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Abstract Number	Original Grantee	Patentee	Quantity	Class of Pat.	Date
514	Farmer, Joseph B	same	320 ac	Third	1860
515	Ferrell, Wm J	Joseph Nugent	do	do	1857
516	Ferrell, Solomon L	same	do	do	1857
517	Foster, Harvey	same	do	do	1857
518	Foster, heirs Ambrose	same	640 ac	do	1855
519	Foster, Benjamin J	A F Leonard	320 ac	do	1855
520	Foster, B J	M T Johnson	do	do	1860
521	Freshour, John J	Timothy Jones	do	do	1857
522	Freeman, A A	same	do	do	1857
523	Farmer, David V	same	279 ac	do	1860
524	Flinchman, Geo W	Henry C Daggett	320 ac	do	1856
525	Freeman, Samuel	David Strong	do	do	1856
526	do	A F Leonard	do	do	1856
527	Farrans, Michael	same	do	do	1856
528	Finger, Louis	same	640 ac	do	1856
529	Freeman, John A	same	480 ac	do	1857
530	Fay, Jonathan B	Hrs. same	640 ac	do	1854
531	Ford, S C T	Henry Ware	510 ac	do	1866
532	Freeman, Mary A	Joseph B Tyus	640 ac	do	1860
533	Freeman, Mary M	same	320 ac	do	1860
534	Foote, John	Jud Rowland	do	do	1862
535	Fryear, A B	same	160 ac	do	1869
536	Franklin, R L	Alvey Gregory	do	do	1859
537	Ferrell, Walter	same	320 ac	do	1859
538	Fox, heirs Abner	same	do	do	1868
539	Fitch, John A	E T Abbott	do	do	1857
540	Field, Joseph E	T C Hawpe	160 ac	Donation	1875
541	Fleisner, Charles	same	960 ac	Bounty	1857
542	Ford, P H	same	160 ac	Scrip	1863
543	do	do	47 ac	do	1863
544	do	do	38 1/2 ac	do	1863
545	Farrens, John W	same	160 ac	do	1864
546	Freeman, Thos	John S Spence	do	do	1873
547	Foster, J S	same	do	Pre-empt	1877
548	Farmer, J M	-	134 ac	do	-
549	Fitzgerald, A	R C Work	119 ac	do	1873
550	French, J M	-	20 ac	do	-
551	Fitzgerald, A	-	82 ac	do	-
552	Ferguson, David	same	160 ac	do	1876
553	Garrett, J G	-	6,516,773sq.var.	First	-
554	do	-	1,509,030 do	do	-
555	Gregg, Milton	J C Boydston	1,303,260 do	do	1870
556	Gregory, David	-	903,260 do	do	-
557	do	-	384,860 do	do	-
558	Gray, Sarah	Nelson Merrill	6,500,000 do	do	1871
559	Gleason, Cyrus K	D L Richardson	5,554,680 do	do	1873
560	Gregg, Milton	John Sumpter	1,019,600 do	do	1863
561	Garrett, J G	Heirs of same	29,860 do	do	1874
562	do	-	277,670 do	do	-
563	Gaugura, Ramon	Tombs, Cotlett and Crawford	1280 ac	Second	1859
564	Garcia, Martin	do	do	do	1859
565	Gilbert, Milly	E W Brown	784 ac	do	1862

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566	Green, Phillip	A G Walker	640 ac	Second	1857
567	Gill, Jose A	same	342 ac	do	1868
568	do	Hrs same	597+ ac	do	1868
569	Graves, Ralph	Joseph B Tyus	640 ac	do	1862
570	Gill, Jose A	heirs same	340 ac	do	1868
571	Gilbert, Milly	-	176 ac	do	-
572	Grunsley, Jas H	same	160 ac	Third	1859
573	Grisam, Rebecca	same	60 ac	do	1874
574	Grimsley, S	same	154½ ac	do	1871
575	Gann, S M	same	160 ac	do	1873
576	Guess, John, Dec'd	-	14½ ac	do	-
577	Gilbert, Gustavus	same	319½ ac	do	1875
578	Grimsley, James	same	320 ac	do	1857
579	Gray, Elizabeth	same	do	do	1856
580	Gilmore, Seburn	same	319 ac	do	1857
581	Granberry, Hiram	same	320 ac	do	1857
582	Gouhenant, Adolph	same	160 ac	do	1856
583	Goodman, James J	Francis Jordan	640 ac	do	1854
584	Goodwin, Micajah	same	do	do	1855
585	Glover, Geo W	John B Robinson	320 ac	do	1855
586	Gibson, James	Hrs. same	do	do	1855
587	do	do	320 ac	do	1855
588	Gibson, R W	same	348 ac	do	1854
589	Goodwin, John J	same	320 ac	do	1854
590	Gilmore, Seburn	same	640 ac	do	1854
591	Gibson, John N	Hrs. same	320 ac	do	1854
592	Gibson, Jesse	same	480 ac	do	1854
593	do	do	160 ac	do	1854
594	Gooden, Madison	same	320 ac	do	1854
595	Goodwin, Jesse	same	do	do	1854
596	Guerin, _____, dec's	Hrs. same	do	do	1874
597	Garrison, Mitchell	Wm R McFadden	do	do	1861
598	do	W M Crofford and J B Rose	do	do	1861
599	Graves, John	same	160 ac	do	1862
600	Grimmitt, Wm	Alexander Curry	do	do	1859
601	Givens, Green B	James Young	do	do	1860
602	Gibbs, Elijah	Wm H Pullen	do	do	1860
603	Goodnight, J S	same	do	do	1859
604	Gibson, Garret	same	160 ac	do	1859
605	Grant, Egbert	Neil B Terry	220ac	do	1857
606	do	Isaac Parker	100 ac	do	1858
607	Gorbett, John W	M T Johnson	489 ac	do	1857
608	do	David A Kerr	151 ac	do	1859
609	Gresham, George W	Sallie McChesney	320 ac	do	1859
610	Gilliland, John T	same	do	do	1859
611	Goodwin, J M	J P Smith	do	do	1872
612	Gouhenant, Adolph	same	160 ac	do	1860
613	Guess, John, dec'd	Heirs same	21½ ac	do	1861
614	Garcia, Gaudaloupe	J P Smith	160 ac	do	1868
615	do	Hiram Sumpter	143 ac	do	1868
616	Garza, Macelino de la	John A Green	165 ac	Bounty	1861
617	do	Wm M Crawford	155 ac	do	1861

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618	Greer, George	Gillespie & Young	640 ac	Bounty	1849
619	Gillaster, Robert	-	64 ac	Scrip	-
620	Gibson, James	same	160 ac	do	1863
621	Gibson, McNary	same	do	do	1863
622	Grimsley, Charles	same	do	do	1861
623	G H & H R R Co	John Sealy	640 ac	do	1874
624	do	do	do	do	1874
625	Garcia, Montez and Duran	-	71 ac	do	-
626	do	-	138 ac	do	-
627	do	-	343 1/2 ac	do	-
628	do	-	41 ac	do	-
629	do	J F Norris	46 1/2 ac	do	1877
630	Gregory, James M	same	160 ac	do	1863
631	Gentry, Alfred	-	do	Pré-empt	-
632	Grimsley, Charles	same	do	do	1874
633	Goff, Lutricia	same	do	do	1875
634	Gohrman, Henry	-	80 ac	do	-
635	Gray, W M	F L Duncan	160 ac	do	1876
636	Grant, J A	-	17 ac	do	-
637	Goodwin, J J	same	160 ac	do	1873
638	Hibbins, John	same	3,613,040 sq.var	First	1862
639	do	do	do	do	1862
640	do	do	3,622,340 do	do	1862
641	Heath, John	John F. Heath	16,952,414 do	do	1874
642	Hayman, Wm	same	5,451,738 do	do	1861
643	Hillburn, Ambrose	Enoch M Jones	1,107,700 do	do	1861
644	Hanks, Thos. J	same	1/3 league	do	1849
645	Harris, Temple O	same	do	do	1855
646	Hopkins, Eldridge	Heirs same	1/6 league	do	1860
647	Holbrook, Nathaniel	Heirs same	1/3 do	do	1877
648	Huff, Wm	same	7,205,760 sq.var.	Second	1856
649	do	do	1,129,075 do	do	1856
650	Hammer, Wm	Heirs same	120 ac	do	1860
651	Huston, Felix	-	552 ac	do	-
652	do	-	169 ac	do	-
653	do	-	64 ac	do	-
654	do	Felix Huston	279 1/2 ac	do	1873
655	Hagerty, S M	James Ventioner	158 ac	do	1873
656	Hughes, Harrell	Wm Dunn	160 ac	Third	1874
657	Hust, Hamilton	same	do	do	1863
658	Harrison, D C	same	do	do	1859
659	Hendricks, Esquire	same	148 ac	do	1862
660	Howard, Henry	same	74+ ac	do	1859
661	Harwood, John W	Hrs. same	320 ac	do	1861
662	Herring, Wm P	E N Hudgins	116 ac	do	1863
663	do	James L Foster	160 ac	do	1863
664	do	E N Hudgins	15 ac	do	1863
665	Histon, David	same	160 ac	do	1871
666	Hawkins, James R	same	do	do	1871
667	Hyde, P J	same	do	do	1872
668	Hall, Peter	same	do	do	1873
669	Hopkins, Sam B	same	146+ ac	do	1872

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670	Hopkins, Sam B	-	80 ac	Third	-
671	do	-	67 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	-
672	do	-	34 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	-
673	do	-	38 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	-
674	do	-	19 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	-
675	Hawkins, J W	John Elliott	320 ac	do	1857
676	Holland, John N	same	do	do	1857
677	Howerton, A B	same	do	do	1858
678	House, Kitty	same	312 ac	do	1860
679	Hewitt, James L	same	320 ac	do	1859
680	Hendricks, Greenbury B	same	do	do	1857
681	Hutton, Vincent J	same	640 ac	do	1854
682	Hood, Alexander	James J. Mooncham	160 ac	do	1855
683	do	-	do	do	-
684	Huitt, Andrew	same	320 ac	do	1856
685	Havins, John H	Jesse Doss	160 ac	do	1857
686	Hall, Littleberry G	same	320 ac	do	1856
687	Hall, Wm W	same	do	do	1854
688	Harris, Ethelbert S	Lemuel J Edwards	640 ac	do	1854
689	Helms, Thomas	same	320 ac	do	1854
690	Howard, Wm	Hrs same	do	do	1857
691	Horn, Mary	same	640 ac	do	1856
692	Holland, W J	Ira Ellis	320 ac	do	1856
693	Howard, James	same	do	do	1857
694	Hicks, Wm	J W Chapman	do	do	1857
695	Hall, Wm W	same	310 ac	do	1857
696	Henderson, John M	same	640 ac	do	1858
697	Hartzog, George W	James P. Dumas and E M Jones	320 ac	do	1856
698	Hood, Morgan, dec'd	Heirs same	do	do	1854
699	do	do	do	do	1854
700	Hall, David L	John H Cole	190 ac	do	1855
701	Hawpe, T C	John B. Robinson	640 ac	do	1855
702	Hust, John A	same	do	do	1854
703	Huitt, John, dec'd	Heirs same	do	do	1854
704	Harris, Mahalda	M T Johnson	do	do	1854
705	Huitt, Solomon	Isham Crawley	320 ac	do	1856
706	Hood, Thomas M	same	640 ac	do	1854
707	Harris, Andrew S	same	do	do	1855
708	Haught, Peter	John B Robinson	48 ac	do	1856
709	Huitt, Andrew J	same	320 ac	do	1857
710	Haworth, Solomon	same	640 ac	do	1854
711	Hallford, James P	James M Cummins	do	do	1854
712	Hyden, James	M T Johnson	do	do	1854
713	Harris, Francis L	do	320 ac	do	1860
714	Houston, Samuel A	do	640 ac	do	1858
715	Hilliard, Claiborn T	E M Daggett	do	do	1857
716	Hudson, Wade H	John P Smith	320 ac	do	1868
717	do	do	160 ac	do	1868
718	do	Gideon Jennings	do	do	1868
719	Houston, Walter	Edward Wilburn	242 ac	do	1871
720	Houston, John C	Henry M. Kinsey	320 ac	do	1861

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721	Hansborough, Jos S	Paul Isbell	169 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	Third	1862
722	Hallum, Joel L	John C Dunn	320 ac	do	1863
723	do	E M Jenkins	do	do	1862
724	Herrall, Wm H	same	111+ ac	do	1859
725	Hedenberg, Abram D	Ira Ellis	320 ac	do	1870
726	Hudson, Mary F	same	160 ac	do	1869
727	Hazlewood, Geo W	same	do	do	1860
728	Hunton, John C	same	do	do	1859
729	Hawkins, Harvey	same	do	do	1860
730	Hall, Peter	same	do	do	1859
731	Haltam, Wm E	same	do	do	1859
732	Hughes, James H	Alexander Hinkle	do	do	1863
733	Heartman, Samuel F	Margaret J Hunter	320 ac	do	1857
734	Hunter, Wm	same	do	do	1857
735	Hope, C C	Joel M Simpson	160 ac	do	1860
736	Hope, H S	do	do	do	1859
737	Harmon, C R	same	do	do	1859
738	Hudson, Wm K	J W Chapman	do	do	1859
739	Hudson, James	same	do	do	1859
740	Hunter, John, Jr	John Hunter	320 ac	do	1858
741	Hudson, John D	same	160 ac	do	1859
742	Henry, Joseph	same	320 ac	do	1857
743	Houston, Walter	-	103 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	-
744	do	-	74 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	-
745	do	-	110 ac	do	-
746	do	-	do	do	-
747	Hansbrough, Jos L	C G Payne	114 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	1868
748	do	do	38 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	1868
749	Henderson, Jas W	-	53 ac	Bounty	-
750	Holland, Tapeley, dec	Hrs. same	1769 ac	do	1860
751	Hamilton, George	same	640 ac	do	1860
752	Highland, Joseph	same	320 ac	Donation	1871
753	Hernandez, Gregoria	John A Green	do	Bounty	1861
754	Havens, Smith L	Cotlett, Tombs and Crawford	320 ac	do	1854
755	Hudgins, Philip D	same	160 ac	Scrip	1859
756	Hunt, Memucan	John M Whithorn	320 ac	do	1862
757	do	Memucan Hunt	do	do	1861
758	do	do	do	do	1862
759	do	Cotlett, Tombs and Crawford	do	do	1855
760	do	do	160 ac	do	1862
761	do	do	320 ac	do	1855
762	do	Heirs H G Cotlett	160 ac	do	1855
763	do	do	do	do	1855
764	Haynes, J W	same	108 ac	do	1864
765	do	do	18 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	1864
766	do	do	18 $\frac{1}{4}$ ac	do	1864
767	do	do	67 ac	do	1864
768	do	do	70 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	1864
769	do	do	49 ac	do	1864
770	do	do	98 ac	do	1864

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771	Haynes, J W	same	54 ac	Scrip	1864
772	do	do	44+ ac	do	1864
773	do	do	36 ac	do	1864
774	do	do	106+ ac	do	1864
775	do	do	26+ ac	do	1864
776	do	do	80 ac	do	1864
777	do	do	79 ac	do	1864
778	do	do	100 ac	do	1864
779	do	do	124 ac	do	1864
780	do	do	51 ac	do	1864
781	do	do	78 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	1864
782	do	do	14+ ac	do	1863
783	do	do	59 $\frac{1}{4}$ ac	do	1863
784	do	do	37+ ac	do	1863
785	do	do	43 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	1863
786	do	do	44 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	1863
787	do	do	80 ac	do	1864
788	do	do	100 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	1864
789	do	do	80 ac	do	1864
790	do	do	41 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	1864
791	do	do	20 ac	do	1864
792	Hawkins, Jas R	same	160 ac	do	1864
793	Hampton, A	same	do	do	1863
794	Haynes, John W	same	106 ac	do	1864
795	do	do	67 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	1864
796	Hollingsworth & Barnett	same	160 ac	Scrip	1871
797	do	F Everett	do	do	1872
798	Harrell, Joseph	J A E Trader	do	do	1873
799	Heine, James	Hrs H G Cotlett	258 ac	do	1874
800	do	do	82 ac	do	1874
801	Hampton, J G	same	160 ac	do	1864
802	Hale, J W	A Bishop	do	do	1872
803	do	do	do	do	1872
804	Hall, J H	W J Kelly	80 ac	Pre-empt	1877
805	Howard, James	same	160 ac	do	1876
806	Hobbs, J T	James Fridge, Sr	do	do	1877
807	Heims, J G	same	do	do	1874
808	Harrington, Bryant	same	do	do	1871
809	Hightower, Jas H	-	do	do	-
810	Holt, W C	same	do	do	1876
811	Holt, L W	-	do	do	-
812	Helms, D M	same	142 ac	do	1875
813	Hagood, Riley	same	160 ac	do	1875
814	Horton, W J	-	do	do	-
815	Hanby, Thornton K	same	158 ac	do	1876
816	Howard, John	-	160 ac	do	-
817	Hogan, John H	-	do	do	-
818	Harding, W M	-	80 ac	do	-
819	Huffaker, J P	-	160 ac	do	-
820	Hanks, G W	same	80 ac	do	1876
821	Harvey, Thomas	same	144 ac	do	1875
822	Hunter, S M	same	160 ac	do	1877

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823	Isaacs, A J	John M. Rankin	1/3 league	First	1860
824	Inman, Samuel C	Lemuel J Edwards	640 ac	Third	1854
825	Inman, Jackson	same	320 ac	do	1857
826	I & G N R R Co	W A H Miller	20 ac	Scrip	1877
827	do	do	37 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	1877
828	do	do	320 ac	do	-
829	do	do	68 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	-
830	do	do	571 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	-
831	do	J P Smith & J J Jarvis	168 ac	do	1877
832	do	do	51 ac	do	1877
833	do	H P Mabry	57 ac	do	1877
834	do	J P Smith & J J Jarvis	99 ac	do	1877
835	do	do	74 ac	do	1877
836	do	do	26 ac	do	1877
837	do	G M Hanks	28 ac	do	1877
838	Isbell, George	same	160 ac	Pre-empt	1874
839	Jones, Elizabeth	Smith & St. Clair	215,103 sq.	var. First	1873
840	do	J P Smith	185,446 do	do	1873
841	do	do	762,175 do	do	1875
842	do	do	372,570 do	do	1875
843	Jennings, Sarah Gray	same	738 ac	Second	1856
844	do	do	542 ac	do	1856
845	Jenkins, Eli M	same	79+ ac	Third	1863
846	Johnson, R J	M T Johnson	20 ac	do	1858
847	Jones, Benjamin F	same	160 ac	do	1859
848	Jones, Samuel	same	149 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	1875
849	Johnson, Claiborn	John C Johnson	81 ac	do	1874
850	do	do	334 ac	do	1874
851	Jennings, John	Hrs. same	640 ac	do	1872
852	Johnson, Enoch	same	358 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	1874
853	Johnson, Enoch	E L Domey	281 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	do	-
854	Jones, Lewis W	same	284 ac	do	1857
855	Johnson, Joseph B	same	320 ac	do	1857
856	Jenkins, Wm	Joseph W. Callaway	360 ac	do	1856
857	Jackson, Wm J	M T Johnson	320 ac	do	1860
858	Johnson, Mary	same	640 ac	do	1857
859	Justice, Jesse	same	310 ac	do	1857
860	Jasper, Wm H.	same	do	do	1857
861	Jasper, Terrell	same	320 ac	do	1857
862	Jackson, Moses A	M T Johnson	do	do	1858
863	Johnson, M T	do	640 ac	do	1855
864	Johnson, Simon	same	160 ac	do	1859
865	Jones, Wm T	same	160 ac	do	1859
866	Jopling, Benjamin	same	do	do	1860
867	Jopling, L L	same	do	do	1859
868	Jopling, George W	same	do	do	1859
869	Johnson, B B	Eli M Jenkins	do	do	1852
870	Johnson, H C	same	do	do	1859
871	Johnson, James	W M Crawford	320 ac	do	1861
872	Johnson, Claiborne	John C Johnson	80 ac	do	1874
873	Jennings, J	John W. Howard	640 ac	Bounty	1860
874	do	do	320 ac	do	1860
875	do	do	do	do	1860

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876	Jamison, S M	same	61 ac	Scrip	1860
877	do	do	39 ac	do	1860
878	Jopling, G W	same	141+ ac	do	1863
879	James, Michael	same	160 ac	do	1863
880	Jopling, Benjamin	same	do	do	1863
881	Johnson, R S	J A Merick	138 $\frac{1}{2}$ ac	Pre-empt	1876
882	Johnson, B F	-	160 ac	do	-
883	Johnson, James A.	same	115 ac	do	1871
884	Johnson, Wm	-	160 ac	do	-
885	Joyce, Wm R	same	do	do	1874
886	Jobe, M C	P J Norwood	90 ac	do	1876
887	Johnson, Nancy	same	160 ac	do	1874
888	Jordan, Alex	Heirs same	do	do	1875
889	Johnson, W C	same	do	do	1876
890	Kuykendall, C A	Cotlett, Tombs and Crawford	70+ ac	Third	1873
891	Kephart, Samuel	same	280 ac	do	1857
892	King, Edmund McD	Owens Blacker	160 ac	do	1856
893	Kinder, John	same	320 ac	do	1857
894	Kinder, Geo	same	do	do	1857
895	King, Edmund McD	same	160 ac	do	1856
896	King, John N	Jas J Moneyham	320 ac	do	1855
897	do	T V McKinney	do	do	1855
898	Knight, G B	same	do	do	1854
899	Knight, Obediah W	same	640 ac	do	1854
900	King, Wm G	Cotlett, Tombs & Crawford	320 ac	do	1855
901	Kuykendall, Catherine A	do	569+ ac	do	1870
902	Knight, Jas R	Timothy Jones	640 ac	do	1861
903	Kelly, Thomas E	same	160 ac	do	1859
904	Kelly, Samuel D	same	do	do	1869
905	King, Rufus	John A Fanning	320 ac	do	1864
906	King, Lewis C	P H Clark	160 ac	do	1879
907	Kirby, Joseph	J H Snowden & L H Brown	320 ac	do	1859
908	Keys, Thomas H	same	81 ac	do	1857
909	Keys, Robert	same	320 ac	do	1857
910	Keys, Josiah W	same	do	do	1857
911	Keer, David A.	same	160 ac	do	1873
912	Kirkham, Samuel B	R L Franklin	do	do	1859
913	Kelsey, John	Carson & Lewis	320 ac	Bounty	1870
914	Korticky, John	Heirs same	960 ac	do	1864
915	do	do	320 ac	do	1864
916	Kelly, S D	same	160 ac	Scrip	1863
917	Kiser, John	do	do	do	1863
918	Kelly, Abraham	Hrs. same	60 ac	Pre-empt	1877
919	Kruger, F W	-	160 ac	do	-
920	Kenney, G B	J S Poynor	do	do	1877
921	Kimbrough, O L	-	do	do	-
922	Knapp, A J	-	do	do	-
923	Linn, Wm	-	5,430,220 sq. var.	First	-
924	do	-	1,664,409 do	do	-
925	do	-	634,859 do	do	-
926	do	-	603,845 sq. var.	do	-

Tarrant County Abstract of Land Titles (cont'd)

Abstract Number	Original Grantee	Patentee	Quantity	Class	Date of Pat.
927	Lane, Henry	Heirs same	2,766,050 sq.	var. First	1876
928	do	do	2,565,970	do do	1877
929	Lacy, Wm D	same	5,581,920 sq.	var. do	1873
930	Little, Hiram	same	1 league	do	1856
931	Lee, Abner	same	1/3 league	do	1857
932	Lucas, John H	Samuel Evans	640 ac	Second	1871
933	Long, George W	same	320 ac	do	1862
934	Leedy, Madison	same	1150 ac	do	1873
935	do	do	320 ac	do	-
936	Looney, Joseph M	A J Colwell	160 ac	Third	1860
937	Looney, Nancy E	do	do	do	1860
938	Little, Jason B.	same	do	do	1860
939	Linney, George	C G Payne	320 ac	do	1869
940	Lynn, Susan	same	160 ac	do	1871
941	Logan, Wm G	Napoleon B Perry	320 ac	do	1857
942	Lynch, John	Seburn Gilmore	do	do	1854
943	Loving, S P	same	do	do	1855
944	Loving, Wm R	A Young and A J Lee	640 ac	do	1856
945	Little, Wm H	M T Johnson	320 ac	do	1856
946	Leonard, Archibald F	same	640	do	1855
947	Lusk, John Preston	Hrs. same	320 ac	do	1854
948	Loving, Wm R	same	do	do	1858
949	Lee, Jonathan S	James Young	160 ac	do	1860
950	Lane, James W	Jason Watson	640 ac	do	1854
951	Lane, Stephen S	do	320 ac	do	1854
952	Lane, C T	do	do	do	1854
953	Lynch, Mahaly	same	640 ac	do	1855
954	Little, Edmund	Wm M Robinson	do	do	1857
955	Lynch, Josiah Mc	Josiah M C Lynch	320 ac	do	1856
956	Lynch, Horatio G	same	do	do	1856
957	Lee, Alfred J	same	do	do	1856
958	Little, John	same	do	do	1856
959	Largent, Hugh F	James Holland	do	do	1856
960	do	do	do	do	1856
961	Lee, James	George Wilson	160 ac	do	1856
962	Leath, John R	James Colthorp	320 ac	do	1869
963	Lott, Absalom J	same	307 ac	do	1871
964	Ledbetter, Lewis B	James H Hill	160 ac	do	1860
965	Lewis, Isaac	same	do	do	1860
966	Lewis, Georgiana M (wife of A J)	-	640 ac	do	-
967	Lea, Mary	same	23 ac	do	1861
968	Lee, Wm L	same	160 ac	do	1859
969	Lilly, Joel M	same	do	do	1859
970	Lowe, Wm C	same	320 ac	do	1857
971	Littlepage, Ellis	Joseph Foreman	640 ac	do	1862
972	Lynn, Jerome	same	320 ac	do	1857
973	Lynn, Wm	same	308 ac	do	1857
974	Lawrence, Wm	S M Jamison	160 ac	do	1859
975	Langley, John	James P Dumas	320 ac	do	1862
976	Langster, Robert	same	311 ac	Bounty	1868
977	Lockhart, Samuel	Thomas C. Bean	320 ac	do	1873

Tarrant County Abstract of Land Titles (cont'd)

Abstract Number	Original Grantee	Patentee	Quantity	Class	Date of Pat.
978	Langley, John	same	160 ac	Scrip	1864
979	Lilly, J M	Henry Rodgers	do	do	1863
980	do	J M Lilly	113½ ac	do	1863
981	Lincoln, Leonard	same	160 ac	do	1864
982	Laws, G W & M L Swing	Laws & Swing	7 ac	do	1863
983	Langston, Hester	same	160 ac	do	1863
984	Lynn, Wm	same	do	do	1863
985	Lilly, J M	same	do	do	1863
986	Loyd, Rush	-	do	Pre-empt	-
987	Lamar, M P	Wm A Williamson	158 ac	do	1874
988	Laughston, Elizabeth	W U & R L Ward	160	do	1877
989	Lawrence, Nancy W	-	91+ ac	do	-
990	Lacy, B R	-	160 ac	Sch'l L'd	-
991	Lavois, B	same	160 ac	do	1877
992	Morris, Debby	Hrs. same	6,399,107 sq.var.	First	1874
993	do	do	1,095,202 sq.var.	do	1869
994	Mendoza, Urbano	same	1,750,890 do	do	1875
995	Mann, Wm	Heirs same	903,954 do	do	1874
996	do	do	457,627 do	do	1874
997	McDonald, James	Hrs. same	1/3 league	do	1845
998	McGehee, Henry	M T Johnson	do	do	1852
999	McCowan, Wm	Heirs same	22,802,560 sq.var.	do	1868
1000	Matthews, Jacob	same	1280 ac	Second	1856
1001	Maise, Matthew	Heirs same	do	do	1856
1002	Martin, George F	J T Morehead	160 ac	do	1860
1003	do	do	358 ac	do	1861
1004	McVean, Daniel	A McKeen	538¼ ac	do	1868
1005	McAnea, Elizabeth	Laird H Ferguson	320 ac	Third	1855
1006	McEenline, S H	M P Ellis	do	do	1861
1007	Moody, John	same	640 ac	do	1860
1008	Moore, Pleasant	same	160 ac	do	1859
1009	Merrill, Sarah E	same	do	do	1869
1010	Mann, Wm	George W Hamage	640 ac	do	1874
1011	McEmin, R A	-	160 ac	do	-
1012	Madden, C P	same	do	do	1873
1013	McDaniel, C B	same	do	do	1871
1014	McClure, Jesse	same	do	do	1871
1015	Martin, U P	same	do	do	1872
1016	Miller, Charles	same	do	do	1871
1017	Martin, Joseph	Charles K Reese	320 ac	do	1871
1018	McGahey, Alex	-	13 ac	do	-
1019	Martin, Austin	same	299 ac	do	1874
1020	Miller, Wm J	Wm Quagle	310¼ ac	do	1858
1021	Matthews, James	same	320 ac	do	1857
1022	Martin, Charles	same	160 ac	do	1859
1023	Maples, H K	Samuel Mitchell	320 ac	do	1859
1024	Mitchell, Samuel	do	do	do	1857
1025	McQuean, D	same	320 ac	do	1858
1026	McQuean, Donald	Ira Ellis	160 ac	do	1855
1027	do	do	do	do	1855
1028	May, Wm C	Joseph C Reed	350 ac	do	1856
1029	Moore, Esther	Wm Giddins	320 ac	do	1859
1030	Montgomery, John P	Abram Harris	do	do	1857

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BIBLIOPRINTS
News from the Library

Last year was a record-breaking year for the Southwest and Genealogy Department. Over 10,000 people signed the register. Of these, 7869 were primarily interested in genealogy, and 2025 were from out-of-town. This represents a growth of 22% in the number of genealogical users over last year. We hope that each and every member of the Fort Worth Genealogical Society will visit us frequently so that we can top last year's increase this year.

Do you know about the brochures which we have prepared to help you to do research in the department? There are four of them currently available, and one to come in the near future.

AT THE FOOT OF THE FAMILY TREE (grey) tells you how to use library materials in genealogical research. It discusses note-taking, tells you how to use the card catalog and how to locate a book on the shelves, describes special collections and services, and enumerates the few rules for users which we must enforce.

A LADDER UP THE FAMILY TREE (orange) is all about using census in genealogical research. It lists the census film available in our department and includes a handy chart devised by T. Y. Collins, one of our patrons, for copying census information taken before 1850.

FOLLOWING FAMILY TRAILS (green) contains suggestions for vacationing with your ancestors and features a list of guides to genealogical research in various areas of the country.

U. S. GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS FOR GENEALOGISTS, compiled by Miss June Wasserman of the Business and Technology Department, who presented a program to the Society last year, lists the government documents which contain information likely to aid in family research.

A forthcoming departmental publication, CHILDREN OF THE ISLAND RACE will be a checklist of British genealogical material in the Southwest and Genealogy Department.

Also available is a sheet explaining the code used in the Soundex to the 1880 census.

Ruby (Mrs. O. B.) Carter started our Bible Records Acquisition Project with a Valentine gift of two typed manuscript copies of records pertaining to her families. Apropos of the season, one was the Lovlace family; the other, the Loftin family.

We would be ecstatically happy to receive many more such gifts in addition to the copies made of original records in the Fort Worth Genealogical Society program. If you have typed copies of Bible records in your files which you would be willing to share with others, please send them so that we may keep them on file for future reference. The search for a Bible record which is not in the immediate family is often one of the most difficult in genealogical research.

The following Bible records are now in this collection, which we hope will grow explosively: Charles Brookins Caldwell family; Mary E. Greene Bible; Hitchcock Bible; Calvin Mayfield Bible; Larkin Rogers Bible; Joel W. Terrell Bible; Drummond Bible; Peter Wykoff-Julia Terry Bible; Pilcher Bible; Joseph B. Loftin Bible; Joseph Lovlace Bible; Johannes Matthias Schroeder Bible.

In the October, 1967 issue of the Genealogical Society Publication, family manuscripts in the Fort Worth Public Library collection were listed. Since that time, the following manuscripts have been added:

Anderson-Gordon-Malone-Pearson-Gilbert-Adams-Eryant-Boggess-Brennicke.
 Bettis-Carr.
 Browder.
 Buffington.
 Buchanan.
 Burnett.
 Castle
 Cochran
 Deavours
 Ewing
 Fry-Allen-Auritt-Baker-Bean-Bowman-Cressman-Dillinger-Dodson-Evans-
 Funkhouser-Keckley-Keller-Kerr-Lindamood-Lineweaver-Mowry-Mumaw-Snapp-
 Spears-Williams-Woodson
 Hogg
 Humberson
 Hunsicker/Hunsucker
 Jarvis
 Johnson
 Jones
 Lane-Freeman-Edwards
 Lewis
 McCulloch
 Melton
 Menifee-Mercer
 Moorman
 Payne
 Pitts
 Raines
 Stearman
 Stockton
 Phillips-Robinson-Witham
 Wilkerson
 Wofford
 Woodbury
 Word-McCraw-Bain-Renfro

Through the generosity of the Fort Worth Genealogical Society, the library has acquired a microfilm copy of the Herbert Furman Seversmith papers. Dr. Seversmith, a past president of the National Genealogical Society, died in 1967, and Harriet Stryker-Rodda, a professional colleague of Dr. Seversmith's, had his notebooks and a copy of his COLONIAL FAMILIES OF LONG ISLAND, NEW YORK AND CONNECTICUT filmed as a memorial to him. The book, which contains the ancestry of Dr. Seversmith and includes data on 168 families, is extremely rare, having been published in mimeographed form in 1952 in an edition of 25 copies. Families included in the Seversmith papers are Ackerly, Adams, Allerton, Baldwin, Barker, Barnes, Batchelder, Bayley, Bergen, Blatchley, Bogaert, Brass, Brewster, Brill, Brush, Bryan, Burnham, Burrowes, Bushnell, Carpenter, Champion, Cogan, Coles, Colfs, Collins, Colver, Colyer, Conkling, Cooper, Corey, Cornish, Cromwell, Cuvellier, Cuvilje, Davis, Dayton, DeNyse, DeWitt, Dodd, Ellison, Everts, Fleet, Fordham, Furman, Gains, Gildersleeve, Goldhatch, Greenhill, Gridley, Grombridge, Haff, Hall, Halsey, Halstead, Hampton, Harcourt,

Hasenbroeck, Haviland, Hawxhurs, Hedges, Helling, Hicks, Hills, Hopkins, Horsford, Howell, Hulse, Jackson, Janzon, Jarvis, Judd, Kellum, Kent, Ketchum, Kinge, Kouk, Langdon, Leeke, Lewis, Loines, Long, Losee, Morrell, Mulford, Muncy, Nichols, Norton, Oakes, Oakley, Pantry, Parrott, Parsons, Platt, Polheus, Porter, Potter, Pratt, Priest, Quick, Quynell, Rapalje, Rhodes, Risley, Rogers, Rolfe, Ruddock, Ruland, Sammis, Schamp, Scudder, Seales, Seversmith, Siboutszen (Cronkhite), Smith, Southard, Stickland, Vail, Valentine, Van Duesberg, Van Flaesbeek, Van Langendyck, Van Meppeln, Van Salee, Vigne, Volkertszen, Waldron, Ward, Warren, Weekes, Weisner, Weston, White, Whitehead, Whiting, Whitley, Whitman, Wickes, Williams, Withaer, Wood, Woodruff, Wyborne, Young, Youngs.

Mr. Marvin D. Nichols has recently given the library a number of photocopied pension records from the National Archives. Records for these men are included in this collection:

Adams, James	Virginia	Revolution
Adams, John	"	"
Baugh, Henry	"	"
Baugh, Joseph	"	"
Beaman, Gideon	Massachusetts	"
Beaman, Jonas	"	"
Blalock, John	Virginia	"
Blanton, Burwell	North Carolina	"
Blanton, James	"	"
Bozeman, John	Mississippi	"
Bozeman, Ralph	South Carolina	"
Brown, Benjamin	Tennessee	"
Brown, William	Pennsylvania	"
Bullock, William	Massachusetts	"
Bullock, William T.	Maryland	"
Burns, George	Virginia	"
Bussey, Cornelius	"	"
Clark, Lewis	"	"
Cotton, George	North Carolina	"
Cotton, James	Virginia	"
Cotton, John	Massachusetts	"
Cotton, John	Tennessee	1812
Cotton, Thomas	North Carolina	Revolution
Cotton, William	"	"
Cooper, Thomas	South Carolina	"
Cooper, Thomas	Virginia	"
Dameron, Charles	Georgia	"
Dameron, George	"	"
Dameron, Joseph	Virginia	"
DeVair, Isaac	"	"
DeVor, David	Pennsylvania	"
Elkins, James	Kentucky	"
Flinn, William	Virginia	"
Freeman, Andrew	Massachusetts	"
Freeman, Asher	"	"
Freeman, Charles	Rhode Island	"
Freeman, Ebenezer	Illinois	Civil
Freeman, Elisha	Massachusetts	Revolution

Freeman, Deborah	Massachusetts	Revolution
Freeman, Haskell	"	"
Freeman, James	"	"
Freeman, John	Rhode Island	"
Freeman, John	Ohio	"
Freeman, Nathaniel	Massachusetts	"
Freeman, Salisbury	Rhode Island	"
Freeman, Samuel	Ohio	"
Freeman, Sharper	Massachusetts	"
Freeman, Solomon	Ohio	"
Freeman, Thomas	Massachusetts	"
Fuller, Catharine	Pennsylvania	"
Fuller, Joseph	Ohio	"
Fuller, Ruth	Pennsylvania	"
Glover, John	North Carolina	"
Glover, Samuel	Virginia	"
Glover, William	North Carolina	"
Gunnell, John	Virginia	"
Gunnell, William	South Carolina	"
Gunnell, William	Virginia	"
Hamilton, John	South Carolina	"
Hammond, Joshua	Virginia or S. C.	"
Hammond, Samuel	"	"
Harvey, John	Virginia	"
Harvey, Thomas	"	"
Harvey, Isaac	Pennsylvania	1812
Heisom, John	New York	Revolution
Hiatt, Shadrach	Maryland	"
Hill, Samuel	Del., Md., N.C., Va.	"
Hullman, John	Virginia	"
Jacobs, Benjamin	North Carolina	"
Kimbrell, Thomas	S.C., Virginia	"
King, James	North Carolina	"
Logan, John	Pennsylvania	"
Martin, John	South Carolina	"
Meek, Alexander	Virginia	"
Meek, Basil	"	"
Meek, Jacob	Pennsylvania, Va.	"
Meek, Samuel	Virginia	"
Miles, Thomas	"	"
Miles, Thomas	North Carolina	"
Moseley, Benjamin	Virginia	"
Moseley, Thomas	"	"
Murrah, Joshua	N.C., S.C.	"
Newman, Reuben	North Carolina	"
Norris, William	Virginia	"
Perry, Isaac	Massachusetts	"
Phipps, John	Virginia, Georgia	"
Phipps, Joshua	Virginia	"
Puckett, John	"	"
Robertson, Peter	North Carolina	"
Rogers, John	"	"
Rogers, William	"	"
Roper, Drury	Virginia	"

Roper, William	Massachusetts	Revolution
Saxon, Lewis	South Carolina	"
Seabourn, Jacob	Virginia	"
Seabourn, Nicholas	"	"
Seabourn, _____	"	"
Stephens, John	S.C., Va.	"
Tarrant, Henry	Virginia	"
Tarrant, James	"	"
Taylor, Josiah	"	"
Tillman, Tobias	North Carolina	"
Turner, John	"	"
Tutt, Gabriel	N.C., Va.	"
Walker, Isaac	North Carolina	"
Walker, Joseph	Connecticut	"

Two new periodicals deserve attention in this issue, since they cover areas in which we are short on book material. Norman E. Gillis, who has published several books on Mississippi, has begun a quarterly, MISSISSIPPI GENEALOGY AND LOCAL HISTORY. He tantalizes us with brief excerpts from the 1850 census of Mississippi, which he has indexed but has no intentions of publishing as a unit (cruelty!).

FOUR STATES GENEALOGIST, which is a quarterly published by Charlene Hook in Tulsa, includes material from Oklahoma, Arkansas, Missouri and Kansas. It promises to be a great deal of help, publishing a wide variety of records from many counties. It is filed under Oklahoma in our new system of filing genealogical periodicals by states rather than by title.

We have recently received a number of manuscripts of genealogical interest, which are filed in the Miscellaneous Manuscripts Drawer. These are:

- Minutes of the Indian Creek Missionary Baptist Association, Lauderdale County, Alabama, September 1883. (filed under Alabama Baptists)
- Oakwood Cemetery, Tyler, Texas (photocopy)
- Newcastle, Texas, Cemetery
- Ming Bend Cemetery, Palo Pinto County
- Minutes of the Session, Pleasant Grove Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Cherokee County, Texas (Xerox copy)
- Johnson County, Texas Centennial Program (Xerox copy)
- Indexes to Lineages in American Ancestry (Xerox copy)

Flash!---Just as this copy was to go to the typist we received replacement film for the 1860 Arkansas census. This is the new single-page-to-a-frame film. If you've been questioning whether they were really there on our old dim film, now is your chance.

New Books of Genealogical Interest

- GEN 929.1 The American Genealogical-Biographical Index.
A Volume 64. Goddard-Goodwin.
- 929.2 Burgess, Marjorie Cutler
B A Genealogy of the Cutler Family of Lexington, Massachusetts.

- 929.6
F Franklyn, Julian
Heraldry.
- 929.2
H Hines, Lois Davidson.
Lynch Families of the Southern States.
- 929.4
M Maduell, Charles R., Jr.
Index of Spanish Citizens Entering the Port of
New Orleans between January 1840 and December 1865.
- 973.3
U Pension Roll of 1835. 4 volumes.
- 977.7
P Peterson, William J.
Steamboating on the Upper Mississippi.
- 929.4
R Reaney, Percy Hyde.
The Origin of English Surnames.
- 975.6
R Reichel, Rev. Levin T.
The Moravians in North Carolina
- 914.2
S Smith, Frank
A Genealogical Gazetteer of England.
- 976.9845
S Stancliff, Mary H.
Hardin Co., Ky. Marriage Bonds, 1813-1822.

Of Special Interest

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T Kielman, Chester V., Compiler
The University of Texas Archives; A Guide
to the Historical Manuscripts Collection in the
University of Texas. Austin: University of
Texas Press, 1968.

The University of Texas Archives, established in 1899, have attracted donations of historical material from many of the state's most influential people, and have thus become a major source of historical, and correspondingly, genealogical information on Texas people. For years, emphasis was placed on physical protection of the records, and only in the last decade have finding aids been developed to facilitate their use.

The first finding aid was a 30,000 entry catalog to be used in the Archives. It was soon apparent that a descriptive guide which could be circulated away from the campus to give researchers an idea of materials available was vital. This book is that guide. It describes every group of manuscripts in terms of dates, types of material, activities of the person assembling the group, and places, events and subjects prominent in the material. Arrangement of groups is alphabetical by the name of the person whose papers are included.

Two appendices index manuscript groups by fields of activity and historical periods. A 123 page person and place index is the feature which

makes the book invaluable to the genealogist. By consulting this index, he can determine whether the University Archives include material which would warrant a visit to Austin and can plan his trip to make the most of his time spent there.

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Miller, Thomas Lloyd.

Bounty and Donation Land Grants of Texas, 1835-1888. Austin: University of Texas Press, 1967.

Mr. Miller wrote his book as a study of the legislative history of Military Land Grants by the state of Texas. He did not plan to include the list of Bounty Land grantees which makes this book a genealogical treasure, but was persuaded to do so by the late Dr. Walter P. Webb.

Bounty lands were granted for service in the revolution, and, on occasion, for services to the infant republic. Donation grants were 640 acre grants made to veterans of specific battles (Goliad, Bexar, San Jacinto, The Alamo). Bounty grants and Donation grants are listed separately.

Each entry includes the certificate number, date of grant, description of service, date of patent, location of lands, and reference to the location of the document in the General Land Office.

Everyone doing research on early Texas families should read the introductory chapters of this book, in addition to using the lists. They are a clear guide to the land records of Texas.

Donated to the Library "Our Coker Kin," Vol. 1, by June B. Barekman, 3302 W. Diversey Ave., Chicago, Ill. 60647 with this comment:

"I have read with great interest the article on the Welsh Neck Baptist Church of the PeeDee River South Carolina, Pages 98-102, in the July 1967 issue of the Bulletin.

On page 101, you list James CROCKER or CROCKET. The name is COKER. A Thomas Coker - son of a Caleb Coker of Edgecombe Co., N. C. - had gone to S. C. In time the children and grandchildren of this Thomas Coker settled in the PeeDee River area.

The Cokers married into many of the old families, LIDE, TERRELL, MCIVER, KOLB, JAMES, FURMAN, etc.

I have done a huge amount of research on the Coker families in the Southern States, and have incorporated all of this into two volumes called "Our Coker Kin." I believe they will prove that the CROCKERS are COKERS."

McCord Family Bible

New Illustrated Devotional and Practical Polyglot Family Bible, published by The National Publishing Company, New-World Publishing Company, Jones & Co. (Copyright 1870)

The Rite of Holy Matrimony was celebrated between

T. P. McCord of Mt. Hope, Ala. and R. M. Cunningham of Mt. Hope, Ala. on Feby. 28 1850 at Residence of bride's sisters, Mt. Hope by Rev Wm. M. D. McCaughy of Mt. Hope, Ala.

MARRIAGES

T. P. McCord and Mary A. Walker October 16 1840
 T. P. McCord and Rhoda M. Cunningham Feby 28 1850
 W. J. Wasson and Martha H. McCord Jan 11 1866
 Jo F. Martin and Mary J. McCord 19 of Dec 1870
 L. L. Tolleson and Harriett L. McCord Dec 28 1871
 R. H. McCord and Ida Milam March 20 1883

BIRTHS

T. P. McCord Oct 18 1811
 Mary A. Walker Apr 22 1822
 Rhoda M. Cunningham Oct 21 1824
 Wm W. McCord Aug 28 1841
 Mary E. W. McCord Apr 19 1843
 Martha H. McCord Dec 15 1845
 Mary J. McCord June 22 1848
 Eliz A. McCord Jan 12 1851
 Harriet L. McCord Apr 15 1852
 Rufus H. McCord Feby 24 1854
 Ambras D. McCord Nov 21 1855
 Ida Milam Jan 14 1860
 Mary Verna McCord Dec 21 1883
 Thomas Erice McCord Feb 5 1885
 Velma McCord Oct 19 1887
 Neal Curran McCord Aug 24 1890
 Zona McCord Nov 18 1892

DEATHS

Mary E. W. McCord Oct 2 1848
 Mary A. M. McCord Apr 16 1849
 Wm Walker McCord June 26 1852
 Eliz A. McCord July 2 1852
 Rhoda M. McCord Jan 1 1881
 Thos. P. McCord April 30 1885
 Ida McCord Jan 13 1901
 Rufus H. McCord Oct 29 1924

W. McCord, father of T. P. McCord July 2 1852

Submitted by Paul R. McCord, 5408-B Van Natta Lane, Fort Worth, Texas

CAMP BURYING GROUND

(on Farm Road 1753 Grayson County between Denison and Bells
called the East Texas Street Road)

1. Placed to the Memory of Edward Simmons(?) Born Dec 22 1834: Died Dec 10 1868
2. Placed to the Memory of Anthony M. Pistol Born Sept 22 1812: Died June 24 1867

There were for the others soft sand-stone markers that could not be read at all in a small fenced-in area within this cemetery.

3. William Camp Born Nov 10? 1808? Died Dec 1866

4. Margret Camp Born July 1805 Died June 1861

These stones were badly broken (see below)

5. W. J. Camp Born Mar 11 1841 Died Mar 22 1862

6. S. E. Camp Born Dec 27 1868 Died Dec 28 1868

7. J. A. Camp Born Dec 27 1868 Died Mar 2 1869

8. W. L. Camp Born Mar 3 1876 Died Aug 6 1877

9. * CAMP

Jemmia Mar 11 1843 Oct 13 1898

John L. May 8 1838 May 18 1931

10. Children of F. P. & Mary Clement

W. Sterling Aug 30 1903 Jan 7 1905

Cecil C. Nov 10 1905 Feb 6 1908

11. Grace R. Clement Born Oct 3 1899 Died April 8 1943

12. F. Perry Clement Born Nov 5 1872 Died Dec 4 1953

13. Mary C. Clement Born Feb 25 1878 Died June 23 1950

14. Mary Josephine Weaver 8 days old Aug 15 1936

Also seven unmarked graves

*Mary Clement must have been a daughter of John L. & Jemmia because there were matching new markers for this family. Jemmia had been moved also and reburied with her husband.

From the Warranty Deed Record Jan 12 1861, the following information has been obtained: Mother - Margaret E. Camp; Father - Wm. Camp. Issue: James C., John L., Sterling V., Thomas A., Margaret E., & W. J. Camp. Sterling V.'s wife was Caroline; S. J. McKnight married Margret E. Camp. Susan C. married James C. Camp; she was deceased by 1888. Their children were:

Darthulia Camp m. G. W. Ellis

James W.

Joseph E.

I. M. C. m. I. I. Coleman

Alice Camp

Amer Camp m. Frank Battle

Maggie Camp

Copied by Mrs. B. C. Hutcheson, August 13, 1967.

Johnson County Marriage Records, 1861 (cont'd from Nov. '68)

Copied by Mrs. R. N. Grammer

Groom	Bride	Date
J. R. Montgomery	Emily Edwards	Jan 8 1861
Jas. C. McCoy	M. A. Ledbetter	24
Henry P. Vickers	Nancy C. Brown	24
Wm. M. Griggs	Mary E. Johnson	23
E. Billingsley	D. S. Harris	3
A. M. Killough	Elizabeth Hix	Feb 7
Thos. E. Riddle	Mrs. N. J. Rich	14
B. F. Shaw	A. J. Chaney	14
G. M. Futhey	Angeline Hampton	28
Thos. Upton	Mary A. Harris	24
N. E. Iglehart	W. A. Chambers	Mar 14
August Rushing	Darkis A. Dood	17
Jno. McCarty	E. A. Campbell	20
Chas. Wills	Lucinda Butler	Feb 27
Wm. E. Kennard	Mrs. Sarah W. Hughs	14
T. J. McCluskey	Lucinda M. Harlow	Apr 24
Wm. H. Earnest	Mary Wells	May 2
Jas. W. Nelson	Carathine Fraizer	2
Finley Marchbanks	Sarah Hix	9
Jesse Billingsley	Sarah A. Head	30
R. D. Peal	D. P. McCrary	2
Alfred C. Isaacks	Murvin L. Price	Aug 11
David McCord	Juliana Umphries	18
Mathew Sperks	Rachel Davis	4
Joel L. Dillard	Mary H. McAdoo	4
B. F. Christian or B. F. Chambers	Harriet A. Killough	July 18
E. F. Martin	E. Montgomerie	8
Jno. Green	E. C. Price	June 5
Alex. Williams	Sarah Fowler	Aug 13
S. R. Nelson	S. J. Armstrong	Sept 12
R. F. Herring	F. L. Harris	June 29
M. L. Holford	Malirna Fondrew	Sept 15
Dan'l D. Gibson	Ellen J. Randle	18
Lee Kinman	Isabella Toby	Aug 16
J. Marchbanks	Mrs. M. E. Faulkner	Sept 16
Wm. P. Jacobs	Augusta M. Cropper	Nov 5
H. E. Keith	Samantha Hensley	19
S. P. Henderson	Francis E. Gant	21
Charles Conway	Mary E. Dixon	5
D. C. Payne	Nancy C. Billingsley	Dec 24 1861
Collin M. Milam	Margaret H. Mathews	Jan 9 1862
I. P. Kirkland	Larria T. Kirtley	7
Iredell Hart	Amona J. Harrison	12
James M. Hull	Palmira Fannon	26
Wm. Thomas	M. A. E. Burton	Feb 25
Wm. A. Lamer	Lias Ann Solomon	Jan 31
H. L. Bradley	Barberyann Hicks	Feb 20
Capt. Wm. M. McKanay	L. G. Manley	Mar 18
Peter Anthony	Amonda C. Ritter	July 24
W. D. Smith	Mary Nancy Brashears	27
W. J. Watts	Elisabeth A. Hightower	Aug 3
Aquilla Pierce	Susan F. Carathers	Sept 4

Johnson County Marriage Records, 1861 (cont'd)

Groom	Bride	Date
A. Woodward	R. A. Petty	Sept 10 1862
L. H. Gobherd	S. A. Criner	Oct 30 1862
Wm. Thompson	Mrs. J. T. Brown	Jan 18 1863
Thos. Smith	Rachel V. Kennard	Feb 5
Sam'l T. Bell	Harriet E. Hadley	Mar 3
Joseph M. Watts	Mary L. Hughs	19
James B. Dunn	Nancy Shaw	19
Absolom Lott, Jr.	Elizabeth West	May 5
Jessie Douglas	Eveline G. Manley	June 4
Dr. Jas. M. Cox	Sarah C. Willbanks	July 28
W. J. Gregory	Mrs. Sarah A. Bond	Aug 6
Silas S. Clark	Mrs. Louisa Futhey	11
Hillery Dennis	Angeline Toby	16
P. H. Price	Martha McClelland	27
J. J. Riddle	Elizabeth Petty	Sept 22
G. B. Gifford	Eliza A. Bell	Mar 25
Lewis Donoho	Jane C. Young	Nov 17
Thos. S. Lee	Ruth B. Jackson	11
Isaac Nolen	Elizabeth Bell	Dec 4
Francis M. Jones	Margaret A. Morrow	15 1863
Joseph M. Powell	M. E. Lockridge	Jan 1 1864
Richard Vernon	Elizabeth Billingsley	7
R. A. Eddleman	Hannah Mathews	24
Jno. F. Howell	Mrs. Mary A. Mapar	3
Jas. N. English	Martisha Stanfield	28
J. W. Thomas	Dortham	Feb 23
Dr. Jas. Maughs	Matilda Hightower	Mar 11
Ambrose C. Powell	Mary B. Taliaferro	Apr 4
Geo. W. Coldwell	Nancy Ship	May 28
W. P. Kizziar	Susannah M. Myers	June 29
Richard H. Williams	Frances S. Blakemore	July 12
Peter Stephens	Mary A. Bryant	15
E. P. G. Arrington	Mrs. Vina Ann Smith	Aug 9
Harwood H. Dickey	Louisa D. Jaynes	28
M. L. Hart	Elizabeth J. Maxwell	8
J. N. Gilpin	M. E. Holms	Sept 15
Lewis Jackson	Mrs. Josephine B. Wren	28
C. J. Jaco	Matilda Wright	Oct 1
Elijah Wristen	Mrs. Mary B. Harmen	15
W. C. Jackson	Sarah A. Dunoway	14
Henry Cornelius	Nancy Dodson	16
Wm. Thomas	Mary Ann Wilkins	Nov 1
Jas. H. Kilbough (Kiblough)	Elizabeth A. McAdoo	23
Wm. P. Gregory	Clarissa Spear	Dec 1
Wm. D. Grady	Margarett S. Smith	22 1864
Jno. W. Sinclair	Martha Kemp	Jan 15 1865
Eli Ariola	Smithey Self	26
Robert Parker	Mrs. Cynthia K. Sego	25
Wiley E. Smith	Rebecca Willshire	Feb 1
J. T. Murry	Martha Combs	8
W. M. Dennis	Jane Morrison	19
Chas. Newhouse	Elizabeth Morris	Mar 11
J. H. White	Mrs. Eliza P. Parks	Apr 2
T. P. Hadley	L. B. Peoples	Mar 29
M. V. P. Powell	Cecil H. Taliaferro	30
Jab. Ash	Alma Toby	Apr 2

Johnson County Marriage Records, 1861 (cont'd)

Groom	Bride	Date
Wm. Hodges	Mrs. Sarah Mitchell	Apr 2 1865
Wm. L. Combs	Sarah Isabella Turpin	5
Wm. N. Heal	Lucy A. Richardson	13
E. G. Billingsley	Naomi Billingsley	May 3
R. D. Dickey	Martha H. Roach	15
Chas. Henley	Nancy Yarbro	June 4
D. C. Bills	L. E. Green	18
Henry C. Lazenby	L. A. Goodwin	18
Benj. F. Willbanks	Mary E. Jay	21
Thos. B. Conway	Amonda J. Combs	22
Jno. A. Graham	Mrs. Julia Ward	29
H. C. Powell	Mary A. E. Harrison	July 5
W. F. James	Mrs. Margaret F. Swan	2
Robert Foley	Levina J. Boatwright	June 29
Reuben Lasley	Susan Conway	29
O. J. Ingham	Eliza W. Strader	29
H. N. Eaves	Mrs. Matilda Tompkins	July 5
A. D. Hadley	Margaret J. Snider	14
Silas Clark	Mrs. Elizabeth Reece	14
Thos. F. Haley	Margaret C. Maxwell	20
C. Estes	Mary T. Cooper	23
R. E. Dohoney	F. E. Poindexter	21
Wm. H. Harris	Mary E. Jack	22
Wm. J. Goodlett	Martha M. Jackson	27
Robt. Collins	Deborah Keeney	27
Henry C. Snider	Missouri Cornelius	Aug 6
J. H. Lambert	M. E. Rash	24
Abraham Keeney	Lucinda Tidwell	Sept 4
J. W. Blackwell	Francis Avery	7
Wm. Jones	Mary McNeill	7
B. G. Polk	Nancy Ann Roland	21
Newton A. Elliott	Sophronia Knight	21
Lafayette S. Knight	Mrs. Helen Meek	21
Jas. P. Knight	Susan C. Hadley	21
G. W. Latimer	Mrs. Sarah J. Cason	21
Caloway L. Landers	Martha A. Landers	24
J. G. Young	Mrs. Francis A. Young	Oct 3
Edward B. Sanders	Selina F. Reagan	9 1865
A. Cook	E. C. Smith	Feb 11 1866
Levi M. Head	Nancy A. B. Newby	Apr 15
H. McNeal	R. E. McNear	14
Allison A. Head	Susan A. Newby	Jan 4 1866
Ladson Leach	Elizabeth Hull	Dec 28 1865
Jno. F. Newby	D. A. Head	Jan 7 1865
Wm. Reece	Mrs. Margaret Harris	Dec 28
Luke Choate	Mrs. Elizabeth A. Harrell	20
G. S. Camp	Mary S. Neel	5
Wm. Burns	Mrs. Mary Jane Hancock	12 1865
N. M. Ennis	Mrs. Sarah C. Berry	Feb 6 1866
L. W. House	Mrs. Susan G. Mitchell	Mar 7
Joseph Kalen	Mary E. Glover	Feb 1
Jas. A. Jackson	America Mansfield	Mar 9
W. F. Smith	Mrs. Sarah Norton	Feb 6
Albert A. Prince	Adelia C. Manley	Mar 6

Johnson County Marriage Records, 1861 (cont'd)

Groom	Bride	Date
Jno. T. Hix	Mary J. Ennis	Mar 15 1866
Jno. E. Eastham	Mary E. Pebles	Feb 13
Ben Jackson	Eady Swofford	Mar 8
J. M. Hays	M. M. Pilkington	4
John Eaker	Rachael B. Weatherford	8
Gabriel Petty	M. C. Anthony	1
Wiley A. Mason	Mrs. Mary Toler	29
Lewis Stephens	Sofronia Johnson	27
Reuben Hays	Sarah S. Williamson	27
J. F. McCarty	Sarah E. Potston	22
W. W. Wilshire	Mrs. E. J. Campbell	25
D. K. Turner	Amonda L. Edwards	Apr 8
Zebedee Heath	Mrs. Nancy R. Payne	3
Jessee Dickson	Elizabeth Fillips	June 3 1866
Lewis Richardson	Amanda Bradley	Oct 6 1865
Austin Hicks	Mrs. Jane Tubberville	Sept 28 1865
John Odom	Mary E. Howard	Oct 12 1865
Martin L. Sikgs	Susannah S. Anglin	8
Jas. D. Henley	Spicey A. Thompson	22
Wm. R. Tabor	Mary E. Lewis	Nov 9 1865
Chas. Burbanks	Ann Copeland	July 4 1867
E. T. Teague	Mrs. Catharine Hampton	1
J. W. Stewart	Margaret Whitsett	24
Henry Conway	Mary Combs	June 30
G. S. Biffis	Martha Parish	July 8
J. C. Holland	Ann Wier	9
Jas. A. Whitener	D. A. Littlepage	Dec 10 1865
Elbert Lofton	Mary J. Spinks	Oct 8
Jno. W. Myres	Margaret Moyers	Oct 14
A. M. Elam	Frasie	Nov 8
D. N. Shopshire	Patience E. Barnes	Dec 2
E. M. Pipkin	C. J. Yeary	Oct 2
Jas. Garrett	Mrs. Jenetta B. McAnear	Oct 29
J. V. Keel	A. Guinn	Dec 24
Briggs Strait	Mrs. Amanda Hill	Nov 3
T. W. Whitsitt	Josephine Gilmore	Dec 23 1865
Joseph McClure	Lucinla J. Mayer	Feb 9 1867
C. H. Richards	S. E. Palmer	19
Thos. B. Willingham	T. L. Gatewood	19
A. T. Jones	S. E. Shopshire	Mar 4
W. A. McDonald	Ann Dever	14
Jno. F. Martin	Elizabeth J. Berry	Apr 29
Richard O. P. Sparks	Lottie Essary	25
George T. Melton	Mrs. Luvissa Cason	Oct 15 1868

Other marriages from April 1867 to 1870 missing in part.

1871 and 1872 to be continued.

TUDOR AND ACKER CEMETERIES

Submitted by Adelle Whitby Olney, 2325 Blake Street, San Bernardino, Ca 92405

Cisco Cemetery, Texas O. R. Turner 11/22/1872 - Sept 25, 1955

CCURDNECK--now named TUDOR CEMETERY on old Hwy 80 where sign states Ranger, Tex. 11 mi. and you've gone about 9 or 12 miles South from Strawn take opposite dirt road and keep looking for a road to turn left to go up to cemetery. Climb through a board gate, for it is locked . . . and these are the names that you will find. Woodman of the World Memorial--Father John G. Kitchens 2/3/1878 - 12/30/1934

L. H. Kitchen, Mar. 31, 1843 to July 3, 1911

J. H. W. Boney Nov 29, 1863 to May 23, 1924

Wife: Alice A. Boney Jan 9, 1869 - April 21, 1932 (and this I found out was our Grandfather John Hughes half-sister).

Harvey V., Son of H. H. W. and Alice Boney 9/11/1892-6/28/1909

Lillie B. Kitchens 1/11/1908 - 2/24/1902

Laura A. Kitchens 2/12/1890 - 7/25/1891

H. O. Pollard 9/18/1911 - 9/14/1912

Harvey Lowell, son of J. T. and L. O. Pollard 9/18/1911 - 9/14/1913

S Frank A. Kitchens, 1920 - 1944 Lost his life on the US Come Bay 11/24/1944

Caroline Tudor 9/14/1830 - 8/16/1909

J. I. P. Boney 12/3/1858 - 7/17/1898

Elmer H. Tudor 8/1/1902 - Oct 23, 1928

Jessie Son of W. H. and A. I. Tudor, 9/22/1904 - 10/10/1905

Mary A. A. wife of J. W. Gailey 2/19/1865 - 7/14/1904

Claude Albert Dobbins, Father 5/1/1884 - 10/29-1955

J. H. Bigham born 9/5/1855 - 3/27/1912 (Amanda Melvina Jenne's husband, we think)

W. B. Houston 6/20/1852 - 3/18/1912 (Looks like Aslee La -- on tomb)

J. W. Craddock 6/20/1881 - 12/10/1907

H. T. Smith 3/18/1855 - 7/5/1924

Father J. N. Smith 1/26/1857 - 7/29/1921 (and then just says "Mrs. Smith)

Infant son of J. W. and A. B. Craddock Oct died Aug 5, 1901

Mary Jane, daughter of Isham and Mary Craddock, 5/6/1858 - June 19, 1889

Isham Craddock born 10/1/1881 Age 61 yrs. (on letter I saw later he signed his name as Cratic)

Mary F. Craddock July 12, 1836 - March 28, 1911

P. J. Smith 2/22/1842 died 2/29/1880

And then one stone just says "Our dear Mother Mrs. Mary McComb...no dates given."

J. E. O. Tudor 3/7/1851 - 12/10/1906

(Note I did copy stones

M. E. wife of J.E.D. Tudar 1/3/1862 - 2/10/1884

correctly, just one family

Mary daughter of J. E.D. and M. E. Tudor 3/22/1878-

spelled one way--one another.)

7/8/1879

S. A. Tudor born 4/11/1874 died 11/3/1915
 Thomas Alvin, son of CC and Annie Custer 1/7/1893 - 5/16/1894
 James Melrose Custer, born in Wilson Co. Tenn July 22, 1852 - 4/8/1892
 Wm. Tudor 4/13/1821 - 12/31/1876
 N. F. M. Tudor 7/21/1844 - 8/3/1895
 L. H. Bigham 3/2/1822 - 10/29/1879
 Jessie M. Johnson 1872 - 1878
 Rev W. H. Tudor Died Jan 7, 1910 - 61 yrs.
 A. F. Johnson 6/8/1849 - 3/7/1896
 Annie E. daughter of H. G. and S. F. Mitchell 11/18/1887 - 3/9/1889
 Lee O. Mitchell 8/8/1876 - 7/26/1890
 John T. Mitchell 5/21/1865 - 11/27/1891
 David Floid, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Mitchell 10/11/1896 - 2/16/1902
 Thresa M. wife of Bert J. M. Mitchell 12/25/1839 - 4/5/1903
 Cora Leora daughter of H. G. & S. F. Mitchell 10/27/1890 - 1/24/1954
 Charles Edmond, son of Mr. and Mrs. Enorwood 3/4/1906 - 11/18/1907
 J. W. son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Mitchell 9/1/1892 - 9/16/1917
 S. E. wife of H. G. Mitchell 12/5/1869 - 4/16/1926
 Wm. A. Johnson 1844 - 1918
 Nancy J. Johnson 1852 - 1926
 Venia Johnson 1889 - 1918
 Horace G. Mitchell 12/24/1858 - 10/5/1942
 Georgia Pearl Ketchersid 5/25/1910 - 1/10/1955
 Henry Muller 12/31/1888 - either Oct or Dec 16, 1898
 Mary E. Carman wife of W. F. 8/24/1855 - 8/23/1894
 Harmon, Mary Jane 6/11/1854 - 7/15/1933
 Anderson C. Harmon 3/30/1848 - 8/17/1896
 W. F. Carman 11/19/1843 - 12/6/1897
 Virginia May Harmon 10/9/1908 - 9/7/1911
 Elizabeth J. Harmon 1880 - 1947
 Jessie M. Johnson 1872 - 1878
 Mrs. S. A. Bridges, born 1828 died 2/17/1822
 Earl C. Collins 2/13/1892 - 4/9/1893
 Annie Pearl daughter of F. J. and M. I. Collins 2/3/1890 - 6/1/1890
 James M. Collins 2/28/1828 - 5/3/1889

Earl C. Hughes 11/18/1888 - 12/8/1892 - son of John H. Hughes and Marinda
Ann Jenne Hughes

Eugene E. Hughes 1/10/1890 - 5/2/1890 Likewise parents

Beulahmay, daughter of J. Wasarsh Lamb. 8/4/1883 - 8/20/1884

Mary Francis, daughter of W. F. Jenne 9/12/1862 - 3/30/1879 - 16 yr. 6 mo and 18 days

Fay, Daughter of A. J. and D. P. Spencer 7/18/1901 - 12/9/1902

Shirley Emma Gipson 1941 - 1941 (marker by Strawn Merchandise Co. - since burned down)

Harry and Larry, sons of O. H. & Jessie Gipson 4/27/1938

Atkins, Johnnie A. 3/24/1893 - not dead yet.

Myrtle Wooten, Jan 13, 1897 - 1/12/1962

Apline S. wife of J. E. Townzen, born 7/3/1842 - 6/12/1883

Jammie S. son of J. E. and A. S. Townzen 5/17/1868 - 9/7/1894

T. T. son of T. A. and Mary J. Townsen 9/7/1909 - 5/6/1910 - (notice spelling on
mother's grave is
Townzen)

William Frank Jenne 2/26/1835 - 6/19/1911 - born in Illinois -
thrown from horse in Tucumcari, N.M.

Leone Elizabeth, daughter of F. M. and S. A. Salyers 3/18/1901 - 6/26/1901

Sarah Ellen, wife of W. F. Jenne 3/2/1838 - Oct. 11, 1889 - Born in Ohio,
Married Illinois

Sarah Ellen Torrence Jenne - came to Texas covered wagon about 1871 - died 51 yrs. 7 mo.
9 days ... and has this on her stone: "Best mother rest in quiet sleep.
While friends in sorrow o'er thee weep. The Promise is unto me and to my
children and to them that are afar off."

Baby dau of J. W. and Vilettie Jenne Carman 12/13/1897 - 12/28/1897

Minnie M. dau of J. W. and Vilettie Jenne Carman unreadable - about 1890

John M. Guest 6/11/1907 - 8/15/1911

Rosa T., wife of J. D. Dobbins 3/15/1865 - 3/8/1908

D. A. Harris 12/24/1853 - 8/3/1922

Baby George, son of D. A. and Mollie Harris 4/2/1905 to 3/24/1909

Elizabeth M. daughter of D. A. and M. P. Harris 10/31/1888 - 10/3/1892

Mary Scott 5/10/1891 - age 72 yrs.

J. W. Taggett 9/25/1890 - age 24 yrs.

Baby Pruitt 8/11/1901 - 8/4/1901

T. W. Burrow 10/13/1861 - 1/26/1904

Winnie T. - L. G. and M. E. Barton 7/22/1886 - 4/10/1888

Minnie Kitchens, wife of J. J. H. Wooten 5/6/1880 - 2/8/1959

J. H. Wooten 4/8/1878 - 9/7/1935

James Wooten Born 1826 - died 5/29/1910

Janettie Wooten 6/12/1846 - 3/13/1912

Townzen, Thomas A. 11/9/1874 - 6/25/1944

Townzen, Mary J. 7/29/1869 - 7/15/1965

Acker Cemetery--Go out Breckenridge to Wayland, Texas, which is a town of 11 people now and turn left when you see a very small sign that says "ACKER."

Robert T., son of T. C. and Amma Harrell 8/2/1909 - 6/6/1910

L. F. Hawkins 9/8/1875 - 9/27/1918

Johnnie Lea Langford 11/28/1918 - 7/27/1919

Langford, William H. 1847-1894 - born maybe Ark. father same name -
Morgan Co., Ga. died Ark.

Martha Ann Whitby Langford Oct 23, 1853 - May 8, 1937 born Homer, La.

Bee, son of B. F. and Lou Langford 8/5/1901 - 5/3/1914

S. H. Penix, 10/9/1849 - 2/23/1887

Gordon, son of T. M. and N. L. Smith born 12/14/1879 - 3/23/1888

W. H. Langford 11/14/1847 - 2/23/1894

Mrs. Anna Quiett 6/21/1871 - 3/28/1949 - stone erected by Woodmen of the World

T. J. Quiett 1/17/1832 - 10/22/1905

Abe Quiett 12/15/1857 - 10/22/1905

Floyd, son of Quiett 3/6/1905 - 3/8/1905

Job E. son of Quiett 6/5/1888 - 5/30/1890

Christmas, W. S. 10/6/1846 - 4/16/1916

Woodman of the World erected stone

J. B. Christmas 8/22/1878 - 10/22/1918

Bailey, son of J. C. and F. B. Christmas 12/2/1838 - 11/26/1911

M. A. Ferguson 1/12/1835 - 1/22/1918 (part of Christmas family)

James M. Ferguson 3/15/1828 - 2/6/1911 82 yrs. 10 mo. 21 days (Christmas fam.)

A. B. Errington, 6/13/1844 - 12/19/1907

J. C. Errington 1879 - 1928 (Name used to be Arrington before Texas!)

May Errington age 68, Dec 26 - 19?

Susan H. wife of B. W. Bell 3/8/1866 - 10/13/1906

Ellis Monroe Collins 7/29/1880 - 3/16/1948

Martha Alice Collins, 1/27/1866 - not completed, but grave filled.

Samatha Vick 1/28/1862 - 2/2/1890

Lota J., dau of T. L. & N. E. Scott 5/30/1901 - 12/6/1901

G. A. Dean 7/7/1854 - 3/11/1927 (George Alexander Dean)

Katura (Barber) Dean 3/19/1858 - 10/20/1925

Nina L. dau of E. M. and M. A. Collins 4/6/1905 - 7/17/1906

W. H. Goforth, 11/2/1848 - 4/24/1918

Rebecca wife of W. H. Goforth 3/27/1885 - aged about 28 yrs.

Rebecca, dau of W. H. and E. Goforth, 3/21/1885 - 9/27/1885

Infant of W. H. and Kittie Goforth 9/7/1895

Another Goforth baby 1/23/1899 - 1/30/1899

Kittie wife of W. H. Goforth, July 19, 1870 - 5/20/1900

W. A. son of J. E. and M. J. Nix 11/18/1879 - 3/16/1887

Nix, Mary J. 1845-1919

Joseph E. Nix 1853 - 1933

Mary Barker 12/15/1902 - 10/29/1918

M. M. Barker, 4/10/1898 - 4/30/1898

J. B. Barker 11/3/1896 - 2/20/1897

Baby Barker 11/12/1895 - 11/12/1895

Mother Nettie Dean - dau of Katura Langford Barber (Barker) - 3/24/1877 -
3/15/1910

Lola J. dau of T. L. and N. E. Scott born 3/30/1901 - 1/31/1902

Lota J. dau of T. L. and N. E. Scott 5/30/1901 - 10/6/1901

Father ABB Barker 4/25/1871 - 12/9/1952

Son of J.D. and Ruth Ann (Barker) Ridling 7/8/1924 - died same day.

J. N. Scott, son born 3/25/1867 - 12/22/1985

W. R. Scott 12/4/1869 - 9/5/1899

Thomas Scott 3/20/1835 - 12/2/1902

Eliza J., wife of T. Scott 4/7/1840 - 12/25/1903

John Cooper 2/9/1857 - 12/23/1918

Sara Cooper 10/17/1863 - 12/30/1910

Naomi Story 1/16/1900 - 1/12/1905

Johnnie A. Cooper son of L.F. and J.E. Cooper 10/9/1910 - 1/1/1911

Samantha L. Hagar 1877 - 1952

Arthur L. Hagar 1/17/1875 - 6/10-1942

Samuel T. Hagar 10/8/1834 - 7/9/1897

Alice J. dau of L.C. and M.M.Clevenger 5/29/1896 - 6/6/1896

J. S. Ashmore 11/5/1853 - 4/10/1908

Allen A. Ashmore, Father 7/19/1879 - 10/24/1918

Johnnie Frank, dau of B.F. and V.E. Wood 11/4/1902 - 3/8/1903

J. B. wife of J.M. Tarrant 9/22/1859 - 5/7/1923

(Lona Langford married an A.L.Tarrant)

J. M. Tarrant 6/9/1853 - 5/17/1927
 Allen Ovid Tarrant 9/15/1924 - 12/14/1925
 A. C. Tarrant 2/5/1879 - 11/3/1926
 Collins, Henry W. 11/25/1855 - 12/31/1932
 Susan E. Collins 1/8/1856 - 2/7/1942
 George W. Magill 1/10/1919 age 76 yrs.
 Maupin, John M. Father 11/5/1871 - 8/2/1934
 Theodosia - Mother 5/25/1878 - Dec. 29, 1949
 Galvin M. Maupin 9/3/1904 - 1/26/1918
 Louis Maupin 5/4/1827 - 8/11/1912
 F. J. Maupin 10/28/1847 - 7/10/1924
 S. L. wife of F. J. Maupin 12/8/1851 - Oct. 27, 1925
 Mary E. Frasier 7/15/1876 - 8/9/1961 "Moma's kind deeds & thoughts can
 never die."
 J. S. Frasier 12/31/1866 - 4/28/1932
 Reva E. Frasier, sister 10/26/1906 - 9/7/1953
 Otie E. Stuard 12/12/1949 - A rosebud for the master's boquet
 Mr. Eugene Ira Walker died 6/14/1967 - age 65 yr 3 mo and 7 days.
 (Johnson's funeral home, San Angelo, Tex.)
 B. F. Langford 3/2/1842 - 11/17/1921
 Louisa Jane Langford (Aunt Lou - as she married J. W. Whitby after
 1st husband's death) 6/16/1854 - 2/3/1943
 G. A. Langford (bottom of stone has Lankford) 8/28/1877 - 10/13/1919
 Charley Washington Dooley, Dad 2/12/1876 - 7/6/1943
 S. J. (Josephine Langford), wife of Jessie Dooley 1/10/1842 - 8/6/1919
 J. Hamilton, son of J. J. and Emma Hand 9/4/1911 - 11/16/1911
 Lula Anna Graves 9/26/1897 - 3/20/1963, Mother (kin to Langford family)
 Marion Eugene Graves, father 3/28/1898 - 6/7/1966
 James Lavon Graves 7/12/1923 - 6/5/1940
 Long, Ebelina, wife of J. B. Long 3/17/1854 - 5/12/1930
 Long, James Benjamin, father 12/28/1861 - 4/18/1942

JOHN F. AND MARY ANN HOGG (HAIGOOD) HAYGOOD
 BIBLE RECORDS submitted by Mrs. L. D. Smith
 1708 Pease St., Sweetwater, Texas 79556

BIRTHS:

J. F. Haigood was borned Sept 1 1847
 J. M. Haigood was borned Dec. 29th 1873
 J. I. C. Haigood was borned March 2nd 1876
 Isaac Newton Haigood was borned February 25th 1885
 Charley Benjamin Haygood was borned July 19th 1889
 Homer Myrtle Haygood was borned June 9th 1891
 Dayton Franklin Haygood was borned May 3rd 1894
 Arnold Guy Haygood was borned Dec. 9th 1896

Mary Ann Haigood was borned Mar 21, 1856
 Octava Lenora Haigood was borned July 6th 1878
 Plumer Nora Haigood was borned Dec. 5th, 1880
 Mary Mattie Haigood was borned March 25th 1882
 Minnie Margaret Haigood was borned March 13th 1884
 Girty Caroline Haygood was borned December 5th 1886
 Alma Beatress Haygood was borned December 11th, 1887
 Lillian Edna Haygood was borned May 10th 1893

DEATHS:

Plumer Nora Haigood died December 26th 1881
 Girty Caroline Haygood died July 29th 1887
 Lillian Edna Haygood died July 19th 1893
 Alma Beatress Haygood died Sept 16th 1896
 (Mother) Mary A. Haygood died Jan 21st 1897
 Charles Benjamin Haygood died Oct 1st 1918
 Dayton F. Haygood died Sept 17, 1927
 (Father) John Furman Haygood died Feb. 27, 1938
 J. I. C. Haygood died Sept. 9, 1946
 J. M. Haygood died May 20, 1942

MARRIAGES:

J. F. Haigood and M. A. Hogg was married Nov 12th 1871
 Susan Fe Grimes was married to J. F. Haygood Feb the 7 or 9th 1908
 (date unclear)

John F. Haigood changed the spelling of the name to HAYGOOD. John F. Haygood and wife Mary Ann Hogg and two of their children are buried at Lingleville, Erath Co., Texas. They came to Texas November 15, 1895 and settled near the Frank Hogg family near Lingleville. Frank Hogg was a brother of Mary Ann Hogg Haygood.

Note: Mrs. Smith has a Bible which belonged to Mary Chamberlain and later Jane Corley Wallace. It is difficult to read the handwriting but if someone needs this family she will try and copy it for them.

RANKIN BIBLE RECORD

Submitted by Mrs. L.D. Smith, 1708 Pease St.
Sweetwater, Texas 79556

MARRIAGES

W. F. Reaves and M. J. Guinn was married July the 15, 1852
George R. Rankin and M.A. Reaves married October the 17, 1879
G.R. Rankin and L.V. Baugh was married Sep (or Feb) the 17 1896

BIRTHS

(Children of Rhody E. Cox Rankin Reeves and Alex. Marion Reeves)
Rhody E. Cox was born July 3rd 1841
Alex. M. Reeves was born Jan. 10th 1844
James M. Reeves was born April 11th 1872
Lucy J. Reeves was born October 17th 1874
Green Alex. Reeves was born March 5th 1877
Edwin T. Reeves was born Jan. 18th 1880

George E. Rankin was born December 20, 1859
(Son of Rhody E. Cox Rankin and William Sammy Rankin)

M. A. Rankin was born March 22, 1865
Dau of W. F. Reaves & M. J. Guinn Reaves

Olah A. Rankin was born Sept 2, 1880
William S. Rankin was born June 22, 1882
Maggie L. E. Rankin was born October 25, 1884
James W. Rankin was born January 31, 1887
George T. Rankin was born June the 22, 1889
Roy A. Rankin was born October the 7th, 1897
Maud L. Rankin was born January 9, 1894
Children of G. R. and M. A. Rankin

Laura E. Baugh was bornd Jan. the 15, 1888
George T. Baugh was bornd the 16th of July 1890
William A. Baugh was bornd 26th Oct. 1892
Two more Baugh children are listed but writing is illegible.

DEATHS

William S. Rankin died February 6, 1884
Mary J. Reaves died June 2, 1882
William F. Reaves died Dec 29 188 (?)
M. A. Rankin died May the 27 1894

Notes in connection with the above families: Rhody E. Cox was the wife of William Sammy Rankin. They were the parents of George Robert Rankin. Alex. M. Reeves was her second husband and the children listed are theirs. The Baughs listed were the children of L. V. Baugh by her first marriage. The Rankin, Reaves, Reeves were in Hays Co., Texas in 1870 and some of them were there in 1880. They were in other Texas counties before and after they lived in Hays Co.

NOTICE FROM NATIONAL ARCHIVES

The National Archives is about to begin a large microfilm publication project in which I feel you will be greatly interested--the Revolutionary War pension and bounty-land warrant application files.

As a part of our contribution to the upcoming bicentennial celebration of the Revolutionary War, as a means of making the records more readily available to research and genealogical libraries, universities, and individual researchers, and as a means of preserving an historically valuable group of documents from possible loss and from the deterioration that constant use brings, we plan to begin work on this filming project early in January 1969. Work will, we estimate, extend over a period of about 4 years if there are no unforeseen complications.

Two microfilm publications will result: (1) the complete contents of each file, and (2) documents selected from each file as being the most significant from the genealogist's point of view. The latter publication will be available for purchase at a fraction of the cost of the former. From the shorter publication we also plan to make available paper print-outs of a quality similar to that of the electrostatic copies we now offer for \$1 per file (ordered on GSA Form 6751, formerly NAR-288).

As soon as work begins on the project it will be necessary to discontinue reference service on successive segments of the files while they are being arranged, described and filmed. The files are arranged alphabetically, so we will start with the letter "A" and continue through the alphabet. In order effectively to accomplish the project we will close one whole letter or about half of one whole letter, depending on the number of files involved, at a time. The first few segments will be closed for up to 6 months, although as the project continues we may be able to reduce this period slightly. The minimum period is expected, however, to be at least 90 days. During this closed period none of the files from that segment will be made available to a researcher nor will copies of any document in a file be made.

We realize the hardship this is likely to work on members of your organization, but it is the only way to ensure accurate arrangement and selection of the documents in the files. You and other researchers now and in the years to come will be the gainers from this present inconvenience. Also, as soon as we complete the microfilm copy of an alphabetical segment of the files, we can furnish a descriptive list showing the beginning name and the ending name for the files reproduced on each roll and the cost of each single roll as well as the cost of all rolls listed. Separate roll lists will be prepared for the two microfilm publications as each alphabetical segment is completed.

Thank you for your help and cooperation in passing this information along to members of your organization and to researchers who avail themselves of your research facilities and ours.

Sincerely,

JAMES B. RHOADS
Archivist of the United States

GIFTS TO THE LIBRARY by FWGS Members and Others

- Ewing-McCulloch-Buchanan Genealogy by Marguerite and Vernon Brown
Mrs. Horace Moore
- Records of Holy Family Cemetery, Nazareth, Texas
Mrs. Christopher Berkenfield
- The Stephens Family by Nell Stephens Murphree
Eli B. Packer
- The Burchill Papers including Burchill Family Bible
Log Cabin Village
- One Carter Family by Deane Porch
Virginia Miles
- Huguenot Society of London Publications, Vol XXIII, Register of the French
Church of Threadneedle Street, London
Mrs. Homer Tomlinson
- The Loper Family
Cleveland Loper, Topeka, Kansas
- Grandpa Barton: A Brief Genealogy of the Family of Cloud Thrasher Barton
Mrs. Routh W. Benbow
- Microfilm - Goodspeed's History of Tennessee: East Tennessee His. & Bio. 1887
and
750 Abstracts of Death and Obituary Notices Garnered from the Herald-Tribune
T. Y. Collins
- Payne Family Manuscript - J. Barton Payne, Wheaton, Ill.
Mrs. C. D. Kirkham of Gleburne
- London and Northern Ireland Telephone Directories
and
Guide to Genealogical Records in the National Archives (4 copies)
Mrs. Lillian Campbell
- Family Puzzlers - Sept 1968 issues
Harold Heard, Amarillo
June 27- July 18, 1968
- 1880 Census for Lake County, Ill.
Mrs. Charles L. Sarrazin
- Personal Name Index to the Parish Register of Trinity Episcopal Church
Russell Library, Northwestern State College
Natchitoches, Louisiana
- Lynch Families of the Southern States - Lois Davidson Himes
Mrs. Ione Nolan
- Carolina Charter, North Carolina Documents 1584 - 1868 (Facsimiles)
Mrs. H. W. Welborn
- Williams Family Bulletin
Lyle K. Williams
- and
History of Meadowbrook Methodist Church
- Copies of G. L. Gause Funeral Records, 1888 & 1894
Mrs. George McManus
- The Johnson Family of Isle of Wight County, Virginia & Later of Indiana
by Ellis Johnson
Mrs. Hilda Johnson
- Fountain County, Indiana Marriage Records 1826-39
Mrs. D. A. Mattoon
- Marriage Records, Montgomery County, Texas 1842-1879
and
Index of 1850 Census, Bexar County, Texas
Mrs. R. N. Grammer

EXCERPTS FROM THE AUSTIN DAILY GLOBE

Austin, Travis Co Texas November 1889
 Owner & Publisher S R Whitley Sr

Newspaper Collection University of Texas

Nov 15 H S DOWNEY is a guest at the Driskill Hotel. He is from Galveston.

WILL T HAWKINS is our city editor.

Mrs Beulah Mc CORMICK wife of Mr WILL N WIGGINS fee clerk of the Comptroller's office died at the residence of her parents in Rusk Cherokee Co Texas yesterday. Mrs. Wiggins' funeral was held at the Methodist Church in Rusk at 10:45 this morning. She was twenty years old.

Nov 19 A wreck on the Santa Fe near Gainesville killed Engineer WILLMER and Fireman WIER.

J W GRAHAM is a candidate for School Trustee.

Mr W L BITTING of Sherman, Texas and Miss GEMIC H BITTING of this county were married at Manor.

Marriage licenses were issued for:

JAMES A ROGERS and Miss MARIAN DAVIS
 ROBERT HALL and Miss SARAH JONES EDWARDS (Colored)

Nov 19 NELSON J NAGLE of Nacogdoches, Texas and Miss EULA A CALDWELL were married at the residence of the bride's uncle, Mr W H CALDWELL. Reverent E B CHAPPEL officiated.

Nov 20 Mr RANDLE WHITLEY a relative of the editor, residing in Hays County Texas, is attending court in Austin and stopped by the office to renew old acquaintances.

Nov 21 Mrs. FLORINE HORNSBY wife of J W HORNSBY will be buried in Manor today.

Since many of the Fort Worth Genealogical Society members were in the capital recently, they might find this little comment by the Globe editor amusing.

Nov 12 COWS IN THE CAPITOL GROUNDS

There were several cows roaming around the capitol grounds this morning. It does seem that a sense of common decency would inspire the people of Austin to rise up and demand that cattle be prohibited from running at large in the business portion of the city.

Submitted by Mrs. Routh W. Benbow, from her grandfather's newspaper.

QUERIES

WOOSLEY, BAILEY

Wish to contact descendants of Major James Woosley, born 1811 Christian Co., Ky. Lived in Illinois, Jackson Co., Mo., Caldwell Co., Mo., Crawford Co., Ark. Came to Cass Co., Texas 1863, moved to Hunt Co. 1869. Married about 1830 Patience Bailey, b 1810, Tenn. Five of nine children known: Nathan, b. 1832 Mo., James B., b. 1838 Mo., William, b. ?, Joseph p, Thomas Keesee, b. 1852 Crawford Co. Ark.

Miss Patricia Chadwell, 2966A McCart, Fort Worth, Texas 76110

 UTTERBACK

Wish to locate Utterback Bible. Charles Utterback, b. 1838 at New Baltimore, Va., lived Fauquier Co., Va. in 1867. Moved to Texas, unmarried, bringing Bible handed down from Herman Utterback, the founder.

Mrs. Holger Helene, 216 W. Cheryl Ave., Hurst, Texas 76053

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 McEACHERN

Need information on John McEachern, b. April 1, 1816 in Richmond Co., N.C., moved to Dale Co., Ala. about 1836 where he lived over 20 years. Separated from wife between 1855-60. Reportedly moved to Texas. An older brother, Archibald, b. in 1790's, supposed to have gone before 1850 to San Augustine, Texas. Neither located so far in census records.

S. F. McEachern, 401 Yeend Ave., Chickasaw, Ala. 36611

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 ODOM, McCREARY, WALTERS, WATERS, COX, MATHIS

Seeking information on Benjamin Odom, Senior and Benjamin Odom, Junior (married Jane McCreary in South Car. near Barnwell District) and their offspring. Family later moved to Georgia. No dates mentioned.

Charles J. Rike, Box 287, Farmersville, Texas 75031

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 BORDEN, GRIFFIN

Would like information on the Borden line who came from Ohio to Texas before the War with Mexico. Also on Griffins from Virginia to Tenn. to Miss. and to Texas.

Stella Bv Griffin, 609 West 7th Street, Littlefield, Texas 79339.

REID, LITTLEJOHN, MARTIN, SULLIVAN, MIDDLEBROOK, ELLISTON, GLOVER

Need data on Joseph and Dorothy (Littlejohn) Reid and their 12 daughters. Said to have lived in Sherman, Miss. Children: Nancy Catherine b. 1847 m. David P. Gentry, Josie m. Billy Rowan, Jane m. Rob Prichard, Mattie m. Mark Roberts, Mollie m. Marion Rowan, Millie m. John Chapman, Dora m. Billy Allen, Harriet m. Liash (?) Bowen, Caroline m. Jack Tucker, Cynthia m. Joe Caldwell, Ellen m. Jack Littlejohn and Clearcy m. Thos. King.

Who were the parents of Sarah Ann Martin, b. about 1817, S. C., married Samuel Gentry?

Who were the parents of Joicy Sullivan, m. (1) Wm. T. Cole in 1840 Cooper Co., Mo., m. (2) Mr. Smith? Lived in Pilot Point, Texas, died there 1893?

Need data on Ibsant Middlebrook, wife Jane, and daughter Burnetta Belle who m. (1) Andrew J. Hayhurst who died 1873 and m. (2) Buck Miller and lived in Grayson Co., Texas.

Would like to contact descendants of the children of Martimer Elliston born 1830 in Kentucky. Children (all born in Tarrant Co., Texas) John, Jim, Andrew H., R. M., Kay, Wesley J. and Marguret m. John Shaffer.

Need parents of A. M. (Tobe) Glover b. 1847, d. 1910 Bowie, Texas and Annette E. (Alterman) Glover. Will exchange data.

Leona Gentry Elliston, Rt. 5, Box 16, Coalgate, Okla. 74538

SECRET

I would like to correspond with anyone descended from, interested in, or working on the history of the family of Jacob Secrest and his wife Barbara Sims who came to America from Germany. They were known to be in this country by 1758, settled in a part of Mecklenburg Co., N. C. that is now Union Co. Some of their descendants moved to Williamson Co. Tenn. and spread out from there. Some who settled elsewhere are Abraham, John, Jacob, Charles, William, Francis, Leroy, Jackson, Wiley, Hiram, Matthew, Milas, Thomas. Other family first names are Michael, Andrew, and Isaac. One Isaac Secrest (had 10 daughters) settled at Reno, Texas. Which Reno? One is in eastern Lamar Co. and another is in northeast Parker Co.

Mrs. Dewey Helms, Route 5, Box 152, Monroe, North Carolina 28110

MARSHALL

When did Charley or Charles Marshall die? He was killed in a cave-in while digging or laying sewer lines in Fort Worth between 1885 and 1905. He was eldest son of Gilbert Marshall who died in California and had brothers Frank (youngest son) who disappeared, Hank and Thad who went west and were massacred by Indians according to reports, and a sister Ida who married James A. McManus. Family lived in Wheeler Co., Texas and Davis, Okla. Did Charley Marshall leave a family?

Mrs. Ben H. Helms, Route 2, Tecumseh, Oklahoma 74873

HUGHES

My grandfather, John Harvey Hughes, April 17, 1860-June 25, 1926, had half-brother Henry and half-sister who married a Boney in Strawn, Texas. John Harvey Hughes born Bell County, Bastrop, Texas and died in Dalhart, Texas. Need information. (Bastrop is not in Bell Co. but is in Bastrop County. Query printed as submitted.)

Adelle Whitby Olney, 2325 Blake Street, San Bernardino, California

POND

James Pond and wife Mahalia resided in McKinney, Texas about 1880-1900. Would like inscriptions from their headstones in McKinney cemetery.

C. G. Pond, Jr., 128 Harding Place, Utica, N. Y. 13501

SMITH, LAWRENCE, FRIAR, McGARY, ASHMORE, ANDERSON, TOMPKINS, WOODARD

Will be glad to exchange information on the following: William Berry Smith and Joseph Lawrence from North Carolina to Texas by 1834; D. B. Friar and Bridgett McGary, probably from Milledgeville, Ga. to Texas by 1828; Mary Ann Ashmore in South Carolina about 1820; Charles Anderson, Mary J. Anderson and James Jackson Tompkins in Jefferson Co., Ga. about 1830; Jacob Woodward in Lavaca Co., Texas about 1845.

E. F. Smith, Box 313, Floresville, Texas 78114

HOOD

Seeking name of wife of Allen Hood, Revolutionary soldier. Lived Lancaster, South Carolina, then moved to Georgia during 1820's. Had son named James Dunlap Hood.

John J. Hood, 440 W. Oak Street, Lawrenceville, Georgia 30245

BATEMAN

Simeon Bateman was one of Green De Witt's original colonists and was given his first land in 1831. He was one of a group known as the "Old Eighteen" who, in 1835, comprised the first company mustered to prevent the Mexicans from moving the cannon from Gonzales. Need information on Simeon Bateman and "Old Eighteen."

Mrs. Alan Stallings, 306 S. St. Joseph, Morrilton, Arkansas 72110

BATE 1835

How can I prove, or disprove, that these people are the same family?
 (a) Henry Bate 49, wife Mary 34, Betsy Bate 5, Henry Bate 2 on ship
 Plutarch landing in New York City from Liverpool, 1826. (b) Henry Bate
 of Trumbull Co., Ohio in 1835 with wife Mary and children Elizabeth
 and Henry. (c) Bate family of Kentucky probably between 1835 and 1848,
 where? (d) Henry Bate married Malinda Case 1846, Lewis Co., Missouri
 and died in Livingston Co. Mo. Dec. 1860, leaving children: Wm. H.
 born 1848, John L 1849, Mary Ellen 1855, George W. 1857, Louisa 1858.

W. N. Bate, Route 3, Box 457-H, Corpus Christi, Texas 78415

PEARSON, WALKER, DEALS, NOBLE, VARNER, DUNKLIN, CRUMLEY, FOWLER, EASTMAN

Need parents of Temperance Walker, married 1842 Hilary J. Pearson born
 1815, Wilson Co., N.C. died Miss. 1867 or later, son of Barney Pearson
 and Lydia Dean.

Maiden name of mother of William Walter Deals, born 1854, Boone, N. C.

Birth date of Helen Noble and her father, Jim Noble. Also parents of
 Jim Noble. Lived at Rosebud, Texas, moved to Colorado.

Parents and place of birth of Marsella Ann Varner, married 1867 James
 Madison Pearson. Marsella Ann died 1930 near Rosebud, Texas.

Data on wives of Richard Vernon Dunklin who died in Dallas 1958. Wives:
 (1) 1927 Lucile Swadley (2) Joan Yake (or Zake).

Parents, place and date of birth of James A. Crumley. Married 1902?
 1942? 1962? (Writing not clear)

Whereabouts of Henry Jefferson Fowler, Jr.

Parents and place of birth of Piety Eastman. Husband was Barney Pear-
 son Jr. born North Carolina about 1822.

Miss Electra Pearson, Box 542, Ranger, Texas 76470

Some Family Trees produce lemons.

Aren't you glad to say yours wasn't one of them. . .

Yours only produced a few nuts!

BRAZORIA COUNTY, TEXAS MARRIAGE LICENSES 1846-1852

Copied by Mrs J H Grupe
315 North First Street
Alvin, Texas 77511

1 Jan 1846	Elsey Harrison	Martha Biddle
5 Jan 1846	Thomas McGreal	Emily Stubblefield
6 Jan 1846	John M Winburn	Ann R Kennedy
3 Feb 1846	James C Wilson	Amelia Weakley
17 Feb 1846	Joseph Murtin	Mrs Elizabeth Choiser
25 Feb 1846	O K Clinton	Mary Ann Smelser
16 Mar 1846	John McCullough	Lorena W Sayre
4 May 1846	W B Bays	Mrs Mary Chase
2 June 1846	Augustus Pharr	Amelia B Rector
6 June 1846	Arche Hodge	Mrs Sarah Holt
9 June 1846	Charles P Flack	Elizabeth W Hendrick
2 July 1846	M B Williamson	Isabell Barclay
22 July 1846	Harvey N Little	Mary Scobey
9 Aug 1846	Robert M Aycock	Mary H Reynolds
7 Sept 1846	Jordan W Sweeny	Mary G Tinsley
16 Sept 1846	E S Jackson	Frances F Maner
16 Sept 1846	Lumbert Mims	Henrietta J Norris
1 Dec 1846	Samuel L S Ballowe	Mary Ann Hall
21 Dec 1846	Francis M Jackson	Sytha Scobey
24 Dec 1846	Jarvis Dockell	Susannah McGreal
29 Dec 1846	William M Brown	Mrs Dulcinea E V Horton
7 Feb 1847	William Sims Hall	Sarah Abigail Rowley
11 Mar 1847	Thomas A Armstrong	Mary Eliza Peck
22 Mar 1847	Stephen Ambrose	Sophia Herrman
29 Mar 1847	James M Wesson	Frances A Hoskins
17 May 1847	William Grobe	Rebecca Vogt
18 May 1847	James P Moffitt	Mrs Cynthia H Roberts
14 June 1847	James Hanson	Minerva J Hinds
13 July 1847	Alpheus Rice	Rhozetta Dearst
20 July 1847	Lewis Rodolph August Wiggers de Biegon Czadnoshowsky	Mrs Leah Ann Gault
2 Aug 1847	Thaddius C Bell	Elizabeth Cayce
12 Dec 1847	Stephen M Westervelt	Martha Stewart
10 Jan 1848	Livi Pitts	Mrs Lucretia Williams
24 Jan 1848	John Florence	Lucinda Bailey
26 Feb 1848	John L Hudgins	Caroline Grissett
26 Sept 1848	Swem Burgstrom	Eva Triacca
28 Sept 1848	James T Mathiew	Eliza Ann Lyons
7 Oct 1848	Frederick Yeager	Elizabeth Woodchuck
26 Dec 1848	Abner Harris	Mrs Laura (Lorinda) Smith
29 Dec 1848	Johann Nicolas Pelti- zer	Gertraud Schmidt
12 Jan 1849	William A Hays	Alzena Hays
22 Jan 1849	Andrew W Scobey	Rebecca Little
29 Jan 1849	John Kaeiser	Jane Davis
17 Feb 1849	Sam W Hardeman	Sally A Hardeman

27 Feb	1849	Samuel A Towsey	Elizabeth H Hall
8 Mar	1849	Elias T Pilant	Mary M Collins
23 May	1849	D M Dabney	Bridget Mahoney
8 Aug	1849	Harvey N Little	Eliza Adkins
5 Nov	1849	Hal G Runnels	Stella Lewis
9 Nov	1849	George W Whitehead	Josephine Harrison
2 Feb	1850	Mordello S Munson	Sarah Armour
5 Feb	1850	Alexander Moore	Sophia Wilhelmina Garlip
18 Apr	1850	William P Ballinger	Harriett P Jack
10 May	1850	Nicholas Dowling	Elizabeth McFadden
17 June	1850	Joseph Hughes	Sarah Jane Wakefield (no return)
6 Aug	1850	Samuel H Page	Ellen Uzzell
4 Dec	1850	E Bradford Pickett	Virginia O Bell
3 Jan	1851	George Cox	Elmira Hays
14 Jan	1851	John McGrew	Mrs Sophia N Homes
1 Mar	1851	Thomas C Nelson	Julia H Hall
4 June	1851	John R Cowan	Margaret E Rolles
28 July	1851	Henry Smith	Margaret Jane West
28 July	1851	Gaines Smith	Susan West
4 Aug	1851	R B Ker	Helena Hussgin
9 Oct	1851	William A Massen	Susan Sweariger
1 Dec	1851	John H Hoskins	Mary R Holt
3 Dec	1851	John W Brooks	Harriet E Gautier
8 Dec	1851	Harvey J B Cash	Sophronia Ann Reynolds
24 Dec	1851	Michael Dienhardt	Susan C Pilant
1 Jan	1852	Edward S Jones	Lucinda Trussett
18 Feb	1852	Samuel P Sweeny	Agnes Ann Dial
22 Feb	1852	Henry Groby	Johanna Startz
10 Apr	1852	W C C Lynch	Parthenia Culberson
19 Apr	1852	Phillip A Davenport	Catherine W S Hiller
12 May	1852	William J Cannan	Mrs Permelia R Wilcox
25 May	1852	John M Prewitt	Laura Grolee
15 June	1852	S P Gooden	Elizabeth Smith
20 Oct	1852	Alexander Follett	Miss Hall
22 Oct	1852	J Corker	Elizabeth A Maner
9 Nov	1852	J B Shannon	Charlot Follett

ATTENTION TARRANT FAMILY RESEARCHERS!!

Tarrant County was created from Navarro County in 1849, organized in 1850, and named for General Edward H. Tarrant,* a Texas Ranger and Indian fighter, whose victory helped open this area to settlers. The Fort Worth Genealogical Society plans to do a special research article on the family genealogy of Edward H. Tarrant. We have received some material (court records) and are seeking additional information or comments. Unfortunately, there has been little printed about General Tarrant, and much of that has been inaccurate. If you have any material on this line, or on a collateral line, the Society would appreciate contributions from our readers. Please send your material to Mrs. Stanley C. Smith FWGS, Box 864, Fort Worth, Texas, 76101.

*DOES ANYONE KNOW WHAT THE "H" STANDS FOR?

ABSTRACT OF LAND TITLES
Tarrant County, Texas
to 21 August 1877

(continued from February 1969, page 10)

Under the column entitled Quantity the amount is in acres unless otherwise specified. Other denominations are in labors, leagues and square varas. All fractional acres have been omitted from the Quantity as shown here, in order to conserve space. The following abbreviations will be used in that column:

labor - la square varas - sv
league - le million(s) - m

ABSTR NO	ORIGINAL GRANTEE	PATENTEE	QUANTITY	CLASS	DATE PAT
1031	Mann, James M	Wm James	320	third	1857
1032	Martin, John B B	Same	320	third	1860
1033	McCanns, Thomas	Jas M Patterson	320	third	1856
1034	Minter, Green W	Same	320	third	1854
1035	do	do	do	do	1854
1036	Morris, Richard	Same	do	do	1854
1037	Medlin, Hall	Francis Jordan	do	do	1854
1038	do	do	do	do	1854
1039	McCommas, John C	Prosper Horton	do	do	1855
1040	McCommas, John	John H. Cole	160	do	1855
1041	Mask, Wm	Heirs of same	640	do	1854
1042	McDaniel, Aaron	John B Robinson	320	do	1854
1043	Medlin, Owen	Matthew A Brinson	640	do	1856
1044	Medlin, Rachael	Heirs of same	do	do	1856
1045	Mullekin, Felix G	Heirs of same	do	do	1854
1046	Manning, Delilah C	A G Walker	320	do	1855
1047	McCommas, John C	B F Andrews	do	do	1855
1048	Masters, Wm	Wade H Witt	160	do	1855
1049	Mahan, Thomas	Same	320	do	1855
1050	do	do	do	do	1859
1051	Matthews, James	Same	do	do	1854
1052	Matthews, Wm G	Same	do	do	1855
1053	Morris, Wm H	A G Walker	do	do	1854
1054	Morgan, Robert P	Same	do	do	1869
1055	Martin, Tandy K	Heirs of same	640	do	1872
1056	McLemore, Atkin	Same	do	do	1857
1057	Moore, Simeon	Same	do	do	1860
1058	McClure, Chancy H	Same	320	do	1857
1059	Milby, Wm P	Same	640	do	1856
1060	Millsop, James M	Same	78	do	1859
1061	McVane, Daniel	Same	160	do	1859
1062	McNutt, H A	Same	do	do	1861
1063	McDermont, Jos B	Same	480	do	1860
1064	do	Same	160	do	1860
1065	McElroy, Marian	Charles Gilden	do	do	1861

1066	McElroy, Jas R	Same	160	Third	1861
1067	McNutt, Wm	Same	do	do	1859
1068	Martin, Wm H	Same	do	do	1859
1069	Moody, Thos O	Same	121	do	1860
1070	do	Same	201	do	1868
1071	McElroy, Green W	Same	160	do	1861
1072	Murry, John	Same	do	do	1860
1073	McCoy, Henson	Same	do	do	1862
1074	Mayhall, Timothy	Same	do	do	1859
1075	Mingus, Ephraim R	Geo W Kees	do	do	1859
1076	McFaddin, Wm	Same	do	do	1859
1077	McLain, L L	Allen Chaistian	320	do	1859
1078	Matthews, Geo	Heirs of same	640	Third	1861
1079	McCarty, D F	Jas M Crofferd	do	do	1859
1080	Matson, James	Merrill Jasper	320	do	1860
1081	Meredith, Elijah	Heirs of same	do	do	1877
1082	Mulinghaus, D	Same	160	do	1859
1083	Minter, Green W	Same	do	do	1864
1084	Medlin, Chas	Same	640	do	1854
1085	Moss, Hewlett P	James N Smith	320	do	1856
1086	Mills, Wm	Same	160	do	1860
1087	McHorse, John	Paul Isbell	93	Bounty	1871
1088	do	Gideon Nance	20	do	1873
1089	do		187	do	-
1090	McCloud, Geo	Cotlett, Tombs and Crawford	320	do	1855
1091	Moore, James	Same	do	do	1860
1092	Morgan, Wm J	M J Loveless	do	do	1859
1093	Moore, Lewis	Same	do	Donation	1863
1094	Main, Geo W	Same	63	Bounty	1874
1095	do	Same	23	do	1874
1096	do	Same	63	do	1874
1097	do	Same	49	do	1875
1098	do	Same	24	do	1875
1099	do	Same	16	do	1875
1100	do	Same	25	do	1875
1101	McHorse, John	G R Isbell	19	do	1875
1102	Musselman, Robert	Same	1920	do	1873
1103	McKinney & Williams	Charles M Pierce	160	Scrip	1862
1104	McCoy, Robert	Robert McCoy	100	do	1874
1105	Moore, Milton	Same	160	do	1863
1106	McDonald, James G	Same	do	do	1873
1107	Mann, T W	Same	96	do	1874
1108	McDaniel, Susan	Same	160	do	1864
1109	M E P & P RR Co	Z B Tyler	320	do	1875
1110	do	do	do	do	1875
1111	do	E L Dohoney	640	do	1874
1112	McKinney & Williams	A S & W B Hall	43	do	1861
1113	do	James M Rodgers	277	do	1861
1114	Mingus, E R	Same	160	do	1862
1115	Manfort, Wm H	Same	do	do	1863
1116	McKinney & Williams	John T Gilleland	320	do	1861
1117	do	M D Garlington	292	do	1875
1118	do	do	160	do	1875

1119	McKinney & Williams	M D Garlington	187	Scrip	1875
1120	M E P & P RR Co	J P Smith	53	do	1877
1121	do	do	40	do	1877
1122	do	-	37	do	-
1123	do	J P Smith	29	do	1877
1124	do	-	582	do	-
1125	do	Same	58	do	1876
1126	do	S H Morgan	577	do	1876
1127	do	Wm M Campbell	461	do	1874
1128	do	do	178	do	1874
1129	do	Joseph W Carroll	640	do	1861
1130	do	John H Fowler	do	do	1861
1131	do	Joseph Hoy	do	do	1861
1132	do	John H Fowler	do	do	1861
1133	Martin, James B	Heirs W G Huffman	160	do	1868
1134	do	Wm G Huffman	do	do	1868
1135	M E P & P RR Co	Simpson H Morgan	122	do	1861
1136	do	Travis G Wright	640	do	1861
1137	do	Ann E Ives	do	do	1874
1138	do	-	do	do	-
1139	do	-	290	do	-
1140	do	James C Moore	343	do	1876
1141	do	do	476	do	1876
1142	do	-	640	do	-
1143	do	Simpson H Morgan	117	do	1876
1144	do	Wm Bramlette	320	do	1877
1145	McDaniel, E	-	160	Sch'l land	-
1146	McBride, W C	Adam Harmon	160	do	1876
1147	McMurry, W N	Same	78	Pre-empt	1874
1148	McEuin, Robert	-	50	do	-
1149	McGee, J C	-	160	do	-
1150	Moses, David	Same	do	do	1873
1151	McNutt, James A	Same	do	do	1875
1152	Morrow, Robert	Same	do	do	1875
1153	Martin, John	Same	160	Pre-empt	1874
1154	McEwing, R H	W W Green	do	do	1874
1155	Martin, H H	-	do	do	-
1156	Moore, Josiah A	Same	43	do	1874
1157	Muhlinghouse, J M	Same	160	do	1876
1158	Montgomery, R C	-	do	do	-
1159	Neill, Samuel C	Ira Ellis	8 m sv	First	1858
1160	Neice, Ireneous	Same	160	Third	1859
1161	Newton, Anderson	M T Johnson	640	Third	1854
1162	Neace, Ireneous	Same	do	do	1855
1163	Newton, John L	M T Johnson	320	do	1856
1164	Newton, Thos D	Same	do	do	1855
1165	Norris, Wm	Same	do	do	1854
1166	do	do	do	do	1854
1167	Norton, Daniel E	Wiley W Potts	240	do	1857
1168	do	do	80	do	1857
1169	Newton, Jas R	Same	160	do	1855
1170	do	do	do	do	1855
1171	Needham, Samuel	Same	640	do	1856
1172	Nichols, Wm	Same	160	do	1859

1173	Nugent, John	Same	160	Third	1859
1174	Norton, D E	Same	320	do	1874
1175	Nicholas, Phillip	Franklin Wilcox	12	Bounty	1859
1176	Newton, J J	Same	160	Pre-empt	1874
1177	Newton, James S	Same	do	do	1875
1178	Neely, W S	Same	80	Pre-empt	1876
1179	Neely, E D	-	160	do	-
1180	Neely, James	-	do	do	-
1181	Nethery, J F	-	do	do	-
1182	Newton, W C	-	134	do	-
1183	Newman, C E	-	160	do	-
1184	Odum, David	Same	2/3 le 1 la	First	1860
1185	Overton, Green- berry	Matthew Cart- wright	23m sv	First	1857
1186	O'Daniel, Josiah	Heirs of same	426	Second	1864
1187	Ozee, Michael	Same	130	Third	1873
1188	Orrick, Wm J	-	190	do	-
1189	Odell, James B	Heirs H N Carrall	160	do	1875
1190	O'Neal, Wm	Same	640	do	1854
1191	Overton, Jesse	Same	270	do	1856
1192	Oldham, Napoleon	Napoleon B Oldham	160	do	1860
1193	Owen, Wm E	James Storms	do	do	1860
1194	Owen, J C	Joel M Simpson	do	do	1859
1195	O'Briant, Caleb P	Same	320	do	1877
1196	Odell, Henry	H G Runnels	do	Bounty	1846
1197	O'Bannon, Jenn- ing	Thomas Gibbs	640	Donation	1855
1198	Oldham, Leigh	Same	114	Scrip	1863
1199	Oldham, Lee	Same	160	do	1863
1200	Oldham, James W	-	do	Pre-empt	-
1201	Oxford, James W	Same	do	do	1876
1202	Pate, Peterson	Heirs Peterson Pate	5m sv	First	1873
1203	Pate, Peterson	Heirs Peterson Pate	780,080 sv	do	1873
1204	do	do	1m sv	do	-
1205	do	do	do	do	-
1206	Price, Reis D	Felix Gorman	903,954 sv	do	1860
1207	do	do	3m sv	do	1860
1208	Pinckney, John C	Same	265,320 sv	do	1863
1209	Peck, Thomas	Same	640	Second	1860
1210	do	do	do	do	1860
1211	Payne, Wm K	Daniel Starr	160	Third	1863
1212	Pryer, George W	W K Hudson	do	do	1860
1213	Prince, Thompson M	Same	do	do	1859
1214	Power, G H	Same	104	do	1873
1215	Perkins, Emza	Same	160	do	1871
1216	Perkins, L F	L T Perkins	do	do	1871
1217	Perkins, Smith T	A K Middleton	do	do	1872
1218	Perkins, Thomas	Same	do	do	1873
1219	Pendleton, M	Same	do	do	1874
1220	Peters, Andrew	E M and O S Heath	35	do	1871
1221	Prewitt, Warren	A H Montgomery	186	do	1873

1222	Parris, E P	Jeremiah Ashberry	353	Third	1859
1223	do	do	288	do	1859
1224	Phipps, Charles	Jasper Marchbanks	160	do	1859
1225	Prickett, Jacob	Same	320	do	1857
1226	Perry, Franklin S	Same	do	do	1858
1227	Parker, Joseph R	Same	do	do	1856
1228	Purvis, J L	M T Johnson	do	do	1858
1229	Proctor, Nathan	Heirs of same	160	do	1861
1230	do	do	do	do	1872
1231	Pope, P H	Same	do	do	1860
1232	Phillips, Jas E	James E Phillips	do	do	1864
1233	Pace, Joel	Same	320	do	1860
1234	Petitt, Sarah	Same	do	do	1859
1235	Petitt, G M	Same	do	do	1859
1236	Pryor, James M	E L Snider	160	do	1860
1237	Pryor, Seth	Same	do	do	1862
1238	Pickett, John M	Same	do	do	1859
1239	Power, Isaac	Same	do	do	1859
1240	Price, Wm C	Same	640	do	1849
1241	Popplewell, Simcoe	Same	320	do	1854
1242	Perry, Daniel	H G Cotlett	640	Donation	1854
1243	Pool, Beverly	John Click	236	Bounty	1860
1244	do	do	84	do	1860
1245	Pace, Dempsey C	Same	640	Donation	1873
1246	Pea, Wm H	W Robertson	96	Bounty	1872
1247	Puckett, W D	Same	44	Scrip	1871
1248	Paison, Thomas J	Same	160	do	1862
1249	Penfold, James	Same	do	do	1863
1250	Putnam, Chas H	Same	do	Pre-empt	1877
1251	Parker, G W	Same	do	do	1873
1252	Patterson, W S	-	do	do	-
1253	Pierce, Joseph	Same	do	do	1876
1254	Pace, B F	Dennis Burns	do	do	1876
1255	Paden, R J	Same	do	do	1876
1256	Pendleton, J B	-	do	do	-
1257	Quinn, James O.	Hendricks & Smith	480	Third	1873
1258	do	do	160	do	1875
1259	Robertson, Henry	Amos Morrill	11m sv	First	1872
1260	Renfro, Jesse B	Lee Morris	1m sv	do	1870
1261	do	do	774,250 sv	do	1870
1262	Roberts, A S	Franklin Richards	6m sv	do	1860
1263	Rendon, Joaquia	Cotlett, Tombs and Crawford	17m sv	do	1855
1264	Rogers, James	B J Chambers	4m sv	do	1855
1265	do	Edward Wilburn	do	do	1858
1266	Richardson, Stephen	E Prince and S W Blount	1/4 le	do	1860
1267	Rockerford, Margaret	Thomas B Huling	1/3 le	do	1855
1268	Rightly, James	Same	8m sv	do	1877
1269	Robertson, Arthur	-	1m sv	do	-
1270	do	-	618,430 sv	do	-
1271	do	-	559,020 sv	do	-

1272	Robertson, Arthur	-	1m sv	First	-
1273	Renfro, Jesse B	Lee Morris	2m sv	do	1862
1274	Robinson, Wm	Same	1/3 le	do	1876
1275	Roberts, Nancy A	D C Henderson	480	Third	1857
1276	do	do	160	do	1858
1277	Rickals, John	Same	do	do	1859
1278	Russell, John	Same	131	do	1859
1279	Russell, Andrew J	Same	160	do	1859
1280	Russell, Pleasant M	Same	do	do	1859
1281	Robinson, Wm H	Same	do	do	1862
1282	Robbins, Wm J	-	87	do	-
1283	Richey, A C	Same	160	do	1874
1284	Riddle, W N	Same	do	do	1871
1285	Rose, Conzada	Heirs Conzada Rose	do	do	1871
1286	Ringer, John	Heirs John Ringer	104	do	1873
1287	do	do	99	do	1873
1288	Rogan, Geo W	Same	320	do	1854
1289	Robinson, Archi- bald	Same	160	do	1856
1290	Ray, Robert	Same	320	do	1854
1291	Robinson, Wm M	Bartlett Boydston	do	do	1859
1292	Rogers, Elijah	G P Farmer	do	do	1855
1293	Reeves, Robert O	Same	do	do	1860
1294	Rowland, Jud	Wm Murray	319	do	1860
1295	Richetts, Wm S	Wm Hunter	301	do	1857
1296	do	do	19	do	1857
1297	Richards, Frank- lin	J P Dumas and E M Jones	320	do	1856
1298	Ray, Wm	Oren Fox	do	do	1854
1299	Rogers, Elijah	Same	do	do	1854
1300	Roberts, John	Same	do	do	1854
1301	Robinson, Archi- bald	M T Johnson	do	do	1856
1302	Redding, James F	Heirs James F Redd	280	do	1860
1303	Reeder, Wm R	Heirs of same	320	do	1856
1304	Redding, James F	Heirs of same	40	do	1856
1305	Roberts, J J	Same	320	do	1856
1306	Roberts, Isaac	Same	do	do	1874
1307	Ray, Grievous	Grievous Ray	640	do	1845
1308	Reese, John J	Same	320	do	1854
1309	Robinson, Thomas	Cotlett, Tombs and Crawford	640	do	1858
1310	Robinson, Wm M	Same	do	do	1859
1311	Randal, Leonard	Same	do	do	1857
1312	Rodgers, James	Same	160	do	1873
1313	Roland, Ezekiel	James P Dumas	320	do	1860
1314	Reed, I N	I N Reed	160	do	1859
1315	Robinson, Horace	Same	do	do	1859
1316	Reynolds, Syl- vester S	Same	do	do	1859
1317	Robertson, John	L H Stephens	320	do	1859
1318	Reynolds, A W	Same	160	do	1859
1319	Rhoades, Abner	Same	do	do	1863

1320	Russell, Wm M	Joel M Sanson	160	Third	1860
1321	Rape, James	Same	do	do	1860
1322	Ragland, Thomas J	Same	320	do	1857
1323	Russell, David	Stephen B Russell	do	do	1857
1324	Russell, Henry	Same	do	do	1857
1325	Reasoner, James	J S & J A Handley	do	do	1859
1326	Rhodes, Sarah	Same	160	do	1859
1327	Richey, Robert C	Same	do	do	1859
1328	Russell, Jesse	Same	do	do	1859
1329	Riddle, Hiram	Same	do	do	1859
1330	Ratcliffe, Gabriel	Same	do	do	1859
1331	Rowland, Jud	Same	do	do	1859
1332	Rowland, John S	-	27	do	-
1333	do	-	11	do	-
1334	Roy, John C	Same	160	do	1871
1335	Rowles, Richard	-	do	Bounty	-
1336	Rainey, Lawrence	Same	181	Donation	1870
1337	Robinson, James M	Heirs of same	245	Bounty	1871
1338	Rouch, Peter	H B McCarty	15	do	1874
1339	do	Henricks & Smith	115	do	1874
1340	do	do	56	do	1874
1341	Raney, Robert R	Same	1280	do	1857
1342	do	Same	640	do	1857
1343	do	Heirs same	do	Donation	1861
1344	Robinson, James M	Heirs of same	276	Bounty	1863
1345	do	do	142	do	1863
1346	do	do	296	do	1863
1347	Ringer, John	-	103	do	-
1348	Redfield, Wm	Same	320	do	1861
1349	Ross, John M	Same	640	Scrip	1860
1350	Robinson, John B	Same	238	do	1861
1351	Reed, Joseph C	Same	51	do	1863
1352	Richardson, E R	Same	150	do	1864
1353	Ray, W N	Same	160	do	1863
1354	Rowland, Jud	Same	19	do	1863
1355	do	do	160	do	1863
1356	Riely, Jonathon	Same	do	do	1863
1357	Rogers, T F	Robert Gillis	do	do	1863
1358	Richey, R C	Same	31	do	1864
1359	do	do	13	do	1864
1360	Russell, Stephen B	Same	160	do	1863
1361	Russell, Jesse	Same	do	do	1863
1362	Reed, Josiah N	Same	do	do	1863
1363	Rodgers, T F	Same	do	do	1863
1364	Rowland, Jud	Same	do	Sch'l Land	1877
1365	Rumfield, Oziah	O Rumfield	72	Pre-empt	1877
1366	Raswell, S B	-	153	do	-
1367	Rhodes, W A	-	160	do	-
1368	Robbins, James R	Same	do	do	1874
1369	Rechy, T A	-	80	do	-
1370	Roddy, Martin	Same	160	do	1875
1371	Radcliffe, James	-	do	do	-
1372	Rice, Lafayette	-	80	do	-
1373	Roberts, Tuck	-	53	do	-

1374	Richerson, B F	Same	160	Pre-empt	1877
1375	Shelby County School land	School Commissioners Shelby County	2	1e	First 1860
1376	Strickland, David	Same	17m	sv	do 1856
1377	Spillman, James	Same	1	la	do 1856
1378	Stanley, Green B	Z C Johnson	5m	sv	First 1868
1379	do	do	1m	sv	do 1868
1380	do	do	880,678	sv	do 1868
1381	Steele, John	Z T Fulmore	1m	sv	do 1877
1382	Smith, James	Same	183,350	sv	do 1875
1383	do	do	707,230	sv	do 1875
1384	Samora, Bernadino	Tombs, Cotlett and Crawford	1106	Second	1859
1385	Samora, Yriner	Tombs, Cotlett and Crawford	1280	do	1859
1386	Sharp, James	Heirs of same	640	do	1856
1387	Sansom, John W	Francis Jordan	320	do	1858
1388	Shields, James	Heirs of same	do	do	1860
1389	Samora, Bernadino	Tombs, Cotlett and Crawford	160	do	1872
1390	Shaklu, Joseph W	Same	do	Third	1863
1391	Sanders, Sarah T	-	do	do	-
1392	Smith, W W	-	do	do	-
1393	Shepherd, W D	Heirs of same	150	do	1870
1394	do	do	143	do	1870
1395	Spencer, Rachael	Same	160	do	1873
1396	Stallions, Abra- ham	Heirs of same	320	do	1871
1397	Shuma, Isaac	Same	do	do	1873
1398	Schoeverling, Fr W	Spence and McGill	do	do	1873
1399	Sprouce, Thomas	Thomas Spronce	318	do	1857
1400	Stone, Wm	Same	320	do	1859
1401	Stone, Green B	Same	do	do	1859
1402	Shields, George	Lemuel J Edwards	do	do	1854
1403	Schoonover, Isaac	George Epler	do	do	1857
1404	Screech, Jos, dec'd	Heirs of same	do	do	1856
1405	Schoonover, Peter	James Ventioner, Jr	do	do	1855
1406	Smith, John Wesley	Same	do	do	1858
1407	Sowell, Peter	Same	do	do	1858
1408	Strickland, David C	Heirs of same	do	do	1860
1409	Sublett, J W	R C Slaughter	do	do	1857
1410	Syrus, George	Foster W Dunaway	160	do	1856
1411	Shacklett, Wm	Heirs of same	320	do	1856
1412	Smith, J M B	J P Dumas and E M Jones	640	do	1858
1413	Stinson, Alfred	J P Dumas and E M Jones	320	do	1856
1414	Suggs, Henry	Charles T Karnes	do	do	1854
1415	do	Henry Suggs	do	do	1854
1416	Screech, Wm	Same	do	do	1857
1417	Smith, Samuel K	Same	308	do	1854

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One of the first Civil War companies to be organized in Tarrant County was that of Captain R. M. Gano of Grapevine. There are two muster rolls for this group before the reorganization which was authorized by the Legislature of the State of Texas, at which time this group became known as Gano's Squadron, Texas Cavalry. Remnants of the first group later served in Alexander's Regiment, 34th Texas Cavalry.

The following names were copied from the original muster rolls on file at the Texas State Library and Archives, Austin, Texas.

STATE OF TEXAS()

TARRANT COUNTY() This day personally appeared before me R. M. Gano Captain of the Grapevine Volunteers who being duly sworn says that his company was organized in Tarrant County with the law of 1858 and belongs to the arm of service known as Mounted Infantry or Rangers and that it consists at this date of the following members Officers and privates viz:

R M Gano	Captain
T Greenup	1st Lieut
T G Berry	2d Lieut
A J Halford	2d Lieut
C L Owen	1st Sergeant
C Baker	2d "
John Gay	3d "
William Harris	4th "
I J Curry	1st Corporal
George Hope	2d "
Barney Johnson	3d "
Walter Jones	4th "

Privates

William Allison	James Cates	S B Dyer
J M Archy	P H D Clower	F M Dyer
G Ayers	John Cummins	S H Irion
*W R Allen	T H Cox	J S Estell
J A Burgoon	J Cooper	A Eckhard
G Burgoon	F M Clark	*J L Foster
P Bradbury	J L Chivers	Owen Foster
*J S Bird	W H Clanton	*Jarrett Foster
R A Brocchus	I P S Dunn	P C Greenup
R Crews	*A J Dunn	Wm Greenup
D H Cates	R L Dean	Wm Giddens

S W Granbury	M F Leatherman	R B Russell
Abner Hope	J L Morehead	*J J Rogers
J P Hudgins	J M Millard	G Rogers
P D Hudgins	Wm Martin	David Rogers
B F Hudgins	P L Martin	Reuben Rogers
J D Harding	W McCulloch	Clark Riley
G J Hurly	J Morgan	W C Shoffner
John Hall	B M Miller	J H Simmins
R Herrington	P J Medlin	G G Starr
H Hughes	L Newton	John Starr
J Hughes	T Nash	Wm Starr
R R Hunt	W Nash	J W Smart
L A Jones	John Owens	J B Somers
T S Jones	Henry Owens	Henry Thomas
A Jordan	L H Pennington	James Thomas
E F Jackson	Joel Philips	J S Tompkins
J A Kere	*A M Quayle	J Teel
T J Lester	E P Richardson	M M Troupe
*J E Lindsay	E R Richardson	G W Witten
Robert Lanham	L B Richardson	T B Wood

Sworn and subscribed before me a Justice of the Peace for Tarrant County this the 26th of July 1861.

/s/ R M Gano
 Captain
 Grapevine Volunteers

J. Z. Cook, J. P.
 Tarrant County Precinct?

I, G. Nance, Clerk of the Tarrant County Court do hereby certify that the within and foregoing Muster Roll has been duly recorded in my office at Fort Worth in Deed Book H, Pages 167 & 170, the day and date thereof.

Witness my hand and Seal
 of office on this the 1st day
 of August-AD 1861.

/s/ G. Nance
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*indicates that these men appear on subsequent muster rolls of Gano's Squadron and/or Alexander's Regiment.

MUSTER ROLL of Captain R. M. Gano's Company of Mounted Riflemen Styled the Grapevine Volunteers of Tarrant County, Texas, the officer elected on Saturday the 1st day of June 1861.

Remarks: The Grapevine Volunteers consisted of one hundred and thirty five men, and were reduced in compliance with the law to one hundred. They were reduced in such manner that the present company are picked men. This company is now ready for service. It will be seen by Major Happper's report that said company is very deficient in arms.

R M Gano	Capt
T Greenup	1st Lieut
G Berry	2d "
A J Halford	" "
C L Owen	Orderly Sergeant
Charles Baker	2d "
John Gay	3rd "
*Wm Harris	4th "
I J Curry	1st Corporal
G Hope	2d "
Jeff Estill	3d "
Walter Jones	4th "

Privates

Allison, Wm	Foster, O	Morgan, J
Archy, J M	*Foster, B J	McCulloch, W
Ayres, George	*Foster, Jarrett	Miller, B W
Allen, W R	Greenup, P C	Medlin, P J
Burgoon, J A	Greenup, Wm	Martin, P L
Burgoon, George	Giddens, Wm	Newton, L
*Broccus, R A	Grandberry, L W	Nash, Wm
Bradberry, J	Hudgins, J P	Owens, John
Bird, J L	Hudgins, P D	Pennington, L H
Crews, Robert	Hudgins, B F	Patton, T W
Cates, D H	Harding, J D	Philips, Joel
*Clower, J H D	Hurley, G J	Quayle, A M
Cummings, John	Hall, John	Richardson, E P
Cox, T A	Herrington, R	Richardson, L B
Clark, F M	Hughes, H	Russell, R B
Chivers, J L	*Hughes, J	Rogers, J
Clanton, W H	Jones, L A	Rogers, G
*Dunn, I P S	Jones, T L	Rogers, D
Dean, R L	Jackson, E F	Riley, Clark
Dunn, A I	Kere, J A	Ross, R
Dunn, J S	*Lester, T J	Shoffner, W C
Dyer, F M	Lanham, Robt	Simmons, J H
Dyer, S B	Leatherman, F M	Starr, G G
*Erwin, L H	Liner, J A	Starr, John
Estill, J S	Morehead, J L	Starr, Wm
Eckhardt, A	Millard, J M	Smart, J W
*Foster, J L	Martin, Wm	Summers, J D

Thomas, Henry	Tompkins, J S	Throup, J
Thomas, James	Teel, John	Witten, G W
Tannehill, D K	Throup, J M	Wood, T B
Johnson, B B, drummer		Hunt, R R, standard bearer

The State of Texas()

Tarrant County () I Wm Quayle Chief Justice of the
County and State aforesaid Do here-
by certify that the foregoing is a true statement of the
Muster Roll returned to me with a correct list of the Offi-
cers and Privates of said Company and of the Election had in
said company

Given under my hand and Seal
of the County Court of Tarrant
at Ft. Worth this the 28th day of June 1861

/s/ Wm Quayle
Chief Justice
Tarrant Co Texas

*indicates that these men appear on subsequent muster rolls
of Gano's Squadron and/or Alexander's Regiment.

Answering the call to arms, each man brought with him
his horse and his guns. To staff the field kitchen, the
following requisition was made by Captain Gano:

(6) Six Camp Kettles, (6) Six Skillets, (1) One Fry Pan.
I certify that the above requisition is correct, and that
the articles specified are absolutely requisite for the pub-
lic service rendered so by the following circumstances:
some Cooking Utensils in the Texas Squadron were condemned
at Vicksburg, some having been broken and others too small
and unsuitable.

T. C. M. Mackin, asst, Quartermaster, Confederate States
Army, will issue the articles specified in the above requi-
sition.

/s/ R. M. Gano Sr. Capt. Commanding

Received at Vicksburg, 29 April 1862, T. C. McMakin,
Quartermaster, CSA, 6 camp kettles, six skillets, one fry
pan.

/s/ R. M. Gano, Sr. Capt
Commanding

(Mrs. Winchester welcomes correspondence on any of the names
on these lists--5020 Wyoming Trail, Fort Worth, Texas 76118)

QUAKERS IN THE SOUTH CAROLINA BACKCOUNTRY; WATEREE AND BUSH RIVER, compiled by Willard Heiss. Indianapolis, Ind.: Indiana Quaker Records, 1969. 24 pp. \$3.

Mr. Willard Heiss, dedicated collector and publisher of Quakerana, has now added an especially valuable bit for genealogists searching in South Carolina between 1735 and 1810.

In this slim twenty-four page offset paperback is a compilation of excerpts from two separate South Carolina histories--those parts only, though, which deal with the Friends. Thus Mr. Heiss has divided his book into two parts.

Part One, "Quakers at Wateree, Kershaw County, South Carolina," is extracted from Thomas J. Kirkland's Historic Camden. It recounts how a small band of Quakers from Queens County, Ireland were, through the miscalculation of the ship captain, landed in Charleston, S.C. instead of North Carolina, their intended destination. They worked their way by rivers nearly to North Carolina, but chose the Wateree section this side.

Part Two, "Quakers at Bush River, Newberry County, South Carolina," is verbatim from a rare book, The Annals of Newberry, by Judge John H. O'Neill. Since inquiry has failed to locate this history in Fort Worth, Dallas or Houston libraries, this section is a veritable treasure.

We are told that the Bush River Quarterly Meeting worked closely with the Wrightsborough, Georgia Monthly Meeting. There has been a mystery concerning the disappearance of these people. According to Judge O'Neill, the narrator, a prophet named Z. Dicks, caused the mass exodus between 1803 and 1810 by his predictions that the Negro slaves would rise up and massacre them all as was then being done in the island of San Domingo. In alarm the families migrated to Ohio and other western states.

Both sections of this book are filled with family names and their connections by marriage. Regrettably there is no index; however, twenty-four pages are not too many to scan. Partly making up for this deficiency are two diagrams and a map.

The map is of Newberry County in 1825, taken from Miles' Atlas of South Carolina. One diagram gives the location of the Quaker Burial Ground acquired in 1759 in the town of Camden. The other diagram, "Grants to Earliest Settlers of Camden and Vicinity," will please researchers as it shows the location along the Wateree of each grantee, with his name, number of acres, and date of grant.

Mr. Heiss holds directly and solely to those Friends who settled on the Wateree and Bush Rivers, and does not attempt to fill in with the other Monthly Meetings and communities in both Carolinas and Georgia. We hope that he will eventually do as well for these others.

By bringing together in this volume parts from two scarce books, Mr. Heiss has indeed made another noteworthy contribution to genealogy.

Abby Moran.

Fort Worth Public Library has Kirkland's Historic Camden, call #975.761.

Miles' Atlas of South Carolina, 1825

Mouzon's map of North and South Carolina, 1777

Encyclopedia of American Quaker Genealogy ("Hinshaw's Quaker") and many other aids.

BIBLIOPRINTS

News from the Library

If you aren't using periodicals fully, you may be missing much significant genealogical data. The library has over 100 different genealogical periodicals, one of which may include the record you've sought these many years.

The keys to these periodicals are the indexes. There are several which include many periodicals; some periodicals are self-indexed, including an index with each volume.

The earliest multiple-periodical index in our collection is an 1899 Munsell publication List of Titles of Genealogical Articles in American Periodicals and Kindred Works. It is subtitled as "giving the name, residence and earliest date of the first settler of each family and adding deficiencies in brackets. This makes it quite informative. Among periodicals indexed are The New England Historical and Genealogical Register,

The New York Genealogical and Biographical Record, the publications of the Essex Institute, Putnam's Magazine, Morse's Genealogical Register, and the American Historical Magazine.

Donald Lines Jacobus' Index to Genealogical Periodicals was published in three volumes in 1932, 1948, and 1952. His index is in retrospect; it indexes all volumes for each title named, and thus indexes material published as early as 1860. The three volumes of Jacobus' index include over 100 different periodicals and cover the field up to 1951.

Inez Waldenmeier began publishing Genealogical Newsletter in 1954. Its sections "Where to find newly-published family histories" and "Where to find new county histories" serve as a periodical index. This periodical was published to 1962 (the library has 1958-1962); in 1963, Mrs. Waldenmeier did an Annual Index to Genealogical Periodicals, which incorporated all information for 1962 into one volume.

Ellen Stanley Rogers began publishing Genealogical Periodicals Annual Index in 1962, and continued to publish it until 1966, when it was taken over by George Ely Russell. The 1966 edition included 98 periodicals. This publication indexes articles under the author's name, locality, family name or subject.

A new exchange from the Fort Worth Genealogical Society promises to be most helpful. Published by Mary Tune Reeder of Albuquerque, New Mexico, Linkage for Ancestral Research is a quarterly index to more than forty genealogical publications and will doubtless grow to include others. It consists of place and surname indexes to queries; lists of family reunions, lists of materials and publications offered and wanted by genealogical societies, and a list of family histories being compiled. Since it does not index articles, but only peripheral material, it does not duplicate the Genealogical Periodical Annual Index. Both of these aids should be used by the genealogist.

All genealogical libraries have trouble with those wretches who place their selfish interests above the rights of all the other citizens who share in the ownership of the materials in the library's collections. Richard E. Coe, editor of the Southern California Genealogical Society Searcher, has graciously given permission to reprint his editorial from Volume 5, No. 2 in this column.

VACUITY AND VANDALISM

It would be pleasant to think that all people who are searching for their ancestors are fine, upright folks, since this is a hobby where "share and share alike" is most important. It could be an expensive pastime, but usually it isn't. Most researchers never seem to have much cash to spend, and perhaps the hobby itself is the reason. It requires so many hours to do a thorough job that there's not much time or energy left to engage in more pecuniary affairs. Therefore, the idea of sharing, without thought of being recompensed is an admirable trait of the amateur who is collecting forbears.

Somehow, however, there creeps into every ideal situation a few selfish individuals who believe that anything is theirs for the taking, particularly if they don't get caught at it. Whether they have some money or not matters little. This seems to be shockingly the case when it comes to the users of the genealogical departments of our public and even private libraries. All departments have the annoyance of theft, but there is one kind of twisted mind that appears to feel that an illustration of a coat of arms, or an article or chart in which he is personally interested is placed in a book for his specific use, so according to his warped reasoning, there is no harm in surreptitiously appropriating it by using a razor blade, wet string, or even by slipping the entire volume into a bag or briefcase. Even the dime photocopiers installed in many institutions do not overcome the problem. Mutilation is bad enough, but the removal of rare and irreplaceable data is a crime against all searchers, present and future.

The dictionary defines "vacuity" as "vacancy of mind, thought; inane or senselessly stupid." We can think of a lot more adjectives that apply. At the same time we have a feeling that a lot of instances can be charged to downright vandalism. Some characters are so selfish and possessive that they just don't want to share, and as soon as they acquire any information they proceed to destroy the evidence. These, particularly, can't be condemned enough. Even the little old lady with weak bifocals who has to mark with a deep etched pencil check, or with ink, any name on which she is working in order to keep track of it, is a mutilator.

All honest searchers suffer by the actions of these few "spoilers."

That is why "the public" is not allowed personal access to the stacks in our most important collections. This is why many "privately financed" or society libraries are having to limit the use of their books to members.

One patriotic society we know is considering this action seriously, on account of theft and vandalism. The librarian's duties are far too involved to permit him to supervise each gaggle of outsiders who flock in occasionally.

Unfortunately a few, not all, or course, of these folks use the library's books with careless abandon, destroying bindings, scribbling on the pages, tearing out what pertains to their own lines, and often absconding with not one, but three or four valuable volumes. Use of this outstanding collection of genealogical data has been free. There is a "donation box" but over the past year its intake of nickels and dimes has amounted to only a bit over thirty dollars--hardly enough to replace, repair and recondition after even one outrage. It's very little wonder that drastic steps are now under advisement.

Nobody likes to be labeled a "squealer", but we think it's high time suspicious actions in genealogical departments were reported by the dedicated users to the person in charge. We all lose by looking the other way.

--Richard E. Coe

Each of you has probably requested at one time or another a book or manuscript which we were unable to locate because one of these moral illiterates had appropriated it for himself. Many of you have located books only to find the material you wanted cut out, or so heavily underlined and annotated as to be illegible. Possibly some of you have seen these things happening and have hesitated to report it to the library staff. From the time you read this column, we hope that you will not hesitate. Just as you would report a suspicious character in your neighborhood to the police department, we hope that you will report to us. We call this new program Operation SAVE. The person who gets away with this sort of behavior is hurting you. Help us stop him.

To cut down on our losses, we are now requiring that a slip showing the user's name, address, and telephone number, and the author and title of each book be left with the desk attendant when books are removed from the department to be photocopied. We hope that you will not mind completing these slips, keeping in mind their purpose.

Now library patrons can take coffee breaks as conveniently as the library staff! The New World High Hopes and Optimism Conversation Corner recently established in the 2nd floor lobby provides a place to have a Coke and a cigarette and get away from the ancestors for a few minutes. It's proving popular; we hope that you enjoy it.

The Bible Records Project is going great guns. New donors since the last issue are: Jean Park Hazlewood (Martin), Mrs. Sue Wade McDonald (Wade-Cock-Cobb and Pattie), Mrs. Walter C. Pool (Hornbuckle-England-Thompson), W. L. Commings (Shannon), Paul R. McCord (McCord), Mrs. Leonard Benbow (Benbow), and Mrs. Woodrow Wilburn of Texarkana (Evans).

New Books of Genealogical Interest

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| 355.07
U | U.S. Military Academy
Register of Graduates and Former
Cadets, 1968. |
| 929.2
F | Flack, Jessie Gordon
Genealogy of the Gordon, Macy,
Middleton, Curtis and Allied Families. |
| 929.2
H | Hazelwood, Jean Park
History of the Family of Pearson Money
Park and Mary Elizabeth Teater Park. |
| 929.2
H | Heard, Harold
Southern Heard Families. |
| 929.2
H | Ironmonger, Elizabeth Hogg
The Hogg Family of York and
Gloucester Counties, Va. |

- 929.2 Nolan, Ione
N The Huffaker Family.
- 929.2 Oltorf, Frank Calvert
O The Marlin Compound; Letters of a Singular Family.
- 929.2 Peyton, Mark Travis
P Peyton-Quirk Families.
- 929.2 Sims, Almon J.
S The Pariss Sims Family and Related Families.
- 929.2 Slagel, A. Russell
S The Slagel Family in America.
- 976.195 Hammer, Walt
H A Pictorial Walk through Old High Jackson. (Jackson Co., Ala.).
- 975.2 Skordas, Gust
S The Early Settlers of Maryland, 1633-1680.
- 977.8 Hodges, Nadine & Mrs. Howard W. Woodruff
H Missouri Pioneers, Vol. III.

Of Special Interest

is a new family history by one of our members, Jewell Daphne Gerron Woodard (Mrs. George C. Woodard, Sr.), titled Solomon Geron and His Descendants. "To have a fine ancestry is a blessing, to be worthy of it is a duty" are the first lines in Mrs. Woodard's study of the descendants of Solomon Geron (1761-1841) of Roane County, Tennessee. She has shown herself conscious of this duty in her careful compilation of this family history. Twenty-one pages of records citations testify to the research which has gone into the making of this book.

Although Mrs. Woodard has not used a numbering system, it is not missed. She has placed genealogical charts in each section which, with the book's two indexes, make it easy to follow the lines of descent. The book is copiously illustrated with photographs, documents and charming sketches by Oneida Uzzell of Austin. The format is excellent; it is one of the most physically attractive family histories recently published. Solomon Geron and His Descendants' 620 pages are a bargain at \$15.00.

HODGSON-HODSON BIBLE RECORD

This Bible is in possession of Mrs Theo Judkins
R. R. 1, Prole, Iowa

(Copied December, 1968 by Mrs. Richard Gilliland)

The title page of the Old Testament is missing

Page 1 - New Testament
Philadelphia:
The Bible Association of Friends
of America - 1831

Births

Page 2 - John Hodgson was Born the 28th of 6 mo 1759

Neome Hodgson was Born the 24 of 12 mo 1762

Wright Cook son of Isaac & Charity Cook was born
the twenty fifth of eighth month 1778

Anna Cook daughter of John & Naomi Hodgson was
born the first day of the seventh month 1782

Page 3 - Solomon Hodgson was Born the 4 of first mo 1780

Elisabeth Hodgson was born the 5 of 6 mo 1785
their children Thomas Hodson was Born the 14 [?]
of 11 mo 1805

John Hodson was Born the 27 of 9 mo. 1807

Gemine Hodson was Born the 26 of 5 mo. 1809

Neome Hodson was Born the 29 of 7 mo 1813

Rebecca Hodson was Born the 16 of 5 mo 1822

Page 4 - Charles S. Hodson was born Sept. 4th 1867*

Bessie Hodson was born Oct. 24th 1891

Charles E. Frank was born May 12th 1918

Iris Elouse Patterson was born July 15th 1910

Page 5 - Deaths

Thomas Hodson deceast the 10 of 12 mo. 1856 age 51
years and 24 days

John Hodgson (cenyer) deceast the 20 of 2 mo 1823

Wright Cook deceased on the 12th of the 12th month
1859

*Lived in Warren County, Iowa - died Jan 1951

JOHNSON COUNTY, TEXAS MARRIAGE RECORDS

Submitted by Mrs. R. N. Grammer
(Continued from February 1969)

11- 6-1871	Thomas R. Oxford	Mrs. Matilda R. Pugh
11- 8-71	A. J. Brown	Mrs. Edmonia Milliken
11- 3-71	Bill Winston	Emma Barnes
11-30-71	J. M. Vinson	N. E. Tidwell
11-12-71	J. M. Hardin	Lucy Sullivan
10-31-71	J. F. Swofford or Swafford	Ann E. Hightower
10-20-71	Nathaniel Cobb	Nancy Boyd
11-16-71	Thomas Rogers	Mrs. D. F. Ewing
12- 7-71	A. J. Sarton	Sarah Ann Cunningham
12-25-71	T. S. Kirtley	Jane Duvall
12-19-71	W. M. Reeves	M. F. Ewing
10-19-71	Wash Winchester	Mary Seets (?)
11-30-71	E. B. Glasscock	Nancy Ann E. Heath
12-17-71	R. B. Huff	M. A. Turner
10- 5-71	Winfield Pierce	Cassandra Savage
11-30-71	J. B. Hudson	Amanda Jane Thomason
12-21-71	J. W. Daggett	M. A. Riddle
12-30-71	Charles Burke	Mary Sullivan
12-31-71	Ogle Thorp	Sarah Jane Calvert
1-18-72	Jesse P. Berry	Nannie Styron
1- 3-72	Marb Cabot	Ofelia McConnell
12-20-71	J. C. Huling	Sarah D. Beaty
1-11-72	Solomon Lockett	Susan E. Denton
1-16-72	James Williams	Mary Newman
1-20-72	H. S. Ward	Ida Wilson
2- 1-72	Charles Haley	Alice Gatewood
2- 4-72	W. F. Heard	S. E. Allen
1-31-72	John J. Ramsey	Menerva Isidora Anderson
2- 1-72	Dr. A. G. Hendricks	S. E. Higgins
2- 8-72	John H. Fish	Martha Jane Smith
12-21-71	Henry McGee	Francis D. Jones
12-23-71 (iss)	F. M. Williams	Mrs. Sarah Williams
12-30-71	Jonathan Conway	Mrs. Martha Ann Hillman
2- 1-72	M. L. Kahale	W. L. Armistead
2-26-72	W. M. Biffle	Mrs. S. A. Mathews
10-16-71	John Cooke	Martha Evaline Lewis
10-20-71	J. J. Coulter	Alice Forbes
10-21-71	E. D. Hicks	Lucinda Warren
2-15-72	Thomas Vale	I. H. Quick
3-26-72	Thomas N. Ridley	Mrs. Catherine Price
2- 6-72	H. W. Jones	Mary Ann Duke
3-13-72	W. P. Morgan	Cenith S. Hurst
1-24-72	W. B. Eastham	M. J. Priddy
3-31-72	J. L. Trimble	Mrs. Margaret M. Slaughter
4- 4-72	Wm. Evans	Sarah E. Harrison
3- 4-72	Jones O. Robinson	James O. Robinson

(copied correctly)

2- 5-72	James F. Harrison	M. E. Jackson
4-17-72	Dick Morton	Jane Farly
4-18-72	Dallas Pollard	Lucy Snider
4-20-72	Charlie Johnson	Delia Brown
4-19-72	Joe Gassa	Bittie ---
4-27-72	A. B. Benford	Mrs. Sally Thomas
5- 1-72	J. C. Mabry	T. or F. M. Cain
5- 1-72	John C. Turner	Victoria Wilkinson
5- 1-72	Patrick F. Brannon	Mary J. Powers
5-21-72	Walter M. Murphy	Odelia T. Gordon
5-30-72	L. Craddock	Nannie Legg
6- 6-72	Wm. C. Polson	Mary C. McMillin
6- 5-72	J. McIntosh	Sophonra Ferguson
6-10-72	T. A. Flippen	Martha J. Smith
6-13-72	T. J. Nash	Mary Turner
1- 4-72	Francis G. Ledbetter	Sarah Ann Holt
6-25-72	N. F. Sparks	Mary G. Weaver
6-20-72	M. Frank	M. V. Pugh
4- 7-72	Joseph Lawson	Emma Green
1- 2-72	William A. Cobb	Temperance
		Billingsley
6-16-72	B. C. Jarrand	Mrs. Phoebe Balch
7-25-72	Chas. Cooper	Eliza Gray
7-18-72	J. W. Talmage	Mary Sparks
8- 7-72	George C. Legg	Lavinia Beal
8- 8-72	William Conner	Clarissa Ince
9-11-72	Col. James J. Gathings	Mrs. Eliza Jane
		Covington
8-29-72	A. D. Tisdal	Martha Rollins
8-22-72	D. A. Boyd	S. E. Bennett
9- 1-72	F. S. Ormsby	Amanda L. Tipton
9- 1-72	A. E. Jones	Mrs. E. S. Gober
8-25-72	L. A. Eaton	Matilda Bass
8-22-72	Miles Hart	Nannie Kennard
8-15-72	S. W. Seal	N. R. Hodges
9- 1-72	J. M. McPherson	F. P. Glenn
9- 4-72	Sebert Nichols	F. A. Turman
7-28-72	C. W. King	O. A. Dendy
6-30-72	C. S. Burnett	Sarah C. Edge
8-29-72	J. P. Baines	Mattie E. Jones
7-15-72	Lewis Williams	Rosy Gilmore
8- 1-72	L. J. Blair	Margaret Ann Huff
8-22-72	I. T. Shelton	Mary J. Ward
5-11-72	Elijah T. Kahill	Naoma A. Myers
7-12-72	A. J. Cheney	Rhody Rogers
6-13-72	W. R. Qualls	Mrs. Margaret M.
		Bounds
7- 4-72	S. M. English	Susan Tippitt
8-18-72	I. N. Smith	F. L. Benson
9- 4-72	E. D. Renfro	Belzora Ray
9- 5-72	Louis Pairas	Mariah Hicks
9-12-72	Joseph Claunch	Mary Dungan
9-26-72	L. W. Driskill	Fredonia Marchbanks
8-13-72	L. L. Christian	Nancy E. Penn

10- 3-72	Jacob Wright	Mary E. Nash
9-19-72	Daniel Mabry	Rachel E. Murdock
9-28-72	Chas. M. Best	Collie C. Truelove
10- 4-72	Joseph Richey	Viola Fowler
9-28-72	A. W. Baird	Mrs. C. E. Baird
9- 1-72	Chas. Henry Mackey (Mackman)	H. Isabell Anderson
11-24-72	G. J. Griffin	Mary Ann Daile
12- 8-72	J. M. Campbell	Willie Kerr
12- 1-72	Benj. F. Vinson	Annie E. Landers
9-11-72	Thomas J. Turpin	Mrs. Martha Murray
11-26-72	H. Gostler	T. Mongose
11-29-72	J. S. Clary	Martha Lucinda East
11-27-72	N. A. Robertson	Annie J. Wilson
11-21-72	J. R. Mitchell	Mrs. R. Beshers
10- 7-72	John Vanderslice	M. J. Wilson
11-28-72	N. C. Gilbert	Lizzie Peacock
10-17-72	Joseph F. Corns	D. Williams
11-19-72	H. C. Ogles	M. A. Lowe
10-10-72	C. L. Heath	A. B. Elston
10-10-72	Joseph Fry	Rose Richardson
10- 6-72	C. A. Hodges	M. E. Watson
11-15-72	John Hart	Sarah E. Bates
11-10-72	F. M. Harrison	M. E. Sesums
11-14-72	J. W. Tubbs	Martha E. Claunch
9-26-72	Howard Hix	Fannie Donohoo
11- 6-72	B. B. Kerr	D. E. Jones
9- 2-72	C. J. Brewer	Dora A. McKinsey (McKinney)
10- 3-72	G. K. Brewer	M. E. Hightower
10- 6-72	Y. M. Turpin	M. E. Hurst
10- 6-72	J. H. Taylor	T. L. Combs
10-10-72	W. H. Flesher	Alabama Frost
10-13-72	Wm. Taylor Nichols	Annie Basey (?)
11- 3-72	Benjamin Carter	S. E. Rector
9-20-72	John James	Mary E. R. Bradley
9- 8-72	D. F. Speer	Eliza Lyon
10- 2-72	G. F. Blackwood	Susan P. Turner
11-27-72	Ebenezer Williams	Nancy Ray
12- 9-72	Antonio Amanders	Charity Siglar
10-28-72	T. A. Obryan	Rebecca Davidson
10- 6-72	J. H. Guinn	L. Bucy
9-29-72	B. W. Shaw	Martha E. Owens
9-15-72	J. C. Wheeler	Cordelia Rebecca Futhy
10-30-72	W. J. Binyon	Selah B. Howard
8- 1-72	John Daly	M. A. Truit
6-13-72	W. R. Qualls	Mrs. Margaret N. Bounds
11-13-72	J. M. Russell	Mollie Powell
10-20-72	Dr. Corn P. Hudson	Mattie D. Welburn
11-12-72	C. P. Burson	Sarah A. Thomas
12-12-72	Cyrus Pierce	Jane Roy
6-30-72	M. G. Hastings	Francis D. Beaver
1-25-72	Andy Anderson	Lizzie Snider
1- 3-72	W. H. Tunnell	Mary W. Kee
12-26-71	J. C. Freeman	M. V. Heath
7-13-71	R. T. Dodson	M. E. Berry

5-18-71	David White	Martha Anderson
5-27-71	James Smith	Martha Lawrence
5-28-71	Wm. Jay	Celiciton Dean
		Delutian Philips
12-17-71	John W. Odom	Elizabeth T. Binyon
12-21-70	Robert Rickey	Sarah Ann Wright
3-27-71	J. T. Hammack	Martha E. Ingram
6-23-71	Abner Fuller	Martha Brady
4-20-71	W. F. Lafon	P. A. Wilbanks
4-20-71	A. T. Lafon	Louisa Holt
4-20-71	B. F. Hudspeth	Martha A. Hester
7-20-71	Jack Davis	Mary V. Barclay
7-27-71	J. A. Murphy	M. C. Lyles
7-13-71	M. L. Wright	Luvicy Pierce
5-23-71	L. B. Rogers	Sallie Winn
2-26-71	John B. Wright	Mrs. Mary Ann Carter
6- 4-71	Thomas Clayton Williamson	Annie Woodshard
5-30-71	W. T. Shaw	Mattie Brown
6-12-71	William Jones	E. A. Holland
7-30-71	M. R. Love	Mary E. Rose
6-21-71	W. M. Scurlock	Lilly L. Leigh
7-13-71	George W. Myers	Mrs. Lucinda Moseley
6-18-71	J. P. Landrum	Mrs. Louiza Woolly
6-25-71	G. G. Ray	Mrs. E. L. Ray
5-29-71	Van W. Gideon	Rachael E. Bailey
6-15-71	James L. Clarke	Mary Elizabeth Franklin
6-29-71	R. M. Eastham	S. S. Smock
7-13-71	R. H. Moore	M. E. Strong
10-22-71	Andy Gatewood	Fannie Pierce
9-27-71	W. S. Boyd	Mrs. Syrena Abarnathy
10-13-71	M. M. Ballard	L. F. Nelson
8-22-71	Chas. M. Davis	Sallie A. Stuart
10-15-71	John E. Anderson	Angeline Stinnett
10- 8-71	James M. Shreves	Nancy H. Tipton
9-29-71	J. K. P. Boles	Mrs. Elizabeth Edwards
10-11-71	Calvin Atchley	Minnie Wilburn
10-29-71	Wm. Bass	Eliza Pierce
8- 8-71	W. Story (Strong)	Mrs. A. E. Lamar
9-29-71	W. S. Jones	Sarah C. Denning
2-28-71	Harbard Graham	Mary Etta Allen
10- ?-71	J. R. Young	Bettie Daniels
8- 7-71	S. D. Mason	Bettie Mims
9-14-71	O. M. Williams	C. E. Shannon
8-23-71	F. M. Barker	A. Priddy
8-16-71	J. A. Akin	J. A. Benson
9-24-71	J. M. Allen	Lon Craig
1-12-71	W. E. Miller	M. J. Thompson
8- 8-71	A. M. Butler	Mrs. A. J. Fitzue
9-20-71	James E. Patterson	Mrs. Mary J. Browning
9- 6-61	J. R. Tuggle	Mary Turner
5-18-71	W. H. Tindall	M. J. Eastham
9-11-71	John C. Lockett	Mattie Walker
8-20-71	E. R. Campbell	Mrs. Gentry
8-17-71	W. L. Turner	J. A. Waldren

10-12-71	G. W. Hinds	Mary Bowen
9-21-71	W. W. Mercer	Mary J. Collins
8-20-71	B. F. Blair	T. V. Billingsley
5- 9-71	Thos. Anderson	Mary Paschall
9-11-71	Chas. W. Watson	Nancy A. Faucett
8-11-72	John Pierce	Amanda Lyons
4- 6-71	B. Penny	Sarah T. Marshall
12-25-72	B. F. Vandiver	M. E. Job
8-27-71	J. M. Johnston (Johnson)	H. F. Barnes
12- 1-72	Pleasant Inman	Elizabeth Smith
12- 5-72	Eurastus Milliken	Lucy Pierce
10-10-72	Noah F. Rhodes	Martha Jane Houston
10-17-72	Albert Asbury Kirkham	Lucetta T. Armstrong
9- 3-72	George Bryant	Rachel H. Hinole
12-22-72	Thomas Jones	T. A. Bynum
11-22-72	Enoch Chaney	Mary Ann Tidwell
12-11-72	J. H. King	N. J. Ray
11-20-72	J. McKenny	Ann Morris
11-10-72	J. F. Jones	Sarah E. Jones
12-29-72	W. P. Roberts	C. A. McDonald
12-25-72	J. B. Thompson	Sarah L. Fuller
12-22-72	C. R. Elliott	Elizabeth Jane Tubbs
12-12-72	J. G. Heath	N. H. King
12-17-72	C. T. Spears	Lydia Davis

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Mrs. I. Neal Samuels

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George Lee Weaver, Midland

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Lyle C. Williams - author

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Harold Heard - author

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Herbert F. Hutcheson, Jr.

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Elizabeth Sims Schwarz

Passagierliste des Schiffes, REFORM

Galveston -- ?

from Bremen -- 17.IV.1851

taken from GALVESTON ZEITUNG No. 25; 1851

Barres, Fr.W. -	Erfurt	Rasch, Albert -	Penzlin
Becker, Franz -	Glane	Reissig, Julius -	Ziegenrück
Bremer, Joseph -	Kärntchen	Rieg, Josepha -	Grehn
2 persons			
Brosig, Auguste -	Neisse	Schmidt, G. -	Nieder- beisheim
5 persons			
Dessauer, Froed. -	Dresden	Seeliger, E.G. -	Heidersdorf
7 persons		5 persons	
Drasdo, Geor-	Dresden	Seyffarth, Aug. -	Altenburg
Donat, Carl -	Breslau	Shilling, Ernst Fr. -	Gössitz
		6 persons	
Eckhardt, Ludwig -	Breslau	Sickor, Georg -	Dresden
		4 persons	
Engelke, Ernst -	Hildesheim	Sindstaber, Chr.	R(ei)tzen- geschwenda
Erichson, Julius -	Breslau	Strachbein, Fr. -	Frohnhausen
		6 persons	
Focken, E. -	Oldenburg	von Westphalen, Edgar -	Galveston, Texas
Frauenstein, Charlotte -	Dresden	Wagner, Paul -	Oldenburg
3 persons			
Hankel, G. -	Markoldendorf	Walther, -	Gössitz
		6 persons	
Heinze, Fried. -	Reinerz	Weidermann, W. -	Gössitz
4 persons			
Herburg, Dor. -	Jeinsen	Woeffler, Louis -	Oppeln
		5 persons	
Jenull, Joseph -	Kärntchen		
Kramer, Joseph -	Kärntchen	37 names	
2 persons		53 adults	
Kruse, H. -	Heilenbach	30 children	
4 persons		83 persons	
Kubler, Gottlieb -	Dresden		
Oppermann, Caro. -	Dolme		
Pahl, Isaac -	Wolfshagen		
Petri, Adam -	Neuhütte		

MAGNET

Galveston - 18 June 1851 from Bremen
 taken from GALVESTON ZEITUNG 25 June 1851

List of Passengers

Baenker, Joh. -	Darmstadt	Ley, Susanna E. -	Kalten- lengsfeld
Balzen, Harms -	Aurich(?) Oldendorf	Lindner, Carl -	Blechhammer
Benner, Joseph -	Gross Bauden	Marwitz, Herm. -	Burg
6 persons			
Biel, Carl -	Norden	Marwitz, Wilh. -	Burg
w-Mathilda nee Hander			
from Christiansfeld, Denmark		Mosebach, W. -	Mühlhausen
Boehr, F. -	Bunzlau	2 persons	
		Mueller, Joh. -	Althammer
		9 persons	
Dahlgruen, ? -	Hameln	Muench, Ernst -	Petersdorf
Elsnee(Elsner?), Aug. -	Liegnitz	Pogado, Joh. -	Ruda
5 persons			
Emek, Jak. -	Lühhmannsdorf	Pueschel, Robert -	Spengeberg
3 persons		2 persons	
Falke, Fr. -	Oldendorf	Reibherzer, ?, H. -	Rinkeln
4 persons			
Fiebig, Carl -	Petersdorf	Roeder(Roeber?), Wm -	Hannover
5 persons			
Fritzsche, Jos. -	Mittelwalde	Schadewitz, Em. -	Stolpe
		Schadewitz, Ed. -	Stolpe
Fulg(Fuig), Joh. -	Darmstadt	Schmidt, Focke -	Aurich(?) Oldendorf
		3 persons	
Gabitzsch, Gottfr. H. -	Blosen	Schurig, Ad. -	Elstra
Geissmann, Ant. -	Treikenhorst	Schwarze, Hein. -	Treiken- horst
Guenther, Ed. -	Blechhammer	Straube, ? , -	Mittelwalde
Harde, Ludwig -	Bockhorn	Taubert, H. -	Kalten- lengsfeld
Hermann, Aug. -	Liegnitz	Vetter, Andreas -	Weschwitz
6 persons			
Hermann, Fried. -	Gnadenfrei		
w-Benedicta nee Hander			
from Christiansfeld, Denmark			
Hermann, Wm. -	Petersdorf	41 names	
2 persons		84 persons	
Koehl, Chr. -	Kosslof	4 babies	
		88 persons	
Lange, Ludwig -	Gehrden		
8 persons			

(Both lists submitted by Mrs. Chester W. Geue, 2636 Stadium Drive,
 Fort Worth, Texas 76109)

LUKER FAMILY CEMETERY

Located five miles south of Procter, Comanche County Texas and one mile west of Farm Road 1476. Copied March 31, 1968 by Weldon Hudson, 2807 Cedar Park, Fort Worth, Texas 76118.

G. W. LUKER	Oct. 22, 1844 - Jan. 29, 1937
Frances E. LUKER	Mar. 7, 1845 - Sept. 17, 1918
Infant son of Lewis & Maymie CARLETON	Feb. 18, 1931
Infant son of G. W. & M. E. LUKER	June 28, 1905
Volita E. daughter of W.A. & Julia M. LUKER	Mar. 1, 1901 - Feb. 21, 1903
Julia M. LUKER	Apr. 29, 1876 - May 8, 1929
Infant son of R. A. & Birdie LUKER	Dec. 31, 1911
William Atticus son of F.A. & M.E. TUCKER	May 25, 1895 - Feb. 1, 1899
Infant daughter of F.A. & M.E. TUCKER	Sept. 14, 1888 - Sept. 15, 1888
Infant of B.F. & L.E. LUKER	Dec. 20, 1890 - Dec. 21, 1890
Esta daughter of B.F. & L.E. LUKER	Jan. 18, 1894 - Feb. 16, 1898
Benjamin F. son of B.F. & L.E. LUKER	Dec. 3, 1904 - Jan. 13, 1905
Infant son of B.F. & L.E. LUKER	Sept. 19, 1913
Medina LUKER	March 5, 1911 - age 3 yrs. 6 mos.
B. Frank LUKER	Apr. 8, 1868 - July 1965
Louretta LUKER	Jan. 14, 1870 - May 31, 1957
Carl CASTLEBERRY	July 24, 1898 - July 28, 1898
Callie CASTLEBERRY	July 24, 1898 - Aug. 2, 1898
Eliza D. CASTLEBERRY	Nov. 18, 1821 - Aug. 23, 1901
Malissa daughter of J.W. & S.H. LUKER	July 3, 1894 - Mar. 27, 1900
Dessie E. daughter of J.W. & S.H. LUKER	June 10, 1892 - Oct. 30, 1892
Sarah Jane LUKER	Dec. 6, 1845 - Oct. 24, 1885
John Wade LUKER	Apr. 14, 1841 - May 23, 1929
Sallie Harvey LUKER	Oct. 11, 1852 - Apr. 1936

Mark A. LUKER	1884 - 1945
One grave marked unknown.	
DAVID LUKER	Mar. 5, 1881 - Mar. 5, 1960
B. F. LUKER	Died Apr. 20, 1886 age 27 years
M. C. Williams LUKER (wife)	Jan. 21, 1852 - July 21, 1926
John T. LUKER (son)	Nov. 10, 1882 - Dec. 4, 1882
Capt. William Allen David EWING	1811 - blank
Sarah EWING (wife)	1820 - blank
Safonia EWING (daughter)	No dates
Margaret GRAHAM	No dates
Ed GRAHAM	No dates
Mr. RATLIFF	No dates
Mrs. RATLIFF	No dates
John PIERSON	No dates
SOWELL's baby	No dates
BOYTT's baby	No dates
John HALE	No dates
Mrs. Nancy HALE	No dates
Miss Emma HALE	1858-1958

Only one grave marked with stone not bearing a name.

REID FAMILY CEMETERY

Located four miles south of Proctor, Comanche County, Texas on Farm Road 1476. Copied March 31, 1968 by Weldon Hudson, 2807 Cedar Park, Fort Worth, Texas 76118.

J. W. REID	June 12, 1818 - Mar. 3, 1905
Jerusha B. REID	Mar. 12, 1829 - Feb. 26, 1905
Raiford Hamil REID	Jan. 5, 1846 - Aug. 16, 1934
Sarah Maxwell REID	Nov. 3, 1851 - Nov. 15, 1926
Walter son of R.H. & S.L. REID	July 12, 1870 - June 25, 1891

One grave marked with field stone, no name or dates.

QUERIES

BROWN, WEBB, ROSE, COPELAND, HUGHLING, EVANS, PALMER

Need information on Sarah Brown, born about 1818, Tenn. died 1905 Bell County, Tex. married William Webb (he died 1855/6). Children: James J. born about 1838, Tenn. died 1883, married 1861 Wayne County, Tenn. Mahulda C Rose (first cousin); Susan born ? died 1855/6; William Riley born 1845? died 1910 Wayne County, Tenn. service Civil War, married Amanda Copeland 1866 Tenn.; Henry Marshall b. 1847, died 1949 age 101, McLennan Co., Tex. married Mary Hughling (dau. of John G. and Celia --?-- Hughling); Margaret b. 1850? died 1920? Bell Co., Texas, married Pansh Evans; Mary Minerva b. 1853? died 1934? Bell Co., Texas, married 1868 William R. Palmer. Will exchange information on these people; particularly interested in marriage record of Sarah Brown.

Mrs. Henry Barlow, 618 West 69th St., Shreveport, La. 71106

HICKS

Desire information on parents of Rev. John Hicks, born 1785-90, died 1842, lived Darlington District, S.C., married Susanna Bryan? about 1810. She was born S.C. 1797, died 1854 Fort Davis, Ala. Children: Mary; Lewis B., to Ala; Elizabeth; James E. to Ala.; William D. to Louisiana; Robert N. lived S.C.; John to Texas (where?); Sara Amanda; Thomas Mason to Ala.; Susanna Caroline, died young. Could be descendants of Captain Robert Hicks of Virginia and his son, John of Anson Co. N.C., but need proof. Will exchange information on Hicks families in the South; have very little on the line from New England.

L. M. Hicks, 17300 SW 298th St., Homestead, Florida 33030

LAWRENCE, WADE, SMITH

Need Lawrence information. From an old Bible record: James Lawrence born 1796, married Kezziah Wade; John Lawrence married Baheathland Smith (born 1771-76 in Va.), children: George and James born in Virginia, Thomas, Silas, Lucy and Martin A. all born in N.C., John Milton and Jackson born in Gwinnett Co. Ga. Will exchange.

Byron D. Lawrence, Route 3, Box 265, Enumclaw, Washington 98022

KNIGHT, ELLIS, LIPSCOMB, TUNSTALL

Need parents of Matthew Jewell Knight, born Virginia 1798, m. Lunenburg Co. Va 1822 Amelia Ellis, came to Texas about 1840, lived in Bowie Co. and died there 1868. Mother's name was Frances --?. Had brothers: Benjamin died single; George T. m. Mary E. Lipscomb; David H. m. Sarah J. Lipscomb 1852, died CW

Lunenburg Co. Va. These names appear in a Tunstall family Bible. What is the connection with this family? Will exchange information.

Alex Knight, P. O. Box 4270, Shreveport, La. 71104

HUDSON

Need information about (Ewell?) Spencer Hudson, born Panola Co., Miss. about 1860. He was in the Dallas-Fort Worth area about 1910, had daughters Fannie Mae and Gussie.

Weldon Hudson, 2807 Cedar Park, Fort Worth, Texas 76118

MORRIS, ROBERSON, GILLIAM, MCDANIEL, MCDONALD, WEAVER, HAGERTY, PINKERTON, EPPERSON, NIBLACK

Who were the parents of John Morris, born April 8, 1811 Georgia, died Nov. 7, 1873 in Henderson Co. Texas? He married (1) Ann Mariah Roberson Feb. 15, 1836 Tallapoosa Co., Ala.; (2) Sarah Ann Gilliam McDaniel or McDonald Oct. 28, 1863 Smith Co. Texas.

Who were the parents of William Weaver, born Nov. 30, 1791 in N.C.; died Oct. 25, 1877 in Smith Co. (Tyler) Texas? He married Nancy Hagerty Oct. 11, 1820 in Montgomery, Ala. She was born 1802 in Georgia, died Dec. 18, 1888 in Smith Co., Texas. Her parents were William Hagerty and Nancy Bishop.

Who were the parents of James Pinkerton, born 1741 at or near Camden, York Co., S.C.; died 1823 near Fayetteville, Lincoln Co., Tenn. Wife unknown. Of seven children, only one known is John. James Pinkerton served in Revolutionary War under Sumter and Marion, as a private from S.C.

Was John Epperson father of Green B. Epperson? Green B. born Jan 12, 1818 in Jackson Co., Ga, died July 21, 1903 Smith Co. Texas; married Virginia Niblack, born July 31, 1817 in Ga., died Mar. 20, 1912 in Smith Co. Texas. Was her father Thomas Niblack also of Jackson Co., Ga.?

G. L. Weaver, 3200 W. Dengar, Midland, Texas 79701

ARNOLD, DEAN, HENDERSON, CROOK, GRAY, DINKINS

Will gladly exchange on: Arnold of Haddam, Conn. to Texas by 1850; Arnold of Spartanburg, S.C. to Tenn.; Dean of Spottsylvania and Caroline counties, Va. to Ala. in 1820, to Texas by 1850; Henderson-Dinkins family of Wake Co., N.C. to Mecklenburg Co., N.C., later to Texas; Crook (any spelling) any where; Gray any where.

Mrs. Gertrude Crook Dean, Midway, Georgia 31320

SMITH, MCCAUL(L)EY

Where was Augustus N. Smith in 1850 and 1880? Born 1822 in Illinois, he was in Navarro Co. Texas in 1860 and 1870. His married children were in Bosque and Callahan Counties in 1880. Children: Nathan Sutton Smith, born 1844 in Mo.; James Monroe Smith, born 1846 in Ark.; Eliza C. born 1848-49 in Texas.

Will exchange data on McCauley and McCaulley.

Mrs. Wanda McCaulley Loomis, 904 Bradley Street, Visalia, California 93277

MITCHELL, RIVES, TURNER, SEWARD, MOODY, WHITBY

Would like to correspond with anyone interested in family Bible which contains the names of Ann Mitchell (born 1742), Mary, Henry, Branch, Priscilla, Jones, Robin, Reaps, Frank Thomas and Tabitha (born 1767) Mitchell. Reaps Mitchell married 1783 Susanah Rives. Children: Martha, or Marty, C. Mitchell married Benjamin Turner 1802; and Paul Mitchell m Nancy Seward 1807. Child of Paul Mitchell, Martha Turner Mitchell married -?- Moody and had issue Harriet Newel Moody who married John Richard Whitby 1852 in Homer, La. My grandfather John William Whitby moved to Sabine Co., Texas in 1871.

Adelle Whitby Olney, 2325 Blake Street, San Bernardino, California 92405

CLARK, BUNKER

Wish to contact anyone having knowledge of my grandmother. She was Violet Isabel Clark, born about 1898 in Nova Scotia, daughter of Truman Edward Clark and Mary McKay. She married Feb. 27, 1917 in Greene, Iowa Frank H. Bunker, later divorced, remarried about 1934 and moved to Texas. Second husband's name unknown

Mrs. E. Haumschild, 10505 Aspen N.E., Albuquerque, New Mexico 87112

COCHRAN

Wanted: material on Cochrans from N.H., Tenn., Miss., N.C., S.C. Am making a genealogy of all Cochrans which will be placed in the State Library and the University of Texas library. Also have material on Cochrans in 10 states and will exchange.

Mrs. Ivadell Cochran Hudson, 1508 Stafford Dr., Fort Worth, Texas 76134

CLOUD, PATE, GIBBS, PATTERSON, SUTTON, ALCOTT, SMITH, BUCK, JONES, KYLE, COOK, CROMWELL, GOMER, SHILLING(S)

Need information on George Cloud, a medical doctor believed to be living in Fort Worth area 1874. He and first? wife had sons born in Williamson County, Tex. in 1872 and 1874.

Desire information on James Gibbs who lived in Ellis County about 1865. Need wife and parents names. Was he from Arkansas?

Need information on ancestors of Jaton Patterson and wife -?- Sutton, whose daughter Nancy was born in 1870. Believed related to George and Andy Sutton. Also need ancestors of Louisa Alcott, born in Round Rock, Texas 1846.

Would like to contact descendants of Thomas Hillary Smith, a widower of Tennessee with a family of grown children when he came to Texas. He married (2) Manervy C. Buck Jones before 1868 and they lived in Cooke Co. Texas. His brother was Lige Smith (wife named Margery); his sister was Martha Kyle, mother of Larking Kyle. Probably related to "Aunt" Sally Cook and J. H. Cromwell.

Will also exchange information on Gomer and Shilling(s).

Mrs. John Gibbs, Route 5, Box 145B, Victoria, Texas 77901

BULLOCK, CRISP, MCCAIN

Josiah Crisp Bullock was born in Edgecombe Co., N.C. in 1797, the son of Josiah and Celia Crisp Bullock. Josiah C. married Tabitha McCain about 1834. They were in Tenn. when Josiah William was born in 1836 and in Miss. when Harriet Mary was born in 1838. Josiah C. and Harriet were living in Arkansas Co., Ark. in 1860 and are thought to have moved to Texas during the Civil War. Does anyone have information on where they may have settled in Texas?

Ronald E. Bullock, 6037 Wrigley Way, Fort Worth, Texas 76133

RUSH, FREEMAN, REESE

Seeking information on Dr. Benjamin Rush who was practicing medicine in the De Leon, Texas area about 1870. Had a son, also a doctor, who practices in San Angelo. Had niece, Rhue Blanche Freeman who married 1898 George Lee Reese in Comanche, Tex. and lived there until 1903 when they moved to Portales, New Mexico. Need dates of Dr. Rush's residence in De Leon, date and place of his death and any other information on Rush family.

Mrs. Herbert R. Spencer, 811 Clayton, Artesia, New Mexico

88210

MCCOY, ROBINSON, SULAICA, MASSEY, ROBERTSON, ALDERMAN, HOLMES,
WRIGHT, LEWIS, JOHNS, NEWBY, CLEVELAND, MEEKS

Need information on: McCoy, Robinson, Sulaica--Bexar Co., Texas prior to 1900; Massey, Robertson--Burleson Co., Texas; Alderman--Burleson Co., Texas, Miss., Duplin Co., N.C.; Holmes, Wright--Burleson Co., Tex., Miss., Ky.; Lewis, Johns--Burleson Co., Tex., Chambers Co., Ala., S.C., and possibly New London Co., Conn.; Johns--Virginia; Newby--Ellis and Henderson Cos., Tex from Ill., Tenn., Va.; Cleveland, Meeks--Franklin Co., Ga., Tuscaloosa Co., Ala, Miss.

Dorothy Newby Cleveland, 47-14 Eleventh Street, Long Island City,
New York 11101

WORNELL, MIDDLETON, ABLES, HESTER, UTZMAN, PRUITT, KELLUM, GLASS,
MELTON, FOREMAN

William R. Wornell born about 1789 Ky. married 1818 in Maury Co., Tenn. Judith Middleton, born about 1802 S.C. They moved to Texas in 1837. Issue: Mary Ann married Harrison Ables; William (killed by Indians); Amanda Adaline married (1) John A. Hester, (2) John S. Utzman; Elizabeth M married Giles Madison Pruitt; John M. (killed in Civil War); Rebecca married A. J. Kellum; David C. married America Glass; Isabella and Emily. This family lived in Rusk Co., Texas; some later moved to Hill Co., Texas. Seek data on Wm. R. Wornell and wife Judith.

Giles M. Pruitt born about 1825 Tenn. married 1845 Rusk Co., Texas as Elizabeth M. Wornell born about 1826/7 Tenn. Issue: Nancy Sophie married Jesse M. Melton; Julia C. married Franklin B. Foreman; James M.; Emily I.; Martha E.; John C./O.; Sarah A. and Winefred E. At least one of these children lived in Rains Co. Texas. Seek any data on this Pruitt family; will gladly exchange.

Mrs. Roy E. Gibson, 4517 Coffee Rd., Fort Worth, Texas 76118

BORDEN, GRIFFIN

Need parents of Eli Borden who married Martha Jane Wright in Alabama, moved to Robertson County, Texas. He was a cousin of Gail Borden. Family originally from England.

Need information on Griffin family, from Tennessee to Mississippi to Texas. Granville Griffin was Civil War soldier from Miss. Will answer all letters.

Mrs. Stella B. Griffin, 609 West 7th Street, Littlefield, Texas
79339

OFFUTT, BROCK, LOW, HOLLAND

John Offutt, son of Wm. Offutt and wife Mary Brock, born early 1700's, died 1743 Prince George's County, Md., married Esther -?- Said to have had seven children. Known issue: Mary and Zacharian. Seek names of other five children and Esther's maiden name and parentage.

David Low, Jr., son of David Low, Sr. and wife -?-, married 1751 in Maryland (probably (Lower) Frederick Co.) Mary Offutt, born 1732 in Md., daughter of John and Esther Offutt. Known issue: Elizabeth; Mary married Rezin Holland 1783/4 Montgomery Co. Md.; and David. Seek all data on these families. Will gladly exchange.

Roy E. Gibson, 4517 Coffee Rd., Fort Worth, Texas 76118

WORD, ARNETT, CATHER, HAYLETT

Index in preparation on above families for Library of Congress and National D.A.R. Library. Will send, upon request, a family record sheet to be filled out and returned so you can be linked to existing records. *Word Family Tree* 1933 can be purchased for \$7.50 with your own line added after that date. Have some Confederate records of Word and Arnett of Texas, and would like to contact descendants.

Mrs. L. A. Cather, Belle Plaine, Kansas 67013

TINNEY, BENNETT, TAYLOR, ST. JOHN

Want parents of Isaac Tinney, born 1799 and wife Susanna -?- born 1800. Both born in S.C. as were parents of both. A granddaughter (possibly a great granddaughter) Rebecca Jane Tinney was born 1851 in Georgia of Georgia born parents. Her mother married (2) Simion Fred Taylor, her dead sister's husband. Rebecca J. married about 1872/3 Virgil Fernandos Arazmos Bennett, son of Jessie Bennett, born Ga. and "Polly" St. John, born S.C. V.F.A. Bennett and his brother James and families came to Denton Co., Texas in 1885.

Mrs. Helen Bennett Coon, 4428 Jane Anne, Fort Worth, Texas 76117

WINDHAM, KELLEY, WILSON, MCCARROLL, GODSEY, WRIGHT, GILBERT

Need parents of Erastus William Windham and Orlando (Olandro) Windham, brothers. Erastus was born 1843 in Ala. His mother married (2) Ara (Arie) Kelley and lived Alba (Wood Co.) Texas area. I have been told that Ara Kelley had a daughter by his first wife who married -?- Wilson and lives, or lived, at Alba. Does anyone know of this family? Erastus Windham married Ester Emoline McCarroll. Will exchange info on their descendants. Need marriage of Monroe McCarroll, b. Blount Co., Tenn., died Hunt, Tex. father County

of Ester Emoline. Other lines are Godsy, Wright, and the Jim Gilbert family of Gladewater, Texas in early 1900's.

Mrs. A. B. Franks, 110 So. 4th Street, Carlsbad, New Mexico
88220

WILBURN

Need information on John David Wilburn, born about 1868, possibly in Kentucky, died early 1880's Dallas-Fort Worth, Texas, area. Married Colorado Territory Catherine Kingery (McWhorter).

Mrs. JoAnn Crabtree, 1526 Lyndhurst Ave., Hacienda Heights,
California 91745

BARNARD, HENRY

Tax lists for Tarrant County 1855 gives this information: Sarah Barnard, administrator of Abram Barnard, 590 acres; 1856- same; 1857 ?; 1858 John Barnard 4 horses value \$320, 30 cattle, value 180, wagon 50; Sarah Barnard, admin. of G.A. and M.E. Barnard, 170 acres value \$528, tract 640 Bearcreek, 2 horses, 20 cattle. Abram and Sarah Barnard were my great grandparents. Where can I find exact location of this land? Would like to know or contact other descendants: Mrs. John (Charlotte) Barnard lived at Estil's Station during the Civil War. Members of Dove (Lonesome Dove?) Church and possibly Bearcreek Baptist Church, 1849. Who was the Joseph Henry in Tarrant County 1850-1860? Are marriage records available for this period?

(Editor: See *The Handbook of Texas* for Barnard's Trading Post)

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EDINGTON, EDDRINGTON, COON, KOON, KUHN, COONS, CROW, ARNOLD,
BANKS, TAYLOR, BALENTINE, RICHARDSON, SOUTHWORTH, LOLLAR

Daniel Edington (Edrington) born about 1799 (where?) married Maienda -?- born about 1808 in Ala. Census 1850 Itawamba Co., Miss. lists children: George, Charity, Daniel, Emily, Mary. Emily Edrington born 1841 Miss. married David Colvin Coon(s) born 1832 S.C., son of -?- Coons and wife -?-. Children: Thomas Daniel Coon who married 1878-9 Mary Cordelia Arnold, John, William, Harriet, Sallie, Emma, Robert, Ida. Listed census 1860 Pontotoc Co. Miss. and 1870-80 Lee Co. Miss.

Also interested Crow, Arnold, Banks, Taylor, Balentine, Richardson--Searcy, Ark. and Cooper, Texas.

Andrew Jackson Southworth, b. 1841-5 Calloway Co., Mo. married (1) Elizabeth McBee and had Sarah Alice 1866 and Jessee A. 1868 born Newton Co. Mo.; married (2) Mary Isbell Lollo(a)r (dau. of Jacob and Sarah Ann (Hamilton) Lollar) born 1852 Lawrence Co., Mo.

Children: Thomas, Ida May, Pearl, Edith. In 1880 census of Lawrence Co., Mo. A. J. Southworth stated his parents were born in KY or NY. Will exchange.

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PEARSON, SMITH, DEAN, BARNES

Need information on Rev. Galalia Pearson, Presbyterian minister, of Starkville, Miss. Married Mary Gowen or Sowen.

Need parents and birthplace of Charlotte Smith who married George Dean. Their son, Benjamin Dean, born 1813 Wayne Co., N.C., married about 1832 Obedience Barnes. Need parents and birthplace of Obedience Barnes.

Graham Indian Territory--(Editor: See *The Handbook of Texas*, article on Indian Reservations)

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MARTIN, BAKER, SHOEMAKER, HAYS, WALLACE, PATTERSON, MARSHALL, WALLER, CLYMER, MAHAN, SUMNER, CAGLE, PARR, WEBB

John Middleton Martin, born Tenn., died Alvarado, Texas about 1896, married Zurella Belle Baker, born Mo., died Alvarado, 1898. Children: Lawrence Martin; Andrew Jackson, born 1867, married Mary Almedia Shoemaker near Malakoff, Henderson Co., Texas 1888, in Hill Co. about 1890 and Johnson Co., Texas 1891. A.J. Martin and M.A. Shoemaker had children: Maggie Lee married Pickins Jackson McKelvy; John Middleton married Ila Mae Waller; William Ervin married Lou Morris; James A. G. married Jewel Ward; Essie Bell married O.D. Morris; and Hoy Jackson married Naomi Martin. Andrew Jackson Martin died 1900, Barnsville, Johnson Co., Texas. Believed to have a first cousin named Clem -?- who married a Mr. Wallace, and (2) a Mr. Hays. Clem was supposedly an aunt of Bill, Conway, and Bob Patterson, who lived near lane prairie (?) northeast of Cleburne in Johnson Co., Texas in early 1900's. One of the Pattersons was a barber in Cleburne; Bill and Conway were in W.W. I 36th Div. Any information on Martin, Bakers, Clem -?-, Pattersons wanted.

Thomas W. Marshall, born Tenn. about 1815, married Hester -?-. Lived Hempstead Co. Ark. 1850, Hunt Co., Texas 1860-70-80. Children: Elvina married -?- Williams; Easter A. (1840-1875) married -?- Clymer; Cynthia P. (1842-1872) married Johnson Mahan; William J.; Stephen H.; Evaline Nancy (1844-1915) married Obediah B. Waller; Mary E. (1852-1883) married -?- Parr; and Oliver S. Easter A., Cynthia P. and Mary E. buried in Hackberry Cemetery near Lane, Hunt Co., Texas. Evaline Nancy buried Ada, Okla. Want date and place of birth and death and parents of Thomas W.

and Hester Marshall, and their children's children. Obediah B. Waller and family lived around Centrahoma, Okla. about 1915. Lura P. Waller married John Sumner and lived and died at Ada, Okla. Martha (Della) married Jim Baker, lived Centrahoma, Okla. Clennie married Brance Marshall. Ira O. lived and died around Henrietta, Okla. Beulah married John Cagle, lived Brady, Okla. (1915). Joseph Thomas Waller (1872-1951) married Minnie Lee Webb, lived Hunt, Johnson and Tarrant Counties, Texas.

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LEWIS, JOHNS, WHEELER, COLEMAN, FLAN(N)AGAN

Need information on Lodowick L. Lewis and wife Lavinia Johns, born 1815 & 1820, of Chambers Co. Ala., to Burleson Co. Texas. Believe Lewis was son of Lodowick L. Lewis and Eunice Wheeler, married 1793, Stonington, Conn. Need proof. Where in S.C. were the Lewises about 1815? Also need John A. Coleman (Sr.) (Conf. soldier?) and wife Sue Flanagan/Flannagan, of Lafayette Co., Miss., Burleson, Liberty and possibly Brazos counties, Texas.

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MARTIN, EVANS, JOHNSON, WILBURN, WELBORN

Need wife and parents of John Martin born 1795 in Georgia (where?). Are the John Martins below one and the same man? John Martin, bachelor in 1825, received land grant in Stephen F. Austin's colony; John Martin of Hempstead Co., Ark. in 1830; of Claiborne Parish, La. 1840; Bienville Parish, La. 1850 (Bienville taken from Claiborne in 1848); and purchaser of land in Bienville Parish in 1849? Who was the wife of John Martin; she seems to have died between 1840-50? Children: Leanna, born Ark. in 1829 according to census, born 1831 according to Bible record, married John M. Evans born 1820 Ga.; Nancy, born 1831 Texas, married James Johnson; Thomas J. born 1835 according to Bible but not listed with family in census; Margaret born 1838 La. Leanna Martin Evans and Nancy Martin Johnson were in John Martin's household in 1850. Where in Georgia was John M. Evans born?

Need help in untangling confused Wilburn (Welborn) family. William Wilburn m. 1805 in Powhatan Co., Va. Mary Nelson Netherland and had daughter Jane born 1807, married 1825 in Va. Moses Stratton. Moses Stratton and Jane Wilburn had a daughter, Ann Jane Stratton born 1826 Va. married 1843 in Va. her cousin William James Wilburn Jr. born 1820 Ga. Did Wm. Wilburn and Mary Nelson Netherland have another daughter named Mary, possibly born in 1811? If so, did she marry William (Bill) J. Wilburn and was she a first or second wife? What relation to one another are these two William Wilburns? William (Bill) J. Wilburn was born in Va. about 1793 and is said to be a full blood Cherokee. Was William

James Wilburn Jr. his son? Did the cousinship between Ann Jane Stratton and her husband Wm. James Jr. come about because their mothers were sisters, or through Jane Wilburn and Wm. (Bill)? Wm. (Bill) J. Wilburns seems to have moved about since his son Jr. was born in Ga. in 1820; Claiborn B. in Tenn. about 1833; John in Ala. 1834; George in Miss. in 1837; Powhatten in Miss. in 1845 and Egbert B. and Sarah Ann in 1849 in Miss. Does the gap between sons born in 1820 and 1833 indicate the man had no wife during that time, or were there other children not known? The 1850 census of Itawamba, Miss. lists the children from Claiborn B. on and a woman named Mary E. born in S.C. in 1811. Was she Mary Wilburn, daughter of Wm. and Mary N. Netherland and sister of Jane, or someone else?

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NEWTON, RIGGS

James A. Newton born in Fairfield Co., S.C. about 1821 married Pheobe Riggs, Dandridge, Jefferson Co. Tenn. in 1849. James A. Newton served in the Union Army, Co. 'H' 63 Regiment Inf. from Rolla, Phelps Co., Missouri. He died 1867, is buried at St. James, Mo. in Matlock Cemetery. Who were the parents of James A. Newton?

Will exchange information on Clisby Riggs, Revolutionary soldier from North Carolina. Removed to east Tennessee. Will answer all correspondence.

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CRAIN, YOUNG, SCOTT, NOWELL

According to Texas history, Joseph Crain married Mary A. Young, daughter of Col. William Cocke Young probably around 1860. When and where did they marry? Records show that a Joseph Crain bought land in Lamar County, Texas in 1850. Was this the same Joseph Crain? Could he have been a brother of Jasper or Joel Crain of Lamar County? Jasper Crain married Mary C. Scott 7 October 1847 and Joel Crain married Elizabeth A. Nowell 6 November 1845 in Lamar County. Joel Crain was born in Illinois ca 1819, and Jasper was born in Illinois ca 1824. We have been unable to locate the Jasper Crain Bible so there is no Bible record to help us on this family. Jasper Crain is my ancestor. Any information concerning him will be gratefully received.

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HIGHSMITH, MILLER, RIDDLE, RUSSELL

Andy (Wm. Andrew?), Susan and Elizabeth Highsmith of Bastrop Co., Texas received a share of their Uncle Richard Highsmith's estate. He died in Texas prior to 1833. In the Order to Cite Heirs filed 1856 in Bastrop Co., Texas his heirs were: living in Texas, David, Teresa (wife of Samuel), Deborah (wife of Ahijah) and living in Missouri and Illinois were William, Elizabeth Miller, Rachel Riddle and Polly Russell. (Elizabeth Miller raised a half bro. Louis or Lewis Highsmith who m Molly Murphy. They are supposed to be buried in Greenville, Texas. Where?) Which of these was their father? A Richard and Samuel Highsmith are mentioned in a deed of gift of Benjamin Highsmith, 1825, Lincoln Co., Mo. Are these the same Richard and Samuel who received First Class land grants in Texas (they were living in Texas on 2 March, 1836) and who are named in the above probate proceeding in Bastrop Co.?

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DENSON

Need information on Thomas C. Denson, born 1793, perhaps North Carolina, died 1867 Houston County, Texas. He was the father of John, O'Conner, Joseph, Shadrack, Elizabeth, and Nancy Denson. Who was his wife? his parents? his brothers and sisters? Would appreciate correspondence concerning any of the above named.

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COBURN, COGBURN, COCKBURN

Interested in exchanging information on Coburn, Cogburn, Cockburn, families who migrated from Anson County, NC to Lauderdale County, Ala to Rusk County, Texas. Some of these families moved to West Texas. Will answer all correspondence.

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MARTIN

Would like to correspond with descendants of Martin families who settled early in Johnson, Hood, and Somervell Counties. I have data to exchange on related families who lived in Tenn., Ala., eastern Miss. and most of whom settled 1853 at old Knoxville, Cherokee County, Tex. Other related families came to old Knoxville 1847, and some appear to have arrived at dates later than 1853. Will answer all letters.

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ABSTRACT OF LAND TITLES
Tarrant County, Texas
to 21 August 1877

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Under the column entitled Quantity the amount is in acres unless otherwise specified. Other denominations are in labors, leagues and square varas. All fractional acres have been omitted from the Quantity as shown here, in order to conserve space. The following abbreviations will be used in that column:

labor - la square varas - sv
league - le million(s) - m

ABSTR NO	ORIGINAL GRANTEE	PATENTEE	QUANTITY	CLASS	DATE PAT
1418	Smith, Wm	Heirs of same	320	Third	1856
1419	Smith, Absalom	Same	186	do	1868
1420	Smith, Alfred M	Heirs of same	320	do	1856
1421	Stockton, Samuel C	Heirs of same	240	do	1855
1422	Stapp, Isaac N	Christopher C McKinney	320	do	1854
1423	Selvidge, M K	Same	do	do	1855
1424	Sawyer, Sarah	Heirs of same	do	do	1855
1425	do	do	do	do	1855
1426	Stephens, Absalom	M T Johnson	do	do	1856
1427	Stephens, Andrew J	do	do	do	1856
1428	Stephens, John	do	640	do	1855
1429	Stephens, Wm	do	do	do	1856
1430	Sanderson, James	Same	do	do	1860
1431	Slaughter, Wm H	Same	do	do	1859
1432	Smith, Nathan	Same	do	do	1856
1433	Stewart, Wm T	J B Roberts	59	do	1861
1434	Sise, John	George W Pratt	296	do	1873
1435	do	do	24	do	1873
1436	Shields, George	Lemuel J Edwards	320	do	1860
1437	Sloan, Wm N	Same	160	do	1860
1438	Sutherland, Elijah	Lawrence Steel	320	do	1864
1439	Schultz, E A	Same	108	do	1859
1440	Smith, Wm C	S M Jamison	160	do	1860
1441	do	D L Hall	do	do	1860
1442	Smith, David	Same	do	do	1859
1443	Sublett, Wm S	Same	318	do	1859
1444	Simpson, L W	G T Petty	116	do	1860
1445	Snider, E S	Same	160	do	1859
1446	Smith, John	John Harrison	320	do	1859
1447	Scott, Martin P	Same	160	do	1859
1448	Snider, Joel	Same	do	do	1859
1449	Scott, James J	Same	do	do	1859
1450	Scott, M F	Same	do	do	1859
1451	Sutton, Jesse	Jesse Eads	320	do	1855
1452	Smallwood, John H	Same	160	do	1876

ABSTR NO	ORIGINAL GRANTEE	PATENTEE	QUANTITY	CLASS	DATE PAT
1453	Splane, Payton R	Same	91	Bounty	1870
1454	do	do	229	do	1869
1455	Schriver, Eli W	Same	640	do	1872
1456	Schreeve, John M	Morgan C Hamilton	320	do	1870
1457	Scragg, Samuel	Zacheus Hamblin	do	do	1861
1458	Smith, Thomas	John H Herndon	640	Donation	1858
1459	Simpson, Wilson	W H Jasper & Rich Craulley	320	Bounty	1866
1460	do	C Caldwell and S Mullekin	160	Donation	1871
1461	Stephens, L H	Same	99	Scrip	1876
1462	S A & M G RR Co	James P Dumas	320	do	1861
1463	do	do	640	do	1861
1464	do	Ira Ellis	320	do	1861
1465	Stephens, Thos	Same	160	do	1863
1466	Starr, G G	Same	160	do	1864
1467	Samuel, B L	Same	26	do	1860
1468	Snider, Joel	Same	41	do	1860
1469	Stout, Wm B	Same	160	do	1864
1470	Swarthout, Samuel	Same	212	do	1875
1471	Steiner, J M	Same	160	do	1875
1472	S P RR Co	Same	113	do	1875
1473	do	Same	527	do	1875
1474	do	Same	74	do	1875
1475	do	Same	566	do	1875
1476	do	Same	65	do	1875
1477	do	Same	285	do	1875
1478	do	Same	640	do	1875
1479	S A & M G RR Co	Richard H Angroin	do	do	1875
1480	Stephens, L H	L Stephens	99	do	1876
1481	S A & M G RR Co	Jacob Samuel	80	do	1864
1482	do	R. H Angroin	166	do	1875
1483	do	W B Munson	245	do	1876
1484	Sweatman, T S	-	160	do	-
1485	Smallwood, J H	Same	do	do	1863
1486	Simmons, J H	-	do	Pre-empt	-
1487	Sturm, O C	Same	149	do	1876
1488	Smith, David H	Same	91	do	1876
1489	Smith, Wallace	-	150	do	-
1490	Stephens, J R	Same	149	do	1875
1491	Seymour, Charles E	-	160	do	-
1492	Shields, Stephen T	-	do	do	-
1493	Smallwood, H B	Same	104	do	1876
1494	Stephens, John	-	69	do	-
1495	Stephens, W D	M Gladson	160	do	1876
1496	Thomas, Benjamin	Heirs of same	3 m + sv	First	1862
1497	do	do	22 m + sv	do	1867
1498	Thompson, Wm W	Heirs of same	1/3 le	do	1860
1499	Thompson, Alex	Heirs of same	160	Third	1860

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1500	Turner, Joseph T	J N Petty	320	Third	1858
1501	Thompson, Thomas J	Same	160	do	1862
1502	do	do	do	do	1871
1503	do	do	120	do	1875
1504	Thompson, Samuel H	Same	158	do	1874
1505	Thornhill, James	Same	160	do	1873
1506	Teague, C B	Same	do	do	1873
1507	Thompson, H D	Same	320	do	1858
1508	Truit, P M	M J Brinson	160	do	1857
1509	Trammell, Wm C	Same	do	do	1857
1510	Throop, Charles M	Heirs of same	640	do	1855
1511	Troop, Francis	Same	do	do	1854
1512	Tucker, Samuel	Same	320	do	1856
1513	Tuggle, Henry P	Same	do	do	1856
1514	Thomas, James M	James N Smith	do	do	1860
1515	Tucker, Wm B	Charles C Lacy	319	do	1857
1516	Tucker, Wm B, Sr	Same	do	do	1857
1517	Teeter, Liberty J	Israel Cox	320	do	1859
1518	Teeter, David R	S C H Witten	do	do	1860
1519	Thornhill, John	J P Dumas and E M Jones	640	do	1856
1520	Trimble, Wm A	Same	320	do	1856
1521	Trimble, Wm C	Same	489	do	1854
1522	Thomas, John W	Same	320	do	1855
1523	Tinsley, Lewis G	Same	640	do	1854
1524	Tannehill, David	Same	do	do	1854
1525	Thomas, John P	Same	320	do	1855
1526	Thomas, Isaac	Same	640	do	1855
1527	Terrell, E S	Same	320	do	1855
1528	Trimble, Allen S	Same	do	do	1854
1529	do	do	do	do	1854
1530	Tuell, James	John W Sublett	do	do	1857
1531	Throckmorton, Robt M	L L Jopling	160	do	1861
1532	Thompson, Alex	Same	147	do	1861
1533	Thurmond, D H	Same	160	do	1869
1534	Thurmond, Erasmus G	Same	do	do	1869
1535	Thurmond, Jerome S	Same	do	do	1869
1536	Toler, Thomas H	Jesse Evans	do	do	1863
1537	Teeter, Garrett	Same	320	do	1863
1538	Tandy, Wm L	Same	160	do	1859
1539	Taylor, Thos B	Jas G Harris	640	do	1867
1540	Tannahill, Robt W	Same	320	do	1857
1541	Toler, Thomas U	Same	160	do	1859
1542	Tarpley, Green H	George Hoover	320	do	1860
1543	Teeter, Geo W	W A Rogers	320	do	1858
1544	Teague, Elizabeth	Same	160	do	1859
1545	Teague, G M	Same	do	do	1859
1546	Teague, Jesse	Isaac Power	do	do	1859
1547	Toler, Matthew H	Matther H Toler	do	do	1859

ABSTR NO	ORIGINAL GRANTEE ORIGINAL GRANTEE	PATENTEE PATENTEE	QUANTITY	CLASS	DATE PAT
1548	Tannehill, Jas, dec'd	-	10	Third	-
1549	Terrell, E S	Same	320	do	1856
1550	Taylor, Edward	Same	160	Bounty	1873
1551	Townsend, Moses	Cotlett, Tombs and Crawford	68	Donation	1873
1552	do	do	572	do	1859
1553	Townsend, Spencer	do	320	Bounty	1858
1554	do	do	640	Donation	1859
1555	Thompson, Singleton	Allen A Russell	181	do	1862
1556	Thompson, Hiram	Joseph Ray	175	Donation	1860
1557	do	do	140	do	1860
1558	Thompson, Wm	Enoch M Jones	464	Bounty	1861
1559	do	do	179	do	1873
1560	Taylor, Edward	Heirs of same	526	do	1873
1561	do	do	58	do	1876
1562	Tucker, W B	Same	160	Scrip	1863
1563	Thompson, N E	Same	do	do	1865
1564	T & N O RR Co	Samuel Feliner	640	do	1874
1565	do	E A Shaw	do	do	1874
1566	do	do	do	do	1874
1567	do	do	do	do	1874
1568	T & P RR Co	-	do	do	-
1569	do	-	285	do	-
1570	do	-	294	do	-
1571	do	-	151	do	-
1572	do	-	279	do	-
1573	do	Same	611	do	1877
1574	do	-	265	do	-
1575	do	-	558	do	-
1576	do	Same	135	do	1877
1577	Tucker, W B	Same	38	Pre-empt	1874
1578	Thomas, B Frank	-	160	do	-
1579	Thornhill, James	-	do	do	-
1580	Turner, James T	Same	do	do	1876
1581	Turner, P H	-	131	do	-
1582	Underwood, Norman	Same	640	Third	1854
1583	Van Nordstran, A	Heirs of Wm Hardin	220,416 sv	First	1875
1584	do	-	4 m + sv	do	-
1585	Vogt, Adam	Hays, Kennedy, Wilson, and Wright	28	Third	1874
1586	do	do	111	do	1874
1587	Vogt, A	E J Kennedy	174	do	1876
1588	Vandusen, John M	Heirs of same	320	do	1859
1589	Vanriper, John	E M Daggett	480	do	1864
1590	do	James H Ayres	160	do	1864
1591	Vickery, Richard	Same	do	Scrip	1863
1592	Vant, W H	Same	121	Pre-empt	1874

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1593	Whitman, John L	J T Morehead	4 m + sv	First	1861
1594	do	D K Tannehill	903,000 sv	do	1863
1595	Ward, James S	A B McGill	678,811 sv	do	1873
1596	do	do	320,353 sv	do	1873
1597	Wagley, John	Same	708,400 sv	do	1860
1598	Walters, Moses	Same	4 m + sv	do	1860
1599	Williams, James W	W H Slaughter	4 m + sv	do	1870
1600	Walker, Josiah	Same	5 m + sv	do	1862
1601	do	do	4m	do	1862
1602	do	do	3 m + sv	do	1862
1603	do	do	1 m + sv	do	1862
1604	do	do	4 m + sv	do	1862
1605	Wallace, James	Same	2 m + sv	do	1861
1606	Wallace, Wm W	Same	14 m + sv	do	1856
1607	do	do	11 m + sv	do	1856
1608	Williams, Alexander	-	2 M + sv	do	-
1609	do	-	2 m + sv	do	-
1610	do	-	1 m + sv	do	-
1611	White, Charles C	Same	640	Second	1859
1612	Warnell, Wm W	M T Johnson	557	do	1858
1613	do	do	156	do	1858
1614	Whiting, Wm J	James P Dumas	640	do	1861
1615	Warnell, Wm	M T Johnson	320	do	1858
1616	Warnell, Wm W	Wm M Crawford	182	do	1869
1617	Wanhop, James W	-	600	do	-
1618	Wagoner, R W	Samuel Evans	310	Third	1869
1619	Witten, S C H	Same	160	do	1861
1620	West, James J	Same	153	do	1863
1621	Wilmuth, Mansel W	Same	155	do	1860
1622	Walker, Hiram	Same	160	do	1860
1623	Wilson, James	Same	50	do	1871
1624	Wood, Franklin	A G Walker	84	do	1874
1625	do	do	26	do	1870
1626	Wilson, Guiaver	Same	160	do	1870
1627	do	do	31	do	1870
1628	Wood, Franklin	A G Walker	30	do	1870
1629	Wilson, Guiaver	Same	129	do	1870
1630	Walker, A G	Same	640	do	1855
1631	Wilson, Joseph	Same	do	do	1855
1632	Watson, Joab	Same	320	do	1857
1633	Webb, Wesley C	Same	do	do	1845
1634	Wingfield, John J	Same	640	do	1854
1635	Wilburn, Edward	Heirs of same	160	do	1854
1636	White, Thomas	Same	320	do	1855
1637	Wales, Francis M	Heirs of same	160	do	1856
1638	Woody, Samuel	Wm M Crawford	318	do	1857
1639	Wilburn, Wm W	do	320	do	1859
1640	Wilburn, F C	Same	320	do	1859
1641	Woodson, A J	James P Davis	do	do	1859
1642	Welch, Peter T	E S Terrell	181	do	1856
1643	do	do	125	do	1856
1644	Welch, Wm	do	320	do	1856

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1645	Wheat, Wm W	J P Dumas and E M Jones	350	Third	1856
1646	do	do	269	do	1856
1647	do	E M Peak	21	do	1857
1648	West, Samuel	Heirs of same	310	do	1857
1649	Wetmore, Louis	Same	320	do	1858
1650	Weatherford, Hardin	John H Cole	160	do	1854
1651	do	do	do	do	1854
1652	Walker, Landon C	A G Walker	320	do	1855
1653	do	do	do	do	1856
1654	Walker, Joel	Same	577	do	1854
1655	Worthington, Richard	Heirs of same	320	do	1854
1656	Witt, Preston	A G Walker	150	do	1855
1657	Watson, Morton	Edward S Terrell	320	do	1855
1658	Waddell, F B	Same	640	do	1849
1659	Waller, Benjamin E	Same	do	do	1859
1660	Winn, Wm	Timothy W Mann	20	do	1861
1661	do	J T Morehead	200	do	1861
1662	do	Timothy W Mann	100	do	1861
1663	Warwick, Lydia Jane	Charles Bailey	640	do	1871
1664	Wilmeth, Manuel W	Same	167	do	1869
1665	Weaver, John C	Same	160	do	1873
1666	Watson, John	James P. Alferd	50	do	1872
1667	do	do	38	do	1872
1668	Welch, Wm	A F Leonard	320	do	1861
1669	Williams, Russell G B	R G B Williams	160	do	1859
1670	Watson, John	James P Alford	231	do	1863
1671	Wilson, Joseph	Joseph E Wilson	320	do	1863
1672	Whitley, Robert	Same	160	do	1859
1673	Wickson, Benj F	Thos O Moody	do	do	1873
1674	Williams, Robert B	J P S Dunn	do	do	1860
1675	Wait, George	-	320	do	-
1676	Wilson, Stephen B	Pheby Wilburn	do	do	1859
1677	Wallace, Isham	Heirs Benjamin Stephenson	do	do	1861
1678	Wheat, John	M S Randall	do	do	1859
1679	Wilburn, Edward	Heirs of same	160	do	1858
1680	Wilburn, James S	James S Welburn	143	do	1859
1681	Wilson, John	W B Bell	320	do	1859
1682	Willis, Theodore G	P H Clark	146	do	1858
1683	Wells, F M	Same	160	do	1861
1684	Wells, Samuel T	Same	do	do	1859
1685	Wright, L C	Same	do	do	1859
1686	Warren, Alexander	Wm Lakeman	146	do	1873

ABSTR NO	ORIGINAL GRANTEE	PATENTEE	QUANTITY	CLASS	DATE PAT
1687	Warren, Alex C	Wm Lakeman	160	Third	1873
1688	Wood, Franklin	Wm Turner	261	do	1867
1689	Watson, T H	Same	160	Scrip	1863
1690	Williams, Samuel P	Same	640	Bounty	1872
1691	Wickson, Eli	Elijah Evans	160	do	1871
1692	White, Joseph	Same	do	Third	1873
1693	Wuthrick, Ulrich	Same	640	Donation	1844
1694	Wingate, A C	W K Cooke	320	Bounty	1858
1695	Wheat, Josiah F	James W Latimer	do	do	1860
1696	Walters, G T	G A Rucker	160	do	1873
1697	White, Joseph	Same	do	Third	1873
1698	Wood, Franklin	J A Burgorn	100	do	1869
1699	Wallace, John R	Same	83	do	1872
1700	Wilcox, Jacob	Tombs, Crawford and Cotlett	640	Scrip	1857
1701	do	do	do	do	1857
1702	do	do	do	do	1857
1703	do	do	do	do	1857
1704	do	do	do	do	1857
1705	Wallace, Wm W	Same	do	do	1856
1706	do	do	320	do	1856
1707	Walker, J W	Same	80	do	1859
1708	Walsh, R M	Same	160	do	1861
1709	Wilcox, Jacob	Tombs, Crawford and heirs of Cotlett	640	do	1850
1710	do	do	do	do	1859
1711	do	do	do	do	1858
1712	do	do	do	do	1859
1713	do	do	do	do	1858
1714	do	do	do	do	1859
1715	do	do	593	do	1851
1716	do	do	640	Scrip	1859
1717	do	do	480	do	1859
1718	do	do	531	do	1858
1719	do	do	560	do	1859
1720	do	do	640	do	1859
1721	do	do	do	do	1859
1722	do	do	do	do	1857
1723	do	do	do	do	1857
1724	do	do	do	do	1857
1725	do	do	do	do	1857
1726	do	do	do	do	1857
1727	do	do	do	do	1857
1728	do	do	do	do	1857
1729	do	do	do	do	1857
1730	do	do	do	do	1859
1731	Watson, P A	Same	108	do	1862
1732	Wilton, J C H	Wilton, S C H	118	do	1868
1733	Wheeler, P L	Same	160	do	1863
1734	Wilton, S C H	Same	134	do	1862
1735	Williams, T W	Same	147	do	1868

ABSTR NO	ORIGINAL GRANTEE	PATENTEE	QUANTITY	CLASS	DATE PAT
1736	Worrall, J R	J R Worroll	320	Scrip	1866
1737	Wilton, S C H	Same	66	do	1862
1738	Walker, J A	Same	131	do	1864
1739	Wheatley, D B	Same	133	do	1861
1740	Wilton, S C H	Same	88	do	1870
1741	Wilcox, Jacob	Tombs, Crawford and Cotlett	160	do	1875
1742	do	-	109	do	-
1743	do	Tombs, Crawford and Cotlett	47	do	1874
1744	do	do	40	do	1874
1745	do	do	33	do	1874
1746	Williams, Dorcas	Same	99	Pre-empt	1874
1747	Withirengton, N S	-	160	do	-
1748	Withers, James E	Same	157	do	1876
1749	Williams, Lewis	Same	66	do	1875
1750	Weems, T P S	-	160	do	-
1751	White, George	-	do	do	-
1752	Yantis, Wm	Yantis, Wm O	do	Third	1860
1753	Yates, John C	Same	245	do	1874
1754	York, John B	Same	640	do	1855
1755	Young, A S	Heirs of same	160	Bounty	1875
1756	Young, A T	Same	160	Scrip	1862
1757	Yarbrough, J F	Same	65	Pre-empt	1876
1758	Zombrano, Jose Ma	W W Oliver	640	Second	1859
1759	Zachary, Thos G	Heirs of same	320	Third	1859
1760	Zinn, R D	-	80	Pre-empt	-
1761	Zinn, C M	-	160	do	-
1762	Zinn, Reuben B	-	do	do	-

GLOSSARY OF ABBREVIATIONS
Commonly Used in Genealogical Work

(Abstracted from June, 1963 *Bulletin* of the Fort Worth Genealogical Society)

adms.; admin. - administrator (of an estate) or administration
 acct. - account, usually report of executor or administrator
 ae.; aet. - of age; aged
 bp.; bapt. - baptized
 b. - born
 bd. - bond
 bet. - between
 c; ca.; cir.; circa - about (used in connection with dates)
 ch. - child, children
 chr. - christened
 Co.; co. - county
 ct. - court
 d. - died
 D.; da. - date, day or days
 da.; dau. - daughter
 dec.; decd; dec'd - deceased
 d. s. p. - died without issue
 d. v. p. - died in his father's lifetime
 d. s. m. - died in his mother's lifetime
 desc. - descendant
 dies - day of burial
 c/o - daughter of
 et ux.; et uxor; et uxoria - and wife
 ex exec - executor
 exx; exox. - executrix
 est. - estimated
 gdn. - guardian
 H. S.; Hic situs - Here is buried
 Imp.; imprimis - in the first place (used in wills)
 intestate - died without having made a will
 inv.; invt. - inventory (of decedent's estate)
 J. P. - Justice of the Peace
 L.; lib.; liber - book (also bk. is used)
 M. G. - minister of the Gospel
 m.; md.; mar. - married
 n. d. - no date
 n. p.; n. pla - no place
 nunc. - nuncupative - oral will
 ob.; obit. - died
 O.S.; Old Style - The old or Julian Calendar (used before 1752)
 p/a; p. p. a. - power of attorney; per power of attorney
 pro.; prob.; prov. - probated or proved
 s. l. g - without legitimate issue
 s. p. - without issue
 t.; tem.; tempore - in the time of

GANO'S SQUADRON, C. S. A.

by Betty Coburn Winchester

Transcribed from Compiled Service Records of Confederate Soldiers Who Served in Organizations from the State of Texas, Microfilm Reel #192 which was obtained from the National Archives.

Gano's Squadron, Texas Cavalry, consisted of two companies, "A" and "B," which had been organized in 1862. The following letter, written by Captain Gano, explains the organization and re-organization of the companies:

"We had 114 names promised for the within company and when we met on the 6 Mch 1862 to organize all did not come up Our section of country being stripped of men; to have waited to fill up the company would have caused considerable delay. We are not of that disposition but all hurrying on to our destination where we can under official service to our beloved country. The Squadron composed of R. M. Gano's Company A and J. M. Huffmans Company B, was organized on the 6 March 1862 by order of General A. S. Johnson, by authority of Secy J. P. Benjamin and are now at Clarkesville, Texas, one hundred and forty miles enroute for Breckenridges Brigade, Genl A. S. Johnson Army Tennessee as for instructions. We expect to reach the command during the latter part of this month viz April given unto my hand this 6 day of April 1862.

R. M. Gano, Capt.
Commanding the Texas Squadron
C. S. A."

Captain Gano's military strength and desire for future service are revealed in the two letters which follow.

"May 9th, 1862

Genl Jordan,

My squadron of Texas Cavalry numbering 150 men are now at Grand Junction (or will be in the morning 10th inst) We were ordered by General A. S. Johnson to Genl Breckenridge's Command, and having been raised within twelve miles of Genl B and knowing him well, we wish to be continued in his command. I am well acquainted with all central Ky and upper Tennessee and the Squadron being composed of Texas Rangers, expert horsemen and arrived with double barralled shot guns and heavy sabres & colts navy six shooters. We can under Genl B who knows well the section of country I am acquainted with, render to our country efficient service. We are anxious to get into the present struggle, and a train could put us through in a very few hours from Grand Junction. I will call in the morning for

instructions. For farther particulars I would refer you to General Breckenridge.

Your obedient servant
R. M. Gano, Sr. Capt.
commanding Texas Squadron C. S. A."

"Clarkesville, Red River Co. Tex
April 3d 1862

Genl. Breckenridge

Dear Sir. I am now one hundred and forty miles from home en route for your command. We have a squadron composed of one hundred and sixty men. Capt. J. M. Huffman commands the Junior Company. We are ordered by General A. S. Johnson by authority of Secretary of War at Richmond to the Army in Tennessee. As Capt. Huffman informs me for your Brigade. That was my request, having been reared in Bourbon Co and partially educated at Harrodsburg, and having married the daughter of Dr. Thomas Welch of Crab Orchard, with relatives scattered from Hopkinsville to Covington. I have a knowledge of the country that would aid us greatly in the service of my beloved country. If we should succeed in driving the enemy back into my native state, I have some experience in the ranger service during the past four years, and all our boys are expert on horseback. We hope to vie with Capt Morgans Squadron for honors & laurels. We expect a place in your command, and do not let us be disappointed, since Genl Johnson was willing while at Bowling Green. I shall never get over it if we are placed any where else. I used that as an argument in raising the squadron, and the consequences was your warmest admirers flocked to us, and we must not be disappointed. all we want is that place, and as far as the enemy we will bring you scores if possible. My kind regards to my old friend A. K. Richards. We hope to be with you before the close of the month (April).

I am sir your friend & servant
R. M. Gano
Sr. Capt. comm. Squadron, C. S. A."

The compiled service records for Capt. Gano show that this Company "A" was mustered March 6, 1862 at Witts Mill by J. M. Huffman who commanded Company "B." By September 1, 1862, Gano appeared on a Roster of Officers of the 7th, (Gano's) Regiment of Kentucky Cavalry, Morgan's Division, which was organized September 1. His transfer to this company was approved in May of 1862 and on July 2, 1862, Gano was appointed Major. June, 1863, finds Gano and his men in Little Rock, Arkansas, and then on to Shreveport.

Most of the men in Gano's Squadron enlisted at Witts Mill, Dallas County, Texas, on March 6, 1862. Each man provided his own mount and fire arms, and each enlisted for a period of twelve months.

Witts Mill, later Poor's mill, and then Trinity Mills, was near the present town of Carrollton in Dallas County.

Company "A"

Anderson, J E, Capt, age 20	Moss, H H, Sgt, age 22
Andrews, J B, Pvt, age 24	Moss, W H, Sgt, age 21
Barkeloo, T A, Pvt, age 31	Murchison, M H, Lt, age 33
Borah, W M, Pvt, age 19	Murphy, William, Pvt, age 18
Butler, John, Pvt, age 24	Mussick, H T, Pvt, age 26
Deskens, W, Pvt, age 43	Nicholson, E P, Pvt, age 35
Earle, Jeff, Pvt, age 29	Obrian, Jacob N, Pvt, age 27
Eastman, J H, Pvt, age 25	Parkerson, Z J, Pvt, age 31
Elliott, E M, Pvt, age 34	Quayle, A M, Sgt, age 31
Garrison, Shadrach, Pvt, age 18	Raines, C W, Pvt, age 22
Greear, J M, Pvt, age 24	Raines, R T, Pvt, age 24
Haynes, R B, Ord. Sgt, age 29	Robert, Hugh, Pvt, age 48
Hinchie, H A, Cpl, age 38	Rogers, C M, Pvt, age 21
Horton, J W, Pvt, age 27	Rogers, D C, Pvt, age 38
Hughes, James, Pvt, age 17	Rogers, George W, Pvt, age 23
Hughes, N H, Cpl, age 38	Rogers, J J, Pvt, age 22
Johnson, G M, Pvt, age 28	Scott, W R, Cpl, age 23
Jones, Joseph, Pvt, age 26	Smith, J M, Pvt, age 22
Jordan, J W, Pvt, age 22	Spears, J J H, Pvt, age 35
Kendall, R A, Pvt, age 19	Spears, Robert, Lt, age 34
Lester, T J, Pvt, age 34	Stockpole, E M, Pvt, age 33
Lindsey, E, Cpl, age 46	Tannehill, R P, Pvt, age 19
Lindsey, J E, Pvt, age 18	Tannehill, W J, Pvt, age 17
Litsey, J B, Sgt, age 26	Teel, E C, Pvt, age 17
Litsey, R, Pvt, age 20	Trigg, H A, Pvt, age 19
Manning, R H, Pvt, age 24	Trigg, J W, 2 Lt, age 30
Mathis, M J, Pvt, age 26	Webb, A, Pvt, age 28
McCanne, J W, Pvt, age 22	Wilson, Joseph, Pvt, age 21
McQuitty, David, Pvt, age 18	Witten, George W, Pvt, age 20
Meddow, Isaac, Pvt, age 27	Wright, W F, Pvt, age 19
Morgan, John, Pvt, age 33	

Company "B"

Aldridge, J C, Pvt, age 22	Blalack, Charles, Pvt, age 21
Aldridge, A B, Pvt, age 17	Blalack, Thomas, Sgt, age 26
Allen, Charles, Pvt, age 22	Blalack, William, Pvt, age 32
Bailey, David, Pvt, age 22	Blewett, James, Pvt, age 18
Bailey, Sidney, Pvt, age 50	Boss, J, Pvt, age 20
Belew, W L, Pvt, age 25	Bowman, J H, Pvt, age 19
Blackburn, W R, Pvt, age 19	Butler, J J, Pvt, age 28
Bailey, George, Pvt, age 18	Blewett, W B, Sgt, age 20

A LETTER FROM HOME

Contributed by Mrs. Stanley C. Smith, 3916 Weyburn Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76109. Daniel Coleman Meredith is the great grandfather of Mrs. Smith.

So. Carolina) This the 30th of Oct 1838
Anderson District) ever Dear Brother

I hasten to Inform that kind and affectionate letter came safe to hand the 29th of this Inst, which give us much pleasure to understad that you was well. I inform that we are all enjoying reasonable health at this time and has with few small exceptions since your absence from us and I hope these times may find you enjoying health and prosperity. Nothing very special has hapend among us since you left us We have had one daughter and call her name Emily Jane.

We received a letter from Brother John about 18 months ago he had married and was then living in Old Kentucky. Capt. Ambrose Mason departed this life April the 29th 1837 Mrs Jane Pain still lives at the old place tho all the negroes are sold but four the land is sold also I am still living at the same place where you left me and I think it probable I shall still continue here

You write you would be glad for me to move to Texas and you give a very fine account of that Country but the distance such that forbids the Idea of my moving to that Country We have had very extensive and fatal drouth in this Country the past season tho we think there is a nough made to do. Wheat crops were very find in this country this year full as good as you ever saw them probably. I should like very well to see you and wish you to visit us when convenient and if you cant come and see us I hope you will not neglect to write and let us know all that passing new in your Country.

Broth: John Lecroy is still living in this neighborhood and himself and family are all as well as common except their youngest child which is about two months old and never has been well it is a Daughter and its name is Sarah Jane they have also a son since you left and they call his name David Simmons. Emilia yet lives in this settlement and herself and family are well at present as far as I know

Brother John Inform me in his letter that he married a Miss Sarah Allen also that they had one Daughter named Martha Francis four years old about this time he also wrote that he was hired and working at his trade for \$2.50 dollars per year and writes he likes that Country very well William tells you his shoes is too Large for his papa

Easter Mason family are all well and she wishes if you have heard anything from her son Abner to write in your next letter I wish you also to Inform me in your next letter what is the state of religion in that Country and particular if you enjoy it yourself Nothing more at present but remain yours until death I wish to know also if Texas is healthy I seal this letter with the wafer you sent me

Abraham & Susannah
Meredith

Abraham Meredith was born in South Carolina about 1794 and died there after 15 June 1879. He married first, Susannah Brown, said to have been a daughter of Levi Brown (*History of Hart County, Georgia*, John William Baker, 1933). He married second, prior to circa 1848, Clarissa Leathers.

The letter was mailed November 3, 1838, at Fairplay, South Carolina, and was addressed to Mr. Daniel Meredith, Texas, Nacogdoches Post Office. Daniel Coleman Meredith was born in South Carolina on September 15, 1805 and died in Cherokee County, Texas, on February 6, 1868, where he had lived since 1837.

Emily Jane Meredith, referred to in the letter, was the wife of Rev. James T. W. Vernon. Both died in Hartwell, Georgia, and are buried there.

Mrs. Jane Pain and Easter Mason, also mentioned in the letter, are presumably the daughters of Col. Ambrose Mason. His will (Box 12, No 420, Probate Judge's Office, Anderson County, S. C.) mentions, among others, Jenny Payne, Lucinda Mason, Ester Mason, and Kitty Mason. The witnesses to the will, signed 4 April 1837, proved 5 June 1837, were: James Young, Sr., Jesse Bradberry, and Abraham Meredith.

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Editor's Note:

The "Letter from Home," was written with very little punctuation and no paragraph delineations, as was the practice of the times. Paper was a very precious item and space could not be wasted. To make the material more readable, the editor created paragraphs which were designed to call attention to the families mentioned.

In this letter we find the word "instant." In most old letters and documents we find both "instant" and "ultimo."

Webster's Collegiate Dictionary, 4th Edition, defines "instant" as present; current; now rare, except as used to indicate the current month; defines "ultimo" in the month preceding the present.

PASSAGIERLISTE

Passagierliste des Schiffes Nr. 109 "sophie," aus Hamburg, Kapitaen J. G. Bentson, von Hamburg ausgelaufen am 28 August 1852 nach Galveston und Indianola in Texas, USA.

Zusammengestellt aus den alphabetischen Hamburg auswandererprotokollen von killen von 1852 durch Karl Werner Kluber, Kulturhistoriker und Genealoge.

(Passenger list of ship number 109, "Sophie," Captain J. G. Bentson, sailed from Hamburg to Galveston and Indianola in Texas, U. S. A., on the 28th of August 1852.

Hamburg Immigrants of 1852, compiled and arranged in alphabetical order by Karl Werner Kluber, Kulturhistoriker und Genealoge.)

Passag.
Zahl

- 1 BAUCH, Wilhelm, Landmann, aus Schwerin in Mecklenburg
- 2 BAUCH, Eckhardt, Landmann, aus Schwerin in Mecklenburg
- 9 EWERT, Heinrich, Landmann, und Frau und 7 Kinder, 11-28 Jahre alt, aus Eisenberg in Preussen
- 8 FISSLER, Friedrich, Landmann, und Frau und 6 Kinder, 9-21 Jahre alt aus Gilsa in Kurhessen
- 1 FRANCK, Friedrich, Brenner, aus Neustrelitz in Mecklenburg-Strelitz
- 2 GAETKE, N. Wilhelm, Landmann, und Frau, aus Texas in America
- 3 KOTH, Joachim, Landmann und Frau und 1 Kind, 1/4 Jahr alt, aus Schwerin in Mecklenburg
- 1 KOCH, Johann, Landmann, aus Hamburg
- 5 MOELLER, Friedrich, Landmann und Frau und 2 Kinder, 1/4-6 Jahre alt aus Schwerin in Mecklenburg
- 2 MEYER, Joachim, Landmann, und Frau, aus Schwerin in Mecklenburg
- 1 MUELLER, Johann, Landmann, aus Schwerin in Mecklenburg
- 1 NEUTZE, Christian, Landmann, aus Schwerin in Mecklenburg

- 1 NAUMANN, Ferd(inand), Kaufmann, aus Wetter in Kurhessen
- 1 SPONHOLZ, Carl, Stellmacher, aus Ruelow in Mecklenburg-Strelitz
- 2 STUCKERT, Albert und August, Landleute, aus Loitz in Mecklenburg-Strelitz
- 2 SEE, Joachim, Landmann, und Frau, aus Schwerin in Mecklenburg
- 6 STRAUSS, heinrich, und Frau und 4 Kinder, 1/2-8 Jahre alt, aus Wandsbeck in Holstein
- 1 SPILLER, Louis, Kaufman, aus Bernstadt in Preussen
- 1 SCHEURICH, August, Gerber, aus Bernstadt in Preussen
- 1 SAUR, KARL, Landmann, aus Klein-Nemerow in Mecklenburg-Strelitz
- 1 UMLAND, Jacob, aus Freiburg in Hannover
- 7 WENDT, Christian, Weber und Frau und 5 Kinder, 2-17 Jahre alt, aus Pragsdorf in Mecklenburg-Strelitz
- 6 WENDT, Friedrich, Schneider, und Frau und 4 Kinder, 23-36 Jahre alt, aus Ruelow in Mecklenburg-Strelitz
- 2 WILHELM, Johann, Landmann, und Frau, aus Neukobelich in Mecklenburg-Strelitz

24 Eintraege mit (entries)

66 Personen (persons)

Landmann - farmer

Stellmacher - wheelright

Brenner - kiln operator

Gerber - tanner

Landleute - plural of farmer

Schneider - tailor

Kaufmann - merchant

aus - from

kind - child

jahre alt - years old

kinder - children

This passenger list, submitted by Mr. and Mrs. Chester E. Geue, has never before been published. The Geue's, active members of the Society, are authors of several books and are presently in the process of preparing yet another for publication.

The German magazine of genealogy and heraldry, *Senftenegger Monatsblatt*, May-June, 1969, reviewed the authors' current book, *A New Land Beckoned*, which contains passenger lists of German immigrants for the years 1844-47.

BIBLIOPRINTS

Notes from the Library

by Patricia Chadwell

Bibliographies and guides are the books which tell you where to go to find information. Bibliographies are lists of books; guides are descriptions of information. Both are of prime importance in research in any field.

If you have determined the best source to be consulted on any problem of information (genealogical or otherwise), you have done a good seventy-five per cent of the work involved in the solution of the problem.

The guide most familiar to the genealogist is Everton's *Handy Book for Genealogists*, which briefly outlines the historical development of each state, the evolution of its counties, and the records available for genealogical research, both at the county and state level. Noel Stevenson's *Search and Research* supplements the *Handy Book*. *Handbook for Genealogical Correspondence*, compiled by the Cache Genealogical Library of Logan, Utah, is the genealogist's address book. The American Association for State and Local History's *Directory of Historical Societies and Agencies*, is also an invaluable tool to the genealogist. One of the most sorely-needed reference tools today is a comparable directory for genealogical societies; in fact, a comparable organization. The AASLH publishes a monthly bulletin *History News*, which is just what the title indicates; a bulletin about the activities of organizations promoting the study of state and local history. The association occasionally publishes a monograph devoted to some facet of the care of the materials of history. Let us hope that someday an American Association for Genealogy will emerge.

A number of excellent guides to genealogical research in specific states have been published by the Detroit Society for Genealogical Research. Among these are *A Reference Guide for Genealogical Research in Illinois* by Joseph C. Wolf, Head of Local History and Genealogy at the Newberry Library in Chicago; *Aids for Genealogical Searching in Indiana*, by Carolynne L. Wendel, Head of the Genealogy Division, Indiana State Library; *Printed Resources for Genealogical Searching in Wisconsin*, by Margaret Gleason, Reference Librarian, The State Historical Society of Wisconsin; *Ohio Resources for Genealogists* by Ruth Douthitt Long, Reference Librarian, Ohio State Library; and *Some References for Genealogical Searching in New York State*, by Dorothy C. Barck, Librarian, The New York State Historical Association.

Betty L. McKay, has compiled an outline guide to Kentucky materials titled *Sources for Genealogical Searching in Kentucky*. Floyd G. Hoenstine's *Guide To Genealogical and Historical Research in Pennsylvania* is very complete.

The best of its type, now in its second edition, is *North Carolina Genealogical Reference: A Research Guide for All Genealogists, Both Amateur and Professional* by Wallace R. Draughan and William Perry Johnson. Would that we had an equivalent volume for each of the fifty states! In its 571 pages are packed detailed analyses of existing records in state and county offices; lists of abstracted records published by various organizations; maps; descriptions of manuscript collections containing genealogical material; a bibliography of printed family histories which shows the libraries in which they are available; genealogy; and an exchange section which functions as a directory of persons working on North Carolina lines.

Close to home, for Texas researchers, there is a bibliography and a guide of importance. Dr. Chester V. Kielman's *Guide to the University of Texas Archives* was reviewed in this column two issues back. John H. Jenkins' *Cracker Barrel Chronicles; A Bibliography of Texas Town and County Histories* lists books, periodical articles and theses about Texas' 254 counties.

We have eleven additions to the Bible Records Collection. W. L. Comings donated a second Shannon record; Mrs. Linda Bell, Driskell and Evans; Mrs. Raymond L. Kenny, Kenny; Mrs. W. B. Harris, Jr., Ward-Sartin-Todd; Mrs. Jeanette Parr, Benthsersen-Hayman-Coats; Mrs. Clarence Giles, Garner, Wiggins, Staples, Estill, Terrill.

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G | Genealogical Periodical Annual Index.
Volume 6, 1967. |
| 026.973
J | Jones, H. G.
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(History of the National Archives) |
| 929.1
A | American Genealogical-Biographical Index.
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| 929.2
A | Allen, Catherine.
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Lucia Butler Ford. |

- 929.2
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The Descendants of Patrick Fagin.
- 929.2
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- 929.2
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Later of Indiana.
- 929.2
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Prevalte Taylor, Sr. of Kentucky
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FROM THE EDITORS

This issue of FOOTPRINTS has been edited by Betty C. Winchester (Mrs. John D.) and Mildred B. Smith (Mrs. Stanley C.), who will also edit the November issue. The editors wish to thank all those who have submitted material for publication, as well as those who assisted in other less obvious ways.

In an effort to continue the standards established by the Executive Board, FOOTPRINTS endeavors to publish as much original material as possible. This is not always possible, but this is our goal! We welcome all material that would be of genealogical or historical interest to our readers. If our readers submit material that has already been submitted to another publication, we ask that you please make this known. Realizing that it is usually the desire of the person submitting the data to reach as many people as possible, we can understand why several publications are sent the same material. By printing material that appears in other quarters, at almost or exactly the same time, we have forfeited space that could have been used for another original record. We are, however, happy to receive these records which were published elsewhere. They will be placed in the vertical files at the library.

An effort is now being made to bring the editor's files up to date. If you have submitted material which has not appeared in print, please bear with us. We hope to have our backlog in print by the November issue.

If you are planning to submit material for the February, 1970 issue, we ask that you note our December 1, 1969 deadline. (Our New Year's Resolution is to be on time!)

Thank you for reading and taking such a tremendous interest in FOOTPRINTS.

STONE FAMILY CEMETERY

This cemetery, located one mile south of Proctor, Comanche County, Texas, along Farm Road 1476 and the Santa Fe Railroad track, has about ten graves which are marked with stones. It was copied by Weldon Hudson, 2807 Cedar Park, Fort Worth, Texas 76118, on October 27, 1968.

G. B. Stone
March 18, 1831
Dec. 31, 1878

R. Stone
March 19, 1832
Nov. 25, 1885

Minnie L., daughter of
J. M. & A. E. Stone
Aug. 4, 1889
Jan. 23, 1890

Charlie son of
J. M. & A. E. Stone
Feb. 26, 1887
Dec. 16, 1889

Willie son of
J. M. & A. E. Stone
Oct. 28, 1896
July 5, 1916

Thomas A. son of John &
Susan P. Grimes
Dec. 6, 1870
Sept. 8, 1873

Milinda wife of
W. M. Stone
1827
Apr. 5, 1892

Benjamin son of
E. & M. James
Nov. 20, 1858
Dec. 21, 1858

George son of
E. & M. James
Apr. 29, 1867
May 14, 1873

Sarah, dau of
F. F. & N. A. Greenland(?)
Feb. 7, 1872
7 mos. & 48 days

M. R. Rhodes
Jan. 17, 1855
Feb. 13, 1883

Matilda wife of
H. T. Hill
Nov. 27, 1835
Apr. 21, 1883

Charley son of
T. B. & M. A. Stark
Mar. 25, 1874
Jan. 3, 1882

Walter son of
B. H. & M. F. Stark
May 23, 1897
Mar. 15, 1903

Nancy J., dau of
G. B. & A. A. Stone
July 11, 1877
Feb. 12, 1878

Thonmas B. Stark
1848 - 1933

Milinda A. Stark
1849 - 1920

Son of
G. B. & Mary Stone
Born and died
Dec. 17, 1889

Lena May, dau of
John & Bethul Carter
Nov. 28, 1916
Dec. 23, 1916

Lillie Ruth
1903-1903

J. M. son of
S. M. & Bethany Dunn
Jan. 1, 1882
Mar. 6, 1906

G. M. son of
J. B. & M. L. Brown
July 2, 1882
Aug. 24, 1905

MILLER FAMILY CEMETERY

At Proctor, Comanche County, Texas, this cemetery is located one mile east of Farm Road 1476. It was copied by Weldon Hudson on March 31, 1968.

William Warren Miller
Co. A 16th Texas Infantry
C. S. A.
Sept. 27, 1827
July 10, 1919

Nancy O. Miller
Feb. 14, 1839
Feb. 24, 1899

R. L. Miller
Aug. 15, 1860
Dec. 9, 1885

Ida O. daughter of
W. W. & N. O. Miller
Nov. 6, 1877
June 17, 1906

J. W. Miller
May 10, 1886
Apr. 7, 1926

T. M. Condron
Feb. 5, 1843
Mar. 28, 1917

Laura Reid Miller
Dec. 29, 1871
Mar. 3, 1950

Myrtie A. daughter of
Henry Allen Carpenter
Nov. 2, 1901
Jan. 2, 1905

S. C. Slaughter
Aug. 1849
June 1, 1883

There are four graves marked with a headstone with the name Miller. There are no given names or dates listed.

Five graves are marked with field stones. There are no names or dates.

BIRTH, MARRIAGE, AND DEATH RECORDS

from Bible of

Edward and Adah Z. Treadwell of Ann Arbor, Michigan

Bible used by George R. and Emily Treadwell Fish

of Ardmore, Oklahoma

Records given by Lean Bass (Mrs. Leland), of Fort Worth, Texas, were found in *Cottage Bible and Family Expositor*, published Hartford, 1866.

MARRIAGES

Edward Treadwell married Adah Zillah Wooden
February 13, 1845

Elijah Treadwell married Ida E. B. Treadwell
February 29, 1872

BIRTHS

Benjamin Treadwell	born August 18, 1785
Mary Heliker Treadwell	born February 15, 1790
Jane Ann Treadwell	born April 14, 1811
Chas. Treadwell	born September 19, 1812
Richard Treadwell	born January 4, 1819
Nancy Treadwell	born January 30, 1821
Edward Treadwell	born December 19, 1823
Lehtia (?) Treadwell	born December 18, 1825
Mary Treadwell	born November 1, 1827
John M. Treadwell	born January 7, 1831
Ida E. B. Treadwell	born April 5, 1852 (adopted daughter)

DEATHS

Ida E. B. Treadwell, wife of Elijah Treadwell died
November 11, 1876, age 24 years, 7 months and 7 days

Edward Treadwell died January 24, 1875

Adah Z. Treadwell died January 4, 1900

Benjamin Treadwell died January 13, 1867, age 81 years

Mary, wife of Benjamin Treadwell, died August 20, 1867,
age 77 years

Rachel Gove, daughter of Benjamin and Mary Treadwell, died
December 16, 1868 age 49 years, 7 months and
12 days

Nancy Treadwell died February 14, 1860

Jane Ann Treadwell Macomber died April 28, 1841 age 30 years

Charles Treadwell died August 31, 1893 age 79 years,
11 months and 10 days

Edward Treadwell died January 24, 1895 age 71 years, 1 month
and 5 days

Lettie Shilp died at Pontiac March 22, 1908

Submitted by Mrs. Chester W. Geue

SOME EARLY SETTLEMENTS

Abstracted from the 1936 edition of the *Texas Almanac*.

CROSS TIMBERS, Tarrant County, fourteen miles east of Fort Worth; site in 1867 of the Rural Academy and the Mansfield Academy.

HOWE SETTLEMENT, on Chambers Creek, in Ellis County. Before the organization of Ellis County, when it was under the jurisdiction of Navarro, the first county court session of Navarro county was held at this place. Later the town of Forreston developed on this site.

WARDVILLE, in Johnson County, located about five miles west of the city of Cleburne; first county seat. After 1856 when Buchanan was selected as the county seat, the town declined.

CUSTER CITY, in Cooke County. In 1882 thriving town of about 300 population.

OBITUARIES AND DEATH NOTICES 1855-1856

From

THE TEXAS BAPTIST

The Texas Baptist, Volume I, No 1, was published at Anderson, Grimes County, Texas on March 7, 1855. The following records were abstracted by Mrs. Stanley Smith from newspapers on microfilm at Fleming Library, Southwestern Baptist Theological Library, Fort Worth, Texas.

In no case were the names of surviving children given. The date of issue in which the notice appeared is shown in parenthesis at the conclusion of each abstract. Some issues of this newspaper are missing from the holdings at Fleming Library. These issues are listed at the conclusion of these abstracts.

1855

John Baff, late of Grimes County, admrs. notice on estate of, published by the admr., L.G. Joiner. Letters of administration were granted at January term of Court 1855. (Mar 7)

Mr. Edward Johnson, a native of Connecticut, died on the 2d instant. (Mar 7)

"Lou Hannah Duval died March 9, 1855, at the residence of her father in Anderson County, Texas. She was the daughter of Benjamin F. and Lou. M. Duval; age one year and one month." (April 11)

Bro. E. Vining died March 5th last in the 39th year of his life. Believed to have been "of Georgia." "Tennessee Baptist please copy." (April 11)

Abstractor's note: Above this letter to the newspaper was written: Palestine, Texas, 1855. It is not clear whether this belongs to this letter or to the one immediately above.

Sister Lucy Pickett, consort of Elder W.M. Pickett, died at Clarksville, Red River County, Texas on the 13th instant, in the 57th year of her age; nearly forty years a member of the Baptist Church, "having been baptized by Dr. Fishback in Lexington, Ky." Survived by husband and children. Signed: Wm. B. Featherston, Boston, Bowie County, Texas. March 31, 1855. (May 9)

"On the 1st ult., an affray occurred at Pine Pluff, Ark., between Dr. A.L.J. Womack and Silas McDade, in which the latter lost his life." (July 4)

Mrs. Elizabeth Baxter, wife of the Rev. B.B. Baxter, died at her residence in Washington, Washington County, Texas on the 21st of June last. She was born Clarke County, Indiana 1814. married Oct. 1837 the Rev. Mr. Baxter, with whom she left "home and kindred" to become partner with her husband as a missionary. She was formerly a member of the "Protestant Methodist Church." Survived by four children, the youngest "but a tender babe." (July 25)

Miss America A. Lusk, aged sixteen years and two months, died in Brenham, Washington County, Texas on Monday, May 14, 1855. (August 1)

Jacob Grimes of the firm of Grimes and White "of this place," and son of the Hon. Jesse Grimes "of this county," died on Wednesday, the 3rd inst. at the residence of Judge Morrison, of yellow fever contracted in Houston. (October 10)

Mrs. Clementine Arnold, wife of Deacon B.D. Arnold, died near Waco, Texas on Wednesday, Sept. 19, 1855, aged 41 years. Baptized into fellowship of Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Lowndes County, Mississippi - in 1850 migrated with her husband and family to Texas. She, her husband and their two daughters joined Waco Baptist Church by letter. (October 31)

Brother James Hale died Sept. 9, 1855, age 18 years. He joined Harmony Baptist Church August 1854. Survived by father, mother, brothers and sisters. Submitted by his minister, Mathias Lepard, Bellvieu, Texas, Oct. 8, 1855. (October 31)

James Myrick, age 67 years, died at his residence in Harrison County, Texas 4 July 1855. He was born North Carolina; married 1814 Miss Nancy Crabtree. Member Ash Spring Baptist Church at time of death. Survived by wife. (No children mentioned) Signed: W.A. Smith. "Tennessee Baptist and Alabama papers please copy." (November 7)

Lewis D. Barry, late treasurer of Alta Mira Lodge (Tribute of Respect). Partly torn. (November 21)

Mrs. Cynthia Rogers, consort of M. C. Rogers, Esq., died at Huntsville, Texas 24 Nov. 1855. She was born Sevier County, Tennessee 24 August 1800 and moved to Huntsville in 1844. Survived by husband, three daughters and two sons. Signed: "C", November 27, 1855. (December 19)

Mrs. Jinnett Levy, consort of James Levy, died Washington County, Texas on the 15th ult. "in the 61st year of her age." She was a native of Davison County, Tennessee. Submitted by: H. Garrett, Pastor, Providence Church, Chapell Hill, Nov. 23. "The Tennessee Baptist will please copy." (December 19)

Mrs. Catherine Rentfro died in Austin, Texas. She was born Weatherford County, Tennessee 1 June 1830 and moved to Texas with parents in the fall of 1841; married 10 May 1849 Dr. E. D. Rentfro of Huntsville. She was a Methodist, and is buried at Huntsville, Texas "there to sleep with parents, brothers, sister, and her own sweet babe." Survived by husband and two children. (Dec. 19)

David, youngest son of the Hon. Wm. Davis, died in this place on Thursday, the 12th inst., age 22 months. Signed: J.G.T. Caldwell, Dec. 19, 1855. (Dec. 26)

Anthony Magee, born Tennessee September 1811, died 6 December 1855. Joined Baptist Church in Tuscaloosa, Ala. 1833; moved 1833 to Sabine Parish, Louisiana and there was a member of Mana Church until his removal to Texas in 1841, where he joined White Rock Baptist Church in McLennan County. Signed: E.H. Herrington. "Tennessee Baptist please copy." (Dec. 26)

1856

James B. Wood, age 62 years and 4 months, died 23 ult. at his residence three miles east of Springfield, Limestone County, Texas. He was born in North Carolina. His father, the Rev. Bennett Wood, removed to Alabama where James B. Wood was principally raised. From thence he removed to Madison County, Tennessee. From the town of Jackson, Tenn. he removed to this place. Survived by wife and children. "Many of his children have gone before." Signed: John H. Rowland, Springfield, Texas. (February 6)

Jesse W. Gordon died three miles south from Caldwell on the 23rd ult. He was in his 30th year of age. (February 6)

Mrs. Rebecca Carter, consort of E.H. Carter, Esq., died one mile north from Caldwell on 27th ult., in the 31st year of her age. Survived by husband and three children, plus numerous circle of relatives and friends. (February 6)

Sister Margaret Young died 22 December 1855 at the residence of her husband in Harrison County, of typhoid fever. She was daughter of Scott and Elizabeth Vanderstice, formerly of Perry County, Alabama. In Alabama she was member of Baptist Church at Pine Flat; after moving to Texas joined church at Ash Spring. Survived by husband and three children. (Feb. 6)

Mrs. Emily B. Sparks, wife of Frank Sparks, died at her home in McLennan County, Texas January 26, 1856, age 25 years. She was "a consistent member of the Baptist Church since 1838." Survived by husband and six children. (February 20)

Mrs. Margaret Roark, wife of William Roark of Cherokee County, Texas, died 20 January, age 47 years. Member Baptist Church. Survived by husband and 8 children. (Feb. 20)

Seaburn W. Benson, age 7 years, 2 months, 16 days, son of Joseph S. and Catharine N. Benson of Porter's Prairie in Burleson County, died 26 January 1856. Joseph and Catharine Benson moved "four years ago" from Morgan County, Ala. to State of Mississippi where they lived two years and then came to Texas. Signed: J.W.T. "Tennessee Baptist please copy." (February 27)

Dr. Gilbert O NEAL died at his residence in Anderson, Grimes County, Texas on 22 February 1856. Buried 23rd. (Feb. 27)

Mrs. Frances A. Creath, born Powhattan County, Va. 22 Jan. 1819, died in the town of Huntsville, Texas 18 January 1856. She was daughter of Col. Samuel Drake. She was married 29 Oct. 1845 to Elder J.W.D. Creath "and removed with him from the place of her nativity to Texas in the autumn of 1846." Children mentioned but names not given. (March 5)

Cynthia Maybray, aged 61 years, died 14 Jan. 1856 "at her own residence in Bosque County, Texas." Joined Baptist Church at Liberty Hill and was baptized Sept. 1855 - had professed faith 1842 "but living in a frontier country she had not until 1855 seen a convenient opportunity to unite with Baptist Church." Her husband, Mr. David Mabry, died December 31, 1852. (March 12)

Miss Mary Shepherd died in February 1856 at the residence of her father in Walker County, Texas. Survived by relatives, names not given. Signed: O, Danville, Texas. (March 18)

Sister Sarah Elizabeth Russell, consort of Bro. Robert C. Russell, died near Hallettsville, Texas on Tuesday, 25 Feb. 1856, age 29 years, 1 month, 20 days. Survived by husband and two children. She was born Davidson County, Tennessee 1827, daughter of Benjamin and Susan Bibb; married 1842 R.C. Russell, after which she settled with her husband in Carroll County, Miss. - joined Salem Church there 10 years prior to her death. Moved 1853 to Walker County, Texas (member Baptist Church at Hallettsville). Signed: John H. Thurmond, Hallettsville. March 3, 1856 (March 18)

Mr. Nimrod Overby, of Laurens District, died at his residence near Swansy's Ferry 22nd ult. He was born Halifax County, Va. 9 April 1770; moved with parents to this state at age 16. He was twice married and resided where he died for more than 60 years. Six of his children, many grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren are living. Member Baptist Church more than 40 years. Fought in "the last war with Great Britain." - Laurensville (S.C.) Herald. (Mar. 25)

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MARRIAGE RECORDS

Ellis County, Texas
Volume A 1850-1857

Copied by Mrs. Warren G. Knox

1850

Sept 9	John B. Garvin	Nancy A. Witherspoon
Oct 3	Coleman C. Jenkins	Elizabeth Garvin

1851

Jan 1	Wesley Young	Eliza Jane Jackson
May 29	William Lee	Margaret Boyd
June 24	Robert Smith	Lavicia E. Greathouse
July 24	Charles H. Barker	Martha E. Singleton
July 24	John H. Singleton	Rebecca A. Barker
Sept 9	James Horton	Jane E. Phillips
Sept 25	Alexander S. Jenkins	Sarah Ann Cooper
Oct 7	Richard Parker	Nancy Herral
Oct 9	Elisha S. Rhodes	Cynthia Hurst
Nov 5	William J. Stokes	Barbara Jane Johnson
Nov 23	James T. Cym	Catharine J. Dobbs

1852

Jan 3	Lewis S. Owings	Hellen M. Swisher
Feb 26	James Boren	Mary Jane Johnson
April 1	Samuel E. Patton	Louisa White
May 11	La Fayette Brock	Lucinda Bolwear
April 29	Charles Duncan	Francis E. Parker
May 17	Thomas Lax	Hannora O'Herron
May 19	Charles Neely	Linney Ann Newton
June 10	John Morris	Elizabeth J. Gibbs
June 11	David M. Myres	Elizabeth Balch
July 6	William W. Rawls	Susan A. Phillips
July 22	James B. Johnson	Margaret Biggs
Aug 8	Robert M. White	Rachel A. Craig
Aug 20	F. M. Pyles	Elizabeth Browning
Aug 19	John P. McCauly	Caroline Couch
Sept 16	Robert Stewart	JoAnna McNamara
Nov 15	James W. Lloyd	Mrs. Theresa J. L. Killough
Nov 20	Peter W. Smith	Sarah A. Willshire
Nov 30	Ralph D. Morral	Sarah A. Arnold

1853

Jan 25	Wiley James	Nancy Jackson
Jan 26	Henry L. Haynes	Mary E. Young
June 21?	Tarlton F. Brock	Harriett Huggins
Feb 23	James M. Whitmore	Elizabeth Flaherty
March 6	James Scott	Martha George
March 16	William I. Wright	Manerva E.F. Roberson
May 1	William T. Briggs	Marey C. Rogers

May 22	Seth W. Taylor	Mary Knight
June 17	William Hix	Hester Ann Hunter
July 10	Josiah D. Robinson	Sarah O'Neal
Sept 13	James B. Conger	Mary C. Mitchell
Sept 18	Norval R. Winniford	Rebecca Douglas
Sept 23	Albert M. Arnol(Arnot?)	Mary Willson
	(date license issued-not returned)	
Oct 17	Jefferson Morgan	Amanda Ann Sportsman
Nov 8	John Mullican	Martha Ann Davis
Dec 8	James M. Givins	Martha Wyman
Dec 25	James Anderson	Mrs. Mary Murry
Dec 20	William Hurst	Sarah S. Billberry
Dec 27	Henry M. Stephens	Margaret M. Lindsey
Dec 17	William D. Harmennig	Sarah E. Brown
Dec 27	James S. Love	Margaret A. Fowler
Dec 4?	Edmon Turpin	Rebecca Trimble

1854

Jan 1	Daniel Johnson	Elizabeth Phipps
Jan 2	William R. Shannon	Nancy J. Sweatt
Jan 12	Samuel Myers	Cynthia Bales
Jan 17	R. H. Goodloe	Mrs. Margaret Bell
Jan 29	Thomas R. Harris	Elizabeth Newton
Feb 6	Rolly P. Covington	Elizabeth T. Jones
Mar 26	Ralph Faber	Joanna C. Sise
April 5	Benjamin F. Brock	Mary Ann Gibbs
April 13	Thomas L. Rhodes	Mary Ellen Hurst
April 13	William Z. Morris	Mary E. Patton
April 29	Evander Willson	Mary Ann Brodie
May 10	John R. Billingsley	Sarah E. Blair
June 1	Wallace T. Harris	Rebecca Ann Billingsley
June 8	James C. Edwards	Dorcas V. Harrison
June 17	William Boren	Eliza Petitt
June 23	Calvin C. Pearson	T. Jane Dillon
Sept 7	Benjamin P. Merrill	Melvina Boyd
Sept 6	Elbert G. Billingsley	Emeline S. Kirkland
Sept 6	Stephen D. Bright	Susan Ann Billingsley
Sept 13	Robert F. Mayfield	Carolena N. Scott
Oct 11	Jefferson W. Dunaway	Sarah Ann Brock
Nov 7	William T. Harman (?)	Cortney Anderson
Nov 10	Benjamin Hickey	Susan Dillard
Nov 14	James Tighlman Adams	Elizabeth Morgan
Nov 21	Albert Anglin	Elizabeth C. Nolen
Dec 6	Michael Whatley	Mary E. Rockett
Dec 14	George W. Smith	Ibby Pace
Dec 20	Hugh M. Templeton	Mary T. Henry
Dec 29	Henry Webster	Nancy Howard

1855

Jan 7	Daniel G. Moloy	Martha M. White
Jan 21	Edward C. Bradford	Sidney Smith
Jan 21	William F. D. Barnett	Flora Newton
March 21	George W. Damron	Susan E. Stewart
April 1	William J. Webb	Dealth Hilborn

April 8	Richard M. C. Gartin	Emily A. Rankin
April 25	Michael H. Coleman	Ann E. King
May 24	James F. Tittle	Elizabeth Boren
Sept 13	Thomas Drumgoole	Mrs. Prudence J. Crutchfield
Sept 20	James F. Park	Sarah A. Brown
Sept 27	John Boicourt	Sarah Jane Geaslin
Sept 24	Austin Robinson	Mrs. Mary A. Greathouse
Nov 1	John N. Geaslin	Cynthia J. Shankle
Nov 22	William A. Johnson	Lucinda M. Shankle
Dec 3	Hiram C. Vaughn	Martha Winniford
Dec 3	William B. Haynes	Susan J. Couch
Dec 6	A. G. Hickey	Harriett F. Boyd
Dec 20	William J. Winniford	Sarah Jane Vaughn
Dec 18	William L. Mitchell, Jr.	Mary Jane Howe
Dec 20	Martin V. Box	Nancy Carpenter
Dec 25	William A. Witherspoon	Ann Eliza Garvin
Dec 25	William S. Garvin	Francis T. Witherspoon
Dec 27	David M. Smith	M. S. Hale
Dec 30	Andrew J. Lovett	Clarissa Tittle
1856		
Jan 9	John W. Holt	Lucretia J. Martin
Jan 24	Joseph C. Witherspoon	Edny Jane Butler
Feb 7	Turner L. Green	Mary L. Ferris
March 13	George M. Killion	Julia Edmonson
May 3	William P. Smith	Jane P. Hardgraves
May 4	Thomas L. Woods	Margarett McMinns
May 21	William Hill	Mary Jane Harrell
May 29	Cary Sanford	Love Ann Snowdon
June 5	William P. Smith	Malinda Geaslin
June 17	Fredrick Kuster	Rebecca Clark
Aug 7	William T. West	Martha B. Conner
July 31	Thomas D. Singleton	Mary Ann Gilmore
Aug 2	William T. Rogers	Sarah A. Malone
Aug 21	John A. Barclay	Gracy Ann Wilson
Aug 27	John P. Bishop	Sarah E. Brown
Sept 4	Simon B. Farrar	Lelia Smith
Sept 8	Calvin G. Harris	Sarah Ann Mayfield
Sept 25	A. S. Smith	Rebecca J. Geaslin
Sept 25	William F. Hague	Margaret E. Dixon
	Solomon Barron	Sarah Ann Elizabeth Moore
Sept 30	John A. Johnson	Mrs. Martha A. Hicks
Oct 5	John Hilburn	Martha Ann Copeland
Nov 5	Argile Tucker	Jane Stuart
Nov 16	Fountain P. Ray	Mary Eliza Reagor
	William Fread	Martha L. Kendall
Nov 20	John W. Leonard	Martha E. Berry
	Robert B. Kookin	Jane J. Andrews
Nov 26	William R. Robertson	Dorcus Ann Morgan
Dec 7	Thomas Smith	Paralee Smith
Dec 16	N. W. Bigham	Mary M. Craig

1857

Jan 22	Franklin Wright	Margarett E. Sevier
Feb 10	Andrew W. Castor	Elizabeth E. Boyd
Feb 12	Columbus Fields	Susan S. Singleton
Feb 11	Peter Hunter	Elizabeth J. Beaty
Feb 12	William H. Carpenter	Farbapha C. Scott
Feb 19	Charles K. Phipps	Pernesa A. Davis
Feb 18	Posey H. Gordon	Mary L. Arnold
	John R. Cummins	Elizabeth Sweatt
March 26	John G. Youngblood	Mary Brock
March 29	Felix P. Koonce	Minerva E. Brown
April 8	John Sevier	Abigail McGee
May 5	Francis D. Lamerond	Sarah Carter
May 8	Saunders Mayfield	Permelia Ard
May 7	LaFayette S. Nelson	Eliza J. Hines
June 2	William M. Boren	Martha Cook
June 25	John M. Andrews	Marry H. McElroy
June 19	James A. Dickson	Nancy Styles
July 28	Samuel Eldridge	Mrs. Martha Campbell
July 30	Elijah P. Brooks	Margarett V. Powers
Aug 6	Samuel E. Jeffers	Ruth J. Graham
Aug 13	Jackson W. Westbrook	Elizabeth R. Boulware
	R. A. Lemmon	Leviney Pace
Aug 25	Philip A. Mulkey	Susan A. Arrington
Sept 23	John D. Couchman	Elizabeth C. Brown
Sept 24	Harvey Cox	Rebecca Phipps
Sept 25	Madison Foster	Mary Ellen Brislin
Oct 1	Martin L. Landrith	Mary M. Groves
Oct 5	William Proctor	L. J. Henson
Oct 10	James R. Faughn	Margaret E. Pool (?)
Nov 5	Sampson T. Wright	Mary L. Conner
Nov 11	Charles C. Hunt	Lydia L. Herral

[To be concluded]

"The Graham Leader,"
January 20, 1877

Lucinda Nancy Matilda is the name of a baby of whom Washington Warren of Griffin, Ga., aged 70, is father, and whom is named after 3 deceased wives.

January 6, 1877

The stage route from Fort Worth to Graham is by Weatherford and Jacksboro. The direct route is via Carterville-the new military road.

QUERIES

DONELSON

Need exact birthplace of Henry Donelson, born 1846 in Mississippi and Stanford Donelson, born 1814 in Tennessee. Need names of parents of Stanford Donelson.

Miss Electra Pearson, Box 542, Ranger, Texas 76470

SLOAN, HOGG

Need parents of David Sloan, born 1780 in Tennessee, died 1856 in Texas. He married Mary Hogg, born 1781 in South Carolina, died 1843 Clay County, Missouri. They lived in Tenn. until 1824, then in Lafayette and Clay counties, Missouri, until 1845, then he moved to Texas, living in Limestone, Freestone, and Navarro counties.

Mrs. Millard Blount, 3800 Frazier, Fort Worth, Texas 76110

LEWIS, PITTMAN

Need information on John Wright Lewis of Irish descent, born 1812 in Florence area, S.C., died 1900 Limestone County, Texas, buried at Mustang Prairie Cemetery. Married (1) in S.C. an English girl, Annie Kent. After birth of children: Reddin, Margaret, Sally, Minnie, Frank, Albert, Nelia and Mittie, family moved to Miss. for a year. Family was moving to S.C. when Annie Kent Lewis died (1854). In S.C. John Wright Lewis married (2) Sarah Gardner. Children of second marriage: Will 1860; Lou Ann 1859; Hattie; Wiley Brooks 1869; Hugh Wright 1871; Janie Ann 1873; and Mary. John Wright Lewis came to Texas in 1896; is thought to have served for the South in the Civil War.

Wesley Pittman, born 1812 married 1837 Charlotte Edwards, born 1817 Edgecombe County, N.C. Children were: Susan M. 1838, Joseph Wesley 1840, Betty A. 1843, C. E. (or F.) 1846, Julyan or Juliner 1848, Syde, Penelope (Nep), Martha (Patty) 1856, Gattie and Daniel. Joseph Wesley Pittman was reared near Tarboro, N.C., married 1866 Nancy E. Pitt who died in childbirth in Edgecombe Co., N.C.. He married (2) 1872 in Yalobusha, Miss., Mattie Clementine Burns. Children of 2nd marriage: Gattie Miranda 1873, Elizabeth (Betty) 1876, William Hiram 1878, John Wesley 1882, Maggie May 1885, Icy Amy 1888, Henrietta Jane 1891, Mary Charlotte 1896.

Mrs. W. A. Schmidt, 4812 Morris, Fort Worth, Texas 76103

MAYFIELD, GODSEY, McCARROLL

James Chropher Mayfield born 1860/1 in Kentucky married Cora ? and had a son John Phillip born Ky., died 1958 Erick, Okla. James C. Mayfield married (2) Rosa Mae or Rosa Ellen Godsey, born Ky., died Collinsville, Tex. Children, all born in Somerset (Pulaski Co.) Ky.: Lulu Bell; Ruth or Ruthie Mary b. 1887 died 1927 Colorado; Nettie May or Mae b. 1889, died 1967 Elk City, Okla.; Hattie Mckenley b. 1896, lives Collinsville, Tex.; Horse Buckner b. 1900. Was Dreweary Godsey father of Rosa Mae? Need parents, marriages, and all information on Mayfield and Godsey families.

Need someone to read Shelby Co. Tenn. census for McCarroll family. Will pay.

Mrs. A. B. Franks, 110 South 4th St., Carlsbad, N.M. 88220
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TORRANCE, JENNE, HUGHES

Samuel Torrance born about 1812 in Pa. and wife born in Md. had daughter, Sarah Ellen Torrance, born 1838 in Illinois. In 1855 she married Wm. F. Jenne who was born in 1835 in Indiana and whose father was born in 1809 in New York and his mother in Pennsylvania.

Is there any connection between General George H. Thomas, the "Rock of Chickamauga," and John Harvey Hughes, born 1860 in Bell or Bastrop County, died 1926 Dalhart, Texas?

Adelle Whitby Olney, 2325 Blake Street, San Bernardino, California 92405
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CRAIN, CRANE

Would like to correspond and exchange information with any one working on the Crain-Crane families in Illinois 1800 through 1850 period. Especially interested in sorting out the relationships of adult Crains on the 1820 through 1840 censuses.

Mrs. C. R. Amis, 1301 Elmwood, Gainesville, Texas 76240
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ARMSTRONG

Thomas Armstrong from North Carolina was a Church of Christ preacher who arrived in Texas in 1856 and died in 1869. He preached in Bell, Bastrop and Williamson counties, Texas. His sons were David and William Burrage Armstrong, the latter being the original builder of the Old Stage Coach Inn at Salado. Need information on where Thomas died, his family, when and where he was born.
Billy R. Armstrong, 6115 No. Hill Lane, Ft. Worth, Tex. 76135

JOHNSON

Need the birth places of Henry Johnson and his son, William B. Johnson. William was born 1833 in Texas in the vicinity of Olga and White Mine. Where are these places? Wm. B. married Melissa Ellen Bynum of Jackson County, Missouri in 1857. He is said to have served in Confederate Army.

Mrs. Clarice K. Stubbs, 502 South Rio Vista, Anaheim, California 92806

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HILL, BLANTON, WESTBROOK, STROUD

Will exchange information on Jesse A. Hill, born Tennessee (where?) and his wife Jane Jenkins. Children: Milissa married Patterson; Margaret (Maggie) m. Zachary Taylor Blanton, resided Brown Co., Texas 1877-1942; Menerva married ? and possibly other children. Margaret Hill born 1854 Dade Co., Missouri.

Jacob and Nancy (?) Westbrook were in Chester Co. South Carolina early 1800's. Children: Jarred (Jarrett); Elizabeth m. Samuel Stinson; Nancy m. Joseph Stinson; Sarah m. William Gunthrop; Margaret m. James Campbell; Catherine (Kitrin); John; James; Howell m. Rebecca Stroud. Would like information on parents of Rebecca Stroud. Located Howell and Rebecca Westbrook in 1820 census of Chester Co., S.C. Jacob Westbrook's will same county 1827. Descendants of Westbrook came to Texas. Will exchange information.

Mrs. W. A. Mauldin, 605 Rosemere, Ft. Worth, Texas 76111

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SILVEY, DONALDSON

Wish to contact anyone with information on William David Silvey and Martha Donalson. Lived near Cameron, Texas 1800's. Believe she had a brother, Mathew Donalson in Milano, Texas.

Mrs. J. H. Robbins, 3016 NW 25th St., Ft. Worth, Tex. 76106

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HILTON, KING, WHITE

Would like to exchange information on William Terrell Hilton 1819-1883. Married in Chesterfield Co. S.C. in 1840 Rebecca Jane King, b. 1826, died 1904 in Chatfield, Texas. Children: William Henry 1841-; George Jefferson 1844-; Frances Gracy 1846- Chesterfield, S.C. married William White; Elmira Jane 1848-married John Wesley Womble; Martha Caroline 1851-married ? Rorie.

Mrs. R. L. Claunch, 6218 Wanda Lane, Fort Worth, Tex. 76119

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CUNNINGHAM, SILER, ATTEBURY

Ruth A. _____ b. 1835, married (1) _____ Cunningham. Children: James Edward; John Osborne 1860-; George A.; Samuel Elmer; Frank Medford; Thomas Hartford; and Frederic. She married (2) Adam Siler of Oblong Township, Ill. Children: Arthur; Lily. Lily died 1950 in Chicago. John and Elmer Cunningham died Woodstock, Ill. Was Ruth's maiden name Attebury? Nancy Jane Attebury born 1843 in Ill. moved to Dallas County, Texas in 1876, married Wyatt Haley Lee, died 1917 Hood Co. Texas.

Mrs. D. T. Ketter, 104 Isbell Rd., Fort Worth, Texas 76114
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WHITTAKER, SHOPMYER, GERALD

Wish to contact descendants of Mrs Edward Whittaker born in New York City about 1844. She was Martha Gerald, daughter of Guy Covington Gerald and Catherine Ford. The Whittakers moved to Houston and had two daughters, Gertrude (died young) and Adela, who married brothers named Shopmyer (?). Adela had two daughters named Norma and Lilla(?). Have traced the Gerald family back to the original Dr. Jacques Gerald who came to this country about 1718 and settled in Medfield, Mass.

Miss Katherine A. Minor, Great Hill Rd., Portland, Conn. 06480
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DYAS, AMES

Dempsey Dyas, son of ? Dyas, born when? where?, is thought to be from Texas. Tradition says his family in the 1840's owned the land on which Houston, Texas is located. Dempsey married an Ames?, died in 1906 and is buried at Fulton, Ark. Children: Low Douglas, born 1875 Minden, La.; Jim born Fulton, Ark.; Jenny; Abbey (lived Bowie County, Texas?). Need all information on Dempsey Dyas, including service in Civil War.

Dempsey Dyas, Jr., Box 91, Black Hawk, South Dakota 57718
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ALFORD .

Wish to contact descendants of James A. Alford (born 1812-14) and wife Martha E. Morgan (1820-1870) who lived in Ga. until 1860, in Ark. until 1868, then in Titus Co., Texas. Known children and approximate birth dates: Josephine 1839; Erasmus 1842; Richmond 1844; James 1846; Margaret 1848 married _____ Page 1869; Zachariah T. believed to be the Z.T. 1850-1886 buried Patrick Cemetery, McLennan Co., Texas, married Miss Thorton, age 16 in 1874; Mary F. (or Martha) 1853; Rebecca E. 1855; Albert C. 1857; Leonidas 1859; Julius C. 1865; Fan; Toby died 1867. Fan and Toby may be nicknames for two of the other children.

Miss Mildred Dulaney, 1404 South Lake, Fort Worth, Tex. 76104

GIFTS TO THE LIBRARY

Since May, 1969, the following books, manuscripts, and Bible records* have been donated to the Fort Worth Public Library's Southwest and Genealogical Department by members of the Fort Worth Genealogical Society. The Society is officially chartered in Austin as an educational, non-profit organization so that any gifts received are income tax deductible by the donor.

The Southwest and Genealogy Room, within its three collections, has a total of 17,000 volumes, 10,000 of which are genealogical in content. In addition to these volumes there are over 200 periodical titles. In 1968 more than 10,000 persons were registered visitors in the department.

G. D. Albright

Tarpley, Fred. PLACE NAMES OF NORTHEAST TEXAS

Mrs. Lillian Campbell. Fort Worth
6 rolls Soundex

Clan McLaren Society, U. S. A. (Dallas)
Clan McLaren Quarterly, Vol. I, no. 2.

Fort Worth Genealogical Society
Van Zandt, K. M. FORCE WITHOUT FANFARE: THE MEMOIRS
OF K. M. VAN ZANDT. (In memory of Marvin C. Nichols)

Heiss, Willard. QUAKERS IN THE SOUTH CAROLINA BACK-
COUNTRY.

Mrs. Preston Geren. Fort Worth
CIVIL WAR DIARY OF CAPTAIN JULIUS GIESECKE

Mrs. Dalton Huffman
Hoffman-Husbands and McCormick Bible Records

Mrs. Thalma D. McKinney
GENEALOGICAL GEMS FROM PICKETT COUNTY, TENNESSEE.

J. A. Mullins. Lubbock
Mullins Family Manuscript

Mrs. R. E. O'Donnell
Census Film: 1870 Wilson County, Tennessee

Mary Elizabeth Way, Martinez, California
THE WAY FAMILY: JOHN AND MARY (LONG) WAY OF NANTUCKET,
WITH NOTES ON OTHER WAY FAMILIES.

*For additional Bible records see Biblioprints, page 98.

U. S. GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS FOR GENEALOGISTS

(Miss June Wasserman, Head of Business and Technology Department of the Fort Worth Public Library presented the following talk at a 1968 meeting of the Fort Worth Genealogical Society. On display at the meeting were some volumes to which reference is made in her talk.)

It gives me great pleasure to be able to be with you this evening to tell you about our library's government document collection and how it can be most effectively used by genealogists.

At one time or another, I imagine we have all come in contact with United States Government publications. Before I come to the specific use of documents for genealogists, I would like to give you a brief definition and a little organizational information.

Have any of you ever wondered just how to define a government document? There really is no adequate or satisfactory definition, but the nearest one is "any publication printed, processed, or bought at government expense for distribution to Congress, government officials, or the public."

Documents are published under the three government branches: Executive, Legislative, and Judicial.

Under the Executive Branch, we have publications by those departments that make up the President's Cabinet: Interior, Labor, Defense, Post Office, Commerce, Treasury, etc. All of these departments have divisions and sub-divisions that also publish varied materials. An example of this is the Commerce Department which includes the Census Bureau, Coast and Geodetic Survey, International Commerce Bureau, Patent Office, and Weather Bureau.

The Legislative Branch which includes the Senate and House of Representatives, gives us our Congressional Record, Senate and House Reports and Documents, Hearings, and Public Laws.

The Judicial Branch which covers our Supreme Court publishes The Journal, Revised Rules of the Supreme Court, and official reports of decisions of the Supreme Court.

The United States Government Printing Office prints many publications of independent agencies; therefore these materials also are considered government documents. Examples

of these agencies are the Smithsonian Institution which is known for the wealth of material it publishes on natural history and particularly Indians, and the National Aeronautics and Space Administration whose publications no aircraft factory or research laboratory can do without. The National Archives and the Library of Congress are other examples of these independent agencies.

To really appreciate the vast, varied, and valuable material to be found in government publications, one has to work with them constantly, but I will try to show you which ones are most useful and would be most valuable to you in searching for family histories.

Perhaps the first government documents we think of in searching for names are the census reports. These records include names with much pertinent information about a person and his family. One particular volume I am thinking of that would be a good starter, is entitled A Century of Population Growth in the United States, 1790-1900. This volume contains a list of surnames represented by at least 100 white persons in each state or territory at the first census in 1790. It also includes variations of spellings in family names, which is essential to know in searching for a particular family. This volume also gives a list of newspapers and periodicals published in 1790 with their locations, publishers, and other vital information about them. Maps of interest may be found in this volume also. You may find a copy of this in the government document collection and also in Southwest and Genealogy Department. Many of the old census records on microfilm may also be found in Southwest and Genealogy.

Another valuable source for genealogists is the War of the Rebellion series which contains official records of the Union and Confederate Armies. This set has a comprehensive name index which I have brought with me tonight in case you might want to look at it. A similar compilation relating to the navies during the Civil War was issued by the Navy Department.

While we are discussing publications of the services that are useful, I should like to mention the various lists of persons who have been awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor, the Distinguished Service Cross, and the Distinguished Service Medal. There is one publication by the War Department entitled American Decorations with dates ranging from 1862-1926.

All of the services, including army, navy, and air force also publish directories of their officers; active,

reserve, and retired. Some of these directories date back to the early 1800's and are valuable sources of information.

The U. S. Patent Office contributes the Official Gazette which has published indexes of names of patentees since 1790. Since there have been over 3,000,000 patents applied for since the late 1700's, this gives numerous possibilities in locating forefathers. The same applies to trade-mark registrants.

From time to time the Department of State collects, edits, and reprints important old documents which have historical significance. These include official records of the states during their territorial periods. Several volumes are usually devoted to one particular territory and include comprehensive indexes. These volumes will be found with the genealogical collection in the Southwest and Genealogy Department.

Anyone searching for Indian ancestry will find the Smithsonian Institution's Bureau of American Ethnology publications useful, for this Bureau has published innumerable bulletins on the various Indian tribes of the Americas. I have brought this volume with me in case you would like to examine it later.

Even the Civil Service Commission with its Official Register of the U. S. can be of help to genealogists. This register contains a full-and-complete list of all persons occupying administrative and supervisory positions in the legislative, executive, and judicial branches of the Government, including the District of Columbia. It shows the name, official title, salary, legal residence, and place of employment for each person listed. This volume is published annually and dates back before 1861 when it was published by the State Department. I might as well stop right here to explain why so often one publication will be published under so many different government departments over a period of years as the Official Register has been. Every time a new administration takes office, various bureaus are relocated or renamed or publications are transferred from one bureau or department to another. In the case of the Register, it has been published by the State Department, Interior Department, Census Bureau, and then Civil Service Commission. It was even known as the Blue Book at one time. It is quite a job to keep up with all of these changes through the years, but with the wonderful indexes that the government publishes, the task is greatly simplified.

The Defense Department in recent years has issued several documents on the American Revolution and the Civil War. One is entitled An Annotated Bibliography of United

States Marines in the Civil War, another is Civil War Naval Chronology, 1861-65, and the last Naval Documents of the American Revolution, which consists of two volumes as of now. These are listed in the bibliography that was distributed to you.

The National Survey of Historic Sites and Buildings under the National Park Service of the Interior Department has published Colonials and Patriots, which should be of interest. It lists historic places commemorating our forebears, 1700-1783. Also in this series we have Soldier and Brave, Explorers and Settlers, Prospector, Cowhand, and Sodbuster, and Founders and Frontiersmen.

Now we certainly shouldn't forget the National Archives and Records Service of the General Services Administration. It has published numerous pamphlets, booklets, etc. of particular interest to genealogists. We have two of the publications for distribution if you would like to have them, and your bibliography also lists several others.

Now we will go to the publications of the legislative branch of our government that you would be interested in. However, I shall only attempt to mention a few. Among the most important legislative documents are the American State Papers. These are legislative and executive documents of the Congresses of the U.S. - first through the 25th, from 1789-1838. There are ten classes of which the volumes on Military Affairs, Indian Affairs, Public Lands, and Claims probably will be of most value in looking up family histories. Each volume has an excellent index. You will find the complete set on microprint in the government document collection and parts of the original set in the Southwest and Genealogy Department.

Pension information and lists appear quite frequently throughout the Executive Documents, but there are particular ones I want to mention. They are Pension Rolls of the U. S. published in 1835 as Senate Document 514, 23rd Congress, 1st Session, and List of Pensioners on the Roll, Jan. 1, 1883, published as Senate Executive Document 84, 47th Congress, 2nd Session. We have both of these sets in the government document collection.

Throughout the Congressional set there are thousands of claims listed, and it would be impossible to search through all of the documents to locate any specific information. However, digested summaries and alphabetical lists have been prepared which extend from the 14th through the 51st Congress, 1816-1890. These are listed in your bibliography.

In my research for this paper, I came across some-

thing I thought some of you may be interested in. It is entitled List of Passengers Arrived, 1820. It is in the old U. S. Serial Set which is on microprint, but if it does interest you, I don't imagine you would mind reading it on a machine.

Another historical document which appears as a House Document is Frances Bernard Heitman's Historical Register and Dictionary of the United States Army From Its Organization, September 29, 1789 to March 2, 1903. It contains lists of officers, enlisted men, regiments, losses in war, etc. We have volume 2 in the document collection and Southwest and Genealogy Department has the complete set.

The Biographical Directory of the American Congress, 1774-1961 which includes the Continental Congress, not only contains biographical sketches, but also includes lists and information not easily found elsewhere, such as members of each Congress by states, names of Cabinet officers for each administration and lists of presidential electors, diplomatic officers, and the governors of the states and territories.

There are many more congressional documents of value for genealogists of which one is Affairs in the Late Insurrectionary States: reports which include 13 volumes on the various states and which were published during 1871-1872.

Others that I would merely like to mention are the Reports of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Proceedings of the National Encampments of the Veterans of the Foreign Wars of the U. S., Encampments of the United Spanish War Veterans, memorial addresses delivered in the Senate and House in honor of the deceased members, Army and Navy Registers, Indian Disbursements, Pilgrimage for the Mothers and Widows of the American Widows of the American Forces now Interred in the Cemeteries of Europe, and The Army Lineage Book, which gives information on the lineage, battle honors, coats-of-arms, and insignia of the units of the U. S. Army.

Some of you may be wondering where this collection is. It is housed in two separate stack levels, one off the main floor corridor and the other in the upper stack level on the second floor of the Fort Worth Public Library. This collection contains approximately 700,000 documents which is more than the number of catalogued books in the entire library. This collection is for reference use only and is under supervision of Mrs. Maxie Leach, Head of the Periodicals and Government Publications Department.

And now you may ask, how do we go about finding the information in the documents? Well, your librarian is the

middle man, so to speak, who can direct you to the numerous indexes that will guide you to the materials you are seeking. There are several indexes useful in locating documents before the 1900's. One of them is Ames' Comprehensive Index to the Publications of the U. S. Government, 1881-1883. In this volume can be found many references to private claims and pensioners by name. It also includes a separate name index in the back.

Another index is Poore's A Descriptive Catalogue of the Government Publications of the U. S., September 5, 1774-March 4, 1881.

Your bibliography contains a majority of the publications I have mentioned tonight, and any of the librarians in the Periodicals and Government Publications Department will be happy to show you any of those that are listed.

And let's not forget the Southwest and Genealogy Department which also houses a number of U. S. documents of interest to genealogists. Miss Pat Chadwell, head of the Department, will be happy to assist you in any way she can. Since this material is reference, it is fortunate that the library has a copy machine so that you may reproduce any material for 10¢ a page.

Before I close I should like to mention one more thing. Many times you no doubt receive lists of publications from various private publishers. In some of these lists you will find items that are reprinted sections of U. S. Government publications. One example of this is the following reference: Revolutionary Soldiers: Miscellaneous List of Revolutionary Soldiers from Connecticut, Massachusetts, and New York as Contained in the 6th Report of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, pp. 383-410. 1904. This item was selling for \$10.00. We have this report in the library, so you see, it often pays to check the library before you buy some expensive item that can be seen free of charge.

It really has been a pleasure to speak to you this evening, and I hope that I have been able to unravel a few of the mysteries of government documents for you.

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CORRECTION: Vol. 12, No. 3, p. 108. Please change Southwestern Baptist Theological Library to read Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

ESTELL CEMETERY

Copied by Betty Coburn Winchester, February 25, 1968.

This cemetery is located behind the old Estell School building which is currently in use by the Church of Christ, on Valley View Road at the intersection of Estell Road in Irving, Texas. It is very near the old Bear Creek Baptist Church and is on the perimeter of the lands recently acquired for the purpose of constructing a Regional Airport, a joint effort of the cities of Fort Worth and Dallas.

Thousands of acres of land, located north of the Great Southwest Airport, and south of the city of Grapevine, have been cleared for this project. The old Grapevine prairie, and the land lying south of that known as the Crowley prairie, will soon be hidden under thousands of pounds of concrete, asphalt, and terminal buildings.

The Estell Cemetery is fenced, maintained, and is fairly old. There are many unmarked graves. Only the Woods family and the Harrington family have marked their graves. These two families had intermarried before coming to the Crowley Prairie. They appear on census records of northwestern counties of Texas as early as 1860.

Samuel Archibald Woods
April 7, 1839
Aug 11, 1899

Mary Jane Woods
March 27, 1856
Oct 25, 1897

Infant daughter of
S. A. & M. J. Woods
died Feb 1891

HARRINGTON (double stone)

Bryant M.
Sept 1, 1876

William R.
July 18, 1878
March 26, 1966

Bryant Harrington
Apr 28, 1829
Nov 30, 1895

Archibald W., son of
A. M. L. & B. Harrington
Jan 21, 1872
Apr 30, 1892

A. M. L., wife of
B. Harrington
Nov 8, 1841
Apr 27, 1907

Susanna Lavonia Harrington
Nov 27, 1878
Aug 5, 1921

BIBLIOPRINTS
News from the Library

by Patricia Chadwell

Once in a while, a familiar face in the department lights up as a regular patron discovers something he never knew that we had - the microcard collection. Full use of this collection is not possible without familiarity with the *American Genealogical-Biographical Index*, one of our most valuable tools.

Most of our microcards, along with the AGBI (which will stand for the lengthy title of the above index) are published by the Godfrey Memorial Library in Litchfield, Connecticut. This library is an endowed, private institution devoted solely to genealogy.

The largest single item in the collection is the *Boston Transcript Genealogy Page*, 1904-1941. There are, also, a number of rare family histories, and several scarce local histories and reference books which we would not be able to obtain in any other form.

To use the microcard collection, first consult the AGBI or its predecessor, the *American Genealogical Index* (both 929.1 A). These sets also index many titles which we have in book form, and some, alas, which we do not have.

The AGBI and The AGI are key-title indexes, which means that the entry for each individual refers to its source by use of a very abbreviated form of spelling for its title. To get enough information to locate the book, one must go to the key, a section of *colored pages bound* in the front of about every tenth volume in the series. (Key volumes are so lettered on the spine.) Each entry in the key includes full bibliographic information. To help you work faster, the locations of those items in our collection are penciled in the margins.

The major problem in using these indexes is that they are published serially, about five volumes per year. We have volumes 21-40 of the AGI, the last half of the set (the first volumes may be consulted at the Dallas Public Library), and the first 65 volumes of the AGBI, taking us through the surname Grabb. When complete, the AGBI may run to over 400 volumes.

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Three new "how-to" books need mention this month. The first, *A Handy Guide to the Genealogical Library* (LDS Library in Salt Lake City), should be owned by every serious genealogical researcher. It is available from the Everton

Publishers, P.O. Box 368, Logan, Utah 84321 for the nominal sum of \$1.00. Even if you are never able to visit this "Mecca" for American genealogists, the information in this pamphlet about things which are common to all genealogical libraries will be of much value to you.

E. Kay Kirkham's new *Simplified Genealogy for Americans* (929.1 K) is a good book for beginners. Although it is neither as detailed, nor as complete, as Doane's classic, it incorporates much *Handy Book* type information which will be helpful in beginning research. This book may be checked out for two weeks on special loan.

If subsequent volumes of *Genealogy in America* by Norman Wright (929.1 W) are as good as the first, we will have an encyclopedia of American research. The first volume covers Massachusetts, Connecticut, and Maine, and includes: the history of the state; the history of record keeping in the state; the development of each county, with a list of townships in each county, indicating any name changes; a detailed description of records kept by each county and each state agency; a list of historical societies; and a bibliographical essay on printed secondary sources.

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Many of our readers will have visited other genealogical libraries on vacations by the time this issue is mailed. If, in your travels, you have seen something done in a library that you found especially helpful, please tell us about it. We can always use new ideas to serve you better.

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New Books of Genealogical Interest:

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| 016.973
U | U.S. National Archives and Records Service.
Letters of Application and Recommendation During the Administration of Andrew Jackson, 1829-1837. |
| 016.973
U | U.S. National Archives and Records Service
Letters of Application and Recommendation During the Administrations of Martin Van Buren, William Henry Harrison, and John Tyler. |
| 016.973
U | U.S. National Archives and Records Service
Interior Department Appointment Papers; State of California, 1849-1907. |

- 286.1764
C The Covenant, Records and Minutes, Jamestown Baptist Church, Smith Co., 1860-1863.
- 325
C Cunningham, Carolyn.
Migrations, Actual and Implied.
- 929.1
H Heiss, Willard C.
Quakers in the South Carolina Back Country: Wateree and Bush River.
- 929.1
H Snow, Helen Foster.
Ancestor Hunting: A Game of Skill and Chance.
- 929.2
P Phelps, James A.
The Wallace Family in America.
- 929.2
S Smith, C. Aubrey.
A Letter to my Grandchildren.
- 929.72
B Burke's Landed Gentry, 18th Ed.
- 975.536
D Dorman, John Frederick.
Caroline County, Virginia, Order Book, 1746-1748.
- 973.6
M Morris, Mrs. Irene R.
Around Kentwood it is remembered.
- 976.133
W Watson, Fred S.
Forgotten Trails.
- 976.174
T Thompson, W. S.
The Free State of Winston. (Co., Ala.)
- 976.365
P Personal Name Index to the Parish Register of Trinity Episcopal Church, Natchitoches, Louisiana, 1841-1941.
- 976.387
W Wright, Mrs. K. W.
Index to Probate Records from 1800-1870. Quachita Parish, Louisiana.
- 976.4
Castro Holy Family Cemetery, Nazareth, Texas
- 976.7
A Arkansas History Commission.
Biographical Index.
- 977.359
D Duris, Etzard.
The Good Old Times in McLean County, Illinois.

977.377 Craddock, Barbara J.
C Cemetery Inscriptions - Richland County,
Illinois.

977.8 Hodges, Nadine.
H Missouri Pioneers, Vol. 4.

977.835 Ellsberry, Elizabeth Prather.
E Marion County, Missouri, Cemetery
Records.

977.881 Williams, Betty Harvey.
W Dallas County, Missouri, Tombstone
Inscriptions.

977.8815 Williams, Jacqueline Hogan.
W Laclede County, Missouri, Tombstone
Inscriptions.

Southwest Division

912 Gray, O. W.
G The National Atlas of the United States.
1886.

Tarrant Division

282.764 Carlton, Catherine Kenney.
C St. Mary of the Assumption Catholic
Church: the Parish and Its People,
1908-1968.

286.1764 O'Donnell, Pearl Foster.
Lonesome Dove Baptist Church.

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CORRECTION:

February, 1969 issue of *Footprints*, page 26, line 9:
the tombstone inscription was published as Myrtle Wooten.
Please CHANGE this to read: Myrtle Wooten Atkins.

FIRST POST OFFICES AND POSTMASTERS
OF TARRANT COUNTY, TEXAS

Copied from photostatic copies obtained from the National Archives by Pearl Foster O'Donnell.

Johnson's Station

James Watson, 23 Oct 1857
Carlos Wise, 18 July 1860
Randall Robinson, 9 Aug 1860

Birdville

Francis Jordan, 3 Nov 1851
Wm. J. Duval, 23 Sept 1852
William Quayles, 8 April 1854
Samuel Manning, 30 Oct 1855
Andrew J. Ball, 7 May 1856
William Chilton, 12 Aug 1856
John J. Courtenay, 27 Jan 1857
Benj. F. White, 29 Nov 1858
Thomas J. Lester, 9 July 1860
Sylvanus Olinger, 27 Oct 1860
Miss F. Alice Barkley, 2 July 1860

Fort Worth

Julian Feild, 28 Feb 1856
M. J. Brinson, 16 Feb 1857
Hiram C. Jewell, 7 Sept 1857
Leigh Oldham, 24 Mar 1859
John M. Murchison, 19 July 1859
George Boon, 6 June 1860
Mrs. Dorcas Williams, 10 May 1866
Charles J. Loucks, 23 April 1867

Plascide

William S. Barnett, 29 June 1857
Discontinued 18 Aug 1858

Estill's Station

Jefferson Estill, 16 July 1857
Benj. F. Crowley, 27 July 1858
Alexander Dobkins, 1 Oct 1860
Miss Sarah A. Dobkins, 8 Oct 1866

(Estill's Station later became Estell Community and was located in Dallas County.)

Ashland

James Young, 5 Jan 1858
Discontinued 23 Jan 1867

Grapevine

Irenius J. S. Dunn, 4 Aug 1858
Discontinued 23 Jan 1867

Robinson's Mill

Henry W. Verstille, 4 Aug 1858
John B. Robinson, 17 March 1859
Discontinued 5 Nov 1866

Atchison's Point

William C. Atchison, 20 Sept 1858
James M. Shreaves, 8 Oct 1866

Hawkinsville

Joel M. Lilly, 27 June 1859
Discontinued 5 Nov 1866

Norton's Grove

Hiram B. Sheppard, 12 Dec 1859
Discontinued 5 Nov 1866

Mansfield

Julian Field, 1 Mar 1860
Discontinued 23 Jan 1867
Re-instated 23 Aug 1867
W. R. Lewis, 23 Aug 1867

Editor's Note: Miss F. Alice Barkley, Birdville post-mistress, was only fifteen years old when she was commissioned by Postmaster General Alexander W. Randall. Daughter of B. F. Barkley, early Birdville resident, she later married W. H. Wright. In 1906 Alice's brother, Lon Barkley, was appointed postmaster of Fort Worth by President Theodore Roosevelt. (*Texas Writer's Project*, pp. 2058-2059.)

REPUBLIC OF TEXAS CORRESPONDENCE

Letter from R. J. Loyless of Galveston to Kinchen McKinney, Esquire, of Taswell, Marion County, Georgia.

Frances A. Ragan White contributed this letter written by her great-great uncle, Redding J. Loyless. Mrs. White offered the following information:

"It is my belief that you will find this letter a very interesting chronicle of an early-day resident of the "Lone Star State." While I do not wholly agree with his spelling and punctuation, I must confess that he wrote a better than average account of the conditions in Texas at that time. In fact, such a letter might even be considered 'Chamber of Commerce' material.

You may have some curiosity as to the B. C. Franklin alluded to in my Uncle's letter. Mr. Franklin was a former resident of Macon, Georgia, and was a Judge for the Southern District of Texas (Galveston Division) under the Republic of Texas. He and Great-Great-Uncle Redding were the warmest of friends. Franklin County (Mount Vernon, county seat) was named in his honor, as was Franklin, the seat of Robertson County, Texas. Judge Franklin rendered many learned opinions which are to be found in the law books of early Texas courts, prior to its admission to the Union."

Galveston, Texas December 27, 1842

Dear Cousin,

You will excuse me for not writing to you before, since I left Georgia. My friend K. W. Hargroves informed me last Winter while you were at Milledgeville that he had agreed to my request, told you all about me & C. Not noing what better to do, I determined last Spring to visit Texas. I landed here the 27th September last. I find this country in a verry poor condition as indeed is almost all its inhabitants; the Republic is without money and a little in debt though this country must in a few years be thickly populated. The lands are fine and cheap. Good lands can be had from 12 1/2¢ to 25 cents per acre, it is the best cotton growing country I ever saw, in fact everything that grows in Georgia grows finely here, and notwithstanding the embarrassed condition of the Country, people are constantly moving in, indeed this is the time for all who wish to get lands cheap to come and make their purchases. The French and Jermans are settling in very fast, there are also a great

many Americans coming in from all parts of the United States, it only needs for this Country to obtain peace with Mexico to make it the Richest Republic in the World; and peace she will have in a few years if she has to obtain it by carrying the war into Mexico, but all this cannot be done in a day. Texas is in better condition than was the United States at the same age. Texas is about half as large as the United States is now. And her Lands intrinsically better than any scope of country of the same size in the United States. This I am positive of as I have since I saw you Traveled through the Greatest part of the Union from Ga., New York, from thence to Texas, passing through Ohio and Missouri down the Mississippi to Louisiana. I have as yet only seen the poorest of Texas, that part Lying below the Red Lands between this place and the Sabine River - that River is the line between this country and La. Texas has a seacoast of Four Hundred Miles or upwards, many fine large rivers that are navigable from Two to Six hundred miles up into the finest Richest and healthiest country this said of the Ocean. This country extends back about One thousand miles, high up in the mountainous part of the country it is inhabited by Indians. Some few of them come to this place to trade, not many however come here as they get their supplies mostly from the Northern frontier States which settlements extend north about Two hundred miles, the settlement from East to West extends about four or five hundred miles, this country being about six hundred miles from east to west, in latitude 30.31 & 32, as it widens from the coast, the Great River Rio Grande, sometimes called Rio del Norte is the west line of Texas, this River heads in the Rocky Mountains in the neighborhood of Santafee in the vicinity of the Richest mines now known to the World. I would not advise persons to move further west than the River Brazos which is about the middle of the Republic and affords the Richest Lands. On the River live many wealthy farmers, though the Red Lands in the Eastern part is the thickest settled, the lands near the sea coast is Jenerally Perrarie, not worth much for cultivation, but are fine for grazing. Ajacent to the Lands in the E. part is fine Lands, pretty much such as those in the Lower part of Ga., and a gooddeal of that sort in your county, Marion. Persons desirous of moveing to Texas must content themselves with the usual hardships of all new countries for a few years; there are many thick settlements, and verry many thin ones; there are more cattle in One Hundred miles Square in Texas than in all Ga.; they winter themselves and require Little or no attention. Many persons who came here a few years ago, verry poor, have now from one to three thousand head of cattle that cost a mere nothing. All who can come to visit Texas and satisfy themselves a few hundred Dollars could not be better spent. I am sure you would never regret it and it might be greatly to your

advantage. You could take the stage at Columbus for New Orleans, or go down the Chattahoochy and thence across from Pensacola, Fl. to Ne. O., thence to Galveston by Steamship, and from here you could shape your course on horseback as you can purchase a mustang for a trifling sum and a Mexican saddle, &C. I have written to my Brother in Law Whitehead several times to send me some money as I am certain he has collected some for me, but I have not received any answer from him. I am out of money and everything else, but I hope I shall Live to get it. Give my best Respects to all. Write to me soon. Direct your Letter to Galveston, Texas care of B. C. Franklin and pay the postage or the Letters will be stoped in New Orleans.

Affectionately your Cousin

R. J. Loyless

K. McKinney, Esqr.
Tazewell, Marion County, Ga.

(Copyist's note: This postscript on the envelope side of letter.)

I send this to New Orleans by private hand, there to be mailed. I hope it will reach you in 10 or 12 days, as that is sufficient time to allow; two days from here to Orleans and six after to get to you if the mail from Columbus starts down on its arrivial is sufficient.

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From the Editors.....

Since this is the last issue of *Footprints* for the year of 1969, we wish to take this opportunity to thank each of you for your assistance and encouragement.

We know that there is much we can do to improve our editorial skills. This will be our goal for 1970! Meanwhile, we beg your indulgence.

With the co-operation of our membership, we know that we will be able to publish a quarterly which contains useful information. This is your publication! Please feel free to offer comments and criticism as well as material for publication.

We wish you all happy holidays! May 1970 bring you many new discoveries and triumphs, just as 1969 has brought us many breath-taking moments in history.

Betty C. Winchester
Mildred B. Smith

BOOK REVIEW

Edna Austin Moore and William Allen Day. *The Descendants of Richard Austin of Charlestown, Massachusetts, 1838.*

Texans will be interested in this genealogy because "The Father of Texas," Stephen F. Austin, and his cousin, Mary Austin Holley, who wrote the first book about Texas in English, are among the more than 1,000 descendants of Richard Austin who are included in the book.

These descendants can be found in many parts of the country and in many walks of life. The authors have included many more descendants in female lines than most family historians.

Some descendant's histories are compiled from public records and show intensive research. For others, the authors have relied primarily on printed sources, some of dubious value, or on material submitted by other descendants. Entries in the book which are not substantiated by references to original records should be regarded as clues, not final proof of descent. Brief abstracts from public records and/or a list of printed sources, or the name and address of the person submitting the material accompany each entry.

At first glance, the numbering system used by the authors is confusing, but further scrutiny reveals its logic. Each descendant is assigned a number. Children of each descendant are listed and numbered in the order of birth following the biographical portion of his entry; the numbers of those children whose lives are traced are at the left of the entry. A sequence of numbers showing the individual's line of descent precedes his entry; the names of his ancestors, with their generation numbers in superscript, follow his name in the entry.

There is an eighty-six page index, containing approximately eleven thousand five hundred names. The eleven pages of corrections and additions should be carefully checked when using the book. The book is handsome in format, letter-press printed, and bound in buckram; but, with the exception of a single plate showing a family letter, it is not illustrated.

Those wishing to obtain copies of the book should contact Mrs. Edna Austin Moore, 1777 42nd Street South, St. Petersburg, Florida 33711.

Patricia Chadwell

C O L L E C T A N E A

Republic of Texas researchers will surely want a copy of Corrie Pattison Haskew's recently published book, *Historical Records of Austin and Waller Counties*. Included in this volume are the Austin Colony marriage records and bonds, Austin County census records for 1850-1870, early settlers of San Felipe, and many more previously unpublished records. This book may be ordered from Mrs. D. W. Haskew, Plaza Hotel, P. O. Box 1028, Houston, Texas 77001. Profit from the sale of this book will go to the Texas State Historical Association.

Did your ancestors use St. Louis as their gateway to the West? Researchers whose ancestors may have been in the St. Louis, Missouri, area en route to points west, will look forward to a new publication of the Saint Louis Genealogical Society. Available after January 1, 1970, will be *Index of U. S. Census, St. Louis & St. Louis County*. This work, 868 pages in all, should save many valuable hours of painstaking census research. Anyone interested in this book should write to the Saint Louis Genealogical Society, P. O. Box 7114, Saint Louis, Missouri 63177.

Realizing that its old, historic, and architecturally important buildings are rapidly disappearing, a citizens group dedicated to the preservation of such structures, has recently been organized in Fort Worth. We wish them well! Sadly we have watched many of our cherished landmarks give way to the future. Surely, in our concrete, glass, and steel modern cities there is room for a few stately mansions!

How many times have you received an ancestor chart or a family group sheet which was undated and did not contain the address of the sender? Sometimes in filing we overlook this omission only to find this error years later when it is almost impossible to locate the sender. Let us all remember to add to the valuable forms we send our fellow genealogists that ever important date, name, and address. It will save much anguish in years to come.

Another omission which can cause the genealogist, as well as the librarian, much frustration is failing to note precisely the full title, author, publisher, copyright date, call letter, and location of a particular volume in which we have found a reference to our ancestors. As we sit here writing we have visions of that beautiful red book, about three inches thick, with beautiful gold letters on the spine--but where did we see it, and what was the title?

ELLIS COUNTY, TEXAS
MARRIAGE RECORDS VOLUME B 1857-1870

(Continued from Volume 12, No. 3, page 115.)

1857

Nov	12	Henry G. Brewer	Sarah F. Lowe
	15	Joseph H. Cashion	Mrs. Margaret J. Woods
	17	Samuel Clark	Mrs. Mary Hurst
	19	John M. Reeves	Mary R. Garvin
Dec	5	Robinson F. James	Susan Jane Johnson
	7	John H. L. Jackson	Louisa Susan Presly
	17	David G. Ransom	Sallie Oldham
	22	Joseph M. Bell	Susana Douglas
	24	Car Forrest	Virginia Sims

1858

Jan	8	Wiley F. James	Juda Henderson
	11	Narciss Rodrigues	Jane Glass
	21	Abraham Howard	Amanda H. Southerland
Feb	11	William J. Brown	Manerva H. Stout
	7	John L. Ruddle	Manerva Skeggs
	18	Thomas J. Quinn	Alcy M. Smith
Apr	8	Andrew J. Vaughan	Harriet R. West
	8	William R. McVey	Martha J. Steverson
May	12	Benjamin B. Lacy	Frances Ann Howe
	20	Simon Snyder	Margaret Cooper
Jun	17	John Dobs	Mary Davidson
July	15	Moses M. Borild	Elizabeth J. Dunkin
	15	James R. Mays	Hester A. Graham
	22	John Castevens	Sarah C. Ellis
Aug	19	Elisha Mayo	Rachel Mayfield
	19	Willis R. Baggett	Elizabeth A. Rhodes
Sept	21	Christopher Overstreet	Mary F. Marchbanks
	28	Allison G. Cummins	Mary F. Sweatt
Oct	21	Josiah Porter	Rebecca Baker
	20	Clement L. Lee	Camelia R. Willoughby
Nov	2	Elisha C. Rasan	Malvina D. Lemon
	2	Stephen A. Clift	Susan Jane Killough
	2	Clark D. Pickett	Mary L. Carrick
	14	Alexander H. Harris	Lydia A. White
	16	William D. Smith	Elizabeth Lewis
	25	George Stiles	Zilpha Newton
	23	Elisha W. Rushing	Mary E. Langston
	24	Elbert C. Newton	Mariah White
Dec	8	William J. Sims	Rebecca Hardeman
	8	James M. Gibson	Rebecca Henderson

Dec	23	William H. Nabors	Sarah Jane Caulder
	28	John Crooks	Mary Pinson
	30	Henry Carie	Viola L. Batte

1859

Jan	11	Jeremiah G. Hughes	Amanda J. Henderson
	11	George W. Savage	Sarah Elizabeth Sutton
	19	Hiram G. Ainsworth	Hester Ann Matilda House
	27	Herman J. Rockett	Martha Ann Chiles
Feb	2	Robert C. Thurman	Elizabeth McJilton
	3	Peter W. Williams	G. A. Wright
	21	Abraham Bass	Casanda Ann Clark
	25	Henry W. Smith	Susan Ann McCollum
	24	William Strong	Barsheba Baker
Mar	6	Thomas J. Forsyth	Sarah Mackey
	13	Franklin L. Farrar	Synthia Ann Rebecca Farrar
	13	Charles Ramsey	Phebe L. Groves
Apr	5	Snowdon P. Samuels	Sophia L. Bledsoe
May	1	John M. Lambert	Nicy Howard
	4	Tenose S. Romby	Mrs. Martha A. Smith
	8	Benjamin C. Quinn	Mrs. Francis A. Smith
	8	William R. Marshall	Hannah Lunday
	10	Samuel Scott	Rosean Tubbs
	19	Sam M. Sneed	Mary E. Higgins
Jun	8	John P. McCulloch	Sarah A. Wilderson
	21	Thomas Hines Senior	Nannie J. Young
	26	James W. Watson	Jane Fealds
Aug	11	John H. Moffett	Mary F. Lankester
	18	David P. Hawkins	Elizabeth C. Embry
	18	James S. Hudson	Caroline S. Scott
Sept	5	William R. Cox	Mary E. Clark
	14	Josiah F. Hawkins	Mary Jane Burks
	14	George H. Cunningham	Tennessee Sims
	29	Montgomery H. Vanlear	Frances Rush McCulloch
	29	Andrew Stephens	Mary Guest
Oct	5	Thomas A. Howell	Epsa A. Quinn
	13	John G. Williams	Cynisca Sweatt
	26	William F. Groves	Sarah Jane Brisbin
	24	James E. Smith	Sarah J. Parks
Nov	1	Joseph H. Witherspoon	Rebecca A. Bell
	2	Andrew J. McCrory	Elizabeth Smith
	2	Lawner B. Blair	Frances O. Thrash
	10	Alfred Hines	Frances Franklin
	11	J. Emmerson Hawkins	Mary Tarrant
	17	Frank S. New	Alice E. Skeen
	17	Warren Hodge	Mary K. Gray
	20	John T. Simmons	Lizey McMinn
	28	William F. Hague	Elizabeth Ramsey
	27	Mathew Skeen	Mary Wimberly
	27	Jesse Douglas	Ann Eliza Stewart
Dec	22	J. M. Luton	Narcissa W. Dill
	23	Henry M. Flemming	Susan Izabella Alexander

(To be continued.)

OBITUARIES AND DEATH NOTICES 1855-1856
from
THE TEXAS BAPTIST

(Continued from Volume 12, Number 3, page 111.)

Brother Wm. D. Morgan died February 7, 1856. Writer believes he was native of South Carolina from whence he removed to Louisiana where he resided a short time, thence to Old Caney in Texas, where he remained a short time, then to Fayette County where he has resided 5 or 6 years. He never married, had no relatives in this country. Supposed to be about 50 years of age but little of his history known to the writer. "His gentlemanly urbanity of manners, tho retiring, and strictly moral rectitude, gained for him friends wherever he was known." Deacon of Union Church at death (came to Texas a deacon). Signed: Lee Green, in behalf of Union Church. (March 25)

Joel Newton died in Guadalupe [sic] County, Texas 16 January last in the 41st year of his age. Joined Baptist Church in Sumpter [sic] County, Ala., 3 Nov. 1839. Ordained a deacon in 1845 and remained active deacon until his death. Moved Feb. 1853 to Caldwell County, Texas, and joined there Clear Fork Baptist Church, where he remained for one year, then removed to western part of Guadalupe [sic] and helped constitute Cibolo Baptist Church there 2 Aug. 1855. Survived by his wife and ten children. (March 25)

Mrs. Mary Frances Rennolds, aged 46 years, 3 months, consort of Capt. B. Rennolds of this county, died 22 March 1856. (April 1)

Green L. Mimms died at residence of W. M. Tandy on 24 March 1856, at age about 25. He was a native of Kentucky and came from Kentucky to Texas about 1850. Joined Baptist Church at Rocky Creek, Lavaca County in 1851 or 1852. Signed: J. H. S., Gonzales, Texas, April 1856. (April 22)

Obituary of William O. Baldwin. "My uncle is no more. . . . Enter with me the chamber of my dying uncle. Devoted friends, a mother bending under the weight of three score and ten years, an affectionate brother and sister, a broken-hearted wife and children. . . ." "Alas, why do I weep? To him I was committed by a dying father, when sunny smiles played on my infant brow; he was my guardian, my counselor, and my foster father." Signed: Wm. B. Denson, Baylor University. April 25, 1856. (May 6)

Mrs. Mary Parks died 19 March 1856 at residence of her son-in-law, Elder Jno. S. Allen in String Prairie, Burleson County, Texas. She was born in Lawrence District, South Carolina where she married 14 Feb. 1815 Nathaniel Parks. Joined Baptist Church 1828. "She lived with her husband to be the mother of twelve children, with whom she moved to Benton County, Ala. in the autumn of 1833." Her husband died in Chickasaw County, Miss. 27 August 1850 while on a visit to some of their children who had settled there. Ten of her twelve children survive. [End torn off] (April 22)

Mary Leonora, only daughter of Dr. Henry and Mrs. Sarah Eldridge, died 28 Feb. 1856, age 3 years, 8 months (she was called "Nora"). Signed: R. C. B. (May 6)

Melita Johnson, wife of J. C. Johnson, died last day of April 1856. She was daughter of the Rev. Isham Goss, a Baptist minister of Georgia. She married James C. Johnson in March, 1824; joined Baptist church at Beaver Dam, Oglethorpe County, Georgia in June, 1825. Survived by husband, a deacon in Waco Baptist Church, and several children, four of whom are small. Signed: Pastor. "The family requests the Christian Index to copy." (May 13)

William P. Cook, son of George W. and Eliza Cook, died in Washington County, Texas, 14 April 1856, in the 19th year of his age. Born Pickens County, Ala. Moved to Texas 1853 with his father, his mother "having died some years ago." Survived by father, brothers, and sisters. Signed: A friend, Chappell Hill, Washington County. (May 13)

William Junius Eliot died 24 April 1856, age 20 years. "Joined church about two years ago while at school in Kentucky and baptized at Elizabethtown, Ky., by Rev. William L. Morris." "At his funeral, no minister could be procured. The only service performed was by a layman. Prayer was offered and that portion of God's word used by Rev. A. M'Clay at Dr. Cones funeral. . . ." He is buried "beside his mother and sister in my family burying ground." Signed: J. Eliot. (May 20)

Mrs. Elizabeth R. Kurven, consort of William A. Kurvin, died in Freestone County, Texas, 22 May 1856. She was the only daughter and surviving child of Oliver and Mary Carter, formerly of Alabama. She was about 30 years of age, and is survived by her husband, two children, father, mother, and relatives. Signed: B. P. Ferrell, Fairfield, Freestone County, Texas. (June 10)

Harvey, infant son of John B. and Virginia Harris, died "in this place" on the 9th instant. (June 10)

Obituary: [torn] March 1856, Sister Rachel N. [torn] Co[torn] of James Cooper. She was born in in No[torn] [torn] alina, July 20, 1792, where she remained with her parents, George W. and Mary Ann West, to her fourth year when she removed with them to Davidson Co., Tenn. In her 17th year she was joined in matrimony to our esteemed friend, James Cooper, and lived to be the mother of twelve children, six sons and six daughters." Joined church 1822 or 1823. Baptized by "a Brother King in a stream called Little Harper in the north edge of William [sic] County, Tennessee. From thence she came with her husband to Texas in 1838, and settled near Independence." Signed: J. L. S. (June 24)

Mrs. Mary Ann Doak, born Orange County, Virginia, 5 November 1811, eldest daughter of Edmund and Susan Rowe, died 3 May 1856. She moved with her parents to Talahatchee [sic] County, Miss. in 1834. Joined Lebanon Church, which her parents had helped form. She married 1836 John M. Doak, with whom she came to Texas in 1846, where she joined Prospect Church and remained a member there until 1853 when she went into the organization of Lexington Church, Burleson County, Texas "in one mile of her residence." She was the mother of ten children. Survived by her husband, six children, one brother and one sister. (July 1)

Margaret Anderson, wife of Dr. C. L. Anderson, died the second day of this month, age 20 years, 6 months, 13 days. Her daughter, Aurelia Caroline ("Boney"), died six days prior to death of Margaret Anderson. The child was born in Conecuh County, Ala., 2 Nov. 1854, and died at the Bedai Springs in Walker County, Texas, 26 June 1856. Margaret Anderson was the youngest daughter of John and Tabitha Wommack, late of Sumpter [sic] County, Ala., now of Montgomery, Texas. She was born Washington County, Ala., December, 1835, and moved with her parents to "this country" in the winter of 1841. Joined Baptist Church at Montgomery in 1851. She was married 26 June 1851 to Dr. C. L. Anderson, and shortly after her marriage accompanied her husband to Conecuh County, Alabama where they resided until "last winter" when they returned to Texas. (July 15)

"My daughter, Amanda Sophronia Harris, died on the 18th June 1856 wanting only nine days of being ten years old." Mentioned Amanda's "sister Caroline." Signed: Benj. Harris. "P.S. Amanda S. was born in Walker County, Georgia, came with us to Cass County, Texas in 1851, and died in Johnson County, Texas." Signed: Benj. Harris
Margaret R. Harris
(Aug 26)

Lockhart, August 30, 1856.

Brother Baines: By way of apology - I am aware that the following notices are out of season from the long lapse of time since the death of our subjects. Although neglected so long, such is the solicitude of the surrounding friends that 'the memory of the just shall live,' I have consented to send you brief notices. In pleasing remembrance.

Signed: J. H. Wells.

Maban Barfield, deacon of Baptist Church at Lockhart, Texas, died at his residence near Lockhart, 8 Oct. 1855, age about 63 years. He was a native of N. C. "where 24 years before his death he joined Ash Pole Baptist Church in Robinson County. After emigrating to and residing some years in Mississippi, in 1850 he settled in our midst." Survived by a large family. (Sept 20)

Jesse Johnson was born in the state of Georgia 28 April 1794. He moved to Texas in 1845. "In search of health, died from home at the Sulphur Springs, Lampasas, Texas, on the 15th May 1856. "Aged spouse," and children mentioned. (Sept 20)

Mrs. Anna McDade died at her residence near Chappell Hill, Washington County, Texas, 12 July 1856. Her maiden name was Armstrong. She was born Madison County, Ga., 21 Nov. 1799; married 27 Nov. 1817, A. McDade. Joined Providence Baptist Church of Christ in August, 1843. Survived by four sons. (Sept 20)

Mrs. Miranda Bird, wife of Nathaniel Bird, Esq., died on the 17th inst. in Burleson County, Texas, in her 23rd year. She joined Rocky Baptist Church in 1853; subsequently transferred membership to Dove Church. Survived by husband and two children. (Oct 11)

Emily Francis, consort of C. B. Francis, died 15 September 1856 in the 24th year of her age. "She was born in this county July 28th 1833," daughter of James D. and Lydia Allcorn. Professed religion while at Baylor University in the fall of 1851 "and as she was boarding with Elder George W. Baines, who was pastor of the church in Independence" she joined the church at Independence. She was married 13 June 1855 and went with her husband to Georgia to visit his relatives soon after their marriage and returned to Texas in December. (Oct 18)

General Augustus B. Wooldridge died October 1856. He was born Putnam County, Ga., 18 October 1808; married October 1828 Miss Caroline F. Cain of Wilks [sic] County, Ga.; moved to Neshaba [sic] County, [torn] Moved to Texas "some six years past and for about two years was the guest of his brother in Burleson County." He

subsequently purchased a residence in Colorado County, where he died. (Nov 15)

Nancy T. Gibbs, consort of Mr. Thomas Gibbs, died 18 August 1856. She was born at Sevierville, Seiver County, Tenn., 7 Nov. 1826, daughter of M. C. and C. Rogers. Moved with parents to Texas in 1845; married Thomas Gibbs 1848. Survived by her husband, parents, two children, two brothers, and one sister. Signed: A. Davis, Huntsville, Texas, Aug. 20. 1856. (Nov 29)

Mrs. Malinda P. Black, wife of John S. Black, Esq., of Fayette County, Texas, died at their residence 18 Nov 1856. Her maiden name was Lewis, and she was born Kentucky 2 July 1825. Her parents moved to Arkansas, where she married John S. Black. Survived by husband and children. Signed: C. J. Lane. "Baptist papers in Missouri and Arkansas please copy." (Nov 29)

Mary E., daughter of brother and sister Montague, died on the 3rd inst., near this place, aged "precisely thirteen years." Signed: J. C. T.; Caldwell November 10, 1856 (Dec 6)

Elizabeth Bennett, consort of J. Y. Bennett, died McLennan County, Texas, 8 Aug. 1856. In 1847 joined Locust Grove Baptist Church of Christ in Calaway [sic] County, Ky. Came with her husband to Texas in 1854, where she joined White Rock Church. Signed: Pastor. "Tennessee Baptist please copy." (Dec 6)

Hadley P. Roberts, "who had lived in Independence only since March," died 10 October 1856. He was born near Robertville, Beaufort County, S. C., 10 October 1856, a descendant of a Huguenot family which "persecution drove from home and kindred in France to wilds of America." He moved to Mississippi in 1806, and "having lost father and mother, he was reared by his uncle, the venerable Moses L. Hadley, a Baptist preacher and father of Col. T. B. J. Hadley of Houston." In his 17th year he came to Bayou Boeuff [sic], near Cheneyville, La., where he lived until he moved to Independence. Survived by his wife, four sons and three daughters. (Dec 6)

Maggie Harper, only daughter of Mrs. Naevia Calloway, died near Wharton at the residence of Lemuel Calloway; aged 7 years, 6 months, 7 days. Signed: Ada Calloway (Dec 6)

Mrs. Eugenia M. Johns, wife of Dr. John Johns, died at her residence in Caddo Village, Milam County, Texas, on

18 October last, aged 28 years. She was born Alabama, 1828, daughter of Jonathon G. and Nancy Shaw. Signed: J. J. Haggard. "The Southwestern Baptist will please copy." (Dec 6)

Mrs. Olivia J. Baylor died November 29 at the residence of her husband, Capt. R. T. Baylor, on Elm Creek, McLennan County, Texas. She was the daughter of George W. and Parmelia Martin. Writer thinks she was born in Madison County, Ala., 14 August 1826. She married in Scott County, Mississippi, 25 Nov. 1847, Captain R. T. Baylor (Dec 20)

Tribute of Respect: Amanda M. Cole [torn] N. Cole and daughter of [torn] Minerva Peoples [torn] born in Talapoosa County, Miss. [sic] and [torn] Texas., Limestone County [torn] united to brother Cole in [torn] Springfield, November 5, 1856. Joined Mt. Antioch Church 1855. Survived by her husband and "little Johnny." Signed: W. J. B. "Tennessee Baptist please copy." (Dec 20)

Sister Margaret E. Norris died yesterday at the residence of her husband in this town. She was born Limestone County, Alabama, 20 Sept. 1820, daughter of Thomas and Charlotte T. Parker, and married 1837, S. Norris. Joined Baptist Church in Mississippi in 1849. In 1849 moved to Marshall, Texas and finally to this town. Survived by husband and seven children. Signed: J. H. W. (Dec 20)

Julia Slack of Fayette County, Texas, died 29 November 1856. She was born in Georgia, 1811. Her maiden name was Holland. She married 1829, Thomas Slack; joined church at Newford, Wilkes County, Ga., in 1833; moved to Chickasaw County, Miss., and was member Union Church in that county. In April, 1855 she helped to constitute Little Church - on the Colorado - twelve miles below La Grange, which church, at her request, received the name of "Union." Survived by husband, five children, and two or three motherless grandchildren. (Dec 31)

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QUERIES

RUNDLE

Nirum C. Rundle and Julia Vail Rundle came to Marion Co., Ohio from Orange or Westchester, New York about 1822. Their children migrated to Iowa and Missouri in 1840-50; several settled in Atchison and Holt counties, Missouri. Would like any information concerning the ancestry of Nirum C. and Julia Vail Rundle and will be glad to correspond with their living descendants, or with persons acquainted with the family.

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DAVIDSON, WOODS, KAVANAUGH

F. Lawson Davidson, son of Geo. and Sarah McWhorter Davidson, born 1812 Franklin Co., Tenn., died 1862 Yalobusha Co., Miss. where he m. 1855 Susan McFarland. Only known child, Geo. L. Davidson, born 1856 m. 1892 Katherine Eddins; their known children: Ruth born Water Valley, Miss. m. H. G. Kreim; Katherine Eddins born Helena, Ark. m. Grover Knight. Seek and will exchange data on this Davidson line.

Rev. Peter Woods b. 1762 Va. m. ca 1783 Jael Kavanaugh, daughter of Charles Kavanaugh. Lived in Va., Madison Co., Ky., Franklin Co., Tenn. and Cooper Co., Mo. where he died 1825. Seek the names, birth and death dates of the supposedly sixteen children of this couple.

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PRUITT

James A. Pruitt lived in Tenn., possibly Lincoln Co., prior to ca 1840 where he married (1) ? ca 1823/4, and (2) Winifred ? ca 1837/8. He died 1844 in Rusk Co., Texas. Children: (1st wife) Giles M. m. Elizabeth M. Wornell; Nancy A. m. Andrew J. Crockett; James C.; Martha C. m. Edward Stewart; Cynthia J. and Silas Newton; (2nd wife) Wm. Davis; Geo. Washington and Martin. Seek any data on this Pruitt family; will gladly exchange.

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TEKELL, SPEIR, LOGAN

Sarah Frances Tekell, born Ala. ca 1842 m. (1) Wm. ? Knight, where? Children listed Coosa Co., Ala. 1860 census were Louisiana age 2, and Wm. age 1. Sarah Frances was widowed before a third child, Lon, was born 1860. Second marriage was to Henry Speir. The Speir family was living Hill Co.,

Texas 1880. Known Speir children were Etta, born ca 1875 Texas and Cora, born ca 1878 Texas. Any descendant of above please contact. Correspondence will be answered.

Geo. J. B. Logan born ca 1858 Coosa Co., Ala. Parents were James A. and Amanda (Tekell) Logan. Family lived Hill Co., Texas ca 1870. Geo. J. B. Logan m. Dora Cotton, Hill Co., Texas Feb. 1888. Were there children? Geo. Logan's known sisters were Anna Lee, Lennie, Leanna, and perhaps Cynthia. Leanna died after 1880 aged about 17. Anyone having information concerning this family please contact.

Mrs. Frank G. Hankins, Box 795, Bowie, Texas 76230

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CARTER, LOYLESS (possibly Lawless or Loyalless), WHITEHEAD

Resided in Georgia in 1800's, especially counties of Twiggs, Warren, Bleckley, Burke and Greene. Levinah Carter was the daughter of James Carter; m. Henry Loyless 1807 in Warren Co., Ga. Henry died in Cass Co. (now Bartow) 1841 and Levinah died Twiggs Co. 1851. Parents of Redding J. Loyless, who migrated to Texas in 1842; and Missouri A. Loyless who married Charles C. Whitehead.(2). Charles (2) died in Twiggs Co., in 1853. He was the son of Richard Whitehead and grandson of Susannah Tomlinson (later m. Arthur Fort) and Charles Whitehead (1) who died in St. George's Parish, Ga. in 1776. Charles (1) was the son of Thomas Whitehead who died in St. George's Parish, Ga. on June 16, 1768. Missouri A. Loyless Whitehead, with her children, removed to Texas in 1868; lived, died, and is buried in Hemphill, Sabine Co. She was my G-G'mother. Redding J. Loyless died LaGrange, Fayette Co. Texas 1870. Susannah Tomlinson's mother was Martha Charleton, a Quaker from Pennsylvania. Will answer all letters.

Frances A. R. White, P.O. Box 446, Arlington, Texas 76010

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SHERMAN, "NEWPORT RIFLES," GOODLOE

I am interested in obtaining the names of the 50 men enlisted by General Sidney Sherman, enrolled Dec. 18, 1835 at Newport, Ky. to come to Texas to help fight for her independence. This company of men were known as "Newport Rifles." Some were from Ohio. These men were out-fitted by Sidney Sherman and arrived in Nacogdoches, Texas, Jan. 14, 1836. They fought at San Jacinto and were the only company to have uniforms; they had the only flag, and Sidney Sherman is credited with being the first to yell, "Remember the Alamo! Remember Goliad!" I am interested in finding correspondence concerning Sidney Sherman, the other men of this Company, and the Roster of the "Newport Rifles." Also interested in corres-

pondence concerning Dr. Robert Kemp Goodloe and other "old Texas Veterans." Will exchange data.

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MITCHELL, JONES, RIVES, SEWARD, MOODY, WHITBY, HUGHES, COLLINS, BONEY, BOBO, WOOTEN

Henry Mitchell, Jr. and Wife Priscilla Jones of Albemarle Parish, Va. had children: Mary 1743, Henry 1745, Jones 1752, Robin (Rubin) 1755, Reaps 1758, Frank 1760, Tabitha 1755, Reaps Mitchell (querist has his Rev. war service records) m. Susannah Rives. Their son Paul, 1787-1828, m. Nancy Seward and had a daughter Martha, b. in Ga. who m. ? Moody, b. Ala. Their dau. Harriett Newell Moody m. in Homer, La. 1852 John Richard Whitby b. near Memphis, Tenn., Confederate soldier from Ark. who died in prison in 1862. Family came to Texas about 1871. There was a Martha Mitchell b. 1808, m. Benjamin Turner, exec. of Reaps Mitchell's will.

John Harvey Hughes was born 1860 in Bell County, Texas. Is he son of Harvey Aaron Hughes who died of disease contracted during Civil War? Need records of his service. Harvey Aaron Hughes m. (1) ? , (2) Janettie Hollingsworth 1846-1912 who later m. ? Wooten and had children by him. What is the connection between John Harvey Hughes and John Hughes who lived to be 90 (in 1947) and whose death certificate states he was son of N. S. Hughes and Nancy Collins (Cullins?). Family connected with Boney, Bobo and Wooten families. Alice Aloxora Hughes who married Boney was half sister of John Harvey Hughes.

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GATLIN, TRAMMELL, WILSON, BLYTHE

Rev. John Raynes (Rains or Range) Gatlin, 1830-1898 and wife Mervenia Wilson, 1832-1921, came to Chambers Co., Tex. before 1858 and are buried in Jackson Cemetery at Eagle, Chambers Co., Tex. Their known children: James, Henry Carroll, John m. Mandy Wilson, lived in Dallas, data needed, and Mervenia Jane. Henry Carroll Gatlin, 1853-1939, m. 1873 Martha Harman, 1857-1916 and had children: Martin Van Buren 1875-1956; John Herbert 1878-1958; Rufus Carol 1880-1933; Bernie A. 1886-1912; Andrew H. 1890-1895. Mervenia Jane Gatlin 1867-1925 m. 1882 Philip Jackson Trammell 1860-1944; both buried Jackson Cem., Eagle, Tex. They had 10 children, many of whom are still living. Philip Jackson Trammell born

Little Rock, Ark. was son of Thomas Trammell, b. 1830 Ga. and Fairnetta Blythe, b. 1840 Ark. Children: Thomas J. Trammell 1847-1911, Martin Dale, Philip Jackson 1860-1944, Susen m. Matt Huff, Miltida m. Wm. Taylor, Betsy Jane. Need data on all except Philip Jackson issue. Gatlins said to be related to William Gatlin who served Rep. of Texas and died at Goliad in 1836. This Wm. Gatlin born Williamson, N. C., and m. Sarah Hanks. Dau. Louise m. Thomas Matthews. Gatlins were from Tenn. Who was L. A. Gatlin, age 19 female b. Miss. died Sept. 1860 Jackson Co. (1860 Mortality schedules of Texas)? (This query condensed from 1 1/2 pages of data.)

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RUSSELL, TRACY, GRIFFIN

Would like to correspond with anyone having information on Benjamin Hawk Russell, born ca 1857 in Alabama (Where?); died Dimmit Co., Texas 1936. He married (1) in Hood Co., Texas 1877 Jo Tracy, and (2) at Granbury, Hood Co., 1891 Nora Etta Yarborough Griffin. Benjamin Hawk Russell had three brothers: Andrew, Henry, and William. Who were their parents?

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HENDRIX, KNOTT

David Hendrix is listed in the 1810 Census of Lexington Dist., S. C. Was he born in North Carolina 1760-1800? Rowan Co. also has Daniel Hendricks, d. 1759; David Hendricks, born 1734 in Pennsylvania; Henry Hendrix d. 1757, wife Ruth Knott. All of these families emigrated south. Would like to correspond with their descendants; also any descendants of Dr. John Henry Hendrix of Wills Point, Texas.

Mrs. D. T. Ketter, 104 Isbell Road, Fort Worth, Texas 76114
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*Lives of great men all remind us
We can make our lives sublime
And, departing, leave behind us
FOOTPRINTS on the sands of time.*

Henry Wadsworth Longfellow
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Another TRIP planned to the Austin State Archives! If you want to go - the bus will leave Seminary South at 6:00 A.M. 20 June. Please write to the Box 864 address, attention Mrs. O.B. Carter for Reservations and information. No space this time to list and thank all those who have submitted Bible Records and Family Manuscripts recently. Several members have "housecleaned" their files and donated extra records, newspaper clippings, copies of their research, for the Library - all so valuable and appreciated. Please, if you move, we MUST have change of address. Your FOOT-PRINTS are not forwarded at all. Double postage and even then the address may not be correct.

Our meetings have been well attended this year, averaging over one-hundred at each. Our afternoon and evening Workshop was most successful with at least 40 new beginners (many young couples) being helped. Keep sending your Queries.. Notice that we have started a new series on Confederates... What can you send to be published in the FOOTPRINTS?

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THE PRESIDENT'S PAGE

Please NOTE the preceding page with the list of the Board of Directors. These individuals are more than just a list of names, these are the ones who have been working for YOU unselfishly. They all deserve your thanks. Many extra hours are spent in repetitious administrative duties: hand operating machines, copying tax lists, cutting and proofing stencils, tracing and touching up maps, setting up margins, rewording queries, collating FOOTPRINTS, cranking it out on a rented machine, stuffing over 550 issues each time for mailing, etc. The items could fill this page. These are the not so interesting jobs but are necessary to keep the Society functioning. We are saving our money wherever we can by doing many things ourselves so that the Society can finance the Census Project.

We have to date purchased two microfilm readers, 40,000 4" x 6" cards, 29 rolls of film, and many other miscellaneous items. There are a total of five microfilm readers in operation (three are privately owned) at all times. The volunteers, at home, find time between preparing meals, household duties, and children's laundry to read each item from the Census report and meticulously copy it on cards in a prearranged fashion. There is a vast array of boxes growing as this project progresses. All other types of available information, Bible records, Marriage licenses issued in that county, Cemetery records and so forth are combined and noted with this collection. We are near the half way mark so if you have anything to contribute, NOW is the time to send it in. We hope to soon start publishing this Census Project. You, the members who have been supporting this project, will be the first to know. As you can imagine, many people have been working very hard for over two years to bring this composite work to fulfillment. We are proud of those who are making possible by one way or another this outstanding contribution to genealogical research in the name of The Fort Worth Genealogical Society.

FILM FESTIVAL - 1850

The Microfilm Section at the Fort Worth Public Library, Genealogical Department continues to grow by your individual gifts of film. The 1850 Census Film in total badly needs replacing. (Film does wear out.) Many have asked me how they could say thank you to the Library for the pure joy and pleasure that they have received there from their genealogical pursuits. This would be an opportunity that would benefit many. The "new" 1850 Federal Census has been refilmed with only one page on each slide - so perhaps you can find your elusive ancestor after all. Why not honor each ancestor and purchase the 1850 Federal Census - State and County in which he resided. The cost is usually \$8.00 a roll. A

list will be kept in the Library and published in FOOTPRINTS of the contributors and their ancestors. Let's see which State will be the most popular. Let us call this "The Film Festival - 1850." (Hollywood has nothing on us when it comes to plots, intrigue, suspense, and mystery). Also, all gifts will be tax-deductible. So please place your order and send your gifts to the Box 864 or leave them at the Library - labeled Film Festival - 1850.

GENEALOGY FOR BEGINNERS....A class for Beginners will be held at El Centro College in downtown Dallas (Community Service Program), starting Saturday, September 20th, from 2:00-4:00 P.M. There will be eight class sessions plus two field trips. The tuition is \$10.00 plus \$2.00 for instructional material. You may register in advance by mail or at the first class session. Payment may be made at the first session.

OUR V I P MEMBERS....*Mrs. R.N. Grammer* has been elected to the office of Registrar of the National Society, Daughters of the American Colonists. *Miss Naomi Ray Morey* is now the recently elected President of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas. *Mrs. Edna Perry Deckler* is to be one of the speakers at the World Conference on Records in Salt Lake City, Utah.

All those with English research will be pleased to know that *Mrs. Abby Moran* will be in London for several months the latter part of this year. Those of you who would like to engage her for research in England may reach her initially by writing to Miss Patricia Chadwell, 2966 A McCart Street, Fort Worth, Texas 76109. The letters will be forwarded.

A point of confusion has caused many questions. We are vitally interested in receiving material for the twenty-six counties that comprise the Census Project. WE ARE ALSO vitally interested in receiving material from YOU about your family, your Bible records, Queries, old letters, Cemeteries that you have copied, that have not been previously published. All would be most welcome WHEREVER they are located.

During the first part of June, my husband and I went to Tennessee to do research on his Coats lines. We were successful to a degree, clerks and archivists were kind and helpful. We even met some very distant kin. Kinfolk are nice all over, even the ones you have just met, particularly those who take you cemetery hunting, barbed wire and all. But the nicest ones are those that fill you with country-smoked Tennessee Ham and give you home-made jam to take home. That is when genealogical research is really fun--you should try it!!

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Publication deadlines for *Footprints*:

February, 1970 - December 1, 1969
 May, 1970 - March 1, 1970
 August, 1970 - June 1, 1970
 November, 1970 - August 1, 1970

PRESIDENT'S PAGE

What are you doing to help the other fella?? Where is your zest for LIFE?? Let us concentrate on our blessings instead of our troubles. There is so much that each of us can do to help one another - there just is not time to do it all. But we can TRY. Here are things our members are doing.

Mrs. Adelle Olney has, just recently, in order to get all her correspondents together, put out HER OWN publication! It is called S. Q. U. A. H. for Suggestions, Questions, Unanswered, Answered, History. Our Society receives one that is placed in the Fort Worth Public Library. Check it - maybe your family is there!

Mrs. Doris D. Powell of Cleburne, Texas, has been writing a most delightful genealogical and historical column called "Family Tree," which is published in the FORT WORTH PRESS each Sunday. Currently, she has been giving fascinating tidbits of early Texas history, 1838, gleaned from letters of this period.

Mrs. Mary Bonnie of Lubbock, Texas, has been indexing various books for the library there. (She sends us copies, too.) The latest is *Castleberry and Allied Families*.

Mrs. Dolores Miltonberger (our former editor) has been copying all the cemeteries in Johnson County, Texas. Her family helps. Her boys use walkie-talkies to organize and coordinate listings. This is a terrific undertaking for a family.

Mr. Weldon Hudson of Fort Worth inherited a diary relating an ancestor's activities in the Civil War. To fully appreciate the contents, Mr. Hudson attended Evening College studying the history of that period. He wrote his term paper using the contents of the diary. Wonder what his grade was? Mr. Hudson spends many a weekend copying cemeteries because he knows that in some cases there are no other available records for these people.

Many members have been house cleaning, file re-arranging (to be more exact), and have found odd bits of information that they do not need. The question is, "Can the FWGS use this?" The answer is "Yes, Thank You." We have received scrap books, newspaper clippings, miscellaneous tidbits, and copies of wills. Any of these items are welcome additions to the library. Do not hold back - the clue you send in may be the link needed by someone to help you. A member sent in a stack of newspaper clippings that she had saved for years - marriage records of Louisiana parishes.

They now have been neatly pasted on sheets and are on file. Who knows how many people have used them?

Several members give talks to groups on beginning genealogy. One is planning an all day meeting with eighth graders so their American history will have three dimensions. Won't that be fun?

A friend of mine, non-genealogical, received a "reject" slip from a publisher on a draft of a book that she had submitted for publication. I told her that most of US, when we finally get around to it, always print our own books. Even though the circulation is limited, the book is read with much intense concentration. She just does not travel in the correct circles!

The Society appreciates every book or manuscript which is sent for the Library. It takes longer than it should to thank each one of you for your contributions to the Society through the "Gifts to the Library" page in *Footprints*. If your gift goes unrecorded in the publication, please let us know. The bookworms are working overtime.

Each of us has so much to give and so much to share in this field. Tell us what YOU are doing EXTRA.

Eleanor S. Hutcheson

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BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT!!!!

The FWGS is proud to announce its first book, *ABSTRACT OF LAND TITLES, TARRANT COUNTY, TEXAS*. This volume will be available for sale November 1, 1969. Due to the diligence of our volunteer printer, Mrs. Bertie Dancer, as each section of Land Titles was published a hundred extra copies were made. These will be combined with maps and explanatory material to produce a fifty-page booklet. Those of you who have early Tarrant County families will want this handy reference. The cost is \$3.00, post paid. Send orders to the FWGS post office box.

LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

11/15/69

Our October Workshop was so successful that I feel I should write an additional letter to our newest members. There were about 150 people there, many brand-new researchers, and bless their hearts, many of them have already volunteered their time and talents to assist in the business part of running an accomplished society. (We will be calling on you.) I would like to welcome the newest members and explain to them something about our Society. First of all, please read the inside sheet, behind the cover page. We do not attempt to compete with professional publications. We do attempt to serve our members through our *Footprints*. The Workshop Fact sheets indicate that you have much material available for *Footprints* for publication. Please send it to the FWGS, Box 864, Fort Worth, Texas, 76101. Your material can not be published until it is received. We hope to help you help yourself in your research projects. We are not experts in genealogy, in printing, in publishing, in solving your problems, or in locating your ancestors. We ARE experts in trying, so I hope you will have fun with us and try too!!

In our organization, up to 20 members are elected to be the Board of Directors at the annual meeting in January. At the first Directors' meeting, those present elect the officers for the following year from the Board of Directors. Therefore, it is important that those elected as Directors be willing to assume the various responsibilities. The nominating committee has for its Chairman, Mrs. John D. Winchester, 5020 Wyoming Trail, Fort Worth, Texas, 76118. If you have any suggestions, please send them to her this next month.

Our Society has grown in many ways these last three years. The guide lines for all activities and projects including meetings, workshops, Census project, publications, publicity, bus trips, and gifts to the Library and schools are established by the Board of Directors. We now have a truly working Board of Directors. There have been few called Board meetings, but we have considered our working sessions as informal meetings where discussions and decisions were made on Society activities. The President, in addition to presiding at the meetings, keeps a double check on projects and committees and knows at all times the progress of each function. (She writes letters too.) The first Vice-President has the responsibility of organizing the program for the monthly meetings, and the special workshop programs. The second Vice-President is in charge of the publicity for the meetings and all other activities. The Corresponding Secretary answers many of the general type letters that come to the Society, and notifies the members of the monthly meetings. The Recording Secretary takes the minutes at both the Board and the regular meetings. The Treasurer collects the dues, keeps those records and also collects and records the monies received from the many services that are available to the membership, such as charts, maps, and cards.

The Editor has the responsibility of completing *Footprints*. This includes collecting, arranging and obtaining material from the members, then coordinating this material to produce a balanced quarterly publication. Working with the Editor are the various committees: Queries, Indexing, Library Report, Exchanges, Mailing, Printing, Bible Records, Courthouse Records. The purpose of the quarterly is to further the study of genealogical research by publishing the material sent by the membership. Your original records, displayed in *Footprints*, which is mailed not only to all members, but to over 100 similar genealogical societies throughout the country, will help you and all the other people working on the same lines. We particularly encourage you to send in your Bible Records for they present a rich source of material unobtainable elsewhere. When they are published they become permanent records.

Various members of the Board have assumed the Committee Chairmanships. Some, perhaps, seem more important than others, but like the proverbial nail, each small function is necessary for the whole wheel to run and for the wagon to make its slow successful trek. The members of the Board have been particularly active these last few years. Of our accomplishments, the Society has established an Ancestral Referral Service with over 7,000 cards on record. Just a few months ago, the service was made available to non-members, with their cards and a dollar fee. Our membership has grown to a current figure of just over five hundred people of all ages and sizes. Nearly 75% of the members live in the Fort Worth metropolitan area, able to attend the meetings and use our marvelous Library; 12% live in other parts of Texas, the remainder, with Texas interests, live throughout the United States (even one in Hawaii).

The Census Project is making rapid strides, you would not believe how much has been accomplished in such a little time. There is still lots more to go, but it will be well worth waiting for. Our Exchange policy has proven quite fruitful. Since there are so many societies with similar goals as ours in assisting its members by printing their genealogical information, we have been able to acquire nearly 100 different publications by sending our *Footprints* to them. We are so proud of our *Footprints* and happy others feel this way, too!! When you realize that your Query and Bible Record will reach so many people, not only our membership, but will be placed in Libraries throughout the country and will be seen by those primarily interested in Texas Research, it gets real exciting. Attached is a list of our current Exchange listing. If you are interested in a special area, check on it in the Library, or better yet, join that particular Society.

It is now time to say thank you for three wonderful years as your working President. There have been many people who have done many worthwhile things in the field of supplemental genealogical research through the Fort Worth Genealogical Society. I hope that they not only will continue, but will encourage others to study and further enlarge the growing interest in this field. I wish the new President lots of time to enjoy the many happy moments and the new friends that he or she will have while serving as your President.

Eleanor S. Hutcheson

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EXCHANGE PUBLICATIONS

00.00 The Exchange Publications received by the FWGS are placed in the Fort Worth Public Library, Genealogical Department, as a service to the Library, to our members, and the general public. The price listed is the subscription rate for the year, issued quarterly unless noted.

New England Historical & Genealogical Register 101 Newbury St., Boston, MA 02116	Comp
Rhode Island Historical Society 121 Hope St., Providence, RI 02906	Comp
Chedwato Service - Car-Del-Scribe RFD #2, Box 120A, Burlington, VT 05401	\$4.50
Stamford Genealogical Society - Bulletin Ferguson Pub. Lib., 96 Broad St., Stamford, CT 06901	\$5.00
New York Public Library, Div G-Grand Central Station P.O. Box 2237, New York, NY 10017	Comp
New York Genealogical & Biographical Society 122-126 East 58th St., New York, NY 10022	Comp
Westchester County Historical Society 43 Read Ave., Tuckahoe, NY 10707	\$5.00
New York Public Library Genealogy Department, Albany, NY 12200	Comp
Yesteryears Magazine Box 52, Dixon Road, Aurora, NY 13026	\$5.00
National Genealogical Society Quarterly 1921 Sunderland Place, Washington, DC 20036	Comp
National Society Daughters of the American Revolution Genealogical Room, 1776 D St., NW, Washington, DC 20006	Comp
Library of Congress Exchange Division, Washington, DC 20540	Comp
Genealogical Periodical Annual Index 2906 Stoneybrook Drive, Bowie, MD 21228	\$5.50 Annual
Maryland Genealogical Society - Bulletin 213 S. Rolling Rd., Catonsville, MD 21228	\$4.00

Murphree Family Genealogical Association 2246 Mohegan Dr., #102, Falls Church, VA 22043	\$10.00
The Echoer - Mary Warrell 398 National Rd., Wheeling, WV 26003	\$4.00 Monthly
North Carolina State Library P. O. Box 2789, Raleigh, NC 27602	Comp
Rowan Public Library 201 W. Fisher St., Box 1009, Salisbury, NC 28144	Comp
Family Puzzlers Heritage Papers, Danielsville, GA 30633	\$8.00 Weekly
Palm Beach County Genealogical Society - Ancestry 169 Arlington Rd., West Palm Beach, FL 33405	\$5.00
Florida Genealogical Society Inc. - Journal Box 18624, Tampa, FL 33609	\$2.00
Tennessee Valley Genealogical Society - Valley Leaves 312 Gallatin St., Huntsville, AL 35802	\$5.00
Breazeale Notes Route 2, Box #5, Fairhope, AL 36532	\$3.00
Mrs. Ruth Warren W T&T 701 Government, Mobile, AL 36692	Comp
Tennessee State Library & Archives State Library Division, Nashville, TN 37203	Comp
East Tennessee Historical Society - Echoes Lawson McGee Library, Knoxville, TN 37902	\$5.00
Mississippi Department of Archives and History P. O. Box 571, Jackson, MS 39205	Comp
Family Tree Mrs. Nancy Parkes Box 387, Louisville, MS 39339	Comp
Mississippi Genealogical Society 408 Dunbar St., Jackson, MS 39677	Comp
Kentucky Ancestors Box 405, Frankfort, KY 40601	\$5.00
Cardinal Ancestral Notes 426 Center St., Henderson, KY 42420	\$4.00
Ohio Genealogical Society - Report 454 Park Ave., West, Mansfield, OH 44906	\$5.00 Bi-monthly

Tri State Trader - Willard Heiss Editor P. O. Box 18301, Indianapolis, IN 46148	\$7.00 Weekly
Indiana Historical Society - Hoosier Genealogist 140 N. Senate Ave., Indianapolis 46204	\$10.00 Bi-monthly
Sparks Family Quarterly 1709 Cherokee Rd., Ann Arbor, MI 48104	\$3.00
Prather Family Association 61821 Fairland Rd., South Lyon, MI 48178	\$3.00
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Flint Genealogical Society 2034 East Court St., Flint, MI 48503	\$4.00
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Iowa Genealogical Society - Hawkeye Heritage P. O. Box 4084, Des Moines, IA 50333	\$3.00
Wisconsin State Genealogical Society - Newsletter 8205 N. Santa Monica Blvd., Milwaukee, WI 53217	\$3.00
Range Genealogical Society - Northland Newsletter Box 278, Buhl, MN 55713	\$3.00
Rapid City SFGR - Black Hill Nuggets P. O. Box 64, Hill City, SD 57745	\$3.00
Chicago Genealogist 7251 Randolph St., Forest Park, IL 60130	\$3.00
Bishop Family in America 18013 Armitage Ct., Homewood, IL 60430	\$4.00
Genealogical Reference Builders - Newsletter 3302 W. Diversey, Chicago, IL 60647	\$4.00 Bi-monthly
Blooming-Normal Genealogical Society - Gleanings P. O. Box 432, Normal, IL 61761	\$4.00
Illinois State Genealogical Society Grey Rocks, Maroa, IL 61756	\$5.00
Illiana Genealogical & Historical Society - Illiana Box 207, Uanville, IL 61832	\$4.00
Cumberland County Genealogical Society - The Happy Hunter Greenup, IL 62428	\$3.00

Decatur Genealogical Society-Central Illinois Gen Q 2358 E. Johns Ave., Decatur, IL 62521	\$4.00
Sangamon County Genealogical Society P. O. Box 23, Williamsville, IL 62693	\$3.00
Missouri Historical Research Record-Heritage Research Service P. O. Box 143, Hazelwood, MO 63042	\$3.00
Heart of America Genealogical Society-Kansas City Genealogist Missouri Valley Room, Kansas City Public Library 311 East 12th St., Kansas City, MO 64103	\$3.00
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Boone Family Research Association 7130 Virginia, Kansas City, MO 64131	\$2.00
The Riley Kansas Genealogical Society - Kansas Kin 908 Kearney, Manhattan, KS 66502	\$3.00
Mid Western Genealogical Society Inc - Register 2911 Rivera, Wichita, KS 67211	\$4.00
Southwest Kansas Genealogical Society - Treeseacher P. O. Box 103, Dodge City, KS 67801	\$5.00
Louisiana Genealogical & Historical Society - Register P. O. Box 335, Baton Rouge, LA 70821	\$6.00
Ark-La-Tex Genealogical Association - Genie Box 71, Shreveport, LA 71102	\$3.00
Ancestor Hunting-Mildred S. Watkins-Shreveport Journal P. O. Box 1110, Shreveport, LA 71102	Comp
Arkansas Genealogical Society-Arkansas Family Historian P. O. Box 587, Conway, AR 72032	\$5.00
Oklahoma Genealogical Society P. O. Box 16652, Oklahoma City, OK 73116	\$5.00
Tulsa Genealogical Society - Tulsa Annals P. O. Box 585, Tulsa, OK 74101	\$3.00
Four States Genealogist 812 Mayo Bldg., Tulsa, OK 74103	\$6.00
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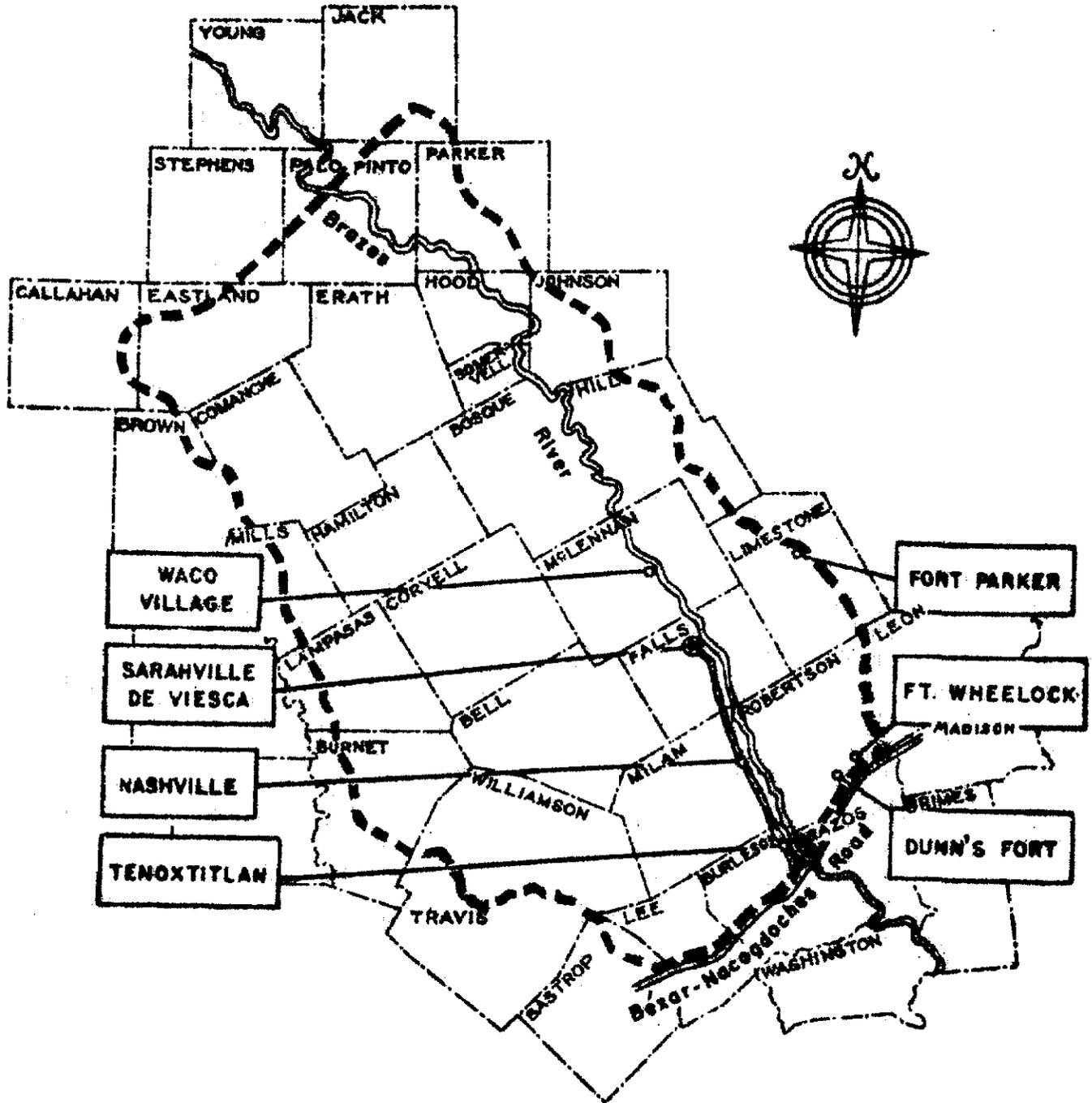
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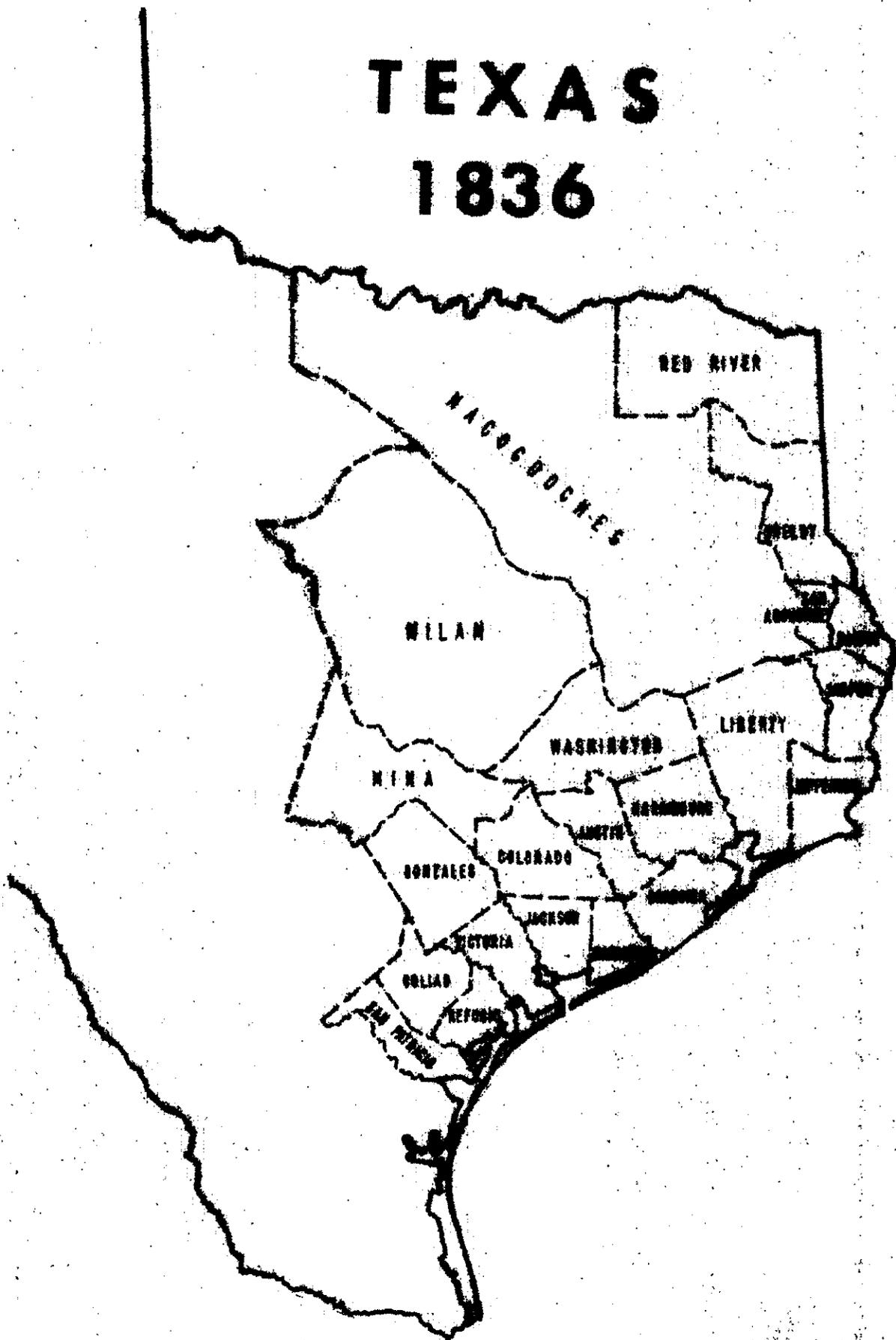
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