

ABSTRACTS of WILLS from OLD INDEX TO PROBATE MINUTES of
WISE COUNTY, TEXAS

These records begin with 1882 since there was a fire that burned all of the older records. Abstracted by Catherine Troxell Gonzales of Rhome, Texas.

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ADAMS, Ben D.

Will signed 10 Sept. 1884, Book A page 532
Admitted to Probate: 21 May 1885, Book A page 533

Ben Adams, being of lawful age and sound and disposing mind...
Bequests to Brother, Solomon

Sisters, Lizzie Trice, Janie Adams

Cousin, Eveline Adams...residue of estate

Riley Clements appointed guardian of Eveline Adams, a minor on
7 March 1885

Witnesses: J. W. Booth, S. W. Snyder, Riley C. Clements

Executor: his

Signed: Ben ^X Adams
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ABLY, Carolina

Will signed 4 June 1891 Book 3, page 191
Admitted to Probate: 7 October 1891, Book 3 page 195

Carolina Aply, being of sound and disposing mind and memory...
Bequests: Daughter, Susanah Smith...jewelry..

Husband, Henry Abley..remainder of estate

Witnesses: Jas. C. Witmer, John Busshardt

Executor: Henry Aply

Signature: Carolina Aply

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ALLEN, J. T. and S. C.

Will signed: 19 September 1900 Book 9, page 633
Admitted to Probate: January 1903 Book 9, page 54-55

We, J. T. Allen and S. C. Allen, husband and wife...being of
sound mind and disposing memory...

Bequests: Beloved son Frank Allen...have a first lien on our
estate...for money advanced to us...then rest equally divided
between our children...

Witnesses: C. B. Kirkpatrick, M. D. Sellars

Signed: J. T. Allen

Sally C. Allen

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personal property...
 Witnesses: John A. Carlock, W. P. Hawk
 Executors: C.F. Kincannon, Fred Bonicke
 Signed: W. P. Bonicke

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BOWERS, Mary E. Book 11 page 49
 Signed July 17, 1905 Proved April 9, 1907

Mary E. Bowers, of Alvord, Wise County, Texas, being in good health and of sound and disposing mind and memory...
 Bequests: To my husband, John Bowers, all my property, real and personal...
 Witnesses: S. M. Covington, P. H. Sims (?)
 Signed: Mary E. Bowers
 Executors: N. B. Coats, Alvord, Wise County, Texas

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BROWN, Caroline L. Book 4 page 54
 Signed April 1, 1891 Proved October 3, 1894

Caroline L. Brown being of sound mind and mindful of frailties and uncertainties of life...
 Bequests: 4/10 of estate held by my husband, Sewell Brown and myself...
 To children of my deceased daughter, Ellen Leslie: Turner Leslie, J. P. Leslie, Lucy McKinney and Will Leslie... \$10
 To my daughter, Mary A. Rollins...\$10
 To my granddaughter, Carrie Jack, daughter of my deceased son, Gabriel F. Jack...\$10
 To bodily heirs of my son, Sewell L. Brown...rest of estate.
 Sewell L. Brown appointed trustee for his heirs.
 Codicil: September 29, 1893
 Term "bodily heirs" changed to term "children legally begotten"..
 Witnessed by Charles H. Smith and J. L. Sellars

Inventory: October 4, 1894
 Witnesses: William Greathouse, A. Edwards
 Executors: Sewell L. Brown, sold executor
 Signed: S. L. Brown

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BROWN, Charles A. Book 8 pages 210 - 217
 Signed: February 12, 1896 Proved: June 15, 1897
 Admitted to probate August 6, 1898 Book 8, page 219

Charles A. Brown, Portland, County of Cumberland, State of Maine, being of lawful age and sound and disposing mind and memory...

Bequests: Debts to be paid...burial lot in Evergreen Cemetery and erecting a suitable monument...
 To my beloved wife, Harriett...homestead #125 State Street, Portland... also shares of various stocks, \$15,000 in money, cottage and stables called "Stand-cliffe" in town of Cape Elizabeth...
 Mentions my three surviving children...
 Mentions other property in Maine and Texas...
 Residue of estate to go to surviving children or heirs of deceased children...
 Gives interesting financial and moral advice to the daughters...

Witnesses: Byron D. Verrill, George W. Verrill, Alice C. Moore
 Executor: My son, William F. S. Brown
 Signed: Charles A. Brown (seal)

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BROWN, D. B. Book 3 pages 550 - 552
 Signed November 21, 1893 Proved December 7, 1893

D. B. Brown, being of good health and sound and disposing mind and memory...

Bequests: Body to buried in decent and Christianlike manner...
 Just debts to be paid...
 To my beloved wife, Mary E. Brown, one cow and calf and one mare known as Olf Fan (the Hill mare)
 To my beloved wife Mary E. Brown and my beloved sons and daughters, Minnie M. Taylor, Ray J. Brown, Willie F. Brown, Genetta Brown, Elmer E. Brown, Dillon B. Brown, George W. Brown, share and share alike...
 V. S. Largent to be guardian in case D. B. Brown should lose reason or become incompetent...
 J. T. Buckaloo to be appointed to make an inventory of the estate...

Witnesses: J. F. Murray, E. M. Glasscock
 Executor: V. S. Largent
 Signed: D. B. Brown

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BRYAN, E. C. Book 4 page 43
 Signed April 26, 1894 Proved August 27, 1894
 Admitted to probate Book 5 page 10

E. C. Bryan, being of sound mind and disposing memory...
 Bequests: My wife, Mary Ella Bryan...all personal property, homestead same as in deed of conveyance made by W. M. Langston and Mrs. Rosa Langston on October 18, 1893.

Witnesses: R. F. Spencer, Hugh Spencer
 Signed: E.C. Bryan

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BUCKNER, T. J. Book 10 page 224
 Signed: November 28, 1904 Proved: November 29, 1904
 Admitted to Probate: January 1905 Book 9 page 78

T. J. Buckner, being in feeble health, but of sound mind...
 Bequests: To my beloved wife, Laura R. Buckner...our residence
 for herself and our two minor children, Blanch and
 Bernice Buckner.
 My son, Kossie L. Buckner...my lybrary and office
 fixtures.
 My sons, Oscar T. Buckner, Kossie L. Buckner and
 my daughters Blanch and Bernice...

Witnesses: P. C. Funk, O H. Lipps
 Executor: P. W. Tunnell
 Signed: T.J.B. (by initials only)

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BURCH, John Drummond Book 10, page 378
 Signed: June 18, 1904 Proved: October 4, 1905
 Admitted to probate: July 6, 1905 Book 9 page 90

James Drummond Burch of sound mind and disposing memory...
 Bequests: To my dear wife Florence McAfee Burch...all property.
 "...she must remember the Scotch property in Carmon-
 nack for which Graham of J. and N. Graham, Glasgow,
 Scotland, is the agent..."
 [Interesting note included on back of will concerning
 the Scottish property.]

Inventory: Book 10 page 408, October 16, 1905
 Witnesses: Z. B. Bobo, W. W. Morris
 Executor: Florence McAfee Burch, sole executor
 Signed: James Drummond Burch

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BURGESS, Paralee Book 9 page 264
 Signed: June 6, 1898 Proved: April 15, 1900

Paralee Burgess, being of sound mind and memory...
 Bequests: All debts and funeral expenses paid...
 To my beloved daughter, Alice Burgess...all my
 residue and remainder of estate...
 To my daughter Lydia A. Martin...\$5.00
 To my beloved son, B. F. Burgess...\$5.00
 To my beloved daughter, Rosa A. Yancey...\$5.00
 To my beloved son, John A. Burgess...\$5.00
 To my beloved son, James C. Burgess...\$5.00
 To my beloved daughter, Mary A. Johnston...\$5.00

Witnesses: P. A. Largent, J. F. Cearley
 Executor: P. W. Tunnell
 Signed: Paralee Burgess * * *

BURTON, S. C. Book 9 page 432
 Signed: October 20, 1897 Proved April 14, 1902

S. C. Burton, being of sound and disposing mind and memory...
 Bequests: To my beloved husband, W. F. Burton...all of my
 property...

Inventory: Book 9, page 433 April 14, 1902
 Witnesses: J.P. Turner, J. B. Doyle, W. S. Doyle
 Executor: W. F. Burton, sole executor
 Signed: S. C. Burton

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CAULEY, Mary Book 2 page 83
 Signed: September 24, 1880 Proved: July 21, 1886
 Died: December 25, 1885 (about fifty years of age at death)

I, Mary Cauley ...
 Bequests: give, devise, bequeath to Susanna Webb, Lucretia
 Walker, and Martha J. Ellis each one third of my
 entire estate...
 Debts to be paid out of personal property...
 Mentions land in Anderson County, and Wise County,
 Texas.

Witnesses: J. A. Autrey, Thomas Rennels, W. H. Bullock
 Executor: none given
 Signature: Mary ^{her}X Cauley
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CECIL, Tinville Book 10, page 16
 Signed: April 25, 1895 Proved: September 5, 1903
 Admitted to probate: September 2, 1903 Book 9, page 61

...I, Tinville Cecil, being of sound mind and memory...
 Bequests: To my beloved wife, Sallie G. Cecil...
 Mentions other heirs, but does not name them.
 Appoints James W. Rowden as sole executor.

Witnesses: W. P. Skaggs, J. N. Arnold
 Executor: James W. Rowden
 Signature: Tinville ^{his}X Cecil
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CHAMBLIS, William R. Book A, page 24
 Signed: May 28, 1885 Proved: December 23, 1885
 Admitted to probate: January 28, 1886 Book A, page 25

I, William R. Chamblis...being of sound memory and discretion
 and being twenty-one years of age...

Bequests: Mentions Two Brothers Saloon, fixtures, etc.
 To my sister Mrs. Cecelia Chamblis for the especial
 use and benefit of my two little children, Ethel and
 Earle Chamblis...
 Cecelia Chamblis to have exclusive...custody of my
 two said children...
 My brother, R. L. Chamblis, appointed executor...
 Will also mentions benefit certificate in the Lodge
 of Knights of Honor, Lodge No. 1568 of Genetobia (?),
 Mississippi.

Witnesses: T. J. McMurray, M. W. Shoemaker
 Executor: R. L. Chamblis
 Signature: Wm. R. Chamblis

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CHRISTIAN, Elizabeth Book 10, page 14
 Signed: 1902 Proved: October 7, 1903
 Admitted to probate: October 5, 1903 Book 9, page 58

I, Elizabeth Christian, being of sound mind and disposing memory

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 Bequests: To my beloved husband F. H. Christian...all my pro-
 perty...

F. H. Christian appointed executor.

Inventory given in Book 10, page 15

Witnesses: D. Y. Stem, T. P. Fincher
 Executor: F. H. Christian
 Signature: Elizabeth ^{her} ~~x~~ Christian
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COLLIER, Rebecca S. Book 11, page 65
 Signed: November 17, 1906 Proved: April 18, 1907
 Died: January 31, 1907
 Admitted to Probate: March 13, 1907 Book 12, page 15

I, Rebecca S. Collier, being of sound and disposing mind and
 memory...revoke all former wills...

Bequests: Just debts to be paid
 Requests a proper tombstone over grave...
 Balance of property divided share and share alike
 among living children: Joe Collier, Press Collier,
 Frank Collier, Bill Collier, Comfort Miller, Minerva
 Bradford, Beva Skyles, Esther Pernell, Sarah Hughes,
 Maggie Bowlin and Susan Warren.
 The dead children being: John Collier, Reil Collier...
 Walter Scruggs is to have John's share of estate.
 Riel children, Pressir, Horton, Frank, Lofton and
 Walter, to take Riel's share.
 Mentions N. R. and Maggie Bowlin...

Codicil: Makes provision for payment of debts, etc...

CRABB, William R. Book A, page 308
 Signed: May 2, 1883
 Admitted to Probate: September 21, 1883 Book A, page 308

I, William R. Crabb, do make this my last will...
 Bequests: To my wife, Susan Crabb...my wagon...horses and cattle

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 Witnesses: George R. Neilson, Ephrem Beeman
 Executor: No executor appointed in will. George Neilson applied for probate of will. E. M. Curtner, Newton Young were appointed appraisers.

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CRENSHAW, N. M. Book 4, page 518
 Signed: May 4, 1896 Proved: October 7, 1896
 Admitted to probate: October 7, 1896 Book 5, page 16
 Inventory: Book 4, page 519, 520

I, N. M. Crenshaw, being of sound mind and disposing memory...
 Bequests: Funeral expenses to be paid...
 Just debts to be paid...
 To my beloved wife, Maggie...
 To my children (not named)...
 My son, Luther Crenshaw, executor...

Witnesses: S. G. Tankersley, Tom W. Brown
 Executor: M. Luther Crenshaw
 Signature: N. M. Crenshaw

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DEARING, John B. Book 3, page 531
 Signed: October 14, 1887 Proved:
 Admitted to Probate: January 3, 1893 (?) Book 3, page 538

I, John B. Dearing, of sound mind and memory...
 Bequests: To my beloved wife, Belinda Dearing...all of my property...

Witnesses: L. A. Crane, J. W. Patterson
 Executor: Not given
 Appraisers: S. W. Tilghman, George Keller, J. J. Harrison

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DICKSON, John W. Book 2, page 8
 Signed: June 26, 1885 Proved: November 18, 1885
 Admitted to Probate: November 18, 1885 Book 2, page 9

...I, John W. Dickson...calling to mind the frailty and uncertainty of life...
 Bequests: A plain Christian funeral...
 Legal debts to be paid...

To my beloved wife, Martha M. Dickson, all my property...
 After the death of my said beloved wife, children shall share equal and alike (does not name children.)
 Martha M. Dickson appointed executor of will.

An affidavit by John Lovejoy, Jr., states that he died at his residence on 25 July 1885. At the time of the signing of the will, John W. Dickson was 45 years old.

Witnesses: A. J. Douglas, Jno. L. Lovejoy, Jr.
 Executor: Martha M. Dickson
 Signature: Jno. W. Dickson

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CHAMBERLIN CEMETERY

Located in Erath County, Texas. This cemetery was not listed in Erath County Cemetery Inscriptions, by Cawyer & Hudson. It is on the old Chamberlin ranch in the Duffau Community. The cemetery is about thirty feet from the old Chamberlin house, now vacant. The ranch is owned in 1980 by Dr. Willard C. Sellman of Dallas, Texas. The Chamberlin family was prominent in early Erath County history. A school in Stephenville is named for the family. According to Dr. Sellman, Willard Chamberlin was in the battle of San Jacinto. Copied December 14, 1980 by Marilyn Mills and Shirley Cawyer of Stephenville.

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| Thomas SELLMAN | Died August 30, 1886, aged 40 years [Son-in-law of Willard Chamberlin] |
| Emly, wife of Willard CHAMBERLIN | Died December 2, 1892, aged 75 years |
| Willard CHAMBERLIN | Died February 7, 1886, aged 77 years. |

There are no other graves in this cemetery. It is fenced, but it is not maintained.

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ABSTRACTS from HISTORY OF MASONRY in EARLY TEXAS and of DIXIE LODGE

This history was printed in 1919 by Joe and Mollie M. Cross and published by Bechtold Printing Co. It has an appendix for Troup Chapter No. 421 of O.E.S. This abstract was undertaken for genealogical purposes, therefore, when the man was raised or made Master Mason after his petition was listed in the abstract, that information was not included. Genealogists should be appreciative of the work of the Masonic historians for their records are often the only trace left by an elusive ancestor as he moved across the country in the 1800's.

Abstracted by Jackye A. Plummer
Wichita Falls, Texas

INTRODUCTION - The biography of Joe Cross by Henry Edwards

p. 9 - Joe Cross reached Master Mason in Dixie Lodge, June 3, 1895.. reached Scottish Rite in Dallas Consistory, November 1916. Member Troup Chapter Eastern Star No. 421

p. 10 - Picture of Henry Edwards, Wilson Arnold, Thomas M. Pryor, editors.

p. 10 - Cross married December 24, 1895 Miss Mollie Matilda Lowry, daughter of A. G. Lowry, living in Sulphur, Oklahoma. Both Lowry and Cross' father were masons. Cross' son was mason Robert E. Cross and he had two daughters, Savannah and Samantha.

"Cross was the seventh son of Joel and Martha Cross, born November 20th, 1869, near the old town of Knoxville, Cherokee County, Texas, and attended schools of neighborhood until he was 19 years of age. Of Scottish descent, Cross family record goes back to Dundee, Scotland, about 12th century. David Cross, first to come to America, son of Cairn Cross and Grace Moody of Steamer Gate, Scotland. Cross thought he was descendent of Samuel Cross, census of 1719, Charleston, R.I., soldier of colonies in 1770, in archives on payroll--archives in statehouse at Providence R.I. Grandfather Joel Cross, moved from S.C. and settled in Shelby Co., Alabama, in 1802. Father, Joel, Jr., moved from Alabama and settled near Canton (renamed Omen about 1880), Smith County, Texas in 1852 and later to Cherokee County."

p. 11 - Cross belonged to Methodist Church.

p. 12 - AUTHOR'S PREFACE Brother Tom Tipton introduced resolution to have Cross write history of lodge May 5, 1917. June 2, 1917 minutes -- commission to Brothers Henry Edwards, Wilson Arnold and Thomas M. Pryor to edit the manuscript... signed by John Walton Pace.

CHAPTER I, EARLY MASONRY IN TEXAS

p. 15 - Griffin Lodge No. 132, organized in Cherokee County, 1853, only 18 years after first lodges organized in Texas. Earliest record, 1834, written by Anson Jones. Picture of John R. Arnold. Picture of John R. Arnold.

pp. 16 & 17 - Jones' letter mentions steps of organization and the following names: John H. Wharton, Asa Brigham, James A. E. Phelps, Alexander Russell and Anson Jones, original organizers -- later: J. P. Caldwell at Brazoria, near place known as General John Austin's ...10 a.m. March 1835...applied to grand lodge of Louisiana and named lodge Holland Lodge after M.W.G.Master J. H. Holland. W.D.C. Hall also signed petition. Above men were officers along with M. C. Patton, secretary...December 27, 1835. James Fannin was also a member and met with them one month before Goliad. Charter was given to..

p. 18 - Jones between Groce's and San Jacinto, and would have been captured by Santa Anna or Urrea if they had been beaten. It was reopened at Houston in 1837. Milam Lodge established at Nacogdoches, McFarlane at San Augustine. The Grand Lodge formed in Houston in 1837/8.

pp. 19 & 20 - December 20, 1837, Sam Houston Chaired; Anson Jones, secretary.

Delegates: Holland Lodge #36 Houston

Sam Houston, Anson Jones, Jeff Wright, Thomas G. Western

Milam Lodge #40 Nacogdoches

Thomas J. Rusk, I. W. Burton, Charles S. Taylor, Adolphus Sterne, K. H. Douglas

McFarland Lodge #41, San Augustine

did not send delegate, ask one be appointed. Brother Winchell was appointed.

Minutes mention: A. S. Thruston, John S. Black, Wm. G. Cooke, Andrew Neill and John Shea as being present...also Henry Matthews, Littleton Fowler, Ben Miller, Christopher Dart, Hy Millard, W. R. Underwood, E. Tucker, Asa Brigham, T. J. Hardeman, D. T. Fitchett, W. F. Gray, Thomas J. Gazely.

p. 21 - Officers chosen on motion by Sterne:

Anson Jones M. W. - Grand Master

Adolphus Terne - Grand Master

Jefferson Wright - Grand Warden

Christopher Dart - Junior Grand Warden

G. H. Winchell - Grand Secretary

Thomas G. Western - Grand Treasurer

On motion of Anson Jones, the committee for constitution was: Jeff Wright, A. S. Thruston, of Holland Lodge; I. W. Burton, K. H. Douglas, of Milam Lodge; G. H. Winchell, Christopher Dart, McFarland Lodge.

p. 22 - Done at first Grand Lodge, April 16, 1838. Anson Jones G.M. and Thomas G. Western, G. Treasurer, other appointed officers:

Littleton Fowler - Chaplain

Wm. G. Cooke - Sen. Deacon

John S. Black - Junior Deacon

Richard Bache - Sword Bearer

Thomas J. Rusk - Marshal

A. S. Thruston- Grand Pursuivant

G. W. Fulton, James S. McGee, John Shea - Stewards

pp. 23 & 24 - Committee to report names of original members of Grand Lodge reported as of December 20, 1837: Sam Houston, Anson Jones, Jefferson Wright, Thomas G. Western, Thomas J. Rusk, I. W. Burton, Charles S. Taylor, Adolphus Sterne, A. S. Thruston, John S. Black, Wm.G. Cooke, A. Neill, John Shea, George Fisher, Alex Ewing, Richard Bache, Henry Matthews, Littleton Fowler, Benjamin Miller, Christopher Dart, H. Millard, W. R. Underwood, E. Tucker, K. H. Douglas, D. T. Fitchett, W. F. (Wm.) Gray, Darius Gregg, Thomas J. Hardeman, James H. Winchell.

CHAPTER II - EARLY GRAND LODGES OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS

p. 32 - Warrants issued after November 1838.

1 - Holland, Houston; 2-Milam, Nacogdoches; 3-McFarlane, San Augustine; 4-0; 5-St. Johns', Brazoria and Columbia; 6-Harmony, Galveston; 7-Matagorda; 8-Phoenix, Washington-on-Brazos.

p. 33 - Temple, #4, omitted, presented on November 24 by George Fisher, George W. Fulton, Isaac N. Moreland (Houston). This lodge gave first Masonic burial...James Collinsworth of Holland.

Special meeting of Temple Lodge, July 22, 1838: George Fisher, Master; J. W. Moody, Senior Warden; A. S. Thruston, Junior Warden; R. Bache, Secretary; A. Brigham, Treasurer; C. Mason, Senior Deacon; F. R. Lubbock, Junior Deacon; Charles Chamberlain, Tyler.

Visitors: William G. Cooke, T. G. Western, G. W. Poe, John Shea, A. Ewing, Watkins, Kelser, J. G. Welshmeyer, James Izod, M. Persy, Chronican, W. F. Gray, Porter...all from Holland #1.

p. 34 & 35 - Honors to James Collinsworth, Justice of Republic, native of Tennessee, 35 years of age, buried 24 July 1838, Houston, Texas.

Other names appearing in Lodge records, Grand Lodge: John N. Seguin, John Chenoweth, E. Maybre, Harvey Kendrick, Robert Barr, I. G. Wilkerson, N. Lynch, F. Morehouse, S. H. Everett, A.C. Hinton, G. W. Sinks, J. A. Greer (of Tenn.), J. L. Bennett (of Alabama), Wm. Anderson (of North Carolina), Isiah Call (of Conn.), J. A. Navarro (of Mexico), Isaac Campbell, Thomas Gazely, Branch T. Archer, Thomas Parsatt, John M. White, James Perkins, James Henderson, William H. Murch (of Miss.), Finton M. Gibson, William T. Branum, T. J. Gollightly, Edwin Waller, John S. Roberts, John M. Hansford (of Kentucky), John Jorman, Stephen McLaughlin, A. Lewis, John C. Clarke, Edward Burleson, S.L.B. Jasper, George M. Patrick, E. T. Branch, G. F. Laurence (of New York), and John White Bower.

p. 37 - Annual Meeting November 22, 1840, Anthony Butler, M. W. Grand Master; Henry Willard, Secretary. Other names there: Barry Gillespie, G. K. Teulon, G. H. Flood, D. S. Kaufman, Charles Daniels, (of Mass.), Herman Ward, R. Scurry, K. M. Muse, James Mayfield, J. M. Swisher, W. R. Porter, H. W. Ragland, A.H. Lattimer, M.B. Mernard, Joel T. Case, Samuel Flint, P. W. Humphreys, James Riley, Jacob Matassey, C. Richardson, Charles Mason and Thomas Ward.

p. 40 - January 12, 1844, N. H. Darnell elected G.M; J. M. Swisher, Grand Secretary; Thomas J. Rusk of Nacogdoches, Orator.

Eighth Grand Session, January 14, 1845, Washington: Barry Gillespie, Master; Moses Johnson, Secretary. Names appended as brother of the craft in the Republic: W. B. Ochiltree, H. McLeod, A. S. Ruthven, E. W. Taylor, M. P. Norton, William Hunt, G. W. Wright, W. L. Cozneau, Josiah Crosby, E. Allen, T. H. Crutcher, George A. Patilla, W. H. Bourland, Samuel Ralph, A. G. Perry, George G. Alfred, B. R. Wallace, H. C. McIntire, John M. Dorr, H. G. Catlett, Ira Munson, A. Shelby, Walter Winn, Henry King, T. F. Smith, D. D. Crumpler, S. B. Dickinson, William M. Tyron, J. L. Farquhar, A. McDonald, L. M. Hitchcock, H. J. Jewett, Timothy Pillsbury. Lodge #23 Henderson, Rusk Co., Texas formed, named Clinton Lodge.

p. 43 - W. E. Crump, Speaker of House, offered legislation for Masons. Edward Burleson, president pro tem, so-signed. J. P. Henderson, approved.

Ninth annual Grand Lodge, Austin, January 11, 1847...resolution by Swain, Patrick and Cawthon, against swearing and gambling. E. W. Taylor, Grand Master, A.S. Ruthven, secretary for ensuing year.

p. 45 - Eleventh annual Grand Lodge, Austin, January 10, 1848. New members for year: John N. Reed, E. B. Nichols, Van R. Irion, George Hancock, A. S. Ainsworth, B. H. Epperson, C. G. Keenan, Thomas Caruthers, John Sayles, H. B. Kelsey, R. N. Goode, Samuel McClarty, O. M. Wheeler, Z. W. Eddy, John Gillespie, Robert Brewster, S. D. Hay, Thomas Sterne, E. H. Tarrant. George M. Patrick, Grand Master; Ruthven, secretary ensuing year.

Twelfth Grand Lodge, Houston, January 15, 1849 - Patrick and Ruthven elected.

Thirteenth Grand Lodge, Austin, January 21, 1850.

p. 46 - Thomas J. Hardeman, Master (Thirteenth), Ruthven, secretary.

Fourteenth Grand Lodge, Henderson, Rusk County. Wm. B. Ochiltree, Grand Master; Ruthven, secretary. James Riley gave oratory, George M. Patrick installed, G. M.

p. 47 - Fifteenth Grand Lodge Austin, January 19, 1852, report by R. E. Wynn, "granted dispensation to Canton Lodge in Smith County 5th of August 1851." Jonathan Lewter represented Canton. John Sayles, Master and Ruthven, secretary for year.

Sixteenth Grand Lodge, Austin, January 19, 1853. Andrew Neill, Master, Ruthven, secretary. Griffin Lodge #132 born this year. Edward Fontaine delivered address at public installation.

CHAPTER IV - EARLY SUBORDINATE LODGES IN THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS HOLLAND LODGE # 1, Houston

p. 51 - Five masons under live oak near Brazoria, 1834/5..John H.

Wharton, Asa Brigham, James A. E. Phelps, Alexander Russell, Anson Jones, J. P. Caldwell and W.D.C.Hall joined plans later. John Allen, Louisiana #36 gave Charter to Anson Jones for formation of Texas #1 at Houston.

p. 52 & 53 - Members of Holland #1 at Houston: Sam Houston, Anson Jones, Jefferson Wright, Thomas G. Western, James Collinworth, A Ewing, John Black, Robert Barr, G. W. Sinks, J. G. Wilkinson, H. Kesler, N. Lynch, A. S. Ruthven, James Izod, S. H. Everett, E. Morehouse, Juan N. Seguin.

MILAM LODGE #2, Nacogdoches

Named for Benjamin R. Milam. When he was killed masons buried body on east side of Veramendi House, then remains disinterred and put in old burying ground west of town with Masonic and military honors. Possibly first Mason buried in Texas. Members: Thomas J. Rusk, I. W. Burton, Charles S. Taylor, Adolphus Sterne, K. H. Douglas, John M. White, John S. Roberts, Benjamin Clark, J. Stephen Thorn, Kindred H. Muse, D. S. Kaufman. (Kelsey H. Douglas was official of government, signed money at Nacogdoches Jan. 1, 1840)

p. 54 - Oratory for Thomas J. Rusk, died 29 July, 1857. Anson Jones died 9th January 1858.

McFARLANE LODGE #3, San Augustine

(Spelling varies on McFarlane or McFarland throught text of book). Roster: Christopher Dart, G. H. Winchell, Isaac Campbell, James Perkins, John Jarman, R. Scurry, W. B. Ochiltree, N. H. Darnell, John Gillespie, John A. Green, John T. Patterson.

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TEMPLE LODGE #4, Houston

May 10, 1838. Early membership: George Fisher, George W. Fulton, I. N. Morehead, J. W. Moody, A. S. Thruston, S. L.B. Jasper, Edward Burleson, John Chenoweth, George M. Patrick, Charles Chamberlain, William F. Gray.

ST. JOHN'S LODGE #5, Brazoria

Reorganization of Holland; exempted from early fees 12 November 1838. Roster of early members: Branch T. Archer, James Henderson, Thomas F. L. Parratt, Daniel T. Fitchett, James McGee, Edwin Waller, Alexander Russell, Samuel W. Metcalf. J. W. Fannin, member of Holland Lodge acted as Senior Deacon, February 1836.

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HARMONY LODGE #6, Galveston

November 12, 1838. Roster: J. H. Walton, S. M. Williams, C. Wemayne, Jacob Matassey, Joel T. Case, M. B. Menard, George H. Flood, S. Whiting, A. C. Hinton, H. McLeod. J. H. Walton, Master 1840; Samuel M. Williams, Grand Master of Texas 1839.

MATAGORDA LODGE #7, Matagorda

November 12, 1838 formed. Members: Harry Kendrick, Seth Ingram, G. W. Ward, Owen O'Brien, W. C. McKinstry, W. W. Stewart.

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PHOENIX LODGE #8, Washington-on-Brazos
November 12, 1838 formed. Roster: Josiah J. Crosby, W.M.E.Mabry,
William G. Cooke, Asa Mitchell, D. J. Toler, H. R.Cortinell. This
lodge died 1840.

DEKALB LODGE #9, Bowie County

February 2, 1840 formed. Roster: A. H. Lattimer, William N. Porter,
C. K. Johns, T. J. Cornelius, A. J. Fowler, M. Ward, J. McFarlane.
Formed before the county of Bowie which was not detached from Red
River county until 1841.

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PERFECT UNION LODGE #10
Mentions no other information.

MILAM LODGE #11, Independence

February 2, 1840, dispensation. Roster: A. Hoxie, A. Butler, E. S.
Taylor, Moses Johnson, E. W. Taylor, John McKnight, V. R. Irion. Not
the same as the one at Nacogdoches, which was #2.

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AUSTIN LODGE #12, Austin
Formed January 30, 1840. Named for Stephen F. Austin..roster of
members: Alex Russell, James Izod, Charles Mason, William H. Murrah,
G. D. Bizzar, James F. Johnson, Thomas Bryson, Joseph Wapples, J.Y.
Burney, August Seezer, George W. Sinks, H.H. Johnson, James Burke,
Edwin Waller, Herman Ward.

CONSTANTINE LODGE #13, Bonham, Fannin County

Formed January 30, 1840...erratic membership status. Roster: Daniel
Rowlett, W. H. Hunt, Thomas F. Smith.

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TRINITY LODGE #14, Livingston, Polk County
Formed November 22, 1840. Roster: -- Kincaid, A. S. Ainsworth, G,
A. Patilla, John M. Dorr.

SANTA FE LODGE #15, Santa Fe County, Texas

Formed probably 1840, all rights revoked 1841..probably fell to
Mexico.

FRIENDSHIP LODGE #16, Clarksville, Red River County

Report by J. A. Greer. Formed December 10, 1841. Members: M. W.
Matthews, J. Baker, William H. Bourland, John T. Harmon.

ORPHANS FRIEND LODGE #17, Anderson, Grimes County

Formed July 1842. (January 12, 1843) Roster: J. C. Massie, G. W.
Patrick, A. G. Perry.

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1881-1885

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
|--------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| Adams, G. V. | Tennessee Hutson | Jan. 11, 1881 |
| Anderson, Wash. | Cora Delespin | Jan. 20, 1881 |
| Adams, Peter G. | Addie Truns | Mar. 1, 1881 |
| Anderson, William | Georgia Ann Ellison | Apr. 2, 1881 |
| Anderson, John Ben | Laura Quarles | Aug. 25, 1881 |
| Asbury, Ruben | Mary Ivisenbury | Nov. 17, 1881 |
| Anderson, Byrd | Martha Holmes | Dec. 24, 1881 |
| Abstot, John B. | Sallie A. Jackson | July 18, 1882 |
| Adams, A. L. | Lou Jefferson | Aug. 21, 1882 |
| Aycock, J. H. | Eugenia B. Calhoun | Dec. 5, 1882 |
| Amos, Francis M. | Sarah C. Williams | Jan. 16, 1883 |
| Anderson, Jack | Sarah Jane Rollins | Apr. 11, 1883 |
| Austin, W. A. | L. J. Yealding | Aug. 30, 1883 |
| Adams, J. B. | Pollie Ross | Sept. 4, 1883 |
| Anderson, John | Alice R. Harrison | Dec. 21, 1883 |
| Ashbumer, Joseph | Elizabeth M. Sims | May 24, 1884 |
| Alexander, Richard | Mattie Winn | Aug. 5, 1884 |
| Avery, John | Harriett Coleman | Sept. 26, 1884 |
| Arnwine, Wm. | Elizabeth Watts | Oct. 8, 1884 |
| Adams, Dan | Laura Smith | Dec. 20, 1884 |
| Akin, Jerry | Elvenia Roberson | Jan. 22, 1885 |
| Austin, Frank | Fannie Barnes | Mar. 16, 1885 |
| Ayres, S. J. | Mollie Rorex | June 3, 1885 |
| Alexander, Alec | Mary F. Malone | Nov. 4, 1885 |
| Ayres, John B. | Bettie M. Miller | Dec. 9, 1885 |
| Bean, Charles | Laura Thompson | Jan. 8, 1881 |
| Bradley, J. W. | L. V. Norwood | Jan. 11, 1881 |
| Bush, James C. | Minnie Campbell | Jan. 24, 1881 |
| Butler, Jacob | Louisa Jones | Jan. 24, 1881 |
| Barton, D. J. | Emma F. Blackerly | Jan. 28, 1881 |
| Brown, W. J. | Maggie G. Dodds | Jan. 31, 1881 |
| Brown, Walter | Alcie Jones | Feb. 1, 1881 |
| Brown, Scott | Annie Henderson | Feb. 16, 1881 |
| Behymer, Henry | Francis E. Sehorn | Feb. 21, 1881 |
| Bennett, Harrison | Mollie Douglas | Mar. 5, 1881 |
| Blakemore, Byrd | Lucy Coleman | Mar. 23, 1881 |
| Butler, Brit | Amanda Sharon | Mar. 26, 1881 |
| Beachamp, S. H. | Mary F. Chason | Apr. 13, 1881 |
| Boren, Joe | Judy Johnson | Apr. 30, 1881 |
| Barnett, Lee | Alice Johnson | May 21, 1881 |
| Byrd, I. C. | Martha A. Goodson | May 24, 1881 |
| Blackshear, Austin | Emma Smith | July 19, 1881 |
| Blalock, W. M. | Ida May McBride | Aug. 20, 1881 |

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
|------------------------|----------------------|----------------|
| Bevill, F. B. | M. E. Burleson | Sept. 23, 1881 |
| Birkhead, Walter J. | Jessie M. Frizzell | Sept. 28, 1881 |
| Barefield, Nelson, Jr. | Lula Jackson | Sept. 29, 1881 |
| Brooks, Charles | Harriett Anderson | Sept. 29, 1881 |
| Bryan, J. W. K. | Mrs. Mollie Lacy | Oct. 18, 1881 |
| Brede, G. W. | S. R. Trailer | Oct. 26, 1881 |
| Brown, W. M. | Mary A. Holland | Nov. 12, 1881 |
| Boyer, Daniel | Mrs. E. A. Darcy | Dec. 17, 1881 |
| Brown, Martin | Fannie Gibson | Jan. 2, 1882 |
| Bradford, George T. | Emma R. Lively | Jan. 4, 1882 |
| Box, Amos | Patsy Idleberger | Jan. 5, 1882 |
| Brooks, Daniel | Lucy Hardiman | Jan. 5, 1882 |
| Box, Alex | Jane Smith | Feb. 4, 1882 |
| Boyd, J. M. | Rachael Parks | Feb. 9, 1882 |
| Brown, J. W. | M. L. Morrow | Feb. 25, 1882 |
| Bell, James | Silvia Brown | Feb. 25, 1882 |
| Brown, W.L. | Alice Caldwell | Mar. 22, 1882 |
| Bower, W. H. | Clara E. Frizzell | Mar. 25, 1882 |
| Brooks, Johnson | Ether Wallace | Apr. 17, 1882 |
| Baker, Joseph Henry | Sarah Francis Hughes | Apr. 27, 1882 |
| Belcher, Reuben | Mary Kimbrough | May 5, 1882 |
| Barrett, Cass | Catherine Lawrence | May 23, 1882 |
| Bowers, A. L. B. | Mrs. Nellie C. Casey | June 12, 1882 |
| Bryan, J. J. | S. I. Cone | June 20, 1882 |
| Brown, William | Josia Dial | July 1, 1882 |
| Brown, Robert | Caroline Cartwright | July 15, 1882 |
| Bowen, William | Mattie Greene | July 22, 1882 |
| Barnett, Monroe | Martha Jasper | July 27, 1882 |
| Bowen, Peter | Mrs. Anna White | July 27, 1882 |
| Beason, J. S. | Dora E. Lee | July 31, 1882 |
| Bennett, A. G. | Bettie Johnson | Sept. 4, 1882 |
| Bordeaux, William R. | Ida H. Bowen | Oct. 10, 1882 |
| Brittain, George | Ella Hasty | Oct. 11, 1882 |
| Burk, L. A. | Mary P. Robertson | Nov. 14, 1882 |
| Bell, Rollie | Mariah Barrett | Dec. 2, 1882 |
| Beall, M. W. | Kate Farmer | Dec. 5, 1882 |
| Bennett, Lerr | Emma Conaway | Dec. 18, 1882 |
| Brown, Tom | Janie Thompson | Dec. 28, 1882 |
| Brewer, Sam | Emma Mack | Dec. 28, 1882 |
| Bryan, Jos. W. | Mahala Goodson | Dec. 29, 1882 |
| Brooks, George | Sallie Holley | Jan. 12, 1883 |
| Bradford, Z. W. | Mozill Olvin | Jan. 17, 1883 |
| Burney, William | Mrs. Sallie Murphy | Feb. 1, 1883 |
| Blount, A.E. | M. J. Milner | Feb. 14, 1883 |
| Bryant, John | Harriett Williams | Mar. 19, 1883 |
| Barr, R. L. | Mary M. Campbell | Apr. 18, 1883 |
| Banks, H. V. | J. E. McKinzie | May 4, 1883 |
| Brown, George | Louisa Stoneman | June 8, 1883 |
| Browning, Joseph | Winnie Semus | June 9, 1883 |
| Barrett, Scyl | Mahala Horn | June 9, 1883 |
| Bryant, Andrew | Hellen Matthews | June 30, 1883 |
| Bowman, Joel H. | Sarah Denson | Aug. 22, 1883 |

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
|----------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Butler, A. J. | S. E. Farnsworth | Sept. 4, 1883 |
| Bridges, W. S. | Lou Nash | Oct. 17, 1883 |
| Booker, Stephen | Emma Richardson | Oct. 18, 1883 |
| Barksdale, Joseph N. | Mary A. Crawford | Nov. 10, 1883 |
| Beason, J. D. | M. R. Harbin | Dec. 3, 1883 |
| Bryan, Willis | Rena Larkins | Dec. 22, 1883 |
| Bills, Ida A. | T. W. Trelford | Jan. 19, 1884 |
| Burton, John | Becke Vincent | Jan. 23, 1884 |
| Barker, J. G. | Agnes Logan | Jan. 25, 1884 |
| Brown, George W. | Laura Barrett | Feb. 6, 1884 |
| Burns, Charles | Sarah Bradley | Feb. 26, 1884 |
| Bacon, S. | L. F. Waits | Apr. 4, 1884 |
| Beason, J. S. | C. A. Hudson | May 4, 1884 |
| Bird, O. L. | Jettie M. Gibson | July 5, 1884 |
| Bell, Jordan | Alice Simpson | July 5, 1884 |
| Brooks, Jim | Nancy Hanks | July 23, 1884 |
| Berryman, L. J. | C. E. Hathcock | Sept. 9, 1884 |
| Bryan, J. H. | Ida R. Foster | Sept. 9, 1884 |
| Banks, Lee | Lou Taylor | Sept. 10, 1884 |
| Butler, Austin | Francis Bowen | Sept. 10, 1884 |
| Banks, Lev | Cornelia Taylor | Sept. 18, 1884 |
| Black, J. W. | E. F. Gage | Nov. 17, 1884 |
| Boyd, W. P. | S. A. Cook | Nov. 20, 1884 |
| Berry, L. R. | Emma Page | Nov. 22, 1884 |
| Bennett, Harrison | Annie Cummings | Nov. 29, 1884 |
| Beason, Charlie | Abella Dials | Dec. 17, 1884 |
| Birch, Allen | Emma Mills | Dec. 18, 1884 |
| Bell, W. T. | Fannie E. Butler | Dec. 20, 1884 |
| Blakemore, Granville | Josephene Jordan | Dec. 24, 1884 |
| Ballard, Dock | Delpha Montgomery | Dec. 20, 1884 |
| Bailey, F. C. | Emma Bailey | Jan. 12, 1885 |
| Batt, Wilhelm | Josefa Strack | Jan. 16, 1885 |
| Brown, G. W. | Sallie Blackerly | Jan. 19, 1885 |
| Brown, John | Mrs. Lou Burns | Jan. 22, 1885 |
| Barton, Ben | Cora Griffin | Feb. 10, 1885 |
| Bagwell, David E. | Louisa C. Bond | Mar. 2, 1885 |
| Boon, Arnold | Patsy Vincent | Apr. 8, 1885 |
| Bryan, C. B. | Katie Moore | Apr. 16, 1885 |
| Bordeaux, T. J. | R. A. Evans | July 14, 1885 |
| Barr, William Yancey | Julia F. Sterne | July 14, 1885 |
| Baron, George | Clem Brown | July 15, 1885 |
| Browning, Walter S. | Margaret Brown | July 27, 1885 |
| Barnet, Simon | Isabella Powell | Aug. 18, 1885 |
| Billups, George | Mary Ann Johnson | Aug. 18, 1885 |
| Bradley, Munroe | Rachael Smith | Sept. 3, 1885 |
| Bryant, B. | Georgia Taylor | Sept. 23, 1885 |
| Beaman, E. J. | Lasker Cohen | Oct. 15, 1885 |
| Burk, H. S. | Mary McCoy | Oct. 16, 1885 |
| Butterfield, F. L. | Sallie L. Pittman | Oct. 28, 1885 |
| Brown, Julius C. | Minnie Jones | Dec. 8, 1885 |
| Blackman, Willy | Limie Reed | Dec. 24, 1885 |
| Baggett, Silas | Mirah Lowe | Dec. 24, 1885 |

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
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| Camp, Henry L. | Mary Fincher | Jan. 19, 1881 |
| Cox, G. Y. | Emma Pickett | Feb. 8, 1881 |
| Goleman, B. C. | Fammy Plevis | Feb. 23, 1881 |
| Craft, Hiram | Louisa Burton | Mar. 10, 1881 |
| Coles, R. B. | Bella Ricks | Mar. 16, 1881 |
| Crear, Mose | Ann Johnson | Mar. 23, 1881 |
| Crust, Stephen | Lula H. Williamson | Mar. 24, 1881 |
| Caldwell, George | Lucy Caldwell | Mar. 25, 1881 |
| Chestnut, John T. | Mrs. M. Chestnut | May 7, 1881 |
| Canant, T. | Annie Cox | May 11, 1881 |
| Carter, Doe | Catherine Payton | July 9, 1881 |
| Curry, W. A. | Sallie Parks | July 26, 1881 |
| Chambers, Charlie | Salone Smith | Aug. 12, 1881 |
| Carroll, George | Ada Williams | Aug. 30, 1881 |
| Crawford, T. J. | A. P. Adams | Aug. 30, 1881 |
| Camp, Josiah | Necie McDonald | Sept. 22, 1881 |
| Cone, Jno. P. | Mollie B. Burks | Sept. 27, 1881 |
| Copeland, F. H. | Savannah Woodall | Oct. 28, 1881 |
| Carter, Ed | Izora Evans | Oct. 29, 1881 |
| Cook, J. R. | Kate L. Jackson | Nov. 21, 1881 |
| Chaffin, W. J. | M. A. Hodge | Nov. 23, 1881 |
| Camon, Nelson | Lizzie Walker | Nov. 28, 1881 |
| Congleton, L. | Lucy A. Hasselle | Dec. 15, 1881 |
| Crawford, York | Allice Earley | Dec. 27, 1881 |
| Caldwell, Daniel | Onie Swanson | Dec. 28, 1881 |
| Caldwell, Alex | Bettie Miller | Jan. 19, 1882 |
| Campbell, Charles | M. V. Cook | Feb. 23, 1882 |
| Cliburn, J. A. | Mollie Dear | Feb. 27, 1882 |
| Coleman, Jerry | Georgia Ann Burls | Mar. 8, 1882 |
| Crawford, Rev. Jacob | Mary Lowery | Mar. 25, 1882 |
| Clark, C. B. | Mrs. S. A. Heard | June 9, 1882 |
| Campbell, Si | Rena Blackshear | Aug. 19, 1882 |
| Crayford, G. P. | S. E. Thomas | Aug. 26, 1882 |
| Carney, Wm. M. | Sarah Holmes | Aug. 26, 1882 |
| Conaway, Oscar | Florence Murdock | Sept. 16, 1882 |
| Carrol, J. C. | Mary Gaston | Oct. 17, 1882 |
| Cartwright, Ches | Melissa Heard | Oct. 26, 1882 |
| Cravens, Alex | Mary Robinson | Dec. 6, 1882 |
| Camp, E. K. | M. J. Huddleston | Dec. 20, 1882 |
| Conaway, Dunk | Laura Beason | Jan. 3, 1883 |
| Collins, W. J. | T. A. Callaway | Jan. 5, 1883 |
| Cook, J. M. Jr. | Miss J. L. Ramsey | Jan. 24, 1883 |
| Congleton, W. H. | Miss N. J. Hassell | Feb. 13, 1883 |
| Calloway, J. R. | Miss T. C. Barrett | Feb. 13, 1883 |
| Carson, H. V. | Mary Baxter | Feb. 22, 1883 |
| Callaway, B. H. | Mollie Brown | Apr. 17, 1883 |
| Carroll, C. V. | Fannie Rucker | Apr. 23, 1883 |
| Coleman, W. L. | Martha J. Heght | May 8, 1883 |
| Cheatham, Wm. H. | Emma Johnson | May 12, 1883 |
| Collins, David | Pauline McMeans | Sept. 24, 1883 |
| Clements, Spencer | Jennie Herd | Nov. 21, 1883 |
| Corder, C. A. | Julia Stephens | Dec. 19, 1883 |

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
|---------------------|----------------------|-----------------|
| Cox, Seth | Phillis Gray | Dec. 19, 1883 |
| Cleveland, Jasper | Leathy Robinson | Dec. 26, 1883 |
| Colington, Eamie | Mintie Green | Dec. 28, 1883 |
| Clark, M. S. | Miss A. R. Wewson | Dec. 31, 1883 |
| Cockemum, J. W. | Maggie Smith | Jan. 17, 1884 |
| Crawford, J. M. | Hattie A. Box | Feb. 16, 1884 |
| Carter, Jack | Minnie Duke | Mar. 5, 1884 |
| Chambers, Jesse | Hattie Pierce | Apr. 10, 1884 |
| Caz, Lewis | Fannie Green | May 7, 1884 |
| Cutter, O. C. | Laura E. Eastland | May 5, 30, 1884 |
| Cook, J. M. | Sarah A. Dabbs | June 17, 1884 |
| Calhoun, Jesse | Lizzie Burton | July 5, 1884 |
| Childress, O. | Georgia Ann Baskin | July 12, 1884 |
| Cobb, J. P. | Mrs. M. J. Duckworth | Aug. 12, 1884 |
| Cooke, E. W. | Dora Helm | Sept. 24, 1884 |
| Crist, J. B. | Miss C. D. Waller | Oct. 3, 1884 |
| Clements, Stephen | Mary J. Pryor | Oct. 11, 1884 |
| Cornwell, A. L. | N. B. Bryan | Oct. 24, 1884 |
| Calhoun, R. W. | Nancy Davis | Nov. 8, 1884 |
| Cone, George | Eady Crear | Dec. 11, 1884 |
| Cunningham, J. D. | Miss M. E. Christian | Dec. 15, 1884 |
| Calwell, Coleman | Harriet Bivens | Dec. 16, 1884 |
| Capps, J. I. A. | Jennie Martin | Dec. 23, 1884 |
| Clements, Spencer | Mollie Morgan | Dec. 31, 1884 |
| Caldwell, Draton | Lorvienia Wasden | Jan. 6, 1885 |
| Carter, Cris | Bettie Ricks | Jan. 6, 1885 |
| Cummings, Ellick | Nancy Davis | Jan. 9, 1885 |
| Carter, Green | Millie Reed | Jan. 24, 1885 |
| Cole, George | Laura Stevans | Feb. 2, 1885 |
| Carter, John | Charity Davis | Feb. 7, 1885 |
| Craft, Hyran | Francis Berry | Feb. 11, 1885 |
| Cain, George | Ellen Low | Mar. 17, 1885 |
| Colvin, T. J. | Charity Penington | May 18, 1885 |
| Chew, W. L. | Nannie P. Slade | July 13, 1885 |
| Callaway, Jesse R. | Jennie Bars | Sept. 5, 1885 |
| Cummings, Jesse | Josephine McGriff | Sept. 19, 1885 |
| Cone, R. H. | Miss A. T. Atwood | Sept. 29, 1885 |
| Cross, Guss | Hulay Conaway | Dec. 31, 1885 |
| Davis, Robt. | Martha Ann Jackson | Feb. 25, 1881 |
| Dunn, T. R. | Fannie Hanks | Feb. 28, 1881 |
| Drithit, B. F. | Emma Delaney | Mar. 10, 1881 |
| Donley, W. E. | Anna N. Reagan | Mar. 15, 1881 |
| Darling, J. C. F. | Sarah W. Thompson | Mar. 23, 1881 |
| Denman, Daniel | Emma Tippens | Mar. 29, 1881 |
| Daniels, Charley | Dink Jackson | Apr. 4, 1881 |
| Dye, W. S. | M. B. Garner | Apr. 21, 1881 |
| Davis, William | Rachael Henderson | Apr. 28, 1881 |
| Dossett, Wheeler A. | Willie Stacy | May 12, 1881 |
| Daniels, Thos. W. | Phoebe Foberty | Aug. 27, 1881 |
| Douthitt, B. W. | Alice E. Hester | Nov. 9, 1881 |
| Dean, T. H. | J. A. Fitzgerald | Nov. 9, 1881 |

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
|-------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| Daniels, J. N. | Francis Gray | Dec. 19, 1881 |
| Dowser, Elam | Jennie Wingfield | Dec. 26, 1881 |
| Dennis, W.H. | Ellen Crawford | Jan. 13, 1882 |
| Dudley, Wiley | Rose Hicks | Mar. 10, 1882 |
| Dancer, Liger | Mary Pennington | Aug. 2, 1882 |
| Doss, Charles W. | Zara Laird | Aug. 30, 1882 |
| Dupuy, A. G. | Mannie E. Hamlett | Nov. 10, 1882 |
| Dickson, Dave | Margaret Malinza | Dec. 27, 1882 |
| Davis, J. J. | N. Y. Taylor | Dec. 27, 1882 |
| Davis, D. D. | Ella McKinzie | Jan. 3, 1883 |
| Davis, Ben F. | Cora L. Hudson | Jan. 23, 1883 |
| Dightman, Tillman | Margianna Williams | Feb. 14, 1883 |
| Dickey, R. F. | S. A. Loyd | Feb. 26, 1883 |
| Durfey, J. W. | Josephine Proctor | Apr. 19, 1883 |
| Donald, Henry | Dafney Henry | May 15, 1883 |
| Dilker, C. L. | Mary E. Corgel | June 5, 1883 |
| Davis, Marshall | Ella Ingraham | July 31, 1883 |
| Davis, Tom | Matt Malestin | Aug. 15, 1883 |
| Davis, Rance | Lou Brown | Oct. 8, 1883 |
| Donnell, W. C. | Annie Farris | Oct. 23, 1883 |
| Duncan, J. F. | R. E. Cornwell | Oct. 29, 1883 |
| Doan, James | Susie F. Cook | Nov. 6, 1883 |
| Dickerson, J. A. | Melissa Roberts | Nov. 9, 1883 |
| Davis, George | Mary Edwards | Nov. 24, 1883 |
| Davis, Bob | Amanda Donnell | Jan. 1, 1884 |
| Davis, Phil | Ella Simons | Jan. 10, 1884 |
| Dickerson, R. A. | Mahala Myers | Jan. 12, 1884 |
| Dean, Robert. L. | Nannie E. Purdom | Jan. 25, 1884 |
| Dean, W. B. | Doeia Wooley | Mar. 13, 1884 |
| Dunlop, George | Ella K. Payne | May 30, 1884 |
| Dickerson, J. M. | Jodie M. Stanley | June 24, 1884 |
| Dabbs, W. A. | M. E. Owens | Sept. 9, 1884 |
| Dean, Thomas | Katie Magner | Sept. 10, 1884 |
| Doss, J. P. | M. E. Shaw | Oct. 10, 1884 |
| Donald, Joe | Adaline Taylor | Oct. 29, 1884 |
| Davis, Horace | Josephine Lacy | Dec. 5, 1884 |
| Dunnavant, Will | Mary Fuller | Dec. 19, 1884 |
| Davis, S. F. | M. E. Haley | Dec. 23, 1884 |
| Davis, J. H. | Mollie Green | Feb. 14, 1885 |
| Dartie, Henry | Julia Holter | Feb. 17, 1885 |
| Doff, Patrick | Mary Hickey | May 14, 1885 |
| Dean, R. L. | F. B. Glenn | June 3, 1885 |
| Dove, J. T. | S. N. E. Landsphere | June 22, 1885 |
| Donnald, Isiah | Mary Ann Tatum | Aug. 20, 1885 |
| Davis, Jim | Elizabeth Woods | Oct. 7, 1885 |
| Davis, Billy | Dora Beck | Oct. 15, 1885 |
| Durham, B. A. | Ester Unger | Dec. 1, 1885 |
| Davis, Ownes | Mary Ann Davis | Dec. 23, 1885 |
| Davis, Defayett | Mary Carter | Dec. 30, 1885 |
| Ely, Arthur | Bettie Chester | Feb. 12, 1881 |
| Evans, J. B. | M. M. Lewis | Feb. 14, 1881 |

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
|---------------------|------------------------|----------------|
| Emory, Dave | Mary Dennam | June 1, 1881 |
| Endaly, C. E. | Elizabeth Ingersoll | Aug. 20, 1881 |
| Edwards, J. R. | Mattie Calcoate | Aug. 30, 1881 |
| Elrod, J. D. | E. J. Carroll | Oct. 10, 1881 |
| Edens, Charlie | Eva Reuben | Dec. 28, 1881 |
| Edwards, Harrison | Annie Harris | Jan. 19, 1882 |
| Elkins, William | Jane F. Johnson | June 12, 1882 |
| Edwards, Ned | Alice Isabel Smith | June 27, 1882 |
| Easley, W. P. | Alisista Shaver | June 27, 1882 |
| Ewell, John | Polly Smith | Sept. 20, 1882 |
| Edwards, Henry | Adeline Colly | Sept. 21, 1882 |
| Ellis, H. P. | Laura J. Mooney | Jan. 24, 1883 |
| Eversull, J. T. | Estill Crocker | Feb. 2, 1883 |
| Eagan, Pat | Agnes Delaney | May 27, 1883 |
| Ervin, W. M. | Virginia Coleman | June 16, 1883 |
| Earley, Richard | Bell McMeans | Oct. 17, 1883 |
| England, T.H. | I. D. Andrews | Oct. 19, 1883 |
| Elrod, A. W. Jr. | G. V. Addington | Dec. 24, 1883 |
| Edge, P. M. | Lou Hanks | Dec. 26, 1883 |
| Edens, J. R. | E. L. Horn | Jan. 21, 1884 |
| Ellis, J. V. | E. F. Harris | Aug. 20, 1884 |
| Easley, James C. | Francis E. Pennington | Sept. 16, 1884 |
| Evans, John C. | Mary A. Bradley | Sept. 16, 1884 |
| Ewell, Newton | Emma Erwin | Jan. 26, 1885 |
| Evans, E. V. | Dora Leak | Feb. 6, 1885 |
| Edwards, Irving | Liddia Fisher | Mar. 18, 1885 |
| Evans, E. V. | Patsy Trim | June 26, 1885 |
| Elrod, E. M. | Ella Gaines | Dec. 23, 1885 |
| Fayne, Robert | Lucy Jones | Feb. 25, 1881 |
| Flynn, J. P. | G. A. Masters | Apr. 18, 1881 |
| Frazer, J. B. | Laura Shumaker | Apr. 22, 1881 |
| Fagin, A. F. | T. E. Turner | June 10, 1881 |
| Farris, Henry | Mary Foster | Sept. 9, 1881 |
| Ferguson, Alexander | Bessie Mae Reagen | Oct. 17, 1881 |
| Furlow, Marshall | Fannie Purtle | Dec. 31, 1881 |
| Finch, George W. | N. D. Parker | Jan. 4, 1882 |
| Foster, J. W. | Rena Mush | Jan. 17, 1882 |
| Fields, J. A. | M. C. Jones | Feb. 15, 1882 |
| Findley, Robt. W. | Melissa L. Glass | Mar. 24, 1882 |
| Freeman, R. F. | Frankie Rhodes | May 17, 1882 |
| Floyd, George | Angelina Simmons | July 29, 1882 |
| Franklin, Jim | Bobbie Fletcher | Dec. 9, 1882 |
| Formwalt, J. A. | Mrs. A. E. Burdett | Dec. 22, 1882 |
| Fuller, Stephen | Martha Blackshear | Dec. 28, 1882 |
| Ginley, Wash | Georgia A. Moore | Dec. 30, 1882 |
| Forrest, Ben | Julia Ann Gibson | Feb. 8, 1883 |
| Fitzgerald, T. A. | L. E. Price | July 16, 1883 |
| Flinn, J. M. | Mollie Hyett | Aug. 1, 1883 |
| Floyd, J. A. | S. C. Holmes | Nov. 10, 1883 |
| Ferguson, J. G. | Mrs. Mollie Washington | Mar. 29, 1884 |
| Fitzgerald, Mikel | Nora Lawrence | July 31, 1884 |

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| Filmore, Foster | Patsey Green | Aug. 7, 1884 |
| Fulton, R. N. | S. F. Holmes | Jan. 3, 1885 |
| Fulton, W. H. | Joanah Montgomery | Jan. 6, 1885 |
| Farming, Francis J. L. | J. Ellen McFarlane | Feb. 3, 1885 |
| Forkelson, Neils | Mary Anderson Stockholm | Apr. 10, 1885 |
| Fullbright, L. H. | Mrs. Clarrinda Wilson | Oct. 31, 1885 |
| Freeman, William | Fannie Carter | Dec. 3, 1885 |
| Fletcher, Simon | Fannie Swanson | Dec. 24, 1885 |
| Gary, Frank | Clemie Williams | Jan. 5, 1881 |
| Green, J. A. | Susan T. Wagnon | Jan. 19, 1881 |
| Gaston, Henry | Roxie Henderson | Jan. 25, 1881 |
| Gambrell, James M. | L. E. Miller | Feb. 14, 1881 |
| Greene, Albert | Sarah Mischeaux | Mar. 3, 1881 |
| Gore, David Welborn | Mary E. Welborn | Mar. 23, 1881 |
| Garlick, Joseph | Christine Pernnie | Aug. 27, 1881 |
| Grabbs, A. D. | Amanda Rosson | Sept. 14, 1881 |
| Grounds, William | Fannie Sullivan | Dec. 14, 1881 |
| Grooms, Jno. R. | Martha A. Jones | Dec. 17, 1881 |
| Green, Mark | Bettie Govan | Dec. 23, 1881 |
| Green, Mack | Narcis Sloan | Dec. 29, 1881 |
| Gore, S. R. | Cynthia E. Morrow | Jan. 21, 1882 |
| Gray, George | Harriett Houston | Feb. 1, 1882 |
| Gibson, Wm. | Mrs. M. J. Craig | May 11, 1882 |
| Gaston, Henry | Dora Jasper | May 24, 1882 |
| Green, Starling | Flora Bordeaux | Oct. 5, 1882 |
| Gibson, Albert | Mittie Dozier | Oct. 19, 1882 |
| Grammons, Jno. | Jessie Edwards | Oct. 19, 1882 |
| Green, Ed | Bettie Hart | Nov. 1, 1882 |
| Goodwin, Primes | Julia Glover | Dec. 26, 1882 |
| Goad, F. P. | K. I. Hughes | Jan. 2, 1883 |
| Green, W. C. | Willie Thomas | Jan. 25, 1883 |
| Goldstein, M. | Lena Nelson | Feb. 15, 1883 |
| Gibson, Frederick | Nancy Reeves | Mar. 13, 1883 |
| Gray, John | Clora Woodard | Mar. 22, 1883 |
| Green, Littleton | Polly Barton | Apr. 11, 1883 |
| Gaut, John | Della Harris | Mar. 13, 1883 |
| Glover, F. H. | Lida Zeutz | June 25, 1883 |
| Gross, Frank | Bammer Ricks | Aug. 18, 1883 |
| Griffin, M. S. | Amanda F. Cook | Aug. 20, 1883 |
| Gregg, A. W. | May D. Bridges | Sept. 18, 1883 |
| Garner, C. R. | Fannie B. Walker | Dec. 13, 1883 |
| Grounds, G. J. | Mrs. Fannie Creag | Dec. 22, 1883 |
| Govan, Bob | Dora Green | Dec. 25, 1883 |
| Gray, Frank | Betsy Ann Smith | Jan. 9, 1884 |
| Griffin, F. M. | Mrs. Mary E. Lunsford | May 26, 1884 |
| Gage, Mart G. | Mary A. H. Black | June 5, 1884 |
| Gibson, Robert | Nancy Davis | Aug. 11, 1884 |
| Galloway, George T. | W. L. Brooks | Aug. 25, 1884 |
| Garrett, S. M. | Bettie Farrish | Sept. 4, 1884 |
| Gambrell, E. M. | Mrs. Virginia Wasdon | Sept. 9, 1884 |
| Graves, P. S. | Ella Tucker | Dec. 31, 1884 |
| Gray, Hunt | Ella Smith | Feb. 4, 1885 |

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| Gilkey, Andrew | Paralee Walker | Apr. 1, 1885 |
| Gibson, Hugh | Mary Box | Apr. 8, 1885 |
| Green, D. P. | Marien L. Jones | May 1, 1885 |
| Gaston, William | Daught McKizic | May 6, 1885 |
| Green, J. W. | S. C. Green | Aug. 7, 1885 |
| Green, Anderson | Mary Farrish | Aug. 26, 1885 |
| Groomes, J. R. | Mrs. Jane E. Blankenship | Sept. 7, 1885 |
| Gibson, Robert | Susan Harrison | Sept, 23, 1885 |
| Gilmore, John R. | Josephine Moore | Oct. 5, 1885 |
| Gilmore, Aaron | Susanna Tyler | Oct. 6, 1885 |
| Gibson, William | Sallie Blackshear | Nov. 25, 1885 |
| Gibson, W. T. | Georgia L. Garner | Dec. 10, 1885 |
| Gober, A. E. | A. R. Miles | Dec. 11, 1885 |
| Galley, Isaac | Kittie Nelson | Dec. 14, 1885 |
| Henderson, Van | Lou Hamilton | Sept. 15, 1881 |
| Hammonds, Thomas | Isa Snow Leopard | Feb. 21, 1881 |
| Hunter, Austin | Sarah Goosby | Feb. 22, 1881 |
| Hart, Abram | Georgia Ann James | Mar. 5, 1881 |
| Herrington, J. M. | M. J. Cely | Mar. 9, 1881 |
| Hughes, William N. | Margaret Johnson | Mar. 22, 1881 |
| Herald, Nelson | Nellie McGriff | May 16, 1881 |
| Harris, Bud | Julia Martin | May 30, 1881 |
| Hamlet, Beaford | Minnie Oldham | July 2, 1881 |
| Harrison, G. W. | Susan M. Nicodemus | Aug. 20, 1881 |
| Henderson, Van | Lou Hamilton | Sept. 15, 1881 |
| Howe, Frank | Mrs. Virginia Berry | Sept. 29, 1881 |
| Howell, Harry | Susan Henson | Oct. 15, 1881 |
| Hunter, J. D. | Eliza Reeves | Oct. 15, 1881 |
| Howard, G. F. | Miss H. M. Outlaw | Oct. 26, 1881 |
| Herrington, Jeff | Lissa May | Oct. 27, 1881 |
| Hathaway, George H. | Mary E. Stockly | Nov. 9, 1881 |
| Hall, Robert | Mary Ellen Casey | Nov. 26, 1881 |
| Hardin, J. P. | Mary Ella Vance | Dec. 3, 1881 |
| Hughes, William J. | Mrs. S. E. Johnson | Dec. 8, 1881 |
| Hutchinson, J. D. | Nanie Norman | Dec. 8, 1881 |
| Hall, Richard | Ann Barber | Dec. 14, 1881 |
| Hassell, Dan | Louisa Williamson | Dec. 27, 1881 |
| Hill, William M. | Miss Lydia Hardy | Feb. 17, 1882 |
| Huddleston, Louis P. | Hannah Edwards | Feb. 17, 1882 |
| Huddleston, W. E. | Polly Ann Miles | Feb. 27, 1882 |
| Hamlet, James B. | Mollie E. McClure | Mar. 7, 1882 |
| Howard, Alfred | Dacey Ann Butler | Apr. 14, 1882 |
| Howland, James | Rebecca Johnson | May 27, 1882 |
| Hallum, William T. | Lou Starkes | June 19, 1882 |
| Hendrix, James E. | Miss Sarah C. Little | Aug. 9, 1882 |
| Henderson, W. H. | Miss T. J. McDonald | Aug. 21, 1882 |
| Hardman, William | Miss Lettie Tress | Sept. 1, 1882 |
| Hardesty, George W. | Sarah E. Battom | Oct. 24, 1882 |
| Hathcock, W. J. | Mrs. L. J. Hodges | Nov. 3, 1882 |
| Hastings, B. B. | Miss Anna Watson | Nov. 18, 1882 |
| Henley, J. R. | S. J. Taylor | Nov. 25, 1882 |

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| Hagan, Joseph | Sarah Ann Anderson | Nov. 28, 1882 |
| Hardy, J. W. | Miss Cora Parker | Dec. 1, 1882 |
| Hemby, C. B. | Sallie A. Davis | Dec. 11, 1882 |
| Hassell, W.J. | Miss Mattie Duval | Dec. 18, 1882 |
| Harrison, W. A. | Miss Willie Robertson | Dec. 18, 1882 |
| Hall, J. K. | E. J. Elrod | Dec. 18, 1882 |
| Howard, Silas | Mattie Taylor | Dec. 21, 1882 |
| Harrison, A. J. | Miss Irena Parker | Dec. 23, 1882 |
| Holliday, Frank | Emily Dunn | Dec. 23, 1882 |
| Hamilton, Thomas | Rosa Govan | Dec. 26, 1882 |
| Harts, George | Sarah Coleman | Jan. 3, 1883 |
| Hartman, Martin | Mollie F. Brown | Jan. 8, 1883 |
| Howard, L. A. | Annie Beard | Jan. 25, 1883 |
| Hoxie, William | Louvenia Nichols | Jan. 27, 1883 |
| Heard, Calvin | Bell Coleman | Feb. 8, 1883 |
| Harris, Charles | Bell Rainey | Feb. 8, 1883 |
| Hurd, George | Charity Hunter | Feb. 11, 1883 |
| Hamilton, W. I. | Mrs. Julia Jackson | Feb. 22, 1883 |
| Harrison, S. A. | Miss Sue Watts | Feb. 28, 1883 |
| Hartsfield, Lewis | Kittie Smith | Mar. 28, 1883 |
| Hinzie, Charles | Miss Ruth Wade | Apr. 4, 1883 |
| Hinch, Max | Hulda Oberstein | Apr. 7, 1883 |
| Henkel, Henry | Miss Jennie Gouber | May 28, 1883 |
| Hurbrough, W. L. | Miss Lou Thomas | June 9, 1883 |
| Hogue, Henry | Georgia Ann Rainey | June 16, 1883 |
| Howard, Ben W. | Sallie M. Sterne | June 24, 1883 |
| Haywood, Peter | Litha Skelton | July 17, 1883 |
| Hanks, J. B., Jr. | Miss Minnie Davis | Aug. 1, 1883 |
| Holmes, Walter | Miss Kittie Covert | Aug. 17, 1883 |
| Handrof, John | Melissey Melton | Sept. 25, 1883 |
| Hearne, John R. | Miss Emma S. Howard | Oct. 11, 1883 |
| Hardy, William M. | Margaret Dean | Nov. 8, 1883 |
| Hanks, John | Henryetta Jefferson | Nov. 14, 1883 |
| Holmes, A. E. | Miss Jane Roundtree | Nov. 15, 1883 |
| Hardin, J. P. | Mrs. L. C. Pierce | Nov. 23, 1883 |
| Hamilton, J. R. | Miss C. A. Thomas | Nov. 23, 1883 |
| Howard, Elias | Sue Webb | Dec. 14, 1883 |
| Halton, John L. | Mary Bell Hickson | Dec. 14, 1883 |
| Hail, C., Jr. | Miss Tempe Perry | Dec. 22, 1883 |
| Hardman, R. C. | Miss M. J. Tippen | Dec. 24, 1883 |
| Harding, John | Julia Moore | Jan. 8, 1884 |
| Hopper, George | Ida Morgan | Jan. 21, 1884 |
| Hardy, W. B. | M. A. Richardson | Jan. 26, 1884 |
| Hamlett, Jerry | Cathran Morrison | Jan. 29, 1884 |
| Hooker, William G. | Nannie V. Lloyd | Feb. 4, 1884 |
| Hickman, John | Georgia Anna English | Feb. 13, 1884 |
| Howell, Edward L. | M. H. Newkirk | Feb. 25, 1884 |
| Hodges, Adolphus B. | Mollie J. Scarbrough | July 9, 1884 |
| Huddleston, H. W. | Miss F. E. Worley | Sept. 20, 1884 |
| Hunt, Alfred | Sallie Evans | Oct. 16, 1884 |
| Hanson, Ed | Miss Della Rogers | Nov. 3, 1884 |
| Hemby, H. L. | Miss J. Emma Kyle | Nov. 24, 1884 |

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| Hutcherson, J. S. | Rosa C. Fitzgerald | Dec. 17, 1884 |
| Hill, William H. | Mary E. Roberson | Dec. 24, 1884 |
| Hanks, Spencer | Mahala Baker | Jan. 12, 1885 |
| Hawkins, Floyd | Easter Washington | Jan. 15, 1885 |
| Hassell, Abram | Caroline Hayter | Jan. 30, 1885 |
| Hamby, J. D. | Miss V. C. Delaney | Feb. 3, 1885 |
| Henry, Jack | Eliza Jackson | Feb. 28, 1885 |
| Hughes, L. W. | Amelia Johnson | Feb. 28, 1885 |
| Haywood, Z. T. | Miss Ada Kinton | May 16, 1885 |
| Hackney, Frank | Ada Studivant | June 11, 1885 |
| Hassell, Wylie | Allice Byrd | June 13, 1885 |
| Hollingsworth, Solomon | Amanda Cravins | Aug. 4, 1885 |
| Hudson, Gabe | Mary Ann Bennett | Aug. 11, 1885 |
| Hamlet, R. B. | Margaret Day | Aug. 20, 1885 |
| Higginbotham, A. J. | Mary Abbott | Sept. 10, 1885 |
| Hart, Francis | Miss Mattie Shelton | Sept. 12, 1885 |
| Hammons, Jack | Alice Elson | Sept. 18, 1885 |
| Horney, W. E. | Mrs. Harriett Parker | Oct. 31, 1885 |
| Hunter, Peter | Jane Green | Nov. 9, 1885 |
| Harris, Eb. | Gracy White | Nov. 12, 1885 |
| Hudson, G. W. | Miss Eva D. Collins | Nov. 13, 1885 |
| Hall, J. B. | Maggie M. Scott | Nov. 30, 1885 |
| Hutchenson, Harry | Harriet Waters | Dec. 22, 1885 |
| Hammons, John | Ann Browning | Dec. 23, 1885 |
| Henderson, W. H. | Nancy N. McDonald | Dec. 26, 1885 |
| Ingraham, Perrie | Georgie Powell | Nov. 7, 1883 |
| Jackson, Ephraim | Angelina Walker | Feb. 1, 1881 |
| Jackson, Columbus | Katie Linsey | Mar. 3, 1881 |
| James, William | Amanda Simons | Mar. 5, 1881 |
| Johnson, Louis | Jennie Smith | Mar. 16, 1881 |
| Jackson, Frank | Leana Hart | Mar. 26, 1881 |
| Jones, Shed | Elmira Mack | Apr. 1, 1881 |
| Jackson, Frank | Sallie Jackson | May 14, 1881 |
| Jones, Jackson, F. | Mary Phillips | June 15, 1881 |
| Johnson, Lewis | Martha Wright | Sept. 1, 1881 |
| Johnson, William | Lemma Anderson | Sept. 6, 1881 |
| Jackson, J. W. | Jane Ashley | Dec. 23, 1881 |
| Jamison, Dolford | Mary Green | Dec. 28, 1881 |
| Jenkins, A. B. | Bettie T. Gee | Dec. 31, 1881 |
| Johnson, Isaac | Nora Mims | Jan. 12, 1882 |
| Johnston, Jas. A. | Mrs. V. A. Johnston | Jan. 18, 1882 |
| Jennings, Joseph | Margaret Baker | Feb. 8, 1882 |
| Jackson, F. S. | Lela Wallace | Apr. 25, 1882 |
| Johnson, Joe | Mariah Chambers | June 24, 1882 |
| Jowers, George | Marcissa Johnson | July 13, 1882 |
| Joe, Frank | Winnie Herd | July 20, 1882 |
| Jones, Doc | Cora Green | Aug. 26, 1882 |
| Jackson, Pinkney | Lizzie Carrol | Sept. 26, 1882 |
| Jones, Thomas | Amanda Hard | Sept. 26, 1882 |
| Joost, C. W. | V. V. Aratt | Sept. 29, 1882 |

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| Johnson, Jeff | Missouri Donnell | Dec. 5, 1882 |
| Jones, Jim | Betsie Green | Dec. 27, 1882 |
| Johnson, Bob | Harriett Lindsey | Jan. 18, 1883 |
| Jones, Jeff | Matilda Miller | Feb. 1, 1883 |
| Jackson, Lewis | Dora Jefferson | Apr. 27, 1883 |
| Jones, Ben | Antnett Bell | June 25, 1883 |
| Jackson, Charley | Annie Dawson | July 18, 1883 |
| Jones, Jim | Harriett Skipper | Aug. 11, 1883 |
| Jackson, Robert | Nannie Banks | Aug. 21, 1883 |
| Jones, Bill | Aggie Furlow | Aug. 23, 1883 |
| Jones, William | Nancy Rhodes | Sept. 13, 1883 |
| Jackson, Andrew | Mary Bolton | Sept. 24, 1883 |
| Jackson, Charles | Eliza Gaston | Sept. 29, 1883 |
| Jones, William | Matilda Larkin | Nov. 3, 1883 |
| Jander, William | Cora Kreig | Nov. 14, 1883 |
| Jones, Jim | Emma Lolly | Dec. 3, 1883 |
| Johnson, Elof | Jennie Cevert | Jan. 26, 1884 |
| Jasper, Willis | Fannie Barnes | Jan. 31, 1884 |
| Johnson, Freeman | Ella Micheux | Jan. 31, 1884 |
| Joost, A. A. | F. B. Mitchell | Feb. 26, 1884 |
| Jones, Charles | Ellen Smith | Aug. 23, 1884 |
| Jasper, Willis | Mrs. Guy Turiddy | Aug. 29, 1884 |
| Jackson, Denard | Jennie Phillips | Sept. 18, 1884 |
| Jackson, Isaac | Martha Swanson | Nov. 26, 1884 |
| Jackson, Joe | Mrs. Fannie Washington | Dec. 17, 1884 |
| Jones, Milton | Emma Harris | Dec. 20, 1884 |
| Johnson, W. M. | Synthia Evans | Jan. 31, 1885 |
| Jones, Jack | Irene McClure | Feb. 6, 1885 |
| Jones, Madison | Sindie Pearson | Feb. 7, 1885 |
| Johnson, Dave | Louisa Guim | Mar. 30, 1885 |
| Johnson, Robert | Addie Caddo | Aug. 22, 1885 |
| Johnson, Richard | Harriett Murray | Oct. 10, 1885 |
| Jenks, Steve | Mariah Govan | Oct. 31, 1885 |
| Jennings, William | Emma Taylor | Nov. 25, 1885 |
| Joe, Dan | Belle Penson | Dec. 30, 1885 |
| Johnson, Charley | Mrs. Barbee Lane | Dec. 31, 1885 |

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UNKNOWN CEMETERY

Located in the city limits of Gainesville - go out old Denton Road about one and one half miles. Turn left on a small dirt road that comes to a dead end. Walk about 1/4 mile out in a pasture to the remains of an old cemetery. Only one tombstone is remaining. Evidence of other graves are there, but unmarked. The grave is on the land owned in 1980 by Russell D. Cawyer of Gainesville, Texas. Copied November 1980 by Russell D. Cawyer of Gainesville, Texas.

John H., son of J. G.? & S. L. Hopkins
 April 25, 1880 - July - 1881
 [Stone is broken and worn]

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ABSTRACTS FROM TEXAS CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE

Galveston, Texas

Copied by Dorothy Peters, Kay Melear, Nellie Mae Rennels
and Louise Moxley

Volume VI, Number 36, Thursday, April 12, 1860

Marriages

By Reverend William Shaw, in Denton County, at the Reverend M. McDonald's home, Reverend E. N. Huttins and Miss Susan L. Baker, all of Texas.

At the Methodist Church, Palestine, on the evening of April 4, by Reverend William Witcher, Colonel John Murchison and Miss Mary A. Bruton, all of Palestine, Texas.

Obituaries

Jacob Sherer, at a meeting of the members of the Lutheran Church, in the town of Columbus, the Reverend C. Lentz, being present, was invited to the church. It was then stated it was the object of the meeting to give expressions of the high esteem with which they regarded the Reverend Jacob Sherer, deceased, father of their now faithful and devoted pastor, Reverend J. J. Sherer. The Committee having been appointed, consisted of Mr. George Metz, N. Snavely, John Huddle, had the chairman add the following resolutions which were presented and adopted... Columbus, Texas March 12, 1860

Mrs. Dinney Ivey, departed this life on the 28th inst., in the town of Columbus, in the 65th year of her age.

Frances Caroline Gray, daughter of Hiram and Mary Holston, departed this life March 14, 1860, of a lingering disease, age 36 years, 8 months, and 6 days. She was born in Choctaw County, and in 1853 was united in holy matrimony with J. M. Gray; in 1855 they emigrated to Trinity County, Texas where they remained until 1859, when they removed to the vicinity of Wallisville, Chambers County, where she fell into the arms of her Savior. She leaves a husband and small children.
By F. C. Dowdy

John Wallace, infant son of Dr. George M. and Sarah J. Wallace, was born January 6th and departed this life January 15, 1860.
By S. C. Box.

Volume VI, Number 37, Thursday, April 19, 1860

Marriages

By Reverend R. Alexander, at the residence of the bride, Mr. Andrew J. Conrow, and Mrs. Kate E. Harris, both of Waco, Texas.

Obituaries

E. H. Gilliland was born January 1, 1808, in South Carolina and moved to Texas in 1857. He departed this life at his residence in Smith County, Texas on February 21, 1860 at the age of 52, he died of pneumonia. He left a companion and five children. By W. J. Pophym, Gordon Valley, Smith County, Texas - March 20, 1860.

Barbara Ann Miller, died on the 20th of March on the Lavaca River, Lavaca County, Texas in the 23rd year of her age, she has left an affectionate companion and two step-children.

By A. A. Killough

James R. Harrell, was born October 9, 1800, and departed from this life April 2, 1860 at his residence in Fayette County, Texas. He leaves a wife and children to mourn their loss.

By D.G. Bowers, Ruterville Circuit (Ruterville)

Joe Davis, son of Dr. John Davis, late of Mississippi, died at Tyler Springs on the 28th of March, in his 11th year. He is survived by a father and a step-mother.

Volume VI, Number 38, Thursday, April 26, 1860

Marriages

On the 31st March, in Yorktown, Texas, by the Reverend H. S. Lafferty; Mr. William S. Perkins, of Mobile, Alabama and Miss Mary Lanshin, of Yorktown.

On the 17th inst., by the Reverend B. Harris, Mr. Robert H. Majors, of Waco, and Mrs. Lucy F. Smith of Hays County, Texas.

Obituaries

Elizabeth S. Bowen, wife of William Bowen, of McLennan County, Texas departed this life in Christian triumph, aged 25 years. She leaves her husband and eight children.

William N. M. Kerr, elder son of William P. and L. E. Kerr, died near Union Hill in Washington County, Texas on the 21st of March 1860, after a protracted illness of typhoid fever. He was born February 25, 1845, in Washington County, Texas.

By G. W. Neeley

Volume VI, Number 39, Thursday, May 3, 1860

Marriages

By the Reverend F. P. Ray, on the 24th of April at the residence of W. B. Richeson, Mr. Thomas V. Smyth, and Miss Sarah M. Richeson all of Ellis County, Texas.

Obituaries

Mary Myers, was born in Warren County, Tennessee, 9th June 1835. She was the daughter of William A. Hawkins. She and her companion Brother E. H. Myers, and her parents, emigrated to Texas in the fall of 1859 and settled in Lamar County. She leaves a husband and one child.

Dr. A. M. Morrow, died at his residence in Kaufman County, Texas, on the 28th ult., after a protracted illness, age 59 years and 10 days. Brother Morrow was a physician by profession and while he was able to practice he received a liberal patronage. He was elected to the office of probate judge at the organization of this county and discharged the duties of said office with honor to himself and to the satisfaction of the people. But he soon found that his office conflicted with his profession and resigned. He leaves a wife and children to mourn his death.

By John C. M. Corquodale.

Volume VI, Number 40, Thursday, May 10, 1860

Marriages

By Reverend J. E. Ferguson, on the evening of the 30th April, in Columbia, Reverend W. G. Foot, A. M. of Chappell Hill and Miss Zullika A. Weems of Columbia.

By Reverend C. J. Lane on the 29th April, at Harvey's Creek Church, Mr. Madison Townsend and Miss Emily Jane Evans, daughter of Dr. Isiah Evans, all of Colorado County.

By Reverend F. A. McShan, in Lavaca, April 29, Mr. F. Mc. Newton, of San Antonio, and Miss Clarinda M. Silbert, late of Virginia.

On the 26th February by Reverend I. F. Cook, Reverend F. M. Box and Miss Eliza Clearman, all of Boxville, Lavaca County.

On the 12th April, by the same, Mr. Neil Williams and Miss Jane Nankey all of Jackson County.

Obituaries

Mary E. Ferguson, died on the 14th April, at her residence in Farmington, Grayson County, Texas, in her 34th year of her age. She was born in McMinn County, Tennessee, in the year 1829, and united in marriage with Brother Ferguson on the 22nd October

1847, emigrated in June 1848 with her husband to Texas and settled in Grayson County. Sister Ferguson was a member of the Christian (Camelite) Church, when she married Brother Ferguson, but joined the Methodist Episcopal Church South some time in the summer of 1853.

Elizabeth Hayhurst, departed this life the 15th March 1860, at her residence near Farmington, Grayson County, Texas after an illness of 13 days, of typhoid fever. The deceased was born in McNary County, Tennessee and removed when quite a child with her family to Carroll County, Georgia in 1843. She removed to Texas in the fall of 1846. Sister Hayhurst leaves a husband and six children.

Amanda Jeffers, wife of Brother A. H. Jeffers of Red Oak, Ellis County Texas, departed this life on the 22nd of February 1860 after an illness of 11 days, in the 28th year of her age. Sister Jeffers was born in Fayette County, Tennessee; her parents came to Texas in 1832 while she was still yet an infant and settled in what is now called Bowie. In 1844 she removed to Navarro County. She has left a little son and a dear husband to mourn her loss.

By Thomas Whitworth, April 23, 1860.

James VanBuren Williams, son of Thomas and Nancy Williams, died on April 23, 1860, was born March 29, 1833 in Pike County, Missouri. His parents removed from there to Newton County, Missouri in 1846; then emigrated to Navarro County, Texas. He leaves an aged father and mother, three brothers and four sisters.

By Nancy E. George

Sarah Vardeman, departed this life on April 16, 1860 at the residence of her son William Vardeman, Esq., in Jackson County, Texas in the 67th year of her age. Sister Vardeman raised a large family of children all of whom are members of the Church of Christ. She had suffered for many months before her death.

Ann Smith, died April 2, 1860, at her residence in Dallas County, Texas, in the 61st year of her age. My beloved and lamented wife, for 36 years the companion of my bosom, the sharer of my toils and cares, my best earthly friend. She died after an illness of 8-1/2 years.

By her husband, James A. Smith

Volume VI, Number 41, Thursday, May 17, 1860

Marriages

On the 1st of May, by Reverend James A. Henderson, Reverend N. H. Lee, of the Louisville Conference, and Miss Sophia McDaniel, daughter of Reverend Gideon McDaniel of Warren County, Kentucky.

On the 2nd inst., by Reverend B. Harris, Mr. William L. Malone, of Hays County, and Miss Alice Mays of Seguin, Texas.

On the 9th inst., by Reverend James Wesson, Mr. Daniel Brewse and Miss Marie C. Grames.

On the 3rd inst., at the residence of the bride's father in Martin County, Alabama, by Reverend E. M. Sams, Reverend R. M. Humphrey and Miss Mattie Price, second daughter of C. W. and Mrs. M. F. Price.

Obituaries

James Edwards was born April 9, 1808, and died in Cherokee County April 8th, 1860.

By W. P. Petillo, Knoxville Circuit, Apr. 28, 1860

Elijah Chisum, died on 11th of April at his residence in Nacogdoches, Texas. He had no record of the date of his birth, but his most aged acquaintances thought he had lived almost one hundred years. He came to Texas in 1836 and in 1842 during the first meeting at Simpsons' Campground he was, through the instrumentality of the Reverend William Craig of the East Texas Conference, brought into the fold.

By C. L. Hamil, Melrose - April 28, 1860

Mrs. P. M. A. Hamill, was born in Virginia on the 13th of December 1802. Her maiden name was Fisher and she married Thomas Blackwell September 22, 1819. In 1835 she was united in marriage to Mr. Samuel Hamill, at whose residence in Nacogdoches County, Texas she died on the 3rd of April 1860. She is survived by her husband and some children.

Melrose Circuit - May 1, 1860.

John Ingram, fell asleep in Christ on 29th day of March 1860. He was born August 12, 1805.

By Trey B. Landreth, Paris, Texas - April 30, 1860

Joshua Edwards, youngest son of James Edwards, was born November 14, 1839 and died in Cherokee County, Texas on April 2, 1860.

By W. P. Patillo, Knoxville Circuit

Volume VI, Number 42, Thursday, May 24, 1860

Marriages

By Reverend H. W. South, on the 15th inst., John Lloyd, Esquire of Wheelock and Miss Rebecca E. Price of Falls County, Texas.

On the 16th inst., by Reverend A. B. Duvall, Dr. D.C. Williams of Wilcox County, Alabama and Miss Mary C. Eldridge, daughter of Mr. John C. Eldridge, near Independence, Texas.

Obituaries

Margaret Fields died at the residence of her son Mr. J. G. Cox, on the Little River, Milam County, Texas on the 28th of April 1860 at the age of 81 years, 10 months, one day. She had a daughter Mrs. Barton and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Hall, who watched with her during her long weary nights.

By Louis B. Whipple, Port Sullivan

Mary C. Rather, who was the child of Anthony and Prudence Wommack was born in Buckingham County, Virginia, September 24, 1818. She emigrated to North Alabama in 1836 where she remained until January 1850. She then married G. W. Rather, being at the time the widow Seeseay and the mother of two sons, and removed with him to Murfreesboro, Tennessee. In 1852 she came to Huntsville, Texas at which place she continued to reside until the 14th of April 1860; when she departed this life.

By H. V. Philpot, Huntsville - May 15, 1860

Agnes Aly, wife of John Aly, died in Henderson County, Texas, on 7th March, 1860, she was born in Green County, East Tennessee on August 13, 1819. She was married to her now bereaved husband in Monroe County, Tennessee on September 25, 1838. She leaves a husband and some children.

By M. H. Neely

Temperance H. Higginbotham, wife of J. V. Higginbotham and daughter of E. T. and Nancy Goodwin, died in Hill County, Texas on the 7th April 1860. She was born on August 6, 1837.

By G. W. Flemming

M. A. Goodwin, wife of D. P. Goodwin and daughter of D. M. and Nancy Simpson, died in Hill County, Texas on the 3rd of January 1860. She was born on the 4th December 1835 in Nacogdoches County, Texas.

William E. Newby was born February 22, 1822 in the State of North Carolina and removed from the state of Alabama to Texas in the year 1853. He died on the 23 March 1860. He is survived by his wife and some children.

Virginia Frances Elgin was born in Hardeman County, Tennessee on October 2, 1838; was married to Alexander Kinnard on October 7th, 1858 and died at Chappell Hill on April 29, 1860.

Volume VI, Number 43, Thursday, May 31, 1860

Marriages

On the 17th inst., by Reverend J. W. Cooley, Mr. Henry C. Vivian and Miss Margaret Gibson, both of Goliad County, Texas.

On the 26th April by Reverend B. M. Stovall, at the residence of the bride in Gilmer, Upshur County, Texas, Mr. Henry Moore and Mrs. Nancy Brewer.

On the morning of the 16th inst. at the residence of the bride's father, by Reverend Joel T. Daves, Mr. Alexander M. Crossland and Miss Sarah L. Welch, both of Navarro County, Texas.

Obituaries

Mrs. Melvina M. Beuhring, daughter of Reverend Edmund McGinnis, by the insidious disease, consumption... She died at the house of her brother, Melville McGinnis the 23rd of March 1860. Sister Brown was born in Washington County, Ohio, November 12th, 1828, while her mother was visiting her friends in that state; and while an infant, she was taken to Cabell County, Virginia. Having grown to womanhood, on the 23rd of February 1848, she was united in marriage with the Honorable F. G. L. Beuhring of Cabell County, Virginia and became a widow on the 27th of June 1859. She emigrated to Texas on the 15th of December 1859.

By W. P. Smith

Mrs. Adaline M. Duval died on the morning of the 3rd of April 1860. She was born December 6th, 1799 and died at the above time. She leaves six children and a husband.

Robert Benson Donughe, departed this life on the 22nd February 1860, he was born in Boone County, Missouri December 20th, 1826 and he emigrated with his mother to Texas in November 1844.

John Surghnor, departed this life April 24th, 1860 at the house of W. Y. McFarland, Esquire, in Bell County, Texas in the 68th year of his age. He was born and raised in Leesburg, Loudon County, Virginia and last fall moved to Texas to be with his family and his friends.

F. W. Deets, Sr. died at his residence near Camden, Ouachita County, Arkansas on the 14th of April 1860 with typhoid pneumonia in the 68th year of his age. He leaves a wife and many friends and twelve children. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Volume VI, Number 44, Thursday, June 7, 1860

Marriages

On the 20th of May by the Reverend A. B. Deuval, Mr. Jesse V. Felder and Miss Martha R. W. Rogers, all of Washington County, Texas.

On the 28th of May by the Reverend Alex Hinkle, Mr. Charles Culmel and Miss Ella Edwards, all of Sabine Pass City, Texas.

On the 31st of May, by Reverend C. J. Lane, at the residence of the Honorable B. G. Ijams, Mr. James P. Cone and Miss Margaret Jenne Ijams, all of Colorado County, Texas.

On the 28th day of May by the Reverend Thomas F. Cook, Mr. Jacob Winejor and Miss Mary Creag, all of Hempstead, Austin County, Texas.

Obituaries

Sarah E. Hill, consort of A. J. Hill departed this life of congestive chills, at home in Tarrant County, Texas on March 18th, 1860. Sister Hill was born in Marshall County, Mississippi on January 27, 1836, she was married to Brother Hill on the 27th of March 1858; whom she leaves with three small children to mourn her loss.

By W. G. Veal, Veal Station, Texas - May 15, 1860.

Mrs. Susanna Pendleton, died at her residence in Corpus Christi on the 14th inst. in the 40th year of her age. She is survived by three young children.

By O. B. Adams

Martha Hunsaker, wife of John L. Hunsaker, died at her residence in Corpus Christi on the 12th inst. in the 45th year of her age.

Sarah H. Cox, wife of Mr. J.H. Cox and daughter of General John D. and Eliza Pitts, died at her residence in Hays County on May 27th, 1860 aged 34 years, one month. She is survived by her husband.

Thomas J. Haynie, died in Chappell Hill, Washington County, Texas on the 4th inst. He was killed in a stage coach accident. Mr. Haynie was born August 18, 1818 and formerly carried on a mercantile business in Burnett County but for some time past, he had been doing business in Llano County. He was on his way home from New Orleans, having laid in a supply of goods for the season.

By B. S. Carden, Llano City, Texas - May 23, 1860.

Volume VI, Number 45, Thursday, June 14, 1860

Marriages

By the Reverend T. B. Buckingham in the town of Brazoria on the 7th of June, Abner S. Lathrop, Esquire, and Miss S. Amine Watts, both of Brazoria.

On the evening of 24th of May at the residence of Colonel Turner by the Reverend H. M. Glass, Mr. Charlie Mitchell and Miss Virginia E. Williamson, both of Polk County, Texas.

Obituaries

Mrs. Martha H. Willeford, daughter of Charles and Louisa A. Floyd, born in Granville, North Carolina on July 10, 1842.... When six years old, she removed with her parents to Henry County, Tennessee where her family lived for two years and then moved to Fulton County, Kentucky where she remained for about four years, until they changed their residence to Gonzales County, Texas. She was married to Jephthia C. Willeford, November 2nd, 1858 and died of puerperal convulsions on January 21, 1860.

Martin L. Hines, died on the 22 ult., after a painful illness of 18 days, at the age of 25 years.

John P. Timms, youngest son of Brother John and Elizabeth Timms of Chambers Creek, Ellis County, Texas, departed this life on 1st of May, 1860 in the 18th year of his age.

Ann Juliet, daughter of Reverend D.W. and Jane W. Ross, died on April 23rd, 1860, aged 14 years, in Rusk County.

By William P. Petty, Rusk County- May 22, 1860 Mount Enterprise

Volume VI, Number 46, Thursday, June 21, 1860

Marriages

At Woodville, June 7th by Reverend Acton Young, Dr. Henry L. Sage of New York and Miss Lavenia T. Wheeler, of Mississippi.

On the 24th of May, 1860, by the Reverend J. Crawford, Mr. A. R. Holoway and Miss Mary Hicks, all of Sabine County.

By the Reverend W.D. Creath, Colonel M. T. Johnson and Miss Mary Louisa Givens, of this city.

On the 13th inst., by J. W. Phillips, Mr. Edward Nichols and Miss Adelia A. Rabb, both of LaGrange.

Obituaries

Avarilla V. Jones, daughter of Benjamin and Mary Jones, was born in the Isle of Wight County, Virginia, August 17th, 1785; married Hardy Jones on March 17, 1808; removed to Smith County, Tennessee in 1815 and removed to Grimes County, Texas 1838. She departed this life on April 27th and leaves an aged husband and nine children, two of whom are ministers of Christ.

By H. M. Glass, June 1860

Frances Dietrich was born at Cassel, Germany on February 2nd, 1815, came to Texas in 1834/35; bore a part in the revolution and was chained with Fannin at Goliad but escaped the terrible massacre because of his foreign birth. For many years he was one of the

leading successful merchants in Austin and by integrity and business capacities, gained the confidence and esteem of the community and acquired a handsome competency for those dependent on him. He died at the residence of General J. D. Pitts on the 31st of May near San Marcos.

Oscar Boyd, son of Samuel L. and Mary Boyd, born in Benton County, Alabama, September 9, 1845, died of pulmonary affliction April 14, 1860 near Union Hill, Washington County, Texas.

By G. W. Neely, M.D., Union Hill, June 6, 1860

John Hollimon, eldest son of Howell and Louisa Hollimon, died on the evening of June 7th, aged 4 years, 8 months and 15 days.

(To be continued)



TEXANS in the AMERICAN REVOLUTION

| NAME | COUNTY | NAME | COUNTY |
|------------------------|-------------|-------------------|---------------|
| John Abston | Collin | John Lee | Fannin |
| James Adams | Orange | James Lemmon | Dallas |
| Bailey Anderson | Harrison | Mark Manning | Walker |
| Benjamin Anderson | Nacogdoches | Isaac Moore | Liberty |
| John Bain | Colorado | John Parker | Limestone |
| Bean Bowen | Dallas | Charles Polk | San Augustine |
| James Carter | Fannin | Page Portwood | Anderson |
| Jonas Chaison | Jefferson | Edmond Quirk | San Augustine |
| Benjamin Chambers | Kent | Robert Rankin | Travis |
| Benjamin Clark | Red River | Joshua Seale | Jasper |
| James Potter Collins | Red River | Owen Shannon | Montgomery |
| Warren Davis | Nacogdoches | Isaac Simpson | Nacogdoches |
| William Delafield | Harrison | William Smithers | Brazoria |
| Joseph de la Baume | Austin | Samuel Smith | Smith |
| Benjamin Hardin | Polk | William Sparks | Nacogdoches |
| James Wilson Henderson | Cherokee | Jeremiah Stells | Lamar |
| Theophilus Hickman | Jasper | David Strickland | Red River |
| Moses Hill | Sabine | Ezekiel Thomas | Shelby |
| Alexander Hodge | Fort Bend | James Thompson | Morris |
| Thomas Hogg | Cherokee | Richard Tice | Washington |
| Thomas Gwinn Holmes | Newton | James Tinsley | Walker |
| Micijah Hughes | Morris | Benjamin Wightman | Matagorda |
| Zachariah Landrum | Montgomery | Stephen Williams | Jasper |

EDITOR'S NOTE: This was taken from the rolls of the Texas Society of Sons of the American Revolution...do you know of any others? IM

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ABSTRACTS OF GENEALOGICAL INTEREST FROM GAMMEL'S LAWS OF TEXAS,
MEMORIALS AND PETITIONS TO CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC OF
TEXAS AND THE SENATE JOURNALS OF TEXAS

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(Continued from Volume 23, No. 4)

GL - Gammel's Laws
M/P - Memorial or Petition
SJ - Senate Journal
1:3 - First number is volume, second is book

November 6, 1838 [M/P]

P. T. Curneal of Texas, asking for relief and recognition for his service as a ranger, for which he received no salary.

January 29, 1840 [S/J] page 18

Patrick J. Curneal served as a private in Capt. Thomas Barron's Company of Rangers, honorably discharged October 20, 1836. His discharge has been mislaid and he was not paid. Claim was rejected.

February 5th, 1840 [SJ 4:3]

Act approved this date to pay 12 months service to Patrick P. Curneal who served in Capt. Barron's Co. B of Rangers under the command of Major William H. Smith, from September 11, 1836 to September 11, 1837.

November 6, 1838 [M/P]

Lewis B. Harris of Houston, Texas, requesting the appointment of an assistant to act in his place as Assessor of Taxes of Harrisburg County since as a member of Milam's Guards, he is often called upon in defense of the frontier.

November 10, 1838 [M/P]

James Burnman, Master of the Brig "Perseverance" of Baltimore, Md. asking payment for expenses incurred in recovering a chain cable loaned to T. M. Thompson, Commandant of Navy Yard at Galveston.

November 12, 1838 [M/P]

John Murchison of San Augustine County, asking relief for his head-right certificate and bounty certificate which was destroyed during an Indian attack in Houston County.

February 1, 1840 [SJ 4:3]

Joint Resolution for \$200 for horse killed in battle fought by Gen. Thomas J. Rush against the Indians and Mexicans on 16 October 1838 near Kickapoo Village.

November 15, 1838 [M/P]

Charles Curtis of Houston, Texas, asking payment, due since 1836, for four bushels of salt he supplied to government troops.

November 18, 1838 [M/P]

Thomas J. Nicholson of Jackson County, asking relief for property damaged by the Texas troops in 1836.

November 20, 1838 [M/P]

Thomas Handlin of Houston, Texas, asking relief for services rendered to the Republic of Texas. He lost the discharge papers granted to him by Col. William S. Fisher, Secretary of War.

November 20, 1838 [M/P]

Benjamin D. Smith of Houston, Texas asking relief for injuries when he was wounded by an individual who escaped while the petitioner was a soldier of the Republic.

November 28, 1838 [M/P]

F. W. Thomson of Texas, requesting relief in that a draft received for provisions sold to the government was rejected. Said draft was received by Thomson.

November 28, 1838 [M/P]

Citizens of Harrisburg County recommending the appointment of F. J. Rothhaas as County Surveyor to fill vacancy of Dr. G. M. Patrick who resigned. First signature - George W. Lee.

December 5, 1838 [M/P]

Lyman Conrith and others ask Congress to place prescribed value on coins, weights and measures. First signature - William Eastland.

November 28, 1838 [M/P]

William Ward, deceased, represented by his heir, Thomas Ward of Alabama, asking relief for himself, his aged father and two sisters. The late William Ward expended upwards of \$10,000 incident to his bringing his company of Georgia volunteers to Texas in her struggle against Mexico. Soon after arrival he was killed by the enemy at Goliad massacre.

January 12, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 42]

Joint resolution for relief of the heirs of Col. William Ward \$5600 as reimbursement for the raising and equipping and bringing to Texas troops in 1836.

To Robert Collins \$2926 payable to the Hon. B. C. Franklin as agent for Robert Collins.

November 1838 [M/P]

David Holt of Houston, Texas asking for special relief. He served as Quartermaster in a Georgia battalion from 1835 to 1838, during this time he lost a check which was never recovered.

1838 [M/P]

Petition to Congress by W. L. Lawrence of Harrisburg County, Texas protesting the election of a Congressman.

November 1838 [M/P]

Joseph Walling of Houston County, Texas, asking permission to emancipate a negro woman, Morah and her two small children. He had scruples of holding them in bondage.

December 11, 1838 [M/P]

N. Townsend of Houston, Texas asking payment for supplies furnished to the First Congress of the Republic.

January 23, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 108]

Joint resolution granting relief to Nathaniel Townsend for \$117.33 1/3 for articles furnished the Congress while at Columbia.

December 18, 1838 [M/P]

John McNeese of Texas, asking for entitled land, he came to Texas with his family in 1835.

December 18, 1839 [SJ 4:2 page 19]

John McNeese states that he and his wife came to Texas in 1835. He selected two leagues of land, one for himself and one for his son. Meanwhile war began and his son served with Capt. Wm. W. Hill's Company.

December 26, 1838 [M/P]

Nathaniel Killough of Nacogdoches County, asking relief for himself and other heirs of Isaac Killough, who with several members of his family, met death at the hands of Mexicans and Indians. Endorsed by several citizens - first signature R. H. Pinney.

December 28, 1838 [M/P]

James A. Dunn, asking for bounty land of 960 acres, also payment for services rendered as surgeon in the Texas Army from April 12, to December 28, 1837.

January 19, 1839 [GL Vol. 2] page 57 and 108

Joint resolution for relief of James Anson Dunn, M.D. for pay as surgeon from April 12, 1837 to December 28, 1837 plus bounty land.

December 28, 1838 [M/P]

James C. Boyd of Bexar County asking payment for military services as pilot and spy for the army of the Republic, as a volunteer. He was pilot at Columbia. Further 1280 acres of land should be granted. Certificates from A. Sidney Johnston and Felix Huston.

January 24, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 83]

Joint resolution for relief of James C. Boyd for serving 6 months as spy to cavalry at \$25 month, deduct \$48 already paid. Also allow \$120 for a horse he lost in service and certificate for land.

No date [M/P]

Citizens petitioning that the seat of government be in Columbia. First signature - Jacob Eberly.

December 21, 1838 [GL Vol. 2 page 11]

Joint resolution for relief of Samuel B. Marshall for 320 acres of

land for redeeming a captured child from the wild indians who had taken her prisoner.

December 22, 1838 [GL Vol. 2 page 21]
Joint resolution for the relief of Antonio Manchaco for confiscating of home.

December 24, 1838 [GL Vol. 2 page 25]
Joint resolution for relief of John Garrett \$1963.50 for ten months service as Captain of Infantry.

December 24, 1838 [GL Vol. 2 page 29]
Joint resolution for relief of John W. Eldredge for the time he actually served as clerk in the Navy Department when S. R. Fisher had charge of the department.

December 29, 1838 [GL Vol. 2 page 30]
Joint resolution for relief of H. A. Alsbury for pay and rations as Major of Infantry for 63 days in 1835 and 1836, deduct \$20 already paid.

December 29, 1838 [GL Vol. 2 page 31]
Joint resolution for relief of R. R. Royall \$448.

December 29, 1838 [M/P]
Daniel Blankenship of Houston, Texas, asking for copies of a discharge which he lost.

December 31, 1838 [M/P]
Nasarro Mancha of San Antonio, Texas asking relief for 26 head of cattle he furnished to a company of Texans under the command of Captain Pettus.

December 7, 1839 [SJ 4:2 page 19]
Nasario Mancha delivered cattle to Capt. Pettus' company in the spring of 1836 and received an order from Fannin for \$236. This order was lost and Mancha prayed for relief.

January 21, 1840 [SJ 4:3 page 19]
Nasario Mancha - joint resolution for relief for 26 head of cattle at \$10 per head and 1 hog at \$10.

1838 [M/P]
James Knight and James A. White, the latter represented by James Welsh, administrator, invoking redress from claims waived which were due their company by the Republic of Texas and the Government ad Interim.

January 1, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 32]
Joint resolution for relief of Col. William P. Miller providing he produces the proper vouchers.

January 1, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 32]
Joint resolution for relief of H. Sanderson in amount of \$10,455.87 for naval supplies.

January 3, 1839 [GL Vol. 2, page 33]
 Joint resolution for relief of R. R. Royall \$3269.

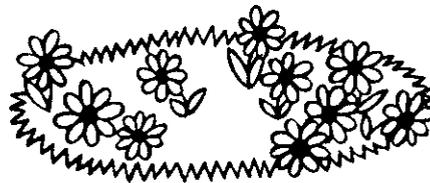
January 4, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 34]
 Joint resolution for relief of Elijah Dickrow for \$4985.00.

January 9, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 36]
 An Act for Col. William P. Miller for pay and perquisites until 18th
 December 1837 from date of his commission.

January 10, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 37]
 Joint resolution for Quartermaster General or Secretary of the War
 to receive accounts of G. W. Browning.

January 14, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 42]
 An Act for relief of Robert M. Williams as agent for Benjamin R.
 Milam for ten certificates for one league of land each.

[To be continued]



HALSELL CEMETERY

This cemetery is located in Erath County, Texas, turn south on FR
 1189 at Lipan, Texas, Hood County, go 4.2 miles, turn onto a gravel
 road, turn right at cattle guard. The cemetery is on private property
 belonging to Velma Winslett. Ask for permission and directions from
 her. Copied in May 1980 by Donnell Doss and Melba Hoover.

In memory
 Joseph S. Riddle
 son of D. J. & Mrs.
 Lavinia Riddle
 b. 10 May 1873
 d. 30 May 1878

Grave to left with stone but
 no name

Jesse, infant son of
 ---- and Lizzie Wilson
 8 Dec. 1878 - 20 Jan. 1879

Grave with field stone initials
 Wm. H.

Mother
 Margaret Blair
 died Jan. 9, 1891

Ed. note: This cemetery is not among the records listed in the three
 volumes of Erath County Cemetery inscriptions. It is in a pasture
 and not known to many persons.

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Bible Records

LOFTIN FAMILY RECORD

Submitted by Mrs. O. B. Carter, 3628 Kimberly Lane, Ft. Worth, TX.

BIRTHS

Joseph B. Loftin was born April the 1st in the year of our Lord
1821
Lucinda R. Loftin was born September the 2nd in the year of our
Lord 1816
James H. C. Loftin was born August 2nd in the year of our Lord 1844
[Note: the middle initial is difficult to read, not certain if
it is a C or G]
Thomas B. Loftin was born May the 23rd in the year of our Lord 1848
Mary J. Loftin was born March the 17th in the year of our Lord 1850
Delilah Loftin was born June the 11th in the year of our Lord 1815
Joseph B. Loftin Junior was born August the 17th in the year of our
Lord 1866
Lucinda E. Loftin was born February 22nd in the year of our Lord
1869
Ida Loftin was born July 25th in the year of our Lord 1870
George W. Loftin was born February 22nd 1872

MARRIAGES

Joseph B. Loftin and Lucinda R. Raney was married November the 1st
in the year of our Lord 1843 [Note: we believe Raney is correct,
but the A does look a little like a U (Runey). I have found no
other records to compare.]
J. B. Loftin and Delilah Brown was married July the 3rd in the year
of our Lord 1863
J. B. Loftin and Martha Lorange was married August 22nd in the year
of our Lord 1865

DEATHS

Lucinda R. Loftin wife of J. B. Loftin departed this life January
the 12th 1863
Delilah Loftin wife of J. B. Loftin departed this life May the 24th
1865
[Notes from researcher: I have been told that Joseph B. Loftin is
Joseph Blanche Loftin. I know that the B. in Thomas B. Loftin is
for Benton. He is my husband's grandfather. I know the J. in Mary
is Jane Loftin and that the W. in George W. Loftin is for Washington.
I have other records to prove these statements, or I was told by
their descendants. Also there has been some conflict over the name
Martha Lorange, as the Bible record has it. One family descendant
says it was Martha Gaggett. I know part of this Loftin family came
from Marshall Co., Tennessee and have heard they all came from Tenn.

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LOVLACE FAMILY BIBLE RECORD

Copied and submitted by Mrs. O. B. Carter, 3628 Kimberly Lane, Ft. Worth, Texas. The Bible is in her possession and belonged to Joseph Lovlace in his lifetime.

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BIRTHS

Francis Lovlace was born Oct. the 13, 1793
 Elizabeth Lovlace was born June 6th 1800
 Jacob Christopher Lovlace was born June 23rd 1821
 Mary Ann F. Lovlace was born Sept. 27th 1823
 Asa Lovlace was born July 23, 1825
 Holdridge Lovlace was born June 26th 1827
 Joseph Lovlace was born August 10th 1830
 James Danel Lovlace was born May the 18th 1836 [Note: Danel is Daniel - they just called him Danel]
 Simon Lovlace was born March 16, 1838
 Lucinda Elizabeth Lovlace was born April 11th 1840
 Nancy Adaline Lovlace was born April the 7th 1845
 Joseph Lovlace was born August the 10th 1830. Nancy H. Lovlace wife of Joseph Lovlace was born Dec. 29, 1836
 Eliza Jane Lovlace was born Dec. 10, 1858
 James Willis Lovlace was born Feb. the 11th, 1860
 Marietta Lovlace was born August the 8th 1863
 Martha Ellen Lovlace was born January the 6th 1866
 Joan Lovlace was born March the 22nd 1869
 Nancy Elizabeth Lovlace was born Dec the 12th 1872
 John Bennett Lovlace was born Nov. the 10th 1876
 Viola Turner daughter of James E and Marietta Turner was born March the 1st 1890, Hamburg, Tn

DEATHS

Francis Lovlace, father of Joseph Lovlace died November the 11th 1870
 Nancy Adaline Lovlace died August the 22, 1861
 Lucinda Elizabeth Cambel died August the 28th 1865
 James D. Lovlace died January the 9th, 1867
 Eliza Jane Lovlace died January the 11th 1859
 Nancy H. Lovlace died June the 27th 1889
 Nancy Elizabeth Lovlace died March the 18, 1892
 Joseph Lovlace died April 7th, 1906 age 75 years 7 months, 29 days, Corinth, Miss.
 Mary Etta Turner died January 9, 1910 - Marietta Turner's age 47
 [Note: Marietta spelled two ways by same person who wrote it, in the same record. It was really Marietta, but was often spelled on records Mary Etta, to the extent that sometimes she, herself, signed her name M. E. Turner.]
 James W. Lovlace died Oct 22, 1918
 Martha Ellen Duncan died April 12, 1931 - age 65
 Jo Ann Lovlace Wood, daughter of Joseph and Nancy H. Lovlace died

in April 1931 [Note: Jo Ann also written Joan.]

John Bennett Lovlace son of Joseph and Nancy H. Lovlace died July 23, 1951

Raymond Gale Lowry son of R. E. and Viola Lowry was killed in service in World War 2, July 1944. His body was never found.

MARRIAGES

Joseph Lovlace was married to Nancy H. Temple, May the 27th 1857 Lauderdale Co., Tenn.

James W. Lovlace son of Joseph and Nancy H. Lovlace was married to Miss F.A.R. Brown March the 19th Tishomingo Miss.

Marietta Lovlace daughter of Joseph and Nancy H. Lovlace married James H. Turner May 19th 1889 Hardin Co., Tenn.

Mr. Louis Woods son of Mr. Rial Woods married J.A. Lovlace the daughter of Joseph and Nancy H. Lovlace, December 24th 1894 McNary Co. Tennessee [Note: The J.A. is JoAnn, usually written Joan. Also McNary is McNairy. In all other family records the name is Wood not Woods.]

Mr. Jerry Duncan married Martha Ellen Lovlace, daughter of Joseph and N. H. Lovlace, September the 11th 1902 Hardin Co. Tenn.

R. E. Lowry was married to Martha Viola Turner July 4th 1915 in Corinth, Alcorn Co., Miss.

[Note: I have the marriage records copied by me at Ripley, Lauderdale Co., Tennessee, County Clerk's Office for Joseph Lovlace and Nancy H. Lovlace (The H. is for Hale - Nancy Hale Temple.)]

Additional Notes on the above:

In 1841, Jacob Christopher Lovlace married Elizabeth E. Sutton in Alabama, and soon moved to Hempstead Co., Arkansas and from that time to the present generation their Lovlace was spelled Lovelis. Some additional marriages all from Lauderdale Co., Tenn.:

George Lovless to Nancy A. Taylor

Simon Lovelace to Nancy Ann Jones

James M. Campbell to Lucinda E. Lovelace



IT'S A FACT

William Bryan and Sam Ricker served at New Orleans as agents of the Republic of Texas' postal system in the late 1830s and early 1840s, for mail sent in and out of Texas via the Texas consulate in that city. Theirs was the only known hand stamp of a foreign government applied on mail in the United States.

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Benjamin Franklin Highsmith sent by Colonel William B. Travis to Colonel James W. Fannin with a message for help, was reputed to be the last defender to leave the Alamo.

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Queries

Edited by Merle Ganier

MOODY, ROSE, DICKSON, HOLLYFIELD, RADLOCH

Emma Burell Moody was the daughter of James Pink Moody, born 12 October 1843, Desoto, Mississippi, died 4 July 1906, Mena, Arkansas. He married 7 December 1877 to Mary R. Rose, born 26 December 1859, Cherokee Station, Kentucky, died 14 February 1930, Mena, Arkansas. They had thirteen children.

Charlie LeGrant Dickson, Jr., was a baggage master with the Kansas City Southern and Frisco Railroad out of Fort Smith, Arkansas. He crushed both knee caps when he fell into the cinder pit late one night, and was in the Kansas City Railroad Hospital for a full year. He received a pension from the railroad. After his death of pneumonia, Emma married Charles Wesley Hollyfield, and they had two children: Thelma Lorene, married Karl Radloch; and Russell Franklin. Any information will be appreciated, and will gladly exchange.

Judith Mikles Coffey, 1813 - 6th St., Port Hueneme CA 93041
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FARRIS, NOEL, STIFFLEMIRE

Need information on Wm. Ellison Farris born 15 February 1862. Son of Antinson S. Farris born 1828 Tennessee, married(1) Elizabeth Noel married (2) Louise Virginia Stifflemire.

Mrs. Woodrow B. Mehrkam, 1070 Gardenia Drive, Houston, TX 77018
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WELLS, LEWIS, WILHITE

Would like to find information on William Lewis, son of Catherine Wilhite Lewis Wells. Also stepson, Boone Wells. Lived in Collins, Kaufman, Rockwall, Dallas and Tarrant Counties. Boone had wife Addie and children Sidney and Birdie. Will exchange.

Billie L. McMullin, 805 East Broadway, Ardmore, OK 73401
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COLLINS, McFARLAND, LOYD, HARPER, BOAX, FRANKLIN

Abraham and Sarah (McFarland) Collins moved to Eddy, Texas circa 1882 from Adair and Russell Counties in Kentucky. Children were: Zachariah, Robert A., Viola Loyd, Laura Harper, Trinus C., William Edward, Myrtle L. Boax and John Andrew. Two sisters of Abraham Collins married Franklins and moved to Texas possibly Bell County. Would like to exchange data.

Mrs. June Powell Orton, 1020 Richmond, Yukon, OK 73099
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WRIGHT

Claiborne Wright, born 1779, died 1830, Red River District, Texas, sheriff and tax collector of Miller County, Arkansas, 1822. Sons all born Carthage, Tennessee: William Fowler, 1802, settled Red River District with father; Travis, born 1807, died 1875, buried Evergreen Cemetery, Paris, Texas; George W., born 1809, died 1877, buried Evergreen Cemetery, Paris, founder of Paris, Texas; Adam Mailey, born 1811, settled in Red River area with father and brothers. Would like to contact descendants of this family.

Mrs. Elizabeth K. Harris, 1769 Palm Avenue, Corning CA 96021
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REVES, REEVES, BREWER

G. F. Reves (Reeves), born October 17, 1831, probably Alabama or Georgia, died October 12, 1886, was a Methodist preacher who came to the Birdville area at the close of the War between the States. His wife was Caroline Brewer, who was still living in 1908 when she wrote a letter to her brother, M.V. Brewer of Ranger, Texas. They had at least one son who worked for the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, and perhaps other children. My husband's mother was Nora Belle Brewer, a niece of Mrs. Reves. Would like to know if the Ft. Worth and Birdville cemetery records have been printed.

Mrs. Carl Clemmer, Abilene TX 79600
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BELL, HOUX, HENDERSON, THORTON

My mother's father, William Asberg Bell, born 1838, Calhoun County, Missouri, moved with his parents, Valentine and Margaret Houx Bell, to Palo Pinto County ca 1860. From 1860-1870 William was active in the Texas Rangers and Minute Men. In 1870 he married Alice Elizabeth Henderson, born 1844, daughter of John and Sarah Thorton Henderson of Palestine, Texas. William and Alice moved from Palo Pinto with their five children to New Mexico about 1885. If anyone has any information concerning this family lineage, would surely appreciate hearing from you.

Robert W. Campbell, 6118 E. 33rd St., Tucson, AZ 85711
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KETNER, EMMONS

William Robert Ketner, born in Fort Worth January 7, 1906. His parents were Charles Alexander Ketner, also born in Fort Worth 1878, and Hattie Lephew Emmons, born in Grand Saline 1887. She had one brother named William or "Bill". Hattie died January 10, 1934, in Fort Worth. I believe she was a full blooded Indian, either Comanche or Cherokee. Will appreciate any information.

Mrs. Charlene Bailey, P. O. Box 124, Keller, TX 76248
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FOREHAND, HARRIS

Need information on Amanda Ann Forehand, daughter of James Wesley Forehand, born 20 September 1852, married William "Bill" Harris, in 1868 Austin County, Texas. In 1870 Amanda was living with Robert A. and Nancy E. Harris, Hill County.

Mrs. W. B. Mehrken, 1070 Gardenia Drive, Houston, TX 77018
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BENNETT, LAGOW, SADLER, DARNALL, ANGLIN, DIXON, MADDEN

Stephen Bennett was born in Georgia in 1804, son of Armistead. He moved with his family to Gibson County, Indiana, by 1820. Had brothers Miles, Benjamin; and sisters: Sarah, married Thomas Lagow; Permelia, married William Sadler; Elizabeth; and possibly others. Stephen married first Harriet Darnall in Crawford County, Illinois; second, Mrs. Esserlda (Anglin) Dixon, and third, Mrs. Robert (Nancy) Madden. The last two marriages were in Texas, possibly in Anderson County. Stephen and second wife had daughters Mina and Judith E., and sons William, John, and Armistead. He and thrid wife had daughter Alice. The family came to Texas in 1836 with the Parker Colony from Crawford County, Illinois, located in Anderson County. Would like to know the names of parents of Stephen's three wives and his mother's maiden name. Would like to correspond with anyone who has knowledge of this family.

William A. Long, Rt. 1, Box 3, Brady, TX 76875
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HIBBETTS, DUPUY, HUNTER

Joseph DeWitt Hibbetts and Mary Caroline Thankful Dupuy were married in Texas 10 September 1867. Need to know the county. Her sister Sarah Mathilda Dupuy married J. L. Hunter and settled in the Fort Worth area. Contact with Hunter descendants might be very helpful.

Edgar L. Frazell, M.D., 2803 Bent Bow, San Antonio TX 78209
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WYATT, FULMER

Tracing family of my paternal grandfather, Ralph William Wyatt, who alleged that he was born July 26, 1872 in the Trinity River area of Dallas, Texas. His father was a John Wyatt who had migrated to Texas after the Civil War from Anniston, Alabama, with his wife, Emaline (Fulmer) Wyatt. My grandfather said also he was in the 3rd Texas Volunteers during the Spanish-American War, mustering out as a Quartermaster Sergeant. The family is thought to have come from North Carolina to Anniston, Alabama, during the 1800's. Will appreciate hearing from anyone who has researched the name of Wyatt in Texas.

Ralph William Wyatt, 1912 Spring Way, Bakersfield, CA 93306
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STARRETT, PACE, McKEEHAN, NOWLIN, RABE

Moses Starrett, born ca 1810 in Georgia, married in Macon County, North Carolina 1833 to Martha (Louisa ?) Pace, daughter of Jeremiah R. Pace and Keziah Brittain. Moses and Louisa are on both the 1855 School Census and the 1860 Federal Census of Hopkins County, Texas. Living in the household were Columbus, William, Benjamin, and James, all born in Georgia. Where was this family in 1850 census? Not listed in any 1850 index.

Marriages of Hopkins County give these Starretts, were they children of Moses and Martha? Mary C. to J. D. McKeekham 1852; Artela to W. M. Nowlin 1855; Julia C. to James B. Rabe 1857; W. A. to M. A. Houston 1865.

Will exchange earlier data on Pace and Brittain families for later information on Moses and Martha Louisa.

Mrs. Shirley B. Cawyer, PO Box 164, Stephenville TX 76401
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MYERS, BABB, TANKERSLEY

Peter Myers (ca 1800-1870), born in Kentucky, removed into southeast Missouri prior to 1827, known residences, Stoddard and Dallas Counties, Missouri. His second wife was Temperance Babb, issue by both wives. Need the full dates, county of birth, parentage, siblings and name of first wife.

Jacob Myers (1827-1886), born in southeast Missouri, son of Peter and unknown first wife, married ca 1845, Stoddard County, Missouri, Miss Susan Tankersley (ca 1829-1885). Issue: John W., James Peter "Pete", Hannah and Abraham "Abe". Seek the full dates, parentage and siblings of Susan.

Roy E. Gibson, 4517 Coffee Road, Fort Worth TX 76117
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SCOTT

Searching for death record and burial place of William A. Scott, and his daughter Mary J., who died 1860-1862, New London, Rusk County, Texas. William's wife, Flora Ann, may have died shortly thereafter. Any help in locating this information would be appreciated.

Loys F. Scott, 505 Pillar, Bowie TX 76230
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HAWKINS, CROCKETT

Need a copy of Mary Daggett Lake's work on "Hawkins and Crocketts of Tarrant County."

Lois Hawkins Dart, Rt. 1, Box 112, Hartford AR 72938
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BATES, CLOPTON, CORNER, McCULLOCH, SILVEY, MARSHALL, WHITEAKER

Would like to hear from anyone researching the following surnames: Bates, Clopton, Corner, McCulloch of Grimes and Milam counties, Texas. Silvey and Marshall of Monroe County, Kentucky; and Whiteaker of Butler and Muhlenburg County, Kentucky.

Barbara Bates, 120 Varsity Circle, Arlington TX 76013
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HAMLIN, WILLIAMSON, BUFFINGTON, BARR

Need dates of death and places of burial of Oliver Hamlin and wife, and Eugene Monroe Hamlin. Both men were born in Crawford County, Georgia, sons of William M. and Sarah B. Williamson Hamlin. Neither man was married when the census of 1900 was taken, but it is my belief they both married in Tarrant County, Texas. Eugene Monroe married a woman who had previously been married who had a daughter named Emma Jean, who may have taken the name of Hamlin. Emma Jean probably married a Buffington, and it is possible that she is still alive.

It is my understanding that neither Oliver nor Eugene had any children who lived past infancy, so there would be no direct descendants of either still living. In 1930 when a sister of these men died in Macon, Georgia, Eugene was working for Barr's Pharmacy, 1301 Evans Avenue in Fort Worth. I think Oliver and Eugene died in Fort Worth after 1930. Can anyone help in locating their marriage records or dates of death and places of burial.

Bobby F. Stokes, 7397 Columbus Road, Lizella GA 31052
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BRINLEE, MCKINNEY, LASTER

Who were parents, brothers, sisters of Hiram Brinlee, who married Elizabeth Ann McKinney? Where is she buried? Would like to hear from descendants of Eliza Laster.

Bessie Sheppard, Rt. 1, Box A-11, Chico TX 76030
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WALKER, MATTHEWS, DEWBERRY, COX

Will exchange information or correspondence with anyone searching Samuel C. Walker, born ca 1828 Tennessee, and wife Milley Matthews born ca 1831, Missouri. Children: John Dudley, a minister who lived some time in Oklahoma; Ellen, married Dewberry; Agnes; Carroll; Pinkney, lived in Texas; William Thomas, born ca 1849 Moniteau Co., Missouri, married Eliza P. Cox, Collin County, Texas, lived in Jack and Parker counties, Texas, 1870-1880. William and Eliza's children were: Harland, born ca 1873; William Dudley, born 1875; Ara, born 1878, all born in Texas.

Jane Walker, 57 Ocean View Drive, Pittsburg CA 94565
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ODELL, COOPER, ODLE

John Odell died in Laurens County, South Carolina, on February 5, 1830, leaving a wife, Rebecca, and children: Thomas, Eleneler, William, Margaret, John and Martha, who was married to Powell Cooper. Is anyone working on this Odell family? The following William listed in the census of 1850 for Newberry District (County), So. Carolina, next door to Rachel Odell, may be the son of John: William Odle, age 46, Martha 19, James 21, John 14, Elizabeth 12, Francis 10, Araminta 4, all born So. Carolina. Martha is surely his daughter and not his wife, right? Can anyone help me with these names?

Mrs. R. H. Bostick, 6914 Scotsdale Drive, San Antonio TX 78209

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WAKEFIELD, BIRD, LANKFORD, WEAVER, McADAMS

Need newspaper obituary and/or business information on Nelson A. Wakefield, who came to Montague County from Tennessee around 1869; married Francis (Bird) Lankford of Bonita on 10 Sept. 1874, by J. C. Waver, a minister of the gospel; ran a freight line consisting of 20 yoke oxen from Fort Worth to Oklahoma City. He died of pneumonia between 1886 and 1895 (1889 most probable year), while on a freight run, and was buried in Davis or Dougherty, Murray County, Oklahoma. His wife and five children lived in Mallard. She married George W. McAdams in 1895.

Gerald L. Wakefield, 1202 Thomas Drive, Bellevue NE 68005

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PHILLIPS, CHAPPELL, BUZBEE, WHITE, SHREVE, POLSON, ORR

Need burial place and date of great-grandparents, Dr. Josiah Phillips and wife, Martha Ann Chappell, born in Georgia 1822 and 1825. Came to Cass County, Texas, around 1854 from Macon County, Alabama. Children: John Abram, James Frederick, Roxanna, Mary A., Elizabeth, Marcia, Josiah Chappell, Laura Easley.

Hughey Lawson Buzbee, my grandfather, was born 28 May 1186, Montgomery, Alabama, son of Jermia C. Buzbee and Lucy Ida White. Parents died in Texas. Where and when were they born?

Jerome Shreve, born 25 December 1853, came from Missouri at 16 with friends. Who were his parents and where did they come from? Jerome was Chief of Water Works in Mexia, Limestone County, Texas, around 1890.

Great-great-grandfather Thomas Jefferson Polson, was born in Georgia 1806. Where? Who were his parents? He was in Missouri in 1852. Wife, Annie Jane Orr; son, Henry Clay; grandchildren: Rosa Belle, Thomas Jefferson, Annie J., Willie C., Grover, and Minnie Polson of Texas.

Rose Phillips Green, 4905-182 Place, SW, Lynnwood WA 98036

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FUQUA, WARNER, DEEL, COLE, MARSHALL

Need information on the following persons. Where were they born, and where did they die? They may have been born in or around Jack County. William Marshal Fuqua, born 1832, wife, Emily Catherine Warner--Deel--Fuqua, born 1839. Children: Billie Mary, John Marshall, Josephine. Grandchildren: Lee and Bill Fuqua; daughter-in-law, Rodah Cole (Mrs. John Marshall). Only records we have are from family Bible and three photographs.

Mrs. Jetonne Fuqua, PO Box 287, Cleburne TX 76031

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CREEL, PRICE, BRAZLETON, HILGE, GOLDSMITH

Will appreciate hearing from anyone researching the above listed surnames. Will exchange information.

Betty J. Goldsmith, 4919 Center St., Houston TX 77007

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SMITH, WAREN, ELDRIDGE, McANEAR, BLANTON, CUMMINGS, COCHRAN, HUMPHRIES

Would like to contact anyone with information on the family of Jesse B. Smith, born 1798 in Kentucky, living in Clinton County, Kentucky, 1850, with wife Sarah. Children: Robert, Isaac L., Benjamin H., Agnes P., Eliner C., Thomas G.

Robert married Nancy _____, and their children were: Fountain P., Jesse B., Sarah A., Susan M., Edmond G., George A. C., Nancy I., Phillip L.

Edmond Waren, born 1787, married 1851, Roane County, Tennessee, Mary Eldridge, daughter of Jesse Eldridge. Children: Jesse E., John, Jeptha, Thomas B., George W., Mary J., William L., Martha, Edmond, and Jacob, born in Alabama. Jacob came to Red River County, Texas, where he married Mary McAnear in 1855, the daughter of Alexander and Elizabeth Blanton McAnear. Children: Edmond, Mary Elizabeth, married J. M. Cummings; George W. married Emma Cochran, and William L., married Etta Humphries, all in Johnson County, Texas.

Ruby R. Smith 2100 Haltom Road, Fort Worth, TX 76117

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ISAACS, REYNOLDS

Seeking information on my great-great-grandfather Dr. Alonzo Isaacs, who had an apothecary store in Fort Worth in the 1800s. His daughter, Mary Elizabeth was born in 1828, married Hartwell Stain Reynolds. She was of Jewish descent. He enlisted in the Confederate Army from Pine Bluff, Arkansas, 1862. Dr. Isaacs was said to have had a son, Alonzo or Leonidas, and a daughter, Rosalind. Any information will be greatly appreciated.

Mrs. Carl Dintelmon, 411 East 6th St., Stuttgart AR 72160

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BERRY, KIRKPATRICK

Seeking grave of James Smith Berry, born 1801 Kentucky (?), married 1822 Cooper County, Missouri, Martha Kirkpatrick. Will of 17 Dec. 1865 on file at Ellis County courthouse, Waxahachie, Texas. James S. Berry is mentioned in an early Ellis County history. His son Charles Washington, was an early pastor of Shiloh Cumberland Presbyterian Church at Ovilla in Ellis County, and is interred at Old Cemetery, Mansfield, Tarrant County. Can James S. also be interred in Mansfield? Family tradition says there was an old mill in Mansfield associated with the Berry family. Does anyone know about it?

Mrs. Lowell A. Elrod, 11136 Glenhaven Dr., Baton Rouge LA 70815

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WENCKENS. FELDMANN

My father, Gonne Peter Wenckens, and his sister Olga Louise Wenckens, were baptized 25 January 1899 in Evangelical St. Johannis Church in Fort Worth, Texas, Karl Feldmann, Evangelical Pastor. My aunt died 30 September 1899 at the age of seven. I cannot find where she is buried. Is this church still located in Fort Worth and was there a cemetery close by?

Alice W. Petrosky, Route 4, Box 8A, Hallettsville TX 77964

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MCDONALD, HUMAN

Would like to find more about Charles B. and Lucinda McDonald, who lived in Tarrant County in 1870-80, probably died there. Where is he buried? One of his daughters, Virginia, is my great-grandmother who married Jesse G. Human. The court house does not have a record of the marriage. Where are the marriage records before 1876? Will answer all letters. [Ed. Note: Courthouse burned April 1876]

Wanda Castoe, 1014 South 13th, Chickasha OK 73018

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MANNING, BURLESON

Would like information on Rev. William M. Manning, Missionary Baptist minister, born in Georgia 1797. He was ordained a Baptist minister at 28, well-educated and lifelong bosom friend of Rev. Rufus C. Burleson. Minister in Georgia, Madison and Elbert counties; in Alabama, Greene and other counties; in Mississippi, Noxubee, Clark, and other counties. Came to Limestone County about 1861, pastored churches in Limestone, Bosque, Freestone and Coryell counties. Need information on his brothers and sisters, and the following children: Dr. Judson, John, Louisa and Elizabeth. Rev. Manning was a member of Lafayette Masonic Lodge #53, Quitman, Mississippi, until his death July 5, 1871. Have information on other Manning lineage and will be glad to share.

Charles R. Manning, PO Box 190, Burleson, TX 76028

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JOHNSON, DOLIANTE, GREENE, SCOGGIN, WHITE, DYER, GRIGGS, HURT, MACKEY, PHILLIPS

Trying to locate Mrs. J. Sharon Johnson Doliante (Mrs. Wm. John), who lived at 7721 Tauxemont, Alexandria, Virginia, when she wrote Genealogical Serendipity, Vol. 1 in 1965. She later moved to 380 Sheffield, Montecito, Santa Barbara, California. My letter was returned March 14, 1979. Does anyone know where she lives now? Her book included families of Greene, Scoggin, White, Dyer, Griggs, Hurt, Mackey, Phillips and others.

Mrs. Ray H. Bostick, 6914 Scotsdale Drive, San Antonio TX 78209
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BROWN, BALL, MANUEL, EMANUEL, FEATHERSTON, VANZANT, CARY

Need to communicate with descendants of the Brown family who lived in Comanche County, Texas, around 1900s and visited Captain Jack Ball family at McGirk, Hamilton County, Texas. Was this the family or descendants of Joseph Anderson Brown, half-brother of Captain Ball, both families from Wilkes County, North Carolina?

George, Henry and Britton Manuel (Emanuel), brothers, we believe, were each listed head of a household in the 1830 Montgomery County, North Carolina, census. Children: Sarah A., John, Mary, Lunda, George W., and Henry A. (Allen). Both brothers fought in the Civil War, Company H, 22 Regiment North Carolina Infantry.

Rev. George Washington Featherston lived in the Shive area of Hamilton County, Texas, early part of 1900s. Born ca 1863, Henderson County; married (2) Mary Van Zant. He was the father of fourteen children, seven by each wife. Could his father be Robert R. Featherston born ca 1800, probably Charlotte County, Virginia, who married Sally Cary 24 December 1829, son of Hezekiah Featherston whose will was probated May 1827, Charlotte County, Virginia? Will answer all letters and exchange.

Margie Featherston Manuel, Route 3, Box 234, Goldthwaite, TX 76844
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FOREMAN, ROW, ROE, DAVIS

James Foreman, a Baptist minister, born ca 1811 South Carolina, married 6 September 1833 Talladega County, Alabama, to Sarah D. Row/Roe. They came to Texas about 1853 and settled in Rusk County area. Need date of death for James and Sarah. James was a delegate from the Cool Springs Baptist Church, Van Zandt County, Texas, in 1867. He performed marriages in February, June and July 1868 in Henderson County, Texas. He had died by 1870 when Sarah was listed in the household of her son-in-law, George Washington Davis, in Van Zandt County, Texas. Sarah was still living in 1880 in the same household but in Henderson County. Believe she died before 1885. Is she buried in the Old Goshen Cemetery? Will exchange information.

Mrs. A. E. Regan, 2140 Legion Dr., Gretna LA 70053
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CUSTER, KEOWN, COWAN, YOUNG, HALL, BROWN, BAKER, KNOWLES, SPARKS

Need information on John H. Custer, born 1809 Virginia or Tennessee; married Margaret A. Keown/Cowan. Children as best determined, are: Alb/Elb, went to Oregon; George Thomas, married Rachel M. Young; John M., married Zelpha A.____; Robert J., married Mary J.____; Margaret, married Hall; Mary, married Brown; Calvin, married Frances (Fanny) Baker; Della, married A.J.C.Knowles or Sparks; Jacob, born 1836 Alabama or Mississippi, married Jane M.____. Margaret Custer Hall had a son who had a dairy in the Houston area.

Mrs. Billie Helton, 1008 NW 9th St., Andrews TX 79714
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REDMAN, GROSS, HILL, MILLER, IMKE, DENTON, PHILLIPS, SHELTON, ROBINSON

Carter Hamilton Redman, born 1870, died 1942 at Midlothian, Texas, buried Ten Mile, Tennessee, son of Gideon Redman and Mrs. Amanda Gross Redman; married 1896 to Anna May Hill, born 1876 Murray Co., Georgia, to William Robinson Hill and Cordelia Frances Miller, died 1907, Lipscomb County, Texas. Lived Midlothian, Dallas County, Lipscomb County, Texas, and Ten Mile, Meigs Co., Tennessee. Children: Lois Electra Imke; Madie Maudie Denton; Frances Phillips; Alene Shelton; Hill; and Johnnie.

William Robinson Hill, son of Horace Henry Hill and Caroline Robinson, born 1853 in Murray County, Georgia, died 1935, Lipscomb Co., Texas. Married 1873 at Cedar Hill, Texas to Cordelia Frances Miller, daughter of James Lemon Miller and Mary Margaret Daniel, born 1855 in Duncanville, Texas, died 1932, Lipscomb Co., Texas. Fifteen children. Lived Murray County, Georgia; Dallas, Memphis, Hall and Lipscomb counties, Texas. Scotch-Presbyterian and Baptists. Will answer any SASE.

Mrs. Jenna V. Stephenson Ownbey, 1115 Bell Ave., Amarillo, TX 79106
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RAY, HOLMAN, ALLEN, HODGE

James M. Ray, born ca 1827, Georgia, married 1851 in Carroll Co., Mississippi, to Ann Holman, born ca 1834 in South Carolina. James was killed some time during the Civil War. Ann married (2) W. C. Allen, was in 1880 census of Jack County, Texas. Who were the parents of James and Ann? Known children: Martha A., Amos Rufus, married Jimmie Ann Hodge; Julia T., married Cornelias C. Hodge; and Emma.

My great-grandparents, James C. Hodge, born 1829 in Georgia, died 1889 Jack County, Texas, and his wife, Temperance, born 1826, in North Carolina, died after 1900 in Texas. They were in Choctaw County, Mississippi in 1850, in Alabama 1860-70, and Jack County, Texas, 1880. Known children were Sarah, George, Cornelias C., John, Elmira, and Jimmie Ann. Will appreciate any information.

Mrs. Juanita Ray Nix, 3560 Pershing Ave., San Bernardino CA 92405
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ABSTRACTS OF WILLS FROM OLD INDEX TO PROBATE MINUTES OF
WISE COUNTY, TEXAS

Abstracted by Catherine Troxell Gonzales

(Continued from Volume 24, No. 1)

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DORSEY, Orlando Book 2, page 258
Signed: 31 July 1877 in Louisville, Jefferson County, Ky.
Admitted to Probate: 29 July 1887 Book 2, page 255
Proved: 8 September 1879

I, Orlando Dorsey,... being of sound mind and memory but im-
paired in health...

Bequests: To my beloved sister, Sarah G.Schwing, all of my
property...
In event of her death...to the children of my said
sister. (Does not name children)

Witnesses: Wm. Drysdale, W. C. Kendrick, George R. Caspar
Executor: Sarah G.Schwing, John O. Schwing
Signature: Orlando Dorsey (Seal)

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EASLEY, A. M. Book 8 page 614
Signed: 4 September 1899 Proved: 19 July 1900
Died: 8 April 1900
Admitted to Probate: 14 April 1900 Book 9, page 13

I, A. M. Easley, of lawful age and of sound mind...

Bequests: Mentions her first husband, T.F. Cox, and describes
land in detail...
To my five youngest children, land bequeathed by her
first husband. Children named: Virginia Cox, Mauden
Lee Cox, Mary May Cox, and Georgia Littleton Easley
(only four children named.)
To my daughter, Elizabeth Hudson...
My other children, namely: Norah Ellen Foster, and
Johnnie Cox.
To my beloved husband, Charles Easley...

Witnesses: J. C. Phillips, S. H. Fisher
Executor: Jonathan Cooley
Signature: A. M. Easley

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EVITTS, Samuel G. Book A pages 449-450
Signed: 27 February 1884 Proved: 21 May 1884
Died: About April 1884

Admitted to Probate: September 1884 Book A, pages 448-451

I, Samuel G. Evitts, of a lucid and sound mind, being entirely rational and cognizant... I do most reverently bequeath to my omniscient God whom I recognize as my Creator my immortal Soul. Amen.

Bequests: Just debts to be paid.

To my Dearly Beloved Wife, Elizabeth Ann Evitts and my two sons by my said wife Elizabeth Ann, to wit: S. S. Evitts and J. W. Evitts... entire estate to be equally divided...

Elizabeth Ann Evitts appointed as guardian of the two sons.

Witnesses: Jesse Byrd, W. J. Young

Executor: Elizabeth Ann Evitts

Signature: S. G. Evitts

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FARMER, Mat

Book 10, page 288

Signed: 24 October 1903

Proved: 4 January 1905

Admitted to Probate: 5 October 1904 Book 9, page 85

...I, Mat Farmer, of Brumlow, Wise County, Texas, being of sound mind and memory....

Bequests: Lawful debts paid.

To my beloved parents, Henry and Nancy Farmer...

To my son, Henry Farmer, only \$5.00...

Proof of will states that Mat Farmer was only about 35 years of age at time of writing of will.

Witnesses: A. L. Davis, J. L. Campbell

Signature: Mat Farmer

Executor: None given

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FENTRESS, Edward

Book 9, page 555

Signed: 30 October 1902

Proved: 7 January 1903

Died: 17 November 1902

Admitted to Probate: 5 January 1903 Book 9, page 40

... I, Edward Fentress, being of sound mind....

Bequests: To my beloved wife, Mary C. Fentress, all of my property....

Mary C. Fentress appointed executrix.

Witnesses: Mrs. M. M. McBride, Sam T. Rhodes

Executor: Mary C. Fentress

Signature: Edward ^{his} Fentress

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Witnesses: E.L. King, J.C. King, Geo. F. Stivers
 Executor: George W. Foster
 Signature: Charles K. Foster

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FULLINGIM, A.B. Book A, page 374
 Signed: 12 June 1883
 Admitted to Probate: 4 February 1884 Book A, page 375

...I, A.B. Fullingim, ...being very weak and feeble in body
 but of sound mind....

Bequests: All my Estate ... to my beloved wife, Virginia
 Fullingim during her natural life or until she may marry, ect.
 In case my wife shall marry, an equal share to her with all my
 children, and she shall share equal with them. (Children not
 named).
 I appoint my brother-in-law, J.W. Hale, my sole executor to
 manage and control estate....

Witnesses: P.O. Saunders, L.P. Terrell
 Executor: J.W. Hale
 Signature: A.B. Fullingim

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FUNK, MICHAEL Book A, page 245
 Signed: Will not dated, very brief.
 Died: 19 February 1883
 Admitted to Probate: 22 March 1883 Book A, page 246
 Testator: Michael Funk

Bequests: I want John Funk to have eighty acres. George Funk
 and Lousia Funk, the rest....

The following gave testimony as to handwriting in the will:

P.M. Hensley

W. Mauldin

L.A. Crane

J.L. ^{his} Leonard
 mark

J.S. ^{his} Funk
 mark

J.S. Funk's testimony states: "M. Funk was my father."
 J.W. Moore witnessed the last two testimonies.
 Signature: Michael Funk

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FURY, J.J. Will Book 4, page 489
 (This will is indexed under the name of Terry instead of
Fury.)
 Signed: 19 August 1893 Proved: 9 July 1896
 Died: September 1893 (One month after making will)
 Admitted to Probate: 17 June 1896 Book 5, page 15

...I, J.J. Fury, being in feeble health but of sound mind...

Bequests: To my beloved wife Elizabeth Agnes Fury.....
 To my beloved son, Francis Joseph Fury.....
 To my beloved son, Clemit A. Fury....
 To my beloved daughter, Mary A. Fury....
 Will also mentions N.M. Rich....

Witnesses: P.W. Tunnell, William Montford
 Executors: T.J.E. Blakney of Henrietta, Texas
 Signature: J.J. Fury

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GILL, JEANNETTE I. Book 10, page 281
 Signed: 29 May 1902 Proved: 5 April 1905
 Died: 19 January 1905 in Tarrant County, Texas (79 years age)
 Admitted to Probate: 21 March 1905 Book 9, page 80-81

...We, George W. Gill and Jeannette I. Gill, being of sound
 mind and disposing mind and memory...

Bequests: Give and bequeath to the survivor all property...
 At death of survivor all property to our daughter,
 Dessie A. Gill and to our daughter May E. Smith,
 wife of R. H. Smith...
 To our beloved grandchildren, to wit:
 Carl Gill Cates, Ray Cates, and Irma Cates...

Inventory: Book 10, page 285
 Appraisers: Geo.W. Gill, Dessie A. Gill, May E. Smith
 Witnesses: R.H. Smith, J.E. Pior, W.D. Shaw
 Executors: Dessie A. Gill, May E. Smith
 Signature: G.W. Gill, J.I. Gill

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GLADDEN, GEORGE M. Book A, page 72-73
 Signed: 26 November 1881 Proved: 22 March 1882
 Admitted to Probate: 1 March 1882 Book A, page 74

...I, George M. Gladden, being of sound mind and memory....

Bequests: All debts paid.
 To Mary A. Young, wife of Jesse Young of County of
 Sciota, Ohio....
 To each of the children of my late brother, Carlos
 Gladden...Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

To Annie G. Houts, wife of F.M. Houts, Wise County, Texas.

Mentions Milwaukee, County, Wisconsin, and Stark and Pulaski Counties, Indiana. Also mentions his interest in the Estate of Jefferson W. Gladden of Sciota County, Ohio.

Real estate in Wisconsin and Indiana and general property in Wise County, Texas.

Witnesses: L.A. Crane, W.L. York

Executor: F.M. Houts

Signature: Geo. M. Gladden

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GORMAN, C.G. Book A, page 409
Signed: 31 March 1884 Proved: 10 June 1884
Admitted to Probate: 11 June 1884 Book A, page 409

...In consideration of the love and affection that I bear to my husband, Robert A. Gorman....

Bequests: I herewith give and bequeath and deliver to said husband all my right, claim...

Witnesses: J.H. Tadlock, Wilson Skaggs, Jas. H. Berner

Executor: No executor named in will

Signature: C.G. Gorman (seal)

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GOSE, SARAH ELIZABETH Book 8, page 103
page 106(repeat)
Signed: 10 August 1897 Proved: 5 January 1898
Admitted to Probate: 5 January 1898 Book 5, page 18
Died: 17 September 1897

...I, Sarah Elizabeth Gose...of sane mind and memory and understanding.....

Bequests: Christianlike manner of burial.
Just debts paid.
Community property, myself and my husband, W.D. Gose, half interest undivided....
Appoint him community administrator.
To my children, Outler David Gose and Mary Alma Gose...
In case of death of both husband and wife, during minority of children, I appoint J.G. Gose as guardian of the estate and administrator. My mother Effie Outler, shall have management and control of my said children...

Witnesses: Eureka Perrin, Mamie Perrin

Executor: J.G. Gose

Signature: Sarah Elizabeth Gose

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GOSE, W.D. Book 8, page 162
 Signed: 17 August 1893 Proved: 18 January 1898
 Died: 18 January 1898

...I, W.D. Gose, being of sound mind...

Bequests: To said Sarah Elizabeth Gose, ...
 To my two children, Outler Ford Gose and Mary Alma
 Gose...Just debts Paid...Appoint Sarah Elizabeth
 Gose, executrix and guardian of children...
 Codicil: J.G. Gose appointed guardian in case of
 the death of W.D. Gose and Sarah Elizabeth Gose...
 Mentions my mother-in-law, Effie Outler.
 Witnesses of codicil: Eureka Perrin, Mamie Perrin.
 Witnesses of will: J.G. Gose, T.J. Gose, T.J. McMurray, J.B.
 Outler
 Executor: J.G. Gose
 Signature: W.D. Gose

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GREATHOUSE, HENRY Book 9, page 442
 Signed: 23 September 1901 Proved: 9 July 1902
 Died: 20 June 1902
 Admitted to Probate: 24 July 1902 Book 9, page 34-35

...I, Henry Greathouse...being of sound and disposing mind
 and memory...

Bequests: Just debts to be paid.
 To be buried in a decent and Christianlike manner,
 suitable to my station in life...
 To my beloved wife, Jennie L. Greathouse...
 To my three beloved children, George R. Greathouse,
 William Greathouse, and Ella Beard...
 (This is a very lengthy and complicated will.)
 Witnesses: Sam Parks, Hugh D. Spencer
 Executors: George R. Greathouse, J.W. Patterson
 Signature: Henry Greathouse

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GRIDER, MARY ELIZABETH Book A, page 145
 Signed: 27 May 1880
 Admitted to Probate: 20 July 1882 Book A, page 147

...I, Mary Elizabeth Grider, being in good health of body and
 of sound and disposing mind...

Bequests: Just debts paid.
 To my beloved son, Hugh McDonald Grider, now a
 minor, all of my property...
 Appoint Anna Liza McDonald of Saugamon County,
 Illinois, guardian of my son...

Anna Liza McDonald appointed executor.

Witnesses: S. Brown, E.B. Wheeler
 Executors: Anna E. McDonald
 Signature: Mary E. Grider

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GRIFFITH, AMOS SANDERS Book 3, page 45
 Signed: 3 June 1890 Proved: 10 October 1890
 Admitted to Probate: 8 October 1890 Book 3, page 48

...I, Amos Sanders Griffith, while rational and in full possession of all my mental faculties...

Bequests: To my four living children and my four grandchildren, the same being the heirs of my deceased daughter, Henrietta Carlisle, said grandchildren being...James Henry, Josie Frances, Martha Lucinda, and Georgia Etta Carlisle. The names of my children being Georgia Ann, Tobiatha Caruthers, William Henry T. Griffith, Martha Ann Wright Hawley, and Josephine Simorah Reeves....
 Just debts paid.
 Funeral expenses paid.
 My son-in-law G.W. Reeves...
 Mrs. Catherine Griffith, surviving wife...
 Calling upon God and invoking his blessing upon my heirs...
 Amos Sanders Griffith was 76 years old when he died.

Witnesses: M.B. Mullins, W.J. Mann, W.M. Sanders
 Executors: W.H.T. Griffith, G.W. Reeves
 Signature: A.S. Griffith

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GUINN, A.B. Book 9, page 630
 Signed: 22 June 1903 Proved: 8 July 1903
 Died: 23 June 1903
 Admitted to Probate: July 1903 Book 9, page 52-53

...I, A.B. Guinn, being of sound mind but in feeble health...

Bequests: After my business is wound up by the executrix...
 To my son Claude E. Guinn...
 To my beloved daughter Ethel Guinn...
 To my beloved wife Anna E. Guinn...

Witnesses: D.M. Wilson, L.D. Kirkpatrick
 Executor: Anna E. Guinn

Signature: A.B. ^{his}X Guinn
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GUINN, GEORGE W. Book 10, page 576
 Signed: 3 February 1904 Proved: 13 July 1906
 Died: November 1905 -- about 75 years of age.
 Admitted to Probate: 5 January 1906 Book 12, page 2

...I, George W. Guinn, being of sound mind and memory...

Bequests: To my wife, Catherine Guinn...
 To my daughter, Mrs. Artima Sullivan...
 To the heirs of my daughter, Mrs. Polly Ann Stephens..
 To the heirs of my daughter, Malinda N. Hall...
 To the heirs of my daughter, Malissa Banks...
 To my daughters Mahala M. Thompson, Tennessee J. Hubbard, Anna Mahan, and Artima Sullivan...
 To the children of my daughter Luttie Carter, deceased,....
 Mentions the father of the children, J.F. Carter...
 Mentions my grandson, G.W. Nichols...

Witnesses: J.S. Proctor, H.T. Boyd, G.A. Arrington
 Executors: Dr. W.E. Redford, G.W. Nichols

Signature: George W. ^{his} X Guinn
 mark

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HALSELL, J.G. Book 2, page 76-80
 Signed: 27 February 1886 Proved: 21 July 1886
 Died: 16 March 1886 in Riverside, California
 Admitted to Probate: 21 July 1886 Book 2, page 81

I, J.G. Halsell...being of sound and disposing mind and memory..

Bequests: Christianlike burial.
 Just debts to be paid.
 To each of my children, \$10,000 in U.S. bonds...
 To Annie Elizabeth and to Maud....
 To each of my children, \$10,000 in bank stock in Gainesville, Decatur, and Sherman, Texas...
 To my wife, Julia Frances Halsell...
 My friend, J.W. Patterson Esq. of Decatur, Wise County, Texas, to succeed my wife as executor should she marry again...

Witnesses: Dr. J.M. Embry, J.J. Lang, L.C. Myers
 Executor: Julia Frances Halsell
 Signature: J.G. Halsell

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HALSELL, IDA L. Book 4, page 5
 Signed: 18 March 1893 Proved: 3 July 1894
 Died: April 1894 (28 years of age at time of will)

Admitted to Probate: 5 June 1894 Book 5, page 5

...I, Ida L. Halsell, being in good health and sound mind...

Bequests: Just debts to be paid.
To my beloved children, born and to be born,
share and share alike. (Children not named.)
Appoints "my beloved husband R.K. Halsell"
executor of will.

Witnesses: Etta May, C.W. Morton
Executor: R.K. Halsell
Signature Ida L. Halsell

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HARVEY, JOHN P.S. Book A, page 444
Signed: 20 June 1884 Proved: 18 September 1884
Admitted to Probate: 18 September 1884 Book A, page 443

I, John P.S. Harvey of the town of Pella, County of Wise,
Being aware of the uncertainties of human life and in de-
clining health but of sound mind and judgement...

Bequests: I appoint my wife, Elizabeth C. Harvey, and my son,
J.W. Harvey, as executors...
I hereby give and bequeath unto Elizabeth C. Harvey,
To the heirs of my daughter, Mary Virginia Hasty,
to be held by J.W. Harvey, whom I appoint as
guardian for them....
To my daughter, Rebecca E. Morrison,....and to
Sallie E. Robinson, William Harvey Robinson, and
Eller Robinson, heirs of my daughter, Rebecca E.
Morrison...to be held in trust by R.A. Dossey who
shall act as their guardian...To each of my other
children, Martha L., James D., Malissa V., John W.,
Robert S., and Amanda L...

Witnesses: G.W. Murphy, W.C. Norris
Executors: Elizabeth C. Harvey, J.W. Harvey
Signature: J.P.S. Harvey

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RAWSON FAMILY ASSOCIATION REUNION

The sixty-sixth annual reunion of the Rawson Family Association
will be held on the 15th August 1981 at the school house in
Rawsonville, Vermont.

Dues are \$2.50 per family per year, with a potluck lunch served.
Business meeting at 1:30 PM. For further information contact Mrs.
T. A. Franks, Jr., Archivist, 509 Weaver Ave., Ft. Worth, Texas,
76114, phone 817/731-6169. Plan now to attend!

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ABSTRACTS from HISTORY OF MASONRY in EARLY TEXAS and of DIXIE LODGE

Abstracted by Jackye A. Plummer
Wichita Falls, Texas

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WASHINGTON #18 Washington County
Reorganization of Phoenix #8, Jan. 10, 1844; Roster: H.R. Cartwell,
G. W. Crawford, D. D. Crumpler, J. L. Farquhar.

FOREST LODGE #19, Huntsville, Walker County
1844 Roster: A. McDonald, Isaac Tansly, S. D. Hay, C. G. Keenan,
Thomas Caruthers.

GRAHAM LODGE #20, Brenham, Washington County
Jan. 13, 1845; Roster: Henry King, Wm. Hunt, H. C. McIntire, Thos.
H. Crutcher, John Sayles.

TRINITY LODGE #21, Lathrop, Houston County
Jan. 18, 1845, charter granted to Trinity; then June 23, 1845, at
called session of Grand Lodge, name changed to Lathrop #21 on motion
of Brother Alfred. Roster: George C. Alfred, James M. Hall, C.H.
Randolph.

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MARSHALL LODGE #22, Marshall, Harrison County.
January 18, 1845; Roster: James McCown, H.B. Kelsey, James A. Coit,
R. N. Good, V. H. Dubose, C. A. Frazier, J. K. Holland.

CLINTON LODGE #23, Henderson, Rusk County.
January 16, 1845; Roster: Samuel McClarty, John McClarty, A. H.
Lowrie, W. L. McMaury, Z. R. Phillips.

REDLAND LODGE #24, San Augustine
1845; Roster: O. M. Wheeler, W. C. Edwards, probably last sub-
ordinate by Republic of Texas Grand Lodge (later took number of
early McFarlane #3).

CHAPTER V FIRST SUBORDINATE LODGES IN STATE OF TEXAS

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MONTGOMERY LODGE #25, Montgomery County
January 15, 1846; Roster: G. W. Mason, Isaiah Call, E. W. Cawthon,
E. J. Arnold.

OLIVE BRANCH LODGE # 26, Cincinnati, Walker County.
Dispensation granted by Moses Johnson, 1845, chartered 1846.
Roster: George E. Hunter, George F. Moore.

PARIS LODGE #27, Paris, Lamar County
June 24, 1845: W. H. Bourland, J. Bourland, George W. Wright, J.S.
Gillett, W. M. Williams,

FRONTIER LODGE #28 Corpus Christi
1845 by H.L. Kinney

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DEWITT CLINTON LODGE #29 Jasper, Jasper County
1848, Jan. 15; Z.W. Eddy, S. White. P. Hussey, B.F. Mott

GONZALES LODGE #30, Gonzales, Gonzales Co.
Jan.17, 1847; Roster S.H. Darden, James L. Allen, W.D. Goff, Wm.H. Stewart

PALESTINE LODGE #31, Anderson County
Jan.15, 1848; Roster: Isaac Parker, John E. Cravens, John B. Mallard, A.J. Fowler. Grand Lodge met in Twentieth annual communication here Jan.19, 1857.

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SAM HOUSTON LODGE #32, Shelbyville, Shelby County
1848; Roster: J.A. Greer, James Truit, Robert R. Graves

POINT ISABEL LODGE #33, Cameron County
1847; early demise

LAFAYETTE LODGE #34, La Grange, Fayette County
Jan.10, 1848; Roster: John Merchison, A. Bostic, Wm. H. Crutcher, Wm. J. Russell

JACKSON LODGE #35, Milam, Sabine County
1847; (Jan.13, 1848) Roster: J.S. Noble, W.B. Frazier, D.W. Worriner, John Boyd, G.A. Hosford.

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LAVACA LODGE #36, Port LaVaca
1847; (Jan.13, 1848) James T. Lytle.

MT. MORIAH LODGE #37 Cold Springs, Polk County
Jan.15, 1848; A.S. Ainsworth

JEFFERSON LODGE #38, Jefferson, Cass County
1847; (Jan. 24, 1850): James H. Rodgers, Robert Watson

LEONA UNION LODGE #39, Leona, Leon County
1847: H.J. Jewett

VICTORIA LODGE #40, Victoria County
1847; (Jan.15, 1848) J.L. Nickelson, D.M. Stapp, J.C. Harrison

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EAGLE LODGE #41 Bethany, Panola County
1847, never chartered, represented by Master Richard N.Goode at Grand Lodge, 1848.

VAN ZANDT LODGE #42, Minden, Cass County
1847; Name change from Clinton to Van Zandt.

January 12, 1848, H. B. Kelsey, early demise.

DOUGLASS LODGE #43, Douglass, Nacogdoches, County
1847; (Jan.12, 1848) Hardy H. White, Joseph W. Baxter, James H.
Sparks.

ALAMO LODGE #44, Bexar County
1847 (Jan.15, 1848) B.E. Edwards, Andrew Neill, O. Evans, R.S.
Neighbors

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EUCLID LODGE #45, Rusk, Cherokee County
1847; (July 15, 1848) H.M. Bonner, John N. Thomas, G.A. Evarts,
D. McEachron, A. Jackson. Seventeenth Grand Lodge held there.

FLORIDA LODGE #46, Round Top, Fayette County
1848; Wm. Russell

TEUTONIA LODGE #47, Galveston, Galveston County
1848; Handel W. Wagner, James Riley. Demised in "fifties."

LIBERTY LODGE #48, Liberty County
1848 (Jan.30, 1849) W.J. Mills, W.C. Abbott, J.H. Anderson, S.A.
Hardin

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TYLER LODGE #50, Town Bluff, Tyler County
1848, W.F. Evans, Wm. B. Gay

ST.JOHN'S LODGE #49, Columbia, Brazoria County
1848. E.M. Pease (never chartered, now #5 Brazoria)

TANNEHILL LODGE #52, Dallas
1848 (1850) J.M. Crockett, N.M. Burford, J.C. McCoy

ST.JOHN'S LODGE #51 McKinney, Collin County, Texas
1848 (1850) G.A. Foote, L.C. Searcy, Harrison

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ST. JOHN'S LODGE #53 Tyler, Smith County
12 August, 1848 by Samuel J. McClarty, chartered January 19, 1849.
Roster: A.J. Ellis, Stephen Reaves, J.C. Hill, C.C. Taylor, Wm.
Stringfellow, Elisha E. Lott, R.B. Hubbard, Jr., Josiah McClung,
Lazarus Hitt.

LARISSA LODGE #57, Larissa, Cherokee County
1849 (1850) R.R. Jowell, G.W. Lane, D.W. Broughton, P.C. Ragsdale,
T.J. Dorsett, J.C. Kincannon

ROCKY MOUNT LODGE #63, Bunker Hill, Rusk County (now Overton, TX)
1849 (Jan.24, 1850) J.R. Nowlin, J.B. Gaut, Wm. J. Gray, J.B.
Leath, S. Sant, A.A. Thompson, H.W. Melton, A.W. Weekes, T.B.
Collier (uncle of T.B. Collier)

CHAPTER VI UNION LODGE #82 PANAMA, NEW GRENADA

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There was a request to declare Panama, Republic of New Grenada, a missionary station--applied to Texas for want of authority in South America. Committee composed of Middleton, Dinneford, and Smith. Texas solicited to furnish funds for burial, charity, etc. Lewis A. Middleton, W. Dinneford, A.Y. Smith, 21 Jan. 1852.

Second request signed by George Fisher, Louis C. Mertens, Julien Pezenty, executive committee.

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Lodge to help those en route to and from California. Men who vouched for statement: Charles W. Cook, Richmond #230, Pennsylvania; Martin Vice, Integrity #187, Philadelphia, Pa.; E.J. Smith, Lygonia, Ellsworth, Me.; Wm. M. Lubbock, Strict Observance #73, Charleston, S.C.; Henry S. Lubbock, Manitou #106, New York; Jacob Rich, Devotion #160, Lexington, Ky.; Samuel Lyon, Adelphi #23, New York; Frank Isaacs, Adelphi #23, New York.

Fifteenth Grand Lodge, W.B. Ochiltree, Grand Master, extended dispensation for lodge. R. Warden George Fisher at Union Lodge.

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CANTON LODGE #98, Canton, Smith County (now Arp, Route 1) Set to work by R.E. Wynn, Aug. 5, 1851. (January 20, 1852) Roster: G.M. Arnold, Sr., P.C. Melton, Isaac Waymon Engledow, J.J. Flynn, Joseph L. McKay, R.R. Collier, H.M. Arnold, W.H. Cousins, Robert Engledow, W.M. Collier, Thos. W. Bell, O. Childress, Henry Floore, Jonathan Lewter, Samuel Overton, Daniel Gillis, G.W. Hill, N.A. Pace, Jesse Overton, Lindsey Smith.

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JACKSONVILLE LODGE #108, Jacksonville, Cherokee County Petition of Peter C. Ragsdale and ten others, January 19, 1852. Charter Jan. 23, 1853 at Nacogdoches. E.B. Ragsdale, Master; D.G. Templeton, S.W.; R. Frazier, J.W.; Peter C. Ragsdale, A.K. Middleton, G.M. Doherty, C.B. Alexander.

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GRIFFIN LODGE #132, Griffin, Cherokee County Dispensation April 2, 1853. Chartered at Rusk, Seventeenth Grand Lodge, January 20, 1854. First officers T.W. Quaide, W.M.; J.H. Kendricks, S.W.; B.W. Heath J.W.

First Elective officers, 1854: J.H. Kendricks, W.M.; Wm. O. Cair, S.W.; D.D. Coupland, J.W.; J.H. Flowers, Treas; R.J. Jennings, Secy.; Wm. Duty, S.D.; J.L. Stadler, J.D.; Epton Fitch, S.S.; W.L. Jones, J.S.; J.D. Hamilton, Tyler; W.P. Henry, Chap; T.W. Quaide, P.M. Members not officers at this time, J.M. Skates, B.W. Heath, W.H. Parks, R.R. Martin, Wiley Jones, E. Vickers.

Report for Grand Lodge held at Palestine, January 20, 1857, Griffin officers:

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D.D. Coupland, W.M.; T.W. Quaide, S.W.; W.L. Jones, J.W.; J.W. Gready, Treas.; Samuel Barron, Secy.; J.H. Kendricks, S.D.; T.L. Dodson, J.D.; John S. Flowers, S.S.; Epsom Fitch, J.S.; W. Jackson, Tyler. T.W. Quaide and J.H. Kendricks, past masters. Master Masons: R.A. Hindman, B.W. Heath, W.P. Henry, W.F. Duty, Eli Vickers, J.L. Stadler, Alexander Gray, Seaton Moore.

First written records, November 5, 1859, J.M. Brittain, W.M.

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First death recorded, T.W. Quaide, died at home near Griffin, Jan. 7, 1860, one of Cherokee County's oldest masons, helped organize Mt. Enterprise Lodge #60 as well as Griffin. Left widow and children.

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Members raised and citizens of Troup--F.R. Gilbert, J.T. Rountree, Masons in 1860. Those conferring were J.M. Brittain, D.D. Coupland, and W.S. Maris. Gilbert and Rountree in Civil War--Gilbert, private; Rountree, surgeon. Gilbert lost right arm at Battle of Mansfield.

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J.H. Hendricks, secretary of Griffin several years, died at home near Griffin January 29, 1860. He was father of John W. Kendricks, governor and senator of Wyoming. J.H. was also relative of Rosetta Maris, widow of Mason W.S. Maris.

Charge preferred against Epsom Fitch for drinking to excess. Committee appointed to talk to him about reform: I.P. Smith and F.R. Gilbert on committee. Epsom uncle of Mason Frank D. Fitch. Committees were also appointed to look into affairs of widows.

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Last stated meeting, January 5, 1861, W.P. Henry S.W. He was Cumberland preacher and father of S.M. Henry, gave six acres of land to Knoxville for church site of "Henry's Chapel".

Visiting bretheren, June 2, 1860: J.J. Flynn, Henry Floore, J.E. Rucker, F.M. Hays from Canton Lodge #98. Charges preferred against F.M. Kendrick, I.T. Kendrick, and T.L. Dodson for drinking to excess. Committee: D.D. Coupland, B.W. Heath, J.E. Pennington appointed to talk to them.

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J.B. Liken made address to Grand Lodge, Palestine, January 22, 1857, about liquor.

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Members of Griffin Lodge during its seven years:

T.W. Quaide, B.W. Heath, Wm. O'Cair, J.H. Flowers, Wm. Duty, Epsom Fitch, J.D. Hamilton, J.M. Skates, Wiley Jones, Eli Vickers, C.A. Wade, J.C. Martin, S.A. Bottoms, J.M. Britain, J.P. Senter, Samuel Barron, P.C. Bishop, M. Tennison, T.L. Dodson, J.B. Seay, Alex Gray, J.T. Civils, S.B.D. Saine, J.T. Roundtree, J.H. Kendricks, F.M. Kendricks, D.D. Coupland, R.J. Jennings, J.L.

Stadler, W.L. Jones, W.P. Henry, R.R. Martin, W.H. Parks, I.P. Smith, W. Jackson, J.D. Pennington, C.M. Hicks, W.S. Maris, John Smith, J.E. Pennington, I.T. Kendricks, P.C. Jones, J.W. Grady, R.A. Hindman, B.D. Herrington, C.F. Martin, F.R. Gilbert, M. Cornelison, F.C..

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1861 almost entire membership enlisted in W.G. Engledow's company-- some in Griffin cemetery, some in Knoxville, some at Henry's Chapel, some in Emmaus, some in Troup.

Rosetta Maris widow of late deceased W.S., only Masonic widow of Griffin Lodge living in 1919.

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G.M. George W. Van Vleck address, Houston, June 10, 1862.

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Dispensation reported by Deputy G.M. John R. Fretwell to John B. McMahon and 26 others in Reily's Regiment, Shelby's brigade, en route to Arizona, to open traveling lodge, Oct. 12, 1862. Every person mentioned to this point, except Rosetta Maris dead by December 1917.

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Oldest document on file by Dixie Lodge, D.D. Coupland duly initiated as entered apprentice in Griffin, received demit, Jan., 1862 from J.M. Brittain, J.E. Pennington, W.S. Maris, J.T. Rountree. Mrs. Rosetta Maris, died March 27, 1919.

CHAPTER VIII DIXIE LODGE, U.D. AT KNOXVILLE

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Picture of Douglas D. Coupland. Dispensation to form a new lodge. Petition by D.D. Coupland, W.S. Maris, R.R. Ross, R.S. Jemison, John Long, J.J. Martin, John F. Patton, James M. Brittain, J.F. Wood, W.F. Duty, J.T. Rountree, W.P. Henry of Knoxville, Cherokee County, W.P. Brittain gave dispensation appointing D.D. Coupland first W.M., W.S. Maris, SW; R.R. Ross, JW, 17 February, 1863. First stated meeting Saturday, March 7, 1863, opened by James M. Brittain, under authority of W.P. Brittain. Officers: D.D. Coupland, W.M.; W.S. Maris, S.W..

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R.R. Ross, J.W.; John Long, Treas.; R.S. Jemison, Sec.; J.M. Brittain, Sr.D; W.F. Duty, J.D.; M.C. Martin, Tyler; members, J.M. Wood, J.F. Patton, W.P. Henry, J.T. Rountree. Visitors, A.O. McCorkle, Round Prairie Lodge #173; B.B. Barron petitioned for initiation. Committee on petition, Rountree, Brittain, Henry. Petition of R.L. McKinley. Committee:

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Brothers Ross, Long, Duty; Petition of A.O. McCorkle; Committee

for paraphernalia of Griffin Lodge: Rountree, Maris, Patton.
Signed by D.D. Coupland, B.S. Jemison

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May 2, 1863, Barron and McKinley passed. W.S. Maris, R.S. Jemison, W.P. Henry drafted code of by-laws. M. Cornelison applied to Dixie from Griffin. Milton Cornelison, B.B. Barron, R.L. McKinley, master masons. August 1, 1863 Epton E. Bell initiated as E.A. Mason. August 15, 1863, buried George Patton who died in jurisdiction. Committee of W.P. Henry and W.S. Maris. Left widow and children.

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August 30, 1863 E.E. Bell passed. Amp B. Norman petition. C.F. Martin affiliated.

J.S. Tinal affiliated October 17, 1863. Jesse Kenedy initiated, J.E. Lawrence and W.G. Chapman petitioned. November 28, 1863, Norman raised; J.E. Lawrence and W.G. Chapman initiated. R.R. Ross died; meeting December 26, 1863 drafted resolutions. Election of officers 17 December 1863. W.S. Maris, D.D. Coupland, A.O. McCorkle, J.A. Tindal, R.L. McKinley, J.F. Patton, J.M. Brittian, E.E. Bell, B.B. Barron, A.B. Norman, W.P. Henry. Picture of W.S. Maris.

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HOBSON FAMILY RECORDS

Copied and submitted by Kenneth Hobson, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

BIRTHS

Jesse Hobson was born October the first 1813
Nancy Hobson was born October the twentififth 1813
Amanda Malvina Hobson was born the 30th day of March 1839
Ira Hobson was born the 24th day of June 1841
George Hobson was born the 29th of March 1843
John Hobson was born the twentiforth of August 1845
Charles T. Hobson was born the second day of October 1848
Rebecca an Hobson was born the eight day of April 1851
Lewis C. Hobson was born the fifth day of June 1853
Newton Chase Hobson was born the 9th of November 1856
William Almris Hobson was born the 30th day of August 1860

MARRIAGES

Murphy W. Chamness and Rebecca A. Hobson were married Oct 5th 1873
by the Rev. Wm. Terrell at Blountsville (?), Henry Co., Indiana
George W. Chamness and Catherine Davidson parents of M. W. Chamness
were married July 25, 1838 in North Carolina

John Hobson and Mary Evans parents of Rebecca Hobson were married
Decne 25 1837



KILLIAN BIBLE

This Bible was given to R. E. Miller by a neighbor in St. Louis Missouri, and is in his possession. It is a Potter's Standard leather bound. Also contains three small tintypes of children. Copied and submitted by R. E. Miller, Arlington, TX.

BIRTHS

Samuel Killian was born March 15, 1810
 Mary H. Killian was born February 7, 1808
 Hetty L. Killian was born November 13, 1832
 Mary L. Killian was born January 20, 1833
 Henrietta M. Killian was born September 1, 1834
 Caroline M. Killian was born June 7, 1836
 George P. Killian was born June 6, 1838
 Samuel M. Killian was born July 5, 1840
 Abraham S. Killian was born December 30, 1841
 Henry M. Killian was born May 20, 1844
 T. Jefferson Killian was born November 18, 1845

George P. Killian's children:

Samuel N. Killian was born June 11, 1863
 George P. Killian was born September 8, 1865
 Edward K. Killian was born December 15, 1868
 Mary L. Killian was born March 19, 1869

DEATHS

Henrietta M. Killian died October 31, 1835
 Samuel M. Killian died September 13, 1841
 Hetty L. Killian died November 18, 1848
 Henry M. Killian died June 20, 1864
 George P. Killian died July 13, 1870
 Samuel N. Killian died December 11, 1865
 Edward K. Killian died May 4, 1869
 Mary L. Killian died January 23, 1870

MARRIAGES

Samuel Killian and Mary H. Kline were married July 16, 1831
 Mary E. Killian married June 15, 1896

IT'S A FACT!



The first official title of the territory which became Texas was Amichel. The name was given to the land granted Francisco Garay in 1521 comprising the whole Gulf Coast from present Alabama to Tampico, Mexico. The grant was based on the explorations in 1519 of Alonso Alvarez de Pineda.



ANDERSON COUNTY, TEXAS MARRIAGE RECORDS



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1881-1885

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------|
| King, Jim | Lizzie Patterson | Jan. 4, 1881 |
| Killion, Doremus P. | Frances Viola Lively | Jan. 24, 1881 |
| Kendall, A. L. | Jennie G. Wescott | Nov. 21, 1881 |
| Kersh, Joseph | Nancy McKinney | Sept. 1, 1882 |
| Kelly, Cannon | Lucinda Johnson | Sept. 14, 1882 |
| Kyle, Bob | Sallie Davis | Nov. 11, 1882 |
| Kinney, E. B. | Eveline E. Faulkner | Dec. 1, 1882 |
| Kelley, W. W. | M. A. Hardin | Dec. 19, 1882 |
| Koehler, G. A. | Emma Josephine Brown | Jan. 23, 1883 |
| Knight, J. F. | Miss L. V. Richards | Feb. 13, 1884 |
| Knightin, T. W. | Emma Wilson | Apr. 28, 1884 |
| Kimbrough, C. J. | Abbizilla Howard | July 14, 1884 |
| Kimbrough, Wiley | Ella Youger | July 26, 1884 |
| Keys, William | Mrs. Mary Glover | Aug. 30, 1884 |
| Kimbrough, R. | Lucinda Mayes | Aug. 30, 1884 |
| Kyle, A. B. | Sallie B. Little | Sept. 8, 1884 |
| King, G. W. | Miss M. E. Cox | Jan. 10, 1885 |
| Kendall, Willis C. | Tiney Endell | Jan. 21, 1885 |
| Keller, George G. | Mrs. L. D. Allen | June 13, 1885 |
| Kale, E. M. | Sallie Hill | June 26, 1885 |
| Knight, J. L. | Mollie Sanders | July 23, 1885 |
| Kitcher, Fredrick Wm. | Marietta Gates | Nov. 27, 1885 |
| Lee, W. R. | C. E. Atwood | Jan. 7, 1881 |
| Lee, Edward Wm. | Amanda Jackson | Feb. 19, 1881 |
| Lomax, Joe | Lethe Jones | Mar. 29, 1881 |
| Lewis, D. M. | Mrs. M. L. Stephens | May 3, 1881 |
| Logan, John | Josephine Lawrence | May 28, 1881 |
| Lawson, Jack | Martha Swanson | Oct. 13, 1881 |
| Lewis, Tom | Annie Dison | Nov. 7, 1881 |
| Lysett, James | Fannie Jane King | Nov. 12, 1881 |
| Langston, W. B. | Mary A. C. Hammond | Jan. 21, 1881 |
| Lower, Jacob | Ella Bentley | Jan. 31, 1882 |
| Long, W. H. | Emily S. Woolverton | Feb. 11, 1882 |
| Lee, John | Sallie Turner | Apr. 1, 1882 |
| Lawrence, Robert | Francis Barrett | Apr. 12, 1882 |
| Lawrence, Frank | Harriett Morehead | Apr. 20, 1882 |
| Ledbetter, L. | G. R. Berry | Oct. 17, 1882 |
| Long, James H. | N. E. Persons | Oct. 25, 1882 |
| Lamance, J. L. | M. E. Vance | Nov. 15, 1882 |
| Linzy, Lafayette | Manda Hanks | Dec. 22, 1882 |
| Lacy, Joseph W. | Annie Rainey | Jan. 10, 1883 |
| Lucas, J. E. | Sallie Copeland | Jan. 23, 1883 |
| Lyons, Gabe | Clara Starr | May 24, 1883 |
| Lacy, Frank | Amanda Roggers | Aug. 17, 1883 |
| Lively, William | Mrs. Delia King | Sept. 18, 1883 |

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
|-------------------|-------------------------|----------------|
| Lyne, J. P. | Ida Mayfield | Sept. 26, 1883 |
| Langston, J. T. | Alice Griffin | Oct. 24, 1883 |
| Lawrence, Isaac | Francis Bivens | Oct. 29, 1883 |
| Love, W. A. | S. Beal | Dec. 3, 1883 |
| Lawhorn, Richard | Nette Banks | Jan. 2, 1884 |
| Little, Robert R. | Ellen E. Davis | Jan. 12, 1884 |
| Lewis, Munroe | Mrs. Anna Green | March 14, 1884 |
| Lewis, George | Emma Williams | Aug. 26, 1884 |
| Lambert, S. H. | Mary E. Scott | Sept. 11, 1884 |
| Lowry, Wm. N. | Mary Ellen Murphy | Sept. 20, 1884 |
| Love, S. L. | Georgia A. Wallace | Dec. 15, 1884 |
| Lively, D. W. | R. E. Chasen | Dec. 20, 1884 |
| Lambert, D. R. | Bettie A. Garrett | Dec. 31, 1884 |
| Lindsey, Willis | Annie Hathorn | Jan. 8, 1885 |
| Lawney, Patrick | Mrs. Kate McCarthy | Jan. 16, 1885 |
| Lucas, Jim | Mary Oliver | Feb. 4, 1885 |
| Levassar, E. H. | R. D. Young | July 9, 1885 |
| Long, George | Mrs. Louisa K. Forsythe | Aug. 29, 1885 |
| Lacy, Albert | E. Brooks | Nov. 25, 1885 |
| Lyons, Wesley | Lucy Nelson | Nov. 26, 1885 |
| Miller, R. C. | Alice E. Hester | Jan. 27, 1881 |
| Mrogan, Wm. H. | Fannie Aston | Feb. 7, 1881 |
| Mosely, Issac | Lavinia Edwards | Apr. 9, 1881 |
| Milam, B. U. | Nancy Cleveland | Apr. 19, 1881 |
| Mason, G. W. | Vinie Skaggs | Apr. 27, 1881 |
| Moore, Cutis | Lizzie Smith | Apr. 28, 1881 |
| Mitchel, Aaron | Sallie Garrett | June 2, 1881 |
| Mayfield, M. S. | Helen Shoemake | June 16, 1881 |
| Martin, Peter | Julia Gilky | June 24, 1881 |
| Murphy, J. M. | Pauline Pickson | Aug. 1, 1881 |
| Massie, G. H. | N. J. Keen | Aug. 20, 1881 |
| Morgan, A. A. | S. A. Calloway | Sept. 10, 1881 |
| Martin, Richard | Mintie Jackson | Sept. 17, 1881 |
| Miller, Tom | Mary Pinkard | Oct. 22, 1881 |
| Morris, G. G. | Lizzie T. Hanks | Oct. 24, 1881 |
| Myers, J. J. | Mary Jane Roden | Nov. 29, 1881 |
| Martin, Frank | Ella Jamison | Dec. 8, 1881 |
| Moore, W. J. | Proctor, E. M. | Dec. 20, 1881 |
| Milling, Johnson | Matilda Smith | Dec. 21, 1881 |
| Mosely, Thomas S. | Alice Hoyle | Dec. 30, 1881 |
| Meagher, Dan | Mrs. Ellen Miller | June 15, 1882 |
| Murray, F. E. | Patsy A. Trim | June 5, 1882 |
| Moore, Rudolphus | Mahala Mallard | June 24, 1882 |
| May, Jas. W. | Alice Hogons (Hogans?) | Sept. 8, 1882 |
| Moore, E. A. | Annie Eastwood | Sept. 23, 1882 |
| Mimms, Moses | Dora Pickern | Oct. 11, 1882 |
| Miller, Joe E. | M. E. Hudson | Oct. 19, 1882 |
| Moore, Robert T. | Alice D. Crawford | Dec. 9, 1882 |
| Miller, William | Caledonia Shaw | Dec. 13, 1882 |
| Martin, Van | Mary Crawford | Dec. 23, 1882 |
| Martin, Jake | Mariah McClanahan | Feb. 1, 1883 |

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|----------------|
| Mavis, George W. | Nancy M. Davis | Mar. 5, 1883 |
| Martin, Ad | Lost Holmes | Apr. 21, 1883 |
| Moore, John | Bilkey Micheaux | June 21, 1883 |
| Michaux, Austin | Sallie Price | July 2, 1883 |
| Miller, Sam | Georgia Henderson | Aug. 9, 1883 |
| Morrow, J. M. P. | Florence M. Rhodes | Sept. 5, 1883 |
| Mainar, R. U. | Amanda Weeks | Oct. 8, 1883 |
| Maddox, Amos | Elvira Hutchinson | Oct. 11, 1883 |
| Miller, Norman | Mary E. Armstrong | Oct. 22, 1883 |
| Mitchell, N. M. | A. L. Sullivan | Nov. 5, 1883 |
| Moss, J. B. | May Stephens | Nov. 6, 1883 |
| Murphy, E. C. | L. O. Wylie | Dec. 13, 1883 |
| Morris, Robert | Lennie Morgan | Dec. 29, 1883 |
| Moore, Columbus | Emma Cook | Dec. 29, 1883 |
| May, Isach | Arkansas Smith | Jan. 22, 1884 |
| Mitchell, Spencer | Mrs. Walker Reeves | Feb. 25, 1884 |
| Mayes, Tom | Ann Smith | Feb. 29, 1884 |
| Murrell, A. G. | Bell Hall | Mar. 5, 1884 |
| Murray, John | Delia Smith | Apr. 14, 1884 |
| Moore, W. J. | Mary I. Teel | May 15, 1884 |
| Mitchell, John | Mary Long | June 11, 1884 |
| Milam, W. B. | Nancy Jones | Aug. 2, 1884 |
| Massie, Wm. H. | Bettie Estell | Sept. 13, 1884 |
| Mack, Wm. M. | Mattie Minnigan | Oct. 10, 1884 |
| Morgan, Fayette | Harriette Hamilton | Oct. 17, 1884 |
| Mims, Fulink | Julia Green | Dec. 16, 1884 |
| Miller, Ervin | Nellie Barnes | Dec. 22, 1884 |
| Moore, Cornelius | Matilda Gregory | Dec. 27, 1884 |
| Mathews, J. R. | Mrs. Carrie Boldege | Jan. 3, 1885 |
| Morgan, R. D. | Mrs. M. J. B. Hayes | Jan. 12, 1885 |
| Malloy, David C. | Louisa Kolstad (Louisa M.) | Jan. 14, 1885 |
| Moss, Ed | Nancy Linnen | Feb. 3, 1885 |
| Moore, Peter | Lula Gaston | Feb. 5, 1885 |
| Melton, Henry | Lou Hale | Feb. 5, 1885 |
| Motter, T. H. | Alice R. Rutledge | Mar. 14, 1885 |
| Morrow, Edmund | Mariah Bivens | Apr. 13, 1885 |
| Martin, Isaac | Hannah Blac-shear | May 15, 1885 |
| Myers, A. U. | Jane Lyons | May 23, 1885 |
| Moore, T. H. | Bettie Beason | June 11, 1885 |
| Milam, John R. | Mrs. S. D. Butler | June 19, 1885 |
| Mitchell, J. M. | Alice Grounds | July 15, 1885 |
| Mason, Ned | Sidney Lewis | Sept. 19, 1885 |
| Misenheimer, B.F. (B.J.?) | Emma C. Carpenter | Oct. 6, 1885 |
| Maning, John | Ann Homes | Oct. 16, 1885 |
| Mattock, Dave | Jewel Montgomery | Dec. 8, 1885 |
| Moore, John | Dora Murphy | Dec. 10, 1885 |
| Morrow, J. P. | H. E. Cook | Dec. 16, 1885 |
| McGee, J. B. | Mary E. Fitzgerald | Feb. 26, 1881 |
| McNellogel, John | Thos. A. Taylor | Apr. 9, 1881 |
| McCool, W. N. | Jane Duckworth | May 11, 1881 |
| McKinney, W. B. | Mary Weaver | May 17, 1881 |
| McMeans, J. L. | Cornelia Barber | July 4, 1881 |
| McKinzie, Pink | Sarah Ann Nixon | Jan. 3, 1882 |

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|--------------------|----------------------|----------------|
| McClure, A. P. | Minnie I. Lawrence | Jan. 16, 1882 |
| McCarty, Charlie | Laura Everett | Jan. 18, 1882 |
| McGriff, Issac | Bell Garrett | Jan. 21, 1882 |
| McDonald, Frank | Susie Barnett | Mar. 1, 1882 |
| McCloud, D. Seu | A. B. Lewis | Mar. 7, 1882 |
| McKinney, James | Mrs. Bettie Teel | May 8, 1882 |
| McCown, John | Roxie Robertson | Aug. 24, 1882 |
| McMan, Jeremiah | Margaret White | Sept. 19, 1882 |
| McKinzie, D. J. | N. J. Sullivan | Nov. 14, 1882 |
| McKinney, J. H. | Hattie Kersh | Dec. 21, 1882 |
| McCullough, T. W. | Lula Watts | Jan. 1, 1883 |
| McClendon, Wm. | Mattie Payne | Jan. 3, 1883 |
| McKelvain, T. J. | W. P. McCracker | Apr. 23, 1883 |
| McCann, R.J. W. | Mary E. Taylor | Sept. 5, 1883 |
| McDonald, John | Callie Epison | Oct. 16, 1883 |
| McMeans, S. A. | Cornelia M. Howard | Oct. 30, 1883 |
| McAlister, Jas. B. | Annie Stone | Jan. 8, 1884 |
| McElroy, Joseph | Florence Edwards | Jan. 9, 1884 |
| McClanahan, W. | Roda Butler | Mar. 15, 1884 |
| McCreary, Elijah | T. A. Seat | Mar. 24, 1884 |
| McNeal, Wylie | Clarissa Wadley | Apr. 19, 1884 |
| McMillan, J. M. | Mrs. M. H. Wardlaw | July 1, 1884 |
| McBride, Silas | Mollie Winston | Sept. 11, 1884 |
| McGee, Peter | Jennie Townsend | Oct. 16, 1884 |
| McCornice, Matt | Mrs. Maggie Wheeler | Dec. 31, 1884 |
| McGriff, Adieus | Mattie Garrett | Jan. 8, 1885 |
| McKenzie, H. A. | E. L. Mitchell | July 4, 1885 |
| McClanahan, J. H. | Louisa Erwin | Aug. 1, 1885 |
| McKinzie, Tracy | Pauline Sterne | Nov. 16, 1885 |
| McKenzie, Perry | Lucy Reed | Dec. 19, 1885 |
| Nolen, Robert | M. E. Ford | Sept. 19, 1881 |
| Newell, G. G. | S. E. Morre | Sept. 20, 1881 |
| Nely, Henry | Mary Ann Butler | Dec. 22, 1881 |
| Nelson, Frank L. | Mittie Stevens | Apr. 3, 1882 |
| Neighbors, J. A. | Annie M. Lesser | Apr. 11, 1882 |
| Norton, E. J. | Mrs. Sallie McMullen | Sept. 16, 1882 |
| Newsom, W. M. | Mrs. Ada Martin | Dec. 5, 1883 |
| Nichols, William | Sarah Boon | Dec. 15, 1883 |
| Nash, J. E. | Liddie Smith | Jan. 17, 1884 |
| Neeley, George D. | Mrs. Amelia Reagan | Apr. 28, 1884 |
| Nielson, Henry A. | Katherine Schwirle | July 15, 1885 |
| Nash, Bob | Lucy Harrison | July 6, 1884 |
| Nobles, Henry | Mollie Jackson | Oct. 17, 1885 |
| Norwood, J. W. | E. W. Sawyers | Nov. 28, 1885 |
| Ogg, Orrange | Mattie Wilson | Feb. 17, 1881 |
| O'Brien, John | Mary Fox | Nov. 5, 1881 |
| Odom, L. R. | Rebecca Hassell | Dec. 5, 1881 |
| Owen, F. S. | Laura A. Schroder | Jan. 31, 1883 |
| Omberg, N. E. | N. J. Lunsford | Dec. 16, 1884 |
| Ozment, John | E. F. Fowler | Dec. 27, 1884 |
| Owens, Andy | Charity Washington | Aug. 8, 1885 |

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| O'Neal, W. A. | Eugenia B. Calhoun | Oct. 14, 1885 |
| Ogden, C. V. | Clem Lawrence | Nov. 24, 1885 |
| Overby, John | Anna Powers | Dec. 2, 1885 |
| Owens, Robert | Ida Harper | Dec. 10, 1885 |
| Olson, Swan | Christine M. Christianson | Dec. 31, 1885 |
| Parker, Wm. H. | Mittie Hughes | Feb. 14, 1881 |
| Peebles, Robert | Babe Alambama Lawrence | Mar. 10, 1881 |
| Petty, Todd R. | Nellie Solomon | Mar. 15, 1881 |
| Pickering, J. H. | Laura Rector | Aug. 12, 1881 |
| Paxton, William | Mrs. I. D. Logon | Nov. 16, 1881 |
| Parks, Hose | Sarah McCullough | Nov. 26, 1881 |
| Pittman, George | Alice Morrow | Nov. 28, 1881 |
| Peterson, John P. | Johanna L. Uhanson | Dec. 9, 1881 |
| Poyner, D. A. | Ida C. Coleman | Dec. 23, 1881 |
| Page, Isham | Ida Watkins | Dec. 28, 1881 |
| Powell, Milus | Lottie Holmes | Jan. 27, 1882 |
| Phillips, Granville | Kizziah Hutchinson | Feb. 2, 1882 |
| Patterson, J. W. | Mrs. R. R. Cantrell | May 27, 1882 |
| Phillips, George | Texanna Swanson | Aug. 10, 1882 |
| Palmer, Levi | Mrs. M. T. Wilkins | Aug. 30, 1882 |
| Pullam, Eddie | Emma Martin | Sept. 13, 1882 |
| Person, T. J. | M. E. Holmes | Nov. 1, 1882 |
| Purtle, Albert | Dacey Hudson | Nov. 11, 1882 |
| Potter, Wm. W. | Sarah E. Baker | Nov. 15, 1882 |
| Pope, L. | A. L. Scarbrough | Dec. 8, 1882 |
| Pryor, Albert | Texanna McGowan | Dec. 21, 1882 |
| Phillips, Joe | Callie Phillips | Dec. 22, 1882 |
| Paris, Jeff | Mattie Sanders | Jan. 17, 1883 |
| Patterson, George | Artillar Watkins | Jan. 23, 1883 |
| Pover, Joseph | Sarah John Heath | Jan. 25, 1883 |
| Potter, J. C. | S. J. Mitchell | Feb. 21, 1883 |
| Palmer, Geroge W. | Mary J. McFarlane | Apr. 19, 1883 |
| Parks, Bedford | Addie Parks | Sept. 13, 1883 |
| Pruett, G. E. | Katie Denson | Oct. 13, 1883 |
| Phillips, Joe | Anna Dyer | Oct. 18, 1883 |
| Price, Isaac | Julia Jackson | Nov. 22, 1883 |
| Pickle, C. O. | H. E. Welborn | Dec. 5, 1883 |
| Patton, J. A. | Allice Arnold | Dec. 13, 1883 |
| Picking, Billy | Lizzie Calvin | Dec. 22, 1883 |
| Perry, Conrad | Alice E. Barnes | May 12, 1884 |
| Parks, B. F. | Bettie E. Douthit | May 23, 1884 |
| Pace, W. P. | M. J. Pace | June 9, 1884 |
| Powell, Milas | Jane Banks | July 12, 1884 |
| Payne, Charlie | Martha Winsley | Aug. 11, 1884 |
| Parker, Stephen | Fannie R. Kyle | Aug. 25, 1884 |
| Perry, Deucallion | Mattie E. Barnes | Sept. 22, 1884 |
| Phillips, Rev. U. B. | R. S. Strayhorn | Oct. 23, 1884 |
| Price, J. J. | Mrs. S. J. Green | Nov. 18, 1884 |
| Parks, John | Fannie Roberson | Nov. 24, 1884 |
| Pringel, Jim | Phoeb Balckshear [Blackshear] | Dec. 22, 1884 |

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|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|
| Page, John J. | Mrs. Mary E. Hendon | Jan. 10, 1885 |
| Patterson, J. H. | Mary A. Crenshaw | Feb. 25, 1885 |
| Parker, John | Sarah Parker | Apr. 13, 1885 |
| Phillips, Henry | Martha Collins | May 16, 1885 |
| Pace, Rufus | Litty Hammons | May 22, 1885 |
| Pace, Henry | Mary Jones | May 13, 1885 |
| Perkins, George | Beckie Moore | July 4, 1885 |
| Price, John | Minnie Milling | Aug. 4, 1885 |
| Page, Dock | Ella Fitzhugh | Aug. 11, 1885 |
| Parker, Jesse R. | Anna Hamby | Sept. 20, 1885 |
| Pace, Raspberry | Nancy Day | Nov. 27, 1885 |
| Phillips, George | Mattie Green | Dec. 18, 1885 |
| Porter, Johnson | Martha Love | Dec. 28, 1885 |
| Quarles, George | Synthia Ezell | Jan. 24, 1881 |
| Quick, J. A. | Catherine R. O. Donnell | Jan. 14, 1882 |
| Quick, J. C. | Emma Elrod | Mar. 5, 1885 |
| Quarles, Norman | Mollie Lacy | Dec. 18, 1882 |
| Robertson, A. E. | R. H. Watts | Jan. 5, 1881 |
| Ream, A. E. | R. H. Watts | Jan. 5, 1881 |
| Ream, J. S. | C. D. Kersh | Jan. 15, 1881 |
| Richardson, T.J. | L. C. Murphy | Mar. 31, 1881 |
| Rutledge, E. W. | Jennie Bailey | July 22, 1881 |
| Reeves, William George | Ann Harris | Sept. 6, 1881 |
| Renes, J. C. | Mrs. Ellen E. Corey | Nov. 2, 1881 |
| Robertson, W. T. | F. E. Brown | Nov. 29, 1881 |
| Runnells, Garland | Emily Smith | Dec. 1, 1881 |
| Ricks, Ben | Judy Collier | Jan. 18, 1882 |
| Reynolds, Clay | Josephine Early | Feb. 23, 1882 |
| Rogers, Andrew | Rose Walker | Apr. 12, 1882 |
| Rhodes, Sol | Eliza Taylor | June 7, 1882 |
| Robinson, Tom | Haddie Miller | Aug. 3, 1882 |
| Ray, G. W. | Miss Julia Hughes | Aug. 4, 1882 |
| Robertson, M. F. | Mary S. Lankston | Aug. 30, 1882 |
| Roden, R. A. | Maggie St. dair Cutis | Sept. 15, 1882 |
| Ross, Dan | Katie Green | Dec. 28, 1882 |
| Richardson, R. F. D. | S. M. Murphy | Feb. 1, 1883 |
| Rooks, J. W. | Botana O. Allen | Feb. 7, 1883 |
| Robertson, Jerry | Peggy Halley | Apr. 2, 1883 |
| Robinson, Mitchel | Maggie Petty | May 2, 1883 |
| Richardson, W. A. | Pattie Clanton | May 14, 1883 |
| Richardson, Jno. W. Jr. | Annie A. Moore | Aug. 20, 1883 |
| Reeves, William | Willie Gathright | Sept. 8, 1883 |
| Rampy, J. H. | Arbeeca C. Turentine | Sept. 14, 1883 |
| Reeves, Clark | Leah Chase | Sept. 19, 1883 |
| Robertson, H. T. | Matilda J. Pardon | Nov. 17, 1883 |
| Randal, Austin | Nanie Jane Sanders | Dec. 3, 1883 |
| Ross, J. W. | Florence Green | Dec. 8, 1883 |
| Ramsey, J. S. | A. E. Parker | Dec. 13, 1883 |
| Robinson, H. H. | Mrs. G. C. Ricks | Dec. 31, 1883 |
| Roberts, J. M. | J. Priut | Jan. 9, 1884 |

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
|------------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| Reuben, Phillip | Mary Day | Jan. 24, 1884 |
| Ray, George | Mary F. Williams | Mar. 31, 1884 |
| Rosenberg, Andrew | Mary Pertson | Apr. 17, 1884 |
| Rosson, J. C. | Rachael L. Page | May 9, 1884 |
| Ramsey, W. A. | Virginia Owens | June 12, 1884 |
| Reuben, Phillip | Amelia Ross | Mar. 29, 1884 |
| Raines, J. A. | Miss M. E. Henry | June 25, 1884 |
| Rector, Joseph | Eliza J. Gilbert | July 8, 1884 |
| Reynolds, E. C. | Luly Thompson | Aug. 30, 1884 |
| Roden, J. J. | E. S. Elkins | Sept. 22, 1884 |
| Ross, Steve | Melissa Govan | Nov. 12, 1884 |
| Rivers, F. C. | H. Hall | Nov. 19, 1884 |
| Roach, Mack | Manda Clovis | Nov. 28, 1884 |
| Roberson, J. W. | Sarah E. Fitzgerald | Dec. 13, 1884 |
| Reed, Anderson | Ann Reed | Dec. 26, 1884 |
| Ragsdale, Marion | Malinda Williams | Jan. 29, 1885 |
| Ricks, Frank | Ida McClanahan | Feb. 2, 1885 |
| Rhodes, J. W. | Lula M. Pickle | Mar. 10, 1885 |
| Robinson, Delk | Ella Jemison | Mar. 14, 1885 |
| Rich, C. A. | Laura Majors | Apr. 1, 1885 |
| Ricks, Ike | Fannie Wylie | Apr. 5, 1885 |
| Rogers, J. L. | Nancy E. L. Neel | May 23, 1885 |
| Rainwater, A. M. | Parthena Nix | July 21, 1885 |
| Robertson, King | Adline Washington | July 21, 1885 |
| Runbraugh, Walter | Caroline Johnson | Sept. 17, 1885 |
| Rector, J. T. | A. Z. Howard | Sept. 25, 1885 |
| Rivers, Joe | Rocksy-Anna Brooks | Oct. 3, 1885 |
| Rampy, Albert | Nancy Johnson | Nov. 20, 1885 |
| Rogers, John | Ann Moor | Dec. 3, 1885 |
| Rogers, A. G. | Annie Overton | Dec. 24, 1885 |
| Swanson, Fed | Lethe Harris | Mar. 5, 1881 |
| Simms, Lewis | Martha Clayton | Jan. 5, 1881 |
| Smith, Jim | Jane Smith | Jan. 11, 1881 |
| Scarborough, L. J. Jr. | Anna B. Hanson | Jan. 12, 1881 |
| Saunders, E. R. | Quincy A. Richards | Feb. 3, 1881 |
| Smith, Jack | Elizabeth Evans | Feb. 10, 1881 |
| Sheridan, John R. | Fannie A. DuPrey | Mar. 4, 1881 |
| Stone, R. A. | Mary Congleton | Mar. 15, 1881 |
| Still, G. W. | Lizzie Johnson | Apr. 7, 1881 |
| Shumatte, Billy | Emma Smith | May 14, 1881 |
| Seamons, J. H. | M. A. Aston | June 16, 1881 |
| Sloan, Will | Alice Floyd | June 25, 1881 |
| Sturdevant, Young | Laura Reeves | Aug. 8, 1881 |
| Swanson, Lewis | Alice Anderson | Aug. 29, 1881 |
| Smith, Thomas | Mary King | Sept. 10, 1881 |
| Spencer Newton | Sylvia Knott | Nov. 17, 1881 |
| Shea, John | Mary S. Henry | Nov. 29, 1881 |
| Scarborough, R. S. | Lizzie Bell Farris | Dec. 5, 1881 |
| Sherron, J. T. | Lula Sawyers | Dec. 16, 1881 |
| Savage, W.D. | M. N. Wilson | Dec. 23, 1881 |
| Smith, Amos C. | Minnie C. Faqua | Jan. 3, 1882 |

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|----------------------|--------------------|----------------|
| Swaine, Frank K. | Anna D. Heath | Jan. 10, 1882 |
| Slaughter, Wesley | Amanda Strawder | Jan. 11, 1882 |
| Shelton, C. W. | Cora Hamblin | Jan. 16, 1882 |
| Steaney, Elijah | S. C. Henderson | Jan. 16, 1882 |
| Sutherlin, J. S. | Annie E. Gambrell | Jan. 30, 1882 |
| Smith, Summers | Josephene Skilton | Feb. 2, 1882 |
| Shaderick, John | Catherine McGriff | Feb. 7, 1882 |
| Sills, John | Margarett Davis | Feb. 23, 1882 |
| Swan, S. T. | Caledonia Trim | Mar. 8, 1882 |
| Small, Henry | Bettie Govan | Mar. 8, 1882 |
| Simmons, J. M. | E. S. Lowery | Mar. 9, 1882 |
| Smith, John | Vina Howard | Apr. 12, 1882 |
| Smith, W. B. | Martha Howell | June 19, 1882 |
| Sinnigsoon, Henry | Mary Nollie | July 18, 1882 |
| Swanson, Frank | Rachael Pope | July 20, 1882 |
| Smith, Houston | Margaret Saunders | Aug. 4, 1882 |
| Scoggins, J. H. | Hannah S. Miller | Aug. 17, 1882 |
| Starkes, R. L. | Sallie Lunsford | Sept. 8, 1882 |
| Schulze, F. A. | Caroline Loeffler | Sept. 13, 1882 |
| Smith, George | Angelina Lang | Sept. 15, 1882 |
| Shamblin, Jesse | Clara Johnson | Sept. 23, 1882 |
| Smith, Henry | Cora Jones | Nov. 15, 1882 |
| Slone, William | Margie Baldwin | Dec. 16, 1882 |
| Steel, J. H. | Adella Woolverton | Dec. 19, 1882 |
| Skinner, J. W. | Malinda M. Burkett | Dec. 23, 1882 |
| Simmons, Ned | Barbara Duke | Jan. 29, 1883 |
| Sterne, Zeb | Laura Jackson | Jan. 30, 1883 |
| Stephens, John Henry | Nancy Bennett | Feb. 7, 1883 |
| Sharp, M. C. | Allice Kyle | Feb. 12, 1883 |
| Scott, J. B. | Louisa Williams | Mar. 12, 1883 |
| Sloan, Bob | Joanna Fitzhugh | Mar. 21, 1883 |
| Starkes, L. B. E. | Jennie Maddox | Apr. 18, 1883 |
| Shittlesworth, J. S. | A. L. Strickland | June 17, 1883 |
| Steele, W. H. | Sallie Sims | Aug. 8, 1883 |
| Stoneham, Benjamin | Tilda Hanks | Sept. 7, 1883 |
| Sawyers, F. R. | Ella Ratcliff | Oct. 10, 1883 |
| Skidmore, J. E. M. | M. J. Willingham | Oct. 19, 1883 |
| Stone, A. M. | Mattie Alderson | Dec. 5, 1883 |
| Sloan, Andrew | Kitty Anderson | Dec. 13, 1883 |
| Stephens, J. J. | Harriett Gentry | Dec. 19, 1883 |
| Smith, Richard | Emma King | Jan. 24, 1884 |
| Smith, George | N. S. Williamson | Jan. 25, 1884 |
| Spear, Mingo | Emma Bell | Jan. 26, 1884 |
| Sartor, E. R. | S. T. Brown | Feb. 4, 1884 |
| Smith, Edward | Nettie Spriggs | Mar. 18, 1884 |
| Stump, Armstrong | Mary Morgan | Mar. 20, 1884 |
| Snodgrass, H. | Mary B. Hathright | Mar. 25, 1884 |
| Starnes, Geo. W. | Viola Coleman | May 13, 1884 |
| Spaith, A. D. | O. E. Ryan | May 20, 1884 |
| Swann, Robt. H. | Annie A. Hamill | June 19, 1884 |
| Simpson, Morris | Lena Thomas | Sept. 6, 1884 |
| Sawyers, Callier F. | Lozetta Kaufman | Sept. 16, 1884 |

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
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| Smith, Douglas | Ellen Earles | Oct. 4, 1884 |
| Smith, Jesse | Indianna Walker | Oct. 14, 1884 |
| Schaeffer, Albert | Jennivieve Rodgers | Oct. 17, 1884 |
| Smith, Joe E. | E. E. Black | Oct. 29, 1884 |
| Smith, Martin | Lizzie Blackshear | Nov. 1, 1884 |
| Small, Marion | Roxanna Govan | Nov. 13, 1884 |
| Swanson, Scott | Bettie Johnson | Nov. 13, 1884 |
| Spencer, C. W. | Mollie Taylor | Nov. 22, 1884 |
| Sammons, J. W. | E. T. Langham | Dec. 18, 1884 |
| Swanson, James | G. A. Chase | Dec. 23, 1884 |
| Sory, Henry C. | Josie A. Moore | Dec. 23, 1884 |
| Stewart, Reuben M. | Melissa H. Anderson | Dec. 26, 1884 |
| Stephens, W. K. | Callie Moss | Dec. 31, 1884 |
| Stephenson, Jackson | Alcy Walker | Jan. 26, 1885 |
| Sherman, Dan | Fannie Groves | Feb. 4, 1885 |
| Stearne, Jeff | Fannie Anderson | Feb. 9, 1884 |
| Simpson, C. | Ruthia Pickle | Feb. 16, 1885 |
| Shaw, S. W. | Addie Tegardner | May 11, 1885 |
| Swanson, William | Callie Taylor | May 25, 1885 |
| Sullivan, Con | Annie L. Burns | Sept. 12, 1885 |
| Smith, Henry | Emma Reed | Oct. 22, 1885 |
| Stovall, D. B. | Nancy Updack | Nov. 12, 1885 |
| Stevens, A. A. | Novilia Tobin | Nov. 17, 1885 |
| Simpson, James | Emiline Hardy | Dec. 10, 1885 |
| Small, Jesper | Laura Henderson | Dec. 23, 1885 |
| Scarborough, J. R. | A. E. Wylie | Dec. 29, 1885 |
| Tatum, Jack | Jennie Warren | Jan. 15, 1881 |
| Thompson, Robert | Fannie C. Stanford | Feb. 25, 1881 |
| Teah, Abram | Henrietta Rich | Apr. 5, 1881 |
| Tolbert, James | Nora Tatum | May 19, 1881 |
| Tiner, Thomas | Ella Cooper | June 7, 1881 |
| Tombs, Garner | Ella Staggs | June 16, 1881 |
| Tahen, Patrick | Jane Ferguson | Aug. 12, 1881 |
| Thompson, W. L. | Mrs. Roxie Blanton | Sept. 17, 1881 |
| Tuggle, H. L. | C. L. Brown | Oct. 31, 1881 |
| Tyus, W. T. | Texana Winkler | Nov. 14, 1881 |
| Tippen, George A. | Mary A. Addington | Dec. 13, 1881 |
| Toft, Jesse | Emily A. Buchanan | Mar. 1, 1882 |
| Trigg, Wm. A. | Sarah A. McKinney | Sept. 23, 1882 |
| Taylor, Marshall | Milly Harris | Sept. 25, 1882 |
| Tucker, D. H. | F. B. Hoyle | Dec. 15, 1882 |
| Thompson, J. R. | Nicey Berry | Dec. 20, 1882 |
| Taylor, Albert | Mary Thompson | Mar. 10, 1883 |
| Taylor, W. H. | Mrs. E. J. Shelton | May 21, 1883 |
| Thompson, R. D. | Elizabeth Palmer | June 30, 1883 |
| Torrence, Alva C. | Nellie B. Blessing | Aug. 27, 1883 |
| Thompson, Jesse | Annie Reed | Oct. 24, 1883 |
| Taylor, Charley | Silla Medlock | Oct. 25, 1883 |
| Turner, Sam | Anna Williams | Dec. 15, 1883 |
| Thomas, Isaac | Harriett Skelton | Dec. 24, 1883 |
| Turner, Anthony | Nancy Jackson | Dec. 24, 1883 |
| Trelford, T. W. | Ida A. Bills | Jan. 19, 1884 |

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
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| Trayler, E.J. | Mary J. Bride | Jan. 21, 1884 |
| Temple, Jesse | Decia Johnson | Jan. 23, 1884 |
| Thompson, Harry | Lula Duval | Feb. 2, 1884 |
| Trevelleck, Ford A. | R. S. Clark | May 29, 1884 |
| Taylor, John | Sharlott Martin | Sept. 6, 1884 |
| Tubbs, John W. | Allie Hamilton | Oct. 17, 1884 |
| Taylor, Milam | Mrs. Harriett Rainey | Oct. 25, 1884 |
| Turner, W. H. | Cora Stewart | Nov. 15, 1884 |
| Thomas, William | Phillis Boone | Nov. 15, 1884 |
| Turner, J. M. D. | Annie E. Terry | Nov. 29, 1884 |
| Tindol, H. C. | Bettie Green | Dec. 8, 1884 |
| Thomas, John | Sophia Porter | Dec. 22, 1884 |
| Tyler, George | Bell Hunter | Jan. 14, 1885 |
| Thompson, J. T. | Mrs. Rosa Hunsucker | June 23, 1885 |
| Tucker, Alex | Mrs. Bettie Terrell | June 24, 1885 |
| Turner, John | Littie Davis | July 11, 1885 |
| Thomas, John | Ada Harris | Nov. 3, 1885 |
| Terry, Eli | Pennie Ingram | Nov. 4, 1885 |
| Tucker, Coleman | Jana Morgan | Dec. 26, 1885 |
| Updack, Zack | Mary York | Jan. 6, 1881 |
| Utze, John | Rosanna Grounds | Apr. 16, 1881 |
| Utze, Wm. F. | Mary E. Jarvis | July 25, 1882 |
| Vaughan, Kit | Lucy Glover | Jan. 25, 1885 |
| Vaughan, W. W. | Mrs. M. L. Matthews | May 19, 1882 |
| Vann, J. R. | Fannie E. McMillion | Dec. 2, 1884 |
| Vincent, Daniel | Lou Holcomb | Mar. 11, 1885 |
| Vauden, Broeck Jas. | Eva C. Smith | June 20, 1885 |
| Vessey, Charles | Mary Ann Brown | Sept. 23, 1885 |
| Williams, Edmond | Margaret Ogg | Jan. 7, 1881 |
| Walker, L. A. | Mary E. Howard | Jan. 26, 1881 |
| Wagoner, John C. | Mary S. Lewis | Feb. 5, 1881 |
| Washington, George | Nancy Wordlaw | Feb. 16, 1881 |
| Welborn, A. G. | Mrs. N. E. Redwine | Mar. 2, 1881 |
| Walker, W. D. | Mariah Lumpkin | Apr. 9, 1881 |
| Washington, Tony | Ann Michaux | Apr. 14, 1881 |
| White, George | Julia Moore | Apr. 29, 1881 |
| Waters, Louis | Francis Johnson | May 28, 1881 |
| Williams, J. W. | M. M. McDonald | July 2, 1881 |
| Worthington, July | Eliza Hopkins | Aug. 1, 1881 |
| Wood, Alexander | Margaret Johnson | Aug. 9, 1881 |
| Wornhout, D. M. | A. C. Eaton | Aug. 26, 1881 |
| Warner, Fred G. | Sallie E. McLean | Sept. 17, 1881 |
| White, Peter | Bettie Washington | Oct. 8, 1881 |
| Williams, Bryant | Harriet Jemison | Oct. 12, 1881 |
| Warren, J. W. | A. E. Johns | Dec. 17, 1881 |
| Watkins, Frank | Lizzie Carter | Jan. 19, 1882 |
| Washington, Geo. | Maria Slaughter | Mar. 15, 1882 |
| Williams, Jesse | Francis Cornelius | Apr. 22, 1882 |
| Washington, Jas. | Clarrisa Wilson | Apr. 22, 1882 |
| Williams, F. C. | Ora Simons | May 24, 1882 |

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| Warren, William | Jeannette Donald | May 30, 1882 |
| Wilson, Henry | Matt Johnson | June 1, 1882 |
| Woodard, Joe | Julia Sloan | June 3, 1882 |
| Watson, E. B. | S. E. Pickle | June 24, 1882 |
| Wallace, Nathan | Maggie Wren | July 1, 1882 |
| Williams, John | Laura Perkins | Aug. 15, 1882 |
| Washington, James | Nancy Miller | Sept. 6, 1882 |
| Williams, Charlie | Sallie Pierce | Sept. 14, 1882 |
| Wofford, David | Lettie Jackson | Sept. 20, 1882 |
| Washington, James | Maria Edwards | Oct. 2, 1882 |
| Washington, Jim | Amelia Thompson | Oct. 3, 1882 |
| Weisner, T. J. | S. P. Henderson | Oct. 26, 1882 |
| Woodall, W. C. | M. M. Lewis | Oct. 30, 1882 |
| Williamson, J. C. | Bettie Barley | Nov. 15, 1882 |
| Wolverton, M. B. | Mrs. H. B. Goad | Nov. 30, 1882 |
| Whitlock, Joe | Tie Howard | Dec. 1, 1882 |
| Wilson, J. P. | Mattie Denson | Dec. 13, 1882 |
| Wade, C. E. | N. E. Hunter | Dec. 19, 1882 |
| Woffard, Dave | Liddia Jackson | Dec. 27, 1882 |
| Warn, Dan | Liddia Jackson | Dec. 27, 1882 |
| Wylie, O. L. | R. L. Scarbrough | Dec. 27, 1882 |
| Wylie, A. L. | L. D. Davis | Dec. 27, 1882 |
| Whitlock, J. W. | Tie Howard | Dec. 27, 1882 |
| Wadley, William | Emla Hallum | Jan. 3, 1883 |
| Williams, Jim | Mottie Hamlett | Jan. 6, 1883 |
| Winn, Stice | Flora Hunter | Jan. 9, 1883 |
| Washington, Carl | Willie Johnson | Jan. 16, 1883 |
| Williams, C. K. | Laura E. Chambers | Feb. 8, 1883 |
| Walden, Charles | Annie Killion | Feb. 9, 1883 |
| Warren, Will | Millie Runnels | Feb. 13, 1883 |
| Wright, Levi | Elizabeth Bell | Mar. 10, 1883 |
| Williams, John | Minerva Hunter | Mar. 21, 1883 |
| Williams, Charley | Percilla Thornton | Apr. 10, 1883 |
| Winston, J. G. | M. Caddie Watts | Apr. 17, 1883 |
| Williams, W. F. | Mrs. E. T. Horton | May 22, 1883 |
| Wainwright, W. W. | Mattie Sims | May 22, 1883 |
| Walston, J. H. | M. A. Carroll | June 4, 1883 |
| Wright, John | Sarah Easley | June 16, 1883 |
| Wright, William | Emily Easley | June 16, 1883 |
| Wagoner, Ed | Lettie Burton | June 19, 1883 |
| Watkins, Dan W. | Rebecca Chase | July 16, 1883 |
| Wilson, Wm. N. | Mrs. Mary A. Thwarts | Aug. 3, 1883 |
| Wylie, Wm. | Mrs. M. E. Long | Aug. 8, 1883 |
| Whit, Dan | Rosanna Michaux | Sept. 3, 1883 |
| Walker, J. F. | A. J. Pate | Sept. 19, 1883 |
| Williams, Jas. A. | Henrietta Gentry | Oct. 20, 1883 |
| Williams, Lesley | Catherine Pruit | Oct. 22, 1883 |
| Wells, Amos | Louisa Allen | Dec. 1, 1883 |
| Williams, Melton | Jettie Thompson | Dec. 19, 1883 |
| Watson, J. S. | Mrs. T. E. Erwin | Dec. 26, 1883 |
| Wyms, John | Mary Jones | Dec. 27, 1883 |
| Walsh, J. F. | Fannie B. Taylor | Jan. 31, 1884 |

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
|--------------------|-----------------------|----------------|
| Weklin, John | Mrs. Kate Hoffman | Feb. 6, 1884 |
| Williams, R. A. | Laura Taylor | Mar. 1, 1884 |
| Wim, Douglas | Isabella Donnell | Mar. 19, 1884 |
| Wright, B. F. | Miss M. M. Shirey | Apr. 26, 1884 |
| Watson, T. R. | Mary Ann Neal | May 27, 1884 |
| Walker, Simon | Mrs. Kitty Campbell | July 26, 1884 |
| Wim, Sanday | Sarah Green | Aug. 22, 1884 |
| Wallace, Lee | Phalba Scott | Aug. 26, 1884 |
| Warn, Red | Fannie Bussey | Aug. 27, 1884 |
| Williams, Thomas | Nellie Clay | Sept. 15, 1884 |
| White, James F. | Nannie E. Shaid | Sept. 24, 1884 |
| Woolverton, D. H. | Miss M. A. Eubanks | Nov. 13, 1884 |
| Woods, Phelix | Ella Wiggins | Dec. 4, 1884 |
| Wilson, George | Mary Miller | Dec. 11, 1884 |
| Williams, Jas. M. | Mrs. T. A. Williamson | Dec. 20, 1884 |
| Watson, Peter | Francis McKenney | Dec. 25, 1884 |
| Williams, Jim | Mary Dozier | Jan. 3, 1885 |
| Watkins, J. W. | Allice Pitman | Jan. 7, 1885 |
| West, Ben | Fannie Johnson | Feb. 4, 1885 |
| Wright, Geo. A. | Mary H. Swanson | Feb. 16, 1885 |
| White, J. N. | S. C. Fields | Feb. 27, 1885 |
| Williamson, Wesley | Charlotte Freeman | Feb. 28, 1885 |
| Wilson, Berry | Alice Simpson | Mar. 11, 1885 |
| White, L. S. | Cora Butler | Apr. 25, 1885 |
| Washington, Sol | Clarcy Washington | May 20, 1885 |
| Warner, F. G. | Jannie F. McLean | May 29, 1885 |
| Wallis, Wm. R. | Lucy Ann Biggs | June 6, 1885 |
| Wilson, Willis | Sarah Davis | June 27, 1885 |
| Wilson, Frank | Cathrin Whitsett | July 10, 1885 |
| Wiley, G. L. | G. A. Ratcliff | Aug. 6, 1885 |
| Warren, Will | Clara Johnson | Aug. 8, 1885 |
| Weisinger, James | Isadore Campbell | Aug. 11, 1885 |
| Whitley, Robert | Miss Addie James | Sept. 5, 1885 |
| Worley, James | Martha Hassell | Sept. 8, 1885 |
| Williams, Jim | Francis Hite | Sept. 9, 1885 |
| Welborn, W. P. | Miss Evelyn Arthur | Sept. 12, 1885 |
| Winn, Anderson | Ada Alexander | Oct. 29, 1885 |
| Woodard, T. A. | Miss C. J. Hassell | Nov. 17, 1885 |
| Williams, Charley | Rose Cass | Nov. 24, 1885 |
| Williams, Steward | Sallie Washington | Dec. 9, 1885 |
| Wingatt, John E. | Miss Laura Rowan | Dec. 21, 1885 |
| Williams, Henry | Fannie Pace | Dec. 31, 1885 |
| Williams, Robr. | Millie Ann Gibbs | July 1, 1885 |
| Yarbrough, Dock | Dollie Carvin | May 31, 1883 |
| Young, Jerry | Polly Johnson | Dec. 31, 1883 |
| Young, M. D. | N. A. Savage | Oct. 27, 1884 |
| Young, Richard | Sarah Jane Rogers | Aug. 10, 1885 |

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Volume VI, Number 36, Thursday, April 12, 1860

Marriages

On the 5th, June by Reverend John F. Cook, Mr. George F. Simons and Miss Flora A. Will, all of Texana, Jackson County, Texas.

At the residence of the bride's father, June 21, by Reverend J.E. Ferguson, Reverend Edwin P. Angell, of the Texas conference, and Miss Phoebe E. Rundell, of Fort Bend County, Texas. The happy bride and groom have our thanks for an accompanying token of remembrance and our most sincere wishes for their welfare.

Obituaries

William Coleman was born in Clark County, Kentucky, February 18, 1815, he resided for a time in St. Louis, Missouri. When his health started declining, his physician prescribed a residence in the South, as the only means of saving him from the consumption. In the fall of 1838 he removed to Yazoo City, Mississippi, the following summer he was nigh unto death, the fall of 1853 he removed with his family to Texana, Jackson County, Texas. He was a man in business, upright in his dealings, and desired to be, in the strict sense of the word, a Christian gentleman. On the 17th of May he was attacked with lock jaw, the consequence of stepping on a nail two weeks previous, and though every attention was paid by his physician and kind friends, death claimed him as its victim. He died on May 27, 1860.

Joseph William Lilly, son of the late William Lilly and Sister Julia Ann Puckett, departed this life in Smith County, Texas, May 31, 1860. Sister Lilly married L.F. Puckett, Esq. of our city, and was on a visit to above, when her little son died. He was born August 7, 1856. He died of measles two days after he was taken with them. By W.W. Downs.

Mrs. Mary E. McNabb, died on the 10th of May in Fort Bend County, she was a native of Tennessee and came with her father D.C. Smith to Texas, several years ago. She leaves her husband with three children and a father and mother to mourn her.

William Rye, late of Talladega, Alabama, died in Brenham, Washington County, Texas, May 17, 1860. Brother Rye was born April 18, 1792,

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in Maryland, thence moved to Alabama, then removed to Washington County, in the fall before he died.

Volume VI, Number 48, Thursday, July 5, 1860

Marriages

On the 25th of July, 1860, in Victoria, by Reverend O.A. Fisher, Mr. Charles A. Woodapple, and Miss Mary A. Rice.

Obituaries

Agnes Ann Beachamp, daughter of E.F. and Frances C. Beachamp, died on Thursday morning the 21st inst., age 10 years, 4 months and three days.

Malachi S. Hall, son of J.M. and Elizabeth Hall died near Port Sullivan, June 18, 1860.

Volume VI, Number 49, Thursday, July 12, 1860

Marriages

On the 28th of June, by the Reverend Quinn M. Menefee, Mr. Simon P. Stearling, and Miss Ruth Strain, all of Jackson County, Texas.

In Houston, Texas, at the residence of Honorable H.H. Allen, July 1, 1860, by Reverend O.A. Fisher, Mr. Charles C. Newhard and Miss Ann A. Fisher.

Obituaries

Eliza R. Pattillo, my beloved wife and daughter of Elisha and Mary Hightower, was born in Putnum County, Georgia, July 12, 1821, and died of a disease of the heart and brain, in Macon County, Alabama, May 31, 1860, leaving eight children.

Mary Jane Rutland, wife of Mr. Reddick R. Putland, both late of Alabama, died at her residence in Cass County, Texas on the evening of the 7th of June, age about 18 years. She was the daughter of Colonel G. and Elizabeth Caldwell of South Carolina. In the winter of 1858, the deceased came with her sister and brother in law, and other immigration relatives to this county.

Jasper N. Bell, was born in Wilson County, Tennessee, June 4, 1827, and died near Travis, Austin County, Texas, July 1, 1860. He leaves a wife and two children.

John R. Stephenson, was born August 9, 1820, in Pendelton District, South Carolina, removed from thence to Tennessee and thence to

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Marshall County, Mississippi and finally to Texas in 1849, and died June 15, 1860. He leaves an aged mother and three sisters. He died on Harvey's Creek, Colorado County, Texas. By C.J. Lane.

Volume VI, Number 50, Thursday, July 19, 1860

Marriages

On the 12th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. J.W. Shipman, Mr. B.R. Davis, of Galveston, and Miss Anna Butts, of Plantersville.

On the 28th of June, at the residence of Mr. James A. Graves, by Reverend John Carpenter, Mr. Thomas H. Teagarden and Miss Lou Neibling or Neisling, all of Bell County, Texas. (I think it was Neibling though couldn't read.)

Obituaries

William Patterson, at San Gabriel Lodge room, July 30, 1860, the committee appointed by the Lodge to draft resolutions, relating to the death of our Brother, William Patterson, drafted the following -----, Thomas P. Hughes, A.S. Walker, and J.A. Houghton, committee.

James Robert Hunter, youngest son of G.M. and Naomi Hunter, died on the evening of June 22, 1860. Age 3 years, 1 month and 26 days. Camp Creek, Robertson County, Texas.

Anna Thompson Oliver daughter of Colonel Asa Thompson and Beatrice E. Oliver, departed this life of congested fever, June 26, 1860, Austin County, Texas, in the 7th year of her age.

Volume VI, Number 51, Thursday, July 26, 1860

Marriages

On the 18th inst. by the Reverend J.E. Carnes, Mr. Turner Perry, Esq., Walker County, and Miss Emily H. Edmunds, of this city.

On the 21st inst., at the Bayou City house, Galveston, by Reverend J.M. Wesson, Mr. Thomas Doland, and Miss Mary Witherell, both of Vermillion Parish, Louisiana.

Obituaries

Matilda W. Sutphen, was born February 18, 1815 in Williamson County, Tennessee, was married to John S. Sutphen, deceased, June 13, 1833, in 1850 moved to Texas, settled in Nacogdoches County, near Brileytown camp ground. Died July 1860.

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Sister Mary Key, departed this life in Tarrant County, Texas, May 23, 1860, after an illness of several weeks, she was the daughter of James and Mary Lane, born in Hardeman County, Tennessee, June 30, 1835, was married to Brother J.P. Key on the 12th of June, 1850.

Robert F. Green, - Preamble and resolutions adopted by Monroe Lodge, No. 168, Madison County, Texas, July 13, 1860, Our Brother was removed after a short and severe illness, being in the prime of life, about 40 years of age, leaving a loving and amiable companion, and six children, five of whom are yet ignorant of their irreparable loss. His wife and baby, alone, of his family being able to attend him in his last sickness. F.W. Harms, Ch'n. Com., L.D. Collins, Sec. Monroe Lodge, No. 168, Madisonville, July 13, 1860.

Volume VI, Number 52, Thursday, August 2, 1860

Marriages

By Reverend D.G. Bowers, on the 25th of July, Mr. Franklin Brazeal, and Miss Alice J. Mitchell, all of Fayette County, Texas.

On the 19th day, by our Reverend J.L. Crabb, Mr. E.Y. Scruggs, and Miss N.A.E. MaGee, all of Limestone County, Texas.

By the same, on the 25th of December last, on Horn Hill, in Limestone County, Mr. John Seawright, and Miss Pamela Biggs.

Obituaries

Robert F. Green, whereas it has pleased the supreme Architect, in His wisdom to remove by death, while away from his home on Masonic business, our Brother Robert F. Green from his earthly labors, to rest in refreshment above, therefore resolve-----, by P.D. Stockholm, Alexander Hinkle, D.K. Wingate, K.D. Keith, and C.H. Ruff. Published in the Sabine Pass Times.

Volume VII, Number 4, Thursday, August 30, 1860

Obituaries

Reverend M.C. Roberson, Masonic Lodge, Gainsville, Texas, No. 210, August 4, 1860. By Lemuel Gooding, Secretary. Signed by Andrew Cumming, William Hudson, R.F. Bostick, Isaac L. Elliot, Committee.

Mrs. Susan Cavitt, widow of the late Moses Cavitt, deceased died on the 4th inst. in the 45th year of her age. She was born in Sumner County, Tennessee and leaves five small children to mourn her.

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Mrs. Sarah Jones died in Tyler, on the 21st of July, in the 47th year of her age.

Tragan R. Ford departed this life at the residence of Dr. J.P. Hunt, in Washington County, on the 5th inst., in the 20th year of his age. He was born in Holmes County, Mississippi.

Elenor Susan Hagge, departed this life on the 3rd of August, at her husband's residence near Sherman, in the 23rd year of her age, she was the daughter of Marshall and Rachel Watland, and was united in marriage to Brother Joe Hagge, on the 27th of January, 1858. She leaves a husband and two small children and many relatives and friends.

Mrs. C. Virginia Willis, wife of Dr. T. Hayward Willis, died in the town of Liberty, Texas, August 20, 1860. Sister Willis was the daughter of Dr. Pinkney and Mary Bellinger, of Florida, of which state she was a native, she was only 21 years of age when called upon to depart from her husband and infant boy.

John Zincke, was drowned while bathing in the Brazos River, at Richmond, Texas on the 12th of August, 1860.

Volume VII, Number 5, Thursday, September 6, 1860

Marriages

By Reverend L.H. Cox, in Corpus Christi, August 22, Reverend John S. Harper, and Miss A.S. Swift, of Corpus Christi.

Obituaries

Rachel A. Graves, daughter of Page and Jane Bond, was born June 12, 1825, in Murray County, Tennessee, on January 18, 1845, she was married to Reverend H.A. Graves, then a member of the Tennessee conference. She became the mother of seven children, four of whom have been buried in different places by the wayside, on their travels in the itinerate life. By W.G. Foote, Columbia, August 24, 1860.

William H. Beeman, on the Sabbath Sunday, the 12 of July, a protracted and expressively painful illness, terminated the earthly existence of Brother William H. Beeman, one of the best of men. He was about 44 years of age. He is survived by his wife and grief stricken children.

Mrs. Frances Sandal, died at her fathers residence in Montgomery County, Texas, on July 13, 1860. Signed by Mary J. Anderson, Lucy A. Hulon, and E.A. Anderson, a comm. Danville, Montgomery County, Texas, August 24, 1860.

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Mrs. Ellen N.T. Stephenson, wife of Absalom Stephenson, and daughter of Daniel and Mary Ann Curry, was born April 4, 1839, in Montgomery County, Alabama. Died 11 of July, 1860.

Volume VII, Number 6, Thursday, September 13, 1860

Obituaries

Allen Hughes, died at the residence of Willis Clark, Henderson County, Texas on the 15th of July, 1860. He was born in Meigs County, on the 14th June, 1812, immigrated to Texas in the year 1857.

John Henry Davis, son of Robert H. and Caroline Davis, died of Measles, August 21, 1860, age 21 years, 4 months and 3 days.

Emily McDaniel, wife of Augustus McDaniel, after a few days suffering of Typhoid Pneumonia, went peaceable to Heaven, on the 22nd inst., at forty minutes past four P.M. She leaves a kind husband and four little children.

Volume VII, Number 7, Thursday, September 20, 1860

Marriages

At the residence of the bride's father, West Liberty, Texas, September 11, by the Reverend W.J. Joyce, Dr. Thomas B. Brashear and Miss Lucy Brashear.

On the 9th of September 1860, by Reverend C.J. Lane, at the residence of the bride, Mr. Albert C. Taylor, of Round Rock, Williamson County, and Mrs. Dorcus S. Palmer, of Colorado County, Texas.

On the 11th inst., by Reverend John W. Phillips, Mr. George T. Haswell, of Fayetteville, and Mrs. Susan E. Ellis, of LaGrange, Texas

Obituaries

Mrs. Mary K. Wheeler, wife of Captian J.O. Wheeler, of Victoria, Texas, died on Sunday, August 19, 1860, in New Orleans, where she had gone with the hope of recovery, from a long and painful illness. Age 37 years. Her remains were brought to Victoria, and on Tuesday, August 28, after a funeral preached by the writer, at her own request, were interred. By O.A. Fisher.

Reverend J.F. Laird, departed this life July 3, 1860. He was born in Madison County, Illinois, January 31, 1821. When he was about 10 months old, his father John Laird moved to Bedford County, Tennessee, where he remained till 1847, from thence to

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Lamar County, where he now lives.

Lucelia Ragland, daughter of Dr. Edward and Mrs. America Ragland, both deceased, died in Victoria, Texas, on Sunday, August 26, 1860, age about 9 years.

Benjamin Lynn Davis, son of Andrew and Maria S. Davis, was born August 4, 1859, and died September 1, 1860, after a brief illness.

Robert O. Milton, youngest son of Brother and Sister Milton, was born on the 21st day of September, 1859, and departed this life on the 13th of July, 1860. Navarro County.

Volume VII, Number 8, Thursday, September 27, 1860

Marriages

By the Reverend Martin W.B. McPhail, at the residence of the bride's father, near Athens, Mr. J.T. Carlisle, and Miss Harrietta C. Griffeth, all of Henderson County.

On the 6th of September by Reverend F.P. Ray, at the residence of Mr. Henry Cook, Mr. Michael Boren, and Mrs. Mary E. Carter, all of Ellis County.

On the evening of the 18th of September, by Reverend R.W. Kennon, Reverend Archibald McKinney, of Chappell Hills, and Miss Martha Nobles, of Montgomery.

Obituaries

Fannie R. Littlepage, consort of Reverend S.C. Littlepage, of the Texas conference, departed this life at the residence of the writer, in Limestone County, Texas on the evening of August 13, after an illness of 10 days. She was born in Chambers County, Alabama, in the year 1837, and immigrated with her parents Webb and Rebecca Kidd, to Louisiana, in 1848, and to Texas, in 1855. On the first day of June, 1859, was married to her now bereaved husband, she leaves a little son five weeks old.

Adaline J. Adams, daughter of Hodge and Elizabeth Adams, died of consumption at her fathers' residence in Ouachita Parish, Louisiana, on the 29th. Age 22 years, 2 weeks and 3 days.

Joseph W.H. Hamill, departed this life age 8 years and 7 months, on June 30, 1860.

Reverend Isaac Taber, on the 8th day July, we respectfully submit the following resolution-----, by T.W. Hoy, S.D. Wooldridge, and A. Richards, at Danville, Montgomery County, Texas, September 15, 1860. (This is one of those deals where the Lodge make all those resolutions, but they do not tell when they died or anything about their death.)

REDMON CEMETERY

From the intersection of US Highway 82 and Texas Highway FM-372 in Gainesville, Cooke County, Texas, 4.7 miles out on FM-372; the cemetery is on the west side of the highway behind a small feed lot; old road down side of cemetery has a locked gate; property of Mr. Bond. Copied June 21, 1980 by Y.J.Harrington of Simpsonville, S.C.

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| WRIGHT, W.E | July 8, 1859 - January 24, 1895 |
| KIDWELL, Mary B. | 1913 - 1961 |
| CAULFIELD | |
| Charlie | 1869 - 1943 |
| Bertha | 1874 - 1915 |
| Old stone outside fence.. | |
| CAULFIELD, Bertha | August 10, 1874 - February 11, 1915 |
| SHOTWELL, Ernest | 1915 - 1918 |
| SHOTWELL, Mabel | 1949 - 1953 |
| ALLMON, N. M. | April 25, 1880 - July 9, 1898 |
| BARNES, Mrs. Elizabeth | January 30, 1814-May 12, 1896 |
| born Mead County Kentucky | |
| died Gainesville Texas | |
| SHACKLETT, Susan J. Age 90 | July 15, 1830 - October 14, 1920 |
| SCHACKLETT, B. B. Age 62 years 7 months | - November 6, 1888 |
| SCHACKLETT Age 14 years 9 months | - July 10, 1886 |
| SCHACKLETT, Mollie E. | January 31, 1859-April 16, 1885 |
| J. D. husband of S. J. BURRUS | September 13, 1862-April 9, 1891 |
| Ernest son of G. W. & B. D. TATUM | Sept. 7, 1879 - November 13, 1880 |
| JOHNSON, Bertha | 1905 - 1929 |
| JOHNSON, | |
| Autie | February 10, 1888-April 1, 1969 |
| William A. | March 17, 1876-September 11, 1961 |
| FINKS, Emilia Ellen | December 17, 1861-March 25, 1944 |
| FINKS, Emilia E. dau. of A. B. and Ellen Finks | February 28, 1880-June 11, 1886 |
| FINKS, Leverie son of A. B. and Ellen Finks | August 25, 1881-December 14, 1881 |
| REDMON, J. M. | February 11, 1839-April 22, 1877 |
| REDMON, P. J. dau. of J. M. and A. Redmon | April 1, 1865 -September 5, 1867 |
| REDMON, Kesia | January 15, 1805-February 16, 1894 |
| REDMON, J. N. | May 15, 180- - September 26, 1889 |
| stone chipped | |
| EWING, M. H. | |
| EWING, W. O. | |
| NORTON, W. W. | 1875 - 1952 |
| NORTON, Laura | December 24, 1871-December 20, 1944 |
| NORTON, B. A. | October 21, 1883-November 10, 1931 |
| NORTON, Lucy Ann wife of H. W. Norton | February 18, 1845-September 5, 1914 |
| NORTON, H. W. | March 8, 1818-March 8, 1890 |
| COLLINGSWORTH, C. C. | March 25, 1813-May 20, 1859 |
| COLLINGSWORTH, Jane (stone illegible) | March 1, 1805 185- |

Zack

(stone illegible)

A. J.

(stone illegible)

GILBERT, Davis B.

April 10, 1862-December 26, 1934

PETTIGREW, Tennie Gilbert

1872 - 1942

G W B)

S K B)

J W B)

C F B)

D P B)

Albert)

long row of small white stones

BRYANT

G W

1847 - 1858

S K

1842 - 1870

C F

1849 - 1876

J W

1856 - 1873

D P

1854 - 1881

Children of J A and N Bryant

BRYANT, Nancy

1816 - 1873

BRYANT, J. A.

1808 - 1878

BRYANT, Austin Q.

January 6, 1853 - August 1, 1904

BREEDING, Mollie A. wife

of B. D. MALONE

August 28, 1859-May 17, 1885

Anise wife of

W. W. CLENDON

October 4, 1847-September 22, 1901

DUSTON, Eva

March 15, 1883-April 11, 1883

DUSTON, C. E.

July 27, 1876-June 2, 1890

DUSTON, Myrtle

February 22, 1884-December 26, 1887

LATHAM, Rolan R.

July 11, 1873 - June 18, 1896



WILLOW POINT CEMETERY

The cemetery is now a short distance east of the first Willow Point Cemetery then known as the S. G. Evitts private cemetery, it was moved because of so many rocks at the site of the first. The present Willow Point Cemetery is now located east of the old town of Willow Point on the Doyle Shepherd place or back of the Cheves place. Copied by Mrs. Homer L. Roper and Donald Hensley.

Six graves marked with rocks. Wise County, Texas.

BLOODWORTH, T. O. Died March 22, 1885, aged 19 years, 10 Mo. 3 days.

ALLEN, M. L. - September 20, 1872 - February 11, 188-

OSMAN, T. R. November 1, 1877 - January 18, 1880

OSMAN, Johnie L. - Born October 31, 1873

ROBERTS, Italy Ernest G. - Nov. 24, 1865-Feb. 20, 1880

Aged 14 years, 2 Mos. and 27 days.

WOODALL, J. J. and N. E. - May 23, 1878 - June 22, 1880

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Book Reviews

by PATRICIA CHADWELL

Note from your reviewer: A compiler, who submitted a book for review recently, took exception to a bit of constructive criticism in an otherwise favorable review and demanded the return of the book. While I do not expect a repetition of this occurrence, I want to make perfectly clear that reviews in FOOTPRINTS will be done exactly like the reviews I do for professional journals: that is, they will be critical reviews. I will praise where I can legitimately do so, but where books fall short of acceptable standards, I will note the problems. Books submitted for review become the property of the Fort Worth Genealogical Society and are placed in the Genealogy and Local History Department. Cataloging a book is no small expense on the library's part; we will not return a book which has been cataloged for any reason.

The Society has a policy of giving either a review or an advertisement for each new book sent to it. Those who are unwilling to submit their work to critical review should take the advertisement. P.C.

Covington, Mildred Lerlene Rowell. The Fore Family.
 Burleson, Texas: Privately published, 1979.

Mrs. Covington presents here the ancestors and descendants of Perry Davis Fore, beginning with Richard Fore of Marion County, S.C.

Her work is distinguished by a numbering system so simple that relationships are crystal clear, and by an abundance of documentation. Perhaps the most interesting thing about the book is that it is truly a labor of love. The Fores are not Mrs. Covington's ancestors, but those of a family with whom she lived following the death of her father in the great flu epidemic in 1918.

The book is well-indexed. Some allied families include Allen, Bethea, Box, Eddings, Griffith, Koonce, Lee, Morris, Murrell, Pentecost, Peterson, Rogers, Watson and Williams.

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Fox, Larry D. and Magdalene E. The Hartsell Connection. Sevierville, Tenn. The authors (Route 3, Beal Woods, Sevierville, TN 37862) 1980. \$15.00

The book begins with a quote from George Bernard Shaw, which we have never run across before "If you cannot get rid of the family skeleton, you may as well make it dance" and in their preface, the authors point out, and aptly so, that the work is a skeleton.

It is a skeleton because no documentation whatever is included: basically, it is a list of names with dates of birth, marriage and death, sometimes accompanied by the place of each event, and occasionally by an explanatory note, but with nary a citation to any primary source except some family letters which are printed in the appendix. It has a good every-name index.

We can make no judgment on the quality of the research that went into the making of the book. It is no doubt valuable as a source of clues for those working on this family, but should be kept firmly in the tradition column until the researcher has gathered the primary source documentation to prove each line.

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Journal of the Afro-American Historical and Genealogical Society.
Number 1, Summer 1980. With membership in the society, \$25.00 per annum. Order from the Society, Box 13086, T Street Station, Washington, D.C. 20009.

A society like this one has been needed for many years. James D. Walker is President, and Marcia J. Eisenberg editor of the Journal.

In his opening message, Walker states "The Afro-American Historical and Genealogical Society, an organization of historians, genealogists, sociologists and others, black and white, has been formed to provide knowledge, training, and an exchange of information about black Americans; personal, family, and other history."

If succeeding issues are as good as this first one, that purpose should be achieved. Number 1 includes a lengthy, beautifully documented article on George W. Latimer, a fugitive slave whose plight was instrumental in changing the fugitive slave laws; Kentucky marriage records produced by the Freedmen's Bureau, with an introduction by James D. Walker; Book Reviews; Queries, and a delightful poem Shadows, which will appeal to all genealogists.

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Massey, Judge Frank A. Massey on Censuses. Fort Worth, Texas: the author 1980. (Order from Judge Massey, Civil Courts Building, Fort Worth, Texas 76102). \$30.00

This reviewer has watched this book grow over many years as Judge Massey combed microfilms in the Genealogy Department at the Fort Worth Public Library searching for Masseys and any variation of that name. In many cases, he has been able to tie the persons listed to specific Massey lines, and has so indicated by the use of symbols accompanying the name.

Masseys on Censuses is a companion to Massey Families in America and Massey Genealogy Addendum. If I were a Massey, Macy, Macey, Mace, Marcey, Mossey, Mercy, Mosey, Mussey, or any one of the many other spelling variations of the name, I'd want all three.

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Ericson, Carolyn Reeves. The People of Nacogdoches in the Civil War. Nacogdoches, Texas: the author, 1980. \$27.45 (Order from the author, 1614 Rosebud Street, Nacogdoches, TX 75961).

If Carolyn Ericson does it, we know that it will be good. This current addition to records of Nacogdoches County is an alphabetical directory of men who served in the Civil War, or their widows who drew land grants or pensions following their demise. It was compiled from muster rolls, cemetery records, pension applications, Confederate land grants, Confederate Home Records, Confederate Mortuary Warrants, and family records.

A number of pictures of veterans are included. An entry for an individual may range from only the unit from which he served to dates and places of birth and death, place of burial, name of spouse, account of service, number of pension, and miscellaneous comments.

The 1864 act for relief of Confederate dependents, and a list of those eligible in Nacogdoches County are included as an appendix.

Mrs. Ericson has had the book bound in first class library binding, which should gladden the hearts of all genealogical librarians who purchase it (and we do heartily).

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Wetzel, Hazel Ellis. Rural Cemetery Inscriptions, Brown County, Texas. Brownwood, Texas: the author, n.d. (Order from the author, 3618 Fourth St., Brownwood, Texas 76891).

Cheers to Mrs. Wetzel for undertaking this enormous labor of love in copying more than 10,000 cemetery inscriptions and making them available to those who cannot make it to Brown County to look for them themselves.

This book is a model for those who are interested in similar undertakings. It includes a map of the county with locations of the cemeteries marked and a list of abbreviations used to identify special stones; and the directions to each individual cemetery preface the list of those buried there, which is in the approved order of the way the graves appear from the northwest corner. If you're interested in Brown County, we recommend this one without reservation.

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Here's the first exception to the rule about critical reviews. I cannot review this book critically because I am too closely involved in it, so the following review is descriptive.

Samuels, Nancy Timmons and Barbara Roach Knox. Old Northwest Texas: Historical-Statistical-Biographical. Volume I, Parts A & B. Navarro County, 1846-1860. Fort Worth, Texas: Fort Worth Genealogical Society, 1980. \$50.00 plus \$2.00 postage and handling (Texas Residents, \$2.50 sales tax).

Volume I of Old Northwest Texas, a project twelve years in the making is titled Navarro County, but takes in counties which came

out of Navarro County during the period covered: these include Hill, Ellis, Johnson, Tarrant, Parker, and Palo Pinto.

The first 189 pages of the book are given over to a comprehensive history of the area and meticulous bibliographical notes as to sources used to compile the history. Twenty-three maps illustrate this section.

The chapter headings in *Part One* should give a good idea of the contents: I. Background of Navarro County; II. The Texas Land System; III. The Mercer Colony West of the Trinity; IV. Early Settlements; V. Fort Graham, Fort Worth and the Indian Frontier; VI. Development of Navarro County; VII. Early Voting Precincts; VIII. Early Roads and Road Precincts; IX. Early Post Offices; X. Early Churches; XI. Navigation on the Trinity. Chapter II, The Texas Land System, is the clearest explanation of that confusing subject we have ever seen.

Volume I, Part A, Part Two consists of the Population schedules for 1850 and 1860. The schedules are prefaced with a description of the taking of the census for each of the two years, including the route taken by William Hogan, who took the census in 1850, since, unlike the 1860, Post Office for the resident was not an item recorded.

A list of the heads of household for each year, in the order in which they appear in the census records is followed by "An Alphabetical Listing of Families and Surnames" for 1850 and then 1860. Each household is shown as it appeared on the census; persons with surnames other than that of the head of household are also shown separately with a key to the household in which they were living.

Volume I-B is made up of biographical sketches of residents of Navarro County compiled from the many sources of information which have been gathered over the years of the project. These include marriages, tax rolls, probate and deed listings, cemetery records and biographical and genealogical records from diverse sources.

Appendices include a list of participants in the Battle Creek or Surveyors' Fight, 1838; Ralph H. Barksdales' report on the Peters Colony Settlers; Navarro County Tax Rolls 1846-49; Petition for Removal of Seat of Government to Richland Settlement; Correspondence of William Nicks Anderson of Mercer's Colony; Names drawn for juries 1849 and 1850; Statistical data for 1850 census of Navarro County; Slave Schedules, 1850; Mortality Schedules, 1850; Social Statistics of Navarro County, 1850; Petition for removal of land office to Corsicana, 1851; Citizens of Navarro 1850, who were in another county in 1860; Statistical data from 1860 censuses; Slave Schedules, 1860; Mortality Schedules, 1860 and Social Statistics, 1860.

These appendices are followed by an extensive bibliography and list of sources, and a full-name index. *Volume I of Old Northwest Texas* was bound in two parts because its 863 pages would

have made a single volume too cumbersome to use and too fragile to hold up to use. The two parts were printed by offset and sturdily bound in a light blue cloth binding.



BUFFALO SPRINGS CEMETERY

Take Highway 16 north out of Comanche, Texas; at the community of Downing, turn right on FM Highway 2318. Go about five miles and there is a blue water tank on the right and a rock placque for Buffalo Springs Mobile Home Park. Buffalo Springs Cemetery is to the left of FM 2318 on a dirt road through a peanut field. The cemetery is in a grove of trees. Copied by Lou Westfall, 5937 Ave. Ft. Worth, Texas in December 1980.

LULA BELL
dau of W. H. & L. C. WILKERSON
b. Oct. 23, 1915
d. Dec. 6, 1915

MARY HARRIS
b. 1889
d. 1980

J. P. HARRIS
b. 1887
d. 1952

PAULINE HARRIS
b. July 30, 1911
d. September 28, 1914

BABIES OF J. P. & M. R. HARRIS
(No dates)

MELVIN I.
son of J. C. & CLEMMIE DAVIS
b. Sept. 14, 1918
d. Jan. 9, 1919

ELIZABETH
wife of J. C. HARRIS
b. Jan. 15, 1849
d. Feb. 4, 1949

J. C. HARRIS
b. Aug. 3, 1849
d. Nov. 23, 1907

CHARLES LEE RUFUS CHURCHWELL
b. Feb. 2, 1889
d. Jan. 13, 1906

GIRUDA P.
wife of C. W. CHURCHWELL & W. F.
RAMBO
b. 1864 d. 1941

C. W. CHURCHWELL
b. 1853
d. 1888

NORA
wife of W. H. BROWN
b. Aug. 12, 1879
d. Mar. 6, 1904

ERNEST DWIGHT
son of MR. & MRS. EDGAR BRINSON
b. September 7, 1930
d. Jan. 14, 1932

J. C. L. BRINSON
b. Mar. 12, 1860
d. June 17, 1941

MARY A.
wife of J. C. L. BRINSON
b. Dec. 31, 1866
d. Oct. 18, 1928

Infant dau. of
MR. AND MRS. J. C. L. BRINSON
b. Feb. 25, 1907
d. Feb. 25, 1907

ROCH

MIRL ROCH
b. September 25, 1891
d. June 11, 1969

MIKE A. ROCH
b. January 14, 1886
d. October 8, 1945

MARY LOU HANSON
b. January 3, 1933
d. February 11, 1933

W. A. GILL
b. June 28, 1843
d. June 12, 1889

GEORGE W. HANSON
b. August 28, 1874
d. March 21, 1952

FANNIE ROZELLA GILL
b. 1850
d. 1878

Infant son of
MR. & MRS. F. GILL
b. October 12, 1914
d. October 12, 1914

W. A. GILL
son of W. A. & F. R. GILL
b. July 9, 1867
d. August 1, 1876

JOHN W. TAYLOR
b. July 28, 1880
d. May 21, 1917

FANNIE GILL
dau. of W. A. & F. R. GILL
b. March 20, 1877
d. March 20, 1877

S. E. TAYLOR
wife of J. A. TAYLOR
b. May 19, 1842
d. December 10, 1904

SARAH A. CARLINGTON
b. 1832
d. 1884

J. A. TAYLOR
b. April 22, 1839
d. October 27, 1902

A. S.
son of W. S. & S. A. CARLINGTON
b. January 24, 1855
d. August 11, 1891

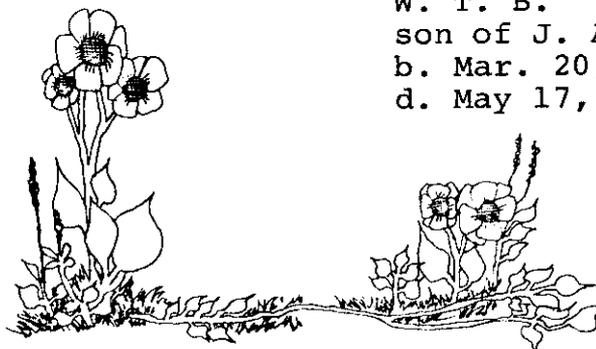
CLARA ALICE REED
b. November 28, 1874
d. April 6, 1920

Infant son of
W. T. B. TAYLOR & A. D. TAYLOR
b. October 14, 1888
d. October 14, 1888

NOLA B. REED
dau. of G. O. & C. A. REED
b. September 6, 1879
d. February 23, 1900

J. B.
son of W. T. B. & A. D. TAYLOR
b. October 1891
d. October 1891

W. T. B.
son of J. A. & S. E. TAYLOR
b. Mar. 20, 1862
d. May 17, 1890



ABSTRACTS OF GENEALOGICAL INTEREST FROM GAMMEL'S LAWS OF TEXAS,
MEMORIALS AND PETITIONS TO CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC OF
TEXAS AND THE SENATE JOURNALS OF TEXAS

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(Continued from Volume 24, No. 1)

GL - Gammel's Laws

M/P - Memorial or Petition

SJ - Senate Journal

1:3 - First number is volume, second is book

January 14, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 44]

Joint resolution for relief of W. C. White and Company \$2237.

January 15, 1839 [GL Volume 2 page 44]

Joint resolution for relief of Thomas William Ward, Major of the infantry for service from May 18, 1836 to December 18, 1837.

January 15, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 47]

Joint resolution for relief of Col. James Smith, Capt. of Cavalry for service from April 11, 1836 to May 6, 1836, for September 5, 1836 was Inspector General and to November 1st as Colonel of Cavalry.

January 10, 1839 [GL 2, page 41]

An Act to legitimize the heirs of Dr. Joseph Manning and Elizabeth E. Manning, namely Mary, Ann, Richard P, Elizabeth, and Francis and for their property to be equally divided when all of age.

January 10, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 38]

An act to change name of John Finley Callier to Roberts and that John S. Roberts be allowed to adopt him and make him his heir.

December 19, 1838 [GL Vol. 2 page 45]

Petition for divorce Sophia Aughenbaugh from Jesse A. Aughenbaugh.

1838 [M/P no date]

Certification that he is entitled to consideration by Congress. He participated in the campaign in 1835, entered the town of Bexar and took part in its reduction.

January 23, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 79]

Joint resolution for relief of A. J. Yates for \$1759 for services rendered the government as agent.

January 9, 1839 [M/P]

George W. Fisher asking that a divorce be granted from his wife Elizabeth Fisher, formerly Davis of Mississippi. He has lived in Texas since 1830 and rendered service. His wife is a citizen of the United States and refuses to come to Texas.

January 15, 1839 [M/P]

Nathaniel Townsend asking for impartial investigation of his sudden removal as Commission Consul for the Government at the Port of New Orleans.

January 17, 1839 [M/P]

Jarrett Ridgeway of Robertson County, Texas requests an account audit, claimant sold corn to Major Bonnell, has not been paid.

January 15, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 49]

Joint resolution for relief of Manassah Sevey and to change his name to William Sevey.

January 15, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 49]

Joint resolution for relief of Lee C. Smith, Captain of Cavalry and to issue land certificate.

January 15, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 49]

Joint resolution for relief of Louis P. Cooke for services as officer of the Republic.

January 15, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 50]

Joint resolution for relief of Dr. S. Booker for services for 6 months, 23 days as surgeon in the army of Texas.

January 15, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 50]

Joint resolution for relief of William H. Wharton, late Minister Plenipotentiary to United States, not to exceed \$5,000. He was injured during imprisonment and escape from Matamoras and died March 1839.

January 19, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 54]

Joint resolution for relief of James R. Cooke in amount of \$514.41.

January 19, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 54]

Joint resolution for relief of William H. Monroe and Noah Smithwick and certificate for each of 1280 acres. Signed by William H. Moore, Capt. of Rangers.

January 19, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 55]

Joint resolution for relief of Byrd Lockhart to pay interest on four certificates of stock he purchased for \$100 each, in the amount of \$40.

January 19, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 55]

Joint resolution for relief of L. M. Hitchcock for \$9,293 - interest 10% per annum from January 18, 1838 forward and sum of \$1500 damages.

January 19, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 57]

Joint resolution for relief of A. P. Walden for \$100.

January 19, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 58]

Joint resolution for relief of John Matthews for \$215 for two mules and yoke of oxen given the army in 1836.

January 19, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 58]

Joint resolution for relief of John White and two certificates for land, providing that he move to the Republic and become a citizen.

[To be continued]

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Queries

Edited by Merle Ganier

MAYS, MORGAN, BENNETT, COLLINS, WOOLEY, MILLER, WARD, JONES, EVANS

Seeking information on children of Andrew Green Mays, born 1829, Georgia, and wife, Mary Morgan, born 1829. Children: John Aquilla, born 1837; Sarah Ann Virginia 1840, married Jacob Samuel Bennett; Juliet Granville 1842; Seaborn Jones 1844; Moses Thomas 1846; Harriet America 1852, married Wiley Mays; Andrew Green, Jr. 1854; Felix Benjamin Randol 1864; Martha Sophonia 1862, married Lilly Collins; Goergia Indiana 1866, married Columbus Wooley; Frances Jane 1867; Mary 1869; and Willie Hade 1872, married _____ Miller.

Who was Andrew G. Mays who married Susan M. G. Ward 4 September 1819? Andrew Green Mays was son of John Mays and Sarah Jones. John was a son of William C. Mays. He had about twelve children, and I know only of William C., Jr., and Permelia Jane, who married Rev. James Evans. Who were the other children? Is Andrew Mays who married Susan Ward a son of William and brother of John? Exchange information.

Mrs. Larry L. Henderson, Rt. 3, Box 176-J, Denison TX 75020
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GOLDSMITH, CREEL, PRICE, BRAZLETON, CASWELL

Researching the above names...will exchange.

Betty J. Goldsmith, 4919 Center St., Houston TX 77007
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OWENS, TURMAN, HULEN

John Robert Owens, born circa 1818, Tennessee, married circa 1837, Tennessee, Rhoda Turman, born 1820, North Carolina. They came to Texas about 1850. In the 1860 census of Lamar County are Rhoda and five children, but no husband. Can't locate them in either Texas or Tennessee in 1850. Children: Archibald, born 1843; Aaron born 1847; Elizabeth, 1849; Robert, 1851; and Hulda, 1853. The first three children were born in Tennessee, the latter two in Texas. There may have been four older children born in Tennessee: Charles, Nelson, Maude and James. John Robert must have died between 1853 and 1865, because his youngest child was born in 1853, and Rhoda remarried in 1865 to Thomas Hulen.

Mrs. Robbye I. Grove, 9209 Westhill Road, Lakeside CA 92040
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McCLASKEY

Searching for McClaskey family in Texas.

Carol McClaskey, 545 Hansen #7, Idaho Falls, ID 83401
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DRODDY, DRUDE, DORDY

Would like to contact any members or descendants of the above families from West Virginia said to be living in Fort Worth.

Margaret Drody Thompson, 4528 Wyndale Ave.SW, Roanoke VA 24018
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RAWSON, CHAPIN, TAFT

Wish to correspond with anyone having Rawson, Chapin, or Taft ancestry. Especially interested in Rawson.

Mrs. T. A. Franks, Jr., 509 Weaver Ave., Fort Worth TX 76114
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POWELL, WARD, RENFRO, COX, HAVINS, FARRELL, HERRINGTON, WHITE, POLNAC, CLARK, BROWN, JONES

Henry Clay Powell, born 1842, North Carolina, married ca 1856, Louisiana, Nancy Alice Ward, born 1842, Louisiana. Children: Alzenith M., married Renfro; Lewis Sylvester, married Edna-----; Francius H., married Joe Cox in Hamilton County; Caroline Eliza, married (1) A. F. Havins in Hamilton County, (2) Ace Farrell; Alice Elizabeth, married Herrington; William Henry, married Mattie White; John Edward; Sarah Belle, married Polnac; all born Louisiana; my father, Albert Mathew, born 1887, and Robert Lee, both born in Texas. Henry Clay and Nancy Alice died 1892 in Hamilton County. Nancy's parents were Daniel L. Ward and Caroline Alzenith, born Louisiana. She had a brother, William F., who married Sarah Clark in Louisiana, and a sister, Fanny. Were there other children in the Ward family?

Albert Mathew Powell married Lucinda Pearl Jones 1909, Cleveland County, Oklahoma. Lived Erath and Clay counties, Texas, 1912 to 1922. Children: Millie Lee, Albert Daniel, Sylvester, Artie M., and Nella Vee. Does anyone remember any of these people?

Artie Powell McDonald, 23582 N. Bryant Rd., Acampo CA 95220
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EMPFIELD

Family tradition says that the Empfield family was of German descent. George Empfield was a miller in Brushvalley Twp., Indiana County, Pennsylvania in the early 1800's. Did any Empfields come to Texas? Will exchange.

Theodore J. Williams, 208 Chippewa St., East Lafayette IN 47906
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BLOCKER, GRAHAM

Seeking information on death date and burial of Michael B. Blocker, born 1794, Edgefield County, South Carolina, married Mary "Polly" Ann Graham 1815, Madison County, Georgia; in Tuscaloosa County, Alabama, 1830 census; Perry County, Alabama, 1840 and 1850 census. According to dates and places in census, were in Alabama as early as 1820. Mary Ann was in Hale County, Alabama, 1870 census living with a daughter, but has not been located in the 1860 census. Some think that Michael died in 1859, but proof is desired. Also need information on parents of this couple.

Melba C. Woodson, 1801 Glen Valley, Irving TX 75061

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KNIGHT, DECKARD

Need information on Jessie Jackson Knight, born 1854 Alabama. Married 1880, Eustacia Bell White, born 1861. Children: (all born Alabama) Lillie, 1881, Thomas Clinton 1885, Essie Lee 1887, Daisy 1892, Verda Huey 1894. Were in Hopkins County, Texas, 1900. Parents of J. J. Knight born in Georgia. Verda Huey married John Warner Deckard 1913, Hopkins County, Texas. Will exchange.

Mrs. Joann Deckard, 1501 South Parkway, Mesquite, TX 75149

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GRACE, CULPEPER, POPE, WHITLEY

Need information on Elkanah Grace and Martha B. Culpeper, married in Kentucky 1826. Came from Ballard County, Kentucky, to Denton County, Texas, with part of their family about 1854. A son, George W., shown in the 1880-1900 census of Milam and Bell counties, Texas married Mary Ann Pope Whitley about 1875. Would like to know the date and place. If anyone is searching these names, please write. Will exchange and answer all letters.

Mrs. J. W. Gaskins, 152 North Bailey, Fort Worth TX 76107

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CARR

Searching for information on my great-grandfather, Charles McDonner Carr, born 1830, Buffalo, New York, and his wife, Sarah Elizabeth _____, born 1843, Alabama. Children: John Middleton 1868, Simeon B. 1872, Sarah Elizabeth 1876, Patience Elemsley 1878, and Charles McDonner Carr, Jr., in Milam City, Texas. The above names were obtained from the last will and testament of Sarah Elizabeth Carr dated 11 December 1901. Also, her probate filed 20 February 1905 by Charles McDonner Carr, Jr., in Milam County. Charles and Sarah are supposed to have married some time after the Civil War started ca 1861-2 in Milam County and lived there until their deaths. Need help.

W. Frank Carr, 413 S.W. 63rd Place, Oklahoma City, OK 73139

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FARROW, KNIGHT, RUSS, TOMLINSON, LOWDY

John Madison Farrow married on 18 March 1850, as her fifth husband, Tabitha Knight, daughter of William Knight and Catherine Russ of St. Mary Parish, Louisiana. Tabitha had two sons, William Chisholm and Augustus Austin Tomlinson. Farrow had three small children, and death records of these children show Tabitha as their mother, which obviously is in error. Who was their mother? In 1839 Farrow filed for a land grant in Victoria, Texas, as a single man, his first child was born in 1841, lived in Galveston 1840-1850, moved to Houston 1860. Sons, Leroy and John Stephen, served in Civil War. Daughter, Augusta Ann, married a Lowdy. Would like to contact both Farrow and Tomlinson descendants.

Mrs. Dolly Farrow Nicol, Box 22, Port Bolivar TX 77650
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ROSS, MELTON, WEBB, WREN

Need information on parents, brothers and/or sisters of John Edward Ross I, who lived in Monroe County, Tennessee, in 1836. He married Martha Melton, daughter of Elinor and Jesse Melton circa 1836. John Edward died in Polk County 1840. Had two children, Rebecca Jane, and John Edward II, who married Martha Webb, daughter of Miriam and Pleasant Webb, also of Polk County, Tennessee. Rebecca married Joseph Abner Wren, and these families moved to Parker County, Texas, circa 1870. They settled in the New Hope Community east of Springtown. Any information will be appreciated, and will gladly exchange.

Reubena Ross Tower, 1804 Churchill Way, Oklahoma City OK 73120
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KONCAL, FRANEK, MATTAS

Looking for descendants of John Koncal. His wife's name was Pauline/Pavlina Franek, who came to Wilson, Kansas, September 1, 1900 from Bohemia, Czechoslovakia, to the home of her aunt, Mrs. Marie Franek Mattas/Matas. John and Pauline lived in Collyer, Kansas, where four children were born, before moving to Texas in the years following 1907, destination unknown.

Lillian Zvolanek, Rt. 2, Box 11A, Osborne KS 67473
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SHAW, BURFORD, HAMILTON

Seeking information on descendants of F. T. Shaw. R. H. Shaw, born 1828 Tennessee, married Mary _____, known children: Sallie, William, Robert, Frank, Ernest, Cordelia. Born 1832, Tennessee, Cordelia married F. M. Burford 1849 Hardeman County, Tennessee; known children: Frank, Jesse, Anna, Sallie, Bill or Bell. Lived Colorado County, Texas in 1880. Parents were Euphema Hamilton and Thomas Shaw.

Mrs. N. E. Houston, 4817 Old Mansfield Road, Fort Worth TX 76119
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BURKE, LEBOEUF, WAKEFIELD, COWAN

Need information on family of William Burke, born 1795, married 1823 Hempstead City, Arkansas, Francoise Eliza LeBoeuf. Son, James Thomas, born Arkansas, married 1845, Union County, Arkansas, Mariah Louisa Burke, born 1827, Union County. Both died Flatonia, Texas. When?

Robert Wakefield, born 1784, married Elizabeth Cowan, born 1790. Son, William Uzzell, born 1812, Pennsylvania, died 1854 or 1857, Texas. Where? Married Eliza Jane Cowan, born 1813, North Carolina, died 1850, Texas. Where? Will appreciate any information..

Mrs. J. S. Raybourn, 207 Wilshire Lane, Newark DE 19711

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BRADLEY, McADEN, BURTON, CRENSHAW

Would like information on James Burton Bradley, born ca 1800, Smith County, Tennessee, died ca 1835, son of Captain James and Dorothy Burton Bradley of "Oak Lawn," Dixon Springs, Tennessee. On February 5, 1828, James wed Catherine McAden, daughter of Henry and Mary Bradley McAden. There were two children, Thomas and Mary, who are believed to have wed and migrated into Texas. About 1837 Catherine married a Mr. Crenshaw.

Walter L. Bradley, 2104 Camino Real, Springdale AR 72764

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POE, MARRIS, RINGO, GIBBONS, GOODSON, MATHEWS, MATHIS

Searching for descendants of Robert Jackson and Thomas Jefferson Poe, who moved to Taylor County, Texas, ca 1895. Need names and dates of marriage for children. Also the same for brother James William Poe who settled near Stephenville, Texas ca 1895-1900.

Priscilla (Morris) Ringo made application for pension from Navarro County, Texas, 21 March 1856, as widow of William Ringo, War of 1812, who died 23 May 1852, Lowndes County, Mississippi. Who were Priscilla's parents? Where did she die? Was she in household with either of these daughters in 1860 census: Mary, wife of William Gibbons; Caroline, wife of Ezekiel Goodson; or Elizabeth Jane, wife of Ephriam Mathews (Mathis)? They possibly lived in Wharton County 1856-60.

Mrs. Lucille V. Henson, 213 Oakdale St., Pasadena TX 77506

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MULLICAN, HARPER, BRACKEN

Seeking information on the James Monroe Mullican who married Angelina Harper 1867, Ellis County, Texas. Also need Bracken data. Will exchange.

Mrs. Randall L. Jones, Rt. 2, Box 200, Ennis TX 75119

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REWARD FOR INFORMATION leading to the return of my Realistic Swinger Microfilm Reader, Serial Number 100262, taken in the burglary of my home on December 22, 1980.

Mrs. Robert W. West, 4120 Hartwood Drive, Fort Worth TX 76109
1-817-926-7332 (call collect)

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SANDERS, McPETERS

Need information on the parents of Sam Sanders, born ca 1825, Mississippi, wife Teletha _____, born ca 1827 Georgia. On 1850 census of Cherokee County, Texas, 1860 census of Kaufman County, Texas. Eldest son, Richard M. "Jock" Sanders, born ca 1846, Mississippi, married Liza A. McPeters 2 May 1866, Kaufman County, Texas, died 1927, Frost, Navarro County. Will exchange.

Mrs. Robert W. West, 4120 Hartwood Drive, Fort Worth, TX 76109

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HICKS, HIX, WEBB

Will someone search the 1900 Texas census for me? The family I'm trying to find is George Caleb or Caleb George Hicks (Hix). His wife was Survella Tennessee (Tenny) Webb. Some of the children's names are: Martha, Maybell, Elmer, Carrie, Willie, Arthur and Ruby.

Mrs. Dessie Smotherman, 8635 Oak Ave., Orangevale CA 95662

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DENNIS, MULLINS, WILLIAMS, GAUGH, RUSSELL, HOGAN, WRIGHT, LOOPER, LONG, WEBB, RAWLINS

Need birth dates and places of James H. Dennis, who died 1905 Dallas or Tarrant County, Texas, and his wife, Lee Ann Mullins. Children: Mattie Ann, born 1869, Dallas County, died July 1905, buried Shady Grove Cemetery, Grand Prairie; married William T. Williams. Leon (Bud) born 1872. Sallie, married Gaugh, born 1876. George, Myrtle, married Russell. Laura, married Hogan.

Need to know connection to Mattie Dennis and Carroll Mullins with children, son Will Mullins and daughters Frankie, Ollie and Mollie. Will married a Fannie and had daughter, Lucille Thompson. Frankie married a Wright, Ollie married Rock Looper, and Mollie married Walter Long.

I believe Dennis Road in west Dallas was named for my family. On old legal papers the following are mentioned: Ollie Rawlins, married Allie Webb; child, Whitt; Sarah, Isaac, Mabel, Allie and W. B. Dennis. How do these connect to my family? Any clue will be greatly appreciated. Will share information.

Mrs. Peggy Wilson, 1411 E. McLeod, Sapulpa OK 74066

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Have you mailed your query?

WYATT

Jim Wyatt and son, John William, lived Bethel Springs, Henderson County, Texas. Possibly owned a plantation around Dallas area in the early or mid-1800's. Would like to contact descendants, and will exchange information.

Gary J. Wyatt, Box 144, Newell IA 50568

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SMITH, CHRONISTER, McCOMMAS

Margie Ellen Chronister Smith, widow of Jacob G., lived with her children, Rosie, Lizzie, William and Jim in Fort Worth, Texas, 1892-93. Where did they live before that? Were there other Chronister families in the area? She lived on the northwest corner of Hemphill and Dashwood. In 1894 she moved to Denton County and married C. C. (Lum) McCommas.

Billie L. McMullin, 805 East Broadway, Ardmore OK 73401

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DeKERNAN, BOWMAN, SAWYER, GRICE, PRICE, ACLIN, FAULK, MANASCO, HARSTON

Need information on the following: William DeKernan, born 1815, Canada, married Sybil Ruth Bowman, died 1899, Fort Worth. Child, Florence, born 1847, Hamilton, Boone County, Kentucky, married Enoch Wilbanks Sawyer of Weakly County, Tennessee, born 1841, married 1868, Limestone County, Texas.

W. S. Grice, born 1848, married Elizabeth Jane Price 1874. Children: E. Jane, born 1841; K. Claudia, born 1875; Walter William, 1877; Anna J., 1879; Lona, 1884. Also Frank Grice, born 1843, Salem, Illinois.

Hubert Canada and Benjamin Calvin Aclin. Charlotte, Jonathan Nero, and Joseph Faulk. Helen, Jeremiah E., and James Manasco.

Andrew J. Harston, born 1829, Illinois; Elvira, Nancy, John and James Issac Harston ca 1829 through 1849. Bennett Harston born Germany ca 1810. Will exchange.

Lillian Harston Newmann, 617 Ridgecrest Circle #116, Saginaw TX 76179

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CUMBIE

Need information on the Cumbie family prior to their settlement in Alabama and Georgia. I understand that a Mr. Cumbie in the Dallas-Fort Worth area has completed a genealogy of the Cumbie family in America. Does anyone have a knowledge of him or his address?

Mrs. John A. McCrary, 4100 Lexington Ave., Jacksonville FL 32210

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MILLER, ATHERTON, ATHELSTON, HANKS, DANIEL, RINGO, HILL, MAUK

James Lemon Miller, son of John Hanks and Cordelia Frances Atherton/Athelston, born 1830, Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, died 1881, Duncanville, Texas, Civil War veteran. Married 1854, Mt. Sterling, to Mary Margaret Daniel, daughter of Rev. Ellison Armistead Daniel and Frances Ringo, born 1830, Mt. Sterling, died 1880 Duncanville. Both buried Daniel Cemetery, Duncanville. Parents of: Cordelia Frances, married Hill; Mary Elizabeth, married Mauk; Anable; Henry, James Lemon, Jr.; Ellison; and Robert Preston. Baptists. Will answer any SASE.

Mrs. Jenna V. Stephenson Ownbey, 1115 Bell Avenue, Amarillo TX 79106
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KIRKSEY, CHESHIRE

Need names of parents of West Harris Kirksey, born 1808/09, North Carolina, married Sopiiah Cheshire, born 1808, North Carolina. Children: William F., born Butts County, Georgia 1826; Elijah S.; R.E. (E.S. or E.T.); Eliza; Elizabeth M.; John W.; Mary A.; Louisa and Ann. Who were the children of Elisha S. Kirksey, son of Christopher Kirksey? Between 1825 and 1830 land transactions were recorded in Butts County for Elisha S., but no will or estate records have been found. Have information on the father of Sophia Cheshire of Bladen County, North Carolina. Some of these Kirkseys came to Texas. Will exchange.

Mrs. Bobbie Meyer von Bremen, 500 Whippoorwill Rd., Albany GA 31707
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COLLINS, MCGINNISS

Almarine Collins, born 1871, and Green B. Collins, born 1877, sons of Zachariah Collins and Nancy Susan McGinniss, left Adair County, Kentucky, for Texas. Would appreciate any information.

Mrs. June Powell Orton, 1020 Richmond, Yukon OK 73099
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MAYO, HAWKINS, MAYFIELD, LANGSTON, GIBBS, HENDERSON, THOMPSON, REASONER, JAMES, BLUE

William W. Mayo, born 1816, married Sarah Hawkins, born 1812, in Stewart County, Georgia, traveled to Ellis County, Texas. Their children lived in Burnet and Palo Pinto counties. Children married Mayfield, Langston, Gibbs, Henderson, Thompson and Blue. Would like to exchange data with any descendants.

William Reasoner (1796-1870) married Mary Jane James (1797-1880+) in Bullitt County, Kentucky, died Erath County, Texas. Most of their seven children lived in Jack, Palo Pinto and Erath counties. Would like to exchange data with any descendants.

Mrs. J. O Agee, Box 444, Duncanville TX 75116
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McCARVER

Seeking information on the death record of Mrs. Jeannie McCarver, born 19 May 1788, died 28 October 1863, wife of John McCarver. She is buried in Olney Cemetery, Gaston County, Gastonia, North Carolina. I found this record on file in the North Carolina Archives. Would like to exchange information with descendants.

Mrs. Raymond Harrison Bostick, 6914 Scotsdale Drive, San Antonio TX 78209

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LEE, CAMMER, CAMBRE, CAMBER, KAMMER, FURMAN

Mary Jane Lee, born 1817, North Carolina, came to Selma, Alabama, married Benjamin W. Cammer in Tuscaloosa 1849. Was the name "Cammer" originally English, "Camber, Cambre", or were they German and named "Kammer" perhaps? One brother went to New York, one to Texas and one to Charleston. Margaret married the grandson of Dr. Richard Furman, D.D., of First Baptist Church of Charleston. I am writing the story of Margaret and Richard in Alabama.

Miss Sara Walls, 1616 2nd Ave., Tuscaloosa AL 35401

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BUCKALEW-CHAMPION

A genealogy is being compiled on the Buckalew and Champion families. Information about Texas descendants of these two families will be greatly appreciated. Will exchange.

Norma C. Miller, 2 Evergreen Circle, DeKalb IL 60115

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HENDRIX, PACE, BELL, BRITTAIN, WALKER, POSEY

Need information, death date and place, names of children for Larkin Hendrix, born ca 1810 North Carolina. Married Elizabeth Pace. When? Where? Are not on any 1850 census index. In 1860 are on census of Wood County, Texas, with two children in household: Payton, born 1843 Georgia, Sarah born ca 1851 Texas. Will exchange.

Montgomery Bell, born 1787, North Carolina, married in Buncombe County, North Carolina (marriages lost), to Comfort Brittain, born ca 1797. Are on the 1850 census of Cherokee County, North Carolina with sons: Montgomery M.L., born ca 1832, Macon County, North Carolina; James C., born ca 1834, Georgia; William B.B., born ca 1839, Georgia. Have been told that some of these sons came to Texas. Where? When? In Bells of U.S.A., by G. G. Bell, 1977, she states that Montgomery and Comfort Bell had daughters: Louisa, died 1880, DeKalb County, Georgia, married Judge H. H. Walker; and Susan died 1896, Bartow County, Georgia, married a Posey. Need verification of this.

Mrs. Shirley B. Cawyer, PO Box 164, Stephenville TX 76401

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ADMINISTRATIONS OF ESTATES OF PERSONS WHO DIED INTESTATE

Taken from the Old Index to the Probate Minutes of Wise County, Texas, by Catherine Troxell Gonzalez. In many cases these old records contain more information than might be found in a will. These records are from the index and the dates given are the dates on which the estate was filed for administration. The date of death of the person can sometimes be found within the estate papers, plus proof of heirships and other pertinent information.

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| March 1882 | W. E. Akin | Chas. D. Cates |
| Jan. 1883 | Chas. Adair | not named |
| 1 Feb. 1900 | C. E. Allen | S. E. Allen |
| 16 Jan 1902 | R. F. Aaron | Mary F. Aaron |
| 23 Oct 1902 | W. W. Alexander | M. A. Alexander |
| 29 Dec 1902 | H. F. Anderson | M. A. Anderson |
| 2 Dec 1903 | Gus Anderson | F. J. Ford |
| 9 Dec 1905 | A. E. Allen | C. D. Cates |
| 30 Oct 1889 | W. R. Anderson | J. T. Leggett |
| 6 Jan 1890 | J. J. Alred | J. M. Portwood |
| Oct 1890 | Wm. R. Anderson | C. D. Grissom |
| 7 Nov 1893 | J. S. Anderson | Wm. Anderson |
| 14 Feb 1906 | Silas F. Atkinson | H. B. Atkinson |
| Jan 1882 | Benj. Booth | Rufus Booth |
| Mar 1882 | James Block | H. D. Donald |
| May 1882 | Jas. G. Brooks | J. M. Holmes |
| 2 Jun 1882 | W. W. Bardy | not named |
| Jul 1882 | Wm. Bonner | Saul L. Bouvex |
| Sep 1882 | A. M. Barrick | Jno. Barrick |
| Jul 1883 | R. K. Bryan | A. A. Vam Meter |
| Nov 1883 | Asa A. Brown | W. P. Brown |
| 29 Dec 1883 | J. G. Boyd | Nancy R. Boyd |
| 23 Jan 1884 | A. A. Brown | W. P. Brown |
| 23 Jan 1884 | S. Bowman | Elias Caldwell |
| 25 Feb 1884 | Jno. Barrick | E. H. Barrick |
| 27 Mar 1884 | Jno. L. Biggers | A. A. Biggers |
| 28 Jul 1884 | A. M. Barrick | Charles Verne |

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| 21 Jan 1885 | Mattie O. Baker | Thos. J. Baker |
| 22 Jul 1885 | T.S. Burton | J. M. Burton |
| 2 Dec 1885 | Lucinda Bradford | A. G. Bradford |
| 23 Jul 1886 | Margaret Barker | L. B. Barker |
| 21 Dec 1886 | Evelyn E. Booth | J. W. Booth |
| 16 Feb 1887 | Adesta Boone | J. W. Boone |
| 20 Jul 1887 | Elijah Beard | D. F. & D. W. Wright |
| 16 Oct 1889 | Mary E. Blockably | Geo. Blackably |
| 11 Dec 1888 | F. L. Beville | Augie Beville |
| 9 Jan 1889 | J. W. Booth | W. H. Cundiff and W. H. Bullock |
| 7 Oct 1891 | Geneva L. Bedsoe | Geo. W. Watkins |
| 3 Jul 1889 | Geo. A. Broaderick | Jacob Cobb |
| 1889 | Spencer Bayne | W.P.K. Kincannon and H. D. Bayne |
| Jan 1890 | Cora A. Brown | E. T. Brown |
| Jul 1890 | M. F. Brown | J. W. Brown |
| 22 Sep 1890 | A. P. Brown | T. W. Brown |
| 23 Dec 1891 | J. E. Barr | M. L. Barr |
| 7 Jul 1893 | T. C. Brandenburg | G. H. Brandenburg |
| 3 Jan 1894 | W. W. Brady | J. R. Davenport |
| 3 Jan 1894 | Absolam Bishop | Emma A. Blyther |
| 30 Dec 1893 | Mary F. Bruner | Peter V. Bruner |
| Feb 1894 | Jno. Bailey | Christopher C. Helm |
| 1894 | Fannie Bird | H. Bird |
| Apr 1895 | Eva Beck | E. H. Beck |
| Jul 1895 | J. F. Bagley | M. E. Bagley |
| 29 Jul 1895 | Charles C. Buckland | John A. Donald |
| 4 Nov 1895 | J. T. Barkwell | Mary Barkwell |
| 19 Oct 1897 | M. T. Bazne | A. L. Bazne |
| Jul 1898 | C. B. Blackburn | J. Y. Jones |
| Apr 1898 | B. F. Banks | W. H. Bullock |
| Oct 1898 | J. A. Barnes | J. W. Moore |
| Oct 1898 | Samuel M. Bennett | Laura B. Bennett |
| 1899 | J. S. Ball | Benj. B. Ball |

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| 5 Jul 1899 | A. L. Barkwell | C. W. Kelsey |
| 5 Jul 1899 | A. C. Beaty | J. T. Beaty |
| 13 Oct 1900 | Theodosia Bridges | R. P. Bridges |
| Jan 1901 | H. L. Boyd | Ella Boyd |
| 2 Mar 1901 | J. A. Barrick | Eri Barrick |
| 15 Jan 1902 | R. P. Boone | Sophonra Boone |
| 23 Oct 1901 | Luther Bryan | Carrie Bryan |
| 23 Mar 1902 | Carrie C. Butler | Chas. O. Barton and Maybelle Barton |
| 19 Sep 1902 | Lou Baxter | J. A. Baxter |
| 10 Nov 1902 | S. N. Barker | Belle Barker |
| 18 Mar 1903 | I. E. Byars | E. W. Byars |
| 20 Jan 1903 | Earl Byars | E. W. Byars |
| 8 Aug 1904 | Amanda Baker | J. F. Baker |
| 2 Sep 1904 | Jennie Brock | Stuart Miller |
| 22 Jul 1905 | B. B. Barton | Edith S. Barton |
| 29 Aug 1905 | Hugh Bickham | Mahaly Bickham |
| 20 Nov 1905 | Maggie Bradford | J. W. Bradford |
| 13 Jan 1906 | G. E. Bates | M. J. Bates |
| 7 Jun 1905 | C. A. Bartholomew | Marcus Robinson |
| 18 Sep 1906 | C. W. Brock | J. G. Brock |
| 1882 | I. H. Cunningham | D. M. Barrick |
| Jan 1883 | Sarah Clement | Riley Clement |
| Jan 1885 | W. H. Carr | J. A. Watkins |
| 21 Jul 1886 | John Crutchfield | G. B. Pickett |
| 28 Dec 1886 | J. J. Clayton | M. E. Kolb |
| 22 Mar 1888 | Luella Cobb | D. A. Cobb |
| Jan 1890 | Fannie Calwell | W. T. Calwell |
| 18 Feb 1890 | Louis Scribner | T. M. Jeter |
| 29 Apr 1890 | Mary L. Cannon | W. O. Cannon |
| 12 Sep 1890 | Margaret Clardy | J. W. Clardy |
| Oct 1891 | Dena Cates | C. F. Cates |
| 4 Nov 1892 | W. T. Copp | Jellah P. Copp |
| 5 Jul 1893 | Margaret Couch | J. L. Crawford |
| 4 Oct 1893 | J. C. Carpenter | Mary G. Carpenter |
| 4 Oct 1893 | J. J. Connelly | C. B. Ball |

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| 28 oct 1893 | J. T. Caruth | K. M. Bonur |
| 5 Feb 1894 | Edward Cumby | Chas. D. Cates |
| Apr 1895 | Earnest M. Curtner | L. J. Curtner |
| 20 Apr 1895 | Dora L. Casey | M. L. Casey |
| 4 Oct 1895 | M. E. Crockett | W. B. Crockett |
| Jan 1897 | C. M. Clancy | S. G. Tankersley |
| Jan 1898 | Lula Bell Cundiff | Bob J. Cundiff |
| Jan 1901 | Wm. Carroll | C. D. Cates |
| 25 Mar 1902 | Bill Copeland | J. P. Fullingim |
| 13 Sep 1902 | S. A. Cravy | W. J. Cravy |
| 26 Sep 1902 | Ida Counts | J. M. Counts |
| 24 Sep 1902 | J. W. Cearley | W. H. Kirkpatrick |
| 28 Nov 1903 | S. B. Cartwright | C. A. Cartwright |
| 18 May 1905 | Julia Chisom | Tom Chisom |
| 5 Sep 1905 | Prudence Caddell | M. Caddell |
| 17 Aug 1906 | Lillian Cates | J. C. Cates |
| 31 Aug 1906 | A. C. Coffman | Mrs. C. V. Coffman |
| 28 Aug 1886 | Nancy F. Dixon | W. T. Dixon |
| 23 Mar 1887 | J. W. Dickey | C. Christian |
| 8 Apr 1887 | S. B. Dewees | E. J. Dewees |
| 30 Jul 1887 | Racheal K. Dill | A. D. Dill |
| 29 Aug 1888 | N. E. Douglass | A. J. Douglass |
| 12 Jan 1892 | M. D. Dabney | J. B. Dabney |
| 24 Oct 1892 | Ida Duke | C. T. Duke |
| 6 Mar 1893 | M. Dwyer | J. L. Norris |
| 10 Sep 1893 | H. D. Donald | Cora A. Donald |
| 1897 | Rebecca E. Davis | Z. T. Davis |
| Oct 1897 | Amellia Lenora Davis | - . C. Davis |
| Oct 1899 | R. T. Davis | H. W. Smith |
| 26 Dec 1903 | W. M. Davidson | A. D. Davidson |
| 23 Aug 1904 | Lucy Dillehay | T. J. Dillehay |
| 7 Dec 1904 | M. J. Dodson | J. R. Dodson |
| Jan 1883 | H. H. Embry | J. W. Embry |
| 25 Jun 1883 | M. S. Eskridge | O. N. Eskridge |
| 23 Jan 1884 | Samantha E. Embry | J. W. Embry |

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| 11 May 1885 | Virgie Earhart | W. M. Earhart |
| 9 Oct 1889 | W. M. Ellis | M. A. Ellis |
| 8 Sep 1890 | Susan Ewing | Samuel Ewing |
| 30 Jan 1894 | Joel Elderidge | Margaret M. Ellege(?) |
| 6 Dec 1894 | Jackson B. Edwards | Miley P. Hutson |
| Jan 1897 | Churchwell Edgin | Nathan Edgin |
| 26 Jan 1899 | C. Marion Edwards | Marion W. Edwards |
| Jan 1882 | E. D. Fuller | Chas. D. Cates |
| 5 Dec 1883 | Racheal Fowler | J. F. Fowler |
| 23 Oct 1883 | Roy Fields | N. B. Fields |
| 29 Sep 1885 | Emma J. Finch | Amos Finch |
| 1 Apr 1887 | J. T. Fleming | Phebe Fleming |
| Apr 1890 | L. P. Fields | H. H. Fields |
| Apr 1890 | Mrs. J. C. Frazier | J. C. Frazier |
| 11 Oct 1890 | Mary F. Foster | Jas. H. Foster |
| Jan 1893 | Mrs. Mary Ford | J. M. Ford |
| 3 Jan 1894 | John Free | Annie Free |
| Nov 1894 | Sallie M. Fenwick | H. S. Fenwick |
| 1895 | Melissa Floyd | Wm. Anderson |
| Apr 1896 | C. M. Faulkner | J. S. Lightfoot |
| 1 Mar 1902 | F. B. Fields | I. Fields |
| 11 Apr 1905 | T. J. Foster | G. W. Mann |
| 1882 | Hugh Garside | Wm. Cook |
| 17 Jul 1882 | Mary E. Grider | Anna E. McDonald |
| Nov 1883 | Salmon Granger | J. W. Hale |
| May 1885 | Margaret Gamble | Rufus Booth |
| 12 Aug 1886 | A. B. Gibson | F. L. Gibson |
| Apr 1890 | J. H. Green | Fannie Green |
| Apr 1890 | Louisia Gorbet | L. E. Gorbet |
| 5 Sep 1890 | Joshua Gates | Sarah E. Gates |
| Oct 1890 | Sarah Ann Green | W. N. Green |
| 30 May 1893 | M. C. Green | Jno. W. Green |
| 4 Nov 1893 | J. A. Goldman | S. H. Goldman |
| 4 Jan 1894 | J. S. Gully | T. R. Gully |
| 16 Feb 1894 | Jessie Givens | Robb Givens |
| 5 Dec 1894 | W. S. Grantham | Sarah Grantham |

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| Oct 1895 | D. R. Gevin | M. L. Gevin |
| Apr 1898 | Gorbett Justice | C. D. Cates |
| Oct 1898 | E. T. Gill | J. P. Gill |
| 24 Apr 1899 | Cynthia A. Green | G. C. Green |
| 1900 | Amos Grider | C. D. Cates |
| 15 Feb 1901 | J. E. Gose | E. A. Gose |
| 6 Oct 1902 | Alex Gray | L. E. Gray |
| 23 Dec 1902 | G. C. Green | W. R. Bruce, Jr. |
| 13 Jan 1904 | John M. Gibbs | Pomp. Caroway |
| 21 Nov 1904 | David Grote | Mrs. Annie Lemme |
| 7 Oct 1905 | S. E. Griffith | C. L. Griffith |
| Jan 1882 | H. N. Horn | Jeff Watson |
| Mar 1882 | John Holden | Mary J. Holden |
| Jul 1882 | C. C. Hines | - - - - - |
| Sep 1882 | Thos. Hogan | (1) Joseph Fury (2) J. J. Loug (3) S. H. Hodges |
| Jan 1883 | J. M. Horton | S. J. Horton |
| 25 Jan 1883 | C. E. Hinkle | M. A. Roberts |
| Jan 1885 | E. J. Hodges | J. C. Hodges |
| 9 Apr 1885 | J. W. Hubbard | Mary A. Hubbard |
| 22 Jul 1885 | J. C. Hodges | L. A. Crane |
| 19 Oct 1885 | Huldah H. Harrison | C. P. Harrison |
| 20 Jan 1886 | S. A. Holcomb | G. S. Slover |
| Jul 1886 | Thos. G. Haynes | Marcus P. Wiggins |
| Jul 1886 | J. W. Hale | C. D. Cates |
| Aug 1886 | N. W. Henderson | M. E. Henderson |
| 21 Jan 1887 | J. C. Holt | Jno. T. Holt (appr) J. L. Rucker (adm.) |
| 16 May 1887 | D. D. Hodges | S. H. Hodges |
| 4 Jun 1887 | Louisa Haumes (?) | Fred Haumes (?) |
| 3 Oct 1887 | D. W. Harrison | M. E. Harrison |
| Jan 1890 | N. J. Harrison | Julia A. Harrison |
| 28 Mar 1891 | J. T. Halsell | H. H. Halsell |
| 3 Jan 1894 | P. Hutson | Millie P. Hutson |
| 3 Nov 1894 | P. H. Hopson | M. C. Hopson |

| DATE FILED | DECEASED | ADMINISTRATOR |
|-------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Apr 1895 | W. M. Hopwood | A. J. Crawford |
| Apr 1895 | Riley Hobson | S. A. Lillard |
| Apr 1895 | Catharine Hamilton | T. P. Hamilton |
| Jul 1895 | W. W. Holley | Ollie Holly (?) |
| 19 Aug 1895 | S. B. Hopper | Allice Hopper |
| Jan 1896 | Susan E. Hanna | N. J. Hanna |
| 26 Jun 1896 | H. A. Halcomb | Anna M. Halcomb |
| Oct 1896 | A. J. Hines | R. B. Hines |
| Oct 1899 | Susan Hunt | J. B. Hunt |
| 10 Mar 1900 | Wade Hudson | G. B. Pickett |
| Mar 1900 | Riley Hobson | C. D. Cates |
| 4 May 1900 | Grandison M. Hinds | G. B. Pickett |
| May 1901 | John Hefley | D. Wimbley |
| 11 Jan 1902 | Barcia Holt | R. Holt |
| 10 Oct 1902 | Harrell House | M. A. House |
| 20 Apr 1903 | Austin Hicks | H. P. Hicks |
| 9 Dec 1905 | Daniel Howell | C. D. Cates |

(To be continued)



RIGGS CEMETERY

This cemetery is located just south of Cleveland in Trinity County, Texas in the middle of highway 59. There were nine graves marked with wooden blocks.

Virginia Riggs, 1898 - 1900

Thomas Riggs, Sgt. Co. C 2 Phb MD Inf., April 2, 1837 - Aug. 16, 1915

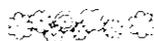
Walter S. (Papa) Riggs, 1867 - 1955

Lizzie Riggs, wife of Walter S., November 19, 1876 - March 20, 1916

Minnie Riggs, 1902 - 1920

A. D. Koop, January 20, 1851 - January 8, 1929

The above cemetery was copied by Mr. and Mrs. Homer L. Roper of Ft. Worth.



JACKSON CEMETERY

The Jackson Cemetery is located at 8900 Chapin Road, Ft. Worth, Texas, Tarrant County, next to Leonard Middle School. Once much of the land around it was owned by the Jackson family, then was sold off a couple of generations ago. However, the Jacksons have retained all rights to the cemetery. Graves there date back to the 1800s, the latest being dug in 1968. Copied by Mr. and Mrs. Homer Roper in 1974.

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Jackson, John L., 1854 - 1919
 Hobbs, Joe H., Mar. 8, 1888 - October 20, 1966
 Hobbs, Martha Ann, August 8, 1891 - September 30, 1958
 Hobbs, A. R., August 28, 1907 - June 27, 1936
 Taylor, J. W., February 5, 1894 - May 30, 1920
 Taylor, F. B., August 28, 1897 - July 10, 1929
 Plombo, John Jr., Son of John and - - - -, March 14, 1920 - August 2, 1921
 Bouret, Jno., 1819 - 1902
 Bouret, W. M., June 22, 1861 - June 26, 1906
 Fuller, R. V., March 15, 1870 - September 26, 1942
 Fuller, Mattie Mae, September 13, 1885 - October 28, 1966
 Barry, Mrs. Effie, 1893 - 1939
 Jackson, Witt, 1890 - 1941, Guardian, Ft. Worth
 Jackson, W. M., 1861 - 1940, Guardian, Ft. Worth
 Prince, Martha A., wife of J. A., Jan. 7, 1826 - Jan. 22, 1895
 Moore, Polly, 1835 - 1922
 Brown, Infant son of J. K. & Sarah A., Born and Died June 24, 1888
 Dunlap, Isabella S., November 5, 1817 - December 11, 1867
 Dunlap, Margaret R., June 26, 1849 - August 3, 1881
 Moore, Sylvester, May 24, 1831 - February 18, 1909
 Moore, Rachel E., wife of Sylvester, May 28, 1836 - November 21, 1918
 Ellis, Lou I., wife of B. F., March 26, 1838 - April 6, 1912
 Childres, Henery Eddie, son of J. A. & P. L.
 April 9, 1880 - April 29, 1880
 Childres, Infant boy, son of J. S. & P. L., July 4, 1884 - July 7 1884
 Chastain, J. A., October 31, 1850 - January 28, 1913
 Chastain, Clarice, June 18, 1860 - June 8, 1915
 13 graves marked with rods.

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ABSTRACTS OF WILLS FROM OLD INDEX TO PROBATE MINUTES OF
WISE COUNTY, TEXAS

Abstracted by Catherine Troxell Gonzales

(Continued from Volume 24, No. 2)

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HATLER, Francis M. Book 11, page 47
Signed: 10 April 1906 Proved: 15 April 1907
Admitted to Probate: 7 Dec. 1906 Book 12, page 7

Be it remembered that I, Francis M. Hatler of Rhome, Wise County, Texas, being of sound mind and memory....

Bequests: Just debts and funeral charges be paid.
To my wife, Jane Hatler...
At her death it will revert to Mrs. Julia Hatler Rogers
and Mrs. Erva Hatler Chappell...her heirs...

Witnesses: E.W. Richards, G. W. Palmer, C. M. Lynch
Executor: Mrs. Jane Hatler
Signature: Francis M. Hatler (seal)

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HAWKS, W. P. Book 11, page 71
Signed: 23 February 1907 Proved: 3 April 1907
Died: 11 March 1907
Admitted to Probate: 14 March 1907 Book 12, Page 17

...I, W. P. Hawks,...being of sound mind and disposing memory...

Bequests: Just debts to be paid...
To each of my children, Mrs. Evaline Carpenter,
Ruby Hawks (minor), Mrs. Mary G. Madsinger, Glen Hawks
(minor), and Merrell Hawks...
Mentions "my deceased wife, Sarah Hawks."
O. C. Hawks appointed executor of will.

Witnesses: C. F. Kincannon, J. W. Howard
Executor: O. C. Hawks
Signature: W. P. Hawks

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HAYNES, Thomas J. Book 2, page 154
Signed: 4 October 1865 Proved: 29 July 1885
Admitted to Probate: 17 February 1871 Book 2, page 156

In the name of God, Amen! I, Thomas J. Haynes of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California... being of sound mind, memory, and understanding....

Bequests: I do give and bequeath to my wife Eliza L. Haynes...
To my daughter Flora Eliza...

Wife made sole executrix.

(The estate papers show that the widow, Eliza J. Haynes, married Frank Wing. Daniel Rogers was appointed administrator.)

Witnesses: Robert C. Rogers, C. P. Parkin (both of San Francisco)
Executors: (1) Eliza L. Haynes (2) Daniel Rogers

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HINES, C. C. Book A, page 153
Signed: 19 April 1882
Admitted to Probate: 19 May 1882 Book A, page 153
Testator: No name given

To all to whom that this may concern, this is my last will and testament. . . .

Bequests: I do bequeath unto John C. Hines...
I do bequeath unto Mary E. House, my daughter....
I further do bequeath unto J. J. Hines...
I further do bequeath unto D. C. Hines...

Witnesses: Irving Woodruff, J. R. Forgy, C. G. House, J. F. Fowler
Signature: C. C. Hines
Executor: None given

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HOBSON, Neri and Jane Book 10, page 96
Signed: 8 May 1899 Proved: 9 April 1904
Died: Neri Hobson - 29 Jan. 1904 Jane Hobson - 4 February 1904
Admitted to Probate: 2 March 1904 Book 9, page 62

In the name of God, Amen. We, Neri Hobson and Jane Hobson, husband and wife, being of sound mind. . . .

Bequests: ... for our beloved daughter Letitia Hicks and her husband, G. A. Hicks. . . .
. . . to each of our other children (not named here)
To our said heirs, to wit: Martha Ann Burton, wife of J. M. Burton; the heirs of our late son Franklin Hobson; N. H. Hobson; Nancy Sparks, wife of Rufus Sparks; and Letitia Hicks, wife of G. A. Hicks. . . .

Appraisers: S. M. Gose, C. V. Terrell, J. C. Hudson
Witnesses: J. C. ^{his} Hudson, W. S. Harding, J. G. Gose
Signature: Neri Hobson, Jane ^{her} _{mark} Hobson
Executor: G. A. Hicks

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HOLCOMB, Caleb Book A, page 356
Signed: 19 April 1879
Died: Ca 10 April 1879

JACKSON, Mary A. Book 9, page 392
 Signed: 26 May 1899 Proved: 8 January 1902
 Died: 5 December 1899 (32 years of age when will was made.)
 Admitted to Probate: 7 January 1901 Book 9, page 22 - 23

. . . I, Mary A. Jackson, being of sound mind and disposing
 memory. . . .

Bequests: My husband, Henry Jackson . . . appointed as ex-
 ecutor. . .
 To my husband Henry Jackson. . .

Inventory given, Book 9, page 408

Witnesses: W. M. Koonce, E. P. Cook
 Executor: Henry Jackson
 Signature: Mary A. Jackson
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JOHNSTON, James W. Bk. 2, page 324
 Signed: 6 December 1884 Proved: 4 January 1888
 Died: 1 January 1885
 Admitted to Probate: 7 November 1887 Book 2, page 324

. . . James W. Johnston, being of sound and lucid mind. . .

Bequests: . . . my soul to God who hath given it to me. . .
 To my wife Annie Eliza Johnston and her heirs. . .
 To my niece Elizabeth Harmon . . .

Witnesses: D. P. Newsom, Joseph Ro - - (?) Rote
 Executor: Annie Elizabeth Johnston
 Signature: J. W. Johnston
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JONES, George W. Book A, page 251
 Signed: 10 November 1882 Proved: 22 March 1883
 Died: 8 January 1883
 Admitted to Probate: 23 March 1883 Book A page 252

I, G. W. Jones of the town of Audubon. . . being of sound
 mind. . .

Bequests: . . . to my beloved wife Helena M. Jones and her heirs
 (not named).
 Just debts and funeral expenses paid.
 Appoint wife executrix.

Witnesses: J. T. Johnson, J. G. Jones
 Executor: Helena M. Jones
 Signature: G. W. Jones
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KILLOUGH, Mary D. Book 3, page 608
 Signed: 30 July 1890 Proved: 4 April 1894

Died: 27 July 1892

Admitted to Probate: 3 March 1894 Book 3, page 606

I, Mary D. Killough, being of sound and disposing mind and memory. . . .

Bequests: Revokes all previously written wills.

Debts paid...

To my dearly beloved daughters, Mary E. Norvall and Sarah E. Killough....

Witnesses: L. P. Lowery, A. W. Killough

Executors: Mary E. Norvall, Sarah E. Killough

Appraisers: J. D. Reynolds, T. J. Werry, G. W. Watkins

Signature: Mary D. Killough

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LAMM, Barney B.

Book A page 463

Signed: 6 July 1883

Proved: 8 March 1884

Died: Circa 11 December 1883

Admitted to Probate: 23 Feb. 1884 Book A page 462

I, Barney B. Lamm...of a lucid and sound mind. . . of Stephenson County, Illinois. . . .

Bequests: . . . into the hands of my wife, Emma May Lamm. . . wife is made executor.

Witnesses: Joseph Rote, F. M. Allen

Executor: Emma May Lamm

Signature: Barney B. Lamm

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LANG, J. J.

Book 3 page 276

Signed: 20 Dec. 1891

Proved: 14 April 1892

Died: 10:00 PM on 20 Dec. 1891

Admitted to Probate: 14 April 1892 Book 3, page 276

. . . I, J. J. Lang. . . being of a sound mind and disposing memory. . . .

Bequests: Just debts to be paid.

To my beloved wife, P. M. Lang. . .

Wife, P. J. Lang, made executrix.

Witnesses: J. D. Ford, H. D. Donald

Executor: P. M. Lang

Signature: J. J. Lange

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McDANIEL, R.

Book 10, page 616

Signed: 24 February 1906

Proved: 8 October 1906

Died: 14 July 1906 (about 60 years at time of will)
 Admitted to Probate: 23 July 1906 Book 10, page 615

I, R. McDaniel being of sound mind and disposing memory . . .

Bequests: To my beloved wife, W. A. McDaniel. . .
 Appoints W. A. McDaniel sole executrix.

Witnesses: I. J. Hartsell, H. P. Crawford
 Executor: W. A. McDaniel
 Signature: R. McDaniel

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MARTIN, Robert P. Book 3, page 281
 Signed: 4 January 1892 Proved: 19 April 1892
 Admitted to Probate: 21 April 1892 Book 3, page 182

. . . I, Robert P. Martin . . . being of sound mind and disposing
 memory. . .

Bequests: Body be buried in a decent and respectable manner.
 Debts to be paid
 To my beloved wife, M. H. Martin . . .

Witnesses: L. Renshaw, James A. Watson
 Executor: M. H. Martin (C. T. Richardson to assist in the probate
 of the will.)

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MARTIN, William D. Book 3, page 15
 Signed: 24 September 1899 Proved: 31 July 1890
 Died: 11 April 1890 (near Crafton, Wise County, Texas)
 Admitted to Probate: 24 July 1890, Book 3, page 18

. . . I, William D. Martin. . . being of sound and disposing
 mind and memory. . .

Bequests: Debts to be paid.
 Estate equally divided between my children and their
 heirs (heirs or children not named.)
 To my beloved wife. . . the homestead. . . to be held
 during her natural life. . .
 My said grandchildren (not named)
 My beloved daughter, Laura B. Martin, executrix. . .
 My beloved son, John W. Martin, executor. . .

Witnesses: T. J. Wyatt, Harvey Hawkins
 Executor: Louis B. Martin
 Signature: W. D. Martin

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MEANS, Nammie E. Book 4, page 31
 Signed: 9 December 1893 Proved: 6 July 1894
 Died: 1 June 1894
 Admitted to Probate: 16 June 1894 Book 5, Page 9

. . . I, Nannie E. Means, wife and widow of J. D. Means, deceased, being of sound mind and disposing memory. . . .

Bequests: . . . the only children living to wit: My eldest daughter Dora L. Means (23 years old). . . my daughter Cora Maude Cunningham (20 years) my sons as follows: Issac N. Means (16), Fred M. Means (14), and Louis R. Means (8). . . .

Mentions notes from following: Steve G. Lillard, Sewell Brown, Woodward and Hardwicke, Mrs. Widow Dixon, Jessie C. Carpenter, F. A. Woodward, T. D. Woody, S. A. McDonald, Mrs. Charley Ryan. . . .

Mentions business of deceased husband, J. D. Means.
 Appoints as trustees and guardians of childrens:
 Dora L. Means, Cora Maud Cunningham, and my brother James A. Ryan of Oklahoma Territory. . . my brother W. J. Ryan of Montague County, Texas. . . .

Witnesses: L. W. Means, M. E. Babb
 Executors: Dora L. Means, Cora M. Cunningham
 Appraisers: G. W. Gill, J. B. Outler, R. M. Beville
 Signature: N. E. Means

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MERRETT, T. J. Book 9, page 356
 Signed: 26 April 1901 Proved: 23 October 1901
 Died: circa 14 August 1901
 Admitted to Probate: 24 September 1901 Book 9, page 21

. . . I, T. J. Merrett, . . . being of sound memory and discretion. . . .

Bequests: To Alpha A. Merrett, my daughter of Wise County, Texas,
 . . .
 To Marthy Eugene Stewart. . .
 To my daughter Mary Thomas Below. . .

Witnesses: T. J. McMurray, J. D. Gose
 Executor: Alpha A. Merrett
 Signature: T. J. Merrett

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MONK, J. W. Book 3, page 331
 Signed: 26 March 1892 Proved: 6 October 1892
 Died: circa June 1892
 Admitted to Probate: 6 October 1892 Book 3, page 333

For good reason I say that I may die at any moment. . . .

Bequests: My son J. W. Monk, Jr. and Mary to have. . .
 My daughter Stella. . .remainder of my estate. . .
 with her sister Aggie and brother Henry. . .
 Mentions Henry Smith. . . .
 Also mentions "my illness and terrible affliction."
 Appoints Board of Trustees: G. G. Henson, W. L.
 Hartgraves, Jasper Leach, D. S. Hopkins, and Henry
 Falk.
 (There is a codicil to the will).

Witnesses: J. V. Carter, John W. Herron
 Executor: W. L. Hartgraves
 Signature: J. W. Monk, Sr.

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MOONEY, W. E. Book 10, pages 193-194
 Signed: 19 May 1904 Proved: 5 October 1904
 Died: 25 May 1904
 Admitted to Probate: 2 September 1904 Book 9, page 74

. . .I, W. E. Mooney, being of sound mind and memory. . .

Bequests: Provides for Christian burial, monument, just debts
 be paid. . . .
 To my beloved wife, M. L. Mooney, and to my beloved
 children. . .(children not named).

Witnesses: J. G. Gose, E. E. Plaxco
 Executor: M. L. Mooney
 Signature: W. E. Mooney

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MORRIS, Jessie M. Book 3, page 603
 Signed: 7 October 1892 Proved: 9 July 1894
 Died: 21 April 1893 (native of West Tennessee)
 Admitted to Probate: 4 April 1894 Book 3, page 604

. . . I, Jessie M. Morris, being of sound mind. . .

Bequests: Mentions educating and supporting minor heirs and
 also mentions the wife (no names given). . .
 Mentions "each boy child. . ."
 Also mentions Ellis. . . "

The inventory given in Book 4, page 36, names the wife as "Lucy
 Ann Lizzybeth."

Witnesses: John Beyett, J. D. Killingsworth
 Executor: Felix B. Morris
 Signature: Jessie ^{his}
 mark Morris

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MURPHY, Emily Book 3, page 7
 Signed: No date given in written will
 Filed: 19 June 1890
 Admitted to Probate: 22 July 1890 Book 3, page 9-10

. . .I, Emily Murphy, being of sound and disposing mind and memory. . . .

Bequests: I desire that I may decently be buried at Hopewell in Wise County and that a suitable tomstone be erected. . . .
 In consideration of the kind services of Miss Hardy. . . .
 . . .
 To the said Miss Hardy and her heirs. . . the house and lot.
 To my daughter Mrs. Mary Losey. . . sale of my farm in Illinois.
 To each of my other children. . . \$5.00.
 To my husband B. S. Murphy, \$5.00.
 To Mrs. M. E. Soward and Mrs. Mary Ewing for the benefit of the Christian Church in Decatur. . . .

Witnesses: W. H. Bullock, E. J. Dewees, L. J. Shepherd
 Executur: Dr. S. A. McDonald
 Appraisers: Chas. Dewees, M. N. Carpenter, Marion Edwards
 Signature: Emily Murphy

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NEWBERRY, L. L. Book 9, page 571
 Signed: 5 December 1902 Proved: 6 January 1903
 Died: 17 December 1902 (39 at time of will)
 Admitted to Probate: 23 December 1902 Book 9, page 43

I, L. L. Newberry. . . being of sound mind and memory. . . .

Bequests: Provides for a Christian burial and payment of debts.
 To John Newberry and his wife Dora Newberry. . . .

Witnesses: J. Y. Jones, F. L. Wooliver
 Executor: G. F. McCracken
 Signature: L. L. Newberry

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NEWTON, Lee Book A, page 295
 Signed: 20 December 1882 Proved: 19 September 1883
 Admitted to Probate: 19 Sept. 1883 Book A, page 296

I, Lee Newton, being of sound mind and memory. . . .

Bequests: To my wife Sue G. Newton and her heirs. . . .
 Appoints wife executrix.
 Mentions W. H. Bullock and the firm of Newton and Bullock.

W. H. Bullock, my partner in the practice of law. . . .
Also mentions J. B. Ford.

Witnesses: G. W. Stevens, W. B. Markham
Executor: Sue G. Newton
Signature: Lee Newton

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HATLEY CEMETERY

Located on a ranch road about twelve miles southeast of Adamsville, Lampasas County, Texas. A fence was erected around this cemetery in 1928, but at present neither the fence nor cemetery is maintained. Copied by Mrs. Marilyn Mills, 900 Glen Rose Road, Stephenville, Texas 76401. (Mrs. Mills would like to contact any descendants of the Hatley family.)

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| G.W. HATLEY | b. 26 June 1811 in N.C. d. 14 June 1880 |
| Elizabeth, wf. of G.W. HATLEY | 26 March 1814, d. 8 Dec. 1890 |
| Green W., son of B.M. & T.C. ELLIOTT | 2 March 1872 - 30 Oct. 1881 |
| Columbus ELLIOTT | 2 Oct. 1880 - 27 Aug. 1884 |

There were at least twelve graves marked only with fieldstones without names and dates.

S.A. HATLEY, son of Green W. & Elizabeth HATLEY, deeded this burial ground to the heirs of Green & Elizabeth in 1893.

ABSTRACTS FROM TEXAS CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE

The abstracts from these old newspapers were not printed in this issue, however, they will be continued again within the very near future.

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IT'S A FACT!

Mabel Gilbert became the first navigator on the headwaters of the Trinity River when he moved his family in two cottonwood dugouts to Dallas in 1842. His wife was the first white woman in Dallas County.

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ANDERSON COUNTY, TEXAS MARRIAGE RECORDS

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[Continued from Volume 24 #2]

1886-1890

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
|---------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| Armstrong, S. T. | Sallie Reed | Jan. 21, 1886 |
| Autry, George | Beulah Copeland | Mar. 6, 1886 |
| Anderson, Nash | Manda Walton | May 25, 1886 |
| Anderson, Ed | Mattie Simons | Oct. 4, 1886 |
| Ayers, W. A. | Mary Parks | Nov. 15, 1886 |
| Alexander, Sandy | Mary Ingram | Dec. 24, 1886 |
| Anderson, Alex | Mary Henderson | Jan. 12, 1887 |
| Aspley, R. F. | M. E. Majors | Apr. 2, 1887 |
| Adams, James | Birdie Howard | June 11, 1887 |
| Anderson, Jerry | Mary Carter | Aug. 19, 1887 |
| Anderson, Grant | Martha Edens | Jan. 4, 1888 |
| Arthur, Warren | Willie Barrett | Jan. 24, 1888 |
| Anderson, Daniel | Josephine Gass | Sept. 13, 1888 |
| Anderson, Geo. W. | Katie Hays | Dec. 11, 1888 |
| Arwine, Wm. | Ida Newton | Feb. 6, 1889 |
| Allen, Wesley | Josephine Ingram | Feb. 8, 1889 |
| Armistead, W. H. | V. R. Weaver | Feb. 28, 1889 |
| Aulgeur, Wm. R. | Jemima Jane Masters | Mar. 16, 1889 |
| Allen, E. P. | Delia Johnson | Sept. 23, 1889 |
| Atkins, R. H. | Suddie P. Steadman | Dec. 23, 1889 |
| Allen, Joe | Francis Mims | Jan. 15, 1890 |
| Almon, C.B. | V. I. Lillard | Feb. 11, 1890 |
| Allen, John | Alice Short | May 10, 1890 |
| Anderson, Wm. | Elizabeth Houston | Jan. 18, 1890 |
| Anderson, W.E. | Lula Beason | Aug. 28, 1890 |
| Addington, Ed. C. | Emma C. Moore | Oct. 4, 1890 |
| Ackerman, B. F. Jr. | Hattie E. Thomason | Nov. 18, 1890 |
| Adams, P. G. | Minnie King | Dec. 13, 1890 |
| Anderson, Wm. | Annie Parker | Dec. 22, 1890 |
| Anderson, A. A. | Lee Anna Brown | Dec. 22, 1890 |
| Brown, J. A. | Bessie Wilson | Jan. 1, 1886 |
| Bowen, W. R. | Francis E. McCants | Jan. 4, 1886 |
| Bloom, Henry | Caroline Parkis | Jan. 19, 1886 |
| Baker, Harrison | Emily Durr | Jan. 23, 1886 |
| Buttler, Charley | Emma Averett | Jan. 27, 1886 |
| Brown, Morris | Jane Carter | Feb. 12, 1886 |
| Barnes, L. B. | Mrs. Mamie Carson | Feb. 19, 1886 |
| Brooks, Ayers | Josephine Perry | Feb. 20, 1886 |
| Berry, Fell | Mattie Page | Mar. 1, 1886 |
| Box, Frank | Susa Averby | Mar. 3, 1886 |
| Brown, J. D. | Julia C. Earl | Apr. 6, 1886 |
| Brooks, J. J. | Rebecca Parker | Apr. 12, 1886 |
| Banks, Billie | Bella Bivens | May 7, 1886 |

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
|---------------------|----------------------|----------------|
| Burnes, Thomas | Mrs. Eddie Bradley | Sept. 11, 1886 |
| Bell, W. V. | M. M. Axum | Oct. 13, 1886 |
| Braggs, William | Mary Owens | Oct. 16, 1886 |
| Bennett, Jno. | Della Fitzhugh | Oct. 20, 1886 |
| Brown, Amos | Jane Austin | Oct. 23, 1886 |
| Bishop, S. C. | M. M. Hargrove | Nov. 26, 1886 |
| Baker, Joel | S. E. Lamb | Dec. 16, 1886 |
| Brown, Tom | Mrs. Vinie Rivon | Dec. 23, 1886 |
| Brooks, Joe | Dina Bennett | Dec. 23, 1886 |
| Billups, Peter | Sallie Johnson | Dec. 24, 1886 |
| Brown, H. E. | T. M. Hasty | Dec. 28, 1886 |
| Brooks, J. S. | Bessie M. Thompson | Jan. 10, 1887 |
| Bailey, Charles | Jane Ann Chambers | Jan. 19, 1887 |
| Barrett, Harrison | Alice Denman | Jan. 19, 1887 |
| Binson, Aaron | Nancy Edwards | Jan. 25, 1887 |
| Burke, Joseph | Sallie Pierce | Feb. 16, 1887 |
| Bolton, R. P. | Bettie Rector | Mar. 8, 1887 |
| Bailey, Anthony | Mollie Summel | Mar. 8, 1887 |
| Bozelle, Frank W. | Ella L. Skinner | Mar. 16, 1887 |
| Bolden, Alfred | Paralee Anderson | Mar. 19, 1887 |
| Boyd, William | Mrs. Mary A. Dickson | Apr. 2, 1887 |
| Barkley, Frank | Laura A. Gaines | Apr. 5, 1887 |
| Burnes, Jerry | Lizzie Stell | June 4, 1887 |
| Birdwell, H. W. | Mrs. Minnie E. Black | Oct. 31, 1887 |
| Brown, Gus | Ida Fields | Nov. 17, 1887 |
| Burrell, Ben | Alice Cook | Dec. 3, 1887 |
| Boulware, W. H. | Julia Caldwell | Dec. 5, 1887 |
| Burns, J. W. | Millie Chaison | Dec. 9, 1887 |
| Butler, Edward | Mamie Johnson | Jan. 24, 1888 |
| Burk, R. K. | Viridie Pierce | Jan. 25, 1888 |
| Bird, Bartha | Adlade Sadler | Jan. 30, 1888 |
| Baty, W. D. | Mrs. Louisa Hill | Feb. 6, 1888 |
| Beard, Thomas | Lela Mitchell | Feb. 15, 1888 |
| Bordeaux, George | Emma Washington | Feb. 18, 1888 |
| Box, Lewis | Mrs. Rose Dunlap | Mar. 1, 1888 |
| Bennett, A. G. | Fannie Rogers | Apr. 1, 1888 |
| Bucklin, Hiram | Kate M. Casy | Apr. 25, 1888 |
| Bryan, J. W. K. | Mrs. Rena Hunter | May 24, 1888 |
| Barefield, Charley | Sallie Rhoades | June 23, 1888 |
| Burns, J. W. | Mamie F. Huddleston | July 5, 1888 |
| Brooks, Willie | Edie Jackson | July 11, 1888 |
| Butts, W. P. | Kate Grigsby | July 19, 1888 |
| Brown, Thomas A. | Dora Cox | Aug. 1, 1888 |
| Bonner, Lee | Lucy Scarver | Aug. 15, 1888 |
| Butler, Walter | Emma Hardin | Aug. 26, 1888 |
| Barrett, Horace | Joanna Jackson | Sept. 6, 1888 |
| Box, Lige | Vicie Johnson | Sept. 7, 1888 |
| Bibbs, Dock | Mrs. Ann Pack | Sept. 19, 1888 |
| Brimmenkamp, F. | Mrs. Sallie Roden | Oct. 18, 1888 |
| Bowermaster, Gustav | Katie Jacobs | Dec. 1, 1888 |
| Bocay, Peter | Mrs. Mary F. Waters | Dec. 4, 1888 |
| Brown, Nat | Edie Reed | Dec. 13, 1888 |

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| Brauson, S. B. | Mrs. Mattie Allen | Dec. 15, 1888 |
| Baker, G. E. | Callie Woosley | Dec. 26, 1888 |
| Brazile, M. D. | Annie Ruyle | Dec. 31, 1888 |
| Bruce, Warner | Anna Eliza Lawrence | Jan. 3, 1889 |
| Beach, J. M. | Christinia Burton | Jan. 5, 1889 |
| Beard, T. L. | Bettie Cook | Jan. 22, 1889 |
| Brown, Frederick | Amelia Galley | Mar. 18, 1889 |
| Burke, Albert | Ava I. Duysuy | Apr. 8, 1889 |
| Brown, Van | Berta Jackson | Apr. 26, 1889 |
| Bryant, J. A. | Mollie Scruggs | June 10, 1889 |
| Branagan, William | Ida E. Cronin | June 10, 1889 |
| Buldermann, Max | Anna Stricker | July 15, 1889 |
| Bentley, B. L. | Eliza Richardson | July 29, 1889 |
| Brown, William | Nora Reed | Aug. 6, 1889 |
| Bell, N. P. | Rushia E. Doan | Aug. 30, 1889 |
| Buferd, Michael | Delilah Harris | Sept. 24, 1889 |
| Branch, W. J. | Ollie M. Worthy | Sept. 25, 1889 |
| Burke, W. E. | Mary Wright | Oct. 29, 1889 |
| Brooks, Dave | Sarah Johnson | Nov. 5, 1889 |
| Barnett, John | Annie Burriss | Nov. 13, 1889 |
| Brown, Van | Ella Calhoun | Nov. 19, 1889 |
| Barton, E. S. | L. M. Cook | Nov. 25, 1889 |
| Barrett, D. M. | Magie Farris | Dec. 10, 1889 |
| Buston, J. M. | Mrs. E. P. Hightower | Dec. 17, 1889 |
| Black, W. H. | Minnie L. Doan | Dec. 17, 1889 |
| Barfield, B. F. | Mattie Chew | Dec. 18, 1889 |
| Black, C. H. | Emma M. Ferguson | Dec. 24, 1889 |
| Bates, George | Anna Ellis | Dec. 26, 1889 |
| Beason, John B. | Mrs. Rachael Bradley | Dec. 26, 1889 |
| Blackshear, Austin | Mrs. Katie Howard | Dec. 27, 1889 |
| Bennett, Johny | Mrs. Erma Page | Dec. 28, 1889 |
| Bordeaux, Peter | Minda Wilson | Dec. 31, 1889 |
| Bainey, John T. Jr. | Mollie Lambert | July 31, 1889 |
| Barrett, Narion | Maggie Gaylard | Jan. 2, 1890 |
| Butler, Walter | Fannie Bowls | Jan. 9, 1890 |
| Bennett, Frank F. | Hattie Mayfield | Mar. 31, 1890 |
| Beaslear, William | Lizzie Fitzgerald | May 20, 1890 |
| Berr, Joseph | Purnettie Allen | Aug. 4, 1890 |
| Burris, William | Georgia Ann Harrod | Aug. 9, 1890 |
| Barton, J. H. | Mrs. F. C. Strange | Oct. 2, 1890 |
| Brown, Bill | Fanie Jowers | Oct. 27, 1890 |
| Blackshear, Joe | Mrs. Mandy Baker | Nov. 20, 1890 |
| Beard, William | Anna Jackson | Dec. 23, 1890 |
| Brimberry, G. T. | G. E. Kincade | Dec. 24, 1890 |
| Barrett, Grant | Cornelia Ruff | Dec. 30, 1890 |
| Carroll, Freddie | J. A. Salmon | Jan. 11, 1886 |
| Ceseher, Dick | Liza Garrett | Jan. 13, 1886 |
| Coleman, Thomas | Eliza Anderson | Feb. 2, 1886 |
| Cain, S. M. | Harriet E. Harding | Mar. 31, 1886 |
| Cranall, H. P. | Attie Lee Reese | July 21, 1886 |
| Craw, T.J. | Ella Patis | Sept. 27, 1886 |

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| Colley, Thos. | Miss W. M. Rushing | Sept. 28, 1886 |
| Crawford, W. G. | Ella Damson | Oct. 13, 1886 |
| Caldwell, Geo. | Anna Johnson | Oct. 26, 1886 |
| Crawford, Henry | Joanna Ricks | Dec. 2, 1886 |
| Cooper, I. | Eliza Thompson | Dec. 7, 1886 |
| Crear, D.C. | Dora Fletcher | Dec. 14, 1886 |
| Coleman, E. L. | Annis Parker | Dec. 20, 1886 |
| Carter, Charley | Julia Burk | Dec. 24, 1886 |
| Campbell, Geo. | Jane Shelton | Jan. 8, 1887 |
| Cartmell, James | Mary H. Heath | Jan. 26, 1887 |
| Crenshaw, John | Mrs. L. J. Hill | Feb. 1, 1887 |
| Cass, Winston | Eveline Terrell | Feb. 2, 1887 |
| California, Jim | Maggie Elliott | Mar. 9, 1887 |
| Carroll, John Patrick | Rosa Keligher | Apr. 12, 1887 |
| Carril, Edward | Willie Deough | Apr. 25, 1887 |
| Cope, Marion | Annie Ross | May 16, 1887 |
| Campbell, Rufas | Patsey Hunter | May 31, 1887 |
| Clark, J. W. | E. E. Smith | June 1, 1887 |
| Crawford, G. T. | Mirands Evans | Sept. 5, 1887 |
| Cowsey, J. A. | Mrs. S. O. Hylte | Oct. 1, 1887 |
| Campbell, B. F. | Mrs. M. A. Nesbitt | Nov. 15, 1887 |
| Cook, I. W. | D. A. Fitzgerald | Nov. 18, 1887 |
| Cook, H. L. | Leah A. Rogers | Nov. 22, 1887 |
| Charlile, Jno Thomas | Elizabeth M. Arthur | Nov. 22, 1887 |
| Chamblee, J. M. | Duza Bowen | Nov. 25, 1887 |
| Calcote, W. H. | Anna Farris | Dec. 7, 1887 |
| Christia, R. E. | Addis Byrd | Dec. 21, 1887 |
| Cravens, Aleck | Amy Bowsman | Dec. 23, 1887 |
| Callaway, W.F. | Margaret Woolverton | Dec. 27, 1887 |
| Campbell, Tom | Lillie Wright | Jan. 2, 1888 |
| Cantrell, D. H. | S. P. Elkins | Jan. 24, 1888 |
| Crear, Joe | Mary Baker | Oct. 26, 1888 |
| Carrol, Stephen | Amanda J. McCook | Feb. 6, 1888 |
| Cares, Adam | Rachel Ryan | Feb. 17, 1888 |
| Coleman, Manuel | Mandy Jones | Feb. 18, 1888 |
| Collins, George | Molly Brooks | Mar. 23, 1888 |
| Carnahan, Samuel E. | Mrs. J. C. Durfey | Apr. 2, 1888 |
| Carrol, Richard | Elvina Jensen | May 15, 1888 |
| Coleman, E.L. | Mrs. R. F. Daniels | June 23, 1888 |
| Copeland, James | Millie Tinnen | Aug. 4, 1888 |
| Cameron, W. F. | Miss A. K. Hendricks | Aug. 7, 1888 |
| Cobb, B. E. | Mrs. J. J. Phenix | Aug. 7, 1888 |
| Calhoun, Andrew | Martha J. Williams | Aug. 8, 1888 |
| Copeland, C. M. | Mrs. Martha L. Angell | Sept. 1, 1888 |
| Cone, Frank | Maria Clark | Sept. 20, 1888 |
| Collins, Harry | Mrs. Edie Jones | Oct. 24, 1888 |
| Crawford, Tobe | Mrs. Emily Hankley | Oct. 4, 1888 |
| Curtiss, S. B. | Sarah Annie Shaw | Oct. 24, 1888 |
| Carter, Joe | Mrs. Annie Read | Oct. 29, 1888 |
| Collier, Thomas | Annie Russell | Nov. 13, 1888 |
| Carpenter, B. F. | Emma Gouger | Nov. 14, 1888 |
| Crawford, O. | Joanna Downs | Nov. 30, 1888 |
| Cockerham, J. D. | Mrs. M. T. Davis | Dec. 12, 1888 |

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| Cross, Gus | Ada Phillips | Dec. 15, 1888 |
| Carver, George | Mary Jane Taylor | Dec. 20, 1888 |
| Campbell, W. G. | Nannie Fields | Dec. 22, 1888 |
| Chew, James | Ella Harris | Dec. 26, 1888 |
| Craige, W. J. | Miss M. B. Eiland | Dec. 31, 1888 |
| Crawford, M. C. | Miss F. L. Huddleston | Jan. 3, 1889 |
| Crocker, B. A. | Lizzie Petty | Jan. 17, 1889 |
| Calloway, J. A. | Ideler Hall | Feb. 22, 1889 |
| Crutcher, I. M. | Mary L. Mathews | Mar. 23, 1889 |
| Colley, John M. | Mary A. Hunter | July 9, 1889 |
| Cecil, C. | Nannie Wallis | July 10, 1889 |
| Colley, Grant | Clara Collins | July 26, 1889 |
| Conaway, Henry | Caroline Ricks | Aug. 29, 1889 |
| Calloway, H. C. | Susie Reed | Oct. 8, 1889 |
| Cloud, M. B. | Lena L. Lewis | Oct. 16, 1889 |
| Crouch, Andrew | Sarah Florence Roach | Nov. 21, 1889 |
| Callue, J. M. | Queen Anna Jones | Nov. 27, 1889 |
| Callaway, O. C. | Ludy S. Blount | Dec. 3, 1889 |
| Campbell, John | Hanna Wilson | Dec. 19, 1889 |
| Collins, W. T. | Mrs. O. H. Seagler | Dec. 27, 1889 |
| Cobb, S. W. | Ivac Roden | Aug. 17, 1889 |
| Crear, Sam | Harriet Harris | Jan. 6, 1890 |
| Curry, W. T. | Mrs. S. F. Priestley | Jan. 16, 1890 |
| Cunningham, A. C. | Viola Hudson | Feb. 15, 1890 |
| Cheathan, W. H. | Mittie Nuttall | Mar. 5, 1890 |
| Campbell, Amos | Johnie Johns | Mar. 20, 1890 |
| Cherry, Henry | Janie Kelly | Mar. 22, 1890 |
| Clifton, Roberts N. | Mary E. Gentry | Apr. 3, 1890 |
| Collins, Lenard | Alice Murdock | Apr. 3, 1890 |
| Calhoun, M. C. | Birdie Jackson | June 17, 1890 |
| Calhoun, Parker | Mary Calhoun | July 14, 1890 |
| Cusing, O. J. | Mary Bryan | July 15, 1890 |
| Clewis, Ben | Mary Fry | July 17, 1890 |
| Chambers, R.N. | Mrs. S. A. Golden | Aug. 14, 1890 |
| Clewis, Lee | Panola Austin | Aug. 14, 1890 |
| Carrol, F. O. | Alice Overton | Sept. 16, 1890 |
| Cooper, I. N. | Lizzie Bingo | Sept. 27, 1890 |
| Castles, Albert | Ardie Barrett | Sept. 27, 1890 |
| Crown, Human L. | Ray Alderman | Oct. 7, 1890 |
| Calhoun, Orin | Eliza England | Nov. 26, 1890 |
| Collier, J. K. | Mittie Sims | Dec. 5, 1890 |
| Coleman, Calvin | Susan McRea | Dec. 24, 1890 |
| Crawford, Ed | Anna Morrow | Dec. 24, 1890 |
| Dickson, S. J. | Mary Jones | Feb. 12, 1886 |
| Duncans, Dock | Georgianah McDonald | Feb. 17, 1886 |
| Davis, Louis | Dallie Speers | Feb. 18, 1886 |
| Davis, J. E. | L. L. Schuh | Feb. 22, 1886 |
| Davis, O. S. | Lenora Crawford | Mar. 27, 1886 |
| Davis, Ben | Belle Moore | May 25, 1886 |
| Dean, D.P. | M. L. Angell | Nov. 3, 1886 |
| Dawson, C. E. | Ida Callier | Nov. 10, 1886 |

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| Dormant, F. L. | C. T. Williams | Dec. 6, 1886 |
| Davis, Sam | Josaphine Richardson | Dec. 7, 1886 |
| Daniels, J. M. | Arena Boman | Jan. 19, 1887 |
| Dudley, F. A. | Cora K. Kasse | Jan. 21, 1887 |
| Dew, G. W. | Lizzie K. Cronin | Feb. 21, 1887 |
| Davis, Ben | Sue Jackson | Apr. 13, 1887 |
| Debolt, L. H. | Margaret Whitley | Apr. 29, 1887 |
| Davis, Wm. | Dora Dowson | May 7, 1887 |
| Deane, W. T. | S. T. Gaines | Aug. 24, 1887 |
| Dunn, James | Eliza Renfrow | Sept. 9, 1887 |
| Donoghue, Thomas | Maggie L. Small | Sept. 24, 1887 |
| Deckard, Ned | Helen Johnson | Oct. 15, 1887 |
| Davis, Will | Mary Howard | Oct. 27, 1887 |
| Day, W. R. | Josie Chambers | Nov. 30, 1887 |
| Delaney, J. M. | Lula Cromwell | Dec. 19, 1887 |
| Dickey, J. H. | M. R. Meredith | Dec. 21, 1887 |
| Duval, Monroe | Annie Porter | Apr. 14, 1888 |
| Diles, Geo. | Susanna Gilmore | May 15, 1888 |
| Dean, J. P. | Mary Stewart | Aug. 22, 1888 |
| Dean, E. R. | Sallie Wilborn | Oct. 10, 1888 |
| Davenport, J. R. | Lenora Bryan | Nov. 6, 1888 |
| Doss, Joseph M. | Ella May Thornal | Dec. 8, 1888 |
| Dean, Miles | Winnie Brown | Dec. 19, 1888 |
| Douglas, Frank | Serena Hunt | Dec. 22, 1888 |
| Dorrity, John | Charity Thomas | Dec. 26, 1888 |
| Duval, Ned | Minnie Gaston | Jan. 3, 1889 |
| Deckard, E. D. | Susan Temple | Jan. 5, 1889 |
| Dunn, R. W. | D. A. Myers | Feb. 23, 1889 |
| Davis, Clark | Lucinda Coleman | Feb. 28, 1889 |
| Davis, George | Maria Williams | July 16, 1889 |
| Day, Wm. R. | Parthena Hall | Nov. 12, 1889 |
| Davis, M. | Mary Gray | Nov. 13, 1889 |
| Darys, Hamp | Cora Garrett | Dec. 23, 1889 |
| Delk, J. T. | Francis White | Jan. 7, 1890 |
| Dickey, M. D. | Martha M. Kennedy | Feb. 11, 1890 |
| Davis, Ervin | Eliza Middleton | Apr. 12, 1890 |
| Durham, George | Sally Little | Apr. 14, 1890 |
| Downs, W. C. | Mattie L. Reed | June 9, 1890 |
| Dick, Will H. | Georgia Numsen | June 18, 1890 |
| Donell, Austin | Mariah Warren | July 2, 1890 |
| Dunn, B. A. | Amelia C. Hanks | July 10, 1890 |
| Dison, Tom | Jane Early | July 16, 1890 |
| Dorsey, John | Mary Tison | Aug. 15, 1890 |
| Drake, T. A. | Nancey E. Powell | Oct. 15, 1890 |
| Denton, J. W. | Nannie C. Walters | Nov. 25, 1890 |
| Davis, Martin | Alice Pearson | Nov. 26, 1890 |
| Doss, J. L. | Della Morrow | Dec. 17, 1890 |
| Earls, I. W. | Amanda Copeland | May 4, 1886 |
| Eason, F. C. | Minnie Averyt | May 5, 1886 |
| Eppner, Chas. | Barbara Grove | May 22, 1886 |
| Edwards, W.D. | Alice Stell | July 1, 1886 |
| Edwards, Joe | Ann Box | Feb. 8, 1887 |

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| Everett, C. C. | A. E. Baty | Feb. 21, 1887 |
| Edwards, George | Josephine Lawrence | Mar. 8, 1887 |
| Evans, W. H. | A. J. Brown | Aug. 24, 1887 |
| Ezell, P. B. | Lula B. Shamblin | Oct. 19, 1887 |
| Elrod, C. M. | Emma Jenson | Dec. 13, 1887 |
| Evans, L. J. | Dollie Hill | Jan. 2, 1888 |
| Earls, Sam | Matilda Martin | Feb. 25, 1888 |
| Evans, L. J. | Lizzie Johnson | May 1, 1888 |
| Earley, Iuanda | Eliza Brooks | Aug. 3, 1888 |
| Evans, Gooding | Eta Washington | Aug. 26, 1888 |
| Evans, Joe | M. C. Cook | Dec. 13, 1888 |
| Edwards, Eugene | Josephine Robertson | Mar. 16, 1889 |
| Elrod, E. F. | Dora F. Cook | Oct. 29, 1889 |
| Edwards, Eugene | Josephine Robertson | Nov. 30, 1889 |
| Earl, Benjamin | Anna Reeves | Dec. 24, 1889 |
| Eiley, James | Mary A. Simms | May 9, 1890 |
| Eubanks, E. J. | Minnie McKinzie | May 21, 1890 |
| Elson, Jim | Mollie Wright | Sept. 27, 1890 |
| Elrod, L. B. | Mamie E. Mills | Oct. 17, 1890 |
| Egan, Charles | Ella McElroy | Nov. 25, 1890 |
| Ewing, Mitchell | Sallie House | Dec. 4, 1890 |
| Fields, James | Mrs. Virginia Deaty | June 19, 1886 |
| Farrall, Thomas | Permelia McCoy | July 3, 1886 |
| Furlough, Pink | Willie Miller | Sept. 27, 1886 |
| Foster, D. W. | Eliza Moss | Oct. 30, 1886 |
| Foster, L. C. | Lessie Saddler | Nov. 4, 1886 |
| Farmer, Wesley | Callie Pinkson | Nov. 18, 1886 |
| Foster, I. D. | Lula Jones | Dec. 9, 1886 |
| Fletcher, B. F. | L. M. C. Pugh | Jan. 19, 1887 |
| Flinn, J. W. | Alice Usleman | Feb. 14, 1887 |
| Funderberk, M. S. | Mattie Wilson | July 27, 1887 |
| Fermel, Pleas | Maria Lermen | Aug. 10, 1887 |
| Foster, E. A. | Mary L. Watts | Sept. 3, 1887 |
| Fletcher, D. T. | Grace Carpenter | Sept. 3, 1887 |
| Freeman, Henry | Mary Bell Bradley | Sept. 9, 1887 |
| Freeman, Dr. R. W. | L. J. Dunn | Oct. 27, 1887 |
| Freeman, David | Alsina Hightower | Dec. 13, 1887 |
| Franklin, Charley | Mandy Anderson | Dec. 30, 1887 |
| Fielas, M. L. | Minnie Smith | Jan. 18, 1888 |
| Fitts, T. A. | Mary Redmond | Feb. 27, 1888 |
| Fitzgerald, E. N. | Letha Allan | Apr. 11, 1888 |
| Frame, M. E. | M. S. Farris | Apr. 28, 1888 |
| Fulton, W. H. | Mrs. M. L. Walker | May 1, 1888 |
| Frame, R. W. | Mrs. M. J. Isbell | May 25, 1888 |
| Fain, J. M. | Josephine McKinney | Sept. 17, 1888 |
| Fife, R. S. | Lida Clayton | Sept. 24, 1888 |
| Funderburk, P. P. | B. Fetters | Nov. 14, 1888 |
| Fields, Steve | Maggie Brown | Nov. 24, 1888 |
| Fite, M. H. | Angia L. Chandler | Dec. 11, 1888 |
| Frame, J. R. | Florence Lawhorn | Jan. 10, 1889 |
| Freeman, Zadok | Mrs. L. A. Saunders | Feb. 27, 1889 |

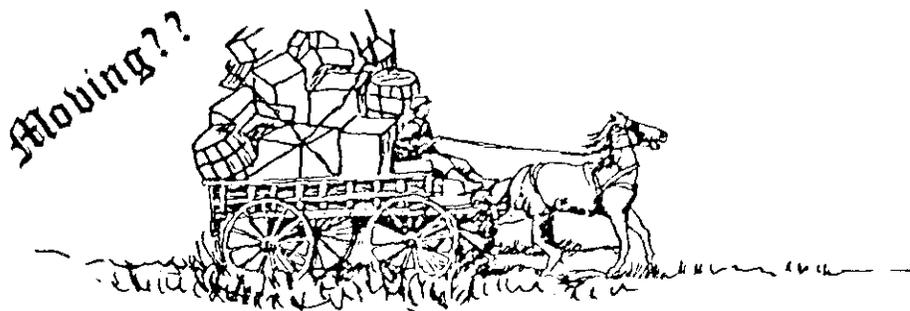
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| Fulton, Lamar | Maudina Bullion | Apr. 16, 1889 |
| Franklin, John B. | Pearl Evans | Apr. 24, 1889 |
| Farley, J. B. | Anna Brooks | Sept. 5, 1889 |
| Farris, A. D. | Maggie Hyatt | Nov. 1, 1889 |
| Fulquim, D. R. | Lillie Maddox | Nov. 27, 1889 |
| Fitzgerald, G. W. | Margaret Felton | Jan. 6, 1890 |
| Fluker, Louis | Mrs. Dolly Williams | Mar. 29, 1890 |
| Farris, Frank | Bonnie Stevens | May 17, 1890 |
| Franklin, Charles | Mrs. P. A. Huddleston | July 16, 1890 |
| Farris, M. B. | Nettie Woolverton | Sept. 22, 1890 |
| Ferguson, L. C. | Margaret Thomas | Oct. 21, 1890 |
| Glenn, Nathan | Liza Warner | Jan. 14, 1886 |
| Gilmore, William | Mrs. Anna M. Brion | Jan. 18, 1886 |
| Green, Joshua | Manda London | Jan. 20, 1886 |
| Gibson, Albert | Sarah Jackson | Feb. 4, 1886 |
| Gaston, Levi | Hagor Twitty | Mar. 1, 1886 |
| Gossett, T. A. | Fewsonia Miles | July 5, 1886 |
| Gelson, Perry | Susan Parker | July 5, 1886 |
| Guice, J. J. | Moggie Campbell | July 14, 1886 |
| Gaulding, H. E. | Josie Hughes | July 26, 1886 |
| Gray, Jim | Mary Sholders | July 27, 1886 |
| Gray, H. G. | Mrs. E. J. Rogers | Aug. 17, 1886 |
| Green, S. | Mary Chambers | Sept. 13, 1886 |
| Gibson, Jesse | Josephine Rice | Oct. 2, 1886 |
| Griffin, Joseph | Sallie Williams | Oct. 11, 1886 |
| Glenn, Henry H. | Willie Tucker | Oct. 13, 1886 |
| Gleason, John | Elizabeth Hobson | Nov. 25, 1886 |
| Gipson, George | Mollie Jackson | Dec. 25, 1886 |
| Green, Iverson | Fannie Barrett | Dec. 25, 1886 |
| Gardner, Green | Hannah Hall | Jan. 26, 1887 |
| Gunnels, Ben | Arena Givens | Feb. 17, 1887 |
| Goodson, R. J. | K. L. A. Murdock | Mar. 5, 1887 |
| Galloway, Wm. C. | Mary Lena Stedman | June 1, 1887 |
| Gaston, Gabe | Jane Mason | July 5, 1887 |
| Gorden, M. | Mrs. M. Haney | July 14, 1887 |
| Goodnight, E. E. | Maggie O'Brien | Sept. 13, 1887 |
| Glaze, J. D. | Martha Heard | Oct. 11, 1887 |
| Glaze, Henry | Maria Netter | Nov. 8, 1887 |
| Gleen, Silas | Mollie Reeves | Dec. 8, 1887 |
| Geress, E. | M. M. Hardin | Dec. 29, 1887 |
| Garrett, S. M. | Lindie Ritchie | Jan. 6, 1888 |
| Govan, David | Eliza Bryant | Jan. 25, 1888 |
| Greenhill, J. R. | Ellen M. Egbert | Feb. 29, 1888 |
| Givens, Johnie | Lucy Govan | Mar. 10, 1888 |
| Green, Lijah | Hattie Chambers | Apr. 14, 1888 |
| Goss, Robert | Mrs. Julia Crist | May 12, 1888 |
| Gaines, A. | Mrs. Mollie Beckley | June 8, 1888 |
| Gregg, A. W. | Mary V. Brooks | June 20, 1888 |
| Gist, J. W. | E. A. Stone | Aug. 21, 1888 |
| Germond, A. J. | Mrs. Susan Jones | Aug. 21, 1888 |
| Gibbs, Claude S. | Maggie Bell Lumpkin | Sept. 4, 1888 |

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| Gibson, G. E. | Julia Huddleston | Sept. 12, 1888 |
| Gaines, B. F. | Georgia Mills | Nov. 5, 1888 |
| Gaines, J. H. | C. L. Pennington | Dec. 5, 1888 |
| Gresham, T. J. | Mattie Waggoner | Dec. 10, 1888 |
| Gray, Simon | Maria Hicks | Jan. 16, 1889 |
| Green, Calvin | Cora Hall | Jan. 22, 1880 |
| Garner, J. N. | Jo. Johnson | Feb. 2, 1889 |
| Green, Leroy | Hanna Lott | May 2, 1889 |
| Gibson, G. B. | Carrie L. McKowan | Sept. 18, 1889 |
| Green, J. W. | Mrs. I. D. Lunsford | Oct. 5, 1889 |
| Grigsby, R. H. | Sallie Foster | Oct. 30, 1889 |
| Griffin, G. W. | Eulalia M. Hyatt | Nov. 14, 1889 |
| Gibson, O. C. | Mrs. Nancy Milan | Nov. 16, 1889 |
| Gibson, A. O. | Fannie Jones | Dec. 9, 1889 |
| Gross, Tomy | Verbina Carroll | Dec. 11, 1889 |
| Green, Whitfield | Nellie Parsons | Dec. 18, 1889 |
| Grenough, A. L. | Louisa Wogenstahl | Dec. 30, 1889 |
| Garrett, George | Angeline Bordeaux | Dec. 31, 1889 |
| Givins, John | Mrs. Mary King | Jan. 8, 1890 |
| Green, John | Jennie McElyea | Jan. 18, 1890 |
| Goodner, Frank M. | Alice Marvin | Feb. 15, 1890 |
| Gouger, Lee | P. A. Taylor | Mar. 7, 1890 |
| Gatewood, W. W. | Annie Dowel | Apr. 18, 1890 |
| Goodwin, Primns | Louella Jemison | Apr. 28, 1890 |
| Garrett, Charlie | Mollie Phillips | Aug. 9, 1890 |
| Gatlin, C. W. | Rosetta Ford | Aug. 19, 1890 |
| Germond, Augustus | Mrs. Sally Ford | Aug. 23, 1890 |
| Gill, Waltus H. | Mrs. Callie Mangum | Aug. 28, 1890 |
| Granger, Fed | Alabama Henderson | Sept. 17, 1890 |
| Gray, J. H. | Marietta Hill | Oct. 14, 1890 |
| Green, A. C. | Ida Mitchell | Nov. 29, 1890 |
| Glascoe, Samuel | Charity Anderson | Dec. 23, 1890 |
| Galard, Walter | Mary Rines | Dec. 24, 1890 |
| Green, George | Sallie Walker | Dec. 24, 1890 |
| Hood, S. J. | N. A. Fulton | Jan. 24, 1886 |
| Hodges, Tom | Mrs. Sarah Davis | Feb. 6, 1886 |
| Hanks, Jno. | Fannie Stafford | Feb. 17, 1886 |
| Hanks, Charlie | Malisa Jefferson | Mar. 11, 1886 |
| Hassell, Cyrus R. | Mrs. Myra E. Tombs | Apr. 15, 1886 |
| Hassell, Jno. P. | Mrs. Mary E. G. Jones | Apr. 15, 1886 |
| Henry, William | Georgia Ann Turner | May 6, 1886 |
| Hunter, Mack | Chancy Bridges | May 8, 1886 |
| Hassell, Andrew E. | Mrs. Ida N. Cutter | Sept. 4, 1886 |
| Henry, Raford | Mrs. Rena Jones | Sept. 4, 1886 |
| Howard, William | Margaret Williams | Sept. 25, 1886 |
| Hoke, George C. | Fannie Groomes | Oct. 21, 1886 |
| Hutcherson, W. O. | Laura Fetters | Nov. 17, 1886 |
| Henderson, Joel | Mirna Gipson | Nov. 22, 1886 |
| Hicks, Ed. | Queen Phillips | Dec. 21, 1886 |
| Harding, T. A. | Mrs. C. L. Wallace | Jan. 5, 1887 |
| Hoffman, T. M. | Mrs. Bell White | Jan. 8, 1887 |

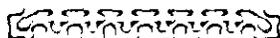
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| Harris, Joe | Rachel Jackson | Jan. 14, 1887 |
| Henderson, William | Sarah Cummings | Feb. 5, 1887 |
| Henderson, William | Angeline Rhodes | Feb. 16, 1887 |
| Holland, T. D. | Miss A. J. Moss | Mar. 1, 1887 |
| Helm, Lafayette | Mrs. M. A. Seamons | Mar. 22, 1887 |
| Hall, James | Maggie Leaverton | Mar. 26, 1887 |
| Huckaby, Bela | Ann Eliza Dickson | Apr. 9, 1887 |
| Hunter, William | Elvira Hodge | May 12, 1887 |
| Headspeth, Joe | Mary Gaston | May 19, 1887 |
| Herral, F. S. | Miss M. A. McCool | Jan. 19, 1887 |
| Hughes, J. C. | Minnie Holder | Aug. 17, 1887 |
| Honnard, Charles J. | Mary E. Hunt | Oct. 3, 1887 |
| Holmes, Bee | Mrs. Mattie Clove | Oct. 27, 1887 |
| Harris, Rile | Julia Coleman | Nov. 18, 1887 |
| Hollum, Morris | Ann Collier | Nov. 24, 1887 |
| Horn, E. C. | Mrs. L. R. Parker | Nov. 28, 1887 |
| Hunter, Andrew | Alice Prior | Dec. 8, 1887 |
| Hodges, S. M. | Willie Chaison | Dec. 13, 1887 |
| Hughes, B. M. | Miss L. B. Watts | Dec. 29, 1887 |
| Hanks, John | Josephine Simons | July 3, 1887 |
| Hillyar, J. D. | Mary Ann Cooper | Jan. 4, 1888 |
| Horn, P. H. | Lillie L. Little | Jan. 14, 1888 |
| Hunt, Young | Sevena Davis | Jan. 19, 1888 |
| Hicks, Tony | Nora Terry | Jan. 19, 1888 |
| Hill, W. G. | Mattie R. Watts | Jan. 24, 1888 |
| Hudson, W. T. | Miss Lucy Richey | Jan. 25, 1888 |
| Hosea, D. J. | Miss M. F. Stone | Jan. 28, 1888 |
| Hassel, T. F. L. | H. M. A. Ferguson | Jan. 30, 1888 |
| Harris, J. T. | Miss Annie Watson | Feb. 1, 1888 |
| Hodges, E. M. | Mrs. Bettie Burk | Feb. 9, 1888 |
| Helm, T. A. | Miss S. F. Riall | Feb. 11, 1888 |
| Huddleston, F. M. | Miss C. E. Singleterry | Apr. 21, 1888 |
| Hughes, J. A. | S. L. Lottle | May 14, 1888 |
| Holder, W. H. | Mrs. M. E. King | June 16, 1888 |
| Hilderbrant, C. G. | Mrs. Phronissa Merklinger | June 20, 1888 |
| Hart, Alfred | Miss Lizzie Anderson | July 19, 1888 |
| Hester, J. D. | Miss A. M. Rodger | Aug. 14, 1888 |
| Hambey, J. T. | Miss Leona Burns | Sept. 7, 1888 |
| Higginbotham, S. H. | Dora G. Hassell | Nov. 10, 1888 |
| Harris, T. J. | Nettie Kimball | Nov. 17, 1888 |
| Hanna, Silas | Miss Lillie Coleman | Nov. 20, 1888 |
| Hamilton, George | Jennie Jefferson | Dec. 20, 1888 |
| Hamlett, Henry | Harriett Patterson | Dec. 31, 1888 |
| Hoffman, W. S. | S. J. Willingham | Jan. 1, 1889 |
| Hambaugh, A. B. | Mrs. E. A. Haygood | Jan. 3, 1889 |
| Hatten, S. C. | Miss Dellie McFarr | Feb. 1, 1889 |
| Hunter, Ben | Miss Salra Rainey | Feb. 2, 1889 |
| Hunt, Arch | Miss Ada Mims | Feb. 13, 1889 |
| Holmes, Robert | Miss Mittie Jackson | Mar. 2, 1889 |
| Harrison, Joe | Mary Jane Lacy | Mar. 16, 1889 |
| Haymaker, J. W. | Miss J. F. Tumin | Apr. 17, 1889 |
| Hassell, Wiley | Mrs. Alice Byrd | Apr. 26, 1889 |

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
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| Henry, James | Miss Lizzie Jackson | May 4, 1889 |
| Hood, S. J. | Ora Belle Tamplin | May 23, 1889 |
| Harge, Hardy | Mrs. C. Richardson | July 22, 1889 |
| Hamlett, R.B. | Sarah Ann Kimbrough | July 30, 1889 |
| Hardegrave, E. E. | Laura Cromwell | Aug. 19, 1889 |
| Hudson, J. D. | Miss Jewel Heath | Sept. 4, 1889 |
| Hooker, Houston | Mrs. Sarah Mays | Sept. 16, 1889 |
| Hunter, George | Pauline L. Jowers | Nov. 5, 1889 |
| Haynes, T. M. | Miss Laura Sterne | Nov. 11, 1889 |
| Hills, Peter | Mrs. Mary Morgan | Dec. 2, 1889 |
| Henry, W. F. | Miss Mary Holder | Dec. 21, 1889 |
| Harts, Thomas | Miss Mizella Pipes | Dec. 23, 1889 |
| Hughes, R. M. | Miss Mary Crocker | Dec. 24, 1889 |
| Hall, James | Miss Anna Anderson | Jan. 1, 1890 |
| Hamilton, R. O. | Pollie Patterson | Jan. 16, 1890 |
| Halleck, P. S. | Leila McDonald | Jan. 25, 1890 |
| Herbrough, W. H. | Miss Alice Cleveland | Feb. 8, 1890 |
| Hodge, J. W. | Amy Jackson | Mar. 1, 1890 |
| Holly, Tom | Susannah McKenney | Apr. 7, 1890 |
| Herrington, Jeff | Mattie Johnson | May 3, 1890 |
| Hoxie, Jim | Litha Haywood | May 10, 1890 |
| Harris, Ed | Miss Rosy White | May 21, 1890 |
| Hardin, Adam | Mrs. Maggie Donaghue | June 16, 1890 |
| Hester, R.D. | Miss Minnie Carroll | Nov. 12, 1890 |
| Huntsbarger | Francis Walston | Dec. 2, 1890 |
| Henderson, L. D. | Mrs. G. M. Skinner | Dec. 13, 1890 |
| Hunter, John | Martha Stokes | Dec. 13, 1890 |
| Hendley, J. R. | Miss A. M. Eiland | Dec. 26, 1890 |
| Hassell, James | Miss Bell Jackson | Dec. 31, 1890 |

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TOMLIN CEMETERY

The Tomlin Cemetery is located on Trinity Blvd, previously called Tomlin Road, off N. Davis Street in Arlington, Texas. Ancestors of this family were among the early settlers of Parker County, Texas. Mr. Tomlin's grandmother, Emma Light, was a small girl when Comanche Indians raided her home. They killed her parents and a young baby. Lee Light, a younger brother crawled into a bush thicket for safety. Emma Light survived with an arrow in her arm. Copied in 1975 by Mrs. R. L. (Louise) Moxley.

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| J. R. Fanning | 11/21/1922 | 7/28/1975 |
| Sue Souder | 1900 | 1973 |
| Florence Tomlin Hasting | 1875 | 1946 |
| Joe Tomlin WOW | 7/29/1861 | 10/10/1908 |
| two graves with sand stones | | |
| Hurst - Julina M. | 4/16/1898 | |
| William R. | 11/15/1894 | 1/6/1973 |
| (married February 10, 1917) | | |
| W. H. Tomlin | 1863 | 1927 |
| Ina Tomlin | 1880 | 1944 |
| Pearl Frances Robinson | 6/24/1903 | 12/6/1965 |
| Joe S. Tomlin | 10/19/1900 | 5/2/1954 |
| James E. Tomlin | 1906 | 1914 |
| Infant son of Herman and Helen Garrett | 6/21/1946 | 8/4/1946 |
| Ben F. Robinson | 1876 | 1938 |
| Mary L. Robinson | 1880 | 1963 |
| Richard J. Souder | 2/21/1898 | 8/26/1943 |
| R. J. Souder | 10/10/1920 | 1/3/1921 |
| James E. Souder | 5/27/1925 | 12/10/1927 |
| Paul P. Tomlin Sr. | 1/8/1912 | 7/1/1974 |
| James T. Tomlin | 11/12/1896 | 11/15/1951 |
| Tex PFC 138 Inf. 35 Div. WWI | | |
| Tomlin - Sarah Ellen | 12/10/1872 | 12/7/1949 |
| Phil F. | 1/8/1867 | 5/10/1941 |
| Mrs. Nancy Hasting | 2/16/1839 | 2/4/1914 |
| James M. Hasting | | 5/10/1934 |
| Tex Master Sgt. 59 Inf. 4 Div. | | |
| Kenneth Ronald Wilson | 11/17/1963 | 1/30/1964 |
| Richard Lee Robey | | 7/25/1966 |
| Joseph E. Wilson | 4/27/1898 | 8/26/1972 |

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| Lisa Donnelle Tomlin | 10/22/1970 | 10/24/1970 |
| Broken marker - Mary E. Elkins wife of J. W. Elkins | 7/27/1847 | 4/13/1885 |
| Infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hart | | 6/14/1941 |
| Iron Marker - no name | | |
| Julina Jo - wife of Solomon Tomlin | 6/4/1832 | 7/3/1915 |
| S. Tomlin (large sandstone) | | 6/?/1884 |
| Bennie F. Tomlin | 2/24/1901 | 7/5/1906 |
| Simmi Tomlin | 10/27/1888 | 2/8/1890 |
| Edward Tomlin | 1917 | 1918 |
| Tomlin - John William | 8/3/1882 | 5/9/1964 |
| Minnie Bell | 3/21/1881 | 7/25/1969 |
| Jesse Monteville Tomlin Tex PVT 129 MG Bn 35 Div. | | 8/21/1932 |
| Tomlin - Martha E. | 10/24/1862 | 11/11/1948 |
| James T. | 4/27/1852 | 4/30/1934 |
| Lee Light (large sandstone) | ? | ? |
| Mary Young Light | 6/19/1816 | 1/25/1901 |
| Tomlin Harrison, Infant son | | 4/4/1924 |
| Harrison - Pearl | 12/7/1893 | 3/14/1975 |
| W. Leslie | 11/11/1893 | 3/21/1971 |
| (Married May 30, 1915) | | |
| Ivaleigh, daughter of Mary Harrison and Lester Hamlin | 11/5/1951 | 3/26/1960 |
| Unmarked grave | | |
| Robert L. Henderson TEC 4 US Army | 2/12/1906 | 12/26/1974 |
| Roberts - Bessie L. | 8/3/1905 | |
| John H. | 4/4/1901 | 11/7/1953 |
| Johnson (sandstone - no other ID) | | |
| Grimmett - Lela Ellen | 12/28/1896 | |
| Charles C. | 1/9/1893 | 4/7/1971 |
| Jack Arnold Campbell Texas Major US Army, Vietnam BSM-AM | 10/1/1035 | 11/23/1971 |
| Oscar A. Metcalf Tex PVT 38 US Vol Inf | | 4/26/1935 |

6 unmarked graves with sandstone

1 sandstone with JPW

1 sandstone with D?? (slab leaning on stone w/MCY)

1 sandstone with MW

1 unmarked sandstone

1 sandstone - In Memory of Emma A. ?

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| Arthur Lee Rowling | 4/4/1869 | 11/16/1951 |
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| Tomlin - Ethel | 4/5/1898 | |
| Harvey | 11/4/1896 | 1/14/1970 |

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| Ronnie J. Duncan | 6/16/1964 | 6/16/1964 |
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1 unmarked grave with large sandstone above ground level



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In August 1980 FOOTPRINTS on page 138 we listed an "Unnamed Cemetery" in Fannin County, Texas. Connie McLarry Ausec of Spring, Texas wrote us additional information concerning this cemetery, which we appreciate very much receiving.

This cemetery is located on what used to be the old McLarry homelace and is known as the McLarry Cemetery. Also buried here is Adeline Dowell McLarry, wife of Isaac Henry McLarry. Adeline was born on 3 June 1819 and died 20 July 1909.

Abbie E., wife of G. W. Moreland - should read Addie E., Addie Ella Church Moreland was the sister of Margaret Virginia Church McLarry, wife of John Isaac McLarry. John Isaac was the son of Isaac and Adeline McLarry.

The "infant baby of B. D. and L. E. McLarry" was the child of Benjamin Dowell McLarry and Laura Evaline Moreland McLarry. Benjamin McLarry was the son of Isaac and Adeline McLarry.

The McLarry family came to Nobility, Fannin County, Texas in 1871 from Adair County, Kentucky. They were charter members of the Indian Creek Baptist Church.

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ABSTRACTS from HISTORY OF MASONRY in EARLY TEXAS and of DIXIE LODGE

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CHAPTER IX DIXIE LODGE #272, KNOXVILLE

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January 23, 1864, petitions of J. M. Johnson and S. F. Johnson. J. L. Bass initiated. W. G. Chapman passed, J. E. Lawrence, master mason. Feb. 7, 1864, J. M. Johnson, S. F. Johnson initiated, J. L. Bass passed. March 26, 1864, petitions of Wm. Bradshaw, J. M. Coupland, J. H. Salmon, A. J. Griffin, Jas. A. Childers, Daniel D. Fox. "Committee appointed to wait on the two youngest daughters of brother Joseph Jolly, to see to their welfare in procuring them homes and see to their wants, consisting of Brothers McKinley, Bell, and Norman."

April 23, 1864, James Childers, D. D. Fox, James H. Salmon, A. J. Griffin initiated. J. M. Johnson passed. S. F. Johnson raised. Petitions of A. W. Johnson, S. C. Martin, M. B. Willis, L. B. Willis, John A. Willis. April 30, 1864, James M. Coupland initiated. May 21, 1864, petitions of A. B. Parks, Ed Martin, Thos. J. Wood, S. C. Martin, J. A. Willis, L. B. Willis, W. B. Willis initiated; D. D. Fox, J. H. Salmon, James Childers, A. J. Griffin, James M. Johnson passed. John Miller Johnson made master mason. Affiliation petitions from Zack Bottoms and B. J. Baxter.

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June 4, 1864, Rev. A. W. Johnson initiated. Resolution passed raising fees to \$20 for each degree. November 19, 1864, Alford Johnson made master mason. December 17, 1864, Samuel Featherstone initiated. Bought a house in Griffin to move to Knoxville for hall. Brothers Rountree, Bell, and Norman on committee, and John Tindal awarded contract to move to site given by Jesse Davidson. House cost \$630.

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Petitions of James F. Henry and G. W. Stone June 8, 1865. A. J. Coker initiated. July 8, 1865, James F. Henry and G. W. Stone initiated. November 4 Simson Marlow petitioned. Feb. 3, 1866 W. G. Engledow petitioned. J. M. L. Brittain affiliated and G. W. Engledow and John G. Hall initiated.

Brother F. R. Gilbert of Griffin #132 affiliated. Moved there be no "dancing in our Lodge." James F. Henry raised in August. Dec. 22, 1866 R. W. Hamilton petitioned. J. M. Wood and Wm. Norris petitioned. Feb. 23, 1867 W. A. Pope and J. W. Alender affiliated. April, 1867, John Gaden and James R. Gaden affiliated.

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August 18, 1867, S. H. Lowrie and J. H. Jones petitioned. C. M.

Hicks affiliated 19 October. November 16, Tom L. Dodson affiliated. (fee for affiliation #3.00). Brother I. P. Smith affiliated as did J. C. Smith Jan. 11, 1868. W. P. Brittain proxy at G. L. James Childers was buried 27 July, 1868 and the secretary was instructed to furnish his widow, Julia A. Childers, a certificate of masonry character. August 8, 1868, W. P. Henry, W. A. Pope, F. R. Gilbert were appointed to draft resolutions for Childers' death. Wm. G. Engledow again master for 1869. Picture of Wm. G. Engledow.

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Officers for 1869 (Jan. 2) W. G. Engledow, W. M.; W. A. Pope, S. W.; Wm. Norris, J. W.; D. D. Coupland, S. D.; J. R. Gaden, J. D.; W. P. Henry, Treas; F. R. Gilbert, Secy; John W. Alender, Tyler. March 27, petition of W. T. McAfee. May, petition of F. D. Fitch. June 26, 1869, Louis M. Knight initiated. New building committee discharged and Pope, Salmon, and Gilbert appointed to complete Lodge building. September 25 petitions of Rev. W. G. Caperton and D. B. Keahney, initiation of Drury Couch. October 23, John W. Simpson's petition read.

January 22, 1870, Mathew Norris petition read. April 16, Samuel M. Johnson's petition read. May 21 petition of J. H. Bugg read. Sept. 9, 1870, petition of Joel Cross read, committee appointed of James H. Salmon, Matthew Norris, F. R. Gilbert to examine. Meeting called Sept. 12 burying W. G. Engledow (uncle of Joe Cross) November 12, 1879, C. E. Childers and T. C. McKay read and Joel Cross initiated. December 19, J. K. Florence's petition read. J. H. Salmon again chosen master.

January 7, 1871, petitions of J. B. Martin and I. N. Powell read. C. E. Childers, T. C. McKay, J. W. Weeks passed (transfer from Poinsett Lodge #184, Harrisburg, Ark.) March 11, A. A. Coupland, T. J. Clay, D. W. Webb, M. V. Shaw read.

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July 1, petition of J. R. Middleton read, petitions of L. B. Mitchell and J. Reed presented. August 26 petitions of John M. Rucker, W. S. Owens, F. D. Mitchell, and J. E. Bell received. W. T. McAfee made Master. November 28, Stephen Morris affiliated. December 3 lodge called for burying A. J. Griffin. Capt. J. J. Flynn of Canton Lodge presided, brother W. P. Henry preached at funeral. W. A. Pope, J. M. Rucker, F. R. Gilbert drafted resolutions of respect and secretary instructed to furnish Brother Griffin's children with certificate of his standing in lodge. (Wife not mentioned.)

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December 23 petitions of James Carrol and M. M. Wadsworth received. D. D. Coupland again chosen master, December 27. Public installation by Rev. Joel Sanders in the church at Knoxville. January 20, 1872 James Carrol initiated. Feb. 21 for the purpose of burying Stephen Morris. W. E. Smith petitioned on Feb. 24. May 20, W. A. Pope was sent to Grand Lodge. Joel Sanders affiliated and on July 20, R. R. Hamilton and M. L. Mock petitioned the lodge and James Hampton affiliated. August 17, petitions of F. L. Lindsey and F.

S. Torry presented, and W. B. Brooks affiliated. Joel D. Eidom petitioned on November 9 and W. S. Maris was again chosen master. July 5, 1873, R. M. Breedlove and J. C. Tidwell affiliated. Canton lodge recieved waiver of jurisdiction to confer Master's Degree on J. M. Hays.

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Resolution "that Dixie Lodge be moved to Troup Station on the International R.R. in Smith County, Texas." October 4, 1873. Ballot taken November 29 for or against Zavalla (Troup) as site. Vote carried for moving. D. D. Coupland again chosen for Master. January 15 buried C. E. Childers and January 19 buried Joel D. Eidom at Troup. Masonic Hall was a reality at Knoxville on January 15, 1874 when minutes stated on a resolution by W. A. Pope, A. A. Coupland, and J. M. Rucker for C. E. Childers. Committee for resolutions for Eidom were D. D. Coupland, T. C. McKay, and J. M. Rucker. (no wife mentioned for Childers--'wife and family' for Eidom.)

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J. T. Kaiser's petition was received, March 28, 1874. April 25 N. M. Wordworth's petition was received. Thomas A. Cocke affiliated May 30. Petitions of J. H. Tarbutton, D. T. Lacy, W. H. Finch and George Appleby presented June 17 and J. C. Darby affiliated.

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Moved to begin looking for house for Masonic Lodge to meet at in Troup...Committee: Rucker, Pope, Carrol. Rucker, Pope and Weeks appointed to move Lodge furniture from Knoxville to Troup.

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Still alive when Cross wrote book, apparently 1918, from old lodge: R. W. Hamilton, Sam M. Johnson, T. C. McKay, A. A. Coupland, D. W. Webb, James Carrol, F. L. Lindsey, John C. Darby. (Editor's note says R. W. Hamilton died April 18, 1918 and Sam Johnson died in October 24, 1918.

CHAPTER X DIXIE LODGE AT ZAVALLA (TROUP) OVER HITCHIN'S STORE

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July 25, 1874, in new home. July 25, 1874 S. R. Gladney and J. F. Henry affiliated and George O. Appleby, J. H. Tarbutton, W. H. Finch, D. T. Lacy initiated and J. M. Deaton and C. B. Pollock petitioned. M. J. Deaton was initiated on August 22 and G. W. Shears and George Whipple affiliated and September 19, A. F. Dossett and W. G. Caperton affiliated. Secretary ordered to pay M. Nitchins \$45 for 1/4 year rent.

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October 24 John W. Brown's petition presented. Brooks, Rucker and Gladney appointed to have Grange store brought up from Knoxville and set up by next meeting. November 21, petition of T. J. Clay read, M. Jernigan affiliated. December 19 officers elected:

John M. Rucker, W.M.; W. B. Brooks, S.W.; Thomas A. Cocke, J.W.; T. C. McKay, Treas.; C. B. Polloc, Secy.; J. W. Weeks, Tyler. Appointed officers: J. T. Kaiser, S.D.; J. H. Tarbutton, J.D.: S.R. Gladney, S.S.; F. D. Fitch, J.S. Pallbearers: L. B. Mitchell, A. A. Coupland, W. H. Finch, E. E. Bell. Finance Committee: W. A. Pope, D. T. Lacy, M. Jernigan. Chaplain: Rev. Joel Sanders. Picture of John M. Rucker.

March 20, 1875 W. Jett Norman affiliated. April 17 petitions of J. C. Bradford and Albert G. Nolan were presented. Committee appointed to confer with building committee of Baptist Church to build hall over proposed Baptist Church, sharing cost. Later abandoned. Hall over Hitchin's Store rented for \$6.25 a month. October 9th petitions of H. C. Garrette and J. H. Nall presented (evidently Garrette and Nall were not passed). December 11 decided to accept currency instead of "coin" for dues. John M. Rucker again chosen Master and Martin Jernigan replaced C. B. Pollock as secretary. 1876.

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Picture of Thomas A. Cocke

Lodge building to be moved from Knoxville to Troup in June. July 1, J. T. Clinkscales was affiliated. A. G. Tomme affiliated on December 30, 1876.

April 1877, petitions of W. J. Rucker, J. C. Tarbutton, and M. C. Chiles were presented and L. C. Keith affiliated. Frank Gardner's petition was read June 23, and Thomas A. Cocke was W.M. for June 1877 to June 1878 (new Lodge year instituted by Grand Lodge).

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Frank Gardner was initiated July 21. The Lodge house was moved from Knoxville and set up on a corner east of where L. A. Floore now lives, the lower story being used for a public school and the upper story for meeting place for Dixie Lodge.

CHAPTER XI IN THE OLD HALL AT TROUP

p. 120 1877-1878

November 17, F. H. Welty affiliated. First meeting had been held in new hall Sept. 22. December 14, Lodge buried Jack F. Kaiser (who died from the effects of a pistol shot received in Palestine on the morning of the 10th inst.) buried in town. Feb. 16, R. E. Hendry affiliated. Petition of J. C. Heath presented. Whole building of schoolhouse and lodge cost \$715 and prorated... school house \$489.04, lodge room \$226.46. May 11, George Alexander and F. M. Mount, R. H. Bradley, W. F. Hodnett, all of Canton Lodge #98 affiliated. June 8, James Leonard petitioned. Officers chosen and John M. Rucker again chosen installed by Thomas A. Cocke. Picture of John C. Tarbutton.

p. 121 1878-1879

James Leonard initiated August 10. February 1, James Leonard made

master, W. A. Pope assumed debt owed by nine others. February 1, W. T. Weaver affiliated. May 31 A. H. Marwilsky's petition read and John M. Rucker chosen Master. John P. Twyford affiliated.

1879-1880 June 28, Charles E. Rogers' petition presented. August 30 J. V. Boyce's petition received; January 20, Frank Hubbard petitioned. May 22, G. E. Smith's petition received and J. C. Tarbutton chosen as master.

1880-1881. October 16, W.T. Green petitioned. January 15th, 1881, Sam J. Stephenson's petition received. February 12, petition of James A. Drake received. Buried G. F. Dorsett on March 1. Funeral was preached by Albert Little in Methodist church with interment in city cemetery.

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A. Shaw affiliated on June 11, and Tarbutton chosen master again. 1881-2, J. D. Smith reinstated on September 3. Petition of C. S. Southern and ----- received (E. A. of Brooklyn Lodge #386) On November 20th buried William Norris (neighbor to Joel Cross, father of Mrs. Dora Shaw and grandfather of Jeff Shaw...committee: M. Jernigan, J. M. Brittain, J. T. Clinkscales. Copy handed to Troup Mediator. Tarbutton reported on trip to Grand Lodge. Walter E. Rice's petition received January 28, 1882. Picture of James T. Clinkscales.

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Clinkscales Master for ensuing year, installed by J. M. Rucker.

1882-1883 T. C. Coupland's received, July 29. August 22nd buried D. D. Coupland, funeral at Baptist Church, buried in city cemetery. August 26 petitions of J. W. McGregor, T.F. Langham, G.W. Shaw, W. F. Johnson, T. C. Sammons, E. O. Jones received, T. C. Coupland initiated. September 23 petition of J. H. Height received. Resolution for D. D. Coupland...died at residence of son-in-law, T. C. McKay in Troup, August 22, 1882. Sympathy to only daughter, family, and relatives (no wife mentioned). Committee: J. M. Brittain, Amp B. Norman, W. A. Pope.

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Buried George Alexander on September 26th...funeral preached at Baptist Church by John A. Wheelock. October 21 petitions of W. J. Goodwin, J. F. Brannon and C. S. Southern. November 18 petitions of M. L. Bock and S. H. Presley. December 23 Frank O'Neal's petition presented.

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March 17th, L. H. Holcomb's petition. J. M. Brittain Master.

1883-1884 July 24, buried G. W. Stone, died at home six miles east of Troup on July 23, 1883. "Wash or Judge" Stone one of earliest settlers of Cherokee County, having settled where son Sid S. Stone lives when that territory was part of Nacogdoches County. At one time his nearest neighbor...save Col. Bowls, John Bowls and Richard Fields, chiefs of the Cherokees...was John Long

who resided near Rusk, 32 miles away. He was laid to rest in his own field and estate he loved at high twelve (three miles east of Cross' home). Buried Joel Sanders who died at his home at Old Knoxville site (three miles west of Cross' home). He was a Methodist minister, father of Lou Price and grandfather of C. M. Pope, helped in erection of Bethel Church four miles east of Troup.

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J. H. Height initiated October 28, 1882. Petitions of J. B. Rucker, Z. T. Williamson, and T. A. Higginbotham presented August 18. On September 13 buried James Hampton who died at his home five miles southeast of Troup, was J.P. for some six to eight years. Reared large family of girls and one son, James Charley, who still resides on the old homestead. Buried at Knoxville Cemetery on September 14, 1883. Picture of J. M. Brittain.

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September 15 petition of M. Litman received. Petition of S. H. Marwilsky presented November 10. Buried W. N. Foster (after January) member of Canton Lodge #98 who died at Troup. Members of his Lodge attending his funeral were John O. Collier, Philip Horton, Henry Floore, C. W. McMichael, Frank Baird, and I. W. Orr. A. S. Teague and John O. Collier made resolution. Dr. W. Newton Foster was father of Mrs. R. H. Powell, Wayne and Virginia, and died in his home in Troup (where Mrs. Tadlock now lived-1919). Petition of J. L. Grissom received March 8. May 3 petitions of D. J. Weatherby and C. F. Austin presented and W. J. Woodland was affiliated. J. C. Tarbutton again chosen Master.

1884-1885 Tom P. Williams and H. L. Reeves affiliated on July 5. August 2, J. W. Gaston affiliated.

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J. C. Munn's petition received October 5. Petitions of J. C. Cornelison and R. C. Bryant received (no date). Petition of J. H. Ballew received February 28, 1885. March 28, petition of J. R. Engledow received. June 21, W. F. Hodnett and Rev. Louis Holcomb suspended for non-payment of dues. J. C. Tarbutton again chosen Master.

1885-1886 Buried Sam Frank Johnson who died at his home five miles East of Troup August 7, 1885. His only son, Henry Johnson of Troup survived. November 21 petitions of Jacob Pogue and J. E. Davis were received. December 19, Eli S. Ayers affiliated. A. A. Coupland and J. T. Rountree signed resolution to raise salary of Secretary February 14. March 14, W. M. Collier affiliated.

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April 17, T. B. Collier affiliated. May 15 petition of Ben S. Curtis received. June 24 public installation of J. T. Clinkscales, Master again. J. H. McBride of Tyler officiated, and Thomas R. Bonner of Tyler delivered address.

To be continued



1835 ELECTION



List of Votes taken at An Election held on the 1st day of February 1835 for the purpose of Electing two Delegates to represent the Municipality of Gonzales in the Convention to be held on the 1st of March next. With voters names and persons voted for.

| LIST OF VOTERS | Fisher | Caldwell | Clemants | B. Lockhart | Fisher | Caldwell | Clemants | B. Lockhart |
|------------------------------|--------|----------|----------|-------------|------------------------------|----------|----------|-------------|
| 1 John T. Tinsley | x | x | | | | | | |
| 1. John T Tinsley | x | x | | | 28 W ^m Fishbough | x | x | |
| 2 David Burkit | x | x | | | 29 John A Niel | x | x | |
| 3 Horace Eggleston | x | x | | | 30 B. D. McClure | | x | x |
| 4 Robt Smith | x | x | | | 31 Sam ^l Lockhart | | x | x |
| 5 W ^m Strode | x | x | | | 32 W ^m A Matthews | x | x | |
| 6 W ^m Newland | x | x | | | 33 John McCoy Sr | x | x | |
| 7 John G King | | | x | x | 34 B Duncan | x | x | |
| 8 R W Valentine | x | x | | | 35 A Cottle | | x | x |
| 9 John Davis | x | x | | | 36 A Pontou | | x | x |
| 10 John Kane | x | x | | | 37 Ja Gibson | x | x | |
| 11 N Peck | x | x | | | 38 Joseph McCoy | x | x | |
| 12 A Tumwalt Sr | | | x | | 39 Frederic Elm | x | x | |
| 13 Stephen Smith | | | x | x | 40 George Tumlinson | x | x | |
| 14 Thos Jackson | x | | | x | 41 Dolphin Floyd | x | x | |
| 15 Jas Tumlinson | x | x | | | 42 P McCoy | x | x | |
| 16 Eli Mitchell | | x | | x | 43 E W Bull | x | x | |
| 17 Felix Taylor | x | x | | | 44 J Kent | | x | x |
| 18 Jos S Martin Sr | | | x | x | 45 Geo Kimble | x | x | |
| 19 Wm Hill | x | x | | | 46 Chas Lockhart | x | | x |
| 20 John Castleman | x | | | x | 47 K W Barton | x | | x |
| 21 Dan ^l McCoy Jr | x | x | | | 48 B Kellogg | | x | x |
| 22 E Blackson | x | x | | | 49 Jas Hodges Jr | | x | x |
| 23 Jas Hodges | | | x | x | 50 A Lowell | | x | x |
| 24 Jacob Garner | x | x | | | 51 Jno Fisher | | x | |
| 25 Elijah Tate | x | x | | | 52 Jno McCoy | x | x | |
| 26 Sam ^l McCoy | x | x | | | 53 M Caldwell | x | | x |
| 27 John Henry | x | x | | | 54 S Webster | x | x | |

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|-------------------------------|--------|----------|----------|-------------|---------------|--------|----------|----------|-------------|
| 55 W ^m W Arrington | x | | x | | TOTAL | 42 | 43 | 13 | 16 |
| 56 Byrd Lockhart | x | x | | | Francis Berry | X | X | | |
| 57 Lewis Lowell | | | x | x | | 43 | 44 | | |
| 58 Jas George | | x | | x | | | | | |
| 59 G. W. Davis | x | | | | | | | | |

Feb 1st 1836 = The above is a Correct List of the Votes taken ~~this~~ ~~day~~ at an Election held this day for the purpose of Electing two Delegates to Serve in Convention on the 1st day of March next = for the Municipality of Gonzales.

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| <p>1st Teller</p> <p><i>[Signature]</i> (E. W. Bull)</p> <p><i>[Signature]</i> Secy</p> | <p><i>[Signature]</i> Judge</p> <p>2^d Teller</p> <p><i>[Signature]</i> (S. Webster)</p> |
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IT'S A FACT!

Hostyn, a community in Fayette County about seven miles southwest of LaGrange, was the first Czech settlement in Texas in 1850.

The first deed for land on record in Angelina County, dated May 10, 1801, conveyed 5½ leagues of land to Vincente Michelli for the following considerations: one white shirt, eight brass bracelets, one handful of vermilion, one fathom of ribbon, one gun and 50 charges of powder and ball.

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SMALL POINTS OF MEDICAL INTEREST



Contributed by

O. L. "Sonny" Elliott

Ft. Worth, Texas

While reading the 1850 Mortality Schedule of Texas, I came across many names and causes of death that I didn't know or recognize. One very strange one was CORTINA. Several people were listed with this as cause of death, followed under time or length of illness by "Sudden". Reading the County Enumerator's report gave an explanation - Cortina was a Mexican bandit who was fond of just shooting people.

Here are some of the names found as cause of death and what they mean in present medical terminology. Much of this material was derived from old medical books and reports.

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| APOPLEXY | Sunstroke (also Inflammation of the Brain); violent attacks, sudden falling, loss of senses and motion, foaming at the mouth, sweats, head pain, some cases of palsy to one side. Sometimes brought on by violent temper. More subject to apoplexy were tall, slender men or men with short, thick necks, large heads and big bellies, ages 35-40 yrs. of age. Now called "Stroke". |
| ALCAP | All of the "Alka and Alca" have to do with alkalinity and hydrocarbons (Uremia). |
| ATROPHY | Sometimes called "Shrinking Heart". |
| ASFASINOLIO | (Couldn't find out about this one? Does anyone have some suggestions?) |
| BILIOUS FEVER | Yellow fever. |
| BLACK TONGUE | Typhoid pneumonia; Winter Fever. |
| BRAIN INFLAMMATION | Viral Encephalitis; concussion; sun-stroke "Passions of the Mind" (too much liquor); Apoplexy. |
| CATARRH | Our old friend (?), the "Common Cold". |
| CHOLERA | Everyone knows this one, but did you know it also effects domestic animals? |
| CHOLERA INFANTUM | Cause of death of many infants and called "Summer Complaint"; caused from teething acute intestinal disturbances, very common |

in congested areas with high humidity and temperature; now very rare. Also spelled Callerra, Calema.

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| CHOLERA MORBUS | Also Bilious Cholera; caused by excessive heat, sudden atmospheric changes; indigestible food; wet feet, "violent passions". Attended by fever and sometimes recovery. |
| COSTIVENESS | Common constipation. |
| CONGESTIVE CHILLS or CONGESTIVE FEVER | Usually present with lung diseases such as pneumonia or consumption. |
| DELIRIUM TREMENS | "DT's" due to long abuse of ardent spirits; often mistaken for Brain Fever. |
| DISEASED HEART | (See Palpitations, heart attacks, etc.) |
| DROPSY | Water on the Brain; conspicuous filling of body cavities and cells of the head and body with watery fluid. |
| DYSPEPSIA | Common indigestion; generally chronic. |
| EUSERPHILOUS | Another spelling for ERYSIPELAS, an acute infectious disease, inflammation of the skin and mucous membranes. |
| FLUX | Bloody Flux; Dysentery; may be one and the same. Caused by sudden changes from hot to cold, green, unripe food. Shivering, fever, quick pulse and pain in the lower bowels. |
| GRAVEL | Stones of many types, i.e. - kidney, gall, etc. |
| GLEET | Gonorrhoea. |
| HEMORRAGE LUNGS | Consumption or tuberculosis. |
| HUMID TETTER | Skin disease, eczema. |
| HIVES | Fairly common eruptive skin disease that caused several deaths. |
| INFLAMMATION of the BOWELS | Dysentery. |
| INFLAMMATION of the BRAIN | Viral Encephalitis. |
| LUINSEY | (See QUINSEY/QUINZA). |

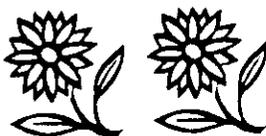
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| MANIA POPE | A form of insanity but no other data found. |
| PALPITATION HEART | (See Tobacco heart/heart attack). |
| PALSY - PARALYSIS | Also called Shaking Palsy and St. Vitus Dance. |
| PARSONDS | Also called Graves Disease; a disorder of the thyroid. |
| PUERPERAL FEVER | The cause of many women dying at child-birth; called "Child-bed Fever", caused by unsterile conditions while delivering, with death of child following. |
| PUTRED THROAT | Scarlet fever. |
| QUINSEY/QUINZA | Inflammation of the throat. |
| SALT-RHEUM | Skin disease; eczema. |
| SCROFULAN/SCROFULOUS | Scrofulan, also called "Kings Evil", White Swelling. Caused by torpor of the liver. Resulting in neck swelling, enlarged tonsils, sore eyes, running ulcers, discharge from ears, catarrh and ozaena, fever sores, ulcerations of the liver, kidney and womb. Also spelled SCROFFOLOW on many Mortality Schedules. |
| SPASMS | This could be from a number of causes; death was sometimes caused due to falling into fires or deep water, both causing death due to accident brought on by spasms. |
| ST. ANTHONY FEVER or ST. ANTHONY FIRE | A form of erysipelas or "rose"; inflammation or gangrenous conditions of the skin; so called due to the belief it could be cured through intercession of St. Anthony. In the early 1700's, it was thought to be caused by a mold or fungus formed on wheat or rye due to improperly drying and when eaten, caused severe irritation to the body which drove the victim to insanity. This same mold, called Ergot, could be used in mild forms for a cure for excessive bleeding in women and also as a mild tranquillizer. |
| THRUSH | Mouth and throat disease; forming a "cotton appearance". |
| TOBACCO HEART | Excessive use of tobacco, causing heavy and abusive palpitations, a forerunner of heart attack. |

TYPHOID PNEUMONIA Lung Fever; also Winter Fever.
 WHITE SWELLING (See Scrofulous diseases).
 WINTER FEVER (See Black Tongue).

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EDITOR'S NOTE:

If any of our readers in their research have discovered any strange diseases or colloquial terminology, please send them to me with their meanings. If I receive enough we will print a sequel to the above article. I am still looking for the explanation to one I found called "Death due to over-flow of brain". Anyone out there know meaning of that?



WALLING CEMETERY

This cemetery was either on or adjacent to the Tice Autry farm (245 acres), approximately 1.75 miles north of Bloomfield, Cooke County, Texas. Tice bought the parcel in 1882 and it remained in family hands until 1937.

Tice Autry
 Nov. 12, 1841
 Dec 11, 1892

Louise Horn Autry
 Nov 19, 1844
 Aug 15, 1929

"Her happy Soul has winged its way
 To one pure bright eternal day"

Tilden Autry
 May 28, 1876
 Feb 6, 1894

Joseph J. Autry
 May 15, 1882
 Aug 23, 1882

Verda Autry
 Nov 25, 1888
 May 19, 1909

Alice Green Autry
 Oct 18, 1866
 Dec 14, 1902

MOTHER

Eliza Jane Hampton
 Jan 30, 1830
 Dec 11, 1881

Beloved wife of Lee Autry

Martha G. Autry
 Oct 29, 1874
 Sep 1, 1883

Johnny J. Autry
 Feb 13, 1882
 Aug 3, 1884

Daughter of Elijah William and
 Mary E. Autry

Copied by Mrs. Sybil Goodwin, Route 4, Wills Point, Texas

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ABSTRACTS OF GENEALOGICAL INTEREST FROM GAMMEL'S LAWS OF TEXAS,
MEMORIALS AND PETITIONS TO CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC OF
TEXAS AND THE SENATE JOURNALS OF TEXAS

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(Continued from Volume 24, No. 2)

GL - Gammel's Laws
M/P - Memorial or Petition
SJ - Senate Journal
1:3 - First number is volume, second is book

December 19, 1838 (SJ Vol. 2:73)

Read in Congress for the first time and January 23, 1839, the second petition for divorce from Laura Beasly and Seymore S. Beasly.

January 22, 1839 (GL Vol. 2, page 66)

An Act for relief of John G. Love and R. C. Doome, collectors at District of San Augustine and Port of Sabine, respectively, for \$2000 per annum.

January 23, 1839 (GL Vol. 2, page 70)

An Act for relief of heirs of David Thomas for pay as member of General Convention of 1836, land script to which he is entitled.

January 23, 1839 (GL Vol. 2, page 71)

Joint resolution for relief of William K. Revier and James Stonum claim honorable discharges for term of three months service in the army under the command of John Hart, Captain of Cavalry in Red River County in 1836.

January 23, 1839 (GL Vol. 2, page 74)

Joint resolution for relief of David Garner for \$89.00 - audit the certificate of Edward Burelson, Commander in Chief in favor of David Garner.

January 23, 1839 (GL Vol. 2, page 79)

Joint resolution for relief of J. H. Starr and J. S. Roberts, receivers of public money at Nacogdoches.

January 24, 1839 (GL Vol. 2, page 84)

Joint resolution for relief of John A. Zambrano, Capt. of Cavalry from 4 December 1835 to 1 Sept. 1836 - 9 months, 27 days.

January 24, 1839 (GL Vol. 2, page 87)

Joint resolution for relief of Moses Martindale for three months service in the army plus land to which he is entitled.

January 26, 1839 (GL Vol. 2, page 92)

Joint resolution for the relief of John S. Roberts - to receive the accounts of John S. Roberts, late Receiver of Public Money and Manager of Stamps. See accounts are in order and destroy remaining stamps.

January 26, 1839 (GL Vol. 2, page 117)

Joint resolution for relief of James Gourly - for land as he emigrated to Texas in 1835.

January 26, 1839 (GL Vol. 2, page 116)

An act for the Stock Commission to issue certificates of stock, funded by Dept. of Republic at 10% per annum interest from April 22, 1836 to the following:

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| Samuel Swarthout - \$2000 | Thomas E. Davis \$500 |
| Geo. & Edward Curtis \$1000 | S. M. Stillwell \$500 |
| Charles St. John \$200 | Daniel Jackson \$500 |
| Eli Hart \$500 | Samuel K. Childs \$250 |
| D. Henderson \$200 | Eben Jessup, Jr. \$500 |
| D. S. Gregory \$200 | Joseph Fowler \$500 |
| W. H. Jessup \$200 | D. Casletto assignees \$500 |
| J. D. Curtis \$500 | J. L. & S. Josephs Co. \$500 |
| Willis Hall \$250 | Morgan L. Smith \$500 |
| J. Watson Webb \$250 | Joseph Kent \$800 |
| | Asa P. Ufford \$500 |

January 26, 1839 (GL Vol. 2, page 120)

Joint resolution for relief of heirs of William A. Hurd, Capt. - members ordered to settle with the heirs.

January 26, 1839 (GL Vol. 2 page 125)

A joint resolution for the government to assume responsibility to State of Kentucky and to release Dr. A. W. Hynes of Bardstown, Kentucky from his bond to the government for \$1820 in Kentucky currency.

January 26, 1839 (GL Vol. 2, page)

An act appointing John Sharpe as Notary Public of Velasco, Thomas Harvey as Notary Public of Matagordo and E. O. Legrand as Chief Justice and notary ex-officio of San Augustine County, Texas.

January 17, 1839 (M/P)

W.F. Spark of Texas statement showing he sustained loss of a horse, killed at the time petitioner was in service of the Texas Army.

November 29, 1839 (SJ 4:2 page 20)

Wm. F. Sparks petitioned for lost horse valued at \$300 in battle 16 October 1838 at old Kickapoo Village. Senate requested to give certificate to William C. Sparks.

A joint resolution was passed in Congress on 3rd February 1840 granting \$200 for the horse.

January 29, 1839 (JS 2:)

Peter Kerr of Texas asking compensation for acting as interpreter appointed by General Houston, after the Battle of San Jacinto.

January 21, 1840 (SJ 4:3)

Joint resolution granting Peter Kerr 320 acres of land and \$24 payment for three months service in the Army of Texas in 1836 as interpreter for prisoners captured at San Jacinto.

March 16, 1839 (M/P)

A. H. Long of Texas petitions for compensation for furnishing four yoke of oxen for use in the Texas Army.

December 11, 1839 (SJ 4:2)

Andrew H. Long's petition read before Senate asking for release of four yoke of oxen taken by the army.

March 14, 1839 (SJ 4:1)

William H. Wharton died (of Brazoria) in March 1839 at residence of his relation, Mr. Groce, from accidently discharging of a pistol.

March 26, 1839 (M/P)

Jesse Thompson, deceased, represented by Hiram Thompson, administrator of Fort Bend County. Asking relief in that a clerical error in the name of the grantee on land grants in 1831 by the State of Texas and Coahuila. Authentic copy in Spanish, shows the error on grants, in 1830 and 1831, the name Jose was substituted for Jesse.

December 21, 1840 (GL 2, page 471)

Jesse Thompson's heirs claim to Coahuila land grant of 11 February 1831 honored and one league of land given to the heirs.

April 7, 1839 (M/P)

Valentine Bennett of Texas asks that he be granted a league and labor of land in lieu of military service in the Republic. He became a settler in DeWitt's Colony in 1832.

May 16, 1839 (M/P)

F. F. Wells of Jackson County, Texas asks compensation for the destruction and spoilation of his plantation and arsenal by Texas soldiers during 1836-37, he having been in the service of the Army during said time and not able to protect his property.

December 24, 1841 (SJ 6:3)

Francis F. Wells, submitted an itemized account for \$1600 for damages committed by the soldiers of the Republic. He had returned to his home immediately after the invasion and found his dwelling burned, his household property entirely destroyed and his crops ruined with the exception of an acre and half of potatoes. They had taken possession of his home for about 12 months. With the petition are statements from Thomas Simons and Nicholas McNutt that his claims were too high and one from Patrick Usher to the contrary.

January 29, 1842 (SJ 6:3)

Joint resolution passed for the relief of Francis F. Wells in the amount of \$1080 as payment in full.

May 1839 (M/P)

J. D. Hopkins, represented by an agent, asks compensation for having joined the Texas Army in 1836 for a period of three months.

(To be continued)

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Queries

Edited by Merle Ganier

WRIGHT, CARRUTHERS, NEWBERN, WINSETT, GUINN, DAVIS, SHEPHERD, SWINSON
DYE, SIMMS, COGBURN

Need information on descendants and ascendants of: Dr. James G. Wright and Sarah Carruthers Wright-Newbern, both of Tennessee, settled in Clarksville, Red River County, Texas in 1830's. S. H. Winsett, married 1853, M. G. Wright; Emaline Guinn, married 1865, M. G. Wright; Alice Davis, married 1870's M. G. Wright. John Wright born 1850's. J. C. Shepherd married 1870, E. A. Swinson. Isaac Dye married 1800's Mary Anna Simms Cogburn. Any Dyes or Shepherds please respond.

Mrs. Elizabeth Harris, 1586 Fourth Avenue, Croning CA 96021
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WOODROOF, CANTRELL, BILLINGTON

Seek information on a Edree Woodroof Cantrell that ran a doll shop in North Fort Worth.

Seek information on a Tommie or T. A. Woodroof of Azle, Texas. Tommie married Emma Billington who had four daughters by her first marriage. Would like to hear from her daughters.

Judy E. Woodroof, Lot #12, 5232 S. Seneca, Wichita KS 67217
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GOLDSMITH, CREEL, PRICE, BRAZLETON, CASWELL

Researching the above names...will exchange.

Betty J. Goldsmith, 4919 Center St., Houston TX 77007
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OWENS, TURMAN, HULEN

John Robert Owens, born circa 1818, Tennessee, married circa 1837, Tennessee, Rhoda Turman, born 1820, North Carolina. They came to Texas about 1850. In the 1860 census of Lamar County are Rhoda and five children, but no husband. Can't locate them in either Texas or Tennessee in 1850. Children: Archibald, born 1843; Aaron born 1847; Elizabeth, 1849; Robert, 1851; and Hulda, 1853. The first three children were born in Tennessee, the latter two in Texas. There may have been four older children born in Tennessee: Charles, Nelson, Maude and James. John Robert must have died between 1853 and 1865, because his youngest child was born in 1853, and Rhoda remarried in 1865 to Thomas Hulen.

Mrs. Robbye I. Grove, 9209 Westhill Road, Lakeside CA 92040
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COLEMAN, HOOD, LONGSTREET, LEE, THRAILKILL

My great-grandfather Henry Coleman, came from Ireland in the late 1700's or the early 1800's, landing at Savannah, Georgia. Later moved to Fayette County, where my grandfather, William Henry, was born in 1832. William Henry came to the Marshall, Texas area where he enlisted in 1861, serving all four years with the Texas Volunteers under Hood, with General Longstreet, and was present when Lee surrendered at Appomattox. He returned to the Marshall area where he married my grandmother, Ellen Eliza Thrailkill, about 1870. Will appreciate any information on this family.

Clint S. Coleman, 1517 Washington Blvd., Abilene TX 79601
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FANT, EDERINGTON, HENRY

Seeking information on the death date and burial place of Rev. Ephriam Fant, born 1797, South Carolina, and his wife, Sarah Jane Ederington born 1797, South Carolina. He died in 1851, and she died after the 1880 census. According to the 1880 census, she was living in Blackstock, 83 years of age. Their son, David J., died during the Civil War, and his daughter Caroline married William John Henry of Fairfield County. Between 1880 and 1883 they moved to Bowie County, Texas. Tombstone inscriptions, places of burial, any information on any of the above named individuals will be greatly appreciated. Marriage records would be highly prized.

Melba G. Woodson, 1801 Glen Valley, Irving TX 75061
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PRIMM, PRIM, REAST

Need cemetery, probate, land or any records on the Prim(m) family in Fayette County, Texas. They lived near Smithville, LaGrange and West Point. Later had business interests in LaFeria and Matamoros, Mexico. Was William the father of James, St. John, Saphronia, Laura and Mary Ann (married Francis Reast 1856)? Who was their mother? At one time there was a Primm railroad stop near their plantation. Any help appreciated. Will refund postage.

Mrs. Ruth Henry, General Delivery, Collinsville TX 76233
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WOOD, DALBY, DOLBY, KNIGHT

Can anyone refer me to previous research done on the Wood, Dalby/ Dolby, and Knight families in East Texas, Bowie County, prior to 1850? Am specifically looking for any members of the Wood and Dalby families who settled in the Dalby Springs area, prior to 1840/1850. My great-grandfather was William M. Wood, and I believe his mother to be a Dalby, daughter of Knight Dalby. His father may have been Chesley Wood.

Wilma E. Fordyce, 5500 Avenida Caballo, Las Vegas NV 89109
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APPLEGATE, RAZOR, HUFF, PAYNE, LOTT, JONES, BARBER, LEE, COX,
WEATHERS, WARD, KINNEY, MILLS, WALTON, SMITHEY

Seeking information on the following: James Thomas Applegate, born 1860 Missouri, married Jane Razor 1878, Barry County, Missouri. She expired in 1898, Hill County, Texas, and he married Mrs. Jane Huff the same year, who had three children by a previous marriage: Ira Huff, Mrs. Lula Payne, and Mrs. Nettie Lott. James Thomas died in 1913 in Hill County.

John Tipton Jones, born 1844, Tennessee, married Susan A. Barber, born 1847, Tennessee, circa 1867. Children were: Frank, born 1881, Christian County, Missouri; Ernie, Molly, Mrs. Jennie Cox, Mrs. Effie Lee, Charlie and Bill. John died in Washington State.

Stephen T. Weathers, born 1812, Tennessee, married Sarah P. Ward (born 1821 in Illinois to James and Elizabeth Ward) in Red River County, Texas, circa 1840. Children: Redley R., Jasper MCD, Allen James (born 1848 Hopkins County, Texas, married Martha M. Kinney, born 1850 Missouri), Mrs. Susan Mills, Mrs. Sarah Walton, and Nancy, all born and raised in Hopkins County, Texas. Sarah died 1852 in Hopkins County, and Stephen T. married Mrs. Elizabeth Smithey circa 1854. She had two children by previous marriage, Josephine and Judy Smithey, and they subsequently had two children, Unis and Anna.

Mrs. Jann Applegate, 6109 Melinda, Wautauga TX 76148

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ENGLISH

Researching William English, a soldier with the 4th Pennsylvania Regiment, enlisted 1779, granted a pension in Harrison County, Kentucky 1816, died Cynthiana, Kentucky, 1827. Wife Nancy died 1829 in Cynthiana. There is a Mr. English in Texas who has much information on the English lines. Does anyone know his full name and address?

Mrs. Dorothy Chowning, 46 West South St., Mooresville IN 46158

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STARRETT, RABE, McKEEHAN, NOLAN, CORBIN, GAFFORD, POUNDS, PATMAN,
MELTON, PONDER, HIGHTOWER, TEER, CARROLL, PATTERSON, HENDRIX, PACE

Researching the following families, and will exchange earlier data for more recent information. All families lived in Hopkins, Wood, Rains, and Upshur Counties, Texas, from 1852 until present. Moses Starrett; James B. Rabe and wife, Julia; John D. McKeegan and wife, Mary C. Starrett; Susan Artilla Starrett, 1843-1914, and husbands (1) W. C. Nolan, (2) Granville M. Corbin. Allied families are: Gafford, Pounds, Patman, Melton, Ponder, Hightower, Teer, Carroll, Patterson, Hendrix and Pace. It is believed that some of these families moved to Dallas.

Mrs. Shirley (Brittain) Cawyer, PO Box 164, Stephenville TX 76401

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WEST, TRANUM, WOMACK, TAYLOR

Would like to correspond with descendants of James C. West and his brother, George W. James' wife was Sarah Tranum, and George's wife was Martha "Matty" Womack. Sons of James West and Sarah Jane "Jincy" Taylor, J. C. and George left Lafayette County, Miss. about 1887 and were living in Hiall County, Texas, according to the 1900 census. J. C. was reported to be a Baptist preacher living in the area of Fort Worth as late as 1930.

Ruby Adams, 5116 Overton, Kansas City, MO 64133
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KIZER, BAZE, BAIZE, COBB, LEATHERWOOD, CLAYTON, MATTHEWS, BOZE

Lost, two girls, Sarah E. Baze, born about 1844 and Charlotte C. Baze, about 1846, both in Missouri. They are shown as daughters of William and Jane (Kizer) Baze in the 1850 census of Barry County, Missouri, and in the 1860 census of Lampasas County, Texas. The will of William Baze filed in Lampsas in 1861 includes them among seven other children. Names of the text are spelled "Baize", but signature on the original will, now in Snyder, Texas Museum is "Baze." Jane Kizer Baze died on April 18, 1903 in Alamogordo and was buried in La Luz, New Mexico. The obituary spelled her name "Baize". Authentic records end here.

On 24 September 1865, their uncle, D. P. Baze, M.G. (who later spelled his name "Baize") performed a marriage for Clay Cobb and Mrs. Sarah E. Leatherwood at Bold Springs, McLennan County, Texas. Could the bride be the former Sarah E. Baze? On 1 May 1873, their brother, M. P. Baise, sold some city lots in Lampasas to Mrs. C. Clayton. Then on 8 August 1877, Charlotte Clayton of Coleman County sold the same lots to R. P. Clayton. On 6 May 1878 R. P. Clayton of Runnels County sold the same lots to John C. Matthews of Lampasas County. Could the C. Clayton or Charlotte Clayton be the former Charlotte C. Baze?

My grandfather M. P. Baze, who died in Mitchell County, Texas, said that one of his sisters died in the Territory of New Mexico, while her family was on a prospecting trip "out west", and she was buried beside the trail. Old documents written in longhand resulted in the name "Baze" being copied as "Boze". Will exchange information.

Albert E. Baze, 3532 Socorro Road, Fort Worth, TX 76116
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TARRANT, HOGGE, WEBB

My great-grandmother was Elizabeth Tarrant Hogge, daughter of Leonard D. and Louisa Jane Webb Tarrant. Some of the family went to Texas. Would like to exchange information with anyone working on this line.

Lyle D.Sedwick, RR 1, Box 230, Galesburg IL 61401
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BENCH, CAUDLE, CORDELL, COOKE, FRAZIER, STUCKEY, STOOKY, COMER, BANNISTER, REYNOLDS, ADMIRE, ADMYERS, HOWARD, ALBRITTEN

Lawrence Bench lived in North Carolina 1800, lived Bartholomew County, Indiana, 1820, and Pulaski County, Missouri, 1843. His descendants lived in Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Missouri. Will answer all correspondence on all above names.

Ruth Bock, Rt. 3, Box 522H, Midland, TX 79701
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BROWN, WARD, CHADDOCK, WILLIAMS, LAWERY, WELCH, MATHIS, PARRISH, LANDRUM, FRANK, POWELL, MATHEWS, BRITTEN, ROBERSON

Who was the Powell who married Eliza Brown, born 1818, Louisiana, died 1900 Erath County, Texas? Children: Henry Clay born 1842, married Nancy Alice Ward; Louis Black 1845, married Louisa Chaddock; William Edward 1849, married Muscogee Chaddock; Julia; Sarah, married Mike Williams; Melissa, married John Lawery.

Children of Louis Blake Powell and Louisa Chaddock: Daniel, born 1869 Texas, married Ida K.,?; William 1872; Elizabeth 1874, married Alvis Welch; Zilla 1876, married Mathis; Dovie 1879, died 1880 Erath County; Mary Alice 1881, married Went Parrish; Miles 1884, married Jessie Landrum; Francis K. 1887, married Frank Brown; Frank.

William Edward Powell married 1875 Bosque County, Texas, Muscogee Chaddock, born 1853, Louisiana. Children: Ella born 1876, married Henderson Mathews; Martin Lee 1887, married Nannie Britten; Luda 1879, married Will Roberson. How was John Flood Powell related? Will appreciate any information on any of these people. Will answer all letters and return postage.

Artie Powell McDonald, 23582 N. Bryant Rd., Acampo CA 95220
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HERNANDEZ, GARCIA

My grandfather, Santiago Hernandez, married in Brackettville, Texas, September 26, 1872, and lived there until around 1893. His wife was Petra Garcia. They had sons Holario and Martin, and daughters Monica, Ramona, Quiotilde, Santos. Will appreciate any information.

Reynaldo Hernandez, 803 N. Story, Irving TX 75061
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COOPER, CARTER

Nathan Cooper, brother of Milton who went to Texas around 1854. Milton had children: Cyronos, born 1824; George, born 1834; Charles Carter, born 1839, who went to Texas with their father, Milton, and mother, Charlotte Carter, around 1854. Would like to contact any descendants of the above.

Charlene D.Zaun, 306 E. 26th Ave., North Kansas City MO 64116
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LOWRANCE

My great-grandfather, Jason Lowrance, thought to have been in North Carolina, came to Texas from Illinois in the 1850's. It is thought he first settled in Parker County, and then moved to Tarrant County. He is reported to have had two sons who never returned from the Civil War. He is known to have had these children: Robert, Mary (my grandmother), William, and Henry, all born in Illinois, and Betty or Elizabeth, born in Texas. Any information on any of these people will be greatly appreciated.

Juanita M. Jones, 3302 - 80th St., Lubbock, TX 79423
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HUDSON, JENNINGS, ALLEN, KENNET, McKNIGHT, EMMERSION, LANDRUM

My great-great-grandparents, Hugh Winton Hudson (1812-1894), and Sarah A. Jennings (1812-1898) removed from Wood County, Ohio. They had the following children: Mary Jane 1835, married Philander Allen in Ohio; Lincoln Peter 1838, married Serena E. Kennet in Ohio; Melissa 1843, married McKnight in Texas, possibly Grayson County; Ira 1845; Hugh Miles 1848, died at age 19 in a tragic sectional war in Texas; Sarah Elizabeth 1851, married T. T. Emmersion, Collin County, Texas; Martha J. 1856. Some information is listed in An Illustrated History of Grayson County, Texas, by Graham Landrum. Can anyone tell me where I can buy a copy of the book? Will appreciate contacts on this family.

The Rev. Dr. Roland V. Hudson, Retired, 80 Sycamore St., Tiffin OH 44883
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HOGAN, STROUD, LLOYD, WEST

Margaret (Peggy) Hogan, born 1805, Kentucky, married Thomas Allen West, 24 August 1824, Christian County, Kentucky. They migrated to Denton County, Texas 1847/8, where Peggy died 1856. Were her parents Thomas and Tabitha (Stroud) West who married in Orange County, North Carolina? Would like to hear from anyone with a Hogan-Lloyd-Stroud connection.

Mrs. Edward D. Oliver, 1307 Walnut Street, Carrollton TX 75006
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BURNETT, BLACKWELL

Need names of parents of Lorenza Dow Burnett, born 1830, Indiana, died 1904, Jack County, Texas; and his wife Malissa Virginia Blackwell, born 1840, Missouri, died 1934, Jack County. As he is listed in the Index of Original Land Patents for Tarrant County in 1858 and 1859, enlisted in the Civil War at Mansfield in 1861 and I believe married there in 1864, there may be some records in the county that will give the names of their parents so I could work farther back.

Helen L. Gonzalez, 250 Parkview, Winnemucca NV 89445
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BAUGH

Joseph H. Baugh and his family were enumerated in Madison County, Texas, on the 1900 census. He was 41 years old and born in Mississippi, as were his father and mother. His wife was Trephinia, 43 born in Texas. Their six daughters' names and ages were as follows: Elmina 21, Emma 18, Ava 12, Joe A. 10, Nina 7, Priscilla 6, all born in Texas. Joseph, Trephinia, and Elmina were enumerated in Houston County (just east of Madison County) on the 1880 census of Texas. Trephinia died in Madison County in 1905.

Weldon Hudson, 2807 Cedar Park Blvd., Fort Worth TX 76118

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COLEMAN, CONN, HINER

Need information on Sara Docia Coleman, born 1818, Georgia, married Isaac Sanders Conn. Children: William H., born 1839; James Monroe 1842; Lucy Ann 1844; Sara C. 1846; Nancy A. 1848; Pickney 1850; F. Paralee 1855; John Daniel 1858, Sevier Co., Arkansas, died 21 December 1929, Pottawatomie County, Oklahoma, married 1880 Cooke County, Texas, Sarah Catherine Hiner.

The family moved to Texas when John Daniel was a small child, but I have not been able to find them. They were in Indian Territory as early as 1883, just north of Ada. Isaac died 9 August 1902, and is buried at Cedar Grove Cemetery, Francis, Oklahoma.

June Thompson, 3204 Tudor Road, Oklahoma City, Ok 73122

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KNIGHT, BARRETT

In checking the death records of Young County, Texas, I find a J. C. Knight, born 13 November 1890 Louisiana, died 20 December 1930, father, J.C.Knight born Louisiana, and mother Miss Barrett, born Louisiana. His profession is given as chemist. My grandfather was John Washington Barrett. Is this Miss Barrett related to him?

Mrs. Mary Z. Brown, 1007 Carolina, Graham TX 76046

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LANEY, ELLZEY

Trying to locate information relative to my grandmother, Caroline A. Ellzey Laney and her son, Marcus. She was the wife of James H. Laney, a Methodist minister who died at Magnolia, Mississippi, about 1864. James Laney's first wife died at old Holmesville, Mississippi. He married Caroline A. Ellzey in Pike County, Mississippi. She and a son, Marcus, son by second marriage, came to Mt. Pleasant, Texas. There were Laney relatives in Fort Worth, and perhaps they went there. Will pay a liberal fee for information of Marcus and his mother. She was living in Mt. Pleasant in 1870.

W. H. Laney, 318 West 5th, Muleshoe, TX 79347

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McCARVER, HOSTON

Has anyone worked on the family of J. T. McCarver, age 25, listed on the 1850 census of Tishomingo County, Mississippi? He was head of household with wife, Mary, age 22, and son, John, 6 months, Mary and J. T. were born in Tennessee and the baby was born in Mississippi.

Seeking any information on Alminta McCarver, age 17, born South Carolina, on the 1850 census of Tishomingo County. She is with Ann Spencer McCarver, probably her mother; Columbus McCarver 16; William 12, and Catherine 10. C. Houston, age 29, carpenter, is also listed with this household. Did Alminta marry and stay in Mississippi? Ann and children came to Texas between 1850 and 1857. From 1857 to 1863 they lived in Parker County. Have a great deal of information to share.

Mrs. Raymond Harrison Bostick, 6914 Scotsdale Dr., San Antonio, TX 78209

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THOMAS, HAYES

Does anyone know where I can get a book called The Neutral Ground Area of the Louisiana and Texas Frontier, published 1926, Evanston, Illinois? I am almost sure that my Thomas and Hayes families were in that area.

Dolly Nicol, Box 22, Port Bolivar TX 77650

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BRYANT, JOHNSON, MOORE, HANCOCK

My husband's great-grandmother was Mary Bryant-Johnson-Moore. She came to Texas with her Bryant children after her second husband, Henry Johnson, died in North Carolina. They had one child, Mary Elizabeth Lawrence Johnson, born 4 June 1840, died 1870. Mary later married Moore. She died in the Salado area 1864. Mary Elizabeth married Nathan Robert Hancock, born 1838, died 1876. She is buried at Davilla, Texas, and he in Parker cemetery, Grapeland, Texas. Will appreciate any suggestions in tracing this family.

Mildred Maddux, 107 Redland, Palestine TX 75801

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KNIGHT, WEISSINGER, STONE

Sudie Hale Knight married on 11 December 1913 William Thomas Weissinger II, born 1886, son of Enoch Jesse (1848-1927) and Harriet Elizabeth Stone Weissinger (1864-1941). Both parents are buried in the Bell Cemetery, Dallas County, Alabama. There were five sisters, three of whom died in infancy. Ena J. lived from 1894 to 1971; Addie died 1889. William Thomas with numerous other Weissingers moved to Texas. Where? He died 20 April 1979, place unknown.

Richard W. Adams, Box 422, APO 09403

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COATS, GREEN, JONES

Anyone researching Mason County, Texas? Is Amanda Coats, wife of Andrew J. Coats, listed on Mason County 1880 and 1900 censuses an Amanda with middle name Green? Place of birth, age and year of birth are the same. Children listed in 1880 were: William, Charles A., Nora, David B., and James M., all born in Texas. Charles A. is on the Mason County, Texas 1900 census as head of household. Children listed are: Bert, Elsie, Monroe, Ada, and baby not named. Nora is on the 1900 census as wife of J. C. Jones. Children listed: Ivy and Louis. Trying to identify Amanda.

Mrs. L. S. Orrick, 3629 Wedgway Drive, Fort Worth, TX 76133

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HENNEMANN

Information wanted on descendants of John Peter Hennemann, born 1806 Horhausen/Lahn, Germany, who came to America 1851; two brothers Philip Henry, born in 1810, and John Carl, born 1815; two sons, John Peter William, born 1829, and John Philip Christina, born 1831. Brothers and sons were supposed to have settled in Texas or Mexico.

Clyde E. Henneman, 11855 - 93rd Avenue North, Seminole FL 33542

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BURLESON

I am the editor of the Burleson Bulletin, and would like to hear from anyone working on Burleson families.

Mary Belle Keller, 533 LaRue St., Birmingham AL 35206

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BUCHANAN, RITCHIE

Would like to correspond with descendants of William Frank and Nancy A. Buchanan, both born in Arkansas in 1850's. My grandfather, Wiley Morgan Buchanan, their brother, died Fort Worth 2 March 1910, buried on ranch "Reno" of sister Nan and her husband, Mr. Ritchie.

Ruth L. (Buchanan) Prince, 33483 Irish Lane, Creswell OR 97426

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BABB

Searching for a Babb line which we believe was around Hamilton County, Texas, some time in the 1870's. William Matthew Babb landed in New York from Ireland, found his way to Missouri, married an Indian princess, then moved to Texas. His son, David William "Cherokee Bill", had son, William Isaac "Bill Ike" born 1854, who lived around Hamilton County, Texas 1872-1874.

Tom McKnight, 1721 Loch Lomond Way, Las Vegas NV 89102

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{ ADMINSTRATIONS OF ESTATES OF PERSONS WHO DIED INTESTATE }
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| DATE FILED | DECEASED | ADMINISTRATOR |
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| 23 Mar 1887 | A. E. Imboden | George Imboden |
| 17 Apr 1900 | Paul Isabell | B. G. Pickett |
| 27 Sep 1887 | Harriet Jester | N. Jester |
| 21 Oct 1889 | A. J. Jarrell | Mollie Jarrell |
| Jan 1895 | L. Jackson | M. J. Jackson |
| 1895 | Moses Johnson | Sallie E. Johnson |
| 7 Jan 1905 | Lessie Jones | J. A. Jones |
| 14 Feb 1905 | Mrs. Lessie Jones | M. L. Johnston |
| 30 Oct 1906 | S. T. James | Lua James |
| Jan 1882 | James M. Kelly | Harriett N. Kelly |
| Mar 1882 | J.B.G.Kenedy | H. C. Fergerson, Gdn. |
| Jan 1887 | Molley Kinsey | E. J. Rifle |
| 15 Aug 1887 | Martha T. Kidd | J. T. Kidd |
| 8 Aug 1889 | J. I. Knox | M. E. Knox |
| 24 Nov 1891 | A. J. Keith | Samuel H. Keith |
| 28 Oct 1902 | Emily H. Killey | W. W. Killey |
| 28 Jul 1884 | Winnie Lee | M. W. Preskitt |
| 1 Oct 1887 | A. Y. Lester | M. E. Lester |
| 4 Apr 1888 | J. T. Loftis | J. P. Bass |
| Jul 1891 | James J. Lillard | D. P. Lillard |
| 9 Jan 1893 | W. L. Largent | S. L. Largent |
| 5 Apr 1893 | J. S. Loftis | W. E. Burrow |
| Jan 1896 | M. E. Latham | B. F. Majors |
| Jan 1898 | Anderson Lewis | John Lewis |
| 17 Feb 1899 | J. S. Lightfoot | Alice Lightfoot |
| 21 Feb 1900 | Wm. OHellena Lyttle | J. H. Hanks |
| 31 Oct 1904 | Clarinda Lowery | J. E. Ware |
| Mar 1882 | M. J. Morrow (wife) | S. H. Morrow |
| 7 Jun 1883 | John T. Melton | L. T. Owens |
| 14 Sep 1885 | Rachel Miller | W. C. Miller |
| 23 Aug 1886 | Mary E. Martin | L. D. Martin |

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| 1 Feb 1887 | C. E. Maddox | G. G. Maddox |
| 12 Nov 1888 | Amanda Martin | W. B. Martin |
| Jan 1890 | Moses Maier | Elizabeth Maier |
| 19 Sep 1892 | Elizabeth Mair | Aaron Mair |
| 24 Jun 1890 | P. A. Mills | M. J. Mills |
| 1 Sep 1890 | W. A. Miller | M. B. Miller |
| Oct 1890 | Martha A. Michael | Silas Michael |
| 9 Jan 1891 | N. J. Miller | George E. Miller |
| 1 Nov 1894 | D.W. Mount | J. H. Taylor |
| 6 Sep 1895 | Mary T. Meeks | J. W. Meeks |
| 31 Jan 1896 | D. P. Morris | E. M. Morris |
| 9 Mar 1896 | S. P. More | Mrs. Frank More |
| 18 Feb 1896 | Mary Mahaffy | H. T. Mahaffy |
| 30 Mar 1900 | J. H. Mount | K. F. Mount |
| 24 Apr 1903 | Lucendia Massey | W. A. Massey |
| 23 Nov 1903 | Sallie B. May | Harry May |
| 17 Jun 1904 | M. L. Miller | A. S. Miller |
| 16 Apr 1906 | D. T. Miller | J. H. Roberts |
| 3 Oct 1888 | Margaret B. McNeeley | W. H. Taylor |
| Aug 1892 | W. McMahan | T. R. Allen |
| 16 Feb 1894 | Isaac McBride | M. M. McBride |
| Apr 1894 | Kemper McDowell | Mary McDowell |
| Jul 1895 | Wm. McDonald | J. M. McDonald |
| 4 Oct 1899 | Francis Mackey (d ca. 1862) | Mary F. Lefors |
| 4 Oct 1899 | Tempie Mackey (d ca. 1870) | Mary F. Lefors |
| 8 Mar 1907 | Sinna McDaniel | W. W. McDaniel |
| 23 Mar 1883 | Lee Newton | Sue G. Newton |
| 5 Feb 1894 | Robert H. Newman | Chas. D. Cates |
| Feb 1894 | J. S. Nobles | M. M. Nobles |
| 22 Oct 1903 | I. E. Newman | M. C. Newman |
| Jul 1894 | Joseph Odom | S. G. Tankersley |
| 17 Oct 1902 | J. H. O'Neal | M. F. O'Neal |
| 23 Sep 1885 | John Peacock | T. Merriman |
| 22 Sep 1886 | T. F. Parker | John Killough |

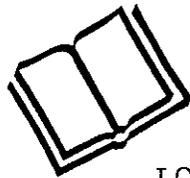
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| 4 Jul 1887 | James Pointer | W. J. Huddleston |
| Jan 1889 | S. E. Paschal | H. P. Paschal |
| 3 Dec 1889 | Josephine Porter | Jas. S. Porter |
| Jan 1890 | D. C. Paul | L. A. Paul |
| 9 Dec 1891 | Gus Pinkstaff | W. C. Babbitt |
| 6 Apr 1892 | P.F. Potter | B. F. Burton |
| 28 Jul 1892 | Mary G. Priddy | G. B. Priddy |
| 3 Jan 1894 | Wm. Perrin | Timolean Perrin |
| Apr 1895 | W. H. Portwood | E. O. Cates |
| Jan 1896 | J. D. Parish | J. G. Poindexter |
| 22 Sep 1896 | Callie Phillips | J. G. Gose |
| Oct 1896 | Callie Phillips | R. B. Phillips |
| Nov 1897 | Mollie E. Potts | J. T. Potts |
| 5 Jul 1899 | Jonathan Parsons | W. J. McBride |
| 3 Feb 1901 | Chas. Perrin | G. B. Pickett |
| 2 Mar 1901 | Louisa Petty | J. W. Petty |
| 24 Aug 1901 | J. J. Pond | Eunice Pond |
| 17 Jun 1902 | Esker Phillips | Mary J. Phillips |
| 11 Apr 1903 | Henry Pigg and Martha Pigg | W. B. Turner |
| 25 May 1904 | John Procter | Maggie Procter |
| 4 Oct 1904 | Joseph Pewitt | M. J. Pewitt |
| 9 Jul 1906 | M. C. Phillips | R. B. Hopson |
| 11 Mar 1907 | L. W. Price | M. C. Price |
| Jan 1882 | Mrs. O.H.P. Read | O. H. P. Read |
| 20 Jan 1882 | Martha Read | William Evans |
| 5 Mar 1881 | L. A. Robinson | J. R. Robinson |
| Mar 1882 | Benjamin Richardson | Henry Richardson |
| Mar 1882 | R. M. Raynor | Benjamin B. Raynor |
| Mar 1886 | J. C. Riffle | E. J. Riffle |
| 5 Oct 1886 | Adam Roller | Elizabeth J. Roller |
| 7 Feb 1887 | Nathan Rowland | Elizabeth Rowland |
| 20 Jul 1887 | William Renshaw | (see records for heirs) |
| Now 1888 | Charles Renshaw | R. A. Renshaw |
| 1 Dec 1888 | T. C. Rhone | D. A. Rhone |
| 14 Nov 1889 | E. L. Roberson | S. A. Roberson |

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| Apr 1892 | M. L. Reid | H. W. Reid |
| 26 Sep 1892 | M. J. Reynolds | R. H. Reynolds |
| 17 Apr 1893 | Edgar Russell | S. L. Russell |
| 15 Nov 1893 | J. R. Redman | M. E. Redman |
| Feb 1894 | William Rush, Sr. | William Rush, Jr. |
| 27 Feb 1893 | Joseph Rice | Louisa J. Rice |
| Jul 1895 | James D. Reid | C. V. Swenson |
| Jul 1897 | O. N. P. Reed | J. K. Reed |
| 24 Jan 1899 | B. B. Raymer | A. L. Raymer |
| 5 Jul 1899 | Ned Rector | Charles Rector |
| 20 Jul 1901 | Emily Rosenberg | Frank Rosenberg |
| 12 Aug 1901 | Nettie Reeder | A. Reeder |
| 14 Apr 1902 | Geneva Runnels | J. L. Runnels |
| 15 Oct 1902 | M. A. Rogers | W. A. Rogers |
| Jan 1882 | E. N. Stevens | J. G. Stevens |
| Sep 1882 | Jane Smith | S. Y. Franklin |
| 21 Sep 1883 | G. Solmon | Luraney Solmon |
| 21 Sep 1883 | Ellen Stokes (d. 22 Aug 1878) | D. G. Stokes (Children listed) |
| Oct 1889 | J. M. Suddeth | J. E. Ross |
| Jan 1890 | George L. Stepp | Joshua Stepp |
| 2 Nov 1891 | A. J. Scroggins | J. R. Applewhite |
| 15 Nov 1892 | C. C. Splawn | William Splawn |
| 7 Nov 1892 | Nancy Stuart | Sam'l Stuart |
| 19 Jul 1893 | George W. Stevens | Nancy M. Stevens |
| 3 Jan 1894 | Robert Sensibaugh | Timoleon Perrin |
| 3 Jan 1894 | Andrew J. Scroggins | Melissa McAlister |
| 16 Dec 1895 | N. L. Snell | W. H. Snell |
| Jul 1894 | H. Sewell | Mary E. Sewell |
| Jul 1894 | R. A. Stewart | W. A. Stewart |
| 20 Jan 1894 | Pauline Spencer | W. N. Spencer |
| 8 Jan 1896 | David G. Stokes | Thomas H. Stokes |
| Jan 1896 | J. R. St.Clair | K. L. St.Clair |
| Oct 1896 | D. G. Stokes | W. E. Burrow |
| Apr 1897 | Nettie Stout | J. M. Stout |
| 12 Mar 1897 | C. C. Simpson | R. E. Simpson |

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| 19 Jun 1901 | J. T. Splawn | Maggie C. Splawn |
| 9 Apr 1902 | Maggie C. Splawn | W. B. Splawn |
| 10 Jan 1902 | S. C. Scroggins | M. L. Johnston |
| 30 May 1903 | L. F. Slimp | L. C. Slimp |
| 29 Oct 1904 | C. L. Stone | A. M. Stone |
| 14 Feb 1906 | J. W. Shamburger | Annie Shamburger |
| 21 Mar 1907 | M. A. Smith | L. R. Smith |
| 18 Feb 1890 | Louis Scribner | T. M. Jeter |
| Jan 1882 | Ed Tumulty | Owen Tumulty |
| 11 May 1885 | Oliver Taylor | Rebecca Taylor |
| 19 Jan 1887 | John M. Thompson | J. A. Thompson |
| 18 Jul 1889 | M. A. Tipton | E. Tipton |
| Aug 1889 | Virginia Tucker | C. C. Tucker |
| Jul 1898 | Mrs. Alice Tyler | Lev. Tyler |
| 26 Sep 1906 | J. P. Fincher | Mrs. Georgia Fincher |
| 18 Mar 1907 | Charles Thomas | J. B. Thomas |
| 27 Oct 1906 | C. R. Underwood | Blanche Underwood |
| 13 Nov 1890 | R. D. Vance | Fannie C. Vance |
| Mar 1882 | Bettie White | John S. Johnson |
| 19 Feb 1883 | Mary A. Wood | A. J. Wood |
| 24 Feb 1883 | A. N. Wood | Adrienne Wood |
| 23 Jan 1884 | C. L. Wamsley | Mary L. Wamsley, Gdn. |
| 31 Aug 1885 | E. S. Wood | H. G. Reed |
| 17 Nov 1887 | L. J. Williams | John F. Williams |
| Oct 1888 | J. A. Wharton | D. H. Heard |
| 9 Jan 1889 | W. T. Watts | G. W. Gill |
| Aug 1889 | M. M. Woodson | S. H. Woodson |
| 11 Dec 1890 | M. E. Warner | M. Warner |
| 19 Dec 1890 | Mary C. Woolsey | P. V. Woolsey |
| Jan 1892 | Samuel Winter | May A. Winter |
| 14 Sep 1892 | Nancy L. Ward | W. D. Ward |
| 25 Nov 1892 | Jno. Wiemnan | Katie Wiemnan |
| 23 Jan 1895 | P. Wright | S. L. Wright |
| Apr 1895 | W. P. Williams | D. L. Hoyle |
| 13 Oct 1896 | J. F. Wisdom | Mary Wisdom |
| 19 Apr 1899 | Laura Worley | J. B. Worley |

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| 6 Feb 1901 | Jno. T. Waggoner | H. C. Babb |
| 6 Nov 1901 | Susan E. Wood | John W. Wood |
| 23 Jan 1904 | Addie E. Whitehead | A. R. Whitehead |
| 2 Nov 1905 | Fannie E. Wright | W. L. Wright |
| 3 Nov 1905 | M. Wright | A. V. Hanna |
| 22 May 1906 | R. K. Wilson | J. W. Wilson |
| 17 Oct 1907 | Mrs. Jennie Ward | J. L. Ward |
| 26 Jan 1883 | Jane Youngblood | J. J. Youngblood |
| 29 Nov 1888 | M. C. Youngblood | T. J. Youngblood |
| Oct 1891 | J. M. York | J. W. York |
| Apr 1894 | H. P. Young | Nannie P. Corley |

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LOFTIN FAMILY RECORD

Copied from original papers taken from McSween - Horton Bible in the possession of B. V. Treadaway of Napa, California. These papers now in the possession of C. E. McSween of Hurst, Texas.

BIRTHS

John Loftin was bornd April the 13 1766 North Carolina
 Sarry Loftin was bornd May the 1 1775 Meriland
 Elizabeth Loftin was bornd April the 13 1792
 Samuel Loftin was bornd June the 25 1794
 Nancy Loftin was bornd November the 1 1796
 Anna Loftin was bornd Febuary the 3 1799
 John Loftin was bornd April the 26 1801
 Sarah Loftin was bornd October the 26 1803
 Margaret Loftin was bornd August the 15 1806
 Marry Loftin was bornd Febuary the 18 1808
 Ennis Loftin was bornd August the 15 1810
 Sarah Loftin was bornd January 10 1813
 Martha Loftin was bornd October the 16 1815
 etall in Georgia
 Narcissa Loftin was bornd October the 19 1817
Louisar Loftin was bornd December the 18 1820

ANDERSON COUNTY, TEXAS MARRIAGE RECORDS



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| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
|--------------------|----------------------|---------------|
| Jones, Aaron | Willie Hamlett | Jan. 26, 1886 |
| Jackson, William | Arrena Simpson | Feb. 4, 1886 |
| Johnson, Edmund | Lucindy Morton | Feb. 22, 1886 |
| Jones, Alfred | Fannie Evans | Mar. 1, 1886 |
| Jackson, John | Cathran Williams | Mar. 30, 1886 |
| Jackson, C. J. | Elizabeth Harris | Mar. 31, 1886 |
| Jackson, Jefferson | Amanda Thomas | Apr. 23, 1886 |
| Jenies, Joe | Liza Wilson | Aug. 18, 1886 |
| Johnson, J. B. | Mrs. M. A. Hawkins | Oct. 1, 1886 |
| Jones, Geo. W. | Artilla Patterson | Dec. 11, 1886 |
| Johnson, Henry | Annie Passon | Jan. 11, 1887 |
| Jones, Henry | Lucy Smith | Jan. 27, 1887 |
| Johnson, Wm. | Amanda Work | Feb. 26, 1887 |
| Jones, Mark | Mrs. Nannie Emery | Apr. 14, 1887 |
| Johnson, Jno W. | Mary A. Moore | June 29, 1887 |
| Johnson, E. B. | Alma Jones | July 9, 1887 |
| Johnson, Andy | Hattie Phillips | July 9, 1887 |
| Johnson, H. M. | Lace Turner | Oct. 3, 1887 |
| Jemison, Tenny | Ida Dowser | Nov. 16, 1887 |
| Johnson, Robert | Sarah Phillips | Dec. 29, 1887 |
| Jackson, John | Easter Phillips | Jan. 12, 1888 |
| Jackson, John | Tennessee Gibson | Feb. 14, 1888 |
| James, Joe | Nancy Lester | Feb. 21, 1888 |
| Jackson, C J. | Elizabeth Harris | Mar. 2, 1888 |
| James, Andrew | Delia Jones | Apr. 19, 1888 |
| Jefferson, Robert | Bell Goodden | May 4, 1888 |
| Jackson, J. W. | Mrs. Mary Ann Jones | July 4, 1888 |
| James, Jesse | Moselle Swanson | Dec. 22, 1888 |
| Jackson, Hamilton | Amanda Duke | Dec. 24, 1888 |
| Jackson, Jesse | Mary Duke | Dec. 24, 1888 |
| Jackson, Jesse | Julia Lucas | Jan. 25, 1889 |
| Jones, J. B. | Mariah Evans | May 1, 1889 |
| Jackson, George | Carrie Turner | July 22, 1889 |
| Johnson, Mathis | Mrs. Lula Gordon | Aug. 3, 1889 |
| Jackson, Albert | Jennie Hamilton | Aug. 30, 1889 |
| Jackson, W. C. | Mattie J. Galloway | Oct. 7, 1889 |
| Jackson, Charley | Mrs. Malinda Glenn | Oct. 14, 1889 |
| Jowers, Jackson | Mrs. Collie Anderson | Nov. 7, 1889 |
| Jemison, Ed | Irene Davis | Dec. 18, 1889 |
| Johnson, Wesley | Hester Ann Woodard | Dec. 18, 1899 |
| Johnson, Jeff | Mary Turner | Feb. 8, 1890 |
| Johnson, Jerry | Mrs. Sally Hard | Feb. 24, 1890 |
| Johnson, Lege | Laura Smith | Apr. 19, 1890 |
| Jemerson, William | Docia Jemerson | Apr. 29, 1890 |
| Jowers, Isom | Mrs. Beckie Micheaux | June 12, 1890 |

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
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| Jackson, A. E. | Abbie F. Watts | June 16, 1890 |
| James, George | Mrs. Louisa Snith | July 19, 1890 |
| Jackson, William | Clemie Reeves | June 21, 1890 |
| Jenkins, Robert A. | Pearl Ozment | June 26, 1890 |
| Jemison, Jim | Mary Jane Jones | June 10, 1890 |
| Johnson, J. W. | Mrs. C. E. Lillard | Sept. 24, 1890 |
| Jemison, Lee | Linder Colley | Nov. 17, 1890 |
| Johnson, Andrew | Classey Crawford | Dec. 6, 1890 |
| Jackson, Sam | Amanda Govan | Dec. 9, 1890 |
| Jackson, Sam | Mrs. Caldonia Miller | Dec. 10, 1890 |
| Jones, Willie | Mollie Jones | Dec. 20, 1890 |
| Johnson, Frank | Mrs. Ella Thomas | Dec. 25, 1890 |
| Kinsey, J. L. | Rosa L. Sowers | Oct. 20, 1886 |
| Kelley, J. V. | Mollie Fitzgerald | Dec. 29, 1886 |
| Kimbo, Prince | Mrs. Maggie Manning | Dec. 30, 1886 |
| Kennedy, John | Miss J. N. Crenshaw | Dec. 31, 1886 |
| Killion, E. T. | S. M. Powers | Oct. 5, 1887 |
| Kindrick, W. L. | Eulah Hudson | Dec. 19, 1887 |
| Keene, Frank | Etta Bishop | Mar. 21, 1888 |
| Kimbrow, Wm. | Liza Jackson | May 21, 1888 |
| Keelin, E. D. | Mrs. Maggie Garrett | June 14, 1888 |
| Kyle, J. M. | Laura A. Little | Dec. 18, 1888 |
| Kincaid, J. F. | Fannie Royall | Dec. 24, 1888 |
| Kinkwood, J. H. | Lizzie Lively | July 5, 1889 |
| Kent, W.S. | Lula Bell | July 17, 1889 |
| Kern, J. F. | Manie Potts | Nov. 5, 1889 |
| Kane, Newell | Fannie L. Swanson | Nov. 26, 1889 |
| Kennedy, W. J. | Iciphenia Parker | Dec. 11, 1889 |
| King, J. B. | Carry Parker | Dec. 28, 1889 |
| Kelly, Geo. A. | Mary E. Redwine | Jan. 14, 1889 |
| Kyle, J. H. B. | Miss M. E. Cobb | Jan. 27, 1889 |
| Killion, D. H. P. | Mary E. Harrison | Feb. 10, 1890 |
| Kimbrough, Richard | Missouri Simmona | Mar. 6, 1890 |
| Killpatrick, Wm. S. | Florence Newson | Oct. 24, 1890 |
| Kelly, Henry | Mary Garmon | Dec. 17, 1890 |
| Lansdale, M. F. | Allice Rooks | Mar. 13, 1886 |
| Learn, Wm. Odell | Sarah C. Grubough | Apr. 20, 1886 |
| Lester, Bill | Queen Higginbotham | May 11, 1886 |
| Leopard, F. M. | Mrs. Martha Burke | Jan. 5, 1886 |
| Landau, Ben | Hanah Michelson | June 18, 1886 |
| Love, J. W. | S. E. Kelley | Aug. 7, 1886 |
| Little, D. P. | Mrs. Callie Fields | Oct. 26, 1886 |
| Locket, Warner | Francis Gaston | Nov. 25, 1886 |
| Lang, Robert | Anna Jones | Jan. 6, 1887 |
| Lang, Pink | Ony Williams | Jan. 8, 1887 |
| Logan, James | Mrs. Belle Cole | Apr. 12, 1887 |
| Lacy, J. M. | Savannah Rogers | Apr. 20, 1887 |
| Lewis, Wm. E. | Dona N. Salmon | May 28, 1887 |
| Langston, H. C. | Mary Hobson | Sept. 8, 1887 |
| Lewis, Jack | Susan Barnes | Dec. 15, 1887 |

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| Lawrence, Fayette | Mrs. Katie Warner | Dec. 19, 1887 |
| Lawrence, Ranson | Tenie Govan | Jan. 24, 1888 |
| Long, David | Mrs. Ella Hassell | Apr. 18, 1888 |
| Love, Calvin | Mrs. Viney Hill | July 18, 1888 |
| Lathrop, W. M. | Bell Willis | Dec. 7, 1888 |
| Langston, V. L. | Alice Jenkins | Jan. 16, 1889 |
| Langston, W. H. | Lou Patterson | Feb. 27, 1889 |
| Lucas, Willie | Fannie Samplers | Apr. 1, 1889 |
| Lane, Willie | Lula Bell | Apr. 18, 1889 |
| Langston, S.A. | S. J. Leopard | May 15, 1889 |
| Lucas, David | Hester Scholes | May 20, 1889 |
| Landsdown, W. H. | Sarah Young | June 15, 1889 |
| Lewis, R. A. | Mrs. M. S. Wadkins | Aug. 21, 1889 |
| Lunsford, W. H. | M. A. Hendley | Sept. 12, 1889 |
| Lee, Alvin Brown | Charlotte Brown | Dec. 21, 1889 |
| Lovelady, J. P. | Mrs. Lula E. Brogdon | Dec. 21, 1889 |
| Larkin, Ned | Mary Harriett Holly | Dec. 24, 1889 |
| Lacy, J. W. | G. R. Cubby | Dec. 28, 1889 |
| Lacy, Felix | Mrs. Eliza Beason | May 15, 1890 |
| Langston, H. T. | Octavia Causey | June 2, 1890 |
| Lasiter, S. M. | Margaret Jane Langston | Aug. 30, 1890 |
| Lee, Henry | Mrs. Lucy Walker | Oct. 4, 1890 |
| Leonard, L. A. | Eliza McGruder | Dec. 18, 1890 |
| Lockhart, J. C. | Janie Long | Dec. 30, 1890 |
| Miller, James | Hettie Calhoun | Jan. 26, 1886 |
| Medlock, Joe | Isabel Gant | Feb. 11, 1886 |
| Mitchell, C. G. | M. R. Woodard | Mar. 22, 1886 |
| Moore, John | Jane Harris | Mar. 29, 1886 |
| Miller, J. W. | Jimmie A. (Jinnie A.?)Pierce | May 17, 1886 |
| Moore, John | Jane Harris | May 24, 1886 |
| Molton, Walter | Beckey Gibson | June 16, 1886 |
| Miller, Charles | Amanda D. Johnston | June 23, 1886 |
| Moody, George G. | Beulah Lee Reynolds | July 8, 1886 |
| Mitchell, Adam | Argyrich Morgan | Aug. 19, 1886 |
| Martin, Willie | Bettie Gauger | Aug. 27, 1886 |
| Monroe, Charles | Mrs. Mary Johnson | Sept. 20, 1886 |
| Moore, Tom | Martha Ann Coleman | Oct. 7, 1886 |
| Myese, Anderson | Sarah Tellis | Nov. 10, 1886 |
| Martin, Wesley | Isabella Watkins | Nov. 25, 1886 |
| Mallard, Ellis | Liddie McGee | Dec. 17, 1886 |
| Martin, Henry | Susan Earls (Eads?) | Dec. 24, 1886 |
| Meadward, J. M. | Alice Hucklefoot | Dec. 24, 1886 |
| Miller, Geo. | Arie David | Dec. 27, 1886 |
| Mosley, Isaac | Katie Burse | Jan. 13, 1887 |
| Marlow, Wesley | Manda McGowan | Feb. 3, 1887 |
| Murchinson, Walter | Eliza Kelley | Feb. 12, 1887 |
| Mavis, R. D. | Mrs. M. A. Rawley | Mar. 15, 1887 |
| Montgomery, T. M. | Dora C. Woodard | Mar. 15, 1887 |
| Mindon, Will | Annett Phillips | May 4, 1887 |
| Miller, R. M. | Josie Franklin | May 9, 1887 |
| Maxey, Rice | Maggie R. Broyles | May 12, 1887 |

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| Moore, Dr. F. B. | Mrs. F. M. Lawrence | May 21, 1887 |
| Masters, B.F. | Mary Denson | June 7, 1887 |
| Moseley, Marion | Cealy Anderson | June 20, 1887 |
| Millender, J. E. | Lizzie Mayfield | Sept. 1, 1887 |
| Mullican, T. J. | Pokey O. Roy | Sept. 7, 1887 |
| Miller, Tom | Billie Terry | Sept. 7, 1887 |
| Mitchell, R. S. | Mattie Farris | |
| Morgan, Richard | Sarah Jackson | Nov. 1, 1887 |
| Mitchell, Lem | Maggie Jones | Nov. 3, 1887 |
| Montgomery, Alfred | Harriet Thomas | Dec. 3, 1887 |
| Morgan, Jeff | Evy Thomas | Dec. 19, 1887 |
| Mosley, Moses | Margaret Mattack (Maddock?) (Mattock?) | Dec. 21, 1887 |
| Murray, John Webb | Ella Hutchison | Dec. 24, 1887 |
| Michaux, Swan | Ann Virges | Jan. 5, 1888 |
| May, Joseph | Mrs. Jennie A. Migent (Jimmie A. Migent?) | Jan. 7, 1888 |
| Miller, Tindall | Ella Jones | Jan. 20, 1888 |
| Morris, S. J. | F. B. Able | Jan. 24, 1888 |
| Miller, Jeff | Sarah Johnson | Jan. 25, 1888 |
| Mergenthal, Floyd | Pauline Albrecht | Feb. 2, 1888 |
| Miller, R. C. | D. M. Glenn | Feb. 13, 1888 |
| Mims, Richmond | Emma Bruce | Feb. 15, 1888 |
| Moon, Jeff | Martha Jane Ford | Feb. 22, 1888 |
| Miller, J. F. | Clara W. Johnson | Feb. 28, 1888 |
| Miller, George | Francis Edwards | Mar. 9, 1888 |
| Martin, Ike | Martha Strother | Mar. 17, 1888 |
| Moore, J. W. | E. A. Page | May 1, 1888 |
| Marlow, James | Easter Webb | May 16, 1888 |
| Myers, G. W. | Mary Abbey | May 16, 1888 |
| Manuel, Owen | Mrs. Susan Hunter | June 8, 1888 |
| Mills, Richmond | Catherine Cummings | June 9, 1888 |
| Murphy, J. S. | Mattie E. Moore | June 14, 1888 |
| Marshall, Billy | Ida Washington | Oct. 4, 1888 |
| Murray, J. S. | Jannie Aulds | Oct. 22, 1888 |
| Marx, Samuel | Mrs. Nina Wiley | Nov. 5, 1888 |
| Malone, Dock B. | Eliza Goosbey | Nov. 21, 1888 |
| Micheaux, Isiah | Angeline Britton | Jan. 1, 1889 |
| Miller, W. B. | Moselle Ellis | Jan. 10, 1889 |
| Moore, A. H. | W. L. Wilbanks | Jan. 16, 1889 |
| Mills, J. W. | Sallie Elrod | Jan. 22, 1889 |
| Murphy, T. A. | Mamia Reilly | Feb. 7, 1889 |
| Martin, Anderson | Mrs. Manerva Jefferson | Mar. 9, 1889 |
| Mickley, C. W. Loyd | R. L. Doherty | Mar. 21, 1889 |
| Mellon, Paul A. | Mrs. Lizzie W. Hopkins | June 29, 1889 |
| Milam, B. Y. | Mrs. F. E. Cleveland | July 4, 1889 |
| Middleton, William | Eliza Simmons | July 17, 1889 |
| Moseley, William | Mrs. Dicey Edens | Aug. 22, 1889 |
| Morrison, Joe | Lizzie Moore | Sept. 5, 1889 |
| Micheaux, Joseph | Ella Davis | Oct. 19, 1889 |
| Miller, John | Lucy Stakes | Nov. 25, 1889 |
| Mosen, T. M. | Hettie Cook | Nov. 26, 1889 |

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| Mathis, S. M. | Lee Holland | Dec. 6, 1889 |
| Moore, Sam | Nettie Story | Dec. 21, 1889 |
| Mitchell, Grant | Hanah Campbell | Dec. 23, 1889 |
| Mehan, Dan | Annie Byrne | Jan. 18, 1890 |
| Menge, Hugo | Lillie Adams | Feb. 14, 1890 |
| Malone, Wyatt | Mrs. Polly Thomas | Feb. 25, 1890 |
| Murray, Hilary | Lilla Brown | Mar. 22, 1890 |
| Montgomery, W. E. | Eula Goad | Apr. 4, 1890 |
| Martin, John | Mary Craven | June 12, 1890 |
| Morrow, W. I. | Mrs. Cynthia Holoway | June 12, 1890 |
| Morgan, L. F. | Hester Tucker | Aug. 15, 1890 |
| Moore, T. O. | Flora A. Baxter | Aug. 26, 1890 |
| Marshall, Sam | Joe Anna Bridges | Oct. 7, 1890 |
| Murrell, W. T. | Ida E. Kriag (Kraig?) | Oct. 20, 1890 |
| Miller, Jesse | Ketty (Kitty?) Williams | Oct. 29, 1890 |
| Mixon, A. B. | Artlissa Douthit | Nov. 5, 1890 |
| Mosley, J. W. | Alice Whatley | Nov. 10, 1890 |
| Moffitt, C. S. | Mrs. Georgia Phifer | Nov. 11, 1890 |
| Miller, William | Mollie Calhoun | Dec. 13, 1890 |
| Mosley, SAMuel | Ann Eliza Rice | Dec. 15, 1890 |
| Mann, R. J. | H. L. Stamey | Dec. 16, 1890 |
| Morgan, Green | Molly Alexander | Dec. 17, 1890 |
| Morrison, Silas | Julia Ann Reed | Dec. 23, 1890 |
| McGown, Joseph | Mrs. Eliza Diels | Apr. 10, 1886 |
| McFarlane, R. F. | Addie Bush | June 2, 1886 |
| McCauley, E. | Mrs. Lizzie Vancleve | Nov. 18, 1886 |
| McPherson, James | Mittie L. Willey | Dec. 22, 1886 |
| McCoy, Silas | Agnes Brisby | Mar. 1, 1887 |
| McCauley, J. C. | Mary Reitch | Apr. 18, 1887 |
| McLane, G. H. | Mahala Varner | Aug. 22, 1887 |
| McLean, D. L. | Mrs. M. E. Rampey | Sept. 15, 1887 |
| McKinney, Wm. | Mrs. Leanna Jackson | Nov. 5, 1887 |
| McCutcheon, F. M. | Mrs. M. K. Jowers | Dec. 19, 1887 |
| McCree, E. W. | M. A. Jackson | Jan. 28, 1888 |
| McKinzie, Jackson | Francis Scott | Feb. 16, 1888 |
| McBride, Will L. | Mrs. Mattie Thyne | July 3, 1888 |
| McLean, D. L. | Mrs. M. E. Rampey | Dec. 11, 1883 |
| McDonald, Wm. E. | Annie V. Alderson | Dec. 19, 1888 |
| McGriff, Tartar | Ida Blackshear | Jan. 7, 1889 |
| McClanahan, J. R. | Mattie Collier | Jan. 7, 1889 |
| McDonald, J. M. | E. J. Richey | Apr. 18, 1889 |
| McGee, A. D. | Mary Elsage | Oct. 1, 1889 |
| McCracken, D. C. | Mrs. Ella Robinson | Nov. 9, 1889 |
| McCann, L. J. H. | Mary Lee Scott | Jan. 15, 1890 |
| McVay, G. B. | Carrie E. Dolson | Apr. 1, 1890 |
| McCoy, Mack | Mrs. Julia Hardin | May 24, 1890 |
| McDonald, Geo. | Mrs. Lucy Ware | June 20, 1890 |
| McDonald, Jno. B. | Susie Freeman | Oct. 21, 1890 |
| McMeans, J. L., Jr. | Lizzie J. Bills | Nov. 17, 1890 |
| Nicholas, Thos. | Nellie May Murray | Jan. 14, 1886 |
| Nepfler, J. M. | Victoria Delosey | Jan. 27, 1886 |

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| Neel, J. M. | Ida V. Gipson | Jan. 30, 1886 |
| Nixon, James | Annie Hubbard | Sept. 11, 1886 |
| Neal, S. J. | I. D. Steward | July 13, 1887 |
| Neville, D. L. | Dora Albright | Sept. 8, 1887 |
| Nathaniel, Richard | Virginia A. Roberson | Nov. 3, 1887 |
| Norris, Judge | Mary Harriet Allen | Nov. 21, 1887 |
| Naismith, Jas. E. | Ellen Moat | May 28, 1888 |
| Newsom, R. L. | Fannie Williams | Nov. 1, 1888 |
| Norwood, L. Wl. | Annie Price | Nov. 20, 1888 |
| Nunnery, James | Minnie Denson | Apr. 26, 1889 |
| Neal, W. T. | Georgia Evans | Sept. 6, 1889 |
| Neal, J. L. | L. V. Clark | Dec. 21, 1889 |
| Noe, John F. | Etta Young | May 31, 1890 |
| Nolly, Madison | Mrs. Danky Gilky | Aug. 21, 1890 |
| Nolly, A. N. | Mrs. Bettie Tucker | Oct. 7, 1890 |
| Neel, J. R. | Mrs. M. H. Cartmell | Nov. 3, 1890 |
| Newsom, Elias | Mrs. Sallie J. McFarlane | Dec. 20, 1890 |
| Oppenhammer, A. | Mary Swanson | Jan. 16, 1886 |
| Oldham, J. I. | Rosa Herrington | Aug. 11, 1886 |
| Ormsby, W. P. | Susie A. Gaines | Nov. 20, 1886 |
| Overby, John | Vicy Herd | Jan. 6, 1887 |
| Owen, H. M. | M. A. Barnett | Dec. 17, 1889 |
| Ogg, James | Clara Salone | Aug. 14, 1890 |
| Openheimer, Nathan | Zilla Swanson | Apr. 10, 1891 |
| Oneal, J. M. | Lucy E. Dell | Oct. 25, 1887 |
| Oldham, J. M. | Katie B. Seymour | Nov. 16, 1887 |
| Owens, Charley | Fannie Harris | Jan. 23, 1888 |
| Oldham, W. B. | Ora P. Curtis | Feb. 4, 1888 |
| Oversby, James | Fannie Spencer | Jan. 31, 1889 |
| Oppenheimer, Nathan | Mrs. Ella Elson | June 29, 1889 |
| Penson, Isaac | Hester Phillips | Jan. 7, 1886 |
| Parmer, Jesse | Mrs. Kate Gresham | Jan. 12, 1886 |
| Patton, Milton | Malisie Conaway | May 6, 1886 |
| Phillips, Thos. | Hattie Hawthorne | July 1, 1886 |
| Price, Marshall | Alesey Flanagan | July 17, 1886 |
| Pirtle, I. L. | America Micheaux | Sept. 21, 1886 |
| Pierce, A. C. | Mary F. Calloway | Sept. 30, 1886 |
| Pettit, J. L. | S. E. Turentine | Dec. 8, 1886 |
| Patterson, George | Eliza Hanks | Dec. 16, 1886 |
| Perkins, Anthony | Priscilla Thorton | Dec. 17, 1886 |
| Perkins, Nick | Martha Nicholas | Dec. 21, 1886 |
| Phillips, Bob | Joe Ellis | Dec. 31, 1886 |
| Poage, R. H. | Mrs. M. A. Wagnon | Jan. 18, 1887 |
| Parker, J. L. | Fannie Trim | Mar. 29, 1887 |
| Pierson, John Wesley | Adeline Austin | May 18, 1887 |
| Philips, Wiley | Lucy Jane Allan | July 9, 1887 |
| Poynor, S. P. | Mosell Brown | July 13, 1887 |
| Parker, Gorge J. | Mrs. Emma Hilton | July 18, 1887 |
| Price, J. H. | Nannie Harrison | July 25, 1887 |
| Phillips, Edward | Darkas Ann Mills | Aug. 6, 1887 |

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| Phillips, Lucius | Mrs. Mariah Demar | Sept. 15, 1887 |
| Pitman, Albert | Fleter Green | Sept. 29, 1887 |
| Pate, W. T. | M. F. Shirey | Oct. 17, 1887 |
| Polk, Geo. | Mandy Lewis | Nov. 2, 1887 |
| Priestley, J. H. | S. F. Galloway | Nov. 5, 1887 |
| Patterson, Jim | Nora Howard | Nov. 10, 1887 |
| Parson, Albert | Harriett Hackson | Nov. 15, 1887 |
| Powell, Pierce | Mima Helm | Dec. 7, 1887 |
| Phenix, J. R. | May H. Hassell | Dec. 15, 1887 |
| Pervis, W. M. | Annie Earley | Dec. 23, 1887 |
| Parker, Miles | Hettie E. Kennedy | Dec. 26, 1887 |
| Pace, J. T. | Nettie Hathcock | Jan. 5, 1888 |
| Pinckard, C. C. | Odalie Vienne | Jan. 14, 1888 |
| Price, Fletcher E. | Clara E. Sawyer | Mar. 22, 1888 |
| Paul, Lee | Jennie Walston | Apr. 4, 1888 |
| Pitts, G. E. | M. C. Seat | Apr. 13, 1888 |
| Price, Carter L. | Eliza McNeal | July 30, 1888 |
| Pace, V. E. | Hattie Lyne | Aug. 18, 1888 |
| Price, William | Mrs. Ella Tiner | Nov. 28, 1888 |
| Patterson, B. N. | Lillie Martin | Nov. 28, 1888 |
| Pitri, August | Mary Strack | Jan. 22, 1889 |
| Prather, C. B. | Mrs. L. Stephen | Mar. 2, 1889 |
| Phipps, W. C. | Mollie Morris | Aug. 19, 1889 |
| Price, Thos. | Mattie Hayes | Sept. 10, 1889 |
| Prewitt, W. O. | Otilla Coleman | Nov. 12, 1889 |
| Phillips, Oliver | Laura Brown | Nov. 14, 1889 |
| Pierson, William | Bettie Starr | Dec. 20, 1889 |
| Parks, Robert | Mrs. Mille Williams | Jan. 3, 1890 |
| Pryor, Albert | Betty Kid | Jan. 8, 1890 |
| Phillips, Simon | Lizzie Garrett | Jan. 11, 1890 |
| Pinkard, J. H. | Ida Coffey | Jan. 18, 1890 |
| Parker, W. T. | Mrs. Patsy Evans | Feb. 1, 1890 |
| Parker, J. J. | E. E. Cook | Mar. 6, 1890 |
| Phillips, Dennis | Dean Baker | May 20, 1890 |
| Parker, B. J. | Docia P. Kennedy | May 21, 1890 |
| Passon, Ishmeal | Francis Ricks | Aug. 2, 1890 |
| Payne, Sam | Lizzie Smith | Aug. 23, 1890 |
| Prewitt, Wesley | Jennie Young | Oct. 30, 1890 |
| Phillips, Chas. D. | Josie M. McDonnell | Nov. 5, 1890 |
| Pinson, Willie | Mrs. Lucinda Williams | Dec. 11, 1890 |
| Pate, L. T. | A. J. Shirey | Dec. 17, 1890 |
| Percy, Charlie | Nannie Butler | Dec. 19, 1890 |
| Penn, G. R. | Mrs. Virginia Wasdin | Dec. 30, 1890 |
| Quarles, C.P. | Jessie Cromwell | June 13, 1887 |
| Quarles, W. B. | Sallie Cromwell | Nov. 7, 1887 |
| Quarles, Sam | Lula Day | Dec. 20, 1888 |
| Robinson, George | Mollie Morgan | Jan. 16, 1886 |
| Reed, Charles | Fannie Williams | Jan. 21, 1886 |
| Rosin, H. T. | Florence Morrow | Jan. 26, 1886 |
| Roseberry, Steve | Clarissa Taylor | Feb. 1, 1886 |
| Ricks, Adam | Matilda Winston | Feb. 17, 1886 |
| Rooks, J. W. | Maggie Richardson | Mar. 13, 1886 |

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| Richardson, Anthony | Susan Howard | Mar. 31, 1886 |
| Reed, B. F. | Mollie E. Ritchley | May 20, 1886 |
| Russel, A. J. | Anna Boyacan | July 5, 1886 |
| Rampy, J. R. | M. E. Pitts | Sept. 2, 1886 |
| Rector, Joseph | Crissie Corder | Nov. 29, 1886 |
| Robertson, Charles | Josephine Mosely | Dec. 22, 1886 |
| Rhodes, Charley | Mary Jane Isaac | Feb. 7, 1887 |
| Redfield, R. B. | Mrs. L. E. H. Retfield | Apr. 5, 1887 |
| Roberson, W. R. | Mary Johnson | Apr. 16, 1887 |
| Ramey, Geo. R. | Mrs. T. T. Ross | May 13, 1887 |
| Roberson, Gus | Manerva Hunter | July 30, 1887 |
| Reeves, W. A. | Mattie Smith | Oct. 8, 1887 |
| Rosson, B. F. | M. L. McCrackin | Oct. 25, 1887 |
| Richardson, J. R. | Anna Mathis | Dec. 13, 1887 |
| Reed, William | Callie Denson | Dec. 15, 1887 |
| Robinson, Andy | Lallie Morgan | Oct. 20, 1887 |
| Reeves, Edmond | Cely Quarles | Oct. 21, 1887 |
| Raines, W. J. | Miss Lula Rose | Dec. 21, 1887 |
| Roberts, John | Julia Lott | Jan. 19, 1888 |
| Rice, J. M. | Dora Dunal | Feb. 13, 1888 |
| Runnells, Dony | Monica Rollins | Mar. 20, 1888 |
| Reeder, W. F. | Ada Lee Goodner | Mar. 21, 1888 |
| Rochester, Chas. | Mattie Jemison | May 8, 1888 |
| Richard, J. B. | Sallie Edwards | May 19, 1888 |
| Ross, J. W. | M. E. Stewart | Aug. 15, 1888 |
| Robinson, W. G. | Dora E. Lawrence | Nov. 26, 1888 |
| Roof, Penn | Minnie Joe | Jan. 1, 1889 |
| Randall, Coleman | Pink Granger | Jan. 16, 1889 |
| Rose, W. H. | Mollie Holder | Jan. 23, 1889 |
| Robinson, Andrew | Martha Williams | Mar. 30, 1889 |
| Redwine, J. J. | Missouria Cleveland | July 15, 1889 |
| Rainey, Green | Miss Sallie Davis | Sept. 5, 1889 |
| Ricks, C. B. | Kate Garner | Oct. 19, 1889 |
| Rainey, William | Celia Thomas | Dec. 18, 1889 |
| Roper, H. B. | Lucy Harris | Dec. 24, 1889 |
| Rogers, Frank | Becky Campbell | Dec. 24, 1889 |
| Ray, K. L. | M. D. Wortham | Dec. 20, 1889 |
| Rhodes, L. D. | Sally Wood | Jan. 4, 1890 |
| Rogers, Charlie | Mary Lee McKinzie | Jan. 9, 1890 |
| Robertson, Marshall | Emma Burke | Jan. 23, 1890 |
| Ricks, Sterling | Jessie Toomer | Feb. 25, 1890 |
| Robertson, John | Mealy Lewis | Mar. 12, 1890 |
| Rhodes, W. M. | Dolly Robertson | May. 19, 1890 |
| Ross, Ervin | T. A. Middleton | Apr. 3, 1890 |
| Rhodes, Caldwell | Martha Harris | Oct. 23, 1890 |
| Rachels, W. A. | Victoria Newsom | Dec. 21, 1890 |
| Ricks, Horace | Malinda Dixon | Nov. 27, 1890 |
| Robinson, Clarence | Laura Farris | Dec. 18, 1890 |
| Smith, H. | Mary Lamb | Jan. 2, 1886 |
| Sloan, Pink | Sarah Hecks | Jan. 2, 1886 |
| Saunders, T. P. | J. D. McKae | Jan. 15, 1886 |

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| Smith, John | Mary J. Criss | Jan. 21, 1886 |
| Sanders, P. S. | Mallissa J. Page | Jan. 26, 1886 |
| Stoggs, Henry | Mrs. W. C. Webb | Apr. 14, 1886 |
| Seat, James D. | A. L. Hobbs | Apr. 19, 1886 |
| Sanders, Mack | Catie Johnson | May 1, 1886 |
| Strack, Alvis | Emelia Schmith | May 5, 1886 |
| Stoney, Ben | Mariah Foster | May 15, 1886 |
| Sloan, Andrew | Sarah Parker | June 25, 1886 |
| Sullivan, Jerry | Ellen Fitzgerald | July 26, 1886 |
| Scott, Sam | Mary Miller | Aug. 14, 1886 |
| Seneing, E. H. | L. Harding | Aug. 18, 1886 |
| Sweiney, J. B. | Lena M. Williams | Sept. 2, 1886 |
| Smith, Levi | Mrs. Cherry Hodges | Sept. 18, 1886 |
| Shelton, W. F. | Mary Felton | Sept. 22, 1886 |
| Smith, E. H. | L. C. Hammer | Oct. 1, 1886 |
| Sight, J. T. | L. E. Smith | Oct. 19, 1886 |
| Shelton, E. T. | G. A. Hanks | Oct. 30, 1886 |
| Smith, Geo. P. | Addie C. Armstrong | Nov. 19, 1886 |
| Stevison, Frank | Cedner Smith | Nov. 17, 1886 |
| Shields, J. A. | Mollie Smith | Dec. 16, 1886 |
| Swanson, George | Maggie Howard | Dec. 16, 1886 |
| Salmon, M. D. | A. E. Laymance | Jan. 11, 1887 |
| Smith, James | Jennie McGawan | Jan. 13, 1887 |
| Storton, John | Lora E. White | Jan. 22, 1887 |
| Strack, Frank | Francis Richter | Feb. 2, 1887 |
| Salmon, Lewis | Julia C. Broomfield | Feb. 14, 1887 |
| Smith, J. H. | Luisa Austin | Mar. 7, 1887 |
| Somen, Louis | Eva b. Heim | Mar. 8, 1887 |
| Samples, A. F. | Sallie Brown | Mar. 26, 1887 |
| Shamburger, Noah | Lizzie Stewart | Apr. 7, 1887 |
| Spivy, John | Mary Cravens | Apr. 16, 1887 |
| Smith, Nick | Annette McBarkle | May 26, 1887 |
| Springfield, Wm. H. | Fannie J. Williams | June 2, 1887 |
| Smith, S. C. | Zuler Carter | June 9, 1887 |
| Spivey, John | Mary E. Cravens | July 9, 1887 |
| Smith, Ed | Lillie Edwards | Sept. 10, 1887 |
| Sanders, James | Mary Parris | Sept. 20, 1887 |
| Schnorr, A. | Orla Hinckley | Oct. 25, 1887 |
| Smith, Felix | Lizzie Holloway | Oct. 31, 1887 |
| Sanders, J. W. | Mary S. Cook | Nov. 22, 1887 |
| Sloan, William | Jane Nile | Dec. 5, 1887 |
| Steels, J. H. | C. B. Woolverton | Dec. 12, 1887 |
| Seymour, Richard | M. C. Edwards | Dec. 21, 1887 |
| Smith, Summer | Lula Ricks | Dec. 26, 1887 |
| Simmons, J. M. | Emma Davis | Dec. 31, 1887 |
| Shelton, R. C. | M. J. Craig | Jan. 17, 1888 |
| Smith, Horace | Emma Pollard | Jan. 26, 1888 |
| Scott, Frank | Lydia Jink | Jan. 30, 1888 |
| Schumatte, J. C. | B. T. Davis | Feb. 23, 1888 |
| Scarborough, J. R. | M. L. Willborn | Mar. 12, 1888 |
| Staffer, Wm. | Mollie Spradling | Mar. 30, 1888 |
| Smith, W. B. | Mrs. Francis A. Bucholt | Apr. 23, 1888 |

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
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| Sims, Louis | Lizzie Jackson | May 19, 1888 |
| Starks, Columbus | Mrs. Mollie Hill | June 7, 1888 |
| Shaver, J. W. | Nannie Moore | July 16, 1888 |
| Saunders, Thomas | Mrs. Nettie Hawthorne | Aug. 10, 1888 |
| Smith, William | Georgia Ann Pierce | Aug. 22, 1888 |
| Sell, John | Annie Dilaney | Oct. 3, 1888 |
| Stockton, J. F. | Mrs. Cynthia Milam | Nov. 14, 1888 |
| Scott, Anthony | Mrs. Kittie Smith | Nov. 30, 1888 |
| Steel, R. A. | Mrs. Sallie Redivine | Feb. 6, 1889 |
| Scarborough, Geo. | Luch Austin | Feb. 6, 1889 |
| Silliman, Jno. H. | Lizzie Burnett | Feb. 20, 1889 |
| Staunton, W. G. | Evelyn Lyon | July 27, 1889 |
| Swift, John L. | Pearl Swift | Aug. 12, 1889 |
| Smith, Charles | Sarah Ann Bagwill | Aug. 24, 1889 |
| Sullivan, George | Anna Adams | Sept. 2, 1889 |
| Smith, G. K. | Fannie G. Reynolds | Oct. 1, 1889 |
| Shaver, W. J. | Nancy Temple | Oct. 16, 1889 |
| Smith, William | Harriet Crist | Oct. 24, 1889 |
| Smith, C. M. | Mrs. Callie Little | Oct. 24, 1889 |
| Swanson, Dave | Mrs. Ella Elson | Oct. 24, 1889 |
| Sellman, W. B. | Sallie Burke | Nov. 5, 1889 |
| Stephenson, W. M. | Ida Bordeaux | Nov. 12, 1889 |
| Sanders, George | Birdie Rhoden | Dec. 16, 1889 |
| Starks, C. C. | S. M. England | Dec. 23, 1889 |
| Springer, E. D. | A. L. Todd | Jan. 9, 1890 |
| Smith, Ben | Millie Mickens | Feb. 13, 1890 |
| Skelton, Ed | Lottie Murray | Mar. 19, 1890 |
| Smith, Tom | Mary Blackshear | May 15, 1890 |
| Sheperd, F. D. | Addie Johnson | June 23, 1890 |
| Stephens, J. | A. A. Parks | July 16, 1890 |
| Sory, J. E. | Margaret McDonald | July 23, 1890 |
| Smith, Fred H. | Lottie Unger | Sept. 10, 1890 |
| Seaten, Bill | Lou Cummings | Sept. 17, 1890 |
| Seat, A. D. | Mrs. M. E. George | Sept. 23, 1890 |
| Simmons, Georbe | Mrs. A. A. Carmathan | Oct. 18, 1890 |
| Smith, Ellic | Mrs. A. Henderson | Dec. 15, 1890 |
| Smith, Walter R. | Mary Berry | Dec. 22, 1890 |
| Small, Marion | Mrs. Ann Mayers | Dec. 22, 1890 |
| Slone, Andrew | Mary Billups | Dec. 23, 1890 |
| Thomas, Alphonsi | Polly Davis | Jan. 26, 1886 |
| Thompson, Jno. | Becky Brooks | Jan. 28, 1886 |
| Tubbs, Granville | Moan Box | Feb. 24, 1886 |
| Thomas, Denis | Mrs. Mame Turner | Mar. 13, 1886 |
| Thomas, Lewis | Annie Hannah | July 10, 1886 |
| Townsend, Joe | Fannie Harris | July 10, 1886 |
| Tucker, Coleman | Mrs. Eva Winn | Aug. 26, 1886 |
| Tanner, J. M. | Mary C. Harris | Oct. 9, 1886 |
| Towns, George | Ellen Moore | Dec. 8, 1886 |
| Tausen, Elijah | Mrs. Emmie Elige | Dec. 22, 1886 |
| Thompson, J. E. | E. M. Fettera | Mar. 1, 1887 |
| Turner, Henry | Bella Nobles | Apr. 11, 1887 |

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
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| Tolliver, Newel | Janey Battalion | Apr. 30, 1887 |
| Tubbs, Samuel M. | Laura Dickson | June 25, 1887 |
| Thomas, W. H. | G. M. Gatewood | Aug. 22, 1887 |
| Thomas, D. | Rachel Franklin | Dec. 13, 1887 |
| Trion, Allan | Ellen Simms | Dec. 28, 1887 |
| Thomas, Lee | Mrs. Mary Braggs | Mar. 28, 1888 |
| Turner, Major | Tennie Williams | June 2, 1888 |
| Tippen, Geo. A. | Mollie Moore | June 7, 1888 |
| Thomas, B. F. | D. B. Lawhorn | July 4, 1888 |
| Taylor, Joshua | Mrs. Julia W. Nobley | July 16, 1888 |
| Tubb, T. B. | Mattie F. Thompson | Aug. 17, 1888 |
| Thompson, Geo. | Brazoria Hamilton | Oct. 20, 1888 |
| Trest, W. G. | L. T. Hildon | Nov. 10, 1888 |
| Taylor, Albert | Mollie Hamilton | Dec. 12, 1888 |
| Turner, Jno. | Lucinda Crist | Mar. 16, 1889 |
| Taylor, George | Mary Ann Simon | Apr. 17, 1889 |
| Taylor, Joe | Mrs. Silvia Bell | July 3, 1889 |
| Tatum, Adam | Victoria Robinson | Nov. 27, 1889 |
| Thornal, J. L. | Fannie Wood | Dec. 10, 1889 |
| Trotter, Seabe | Mattie Dove | Dec. 14, 1889 |
| Thaniel, Andy | Lucinda Smith | Dec. 23, 1889 |
| Thaniel, Martin | Julia Moseley | Dec. 23, 1889 |
| Thompson, R. B. | Rosa Williamson | Jan. 1, 1890 |
| Tonahill, W. J. | Mrs. Fannie Garner | Mar. 20, 1890 |
| Taylor, I. S. | Bertha Blair | Mar. 29, 1890 |
| Taylor, Ben | Lucindy Burton | July 12, 1890 |
| Taylor, G. W. | Mandy Horrell | July 15, 1890 |
| Taylor, John | Mrs. Eliza Walker | Oct. 14, 1890 |
| Trest, W. R. | Gracy Massey | Dec. 23, 1890 |
| Thompson, O'Neal | Fannie May Looney | Dec. 30, 1890 |
| Usleamon, S. | M. M. Richardson | Feb. 13, 1886 |
| Underwood, G. W. W. | Elizabeth McGowan | Dec. 23, 1886 |
| Unger, E. | Olia B. Laurdina | Jan. 31, 1887 |
| Unger, O. T. | Ida Killion | Nov. 27, 1889 |
| Vannoy, Archy | E. G. Morris | Aug. 17, 1886 |
| Vest, Reuben H. | Elizabeth Peters | Mar. 12, 1887 |
| Vance, Jim | Lillie Jemison | Oct. 10, 1887 |
| Vincent, H. V. | Mattie Davis | Dec. 29, 1887 |
| Vesene, Titus | Mrs. Virginia Arnold | Mar. 15, 1888 |
| Veth, Joseph | Fannie Kraus | Apr. 30, 1889 |
| Vance, H. L. | Ann Crawford | Dec. 10, 1889 |
| Williams, Abe | Malinda Stovall | Jan. 6, 1886 |
| Walker, B. R. | Mary F. Nolan | Jan. 26, 1886 |
| Winson, Robt. | Tennessee Waters | Jan. 30, 1886 |
| Watkins, S. B. | Beatrice Wright | Mar. 29, 1886 |
| Welborn, C. K. | Lizzie Gardner | Apr. 10, 1886 |
| Whitcomb, E. J. | Anna McIntyre | Apr. 24, 1886 |
| White, J. W. | Rosa Eilenstein | Apr. 24, 1886 |
| Wooldridge, J. H. D. | Miss Susie Lewis | May 19, 1886 |

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
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| Wright, Daniel W. | Mrs. Emma Abshier | Aug. 24, 1886 |
| Walker, Charlie | Mrs. Annie Baker | Aug. 24, 1886 |
| Walker, Simon | Caroline Hicombotham | Nov. 6, 1886 |
| Willbanks, Harrison | Miss Minnie Kelley | Nov. 23, 1886 |
| Woodard, Jesse | Josephine Glaze | Nov. 26, 1886 |
| Walker, Dr. L. A. | Julia A. McMillan | Dec. 6, 1886 |
| Willbanks, J. A. | Dora Thompson | Dec. 13, 1886 |
| Wilborn, W. L. | Miss Annie Elrod | Dec. 15, 1886 |
| Wilson, John | Miss Emma Brown | Jan. 1, 1887 |
| Williams, Tom | Mrs. Margaret Roads | Jan. 10, 1887 |
| Williams, Amos | Amanda Miles | Jan. 13, 1887 |
| Williams, Louis | Margaret Brisby | Feb. 28, 1887 |
| Williams, Mack | Mrs. Caledonia Sneed | Apr. 14, 1887 |
| Williams, H. B. | Miss Ada Foscue | May 21, 1887 |
| White, George | Betsey Page | June 1, 1887 |
| Wilson, John | Abbie Rhodes | June 11, 1887 |
| Weaver, R.H. | Anne Kehoe | July 20, 1887 |
| Wylie, Wm. | Mrs. M. M. Wilson | July 25, 1887 |
| Walker, H. B. | Jettie Woodward | Aug. 31, 1887 |
| West, Charley | Mrs. Kittie Watson | Sept. 16, 1887 |
| Wilborn, J. E. | M. L. Smith | Oct. 4, 1887 |
| Watson, Henry | Retta Jefferson | Oct. 5, 1887 |
| Williams, Warner E. | Miss Lida Lacy | Oct. 18, 1887 |
| Wilson, Joe | Matilda Davis | Oct. 25, 1887 |
| Walker, James | Eliza Hill | Nov. 7, 1887 |
| Williams, Charley | Manda Williams | Nov. 23, 1887 |
| Wagnon, E. E. | Mrs. Bettie C. Pounds | Dec. 24, 1887 |
| Wren, Adam | Nancy Fair | Dec. 28, 1887 |
| Williams, Jabe | Elcy Alexander | Jan. 11, 1888 |
| Wright, G. O. | Miss A. J. Chambers | Jan. 17, 1888 |
| Whitley, Tom | Emily Wiggins | Jan. 18, 1888 |
| Watson, William | Manda Sewing | Jan. 21, 1888 |
| Welborn, C. K. | Miss C. B. Mathews | Jan. 24, 1888 |
| Williams, Dennis | Selia Thomas | Feb. 25, 1888 |
| Wright, Willie | Luella Johnson | Mar. 10, 1888 |
| Wilson, Nels | Miss Manda Burton | Apr. 12, 1888 |
| Williams, Orrange | Miss Mollie Ayers | Apr. 21, 1888 |
| Waters, John | Miss Nellie Quarles | Apr. 26, 1888 |
| Williams, Jefferson | Maggie Stovall | Apr. 30, 1888 |
| Woodard, Jiens | Amy Morgan | June 2, 1888 |
| West, B. F. | Sammie Jackson | July 7, 1888 |
| Wright, Westly | Mary Dithaniel | Aug. 1, 1888 |
| Weaver, Walter | Miss Anna Alford | Aur. 2, 1888 |
| Wright, William | Luella Johnson | Oct. 15, 1888 |
| Wood, James | Mrs. Katie Lee | Nov. 27, 1888 |
| Warren, J. M. | Mrs. Fannie Morgan | Nov. 27, 1888 |
| Washington, Jimme | Miss Callie Farris | Dec. 5, 1888 |
| Warren, Fletcher | Miss Rosa Gibson | Dec. 10, 1888 |
| Washington, Sol. | Caroline Williams | Dec. 15, 1888 |
| Whatley, Harrison | Miss Lou Morton | Dec. 15, 1888 |
| Warren, J. J. | Laura Bell Knox | Dec. 18, 1888 |
| Wylie, Thos. F. | Miss Bell Heath | Dec. 29, 1888 |

| GROOM | BRIDE | DATE |
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| Wiley, Thos. A. | Miss E. A. Bailey | Jan. 15, 1889 |
| Walker, P. M. | Coleman Smith | Feb. 16, 1889 |
| Wright, H. L. | Mrs. A. E. Wood | May 9, 1889 |
| Winston, Horace | Lemma Anderson | June 1, 1889 |
| Waters, Lewis | Mrs. Emeline Lockbart | Apr. 13, 1889 |
| Woodard, Jesse | Mrs. Alice Medards | June 24, 1889 |
| Warren, Will | Mis Millie Lockett | July 6, 1889 |
| Waters, George | Mrs. Lucinda Warren | July 20, 1889 |
| Washington, Geo. | Josephine Turner | July 25, 1889 |
| Warren, Mack | Miss Harrah Lucas | Aug. 5, 1889 |
| Woll, C. P. | Mrs. R. A. S. McKinzie | Aug. 13, 1889 |
| Wren, Ben | Miss Rena Lenard | Sept. 3, 1889 |
| Word, Ben | Mollie Kelley | Sept. 10, 1889 |
| White, Joe | Mrs. Ella Anderson | Oct. 2, 1889 |
| Williams, Charley | Mrs. Lucy Tubbs | Oct. 10, 1889 |
| Wells, Pink | Miss Mary Adkins | Oct. 23, 1889 |
| Wagnon, J. B. | Lillie E. Oldham | Dec. 18, 1889 |
| Woodard, E. J. | Miss Ollia Stewart | Dec. 18, 1889 |
| Williams, P. M. | Miss Bettie Todd | Dec. 25, 1889 |
| Williams, Cwiley | Miss Roxie Jimerson | Dec. 26, 1889 |
| Wagner, Sam | Miss Mariah Courtney | Dec. 30, 1889 |
| Williams, Alex | Hannah Blakemore | Jan. 13, 1890 |
| Wesley, John | Isabella Walker | Feb. 1, 1890 |
| Wright, W. T. | Miss E. A. Trim | Feb. 22, 1890 |
| Walker, Jeff | Miss Mollie Turner | May 1, 1890 |
| Woodard, Sanders | Mrs. Callie Washington | May 5, 1890 |
| Webb, Jack | Mrs. Julia Rainey | June 16, 1890 |
| Watkins, Ed | Mary Hutcherson | June 20, 1890 |
| Williams, Mose | Effie Jowers | June 30, 1890 |
| Walston, Andrew | Miss Julia Shaver | Aug. 9, 1890 |
| Walker, John | Parthena Davis | Aug. 18, 1890 |
| Walker, Jiff | Mrs. Anna Davis | Sept. 2, 1890 |
| Windem, Jim | Rosa Moseley | Oct. 1, 1890 |
| Whitley, J. R. | Francis P. Hill | Oct. 14, 1890 |
| Weatherly, R. F. | Miss Mary Murray | Nov. 18, 1890 |
| Watkins, L. C. | Miss Docia Parks | Nov. 24, 1890 |
| White, W. P. | Miss M. F. Brown | Dec. 9, 1890 |
| Wallace, J. E. | Bettie M. Valentine | Dec. 10, 1890 |
| Wagnon, T. E. | Mollie Bell Graham | Dec. 15, 1890 |
| Williams, John | Emma Swanson | Dec. 18, 1890 |
| Wylie, John | Miss Sallie Starr | Dec. 24, 1890 |
| Williams, Add | Sallie Gipson | Dec. 26, 1890 |
| Waters, Isaac | Mrs. Ester Granger | Dec. 30, 1890 |
| Young, W. C. | Mrs. Allie Prewett | Oct. 5, 1886 |
| Young, Bob | Lou Brown | Feb. 25, 1888 |
| Yoist, A. .d | Lula M. White | Dec. 17, 1888 |
| Yarbrough, Isaac | Rosa Merton | Feb. 16, 1889 |
| Young, Josh | Mattie Alexander | Nov. 22, 1889 |
| Young, Benjamin | Mrs. Elizabeth Cook | Feb. 6, 1890 |

THOMAS DODD FAMILY RECORD

Copied and submitted by Mrs. O. B. Carter, 3628 Kimberly Lane, Ft. Worth, Texas

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BIRTHS

Thomas Dodd was born August 4, 1799
 Miranda Dodd was born February 6, 1812
 Ruth R. Dodd was born March 11, 1829
 William C. Dodd was born September 25, 1830
 John P. Dodd was born October 11, 1832
 Sarah A. Dodd was born June 13, 1834
 Jacob E. Dodd was born April 15, 1835
 Mary A. Dodd was born June 22, 1837
 Thomas Mc Dodd was born Feb. 25, 1840
 Richard W. Dodd was born July 5, 1842

MARRIAGES

Thomas Dodd and Miranda Dodd were married May 6, 1825 by James T. Crawford, Methodist Minister
 Rev. J. E. Dodd and Mrs. Ann L. Pyles were married January 25, 1868
 Rev. J. E. Dodd and Mrs. Sarah M. Dodd were married July 10, 1900 by Rev. G. W. Everett in W. MO.

DEATHS

Mrs. J. E. Dodd died at her home in High Springs, Alabna Co., Fl. June 1896
 Miranda Dodd lived an exemplary member of the M. E. Church South and died December 5, 1844. She was 32 years old when she died.
 James Y. Crawford preach her funeral
 Sarah A. Dodd died June 14, 1834
 Thomas Dodd died on the 2nd day of Jan. 1870 at 4:30 o'clock. He lived a happy christian life - a member of M. E. Church South for 51 years.

NOTES: All other records indicate Ruth R. Dodd is Ruth Ann Dodd or as usually seen Ruth A. Dodd.
 Miranda Dodd was Miranda Berkeley (said to be descendant of the English family Berkeleys)
 William C. Dodd died in Ennis, Texas Jan. 31st, 1900. He married Eliza Anthony Stewart in Sumpter Co., Georgia in 1857, was buried at Chatfield, Navarro Co., Texas. He taught school and served as President of several colleges in Georgia and Florida.
 Thomas Mc Dodd also called Thomas McKendrey Dodd, McKendree, Mack, etc. He died at Orange, Texas March 8th, 1921, buried at Yoakum, Texas. He was born in Green Co., Tenn. came to Texas in 1867 and married Miss Irene Beeson.
 Richard W. Dodd is Richard Wood Dodd.

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ABSTRACTS OF WILLS FROM OLD INDEX TO PROBATE MINUTES OF
WISE COUNTY, TEXAS

Abstracted by Catherine Troxell Gonzales

(Continued from Volume 24, No. 3)

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NOEL, L. Book 8 Page 229
Signed: 20 June 1896 Proved: 5 Oct. 1898
Died: 4 months after making will 70 years of age at the time.
Admitted to Probate: 16 Feb. 1897 Book 9, page 3

. . . I, L. Noel, . . . being of sound and disposing mind and memory. . .

Bequests: To my wife Martha all my property . . .and at her death. . .
To Cordelia Gibson, the tract of land. . .located in the town of Alvord. . .
To my children Emily Wilson, Willie Noel, and Dudley Noel. . .in the town of Alvord. . .

Witnesses: O. C. Downing, A. Y. Leslie
Executors: J. M. Reeves, J. W. Roling
Signature: L. Noel

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PENNINGTON, Mrs. L. A. Book 10, page 283
Signed: 14 July 1904 Proved: 10 April 1905
Died: 21 July 1905 (45 at time of signing of will)
Admitted to Probate: 6 February 1905 Book 9, page 83

. . . I, L. A. Pennington. . . being in feeble health but of sound mind and judgement. . .

Bequests: Mentions minor children: Crouch Pennington (11 years) and George Pennington (7 years)
Appoints son-in-law S. D. Boles executor and guardian of two minor children.
Names other three children as Essie, Nannie and George . . .(?)

Change of Guardian: 14 December 1905 Book 10, page 442
R. T. Beavers appointed guardian of Crouch and George Pennington. G. C. Wisdom was relieved of duties as guardian.

Witnesses: J. D. Hall, R. T. Beaver
Executor: S. D. Boles
Signature: L. A. ^{her} _{mark} Pennington

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PIGG, T. F. Book 9, page 429
 Signed: 12 February 1902 Proved: 9 April 1902
 Died: ca. 28 February 1902 (65 years of age at signing of will)
 Admitted to Probate: 24 March 1902 Book 9, page 28

I, T. F. Pigg, . . . being of sound mind and memory. . . .

Bequests: Funeral to be conducted by Masons of Chico Lodge
 #508.
 To my wife, M. C. Pigg. . .
 To my daughter, Flora A. Fulmer. . .
 To my son, Tom Pigg. . .
 To my sons and daughters named as follows:
 John N., Mary E., Ann A., Tom, Henry A., and
 Martha Pigg.

Witnesses: T. Merriman, H. W. Holbert, G. A. Wellington
 Executor: W. B. Turner
 Signature: T. F. Pigg

Inventory given in Book 9, page 430
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PLANT, Thomas Book 8, page 337
 Signed: 5 September 1891 Proved: 15 April 1899
 Admitted to Probate: 15 April 1899, Book 8, page 344

Being in sound mind and desiring to make my last will and testa-
 ment. . . .

Bequests: Debts to be paid
 To my niece Mrs. Mary Clark all of my real estate. . .
 in the city of Dallas. . . .
 To Mrs. Margaret Foy. . .in Decatur, Texas. . . .

Appoints Henry Ably executor
 Witnesses: T. A. Fuller, Thos. Dunn, C. M. Edwards
 Signature: Thos. Plant

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POWELL, F. M. Book 9, page 516
 Signed: 2 May 1893
 Will Filed: 5 July 1902

I, F. M. Powell, declare this to be my last will and testament.
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Bequests: To my wife L. E. Powell. . .
 Will mentions schooling and maintaining children.
 At the death of L. E. Powell, estate to be divided
 between my heirs. . . .
 Mentions my daughter Annie E. Powell and my son H. B.
 Powell.
 Appoints brother C. E. Powell as executor.

Witnesses: John A. Henry, W. E. Barrett, A. M. Stone
Signature: F. M. Powell

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PRICE, William B. Book A, page 503
Signed: 6 March 1884 Proved: 19 March 1885
Admitted to Probate: 6 November 1884 Book A, page 503

. . .I, William B. Price. . .being of sound mind. . .(In the proof of will, P. H. Neal states, "He was sick at the time he made this will. . .")

Bequests: To my three sons John B. Price, Absalom Price, and Samuel Price. . .
To my wife Elizabeth and my daughters Eliza W. and Ella M. Price. . .
To my married daughters Laura W. Bradford. . . and Nancy Jane Swainey. . .

Witnesses: P. H. Neel, J. T. Faith
Executor: Absalom Price
Signature: William ^{his} ~~mark~~ B. Price

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RANDALL, M. V. Book 3, page 2
Signed: 15 July 1889 Proved: 9 July 1890
Died: 7 August 1889
Admitted to Probate: 17 June 1890 Book 3, page 3

Aurora, Texas. I, M. V. Randall, being of sound mind and memory. . .

Bequests: To my beloved husband L. J. Randall all my property

Witnesses: J. H. Killough, A. W. Killough
Executor: L. J. Randall
Signature: M. V. Randall

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RAY, Emma E. Book 3, page 490
Signed: 19 August 1892 Proved: 21 October 1893
Admitted to Probate: 1 September 1893 Book 3, page 491

I, Emma E. Ray, being of sound and disposing mind. . .

Bequests: To my beloved husband Joseph W. Ray all of my estate. . . .
Husband appointed executor.

Witnesses: L. C. Slimp, W. W. Carvey
Executor: Joseph W. Ray
Signature: Emma E. Ray

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To my daughter Mary J. Terry \$20.00
 The balance shall be divided among my other six
 remaining children, namely Elonora Jones, Lottie
 Williams, Albert Reynolds, Adam Reynolds, Ardena
 Reynolds and Nelly Read.
 Stipulates will shall be placed in the iron safe
 of J. A. Boone until his death. . . .

Witnesses: P. V. Green, Sam T. Rhodes

Executor: A. J. Jones

Signature: J. W. B. ^{his}
 X Reynolds
 mark

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RICHARDS, William I. Book 3, page 57

Signed: 4 August 1883

Admitted to Probate: 10 September 1890 Book 3, page 59

I, William I. Richards, of the town of Audubon. . .being
 aware of uncertainty of life and in failing health, but
 of sound mind and memory. . . .

Bequests: To my wife H. T. Richards . . .
 To my daughter N.J. Haydon. . .
 To my daughter Mary Norris. . .
 To my son B. F. Richards. . .
 To my son J. C. Richards. . .
 To my three sons A. C. Richards, B. F. Richards,
 and J. C. Richards. . .
 I appoint my wife H. T. C. Richards, administrator.

Witnesses: James W. Barnett, J. T. Johnson

Executor: H. T. C. Richards

Signature: Wm. I. Richards

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ROBERTS, Samuel A. Book 3, page 90

Signed: 19 May 1871

Bequests: Debts to be paid
 To my daughter Mary. . .
 To my step-son Sylvanus Reid. . .
 Will mentions Nancy Ann Beck.
 Appoints Simon B. Allen executor with daughter
 Mary.
 My partner. . .Richard B. Semple to have the
 refusal of my law library, my law office and
 furniture therein at a fair price. . .
 Desires to be buried by the side of beloved wife
 in family burying lot near Bonham.

Will written in my own hand and signed.

Witnesses: None given.

Executors: Mary Anthony and her husband Joseph Anthony and
Simon B. Allen.
Signature: Sam'l. A. Roberts

(In the application for probate there is testimony
given as to the handwriting; Richard A. Semple,
who tells the story of finding the will; R. W. Lee,
and H. W. Lyday.)

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ROSS, E. C. Book 10, page 564
Signed: 29 September 1904 Proved: 3 January 1906
Died: circa 14 October 1904 (60 years of age at time of will)
Admitted to Probate: 22 November 1905 Book 9, page 92

. . . I, E. C. Ross, a feme sole. . . being of sound and disposing
mind and memory. . . .

Bequests: To my beloved daughter, Nevada Ogle
Full description of land given.
To my son Andy Ross, to my daughter Nevada Ogle
and my daughter, Philie Cox. . . .
F. N. Cox appointed executor.

Witnesses: Dr. A. F. Triplett, F. W. Roberts
Executor: F. M. Cox
Signature E. C. ^{her} _X Ross
mark

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ROTH, M. C. Book 9, page 403
Signed: 1 June 1901 Proved 16 January 1902
Died: 26 September 1901 (62 years of age at time of will)
Admitted to Probate: 3 November 1901 Book 9, page 25

. . . I, M. C. Roth. . . being of sound mind and disposing
memory. . . .

Bequests: I bequeath my immortal soul to God. . . .
To Joseph Roth my beloved husband. . . .
Mentions our surviving children, but does not
name them.
. . . I have hereunto set my hand. . . at Willow
Point, Texas. . . .

Witnesses: J. H. Etter, J. T. Bogy
Executor: Joseph Roth
Signature: M. C. Roth (seal)

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RUCKER, J. L. Book 9, page 411
Signed: 21 March 1901 Proved: 10 December 1901
Died: 18 September 1901
Admitted to Probate: 16 January 1902 Book 2, page 27

. . .I, J. L. Rucker. . .being of sound mind and disposing memory. . . .

Bequests: To my daughter Carrie Burns and to my adopted son Charles Rucker. . .
To my beloved wife Julia Rucker. . .
Appoints Julia A. Rucker sole executor.
Proof of will mentions a home in Decatur, Texas.

Witnesses: Mattie Strickland, J. G. Gose
Executor: Julia A. Rucker
Signature: J. L. Rucker

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SALING, James S. Book 10, page 166
Signed: 15 November 1902 Proved: 5 October 1904
Died: 27 June 1904 (73 years of age at time of will)

. . .I, James S. Saling, being of good health and of sound and disposing mind and memory. . . .

Bequests: . . .to my stepson J. A. C. Watson all the real estate. . . .
Will appoints "J. A. C. Watson and N. M. Saling, my beloved wife to be executors. . . ."

Appraisers: J. M. Ramsey, T. F. McClure, S. M. Gose
Witnesses: R. Graham, Carl Faith
Executors: J. A. C. Watson, N. M. Saling
Signature: James S. Saling

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SCARBROUGH, James Book 3, page 185
Signed: 2 January 1891 Proved: 8 July 1891
Died: circa 15 January 1891
Admitted to Probate: 8 July 1891 Book 3, page 161

. . .I, James Scarbrough of the town of Paradise. . .being of sound and disposing mind. . . .

Bequests: To my beloved wife Martha A. Scarbrough and her legal heirs. . .
Capt. S. T. Rhodes states "I wrote his last will at his request."

Witnesses: Sam T. Rhodes, D. Shean, A. B. Russell
Executor: Martha Ann Scarbrough
Signature: Jas. Scarbrough

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SCHNAPLES, Henry Book 10, page ?
Signed: 13 Oct 1903 Proved: 7 January 1904
(65-70 years of age at time of will)
Admitted to Probate: 14 December 1903 Book 9, page 66

I, Henry Schnapel, being of sound memory mind and discretion

. . .and in view of my fæble condition. . .

Bequests: . . .for my said grandson Charles Eichenbaum. . .
all the property of any kind. . .
(The proof of the will states that it was made at
"Cemetery.")

Witnesses: W. E. Gibbons, Abb Perrin

Executor: Charles Eichenbaum

Signature: (The copy which the clerk made was almost illegible.
"Oypunrif Mennlepl" is the best this writer could
duplicate the signature.

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SEWELL, H.

Signed: 15 March 1893
Died: 20 May 1894

Book 4, page 7

Filed 5 June 1894

. . .I, H. Sewell, being of sound and disposing mind and
memory. . . .

Bequests: To my beloved wife Mary E. Sewell all of my
estate. . .
Appoints wife executor.

Witnesses: J. L. Norris, H. D. Donald

Executor: Mary E. Sewell

Signature: H. Sewell

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SHOEMAKER, A. H. and Malinda SHOEMAKER

Book 10, page 551

Signed: 23 September 1899 Proved: 5 July 1906

Died: 19 November 1899 (75 years of age at time of will)

Admitted to Probate: 11 June 1906 Book 9, page 94

. . .We, A. H. Shoemaker and Malinda Shoemaker. . . being of
sound mind and disposing memory. . . .

Bequests: Exhibit A, filed with the will gives a better
description than the will proper.

Heirs of A. H. Shoemaker, deceased.

1. Malinda Shoemaker, his wife, residing in
Decatur. . .
2. A daughter Artemissa, who intermarried with
William Warden and resides in McKinney. . .
3. A son Milton W. Shoemaker, deceased, who left
surviving him a wife, to wit: Mary. . . and
three sons who reside in Decatur. . .
4. Andrew L. Shoemaker, deceased, who left surviving
him a wife, to wit: Hettie. . . who resides in
the state of Minnesota, and two children, Bunnie,
who resides in Odessa, Texas and James, whose
residence is unknown. . .

- 5. Thomas C. Shoemaker, who resides in Eddy County, New Mexico
 - 6. Lauren Shoemaker, who resides in Oklahoma. . .
 - 7. A daughter, Malinda, who intermarried with William Spear and is now residing in Decatur. . .
 - 8. A daughter Florence who intermarried with Reuben Bonner, and who resides in Roswell, N.M.
- Exhibit A - filed 11 June 1906

Witnesses: C. H. Smith, S. P. Smith
 Executor: Malinda Shoemaker
 Signatures: A. H. Shoemaker, Malinda Shoemaker
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SIMMONS, C. P. Book 9, page 505
 Signed: 16 May 1896 Proved: 8 October 1902
 Died: 9 August 1902 (70 years of age at time of will)
 Admitted to Probate: 31 August 1902 Book 9, page 37

. . . I, C. P. Simmons. . .being in failing health but of sound and disposing mind. . . .

Bequests: To my beloved wife Hester K. Simmons all of my real estate. . .town of Alvord, Texas. . . .
 Will mentions land granted by R. E. Montgomery to my former wife, L. C. Simmons (deceased).
 Wife appointed executrix.

Inventory: Book 9, page 506
 Witnesses: S. G. Tankersley, J. L. Norris
 Executor: Hester K. Simmons
 Signature: C. P. Simmons
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SPLAWN, J. T. Book 9, page 274
 Signed: 25 November 1895 Proved 2 July 1901
 Died: 12 June 1901 (40 years of age at time of will)
 Admitted to Probate: 19 June 1901 Book 9, page 19

In the name of God, Amen. I, J. T. Splawn. . .do hereby make and declare. . . .

Bequests: To my beloved wife Maggie Splawn all property. . . .
 Wife appointed executor.

(Papers on administration of estate for Maggie C. Splawn name children surviving here as Mrs. L. I. Page, age 15, and Lizzie Splawn, a minor female of 13 years. Also names Charles Smith and W. B. Splawn in dispute over administration.)

Witnesses: T. A. Vandiver, W. P. Skaggs
 Executor: Maggie C. Splawn
 Signature: J. T. Splawn
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McSWEEN - HORTON BIBLE

These records and the Loftin Bible Record on page 174 are in the possession of C. E. McSween, Hurst, Texas.

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John Robert McSween born April 4, 1858
 Clara Horton McSween born Dec. 28, 1859
 Mollie Giles McSween born Aug. 28, 1884
 Dollie Pitman McSween born Dec. 28, 1885
 Emma Bell McSween born May 24, 1888
 John Finley McSween born June 10, 1891
 Robert Colin McSween born Sep. 16, 1893
 Jessie Clar McSween born Jan. 23, 1896
 Anna Lee McSween born Sep. 15, 1898
 Claud Thomas Gilliam born May 19, 1902
 John Robert McSween died Aug. 15, 1899
 Clara McSween Gilliam died Nov. 11, 1945
 Dollie McSween died Jan. 15, 1887
 Emma McSween Arnold died Sep. 2, 1922
 J. Finley McSween died July 7, 1952 (age 61)
 Colon McSween died Oct. 23, 1965 (age 72)
 Anna Lee McSween Treadaway 1977

Clara Horton and John Robert McSween married November 15, 1883
 Clara McSween and William Thomas Gilliam married Aug. 20, 1901

MOTHER'S PARENTS
 (Clara Gilliam)

Jessie T. Horton born Dec. 25, 1920
 Nancy G. Horton born Sep. 13, 1821
 Jessie T. Horton, son of Charles and Winneford Horton and Nancy
 Gials White daughter of John and Ann White married Sept. 4, 1841
 Jessie T. Horton died Jan. 6, 1886
 Nancy G. Horton died Juen 2, 1889

Jessie T. Horton born Dec. 25, 1820 son of Charles and Winniford
 Horton
 Nancy Giles White born Sept. 13, 1821, daughter of John and Ann
 White.
 Jessie T. Horton and Nancy G. White married Sept. 4, 1841
 Jessie T. Horton, died Jan. 6, 1886
 Nancy G. Horton died June 2, 1889

(Note at bottom of record)

"These are our Grand Parents, this is as far back as are in the
 Horton Bible. Thare is a paper with the births of a lot of Loftis.
 Do you know who they are. I am goin to write Aunt Roda maby she will
 remember."

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WARE CEMETERY

This cemetery is located north of Plano in Collin County, Texas and was copied by Dean and Pat Newhouse of Honey Grove, Texas.

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BURKE

Sarah H. b. 30 Oct. 1827 d. 4 Sep. 1923 "Wife of F. M."
 Sarah C. b. 23 Apr. 1854 d. 15 Apr. 1875 "Dau. of F. M. & S. H."
 F.M. b. 28 Sep. 1826 d. 1 Dec. 1912 "Husb. of Ella Burke"

CABILL

Obadiah W. b. 22 Apr. 1871 d. 3 Sep. 1876 "Son of O.W. & J.P."

CARTER

Frances b. 11 Nov. 1841 d. (stone broken) "Wife of Rev. O.H."
 William b. 1813 d. 1899
 William Jr. b. 1849 d. 1882
 Rachel A. b. 1819 d. 1858

CHAPMAN

Don L. b. 1892 d. 1923
 Willis B. b. 1859 d. 1931
 Cynthia E. b. 1873 d. 1939

CLINE

Daisy b. 1885 d. 1957
 John F. b. 1869 d. 1931

COLEMAN

Susie V. b. 19 Feb. 1871 d. 16 Nov. 1936 "Wife of J. M."
 J. M. b. 27 Jul. 1872 d. 22 Apr. 1938
 Mrs. M. P. b. 14 Nov. 1852 d. 1 Feb. 1946
 O. B. b. 29 July 1850 d. 4 Mar. 1930
 Infant b. 1909 d. 1910 "Dau. of J. M. & S. V. "
 Nannie Belle b. 6 Aug. 1875 d. 23 Jan. 1878 "Dau. of O.B. & M.P."
 James T. b. 30 Sept. 1820 d. 22 Aug. 1901
 Almira E. b. 2 Jan. 1825 d. 5 Jan. 1897 "Wife of J.T."
 L. L. b. 25 Aug. 1865 d. 29 Oct. 1865 "Son of J.T. & A. E."
 Eliza F. b. 6 Dec. 1856 d. 7 Jan. 1858

COLLINS

John Henry b. 1807 d. 1856 "Founder of Collinsbrook Farm"

CRIM

Charles L. b. 28 Nov. 1929 d. 20 Aug. 1962
 Anna M. b. 1916 d. 1917

CROCKETT

Jim M. b. 1860 d. 1941 "Father"
 Sirena C. b. 1864 d. 1955 "Mother"
 C. M. b. 1888 d. 1913 "Son" - Masonic marker
 R. B. b. 1887 d. 1888 "Son"

DUNFIELD

Hugh M. b. 6 Nov. 1883 d. 12 Nov. 1883 "Son of J. A."
Johnie b. 11 Jan. 1882 d. 26 Aug. 1882 "Son of J. A."
Julia Ann b. 21 Apr. 1847 d. 13 Jul. 1892

EDDS

L. H. b. 1852 d. 1927
Sarah E. b. 1853 d. 1926 "His Wife"
Robert F. b. 1887 d. 1911

HAND

Minnie O. b. 12 Oct. 1875 d. 7 Jul. 1892 "Wife of L.L."

HARDWICK

Mr. M. D. b. 1881 d. 1960
Alvina P. b. 1883 d. 1964
John C. b. 1953 d. 1953

HARPER

Mrs. L. V. b. 2 Jul. 1848 d. 15 Sep. 1926
J. J. M. b. 25 Dec. 1841 d. 7 June 1926
Eliza Ellen b. 4 Nov. 1846 d. 26 Aug. 1887
Robert Barnett b. 8 May 1869 d. 24 May 1873 "Son of J.M. & E.E."

HORN

William T. b. 13 Mar 1819 d. 21 July 1872
Margaret b. 14 July 1830 d. 27 Feb. 1914
C. W. b. 23 Oct. 1852 d. 3 Apr. 1934
Mrs. C. W. b. 16 Mar. 1862 d. 24 Oct. 1950
Hortense b. 16 Mar. 1876 d. 4 July 1954 - Eastern Star marker
R. Lawrence b. 21 Sept. 1871 d. 8 May 1943 - Masonic marker

JACKSON

Gerald b. 16 July 1867 d. 16 Sept. 1867 "Son of Carroll & Mildred"

JAMISON

James L. b. 29 Oct. 1868 d. 4 Feb. 1885
Asa H. b. 11 Feb. 1846 d. 16 Aug. 1875
Rosa b. 4 Apr. 1874 d. 8 Apr. 1874 "Dau. of A. H. & J. A."
Eleanor b. 14 Jan. 1800 d. 26 Nov. 1881
Harrison b. 23 Oct. 1793 d. 14 Nov. 1861
John W. b. 16 Jan. 1826 d. 25 Dec. 1870
Rebecca b. 26 June 1844 d. 22 Jan. 1884

KELLEY

Nancy D. b. 13 Sept. 1876 d. 28 Jan. 1896

KELLY

J. A. b. May 1857 d. 16 July 1884

MARTIN

Jeremiah b. 11 Nov. 1843 d. 1 Jan. 1914
Ruth Ellen b. 15 Apr. 1846 d. 22 Nov. 1905 "Wife of Jere"
William J. b. 1869 d. 1927 "Son of J & Ruth"
Bessie b. 1872 d. 1964

William b. 25 Dec. 1816 d. 29 June 1884 "Born in Sevier Co.,
Tenn."
William Edgar b. 18 Feb. 1893 d. 16 Oct. 1905 "Son of J.C. &
Bessie"

McKNIGHT

Laura Q. b. 1895 d. 1923

McNEIL

Mary E. N. "Ma" b. 1891 d. 1954 "Wife of G. W."

PARKER

Eliza J. b. 13 Sept. 1847 d. 5 Apr. 1892 "Wife of R. B."

PHENIX

Rev. J. O. b. 1871 d. 1959
Jemima b. 1875 d. 1938
Julia J. Nance b. 1896 d. 1970

REEVES

Earnest b. 1857 d. 1951
A. J. b. 1842 d. 1925

RENISON

Benjamin b. 30 Mar. 1823 d. 8 Oct. 1855
Mary R. b. 4 June 1825 d. 14 Jan. 1911

SMITH

Olivia b. 4 Nov. 1866 d. 5 July 1894

SNELL

Mary C. b. 1868 d. 1932
William W. b. 1862 d. 1932

STUBBLEFIELD (Masonic marker on family monument)

Joe H. b. 1865 d. 1919
Mary C. b. 1871 d. 1934
David R. b. 1870 d. 1951
Hogan G. b. 1908 d. 1929

TALKINGTON

Thomas B. b. 1885 d. 1967
Martha Ellen b. 1889 d. 1937
Olin b. 2 Mar. 1906 d. 24 Sept. 1906 "Son of T.B. & M. E."
Callie O. b. 8 Aug. 1832 d. 5 May 1881 "Wife of M.G."
Isaac b. 17 Apr. 1795 d. 21 May 1857 "Age 62"
Ida Bell b. 28 Jan. 1874 d. 29 Oct. 1882 "Dau. of L.M. & M.L."
Zadie R. b. 14 Dec. 1882 d. 4 July 1884 "Son of W.E. & M.G."

WATSON

Mollie C. b. 1877 d. 1970 "Mamma"
T. Brack b. 1873 d. 1941 "Dad" Masonic marker

WEAR

H. E. b. 30 Mar. 1829 d. 26 Apr. (or Aug) 1869 stone broken
Masonic marker

Rev. R. W. b. 9 Dec. 1804 d. 26 Mar. 1867
 Eliza T. b. 27 Aug. 1811 d. 16 Aug. 1887

WILLIAMS

Tommie b. 27 Mar. 1876 d. 5 July 1878 "Son of J.T. & S.A."
 Robert b. 7 July 1883 d. 7 Feb. 1884 " " " "
 Ernest b. 22 Dec. 1881 d. 22 June 1882 " " " "
 Oscar b. 26 June 1886 d. 10 Oct. 1888 " " " "

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UNKNOWN CEMETERY

Located about five miles north of Jermyn, Texas on farm road 1191
 in Jack County, Texas. Copied in 1972 by Mr. and Mrs. Homer
 Roper.

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James K. P. Wright October 20, 1845 - May 20, 1874
 Aged 28 years and 6 months.

John H. Heath, Killed by the Indians July 10, 1874

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THE HAZEL EVALYN KINGSLEY RUCIDLO PAPERS

Hazel Evalyn Kingsley Rucidlo, better known as "Sally", began compiling her family history about 1970, and from that time until her death on March 6, 1979, accumulated an amazing amount of material. She completed a typescript on twenty of her families, compiled a book of 327 family group sheets, and assembled over 160 supporting documents.

Families included in the papers are: Kingsley, McCallie, McCroskey, Montgomery, Houston, Gillispie, Jack, Walker, Shahan, Chandler, Shields, Macon, Needham, Page, McCarty, Hill, Mote, Foster, England, Beall, Jenkins, Gardner, Neal, Gibson, Hightower, Jordan, Tarver, Leggett, Brantley, Stowe, Goodum, Townsend, Stringfellow, and Pryor.

Through the generosity of her husband, Bernard J. Rucidlo, the typescripts, family group sheets, and documents have been made available to the Fort Worth Genealogical Society for microfilming. There are three rolls, and a copy of each has been placed in the Fort Worth Public Library. The rolls may be purchased from the Society for \$25.00 each. A brochure describing the contents has been prepared and may be picked up at meetings for \$1.00 or \$1.50 by mail.

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ABSTRACTS FROM HISTORY OF MASONRY IN EARLY TEXAS and of DIXIE LODGE

Abstracted by Jackye A. Plummer
Wichita Falls, Texas

(Continued from Vol. 24, NO. 3)

1886-1887

August 14 resolution that since "Henry L. Reeves had come to his death by gunshot on July 31", lodge tender to the family heartfelt sympathy.

December 11, W. S. Lacy affiliated and petition of J. G. Jones received. "J. W. Gaston presented an appeal from Mrs. Ford in behalf of her children. Motion prevailed that a committee be appointed to procure means and material to clothe her children and attend her necessities in general".

May 23rd buried T. C. Coupland who died at Mineral Wells, Texas.

May 24, buried in City Cemetery, Thomas Calvin Coupland, nephew of D.D. Coupland. (1880) father of Tom Coupland.

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A. A. Coupland Master for next year, public installation June 24 with Thos. A. Cocke doing address.

1887-1888

J. M. Heard's petition received October 29. R. G. Henry's petition received Nov. 26. February 20th petition of Lem H. Tarbutton received. Offered to instate W. F. Nodnett for payment of \$6.00. June 23rd A. A. Coupland again chosen master.

1888-1889

Petitions of Ed. Aber and G. W. Shaw. November 17, petition of W. S. Miles received. Dec. 15 Rial Smith's petition received. January 12, 1889, petition of Ed Bowls received. T. D. Horten affiliated. May 28th burial for I. P. Smith who died in his home near Griffin. (Member for 25 years)
Picture of A. A. Coupland.

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Committee for resolution for Smith, T. P. Tilliams, J. T. Rountree, and A. A. Coupland. June 7, petition of J. H. Curlee received. J. W. Gaston, W. M. August 10th, petition of J. G. Hodges received. October 5, J. G. Jones initiated. November 30, petitions of R. H. Irion and J. J. Mock received. May 3, petition of John L. Duty.

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Brother J. W. Gaston again chosen master.
Picture of J. W. Gaston

1890-1891

August 23, petition of J. W. Fitzgerald received. March 21, petition S. A. Stephenson. April 5, buried A. B. Norman who died at his home six miles south of Troup April 4, 1891, buried at Knoxville Cemetery "Uncle Amp", who raised a large family and only surviving son, L. T. Norman now a citizen of Troup.

April 18, petition of S. M. Henry received. S. A. Stephenson affiliated. May 16, petitions of J. L. Duty, G. W. Cates and M. H. Smith. George P. Birdwell affiliated. June 21, J. W. Gaston again chosen master.

p. 133, 1891-1892

Petition of J. H. Ballew received Sept. 12. Oct. 10, W. J. Fallmars affiliated. November 14, motion to lay cornerstone of Chilton Institute, schoolhouse at Troup on December 16, 1891. Lloyd was instructed to change Dixie from 8th to 9th Masonic District. March 12, petitions of N. G. Amsden and J. W. Ross received. March 14, buried D. D. Fox who died at his home eight miles South of Troup. He was buried in Knoxville Cemetery having died March 13, 1892. Committee A. A. Coupland, F. R. Gilbert, W. A. Pope. March 17, burial of J. C. Munn who died at his home a mile and one-half west of Troup, funeral at Presbyterian Church, interment at city cemetery. Committee R. G. Henry, C. S. Southern, J. L. Duty.

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Cornerstone laid at Chilton Institute June 3. Meeting presided over by L. Loyd, R. H. Morris gave speech. June 4, J. W. Gaston chosen as Master for fourth time.

1892-1893

Petitions from R. A. May (an E. A. from Wills Point Lodge) and Peter Scheu (F.C. from Joe Werner Lodge) received. Death of Ed Martin announced June 21, 1892, buried at Pine Springs Cemetery. September 3, petition of Wm. I. Brittain, received. October 29, petition of J. H. Burton received. January 14, buried W. F. Duty, death date December 17, 1892, farmer, lived six miles south of Troup. Survived by sons Joe, James and John. January 30, buried T. D. Horton who died at his home near Pine Springs, January 29, 1893. Widow and children survive; committee George P. Birdwell, J. R. Gayden.

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Petitions of R. W. Spear and W. B. Senter received. E. S. Trospen affiliated. Waiver granted Bismarck Lodge in Arkansas in case of W. E. Smith an E. A. by Dixie 17 years prior. March 25, petitions of F. E. McKay, W.T. Braly, C. E. Mock, and W. D. Casey received. April 29, petitions of S. K. Braly, M.H. Smith, J. M. Gaddy and J. J. Mock received. May 27 petition of P. H. Randolph received. J. W. Gaston again chosen as Master.

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J. V. Joyce petitioned again. A. J. Brown petitioned September 23. May 12, petitions of L.C. McMichael and E. H. Lovejoy received. J. T. Clinkscales chosen master.

1894-1895

September 3, petition of T. J. Ogletree received. October 13 petitions of P. H. Randolph and J. J. Mock. J. H. Reynolds affiliated. November 10, J. T. Talley petition. January 5, 1895, S. S. Rather initiated. March 9, J. M. Farley affiliated, petition of Joe Cross received.

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May 4, petitions of S. N. Allen and J. A. Bullock received. June 1, J. W. Gaston chosen Master of the Lodge. Frank Peffly gave lecture June 3.

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L. A. Floore affiliated August 3. August 31, E. S. Ayers affiliated. J. L. Richard died at home near Old Knoxville, buried at Knoxville cemetery minister of Cumberland faith, pastor of Cross' home church. Richard survived by one daughter, Mrs. R. C. Norman, two sons, James and Robert Richards, and two grandsons, Arthur and Wilmer Norman, both Lodge members.

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Buried Thos. J. Ogletree who died at his home in Troup of pneumonia April 7, 1896. Funeral at Baptist Church, interment at City Cemetery. Committee, S. N. Allen and W. M. Wadsworth. Survived by widow and two daughters, three sons (widow and daughters in 1916 in Troup, sons in nearby towns) born June 16, 1861. June 20, F. E. McKay chosen Master, Joe Cross, Secretary. P. L. Clayton affiliated July 17, 1896.
Picture of F. E. McKay

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Buried R. H. Morris, member of Euclid Lodge #45 Rusk, who died at Troup October 2, 1896, buried in City Cemetery, Troup; Committee S. N. Allen and A. A. Coupland, survived by widow and children.

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February 13, C. W. Outlaw affiliated. March 13, specifications submitted for new hall. April 7, buried F. R. Gilbert who died at his home in Troup April 6. Funeral preached in Methodist Church by Rev. S. M. Allen, burial in City Cemetery. He was born near Knoxville, Tenn. August 6, 1830; 66 years, 8 months. Moved to Knoxville, Cherokee County, Texas in 1851, married Miss --- Johnson, July 6, 1852. He had three daughters and one son. Moved to Troup in the 70's. Enlisted in Engledow's Company, losing his right arm in the fight (Civil War) survived by widow and children.

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Committee: W. A. Pope, S. N. Allen, J. T. Clinkscales. April 17th sold old building for \$226 and bought Hanna lot for new brick building. Building Committee: J. H. Salmon, Joe Cross, W. J. Rucker. May 15, E. H. Lovejoy petitioned. F. E. McKay master for year 1897-1898. July 1, buried J. T. Rountree who died suddenly at the home of Mrs. D. D. Fox in Troup (died June 30 at age of 68 years).

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Committee: Joel Cross, J. H. Salmon, J. T. Clinkscales. L. L. Lloyd presided at cornerstone of new hall. Sermon by Dr. Ridley at the Baptist Church on July 22. Old building sold to J. J. Mock.

CHAPTER XII IN THE BRICK HALL

Picture of L. A. Floore

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October 9, 1897 A. S. Teague affiliated. February 5, Joe Cross to put eave and downspout on hall. June 4, L. A. Floore chosen master.

1898-1899

Buried S. L. Butler of Canton #98. He died in Troup July 18 with interment, City Cemetery. October 29, petition A. B. Tarbutton. February 11, buried Joel Cross. He died at home in Troup February 10, 1899. Funeral at residence by Rev. C. W. Ownes, interment at City Cemetery on Saturday, February 11. Death after a lengthy illness.

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Joel Cross was born near Highland, Alabama, in Shelby County on September 3, 1835. Came to Texas in 1848, settling first at Tyler, moving ten years later to Canton. In 1869 moved to place in Cherokee County, four and 1/2 miles east of Troup where he lived for 26 years before moving to Troup. Married Martha S. Langham at Canton, on January 28, 1857 and had a large family. Wife and five sons and four daughters survive him. Committee A. A. Coupland, R. G. Henry, F. E. McKay. March 25, F. M. Synott and J. M. Sanderson affiliated. May 20 waiver to Gonzales Lodge to confer degrees on M. H. Smith. June 17, L. S. Floore again master. F. E. McKay and Peter Scheu offer resolution providing for two regular meetings of the lodge each month. Resolution defeated at next meeting.

1899-1900

J. W. Ross, J. T. Clinkscales and F. E. McKay committee of condolence draft preamble on death of Mrs. Sophie Mock, wife of J. J. Mock. W. B. Mock petition received October 14.

Picture of Peter Scheu.

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January 13, J. W. Gaston (\$3.00) G. W. Shaw (\$5.00) J. B. Rucker (\$4.00) and Z. T. Williamson (\$8.00). In order that Dixie Lodge may pay off debt of \$370 against hall the above made resolutions to raise dues to indicated amounts. \$4.00 carried. March 10, petition of J. Frank Tarbutton. April 14, G. W. Shaw, F. E. McKay, Joe Cross standing committee to look after non-affiliate Masons. R. W. Spear petition received. Peter Scheu master for next year.

1900-1901

October 6 petition of R. M. McNair received and returned for lack of jurisdiction. November 3, petitions of Jesse F. Rucker and John

O'Banion, U. W. Dennis received. Buried A. J. Brown who died at his home seven miles west of Troup on November 6, 1900, and interred in Pine Springs Cemetery. Initiated J. F. Tucker, U. W. Dennis and John O'Banion December 3rd.

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March 2nd W. B. Mock's petition received. M. M. Dupre and J. D. Spruce affiliated. Wiley A. Shaw initiated. March 9, R. L. Wilbourn initiated. J. B. Rucker, master of Lodge and his son J. F. Rucker, secretary. J. A. Tipton affiliated. Picture of J. B. Rucker.

1901-1902

October 10, buried Jesse F. Rucker who died at his father's home one mile west of Troup, October 9, 1901. Buried at Rucker graveyard two miles west of Troup. Brothers, sisters, parents survived.

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Jess Rucker was a young man, secretary of the Lodge. R.W. Spear, F. E. McKay, R. L. Wilbourn on committee of resolution for Rucker. November 15, buried Robert Engledow of Canton Lodge #98 who died at his home in Troup November 14, 1901. Funeral attended by following from Canton Lodge: John Gipson, T. J. Long, W. E. Bates, A. S. Jarvis, W. N. Arnold, G. M. Arnold, J. R. Arnold, J. B. Bonner, Henry Edwards. Interment in City Cemetery. J. B. Bonner performed last rites. He was known as "Uncle Bob" married Miss Hariette Bell and had large family all of whom survive except one. Great uncle to Joe Cross. November 23, Peter Scheu delegate to Grand Lodge. February 22, petition of I. L. Lawhon. March 22, petition of Ed. Rice received. A. S. Jarvis affiliated. May 17 petitions of A. E. Porter and P. W. Cross received. F. E. McKay master for next year. April 19, petition of John D. Shaw.

1902-1903

J. H. Thompson affiliated August 16. Buried A. S. Teague who died at his home in Troup October 7, 1902. He was of Presbyterian faith and survived by a widow.

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Funeral preached at his home, burial at Bradford Cemetery; mason for 54 years. Committee: J. C. Tarbutton, J. T. Clinkscales, L. A. Floore. Buried J. W. Gaston who died at Troup December 4, 1902. Funeral preached in Methodist Church by Rev. T. J. Milam, buried in City Cemetery. He was a physician and son of a minister, born at Big Springs, Ky. March 13, 1849. Studied medicine at Louisville University 1876. Married Sue Crist of Mouldrough, Ky. in February 1873 and moved to Rusk County in 1877 where he practiced for two or three years; moved to Troup where he lived for 16 years. Joined the Masons in Big Springs, Ky. 1870, affiliated with Dixie August 2, 1884. Resolution by W. I. Brittain, M. M. Dupre, L. A. Floore. Had foster children. Picture of James A. Tipton.

To be continued

ABSTRACTS OF GENEALOGICAL INTEREST FROM GAMMEL'S LAWS OF TEXAS,
MEMORIALS AND PETITIONS TO CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC OF
TEXAS AND THE SENATE JOURNALS OF TEXAS

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GL - Gammel's Laws
M/P - Memorial or Petition
SJ - Senate Journals
1:3 - First number is volume, second is book

December 5, 1839 SJ 4:2 page 20

Jonathan Hopkins enlisted under the command of Col. Martin Parmer and served three months. He was detailed to work with the sick and did not get his discharge. Wants an honorable discharge.

June 7, 1839 M/P

Asbel Smith, surgeon in the Texas Army asking for charges of insubordination against S. H. Everettes, a member of Congress.

June 20, 1839 M/P

Dennis Gahagen submitted proof for league and labor of land.

June 24, 1839 M/P

Hugh Millican of Nacogdoches County, stated that he lost a horse during 1838 to the army of the Republic, wants compensation.

December 7, 1837 SJ 4:2, page 21

Hugh Millican of Nacogdoches lost horse worth \$200 in the army in the fall of 1838.

July 1839 M/P

W. W. Stark asking compensation for designing and building two double doors for \$100 for the Capitol.

February 4, 1840 SJ4:3

Joint Resolution for William W. Stark granting full compensation of \$100 for making doors for both houses of Congress.

September 16, 1839 M/P

Thomas Mahuron enabled John Hast to enter the service of Texas and to provide for the men under the leadership of Hast. Wishes reimbursement.

September 28, 1839 M/P

Peter C. Bean of Texas asking for a divorce from his wife who has refused all efforts made toward a reconciliation.

September 28, 1839 M/P

N. H. Martin of Harrison County urging settlement of property damages. Petitioner states that, as an Indian Trader, he established his

trading house on the Sabine River, sold cattle to the Cherokees on credit. He could not collect because the war was declared and he left to join the army. In the meantime he was arrested and imprisoned.

December 7, 1839 SJ 4:2 page 21

Nathaniel Martin established a trading house on the Sabine River in Harrison County for the purpose of trading with the Cherokees, etc. He extended them credit in the amount of \$1004.08 and when the Cherokee War broke out he joined Capt. Hill's Company. Before he could reach the main army he was arrested and hurried to Nacogdoches and put in prison. He was finally honorably discharged by Col. Landrum who became fully convinced the charge was malicious. Asks Congress to reimburse appropriate amount.

October 25, 1839 M/P

William Walker of Milam, Texas urging that justice be accorded for his having borne all the expenses for a volunteer group of 60 men from Kentucky to the aid of Texas.

December 6, 1839 SJ 4:2

William Walker a Kentucky volunteer sent on by General Chambers in Capt. Earle's Company and attached to Col. Harrison's regiment. When the company reached New Orleans, Thomas Toby, government agent, could not supply funds needed to take them to Texas and many returned home. Walker, having some money, proposed to defray some of the costs urged to do so by Dr. Archer and Col. Wharton. He brought out 60 privates, 3 officers and one surgeon and provided arms. He received from Toby land script for 50¢ per acre which has proved of no value to him.

October 28, 1839 M/P

Sundry Citizens of Liberty County, Texas asking for a mail route between Houston and San Augustine. A recommendation that Thomas Stubblefield be appointed Indian agent. First signature - M. L. Choate. (many more)

October 30, 1839 M/P

B. F. Whitaker of Nacogdoches County asking relief of the government dues on land owned by the petitioner. Payment of said dues was entrusted to another party who failed to do so.

October 1839 M/P

Ola Clark, represented by sundry citizens of Harrison County, asking for compensation for losses when cattle he bought and paid for from the Cherokee Indians was confiscated by the government troops.

November 5, 1839 M/P

Wyly Martin of Richmond, Texas, asking the right to emancipate a negro man named Porter who had been his faithful servant for 30 years.

November 5, 1839 M/P

James Nevill showing that he is entitled to land for his service in Texas Army.

January 22, 1840 SJ 4:1 page 21

James Neville gave Power of Attorney to K. H. Muse to receive land warrant for three months service in army of Texas in the summer of 1836. He lost his discharge and is seeking land.

November 7, 1839 M/P

Erasmus Seguin of Texas furnished statement showing the government is indebted to him for beef purchased by the Army of the Republic.

December 6, 1839 SJ 4:2 page 21

Erasmus Seguin furnished supplies to Fannin's Command during the war in 1835.

January 26, 1839 GL Vol. 2 page 114

Petition to have the illegitimate children of George Orr and Priscilla Barwick declared legitimate. The children were Thomas, William and Martha Orr.

January 26, 1839 GL vol. 2, page 156

Petition to have Lurania Odom, Richard Odom and Martha Odom, children of David Odom and Frances Deason declared legitimate. Also Jacob Odom, Matthew Odom, Mary Odom and David Odom, Jr. children of David Odom and Sarah Deason be declared legitimate.

November 12, 1839 M/P

Asserting that he is entitled to the position in Congress now held by Daniel Parker.

November 12, 1839 SJ 4:2 page

Thomas Mehurin emigrated to Texas in 1832, served in the army in the summer of 1836 assisting in forming company of Capt. Hart. He married in June 1837 but received only 1/2 league of land - wants his full share.

November 13, 1839 M/P

Joseph Boys of Montgomery County requesting that he be granted a league and labor of land as he came to Texas prior to March 2, 1836. He emigrated to the State of Coahuila and Texas in 1824, but could not remain, having been denied the freedom of exercising his religious beliefs.

November 12, 1839 SJ 4:2

Joseph Boys emigrated to Texas from Mississippi in 1824 and brought his family in 1825. He was granted a league of land in Austin's Colony. Objecting to religious regulations, he returned to the U. S. and lost his land. He returned to Texas in 1833 but was not in the country at the time of declaration of independence.

November 14, 1839 M/P

Nathan Esta asking for extension of time in regard to bringing his

family to Texas. He had been a citizen since 1836 and served in the Army of the Republic.

1839 SJ 4:2

Nathan Esta emigrated to Texas from New York and enlisted in the army in March 1836, remaining in service 15 months. Illness prevented his bringing his family for a year. Wants land for bringing his family.

November 13, 1839 M/P

M. Forest urging that he be granted a clear title to lots in Galveston, having obtained said property from the government. Asks for release of obligations in lieu of no compensation paid him for services rendered.

November 13, 1839 M/P

Joseph Tate, a free man of color, of Jasper County, Texas asking permission to remain in Texas and that he be granted bounty land, having enlisted in the Army in 1836. Endorsed by a number of citizens. First of many signatures: James Chesher

November 18, 1839 SJ 4:2

Israel L. Ludlow, Joseph Graham, and David T. Disney were sued by State of Ohio because of goods sent to Texas for War of Independence in amount of \$1072.62. Since Ludlow and Graham were not residents of Ohio, judgments were on Disney of Cincinnati to satisfy.

December 25, 1839 SJ 4:3

Joint resolution authorizing payment of \$1094 in gold be paid to clear Israel L. Ludlow, D. T. Disney, and Joseph Graham.

November 22, 1839 SJ 4:2

James Smith spent \$705 bringing troops to Texas in the war, his claim was rejected for lack of proof.

November 14, 1839 M/P

Hezekiah Walters of Red River County, Texas asking a divorce from his wife, Martha Walters, on grounds of desertion of her home without any reason, insofar as petitioner has been able to ascertain. Endorsed by citizens.

November 18, 1839 SJ 4:2

James Burke moved to Austin in May 1839 erected schoolhouse and reading room on a lot under the sanction of the government, wants lot conveyed to him.

January 21, 1840 SJ 4:30

L. W. Tucker, Richard Bullock, Mary Bullock, James Burke, and Thomas Smith...regarding improved lot in the city of Austin being sold for average price.

To be continued

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Queries

Edited by Merle Ganier

RAWLS

Wish to correspond with descendants of Carma (or Canna) Rawls, who is said to have gone to the Fort Worth area of Texas soon after the Civil War from Hamilton County in South Illinois. He was administrator of his father's estate in 1849, and was listed in the militia list. His father (Reddick Rawls) was born in North Carolina, came via Tennessee, where the oldest children were born and were in Hamilton County in 1832.

Mildred Rawls Neal, 706 N. Pearl St., McLeansboro IL 62850

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JARRELL, KING, TAYLOR, WALLIS, BURTON

Seeking information on Brantley Jarrell, born ca 1808, France (tradition), died 1860-1870, Ashley County, Arkansas. Married (1) probably Sarah ??, died ca 1860; married second time but name of wife is unknown. He was in Yazoo Co., Mississippi 1835-1837. One record says he was a guardian - of whom? Land records with Benjamin Jarrell - relationship? In Ouachita Parish, Louisiana 1840, Union Parish 1847, Morehouse Parish 1859, Ashley County, Arkansas, 1860. Children: Thomas Jefferson, born 1845, died 1889, Wise County, Texas married Molly King; James ca 1847; Sarah E. ca 1850, married Taylor; Joel ca 1851; Daniel ca 1853; Catherine ca 1854, married Wallis, died 1916, Canadian County, Oklahoma; Jeremiah ca 1856, died Tucumcari, New Mexico; Missouri, 1858, died 1942, Wise County, Texas, married Charles Clark Burton. May have been others.

Mrs. Velda Cates Wall, 220 Fanning Drive, Hurst TX 76053

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DAMERSON, STANSELL

Am researching Bennett Kendrick Stansell born 20 December 1805 died in Alabama ??, married 1 April 1828, Mary Capage Dameron somewhere in Clay County, Alabama in 1861. Anyone researching these lines?

John A. Stansell, 904 Lenette, Bellaire TX 77401

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WEATHERS, LEE

Seeking William R. Weathers, married a Martha Lee and moved to Tarrant County about July 1867, died there between August and October 1899.

Vonda M. Phearson, 1422 Mockingbird, Weatherford, OK 73096

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WARD, PICKINS, LEE, WEATHERS, KIRK, BOOTHE, BURKS, JONES, TURNER, WORLEY

James Ward was born 1796 in South Carolina, died June 1852 in Hopkins County, Texas, leaving wife Elizabeth (born 1799 Kentucky) and children Jerry, James, John Ira, Narcis, Elias, William, Mrs. Nancy Pickins, Mrs. Elizabeth Lee, and Mrs. Sarah Weathers, James' father may have been William Ward of Fannin County.

William A. Kirk, born 1859 Maury County, Tennessee, wife Amanda E. Boothe, born 1858 in DeLeon, Texas. They lived in Clay County in 1900, according to the census. Children were Herbert W., John M., Floyd, Mrs. Gertie R. Burks, Mrs. Willie E. Jones, Mrs. Vera Turner, Mrs. Laura Worley and Ora Blanch. William died 1920 and Amanda died 1911 in Clay County, and both are buried there. Will be glad to share information about any of these persons.

Mrs. Jann Applegate, 6109 Melinda, Watauga TX 76148

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TRAUTMAN, SWARTZ

Jacob Trautman, born 1843, married Mary Elizabeth Swartz, and had seven children: John, Fred, Dave, Kate, Charles, Jay, William, Harry and Mary Elizabeth. William was my grandfather, and came to Oklahoma around 1910-1915. Jay is supposed to have lived in McAllen, Texas. Will appreciate any contacts on this line.

Linda Schaefer, 5204 Butte Road, Edmond OK 73034

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COOMER, CRISMAN, DURRIL, DUNCAN, EVANS, MARTIN, REES, WILKES

Would like to locate descendants, marriage, death dates for the following: James M. Crisman and wife, Celia Landona Rees, lived at 1014 East Weatherford Street, Fort Worth. James sent a copy of the family Bible to Alabama, listing names of his children: Minnie Lee Wilkes, born 1871; Buleah Mae Evans, wife of David George Evans, born 6 March 1874; Pearl Yeargen Coomer, born 1876; Tommie Rees Martin, wife of John Bugg Martin, born 1884; Jim Grace Durril, born 1886; Edward Rees Crisman, born 1888; Myrtle Duncan, born 1890. The Crismans were from Etowah County, Alabama. Will exchange earlier genealogy for information on these people.

Mrs. Shirley Brittain Cawyer, PO Box 164, Stephenville TX 76401

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SOUTHERN, TRUE

Seeking descendants of David Southern, a Fort Worth realtor about the turn of the century. He was the son of John B. and Mary E. (True) Southern, who came to Johnson County, Texas, about 1877 from Tennessee.

Mrs. Edward A. Reach, 4237 Matthew Road, Grand Prairie, TX 75052

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SPRINKLE, YOUNG, CHIDDIX, GILLESPIE, BROWNE, MILLIKEN

In 1860 the families of Zeno Sprinkle and Nathaniel F. Young migrated from Tazewell County, Virginia, to Tarrant County, Texas. They appear in the tax lists from 1860 to 1868. Where did they go after 1868? Zeno, born about 1816 in Virginia, married Margaret Elizabeth "Peggy" Young 1840 in Tazewell County, Virginia, and had the following children: Archibald B.; James; Francis M. (male); Samuel and America. Nathaniel F. Young, born about 1816 in Tazewell County, married Elizabeth "Betsy" Chiddix in 1840, and had the following children: Benjamin Houston; Levinia; Grammar (female); Sally; Nathaniel; and Robert.

Would like to correspond with descendants or anyone having information pertaining to the family of William B. and Nancy B. (Gillespie) Young who also migrated from Tazewell County to Tarrant County in 1860, but remained in the area. William, born about 1814 in Tazewell County, died after 1880, and Nancy B., born about 1824, died probably in Tarrant County 1862-1870. They had the following children: Thomas G., married Susan A., living in Lewisville, Texas 1900; Louisa; Joseph S., died 1914 in Fort Worth, married first, Louisa Tennyne Browne, also of Tazewell County, in Fort Worth. Married second, Mary ?; Emily; Margaret Crockett, married William Dickerson Milliken; Henry Bowen; Robert; and Nancy B., married Martin Harbison Milliken. Will gladly exchange information.

Carol L. Young, 105 W. 38½ #215, Austin TX 78751
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COOPER, CARTER

Nathan Cooper, brother of Milton who went to Texas around 1854. Milton had children: Cyronos, born 1824; George, born 1834; Charles Carter, born 1839, who went to Texas with their father, Milton, and mother, Charlotte Carter, around 1854. Would like to contact any descendants of above.

Charlene D. Zaun, 306 E. 26th Ave., North Kansas City MO 64116
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DILLARD, ODELL, PHILLIPS

Seeking information on a Mrs. H. C. Dillard of Texarkana, Texas, who in 1967 owned an old Odell Bible. Descendants of William Odell (born about 1804 in South Carolina and dead by 11 December 1865) are supposed to be mentioned in this Bible. It was probably brought to Texas by John Odell and his wife, Sara Catherine Dillard. Sara died about 1928 and is buried in Electra, Texas. In the party coming to Texas from Alabama and Mississippi was Sarah Ann Phillips Cooper Odell, widow of William Odell, and mother of John mentioned above. Others in the group were William and Gustavas, unmarried sons of Sarah and William.

Mrs. Raymond Harrison Bostick, 6914 Scotsdale Drive, San Antonio, TX 78209
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DRAPER, FITZGERALD, JOHNSON, DIECKMANN

Researching the family of John "Milton" Draper and his wife, Susan Fitzgerald Johnson. Milton was born 1 July 1808 in Jackson County, Tennessee and died 22 July 1871 in Bell County, Texas. Susan was born 14 December 1828 in Jackson Co., Tennessee and died 13 April 1898 in Ft. Worth, Texas.

I descend from Milton and Susan through Joseph Robert Draper born 16 April 1859 in Jackson Co., Tenn. and died 21 April 1915 in Edwards County, Texas. He is buried in Rock Springs, Texas. He was married to a Michigan girl, Louisa Dieckmann, who divorced Joseph and returned to Michigan with my father, Harold Dieckmann Draper.

Would appreciate any assistance.

Mrs. Yvonne Draper Domson, 2318 Mayfield Road, Saginaw, Mich. 48602
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DENNING, HILL, WALDEN

Need information on Samuel Houston Denning, born 1862 in Texas, married Mary Emaline Hill, daughter of John Tobe Hill and Mary Jane Walden. Samuel's parents were Mat (?) Denning, born Alabama, mother Colony (or Perma), born around 1822, died 1873-74 in Van Zandt County, Texas. Who were Mat and Colony's parents? Where were they born and where did they die? She paid taxes on land in Van Zandt County, Texas, 1870-71-72-73. Where is she buried?

Mrs. Don C. King, 309 Paloverde Lane, Fort Worth TX 76112
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COLLIER, SCOTT

James Y. Collier owned a plantation one mile south of Marshall, Texas. When he died in 1868, his wife, Rebecca, deeded to her daughter 89 acres on October 5, 1868. Other land was divided also. Daughter Frances Lea married Francis Boykin Scott in 1859-60. Where was he born? My aunt told me it was Mississippi, but census of 1880 says Tennessee.

Mrs. Karen Scott Morris, 2001-A Old Logan Road, SE, Lancaster OH 43130
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HENDERSON, JAMES, SWANN

Need birth date and names of parents of Juda Henderson, who married Wiley Francis James in Waxahachie, Texas, 8 January 1858, by J. P. Children: William Phillip, Thomas, Judith, and Wiley Marion. They had a general store in Mansfield, Texas, during the Civil War. Juda died soon after the birth of her fourth child, then Wiley married Margaret Swann. Their children: Lizzy, Mollie, Maud and Charles.

Marie James Oughton, 5917 Whitby Road, San Antonio TX 78240
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FRENCH, HOLLOWAY, ROCHELL, ISOM, JOLLY

Would like to find descendants of Nathaniel and Nancy French who came to Denton County around 1848-52. Known children: Oliver, James and Michael. Was Lefford also their son? James P. French b. 1828, Tenn. married Susan Holloway b. 1832, Ala. about 1852. Who were her parents? Their children were: Sarah, Oliver Mack, Louisa and John.

John L. B. Rochell born 1814, Tenn. was married 1836 in Leake Co., Miss. to Sara Isom b. 1818, Ky. Wife #2 was Cassander Jolly.

Children of John L. B. and Sarah Rochell were Margie M., Isabellan, Nathan B., John E., Isom A., Alonzo Alfred, Armadellia, Charles or Giles, Lucretia, Andrew? and Rebecca Ann.

Would appreciate any information and answer all letters.

Meryle (French) Grossman, Rt. 2, Box 88, Canute, OK 73626
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McCONNELL

Am researching the family of John McConnell of South Carolina and his son Major John McConnell, Jr. of Georgia. His family consisted of 12 children, his son Isaac and other Aledo McConnells are of particular interest. Many descendants left Georgia after the Civil War settling in North Texas around the counties of Dallas, Tarrant, Parker, Johnson, Hood and further west. Is any one researching these lines?

Benjamin H. Dennison, Jr., 3644 North 38th St., Arlington VA 22207
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HARSTON, STOVALL, REED, STARK, WHITNEY

Welcome any and all information on the above listed names. Need to know when Samuel Harston came to Kentucky. Where did he come from? Will exchange information and answer all letters.

Mrs. Lillian Harston Neumann, 317 College Ave. #5, Weatherford TX 76086
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HORTON, JONES, SPARKS

Seeking information on William C. Horton, born 1851 in Kentucky, died 1908 Hollis, Oklahoma, married #2 wife Mary E. Jones, born 1866 in Illinois. Children by 2nd wife: James born 1885, Texas; Walter born 1888, Texas; David born 1892, Indian Terr., Oklahoma; Children by 1st wife ? ? Sparks were: William Emory born 1872, Missouri; and his twin sister Emmer. Where did William C. and Mary Jones marry? Will exchange information on above.

Helen L. Douglas, 205 North N, Duncan, OK 73533
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HUSE, GEISLING, SNOW, MCGREGOR, YATES

John Clinton Huse was born 1852, Bethany, Louisiana and in 1880 lived in Comanche, Texas, according to the census. Moved to Balinger and Coleman, Texas, died 1904 in Coleman, buried in Comanche, left three small children. Member of Oddfellows Lodge in Comanche. Two sisters lived in Texas - Mary married Geisling and Elizabeth Jane married Snow. Who were his parents? Were there other siblings?

Lizzie McGregor was John's second wife. Is this the Liza McGregor, daughter of R.N.A. McGregor in the 1880 census of Grayson County? Sherman was said to have been in her home. One of John's orphans was told that Lizzie McGregor's parents were named Yates. Is this the Joseph Yates listed immediately preceding R. N. A. McGregor in the 1880 census? When and where were they married? Need information on her parentage and siblings. Would like to correspond with anyone knowing anything about these families.

Mrs. Mary Lois Hubbs, 7656 Price Ave., Baton Rouge LA 70811

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GENTRY, PURVIS, JERNIGAN, HEARVIE, HARVEY, HARVIE, RAMAGE

Sallie Gentry, daughter of Joseph Houston Gentry and Mary Bridget Purvis was born ca 1876, Coffee County, Tennessee. After 1900 she lived in Tarrant County, Texas. She was married three times between 1900 and 1919. I do not know the sequence of her marriages. She was married to Wiley Jernigan, a Mr. Hearvie (Harvey or Harvie), and prior to 14 September 1915, to W. Ben Smith. She died 1920-21. Can anyone tell me dates of her marriages and date of her death? Also need date of death of Jernigan.

Seeking information on Rev. Bartow B. Ramage and his wife, Ethel Purvis, who were married 26 June 1894 in Tennessee and living in Fort Worth in 1901. He was probably a minister of the Episcopal Church. Were there children?

Mrs. Fred R. Murphy, 1705 Sycamore Circle, Manchester TN 37355

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KNIGHT, WEISSINGER

Will appreciate information on Sudie Hale Knight, married 1913, William Thomas Weissinger II, born 1886, son of Enoch J., born Dallas County, Alabama, who with numerous other Weissingers moved to Texas.

Richard W. Adams, PO Box 422, APO New York 09403

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BURLESON BULLETIN

The address given in the August issue for the Editor of the Burleson Bulletin, Mary Belle Keller, should be changed to 1704 Oakridge Drive, Arlington TX 76013

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BOND, JACKSON, McCAMPBELL, SEATON, JOHNSON, PORTER, TEDFORD, HAMBY, McCARVER, HENRY

Would like to locate descendants of George Bond for War of 1812 memorial grave marking ceremonies in Knoxville, Tennessee, July 12, 1981. He was born 21 October 1796 in Virginia, emigrated to Knox County, Tennessee, 25 December 1802; died edge of Blount and Knox Counties 28 May 1891, buried in Ebenezer Cemetery, Knox County; married ca 1821-22. Children: James Anderson (1823-1909) married (2) Mrs. Elizabeth Henry Jackson, widow of Alford Jackson; Sarah Louisa (1826-) married McCampbell, (2) James Nelson Seaton 1823; Hugh Marion (1827-1870-87) married, two children: Isaac Hamilton (1828-1903), married (1) 1867 Mattie Johnson, (2) Elizabeth Porter; Catherine Jane (1830-1877) married 1853 Joseph Howard Tedford; Isabella Clementine (1832-1903), married 1859 James Hilary Tedford; Stephen Finley (1834-1913) married (1) 1856 Ann E. Hamby, (2) 1862 Mahala Katherine McCarver; Mary Eliza (1836-1918), unmarried; Martha, deceased early.

Mrs. Raymond Harrison Bostick, 6914 Scotsdale Dr., San Antonio TX 78209

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MEYER, DEAM, MYER, MAYER

Seeking information on my great-grandparents Joe and Lizzie (Deam) Meyer who lived in Ft. Worth during the 1870s, married in 1877 and both died in 1880s, buried in Oakwood Cemetery (I think).

Where did Joe Meyer come from, occupation, etc?? Their two oldest daughters Miss Laura and Miss Amelia used the Mayer spelling and worked for the Ft. Worth & Tarrant Co., Abstract Company as abstractors. The 1900 Dallas census used the Myer spelling for the three little girls who were living with the Deam grandparents. Which spelling is correct??

Laura E. Hash, P. O. Box 74, Lancaster, TX 75146

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COLEY, SAMPLEY, WHITE, CROSSLAND

Seeking information on John Samuel Coley, born 1846 in Cherokee County, Georgia, died 1931, DeKalb County, Alabama. He was married to Rebecca Sampley born 1845, died 1885. John was the son of William Coley, born probably 1822, and Julia Ann White. They were in Cherokee County in 1850. Who were their parents? William may have died in Hardeman County, Tennessee.

Rebecca was the daughter of Jesse Crawford Sampley, born 1822 in Tennessee and Mahulda Crossland, born 1827 in South Carolina. Her mother's name was Mary, father was a Methodist preacher. They were in DeKalb County, Alabama in 1860. Who were their parents? Was Mahulda a second wife?

Mrs. Don C. King, 309 Paloverde Lane, Fort Worth TX 76112

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BENCH, CAUDLE, CORDELL, COOKE, FRAZIER, STUCKEY, STOOKY, COMER,
BANNISTER, REYNOLDS, ADMIRE, ADMYERS, HOWARD, ALBRITTEN

Lawrence Bench lived in North Carolina 1800, lived Bartholomew County, Indiana, 1820, and Pulaski County, Missouri, 1843. His descendants lived in Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Missouri. Will answer all correspondence on all above names.

Ruth Bock, Rt. 3, Box 522H, Midland, TX 79701
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BROWN, WARD, CHADDOCK, WILLIAMS, LAWERY, WELCH, MATHIS, PARRISH,
LANDRUM, FRANK, POWELL, MATHEWS, BRITTEN, ROBERSON

Who was the Powell who married Eliza Brown, born 1818, Louisiana, died 1900 Erath County, Texas? Children: Henry Clay born 1842, married Nancy Alice Ward; Louis Black 1845, married Louisa Chaddock; William Edward 1849, married Muscogee Chaddock; Julia; Sarah, married Mike Williams; Melissa, married John Lawery.

Children of Louis Blake Powell and Louisa Chaddock: Daniel, born 1869 Texas, married Ida K.,?; William 1872; Elizabeth 1874, married Alvis Welch; Zilla 1876, married Mathis; Dovie 1879, died 1880 Erath County; Mary Alice 1881, married Went Parrish; Miles 1884, married Jessie Landrum; Francis K. 1887, married Frank Brown; Frank.

William Edward Powell married 1875 Bosque County, Texas, Muscogee Chaddock, born 1853, Louisiana. Children: Ella born 1876, married Henderson Mathews; Martin Lee 1887, married Nannie Britten; Luda 1879, married Will Roberson. How was John Flood Powell related? Will appreciate any information on any of these people. Will answer all letters and return postage.

Artie Powell McDonald, 23582 N. Bryant Rd., Acampo CA 95220
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HERNANDEZ, GARCIA

My grandfather, Santiago Hernandez, married in Brackettville, Texas, September 26, 1872, and lived there until around 1893. His wife was Petra Garcia. They had sons Holario and Martin, and daughters Monica, Ramona, Quiotilde, Santos. Will appreciate any information.

Reynaldo Hernandez, 803 N. Story, Irving TX 75061
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COOPER, CARTER

Nathan Cooper, brother of Milton who went to Texas around 1854. Milton had children: Cyronos, born 1824; George, born 1834; Charles Carter, born 1839, who went to Texas with their father, Milton, and mother, Charlotte Carter, around 1854. Would like to contact any descendants of the above.

Charlene D.Zaun, 306 E. 26th Ave., North Kansas City MO 64116
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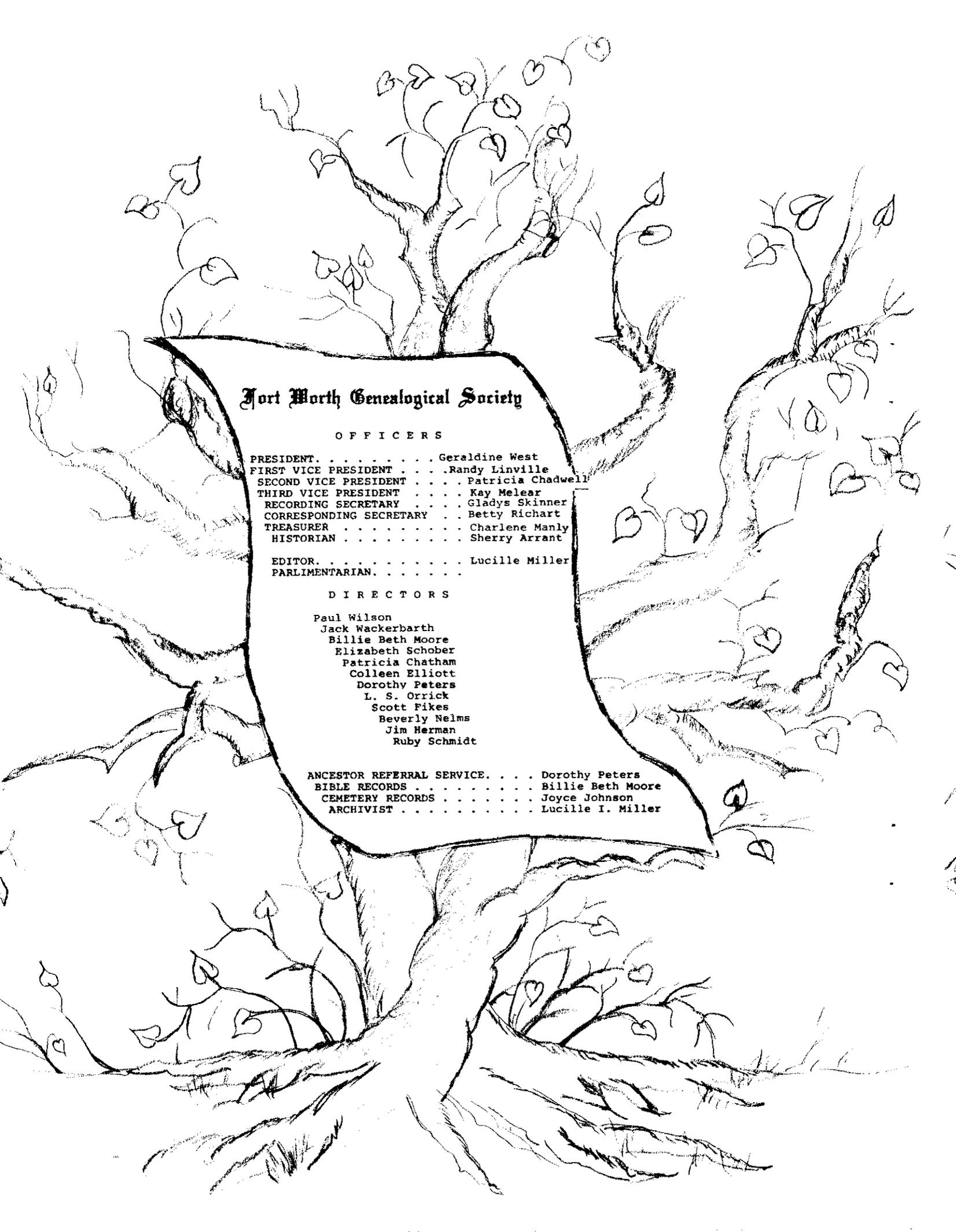
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I look forward with anticipation to working with the new officers and Board of Directors of the Fort Worth Genealogical Society in 1981. My greatest hope is that we can maintain the momentum set in motion by those officers and dedicated members who have gone before us, especially those who accomplished such great things under the leadership of Past President Paul Campbell.

We have many things to be proud of this year, not the least of which is the publication of "Old Northwest Texas, Volume I". Part A was distributed in December, Part B will go to the bindery shortly and should be ready for delivery in mid February.

I would like to commend each and every member of the Society who contributed their time and talents and especially Nan Samuels and Barbara Knox for editing the book.

Our sincerest thanks to Dorothy Peters for help in directing the distribution of "Old Northwest Texas" and for the myriad other tasks she has undertaken for the society over the years.

Memberships for 1981 continue to arrive daily, some from other cities in Texas and a surprising number from out of state. Many cite the quality and extent of the records published in "Footprints" as the reason for joining our society. For this we extend our thanks to Lucille Miller, the very capable editor of the quarterly, for the many hours she has graciously devoted to making "Footprints" such an outstanding publication.

Thanks again to all of you for expressing your confidence in my ability to serve as your President. With your help the Fort Worth Genealogical Society will continue to grow and prosper in 1981,

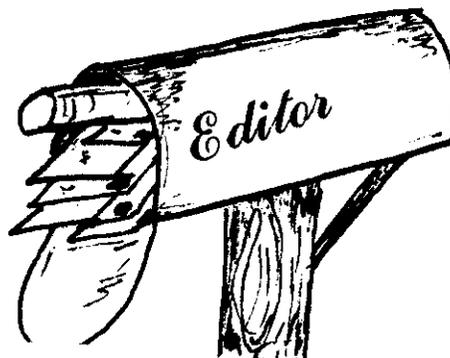
God willing,

Geraldine C. West

From here

and

there



For the past five years I have been privileged to serve as your Editor for FOOTPRINTS. I can truthfully say that I have enjoyed this task. It was and is still a very great challenge, but I have learned so much.

I have been so grateful to my staff, what a wonderful group of people ...never have they let me down. Our publication has never been late once, and always they are there when needed.

Most amazing is you, our members, who have sent so much research from the most unexpected places, such as out-of-state newspaper abstracts regarding Texans, church records, fraternity records, etc. Out of the ordinary places few people know exist.

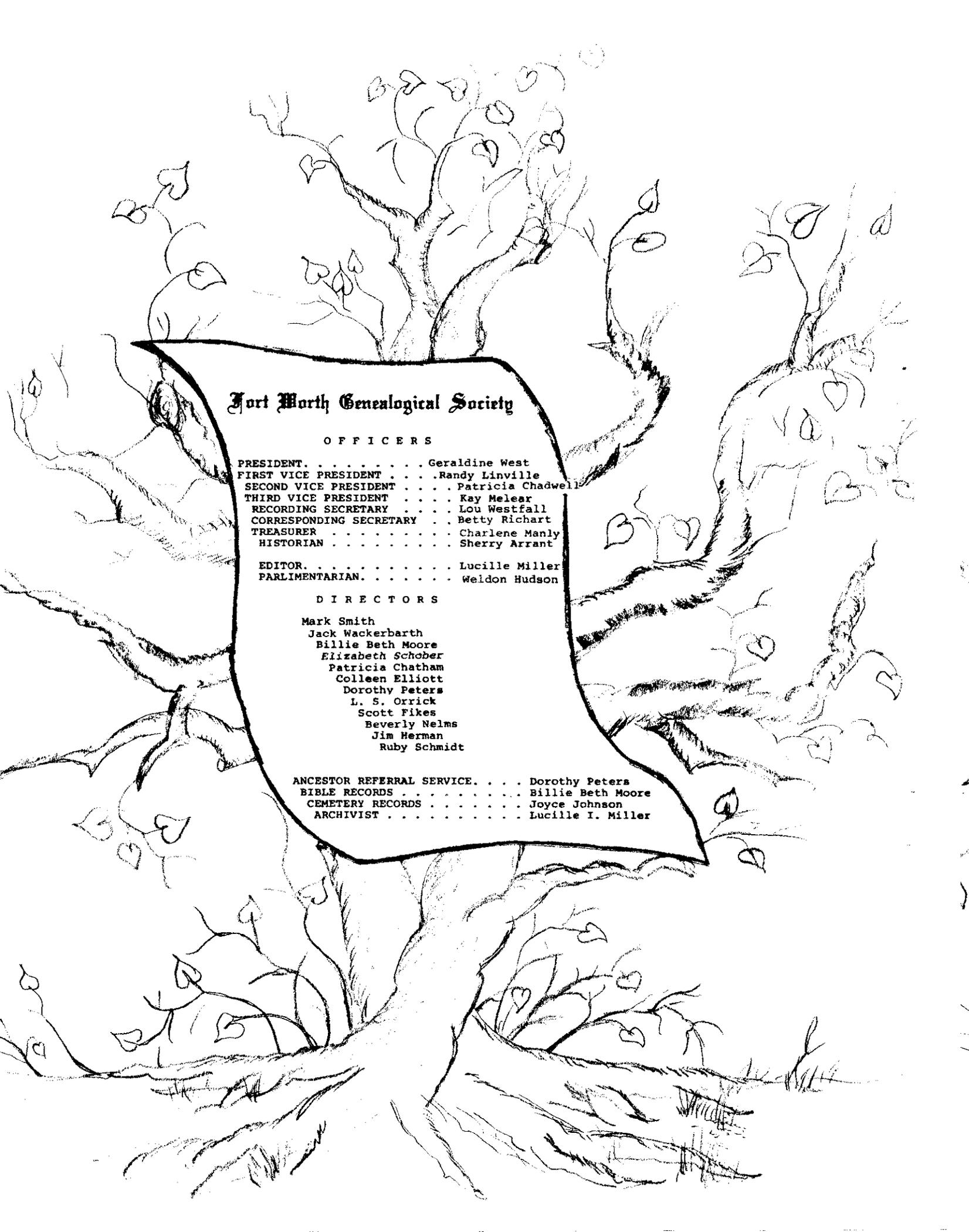
But again I would like to bring to our members attention the fact that so few avail yourselves of the many self-helps offered by our society.

ARE YOU USING THESE?:

- 1 - Cemetery Records Chairman - she keeps an index of all cemeteries printed, whether book or quarterly periodical, for Texas. [Not the person's name but the book and page where the cemetery is printed.]
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- 3 - Marriage Records Chairman - keeps index of all marriage records printed in periodicals.
- 4 - Ancestral Referral Chairman - has index cards on surnames of members and non-members whom people are researching, which has been many years accumulating.

Could you do a volunteer job for the society? We need someone to do small research work for the society. Someone to spot check the shelves of our genealogical department occasionally. Someone to help beginners at the library. Type. Index. Mail. If you can spend an hour, a day, a month - please let someone on the board know. You don't even have to live close to help. We need research in other Texas counties, newspaper files, etc. Won't you please help.

Lucille Miller



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It was with great pleasure that we received the news from Mr. Bill Linder of the National Genealogical Society early in March that Fort Worth had been selected as the site for that organization's 1983 "Conference in the States" with the Fort Worth Genealogical Society as the host group.

We would like to thank Mr. David Lord of the Fort Worth Convention and Visitors Bureau for his personal presentation to the Board of NGS at their headquarters in Washington, D.C. He stated on his return that we were in competition with such cities as Raleigh, North Carolina, Salt Lake City, Utah, Napa Valley, California, and Madison, Wisconsin. A formidable challenge, to say the least!

The "Conference in the States" meeting for 1982 will be held in Indianapolis, Indiana, with Willard Heiss as the overall chairman for that meeting.

I have asked Weldon Hudson, a past president of the Fort Worth Genealogical Society, to act as chairman of the meeting in Fort Worth, and he is going ahead with site selection and the setting up of a date. We will be soliciting help from all the genealogical groups in the Metroplex to get the planning underway for this potentially great meeting.

Our sincerest thanks are extended to Colleen Morse Elliott and the members of her committee for the very successful workshop on Georgia's Ceded Lands with the Rev. Silas Emmett Lucas, Jr. as our speaker. After having heard so much about Father Lucas over the years, it was a great pleasure to meet him personally.

Our Membership Chairman, Kay Melear, tells me that our roster is rapidly approaching 900 members. We hope to surpass 1,000 by the time of, or during, our 25th Anniversary Year 1982. If you have not already...won't you join us?

Sincerely,

Geraldine C. West

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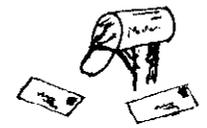
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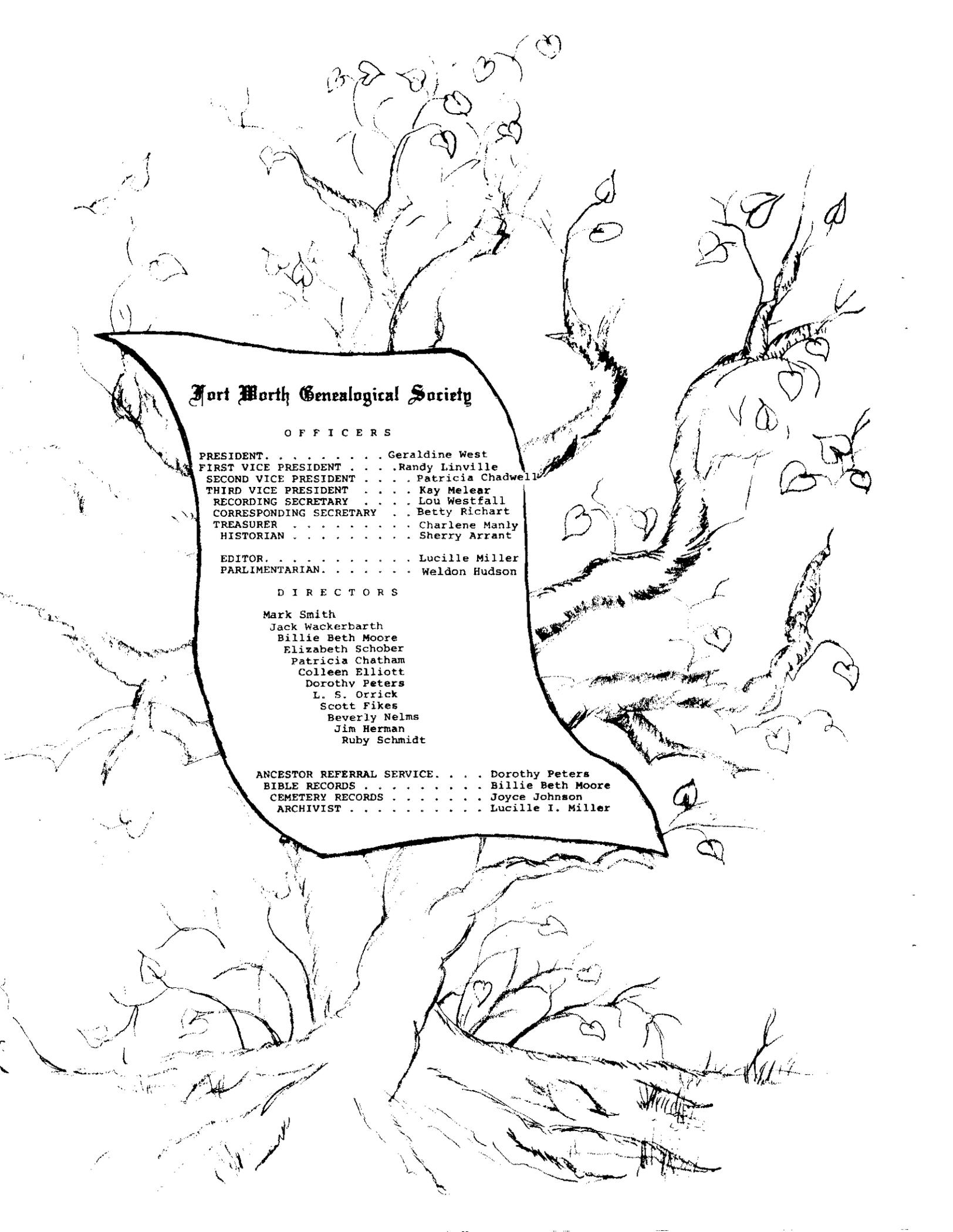
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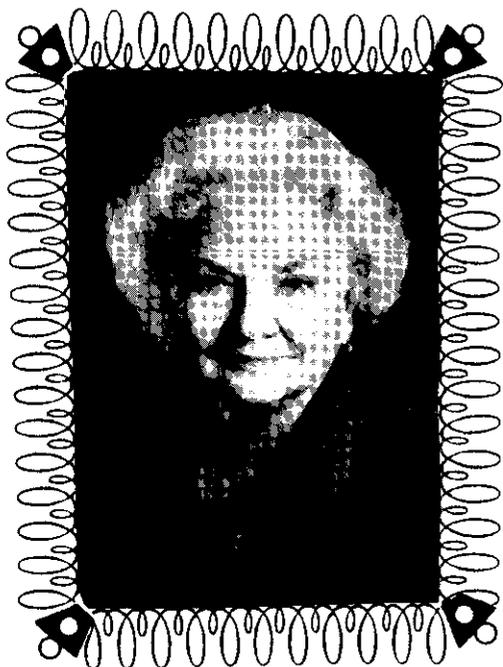
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Our Membership Chairman, Kay Melear, tells me that we now have more than 900 members on our rolls. We are very proud when people tell us we belong to one of the largest and most enthusiastic genealogical societies in this country. Seattle and St. Louis are said to be larger, but they cannot match the fervor of the Fort Worth Genealogical Society.

I was privileged to attend the National Genealogical Society's Conference in the States in Atlanta, May 7 - 9, 1981. I wondered if it was a coincidence that the two people in charge of this most successful gathering, Bill Linder, General Chairman representing the National Genealogical Society, and Rita B. Worthy of the Georgia Historical Society, Local Arrangements Chairman, are both native Texans and graduates of the University

of Texas at Austin.

At the urging of the General Chairman and the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce, our Society sponsored a booth as a sort of exhibition of what FWGS and the City of Fort Worth have to offer those genealogists who choose to attend the 1983 conference in our city. We had all our publications on display. We heard many comments on the activities of our group. I was very happy to represent you.

Due to circumstances beyond our control, it will be necessary for us to vacate our office and storage space in the W.T. Waggoner Building by August 1st. The building has been sold to out of state interests and they are rapidly renovating the building. As a result, we are seeking a permanent home. We would like something with office and work space as well as storage. We have approached several local foundations as well as City of Fort Worth and Tarrant County officials. If you know of something that would be available or have any ideas as to how we could arrange for permanent office space, we would appreciate hearing your suggestions.

We understand the tour to Salt Lake City, sponsored by FWGS, was a great success. Plans are underway for making a tour an annual event. Your suggestions are needed. Where would you like to go - Washington, D.C.? - Georgia Archives? Let us have your suggestions.

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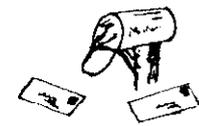
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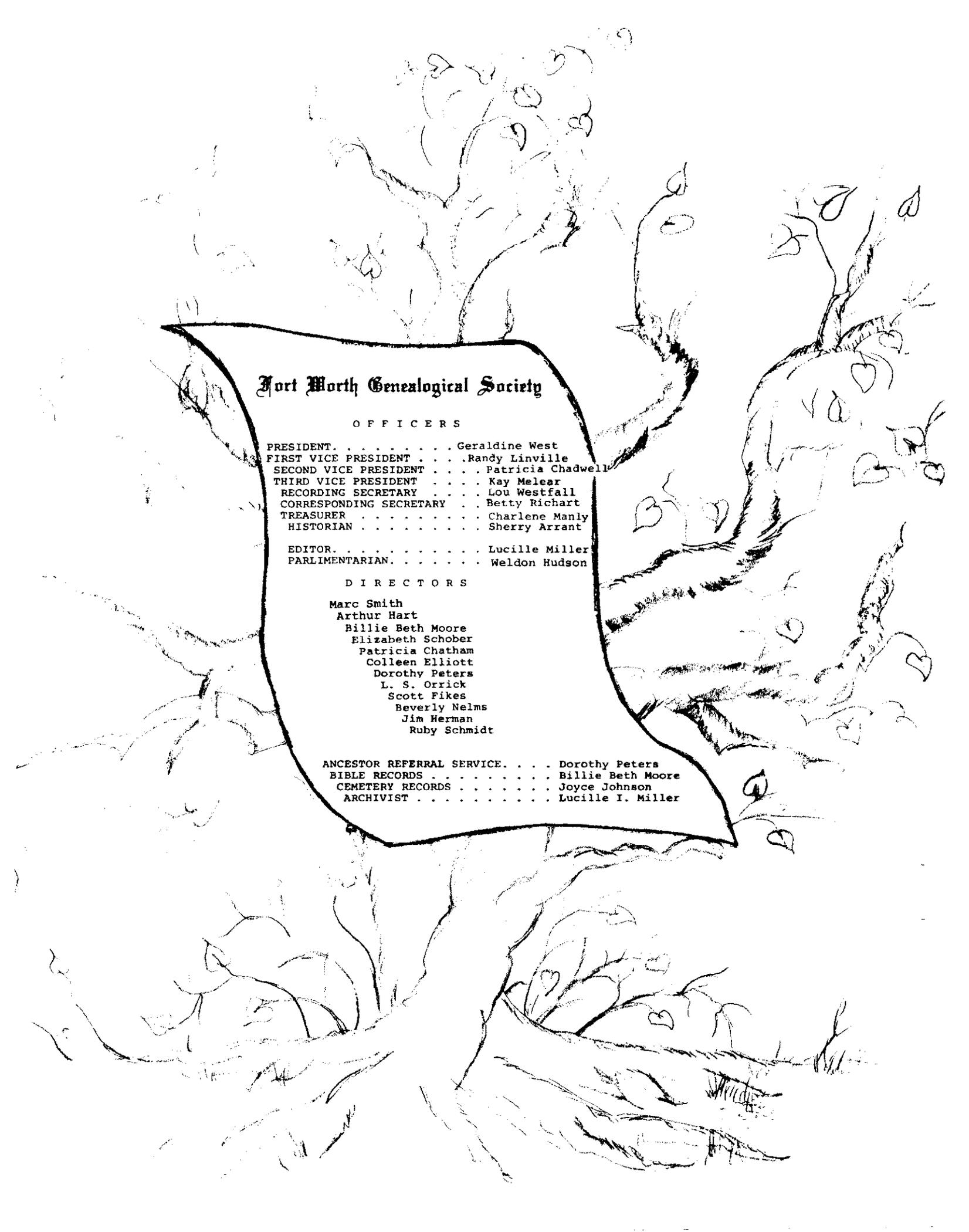
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With the year drawing to a close, it is time to reflect on our accomplishments for the year 1981 and to thank those who made these possible.

Our thanks to Kay Melear, our membership chairman, she tells me that as of this date our society has 839 members. To Colleen Elliott for the successful workshop featuring Rev. Silas Emmett Lucas, Jr. To Frances Malcolm and Billie Beth Moore for the mini-workshops they held for our beginning genealogists.

Thanks to Rita Bryan for planning a first for our society...a tour of Salt Lake City; also for planning our annual bus trip to Austin.

And Weldon Hudson for acting as overall chairman of the National Genealogical Society's Conference in the States to be held in Fort Worth in May of 1983 with

Fort Worth Genealogical Society as the host society. Weldon is working with NGS personnel in setting up committees, selecting the site, etc. Many of our members and friends are on planning committees for this meeting.

Our thanks to Betty Register, curator of the Log Cabin Village, for coming to our rescue when we were forced to move from the W. T. Waggoner Building. She provided an upstairs room in the main cabin for use as an office by the Fort Worth Genealogical Society.

We would like to thank those members of the Board who are retiring at the end of the year and welcome those new Board members who were elected at our October 26th meeting.

Thanks to all of our members who contributed so many, many ways: attending meetings, working on committees, contributing articles for our publications, volunteer hours of work at the library, assisting new and struggling genealogists to get started, typing, sorting, indexing, collating, mailing, and all of the other unsung things you have done for us that makes our society so great.

Thanks to Dottie Bignell for the gigantic task of indexing FOOTPRINTS, so quickly and efficiently.

Our heartfelt thanks to Lucille Miller, editor of FOOTPRINTS and to Randy Linville, who has done such great things with our newsletter. Looking forward to an equally successful SILVER ANNIVERSARY YEAR.

Geraldine C. Keith



Greetings of the Season



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