# How Well Do You Know Huntsville?

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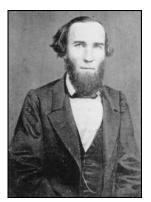


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## Who am I?

- A. Clement Comer Clay
- B. Jeremiah Clemens
- C. John Hunt
- D. Leroy Pope Walker



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### Where am I?

- A. Franklin Street
- B. Holmes Avenue
- C. McClung Avenue
- D. Randolph Avenue



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#### Where was I?

- A. Clinton Avenue
- B. Eustis Avenue
- C. Holmes Avenue
- D. Randolph Avenue

## Answers to How Well Do You Know Huntsville?

Who am I?  D. Leroy Pope Walker	Leroy Pope Walker was the first Secretary of the War for the Confederacy and ordered the southern troops to fire on Fort Sumptor, starting the Civil War.
Where am I? C. McClung Avenue	This house is located at 413 McClung Avenue, just to the east of the intersection of McClung Avenue, Echols Avenue, Williams Avenue and Adams Street. Built in 1836, it was the residence of Leroy Pope Walker. The area in front of the house served as the original reservoir for Huntsville's early water system, holding water that was pumped up from Big Spring through pipes made from cedar logs.
Where was I?  B. Eustis Avenue	The picture is an 1888 view of the Huntsville Academy located at the corner of Eustis Avenue and Greene Street. It was formerly known as the Calhoun House, where Frank James was tried and acquitted in 1884 for stealing a federal payroll in Muscle Shoals. His defense attorney was Leroy Pope Walker. The Calhoun House also served as the Federal Troops Post Headquarters in 1870.

For more information on the history of Huntsville visit the Heritage Room at the Huntsville-Madison County Public Library or the Huntsville History Collection at HuntsvilleHistoryCollection.org.