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FROM THE EDITOR . . .

"It may not be amiss that some mistakes should be allowed to remain for the consolation of the critics..."¹

It is my hope that the critics were appeased albeit in a small way while reading our *Journal*. We have worked hard to give our members the best possible publication and in the process the *Journal* became the recipient of the Tennessee Historical Commission's Certificate of Merit "for having made significant contributions to the preservation of the historical...heritage of Tennessee" (May, 1997), as well as emerging as a nationally recognized publication. The *Journal* has been an integral part of the Society's growth.

Therefore, it is with regret that at the end of this membership year, I will be resigning as editor as we are moving out of state. Having served as your editor for the past seven years has been a pleasure. The opportunity to meet new members, friends, and contributors, along with interacting with a great staff has been a memorable experience.

The Society will continue to prosper and I leave all of you with best wishes for success in your research.

Dorothy Williams Potter
Editor, 1995-2002

1. Doctor Bennett Green quote, *The Virginia Magazine of History and Biography*, vol. 82, p. 189.

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Ledger Book from Mays General Store, Cheatham County, 1860

Abstracted and contributed by Martha C. Cooke

In Kingston Springs, Tennessee, a small town in Cheatham County, William Pegram Mays owned and operated the Mays General Store for the community in the middle of the nineteenth century. The Ledger book and other important papers were kept in a beautiful walnut plantation desk in the store. Following the death of Mays on 10 December 1907, the desk and contents were passed down through several generations. Raymond Mays was the last owner and at his death the desk with the ledger books were placed in the Public Library in Kingston Springs.

It gives many names of the people in the community and also gives us a small window into the everyday activities of our ancestors. MCC

Presented here are representative entries from the 1860 ledger. Entries for the year 1859 were published previously in Volume XIII, Number 1 - Ed.

Samuel H. Dunn *page 3*
Aug. 3 Powder Shot \$.25
Aug. 22... 1 Plug Tobacco20
Sept. 29... 5 yds. print..... .63
Oct. 8 1 Pair shoes for self 1.80

Mr. L. B. Dunn *page 4*
Jan. 2 1 fancy nectye..... .75
Jan. 2 1 pair Ringwood Gloves..... .40
Jan. 2 1 Bottle Sweet Oil..... .15
Feb. 20 ... ½ doz. eggs..... .05
Feb. 20 ... 1 cake sugar..... .13

Miss R. J. Dunn *page 6*
Jan. 2 3 yds. velvet trimming30
Jan. 2 7 white Jacksonette 30..... 2.10
Jan. 2 1 pair heal Red Shoes 2.00
June 30... 10 yds. Gingham Lawn..... 3.50

Mr. John J. Henry *pages 8 & 9*
April 17 .. 5 candles25
May 2 1 set knitting pins..... .05
May 2 3 lbs. coffee50
May 2 4 lbs. shugar50
June 28... 1 Webster Dictionary by Wash50
July 26 ... 1 fancy hat by wife..... 1.60

Mr. Jos. Mays *pages 10 & 11*
Feb. 4 1 union shirt by James 2.00
Feb. 4 1 plug of tobacco..... .20
Feb. 4 1 shaving brush..... .20
Mar. 2 ... 1 Bottle Oil by Sutton20
Mar. 16 .. 1 pair shoes for Fanny..... 1.80
Mar. 16 .. 1 pair shoes for John 1.25
Nov. 17 ... 1 Jug Vinnegar50

Mr. N. B. Mays *page 12*

Mar. 3 1 Pair Shoes by Kellan 1.75
June 11 ... lynning for Coffin45
Oct. 15 5 bars lead..... .25
Nov. 12.... 1 Box Mustard15
Dec. 2 funeral expenses 38.30

Mr. J. M. Dunn *pages 14 & 15*
Jan. 25.... 4 vials vermifuge..... .45
Feb. 1 1 box Tea..... .20
Mar. 14 ... home spun..... 1.00
Mar. 19 ... 1 Bottle Mc Lineament..... .15
Mar. 26 ... 1 Pair shoes for Martha 1.50
Apr. 8 1 Bottle Janes Expectorant75
May 12... 1 pair shoes for George..... 1.40

Mr. Joseph Kellam *pages 16 & 17*
Jan. 20.... 3 yds. Blk. Doskin by son @1.00 3.00
Jan. 20.... 5½ yds. Bi. Domestic @.0583
Dec. 20 ... 1 fine Hat 2.75

Mr. Brian Dilliard *page 18*
Jan. 5 1 pair white hose25
Jan. 25.... 1 chopping axe 1.40
Mar. 28 ... 1 pair shoes for Kitty 1.40

Mr. John Beck *page 20*
Jan. 7 1 shaving brush25
Jan. 7 1 box cream40
Jan. 7 1 Razor Strop60

Mr. G. B. Woodard *page 22*
Apr. 6 1 Bottle Ink10
June 9 1 pair Gloves..... .50

Mrs. Eliza Mays *pages 24 & 25*
Feb. 7 1 pair Spectacles30
Apr. 2 5 papers beet seed..... .20

Apr. 2. . . . ½ yds. French Ginghams20
 Oct. 13. . . . 1 set Tea Spoons 1.00

Dr. J. M. Bagwell *page 26*
 Jan. 26. . . . 1 Pair Saddle Blankets. 2.75
 May 17 . . . 4 1/2 yds. domestic by Mother60
 Oct. 15. . . . 2 oz. camphor by James.20

Mr. Andrew J. Noll *pages 28 & 29*
 Mar. 16 . . . 1 Black wool Hat 1.50
 Apr. 6. . . . 1 small Tin Cup05
 April 17 . . . 1 Bushel Potatoes 1.00

Mrs. Mary Hodges *pages 30 & 31*
 Jan. 20 . . . 1 cedar bucket50
 Jan. 20. . . . 1 hank flax10
 Mar. 20 . . . 7 yds. Plaid Lincy @.25 1.75
 Apr. 16 . . . 2 yds. velvet by Jesse15
 May 1 1 Large dish40
 May 17 . . . 1 Blk. Silk Bonnette. 4.75
 June 2 1 Pair fine Boots by Jesse 5.00
 June 8 1 Pair fine Shoes by John. 2.25

Mr. William Deal *pages 32 & 33*
 Aug. 3 1 Pair shoes by George. 2.00
 Aug. 3 to Ballance on shoes by Gilmon 1.50

Mr. Joseph Greer *page 34*
 May 25 . . . 1 fancy hat 1.75
 May 25 . . . 1 yd. Ribbons40

Mr. B. F. Hannah *pages 36 & 37*
 Feb. 11 . . . 1 Pair Shoes by Geary 1.40
 Feb. 11. . . . 2 Pairs shoes by Ebb. 3.80
 Feb. 11 . . . 2 Pairs shoes by Joseph .75 1.50
 Mar. 16 . . . 1 Bottle Castor Oil by John25
 May 14 . . . 1- 2 qt. cup by George20
 June 28 . . . 1 Pen Knife by Betty.50
 Sept. 19 . . . 1 Bonnette Board.05
 Sept. 19 . . . 1½ yds. checked Gingham .345

Mr. L. M. Dunn *pages 38 & 39*
 Feb. 2. . . . 1Set V Strings by Sam40
 April 14 . . . 1 fine fur hat 2.75
 May 7 1 Box Matches by Nancy10
 May 18 . . . 1 yd. Debaish by Sally50
 June 6 3 yds. (couldn't read) by Margaret.80
 June 6 1 pair shoes by wife 1.35
 June 16 . . . 2 Dress Patruns by Judy 4.35

Mr. W. B. Smith *page 40*
 Guardian for Miss R. L. Jones
 Feb. 10 . . . 10 yds. Pink Prints .13 1.30
 Feb. 10 . . . 1 set Bracelettes40

Mr. William Usrey *page 42*

Feb. 11 . . . 1 Poc. Knife85
 Mar. 24. . . . 1 pair shoes by son. 2.25

Mr. Isaac N. Jones, Jr. *page 44*
 Feb. 11 . . . 1 Pair Goat Shoes 1.50
 Oct. 20 . . . 1 Pair shoes for wife 1.50
Mrs. Andrew J. Thompson *page 46*
 April 14 . . . Bed Cord75
 May 19. . . . 1 Box Blacking05
 June 8. . . . 1 fine fur hat 2.75

Mrs. W. W. Hutton *page 48*
 Feb. 20 . . . 1 pair small shoes.75
 Apr. 16 . . . 1 Spelling Book.10
 Sept. 1 . . . 1 Box Mustard by Billy15
 Sept. 16 . . . quinine75

Mrs. Dorcass Jones *page 50*
 Mar. 17. . . 10 yds. prints by Miss Betty 1.00
 Apr. 4 White Lace.35
 May 4 1 Tin Dipper10

Mr. Samuel A. Thompson *pages 52 & 53*
 Mar. 15. . . 7 lbs. Nails by Bob \$.50
 June 7. . . . 1 Webster Dictionary by Wilson.50
 Sept. 24 . . . 1 Slate by Wilson25
 Dec. 22. . . 1 lb. Epsom Salts by Dr. J. M. Bagwell. .10

Mr. W. B. Smith *pages 56 & 57*
 Guardian for Viola Jones
 Feb. 27 . . . 6 yds. prints by wife .1378
 May 22. . . . 1 Bottle Ink and Pen15
 July 10 . . . 1 Pair fine shoes 1.50

Mr. W. B. Smith *pages 56 & 57*
 Mar. 1 10 yds. French Gingham by daughter. 4.00
 May 7 1 Bottle Churry Pectorial 1.00
 May 14 . . . 1½ yds Ginghams by Miss Betty45
 July 8 2 yds. white lace20
 July 8 3/4 yd. French muslin25
 Aug. 1 1 spool Coats cotton05

Mr. G. F. Nappier *page 58*
 Feb. 28 . . . 1 pair fine boots 5.00
 Mar. 8 1 plug tobacco.25

Mr. William Sears *page 60*
 Mar. 8 6 lbs. coffee 1.00
 Mar. 19. . . . 1 curry comb.30

Mrs. Lewiza Bledsoe *page 62*
 Feb. 28 . . . 1 pair fine shoes for Betty. 2.00
 Feb. 28 . . . 2 Bairs soap.25
 Mar. 24. . . . 1 comb by Mary20

Mr. John Baker *page 64*

1860 *W. J. A. Clark Jr*

Mar 9 To 1 Poc Knife by billy .75
 " " " " 1 " Book " " .40
 " " " " 1 Pair shoes penders .60
 " " " " Cash Lound .50
 " " " " 1 Pair Heat Thel shoes self 2.00
 " " 17 " 5 " " " " 6.50
 " " 25 " 1 Bone Board & helps Billy .10
 " " " " 1/2 doz. H. looks .50
 " " 29 " 1/2 " fancy Buttons .10
 April 6 to Balance on shoe by billy 1.65
 " " 14 " 1 Pair Sox " " .25
 " " 20 " 2 Corker & Lines by billy .40
 " " 26 " 1/2 Bushes Potatoes at .50
 May 24 " 1 Pair Hase by billy .20
 " " " " 1 Salt Ring " " .26
 " " " " 1/2 doz. Hints " " .50
 June 10 " 1 fine Comb by billy .25
 " " " " 1 lb. & has- .13
 " " 12 " 1 Pair Martain galls .40
 " " 20 " 1 Paper fan by Miss addy .30
 " " " " 1 vail & ribbon- .65
 " " " " 1 Comb - - .20
 " " " " 2 spools comb cotton .10
 " " 30 " 1 Pack of Tobacs by billy .50
 " " " " 1 Ball snuff .10
 " " " " 1 B. 1/2 " .10

Portion of Mr. John A. Clark's page in ledger, 1860

Mar. 1 . . . 1 1/2 yds. Gingham by wife45
 Mar. 24 . . . 5 yds. Grey Jones 1.75

Mr. Henry Kellam pages 66 & 67
 Jan. 28 . . . 1 Wool Hat by Willis. 1.75
 Apr. 1 . . . 1 shirt collar by John.25
 July 23 . . . 2 lbs. shot by Wilson25
 Nov. 20 . . . 1 vial perfume.50

Mr. Leon Burnette pages 68 & 69
 Mar. 5 . . . 2 yds. Prints by Henry.26
 Apr. 16 . . . 3 slate pencils by John.05

June 6 . . . 1 box Grey's Ointment25
 July 6 . . . 1 cake soap10

Mr. Samuel Mays, Senior page 70
 Mar. 6 . . . 15 yds. print 1.88

Mr. J. A. Clark pages 72 & 73
 Mar. 9 . . . 1 Book by Billy.40
 Mar. 9 . . . 1 Pair Heal Red Shoes, Self. 2.00
 Mar. 25 . . . 1/2 doz. fancy buttons10
 May 26. . . 1 Salt Mug by Billy25
 May 26. . . 1/2 doz. Flints by Billy.05
 Aug. 14 . . . 1st Reader.15
 Aug. 22 . . . Strands Beeds by Cindy35
 Sept. 10 . . . 1 1st Reader by Houston15
 Oct. 30 . . . 1 pocket knife by T. J.75
 Nov. 3 . . . 1 pr. gloves by Addy50
 Dec. 8 . . . 1 Bracelette and Neckerlas
 by Nancy60

Credit
 Dec. 12 . . . Credit by 1 Coffin churry. 10.00

Mrs. Sarah Ferbee page 74
 June 19 . . . 1 umbrella. 2.00

Mr. B. F. Hannah, Jr. page 76
 Mar. 26 . . . 1 Bottle Permado20
 Sept. 13 . . . 6 yds. fine Sattinette 1.25 7.50
 Oct. 16 . . . 1 Linen Shirt. 2.25

Mr. Samuel N. Thompson page 78
 May 21. . . 1 Spelling Book.10
 Nov. 10. . . 1 pr. boots by Neal. 4.75
 Dec. 21 . . . 3 Bolts Velvet by Sam.75
 Dec. 28 . . . 1 Wool Hat by James. 1.50

Mr. H. V. Thompson page 80
 Mar. 26 . . . 1 Pair Trace Chains.75
 Sept. 27 . . . 3 yds Grey Tweed .75 2.25

Mr. L. W. Hutton page 82
 Mar. 22 . . . 1 tin dipper10
 May 30. . . 1 pen staff and Pens10
 May 30. . . 4 yds. yellow Linen .40 1.60

Mr. W. N. Thompson page 84
 May 15. . . Balance on Ink by John05
 May 19. . . 1 fine fur hat Billy. 2.50
 Aug. 13 . . . 1 Dictionarey by John.50
 1861
 Jan. 28. . . 14 lbs. 8 P Nails by Allen 1.00

Mr. G. A. Bagwell page 86
 May 3. . . . 1 fancy silk H. D. F.80

Mr. G. W. Hannah page 88

Mar. 2 . . . 2 pr. fancy hose .2550
 June 20 . . . 3 yds. white Linen 1.003.00
 Dec. 17 . . . Trimmings for Pant by sister65

Mr. Isaac N. Jones, Seniorpage 90
 June 27 . . . 3½ lb. sugar50
 Aug. 2 . . . 1 ps. tobacco15

Mr. A. Y. Brownpage 92
 Apr. 17 . . . Shirts and Drawers3.25
 Apr. 20 . . . 1 fine French Hat2.60
 May 23 . . . ½ quire paper10
 July 9 . . . 1 3rd Reader40

Mr. Bird Smithpage 94
 Apr. 20 . . . 1 fine pitcher75
 Apr. 20 . . . 1 6 qt. bucket45
 Apr. 20 . . . 3 table spoons20

Mr. Wm. Jonespage 96
 Apr. 20 . . . 10 lbs. sugar1.25
 May 29 . . . 1 Bandaner H. D. F.90

Mr. Thomas Jonespage 98
 Apr. 21 . . . pair shoes5.50

Mr. W. B. Smithpage 100
 June 27 . . . 2 yds. checked Linen75

Jerryemiah Murrypage 102
 Aug. 8 . . . 1 lb. spice25
 Aug. 11 . . . Tea and Sugar60
 Aug. 21 . . . 1½ yd. Alpacca75
 Aug. 31 . . . 1 box hair Pins10

Mrs. Elener Whitfieldpage 104
 May 1 . . . 1 Bottle Pain Killer by Willey25
 Nov. 6 . . . 1 coffee pot30

Mrs. Elizabeth Woodardpage 106
 May 10 . . . 2 pr. hose55
 July 11 . . . 1 yd. Irish Linen Harriot85
 Oct. 11 . . . 1 yd. flannel by Harriot?

Mr. Thomas Perduepage 108
 May 7 . . . 1 Shroud by John Sutton3.00
 May 25 . . . 3 yds. yellow Linen1.20

Mr. Jesse Garlainpage 110
 May 14 . . . 5 yds. checks by James85
 June 23 . . . 1 vial Paregoric and ½ lb. salts15
 July 6 . . . 1 vial Cas Oil by Jesse25
 Nov. 10 . . . ½ lb. Black Pepper by Jesse10

Mr. H. W. Huttonpage 112
 May 14 . . . 1 qt. Bucket by Stephen60
 May 14 . . . 1 12 qt. dish pan75

Mr. J. M. Dunnpages 114 & 115
 May 19 . . . 4 lb. rice25
 June 2 . . . 1 Molasses Pitcher35
 June 2 . . . 1 set glass tumblers50
 June 30 . . . 1 2nd Reader20
 Oct. 22 . . . 1 pr. Spectacles for Ismn50

Mr. B. F. Woodardpage 116
 July 16 . . . 1 Cedar Bucket50
 July 16 . . . cash paid by wife, Harriott50

Mr. James H. Bakerpage 118
 Sept. 15 . . . quinine by Thomas30
 July 28 . . . ¾ yd. Velvet 401.30

Mr. Joseph W. Dunnpage 120
 June 11 . . . pair Small Shoes75
 Oct. 19 . . . 1 cloth cap80

Houston Cooperpage 122
 June 11 . . . 1 Pair shoes for John1.75
 Sept. 14 . . . 1 fine fur hat2.50

Mrs. Mary Hodgespages 124 & 125
 July 3 . . . 1 pr. candle moles60
 Oct. 29 . . . 3 lbs. coffee50
 Dec. 8 . . . 1 westcoat and trimmings75
 Dec. 28 . . . 1 Wool hat by Jessee1.50

Mr. John J. Henrypage 126
 Nov. 10 . . . Bal. on knife by Billy20
 Dec. 6 . . . Bal. on Goods by Wife?

Mr. W. B. Smithpage 128
 Nov. 20 . . . 1 paper Kneedles10
 Nov. 20 . . . 20 yds. prints by wife2.50

Mr. B. F. Hannahpage 130
 Nov. 12 . . . ¼ lb. Blk pepper by Joseph05
 Dec. 6 . . . 1 hank flax by Frank10
 Dec. 18 . . . 1 jug vinegar by Ebb50
 Dec. 18 . . . 1 Plug Tobacco by Joseph20

Mr. J. M. Dunnpages 132 & 133
 Dec. 13 . . . 1½ yds. Gingham30
 Dec. 13 . . . 19 yds. Black Print1.95
 Dec. 18 . . . shoes for Will80
 Dec. 31 . . . 1 Vial Union Pills20

OSBORNE AND NEELEY TITLE ABSTRACT

Transcribed by Betty M. Majors

This is one of a series of title abstracts found in the loose court papers of Coffee County, being an exhibit to the lawsuit of Arthur Crownover vs Planters Bank and Trust Co., *et al.* The suit was heard in the Chancery Court of Coffee County, Tennessee, on 27 Nov 1916. It is unknown to whom Osborne and Neeley planned to sell this property, as it is merely a title search to prove their ownership. Notes made by the attorneys and abstractor are included in parentheses as found. Any notation by the compiler is set in brackets.-BMM

Abstract of the Title of Osborne and Neeley to _____. All that certain lot, plot of tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the 1st Civil District of the County of Franklin and State of Tennessee and more particularly bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stake, the southeast corner of the Hunt tract of land now owned by Styles Bros. near the Winchester and Fayetteville public road, running north 6 1/4 east 157 1/3 poles to Boiling Fork Creek, a branch of Elk River; thence south with the meanders of said creek 45 west 15 poles; thence south 73 1/2 west 11 1/4 poles; thence west 6 3/4 north 11 1/4 poles to a stake in the bluff of the old Syler farm; thence south 50 west 34 poles; thence south 2 west 76 poles to a stake in the old turner home place now owned by Joe Shadow; thence South 53 east 38 1/2 poles to the beginning, containing 80 acres, 2 roads and 16 poles.

STATE OF TENNESSEE To JOHN TURNER. GRANTS. The State of Tennessee issued several grants to John Turner in that section covering a large territory, of which this 80 acres tract was a part.

JOHN TURNER, DECEASED To R.J. TURNER, EXECUTOR. WILL. Will Book 1, page 339. Decedent died in 1856. Will proven in common form March 5 1856. See Minute Book of County Court of Franklin County for years 1854-1857, page 291. The will covered several pages, and after disposing of various parcels of real estate, describing the same, together with certain designated personal property to his children, naming them, the decedent then disposed of the residue of his estate as follows: "Furthermore, all the lands, negroes, stock and everything belonging to my estate whatsoever I wish my executor of administrator to sell or cause to be sold on a credit of 12 months and after paying all just expenses that should accrue, then divide the balance equally among the heirs heretofore mentioned in the same manner described in the foregoing articles. Lastly, I do hereby constitute and appoint, and by these presents, do constitute and appoint Robertson J. Turner my executor or administrator of this my last will and testament, revoking all others. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name."

R.J. TURNER, EXTR. To JAMES S. OAKLEY. WARRANTY DEED. Dated March 1860, acknowledged March 15, 1860, Registered March 1860, Deed Book Z, page 242. No consideration mentioned. Acknowledged before Thomas Short, D.C.

"Lying on waters of Boiling Fork, beginning on a hickory standing in the eastern boundary line of the Rutledge tract of land, running south 55 1/4 degrees east 76 25/100 poles to a stake in the center of the road leading from Winchester to Mann's Ford (near a graveyard), thence north 53 1/2 degrees 35 23/100 poles passing the corner of J.W. Syler and F.A. Loughmiller at 34 poles to a stake; thence north 70 degrees west 7 8/10 poles to a stake in the center of the lane, formerly running through the sad land,

when owned by John Turner, deceased; thence north 3 3/4 degrees east 153 poles to an elm on the south bank of the said Boiling Fork, crossing to the north bank of the same to a stake; thence with the meanders of said Boiling Fork about 80 poles to a stake; thence crossing said creek, running west 5 1/2 degrees south 31 poles to the section line; thence south 5 1/2 degrees east with said section line 98 poles to the beginning, containing 89 acres, more or less."

JAS. S. OAKLEY To IRA G. WOOD. WARRANTY DEED. Dated Jun 5, 1866, acknowledged and registered June 28, 1866, Deed Book 2, page 78. Consideration \$2700.00, of which \$1500.00 was paid in cash. No lien released of record. Acknowledged before Jno. G. Enochs, County Court Clerk.

"Near town of Winchester, and bounded on the southeast by the lands of F.A. Loughmiller; on the north by the lands of the Finch heirs; running with the high water mark on the north bank of the Boiling Fork, a branch of Elk River; on the west by the lands of Jesse Arledge and J.W. Syler; on the southwest by the lands of J.W. Syler, the old home tract of Capt. John Turner, deceased, containing by estimation 86 acres, more or less."

IRA G. WOOD To J.F. SYLER And Wife MRS. RUTH SYLER. WARRANTY DEED. Dated Nov. 17, 1873, acknowledged Nov. 18, 1873, Registered Aug. 29, 1874, Deed Book 6, page 23. Consideration \$3600.00; lien retained for \$600.00. Acknowledgment before Clem Arledge, County Court Clerk.

Conveying tract of land bounded on the north by the lands of J.W. Syler, on the east by the lands of Mrs. Elizabeth Hunt, on the south and west by the lands of Levi Turner.

(Note: The number of acres is not given, but this is not necessary as there is no question that the above is the tract of land. The vendor's lien has long since expired..)

J.F. SYLER And Wife MRS. RUTH SYLER To W. RANSOM. WARRANTY DEED. Dated and acknowledged Sept 17, 1877, registered Sept. 18, 1877, Deed Book 7, page 148, consideration \$1018.25.

Conveying estate in fee, acknowledged before Clem Arledge, County Court Clerk; wife examined separately and her name is in the conveying part of the deed. Conveying tract of land as described above, containing 80 acres, more or less; reserving the right to re-purchase on or before Sept. 17, 1878.

(Note: The reservation of the right to re-purchase expired a long time ago, hence the title was absolutely in W. Ransom.)

W. RANSOM To MRS. M.J. RANSOM, His Wife, T.W. RANSOM, Son, and Mrs. NANNIE WHITE, Daughter.

W. Ransom died intestate, leaving all his property to his widow, Mrs. M.J. Ransom, and to his son, T.W. Ransom and daughter, Mrs. Nannie White, wife of Mark White. (See Affidavit of James Taylor

hereto attached.) [This affidavit was not in the lawsuit.]

T.W. RANSOM To MRS. M.J. RANSOM. WILL. Dated Jan. 5, 1892, Proven Jan. Term, 1893. Will Book No. 3, page 233.

I, Thos. W. Ransom, of the County of Franklin and State of Tennessee, do make and publish this, my last will and testament. First, I direct that my funeral expenses and all my just debts be paid as soon after my death as possible. Second, I give to my beloved mother, Mrs. M.J. Ransom, all of my property of every description, personal, mixed and real, without any conditions or reservations. I nominate my mother, Mrs. M.J. Ransom my executrix without bond. Witness my hand this Jan. 1, 1892. [Signed] T.W. Ransom

Mrs. M.J. RANSOM, MARK H. WHITE and Wife Mrs. NANNIE WHITE To L.B. PETERS. WARRANTY DEED. Dated Dec. 5, 1894, Acknowledged by White and wife Dec. 7, 1894, Registered Dec. 17, 1894. Deed Book 18, page 296. Consideration \$1630, paid \$600.00, retaining lien for the balance, which was released by Geo. E. Banks, agent, Jan. 9, 1900. Acknowledged by Mrs. Ransom before H.M. Templeton, Dep. Co. Crt. Clerk, Acknowledged by Mark White and wife before R.R. Ogilvie, Notary Public, Marshall County. Acknowledged by wife separately and apart from her husband. Wife joined in conveying part of the deed, conveying tract of land: Bounded on the north by the lands of Jno. W. Syler and Boiling Fork Creek; on the east by Elizabeth Hunt, now Branhan; on the west by M.J. Shadow, and on the south by the dirt road leading from Fayetteville, containing 80 acres, more or less.

L.B. PETERS and Wife SUSAN PETERS To J.W. SHADOW. WARRANTY DEED. Dated March 25, 1905, Acknowledged March 27, 1905, Registered April 13, 1905. Deed Book 28, page 124. \$300.00 cash and assumption of mortgage of \$700.00. Registered in Trust Book No. 11, page 88, and lien for \$1000.00 retained; lien not discharged. Acknowledged before H.M. Templeton, Notary Public; Acknowledged regular; Wife acknowledged separately and in conveying part of deed.

...describing the land as set out in the [above] caption, except it states: Containing 30 acres, 2 roods and 16 poles. (Note:- This 30 acres is clearly a typographical error and does not affect the validity of the deed. The vendor's lien has expired by virtue of the statute of limitations.)

L.B. PETERS and Wife, SUSAN PETERS To J.R. CLARK, TRUSTEE, UNION CENTRAL LIFE INS. CO. DEED OF TRUST. Dated Jan. 22, 1891, Acknowledged and Registered June 23, 1891, Trust Book 10. 11, page 88. Acknowledged before O.W. Anderton, Notary Public for Franklin County. Acknowledgment regular. Wife joined in conveyance to secure \$700.00 note, describing the above tract of 80 acres, 2 roods and 16 poles, as described in the caption.

UNION CENTRAL LIFE INS. CO By J.R. CLARK, TRUSTEE To L.B. PETERS and Wife SUSAN PETERS. RELEASE. Dated and acknowledged and registered Jan. 11, 1910, Trust Book 17, page 609. Acknowledged payment of note in full of note secured in Trust Book 11, page 88, and released [to] Peters and wife in full. Acknowledged before William E. Brooks, Notary Public, Hamilton County, Ohio.

J.W. SHADOW and Wife MRS. LULA SHADOW To J.M. LITTLETON, TRUSTEE. DEED OF TRUST. Dated and Acknowledged Feb. 1, 1908, registered Feb. 3, 1908, Trust Book 16, page 587. Acknowledged before Jno. G. Gardner, Notary Public. Certificate regular. Wife's name appears in conveying part of deed, separately examined. Given to secure a judgment of \$10,000.00 on the above described 80 acres tract of land and other tracts.

J.M. LITTLETON, TURSTEE T.R.R. WHITAKER. WARRANTY DEED. Dated Nov 21, 1908. Acknowledged Nov 23, 1908, Registered Oct. 7, 1909, Deed Book 32, page 307. Consideration \$2025.00. Acknowledged before T.C. Phillips, Notary Public. Acknowledgment regular, conveying the above described tract of land containing 80 acres, fully describing the same.

R.R. WHITER and Wife MRS. NANNIE WHITAKER To P.D. HOUSTON. WARRANTY DEED. Dated, acknowledged and registered Oct. 11 1909, Deed Book 32, page 317. Consideration \$1784.50, \$700.00 cash and balance secured by deed of trust; Recorded in Trust Book 11, page 88, hereinbefore set out, which was assumed by Houston.

Acknowledgment regular, before Geo. Moseley, County Court Clerk. Wife examined separately and her name appears throughout the deed. Conveying the above described 80 acres.

P.D. HOUSTON and Wife MRS. MARGARET HOUSTON To D.S. OSBORNE and A.H. SIMMONS. WARRANTY DEED. Dated Jan. 22, 1913, Acknowledged Jan. 23, 1913, Registered Jan 27, 1913, Deed Book 35, page 609. Consideration of \$1158.33 cash and \$2316.87 on time. Lien not discharged. Acknowledgment regular before W.W. McNeely, Notary Public for Davidson County, Tennessee. Wife examined separately and her name appears throughout the deed. Conveying above described 80 acres, 2 roods and 16 poles.

A.H. SIMMONS and Wife MRS. LILLIE SIMMONS To J.M. NEELEY. WARRANTY DEED. Dated and Acknowledged July 31, 1913, Registered Aug. 6, 1913. Deed Book 37, page 444. Consideration \$400.00 cash, 2 noted of \$222.00 each, and the assumption of a lien of said land amounting to \$1158.66. Regularly acknowledged before Geo. E. Banks, Jr., Notary Public. Wife examined separately and her name appears throughout the instrument.

Conveying a half undivided interest in the above described 80 acre tract, fully describing the same, with the exception that it states containing 80 roods and 16 poles. (Note: The last clause in the description on the land in which it states containing 80 roods and 16 poles is merely a clerical error as the description is the same as in the caption; This being true, the mistake is immaterial.)

STATE OF TENNESSEE - FRANKLIN COUNTY

I do hereby certify that I have carefully examined the foregoing abstract of title to the lands described in the caption thereof, together with the exhibits thereto attached, all of which have been prepared by myself for Osborne and Neely, ...

And I do further certify that all taxed, real or personal and all assessments now due have been paid and properly receipted of record. This 4th day of December 1914.

[Signed] Arthur Crownover ■



'Concerning Moore County Murders'

Selected Extracts from Governor Benton McMillin's Papers

Contributed by Linda Barnickel

*Correspondence, General - Wade-Yoakley - 1900
Box 12 Folder 4¹*

Fayetteville, Tenn.
Oct. 10th, 1900

Governor Benton McMillan

My Dear Sir:

After investigating the case of murder in Moore County - to wit: the murder of Charlie White by Harvey Bolin.

I think the case merits a reward of \$250 and I so recommend.

It was a very foul murder and the Deft. is a fugitive from justice.

The citizens have made a reward of \$150 dollars and it will require great exertion and expense to capture the Deft.

Yours truly,

Geo. W. Sutton, Atty. Gen'l

Lynchburg, Tenn. Oct. 12, 1900

Gov. Benton McMillin, Nashville, Tenn.

Dear Sir: ...as to increasing the reward for Harvy Bolin who killed Charlie W. White on the 1 day of Aug 1900....Gov. it will be appreciated very much by the people of this county the boy that was killed was a boy that had neither father or mother both being dead and his People are poor People he was a very good boy liked by Every Body Bolin just way lay the Road and shot him down without one Bit of warning we will be very Greatfull to you to hear from you soon.

Gilford Woodard, Sheriff Moore Co.

Requests for Rewards, 1900

Box 52 Folder 2

At the time of this writing, this item appears to

¹ All transcribed from Governor Benton McMillin's Papers records, The Tennessee State Library and Archives. Ms. Barnickel is interested in anyone who has information concerning the Bolin-White murder. Contact Linda Barnickel, 3453 SW Burlingame Rd. C203, Topeka, KS 66611.

have been misfiled, due to the incorrect year on the first document. It has been brought to the attention of TSLA staff. - L.B.

Jan. 4, 1900 [sic]
Lynchburg, Tenn.

Hon. Governor Benton McMilon:

Dear Sir, I send inclosed Petition asking you to offer reward for the assassin [sic] of Eugene Smith. I all so send you sinopsis of Evidence obtained by coroners Jury. I will talk to George W. Sutton by Telephone this morning.

Yours truly, Gilford Woodard, Shff

An epitome of the evidence before the coroner and his jury in an inquisition held over the body of Eugene Smith, foully murdered on the evening of January 1st, 1901 at the residence of W.R. Williamson, near Lois in the sixth district of Moore County Tennessee.

First witness, W. R. Williamson,...deposed:-

About eight o'clock last night (Jan. 1, 1901) I was sitting...at my home. My daughter Lula was sitting facing me....Eugene Smith was sitting next to her....My wife's chair was between me and Smith's, all of [us] sitting about the fire. Just about the time some one stepped upon the front porch, my wife got up...and went into the kitchen; the baby (Marion Foster's little girl), my grand-daughter, went with her....the person who had stepped upon the front porch had knocked at the door...and I told my daughter, Lula, to open it. She did so, and a man walked in; the man was not disguised, except that he had a veil or something over his face. He had an axe in his left hand. When he got right behind Mr. Smith (Mr. S's face was towards the fire) he struck him the first lick on the head. When the man struck him, Mr. Smith fell off on the right side of his chair on his hands and knees. While Smith was on his knees the man struck him again with the axe; Smith then sank to the floor and the man hit him several times - hit him until he ceased to struggle. After the man quit striking Smith he opened the front door (the door by which he first entered the room) and told me if we

opened any of the doors of the house that night, or any of us went out of the house until daylight he (the murderer) would come back again. There seemed to be no one else with him, but when he started off he whistled - sorter of a kuklux whistle.

The axe with which the killing was done was mine. It was left on the front porch of my house by my daughter Lula... She and Smith... went out there to saw off a back stick for the fireplace... From the best I could tell, the man who did the killing was a white man. He had on black clothes, and was about five and a half feet tall, the best I could judge. His mask covered his face and hat.... Smith spoke of no trouble or of expecting trouble while here....The man had on a sack coat; he never said a word before striking Smith....Smith said he had had some words with Bill Carpenter, at two or three different places. Smith said he had told Carpenter to stay off of his premises. The house in which I live belonged to Smith. Smith told me if I didn't stop Carpenter from coming here he would have me put out of his house. I told Carpenter to stay away from her [sic - here?], and he did until this morning. I told Smith that Carpenter had told me that he was coming out her [sic] to help me get some fire wood; Smith said if Carpenter came he would have him taken with a state's warrant for trespassing.... Me an Smith have been at a good understanding. My family and Carpenter have always been on good terms....

Next witness, JANE WILLIAMSON, wife of W. R. Williamson...

Smith was killed about eight or nine o'clock. We have no time piece. I did not hear the knocks at the door....I never heard anyone step on the front porch before going to the kitchen. I went into the kitchen to see about the fire in the cooking stove. Since we burned out some time ago, I have always been particular about fire....I saw Smith lying there on the floor. I did not come in because I was scared. Lula said nothing when she first come into the kitchen but "Lord a'mercy"....We sat up all night last night; that is Lula and myself did. My husband, who is in bad health, laid down. We told no one about the affair until this morning. The little girl of Marion Foster (my grand-daughter) is about six years old. Bill Carpenter was her[sic] last on last Friday or Saturday (until today).

Next witness, LULA WILLIAMSON, daughter of W.R. and Jane Williamson...

[portions torn, missing, or out of order]

I said nothing when I saw a man coming in masked; I was not scared until I saw him strike

[S]mith; the man said "good evening" to me or something, when I opened [the] door. The man had on no overcoat; had on dark colored clothes; don't know color of his hat; Smith was sober.

Bill Carpenter was here last Friday or Saturday. He spoke of the difficulty he and Smith had had out at the store at Lois; Carpenter just remarked that Smith had ordered him to stay away from here....We never told any body about the killin until this morning. I went, then, and told Mack Smith about it....

None of us recognized the man that did the killing - ; didn't know who he was; have no idea who he was....

W.A. WAGONER, Coroner of Moore County, Tennessee do certify...the testimony given by the designated parties in an inquisition held over the body of Eugene Smith on January 2, 1901 at and near Lois, Tennessee. The jury returned a verdict that defendant had come to his death, feloniously and by unlawful violence at the hands of some person or persons to the jury unknown.

To His Excellency, Bentom [sic] McMillin, Governor of Tennessee -

Petitioners respectfully represent that on the evening of January 1, 1901...Eugene Smith was most foully murdered at the home of W.R. Williamson in the sixth district of this county...

Petitioners further represent that said Smith was a poor man; and that he left a wife and three children, who are utterly unable to offer or pay a reward for the arrest and conviction of the assassin;

Petitioners further say, that in their opinion, the public good requires a suitable reward for the arrest and conviction of said assassin, be offered by Your Excellency under the powers in you vested by the law.

Wherefore, the undersigned citizens of Moore County, humbly petition Your Excellency to offer the reward aforesaid. This January 3rd, 1901.

C.W. Evans, Register

J. M. Sebastian, Circuit Court Clk

W.H. Dance, Notary Public

W.J. Morris, Co. Clerk

J.C. Martin, Trustee & Ex Sheriff

M.N. Parks Jr., Marshal

Gilford Woodard, Shff

Correspondence, January-June 1901

Box 3 Folder 1

January 18th, 1901

[To] Gilford Woodard, Sheriff, Lynchburg, Tenn.
Dear Sir: - -

Your letter of the 4th instant with synopsis of testimony offered before the Jury of Inquisition in the Eugene Smith case, has been duly received.

I have given careful consideration to the matter of your application for reward which has been supplemented by the request of Attorney General Sutton, and am of the opinion that at this stage of the proceedings against Williamson's daughter and

Carpenter I would not be justified in offering reward requested by you.... These rewards are offered primarily for the arrest of the fugitive charged with the crime. It has been my policy to make them payable upon evidence of arrest and conviction. I have not thus far offered a reward in any case for the conviction of the party who was charged with the crime and who was in the custody of the law. It does not occur to me that it would be wise or proper to do so in this case.... ■

Sanders/Saunders of Davidson County, Tennessee

John W. Simpson vs.
Sarah H. Saunders & others
Rule #250, Chancery Court

Written 19 Aug. 1846, will rec. 29 Jan. 1847

William Sanders died 1846. Had married __ Ward...

Son: Pascal W. Saunders. In 1833 he was in Dyer County, Tennessee. See Deed W, p. 7, Davidson Co.

Dau: Eugenia C. Saunders, who md. John W. Simpson. Prior 1833, a deed from father to her was given for slaves, Deed T, p. 573, Davidson County. Children of Eugenia and John W. Simpson: Sarah Ann Simpson, Wm. S. Simpson, John Simpson, and Eugenia C. Simpson

Dau: Matilda G. Saunders

Dau: Lavinia Saunders "5 children now living." Married Thesdon Fagundus.

Dau: Mary P. Saunders who md. Peter Tardiff

Son: Curtis H. Saunders, dec'd., of Montgomery County, Tennessee. Died at Camden, Arkansas.

Children of Curtis H. Saunders: Sarah Josepine who md. James E. Bright, Meridian, Mississippi; Rosinz who md. N. O. Battle, Louisville, Arkansas; William, who md. __, Magnolia, Arkansas

__: [relationship not given] Ferdinand Pascal Saunders of Humphries County, Tennessee

__: [relationship not given] Andrew J. Saunders of Humphries County, Tennessee.

Father-in-law of William Sanders was Albert G. Ward, son of William C. Ward. The widow of William C. War was Sarah Ward.

Also mentioned are slaves from the Hannis Estate.

The sale of land indicates it was situated about ten miles east of Nashville in Davidson County.

James C. Sanders vs.
Jo C. Guild et al

Final Decree

Rule #824, Chancery Court

James C. Sanders, Exr. of John Cockran, dec'd., vs. Jo C. Guild, admr. of O. D. Johnson, dec'd, and James P. Clark of Davidson County, Tennessee. 7 May 1853, case heard.

Sanders had paid out more money than he had received for the estate of his testator... Johnson had departed this life in Mississippi and died indebted to the estate of Cockran... Court decreed the sum of \$5818 to be given to the estate of Cockran.

Other papers show that James C. Sanders was of Smith County, Tennessee, and Josephine C. Guild, admr. of Oscar D. Johnston's estate, was a citizen of Sumner County.

John Cockran died about October 1843. He made his will 28th April 1843, Hinds County, Mississippi, and a copy of the will is in these papers. The will was also registered in Smith County, Tennessee. (From the Smith County copy)

Nephew: James C. Sanders of Smith County

Niece: Nancy McFearson & her husband, Joseph McFearson

Brother: David Cockran, to be buried next to him

Nephew: Oscar J. Johnson of Hinds Co., Mississippi, negro slaves & land in Mulinburg Co., Ky.

Nephew: Orvil Johnson, 612 acres in Mulinburg Co., Ky.

Nephew: Oliver Johnson of Kentucky

Sisters: Judith Hinton, Elizabeth Black, and May Johnson

Niece: Sarah Hinton ■

Papers from the Davidson County Metro Archives, abstracted by the editor, 1993.



MIDDLE TENNESSEE SUPREME COURT RECORDS Second Series¹

Contributed by Betsy Ragsdale and Gale Williams Bamman, CG

Supreme Court Records, Box 37,
Middle Tennessee, 1828

Clark vs. Frazer

(Original Bill heard in Sumner
County Circuit Court)

September Term 1826 of Circuit Court of Sumner County. Joseph & William Clark, lessee vs Henry Stagnor. Ejectment.

This day personally appeared in open court James Frazer and on motion is admitted to defend the above case in the place of the above named defendant and entered into the common rule by confessing lease entry and ouster and relies upon his title and James Stratton in proper person appeared in open court and agreed to become security for the appearance of the said James Frazer until discharged by this court in the penalty of one thousand dollars.

Defendant's bond: Know all men by these presents that we Henry Stagnor James Frazer and George Frazer, all of Sumner County and State of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto Charles Morgan, Sheriff for said county in the sum of one thousand dollars...this 25th day of August 1826....

The plaintiff examined Colo. Weakley who said he was well acquainted with Drake's Creek, Madison's Creek, and Madison's Lick in the year 1784 and before that time...There was a fort in that neighborhood. Witness was a surveyor and did a great deal of that business. He said it would have been very easy at that day to have found the beginning called for in

Dixon's Entry. He said Drake's Creek was 14 or 15 miles from its source to its mouth, the whole extent of it. The high grounds were not very far from it on either side and the streams that emptied into it were generally small and short. He never heard any one of them called a fork. No one of them in his opinion bore such a proportion to the main creek as to be entitled to that appellation, the largest stream emptying into that creek is called Long Branch....

Supreme Court Records, Box 54,
Middle Tennessee, 1830

**Dolly Singleton,
Newton Cannon &
Robert Cannon vs. John Den
lessee of Thomas Whiteside
Robert C. Whiteside, James
Johnson and wife Newton
Parker and wife James
Lafferty, Jane Lafferty John
Lafferty, James McGoberick
and Isabella McGoberick**

(Original Bill heard in
Bedford County Circuit Court)

This day came the parties aforesaid by their attorneys, whereupon as well the record and proceedings aforesaid, as the matters by the said Dolly Singleton, Newton Cannon and Robert Cannon for error assigned being seen and by the court here fully understood, for that it seems to the court here that in rendering the judgment aforesaid there is error. It is therefore considered by the court here that the judgment of the Circuit Court for the errors aforesaid and others in the record and proceedings aforesaid be reversed annulled and held entirely for naught; and that the said Dolly Singleton, Newton Cannon, and Robert Cannon recover against the said John Den lessee of Thomas Whiteside, Richard C.

Whiteside David Whiteside James Whiteside, William Whiteside, William Whiteside James Johnson and wife, Newton Parker and wife, James Lafferty, Jane Lafferty, John Lafferty James McGoberick and Isabella McGoberick, their costs by them...expended, and it is ordered that said cause be remanded to the Circuit Court of Bedford County from whence it came for a new trial to be had thereon....

Supreme Court Records, Box 39,
Middle Tennessee, 1830

**Seay & Hearn vs. Armstrong,
McCall & Evans**

(Original Bill heard in
Smith County)

Be it remembered that heretofore the following writ of *capias* ad respondendum was sent out: State of Tennessee—To the sheriff of Smith County, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to take John Seay and Purnell Hearn, Junr if to be found in your county and them safely keep so that you have them before the judge of our circuit court to be held for the County of Smith at the courthouse in Carthage on the 2nd Monday in April next, to answer John Den, lessee of Thomas F. Armstrong, John B. Armstrong, Alexander McCall and Mary Ann Elizabeth his wife, Richard Evans and Elizabeth his wife in a plea wherefore with force and arms they broke and entered the close of the said plaintiff and ejected him to his damage \$500.00....

[signed] Willm. Hart

Issued 20 Decr. 1823. Came to hand same day issued. Executed 30th March 1824 and delivered *Capias* of declaration according to law. [signed] Wm. Goodall Shff.

¹ Cases selected for genealogical content. This series does not represent all filed records. —Ed.

Supreme Court Records, Box 42,
Middle Tennessee, 1830

Armstrong vs. Bedford
(Original Bill heard in Humphreys
County)

Be it remembered that at the November Term of the Circuit Court for the County of Obion 1828 Joel S. Enloe high sheriff for the said County of Obion returned...a writ...to wit: State of Tennessee, To the Sheriff of Obion County Greeting: You are hereby commanded to take the body of James Bradford, Joseph Meadows, Samuel Moore, Samuel Reed, William Jones and John White and them safely keep so that you have their bodies before the judge of the 9th judicial circuit for the State of Tennessee at the courthouse in the Town of Troy on the 2nd Monday in November next—then and there to answer John Den lessee of Napoleon B. Beard Thomas T. Armstrong, John B. Armstrong, Alexander McCall and Mary Ann Elizabeth his wife, Joseph F. Evans and Polly Evans and Richard Evans of a plea wherefore with force and arms they broke and entered his close and ejected him from his farm and five thousand acres of land....this 2nd Monday in May 1828 [signed] J. Bedford, clerk....

[This packet contains copies of some original Jackson County, Tennessee, deeds.]

Supreme Court Records, Box 42,
Middle Tennessee, 1830

Beasley vs. Baker
(Original Bill heard in
Wilson County)

Isham Beasley by his attorney complains of John E. Baker in custody etc. of a plea that he render to him a certain Negro woman named Mary about 28 years old, and of black colour of the value of \$500.00 and her child Louisa about three years old, and of the value of \$250.00 which from him he unjustly detains....

Supreme Court Records, Box 49,
Middle Tennessee, 1832

**A. D. W. Williams vs.
James Walton**
(Original Bill heard in
Smith County)

Almedius D. W. Williams vs.
James Walton.

Trespass on the case.

State of Tennessee. To the Sheriff of Smith County, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to take the body of James Walton if to be found in your county and him safely keep so that you have him before the judge of the circuit court for Smith County at the courthouse in Carthage on the second Monday in April next to answer Almedius D. W. Williams in a plea of trespass on the case to the same of said plaintiff \$2500.00...Witness William Hart, clerk, 2nd Monday in October 1831...

Tennessee, Smith County. April Term of the Circuit Court 1832.

Almedius D. W. Williams complains of James Walton being in custody, etc. of a plea of trespass on the case, etc. For that whereas the said Almedius to wit on the [] blank day of [] [blank] 1831 in the County of Smith aforesaid was lawfully possessed as of his own property of four negroes, to wit Sarah a woman and her three children named Stephen and Joe and Nancy of great value, to wit, of the value of \$2500.00...and being so possessed thereof he the said Almedius afterwards, to wit on the day and year first above mentioned in the county aforesaid casually lost the said four negroes out of his possession and the same afterwards, to wit, on the [] [blank] day of [] [blank] last aforesaid in the County aforesaid came to the possession of the said James by finding. Yet the said James well knowing the said four mentioned negroes to be the property of the said Almedius and of right to belong and appertain to him; but ...hath not yet delivered the said four mentioned negroes to the said Almedius ...and hath hitherto wholly refused so to do.....[signed] Allen & Wade, attos....

Supreme Court Records, Box 47,
Middle Tennessee, 1833

**Frederick A. Ross vs.
John Den lessee of John Blair
and others**
(Original Bill heard in
Fentress County)

Lessee of Blair's heirs vs.
Frederick A. Ross (in room of
Strother Frogg) Ejectment

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the plaintiffs attorney moved the court to amend the fourth [] [?] in the Declaration by striking out the name of Joseph Cobb guardian etc and inserting in lieu thereof the names of Pharoah B. Cobb William L. Atkinson and his wife Elizabeth, formerly Elizabeth Cobb James Shields and his wife Mary, formerly Mary Cobb, Frederick Cobb, Sarah Cobb, and Barsheba Cobb as the proper persons to prosecute this suit, and it appearing to the court that they are the heirs for whom while minors the said Joseph Cobb was guardian in this suit and that they are all now over the age of twenty-one years....

Supreme Court Records, Box 48,
Middle Tennessee, 1833

**Samuel Harbor vs.
John Rayburn, William Henry
& James Kyle**
(Original Bill heard in
Wayne County)

Be it remembered that on the trial of this case the plaintiff read in evidence the deed of trust a copy of which is hereto annexed...and introduced Elisha Harbour who proved that the negro girl Hiney sued for in this action had been the property of Elijah Harbour who executed said deed of trust and was retained in possession of the said Elijah Harbour until after the execution of the deed of trust except when she was permitted to go to Kerlogues which she sometimes did, for the purpose of nursing child.

Witness stated that he was the brother of said Kerlogue's wife; after the time she first went into the possession of Kerlogue's was frequently taken home by said Elijah Harbour and returned to Kerlogue's before the deed of trust read in this case was executed.

The plaintiff then introduced Elijah Harbour who proved that he had been the owner of said negro girl, that after his daughter Sally married Hiram Kerlogue and after she had her first child he carried the said negro girl to Kerlogue's to nurse the child and that he then reserved to himself the right to reclaim the possession of said negro when he might choose to do so....

Supreme Court Records, Box 46,
Middle Tennessee, 1833

Cobbs & others vs. Ross
(Original Bill heard in
Fentress County)

John Den by attorney complains of Richard Fen in custody of the sheriff etc. of a plea wherefore with force and arms he broke and entered the close of the said plaintiff and ejected him to his damage \$500.00 for that whereas Pharoah B. Cobb, Frederick Cobb, Barsheba Cobb, William L. Atkinson and his wife Elizabeth, James Shields and his wife Mary and William Murry and his wife Sarah on the first day of January 1833 at to wit the said County of Fentress had devised granted and to farm let unto the said John Den two certain tracts or parcels of land with their appurtenances situated lying and being in said County of Fentress one containing 1,000 acres granted to Catharine Blair situate lying and being in said County of Fentress on the main fork of Wolf River, beginning at a forked lynn small hickory and elm on the northeast bank of the creek...also one other tract or parcel of land containing 500 acres granted to John Blair situate lying and being in the County of Fentress aforesaid ...

And proved that the defendant was in possession of the land in the bounds of sd. Grants as claimed at the time of the issuance and service of the writ. Pltfs. Also introduced evidence proving or conducting to prove that sd. Grants covered the land as claimed by pltfs.

Plaintiffs then introduced John Cocke a witness who proved that he was acquainted with John Blair the grantee of the 500 acre grant that he had two children John and Catharine Blair full brother and sister.

That said John Blair the elder had the following brothers, Robert Blair, Alexander Blair, William Blair, James Blair, Samuel Blair, Solomon Blair, and also a sister Mary Blair. That they were all alive at the death of John Blair the elder and sd. James and Mary are since dead and said Solomon also as he has heard.

That John Blair the elder, the grantee of the 500 acres died in the spring and he thinks in May 1793 leaving a widow Sarah and sd. John Blair Jr. and Catherine Blair his only children and heirs, so Catharine is the grantee of the 1000 acres that Sarah Blair the widow married Joseph Cobb some three or four years perhaps not so long after the death of her husband John Blair and the lessors of the plaintiff are the offspring of said mar-

riage and the half brothers and sisters of John Blair Jnr. and said Catharine Blair...

That John Blair the younger died in the fall 1818 also intestate and without issue. That all the children of Cobb and wife who are lessors of the plaintiff were born at the death of Catharine Blair except perhaps Barsheba and he thinks she was also. That he is certain all of the lessors of the pltf. were born at the death of John Blair the younger.

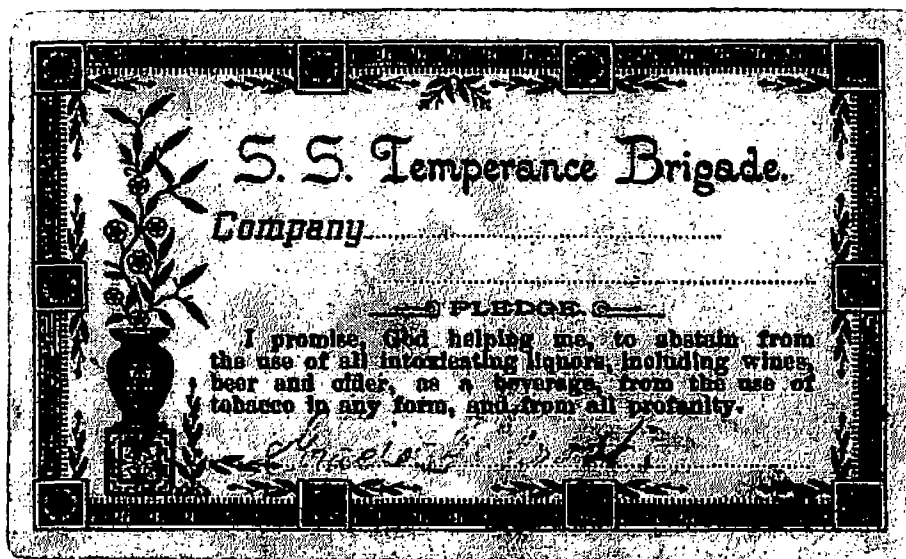
The pltf. also offered in evidence a deed from Joseph Cobb and wife to John Blair with the certificates endorsed....

Supreme Court Records, Box 47,
Middle Tennessee, 1833

Ammon L. Davis vs.
David L. Mitchell
(Original Bill heard in
White County)

Amon L. Davis by attorney complains of David L. Mitchell in custody etc. of a plea that he render unto him a certain negro boy of black color named Deb a slave about six years old of the value of \$250.00 which said defendant unjustly detains from him....

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Stewart County, Tennessee, 1808 Tax List

Stewart County was established in 1803. Because the 1810 census for Tennessee is nonexistent, this early tax list is one of the early enumerations of the county's inhabitants that will suffice for this lack of census.

The *Stewart County Tax Book, Volume 2*, consists of taxes for the year 1808-1812. Only the year 1808 is published here, and is a typescript of the earlier WPA typed copy.¹ The stud horse column is not included here, and, for easier use, the surname is placed first.—Ed.

Name	Acres	Situation of Land, etc.	Free Pole	Town Lot	Black Pole
<i>Captain William Outlaw's Company for 1808:</i>					
(pp 1 & 2)					
Anders, David			1		
Anders, John			1		
Anders, Anderson			1		
Anders, James			1		
Brown, James &					
Haydon Wells	250	Pryors Creek			
Berry, Thos.	640	Leatherwood Creek, by J. Landon, Agt.			
Berry, Thos.	274	So. side Cumberland River by Geo. Petty, agt.			
Baker, Isaac	234		1		
Boyd, John			1		
Boyt, Thos.	40	on Hickman Creek	1		
Bird, Drurey	100				
Boyd, George	284	Bear Creek			1
Brown, John	640	N. Side Cumberland R., John Shelby, Agt.			
Brown, John	640	Trace Creek	1		1
Childers, David			1		
Cormack, John			1		
Cathey, George, Senr.			1		
Croswell, Nimrod	274		1		
Croswell, Nimrod	179	on Lick Creek			
Croswell, Nimrod	50				
Croswell, Nimrod	100	Waters of Tennessee			
Clinton, Thos.	20	Near Dover	1	2	5
Cooper, Robert	3		1	2	2
Davis, Benjamin			1		
Denson, Jesse	140	Long Creek	1	2	
Exell, William			1		
French, Thomas			1		
French, Giedon			1		
(pp 3 & 4)					
Gatlin, James	448	So. side Cumberland River	1		1
Glen, William			1		
Gatlin, Ephraim					
Haggard, James	15	No. side of Cumberland River	1		
Hanby, John					
Haynes, William	314	Pyors Creek	1		1

¹ *Records of Stewart County, Tax Book, Vol. 2*, copied under Work's Progress Administration by Mrs. Mary H. Riggins, 13 June 1938, [WPA typescript,] Tennessee State Library & Archives, call "ST".

<i>Name</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Situation of Land, etc.</i>	<i>Free Pole</i>	<i>Town Lot</i>	<i>Black Pole</i>
Haggard, William	690	No. side Cumberland River	1	2	3
Hill, Green	428	No. X Creek, by John Shelby, Agt.	1		
Harrington, Whitmill			1		
Jackson, Henry	—	Long Creek	1		
Landers, John	300	So. side of Cumberland River	1		
Lancaster, Eligah	1330		1		
Lightfoot, Wilson			1		
Largeant, William			1		
Long, Nicholas	640	Lick Creek, Anderson Anders, Agt.			
Long, Nicholas	640	Lick Creek, Anderson Anders, Agt. [again]			
Long, Nicholas	5760	3 tracts on Pryors Creek, Howel Tatum, Agt.			
Long, Nicholas	640	Dyers Creek, Howel Tatum, Agt.			
Long, Nicholas	640	Wells Creek, Howel Tatum, Agt.			
McGee, William	160	Long Creek	1		
McGee, Thomas			1		
McGee, Adam	160	Long Creek	1		
McGee, James			1		
Manning, Mathew	274	Beginning on Charles'es Lower Lane	1		
McCarty, Joseph	200	Barrets Creek	1		
Moore, Travis			1		
McNairy, John	1000	Hickman Creek, Thos. Clinton, Agt.			
Murphrie, Hardy	400	Part of tract granted to A. Biggs			
Murphrie, Hardy	600	Part of the same tract			
Murphrie, Hardy	71	Granted to J. B. Hammon			
Murphrie, Hardy	384	Granted to Thomas Callender			
Murphrie, Hardy	512	Part of tract granted to Abner Lamb			
Murphrie, Hardy	640	Lick Creek of Daniel, Ross			
Murphrie, Hardy	800	Part of tract granted to Haggard			
(p 4)					
McNary, John	2280	Lick Creek and other places	1		
McAllister, Daniel	100	Welles Creek	1		
Norrod, Jerimiah	—	In Stewart County	1	90	
Nelson, Robert	3002	In Stewart County			
Nelson, Robert	90	Long Creek	1		
O'Neal, Zuchariah	174	Long creek	1		
O'Neal, Bryan	100		1		
Outlaw, David			1		
Outlaw, William	1040	Lick Creek	1		
Outlaw, William	800	Including the mouth of Long Creek	1		
Outlaw, William	272	On Lick Creek			
Outlaw, William	25	On Hickman Creek	1	6	4
Petty, George	195	Cumberland River	1	3	
Pugh, Henry	1000	On Saline Creek, for Samuel Marsh			
Rieves, Thomas	950	On Hickman Creek, by Geo. Petty, Agt.	1	2	
Ransall, Wilson	320	Long Creek	1		
Rawls, James					
Rhymes, Jesse	1000	Cross Creek			
Rhymes, Jesse	640	Cross Creek, Howel Tatumn, Agt.			
Rhymes, Jesse	640	Cross Creek, Howel Tatumn, Agt. [again]			
Russele, James		1 retail store in Dover	1	2	
Smith, Abraham	640	On Mossey Run, Geo. Petty, Agt.			
Sample, Robert	640	On Callenders Creek, Geo. Petty, Agt.			

<i>Name</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Situation of Land, etc.</i>	<i>Free Pole</i>	<i>Town Lot</i>	<i>Black Pole</i>
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Sample, Robert	640	On Callenders Creek, Geo. Petty, Agt. [again]			
Sample, Robert	320	On Callenders Creek, Geo. Petty, Agt.			
Scarborough, Jas., Jr.			1		
Scarborough, Alexander					
Scarborough, James	640	West fork of Lick Creek			
Sexton, Britain			1		
Staydon, Mathew			1		
Skinner, Ebenizor			1		
Stobale, John			2		
Smith, Joseph	100	Long Creek	1		
(p 5)					
Satterfield, Larry			1		
Shelby, John	380	By Deed on Welles Creek			
Shelby, David	1000	Above the mouth of Saline			
Shelby, David	640	On Hickman Creek, John Shelby, Agt.			
Sample, John	640	Elk Creek			
Sample, John	640				
Thomason, Thomas			1		
Wells, Haydon	400	Nevills Creek			
Wells, Haydon	150	On Guices Creek			
Wells, Haydon	640	Bear Branch			
Wheatley, Wiley			1		
Whiteside, William			1		
Williams, Charles			1		
Ward, Isaac			1		
Ward, Thomas			1		
Walls, James			1		
White, Henry			1		1
Warmock, James	640	Hickman Creek			
Williams, John	50	On Panther Creek of Tennessee River	1		
Warmock, Hiram			1		
Wells, Martin	154	Bear Creek	1		
William, Joshua	200	North Cross Creek			

Captain Warden's Company for 1808:

(p 6)					
Arnold, Wyat	100	Whiteoak Creek	1		1
Allen, William	57	So. Branch of Whiteoak Creek	1		
Allen, William					
Arnold, Moses			1		
Allmand, Thomas	117	Wells Creek			
Allmand, Thomas	502	East fork of Wells Creek			
Allmand, Thomas	119	Cumberland River	1		
Buchanan, John, Junr			1		
Buchanan, John	100		1		
Buchanan, Daniel	125	Middle West fork of Wells Creek	1		
Bethea, William	133	Wells Creek	1		
Bethea, Simon	100	Wells Creek	1		2
Brawenu, Peter	640	Opposite mouth of Saline			
Brinson, G.	60	Wells Creek	1		
Brock, Lewis	300	Guices Creek			4
Buchanan, Peter			1		

<i>Name</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Situation of Land, etc.</i>	<i>Free Pole</i>	<i>Town Lot</i>	<i>Black Pole</i>
Brachen, William	300 . . .	Whiteoak Creek	1		
Craig, James			1		
Crabtree, James			1		
Crocket, Samuel	640 . . .	Joining the State Line, by Jacob McCarty, agt.			
Craig, Thomas	100 . . .	East fork of Wells Creek	1		
Crosmore, George	333 . . .	East fork of Wells Creek			
Cottingham, William	190 . . .	Wells Creek			
Craig, William			1		
Clark, Jonah			1		
Curtis, Elizah	125 . . .	Guices Creek	1		1
Curtis, Samuel	150 . . .	Guices Creek	1		
Craig, Thomas	175 . . .	Wells Creek	1		
Dudley, Chris	2500 . . .	Wells Creek, by Elizah Lowry, agt.			
Ellisan, John			1		
Erwin, Henry	100 . . .	Whiteoak Creek	1		
Ellison, Jonathan			1		
(p 7)					
Edwards, Henry	700 . . .	Wells Creek	1		2
Ellison, Moses			1		
Ellison, Robert	267 . . .	East side of Wells Creek			
Ellison, Robert	500 . . .				
Ellison, Robert	374 . . .				
Ellison, Robert	1329 . . .	Waters of Wells Creek	1		8
Forbiss, Thomas	60 . . .	West fork of Wells Creek	1		
Fenner, Richard	640 . . .				
Fenner, Richard	640 . . .				
Fenner, Richard	640 . . .				
Fenner, Richard	640 . . .	By William Christmas			
Fentriss, Abraham			1		
Fox, Moses			1		
Fletcher, James	35-1/2 . . .	Bear Creek			
Guild, Walter	274 . . .	Welles Creek			
Guild, Walter	100 . . .	West branch of Wells Creek	1		1
Gaskill, James			1		
Grice, James			1		
Grice, Chris	90 . . .	Guices Creek			
Herod, James	100 . . .	Guices Creek			
Harrison, James	100 . . .	Welles Creek			2
Hatfield, Elisha			1		
Hornberger, Philip	125-1/4 . . .	Wells Creek	1		1
Hornberger, William			1		
Harvey, John	242 . . .	Guices Creek	1		
Herod, Thomas	355 . . .	Guices Creek, by John Harvy, agt.			
James, Enoch			1		
James, Benjamin			1		
Johnson, Jacob			1		
Johnson, John			1		
Jones, Owen	100 . . .	Waters of Wells Creek	1		
Johnson, Edward			1		
James, William	100 . . .		1		
Kizer, John	100 . . .	Guices Creek	1		
Hendrix, Andrew			1		

<i>Name</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Situation of Land, etc.</i>	<i>Free Pole</i>	<i>Town Lot</i>	<i>Black Pole</i>
Hadley, Joshua	2560 . . .	So. Cross Creek	1		
(p 8)					
Lewis, M.			1		
Lewis, Samuel			1		
Lewis, Philip			1		
Lowry, Elijah			1	1	
Lemons, Daniel			1		
Lewis, M.	50 . . .	Welles Creek	1		
Lowery, Robert			1		
Lankford, Thomas			1	1	
Lewis, John	40 . . .	Whiteoak Creek	1		
McGee, John	130 . . .	Welles Creek	1		
Moss, James	100 . . .		1	1	
Massey, William					
McMillan, Hugh	125 . . .	Middle west fork of Wells Creek	1		
McMillan, Gilbert			1		
Morris, James			1		
McCarty, John	280 . . .	Guices Creek	1		
McClure, William	300 . . .	Whiteoak Creek			
McCarthy, Jacob	200 . . .	So. side of the Cumberland River			
McCarthy, Jacob	640 . . .	Barrets Creek			
McCarthy, Jacob	640 . . .	Mossey Run			
McCarthy, Jacob	191 . . .	Guices Creek			5
Murphy, Hugh	640 . . .	West fork of Wells Creek, by Archibald Cook, Agt.			
Massey, Elisabeth	510 . . .	Wells Creek			4
Parker, John			1		
Pearce, John			1		
Poymer, James	50 . . .	East fork of Wells Creek	1		
Parchment, John			1		
Patterson, James			1		
Rieves, John			1		
Realing, Lewis	100 . . .	Guices Creek			
Rochells, James "3 Dollar Stud Horse"					
(p 9)					
Ratcliff, Zuchariah	125 . . .	Guices Creek	1		
Russel, C.			1		
Rushing, Philip			1		
Rushing, Mathew			1		
Rushing, William			1		
Rochelle, Atherington	111 . . .	Guices Creek	1		
Rushing, Abel			1	1	
Rowling, David	100 . . .	Turkey Creek	1		
Rushing, Eligah	50 . . .	Near the mouth of Wells Creek	1		
Richards, William	1000 . . .	South side Cumberland River			
Stump, Frederick	640 . . .	North side Cumberland, by Jacob McCarthy, agt.			
Smith, Sarah	200 . . .	Dry fork of Guices Creek	1		
Rushing, Jacob			1	3	
Seal, John	100 . . .	Wells Creek			
Thornton, Yancey	148 . . .	Cumberland River			
Tagert, James	100 . . .	Mouth of Guices Creek			
Tagert, James	100 . . .	Part of Guices 380 acre tract			
Taylor, Edmund	80 . . .	Cub Creek	1		

<i>Name</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Situation of Land, etc.</i>	<i>Free Pole</i>	<i>Town Lot</i>	<i>Black Pole</i>
Turner, Edward			1		
Thomas, Nathan	138	Guices Creek	1		1
Wilson, Adam			1		
Wooldridge, Edmond			1		
Wyatt, Isham			1		
Warden, John	239	Guices Creek	1		
Weston, Frederick			1		
Yarbrough, Davis	210	N. Cross Creek	1		
Yarbrough, Joel			1		1

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Captain Allen's Company for 1808:

Aaron, John			1		
Acrey, John	512	South side of Cumberland River	1		1
Anderson, Cornlius	540	Saline	1		3
Allen, William, Heirs of	808	Saline Creek			
Allen, John	403	Saline Creek	1		
Brunson, Isaac	1000	North side of Cumberland Criver			7
Brunson, John	640	Saline Creek	1		1
Brandon, George			1		
Bays, William			1		
Berry, George			1		
Bruton, George					2
Brown, William			1		
Bateman, E.	500	South side of Cumberland River			
Cooper, John	640	Saline Creek	1		
Cooley, Wm.	390	Dyers Creek			2
Cooley, Richard	99	Dyers Creek	1		
Coleman, Curtis			1		1
Churchill, John	6				
Davidson, William	640	Saline Creek	1		2
Fletcher, John			1		
Fletcher, Simon	149	Saline Creek			
Fletcher, Aaron	595	Saline Creek			
Fletcher, Aaron	640	Barets Creek			
Fletcher, Aaron	100	Saline Creek	1		
Fletcher, John G.			1		
Gray, Jos.	2960	Dyers Creek			3
Gray, Jos., Jr.	500	Dyers Creek	1		2
Gibson, Henry			1		2
Jones, Nathan	74	Shelby Creek			
Jones, John	5292	South Side of Cumberland River	1		3

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Hubbard, William	100		1		
Hodge, John			1		
King, Henry	1000	Saline Creek	1		
Lewis, William			1		
Neville, Jos. B.	640	South side of Cumberland River	1		5
Neville, E.			1		
Walker, Robert	300	Saline Creek	1		
Walker, Alexander	700	Saline Creek	1		

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Unraveling The Mystery Of The Greenbush "Unknowns"

by Mary Blair Immel

OVER ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY YEARS AGO, GREENBUSH CEMETERY IN LAFAYETTE, Indiana, was the burial site of several Confederate soldiers from Middle Tennessee. Until October 17, 1998, their graves had been marked only by twenty-eight government-issue stones which carried the inscription, "Unknown - C.S.A."

These soldiers were part of a contingent of more than 700 prisoners of war¹ who were surrendered following the Battle of Fort Donelson near Dover in north-western Tennessee on February 16, 1862. These particular soldiers, all from the 32nd and 41st Regiments of Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, had suffered from exposure to bitter cold on the battlefield and later during the steamboat trip north to Cairo, Illinois. When they arrived in Indiana, they were exhausted, hungry, dirty and many of them were ill. It was late in the afternoon of February 23rd when they got off the railroad cars which had transported them from Cairo to Indianapolis and finally north to Lafayette.

They were marched, under guard, through a crowd of curious townspeople, along a canal tow path to the slaughterhouse which was to be their barracks for the next few weeks. Their flagging spirits were somewhat revived, however, by the sight of a feast which the citizens of the town had laid out for them. One of the soldiers, John L. Bodenhamer in Company K/H of the 32nd, described "a long table groaning under the onerous load of meat, bread, chickens, pies, pickles and sweetbread of every description, with cheese, preserves, butter, fruits and many other things to (sic) tedious to mention."² They were fed by the citizens in this way for three days until commissary stores could be obtained.

Many of the half-starved men paid for their over-indulgence in this bounteous repast with severe diarrhea. This was not the worst of their problems, however. Some of the soldiers had pneumonia and typhoid fever. Others suffered from ill health due to measles which had afflicted them during their training at Camp Trousdale following their enlistment. So many men were ill that the committee from Lafayette in charge of arrangements for the prisoners rented another building to serve as a hospital. When this second facility proved insufficient to handle all the sick, other ailing Confederates were taken out to Camp Tippecanoe where Union troops were quartered. The soldiers were nursed by some forty townspeople and a few of their fellow comrades in arms.

The prison at Lafayette was a temporary arrangement and most of the Confederate prisoners were

transferred to Camp Morton in Indianapolis on March 16, but at least fifty-two men still remained in the Lafayette hospitals beyond that date.³ Despite their short stay in this town there were several deaths among the rebels. The first Confederate soldier died on the 1st of March. Others followed until April 28th when the last known death occurred.⁴ As far as is known, the men who died were victims of disease rather than wounds. All of the dead Confederate soldiers were buried in the pauper's section of a small cemetery at 9th and Greenbush Streets.

If there had been markers placed on these graves, they were probably wooden and, in time, they had rotted away. The cemetery was enlarged after 1865, and anyone who might have known anything about them eventually lost track of which soldier was buried in a particular place in that graveyard. It is also possible that when several prisoners died on one day, they may have been buried in a common grave. Because it was winter and the ground was frozen, it would have been easier to dig one grave instead of individual ones.

After the war the graves of the dead Confederate prisoners in Greenbush Cemetery lay unnoticed for the most part. The same situation prevailed in several other places of the United States where both military personnel and some civilians had been imprisoned during the War Between the States. This was a cause of much concern, particularly for Southern women who took the lead in trying to rectify this situation. Matters came to a head about the turn of the century when the United Daughters of the Confederacy were frustrated in their attempts to gain support for this project. The Daughters in Richmond, Virginia, sent out three large mailings to Confederate Veterans' organizations, but met with little response. Finally, after writing one thousand personal letters to group chapters and receiving only two letters in response, they turned to another powerful source for help. This was Sumner Archibald Cunningham who was editor and publisher of the *Confederate Veteran* magazine.⁵ They had another formidable ally, a former Union army officer named Joseph Benson Foraker. He had been Governor of Ohio, but was now in the United

States Senate.

On December 10, 1906, Senator Foraker offered a bill directing the Secretary of War to mark the graves of the Federal dead in national cemeteries. Foraker's bill also included a provision for marking the graves of Confederate soldiers and sailors who had died during the war in Northern prisons and hospitals.⁶

A few years after the end of the hostilities, the War Department began the task of trying to determine the location of graves and record the names of those who had died far from home. This was a mammoth undertaking made even more difficult by the passage of years. The records were in a sorry state of disorganization and filled almost 430 volumes.

Sometime between 1912 and 1924 a list of twenty eight names was issued for Lafayette's Greenbush Cemetery, and twenty-eight "Unknown" stones were put in place there. Coincidentally, these stones lie next to a line of twenty-two "Unknown - U.S.A." stones in the same graveyard.

For many decades that list of twenty-eight "Unknown" Confederate soldiers was thought to be definitive. In 1993, a research project was begun in order to find out more about the Confederate soldiers than just their names. This research led to some startling discoveries. Rather than only twenty-eight Confederate prisoners buried in Greenbush Cemetery, it was learned that there may be as many as forty beneath those stones. Some of the names on that original list were incorrect and should not have been included among those buried in Lafayette. By making use of census records, military records, old letters, diaries and memoirs of Tennessee soldiers who had survived that prison experience, a new list was put together.

The traditional list as published by the National Archives gave the following twenty-eight names:

Dempsey Ashford
Alford H. Bell
James L. Bradley
R. M. Carter
Solomon B. Cross
James H. Dickey
Willis W. English
Joseph A. Erwin
Isaac Gillum
John W. Holley
G. Hopper
William P. Lauderdale
Daniel W. McKinney
Stephen Nance
John L. Partin
Jackson Patterson
Charles N. Peach
M. L. Ruth
S. D. Ruth

Thomas E. Rosser
William Solomon
William L. Stillwell
James H. Sweet
Samuel Wakefield
W. R. Warden
J. J. Wells
Wm. M. West
William P. Young

For starters, the research was able to fill in given names rather than just initials for the dead soldiers. This led to other corrections. It was learned that G. Hopper should have been Albert C. Hopper. G. Hopper was probably George Hopper who had not enlisted in the 32nd until after the Battle of Fort Donelson and therefore was never a prisoner at Lafayette. In fact, George lived until 1904 when he applied for a pension.⁷

It was discovered that the name of Thomas E. Rosser should have been Thomas E. Roper.⁸ Another correction was for S. D. Ruth, whose given name was Samuel. Although Samuel had been a prisoner in Lafayette, along with his brother Marcus, Samuel had been transferred to Indianapolis in mid-March where he died in the Bellefontaine Hospital⁹ and was buried first in Greenlawn and then transferred to Crown Hill Cemetery. It should also be noted that, adding to the confusion, ten of the soldiers who are buried in Lafayette are incorrectly shown on the Crown Hill Cemetery marker as having been interred there. This may be due to the fact that Lafayette was used only as a temporary holding area when the large influx of prisoners occurred. No official military muster cards were printed for that particular location because the Tennessee soldiers were soon transferred to Indianapolis. Those persons who later recopied the information onto the printed records were unable to differentiate between the two prison camps. In addition, the names of the two Indiana cemeteries, Greenbush in Lafayette and Greenlawn in Indianapolis, were strikingly similar.

The most puzzling information unearthed appeared during a careful study of the military service records for the 32nd and 41st Regiments. This revealed that there were seven soldiers whose records stated definitely that they had died in Lafayette but who were not listed on the traditional list. These were Robert A. Byers, William P. Elkins, Joseph W. Johnston, William King Johnston, Joshua A. Philpott, William Sansom and Thomas Warren.¹⁰

Why no one noticed that the traditional list of twenty-eight names was incomplete is surprising in light of the fact that the *Lafayette Daily Journal* of March 31, 1862, published the following information, "Another rebel prisoner was buried yesterday. This makes thirty-three that have died at this place."

Still more additions to the list came to light when memoirs of the Bodenhamer brothers, David and John, named four members of their company who had died in Lafayette. These men were Stephen J. Martin, John Jefferson M. Foust, John H. McMasters, and James Maulsby.¹¹ None of these names had appeared on the original list of twenty-eight.

The list was increased yet again when a small brown notebook belonging to William Wirt Courtney was found. Courtney, a private in Company H of the 32nd, was assigned to act as a nurse for his comrades shortly after he arrived as a prisoner in Lafayette.¹² Courtney added the names of Napoleon Bonaparte Johnson and David Sharp to those of the known dead in Lafayette.

The new list of forty deceased soldiers as it was finally compiled gives the following names:

Dempsey Ashford
Alford H. Bell
James L. Bradley
Robert A. Byers
Rueben M. Carter
Solomon B. Cross
James H. Dickey
William P. Elkins
Willis W. English
Josiah Erwin
John Jefferson M. Foust
Isaac Gillum/Gilliam
John W. Holley
Albert C. Hopper
Napoleon Bonaparte Johnson
Joseph W. Johnston
William King Johnston
William F. Lauderdale
Daniel W. McKinney
John H. McMasters
Stephen J. Martin
James C. Maulsby
Stephen Nance
John L. Partin
Jackson Patterson
Charles Newton Peach
Joshua A. Philpott
Thomas E. Roper
Marcus L. Ruth
William Sansom
David W. Sharp
William Solomon
William L. Stillwell
James H. Sweet
Samuel Wakefield
William R. Warden
Thomas Warren
John J. Wells

William M. West

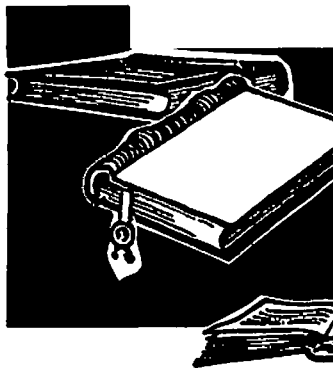
William P. Young

As the research continued, it was learned that other persons were interested in this project. In fact, the Indiana Civil War Coalition hoped to identify and mark the graves of the "Unknown" soldiers. In October of 1998, this became a reality when an impressive new monument was dedicated in Greenbush Cemetery.

With the dedication of the impressive new monument in Greenbush Cemetery, the "Unknown" soldiers are now known. Furthermore, the story of their ordeal also has become known as these soldiers are introduced as flesh and blood individuals. Their story tells what it was like for them to be prisoners of war in Lafayette and how the Northern citizens who came in contact with them were affected. As the mystery was unraveled, it revealed a unique and fascinating episode of history in the War Between the States.

End Notes

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2. Diary of John L. Bodenhamer, (Unpublished typescript at Old Records Department, Giles County Courthouse Pulaski, TN), p. 24
3. Letter of March 25, 1862, from Thomas Chestnut, Surgeon in Charge of prisoners at Lafayette. Commission on Public Records, (Indiana State Archives, Indianapolis, IN), Box 2.
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Middle Tennessee's Unpublished Bible Records

Thomas West Bible

Contributed by Thomas K. Potter, Jr.

"Thos. West, January 12th 1812, Price 10 1/2 Dolars" is the inscription on the inside rear cover of a hefty, leather-bound Bible, printed and published by Matthew Carey No. 122, Market Street, Philadelphia in 1810.¹

An expensive edition with comprehensive study aids, the Bible includes the usual birth, marriage and death dates of family members and their children. Somewhat more unusual is the listing of slave names and birth dates.

A hefty volume measuring 8 1/2" x 11," the Bible also is protected by a parchment stitched together over the leather-bound covers. It contains both Old and New Testaments, the Apocrypha and several appendices. Among the research aids are "A Table of Office and Conditions of Men" identifying ancient Hebrew, Greek and Roman positions of authority in civic and religious life; a chronology of events from Adam to Christ; a detailed index; a table of kinship and marriage taboos; an essay on evidences of the Christian religion; a table of weights, measures and money, and a brief concordance.

Thomas West (1760-1848) and his family were among a group of about 40 families from Worcester Co., Maryland who migrated to Smith Co., Tennessee, about 1804, settling on Upper Helton Creek near the village of Alexandria in what is now DeKalb Co. At that time, the West family included Thomas; his wife, Tabitha Dale (1767-1849), four children under 12 years of age, and probably an infant, too.²

Family tradition claims descent from Thomas West, Baron De La Ware who served as first governor of Virginia, 1609-1618. His brother, John West, also served as governor from 1635-37. Published genealogies of these families tracing generations down to this Thomas West do not list his name. Genealogical research is complicated by the many Thomas Wests listed in the records of Maryland and Delaware.³

The "Family Record" pages contain these consecutive handwritten entries in the same style as the inscription on the third cover:

"Thomas West and Tabitha dale was married novem-
ber the 3 day 1791.

"Thomas West was borned January the 28 day 1760.

"Tabitha Dale his wife was borned August 12 day
1767.

"Sampson B. Williams was born the 7th of April 1802.

"Tabitha M. Williams was born the 12th of August
1811.

"Sampson B. Williams and Tabitha M. West his wife
was marri'd the 6th of auct. 1840.

"The age of Thomas West and Tabitha his wife, Chil-
dren

1 betsy calling was born June 12th day 1792

2 john flemmon was born the 6 day 1796

3 matthias starkey was born september the 23
day 1798

4 Jenathan Pickeral was born march the 21 day
1801

5 joel nelson was born may the 16 day 1803

6 Nancy hazzard was born October the 9 day 1805

7 martha dale was born Juli the 21 day 1808

8 Tabitha milborn was born august 12 day 1811

9 Thos Wilams was born november 7 day 1815.

"Sterling Madison Williams was born the 27th of
december 1841.

"Gustavus Pitts Manfield Williams was bom the 6th
of November 1848.

"Sarah Amanda Williams was born the 29th of August
1848.

"Elizabeth Francis Williams was Born the 19 Fre-
bruary 1853."

*The entry for Elizabeth Francis Williams was
made in a second style of handwriting, and all of the
following entries were made in a third style.*

"September 13 day 1823

Jennethan P. West departed this life half past ten
o'clock in the morning.

"July the 12 day 1848

Thomas West senr, Deceased at a quarter past 3
o'clock in the evening.

"Nancy H. Fite Deceased December the 1 day 1846.
"March the 2 day 1849
"Tabitha West Deceased five minits before three
oclock in the Evening."

Elizabeth "Betsy" Calling West (1792-?) was married to Obediah Garrison (c. 1795-?); John Flemmon (1796-1854) to Mary Lawrence (1802-1891); Matthias Starkey (1798-1880) to Martha P. UNKNOWN (1807-1835); Joel Nelson (1803-?) to Sarah Fite and removed to Arkansas; Nancy Hazzard (1805-1849) to William Fite (1800-1869) and removed to Mississippi; Martha Dale (1808-1880) to Rev. Russell Eskew (?-c. 1865); Tabitha Milbourne (1811-1875) to Sampson B. Williams (1802-?), and Thomas Williams (1815-1887) to Martha Ann Allen (1816-1898).⁴

Jenathan or Jonathan Pickeral (1801-1823) died early and was unmarried.⁵

Concluding the list of names in the Thomas West Bible are these below, apparently inscribed also in the handwriting of Thomas West. None have been identified as descendants in genealogical studies. Evidently, they are slaves whose names and birth dates were listed by West in his family Bible. Among them are six also listed as slaves in Thomas West's will, probated 7 August 1848:⁶

"Tamar was born September 13 day 1776.
"Peashence was born June 12 day 1816.
"george was born Aprel 12 day 1819.
"Sinda was born in march 13 day 1821.
"alse was born 9 February 1827.

"martin was born Febuary 16 day 1831.
"ameline was born 22 of june 1835.
"P(?)eter was born December 15 day 1837.
"Steward was born December 13:1839.
"Mary was born April the 15 1846."

In his will, Thomas West directed that "my negros Bill, Patina and his children and all his increase, Alecey and his increase, and Martin" be given to his widow, Tabitha Dale West. To his daughter, Nancy H. Fire, went "a negro woman Nannie Lucenda." The "negro boy Martin and one girl, Emeline" were to go to his daughter, Martha D. West, after the death of her mother, and his daughter, Tabitha M. Williams, was to receive "one negro woman, Patience, and one negro boy, Peter."⁷

Sources:

1. The Thomas West Bible is now in the possession of Thomas K. Potter, Jr., Nashville, a paternal great-great-great grandson (Samantha Delia, John Flemmon, Thomas).
2. Clarice Neal, comp., *The Dales of Eastern Shore Maryland and Tennessee*, (Austin, TX: Privately published, 1986), pp. 205-207, 220, 222.
3. Clarice Neal, *The Dales...*, p. 204
4. Clarice Neal, *The Dales...*, pp. 205-225.
5. Clarice Neal, *The Dales...*, p. 221.
6. Clarice Neal, *The Dales...*, p. 205, citing DeKalb Co., Tenn. Wills, Bk. A 1838-54, pp. 82-84.
7. Ibid.

Lincoln Bible

This Bible is owned by Mary Sue Smith, 5108 Meta Court, Nashville, Tennessee, 37211, May 2001.

W. H. Lincoln and Mrs. Meda Kennedy were married at the home of her mother, Sarah Dougherty on the 7th day of March (Wilson County) in the year of our Lord 1888 in presence of the family and near relatives. Signed by Rev. T. J. Eastiss. New Middleton, Tennessee.

Births

W. H. Lincoln born Feb. 5, 1840
Meda Dougherty Kennedy Lincoln born March 7, 1854 in Glasgow, Ky.
Gussie Lou Lincoln was born May 2nd, 1889 at Shavertown, Tuesday, 10:00 am.
Sturla, son of Sam and Meda Kennedy, born Sept. 8, 1875.
Abe Lincoln was born March 2nd 1891. Son of W. H.

and Meda Lincoln, 11:00 am.

Erwin Kennedy was born March 11, 1874, at Cainsville, TN. Son of S. T. & Meda Kennedy.
Lucile Kennedy was born Oct. 16, 1877 at Cainsville, Tenn.
Sam D. Kennedy was biorn Apr. 21, 1879 at Cainsville, Tenn. Son of Meda and Sam Kennedy.

Marriages

Erwin Kennedy and Ethel Eastiss were united in marriage at her home Dec. 18
S. D. Kennedy and Mary Conway married Dec. 21, 1808.
Lucile Kennedy and W. H. Green were united in marriage at her home, Shavertown, Tenn., May 29, 1901 by Rev. Simms of Lebanon, Tenn.

Meda Dougherty and Sam Kennedy were married Dec. 18, 1872 at her mothers residence in Wilson County by Rev. J. J. Martin.

Mark Dougherty and Sarah Clark were married July 30, 1839, Glasgow, Ky.

Gussie Lou Lincoln and William Turner Murphey were married Sept. 21, 1911 at Mr. & Mrs. Joe C. Smith's home in Murfreesboro, Tenn. by Dr. Aleck Bealer.

Deaths

Sturla, son of Sam and Meda Kennedy died Apr. 13, 1875 at Cainsville, Tenn.

Abe Lincoln, son of W. H. and Meda Lincoln died Jan. 1, 1902 at Shavertown, Tenn.

W. H. Lincoln died June 11, 1910 at New Middleton, Tenn.

Meda Lincoln died June 20, 1910 at New Middleton, Tenn.

Sam D. Kennedy died October 26, 1957 in Dallas, Tx.

Lucile Kennedy Green died June 15, 1953 in Nashville, Tenn.

William Turner Murphey died Dec. 21, 1969 in Wilson County, Tennessee.

Gussie Lou Lincoln Murphey died October 11, 1972

in Lebanon, Tennessee.

Mark Dougherty, son of Robert and Nancy Dougherty, born Dec. 5, 1816 - died June 22, 1869.

Sarah Clark Dougherty, daughter of Joe and Elizabeth Clark, born March 6, 1824 - died Dec. 26, 1896.

Sam T. Kennedy, son of Elijah and Elizabeth Kennedy, born Oct. 16, 1848 - died June 10, 1884.

William Turner Murphey, son of C. B. & Lela Murphey, born Apr. 2, 1890

Josephine Murphey, daughter of W. T. and Gussie Lou Lincoln Murphey, born July 4, 1920.

Josephine Murphey and John William Lipscomb were married August 19, 1950, at her parents home in Wilson County by the Rev. Sam Dodson. They were divorced Sept. 9, 1955 in Fort Worth, Tx.

Josephine Murphey and Thomas Ferrell Harris were married May 27, 1966 at First Presbyterian Church, Lebanon, Tennessee.

Thomas F. Harris died Dec. 10, 1984, in Lebanon, Tennessee.

Josephine Murphey Harris died Nov. 23, 1990 in Nashville, Tennessee.

COCHRAN-WILKES-LATHAM BIBLE RECORD

Property of Mrs. W. J. Latham, Columbia, Tennessee, 1938.

Copied by Annie W. McKibbon, Columbia, Tennessee, April 1938. From *Maury County, Tennessee Bible, Family, and Tombstone Records*, WPA, [typescript], MU-1, pp. 4-5, Tennessee State Library and Archives, Nashville, Tennessee.

This is to certify that J. A. Cochran and Sara E. Wilkes were united in the bonds of Holy Matrimony at her residence on the 19 day of December in the year of 1865.

Marriages:

B. L. Wilkes and Sara E. Moore were married January 16, 1855

Jas. A. Cochran and Sara E. Wilkes were married December 19, 1865

Ida O. Wilkes & W. K. Stephens were married May 8, 1873

B. L. Wilkes and Maggie Elizabeth Smith were married December 28, 1882

Mrs. Ella Cochran and W. S. Hardison were married December 22, 1887.

W. W. Cochran & Willie T. Tomlinson were married in Nashville by Rev. M. Rogers, January 30, 1895

Virginia Cochran and Clyde Kannon were married in Lewisberg Friday September 16, 1910

Ida O. Wilkes and W. J. Latham were married first day of June, 1911 in the presence of friends and relatives at brides home by Rev. Wright.

Annie Lou Wilkes and Claude L. McKibbon were married September 20, 1916 in Nashville by Rev. Allen Fort, Wednesday afternoon 4 o'clock.

Mary Claude McKibbon and William A. Griffin were married in Nashville Saturday morning 10:30 o'clock, June 5, 1937 at the home of Rev. Thomas C. Barr, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Nashville.

Births:

J. A. Cochran was born March 30, 1838

Sallie E. Cochran was born April 21, 1838

Ida O. Wilkes was born January 1, 1856

B. L. Wilkes, Jr., was born September 18, 1860

Mat M. Wilkes was born May 27, 1858

Mary Elvira Cochran was born September 19, 1866

Willie Wallace Cochran July 19, 1868

Walter Samuel Wilkes was born July 9, 1884
 Ida O. Wilkes was born September 23, 1886
 Annie Lou Wilkes was born February 19, 1890
 Twins were borned July 5, 1900
 Virginia Cochran was borned February 3, 1896
 James Covey Kannon was borned June 17, 1913
 Mildred Kannon was borned October 18, 1916
 Margaret Olivia Latham was born June 10, 1915
 LeRoy Wilkes Latham was born August 27, 1916.
 Francis Jones Latham was born September 10, 1922
 Mary Claude McKibbon was born Tuesday morning
 nine o'clock, August 28, 1917.
 Dorothy Ann McKibbon was born May 20, 1924 -
 Thursday.
 Jolene McKibbon was born October 17, 1927
 Flewellyn McKibbon was born Saturday night, eight
 o'clock, July 16, 1932.

Deaths:

B. L. Wilkes, Sr. died November 1862 "died during
 Civil War with pneumonia."
 N. T. Moore Sr. died September 30, 1887 at age of 81
 years.

N. M. Wilkes died July 29, 1861, age 3 yrs., 2 mos., 2
 days.
 Dr. W. W. Cochran died in Florida at 7 o'clock Sunday
 evening February 24, 1889.
 W. W. Cochran, Jr. died at ten o'clock Sunday morning
 September 29, 1900.
 J. A. Cochran died Monday night at 11:45 o'clock
 June 9, 1902. "he was an Ex Confederate Soldier,
 brave and true."
 Ida O. Stephens, died Sunday 7 A.M. March 8, 1914.
 Penumonia.
 B. L. Wilkes died Wednesday night 9:40 P.M. Septem-
 ber 8, 1915, Funeral conducted by Rev. Moody &
 Robinson.
 Ella C. Hardison died March 21, 1921
 Maggie Wilkes died Friday evening 2:30 o'clock,
 September 25, 1931, funeral conducted by Rev.
 Taylor.
 Claud L. McKibbon died Thursday morning
 March 15, 1934 at 20 minutes to five
 o'clock. Funeral at M. E. conducted by Rev.
 Allen.
 Mildred Kannon died October 29, 1929.

ARMSTRONG BIBLE RECORD

In possession of Mary Beecher and Miss Bell Beecher of Columbia, Tennessee, 1938.

Bible published by James P. Smith and Company, Philadelphia, 1847. Copied by Annie W. McKibbon,
 Columbia, Tennessee, April 1938. From *Maury County, Tennessee Bible, Family, and Tombstone Records*, WPA,
 [typescript], MU-1, pp. 1-2, Tennessee State Library and Archives, Nashville, Tennessee.

Marriage:

Wm. O. Armstrong and Mary E. Frierson were mar-
 ried on the 20th day of September 1838. He was the
 son of Elias J. and Elisabeth M. Armstrong. She
 was the daughter of Stephens and Mary A. Smith.
 Mary E. McA Armstrong and John Sloane
 Beecher were married on the 13th day of Feb-
 ruary 1862
 James Armstrong and Agnes Frierson were married
 13 January 1785.
 Elias J. Armstrong and Elizabeth M. Frierson were
 married 31st October 1809.
 William L. Jett and Jane C. Frierson were married 27
 April 1837.
 E. M. Mathews and Sara E. Armstrong were married
 13 December 1836.
 L. E. D. Anderson and Mary J. Armstrong were mar-
 ried 28 March 1832.
 H. Mosley and Agnes F. Armstrong were married 23
 April 1839.
 Elias J. Armstrong and Maria A. Waiker were mar-

ried 12 August 1842.

Births:

Wm. O. Armstrong son of Elias J. and Elizabeth M.
 Armstrong was borne on the 27th day of June 1811.
 Mary E. Armstrong daughter of Stephens and Mary
 A. Smith was borne on the 28th day of January
 1815.
 William J. Armstrong was borne on the 24th day of
 July 1839
 Mary E. Mc A Armstrong was borne on the 22th of
 January 1842.
 Martha J. Armstrong was borne on the 11th day of
 July 1844.
 Helen L. Armstrong was borne on the 26th day of
 December 1846.
 John W. Armstrong was borne on the 23 day of De-
 cember 1846.
 John W. Armstrong was borne on the 23 day of June 1849.
 Anne Osgood Armstrong was born on the 10th April

1852.

Ida D. Armstrong was born 17 March 1855.
James Armstrong was born 6 April 1764.
Agnes Frierson was born 7 November 1759.
Martha M. Armstrong was born 7 November 1785.
Elias J. Armstrong was born 11 October 1787.
Mary L. Armstrong was born 26 December 1789.
Sarah W. Armstrong was born 16 November 1791.
William G. Armstrong was born 22 September 1795.
Margaret E. Armstrong was born 2nd August 1798.
Samuel H. Armstrong was born 25 November 1800.
Charlotte A. Armstrong was born 28 August 1803.
Elizabeth M. Armstrong was born 10 April 1794.
William O. Armstrong was born 27 June 1811.
Sarah E. Armstrong was born 20 June 1814.
Mary J. Armstrong was born 5 October 1816.
Agnes F. Armstrong was born 3rd June 1819.
Margaret Armstrong was born 1st August 1824.
James Armstrong was born 22d June 1829.
Elias J. Armstrong was born 13 January 1844, son of
Elias J. and Marie A. Armstrong.

Deaths:

Martha J. Armstrong died on the 31st day of December 1847, age 3 years 5 months & 20 days
Elias J. Armstrong died 17 August 1855.

Mary E. Armstrong died on Sunday morning May 29, 1859 - age 44 years, 4 months and 1 day.
William J. Armstrong died 21st day of September 1878 in Memphis of yellow fever.
William O. Armstrong died August 20th 1885.
Helen S. Armstrong died October 10, 1895.
Annie Osgood Armstrong died July 23, 1921.
Ida D. Armstrong died January 8, 1926.
John Wilson Armstrong died November 15, 1926.
Mary Eliza Armstrong Beecher died August 6, 1927.
Moses Gordon died 13 September 1830.
Elizabeth A. Frierson died 17 July 1810.
Margaret A. Anderson died 29 August 1855.
Agnes Armstrong died 18 October 1837.
James Armstrong died 11 November 1837.
Margaret Armstrong died 16 August 1840.
Elizabeth M. Armstrong died 12 August 1841.
Martha M. Fulton died March 1844.
Mary A. Gordon died 7 January 1842.
James Armstrong, son of E. J. & E. M. Armstrong, died October 1844.
L. E. D. Anderson died 4 May 1845.
Mary J. Anderson died July 1845.
Agnes F. Mosley died January 1848.
L. E. Mathews died 18th August 1881.

PETER WOODSON FAMILY BIBLE

In possession of Archibald Woodson, 1938

"The Bible is now in possession of Peter Woodson's grandson, Archibald Woodson, who lives in the old Woodson home which is at Pleasant View, Cheatham County, District Number 14, on Highway Number 49, nine miles north of Ashland City, Tennessee. Peter Woodson was a native of Cumberland County, Virginia, born December 27, 1770, and was of Welsh descent. On November 14, 1799 he married Elizabeth H. Hobbs, a native of Brunswick County, Virginia, of English descent, to them were born ten children." Copied by Edna W. Hunter, Ashland City, Tennessee, June 14, 1938. From *Records of Cheatham County, Bible and Tombstone Records*, WPA, [typescript], CE-1, pp. 59-60, Tennessee State Library and Archives, Nashville, Tennessee.

Births:

Peter Woodson was born 27th of December, 1770
Elizabeth H. Woodson was born 2nd of December 1780

Marriages:

The above Peter and Elizabeth was married 14th of November, 1799.

Births:

Jemina Booker Washington was born 25th of March 1801
Howell H. was born 15th of November 1802
Sarah H. was born 11th of August 1804

Lewis M. was born 3rd of November 1806
Thomas J. was born 8th of January 1809
James G. was born 19th of July 1811
Nancy E. H. was born 3rd of September 1813
Martha Ann was born 29th of March 1817
Peter H. was born 18th of March 1817
Henrietta D. was born 10th March 1819

Deaths:

Peter Woodson died June 30, 1847
Elizabeth Woodson died August 1, 1857
Howell Woodson died February 16, 1899
Sarah Woodson died July 25, 1820
Lewis Woodson died December 2, 1862 in Sumner

County
 Thomas J. Woodson died October 12, 1835
 Nancy E. H. Woodson died October 28, 1817
 Martha Ann Woodson died September 1, 1844
 Peter H. Woodson died February 11, 1897

Marriages:

Robert D. Williams and Jemina Woodson was united
 in marriage November 5, 1818.
 Howell H. Woodson and Frances W. Hunt was united
 in marriage February 17, 1825

Peter H. Woodson and Wilmoth S. Thomas was united
 in marriage September 29, 1847
 James G. Woodson and Julia Ann Binkley was united
 in marriage October 25, 1832
 Maroah Lowe and Henrietta D. Woodson was united
 in Marriage January 9, 1838
 Lewis M. Woodson and Lucinda Hannah was united
 in marriage October 21, 1829
 Thomas J. Woodson and Clarice Scurry was united in
 marriage May 1, 1833

Green Family Bible

This Bible is owned by Mary Sue Smith, 5108 Meta Court, Nashville, Tennessee, 37211, May 2001.

Family Record

Grandparents

Name	Born	Died	Married
S. T. Green	Oct. 13, 1830	Aug. 25, 1911	Sept. 13, 1866
Ermanilda Shannon	March 5, 1839	July 18, 1915	
Samuel T. Kennedy	Oct 15, 1848	Jan. 10, 1884	
Meda Dougherty	March 7, 1854	Jan. 20, 1916	

Parents They were married May 29, 1900 at Shovertown, TN

William Houston Green	March 12, 1871	March 28, 1934
Lucile Kennedy	Oct. 16, 1877	June 15, 1953

Children

Children	Born	Died	Married
Willette Green	March 12, 1902	2 Dec. 1985	Earl A. Price 2 Sept 1926
Elizabeth Green	July 18, 1904	13 Jan 1995	Floyd Ballard 23 Sep 1929
S. Kennedy Green	June 26 1907	10 Aug 2000	Willene Allison 17 Oct 1931
Mary Dougherty Green	Nov. 10, 1909		Thomas C. Doak Mar 29 1933
Ellen Green	Dec 16, 1911	25 Feb 1998	Joe Kirkpatrick Feb 27 1936
William Houston Green	July 27, 1915	27 Jan 1995	Elizabeth McMillen
Lucille Green	June 22, 1917		Robert Towery Nov. 11, 1939

Family Record

Grand Parents

Mark Dougherty	[came from Bowling Green]
Sarah Clark	

Parents [they were married Dec. 18, 1872 at Auburntown, TN]

Samuel T. Kennedy	Oct 15, 1848	June 10, 1884
Meda Dougherty	March 7, 1854	June 20, 1910

Children

Children	Born	Died	Married
Erwin E. Kennedy	March 11, 1874	Aug 9, 1916	Ethel Eastis
Sterla Kennedy	1876	1877	
Lucile Kennedy	Oct 16, 1877	June 15, 1953	W. H. Green
Samuel Dick Kennedy	Apr 21, 1879		Mary Conway

Miscellaneous

Willette Green and Earl Anderson Price were united in marriage Sept. 2, 1926 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Green with Lucille Green and Josephine Murphy as attendants. The Reverend E. A. Elam was the officiating Minister.

A. Elizabeth Green and Floyd D. Ballard were united in marriage Sept. 23, 1929 at the home of Mr. & Mrs. W. T. Murphey, Nashville, Dr. Benson.

Kennedy Green and Willene Allison were united in marriage Oct. 17, 1931, at the home of Mr. & Mrs. W. T. Murphey, Nashville, Bro. Boles.

Mary Dougherty Green and Thos. C. Doak were married Nov. 29, 1933 at the home of Mrs. W. T. Murphey, Nashville. Dr. Ward officiating.

Ellen Green and Joe H. Kirkpatrick were united in marriage at the home of Mrs. W. H. Green Feb. 27, 1936. Ellen was given in marriage by her brother, William Houston. Rev. Floyd D. Ballard was the officiating minister.

Lucille Green and Robert Walker Towery were united in marriage at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Henry Alsop, Tyler, Texas Nov. 11, 1939.

Wm Houston Green and Elizabeth Anne McMillen were married July 14, 1946, Clarksdale, Miss.

Grand Parents	born	where	died	where
William Houston Green	March 12, 1871	Wilson Co, TN	Mar 28 1934	Wilson Co
Lucile Kennedy	Oct 16, 1877	Wilson Co, TN	June 15 1953	"
Marcellius Blucher Allison	Feb 23, 1862	Chattanooga, TN	July 13, 1940	Muncie, IN
Mollie Abston	Aug 16, 1872	Rockwood, TN	Oct 1943	Muncie, IN
Parents	born	where	died	where
Sam Kennedy Green	June 26, 1907	Wilson Co., TN	Aug 10, 2000	Davidson
Willene Allison	Feb 9, 1909	Birmingham, AL	Feb 16, 2000	Davidson
Children	born	where	married	
Mary Sue Green	Sept 5, 1932	Nashville, TN	Burrell G. Smith	
Dorothy Lou Green	July 13, 1935	Rutherford Co	Glen Julian Strange	
Barbara Jeanne Green	Feb 19, 1937	Wilson Co., TN	Frederick Kendall	
Peggy Allison Green	Sept 25, 1939	Rutherford Co.	[died] Dec. 3, 1943, Rutherford Co.	
Pamela Catherine Green	Nov 19, 1946	Rutherford Co.	Joseph L. White	

Miscellaneous

Mark Dougherty married Sarah Clark, unto this union were born 10 children, 2 died in infancy.

William A.; Martha (Mattie); Delia; Dick L.; Meda; Mary; Joseph C.; Augusta W. Their children were: Williams':

Mark, Betty, Clarence, Willie, Mabel. Mattie's - Mary, Fanny. Dicks' - Sadie, Libby, Richard, Harry, Katherine, Emily, Robin. Meda - Erwin, Sterla, Lucile, Samuel D., Gussie Lou, Abe. Mary - Grady, Sam, Bertha. Joseph - Paul, Lew Wallace, Joe, Gordon. Augusta had no children. Delia - Arthur, Etta, Ina, Mark, Fidelia (Delia).



Did You Know That....?

The following items are a few of the informal notes jotted down over a period of years for your editor's personal use. While one does not pretend these are complete or definitive explanations, there are a number of facts contained therein that might encourage one to do further research, or just give the casual reader food for thought. -Ed.

...every migratory act is a result of a combination of "pull" from the receiving society and "push" from the previous one. The "push" may be as personal as a parental disapproval of a planned marriage, or a result of complex impersonal forces, such as famine, religious discord, or political or economic upheaval in the homeland. The strongest "pull" fact is usually economic.

... "men seldom change their climate because to do so they must change their habits." [1860 United States Census Bureau] Hence, people tended to move both geographically and culturally into an area similar to the one they left.

...the word infant and minor are used interchangeably. Therefore, anyone not of full legal age could be termed an "infant."

...the title "Jr." as used in the colonial and revolutionary periods does not necessarily signify "son of," as it is usually interpreted today. In this early period the term "Jr." conveyed the thought of the "younger" of two men, and does not signify that the man styled "Jr." was the son of the man styled "Sr." [G.H.S. King in Tyler's Quarterly, Vol. 21, 1939-40, p. 280, as printed in Boddie's *Colonial Surry*.]



Mero District Statistical Census, 1791, 1795

[To] Thomas Jefferson Esquire Secretary of State

Territory of the United State of America
South of the River Ohio Sep^r. 19th 1791.

SIR, I have the honor to inclose you a schedule of the number of the people in this Territory, taken in pursuance of my Letter of the 7th March last to the Colonels of the respective Counties, and requests made to several people living south of French-Broad which is no County, being Indian Land until the Treaty with the Cherokees of the 2d July last.

The heads of families very generally were opposed to giving in their numbers—fearing a General Assembly would shortly be the consequence—Hence it may be fairly inferred that the numbers are not exaggerated—and to this cause may be attributed the delay in completing the Returns.

I would not have forwarded the Schedule in an imperfect State, but being about to set out for North Carolina on a visit to my family, under my leave of absence, I conceived it would be more agreeable to Government to receive it in that state than to wait my return, and have it more perfect....

[signed] Wm. Blount

CENSUS REPORT

[September 19, 1791]

Schedule of the whole number of Persons in the Territory of the United State of America, South of the River Ohio, as taken on the last Saturday of July 1791, by the Captains of the Militia within the limits of their respective Districts.

[Editor's note: Both Washington and Mero District are given, but for the purpose of this publication, only the Mero District is shown.]

MERO DISTRICT

Davidson County:

- 639 free white males of 21 years and upwards, including heads of families
- 855 free white males under 21 years
- 1288 free white females, including heads
- 18 all other free persons
- 659 slaves
- 3459 total in county

Sumner County:

- 404 free white males of 21 years and upwards,

1 C. E. Carter, comp., *The Territorial Papers of The United States*, Vol. IV: *The Territory South of the River Ohio, 1790-1796* (Washington: Government Printing Office, 1936), pp. 80-81

2 Ibid, p. 404.

including heads of families

- 582 free white males under 21 years
- 854 free white females, including heads
- 8 all other free persons
- 348 slaves
- 2196 total in county

Tennessee County:

- 235 free white males of 21 years and upwards, including heads of families
- 380 free white males under 21 years
- 576 free white females including heads
- 42 all other free persons
- 154 slaves
- 1387 total in county

Note: There are several Captains who have not as yet returned the Schedules of the numbers of their Districts, namely:—in Greene County, three—in Davidson, one—and South of French-Broad, one District. September 19th 1791.

By the Governor,
Daniel Smith Secretary.¹

W Blount

Later one, dated 1795:

"Schedule of the Aggregate Amount of each Description of Persons, taken agreeably to 'An Act providing for the Enumeration of the Inhabitants of the Territory of the United States of America South of the River Ohio', passed July 11th 1795."

Davidson County:

- 728 free white males sixteen years and upwards including heads of families
- 695 free white males under sixteen years
- 1,192 free white females including heads
- 6 all other free persons
- 992 slaves
- 3,613 total amount

Sumner County:

- 1,382 free white males sixteen years and upwards including heads of families
- 1,595 free white males under sixteen years
- 2,316 free white females including heads
- 1 all other free persons
- 1,076 slaves
- 6,370 total amount

Tennessee County:

- 380 free white males sixteen years and upwards including heads of families
- 444 free white males under 16 years
- 700 free white females including heads
- 19 all other free persons
- 398 slaves
- 1,941 total amount.

November 1795.²

Supplement of the INDEX to TENNESSEE CONFEDERATE PENSION APPLICATIONS

An Index to the Pension Applications by County of Residence

Contributed by the Tennessee State Library and Archives

INTRODUCTION

In 1964 the Confederate Pension Applications were indexed and published in book form by the Tennessee State Library and Archives. Long out of print and noting additions and errors were found, Chuck Sherrill, Director of Public Services at the State Library, approached Sam Sistler about updating and reprinting the book. Sam consulted microfilm and original applications when necessary to confirm information, and prepared a computer data base. From this file, a new book was issued. It is an alphabetical state-wide listing entitled *Index to Tennessee Confederate Pension Applications*, transcribed and edited by Samuel Sistler (1994), and is available from the Byron Sistler & Associates, P.O. Box 120934, Nashville, TN 37212.

After publication of this 1994 book, the Archives asked Sam to resort the data base by counties and the one copy of this listing was bound and placed in Archives under the call E548.S57, 1995 Suppl. It is part of this unpublished supplemental that is being presented in the *Journal*.

The Confederate Veteran Pension applications, numbering over 16,000, are on microfilm in the Tennessee State Library and Archives, Nashville, Tennessee. (e-mail: reference@mail.state.tn.us) While most of the Confederate veterans pensioned under Tennessee law served in a Tennessee unit, one must be aware that Confederate pensions were granted by the state in which the veteran lived at the time of application regardless of the state in which the soldier enlisted. Some applications contain information about service, as well as personal history. In questionnaire form, other information may be included such as place of birth, number of children, and value of property owned by the veteran.

Smith County

ALEXANDER, Amanda M.
ALLEN, Martha Elender
ALLEN, W. R., 22nd (Barteau's) Cav.
ALLISON, Caroline
APPLE, L. D., 28th Inf.
APPLE, Sarah Ann
ARMISTEAD, John Mack, 8th (Smith's) Cav.
ASH, Jane
BALLARD, Peter J., 8th Cav.
BARKSDALE, Eliza B.
BARRETT, EvalInf.
BARRETT, James A., 24th Inf.
BEASLEY, E. H., 4th Cav.
BEASLEY, H. H., 8th Inf.
BEASLEY, Isaac J., 24th Inf.
BEASLEY, Jane
BEASLEY, Jesse, 17th Inf.
BEASLEY, John P., 7th Inf.
BELLAR, Jonathan, 8th (Dibrell's) Cav.
BELLAR, Virginia E.
BLACK, Sarah Elizabeth
BLAIR, Andrew C., 7th Inf.
BLAIR, J. C., 28th Inf.
BLAIR, Margaret
BOLTON, John Dean, 7th Inf.
BOLTON, Louisa
BOOKER, J. T., 28th Inf.
BOOKER, M. Ellen
BOOKER, Sarah
BOULTON, Joan White
BOULTON, Joe Anne
BOWMAN, J. P., 23rd Inf.
BOWMAN, Martha A.
BOYKEN, Sarah Ann
BOZE, Clarissa
BOZE, Fannie
BOZE, W. C., 7th Inf.

BRADFORD, Bettie
BRADFORD, Thomas Crutchfield, 9th (Ward's) Cav.
BRADLEY, A. J., 7th Inf.
BRADLEY, Margaret (Kittrell)
BRADLEY, W. H., 23rd Inf.
BRANSFORD, Araminta Dormer
BRASWELL, H. K., 8th (Smith's) Cav.
BROOK, Leonard H., 28th Inf.
BROOKS, Jackson P., 28th Inf.
BROOKS, Martha
BROOKS, Rissa L.
BROOKS, Susan Anne
BURNS, Thomas Yeatman, 30th Inf.
BURTON, Jackson, 28th Inf.
BUSH, Green, 4th Cav.
BUSH, Mattie Jane
BUTLER, D. D., 44th Inf.
BUTLER, Demarcus D., 44th Inf.
CARDWELL, James A., 1st Inf.
CARDWELL, John B., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
CARDWELL, Lucy F.
CARDWELL, Margie Eugenia
CATO, Helen E.
CHAMBERS, J. H., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
CHAMBERS, Maria Barry
CHEEK, Luther B., Allison's Squadron, Cav.
CLEMENS, Alexander C., 28th Inf.
COFFEE, R. D., 24th Inf.
CONDITT, Mary
COOKSEY, W. M., 44th Inf.
COOPER, O. M., 8th (Dibrell's) Cav.
CORLEY, Seth M., 23rd Inf.
CORNWELL, Fuscha, 9th (Ward's) Cav.
CORUM, S. R., 25th Inf.

COTHRAN, Mary Ellen
COWEN, George W., 28th Inf.
COX, J. M., 24th Inf.
COX, Mary L.
CRAIGHEAD, W. J., 44th Inf.
CRIPPS, John, 28th Inf.
DAVIS, Mary Jane
DAVIS, Rufus B., 23rd Inf.
DAWSON, Henry J., 7th Inf.
DENNEY, David, 55th Inf.
DENNY, Aggie
DENNY, W. B., 24th Inf.
DICKERSON, W. D., 28th Inf.
DILLAHAY, James T., 24th Inf.
DILLARD, Mary J.
DILLARD, Oney
DILLARD, Osborn, 28th Inf.
DILLEHAY, Frances
DILLEHAY, Lucy
DILLON, Cora Jane
DILLON, James W., 8th Inf.
DILLON, Sarah L.
DOWELL, Mary Elizabeth
DUKE, W. H. H., 7th Inf.
DURHAM, Fannie E.
DURHAM, James A., 28th Inf.
EASTES, Thomas J., 22nd (Barteau's) Cav.
ELROD, John, 28th Inf.
EVANS, J. B., 16th Inf.
EVANS, Susan
EVANS, T. W., 4th Cav.
FARLEY, Cora
FARLEY, William, 55th (McKoin's) Inf.
FIELDS, James D., 7th Inf.
FISHER, Enoch, 28th Inf.
FISHER, Sarah Jane
FITZPATRICK, Samuel, 8th Cav.
FLIPPEN, Samuel A., 4th Cav.
FLIPPIN, George C., 55th Inf.

FLIPPIN, W. H., 8th (Smith's) Cav.
FORD, Elizabeth
FORD, M. N., 28th Inf.
FOSTER, Rowland T., Allison's Squadron, Cav.
FRANKLIN, L. M., 28th Inf.
FULLER, Thomas, 22nd (Bartau's) Cav.
GAMMON, Mary A.
GANN, Jim C., 8th (Smith's) Cav.
GANN, Lenora Jane
GANN, Martha A.
GANN, Nancy M.
GANN, Thomas, 4th Cav.
GIBBS, Fred, 7th Inf.
GIBBS, Tennessee
GILLESPIE, James, 7th Inf.
GILLESPIE, Margaret
GLOVER, Nancy
GLOVER, Newton H., 28th Inf.
GOAD, C. E., 28th Inf.
GOAD, Joshua, 24th Inf.
GOAD, Virginia
GOLD, J. E., 24th Inf.
GRANT, William (Sandy), 9th (Ward's) Cav.
GREEN, Baley, 28th Inf.
GREGORY, E. B., 15th Cav.
GREGORY, E. B., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
GREGORY, Emily Jane
GRISHAM, Eliza
GRISHAM, T. D., 4th Cav.
HACKETT, Mary E.
HACKETT, Peter, 23rd Inf.
HALE, Myra Duffy
HALE, W. H., 6th (Wheeler's) Cav.
HALEY, A. H., 4th (McLemore's) Cav.
HALEY, Albert S., 8th (Smith's) Cav.
HALEY, Eliza J.

HALEY, Thomas, 4th (McLemore's) Cav.
 HALL, Martha
 HALL, P. A., 24th Inf.
 HARPER, J. M., 24th Inf.
 HARPER, Kittie
 HARPER, Mary Frances
 HARRIS, John A., 4th Cav.
 HARRISON, John, 38th Inf.
 HARRISON, John M., 45th Inf.
 HAYNIE, Jesse E., 23rd Inf.
 HAYNIE, Martin B., 9th Cav.
 HENSLEY, Isaac, 1st Inf.
 HERRING, Francis A., 23rd Inf.
 HERRING, Matilda A.
 HESSON, Peter A., 22nd (Bartau's) Cav.
 HESSON, William A., 30th Inf.
 HEWITT, A. J., 28th Inf.
 HEWITT, M. D., 28th Inf.
 HEWITT, Mary E.
 HIGH, Ben R., 8th Inf.
 HINES, Isaac J., 28th Inf.
 HOLLEMAN, Henry H., 28th Inf.
 HOLLIDAY, Eliza
 HORN, H. L., 28th Inf.
 HUBBARD, Henry C., 28th Inf.
 HUGHES, Evelene
 HUGHES, Mildred A.
 HUNTER, Eliza Jane
 HUNTER, Samuel, 28th Inf.
 IRWIN, William Daniel, 4th Cav.
 JACKSON, Sarah Jane
 JARED, W. J., 28th Inf.
 JOHNS, Eliza Ophelia
 JOHNS, W. R., Nixon's Regt., Cav.
 JONES, Annie Huddleston
 JONES, Catherine Elizabeth
 JONES, John H., 28th Inf.
 JONES, Lila Anne
 JONES, Mary
 JONES, Tempy
 STICE, Bettie Melinda
 STICE, F. E., 24th Ga.
 KEELE, John William, 17th Inf.
 KEMP, Amanda
 KEMP, J. M., 24th Inf.
 KEMP, James A., 44th Inf.
 KEMP, John, 55th
 KEMP, Logan H., 44th Inf.
 KEMP, Sallie Susan
 KEMP, W. L. jr., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
 KEY, George M., 7th Inf.
 KEY, James M., 23rd Inf.
 KEY, Valvie Olivia
 KING, Abraham Benjamin, 28th Inf.
 KING, Pearlle
 KIRBY, David H., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
 KIRBY, N. M., 8th Inf.
 KITTRELL, William Edward, 28th Inf.
 KNIGHT, E. H., 7th Inf.
 KNIGHT, Fannie Hill
 LAMONS, Martha Jane
 LAW, A. H., 24th Inf.
 LAW, Anna
 LAW, Mary Frances
 LAW, Sarah E.
 LYNCH, David J., 7th Inf.
 MARTIN, William W., 4th Cav.
 MATTHEWS, Matthew, 22nd (Bartau's) Cav.

MCCALL, H. L., 24th Inf.
 MCCLELLAN, W. C.
 MCCORMICK, Mary M.
 MCCRARY, James A., 28th Inf.
 MCCREARY, Martha
 MCDONALD, S. S., 28th Inf.
 MCMURTRY, James B., 9th (Bennett's) Cav.
 MILLER, Elizabeth Jane
 MITCHELL, Eliza
 MOFIELD, C. M., 4th (McLemore's) Cav.
 MOFIELD, Cynthia
 MOFIELD, Margarette
 MOFIELD, Thomas, 8th (Dibrell's) Cav.
 MOFIELD, William B., 4th (McLemore's) Cav.
 MONTGOMERY, J. T., 30th Inf.
 MOORE, B. H., 22nd (Bartau's) Cav.
 MOORE, Dudley, 2nd Cav.
 MORELAND, Beverly G., 28th Inf.
 MOSS, William L., Undetermined
 MUNDAY, Sally
 MUNDAY, Susan McGaughey
 MURPHY, John S., 4th (McLemore's) Cav.
 MURPHY, Malissa
 MURRY, Tennessee
 NICHOLS, G. W., 2nd Cav.
 NIXON, Dellie Frances
 NIXON, J. C., 23rd Inf.
 NIXON, Polly Ann
 NIXON, S. O., 23rd Inf.
 NORTH, J. S., 4th (McLemore's) Cav.
 OVERSTREET, Amanda
 OVERSTREET, R. H., 55th Inf.
 OWENS, Frances M.
 PATE, Margret Sarah
 PERKINS, William R., 28th Inf.
 PERY, James M., Undetermined
 PETTEY, N. J., Allison's Squadron, Cav.
 PETTIE, Thomas C., 24th Inf.
 PETTIE, W. B., 8th Inf.
 PETTY, Emehne
 PETTY, Thomas E., 1st Bn. (Cohn's) Inf.
 PHELPS, Silas M., 7th Inf.
 PHILLIPS, Thomas B., 4th Cav.
 PIPER, William W., 23rd Inf.
 PONDER, Jeremiah, 45th Inf.
 POOL, Vinie
 POPE, Frances Ann
 POPE, M. C., 9th (Bennett's) Cav.
 PORTER, Alexander, 7th Inf.
 PORTER, Edward S., Independent Vols.
 PORTER, Maza
 POWELL, William T., Allison's Squadron, Cav.
 PRENTICE, William B., 24th Inf.
 PRICHARD, James Carroll, 24th Inf.
 PROFFITT, G. C., 84th Inf.
 RAY, Alexander E., 28th Inf.
 RAY, Henry, 44th
 RAY, Louisa M.
 REASONOVER, John Bover, 44th Inf.
 REECE, Samuel, 28th Inf.
 REED, Celia Jane

REED, Jesse, 15th Cav.
 REEVES, F. M., 7th Inf.
 REEVES, Lucy Ann
 ROBERTS, O. W., Allison's Squadron, Cav.
 ROBERTS, Oliver W., Allison's Squadron, Cav.
 ROBERTSON, A. A., 9th (Bennett's) Cav.
 ROBERTSON, Sarah
 ROBINSON, Frances
 ROBINSON, S. N. C., 28th Inf.
 ROLLINS, Aggie
 ROYSTER, T. E., 7th Inf.
 SAMPSON, Orville P., Allison's Squadron, Cav.
 SAMPSON, Rebecca
 SAMPSON, Titus, 44th Inf.
 SHAVER, Sarah F.
 SHOEMAKE, John, Undetermined
 SHOULDERS, Celia Jane
 SHOULDERS, D. T., 24th Inf.
 SIRCY, Martha F.
 SMITH, Daniel, 22nd Inf.
 SMITH, Harrison, 24th Inf.
 SMITH, Hensley, 28th Inf.
 SMITH, Jane Andrsn. Cmpbl.
 SMITH, Lucy
 SMITH, William H., 25th Inf.
 SNOW, A. D., 5th (McKenzie's) Cav.
 SNOW, James M., 26th Inf.
 SPRINGFIELD, Serreptha Gar-tain
 STARNES, J. M., 23rd Inf.
 STEWART, Thomas J., 8th Cav.
 STONECIPHER, J. V., 24th Ga. Inf.
 STONECYPHER, Martha Ann
 SULLIVAN, Joe, 44th Inf.
 SUMERS, R. H., 5th Inf.
 SUTTON, Hannah
 SUTTON, John, 16th Inf.
 SYKES, Amanda V.
 SYKES, William E., 55th Inf.
 THOMAS, L. T., 55th Inf.
 THOMAS, Laura T.
 THOMPSON, V. D., 22nd (Bartau's) Cav.
 TIMBERLAKE, Eveline
 TIMERLAKE, Fountain P., 7th Inf.
 TRAWICK, Ruth Ann
 TURNER, Martha Jane
 TYREE, J. H., 9th (Bennett's) Cav.
 VANDERPOOL, C. C., Allison's Squadron, Cav.
 VANTREESE, R. T., 4th (McLemore's) Cav.
 WARD, John B., 8th (Smith's) Cav.
 WARFORD, B. M., 7th Inf.
 WEST, Harrison, 28th Inf.
 WEST, Malvina M.
 WEST, Milley
 WEST, Sarah F.
 WEST, W. C., 22nd (Bartau's) Cav.
 WHITE, M. D., 4th (McLemore's) Cav.
 WHITEHEAD, Mary T.
 WILLIAMS, James H., 24th Inf.
 WILLIAMS, L. F., 44th Inf.

WILLIAMS, Polly Ann
 WINFREE, B. C., 24th
 WINFREE, Mary S.
 WINFREY, W. B., 44th Inf.
 WOMACK, William H., 28th Inf.
 WOOTEN, Parlee
 WOOTEN, W. B., 9th Cav.
 WOOTTEN, William B., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
 YEAMAN, Minerva
 YEARMAN, R. H., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
 YOUNG, Frances Elizabeth

Stewart County

ABNER, James W., 7th Inf.
 ADAMS, John Calvin, 50th Inf.
 ADAMS, Margaret Jane
 ALLEN, Matilda
 ANDERSON, Ike, 1st Ky. Cav.
 BARNETT, Bettie
 BARNETT, J. J., 14th Inf.
 BASS, Jethro, 14th Inf.
 BEAUMONT, Ben, 10th Cav.
 BISHOP, Nancy P.
 BORROW, George W., 50th Inf.
 BRAKE, Thomas, 14th Inf.
 BRIGHAM, A. C., 1st Hvy. Art.
 BRIGHAM, J. H., 33rd InK.
 BRIGHAM, Lucy A.
 BUCKINGHAM, Jennie
 Alsbrooks
 BUFFORD, Martha Jane
 CASTILE, P. A., 9th Inf.
 CATHEY, Sallie A.
 CAUSEY, Elizabeth
 CAUSEY, H. A., 14th Inf.
 CHARLTON, Mosura Frances
 CHESTER, William, 49th Inf.
 CLINARD, Martha Caroline
 COX, J. R., 1st Ky. Cav.
 COX, Terrasena
 DAUGHERTY, T. J., 1st Hvy. Art.
 DIXON, Mary Elizabeth
 DOUGHTY, Francis M., 2nd Ky. Cav.
 DOUGHTY, Syntha
 DOUGHTY, T. J., 3rd Ky. Inf.
 DOWNS, A., 50th Inf.
 DOWNS, Ann F.
 DYCUS, J. T., 14th Inf.
 ELLIS, A. C., 5th Inf.
 ELLIS, Ellen Ann
 EZELL, Mary F.
 FOWLER, R. H., 50th Inf.
 GAFFORD, Isaac, 49th Inf.
 GANSNER, Nick, 50th Inf.
 GIBBS, T. H., 14th Inf.
 GILLUM, Martha V.
 GORHAM, R. T., 1st & 2nd Ky. Cav.
 GRAHAM, H. C., 50th Inf.
 GRAY, Rebecca C.
 GREENHILL, R. C., 2nd Ky. Cav.
 GREENHILL, Sallie Fredonia
 GRIZZARD, W. H., 2nd Cav.
 GUNSON, W. D., 50th Inf.
 HALLIBURTON, James A., 50th Inf.
 HALLIBURTON, Missouri H.
 HAMLET, John A., 14th Inf.
 HAMPTON, Malisia Colline
 HARRIS, J. R., 48th (Nixon's) Inf.
 HAYS, Bettie

HESTER, Jennie
 HESTER, O. F., 14th Inf.
 HINSON, R. C., 50th Inf.
 HOGAN, Sarah E.
 HORN, C. D., 14th Inf.
 HORN, Ella Barbee
 HUTCHINSON, Andrew, 50th
 HUTCHUSON, M. D., 50th Inf.
 JOHNSON, Gus, 4th Ky. Inf.
 KEEL, Caroline
 KERNELL, T. J., 14th Inf.
 KING, G. W., 50th Inf.
 KING, Mary
 KING, Mary Ann
 LANCASTER, James, 50th Inf.
 LANCASTER, Mary Lane
 LANCASTER, Richard, 14th Inf.
 LANE, John, 16th Ala. Inf.
 LEWIS, Caroline Tennie
 LEWIS, Cornelia Virginia
 LEWIS, G. R., 49th Inf.
 LEWIS, Gorla
 LEWIS, J. G., 50th Inf.
 LEWIS, Tennie
 MARBERY, Jerraldine
 MARTIN, E. P., 10th Cav.
 MARTIN, Irene
 MARTIN, Jerry H., 50th Inf.
 MARTIN, Mary Rebecca
 MATHIS, Ann
 MCCracken, J. A., 1st (Car-
 ter's) Cav.
 MCELROY, R. A., 50th Inf.
 MILES, G. W., 50th Inf.
 MINOR, Charles, 14th Inf.
 MINOR, Margaret P.
 MINOR, Ned, 10th Cav.
 MITCHELL, James W., 50th Inf.
 MOODY, H., 11th Inf.
 MOORE, J. W., 50th Inf.
 MORGAN, Rebecca Jane
 MORRIS, Missouri
 NASH, J. A., 50th Inf.
 NELSON, D. H., 8th (Dibrell's)
 Cav.
 NELUMS, Pink, 14th Inf.
 NICHOLS, Jessie, 84th Va. Militia
 NORFLEETE, George A., 14th
 Inf.
 ODOM, John, 50th Inf.
 ODOM, Rachel Agnes
 PAGE, J. P., 2nd Ky. Cav.
 PARCHMAN, Jesse M., 50th Inf.
 PARCHMAN, W. A., 50th Inf.
 PARKER, Sarah Ann
 PAYNE, James M., 2nd Bn., Ky.
 Mtd. Rifles
 POWELL, William H., 49th Inf.
 POWERS, F. B., 49th Inf.
 PUGH, J. A., 14th Inf.
 PUGH, Sallie A.
 PULLEY, Rufus, 50th Inf.
 RICHARDS, A. C., 50th Inf.
 ROBERTSON, Mary
 ROLLS, Lucy Edith
 RUMFELT, W. H., 50th
 RUSHING, J. P., 50th Inf.
 RUSHING, J. P. H., 1st Art.
 RUSSELL, Mary Sophronia
 SALTER, Peter, 3rd Ky. Mtd. Inf.
 SATTERFIELD, C. C., 50th Inf.
 SATTERFIELD, Kate
 SCARBOROUGH, Martha J.
 SCARBOROUGH, Matilda
 SCARBROUGH, Martha Jeanette

SCOTT, Drewcilla
 SETTLE, George W., 50th Inf.
 SEXTON, ___, 50th Inf.
 SEXTON, John T., 50th Inf.
 SEXTON, Mary M.
 SHEMWELL, W. H., Forrest's
 Old Regt., Cav.
 SHUFF, Isabella Powers
 SIMPSON, Frank M., 1st Ky. Inf.
 SIMPSON, Lackey Elizabeth
 SMITH, A. J., 50th Inf.
 SMITH, Amanda G.
 STACKER, Blanche
 STAGNER, Theodosiah
 STAMPER, Richard, 50th Inf.
 STREET, R. F., 10th & 11th Cav.
 SYKES, Mattie
 SYKES, T. S., 14th Inf.
 TAYLOR, J. M., 50th Inf.
 TAYLOR, John, 50th Inf.
 THACKER, J. C., 49th Inf.
 THOMAS, A. D., 2nd Ky. Cav.
 THOMAS, Martha G.
 THOMAS, Mollie Bell
 THOMASON, Rita
 VINSON, B. P., 50th Inf.
 VINSON, James Calvin, 50th Inf.
 WALKER, Mary
 WALL, J. P., 50th Inf.
 WALL, Louisa
 WALLACE, G. E., 50th Inf.
 WALLACE, J. M., 50th Inf.
 WALLACE, M. M., 50th Inf.
 WALLACE, Sarah Jane
 WALLACE, Willie Alma
 WALLER, Martha Ann
 WALLIS, Nannie
 WALLIS, Taylor, 4th Ky. Inf.
 WASHER, Eliza
 WASHER, James, 14th Inf.
 WEAKS, A. J., 2nd Ky. Cav.
 WEAKS, J. W., 2nd Ky. Cav.
 WEAKS, Mollie A.
 WHITE, J. W. S., 24th Inf.
 WHITFORD, C. C., 1st Hvy. Art
 WHITFORD, Jennie
 WILLIAMS, F. S., 50th Inf.
 WILLIAMS, N. J., 33rd Inf.
 WILSON, Celey Ann
 WIMBERLEY, Ida May
 WIMBERLY, John S. P., 14th Inf.
 WORTHAM, W. E., 15th Inf.
 WYATT, I. W., 50th Inf.
 WYATT, Mary Adaline
 YARBROUGH, Miles, 50th Inf.
 YARBROUGH, N. E., 14th Inf.

Sumner County

ADDY, J. S., 46th Inf.
 ALISON, William P., 3rd (For-
 rest's) Cav.
 ANDERSON, James A., 8th (Di-
 brell's) Cav.
 ANDERSON, James E., 7th Cav.
 ANDERSON, T. B., 28th Inf.
 ANDERSON, William A., Stark's
 Bn., Art.
 ANGLE, L. W., 3rd Ky. Mtd. Inf.
 ANGLEA, Fredonia
 ASKEW, W. T., 44th Inf.
 ATCHISON, B. F., 30th Inf.
 AUSBROOKS, Pleasant H., 25th
 Inf.
 AUSBROOKS, W. C. sr., 44th Inf.

AUSTIN, J. T., 7th Bn (Bennett's)
 Cav.
 BAKER, Catherine
 BAKER, W. P., 30th Inf.
 BARBER, Harriet Lavinia
 BARBER, J. G., 7th Inf.
 BARBER, Manerva
 BARBER, W. A., 30th Inf.
 BARNARD, Elvis, Undetermined
 BARRY, Carrie Franklin
 BARRY, R. W., 30th Inf.
 BATE, H. H., 2nd (Robison's) Inf.
 BATE, James H., 2nd Inf.
 BATE, Nancy D.
 BECK, J. Z., 8th (Dibrell's) Cav.
 BELL, A. E., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
 BELL, Frances
 BELL, Quint S., 22nd (Bartau's)
 Cav.
 BENNETT, William J., 9th
 (Ward's) Cav.
 BERTRAND, Louisa Arterburn
 BIGGS, Hester A.
 BLACKBURN, E. J., 7th Inf.
 BLACKBURN, Mary Elizabeth
 BLACKBURN, Sarah Jane
 BLACKMORE, Matilda A.
 BLAKEMORE, Ada
 BLAKEMORE, H. A., 8th Inf.
 BLANKENSHIP, J. J., 4th
 (McLemore's) Cav.
 BLEDSOE, Alexander Green, 7th
 Inf.
 BLUE, Elizabeth
 BLUE, John F. 2nd (Robison's)
 Inf.
 BOWLING, A., 14th Inf.
 BRADLEY, A. W., 30th Inf.
 BRADLEY, Dora
 BRADLEY, J. W., 30th Inf.
 BRADLEY, Mary Webster
 BRADLEY, Nannie E.
 BRADLEY, T. E., 23rd Inf.
 BRADLEY, W. T., 7th Inf.
 BRANCH, Eugenia
 BRANCH, John, 1st Fla. Reserves
 BRANDON, Charles L., 7th Inf.
 BRANHAM, George, 9th Cav.
 BRANHAM, John W., 9th
 (Ward's) Cav.
 BRASELL, Henry T., 7th (Ben-
 nett's) Cav.
 BRASSWELL, A. D., 7th Ky. Cav.
 BREWER, W. H., 30th Inf.
 BRIGANCE, William M., 1st
 (Turney's) Inf.
 BRIZENDINE, Marion J., 9th
 (Ward's) Cav.
 BROWN, Charles L., 9th
 (Ward's) Cav.
 BROWN, Hiram, 30th Inf.
 BROWN, J. P., 20th Inf.
 BROWN, J. W., 20th Inf.
 BROWN, James D., 4th
 (McLemore's) Cav.
 BROWN, James P., 20th Inf.
 BROWN, Kittie
 BROWN, Sallie A.
 BRUCE, Finis, 30th Inf.
 BRUCE, James M., 18th
 BUCK, Elias J., 9th (Bennett's)
 Cav.
 BUCK, Martha E.
 BURK, M. A., 7th Inf.
 BURNLEY, Melvina

BURNLEY, William Daniel, 7th
 Ky. Cav.
 BURNS, Brunnette
 BURNS, Elizabeth
 BURREY, Prudic F.
 BYRAM, A. C., 30th
 BYRN, Bettie
 BYRNS, J. W., 22nd (Bartau's)
 Cav.
 CALDWELL, Hardy, 20th Inf.
 CALDWELL, Nancy
 CALWELL, Hardy, sr., 1st Cav.
 CANNON, G. B., 22nd
 (Bartau's) Cav.
 CANNON, L. 4.
 CANTRELL, Florence Hart
 CARMAN, John, 9th Cav.
 CARTER, Bettie
 CARTER, J. W., 20th
 CARTER, Joseph, 9th (Ward's)
 Cav.
 CARTER, W. N., 7th Cav.
 CHAPPELL, Angeline N.
 CHENAULT, Colby, 9th (Ward's)
 Cav.
 CLARK, A. J., Hamilton's Bn.,
 Cav.
 CLARK, Charles, 9th (Ward's)
 Cav.
 CLARK, Edward F., 44th Inf.
 CLARK, Henry, 17th Inf.
 CLARK, Martha Louise
 CLARK, Richard, 20th Inf.
 CLENDENING, J. C., 5th Inf.
 CLENDENING, J. S., 9th Cav.
 CLENDENING, Isori
 CLINE, Louisa E.
 COCKE, Samuella
 COCKRELL, E. O., 12th Cav.
 COLEMAN, Amy L. [Hollins]
 COLES, G. M., 4th (McLemore's)
 Cav.
 COLLEY, W. G., 22nd (Bartau's)
 Cav.
 COLLINS, Mary Adaline
 COOLEY, Missouri Tennessee
 COOPER, Martin, 55th Inf.
 CORUM, H. C., 28th Inf.
 CORUM, Rachel Frances
 COVINGTON, J. F., 13th Inf.
 COVINGTON, Matilda
 CRABB, J. F., 2nd Inf.
 CRABB, William, 2nd Cav.
 CREAMY, Joseph, 1st Cav.
 CRON, Anne Elizabeth
 CRON, J. E., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
 CROUCH, Franklin Jackson,
 55th Inf.
 CULBREATH, John R., 7th Bn.,
 Cav.
 CULBREATH, Mary Jane
 CUNNINGHAM, Calvin, 7th Inf.
 CUNNINGHAM, Lucy B.
 CUNNINGHAM, Tim L., 2nd Inf.
 DAUGHTRY, Ellen C.
 DAUGHTRY, William Thomas,
 30th Inf.
 DAVIS, Francis M., 20th Inf.
 DAVIS, Lucindia
 DAVIS, Nancy Elizabeth
 DEMPSEY, Ann E.
 DEVASHER, A. L., 1st Ky. Cav.
 DISMUKES, G. W., 21st Ala. Inf.
 DOBBINS, Susie Ida
 DOBBS, Samantha E.

DORRIS, Henry Jane
DORRIS, Isaac N., 30th Inf.
DORRIS, Isah T., 7th Inf.
DORRIS, James D., 14th Inf.
DORRIS, Louisa Agnes
DOUGLASS, Charles S., 30th Inf.
DOUGLASS, R., 9th (Bennett's) Cav.
DUER, C. L., 30th Inf.
DUFFER, Margaret A.
DUFFER, Millie
DUFFER, Robert A., 7th Cav.
DUNCAN, James D., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
DUNN, Allen S. H., 14th Inf.
DURHAM, F. G., 20th Inf.
DURHAM, J. H., 20th Inf.
DURHAM, Leoni Alis
DURHAM, W. M., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
DURHAM, William E., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
DURHAM, William M., 20th Inf.
ECHOLS, J. B., 9th (Bennett's) Cav.
EDMONDSON, Sarah Boid
EIDSON, J. R., 7th Inf.
EIDSON, Josiah R., 7th Inf.
EIDSON, Missouri A.
ELAM, Daniel W., 7th Inf.
ELAM, Martha E.
ELIZER, T. D., 44th Inf.
ELLIOTT, S. F., 2nd (Robison's) Inf.
ELLIOTT, William S., 7th Inf.
ELLIS, Thomas S., 30th Inf.
ESCUE, A., 44th Inf.
ESCUE, Lucinda M.
ESSEX, T. H., 20th Inf.
FIKES, Harrier F.
FINN, William R., 22nd Bn., Inf.
FITE, E. C., Sterling's Co., Hvy. Art.
FITE, Susie Comer
FLEMING, Mary H.
FOSTER, Oliver H., 7th Inf.
FOWLER, H. T., 22nd (Bartreau's) Cav.
FOWLER, Patience
FRANKLIN, Bettie
FRANKLIN, Bettie P.
FRAZOR, J. M., 6th Ark. Inf.
FRAZOR, Margaret Jane
FRAZOR, W. A., 44th Inf.
FREEDLE, O. H., 2nd Inf.
FREY, C. J., 30th Inf.
FULGRUM, Sylvanus, 30th Inf.
GANT, Christian Elizabeth
GANT, Malinda Frances
GANTT, W. H., 1st Cav.
GARDNER, John A., 10th Inf.
GARRETT, J. W., 44th
GARRETT, James B., 7th Inf.
GILLESPIE, Eliza Watkins
GILLESPIE, Jessie C., 7th Inf.
GILLIAM, David M. S., 20th Inf.
GILLIAM, Lucy S.
GILLIAM, Millie A.
GILLIAM, W. B., 20th
GLENN, T. S., 2nd (Robison's) Inf.
GLOVER, I. L., 44th Inf.
GOOSTREE, T. J., 30th Inf.
GOSSETT, Jack, 30th Inf.
GOURLEY, Mary L.

GOURLY, EvelInf.
GRAINGER, Gervis D., 6th Ky. Inf.
GRAINGER, Ora Walton
GRAVES, G. J., 20th Inf.
GRAY, J. W., 7th Inf.
GRAY, Lucy Ann
GRAY, Mary A.
GRAY, W. A., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
GRAY, William M., 7th Inf.
GREEN, Anna M.
GREGORY, William A., 24th Inf.
GRIMM, A., 13th Cav.
GUTHRIE, J. M., 9th (Bennett's) Cav.
GWIN, Mary Ann Eliza
HALE, Ferrie
HALE, H. B., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
HALE, John W., 4th Cav.
HAMILTON, John L., 2nd Inf.
HANNAH, Harriet Susan
HARPER, Martha Frances
HARRIS, Louisa
HARRIS, T. G., 20th Inf.
HARRIS, Thomas G., 20th Inf.
HARRISON, Mary Elizabeth
HAYNES, H. C., 2nd Inf.
HAYNES, Marinda Ellen
HEAD, M. E., 2nd (Robison's) Inf.
HEATH, A. J., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
HENLEY, P. B., 23rd Va. Inf.
HENLEY, Sarah Ann
HENRY, M. S., 2nd Cav.
HENRY, Mary Fitzpatrick
HERRING, J. T., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
HERRING, Mary Jane
HERRING, Mollie Isabella
HESTER, R. m., 14th Bn., Ala. Cav.
HIBBETT, A. J., Allison's Squadron, Cav.
HICKS, James M., 30th Inf.
HICKS, Sofrona Jane
HIGGASON, Thomas H., 18th Inf.
HIGGERSON, L. D., 44th Inf.
HILL, Robert G., 24th Inf.
HILL, Sophia Reddick
HINES, Elmira
HINES, Thomas L., 23rd Inf.
HINSLEY, W. M., 7th Inf.
HINSLEY, William, 7th Inf.
HODGES, Harriet F.
HODGES, R. A., 44th Inf.
HODGES, Susan A.
HOLDER, Mary Rose
HOLLIS, William, 30th Inf.
HOLMES, Amanda Mildina
HOLMES, Calvin B., 20th Inf.
HOLMES, Julia Ann
HOLMES, R. Y., 20th Inf.
HOLT, A. Y.
HONEYCUTT, James A., 8th Ky. Inf.
HOOPER, Frances A.
HOOPER, Myra Cantrell
HORNBUCKLE, J. W., 49th Inf.
HOWARD, W. J. F., 2nd Ky. Cav.
HUDGINS, Sarah
HUDGINS, Sarah
HUGGINS, Sarah
HUGHES, Joseph, 24th Inf.
HUGHLETT, James, 30th Inf.
HUGHLETT, Susan
HUNNICUTT, Harriet L.
HUNTER, George W., 30th Inf.

HUNTER, W., 3001 Inf.
HUBELL, Pendleton, 6th Inf.
HUBELL, William, 59th Inf.
JACKSON, James A., 20th Inf.
JACKSON, Theodora Fagundus
JACKSON, W. C., 9th (Bennett's) Cav.
JACKSON, Alfred, 9th (Bennett's) Cav.
JOHNSON, Diza A.
JOHNSON, T. P., 2nd Inf.
JONES, Eliza Grideon
JONES, Polly
JONES, Raymond, 2nd (Robison's) Inf.
JONES, Sallie E.
JONES, T. A., 6th Ky. Inf.
KARR, R. W., 6th Ky. Inf.
KARR, Sarah
KEEN, Emily J.
KELLEY, Albert, 30th Inf.
KENDALL, Frank, 8th
KENDALL, Martha
KEY, George, 44th Inf.
KING, Joseph, 9th (Bennett's) Cav.
KING, W. B., 6th Ark. Inf.
KIRBY, F. M., 30th Inf.
KIRK, Harriet L.
KIRK, W. T., 9th Cav.
KIRKHAM, Jane
KIRKHAM, Thomas, Undetermined
KIZER, J. B., 9th (Bennett's) Cav.
LAWRENCE, Cynthia L.
LAWRENCE, Robert F., 4th Inf.
LAWRENCE, Thomas J., 30th Inf.
LEE, John, 20th Inf.
LEE, Joshua S., 55th Inf.
LEE, M. B., 8th Cav.
LEE, Mariah
LEE, Matilda F.
LEGG, George W., 30th Inf.
LEGG, William E., 7th Cav.
LEGGETT, Marthy Jane
LEWIS, David, 16th Inf.
LEWIS, Sarah E.
LEWIS, T. J., 44th Inf.
LIGON, Augustus B., 23rd Inf.
LINK, Clarinda
LINK, R. H., 30th
LINK, Thomas W., 2nd Cav.
LITTLETON, Mary Louise
LIVINGSTON, Louisa
LIVINGSTON, R. N., 24th Inf.
LOVE, Thomas R., 9th (Bennett's) Cav.
LOVELL, Mary Elizabeth
LOVELL, R. E., 13th Inf.
MALONE, J. B., 2nd (Robison's) Inf.
MALONE, John W., 22nd (Bartreau's) Cav.
MALONE, Katie
MARSHALL H. H., 18th Inf.
MARSHALL, William H., 18th Inf.
MARTIN, G. W., 9th (Bennett's) Cav.
MARTIN, Mary Ann
MATHERLY, D. F., 7th
MATHERLY, Mary Elizabeth
MATHIS, John A., 2nd Ky. Inf.
MAXWELL, J. C., 30th Inf.
MAY, W. H., 9th (Bennett's) Cav.

MAYES, J. F., 30th Inf.
MCADAMS, James B., 20th Inf.
MCADAMS, Sarah Elizabeth
MCCOLGAN, J. T., 14th Ky. Cav.
MCCORMACK, Dollie R.
MCKINLEY, W. J., 7th Inf.
MCKOIN, John G., 30th Inf.
MCMURTRY, J. H., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
MCMURTRY, Mattie O. Uttey
MCNEILL, J. B., 2nd Inf.
MCQUIRTER, Patience
MILES, John, Undetermined
MILLER, J. K., 30th Inf.
MILLER, William Henderson, 28th Inf.
MONCRIEF, T. J., 24th Inf.
MOODY, Amanda R.
MOODY, James A., 2nd Inf.
MORGAN, John W., 20th Inf.
MORRIS, Gemima
MORRIS, J. W., 30th Inf.
MORRIS, Samuel W., 20th Inf.
MORRIS, Sarah Catherine
MORRIS, W. C., 20th Inf.
MOYE, Henry Williamson, 12th Ky. Cav.
MYERS, T. P., 28th Inf.
NEWSOM, E. M., 4th (McLemore's) Cav.
NUCKOLLS, Sue Douglass
ODOM, J. T. E., 9th (Bennett's) Cav.
ONEAL, Julia
OVERTON, John W., 24th Inf.
OVERTON, Lizzie
PARIS, Bettie
PARIS, John R., 2nd Inf.
PARKS, J. R., 25th Inf.
PATTERSON, Mary Boddie
PAYNE, Elizabeth
PERDUE, F. M., 30th Inf.
PERRY, Hannah
PERRY, J. AdalInf.
PHILLIP, James D., 20th Inf.
PIERSON, James W., 30th Inf.
PIKE, Frances M.
PIKE, John F., 2nd Inf.
PILLOW, John A., 13th Ark. Inf.
PIPER, Eliza Agnes
PIPER, Joseph H., 7th Inf.
POND, A. J., 30th Inf.
POND, Amanda West
POND, Smith, 2nd (Robison's) Inf.
POOL, Corille
POOL, John W., 25th
PRUETT, Louisa L.
PRUETT, Mary Angeline
RAMER, John, 55th Inf.
RAMSEY, Cornelia
RANSOM, W. H., 8th Inf.
READ, William B., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
REDDICK, Sarah J.
REED, Margaret Catherine
REESE, J. H., 20th Inf.
REYNOLDS, Nat, 30th Inf.
RIGGSBEE, Eliza
RIGGSBEE, S. B., 9th (Bennett's) Cav.
RIGSBY, Myra Ann
RIPPEY, S. L., 9th Cav.
RIPPY, Emily Elizabeth
RIPPY, Isaac, 6th (Wheeler's)

Cav.
 RIPPY, J. M., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
 RIPPY, James W., 9th (Ward's)
 Cav.
 RIPPY, Joseph, 20th Inf.
 RIPPY, Josephine
 RIPPY, Mary L.
 RIPPY, Sydney, 20th Inf.
 RIPPY, T. W., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
 RIPPY, Wm. W., 20th Cav.
 ROARK, Mary Elizabeth
 ROARK, Rhoda
 ROBERTSON, Ella
 ROBERTSON, James W., 2nd
 (Robison's) Inf.
 ROBERTSON, Mary Evaline
 ROBINSON, Nancy J.
 ROGERS, Sarah Elizabeth
 ROOKER, Lizzie Collier
 RUSSELL, Frances
 RUTHERFORD, Bettie Moore
 RUTLEDGE, E. B., 9th Cav.
 RUTLEDGE, Louisa
 RUTLEDGE, Sallie
 SADLER, Ellen
 SANDERS, Norvell D., 18th Miss.
 Inf.
 SATTERWHITE, W. H. B., 55th
 N.C. Inf.
 SAVELY, Almeda Frances
 SAVELY, William H., 9th
 (Ward's) Cav.
 SCHELL, Bettie Martin
 SCHLUTER, G. W., Lane's Tex.
 Rangers
 SCOTT, James N., 30th Inf.
 SEARCY, R. T., 7th Inf.
 SEAY, Ella M.
 SENTER, M. F., 20th Inf.
 SHAUB, C. J., 7th Inf.
 SHAUB, Lou Clay
 SHAW, Sarah E.
 SHY, George Washington, 30th
 Inf.
 SIMMONS, C. N., 6th (Wheeler's)
 Cav.
 SIMPSON, Allis
 SINDLE, Grace G.
 SINDLE, Robert H., 2nd Inf.
 SKIMERHORN, Malinda
 SMITH, D. H., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
 SMITH, John W., 2nd Ky. Inf.
 SMITH, Mary E.
 SMITH, William H., 45th Inf.
 SMITHSON, J. H., 20th Inf.
 STEWART, R. A., 45th Inf.
 STONE, W. C., 20th Inf.
 STRATTON, G. B., 44th Inf.
 SUTTON, C. M., 2nd (Robison's)
 Inf.
 TAYLOR, W. H., 2nd Cav.
 TEMPLETON, E. J., 24th Inf.
 TERRY, Hattie Smith
 TERRY, John H., 2nd (Robison's)
 Inf.
 THOMPSON, Hardy, 9th (Ben-
 nett's) Cav.
 THOMPSON, James W., 24th Inf.
 THOMPSON, R. A., 7th Inf.
 THORNBURG, Nora
 TITTLE, George W., Kain's Co.,
 Lt. Art.
 TROUTT, Katherine
 TROUTT, Lydia
 TURNER, J. Net, 2nd (Robison's)

Inf.
 TURNER, Sarah Elizabeth
 VERTREES, _r, 6th Ky. Cav.
 VINSON, Thomas S.
 WAGONER, Louisa Frances
 WALLACE, E. D., 2nd (Ro-
 bison's) Int.
 WALLACE, Phebe A.
 WALTON, Urildia Carson
 WARMACK, John P., 44th Inf.
 WARREN, W. N., 9th (Bennett's)
 Cav.
 WEBB, Drucilla
 WEST, C. A.
 WEST, J. W., 9th Cav.
 WEST, Thomas W., 20th Inf.
 WILKES, Ulyses L., 9th (Ben-
 nett's) Cav.
 WILKINSON, Charles W., 9th
 (Bennett's) Cav.
 WILKINSON, Thomas J., 22nd
 Cav.
 WILKS, John T., 2nd (Robison's)
 Inf.
 WILKS, Josephine
 WILKS, Sallie Gibson
 WILLIAMS, H. T., 7th Inf.
 WILLIAMS, Joseph F., 7th Inf.
 WILSON, Samuel Franklin, 2nd
 (Robison's) Inf.
 WILSON, William T., 17th Inf.
 WINHAM, James, 7th Inf.
 WISEMAN, W. Y., 9th Cav.
 WOMACK, William D., 5th Inf.
 WOODWARD, W. J., 2nd Cav.
 WORLEY, Lucy Elender
 WRAY, Emily F.
 WRAY, George F., 20th Inf.
 WRIGHT, D. L., 30th Inf.
 WRIGHT, Mary J.
 WRIGHT, Penelope E.
 WRIGHT, R. B., 2nd (Robison's)
 Inf.
 WRIGHT, Scoggins, 30th Inf.
 WYLLIE, Allen L., 2nd (Ro-
 bison's) Inf.
 YOUNG, Narcissa
 YOUNG, Wright, 4th
 (McLemore's) Cav.
 YOUNG, Anthony P.
 YOUNG, Henry, 2nd Cav.
 YOUNG, Patrick S., 2nd Inf.

Trousdale County

ADAMS, Eliza Jane
 ALLEN, Chelton, 22nd (Barteau's)
 Cav.
 ALLEN, Sarah C.
 ANDREWS, W. H., 9th (Ward's)
 Cav.
 AVERITF, E. W., 2nd Inf.
 BASKERVILLE, J. A., 2nd
 (Smith's) Cav.
 BASKERVILLE, Pattie Pursley
 BELCHER, Mary Jane
 BLACKWELL, A. H., 8th Inf.
 BLACKWELL, John Y., 8th Inf.
 BLACKWELL, Leathy Jane
 BROOKS, C. G., 8th (Smith's) Cav.
 BROOKS, W. H., 23rd Inf.
 BROWN, R. F., 2nd (Robison's)
 Inf.
 BUGG, R. W., 2nd (Robison's) Inf.
 BUNDY, Penelipy

BURGESS, J. M., 17th Inf.
 BYRD, D. T., 9th (Bennett's) Cav.
 BYRD, Jane
 CARMAN, Emma
 CARMAN, T. G., 8th Inf.
 CARNEY, Joshua, 9th Cav.
 CARNEY, Leacy
 CARR, Elizabeth Arthula
 CARR, James, 24th Inf.
 CARR, Pattie Ann
 CARSON, James L., 30th Inf.
 CORNWELL, F. C., 9th (Bennett's)
 Cav.
 CRENSHAW, J. M., 2nd (Ro-
 bison's) Inf.
 CRENSHAW, Sinai T.
 CUNNINGHAM, Lenora Stalcup
 DALTON, J. C., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
 DARWIN, J. W., 25th Inf.
 DEBOW, A. B., Raum's Co., Miss.
 Cav.
 DICE, John S., 8th Inf.
 DONOHO, A. G. sr., 2nd (Ro-
 bison's) Inf.
 DUFFER, W. T., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
 DUNN, James, 7th Cav.
 ELROD, Elizabeth
 ERWIN, William A., 22nd
 (Barteau's) Cav.
 EVETTS, J. W., 9th (Ward's) Cav.
 FRANKLIN, W. C., 13th Inf.
 FREEDLE, J. H., 9th (Ward's)
 Cav.
 FUQUA, Sarah Jane
 GAMMON, John M., 30th Inf.
 GREEN, Catherine
 GREGORY, W. J., 24th Inf.
 HALE, Talmage H.
 HALE, W. J., 2nd (Robison's) Inf.
 HALL, Nannie L.
 HANLEY, Frances
 HANLEY, N. B., 8th Inf.
 HENRY, J. M., 55th Inf.
 HENRY, West (Wess), 2nd & 21st
 Cav.
 HIGH, C. D., 23rd Inf.
 HIGH, Sallie
 HINES, Thomas L., 23rd Inf.
 HINES, William E., 20th Inf.
 HOBBS, J. T., 4th (McLemore's)
 Cav.
 HUGHES, James B., 4th
 (McLemore's) Cav.
 JONES, Alfred W., 9th (Ward's)
 Cav.
 JONES, J. M., 24th Inf.
 JONES, T. J., 30th Inf.
 JONES, Thomas, 30th Inf.
 JOYNER, Sue
 JOYNER, Thomas H., 9th (Ben-
 nett's) Cav.
 LEE, Eliza Jane
 LEE, Harriet Louise
 LEE, John F., 23rd Inf.
 MCCLARD, Leah Elvada
 MCCLARD, T. J., 8th Inf.
 MEADOR, Martha Sue
 NEELY, Mary Jane
 NEELY, W. J., 20th Inf.
 NEWSOM, Amelia
 OGLESBY, Clara M.
 OGLESBY, D. F., 2nd Cav.
 OGLESBY, Mary E. [Wiseman]
 PAYNE, Tillman Price, 4th Cav.

PETTWAY, J. M., 9th (Bennett's)
 Cav.
 PURYEAR, Louisa Wardie
 RANKIN, Ruth J.
 REESE, B. P., 22nd (Barteau's)
 Cav.
 REESE, Bettie Armstrong
 REESE, Bettie Wase
 REESE, Frances M.
 REESE, Wade, 24th Inf.
 SANDERS, Benjamin F., 2nd Inf.
 SANDERS, Virginia F.
 SANFORD, G. W., 22nd
 (Barteau's) Cav.
 SEAY, Benjamin, 57th Va. Inf.
 SHEPPARD, Dora Fitts
 SHEPPARD, Endora
 SMITH, Henry C., 4th Cav.
 STALCUP, Sallie Louisa
 STOCKER, Alexander Y., 2nd
 (Robison's) Inf.
 STONE, Ellen J.
 STORY, Mary Susan
 WILLIAMS, Eliza A.
 WISEMAN, Howell, 30th Inf.
 WISEMAN, John W., 9th Cav.

Van Buren County

BOULDIN, Ann
 CLARK, C. H., 16th Inf.
 CUMMINGS, J. D., 35th Inf.
 DODSON, Noah, 1st Inf.
 GRISSOM, Ann
 GRISSOM, J. C., 38th Inf.
 GRISSOM, Permelia
 GRISSOM, S. B., 8th (Dibrell's)
 Cav.
 GROVES, G. W., 10th Inf.
 HASTING, Mirah
 HASTON, John T., 1st Cav.
 HASTON, Samuel S., 16th Inf.
 HEAD, Thomas A., 16th Inf.
 HEAD, W. H., 16th Inf.
 HILLIS, Lawson H., 38th Inf.
 HILLIS, Woodson P., 22nd Inf.
 HITCHCOCK, John, 35th Inf.
 JOHNSON, J. M., 35th Inf.
 JONES, T. W., 50th Inf.
 KIRBY, Laban, 8th Cav.
 LAWSON, Elizabeth
 MADEWELL, James, Unas-
 signed (Shoe Maker)
 MARTIN, James I., 16th Inf.
 MAYNARD, Britana
 MAYNARD, K. M., 1st Confeder-
 ate Cav.
 MCBRIDE, William P., 5th
 MCCOY, John L., 8th (Dibrell's)
 Cav.
 MOONEYHAM, John C., 35th
 MORGAN, I. C., 35th Inf.
 MORGAN, Jennie B.
 PAINE, Benjamin W., 22nd Inf.
 PAINE, W. R., 16th Inf.
 POORE, S. C., 8th Cav.
 RILEY, Catherine
 RUTLEDGE, James, 25th Inf.
 SCOTT, William W., 22nd Bn., Inf.
 SHOCKLEY, Lewis, 5th Inf.
 SHOCKLEY, Rachel
 SIMMONS, Bryant, Unassigned
 SIMONS, George W., 35th Inf.
 SLATTEN, A. C., Unassigned
 SPARKMAN, Cynthia Jane

SPARKMAN, Sol, 8th Cav.
 SPARKMAN, T. B., 35th Inf.
 STIPE, A. J., 16th Inf.
 WALKER, Joe H., 16th
 WALLING, Shelby, 16th Inf.
 WARD, Rufus, 16th Inf.
 WORTHINGTON, Samuel Sr.,
 16th Inf.
 YATES, Larkin, 5th Cav.

Warren County

ALLEY, Amanda
 ALLISON, Hester
 ALLISON, William, 35th Inf.
 ARGO, Lizzie
 ARRINGTON, Elizabeth C.
 AYERS, Delilah Jane
 BAILEY, Jennie
 BAILEY, Robert, 18th Inf.
 BAIN, Jasper, 4th (Murray's) Cav.
 BAIN, Palestine
 BARNES, Isaac, 35th Inf.
 BARNES, Jehu, 1st Ga. Inf.
 BARNES, M., 35th Inf.
 BASS, John W., 5th Inf.
 BASS, Rachel
 BELL, William A., 16th Inf.
 BENNETT, Nancy
 BESS, Tempy
 BESS, Wiley, 16th Inf.
 BIRCH, G. W., 1st Cav.
 BLACKWELL, John, 35th Inf.
 BLACKWELL, Margaret Eiline
 BLAIR, Cornelia E.
 BLAIR, John B., 35th Inf.
 BLANKS, H. W., 16th Inf.
 BLANKS, John S. B., 16th Inf.
 BLOCK, Mary Margarette
 BOLIN, M. B., 35th Inf.
 BOND, John B. W., 35th Inf.
 BONNER, Ann Eliza
 BONNER, Miles, 11th (Hol-
 man's) Cav.
 BOREN, M. D., 35th Inf.
 BOREN, Paralee Williams
 BOTTOMS, Marandy
 BOULDIN, Elizabeth
 BOUNDS, Talitha
 BOUNDS, W. C., 2nd Miss. Inf.
 BOUNDS, William C., 2nd Inf.
 BOWERS, Ephraim, 35th Inf.
 BOWERS, Mary E.
 BRADY, Samuel, 1st (Carter's)
 Cav.
 BREEDLOVE, Christopher Co-
 lumbus, Unassigned
 BREWER, James R., 35th Inf.
 BROWN, John, Tenn. Confed-
 erate Regt.
 BROWN, Parlee
 BULLARD, Benjamin, 23rd Inf.
 BULLEN, W. S., 16th Inf.
 BUTLER, W. Solomon, 16th Inf.
 BYARS, D. W., 16th Inf.
 BYNUM, E. J., 8th (Smith's) Cav.
 BYNUM, Sarah Roxie
 CALLAHAM, A. H., 24th Inf.
 CALLAHAN, Jennie
 CAMPBELL, J. D., 4th Cav.
 CANTRELL, Cleve A., 16th Inf.
 CANTRELL, D. W., 16th Inf.
 CANTRELL, Elizabeth
 CANTRELL, L. R., 11th Ga. Cav.
 CANTRELL, Mary Ellen

CANTRELL, P. F., 22nd Bn., Inf.
 CANTRELL, Sue
 CARTWELL, James, 11th (Hol-
 man's) Cav.
 CASTELMAN, Jacob M., 16th Inf.
 CHISOM, J. W., 38th Inf.
 CHRISTIAN, Mary Elizabeth
 CLENDENEN, Eliza
 CLENDENEN, J. N., 16th Inf.
 COCK, Anna F.
 COFFEE, A. S., 1st Ark. Cav.
 COTTEN, William A., 16th Int.
 COUCH, Nancy P.
 CUMMINGS, Berthany
 CUMMINGS, William T., 22nd
 (Bartean's) Cav.
 CUNNINGHAM, Sarah Jane
 CURL, Mary Disney
 DAVENPORT, Walter R., 3rd Cav.
 DAVIS, Bettie
 DAVIS, John, 35th Inf.
 DAVIS, Sarah Elizabeth
 DAVIS, T. J., 16th Inf.
 DEAKINS, Nancy
 DENTON, O. D., 35th Inf.
 DENTON, Samantha Jane
 DODSON, Kate
 DOUGLASS, J. P., 16th Inf.
 DOVE, James W., 25th Inf.
 DOVE, Susie
 DRAKE, Lucy
 DYER, Ephraim, Thomas' Le-
 gion, N.C.
 EARLE, William T., Undeter-
 mined
 EARLES, James, 44th Inf.
 EARLES, Minerva D.
 EARLES, Sophia
 ELAM, Dora
 EMERY, F. M., 4th Cav.
 EMORY, Isaac Carroll, 35th Inf.
 ENGLAND, T. J., 19th Ala. Inf.
 ETTER, Ada Gertrude
 ETTER, George H., 16th Inf.
 ETTER, Roysdon R., 16th Inf.
 EWTON, C. J., 5th Inf.
 FARLESS, James M., 4th
 (McLemore's) Cav.
 FARLISS, James, 35th Inf.
 FOSTER, Tennessee Josephine
 FOUTCH, J. C., 24th Inf.
 FOUTCH, Julie Emaline
 FRAZIER, T. M., 35th Inf.
 FREEZE, S. H., 4th Inf.
 FUSTON, J. S., 4th (Murray's)
 Cav.
 GANNON, W. H., 8th (Smith's) Cav.
 GARDNER, Stephen G., 4th (Mur-
 ray's) Cav.
 GARNES, R. C., 35th Inf.
 GOODSON, C., 25th Inf.
 GOODSON, Thomas R., 25th Inf.
 GREEN, Elias H., 16th Inf.
 GRIBBLE, J. M. (Dock), 38th Inf.
 GRIBBLE, Julia Miller
 GROVE, J. R., 22th (Holman's)
 Cav.
 GROVE, Mary E.
 HALEY, G. W., 22th Cav.
 HANKINS, J. T., 2nd Cav.
 HARDCASTLE, Joseph P., 35th
 Inf.
 HARRISON, Jessie Miles
 HAWKINS, Joe I., 11th (Hol-
 man's) Cav.

HAYES, Henry Lafayette, 16th
 Inf.
 HAYES, Nancy Jane
 HELTON, F. M., 35th Inf.
 HENNESSEE, Cora
 HENNESSEE, John, 35th Inf.
 HENSLEY, Susan Organ
 HIGGINBOTHAM, Aaron, 16th
 Inf.
 HILL, Eugenia
 HILL, I. B., 5th Inf.
 HILL, W. I., 11th (Holman's) Cav.
 HILLIS, M. Jane
 HILLIS, Robert O., 16th Inf.
 HOBBS, Sarah Dikes
 HOLDER, William, 5th Inf.
 HOLLIS, R. G., 8th (Smith's) Cav.
 HOLLIS, W. J., 18th Inf.
 HOLMES, W. S., 4th
 (McLemore's) Cav.
 HOOVER, James M., 2nd Inf.
 HOWARD, Martha Evelyn
 HUGHES, Aaron, 16th Inf.
 HUGHES, John C., 16th Inf.
 HUGHES, Mary
 HUGHES, Nannie Frances
 HUTCHERSON, Z. R., 4th Ky. Inf.
 JACKSON, Jeff, 9th Bn.
 (Gannt's) Cav.
 JACO, John W., 5th Inf.
 JACO, O. D., 35th Inf.
 JEFRIES, Nancy Callie
 JONES, Eli, 11th Cav.
 JONES, Harriet
 JONES, James, 16th Inf.
 JONES, Mary Adeline
 JONES, Noah, 5th Inf.
 JONES, Ruth Ann
 KELL, Rebecca Lugana
 KIDD, J. J., 28th Cav.
 KILLIAM, Lennie L.
 KILLIAN, Jeremiah, 3rd (For-
 rest's) Cav.
 KING, H. J., 16th Inf.
 KING, John H., 5th Ark. Inf.
 KIRBY, J. C. J., 16th Inf.
 KIRBY, Malinda J.
 KIZER, Mollie
 LANCE, J. J., 11th Cav.
 LANCE, J. N., 11th Cav.
 LANE, Emma C.
 LEEPER, Hallie M. Coffee
 LEIPER, James A., 11th (Hol-
 man's) Cav.
 LOWRY, F. C., 35th Inf.
 LOWRY, Sarah A.
 MADEWELL, Emma
 MARTIN, B. C., 35th Inf.
 MARTIN, Ellen B.
 MARTIN, J. M., 28th Cav.
 MARTIN, Mary Emma
 MARTIN, Ransom Gwyn, 16th
 Inf.
 MARTIN, Sampson, 16th Inf.
 MASEY, L. R., 11th Cav.
 MCBRIDE, Jane
 MCBRIDE, Matthew, 16th Inf.
 MCBRIDE, W. C., 16th Inf.
 MCCORMACK, Lucy Jane
 MCGEE, John A., 5th Inf.
 MCGREGOR, Cora
 MCGREGOR, Marshall, 35th Inf.
 MCGREGOR, Mary Wallace
 MEDLEY, Laura Ann
 MILLER, David, 16th Inf.

MILLER, Martha Nesbet
 MILLER, Obediah, 23rd N.C. Inf.
 MITCHELL, J. A., 35th Inf.
 MOFFITT, Mary Ann
 MORFORD, Henry C., 11th (Hol-
 man's) Cav.
 MORFORD, Mollie C.
 MORGAN, Mary Elizabeth
 MORGAN, Zachariah, 35th Inf.
 MORROW, Hugh J., 5th Inf.
 MORROW, Robert L., 35th Inf.
 MORTON, Mary Byars
 MORTON, Mary E.
 MULLICAN, N. E.
 MULLICAN, P. G., Home Guards
 MULLICAN, William W., 16th Inf.
 MUNCY, E. H., 8th (Smith's) Cav.
 MURPHY, D. F., 4th Cav.
 NEWBY, Mattie Paralee
 NEWBY, Nancy F.
 NEWBY, William H., 11th (Hol-
 man's) Cav.
 NUNNELLY, Victoria
 NUNNELLY, Edwin, Undetermined
 NUNNELLY, W. R., 16th
 ODOM, Daniel, 4th Inf.
 OWEN, Dansada
 PARKER, Ella Maude
 PARKER, Esta Lee
 PARKS, George W., 16th Inf.
 PATRICK, John, 35th Inf.
 PATTERSON, N., 35th Inf.
 PATTON, J. M., 16th Inf.
 PENNINGTON, C., 35th Inf.
 PENNINGTON, Delila Caroline
 PERRY, Susan
 PIKE, Hugh P., 63rd Int.
 PINGER, William M., 1st Bn.
 (Colin's) Inf.
 PITMAN, Florence A.
 POTTER, Martha Ann
 POWELL, Armina
 POWELL, Henry, 16th Inf.
 POWELL, John W., 35th Inf.
 POWELL, Martha Matilda
 PRYOR, J. L., 18th Inf.
 PURSER, Joshua, 5th Inf.
 PURSER, Luke, 16 Inf.
 QUICK, Columbia Elizabeth
 QUICK, Jennie
 RAINS, William P., 4th (Mur-
 ray's) Cav.
 REEDER, Telilha Cantrell
 RHEAY, Bettie
 RICHARDS, J. A., 8th (Smith's)
 Cav.
 RIGGS, John R., 11th (Holman's)
 Cav.
 ROBERTS, F. M., 16th Inf.
 ROLAND, Martha Jane
 ROMANS, Solomon, 35th Inf.
 ROWAN, E. S., 16th Inf.
 ROWAN, Lucy
 ROWLAND, Martha
 RUSSELL, Mary Caroline
 RUSSELL, W. H., 16th Inf.
 RUSSELL, W. N., 16th Inf.
 SAFLEY, Ramolina
 SAFLEY, Robert M., 16th Inf.
 SANDERS, Rachel
 SANDERS, William, 11th Cav.
 SELLARS, M. L., 35th Inf.
 SEWELL, S. H., 8th Cav.
 SHERLEY, Margaret E.
 SHIELDS, L. V.

SHIRLEY, J. W., 35th Inf.
 SIMMONS, William, 35th Inf.
 SIMPSON, J. F., 13th Cav.
 SKELTON, W. J., 35th Inf.
 SLATTEN, John, 16th Inf.
 SMALLMAN, M. D., 13th (Gore's) Cav.
 SMITH, Allen, 16th Inf.
 SMITH, Cattie
 SMITHSMITH, __, B., 16th Inf.
 SMITH, William, 35th Inf.
 SMITHSON, Martha Jane
 SPARKMAN, Mary Ellen
 SPARKMAN, Permelia
 STAINBACK, Mary Jane
 STANLEY, Christina Cox
 STEVENS, Frances Tennessee
 STEVENS, H. G., 22nd (Barteaue's) Cav.
 STEWART, N. T., 5th Inf.
 STEWMAN, John H., Harding's Art.
 STROUD, M. L., 8th Ark. Inf.
 STROUD, Mary Jamima
 STROUD, W. R., 28th Cav.
 STUBBLEFIELD, N. B., 35th Inf.
 STUBBLEFIELD, Nancy Jane
 STUBBLEFIELD, William H., 2nd S. C. Rifles
 SUMMERS, O. W., 16th Inf.
 TAYLOR, Catherine
 TAYLOR, Creed, 11th (Holman's) Cav.
 TAYLOR, Nancy
 TEMPLE, L. F., 35th Inf.
 TEMPLETON, John D., 35th Inf.
 THAXTON, Mary Ann
 THOMPSON, J. H., 4th (McLemore's) Cav.
 THOMPSON, Mary Frances
 TODD, Wilson, 23rd Inf.
 TOWLES, Elizabeth
 TRAMMEL, Isaac, 16th Inf.
 VANHOOSER, Melvina
 VINSON, William, 18th Inf.
 WADE, C. A., 4th Inf.
 WADE, Ruth Jane
 WALKER, W. W., 23rd Inf.
 WALLING, Martha
 WARD, America
 WARE, A. D., 16th Inf.
 WARE, Charles, 16th Inf.
 WARMACK, A. J., 35th Inf.
 WARMACK, F. G., 16th Inf.
 WEBB, J. K. P., 16th Inf.
 WEBB, J. W., 18th Inf.
 WEBB, R. D., 35th Inf.
 WHEELER, Mary M
 WHITE, William H., 16th Inf.
 WHITSON, Carrie Lee
 WHITSON, William V. Sr., 14th Cav.

WILKES, Florence A.
 WILLIAMS, D. S., 4th (McLemore's) Cav.
 WILLIAMS, J. A., 24th Inf.
 WILSON, M. H., 35th Inf.
 WILSON, Thomas Wesley, 35th Inf.
 WISEMAN, Audley, 35th Inf.
 WISEMAN, Sarah F.
 WOMACK, A. E., 23rd Inf.
 WOMACK, F. G., 16th Inf.
 WOMACK, James J., 16th Inf.
 WOMACK, Milanda
 WOOD, William D., 16th Inf.
 WOODS, J. B., 8th (Dibrell's) Cav.
 WRIGHT, Elender Bethena
 WRIGHT, James W., 16th Inf.
 WRIGHT, S. F., 16th Inf.
 YOKLEY, E. M., 2nd Cav.
 YORK, Lizzie
 YOUNG, E. J., 3rd Hvy. Art.
 YOUNGBLOOD, B. F., 1st Cav.
 YOUNGBLOOD, W. E., 11th Inf.
 ZWINGLE, C. C., 35th Inf.

Wayne County

ALLEY, Ann P.
 ARNETT, T. J., 9th Bn. Cav.
 BELL, Carrie
 BELL, John W., 6th (Wheeler's) Cav.
 BELSHA, Martha Catherine
 BENHAM, John M., 19th (Biffle's) Cav.
 BENHAM, Miriam
 BOYD, J. W., 9th Cav.
 BREWER, John J., 10th Inf.
 BREWER, R. F., 23rd Inf.
 BROMLEY, S. C., 9th Cav.
 BURNS, Dave, 8th Cav.
 BURNS, J. B., 19th (Biffle's) Cav.
 BUSH, William, 19th (Biffle's) Cav.
 CARR, J. J., 27th Ala. Inf.
 CARTER, J. L., 23rd Inf.
 CHAPPEL, N. P., 48th Inf.
 CHRISTIE, Thomas J., 6th (Wheeler's) Cav.
 CLAY, Rebecca M.
 CLAY, W. S., 45th Inf.
 COLE, J. W., 27th Ark. Inf.
 COSSENBERRY, Ephriam N., 1st Mo. Inf.
 CRAIG, P. H., 20th (Nixon's) Cav.
 CRAIG, S. E., 48th (Nixon's) Inf.
 CRAIN, Mary Frances
 DABBS, Stephen V., 9th Cav.
 DANIELS, William, 16th Inf.
 DAVIS, John R., 19th (Biffle's) Cav.
 DOBBS, Joseph, 48th (Voorhies') Inf.
 DOWDY, Eliza
 EDWARDS, Nancy C.
 EVANS, Jesse E., 2nd Inf.
 EWING, Fannie Lewis
 EWING, Martin L., 1st Ark. Cav.
 FARRIS, John C., 4th Ma. Inf.
 FORSHEE, Lottie Emaline
 FRANKLIN, James, 8th Inf.
 FRANKLIN, Martha Ann
 GEAN, Cheatham Catherine
 GEAN, W. H., 9th Bn. (Gantt's) Cav.
 GORDON, Charley E., 48th (Nixon's) Inf.
 GRAHAM, J. S., 19th (Biffle's) Cav.
 GRIMES, Margaret E.
 GRINDER, Polly Ann
 GRINDER, R. M., 9th Cav.
 HADDOCK, I. N., 9th Cav.
 HAGERTY, Sarah Caroline
 HAGERTY, Thomas, 13th Ark. Inf.
 HAMPTON, Carey D., 20th Inf.
 HARDIN, J. N., 9th Cav.
 HARDIN, Thomas J., 1st Confederate Cav.
 HIGGINS, Bettie
 HOLLINGSWORTH, Nancy
 HORTON, Mary A.
 HUGHES, Martha Cordelia
 HUTTON, J. W., 9th Cav.
 JACKSON, John A., 20th Cav.
 JACKSON, Martha Ann
 JETER, Levena Elizabeth
 JOHNSON, Cornelia Ann
 JOICE, Cynthia S.
 JONES, Elizabeth Ann
 JONES, W. R., 45th Inf.
 KEA, W. W., 9th Cav.
 KILLPATRICK, James A., 48th Inf.
 KILPATRICK, Maud Ann
 KUTCH, W. H., 9th Cav.
 LAFFERTY, Mira
 LOWERY, James R., Undetermined
 LYNCH, W. M., 20th Inf.
 MCLEAN, E. J., 9th Cav.
 MCLEAN, Lucinda Ann
 MCLEAN, Nancy Lucinda
 MCMAHAN, James F., 5th Ark. Inf.
 MCMAHON, Eliza Ann
 MEREDITH, Mary Minerva
 MERRIMAN, James H., 54th Inf.
 MINTON, John E., 45th Inf.
 MINTON, Martha Jane
 MITCHELL, Thos. E., 50th Ala. Inf.

MONTAGUE, Marietta
 MONTAGUE, W. Y., 6th (Wheeler's) Cav.
 MOORE, Benjamin F., 2nd Ark. Inf.
 MOORE, R. M. (Dick), 48th (Nixon's) Inf.
 MORRIS, B. R., 2nd Miss. Inf.
 MORRIS, C. L., 9th Cav.
 MORRIS, Jonathan Jr., 9th Bn., Cav.
 MORRIS, Priscilla
 NORMAN, W. M., 54th Inf.
 NUTT, J. A., 48th Inf.
 NUTT, Sallie
 ODLE, Dave, 4th (McLemore's) Cav.
 PHILLIPS, Sallie
 POPE, Edwin, 1st (Feild's) Inf.
 POPE, Rosa Ann
 RANEY, S. B., 37th Inf.
 RASBERRY, John C., 19th (Biffle's) Cav.
 REEVES, David, 48th Inf.
 RICKETTS, David N., 9th Inf.
 RICKETTS, Isabella
 RICKETTS, Mary F.
 SHIELDS, John H., 48th Inf.
 SMITH, James H., 19th (Biffle's) Cav.
 STEEL, Elijah, 19th (Biffle's) Cav.
 STEWART, J. S., 48th (Nixon's) Inf.
 TATUM, Isaac, 9th Cav.
 TATUM, S. A., 24th Inf.
 THARP, Mary Jane
 THORP, C. M., 9th Cav.
 TURNER, William, 1st Cav.
 TYREE, T. J., 19th (Biffle's) Cav.
 WALKER, W. A., 1st Cav.
 WALKER, William A., 6th (Wheeler's) Cav.
 WARREN, Mary Catherine
 WARREN, Milton B., 1st Cav.
 WARREN, S. B., 19th (Biffle's) Cav.
 WATERS, Thomas J., 4th Ala. Cav.
 WEAVER, A. W., 9th Bn. (Gantt's) Cav.
 WEBSTER, Joseph, 1st Cav.
 WELLS, Sarah Jane
 WHITE, M. L., 51st Inf.
 WHITTAKER, Mary A.
 WHITTEN, G. W., 9th Cav.
 WILSON, Henry, 3rd Ala. Cav.

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Clatworthy of White County, Tennessee: What's in a Name?

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OFTEN JUST A SINGLE name provides an important clue for a family historian, opening a doorway to the life and times of a distant forebear.

For me that clue first emerged as "Clatworthy," but was eventually revealed as "Clotworthy."

One of my paternal great-grandfathers was Austin Clatworthy Young (1819-1873) of White County, Tennessee. Family lore identifies him as a fifth generation descendant of the immigrant, William "Strawbridge" Young.

"Strawbridge," a native of Northern Ireland, is said to have emigrated because of religious persecution and flax crop failures. He settled in 1728 near the Chowan River, NC, and later moved to Arlington, Virginia, where he served as a Presbyterian minister for a while before migrating to Kentucky. Most of his 14 children remained in Henry Co., Tennessee, where, in his old age, he received a land grant for military service in the American Revolution.¹

My great-grandfather's middle name, "Clatworthy," appears to have been a phonetic spelling, an erroneous transcription or a misreading of "Clotworthy," a well-known Ulster family.

Sir Hugh Clotworthy, Commissioner for Settling Ulster

"Lands in the Templepatrick and Antrim areas were granted to a Clotworthy family in the early 17th century," states Dr. Brian Trainor, Research Director of the Ulster Historical Foundation, Belfast. "This use of the surname 'Clotworthy' as a second Christian name would suggest that your Young ancestors may have come from that area (County Antrim) rather than County Down."² Subsequent population records also show Youngs mostly concentrated in County Antrim.³

In the accounts of the Plantation of Ulster, Sir Hugh Clotworthy is mentioned as developing one of the original grants, obtaining "the lands of Antrim" to which he invited "hither several of the English, very good men, the Ellises, Leslies, Langfords and others..."⁴ Also a Major Clotworthy is identified as a signer of the Declaration of Commissioners for the settling and securing of the Province of Ulster, at Carrickfergus 23 May 1653.⁵

English plantations in Antrim and Down were the most successful in Ulster and the cities of Belfast, Carrickfergus, Bangor and Newry flourished.

Ulster produced an outstanding volume of oats and about one-third of all exported cattle. But, in the 1630s, this bounty began to decline, due in part to several harvest failures and the repression stirred by Thomas Wentworth, sent in the summer of 1633 to raise funds for the royal coffers and to enforce High Church conformity among Protestants.⁶

Many Ulster Scot Presbyterians were pledged to the Covenant, opposing the Church of England, its episcopacy, and Book of Common Prayer. As King Charles prepared to wage war on the Covenantors, Wentworth commanded all Ulster Scots over age 16, male and female, to kneel and take the "Black Oath," renouncing "their abominable covenant." Those who refused were subject to fines, imprisonment and excommunication.

However, in 1641, Wentworth was impeached and executed, primarily because of his maltreatment of the London Companies and Presbyterians, but also due to the king's military reversals in Scotland and the growing power of the Commons at Westminster.

Sir John Clotworthy, Ulster MP, Theolog & Presbyterian Convert

About this time, Sir John Clotworthy, an Ulster Puritan theolog, presented a long petition to parliament on behalf of the Puritans, requesting removal of a repressive and unlawful church government.⁷ Clotworthy later converted to Presbyterianism with his mother, Lady Clotworthy, who had pled courageously for a Mr. Ferguson, apparently a Presbyterian minister, to resume his ministry, during the period of Episcopal ascendancy.⁸

Clotworthy served as a representative of the English borough of Malden in the Long Parliament (1640-1653), whose members were almost all English Puritans.⁹ He was deputized to negotiate a treaty with King Charles, but rapidly changing events in the Williamite Wars prevented a diplomatic resolution.¹⁰ Also through Clotworthy, Irish Presbyterians petitioned Parliament for redress of their many grievances, including many persecutions, banishment of their ministers, substitution of "illiterate hirelings" and non-resident rectors, and the "people perished for want of spiritual food."¹¹

The suffering Covenantor settlers, for whom Sir John pled, had immigrated from "several parts of His Majesties kingdoms of England and Scotland, to promote the infant Plantation of Ireland." Yet, as the plantation settlements succeeded, the settler families were oppressed by Anglican church leaders, denounced, threatened, imprisoned and bound by threes and fours in iron yokes or chain. Fined beyond their ability to pay and "condemned to perpetuall imprisonment," the persecuted Covenantors included terrified pregnant women, who were

apprehended "but two dayes before delivery of children."¹²

By 1641, the Gaelic lords of Ulster, who also found British occupation difficult, had failed to adapt to Anglican estate management and were in dire financial straits. Sir Conn O'Neill of Clandeboy was the first to lose everything, selling his townlands one by one. Sir Phelim O'Neill, Lord of Kinard in south Tyrone, mortgaged his estates, and Lord Maguire of Fermanagh declared himself overwhelmed in debt. Out of these tensions among the Ulster lords arose a conspiracy led by Rory O'More in Armagh. Plans to seize Dublin Castle in late October 1641, and simultaneously stage a rebellion in Ulster were overheard and exposed by a former catechumen of Sir John Clotworthy. Dublin Castle was alerted and the conspirators were imprisoned, but the rebellion in Ulster erupted.¹³

In a naval engagement on Lough Neagh, many rebel vessels were captured by the forces of Sir John Clotworthy, who also "put the Irish to flight near Moneymore, saving the lives of 120 Protestant prisoners-of-war who were about to be murdered."¹⁴

Clotworthys Promote South Antrim Flax Industry

By the late 1600s, small numbers of Ulster Presbyterians, mainly from northeast Donegal, had emigrated to America, but the exodus began in earnest about 1718. Poverty probably was the most important factor, but rapidly-rising land rents also were significant. Presbyterian ministers played a key role in organizing the first sailings. From 1725 through 1727, 3,500 left Ulster and the flow peaked the next year.¹⁵

From early times, the Irish had grown their own flax and made their own "bundle linen." Woven by the common people, bundle linen was still made for local sale in the 18th

century, although its width was too narrow for the export market. Some leading planters, such as the Clotworthys of south Antrim, encouraged their tenants to grow and spin flax as a means of earning extra income in hard times.¹⁶

This domestic industry was conducted mostly by people who divided their time between farming and weaving. Flax was a good cash crop, but it required good soil, heavy manuring, and careful timing in the farm's rotation of crops. Planted in the spring, it produced a delicate blue flower by early summer, and was ready to harvest by mid-August. To produce as long a fiber as possible, the plant was pulled—not cut—and then tied in sheaves and allowed to dry in stooks for a few days. Sheaves were weighed down in a pond or dammed stream, known as a "lint hole," and allowed to rot for about two weeks. Then, they were raised and spread on fields to dry. Only after the flax was 'broken,' 'scutched' and 'hackled'—each an intensely laborious process—could the fibers be made into yarn. Long fibers produced fine linen yarns; short fibers made coarse cloth.¹⁷

So, from Clatworthy in White County to Clotworthy in County Antrim, a single name unveiled a role in the early planting of Ireland, the defense of prosecuted religious Dissenters, and the failure of the flax industry, which drove thousands of Scots-Irish Presbyterians to America.

It was the name of a champion of the faith, cherished by a Presbyterian immigrant forebear and bequeathed to a descendant many lifetimes removed.

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17. Bardon, *History*, p. 181



MIDDLE TENNESSEE CONNECTIONS

Ann Farmer of Lincoln County, Tennessee, gave Power of Attorney to **Thomas Goacher**, to "receive...[what I] may be entitled to in the State of North Carolina and in the County of Burk." 4 Aug. 1811. *Lincoln County, Tennessee, Deed Book B*, p. 30. [Also see next entry.]

Ann Farmer of Lincoln County, Tennessee, appoints "**William Berry** of Pennington County, South Carolina," my attorney..., 26 Feb. 1812. *Lincoln County, Tennessee, Deed Book B*, p. 31.

Levi Fuller of Rutherford County, Tennessee, gave power of attorney to **John Fuller, Junr.**, also of Rutherford County, Tennessee, to recover from **John Fuller**, executor of the estate of **James Fuller**, dec'd, of Caswell County, North Carolina, the \$3000 willed to said person. 22 Feb. 1832. *Caswell County, North Carolina, Will Book M*, p. 186.

John Taylor of town of Hillsborough, Orange County, North Carolina, by **John Nichols**, his Attorney in fact, sold to **James Taylor** of Tennessee County in Territory South of Ohio, 430 acres [now in Sumner County, Tennessee]. 15 April 1794. *Sumner County, (Tennessee), Deed Book 7*, p. 62.

David McRee, Senior, of Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, died intestate about 1805 and owned property in Tennessee...**James C.** and **David W. McRee**, two of the heirs, have contracted with **Winslow J. McRee**, another heir, for his part..., 1 June 1809. Acknowledged Feb., 1812, Mecklenburg County, North Carolina. *Maury County, Tennessee, Deed Book E*, p. 216.

John Thomas of Iredell County, North Carolina, for love and affection to daughter, **Liza Thomas**, now **Liza McKnight**, now living in Tennessee...negro girl, 15 Nov. 1819. *Iredell County, North Carolina, Deed Book J*, p. 847.

Barney Brockman of Rutherford County, Tennessee, gave power of attorney to **John Holt Esqr.**, also of Rutherford County, to sell land in Caswell County, North Carolina, he owns as heir at law of Father, **Major Brockman**. Brother, **John Brockman** also mentioned. 2 Jan. 1843. *Caswell County, North Carolina, Will Book O*, p. 519.

Catharine Miller of Camden County, Georgia, widow, **Nathaniel R. Green, Esqr.** of East

Greenwich, Rhode Island, Martha W. Nightingale, of East Greenwich, Rhode Island, widow; **Louisa C. Green** of Camden County, Georgia, spinister; and **Edward B. Littlefield, Esqr.** of Camden County, Georgia, "for many important services to the estate of the late Maj. Gen. **Nathaniel Green** by **Ray Sands, Esqr.**, of Camden County, Georgia..." grant Sands 1/6 tract of land on Duck River, granted to General Green. 18 Feb. 1810 *Maury County, Tennessee, Deed Book E*, p. 218. [See next deed whereby **Ray Sands** of Camden County, Georgia conveys his interest in above land to **Dr. James V. Turner**. *Ibid*, p. 219]

John Towry of Lincoln County, Tennessee, to **John Meek** of Madison County, Mississippi Territory land on west fork of Flint River in Lincoln County, Tennessee, 13 July 1819. *Lincoln County, Tennessee, Deed Book B*, p. 162.

William Scott and **William J. Wilson**, executors of the estate of **Robert Alexander, Esqr.**, dec'd, of Lincoln County, North Carolina, to **Joshua C. Alexander** of Caldwell County, Kentucky, 200 acres in Tennessee, it being part of the 640 acres granted said **Robert Alexander** by North Carolina patent in 1793. 5 Jan. 1815. Acknowledged in Lincoln County, North Carolina. *Sumner County, Tennessee, Deed Book 7*, p. 333.

David Reavis of Bedford County, Tennessee, to **Isaac N. Reavis**, power of attorney to collect legacy from estate of **John Hendricks**, dec'd, 1 Oct. 1847. *Davie County, North Carolina, Deed Book 2*, p. 600.

Thomas Roseborough, Lina Merriman, Deticha Merriman, and **Tabitha Merriman** of Warren County, Tennessee, Power of Attorney to **Demcy Boner** of Jackson County, Georgia to sell 220 acres in Spartanburg District, South Carolina on head waters of Sarratt's Creek, 30 Aug. 1813. *Spartanburg District [later County], South Carolina, Book O*, p. 8.

David H. Williams and wife **Sydney Williams**, of Madison County, Alabama, to **Lodwick Holt** of Bedford County, 16 acres east of Shipmans Creek, 6 June 1836. *Bedford County, Tennessee, Deed Book FF*, p. 369.

Henry McKee of Jackson County, Alabama, to

- Elizabeth Whitehead** of Lincoln County, land on Cold Water Creek in Lincoln County, 21 April 1821. *Lincoln County, Tennessee, Deed Book B*, p. 164.
- Ephraim McLean, Sr.** of Criston (sic) County, Kentucky, to **John McGimsey** of Burke County, North Carolina, land in Maury County on Knob Creek, 8 Oct. 1804. Acknowledged in Logan County, Kentucky by **Ephraim McLean, Sr.** *Maury County, Tennessee, Deed Book E*, p. 221.
- Richard Boyce** of Logan County, Kentucky, by agent **Patrick Darby**, sold to **John Shelby** of Sumner County, two undivided seventh parts of a house and lot in Gallatin. 6 April 1816. *Sumner County, Tennessee, Deed Book 7*, p. 345.
- Joseph Anthony** of Giles County, Tennessee, gave power of attorney to **Alexander B. Morton** of Williamson County, Tennessee, to receive money in Caswell County, North Carolina, being part of the estate of Father-in-law, **William Cantrill**, deceased, of Caswell County, North Carolina. 6 April 1837. *Caswell County, North Carolina, Deed Book DD*, pp. 311-312.
- Payton Worthey** of the Mississippi Territory to **Samuel Mullings** of Lincoln County, land in Lincoln County on Flint River, 10 May 1817. *Lincoln County, Tennessee, Deed Book B*, p. 165.
- John L. Hickman** of Bourbon County, Kentucky, to **James Houston** of Maury County, Tennessee, 242 acres on Globe Creek, 23 Oct. 1813. *Maury County, Tennessee, Deed Book E*, p. 225.
- Sanford Wilson** and **James Wilson, Jr.**, of Montgomery County, Tennessee, by agent **Joshua Wilson** of Halifax County, North Carolina, sold to **Eaton Pugh** of Warren County, North Carolina, one negro man, 16 July 1813. *Halifax County, North Carolina Deed Book 22*, p. 407. [See also p. 433]
- Richard Gorden** and wife, **Susanah**, admrs. of **William Fork**, dec'd, of Madison County, Kentucky, to **Mathew Pain**, Davidson County, Tennessee, land on Dracke's (sic) Creek originally granted to the heirs of **William Fork**, 15 May 1797. *Sumner County, Tennessee, Deed Book A*, p. 194.
- Edmund D. Haile** of Hickman County, Tennessee, sold land and also his interest both real and personal in the dower estate of his mother **Nancy Powell**, formerly **Nancy Haile**, relict of **Thomas Haile**, deceased, to **Thomas B. Wall** of Mecklenburg County, Virginia...5 March 1835. *Mecklenburg County, Virginia, Deed Book 26*, p. 512.
- John Shults**, Admr. of **Jessee Robertson**, dec'd., of Jackson County, Alabama, to **Parkes Gibson** of Lincoln County, Tennessee, 23 acres on Cane Creek in Lincoln County, 2 Dec. 1820. *Lincoln County, Tennessee, Deed Book B*, p. 169.
- Thomas Harris** of Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, gave trusty friend **David Wilson** Power of Attorney, "in all things relating to 3000 acres **Wilson** did locate and survey for me..." 1 Oct. 1796. *Sumner County, (Tennessee), Deed Book 7*, p. 355.
- Benjamin S. Harrison** of Williamson County, Tennessee, to **John D. Eelbeck** of Halifax County, North Carolina, a negro man, Jack. Written 6 Oct. 1817 and recorded Nov. Court 1817. *Halifax County, North Carolina, Deed Book 24*, p. 132.
- James Erwin** of Fayette County, Kentucky by his Attorney **Andrew Erwin, Jr.** of Bedford County, Tennessee, sold to **Nathan C. Johnson** of Bedford County, land in Bedford County on Knob Creek, 11 Sept. 1835. *Bedford County, Tennessee, Deed Book FF*, p. 376.
- John Williams** of Hertford County, North Carolina, as legal heir of **Benjamin Williams**, to **William Newton** of Sumner County, land on both sides of middle fork, Station Camp Creek, Sumner County..., 10 Oct. 1800. *Sumner County, Tennessee, Deed Book 3*, p. 161. [See also p. 164.]
- Warren C. Richmond** and **Lucy W.**, of Robertson County, Tennessee, gave power of attorney to **Archibald C. Richmond** of Caswell County, North Carolina, to sell land...being sixth part of land of **William Moore**, deceased, bequeathed to his daughter **Lucy W. Richmond**. 15 Feb. 1833. *Caswell County, North Carolina, Deed Book BB*, p. 243.
- William Cantrill** of Spartanburg District, South Carolina, and **Abraham Cantrill** of Warren County, Tennessee, (as) administrators of the estate of **John Cantrill**, dec'd, sell 30 acres on Pacolate River in South Carolina to **Mark Cantrill** of Spartanburg, 3 March 1824. *Spartanburg District [later County], South Carolina, Book S*, pp. 384-385. [See also Book S, p. 385.]
- Sterling White** and **Andrew Johnson**, both of Guilford County, North Carolina, give to trusty friend **Robert B. Mitchell** of Robertson County,

Tennessee, Attorney in fact to collect debts...and their parts of estate of William Reed, dec'd. Acknowledged in Guilford County, North Carolina. 23 Jan. 1813. *Sumner County, Tennessee, Deed Book 7*, p. 355.

Elijah Martin of Marshall County, Tennessee, gave power of attorney to **Alexander B. Morton** of William County, Tennessee, to receive any legacy from the estate of his father-in-law, **William Cantrill**, dec'd of Caswell County, North Carolina, 6 April 1837. *Caswell County, North Carolina, Deed Book DD*, pp. 312-313.

Samuel Dickson of Lee County, Virginia, to **Robert Dickson** of Lincoln County, Tennessee, town lot in Fayetteville, Tennessee, 25 Nov. 1822. *Lincoln County, Tennessee, Deed Book B*, p. 216.

John Baker of Montgomery County, Tennessee, to **James Maney** of Hartford County, North Carolina, 640 acres in Sumner County, Tennessee, 17 March 1798. *Sumner County, (Tennessee), Deed Book A*, p. 200.

James Smith of Montgomery County, Tennessee, to **George McWilliams** of Edgecombe County, North Carolina, 740 acres in Halifax County, North Carolina, joining Deep Creek, 11 Aug. 1819. *Halifax County, North Carolina, Deed Book 26*, p. 723.

Thomas Cowden of Williamson County, Tennessee, to **James Hammett** of Spartanburg District, South Carolina, 129 acres on west side of Rocky Creek of Enoree River in Spartanburg, 22 Aug. 1808. *Spartanburg District [later County], South Carolina, Book L*, pp. 376-377.

John H. Patterson and **Patsy Patterson** his wife, and **John Patterson** and **Eliza Patterson** his wife, of Sumner County, Tennessee, to **Anthony B. Clendining** of Lincoln County and **William Patterson** of Smith County, Tennessee, 2473-1/2 acres granted **James Clendending** by Warrant No. 1625 dated 30 Nov. 1784 and lying on south side of Elk River, in present Lincoln County. *Lincoln County, Tennessee, Deed Book B*, p. 218. [See also p. 222]

William Clark of Clark County, Georgia, to **John Gib** of Sumner County land on Madison Creek, Sumner County. 5 July 1815. *Sumner County, Tennessee, Deed Book 7*, p. 400.

Martin Phifer, will, proved 15 Jan. 1838, Cabarrus County, North Carolina, mentions daughter **Mary** "and her children by **James Childress**,"

lands in Bedford County, Tennessee; daughter, **Margaret Erwin** to receive one-fifth of lands in Bedford County, Tennessee, and one-half of lands in Lincoln County on Lislly Creek; daughter **Ann Crawford** one-half of land in Lincoln County, Tennessee and one-fifth of land in Bedford County, Tennessee; others also given land in Tennessee (see Cabarrus records for full account): children of deceased son **George Phifer**; son, **John Phifer**; grandchildren **Elizabeth** and **William**, children of **Wm. Crawford**, dec'd, land in Bedford County, Tennessee; grandsons **John F. Phifer** and **Caleb Phifer**... *Cabarrus County, North Carolina, Pleas and Quarter Sessions 2*, pp. 465-469 [located in NC State Archives].

James Reese of Sumner County, Territory South of the River Ohio, to **James Houston** of Iredell County, North Carolina, 5000 acres on head waters of Little Bigby. 10 Oct. 1793. *Maury County, Tennessee, Deed Book F*, p. 77. [Proven in *Iredell County, North Carolina*, Feb. 1794 and registered in *Book B*, p. 33. Also registered in *Williamson County, Tennessee, Book 1*, p. 579 on 22 May 1807.]

Joseph Seawell and wife, **Prudence Seawell**, of Cape Girardeau County, Mississippi Territory, to **William Hall** of Sumner County, land on Bledsoe's Lick Creek. Acknowledged in Court of Common Pleas in Cape Girardeau. 21 July 1815. *Sumner County, Tennessee, Deed Book 7*, p. 404.

Richard Fowler of Lincoln County, Tennessee, to **Andrew Conner** of Cahaba County, Alabama, land on west side of barren fork of Flint River in Lincoln County, 8 July 1820. *Lincoln County, Tennessee, Deed Book B*, p. 221.

John Smith, attorney in fact for **Thomas Smith** of Sullivan County, Indiana; **William Smith** of Clay County, Missouri; **Drury Pinson** and his wife, **Susan Pinson** of Robertson County, Tennessee; all heirs of **William Smith**, dec'd, of Caswell County, North Carolina, to **Jane Smith** of Caswell County, for \$45 to each grantor, 150 acres in Caswell County, where **William Smith**, dec'd, resided and willed to his wife **Mary Smith** for life and then to be divided among ten children, 6 Dec. 1832. *Caswell County, North Carolina, Deed Book DD*, p. 7. [See also page 8 for another heir.]

Henry Lyon to Commissioners of the Town of Galatin, Sumner County..."Lyon formerly of Gal-

latin but is now of Franklin, Tennessee,..." 13 Sept. 1813. *Sumner County, Tennessee, Deed Book 7*, p. 406.

James Cole Mountflorance of Warren County, North Carolina, to **Daniel Anderson**, [laterdeed states he was of Petersburg, Virginia] land on headwaters of Red River, "granted grantor herein by said state for services of **Moses Acock** in the Continental line...", 29 Aug. 1788. *Sumner County, Tennessee, Deed Book 3*, p.166.

James Alexander of Lawrence County, Alabama, to **Anthony Bledsoe** of Bedford County, Tennessee, 704 acres in Lincoln County..., 27 Dec. 1821. *Lincoln County, Tennessee, Deed Book B*, p. 225.

William Polk of Wake County, North Carolina, to **John Latta** of Maury County, land on Carter's Creek, 19 Oct. 1814. *Maury County, Tennessee, Deed Book F*, p. 82.

"Articles of Marriage" beteen **Berryman S. Holder** of Spartanburg District, South Carolina, and **Sarah Tolleson** of Franklin County, West Tennessee,...to **Mordicai W. Hutcheson** of Franklin County, West Tennessee,... **Sarah Tolleson** sold everything she has, including 174 acres on Cumberland River in Wilson County, West Tennessee, and all dower rights to property of late husband **Muse Tolleson**... property sold in trust for **Sarah Tolleson's** benefit during her lifetime and then equally divided among her children (not named),... 4 Dec. 1826. *Spartanburg District [later County], South Carolina, Book T*, pp. 314-315. [See also *Book T*, pp. 337-338 for Power of Attorney, and pp. 383-384 dated 14 April 1827.]

Thomas Lenard of Limestone County, Alabama, to **Collin Campbell** of Lincoln County, Tennessee, land on Cane Creek in Lincoln County, 16 Aug. 1822. *Lincoln County, Tennessee, Deed Book B*, p. 225. [See also page 227]

Joseph Grant of Columbia County, Georgia, power of attorney to **Andrew Erwin, Jr.** of Bedford County, to sell unto **Theoderick Bradford** of Bedford County, land in Bedford County, 16 Jan. 1834. *Bedford County, Tennessee, Deed Book FF*, p. 387. [See *Ibid*, *Book FF*, p. 388 for sale of land, 25 Dec. 1834.]

Daniel Fraser of Stewart County, Tennessee, gave power of attorney to **Samuel White** of Mecklenburg County, Virginia, to sell land in Mecklen-

burg County, 26 April 1831. *Mecklenburg County, Virginia, Deed Book 24*, p. 372.

George Hauser of Stokes County, North Carolina to **Thomas Smith** of Jefferson County, Kentucky, a tract of land in Davidson County on Cumberland River, 8 July 1797. Recorded in *Sumner County, Tennessee, Deed Book A*, p. 205.

Robert D. Richmond and **Mary S.** his wife, of Robertson County, Tennessee, gave power of attorney to **John C. Richards** of Caswell County, North Carolina, to sell land on Country Line Creek in Caswell County, North Carolina, it being 1/2 of 1/6 part of land of **William Moore**, deceased, and bequeathed to granddaughter **Mary S. Richmond**. 11 Nov. 1833. *Caswell County, North Carolina, Deed Book BB*, p. 412. [See also *Book BB*, pp. 327-329]

Richard Carney of Montgomery County, Tennessee, to **Elijah Pope** of Halifax County, North Carolina, 60 acres in Halifax County, 5 June 1815. *Halifax County, North Carolina Deed Book 23*, p. 831. [See also *Book 25*, p. 398.]

Francis Graves of Roberson (sic) County, Tennessee, widow of the late **William Graves**, deceased, of Mecklenburg County, Virginia, and **James E. Graves**, **James M. Benton** and wife, **Elizabeth**, formerly **Elizabeth Graves**, **William Dotson** and wife **Martha Jane**, formerly **Martha Jane Graves**, and **William Graves**, heirs and legatees of **William Graves**, deceased... power of attorney to **Daniel Graves** of Mecklenburg County, Virginia, to sell dower right of **Francis Graves** and recover money due to the other legatees...16 July 1836. *Mecklenburg County, Virginia, Deed Book 26*, p. 606.

Daniel Anderson of Petersburg, Virginia, to **Robert Gillaspie**, Warrenton, North Carolina, land on headwaters of Red River on north side of Cumberland River, 1 Sept. 1797. *Sumner County, Tennessee, Deed Book 3*, p.168.

Jesse McCombs of Logan County, Kentucky, to **Joseph Sloss** also of Logan County, land on Elk River "as by grant dated 14th January 1793." 9 April 1813. *Lincoln County, Tennessee, Deed Book C*, p. 123. [see below]

Joseph Sloss of Logan County, Kentucky, to **Abner Masson** of Wilson County, Tennessee, 1794-1/2 acres on Elk River, 28 June 1813. *Lincoln County, Tennessee, Deed Book C*, p. 125.

Patsy Barnes of Montgomery County, Tennessee,

Power of Attorney to her brother **William Barnes** of same, to recover her legacy from estate of grandfather **John Moore**, dec'd, of Halifax County, North Carolina, 17 Oct. 1815. *Halifax County, North Carolina, Deed Book 23*, p. 935.

Esther Smith, widow of **Thomas Smith**, dec'd, late of Rutherford County, Tennessee, **Thomas Carrock** and wife, **Sarah** (formerly **Sarah Smith**, dau. of said **Thomas Smith**, dec'd,) **Morgan Smith**, **James Smith**, **Thomas Smith**, **Bennett Smith**, **Robert D. Smith**, **Andrew J. Smith** and **William Smith** (all sons of said **Thomas Smith**), with **Joseph Smith** and **Elizabeth Barring** (dau. of said **Thomas Smith**) to **Joseph Smith**, power of attorney to recover from **Thomas McNeely** our legacy from the estate of **James Smith**, dec'd, brother of said **James Smith**, being nine out of eleven shares of said legacy.... 23 September 1847, Rutherford County, Tennessee. *Davie County, North Carolina, Deed Book 3*, p. 26.

Thomas Crews of Smyth County, Tennessee, gave power of attorney to **James Smith** of Franklin County, Georgia, to sell 100 acres to **Richard Cockerham**, 2 Oct. 1809. *Franklin County, Georgia, Deed Book RRR*, p. 171.

Brevard Huggens of Murry (sic) County, Tennessee, to **Phillip Rumble** of Rowan County, North Carolina, 335 acres in Iredell County, North Carolina, on Coddle Creek joining **John Huggens**, 27 April 1819. *Iredell County, North Carolina, Deed Book J*, p. 835.

Nathan Orr and **Thomas Bowls**, admrs. of **Nathan Orr**, late of Makenburg (sic) County, North Carolina, to **William Erwin**, **James Moore** and **Andrew Heron**, surviving exrs. of General **Robert Erwin** and trustees under said will... whereas **Nathan Orr**, now deceased, in his life time made a covenant with **Robert Erwin** [details here, see deed]..., 24 Nov. 1812. *Lincoln County, Tennessee, Deed Book C*, p. 126.

Robert Bean and **Martha**, his wife, of Rutherford County, Tennessee, to **Phillip Pruett** of Franklin County, Georgia, 100 acres in Georgia, 6 Aug. 1805. *Franklin County, Georgia, Deed Book T*, pp. 23-24.

Hugh Montgomery of Lincoln County, Tennessee, blacksmith, gave power of attorney to **William W. Montgomery** of Rockingham County, North Carolina, to sell or trade land deeded to him by **John Cobb**, Senr. of Caswell County, North Carolina. 5 July 1823. *Caswell County, North*

Carolina, Deed Book M, p. 8.

Edward Denton as agent for **Elizabeth** and **Martha Baker** of Wilson County, Tennessee, by power of attorney, 8 Aug. 1816, and now of Halifax County, North Carolina, to **Sally Montfort** of same, 60 acres which was willed to **Martha Baker** by her father. Recorded Aug. Court 1817. *Halifax County, North Carolina, Deed Book 24*, p. 118.

Larkin Cleveland of Franklin County, Georgia, to **William W. Walton**, of the state of Tennessee, 200 acres on Tugalo River adjoining land of **John Hooper** and **John Mullin**, 15 Jan. 1810. *Franklin County, Georgia, Deed Book T*, p. 18.

Henry Turney of Hawkins County, Tennessee, to **Edward Sanders** of Sumner County, 200 acres on Cumberland River, 5 Oct. 1801. *Sumner County, Tennessee, Deed Book 3*, p. 169.

Richard Easter and **William Thompson**, executors of last will and testament of **James Easter**, dec'd, of Elbert County, Georgia, to **Thomas Crews** of Smith County, Tennessee, 100 acres on Tom's creek...said **James Easter** died on or before the first day of January 1793, written 31 Oct. 1809. *Franklin County, Georgia, Deed Book T*, pp. 51-52.

John J. Zollicoffer of "Murray" County, Tennessee, grants power of attorney to **James Zollicoffer** of Halifax County, North Carolina, to settle the estate of his later father **George Zollicoffer**, dec'd. 24 October 1816. *Halifax County, North Carolina, Deed Book 24*, p. 127.

James Sartain of Franklin County, Tennessee, to **Charles Warren** of Franklin County, Georgia, 150 acres in Franklin County, Georgia, adj. land of **John Robins** and **Gabriel Jones**, 12 June 1809. *Franklin County, Georgia, Deed Book RRR*, p. 151.

Mary Gilmore widow of **Charles Gilmore, Junior** and **Lunsford Long**, guardian of **Charles Gilmore**, infant under 21, ...to deliver proper deed as original bargain between **Charles Gilmore**, deceased, and said **Henry Hide**, all of Halifax County, North Carolina, land in Montgomery County, Tennessee, 2 Sept. 1795. *Montgomery County, Tennessee, Deed Book A*, pp. 408-411.

Warren C. Richmond and wife, **Lucy W. Richmond**, of Robertson County, Tennessee, by their attorney **Archibald D. Richmond**, sells their part of the division of land in Caswell County, North

Carolina, of the late William Moore that was allotted to Lucy W. Richmond, 20 Sept. 1833. *Caswell County, North Carolina, Deed Book BB*, pp. 207-209. [Power of attorney was recorded in *Deed Book BB*, pp. 243-245, where Lucy is given as daughter of William Moore, dec'd. See also *Deed Book BB*, pp. 327-329]

William Erwin and James Moore, two of the exrs. of Robert Erwin, dec'd, of Muklenburg (sic) County, North Carolina, to John Anderson of York District, South Carolina...a landed legacy devised by said deceased to his daughter Sally Irwin now Anderson has sold unto John Anderson all the tract of land on Elk River in Lincoln County,...14 Dec. 1812. *Lincoln County, Tennessee, Deed Book C*, p. 129.

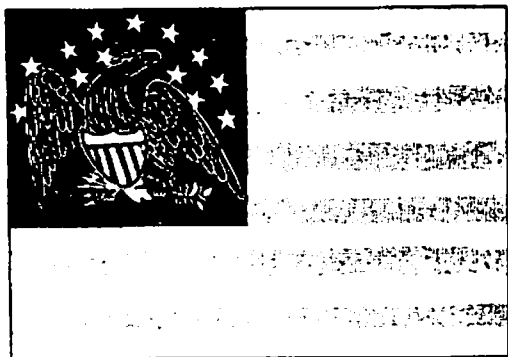
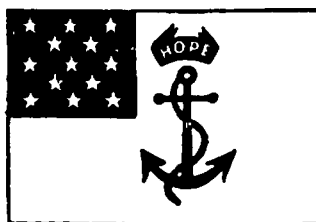
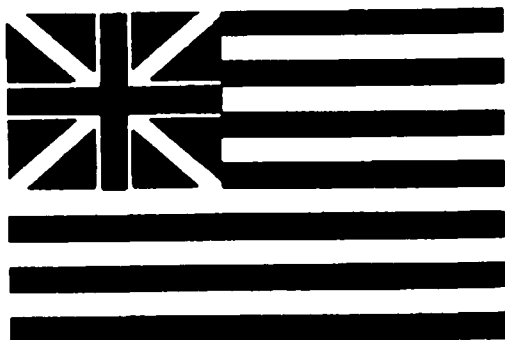
William King of Warren County, Kentucky, bought land from William McWhether of Davidson County, Tennessee, on the waters of Station

Camp Creek in Sumner County, Tennessee, 15 April 1801. *Sumner County, Tennessee, Deed Book 3*, p.170.

John Easley and Salley, his wife, of Hickman County, Tennessee, to John Bush of Franklin County, Georgia, 397 acres of land lying on both sides of Hudson fork of Broad River, being part of two tracts granted William Black and the other granted to John Mackie, lying near mouth of the Gin-house Creek, 23 Jan. 1810. *Franklin County, Georgia, Deed Book T*, pp. 59-60.

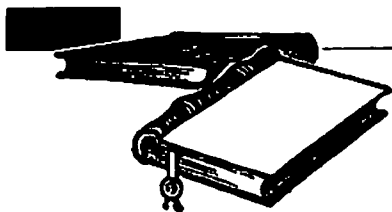
Daniel H. Call and Joseph Call of Lincoln County, Tennessee, sold to John Call, Jr., of Davie County, North Carolina, on 6 Jan. 1838, "2/7 part of the 509 acres where Henry Call lived at the time of his death...." *Davie County, North Carolina, Deed Book 2*, p. 430.

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Top left: The Grand Union Flag, America's first official flag with thirteen stripes symbolizing the Thirteen Colonies.
Lower left: Flag of a Continental regiment at Yorktown.
Top center: Naval flag of Rhode Island with thirteen stars.
Top right: An early version of the Stars and Stripes.
Above: Pine Tree flag of New England.

Examples of Flags from the Revolutionary War



BOOK REVIEWS

by Shirley Wilson, CG

Abstracts of Deed Books 15-23 Mecklenburg County, North Carolina 1794-1830 by Herman W. Ferguson. Softback 8 1/2 x 11, 354 pp., index. \$32.50 postpaid from author at 600 Chad Drive, Rocky Mount, NC 27803-1512.

Ferguson's published deed abstract books are a genealogist's dream come true. All pertinent information is extracted from the deeds which are arranged chronologically with an artificial number. The every name index directs the reader to the artificial number, so it isn't necessary to scan an entire page for the name of interest. The index also includes all locations and slave names found in the deeds.

A two page map of Mecklenburg County, as it was in the early 1800's, depicts the creeks, rivers and ferries. The map has locators at the edge and an index on the next page provides a simple method to locate the creek once it has been found within the deed.

Land grants, powers of attorney, mortgages, trust deeds, bills of sale and agreements of various types are also included. In many instances the chain of title is included in the deed, tracing the land back through multiple owners to the original grant. Of interest to Tennesseans will be the fact that some North Carolina land owners conveyed lands that were located in Tennessee!

Deeds are an excellent source of genealogical information, particularly in states like North Carolina that use the metes and bounds system of land measurement. Even if your ancestor wasn't a land owner, he may appear in the index as a witness or a neighbor who leased or rented land.

Thomas Norfleet of 1666 Some of his Descendants and Allied Families Volume I by Dorothy Neblett Perkins. Hardback 8 1/2 x 11, 941 pp., bibliography, footnotes, illustrations, index, photographs, 2001. \$75 postpaid from

author at P. O. Box 675696, Rancho Santa Fe, CA 92067-5696.

Thomas Norfleet (c1634-c1700) was granted 300 acres of land on the southern branch of the Nansemond River in Upper Norfolk County, Virginia in 1666. The many descendants of three possible but unproven sons are traced - Thomas (c1669-c1732), Christopher (c1674-c1743) and Edward (c1676-c1735).

Typescript copies of wills, deeds, letters, biographical sketches and stories enhance the value of this huge compilation (almost 1000 pages of 8 1/2 x 11 copy). Lovely old photographs as well as modern snapshots are scattered throughout.

Descendants migrated to Florida, North Carolina, Mississippi, Texas, California and Tennessee among other states. In Tennessee, Norfleet descendants can be found in Cheatham and Shelby counties with a large family branch in Montgomery County.

There is an excellent every name index to the book, which is fortunate for the numbering system is cumbersome and not easily utilized.

Revolutionary Soldiers in Kentucky by Anderson Chenault Quisenberry. Softback 5 1/4 x 8 1/4, 206 pp., 2001 reprint. \$21 plus \$5 shipping from Heritage Books, Inc., 1540-E Pointer Ridge Pl., Bowie, MD 20716.

Reprinted from *Year Book Kentucky Society Sons of the American Revolution*, this was originally published in 1896 and is divided into four parts. The first is a list of officers of the Virginia line who received land bounties, located principally in Kentucky, from the State of Virginia. It also includes a list of non-commissioned officers and privates to whom such bounties were assigned.

The second part is a list of officers, non-commissioned officers and privates in the Illinois Regiment who served under George Rogers

Clark in the northwest campaign.

The third part is Kentucky citizens who were granted pensions. They are arranged alphabetically by county and give the age of the pensioner, his military unit and occasionally his death date. An alphabetical name index provides the county.

This work does not pretend to list all Revolutionary soldiers in Kentucky, but it does provide some helpful material that has long been out of print.

The Tennessee Handbook by Ed Speer. Hardback 6 x 9, 276 pp., bibliography, index. \$45 plus \$4 shipping from McFarland & Company, Inc., Box 611, Jefferson, North Carolina 28640 1-800-253-2187. NC residents add 6.5% sales tax.

This general reference guide presents Ten-

nessee information from diverse sources, beginning with a summary of historic events from 1540 through the year 2000. It includes data on population, the seal, the flag and other state symbols. Copies of the various state constitutions and other documents that influenced the history of the state are reproduced. The last 1870 Constitution with its more recent amendments is also included. There is a biographical sketch on each state governor and sketches on each county. Selected cities and towns, geographical features, rivers and lakes, National parks and recreations areas and colleges and universities are described.

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GORDAN/BRYANT/EDWARDS/FAIRES (FARRIS/FARIS)/GARLAND/BABB/SHEARON/WINTER: Researching the above surnames. GORDAN is main ancestor research. William GORDAN (b ca 1755-57 MD) Maury Co. Bettye Pullman/2616 Gross Rd/ Dallas TX 75228-4521/(214)327-4671.

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