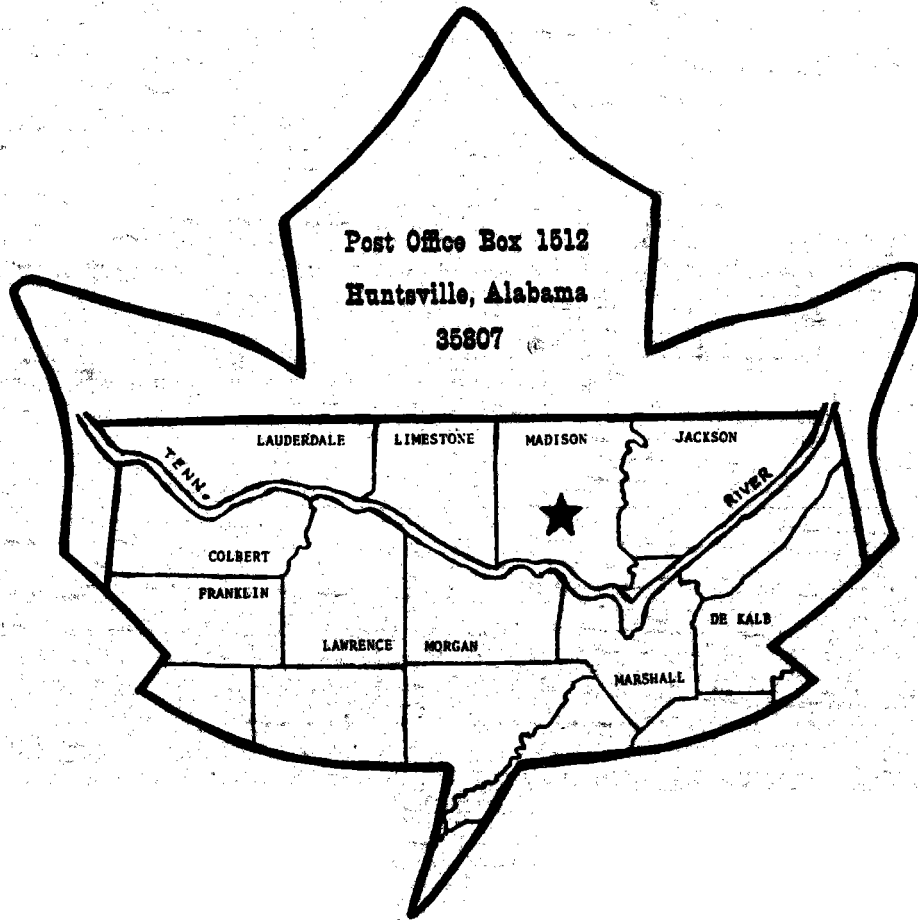


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Editor's Leaf

TVGS members are very busy. J. E. Gunn, Jr. (the gentleman who has been doing a fantastic job of copying Morgan Co. cemeteries for Valley Leaves) has agreed to be Chairman of our Bicentennial project. We are going to publish a map of Madison County with all of our Revolutionary War soldiers burial sites marked. (110 at last count.) The work involves finding the unknown burial sites. A group of dedicated workers (Ann Cochran, Ezell Terry, Yvonne Perkins, A. A. Touchstone, Richard White, Lois Robertson, Magdalena Allen, Viora Spooner & Catherine Gilliam) have been meeting at the courthouse each Tuesday night trying to find deeds, probate records, land records, etc. to determine if a soldier owned land containing a private cemetery or had family connections who did. We hope to have a positive, presumed or possible burial site for each soldier and this will be marked at the exact location on the map. If you have any information on the following names, please write to J. E. Gunn, Jr., 2025 Giles Dr. NE, Huntsville, AL 35811. They are: Robert Allen, Clement Blackburn, Jacob Caulk, William Clifton, Thomas Davis, Henry Harris, Joseph Hillsman. We sincerely wish we could publish a map for each of our counties but without a positive reaction from our members living in the other counties, we will be unable to do so. Our plan to publish Rev. Soldiers pension papers and family information has been abandoned because of lack of response from our readers. We received only six replies. Our reader response has always been excellent so I can only assume the request was ill-timed, too all encompassing, or too vague. We do plan to publish in Valley Leaves the six we did receive.

One of our young librarians in the Huntsville Heritage Room, Rane Pruitt, has made a list of all surname folders in the vertical file. These folders may hold a complete family history or one issue of a family quarterly. The list is as follows: ADAIR, ALERIGHT, ALDRIDGE, ALEXANDER, AMMON, AMONETTE, ANDERSON, ANTHONY, ARTHUR, ATKINS, BACHLER, BALCH, BALLARD, BALIENGER, BARCLAY, BARKSDALE, BARNES, BAUGH, BECKHAM, BELL, BIBB, BISHOP, BOGGS, BOLLING, BOWLING, BOYD, BRADLEY, BRASWELL, BRAY, BRENT, BROCK, BROOKE, BROWN, BUABSON, BUCHANAN, BUCKNER, BULLARD, BURDICK, BURGESS, BURHANS, BURT, BURTON, BURWELL, BUSH, BUSHNER, BUTLER, CAIN, CALDWELL, CARTER, CAUDILL, CHAMBLESS, CHAPMAN, CHRISTIAN, COLLINS, COMER, CONNALLY, COOK, COOPER, CORNELL, COTTON, COWART, COX, COYLE, CROOKEY, DAVID, DAVIS, DEVOTION, DIAL, DONALDSON, DOUGLASS, DOZIER, DRAKE, DUDLEY, DURRETT, EDMONDSON, EDWARDS, EMANUEL, ENLOE, EPPES, FARLEY, FINCH, FREEMAN, GARDNER, GARREN, GASSAWAY, GATES, GERON, GHORMLEY, GIBSON, GILL, GILLIAM, GILLILAND, GILLIS, GORRIE, GRANTLAND, GRAVES, GRAY, GRAYSON, GREER, GRIFFIN, GRISSILE, HALLENBECK, HAMMAN, HANSON, HARDY, HARPER, HARRIS, HARRISON, HAZARD, HEARD, HENRY, HEREFORD, HILL, HILLIARD, HILLMAN, HINDS, HINSHAW, HOBSON, HOGG, HOLLADAY, HOOKER, HOOKS, HORRACE, HOUSTON, HOWARD, HUTCHENS, IKARD, JENKINS, JEFFERSON, JOHNSON, JONES, JORNER, JOYNER, JUDE, KELLY, KIMBROUGH, KING, KINKLE, LANIER, LAMAR, LA RUE, LAWRENCE, LEA, LEDYARD, LEE, LEEDY, LEWIS, LINAM, LIPSCOMB, LOCKETT, LORENTZ, LOVELESS, LUSK, McCALEB, McCARTNEY, McGEE, McKINNON, McKNIGHT, McLENDON, MURPHEE, MAGNUM, MALLORY, MALONE, MANNING, MAPLES, MARSHALL, MASON, MASSENGALE, MASSIE, MATTHEWS, MEANS, MEEK, MERSHON, MILLER, MITCHELL, MORRIS, MOSLEY, MOULTON, MURPHREE, MURPHY, NELSON, NEUMAN, NICAISE, NOBLE, O'QUINN, OUTLAW, PARHAM, PASCHALL, PAUL, PEIRCE, PENDLETON, PEPPER, PETERS, PETTIGREW, PETTUS, POTTS, POWER, PRINDLE, PRUITT, RAY, ROBERTS, RODGERS, ROGERS, ROSE, ROSSER, RUGGLES, RUSH, RUSSELL, RUTHERFORD, RAGSDALE, SALE, SALMON, SAVAGE, SCARBOROUGH, SCHRIMSHER, SEBASTIAN, SELF, SELLERS, SEVIER, SHAKELFORD, SHEILDS, SHELBY, SHELTON, SHORT, SHUMATE, SIMMONS, SIVLEY, SKELTON, SMITH, SPARKS, SPOONER, STEPHEN, STEVENSON, STEWART, STIFF, STONE, STORY, STRICKLAND, STUBLEFIELD, SUMNER, SWARTZ, TATE, TATUM, TAYLOR, THOMASON, TOWNES, TRUMAN, VAN VAIKENBURG, VAUGHAN, VICK, VINING, WALKER, WALTON, WARD, WATERMAN, WATTS, WEBB, WEEMS, WESTMORELAND, WHITAKER, WHITE, WIGGINS, WILDER, WILHOIT, WILLARD, WILLIAMS, WILLOUGHY, WILSON, WING, WINROD, WITHERS, WITHERSPOON, WOODRUFF, WOODSON, WOOLSEY, WRIGHT, WYATT, YARBROUGH, YEATMAN, YEDELLE and YOUNGBLOOD.

The Huntsville Times has had two articles of interest to TVGS members lately. In the August 24 issue there was a long article on Catherine Gilliam showing how "only a housewife" can change the path of an interstate highway. It tells of Catherine's interest in Huntsville's old Southern Railway Depot and how through research & hard work she managed to have it nominated & accepted by the National Register of Historic Places. Reading of Catherine's actions and accomplishments concerning TVGS, the Steamboat Gothic House, the Weeden House, Transportation Museum, Constitution Hall Park, Alabama Historical Assn., Huntsville Public Library, etc. only reminds us what a fantastic person she is. The other article was in the July 14th issue & told of TVGS member Eulalia Wellden's discovery of more than \$700 in Confederate bank notes that were stuffed in the file of a probate will in Limestone County. "Save your Confederate money, boys, 'cause the South is gonna rise again!"

An article in The Birmingham News on October 20th asks if your family is planning a reunion during the 1976-77 Bicentennial period. If so The Smithsonian Institution and the University of Alabama would like to hear from you. Write to Mrs. Beatrice Cane McLain, Director, Center for Southern Folklife Studies, Box 6251, University, AL 35486

THE SWEARINGEN BIBLE

THE HOLY BIBLE, CONTAINING THE OLD AND NEW TESTAMENTS: TOGETHER WITH THE APOCRYPHA: TRANSLATED OUT OF THE ORIGINAL TONGUES, AND WITH THE FORMER TRANSLATIONS DILIGENTLY COMPARED AND REVISED WITH CANNE'S MARGINAL NOTES AND REFERENCES. TO WHICH ARE ADDED AN INDEX; AN ALPHABETICAL TABLE OF ALL THE NAMES IN THE OLD AND NEW TESTAMENTS, WITH THEIR SIGNIFICATIONS, TABLES OF SCRIPTURE WEIGHTS, AND COINS, &c. HARTFORD PUBLISHED BY SUMNER AND GOODMAN 1846

FAMILY RECORD.

MARRIAGES.

Thomas Swearingen,
Nancy Miller,
April 20th 1815

Charles Powell,
Eliza Swearingen,
December 11th 1834

George W. Knowles,
Jane Swearingen,
November 22nd 1838

Joseph E. Knowles,
Mary Swearingen,
July 25th 1839

Oliver P. Swearingen,
Mrs. Nancy Collier,
18 .

Oliver P. Swearingen
Georgia A. H. Boswell
18 .

Thomas A. Swearingen
Jane Fudge
18 .

Howard Dennard
Martha Swearingen,
April 12th 1853

William Barnett
Nancy Swearingen
Oct. 8th 1856

John B. Barnette,
Isabella Swearingen
October 28th 1859

Hartwill J. Swearingen,
Eliza M. Crawford
December 18th 1860

John H. Swearingen,
Mrs. Zuleika A. Harrison
October 5th 1871

BIRTHS.

Thomas Swearingen
February 24th 1795.

Nancy Miller
November 5th 1796.

Eliza Swearingen
January 25th 1816.

William Pinckney Swearingen
April 17th 1817.

Oliver Perry Swearingen
June 19th 1819.

Jane Swearingen
September 20th 1820.

Mary Swearingen
June 10th 1822.

Nancy (D?) Swearingen
April 10th 1824.

Thomas Augustus Swearingen
June 29th 1826.

Martha Swearingen
January 7th 1828.

James Andrew Swearingen
May 27th 1830.

John Howard Swearingen
April 8th 1832.

Isabella Swearingen
July 15th 1834.

Hartwell Jordan Swearingen
March 14th 1836

(Swearingen Bible continued)

Obituary (No newspaper name or date.)

Mrs. Martha H. Drane was born in Columbia county, Ga., in 1806; was married to Dr. William Drane in 1826; and died in Talbot county, Ga. Dec. 2d, 1873.

It is seldom that the hand of friendship is called upon to chronicle the death of a more devoted Christian than was Mrs. Drane. She possessed traits of character which entitled her to the admiration of the world, and deserves more than a passing tribute. Her life was so beautiful, so marked with all the Christian graces, so uniform, that she steadfastly kept the faith, growing stronger and stronger to the end, when the whole was crowned with a triumphant death, that it should be recorded for the comfort of her children, and the encouragement of Christians generally. In girlhood she gave her heart to God, and at the age of sixteen identified herself with the Methodist Church, of which she was an ornament to the day of her death. Her husband was a physician of extensive practice, and was necessarily much absent from home. This devolved much of the care of the family upon her, and nobly did she act her part. She was eminently unselfish; lived not for herself, but for others. There was nothing which she would not endure to promote the welfare and happiness of her children and neighbors, and now they all, with profoundest veneration, rise up and call her blessed. Her own home did not limit her love; the orphan, the friendless, the troubled, found under her roof a shelter, and learned how good a thing is a kind friend in adversity. With her and her noble husband, now of precious memory, many a minister found a well come and a comfortable home. Her generosity, kindness, and beneficence, made her Christian life a sweet savor; made a dark, sinful world, brighter and better. To be in her presence was to feel conscious of her purity and goodness. She was an epistle, known and read of all men. Her piety was of that heavenly type so beautifully delineated by St. James, "First pure, then peaceable, gentle, easy to be entreated, full of mercy and good fruits, without partiality, and without hypocrisy." To obey Christ was her prime business. That highest of encomiums washers, "She hath done what she could." Though in feeble health, her death was unexpected; loving hearts waited for her at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thos. Matthews, of Marion Co., Ga. But other greetings awaited her. The angels opened the crystal gates and shouted her welcome to the skies. She died as peaceably "as weary worn out winds expire". God grant that the influence of her holy and useful life may be blessed to surviving kindred and friends, and may all meet in heaven. (torn) W. Stewar(torn)

Obituary (No newspaper name or date.)

Hartwell J. SWEARINGEN was among the first victims to yellow fever in Bainbridge. He was taken with a chill Wednesday evening and Sunday night he was a corpse. His sickness was brief and his death unexpected. He seemed not all apprehensive of his death, and was more deeply concerned for his sick family than for himself. He suddenly grew worse and became unconscious, and hence left us no testimony in his dying hour. But the testimony of his life in his profession of faith in Christ, and his uniform Christian walk, we regard as the highest evidence. He was born March 14, 1836; was born again, Nov. 11, 1860, and joined the M. E. Church, South, in which he lived an humble and quiet member to the day of his death, October 19, 1873. He was married to Miss Eliza Crawford December 18, 1860, and God blessed them with a happy household of four sweet children. But alas! how short is all earthly happiness, and how soon the dearest ties are broken! God had, before this, taken one of the lambs to the upper fold; now the husband, father, is suddenly taken, and in a few days, the sweet little babe falls a victim to the same disease, and leaves the widow and two remaining children in sadness and mourning, but they mourn not as those without hope - those below confidently expect to meet those above, and dwell forever with the Lord. The life of a Christian man is a richer legacy to his children than all the gold of earth. Bro. Swearingen has left behind the odor of a good name, and the record of a useful life. Much might be said in his praise, but the "well done" of his Lord is quite enough for earth's record. Peace to his ashes.

S. D. Clements

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(This old Bible was found "in an old box in the garage" by Mr. & Mrs. William E. Shinn, Jr. of Decatur, Alabama. My husband and I met this delightful young couple at the District Dinner Meeting of the Chamber of Commerce and enjoyed talking with them on a variety of subjects. When the conversation finally got around to genealogy, they mentioned the Bible. The box was given to them by Mrs. Shinn's family but they do not know who these people were as Mrs. Shinn is not a descendant of the Swearingen family. Mr. and Mrs. Shinn are not interested in genealogy but I'm working on them. - Ed.)

PETITION - WILLIAM B. LOONEY

To the honorable Senate and House of Representatives in Congress assembled:

Your petitioners, citizens of North Alabama, who remained loyal to the Government of the United States during the late Rebellion, would respectfully petition your honorable bodies that a pension for life be granted to William B. Looney of Winston (County) Alabama.

Your petitioners would respectfully represent, that Mr. Looney has rendered most able and efficient service to the Government from the beginning of (the) Rebellion to its close. From the mountains of Ala. to the Federal lines at Corinth, Mississippi, and to Decatur, Ala. during the period of three years (from 1862 to 1865) over twenty-five hundred deserters from the Rebel Army, besides a large number of Union men who were never in the Rebel Army - were piloted by Mr. Looney. He brought into the Federal Lines over five hundred men who joined the Union Army. His travelling was done on foot, and principally in the night. He also made many trips far into the Confederate Lines for the purpose of obtaining information useful to the Federal Army, and never failed to bring correct statements of troops, position etc. He was familiarly known by both Armies as the Black Fox, a name given him by the Rebels for the skill and cunning with which he wrought mischief to their cause. Large rewards were offered by officers of the Rebel Army, both in money, and a permanent discharge from the Rebel service, to any soldier who would take him, dead or alive. A brigade under General Rhoddy spent nearly a year striving to capture him, without success.

After all this - for dangers, hardships and toil untold, for the services rendered his Country, Mr. Looney has never received pay to exceed one hundred dollars. The little property he possessed was destroyed by the Rebels, and he is now so completely broken in health and constitution as to be wholly unfit for labor, while his needs are great.

Your petitioners earnestly pray that you will take immediate notice of this petition.

Decatur, Alabama

June, 1867

C. C. Sheets

U. S. Comm

Northern District
of Ala

W. H. Hyde agt (Bureau?)

R.F. & A.L. for Winston
County Alabama

A. M. Hodgs

F. S. Cramer

late Col 1s Ala Cavly

& Brvt Brig Genl

Peyton Baughn JPC

John M. Cole

Post Master at Houston

Thos. M. Peters

A. Worley Patterson

A. D. E. Williams

John B. Penn

J. Guyler (?)

John Houston

Nathan Satterson

Solomon Glin (?)

John W. Gaylor

W. Isbell

M. J. Isbell

S. W. Penn

John G. Seagers

Richard Penn

S. M.(or H.) Nelson

W.(?) J. Basham

J. W. Williams

J. T. Willerford

Wm. Williams Jr.

A. D. Smith

W. Walker

John Hillsen

Robert Hill

George Shipman

C. M.(or W.) Shipman

George E. Spencer

Late Col 1st Ala Cavly & Brevet(?)

Brig Genl U.S. Vols

David R. Snelling

Late Lt Comder Co I(?) 1st Ala Cav

Jacob Henny

P.M. Decatur, Ala

J. Y. Cantwell

Late Surg U.S. Vols

Examn Surg - Pensions

J. H. Austin

Col. Internal Rev. Morgan Co.

J. J. (or Z.) Hinds (Hands?)

Late Capt. 1st Ala Cav

J. M. Hinds

Late Lieut 1st Ala Cav

Wm Miller

U.S. Comr

J. N. Holsanbeck (?)

Wm. B. Semore

N. Adams

A. B. Hays

Late Sergt. Maj. 2nd Tenn Mtd. Inf. Vols.

G. V. Williams

Byrd Williams

Denis C. Cantrell

George Hughes

Samuel Wiley

W. D. Burnett

Moses Smith

L. B. Welborn

Thos. J. Seagers

B. F. Curtis

Jonathan Barton Hicks(?)

A. T. (or J.) Taylor

Wm. W. Sheets

John Mc'vey

James Hampton

James Dorr

J. N. (or M.) Shipman
 W. N. Baker
 A. Willis
 S. M. Garrison
 Redden Garrison
 W. P. Garrison
 Elonza Richards
 Thomas Riddle
 J. L. McAllister
 Robert Walker
 Joseph Mc'clever
 Memory Walker
 J. W. (or M.) Walker
 Buckner Walker
 J. L. Gibson
 A. M. C. Looney
 T. J. Looney
 R. W. Penn
 Peter Taylor
 Edmund Dutton
 J. B. Hughes
 J. T. Dutton
 Thomas Dutton
 Benj. Overton
 G. W. Gibson
 J. C. Hawkins
 Joseph Kitchens
 S. Jones
 J. Hampton
 Thomas Bady
 F. M. Chelders
 Lewis Mitchell
 M. M. Mitchell
 James Cantrell
 Wm. Garrison
 M. D. Mize
 Philip Sitton
 Wm. Pullum
 Benj. Pullum
 John Myers
 Benj. Midcalr
 W. V(?) Curtis
 D. H. Curtis
 Stephen Mc'collum
 John Hand
 H. A. Mc'collum
 C. A. Taylor
 Moses Mc'collum
 J. A. Lane
 M. H. Henderson
 James Henderson
 J. M. (or W?) Steel
 Thomas Kirkindoll
 Rebecca Spain
 Emanuel Steel
 W. Mc'donald
 John Howell
 Gundy Spain
 John Garrison
 James Garrison
 Dennis Garrison
 Absolum Garrison
 Thomas Gortman
 David H. Speegle

Ezekiel Dorr
 Alex. Dutton
 Levi Brown
 Andrew Brown
 J. L. Mc'donald
 J. A. Hampton
 Samuel Dutton
 James Penn
 K. D. Gogan
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 J. C. Day
 G. W. Dutton
 Samuel Blackburn
 Wesley Clark
 S. H. Bruce
 James Mc'donald
 C. Mc'donald
 Thomas Mc'donald
 D. M. Hampton
 F. M. Looney
 J. H. Day
 James Dutton
 Newton Hampton
 J. W. Hargrove
 W. A. Penn
 A. D. Hunter
 James Dutton
 W. L. Sharpley
 James Barby
 Tolerson Hampton
 W. H. Bean
 John Putman
 Gilbert Mc'vey
 Rolin Hampton
 Madison Looney
 R. P. Mitchell
 Avrey Poor
 Stephen Garrison
 J. J. Revis (?)
 Marion Revis
 Jesse Sitton
 C. Frasier
 Burges Myers
 Robert Mc'clung
 Thomas Barker
 Frank Cummins
 David Herrin
 Henry Aldridge
 J. W. Curtis
 J. N. Curtis
 W. J. Parter
 T. W. Baker
 W. W. Young
 A. P. Turner
 W. P. Shipman
 James Cagle
 F. M. Willis
 James Howell
 Joseph Howell
 Thomas Knight
 L. H. Cagle
 Albert Cagle
 Thomas Mayfield
 James Mayfield
 Reid Mayfield
 Wm. Mayfield

Charnar Mayfield
 Wm. Woodard
 Silas Brumley
 James Osburn
 T. B. Cantrell
 S. D. Spain
 Wm. L. Swin
 Late Sergt Co. I

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I hereby certify that I have carefully Examined Wm. B. Looney referred to in accompany-
 ing petition and find that he is suffering from an injury received in the spine (about the
 lumbar region) by falling from a bluff bank while a scout in the Federal Army and that in
 consequence of said injury and the general broken down condition of his health and consti-
 tution he is totally disable from obtaining his subsistence by Manual labor. I therefore
 respectfully recommend that a pension be granted him by a special act of Congress in accor-
 dance with the desire of your petitioners. Dated at Decatur Ala this 26th day of June 1867.

J. Y. Cantwell
 Exam-Surg For Pensions

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(Petition - Wm. B. Looney continued)

Washington Mar (Nov?) 1, 69

Wm. B. Looney of Alabama was employed by me as a scout while I was in command of the Left Wing of 16 A.C. and as such(?) scout rendered the government valuable services in bringing in the Loyal men of Alabama to our Lines who entered our services and also valuable information in relation to the enemy -

He was paid far less than any of the other scouts only asking his expenses. When I left that country he was inside of the enemys lines on duty and I never paid him fully for his services. I consider him as one of my best volunteer scouts. I am certain and fully believe (while?) in this service he was totally disabled and I consider him justly entitled to the pension and request it may be given him.

Yrs Resp
G? M? Dodge
Late? Maj? Gen? USV

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SENATE - 40th Congress, 3d Session - Rep. Com. No. 204 (S. 147)
IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES, February 8, 1869, Mr. VAN WINKLE made the following REPORT. (To accompany bill S. 900.)

The Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred the petition asking for a pension for Wm. B. Looney, of Alabana, having had the same under consideration, report:

It appears that William B. Looney, of Alabama, was a spy, or scout, for the federal army during the rebellion from 1862 to 1865, during which time he rendered valuable services to the country, and that he has never received over \$100 compensation for such services, which were attended with great risk to his life, and was surrounded by perils and dangers.

Dr. J. Y. Cantwell, examining surgeon for pensions, testifies that Wm. B. Looney is now suffering from injuries received while in the United States service, by falling from a bluff bank while a scout - that his constitution is thereby broken down, and that he is unable to earn his living by manual labor.

The committee think this is a case which appeals to the sympathy and generosity of the government, and therefore recommend that his name be placed upon the roll of invalid pensioners at the rate of \$15 (marked thru and 8 written in.-Ed.) per month, and report a bill accordingly.

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CONGRESSIONAL GLOBE, May 12, 1870, pp 3430-3431

WILLIAM B. LOONEY. Mr. Benjamin also, from the same committee, reported back the bill (S. 147) granting a pension to William B. Looney, of Alabama, with an amendment. The bill directs the Secretary of the Interior to place on the pension roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of William B. Looney, of Alabama, late a scout in the service of the United States, and to pay him at the rate of eight dollars a month, to commence on the 8th day of May, 1865. The amendment reported by the committee was to strike out the words "on the 8th day of May, 1865," and to insert in lieu thereof, after the word "month," the words "from and after the passage of this act." The amendment was agreed to. The bill, as amended, was ordered to be read a third time; and it was accordingly read the third time, and passed. Mr. Benjamin moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed; and also moved that the motion to reconsider be laid on the table. The latter motion was agreed to.

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This material was transcribed and contributed for publication by Mrs. Leola L. Hessom, 4016 Maple Street, Fairfax, Virginia 22030. The men signing the petition were from all over North Alabama (many related to Mrs. Hessom.) Most of them lived in Lawrence and Morgan Cos., and some probably were from Winston County. Some of the signatures were hard to read and therefore there may be some errors in her transcription.

William Bauck Looney of Winston Co. was a son of Moses Looney. Moses and his wife, Mary Guest Looney, are buried at Friendship Cemetery on the county line near Danville. Moses and his brother, John, came to Alabama from Tennessee about 1820.

There was a former Black Fox in North Alabama, and it was possible that stories concerning him were still alive at the time of the Civil War. The Cherokee Chief Enali was called Black Fox and signed treaties as such. He died and is buried in Blount County, Ala. Enali had a nephew, John Looney, who was also a treaty-signing chief. John Looney lived at Creek Path, an Indian village near the present site of Guntersville. Mrs. Hessom thinks William Looney could have been a descendant of Enali's nephew, John Looney. William was born in Morgan Co., Ala. about 1827 and was just a child at the time of the Cherokee Removal and could have remembered or heard stories of the other Black Fox. She does not know what became of William Looney. He is thought to have moved to Memphis, Tennessee.

FORMAN CEMETERY

Morgan County, Alabama

Located SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$, S 27, T 7S, R 1W. Copied by Robert H. Crawford and J. E. Gunn, Jr. on April 20, 1975.

(Outside wrought iron fence)
 Fransis Molindy Oden
 Born July 6, 1835
 Died Jan 22, 1910

Lenard
 Son of
 D.L. & S.D. Ryan
 Born Sept 14, 1903
 Died Aug 14, 1904

William Ryan *
 B June 1814
 D Nov 1900

David W. Draper
 Born Apr 4, 1846
 Died Dec 18, 1904

Martha
 Wife of
 Wm. Ryan
 Born May 24, 1810
 Died Sept 1, 1902

Delila G.
 Dau of
 F. G. & S. N. Ryan
 Born Feb 23, 1886
 Died Apr 14, 1904

Delilah Ryan
 Born July 23, 1847
 Died Sept 24, 1923

* Indicates Masonic emblem.

(Whole cemetery copied. There were 3 stones with no writing on them)

(Inside wrought iron fence)
 Thomas J. Forman
 Born Oct 1, 1863
 Died Dec 27, 1884

William Forman
 Born Sept 14, 1819
 Died Mar 30, 1870

Elizabeth Forman
 Born May 24, 1808
 Died Nov 23, 1883

John Forman
 Born May 14, 1815
 Died Sept 21, 1887

John H. Forman *
 Born Dec 14, 1874
 Died Jan 10, 1919

(double stone)
 James Alexander
 Born Aug 4, 1868
 Died Dec 8, 1940

Annie Belle
 Sept 23, 1876
 (No date inscribed on stone and no evidence of a grave.)

Elijah Forman
 Nov 1, 1861
 Nov 30, 1929

Mary A.
 Wife of
 William Forman
 Oct 18, 1836
 Oct 6, 1912

John F.
 Husband of
 Alice Forman
 July 11, 1865
 Aug 9, 1890

George Forman
 Aug 27, 1860
 Jan 5, 1891

1842 MARRIAGES - LIMESTONE COUNTY, ALABAMA

Contributed by Mrs. Eulalia Wellden, Box 781, Athens, Alabama 35611. This is the tenth in a series taken from Limestone Co. Marriage Records 1832-1862.

- Page 357 William A. Hargrove to Nancy Slaton
1814 1 Jan 1842, sol. 6 Jan 1842 by J. B. Martindale, JP
- Page 358 John S. Stewart to Elizabeth Malone
1815 6 Jan 1842, sol. 13 Jan 1842 by J. M. Lauderdale, JP
- Page 358 David Moore to Mary W. Hamblin
1816 11 Jan 1842, sol. by Robt. Austin, Jr. Clerk CC
- Page 359 Joel S. Redus to Susan Jane Gill
1817 17 Jan 1842, sol. 18 Jan 1842 by Nick Hackworth
- Page 359 William Redus to Paralee Atkinson
1818 17 Jan 1842, sol. 18 Jan 1842 by James Shelton
- Page 360 Littleberry Tyrone to Sarah A. Mitchell
1819 19 Jan 1842, sol. 3 Feb 1842 by Jesse Seale, MG
- Page 360 George W. Roddy to Adaline Morris
1820 22 Jan 1842, sol. 25 Jan 1842 by R. H. Hughey, JP
- Page 361 David Bell to Virginia Lewis
1821 25 Jan 1842, sol. 26 Jan 1842 by Wm. M. Donaldson, JP
- Page 361 Thomas W. Martin to Elizabeth Jane Horton
1822 25 Jan 1842, sol. 1 Feb 1842 by James C. Elliott, MG
- Page 362 Matthew Ranney to Letty Lentz
1823 25 Jan 1842, sol. 26 Jan 1842 by W. C. Watson, JP
- Page 362 Berry Collier to Sarah M. Collier
1824 17 Feb 1842, sol. 17 Feb 1842 by F. G. Ferguson, MG
- Page 363 Archelaus M. Bradley to Palmyra L. Withers
1825 19 Feb 1842, sol. 22 Feb 1842 by Robt Donnell
- Page 363 John Critz to Nancy A. Crenshaw (Crenshaw?)
1826 19 Feb 1842, sol. 22 Feb 1842 by Jesse Seale
- Page 364 Joseph Edmondson to Susan E. Gilbert
1827 21 Feb 1842, sol. 24 Feb 1842 by James Shelton MG
- Page 364 William Adams to Maria Hathcock
1828 26 Feb 1842, sol. 6 Mar 1842 by A. R. Crawford, JP
- Page 365 Emanuel Isom to Rebecca Virginia Gray
1829 31 Jan 1842, sol. 3 Feb 1842 by John French, JP
- Page 365 John Halburt to Sary O. Andrews
1830 3 Mar 1842, sol. 3 Mar 1842 by R. H. Hughey, JP

(1842 Limestone Co., Ala. Marriages continued)

- Page 366 Samuel Critz to Minerva N. H. Petty
1831 7 Mar 1842, sol. 15 Mar 1842 by A. B. Gilbert
- Page 366 Campbell W. McCord to Hannah C. Edmondson
1832 10 Mar 1842, sol. 10 Mar 1842 by R. Donnell
- Page 367 Lazarus Ingraham to Rebecca Morris
1833 14 Mar 1842, sol. 15 Mar 1842 by R. H. Hughey JP
- Page 367 William J. B. Peace to Elizabeth C. Byrd
1834 15 Mar 1842, sol. 15 Mar 1842 by Robt. Austin, Jr. Clerk CC
- Page 368 Joseph Price to Harriet A. Rawlins
1835 22 Mar 1842, sol. 22 Mar 1842 by Saml. M. Ray, JP
- Page 368 Archibald Robinson to Sarah E. Butcher
1836 24 Mar 1842, sol. 24 Mar 1842 by F. G. Ferguson, MG
- Page 369 John Riley to Sarah Raney
1837 30 Mar 1842, sol. 30 Mar 1842 by James C. Elliott, MG
- Page 369 William H. Cox to Obedience Hudson
1838 2 Apr 1842, sol. 12 Apr 1842 by A. B. Gilbert, MG
- Page 370 William B. Holt to Mary Elizabeth Moses
1839 8 Apr 1842, sol. 13 Apr 1842 by James C. Elliott, MG
- Page 370 John T. Pullin to Elizabeth H. Childs
1840 9 Apr 1842, sol. 10 Apr 1842 by M. Bell, JP
- Page 371 John C. Shinpock to Elizabeth H. Olglesby
1841 12 Apr 1842, sol. 12 Apr 1842 by J. Boucher, MG (Boucher?)
- Page 371 Daniel Hill to Kizzy Hoozier
1842 12 Apr 1842, sol. 12 Apr 1842 by Edward Hatchett, JP
- Page 372 Robert Simpson to Mary R. (Dabbs)
1843 17 Apr 1842, sol. 17 Apr 1842 by Wm. M. Donaldson, JP
- Page 372 Wiley M. Reynolds to Lucy R. Lee
1844 10 May 1842, sol. 12 May 1842 by John P. Irvine, JP
- Page 373 Joseph R. Birdwell to Celia ONeal
1845 20 May 1842 By Robt. Austin, Jr. Clerk CC
- Page 373 William Brown to Sarah Ann Harwood
1846 25 May 1842, sol. 25 May 1842 by James C. Elliott, MG
- Page 374 Kirtland Rowden to Polly Hoozier
1847 26 May 1842, sol. by Edward Hatchett JP
- Page 374 Stephen Davenport to Ann Mildred Abernathy
1848 26 May 1842, sol. 9 Jun 1842 by Henry J. Brown, MG
- Page 375 James Roberts to Mary Lambert
1849 27 May 1842, sol. 27 May 1842 by M. Bell, JP

(1842 Limestone Co., Ala. Marriages continued)

- Page 375 John Hardin to Susan Milhouse
1850 31 May 1842, sol. 2 Jun 1842 by James C. Elliott, MG
- Page 376 Levin P. Foote to Margaret Tanner
1851 31 May 1842, sol. 31 May 1842 by F. G. Ferguson, MG
- Page 376 Samuel M. Clay to Eliza Henderson
1852 14 Jul 1842, sol. 19 Jul by James C. Elliott
- Page 377 Alpheus Fisher to Martha Ann Alleson
1853 2 Aug 1842, sol. 4 Aug 1842 by R. Donnell
- Page 377 Alfred M. English to Virginia Stinnett
1854 2 Aug 1842, sol. 18 Aug 1842 by John S. Simpson, JP
- Page 378 Isaac Garrett to Elizabeth Peterson
1855 15 Aug 1842, sol. 15 Aug 1842 by Robt. Austin, Jr., CC
- Page 378 William James to Martha Jane Norton
1856 16 Aug 1842, sol. 16 Aug 1842 by Monroe F. Mosses, MG
- Page 379 Jefferson Parks to Sarah McComb
1857 23 Aug 1842, sol. 23 Aug 1842 by Dawson Phelps
- Page 379 William H. Ledbetter to Lucinda McCall
1858 31 Aug 1842, sol. 31 Aug 1842 by W. R. Hanserd, JP
- Page 380 Archibald C. Beard to Sarah A. M. Green
1859 2 Sep 1842, sol. 8 Sep 1842 by Andrew J. Beard, JP
- Page 380 George J. Burruss to Melissa Dupree
1860 19 Sep 1842, sol. 22 Sep 1842 by John Simpson, JP
- Page 381 David Still to Jane Adams
1861 22 Sep 1842, sol. 22 Sep 1842 by Edward Hatchett, JP
- Page 381 Andrew M. White to Nancy Curry
1862 22 Sep 1842, sol. 22 Sep 1842 by F. G. Ferguson, MG
- Page 382 Richard G. Hine to Mary M. Farrar
1863 27 Sep 1842, sol. 29 Sep 1842 by Jesse Seale, MG
- Page 382 Thomas Brandon, Jr. to Lucy (?) Binford
1864 6 Oct 1842, sol. 6 Oct 1842 by P. B. Robinson
- Page 383 Josiah R. Hancock to Willey Caroline Arledge
1865 6 Oct 1842, sol. 6 Oct 1842 by Dawson Phelps, MG
- Page 383 John Lentz to Elmira Jane Gower
1866 7 Oct 1842, sol. 9 Oct 1842 by W. B. Bryan
- Page 384 William Still to Elizabeth (Beegs?)
1867 13 Oct 1842, sol. 13 Oct 1842 by James Simpson, JP

(1842 Limestone Co., Ala. Marriages continued)

- Page 384 John N. Smith to Susan Brooks
1868 18 Oct 1842, sol. 20 Oct 1842 by J. Boucher
- Page 385 Mitus Louis Easter to Mary Catherine Collier
1869 24 Oct 1842, sol 26 Oct 1842 by Dawson Phelps
- Page 385 Thomas Flournoy Gill to Caroline Harris Burks
1870 29 Oct 1842, sol. 30 Oct 1842 by J. Boucher
- Page 386 Robert Pridmore to Kerrenhappuch Nobblett
1871 29 Oct 1842, sol. 30 Oct 1842 by T. W. Hine, JP
- Page 386 James J. Upshaw to Elenor P. Bowers
1872 10 Nov 1842 Robert Austin, Jr. Clerk CC
- Page 387 William C. Dawson to Margaret W. Johnson
1873 12 Nov 1842, sol. by Edward Hatchett, JP
- Page 388 Edward A. Fletcher to Rebecca J. F. Moore
1875 15 Nov 1842, sol. 16 Nov 1842 by J. Boucher
- Page 387 Hiram R. Rochell to Eliza Jane Norwood
1874 14 Nov 1842, sol. 17 Nov 1842 by James C. Elliott, MG
- Page 388 Robert H. Harrison to Elizabeth Smith
1876 30 Nov 1842, sol. 8 Dec 1842 by Robert Austin, Jr. Clerk CC
- Page 389 Charles M. Weatherford to Susan Hudson
1877 5 Dec 1842, sol. 6 Dec 1842 by Jesse Seale, MG
- Page 389 Albert F. Smith to Mary Frances Dunavant
1878 7 Dec 1842, sol. 8 Dec 1842 by Wm. (?)
- Page 390 Edwin H. Spencer to Mary W. Hendricks
1879 14 Dec 1842, sol. 14 Dec 1842 by James C. Elliott
- Page 390 John S. Nesbit to Hetty Ann Norton
1880 15 Dec 1842, sol. 15 Dec 1842 by James C. Elliott, MG
- Page 391 Henry Stanton to Mary F. Childress
1881 17 Dec 1842, sol. 17 Dec 1842 by John S. Simpson, JP
- Page 391 David A. Carpenter to Martha A. Johnson
1882 21 Dec 1842, sol. 25 Dec 1842 by T. P. Holeman
- Page 392 John M. Brandon to Mary W. Thomas
1883 22 Dec 1842, sol. 22 Dec 1842 by J. Seale, MG
- Page 392 William Junkins to Sarah Tippens
1884 22 Dec 1842, sol. 22 Dec 1842 by J. Seale, MG
- Page 393 James A. Henderson to Amelia Holloway
1885 29 Dec 1842, sol. 12 Jan 1843 by R. H. Hughey, JP



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Page 393 Robert J. Coffman to Mary Ann Lellers
1886 30 Dec 1842, sol. 30 Dec 1842 by Robert Tindall, JP

Page 394 Thomas F. Crawford to Gabrella (Throer?)
1887 30 Dec 1842 Robert Austin, Jr. Clerk CC

Page 394 James Lambert to Mary Flemmons
1888 31 Dec 1842, sol. 1 Jan 1843 by Matthew Bell, JP



HELP IDENTIFY THESE CONFEDERATE SOLDIERS

Mr. Ted O. Brooke, Historian, of the Sons of Confederate Veterans has written that a previously unknown diagram of 73 Confederate graves in the City Cemetery of Madison, Georgia has been discovered. The list is very old, faded, and indistinct, and some of the soldiers are not identified by unit or state. Mr. Brooke wants to identify these soldiers so that their graves may be properly marked. Any of our readers who may have knowledge or information of these men are invited to send it to Mr. Ted O. Brooke, 79 Wagonwheel Court, N.E., Marietta, GA 30062.

Confederate Soldiers of Alabama (and unknown places) buried in the City Cemetery, Madison, Georgia:

- #6W) Priv H. Owens, Co. A 17th Ala Regt, died June 14th 1864
- #7W) Corpl J. B. Durham, Co. G. 55th Ala Regt, died June 19th 1864
- #8W) Priv W. W. Holland, Co B 22 Ala Regt, died June 19th 1864
- #14W) Priv L. J. McDodd, Co H _____ Ala, died July 2nd 1864
- #19W) Christ(?) Wornberry(?) (Thornberry?) - no state, regt, co (Could this be Christopher L. Thornton, 45 Ga Regt, Co D, died in Richmond, Va., 27 June 1862?)
- #28W) Priv C. P. Todd, Co G 34th Ala, died July 12th 1864
- #34W) Priv C. B. Stowe, Co K 8th Ala, died July 2nd 1864
- #38W) J. _____ y _____, Co E _____ Ala, died Aug(?) 5th(?) 1864
- #46W) C. Hamilton, Co C 3rd Confederate
- #53W) Priv E. Carr, Co K 37th Ala, died March 20th 1865
- #54W) E. D. Callahan, Co I 53rd Ala Cav, died March 16th 1865
- #6E) C. J. C. Butts(?)
- #7E) H. Shauger killed by cars Oct 8th 1863
- #11E) McHurt(?)
- #13E) Priv(?) L. B. Rakay(?), Co D 22(?) Ala
- #16E) E. Wassey(?) (Massey?)
- #21E) Priv Hobson, Co K 19th Ala, died June 8th 1864

WILLIAM COOPER OBITUARY

THE HUNTSVILLE WEEKLY MERCURY, Aug 24, 1887, p. 4, col. 4

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT....death of William Cooper, Esq., of Tuscumbia....member of the Bar of North Alabama...he was eighty-six years of age....loving husband, father and brother....

Contributed by Catherine Gilliam, Huntsville, AL

ABSTRACTS OF WILLS IN PR 8, MADISON CO., ALABAMA - CONTINUED

(Abstracted by Mr. & Mrs. Ezell Terry, Huntsville, Ala.)

PR 8, p.278 WILL OF JOSEPH ADAMS Dated 13 Mar 1838
Prob 9 Apr 1838

To beloved wife -- and at her death equally divided among my ch.
Also to wife one-third part of my land after James Tomlinson's
part is taken off which is to join Edward Hatchett's line.

To Francis Adams, my youngest son, to make him equal to rest
of ch. (Wife & ch not named.) To Leah my old negro, her freedom.
Execs: Edward Hatchett, David Still.

Wit: Edward Hatchett, Jeremiah Martin, Isaac Gatlin.

PR 8, p.354 WILL OF DANIEL WRIGHT, SR. 2 July 1837
Prob 23 July 1838

Ch: Thomas, John, Daniel W. Wright, Nancy Shackelford, Lucinday
Wyche. To ~~gr~~ch: Evelina Eastland, Eliza McCrary, Leusinda Mc-
Crary (sisters.)

Execs: Sun John Wright & dau Nancy Shackelford.

Wit: William Boyd, Harriet Boyd, Mary Ann Beal

PR 8, p.355 WILL OF JANE BAYLESS Dated 21 Jan 1837
Prob 6 Aug 1838

To sons Hezekiah Bayless & Elias Bayless --

To dau Johannah Rice - all remainder of estate, provided I die
in a short time, but if I live to a considerable age & am very
troublesome - then entire estate to her. Joseph Rice, my son-
in-law to keep estate in his hands until he is fully compensat-
ed for my support, maintenance & funeral expenses.

Exec: Son-in-law Joseph Rice.

Wit: Joseph Rice, Fernando Rice.

PR 8, p.356 WILL OF DANIEL LONG Dated 6 Feb 1838
Prob 14 Aug 1838

To beloved wife Martha Long, formerly Martha Strong, all prop-
erty except otherwise disposed of. (Martha Stroud in orig. will)

To Mary Elizabeth Terry, dau of George Terry, to her & her ch.

forever. If she should die, then to Eliza Terry, sister of Mary.

To my son Ware Long --. To the children of my son James Long &
dau Elizabeth Davis equally. (Both ch are living.)

Will of Daniel Long - cont-

Execs: George Terry and _____ Gidean.

Wit: Gabriel Moore, George Terry, William Coyle, Friley Jones.

"Conacil" - 9 Feb 1838

To my son Reubin Long, Dan'l Long, Jr., Nancy Long & to the heirs of Seamor Long, dec'd -- having given to them heretofore.

Wit: Friley Jones, Jno B. Wigginton.

PR 8, p.385 WILL OF MADISON B. ROBINSON Dated 13 Mar 1837
Prob 18 Aug 1838

To my dau Margaret F. H. Robinson - all estate after deducting for support & maintenance of my wife Mary Ann Robinson "until her second marriage." In event of the death of my dau without an heir, all negroes to be liberated at age 30. Those over 30 to be liberated immediately.

Execs: Brothers James Robinson & John D. Robinson.

Wit: James Wheat, John T. Harrison, Cortez D. Kavanaugh.

PR 8, p.389 WILL OF EDMUND L. SCRUGGS Dated 9 Aug 1838
Prob 10 Sep 1838

Exec to transfer a land certificate for 40 A. in Jackson Co. to Augustus Brown, provided he pay \$300 for it.

Children to be kept together & sent to school. (Not named)

If wife does not marry, exec to let her have as much property as will make her comfortable her lifetime. (Not named.)

Exec: My friend Kennon Steger.

Wit: Gross Scruggs, B. A. Philpott, James H. Scruggs.

Note by RET: Edmund Scruggs m. Permelia Stegar, 17 Mar 1821, Madison Co., Ala. (MB 3, p.83.)

Orphan Court Record 9, p.194 - John W. Otey appointed guardian for John P., William, Gross, Leroy J., & Martha Emily Scruggs, infant children of Edmund L. Scruggs, dec'd.

PR 8, p.394 WILL OF ALEXANDER JEFFRIES Dated 19 Feb 1838
Prob 27 Nov 1838

Having heretofore given to my ch Richard R. Jeffries and Ann W. Whitaker a portion of my estate ---

To beloved wife Elizabeth E. Jeffries; to son William A. D.

Jeffries & dau Elizabeth M. Jeffries -- all the rest of estate.

If my wife have an heir by me after the date of this will, he,

she or they to share equally with my other legatees.

Execs: Wife Elizabeth E. Jeffries & Edward W. Dale.

Wit: James Sanders, George D. Norris, G. S. Davie, Abner Tate.

PR 8, p.397 WILL OF JOHN MILAM

Dated 3 June 1835
Prob 1 Nov 1838

To my wife Polley Millam ---- to dispose of as she may think proper. To dau Dicey Cannant -- To dau Jane Leek --- Estate to be sold & money equally divided among sons Bartlet Milam, John Milam, Wiley Milam, daus Polley Atkins, Cindarilla Murphey, Nancy Sutherland, granddau Nancy Arnold, grandson William Blurfered Garey & g-dau Malinda Garey, the last two named to draw one part which would have been their mother's. Exec: Bartlet Milam & William Murphey.

Wit: Robert Davie, R. W. Davie, Randolph Sullivan.

PR 8, p.400 WILL OF JOHN LOGAN

Dated 10 July 1833
Prob 12 Nov 1838

To my wife Martha Logan - all estate during her natural life. My four youngest ch: Jane, John, Abner & Martha Logan -- Other ch: Margaret Johnston, wife of William S. Johnston of Jackson Co., Rebecca Logan, William L. Logan, Ann Logan. "N.B. The above legatees have given themselves midal leters in their names that I am not acquainted with."

Execs: Hugh Smith, John Hardy & wife Martha Logan.

Wit: George McLeod, Solomon Spence, Peter Herbert.

PR 8, p.405 WILL OF WILLIAM JONES

Dated 20 Oct 1813
Prob 13 Dec 1813

Of Buckingham Co. (Va.)

To wife Elizabeth Jones - plantation whereon I now live --- To granddau Elizabeth Cobb --. To dau Polley Gilbert during her life, then to g-dau Elizabeth Ann Gilbert -- Should I recover 400 A. of land of Philip Gaines of Grayson Co. by Robert Crockett (who is impowered to get it for me) I give same to my g-ch William Jones Gilbert & Elias Jones Gilbert. Slaves given to Polley Gilbert to be managed by Colonel Edward Jones & Samuel Jones (his bro) and by Mr. Jonas Jones so that no part come to Wyatt R. Gilbert.

To grandch Philip & John Allen and g-son Peter Mickleberry Mont-

PR 8, p.413

WILL OF HENRY TOWNSENDDated 10 Mar 1838
Prob 3 Dec 1838

Negro woman Winney, ca 60, & her son Lige, ca 40, to be freed. Also Jo, son of Winney to be freed & for their support, a sorrel mare, bed & furniture, cow & calf, etc. To Lige my blacksmith tools.

To my son Eli Townsend; to dau-in-law Sally Townsend, widow of my dec'd son John; to son-in-law John M. Connell.

To my dau Mary Stubblefield. My son William Townsend's heirs.

Execs: James Walker, John F. Buckner.

Wit: John Walker, Jacob Hamilton, Levi Vickery.

PR 8, p.414

WILL OF MICHAEL MASONDated 19 Aug 1826
Prob 15 Dec 1838

To my beloved wife Rebecca Mason -- all my lands, tenements, hereditaments, etc -- to dispose of at pleasure.

Exec: Not named.

Wit: William Young, John I. Bain, John Ward.

PR 8, p.415

WILL OF WILLIAM LEECHDated 12 Nov 1833
Prob 18 Dec 1838

"Being sick and weak in body ---"

To my affectionate & well beloved wife Eleanor V. Leech -- all estate, inc. a small tract near Huntsville, on which I now live.

Execs: Wife Eleanor V. Leech & Isaac Williams.

Wit: A. F. Hopkins, John Allan, A. Hutchison.

Codicil, 6 Dec 1838 - To wife Eleanor for her life only a negro woman Mason & her 3 ch -- & give power to sd wife to emancipate the sd slaves any time she may choose. Those slaves not emancipated by wife, I give to David Smith, Esqr., formerly of Courtland, Ala. & now of Carlenville, Ill., in trust to be emancipated by him. If the trust be decided void by highest court of Ala., then in that case I give the slaves to David Smith unconditionally.

Wit: A. F. Hopkins, Wm Veitch, A. M. Hopkins.

Wills in PR 8 continued next issue.

CORRECTION: Valley Leaves Vol. 10, No. 1, p. 7

Page 318 #1735 - Groom is Joseph Hasten, not Horten. (Correction by Rose Marie Moore.)

MORGAN COUNTY, ALABAMA, MARRIAGE RECORD B, 1848-1860
(Part 10, pages 370-410)

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Page	Groom	Bride	
370	John McClure S. 2 Sept 1858 by W ^m Ryan, J. P.	Lucenda R. Garrison	L. 1 Sept 1858
370	Allen W. Weed (or Wild?) S. 2 Sept 1858 by Geo. P. Charlton, J. P.	Martha Patterson	L. 2 Sept 1858
371	W ^m P. Foster S. 14 Sept 1858 by Geo. P. Charlton, J. P.	M. A. Willis	L. 13 Sept 1858
371	John Glenn S. 14 Sept 1858 by F. M. Hickman, M. G.	Mary S. Wooldrige	L. 14 Sept 1858
372	J. T. Galloway S. 22 Sept 1858 by Geo. P. Charlton, J. P.	Mary Gurly	L. 18 Sept 1858
372	John (Gurly?) S. 1 Oct 1858 by Geo. P. Charlton, J. P.	Martha Jackson	L. 18 Sept 1858
373	John Mellecan S. 19 Sept 1858 by W ^m G. W. Smith, J. P.	Martha Vanzant	L. 18 Sept 1858
373	William A. Lamons S. 19 Sept 1858 by W ^m Ryan, J. P.	Margaret A. Price	L. 18 Sept 1858
374	William Semmons S. 26 Sept 1858 by S. W. Beeson, M. G.	Manda E. Vest	L. 22 Sept 1858
374	James S. (Owen?) S. 26 Sept 1858 by W. J. Thompson, M. G.	Adaline (Miller or Mellen?)	L. 25 Sept 1858
375	Wiley W. Vanzant S. 27 Sept 1858 by W. G. W. Smith, J. P.	Rachael Mellecan	L. 27 Sept 1858
375	S. W. Shackelford S. 29 Sept 1858 by (Jas. or Jos.?) Shackelford, M. G.	Mary R. (Garrison?)	L. 29 Sept 1858
376	Thos. R. Dotey S. 1 Oct 1858 by George P. Charlton, J. P.	Judith Godsey	L. 1 Oct 1858
376	John S. Marks S. 5 Oct 1858 by Phil L. Henderson, M. G.	Sarah A. Nevill	L. 2 Oct 1858
377	W ^m S. Weaver S. 6 Oct 1858 by E. M. Sams, M. G.	Matilda I. McCarley	L. 5 Oct 1858
377	Israel M. Burns (No return)	Nicy Johnson	L. 6 Oct 1858
378	James G. Barnes S. 14 Oct 1858 by A. G. Copeland, M. G.	(Jance?) G. Cooper	L. 13 Oct 1858
378	Joseph G. (Henning or Herring?) S. 27 Oct 1858 by A. G. Copeland, M. G.	Rebecca S. Freeman	L. 26 Oct 1858
379	Leander C. Underwood S. 4 Nov 1858 by O. L. Lewis, L. D.	Lucenda C. Hood	L. 30 Oct 1858

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Page	Groom	Bride	
379	J. Roan S. 22 Nov 1858 by Elias Reddles, M. G.	Amanda Jones	L. 4 Nov 1858
380	Jonathan Ford S. 11 Nov 1858 by C. W. Price, M. G.	Celia J. Griffeth	L. 11 Nov 1858
380	A. F. Stephenson S. 14 Nov 1858 by J. S. Marks, M. G.	Mary E. Wise	L. 12 Nov 1858
381	Richard Evans S. 18 Nov 1858 by H. M. Welch, M. G.	Sarah A. Nelson	L. 15 Nov 1858
381	David Hubbard (No return)	Martha E. S. Pettus	L. 20 Nov 1858
382	Richard (Taylor?) S. 21 Nov 1858 by Geo. P. Charlton, J. P.	Nancy Burfield	L. 20 Nov 1858
382	D. W. Whetten S. 1 Dec 1858 by John D. Robinson, M. G.	Sarah Ann Sharp	L. 29 Nov 1858
383	William Royer S. 1 Dec 1858 by Anson Putman, M. G.	Catharin Bodery	L. 29 Nov 1858
383	George B. Collins S. 2 Dec 1858 by John D. Rebinson, M. G.	Margaret Burris	L. 2 Dec 1858
384	James D. Hampton S. 23 Dec 1858 by Anson Putman, M. G.	Sarah C. Weley	L. 21 Dec 1858
384	John B. Gipson (No return)	Malenda A. (Reevis?)	L. 21 Dec 1858
385	Malcomb Lemmons S. 22 Dec 1858 by W ^m Ryan, J. P.	Nancy D. Lemmons	L. 22 Dec 1858
385	John T. Drinkard S. 23 Dec 1858 by A. Tapscott, J. P.	Sarah E. Oaks	L. 22 Dec 1858
386	Nathan H. Holmes S. 2 Jan 1859 by James K. Lynn, M. G.	Sarah A. Derrick	L. 1 Jan 1859
386	Andrew A. Speagle S. 4 Jan 1859 by J. W. Harvey, M. G.	Wenfrey Nunn	L. 3 Jan 1859
387	Thomas E. Wallace S. 6 Jan 1859 by A. W. Nunn, M. G.	Elizabeth Ford	L. 5 Jan 1859
387	William T. Walling S. 19 Jan 1859 by Jos. Rice, J. P.	Nancy J. Willson	L. 18 Jan 1859
388	Oliver Livingston S. 20 Jan 1859 by John Y. Furguson, J. P.	Alli Morgan	L. 19 Jan 1859
388	Jacob A. Williams S. 19 Jan 1859 by W. H. Lyle, M. G.	Sarah A. Upton	L. 19 Jan 1859
389	William V. Cook S. 19 Jan 1859 by Jos. Rice, J. P.	Martha F. Cook	L. 19 Jan 1859
389	Andrew I. McGee S. 26 Jan 1859 by W. G. W. Smeth, J. P.	Christena A. Patterson	L. 26 Jan 1859
390	W. M. H. Allen S. 26 Jan 1859 by J. H. Gill, J. P.	Martha Houk (or Hank?)	L. 26 Jan 1859

(Morgan Co., Ala., Marriage Record B, continued)

Page	Groom	Bride	
390	Leander Craft S. 3 Feb 1859 by Jas. A. Woodall, M. G.	Louisa T. Laney	L. 2 Feb 1859
391	Franklin Willoughby (Willabry in front index) S. 9 Feb 1859 by S. M. Cherry, M. G.	Perlie F. Slate	7 Feb 1859
391	Nathan Marian S. 14 Feb 1859 by S. M. Cerry, M. G.	Lucenda R. Ramsey	L. 8 Feb 1859
392	John W. Bain S. 15 Feb 1859 by A. Tapscott, J. P.	Mary N. Turney	L. 14 Feb 1859
392	James (F. or T.?) Neel S. 16 Feb 1859 by Geo. P. Charlton, J. P.	Margaret E. Waddle	L. 15 Feb 1859
393	Albert J. Kyle S. 16 Feb 1859 by John D. Rebinson, M. G.	Mary Jane Willis	L. 16 Feb 1859
393	Hestaspus? Steuart? S. 19 Feb 1859 by J. L. Harris, M. G.	Neoma E. Stenson	L. 19 Feb 1859
394	William C. Winton S. 23 Feb 1859 by W. M. (Turrcey? May be Turney), M. G.	Mary E. Brown	L. 22 Feb 1859
394	William B. Marten S. 24 Feb 1859 by H. M. Welch, J. P.	Cornelia F. (Stuart?)	L. 24 Feb 1859
395	James A. McClure S. 2 March 1859 by W ^m Ryan, J. P.	Mary S. Boaman	L. 28 Feb 1859
395	A. J. Oden S. 9 March 1859 by J. W. Harvy, M. G.	Mary E. Wilhete	L. 9 March 1859
396	John W. Smith S. 10 March 1859 by W. H. Cambell, Judge P. C.	Sarah E. King	L. 10 March 1859
396	Thomas J. Campbell S. 9 March 1859 by E. M. Sams, M. G.	Sarah P. Welch	L. 9 March 1859
397	John M. (Holmes?) (No return)	(Marreni?) C. Sample	L. 15 March 1859
397	Levi Slate S. 16 March 1859 by Jas. A. Woodall, M. G.	Martha Livingston	L. 15 March 1859
398	John King S. 17 March 1859 by Thos. A. Strain, M. G.	Nancy C. Halbrook	L. 17 March 1859
398	W ^m D. Strain (No return)	Sophia M. Echols	L. 24 March 1859
399	Samuel A. Steeger S. 4 May 1859 by F. A. Kenble, M. G.	Mary M. Dance	L. 23 April 1859
399	William M. Woodall S. 7 June 1859 by J. W. Harvy, M. G.	Ellen M. Means	L. 6 June 1859
Beginning on page 400, licenses were issued by J. D. Johnston, Judge P. C.			
400	William Orr (No return)	Martha J. (Long?)	L. 25 June 1859
400	John Turrentine (No return)	E. M. Gray	L. 27 June 1859

(Morgan Co., Ala., Marriage Record B, continued)

Page	Groom	Bride	
401	John F. Roberts S. 13 July 1859 by H. M. Welch, M. G.	F. Carry Thompson	L. 13 July 1859
401	Edward A. Summerford S. 21 July 1859 by Jas. A. Woodall, M. G.	Nancy T. Haney (or Harvey?)	L. 19 July 1859
402	A. W. Stephenson S. "at the residence of Mrs. Dancy" 27 July 1859 by John S. Marks, M. G.	P. J. Dancy	L. 25 July 1859
402	S. C. Lovelady (No return)	Martha J. Sherroll	L. 13 Aug 1859
403	Peter Goolsby S. 21 Aug 1859 by Jas. Rice, J. P.	Martha J. Johnson	L. 20 Aug 1859
403	Jeremiah J. Crowley S. 29 Aug 1859 by S. M. Cherry, M. G.	Delphia F. (Slate?)	L. 22 Aug 1859
404	Geo. W. C. Long S. 24 Aug 1859 by Jas. A. Woodall, M. G.	Frances A. (Harvill?)	L. 24 Aug 1859
404	John J. (McAnion?) S. 28 Aug 1859 by W ^m Ryan, J. P.	Permelia J. Moore	L. 26 Aug 1859
405	John Derrick S. 14 Sept 1859 by W ^m Stringer, M. G.	(Lannia?) Allison	L. 13 Sept 1859
405	John Moore S. 22 Sept 1859 by J. L. Harris, M. G.	Mary A. Terry	L. 21 Sept 1859
Beginning on page 406, licenses are issued by Green P. Rice, Jr., Judge P.C.			
406	John H. Bradley S. 5 Oct 1859 by G. W. Mitchell, M. G.	Bettee S. (Rather?)	L. 4 Oct 1859
406	John C. Hayes S. 5 Oct 1859 by W ^m L. Wright, J. P.	Francis H. Wright	L. 25 Oct 1859
407	Charles Kellensworth S. 5 Oct 1859 by W ^m (M.?) (Tuny? May be Turney), M. G.	(?Trase Bly?)	L. 5 Oct 1859
407	(Rosevhoma?) Gooch S. 8 Oct 1859 by Thos. Ryan, J. P.	Mary E. Smith	L. 8 Oct 1859
408	W. R. M. Horton S. "Solemn" (no date nor by whom)	Mary C. Sharp	L. 7 Oct 1859
408	William T. Jinkins S. 19 Oct 1859 by David Day, J. P.	Polly Ann Mynatt	L. 17 Oct 1859
409	William C. Lock (No return)	Sarah Ann (Hednie?)	L. 22 Oct 1859
409	Andrew Jackson "Solem_" (no date nor by whom)	Harriet S. Robberson	L. 25 Oct 1859
410	William S. Parker S. 30 Oct 1859 by Jas. A. Woodall, M. G.	Eliza Harvy	L. 29 Oct 1859
410	Robert H. Tapscott S. 1 Nov 1859 by W. W. Wilhete, M. G.	Mary Speagle	L. 1 Nov 1859

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ORIGINAL ESTATE PAPERS - LAWRENCE CO., ALABAMA

Part 2 of a series of loose original estate papers found in Lawrence County Courthouse by Ann Cochran and transcribed by Ann Jenkins.

ESTATE OF JAMES L. RICHARDSON

State of Alabama) County court in vacation return day October 22nd 1829
Lawrence County) Present Peter W. Taylor Esquire Judge of said court
Ordered that the administrator of the goods &c of James L. Richardson deceased sell the personal estate of said deceased to the highest bidder on a credit of twelve months taking bond with approved security and it is further ordered that said administrator make return of his proceeding in making said sale within thirty days after having made the same.

Test Andrew O. Horn Clerk

A copy

1 Mare Joel D. Harris		40.00
1 Saddl, Saddleblanket & Bridl	J. Simmons	1.00
1 pr. Medical Saddlebags	Mrs. Richardson	.25
1 Bed, Bedstead & Furniture	Mrs. Richardson	5.00
1 Trunk	Mrs. Richardson	.75
1 Trunk	Mrs. Richardson	.50
1 Trunk	David Knott	.56 $\frac{1}{2}$
1 Table	Mrs. Richardson	6 $\frac{1}{2}$
Anotated Universal History	T. Strain	8.50
Blest on the Mind	L. Campbell	1.00
Bayley Anatomy	L. Campbell	.50
Procedures on the Joints	L. Campbell	.50
Walkers Dictionary	J. Simmons	.75
1 Vol Youngs Works	T. Strain	.37 $\frac{1}{2}$
8 mos Transylvania Journal	L. Campbell	.75
Parrs Med. Dictionary	Mrs. Richardson	5.50
Leaves of Shakespeare	D. Knott	.37 $\frac{1}{2}$
Whelkley compend	D. Lindsey	1.00
1 case surgical Instruments	L. Campbell	4.00
1 set Scales & Beams & Weights	Doctor Wear	1.00
1 Mortar & Pestle	J B Wallace	1.12 $\frac{1}{2}$
1 spatula	L. Campbell	.50
2nd page		
1 Graduating Glass	L. Campbell	.62 $\frac{1}{2}$
1 pr old Saddlebags	Phillip Hall	.68 $\frac{3}{4}$
1 Top china Press	J. Gallagher	3.12 $\frac{1}{2}$
1 china Press	Mrs. Richardson	1.00
1 Looking Glass	Mrs. Richardson	6 $\frac{1}{2}$
2 Brushes	D Knott	.25
1 compass	Doctor Wear	4.06 $\frac{1}{2}$
1 Rifle Gun	James Dublin	6.00
1 Book on Chemistry	T Strain	.50
1 Lot medicine No 1	Doct ^r Campbell	1.00
1 Lot Ditto No 2	Thos A. Strain	1.12 $\frac{1}{2}$
1 Lot Ditto No 3	Doct ^r Walker	.62 $\frac{1}{2}$

1 Large Syrange	Thos A. Strain	1.81 $\frac{1}{4}$
2 Small Syranges	Doct ^r Campbell	.25
1 Box & contents	Jn ^o Simmons	.81 $\frac{1}{4}$
1 Bottle castor oil	Jn ^o Gregg	.50
1 Bottle Ess Peppermint	W. Livingston	.50
2 oz. vial wormseed oil	Jn ^o Gregg	.75
1 Lot of 4 Bottle	Doct ^r Wear	1.00
1 Lot of Medicine	B. Jones	.56 $\frac{1}{4}$
1 Lot	Ditto Doct ^r Walker	1.25
1 Lot Medicine	Doct ^r Wear	1.56 $\frac{1}{4}$
1 Brass candlestick	Mrs Richardson	.56 $\frac{1}{4}$
4 Jars	Mrs. Richardson	.25
1 flour pot	Mrs. Richardson	6 $\frac{1}{4}$
1 Skillet & over	Mrs. Richardson	1.00
1 pr and Iron	Mrs. Richardson	.25
1 Grid Iron	Mrs. Richardson	.25
1 Large Pot	Dennis Lindsay	1.62 $\frac{1}{2}$
Total Amount of Sale		<u>\106.06\frac{1}{4}$</u>

Amount of accounts

Thomas A Strain	\$ 90.75
Thomas Milam	69.37 $\frac{1}{2}$
James Strain	65.25
George W More . . . 3.75	
John E. Lesster . .	1.50
carried over	<u>\230.62\frac{3}{4}$</u>

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Benjamin Rhodes	2.00
Nathaniel Allman	4.30
Branch Jones	6.25
James Hubbard	3.00
James Talmage	2.50
Benjamin Coleby(?)	.75
Hannibal Hamilton	3.75
Spotswood Jones	1.50
Thomas Grayton	1.00
John M Jackson	2.75
Joseph McDaniel	2.00
William Bigham	1.75
William Nichalson	2.25
David Borden	7.25
William Jeffreys	11.50
William Barrens	3.25
Col William Hodges	13.25
Widow McDaniel	8.75
Aaron Allen	14.18 $\frac{3}{4}$
Joseph L Gray	8.50
Wiatt Hawkins	5.75
Willis Wadkins	3.33 $\frac{1}{4}$
Gilbert Milam	1.25
James Armstrong	.50
William Sovall	2.00
Samuel Irwin	10.50
David Knott	4.50
Mark Lindsey	2.75
Mr Simms Sraugationl(?)	1.00
William Irwin	5.00
Crockett McDonald	19.25

Lewis Campbell	8.00
James E Saunders	2.25
James Elliott	.50
Joseph Hawkins	3.00
32.06 $\frac{1}{4}$ Mathew McAlister	5.25
	<u>402.94$\frac{1}{4}$</u>

carried over

4th page

William McDaniel	3.50
William Milam	1.50
Andrew O Horn	1.00
Samuel White	1.00
Moses Thomason	5.00
George Ward	.50
John Gregg	12.00
Joseph Templeton	4.50
Mr. Tolin	2.00
Randolph Wren	1.00
William Allman	.50
Mr. Gibson	1.50
Squire McMahan by Mr Thomason	1.00
Gabriel Greenhaw	5.00
Mr Melson	1.50
John Wilson	4.75
William Leonard	1.25
Mr Wildeer (?)	1.00

Edwin Price Dr	
To contract by the year for medacine and attendance on family	48.00
John Bullock Dr	
To engagement in family 8 persons per year	25.00

Notes & Receipts

one note on Wm Green due 25 th Decr 1828	\$ 42.93 3/4
Note on M A Boyer for due 6 th January 1825	30.00
Note on Wm Dodson for due 13 th January 1829	18.00
Samuel <u>B</u> woody <u>R</u> ceipt for the following notes & accounts	
John Jackson note for	42.50
Richard White do	10.00
James Briersons ballance	1.62 $\frac{1}{4}$
F A A Franklin(?)	3.00
B P Ford	21.00
Saml <u>C</u> lampel	4.00
John Fisher	15.00
James Terry 1829	6.00
W H Robertson <u>R</u> ceipt for the collection of a note executed by Josh W Ayses (?) for \$77.73 in current bank notes dated 11 th Jan 1828 credit \$1.00 sance date on which there is a receipt by J L Richardson on 22 nd July 1828 for \$19 ballance	\$57.73
F W Lewis <u>R</u> ceipt for a note on A Templeton dated 20 th March 1825 due one day thereafter for	\$22.57 $\frac{1}{2}$
F Wadkines <u>R</u> ceipt for a green(?) hide 17 th marked	1.33
W M McElvy Dr	
To contract for attendance on family 7 persons 1829	17.50

Esq^r Burford Dr
To contract for attendance on family this years 16th June 1829 \$30.00

(on outside) 1829
An Inventory of notes, accounts & receipts together with an account of the
sale of the property of said deceased

John Gregg Adm.

Recorded in Book Q. pages 26, 27, 28 & 29
and examined Andrew O. Horn Clerk

THE ESTATE OF LINDSEY HARGROVE ESQR.

1827	To Edw ^d S. Gantt	
February 3 ^d - Visit 6 Miles - Emet. and Cathar. -		\$ 4.11
April 20 th - Visit at Night 6 Miles		6.11
Aug ^t 19 th Pulv. Comp. in Cher. No. iiiiij -		1.75
Tinct. opii 1 oz. - By W O'Neil		1.50
		<u>\$11.25</u>
By hire of Negroe boy Frank		
Six weeks	\$2.25	2.25
	Bal. Due E. S. Gantt	<u>\$ 9.00</u>

State of Alabama)
Lawrence County) On this 17th day of February 1829 before the undersigned,
Judge of the County Court of said County, Edward S. Gantt made affidavit that
the above account of nine Dollars is due him for services as a Physician in
the last illness of Lindsey Hargrove - and that the same is reasonable and
usual for the like services.

Peter W. Taylor J.C.C.

Voucher in # 22

ESTATE OF W^m LOVE

1832	To W W James Dr	
July 30 th	To Black Walnut Coffin Lined with Flannel	\$ 20.00

The State of Alabama)
Lawrence County)
This day personally appeared before me, Willie Connor, a justice of the
peace in and for said county, W. W. James & made oath that the above account
is just and true.

W W James

Sworn to & subscribed before me
this 4th day of March 1833

Willie Connor JP

(on reverse)
Pay the within to C Wood March 4^h 1833 W.W. James
Reeced the within in full April 24^h 1833 C Wood



SOME 1826-1830 AREA MARRIAGES FROM THE NATIONAL BANNER AND NASHVILLE WHIG

Marriages from our area found in May 3, 1826 - July 29, 1830 issues of this Nashville newspaper, available from the Tennessee State Library and Archives on microfilm labeled "Republican Banner", were abstracted by Mrs. Roy J. Cochran and Mrs. William B. McKnight of Huntsville during 1973. Several issues were missing from the microfilm. NOTE: Marriages published in Valley Leaves, Vol. 7, pp. 94, 145, 146 and Vol. 8, pp. 51-54, 120-124 are NOT REPEATED here unless additional or different information was found. (Date of marriage seldom given.)

Wednesday, May 3, 1826, page 3, column 1

In Fayette Co., Ky., Dr. BENJAMIN GRAY of Tuscumbia, Ala. to Miss MARY YOUNG, daughter of Ambrose Young, Esq.

Saturday, May 13, 1826, page 3, column 4

In Lincoln Co. (Tenn.) Mr. WILLIAM MARSH to Miss CLARISSA MARSH.

Saturday, May 27, 1826, page 3, column 4

In Lincoln Co. (Tenn.) Mr. JAMES CUNNINGHAM to Miss NANCY GROCE.

In Lincoln Co. (Tenn.) Mr. JOHN BEARD to Mrs. REBECCA TURNER.

In Lincoln Co. (Tenn.) Mr. JAMES G. SMITH to Miss MARGARET BEARD.

Saturday, July 8, 1826, page 3, column 1

In Fayetteville (Tenn.) Mr. JOHN FORMWALT to Miss MATILDA MOYERS.

In Fayetteville (Tenn.) Mr. NOTLEY WILKINSON to Miss PEGGY RICHARDSON.

In Madison, Al. Rev. ISAAC SULLIVAN to Miss MARY B. HARRIS.

Saturday, July 29, 1826, page 3, column 4

In Lincoln Co. (Tenn.) Mr. SPRUCE M'COY to Miss HENNAH BARCLAY.

Saturday, August 5, 1826, page 3, column 5

In Utica, N. Y., Mr. E. H. BOARDMAN of Huntsville, Ala. to Miss LUCRETIA MILLER.

Saturday, August 12, 1826, page 3, column 5

In Lincoln Co. (Tenn.) Mr. AMBROSE B. GILBERT to Miss SARAH WRIGHT.

In Lincoln Co. (Tenn.) Capt. THOMAS HINES of S. C. to Miss MARY R. MOORES.

In Lincoln Co. (Tenn.) Mr. GEORGE L. LENARD to Miss MARY GILBERT.

In Giles Co. (Tenn.) on 3d inst. Mr. SEVIER DRAKE of this co. (Davidson Co., Tenn.) to Miss MARY P. MITCHELL of Giles Co.

In this co. (Davidson) on Thursday last Mr. THOMAS MASSEY of Lincoln Co. (Tenn.) to Miss POLLY RAINS.

Saturday, August 19, 1826, page 3, column 2

In Lincoln Co. (Tenn.) JOEL YOWEL, Esq. to Mrs. NANCY BUTLER.

Saturday, August 26, 1826, page 3, column 6 (edge of page torn when filmed)

In Lincoln Co. (Tenn.) Cap CORNELIA SLATER to Miss MARY ROSS.

Saturday, September 2, 1826, page 3, column 5

In Franklin Co. (Tenn.) Mr. WILLIE TAYLOR to Miss ADELINE LONDON of Jackson Co., Ala.

Saturday, September 9, 1826, page 3, column 6 (part of page missing when filmed)

In this county (Davidson) on the 28th ult. by the R. White, Col. JOHN L. HARRIS, member of the _____ of Ala. to Miss ELIZA S. GOODRICH of _____.

In Russellville, Ala. JAMES WOOD to Miss CINDERELLA WOOD.

In Lincoln Co. (Tenn.) Mr. _____ ler to Miss JANE CUNNINGHAM.

(1826-30 Marriages from National Banner & Nashville Whig, cont'd)

Saturday, September 16, 1826, p. 3, col. 3

In Lincoln Co., (Tenn.) Mr. ELI MOORES to Miss FINETTA HYNES.

Saturday, September 30, 1826, p. 3, col. 5

In Knoxville (Tenn.) JAMES M. M. WHITE, Esq. of Huntsville (Ala. or Tenn. not stated) to Miss ELIZA H. CRAIGHEAD.

Saturday, October 7, 1826, p. 3, col. 3

In Montgomery Co. (Tenn.) Mr. JAMES FRAZIER of Ala. to Miss SARAH JAMISON.

Saturday, October 14, 1826, p. 3, col. 3

In Bardstown, Ky. mr. JOHN POLAND of Ala. to miss ELIZA HAYDEN.

Saturday, October 28, 1826, p. 3, col. 4

In Lawrence Co., Ala. Mr. PHILIP O'RIELLY to Miss TRALUCCA H. LESTER. (See V.L. Vol.7, p.151)

Saturday, December 2, 1826, p. 2, col. 5

In Lincoln Co. (Tenn.) Mr. HENRY MOORE to Miss FANNY COLE.

Friday, August 15, 1828, p. 3, col. 5

In Giles Co. (Tenn.) Mr. DAVID HOOKS to Mrs. CLARISSA CRAIG.

Friday, August 29, 1828, p. 3, col. 6

In Madison Co. Ala. Mr. JACOB A. PIERCE to Miss CHARLOTTE SIMMONS.

Tuesday, September 2, 1828, p. 3, col. 5

In Lauderdale Co. Ala. Mr. THOMAS SHELTON of Giles Co. Tenn. to Miss BLANCHE C. CHAMBERS.

Friday, October 17, 1828, p. 3, col. 4

In Pulaski on Thurs. evening the 6th last Mr. WILLIAM A. TARPLEY to Miss SUSAN DAVIS both of Giles Co. (Tenn.)

Friday, November 14, 1828, p. 3, col. 5

In Robertson Co. (Tenn.) WILLIAM GREENFIELD, Esq. of Elkton (Giles Co. Tenn.) to Miss PIETY H. YANCEY.

In Winchester (Franklin CO. Tenn.) on 11th inst. Dr. SIMS of Rutherford Co. (Tenn.), aged 21, to Miss ELIZABETH RAWLINGS, aged 45. (Correction in Friday, Nov. 21, 1828 issue, p. 3, col. 3; At Winchester, Tenn. Dr. ELISHA SIMS of Wilson Co. (Tenn.), aged 45, to Miss ELIZABETH RAWLINS, aged 36.)

Friday, November 21, 1828, p. 3, col. 3

In Huntsville, Ala. Mr. WILLIAM BAKER to Miss MARY HEBART.

Tuesday, November 25, 1828, p. 3, col. 3

In Giles Co. (Tenn.) RICHARD ANDERSON, Esq. of Maury Co. to Miss SALLY FARIS.

Friday, December 12, 1828, p. 3, col. 3

In Hazlegreen, Al. Rev. ALBERT G. GIBSON of Lincoln Co., Tenn. to Miss SARAH ERWIN, daughter of Robert Erwin.

Friday, December 19, 1828, p. 3, col. 3

At Winchester, Franklin Co. (T.) on 7th inst. Mr. V. P. WINDER of Natchez (Miss.) to Miss MARTHA A. F. GRUNDY, dau. of Felix Grundy, Esq. of this town.

Friday, January 9, 1829, p. 3, col. 4

In Giles Co. Tenn. Mr. MOSES HOGE to Miss E. M. YOUNG.

(1826-30 Area Marriages from National Banner & Nashville Whig, cont'd)

Friday, February 6, 1829, p. 3, col. 4

In Lauderdale Co. Ala. Mr. A. M. PAYNE to Miss HENRIETTA WILSON.

In Madison Co. Ala. Mr. LEWIS MOUNTANY to Miss NANCY L. GRANT.

In Madison Co. Ala. Dr. RICHARD L. FEARN to Miss MARIA JANE WALKER.

Tuesday, February 10, 1829, p. 3, col. 5

In Madison Co. Ala. Mr. DAVID WELLS of New Orleans to Miss ANN M. RANEY.

Tuesday, March 24, 1829, p. 3, col. 4

At Flower Hill near Winchester, Tenn. Mr. THOMAS RAWLINS of Danville, Va. to Miss EMILY HOUGHTON. (In Tues., April 21, 1829 issue, p. 3, col. 4; At Danville, Va. Mr. THOMAS RAWLINS to Miss EMELIA D., daughter of Maj. Wm. HOUGHTON of Franklin Co., Tenn.)

Tuesday, April 14, 1829, p. 3, col. 4

In Giles Co. (Tenn.) Mr. JAMES A. SHELL to Miss LEMANTINE PERRY.

In Giles Co. (Tenn.) Mr. CHARLES G. WILCOX to Miss MARY M'DONALD.

Tuesday, April 21, 1829, p. 3, col. 4

In Madison Co. Ala. Mr. JOHN C. WARD to Miss SALLY H. CLARK.

In Madison Co. Ala. Mr. ABNER G. PETTY to Miss MALVINA M. LONG.

Friday, May 1, 1829, p. 3, col. 4

At Huntsville, Ala. Mr. VINCENT SMALL to Miss ELIZABETH DAY.

Friday, May 15, 1829, p. 3, col. 3

At Salem (Franklin Co.) Tenn. on evening of 5th inst. by the Rev. Aaron Alexander, Mr. DAVID DECHERD, merchant of Winchester, to Miss ELIZABETH CALLOWAY PATRICK, daughter of the late John Patrick, Esq. of Richmond, Ky.

Friday, May 29, 1829, p. 3, col. 3

In Sumner Co. (Tenn.) on the 15th, by the Rev. Mr. Hume, Dr. MILES S. WATKINS of Huntsville (Ala. or Tenn. not stated) to Miss SARAH B. D. SHELBY, daughter of A. B. Shelby, Esq.

Friday, June 5, 1829, p. 3, col. 3

In Louisville, Ky., Mr. GEO. W. WEISINGER of Tuscumbia to Miss AMANTHUS BULLITT.

Friday, July 10, 1829, p. 3, col. 3

In Madison Co., Ala. Dr. FLEMING JORDAN to Miss LUCY JANE M. MOORE, daughter of William H. Moore, Esq.

Friday, July 24, 1829, p. 3, col. 2

In Madison Co., Ala. Mr. WILLIAM H. WYCHE to Miss REBECCA ANN WYCHE.

Friday, July 31, 1829, p. 3, col. 3

At Tuscumbia (Ala.) Mr. BENJAMIN S. RICKS to Miss CATHERINE F. WINTER.

Tuesday, September 15, 1829, p. 3, col. 4

In Giles Co. (Tenn.) on the 10th inst. by Rev. H. H. Brown, Mr. JOHN K. YERGER to Miss ANN ELIZA JONES, dau. of Mr. Richard H. Jones of Davidson Co. (Tenn.)

Friday, October 9, 1829, p. 3, col. 3

In Huntsville (Ala.?) Mr. SAMUEL SPENCER to Miss CAROLINE R. H. CAIN, daughter of Thomas Cain, Esq.

Friday, October 16, 1829, p. 3, col. 5

Madison Co., Ala. Mr. HOWEL D. EASON to Mrs. MARY HAYS.

In Columbia (Tenn.) Capt. THOMAS EAST of Giles Co. (Tenn.) to Miss SARAH J. ALDERSON.

(1826-30 Area Marriages from National Banner & Nashville Whig, cont'd)

Friday, November 13, 1829, p. 3, col. 4

In Giles Co. on Tuesday evening last, Mr. TURNER F. JACK to Miss CAROLINE L. PERRY, daughter of James Perry, Esq.

Friday, November 20, 1829, p. 3, col. 5

In Franklin Co. (Tenn.) on 12th inst. Mr. TIPTON BRADFORD of Bellefonte, Ala. (Jackson Co.) to Miss LOUISIANA TAUL, dau. of Micah Taul, Esq.

Friday, November 27, 1829, p. 3, col. 4

At Florence, Ala. Mr. GRIFFIN REED to Miss JANE SMITH.

Friday, December 4, 1829, p. 3, col. 4

At Pleasant Retreat, near Winchester (Tenn.) on evening of 25th ult. by the Rev. Ezra Witter, Mr. JOSEPH H. BRADFORD of the house of Jos. H. Bradford & Co. of Winchester to Miss MARIA CATHERINE SPYKER, eldest daughter of Jonathan Spyker, Esq.

Friday, January 22, 1830, p. 3, col. 3

In (marked over, illegible) Co. (Ala. or Tenn not given) Mr. TURNER LANE, Jun. to Miss MARY SCOGGINS.

Friday, January 29, 1830, p. 3, col. 3

In Giles Co. (Tenn.) Capt. JARRET LONG to Miss SELENDIA STRONG.
In Fayetteville (Tenn.) on 24th ult. Mr. JOEL REECE to Miss POLLY R. LEFTWICH.
In Fayetteville (Tenn.) Mr. HUGH M'KENZIE to Miss REBECCA C. COLE.

Tuesday, February 2, 1830, p. 3, col. 4

In Madison Co., Ala. PAUL HILDRETH, Esq. to Miss ELIZA OPEY.

Tuesday, February 16, 1830, p. 3, col. 2

In Franklin Co., Ala. on 9th inst. HUGH W. DUNLAP, Esq. of Paris, Tenn. to Miss SUSANNAH W. M'KIEMAN, daughter of B. M'Kierman, Esq.

Friday, February 26, 1830, p. 3, col. 2

In Giles Co. (Tenn.) Mr. WILLIAM F. THORP to Miss MARTHA SHERRELL.
In Fayetteville (T.) Mr. ELBRIDGE G. BUCKHANAN to Miss CATHERINE GARNER.

Tuesday, March 16, 1830, p. 3, col. 3

At Salem, Franklin Co. (Tenn.) on Thursday evening the 11th last by the Rev. Mr. Crawford, Mr. JAMES W. YOUNG to Miss ISABELLA TRIGG, daughter of the late Mr. William Trigg.

Friday, March 26, 1830, p. 3, col. 4

In Franklin Co. (Tenn.) Mr. AMAZON KING to Miss MASEY HAWS.

Tuesday, May 20, 1830, p. 3, col. 3

At Huntsville, Ala. THOMAS J. SUMNER, Esq., editor of the Democrat, to Miss LOUISA A. LANIER.

Monday, May 31, 1830, p. 3, col. 5

At Pulaski (Giles Co. Tenn.) Mr. ALBERT G. UNDERWOOD to Miss JOANNA HOLDEN.

Thursday, June 3, 1830, p. 3, col. 4

In Madison Co. Ala. Mr. L. L. STONE of Lincoln Co. Tenn. to Miss EVELINE DRAKE.

Monday, June 21, 1830, p. 3, col. 3

In Franklin Co. Tenn. on 15th inst. Maj. ARCHIBALD WOODS of Jackson Co. Ala. to Miss SALLY G. CAPERTON, daughter of Mr. Hugh Caperton.

Thursday, June 24, 1830, p. 3, col. 2

In Lincoln Co. (Tenn.) on 5th inst. Mr. JOHN PARK to Miss MARTHA PARHAM, daughter of Capt. E. Parham; Mr. JAMES SAPPINGTON to Miss CYNTHIA NORRIS.

(1826-30 Area Marriages from National Banner & Nashville Whig, cont'd)

Monday, July 5, 1830, p. 3, col. 4

By the Rev. Dr. Stephens on Wed. the 23rd ult. PETER R. BOOKER, Esq. of Maury Co. (Tenn.) to Mrs. CYNTHIA RODES of Giles Co. (Tenn.)

Thursday, July 22, 1830, p. 3, col. 4

Near La Grange (Tenn. or Ala. not stated) Mr. WILLIAM GRIDER to Miss SARAH TAYLOR.

Thursday, July 29, 1830, p. 3, col. 3

In Madison Co., Ala. Mr. TIMOTHY SANDERSON to Miss SUSAN GRANT.

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NOTE: Issues of NB & NW abstracted above were not all available for filming. Several issues weremissing. All issues from December 16, 1826 to May 2, 1828 and after May 2, 1828 to July 1, 1828 were missing.

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ANOTHER UNRECORDED WILL FOUND

The following will, not recorded in any of the usual places, was recently discovered by Ezell Terry in its File Box in the Madison County Court House and is here presented in its entirety.

File #1746

WILL OF JAMES COCKE

In the name of God amen. I being in bag (bad?) health but of sound mind do make this my last will and testement in the first place I resigne my boddly to the grave and my sperit to God that gave it, and my propaty Real and personaly as here after named to wit - to my beloved wife Frances M. Cocke I do will and bequeath a negro boy by the name of Dock and my boy Bill, and one woman by the name of Mary and her two Children one by the name of Learr and the Other by the name of harriet. and allso one negro Girl by the name of lizey and all of my house hoald goods and my stock of all kinds and all my intrust in my farthers estate what so ever to my above named wife Frances M. Cocke to have and to hoald here natural life and at here death to be equally divided betwen my Children namely John Marthey James Charls William Milton, C. Cocke, all my lawful and beloved Children. Given under my hand this 17th day of July 1853.

Test

James ^{his}_{mark} Cocke

William Kirkland

Stephen V. Cocke

John B. Cocke

SHELTON BIBLE

Martha Peterson and James Madison Shelton of Limestone Co., Ala. and Giles Co., Tennessee were the great grand parents of Marjorie Shelton Kent, 604 1st Street, Athens, Alabama 35611, who contributed this Bible for publication. The original Bible pages were sent to her several years ago but she was unable to get the title page. The Bible is now owned by Mr. Houton Lee of Portland, Oregon. At the time of James and Martha Sheltons death, they had one unmarried daughter, Minnie, living with them. She evidently took the family Bible to Oklahoma where she went to live with her brother, Milton C. Shelton. Milton's daughter, Mrs. Floise Lee of Oregon kept it until her death in 1966. Mr. Houton Lee is her son. All names in parentheses were added by Mrs. Kent from other records found in Bible of Robert N. Shelton giving the full names of his brothers and sisters.

MARRIAGES

James M. Shelton and Marthy A. Peterson was married Jany 1 - 1852 (Limestone Co.)

BIRTHSDEATHS

James M(adison) Shelton was born	Mch 24, 1829	And departed this life	Sept 1st, 1904
Martha A. Peterson	" " Jany 14, 1832	" " " "	March 19th 1905
Mary E(lizabeth) Shelton	" " Nov 19, 1852	" " " "	March 19th 1935
John R. Shelton	" " Sept 3, 1854	Died	Feb 1916
Lewis Francis Shelton	" " Nov 8, 1856	And departed this life	May 4th 1881
Sarah P(ermelia A.) Shelton	" " Dec 9, 1858	" " " "	July 19th 1909
Martha Virginia and		" " " "	June 5th 1895
James J(efferson) Shelton	" " Mch 5, 1861	" " " "	June 15, 1943
Rob(er)t N(apoleon) Shelton	" " Apr 11, 1863	" " " "	Nov 10, 1937
Thomas F(agen) Shelton	" " Aug 12, 1865	" " " "	Jan 19, 1933
Joseph B(enjamin) Shelton	" " Jany 1, 1868	" " " "	Jan 27, 1955
Milton C(olumbus) Shelton	" " July 3, 1870	" " " "	1957
Minnie Ada and		" " " "	Aug 1st 1922
Willie G(ibson) Shelton	" " Dec 30, 1872	Abernathy, Tex. died	Jan 3, 1932
Carlos R(ansom) Shelton	" " May 30, 1874	Departed this life	Sept 17, 1925
Maggie A(bigail) Shelton	" " May 4, 1876	And departed this life	Jan 24th 1919

END OF BIBLE RECORD

Marriages taken from Court Records in Limestone Co., Ala., Giles Co., Tenn. and Lauderdale Co., Ala. by Marjorie Kent.

Mary E. Shelton md. Bird Walker (no record)

John R. Shelton went to Texas

Lewis Francis Shelton md. Jacob P. Whitman 3 June 1886 Giles Co. (?? -Ed.)

Sarah P. Shelton md. J. S. Freeman 3 Jan 1878 Giles Co.

Martha Virginia Shelton md. Dr. Saul K. Gooch 30 Aug 1879 Giles Co.

James Jefferson Shelton md. Ada Smith 19 April 1885 Limestone Co.

Robert Napoleon Shelton md. Nancy Jane Legg 20 Dec 1883 Limestone Co.

Milton Columbus Shelton md. Annie Scott 31 July 1890 Giles Co.

Carlos Shelton md. Lou Thompson 17 Sept 1898 Limestone Co.

Maggie Abigail Shelton md. B. F. Hammonds 29 Oct 1899 Lauderdale Co.



(Copied from microfilm; original book in Alabama Archives, Montgomery, Ala. Handwritten page numbers given as shown. Only white deaths transcribed, columns 4 & 5 pertaining to color omitted. Faded ink, tight binding, worn page edges and/or blurring makes deciphering columns 10 & 11 difficult.)

Page 217 "Persons who Died during the Year ending 1st June 1860, in District No. 1, page 1 in County of Madison State of ALABAMA, enumerated by me, M K Taylor Ass't Marshall."

Name of Every Person who Died during the Year ending 1st June, 1860, whose usual Place of Abode at the Time of Death was in this Family.	Age	Sex	Mar-ried or Wid-owed	Birth Place; State, Terri-tory or Country	Month in which the Person Died	Profess-ion, Oc-cupation or Trade	Disease, or Cause of Death	Num-ber of Days ill
1	2	3	6	7	8	9	10	11
Edward Derrick	3	m		Ala	June		Inflama Bowells	9days
Wm Pettey	1/12	m		"	Sept		Croup	7 "
Mattie H Miller	8/12	f		Ala	Nov		Croup	3days
Malissa Murray	4/12	f		"	June		unknown	4mo
Mary Tipton	2	f		Ala	Sept		"	7 weeks
Lucy Pool	15	f		"	July		Dis of Heart	3 "
(no first name) Golden	4/12	m		"	Augt		Diarrhaea	Chronic
Pamelia F Greyton	30	f	M	Miss	Feb		Consumpton	8mo
Elizabeth Galaway	26	f	M	Ala	July		do	3 "
Richard de	2/12	m		"	"		never well	-
Rachel Jacks	66	f	M	N C	Decr		Paralysis	Sudn

Remarks: My Subdivision or District No 1 is comprised in the North Eastern Corner of Madison County Ala. It is a high healthy region of Slightley undulating lands of Medium quatity Producing Wheat Rye Oats Corn & Cotten to a remunerating extent (?extent). Though last year (as the Agricultural Schedule will show) a destructive drouth prevailed very seriously injering the Corn & Cotten the Cat Crop has (Note: Continued on bottom of next page.)

Page 218 "Persons who Died during the Year ending 1st June 1860, in District No. 1, page 2 in County of Madison State of ALABAMA, enumerated by me, M K Taylor Ass't Marshall."

1	2	3	6	7	8	9	10	11
Mary Laxon	2	f		Ala	May		Chola Inft	4days
Nathaniel Freeman	9	m		"	April		Infla Brain	6days
Naonia Freeman	3	f		Ala	Jun		Iflam Bowel	3weeks
Sarah E Webster	20	f		"	July		Typhoid Fev	6days
Sallie P Cechran	48	f	M	N C	"		Apoplexy Sudden	
Mary Reed	12	f		Ala	July		Typhoid fever	23"
M. R. Townsend	37	m	M	Ala	June	Farmer	Consumption	2mo
Sarah Himan	63	f	M	N C	May		Palsy	5 days
M. G. Strother	17	f		Ala	April		Consump	4mo

Remarks: (Note: Continued from previous page.) been measurably

destroyed by Rust for 2 Consecutive years, this year it is good we impley no fertulizers except such as arrise from our Barns & Stables. Our Lands are improving in fertulity & Value by making less Cotton & more small grain. The Prevailing Timber is Black Oak interspersed with Poplar Hickory Sweet Gum & Post Oak We have some very fine springs tho not enough the dificyncy is Supplied with (Note: Continued on bottom of next page.)

Page 219 "Persons who Died during the Year ending 1st June 1860, in District No. 1, page 3 in County of Madison State of ALABAMA, enumerated by me, M K Taylor Ass't Marshall."

1	2	3	6	7	8	9	10	11
Matilda Dalton	5	f		Ala	Nov		Infla Throat	2days
Mary A Roper	43	f	M	Va	Dor		Child Bead	Sudden
John Lanford	45	m	M	Va	May	Overseer	Thrown	Sudden
							from Mule	
W A Millir	8	m		Ala	Decr	Smothered	Bank Cotton	
Jane McElyea	24	f	M	Tenn	Mar		Pleurasy	10days
Martha J Blankenship	29	f	M	Tenn	Oct		Consumpsion	4 "
(Oath and totals - no date) M K Taylor Asst Marshall.								

Remarks: (Note: Continued from previous page) Excelent Well Water. Flint River runs through my district affording fine Water privileges, a part of which are employed by Mills & Cotton Manufactories Other Elegible Sites only wating for capilatists who understand & appreciate Manufactories. Society is good the People healthy Industrious Morral & Inteligent. Public attention is being turned to the Subject of a Per-manent Sistim of Common School Education

Page 220 "Persons who Died during the Year ending 1st June 1860, in the City of Huntsville, page 1 in County of Madison State of ALABAMA, enumerated by me, Theo. Acklen Ass't Marshall."

1	2	3	6	7	8	9	10	11
Palmyra J. Coleman	37	f	M	Alabama	May		Hemorrhage	23hours
Mary Vincent	9/12	f		Tennessee	December		Congestion of Brain/	7days
Elizabeth A. Erwin	36	f	M	Alabama	February		Consumption	2years
Martin Miller	82	m	W	Pensylvania	April	Farmer	Cancer	2 years
Laura Pollard	9	f		Alabama	June		Scrofula	6weeks
Michael A. Clem	1	m		Do	August		Whooping Cough	2months
Ferdinand Severs	3/12	m		Do	"		Do	8 days
Zeriah Rice	85	m	M	N Carolina	November		Old Age	1 month
Mary A Scott	23	f	M	Alabama	October		Miscarriage	2weeks
Richard H "	2	m		Do	August		Croup	1 week
John H McCravy	20	m		Do	February	Carpenter	unknown	4 years
Maicus Hentz	1	m		Alabama	August		Teething	6 weeks
William W. Weaver	53	m	M	Tennessee	May	Cabinet maker	Appoplexy	1day
Catherine McDaniel	75	f	W	S Carolina	May		Inflamation Stomach	4weeks
William P. Bradford	21	m		Alabama	January	Clerk	Hemorahage Bowels/	10 days

John D. Barnard	29	m	M	Georgia	April	Farmer	Diarrhea 3 weeks
Sallie S. Cabiness	1	f		Alabama	July		Congest Brain 1 week
George G. Steele	31	m		Do	August	Physician	Consumption / 6 months

Remarks: We have no local cause of sickness in our City in fact it is unusually healthy. our water is lime-stone, of which we have the greatest abundance, one very large Spring. that supplies the wants of the whole city, our lands are quite productive and when seasonable we make fine crops of corn, cotton, wheat, oats &c

Page 221 "Persons who Died during the year ending 1st June 1860, in the City of Huntsville, ^{page 2} in County of Madison State of ALABAMA, enumerated by me, Theo. Acklen Ass't Marshall."

1	2	3	6	7	8	9	10	11
Kate Smith	2/12	f		Alabama	November	Cholera	Infantion 3 weeks	
Sarah H. Cameron	2	f		Do	November	Congest Bowels	1 week	
Ann E. Stradford	22	f		Do	July	Seamstress	Consumption / 1 year	
George Robinson	14	m		Do	May		Epilipsy 4 years	
(Oath, etc) Theo Acklen	Asst. Marshal							
(Sworn to....)	5 day of	Sept 1860.	R D Wilson	JP				
Remarks: (None)								

Page 222 "Persons who Died during the year ending 1st June 1860, in the North Western Division, ^{page 1} in County of Madison State of ALABAMA, enumerated by me, Wm J Cosby Ass't Marshall."

1	2	3	6	7	8	9	10	11
Martha M. Robison	26	f	M	Ala	Oct		Consumption 1 year	
Geo. M. Lynch	11/12	m		"	Decr		Cold 2	
Wm. H. Burton	20	m		"	June	Conductor on Car /	Congestion of Brain 15	
Millie Groomes	72	f	W	S Car	Oct		Consumption 30	
John Miller	11/12	m		Ala	Novr		Scrofula 21	
J. H Rodgers	21	m		"	July	Carpenter	Ptyphoid / Pneumonia 9	
George Douglass	25	m		Tenn	Oct	Manager on Farm	Fever 20	
Remarks: General Diseases of Country	Billious Fever & c							

Page 223 "Persons who Died during the year ending 1st June 1860, in the North Western Division, ^{page 2} in County of Madison State of ALABAMA, enumerated by me, Wm J Cosby Ass't Marshall."

1	2	3	6	7	8	9	10	11
Theo O Baldrige	1	m		Ala	?		Cholera in Phanton	7

Elizabeth Wesson	84	f	Virginia	May		Dysentery	3
J. G. Wiggins	50	f(?)	N Car	May	Ulceration of Stomach		20
Mary J Blackburn	16	f	Ala	Decr.		Pneumonia	12
Susan Patterson	19	f	"	Decr.		(blank) 6 months	
Martha A. Eason	43	f	Va.	March		Apoplexy	6
John. B. Keys	2	m	Tenn	Sept		unknown Sudden	
Mary. F. Wade	20	f	Ala	June	Information of Stomach		2
Corina Power	23	f	"	Oct		Consumption	120
Remarks: (None)							

Page 224 "Persons who Died during the Year ending 1st June 1860,
in the North Western Division ^{Page 3} in County of Madison State of ALABAMA,
enumerated by me, Wm J Gesby Ass't Marshall."

1	2	3	6	7	8	9	10	11
J. Carmichael	35	m		Ala	Febr		Consumption	21
Gee Toone	1/12	m		Tenn	July		Hives	4
John Reece	67	m		Maryland	Jan	Farmer	Pneumonia	4
Jas. Lattey	98	m		N Car	March	Farmer	Old Age 1 year	
John Bayless	79	m	M	Virginia	March	Farmer	Unknown Sudden	
Mary Gildon(?)	15	f		Tenn	June		pneumonia	63
Wm. Wilbanks	96	m	M	N Car	Decr	Farmer	Dropsy	16
Rebecca . (no last name)	75	f	W	S Car	Octr		Heart Disease	17
John B. Eldridge	57	m	M	Virginia	Novr.	BoeKkeeper	Dropsy	21
Alex. H. Phillips	16	m		Ala	Sept	Farmer	Inflammatory/ Rheumatism	31
Benj. S. Pope	76	m	M	Delawar	Dic	Farmer	General Dibility	90
Remarks: (None)								

Page 225 "Persons who Died during the Year ending 1st June 1860,
in the South Eastern Div. ^{Page 1} in County of Madison State of ALABAMA,
enumerated by me, Horatie H Hadin Ass't Marshall."

1	2	3	6	7	8	9	10	11
Catharine Douglass	58	f	M	Va.	May		Diseased Liver	4 weeks
Jno. E. Maples	1/12	m		Ala.	Feb.		Unknown Sudden	
Joseph Hill	1	"		"	January		Unknown	2 weeks
Elizabeth Davis	5/12	f		"	May		Scrofula	3 weeks
Rachel Click	2	f		"	Octr		Croup	3 days
Jno Keel	2/12	m		"	Decr		Unknown	2 weeks
Neely Carter	2	m		Miss.	Sept.		Croup	2 days
A'lmah. M. Seat	1	f		Ala.	May		Inflammation Brain	3 weeks
Geo. Russel	64	m	M	Ky.	Apr.		Consumption	4mo.
Edding Carpenter	1	m		Ala.	Octr		Diseased Bowels	4mo.
James Kinnabrough	27	"	M	"	Augt	Merchant	Unknown	3 weeks
Preston Cloud	11/12	"		"	January		" Sudden	
Felix Mc. Kinny	1	"		"	Octr		Fits	1 week
Jno. Lemly	40	"		"	July	Laborer	Unknown	-
Wm Taber	1	"		"	Octr		Fever	6 weeks
Geo. Cobb	1	"		"	June		Croup	4 days

Caroline Warley	36	f	M	"	May		Consumption	2mo.
Aaran Clark	16	m		"	Octr.	Labarer	Dropsy	3 days
Jno Moon	38	"		"	Feb.	Farmer	Nervous fever	9days
Wm. L. Wamack	16	m		Tenn.	March	Labarer	Nervous fever	5weeks
James Craft	6	"		Ala	"		"	1mo
Mary Baker	730	f		"	Feb.		Typhoid fever	8 days
A J Owen	4	m		"	June		Apoplectic fits	5days
Geo. Provence	3/12	"		"	Feb.		Unknown	5days
Wm Webster	43	"	M	Tenn	Agst.	Mechanic	Typhoid fever	3 weeks
Jno. Eason	80	"	W	N C	"		Old Age	-

Remarks: Jno Lemly (22) (Note: "22" refers to line No. 22 on the form; remember, black deaths not copied.) left home on a hunting excursion, and after bring absent several days was found dead without any apparent cause. The character of the water in my division is limestone, freestone and occasionally mineral springs on elevated spots, the natural growth is oak of several kinds paplar, beech, gum, hickery and various other kinds, and in some lecatiens pine, (Note: Continued on bottom of next page.)

Page 226 "Persons who Died during the Year ending 1st June 1860, in the South Eastern Div. ^{Page 2} in County of Madison State of ALABAMA, enumerated by me, Heratie H Haden Ass't Marshall."

1	2	3	6	7	8	9	10	11
N. B. L. Grayson	7	m		Ala	Octr		congestive chill	30hours
Frances, J. Vann	18	f	M	"	March		Neuralga Brain	3days
Nepoleon Rush	23	m		"	Deor	Laborer	Rheumatism	3mo
Asa Bruce	55	"	M	Tenn	March	"	Intermery?fever	7days
Mary Russel	16	f	M	Ala	Jany		Typhoid fever	1week
Sarah Eckels	10	f		"	June		Pneumonia	7 days
Harry Brazelton	2	m		"	March		Consumption	2mo
Clemensy "	3/12	f		"	Augst		Dropsy	3mo.
David Clarkton	70	m	M	Ga.	Apr	Laborer	Pneumonia	4mo.
Emily Clarksten	14	f		Ala	March		Brain fever	4days
Rebt. J. Craft	15	m		"	Sept.	Laborer	Accidental	sudden
Beal Goodin(?)	2	m		"	May		Worms	3days
Nancy Kirksy	37	f	M	"	Nevr.		Dropsy	9 weeks
Henry Franklin	26	m	M	Ga.	Octr.	Laborer	Billious fever	6 days
Samuel Webster	38	"		Ala.	Novr.	Laborer	Consumption	8weeks
Wm Brazelton	1	"		"	July		unknown	1 week
E Allison	6/12	"		"	June		unknown	2 days
Nancy Scrimsher	13	f		"	Sept		Disease Heart	16days
Rich'd. Moon	64	m		Tenn	March	Farmer	Pneumonia	40days
Nathaniel Moon	25	"		Ala.	"	"	"	9 days
James Blassingame	25	m		(blank)	June	Laborer	Inflammation /	Stomach 5weeks

Remarks: (Note: Continued from previous page.) no fertilizers are use except barn yard manure, Rebt.J.Craft (14) (Note: Line No. 14) was thrown from a horse and died in a few hours.

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in the South Eastern Div., ^{page 3} in County of Madison State of ALABAMA,
enumerated by me, Heratic H Haden Ass't Marshall."

1	2	3	6	7	8	9	10	11
Wm Blasingame	29	m		Ala.	June	Laborer	Rheumatism	6mo
Nancy Spivy	38	f		"	March		Pleurasy	9 days
The. Scott	32	m	M	"	Octr	Farmer	Consumption	2mo
Mary L. Scott	18	f	M	"	Sept		Consumption	2weeks
The. W, Scott	5/12	m		"	Feb.		Inflamed Brain	1mo
Benj Wood	7	m		"	Augst		unknown	4 days
Geo Steel	32	m		"	Octr	Physician	Consumption	11mo
Jne Marrison	79	"		N C	May	Farmer	Drepsy	4mo
Winy Lee	65	f		Tenn	June		Intermitting fever	9days
Blanch Marrison	2	"		Ala	March		Flux	17 days

Page 228 "Persons who Died during the Year ending 1st June 1860,
in South Western Div., page 1 in County of Madison State of ALABAMA,
enumerated by me, Thos U Green Ass't Marshall."

1	2	3	6	7	8	9	10	11
Edda Dillard	2	f		Alabama	February		Inflamation Stomach	8days
Sophonra C Blankenship	3/12	f	M	"	August		Hives	2 weeks
Virginia Overstreet	38	f	M	Georgia	January		Typhoid fever	5days
Maria O Brown	38	f		Alabama	June		Child Birth	2weeks
John C Harrald	50	m	W	N Carolina	December /	Overseer	Erysepelas	3weeks
Ewing B Bell	9/12	m		Alabama	August		Bowel disease	3weeks
David Echard	58	m	M	Tennessee	June	Carpenter	Diarrhea	5days

Page 229 "Persons who Died during the Year ending 1st June 1860,
in South Western Div., page 2 in County of Madison State of ALABAMA,
enumerated by me, Thos U Green Ass't Marshall."

1	2	3	6	7	8	9	10	11
James E Turner	1	m		Alabama	January		Lock Jaw	1 day
James R Pleasants	10/12	m		"	April		Inflamation Bowels	1week
Isham J Fennell	6/12	m		Alabama	March		Accident	Immdiately
Armalee McKinzie	59	f	W	Virginia	May		Dropsy of Chest	12 mo
Sallie Pride	4	f		Alabama	Decr.		Hemorage	30 hrs
Alice G(or?Y) Garner	5	f		"	Decr.		Eysidelas	3days
Elizabeth Sandefer	24	f	M	"	"		Typhoid fever	2 weeks
Robertson Brewer	61	m	W	Georgia	July	Greer	Inflamation Bowels	1mo
Martha E Smith	13	f		Alabama	Nevr.		Bowel Disease	2weeks
Mary A Smith	45	f	M	Georgia	January		Typhoid fever	2 weeks
Almond. AtKinson	60	m	M	Virginia	"	Farmer	CongestiveChill	1day
Remarks: (None)								

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(Contributed by Mrs. Richard H. Gilliam, Jr., Huntsville, Alabama)

MARRIAGE RECORD NO. 1 (1890-1897)Franklin County, Alabama

Contributed by Evelyn B. Evans (Mrs. R. L.), Clerk of the Franklin County Commission. This is the second in a series which began in Vol. 10, No. 1.

Page	Groom	Bride	Date	By Whom
12	Cooper, John	Elrod, Martha	13 Jan 1891	James S. Hall JP
12	Cothran, Leander	Sullivan, Liddie J.	25 Dec 1890	G. W. Rome MG
13	Cullian, William	Davis, Sallie	21 Dec 1890	F. M. Little
17	Carpenter, Mitch C.	Hill, Bettie	29 Dec 1890	Elder A.J. Sherrill
41	Coats, William	Jordan, Samie Ella	1 Jul 1891	Elder J.W. James
43	Clouch, William W.	Agee, Larra	16 Jun 1891	F.M. Jackson MG
46	Cleere, George L.	Bowen, Maggie L.	14 Jul 1891	M.N. Morris
52	Collins, James T.	Chambliss, Hannah R.A.	23 Aug 1891	W.M. Taylor JP
63	Coach, Neil	Hagen, Emma	9 Sep 1891	NOT SHOWN
76	Clarke, Thomas P.	Miller, Jennie	25 Nov 1891	M.N. Morris
103	Cowart, V. Lee	Spain, M. E.	14 Feb 1892	Thaddeus M. Miles
98	Carpenter, J. C.	Lyons, Frank	21 Jan 1892	Thomas D. Newell MG
107	Cooper, James R.	Monroe, Mira J.	19 Jan 1892	Wm. G. Stamphill NP ex-of JP
122	Chaney, R.	Bordan, Lucie A.L.	26 Jun 1892	M.J. Pace MG
122	Clarke, W. H.	Harben, Dollie	9 Jul 1892	T.C. Spraggins
133	Clarke, James W.	Jackson, M.J.	31 Aug 1892	T.D. Howell
135	Clarke, D. A.	Eddards, Mary C.	6 Sep 1892	Mike Finney MG
169	Clark, Thomas	Thomas, Betsy Ann	5 Feb 1893	A.R. Smith
175	Childers, Wesley	Johnson, Sarah Ann	12 Mar 1893	J.F. Allen
176	Colburn, C. T.	Hanvy, Mandy	10 Mar 1893	A.J. Saint
178	Childers, L. U.	Johnson	NOT SHOWN	NOT SHOWN
178	Clark, J. W.	Baker, Eady	2 Apr 1893	A.J. Flippo JP
180	Carr, W. D. M.	Galdwell, Mary E.	20 Apr 1893	B.G. Hardin MG
184	Cook, J. H.	Gober, Florence	1 Jun 1893	J. D. Thorn

(Franklin Co., Ala. Marriage Record continued)

185	Carroll, Frank	Martin, Maggie J.	8 Jun 1893	F.B. Strickland
190	Coats, W. M.	Syrgly, Alpha A.	2 Aug 1893	NOT SHOWN
215	Carroll, Sam	Carr, Ada	7 Jan 1894	Thomas Sullengen JP
216	Cleere, Thomas M.	Sugg, Mary F.	11 Jan 1894	T.C. Spraggins JP
229	Childers, Henry	Riggs, Izzidore D.	15 Apr 1894	James E. Miller MG
235	Caldwell, John T.	Carr, Ida R.	19 Jul 1894	B. G. Hardin MG
238	Cock, Thomas H.	McCallum, Paralee	26 Aug 1894	NOT SHOWN
262	Coburn, James N.	McCulloch, Mary	26 Dec 1894	Mike Finney MG
271	Coburn, Percy S.	Kirkland, Mary C.	16 Jan 1895	J.W. White MG
289	Coleman, Edward	Sargent, Annie	10 Apr 1895	J.H. Kelly
293	Cash, R. T.	Swims, Lizzie B.	5 May 1895	A.J. Barrett NP ex-of JP
304	Clingan, Charley W.	Henley, Mary	1 Sep 1895	R.C. Harris
305	Growell, J. A.	Lualer, Alice	15 Sep 1895	James T. Balding JP
307	Clingan, James	Self, Famice E.	19 Sep 1895	J.T. Mink MG
309	Cantrell, Freemon	Jorden	16 Oct 1895	John Sherrill MG
318	Crawford, W. A.	Patterson, M. E.	28 Nov 1895	M.L. White MG
322	Cary, Ester	Hale, Jessie	10 Dec 1895	John S. Robertson
324	Cooper, H. J.	Hester, Alice	18 Dec 1895	Josiah J. Jones MG
330	Cody, John E.	Thorn, Leona	25 Dec 1895	M.L. White MG
342	Cromwell, Robert J.	Allison, Etta P.	8 Feb 1896	William Reed
351	Childers, W. A.	Young, Mary	12 Apr 1896	J.E. Miller MG
354	Counts, Ura L.	Berry, Mollie F.	26 Apr 1896	Mike Finney MG
376	Case, Basil	Willis, Viola	23 Sep 1896	F.M. Little MG
383	Culligin, Pat	Dinsmore, M. A.	29 Oct 1896	Elder M.W. Dailey
388	Creekmore, J. E.	Williams, Nannie E.	22 Nov 1896	A.M. Warnock NP ex-of JP
424	Cooper, J. A.	Bonds, Idmer Ross	7 Apr 1897	Josiah J. Jones MG
47	Douglass, William S.	Clark, Mary C.	8 Jul 1891	E. P. Craddock
81	Duboise, Andrew T.	West, Jenny	19 Dec 1891	Elder P. Duboise
111	Dodd, Clinton	King, Laurie	6 Mar 1892	M.J. Pace MG

(Franklin County, Ala. Marriages continued)

131	Davis, A. M.	Kiker, S. M.	19 Aug 1892	Elder John McKelley MG
137	Donaldson, J. H.	Posey, Joannah M.	11 Sep 1892	Appleton Posey JP
160	Dunford, J. R.	Clark, Francis	26 Dec 1892	A.J. Flipppo JP
179	Dennis, John F.	Henley, Mattie	9 Apr 1893	W.H. Austin MG
204	Davis, Thomas R.	Chambliss, Mary Ann	17 Dec 1893	John J. Underwood NP ex-of JP
255	Dempsey, J. W.	Noland, Laura	19 Dec 1894	Josiah J. Jones MG
256	Dill, William E.	Malone, Lena May	20 Dec 1894	J.P. Whitman MG
263	Dodson, William P.	Williams, S. I.	23 Dec 1894	T.M. Johnson MG
268	Dempsey, William H.	Noland, Sarah A.	20 Jan 1895	J.P. Whitman MG
273	Duncan, A. L.	Day, Mary Jane	20 Jan 1895	J.P. Whitman MG
285	Doss, John W.	Frost, Nancy A.	10 Mar 1895	Porter Duboise MG
290	Donaldson, David	Martin, Ida	15 Apr 1895	Rome Pickens MG
308	Downs, G. L.	Miller, Nancy	10 Oct 1895	J.M. Thorn JP
328	Deadman, T. A.	Weatherbee, Mattie	29 Dec 1895	T.B. Strickland JP
335	Dill, Henry A.	Hamilton, Daisey	12 Jan 1896	J.T. Whitehurst MG
337	Deening, William A.	Banks, Lena H.	22 Jan 1896	R. I. Walston VDM
363	Downs, Eddie G.	Bobo, Miry	9 Jul 1896	J.E. Miller
366	Deaton, J. W.	White, M. A.	10 Aug 1896	J.M. Harrison MG
378	Davis, James F.	Taylor, Bessie F.	4 Oct 1896	A.R. Smith JP
410	Dempsey, John O.	Hargett, Daisie	20 Jan 1897	John J. Underwood NP ex-of JP
411	Davis, ^(col) Richard M.	Comley, Mary Lee	28 Jan 1897	E.S. Buckless
416	Dinsune, W. T.	Elkins, Nora	18 Feb 1897	M.W. Daily

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CORRECTION: Valley Leaves Vol. 7, No. 1, p. 17

Birthdate of Elizabeth J. Hunt, daughter of Geo. W. & Priscilla Hunt, born June 9, 1845 should be 1847. (Correction by Catherine Gilliam.)

CORRECTION: Valley Leaves Vol. 10, No. 1, p. 48. Query #300. WALLACE, ALEXANDER, HARRIS..... the last line should read, "m. 5 Jan 1854 William D. HARRIS; William H. b. 1830 (my Gr gr-father who went to Tenn);....." (Correction by Robert E. Wallace.)

BAILEY-McABE (McCABE?) ADOPTION

Lauderdale County, Alabama

2 Mar 1852, Richard A. Bailey adopts his nephew, John Henry McCabe (McCabe?), infant son of John McCabe and his late wife, Elizabeth Lee McCabe, all of Lauderdale County, Alabama. The boy's name is changed to John Henry McCabe Bailey. Acknowledged before W. T. Hawkins, Probate Judge, 8 March 1852. Recorded on page 64, Deed Record 14.

The marriage of John McCabe and Elizabeth Bailey, 14 November 1838, is recorded on page 12 of Volume 4, Marriage Book 2, Lauderdale County, Alabama.

Contributed by Mrs. Roy J. Cochran, Huntsville, Alabama

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CAPTAIN TRAVIS BARBEE OBITUARY

THE HUNTSVILLE WEEKLY MERCURY, Feb 24, 1886, page 4

OUR COURTLAND LETTER: Courtland, Feb 17, 1886

Captain Travis Barbee, whose residence was about seven miles South of Courtland, died recently at the advanced age of ninety-two, and was buried in the cemetery here on Sunday last. He is said to have been a man of integrity. Your correspondent regrets that he can not obtain further information concerning this honorable veteran.

Contributed by Catherine Gilliam, Huntsville, Alabama

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Q U E R I E S

(Continued from page 100)

#322. MASSENGALE, RUBY, COBB: Need info re wives & ch of Allen B. MASSENGALE b. 1788 who lived in Madison Co. Ala., son of Solomon & Tabitha (COBB) MASSENGALE. 1812-54 in Madison Co. Ala. 1854-65 in Cherokee Co. Tex. with his ch: Jehu B.; Mary J.; Solomon B.; Adeline & wf Margaret (not mother of his children). A son Marcus M. MASSENGALE & gr ch, Jehu & Tabitha RUBY remained in Madison Co. Ala. Allen died 1865 in Shiloh, Cherokee Co. Tex buried Shiloh graveyard.

Margaret Gravens, 1409 Bell Street, Wichita Falls, Texas 76309

#323. TROOP (TROUP), CLARK, LEWIS, MIDDLETON, FREEMAN, RENFROE, MOON: Need info on family & desc. of Wiley TROOP (TROUP?) b. ca 1800 possibly Tenn., d. after 1880 when living with a son Leroy in Bedford Co. Tenn. Wiley TROOP m. 1825 in Madison Co. Ala. to Nancy CLARK, in 1850 census Madison Co. Ala. Presumed ch: 1. Thomas W. b. ca 1826 m. 1847 Madison Co. Ala. Susan Ann LEWIS; 2. Nathaniel b. ca 1828, m. after 1850 & probably had son Nat. Jr. on 1880 census Bedford Co. Tenn; 3. Henry (James Henry) b. ca 1829, m. ca 1850 to Susan A. (MIDDLETON?) & possibly m 2nd time 1851 Madison Co. to Rebecca FREEMAN & was on 1880 census Bedford Co. Tenn; 4. Jackson Henry b. ca 1832 m. ca 1858 to Martha ? census 1880 Bedford Co. Tenn; 5. William F. b. ca 1834 m. ca 1857 to Susan ? census 1880 Lincoln Co. Tenn; 6. Pheraby A. b. ca 1837 m. after 1850; 7. Mary J. b. ca 1838 m. after 1850 possibly in 1858 Madison Co. Ala. to Thomas RENFROE; 8. Leroy b. ca 1840 m. ca 1866 to Eliza ? census 1880 Bedford Co. Tenn; 9. Calvin b. ca 1841, may have died by 1880 & left orphan Ruben b. ca 1876 living 1880 Bedford Co. Tenn; 10. Hester C. b. ca 1843; 11. Flemen B. N(unnely) b. ca 1848 m. 1868 to Mary Jane ? census 1880 Bedford Co. Tenn. Is Wiley TROOP son of Charlott/Catharin TROOP who m. Nathaniel MOON 1819 in Madison Co. Ala.?

Mrs. Louise Walsh Throop, 2010 Wrenwood Dr. S.E., Huntsville, Alabama 35803

#324. McPHERSON, BASS, DEER, BERRY: Desire info re William Cater McPHERSON b. 1824 Conecuh Co. Ala. m. Conecuh Co. to Sarah Jane BASS b. 1835 in Marion Dist. SC. Was her mother Mahala DEER who m. Robert BASS, then after his death S. L. BERRY? Will exchange info. Lucille I. Miller, 3840 Westerly Rd., Ft. Worth, Texas 76116



GENERAL HISTORY OF MARSHALL COUNTY, ALABAMA
by James Arthur Thomason

(As published in the 1945 & 1946 issues of The Guntersville Advertiser and Democrat. This series began in Valley Leaves, Vol. 4, No. 1, September 1969.)

Chapter 76 - "The Steamboats in the Old Days" (August 28, 1946)

The steamboat is the cheapest way of travel. When the railroad was built to Guntersville, to extend it from here to Hobb's Island, they would have had to build a road across Brindlee Mountain and build a bridge across the Island. It would have cost an enormous amount of money.

So they built the Guntersville and Huntsville boats. I have been told the company said it cost less than any part of their divisions of road.

They carried freight, passengers and mail. The best I remember, about 1905 was the first time I ever rode on one of the transfer boats.

Ben Woods was an engineer on one of the boats. Capt. Rains was a captain on one and Arthur Rains was a clerk.

These boats don't make any wayside landings. I was coming up from Hobb's Island to Guntersville one evening. There was a lady on board who wanted to get off at Bean Rock. They slowed up the boat and a man met the boat in a skiff and carried her to shore.

I was coming on another trip down the river. The fog was high and they landed the boat till the fog cleared away. Candle flies covered the lights on the boat.

I have been at Guntersville, when the 10 o'clock passenger train would come in from Gadsden. They would come in on the V and back down to the depot, unload baggage, express and mail, then back down to the river with the train with the passengers etc., going to Huntsville.

T. Weaver was the conductor and "Pap" Jolly was the engineer. I rode down to the river on the train, with T. Weaver. I can hear him in my imagination say, "All aboard!"

I stayed one year close to the main line of the N. C. and St. L. railroad. T. Weaver worked on that line. He found out I had been at the place on Brindlee Mountain called "Hog Jaw." He was jovial and he called me "Hog Jaw."

He got hurt in a wreck and it crippled him. He hopped when he walked.

I have stood and watched the boats. You could hear them blow the whistle for Gunter's landing. You could see the black smoke stacks and the black smoke boiling out and hear the engine exhausting, "chug-chug," and the big waves rolling behind the boats.

Paul Thomason and a man named Wedgewarth were some of the boat crew. I wish I could have had all of the names of the crew.

I have been told the transfer boats at Guntersville and at Memphis are the only ones in the U. S.

Chapter 77 "Put On Their Shoes On Way To Church" (September 4, 1946)

The founder of Arab, Stephen Tuttle Thompson, came to Alabama from East Tennessee with his parents at the age of 4. That was in 1836-110 years ago.

His parents, Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Thompson, brought him and their five other children with them, James, Jefferson, Rufus, Isaac and Vera.

They stopped at Hobbs Island, later moved to Brown's Valley near where Diamond is now. Some time in the 40's they moved to the top of Brindlee mountain at the Thompson Falls Gap and entered 160 acres of land.

S. T. Thompson went to school to a Mr. Stephens in Brown's Valley. He just went to school a few months in his life.

He bought all the good books he could get hold of and studied at home by pine

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knot light at night. When he came up there wasn't any coal oil. They burned tallow candles for light.

He was a natural born mathmatician and people came for miles to get him to solve hard problems.

He and Miss Louise Prentice were married July 20, 1851, by C. W. Rodgers, a Justice of the Peace. In 1858 they moved to where Mrs. Russell Rice now lives and entered a place.

It was in the woods. There were panthers, deer and other wild animals.

The father of S. T. Thompson carried the mail from Marshall now Guntersville, to Gadsden before the days of railroads.

The nearest neighbor to S. T. Thompson was Samuel Prentice. He and Miss Melinda Kalts were married Aug. 17, 1847. Mr Prentice joined the M. E. Church South in 1897 when 85 years old. They are both buried at Brashier's Chapel.

Billy Stephens was the next closest neighbor to Mr. Thompson.

Back in those days there weren't any sawmills, grist mills or gins. What little cotton they grew they finger picked the seed out.

S. T. Thompson went to mill to Cotaco Valley near Apple Grove. Alex Black ran a tan yard two miles above Alexander Cross Roads, now called Oleander. Mr. Thompson carried his hides to be tanned.

They made their shoes in those days and wove their cloth, or they had to do without. They used wooden lasts. They went to the woods and cut maple wood and sawed it off in short blocks and made shoe pegs to put the soles on.

They would mix beeswax and tar together and make shoe wax to wax the thread. They would twist the shoe thread at the end and take hog bristles and put on the end of the thread and make holes with a peggy awl and push the thread through the holes. They had a clamp to hold the shoes, etc.

The hides were put in a big vat filled with water. They had a mill where they would grind up red oak bark and put in the vat. It took 12 months to tan leather.

Each member of the family got a pair of shoes a year. A young woman would go nearly to the church barefooted, and then put her shoes on. Coming back, she would pull off her shoes. If she had a beau, he would wait till his sweetheart pulled off her shoes.

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A LIST OF JURORS - 1856

Jackson County, Alabama

A List of Jurors for Wednesday next in the case of the State vs Thomas Lile Nicks this 20th Sept 1856.

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| 1. George Bradshaw | 5. H. L. Roach |
| 2. R. C. Brewer | 6. Joshua Holder |
| 3. Wm. Simmonds | 7. T. R. Mattox |
| 4. Alexander Inglis | 8. Benjamin Snodgrass |
| | 9. William Patton |

Contributed by Christine Sumner, Rt. 5, Scottsboro, AL 35768 from material sent to her by Melvin K. Stevens of Winnie, Texas.

CORRECTION: Valley Leaves Vol. 10, No. 1, p. 46. Children of Rebecca Weathers and James Jefferson Jackson: Sarah W. Jackson married Phillip Tackett (not Lockett). (Correction by Mrs. Clyde McEntire.)

R. K. HALEY'S DEED OF TRUST TO WILLIAM COOPER

Franklin County, Alabama 1829

State of Alabama) These presents shew to all to whom they shall come or in
 Franklin County) any wise concern, that I Robert K. Haley of said county
 for and in consideration of the premises have and by these presents do bargain,
 sell, alien and convey unto William Cooper of said county, the following
 property, to wit: One negro woman named Maria about twenty three years old, of
 black complexion and her infant child named William about eight months old and
 one other negro woman named Diana about eighteen years of age and of black
 complexion being the same which I have heretofore and up to this time owned in
 said county; also, one certain note or bond on Nathaniel Terry and William
 Jones in favor of Mary Watters, Charles B. Watters, Franklin B. Watters &
 Elizabeth Watters and by them assigned to me due on the first day of January
 Eighteen hundred and thirty for the sum of Five hundred dollars dated on the
 eighteenth of January Eighteen hundred and twenty five, which property to the
 said William Cooper, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns I bind
 myself, my heirs, executors & forever to warrant and defend unto the said
 William Cooper his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns free from all
 manner of claim of all and every person or persons whatever - Upon trust,
 nevertheless, & for the following purposes, that is to say, to secure Branham
 Merrill the payment of the following sums of money and as follows, to wit:
 Four hundred and fifty dollars on or before the first day of April next with
 interest on Two hundred dollars thereof from this date & also to secure to
 said Merrill whatever may be the amount of my account with him by note or
 otherwise by the said first day of April next -

And it is known that this deed of trust is executed in consideration
 of the earnest solicitation and pressing made by said Merrill and also in
 consideration that he hath advanced to me the sum of Two hundred and fifty
 dollars and in consideration that I am indebted to him in said sum of Four
 hundred and fifty dollars which includes the sum advanced and all is intended
 hereby to be secured.

Now be it known also, that said negro named Diana is to remain in my
 possession untill the falling due of said sum, to wit, the first day of April
 eighteen hundred and thirty: said negroes Maria and her child to be placed &
 to remain in possession of said Branham Merrill -

Now be it known that on the failure on my part to pay the monies
 intended to be hereby secured, that then said Trustee by himself, his agents,
 attorney or assigns seize all of said property or any part thereof & by
 giving ten days notice by advertisement at three public places in Tuscumbia,
 sell it to the highest bidder in cash and appropriate the proceeds towards
 paying said sums & all costs & charges thereabout

Witness my hand and seal this Twenty sixth day of December 1829

Witness

Francis Callender
 Henry Jones

R. K. Haley (Seal)

State of Alabama) Be it remembered that on the twenty ninth day of december
 Franklin County) 1829 Francis Callender one of the subscribing witnesses to
 the within deed of trust came before us George D Fant and William H Moore
 acting justices of the peace of the County aforesaid being duly sworn

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deposith and saith that he saw Robert K. Haley sign and seal the said deed on the day and date therein mentiend for the purposes therein expressed in the presence of the other subscribing witness - Given under our hands & seals the day and date above written

Geo. D. Fant JP
W H Moore JP

(on outside)
Clerks office }
Franklin County) Alabama

Received first day of January 1830 and recorded in book F and folio 167, 168 & 169 -

Test. Michael Dickson OCO

(on outside)

I assign the within deed of Trust to John Sevier - 9th August 1830
Wm. Cooper Trustee

The preceding original Franklin County, Alabama Deed of Trust was located among original papers in the Lawrence County Courthouse, Moulton, Alabama by Mrs. Roy J. Cochran. Transcribed by Ann Jenkins, Huntsville, Alabama.



MANNING CEMETERY

Marshall County, Alabama

This cemetery is located in Honeycomb Valley about 1 mile West of Marshall County Filtration Plant near junction of Alabama Road 63 and US 431, about 1/2 mile NW of Troup Cemetery on the old Manning homplace now owned by J. P. Willis of Gunter-ville. It is on the Section line between Sections 2 & 3, T7, R3E. (See TVA map # 83 NE, Mt. Carmel Quadrangle). Copied by Hal Word on May 25, 1972.

- Thomas Manning 10-23-1802/5-8-1881
- Lucinda Manning 1809/7-3-1868
- Lewis B. Manning 6-11-1840/12-6-1863
- Samuel Manning 10-31-1833/4-26-1866
- Nancy Ann Cochran 10-19-1839/6-3-1868
- Thomas M. son of Thomas J. & Nancy Cochran 8-30-1867/7-20-1869
- William Manning Co. E. 49 Ala Inf CSA (?)
- William Manning 8-19-1858/ 6-15-1896 (?)
- Johnie son of W. & A. Manning 9-24-1888/5-9-1896
- William T. Manning 2-2-1880/9-8-1891
- Robert L. Rollings Ala Corp US Army 10-22-1933 (Son of Annie Rollings)

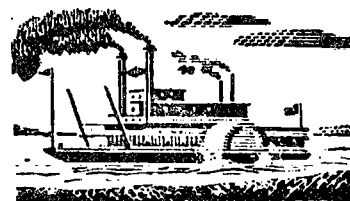
RODEN

Annie Manning 2-27-1876/9-20-1945 Wm. Thomas Roden 3-13-1883/

Information supplied by J. P. Willis: Allen Manning and Annie Manning were brother and sister. Annie Manning married (1) _____ Rollings, Annie Rollings' husband killed her brother Allen Manning. Annie Rollings married (2) William Thomas Roden. Annie shot her husband Wm. Thomas Roden's leg off. Wm. Thomas Roden's leg is buried beside his wife, his body is buried in Manchester, Tennessee. (Um-m-m. -Ed.)

reminiscences..
of old Waterloo.

The Waterloo Tribune
Louis L. Allen, Editor and Publisher
Waterloo, Lauderdale County, Alabama
Vol. I - Friday, March 26, 1897 - No. 12
[Second Installment of Four]



Sad for the misjudgments of men! The town [Waterloo] was built where the waters of the Tennessee threatened it every spring. For years the people prospered and enjoyed life and built grand hopes - but in the spring of 1847 came one of those destructive floods, which take communities unawares, and Waterloo Landing was washed almost entirely away. About thirty-five houses, besides warehouses and boats, were destroyed, and the people were nearly all completely disgusted and discouraged.

A few months before the flood so damaged the town, Dr. O. B. Sullivan came to the Landing and was boarding with James Humphrey. In 1848 Thomas McCorkle, whose family still has prominent citizens of this community, and James Lathem opened a store, and Dr. Sullivan practiced medicine.

Though the flood had almost destroyed the Landing, and many people went away, still there was an effort to rebuild it. Many families moved back to where Waterloo now stands, while a few continued at the old place. In 1849 Dr. Sullivan also left the Landing and moved back on the creek with Mr. J. G. Witherspoon, but in the following year these two men both moved to the present town, where they built the homes their families still occupy.

Waterloo, thus divided, with its former thriving and enterprising citizenship scattered, moved along slowly till the great flood of 1867, when the remnant of the Landing was washed away completely, and from that time the town has been back on the plateau, still a thriving, enterprising community, awaiting some genius of development to bring before the world its vast resources and build here the city which has only been delayed by the mistake of the forefathers in settling too near the river.

John Thomas Humphrey

Among the characters brought prominently forward, in reviewing the history of Waterloo, is the above-named gentleman, father of our present fellow citizens, James R. and Thomas W. Humphrey. He was the son of James Humphrey, before mentioned, and was born in 1827. His only brother was Wood Humphrey, born in 1829.

Till early manhood, John T. Humphrey acted as his father's clerk at Waterloo Landing, but then became engaged in boating on the Tennessee River. He built himself up with the boating interests, becoming famous as a reliable commander and efficient pilot.

In 1854 he and J. W. Cantrell bought of Felix G. Moore, of Savannah, Tenn., the steamer "B. B. Barker," which plied between New Orleans and Waterloo. On the 2nd of April, 1856, the "Barker" collided with the "City of Knoxville," near Paducah, Ky., and as a result, the owners of the "Knoxville," Felix G. Moore,

Reminiscences of Old Waterloo - continued

James C. Terry and Reuben W. Price, sued Humphrey and Cantrell and attached the "Barker." This suit was tried in McCracken County, Ky., and was lost by the "Barker's" owners, by what Mr. Humphrey always declared was false testimony.

After this he came back to Waterloo and with Capt. (afterwards Gen.) P. D. Roddy, ran the steamer, "Julia H. Smith" till the war broke out and Fort Henry fell. Then the Federals pressed him into service in running the "W. F. Packard," a supply boat for the Federal army.

On Aug. 2, 1862, Mr. Humphrey went to Eastport, Miss., for the purpose of collecting some money, and was there arrested by the Federals and put in prison. He was conveyed to Iuka, thence to Tuscumbia, where Gen. Morgan had him taken to Corinth, his companions being, as his diary now before me shows: Reuben Webster, John A. Lile, Henry A. Burt and Wm. H. Burt, John Jones, Henderson Richards, Nathaniel Richards, and A. J. Terry. Aug. 21st they were all transferred to Alton, Ill. ... At Alton the prisoners were placed in the penitentiary walls with 1,200 others. At this prison he met many people from this section, among them Geo. W. Brown, John Powers, and Josiah Higgins, the latter of whom "saw my wife," he says, "on Sunday, the 7th, and learned all were well."

Mr. Humphrey writes on Oct. 1st that he has learned the charges against him, which were "being suspected of leading a band of guerillas that fired into the steamer, 'Cottage,' burning cotton, etc., which I am clear of, I, being at the time the 'Cottage' was fired into, on the steamer 'W. P. Packard' at Florence."

... On Oct. 6, Mr. Humphrey and Josiah Higgins with many others were sent to St. Louis. ... On Oct. 25, John T. Humphrey died in the prison (McDowell College) at St. Louis, and the news was brought to his family at Waterloo by Josiah Higgins. Mr. Higgins brought nothing else from him except his old prison hat and the diary through which we have glanced. These are still kept and prized by Mr. Humphrey's widow, who lives at the old home place here.

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Waterloo, March 24, 1897

-NEALL WEILS

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S. KNOWLTON OBITUARY

Jackson County: Paint Rock, Ala., Feb. 8, 1886. Our community was shocked Saturday to hear the sad news of the death of one of our best farmers and citizens, at Williamsburg, Ky....Mr. S. Knowlton was formerly a large contractor in Indianapolis, Ind..... He leaves a wife and five children.... His remains arrived last night at 9 o'clock, in charge of his son and dear wife. The funeral will take place today. (A notice on page 4 of this same paper mentions Mr. S. Knowlton being gravely ill in Ky., and that his wife and son, Dr. J. W. Knowlton, had been summoned by telegram.)

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CHISHOLM CEMETERY

Lauderdale County, Alabama

Location: Beginning at intersection of Chisholm Highway and Fairground Road (north Florence), go 4.5 miles north on Chisholm Highway; turn west approximately 200 feet. The cemetery is on the property occupied by Troy Smith (1963).

John Chisholm, Senr.	b. Aug. 1, 1738	d. Oct. 9, 1828
Mary Chisholm, wife of John Chisholm, Senr.	b. Aug. 10, 1748	d. Mar. 6, 1827
John Chisholm	b. Nov. 22, 1775	d. July 30, 1847
Ester Chisholm	b. Nov. 25, 1780	d. Sept. 27, 1852
James Gum, son of John and Ester Chisholm	b. Apr. 1, 1812	d. Aug. 26, 1844
Ester, daughter of John and Ester Chisholm	b. Aug. 19, 1819	d. May 28, 1859
Rachel Chisholm Johnson, daughter of John and Ester Chisholm	b. Oct. 22, 1821	d. Dec. 20, 1859
Thomas, son of Thomas and Rachael Chisholm Johnson	b. Nov. 6, 1850	d. Sept. 7, 1851
James Gum Chisholm, son of John W. and Anne Chisholm	b. Dec. 23, 1857	d. July 12, 1860
Esther Melissa, infant daughter of James and Matilda B. Thompson	b. Dec. 6, 1838	d. June 7, 1840
Dorinda G. Hall	b. Jan. 7, 1804	d. June 21, 1831
W. B. L. Thrasher	b. May 25, 1798	d. Jan. 26, 1883
Rachel, wife of W. B. L. Thrasher	b. Feb. 17, 1805	d. Dec. 26, 1883
Thomas Thrasher	b. June 7, 1825	d. Dec. 12, 1876
Mary Elizabeth, wife of W. E. Marks	b. Oct. 10, 1855	d. June 5, 1884

This information copied from gravestones by Alfred McCroskey on May 30, 1963. Inscriptions as copied are not verbatim, but contain only pertinent information. Contributed by Mr. Alfred McCroskey, Florence, AL.

Book reviews



War of 1812 Soldiers of Maury County, Tennessee. Jill K. Garrett, editor. Paper cover, 230 8 1/2 x 11, mimeographed pages, indexed, \$8.50 postpaid from Miss Jane Gray Sowell, Treasurer, Jane Knox Chapter DAR, 322 West 7th Street, Columbia, Tenn. 38401.

This book, a Bicentennial project of the Jane Knox DAR Chapter, contains the names of 1,335 soldiers and patriots of Maury County and lists name of soldier, parents, children, siblings, dates and places. Although information for some listings was not available, much previously unpublished material from private files of contributors is given.

A "Lott" of Cousins, compiled by Dewel and Dolores Lott, 1975, soft cover, 284 pages, index, 8 1/2 x 11". Direct inquiries to compilers: Rt.3 Box 255, Hartselle, Ala. 35640.

This compilation, an admirable, on-going, co-operative effort of Ala., Ga., and Pa. cousins; attempts to record descendants of George Lott (b. prior to 1750, d. 1812, Fairfield Co., S.C.) and unknown wife into the present 6th and 7th generation. Given is name, dates and places of birth, marriage, death and burial where known. Documentation is not listed with the information. Allied family names include Anthony, Austin, Ellis, Ellman, and Martin. Miscellaneous Lotts, relationship to George Lott unknown, are also traced in the aforementioned manner.

The final sections include copies of will and estate settlements; Bible, census, deed, and land records; letters; news clippings; tax lists; and other Lott information.

Reviewed by Kay McKinnon (Mrs. Martin Wm., II), Huntsville, AL

CONFEDERATE WIDOW'S PENSION APPLICATION

Contributed by Mrs. Ted Berry, Rt. 5, Texhoma, OK 73949 who also contributed the McLeod and Flanagan Bibles published in Vol. 8, No. 2. J. Lusk died during the Civil War.

Widows APPLICATION For Relief by Widows of Confederate Soldiers, under Act approved February 25, 1887

The State of Alabama, County of Jackson

Personally appeared before me, John H. Norwood, Judge of Probate in & for said County, Mrs. Margaret Lusk who, being duly sworn, upon oath, says that her husband, J. Lusk, was a Private in Company I of 41st Regiment of Tennessee; that he came to his death from wounds received or disease contracted in the service of the Confederate States, and that his death occurred during the late war or within one year thereafter; that she has not since re-married; that she was a resident of Alabama on the 25th day of February, 1887, and is a resident at the date of this application; and that her taxable property does not exceed one thousand dollars in value. Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 13th day of June, 1887. John H. Norwood Judge of Probate Margarett C. Lusk Applicant

Q U E R I E S

Prepared for publication by Mrs. S. Drake Ellis, Query Editor

#307. TOWNSEND, KURTZ: Need any info. re Irene Lillian TOWNSEND b. 25 Dec 1870, m. George J. KURTZ, Portland, Ore. 1894, d. Portland, Ore. Her death record states b. Mobile, Ala. Her son's birth certificate shows her bp. as Pond Springs, Ala. Her father's first name unknown, her mother's ABATHA first or last name? She is believed to have come from a well to do family.
Merrily K. Hewett, 4324 N.E. 114th Ave., Portland, Oregon 97220

#308. MCCARTNEY, HOLLOWAY: Need parents of Susan MCCARTNEY b. 1807 Ga. m. John H. HOLLOWAY 22 Dec 1824 Madison Co. Ala. They moved to Ark. ca 1854. Where? Their son Charles W. m. his 1st cousin Sarah J. HOLLOWAY Feb 1860 in Madison Co. Ala. Need to prove that Joseph William HOLLOWAY b. 1862 was son of Charles & Sarah HOLLOWAY.
Mrs. Charles W. Holloway, 11416 Mollyknoll, Whittier, Calif. 90604

#309. MCKENNEY (MCKINNEY), HASTEN (HASTINGS), HARGROVES: Need parents, bro's & sisters of James Thomas MCKENNEY (MCKINNEY) m. Jennie Lou HASTEN (HASTINGS) Sept 1888, at her parents home, who were Zachariah HASTEN & Fannie HARGROVES living near Elkmont, Limestone Co. Ala.
HASTEN (HASTINGS), DUNNAVANT: Need desc. of Ezekiel HASTEN (HASTINGS) & wf Elizabeth DUNNAVANT, on 1870 census of Limestone Co. Ala. next door to Zachariah HASTEN, their son & my Gr-grfather.

MEADOWS, HASTEN: Who were parents of Annie D. & Matt MEADOWS who md. HASTEN brothers, William Edward & Pressley? Anna D. MEADOWS b. 31 Aug 1862 m. William Edward HASTEN, 6 Jan 1887 at her father's residence in Limestone Co. Ala. She d. 29 July 1901 & buried in Forrester Cemetery, near Waxahachie, Ellis Co. Tex. Will & Press "Tub" HASTEN were sons of Zachariah "Zack" HASTEN in household 105-109 on 1880 census of Limestone Co. Ala.

HOLLAND, RODGERS, JOHNSON: Did Laura M. HOLLAND dau. of Egbert HOLLAND, Minister of the Gospel on 1880 census of Limestone Co. Ala. m. James Emmett RODGERS, son of William (Bill) RODGERS & move to Ellis Co. Tex? Laura had a sister Lizzie who m. Henry JOHNSON. This family also lived near Waxahachie, Tex. Any help appreciated on the above families.
Mrs. Archie Story, 2401 Bourland St., Greenville, Texas 75401

#310. SMITH, HONEA (HONEY), GREGORY: Need parents of William H. SMITH b. Pickens Dist. SC 1811 m. 1st Emily HONEA (HONEY) ca 1835 in SC. Emily b. 1813 Pickens Dist. SC, d. ca 1856 Cherokee Co. Ga. Their ch were: Mary Emily b. 1836 in SC; Adeline b. 1838 SC; the following ch were b. Cherokee Co. Ga. Lewis T. b. 1840; Caroline b. 1842; Martha A. b. 1843; Harriet M. b. 1845; Amanda b. 1847; John W. b. 1849; James Phillip b. 1854 (my ancestor) m. Joanna GREGORY 18 Dec 1873 in Cherokee Co. Ga. & both d. Howard Co. Tex. William H. SMITH m. 2nd ca 1858? Phoebe HONEA (HONEY) who could have been a widow. Who were parents of Emily & Phoebe? William H. SMITH d. where? Ark. Was his father William C. b. in Mecklenburg Co. Va. who volunteered May 1779 at Hillsboro NC also served in Wake Co. NC? After the war moved to Pendleton Dist. SC & then Lincoln Co. Tenn? Are the following his brothers: James Phillip SMITH, 81 (Rev. War Soldier) lived with James P. SMITH or James P. Brooks in Jackson Co. Ala. 183-? Or John SMITH living in Pickens Dist. 1820 and over 45 years of age?
Merle Haag, Star Route A, Box 85, Midland, Texas 79701

#311. BEVILL, TALLANT, SIGMAN: Need the names of the ch of Edward BEVILL b. 1759 Mecklenburg Co. Va. d. 1847 Madison Co. Ala. I would like to exch. info. on TALLANT (any spelling) & SIGMAN families any place.
Mrs. Azalee Duke, 2305 Sylvia St., Arkadelphia, Ark. 71923

#312. RIZLEY. Need info. on James & Herod RIZLEY. James b. 1792. Any info. on the ancestors or descendants of the RIZLEY surname appreciated.
Ava Hagen, Rt. 2, Delano, Minn. 55328

#313. McMURRAY, ROGERS, GRAYSON, WHITE: 1870 census shows D. (David) M. McMURRAY age 35 & wf Nancy (ROGERS) age 30. Need info. on parents of both. Tenn. & SC. Madison Co. Ala. marriage book #2 shows a John A. McMURRAY to Elizabeth GRAYSON. Clayton Leander McMURRAY m. Georgia Ann ?, Franklin Co. Ala. What connection? Will exch. any info. Also need parents of Margaret Lieu WHITE McMURRAY b. ca 1880 Franklin Co. Ala.
Mrs. Ray W. McMurray, Box 517, Crane, Texas 79731

#314. JONES, RIDDLE: Need info. on Mills (Miles?) JONES, b. 1760/70; Salathiel JONES, b. ca 1798 SC; Brittain JONES, b. ca 1790 NC & Felix JONES, b. 1790-1800. All were listed in 1830 census of Jackson Co. Ala. Also Matthew (Nathan, Mathan) RIDDLE, b. 2 Nov 1798 NC who was in Jackson Co. Ala. in 1830/40 census. Grizzie RIDDLE, dau of Matthew b. 26 Sept 1826 in Ala. m. ca 1841 to William JONES b. 25 Dec 1820 Ala. They moved to Washington Co. Ark. ca 1846.

Mrs. L. W. Ledgerwood, Jr., 1655 Imperial Crown, Houston, Texas 77043

#315. GADD, ARTON, ORR, DOTSON: Seeking info. on desc. of Major GADD b. 1787 NC wf Sarah, moved to Franklin Co. Ala. later Colbert Co. ca 1833/37. Sons were: Allen T.; Tilman Dudley; Edmond; Alfred; Cyrus & at least two daus names unknown. Josiah & Caldonia ARTON, dau. Josephine b. 1872 Colbert Co. Ala. m. 1st ? ORR; 2nd ? DOTSON.

Mrs. Aaron Gadd, 2833 E. Ft. King, Ocala, Florida 32670

#316. BURT: Mathew BURT came from York Co. Va. to Edgefield Dist. SC 1770. Had twelve ch: John b. 1751; Mary b. 1755; Moody b. 1757; Francis b. 1759; Robert b. 1760; Harwood b. 1762; Philip b. 1765; Nancy b. 1768; Armstead b. 1770; Edward b. 1771; Susannah b. 1773 & Patsey Hewitt BURT b. 1775. The above lived & died in Edgefield Dist. SC and/or moved into Alabama, Miss, hence to La, Ark, & Tex. Also to Ga & Fla. Will correspond and assist anyone working on the BURT Clan. I would like to locate a copy of the Green Brantley Descendants (1795-1858).

BURNETT, WILSON, HOLIFIELD: Caroline, dau of Charles & Betsy (HOLIFIELD) WILSON m. John W. BURNETT, 13 Feb 1845, Rutherford Co. NC were in DeKalb Co. Ala 1850. Desire info either family.

Mr. Robert B. Mathis, 1007 Brock Dr., Killeen, Texas 76541

#317. SPARKMAN, COPELAND, MITCHELL: Need desc of Lewis SPARKMAN b. ca 1820 in White Co. (now VanBuren Co.) Tenn m. Nancy COPELAND. Moved to No. part of Ala. 1853. Also bros. Joseph m. Stacy Ann MITCHELL & Briant m. Elizabeth COPELAND believed to be in same area. Will exchange info with all SPARKMAN's.

Ernestine Sparkman Steele, 625 Bagley St., Ypsilanti, Mich. 48197

#318. MITCHEL, REED: Seeking parents of John A. MITCHEL b. 24 Aug 1839 York Dist. SC. In Northern Ala. m. Nancy Eliz REED dau. of James & Frances REED. Nancy b. 18 Dec 1843 Ala. John's mother's first name was Louisa. Other family names were: Dawson; Samuel; John; Louis; James; Clayton (possibly his mother's maiden name) Emey; Arminey; Geo. Washington; Louisa; Thomas; Susan; Eliz, etc. Also any help on the REED family.

Where was the US Alabama Co A, 1st Regular Cavalry formed 1863?

Laura Anne Berry, Rt. 5, Box 101, Texhoma, Oklahoma 73949

#319. WILSON, NELSON: Benjamin WILSON b. 1821 in SC was in Marshall Co. Ala. in 1880 with 2nd wf. & ch. Where was he in 1860? What was 1st wf. name? She d. 1864 after birth of son Joseph, also dau. Sarah E. b. 1854. What were names of other ch. b. to them? Were Benjamin WILSON or Elisha NELSON b. 1824 in Ala. CSA soldiers? Will exch. research in Texas for research in Ala.

Mrs. D. A. Kelly, Twin Oaks, Rt. 5, Box 154, Dublin, Tex. 76446

#320. JOHNSON, MULLINS, McNUTT, TEMPLETON, GARRISON: Need info on family of Isaac JOHNSON & wf Ellen MULLINS who came to Lawrence Co. Ala. ca 1820 from Ky(?). Both reported b. in Va. Isaac ca 1787 & Ellen ca 1797. Ch known were: Charles Mullins (Mul); Thomas; Isaac; William; Rachael McNUTT; Kitty Ellen TEMPLETON; Elizabeth GARRISON; & Sarah Ann GARRISON. I need birth & death info on all. Thomas d. 1860's, was he casualty of Civil War? Who were parents of Isaac & Ellen?

L. H. Johnson, P. O. Box 2445, Garland, Texas 75041

#321. COCHRAN, OWEN, KINNEBREW, NICHOLS, ROUNDTREE, FOWLER, CROMER, BAILEY: William COCHRAN m. Betsy OWEN, Oglethorpe Co. Ga. 1798. Were in Jefferson Co. Ala. by 1826, Fayette Co. Tenn. by 1827 and settled Marshall Co., MS before 1840. Any info re this couple. Betsy's Clar-ence Rhodes COCHRAN, gr-grson of Wm. & Betsy m. Lilian NICHOLS, gr-grdaughter of Thomas ROUNDTREE & Afra FOWLER who m. Madison Co. Ala. 1815. Thomas, son of Woodson & Jane ROUNDTREE from Union Co. SC. Need data on Jane. Afra dau. of John FOWLER, who d. Morgan Co. Ala. ca 1851. Can anyone help with John FOWLER? Perhaps connected with David CROMER of Madison Co? Am interested in all ROUNDTREES anywhere. Where were Thomas & Afra ROUNDTREE in 1840? Need marriage in Ala. ca 1825-30 of Augustus Owen COCHRAN & Frances BAILEY. Can anyone identify this Frances?

Mary Gregg, 212 Hawthorne St., Memphis, Tenn. 38112

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