin, John W., 1856	
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Mallard, John R., 1870	. Caney Springs. Tenn
Mallory, P. H., 1861	
Maney, William Brown, 1856	Nashville. Tenn
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*Manlove, Benjamin F., 1868	Nashville Tenn
Manly, Caleb A., 1857	
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*Marr, William, 1856 Clarksville, Tenn.
Marsh, Charles Pat, 1909 Petersburg, Tenn.
Marshall, John Benjamin, 1873 Buford Station, Tenn.
Marshall, John Luther, 1857 Franklin, Tenn.
Martin, Charles Thomas, 1899 Trousdale, Tenn.
Martin, Richard Thomas, 1871 Shady Hill, Tenn.
Masengille, Samuel Evans, 1899 Bloutville, Tenn.
Mason, Eustus Como, 1908 Quebec, Tenn.
Mason, John Robert, 1905 Temperance Hall, Tenn.
Massey, William Johnson, 1893 Lincoln, Tenn.
Masterson, Jacob McGavock, 1867 Nashville, Tenn.
Mathews, Arthur Penn, 1871 Nashville, Tenn.
Mathews, James Hercules, 1854 Cedar Hill, Tenn.
Mathews, John Charles, 1853
Matlock, William Russell, 1872 Concord, Tenn.
Matthews, Benjamin A., 1868 Raleigh, Tenn.
Matthews, Frank Marion, 1881 Cedar Hill, Tenn.
Matthews, William Fillmore, 1880 Nashville, Tenn.
Matthews, William LaFayette, 1858 Columbia, Tenn.
Matthewson, J. P., 1866 Paris, Tenn.
Mayfield, Joel, 1853 Brentwood, Tenn.
Mayfield, William Maxwell, 1855 Goodsprings, Tenn.
Mayhew, Carroll C., 1869 Nashville, Tenn.
Maynor, William Wharton, 1886 Nashville, Tenn.
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Medling, William Turner, 1874 Dyer, Tenn.
*Menees, George Washington, 1855 Springfield, Tenn.
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*Menees, Thomas W., 1876 Nashville, Tenn.
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Moon, John R., 1878 Bell Buckle, Tenn.
Moore, Atchilous B., 1880 Tennessee
Moore, Hiram Mitchell, 1857 Cross Plains, Tenn.
Moore, Jerome Egbert, 1859 Mitchellville, Tenn.
Moore, James McK., 1875 Spring Hill, Tenn.
Moore, John Madison, 1860 Lawrenceburg, Tenn.
Moore, Risdon Dent, 1890 Black Jack, Tenn.
Moore, Robert E., 1888 Mitchellville, Tenn.
Moore, William Polk, Jr., 1883 Portlant, Tenn.
Moore, William Porter, 1894 Culleoka, Tenn.
*Morgan, Franklin H., 1860 Nashville, Tenn.
Morgan, Henry W., 1875 Nashville, Tenn.
Morgan, James T., 1861
Morgan, Philip Wagor, 1856
Morgan, Finite Wagot, 1886 Additivute, Tenn.
Morgan, William H., 1868
Morris, Granville Travis, 1872
Morris, Henry Snow, 1890 Nashville, Tenn.
Morrissey, Paul Gunkley, 1902 Nashville, Tenn.
Morrison, Ambrose, 1876 Nashville, Tenn.
Morrison, Robert, 1872
Morton, J. H., 1854 Tennessee
Morton, John Walker, 1874 Holly Springs, Tenn.
Morton, John W., Jr., 1887 Nashville, Tenn.
Moseley, Joel B., 1869 Millville, Tenn.
Moseley, Matt Martin, 1877 Tennessee
*Murfree, James Brickell, Jr., 1893 Murfreesboro, Tenn.
Murphey, Joseph White, 1908 Nashville, Tenn.
Murphey, William Joseph, 1889 Grantville, Tenn.
Murray, John Leonidas, 1874 Lexington, Tenn.
Murray, Thomas Henry, 1874 Philadelphia, Tenn.
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McAuley, Louis D., 1901 Oakland, Tenn.
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McCall, Henry, 1873
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McCall, Joseph Williams, 1857 Roans Creek, Tenn.
McCall, William Andrew, 1873 Clarksburg, Tenn.
McCallie, William A., 1878 Knoxville, Tenn.
McCallum, Duncan Estes, 1884 Jackson, Tenn.
McCann, James Dunnaway, 1894 Thompson Sta., Tenn.
McClain, William Asbury, 1899 Sweetwater, Tenn.
McClanahan, Samuel C., 1880 Jackson, Tenn.
McClary, Jacob Lake, 1898 Charleston, Tenn.
McColgan, J. Talleyrand, 1866 Celina, Tenn.
*McConnell, John B., 1852 Nashville, Tenn.
McCorkle, James S., 1860 Newbern, Tenn.
McCormack, Richard, 1895 Pisgah, Tenn.
McCown, Rogers M., 1906 Sevierville, Tenn.
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MINUTES OF THE SUPERIOR COURT of NORTH CAROLINA and MERO DISTRICT

Abstracted and annotated by Dorothy Scott Johnson

For a complete introduction to this material please refer to Issue Number 1 of Volume XII, p. 43. All legal definitions are taken from *Black's Law Dictionary, Fifth Edition* and will hereafter be referred to as "Black's." Many abbreviations in this work are not in Black's and appear to be the original clerk's own brand of legal shorthand. Since no log exists explaining the meaning of these abbreviations, it is necessary to use them as they are written.

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Genealogical Note: Court was held in Nashville at the courthouse in all cases. At the time of these minutes the Cumberland River ran on the north edge of Nashville. There were no bridges, so all crossings were done by ferry. Armed with this knowledge, you can determine how far your ancestor lived from the courthouse if he or she was a witness in a case and claimed mileage and/or ferriage. If he claimed ferriage, of course, he lived across the Cumberland River from Nashville. Four ferriages means two trips from his home over the river and back. For example, in the case of Thomas Smith, given below, we can deduce he lived four miles from the courthouse on the north side of the Cumberland River. DSJ.

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Jury:

Britton, Thomas Hankins, William
Buckhanon, David Harney, Thomas
Buckhanon, John Hooper, Joseph
Cheatum, Anderson Neville, George
Edmondson, William Ridley, George
Gleaves, Michael Taylor, Thomas

Verdict: The defendant is not guilty as charged.

Samuel Kerr vs. Reese Porter et al

William Loggans, witness, proved one days attendance

WPA p. 213 (Orig. p. 180) Tuesday, 10 November 1796

Parks vs. Stump

William Loggans, a witness, proved two days attendance and two ferriages. Pleasant Kerby proved five days attendance, 25 miles and two ferriages. Joseph Barns proved ten days attendance, 60 miles and two ferriages.

Court adjourned till tomorrow morning 9 o'clock

WPA p. 213 (Orig. p. 180) Thursday, 12 November

1796

Present: Hon. John McNairy, Archibald Roane & William C. C. Claybourne, Judges.

Government vs. Phelty Hurst.

Case: Grand Jury indictment for horse stealing.
Particulars: The prisoner, Phelty Hurst, was brought to the bar and charged as follows:

In Robertson Co., Mero Dist., Tennessee, Phelty Hurst, laborer, on 1 August 1796, with force and arms stole one gelding of a grey color valued at \$50 which belonged to James Crabtree; also one sorrel mare valued at \$50 belonging to William Padfield.

Plea: Not guilty

Jury:

Britton, Thomas
Buckhanon, David
Buckhanon, John
Cheatum, Anderson
Edmondson, William
Gleaves, Michael
Harney, Thomas
Hooper, Joseph
Neville, George
Ridley, George
Taylor, Thomas

Verdict: The jury found Hurst guilty as charged.

Government vs. Phelty Hurst

Action: Motion for new trial made and arguments heard. Denied.

Having been found guilty of horse stealing and being called to the Bar and asked if he had anything to say as to why the sentence of law should not be pronounced against him saith nothing. It is, therefore, ordered and decreed by the Court that you, Phelty Hurst, be taken to the public whipping post and there to receive on your bair [sic] back 39 lashes well laid on and stand in the pillory one hour and have both your ears nailed thereto and cut off, and shall be branded on the right cheek with the letter H three-quarters in width and one inch in breadth. He is to be branded on the left cheek with the letter T of the same dimentions in a plain and visible manner and that the Sheriff of Davidson County put this sentence in execution on 18 November 1796 between the hours of ten and twelve a. m.

Adjourned till tomorrow 9 o'clock.

WPA p. 214. (Orig. p. 181)

Friday, 13 November, 1796.

Present: Hon. John McNairy, Archibald Roane, William C. C. Claybourne, Judges.

Jacob Turney, Bail

William Hankins, bail for Jacob Turney, delivered Turney up in discharge of his obligation.

Governement vs. Jacob Turney

Case: Grand Jury Indictment for Burglary.

Particulars: The prisoner, Jacob Turney, late of Sumner County, was brought to the Bar and charged with burglary. On 10 June 1796 at a late hour in the night, with force and arms, at the mansion house of John Caffree, Turney did break and enter and did steal and carry away two pieces of bacon (valued at \$2.), and two pieces of lead (weighing 50 lbs. valued at \$5.). At the house of William Bowman, in Sumner County, he stole and took away two beehives (valued at \$1.).

Plea: Not guilty

Jury:

Boyd, William G.
Caselman, Sylvenus
Hay, David
McCormack, John
Mathers, John
Neville, George

Norfleet, James
Ridley, George
Rounsaval, David
Rowan, Daniel
Taylor, Thomas
Yates, James

Verdict: Guilty as charged

Hinch Gillim, Bond Forfeiture

Hinch Gillim, being solemly called, failed to appear and give testimony in behalf of the state

against Jacob Turney, therefore, it is ordered that his recognizance be forfeited.

Deed: Walker & Lewis to Montgomery

A deed of conveyance from George Walker and Seth Lewis to William Montgomery proven in open court by one of the subscribing wintesses.

Samuel Kerr vs. Reese Porter et al.

James Mulkerin proved six days attendance as a witness. John Buckhanon, a witness, proved eight days attendance as a witness.

Government vs. Isaac Phillips

Case: Assault and Battery.

Action: Phillips pleads guilty and submits, the evidence being heard the Court decrees that Phillips be fined \$20

Witnesses: Larkey Bethel, a witness, proved two days attendance, 60 miles travel and two ferriages. William Brown also proved two days attendance, 60 miles travel and two ferriages.

State vs. Phelty Hurst

James Yates, a witness, proved four days attendance, 60 miles travel and two ferriages. James Crabtree proved four days attendance, 60 miles travel and two ferriages.

State vs. Thomas French

Jona Stephens, witness, proved five days attendance, 60 miles travel, and two ferriages. William McMarlin proved five days attendance, 60 miles travel and two ferriages.

Adjourned till tomorrow, 10:00 o'clock

WPA p. 216. (Orig. p. 182) Saturday, 14 November 1796

Present: Hon. John McNairy, Archibald Roane, & William C. C. Claybourne, Judges

Government vs. Jacob Reeder

Case: Grand Jury Indictment for Petit Larceny. Particulars: Grand Jurors for "the Territory south of the Ohio, Mero District, November term 1794" found as follows: Jacob Reeder, late of Davidson County, on 5 September 1794, with force and arms in Davidson County, stole five gallons of brandy valued at six pence, said brandy belonging to one Susanah Overall. Andrew Jackson was attor-

ney for Government.

Plea: Not guilty

Jury:

Boyd, William G. Buckhanon, David Buckhanon, John Hankins, William Harney, Thomas Kenady, Robert Reese Porter

Cheatum, Anderson Childers, John Edmondson, William

Young, Daniel Walker, John

Verdict: Not guilty.

Action: Defendant Reeder's counsel moved to tax the prosecutor with the costs of suit, it being suggested to be both a frivolous and a malicious prosecution. The Court ruled against the motion.

Witnesses: Abraham Teal proved 13 days attendance as a witness, 90 miles and six ferriages. James Espie proved twelve days attendance and eight ferriages. John Johnston proved five days attendance and two ferriges. Natha Overall proved five days attendance and two ferriages. The Court ordered that Powel Vahan be paid by the prosecutor.

Adjourned till Monday morning, 10:00 o'clock.

WPA p. 216-217. (Orig. p. 183) Monday, 16 November 1796

Present: Hon. John McNairy, Archibald Roane, and William C. C. Claybourne, Judges.

Elijah Robertson vs. David Allison

Case: Judgment appealed by default.

Jury:

Boyd, William G. Morgan, John
Buckhanon, John Neville, George
Childers, John Ridley, George
Edmondson, William Rounsaval, David
Hankins, William Taylor, Thomas
Harney, Thomas Weathers, John

Verdict: Found for plaintiff and assess his damages to 6¢ plus 6¢ costs.

WPA p. 217, (Orig. p. 183) Monday, 16 November 1796.

John Payton vs. James Cotton

Case: Judgment by default.

Jury:

Britton, Thomas Porter, Reese
Buckhanon, David Shanon, Samuel
Chappell, James Stull, Zachariah
Edmondson, Samuel
Hill, Daniel Williams, Samson

Kennedy, Robert

Young, Daniel

Verdict: Found for plaintiff and assess his damages to one penny and cost.

Elijah Robertson vs. David Allison

Action: Motion filed to show cause why a new trial should be granted him.

Elijah Robertson vs. Samson Williams and Wright Williams.

Case: Ejectment

Particulars: Richard Fen in custody. John Den states that on 23 April 1795, in Davidson County, Elijah Robertson leased 448 acres of land, with tenements and appurtenances to him on the waters of Brown's Creek near Thompson's Pond, for a term of seven years.

On 25 April 1796 Richard Fen entered the land with force and arms and ejected John Den out of his leased farm, plus other wrongs, to John Den's damage in the amount of \$40.

Bennet Searcy, attorney for Thomas Thompson and Wright Williams.

Plea: Not guilty.

Jury:

Boyd, William G.

Buckhanon, John
Childers, John
Childers, John
Edmondson, William
Hooper, Joseph
Hankins, William
Verdict: Defendants are not guilty.

Harney, Thomas
Morgan, John
Neville, George
Ridley, George
Rounsavall, David
Taylor, Thomas

Action: Parol Agreement. [Black's: Verbal agreement or one committed to writing but not under seal.] Plaintiffs moved to introduce Parol Testimony to invalidate "a deed of conveyance given through fraud and collusion." The arguments being heard, the Court are of the opinion that such testimony is admissable. A Motion for new trial filed.

Waller vs. Commons.

James Douglass, a witness, proved seven days, 56 miles and two ferriages.

Robertson vs. Williams.

Thomas McCrory, a witness, proved four days attendance.

Adjourn till tomorrow 10:00 o'clock

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