

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 Ably, 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 Ably

Signature: Carolina Ably

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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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BELEW, Reuben

Will signed December 15, 1880 Book A page 173
Admitted to Probate: July 25, 1882 Book A page 172

Admitted to Probate: July 25, 1882 Book A page 172

Reuben Belew...being of sound mind, memory and understanding...
County of Prentiss, State of Mississippi.

Requests: Daughter, E. J. Smith \$150
Daughter, Matilda Jones \$125
Children of daughter, Fannie Stewart \$50, equally
divided.
Child of daughter, Missouri Ratliff (John Reuben
Ratliff) \$150
Grandson, M. D. Belew...one horse
Debts to be paid. Land to be sold within three
years. Money to be divided in equal parts to living
children and children of deceased daughters and son.

Witnesses: J. W. ^{his} ~~X~~ Muse, John Spain, Daniel A. Stewart
mark

Esecutors: W. T. Belew, A. B. Belew (sons)

Signed: Reuben ^{his} X Belew
mark

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BLANTON, John B.

Book 10 page 141

Signed: May 27, 1903

Proved July 6, 1904

I, John B. Blanton make this my last will and testament...

Bequests: To my son, John Jacob Blanton...my home in Chico, etc.
To my daughter, Dellas A. Tadlock...
To my daughter, Emma E. Wells...
To my son, William B. Blanton...
To my wife, Mattie J. Blanton...

Witnesses: John B. Blanton, Della A. Tadlock, W. P. Blanton,
E. A. Wells and Emma L. Wells.

Executor: John J. Blanton

Signed: John B. Blanton

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BONICKS, W. P. (almost illegible handwriting)

Died January 27, 1907

Signed: January 23, 1907 Proved January 30, 1907

Admitted to probate April 3, 1907 Book 12 page 13

I, W. P. Bonicke of Paradise, Wise County, Texas...

Requests: My son, Charles C. Bonicke \$200
My grandson, B. F. Bonicke \$200
...when they become of age, otherwise the estate
reverts to my other heirs...
My daughters, P. J. Kincannon, Walter Crum...
My sons, Fred Bonicke and W. D. Bonicke...
to share equally the remainder of my cash and other

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 be 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, Glascow,
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} 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...

Requests Minnie McCarter to sign codicil for her.
Witnesses to codicil: Minnie McCarter, J. L. Dill

Witnesses to Will: M. J. Jarrell, Minnie McCarter
Executors: N. R. Bowlin, N. P. Collier
Signature: Rebecca S. ^{her} Collier
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CONNER, John Sr. and Catharine CONNER Book 3, page 541
Signed: December 28, 1891 Proved: January 5, 1894
Admitted to probate: January 5, 1894 Book 3, page 538

We, John C. Conner, and wife, Catharine Conner, being of sound mind...

Bequests: In the event that one of us should die...
the survivor shall have full control of estate...
proceeds to go to the support of family and the ed-
ucation of children...
(A full description of real property is given.)
To our beloved daughter, Delia Keneger...
To our beloved son, John Conner, Jr....
To our beloved daughter Mary Conner...
To our beloved daughter, Jane Procter...
To our beloved daughter Catharine Conner...
\$300 to be paid by our son James Conner...
To our son James Conner...
\$300 to be paid by son Thomas Conner to Catharine
Conner...
To our son Thomas Conner...
To our beloved son James Conner...

Witnesses: N. P. Collier, D. H. Bishop
Executor: John Conner, Jr.
Signatures: John C. ^{his}x Conner Catharine ^{her}x Conner
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COX, T. J. Book 10, page 309
Signed: May 7, 1904 Proved: July 11, 1905
Died: May 1905
Admitted to Probate: June 8, 1905 Book 9, page 87

I, T. J. Cox, of Potter County, Texas, being of sound mind and memory...

Bequests: Funeral expenses and debts to be paid...
To my beloved wife, Martha E. Cox...all estate...
Appoints James E. Neel and Levi Neel as executors.

Witnesses: Edgar Procter, J. R. Black
Executors: James E. Neel, Levi Neel
Signature: T. J. Cox

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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 un-
certainty 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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(To be continued)



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.

Thomas SELLMAN	Died August 30, 1886, aged 40 years [Son-in-law of Willard Chamberlin]
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Emly, wife of Willard CHAMBERLIN	Died December 2, 1892, aged 75 years
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Willard CHAMBERLIN	Died February 7, 1886, aged 77 years.
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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. Go-lightly, 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 through 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. Yealading	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
Camp, Henry L.	Mary Fincher	Jan. 19, 1881
Cox, G. Y.	Emma Pickett	Feb. 8, 1881
Goleman, B. C.	Fammy Plevi	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

GROOM	BRIDE	DATE
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 Micheaux	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

GROOM	BRIDE	DATE
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	Dicey 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

GROOM	BRIDE	DATE
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

GROOM	BRIDE	DATE
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

GROOM	BRIDE	DATE
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

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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. Snively, 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.

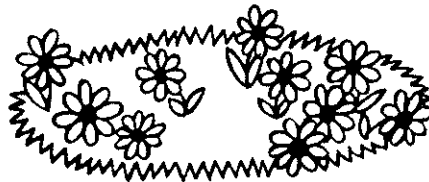
January 4, 1839 [GL Vol. 2 page 34]
Joint resolution for relief of Elijah Dickrow for \$4985.00.

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, WARREN, 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 Warren, 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-grand-mother 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 Doliente (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 impaired 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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FORD, Dr. John Franklin Book 10, page 187
Signed; 25 August 1900
Died: 27 June 1904

... I, John Franklin Ford, do make public and declare this my last will and testament....

Bequests: To my beloved wife, Mary Isabella Ford...
At her death estate to be equally divided between
my children, share and share alike (children not
named).

Interrogations Book 10, page 189
Inventory Book 10, page 188
Witnesses: W. L. Dallas, C. J. Crabb
Executor: M. I. Ford
Signature: J. F. Ford

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FORTENBERRY, M. J. Book 8, page 261
Signed: 12 August 1898 Slidell, Wise County, Texas
Admitted to Probate: 9 December 1898 Book 8, page 264

... I, M. J. Fortenberry...being of feeble health but of sound mind, memory and judgement....

Bequests: Unto my son, S. F. Fortenberry...
Unto my son, A. S. Fortenberry...
Unto my daughter, M. A. Murphy...
Unto my daughter, A. J. Hughes...
Unto my daughter, Nancy Brownfield...
Unto my two grandsons, L. D. Pruner and A. D. Pruner

Inventory: Book 8, page 276
Witnesses: J. P. Turner, J. R. Gilbert, T. J. Dillehay
Executor: T. J. Dillehay
Signature: M. J. ^{his}Fortenberry
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FOSTER, CHARLES K. Book 2, page 66
Signed: 23 July 1885 Proved: 27 April 1886
Died: 15 April 1886
Admitted to Probate: 9 May 1886 Book 2, page 66

...I, Charles K. Foster...being over twenty-one years of age,
of sound mind and disposing memory...

Requests: To my father, George W. Foster and to my two brothers, James H. Foster and Andrew S. Foster...There is a lengthy will, detailing exact disposition of property.
My father to execute this last will and testament.

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 grand-children, 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
mark

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.

(To be continued)

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

GROOM	BRIDE	DATE
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

GROOM	BRIDE	DATE
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	Dicey 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

GROOM	BRIDE	DATE
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

GROOM	BRIDE	DATE
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
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
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
Tayler, 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

GROOM	BRIDE	DATE
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.

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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.

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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 itinerant 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 father's 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.

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	March 1, 1805
(stone illegible)	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 divers 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 plaque 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

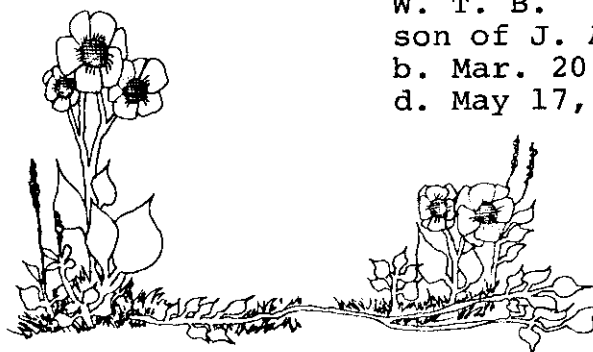
CLARA ALICE REED
b. November 28, 1874
d. April 6, 1920

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

GOLDSMITH, CREEL, PRICE, BRAZLETON, CASWELL

Researching the above names...will exchange.

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

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

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 Eelemsley 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

KIRKSEY, CHESHIRE

Need names of parents of West Harris Kirksey, born 1808/09, North Carolina, married Sopiah 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

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

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

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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DATE FILED	DECEASED	ADMINISTRATOR
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. Alfred	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

DATE FILED	DECEASED	ADMINISTRATOR
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	Sophronia 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

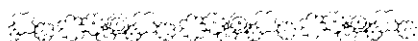
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28 oct 1893	J. T. Caruth	K. M. Bonur
5 Feb 1894	Edward Cumby	Chas. D. Cates
Apr 1895	Earnest M. Curtner	L. J. Curtner
20 Apr 1895	Dora L. Casey	M. L. Casey
4 Oct 1895	M. E. Crockett	W. B. Crockett
Jan 1897	C. M. Clancy	S. G. Tankersley
Jan 1898	Lula 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

DATE FILED	DECEASED	ADMINISTRATOR
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. Wimbly
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} Hobson

Executor: G. A. Hicks

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HOLCOMB, Caleb

Book A, page 356

Signed: 19 April 1879

Died: Ca 10 April 1879

Admitted to Probate: 23 January 1884 Book A, page 359

I, Caleb Holcomb, of a lucid and sound mind being entirely rational. . . .

Bequests: I do most reverently bequeath to my Omniscient God
my Immortal Soul, Amen. . . .
To my dearly beloved and ever faithful wife, Sarah
Holcomb. . . .
To David Bell, my nephew. . . .
To my grandchildren by my only daughter, Emiline
Woodall. . . .

Witnesses: J. W. Greenfield, Wm. Wakefield

Executor: Sarah Holcomb

Signature: Caleb Holcomb

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HOLMES, J. M.

Book A, page 468

Signed: 8 October 1884

Proved: 23 January 1885

Admitted to Probate: 23 January 1885 Book A, page 472

I, J. M. Holmes. . . being very weak and feeble in body but
sound of mind and memory. . . .

Bequests: a decent Christianlike funeral. . . .
. . . just debts to be paid. . . .
To my wife, Susan E. Holmes. . . .
To my four daughters, Mary S. Russell, Emma J. Brooks,
Ella Riley, and Annie K. Holmes. . . .
Mentions notes executed to me by George F. Perry,
E. C. Perry, F. J. Hall, Issac Cloud and - - - -
Adington.
To my two sons, Wm. H. Holmes and John H. Holmes. . . .

Witnesses: Samuel Woody, J. W. Hale

Executor: Susan E. Holmes

Signature: J. M. Holmes

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HOUTS, Annie G.

Book 2, page 480

Signed: 2 January 1878

Proved: 21 March 1889

Admitted to Probate: 11 March 1884 Book 2, page 481

I, the undersigned Annie G. Houts, of sound and disposing mind...

Bequests: Unto my husband F. M. Houts. . . .
Appoints husband executor.
"My children Bessie and Katie Houts remembered and
confided to their father. . . ."

Witnesses: W. D. Pinkerton, W. H. Bunn

Executor: F. M. Houts

Signature: Annie G. Houts

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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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(To be continued)

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.)

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.	Virdie 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. Hyelte	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	Etila 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

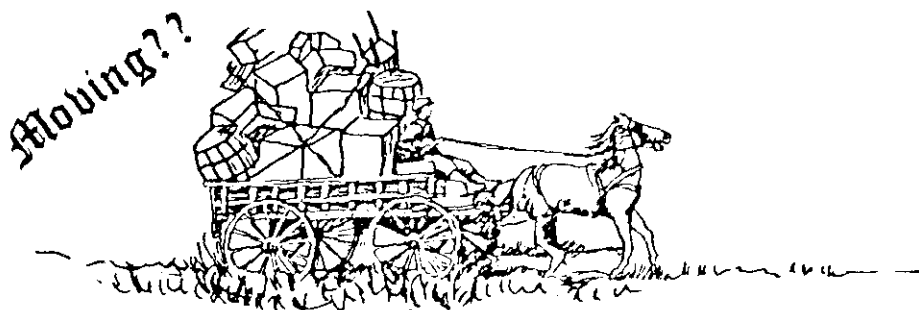
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Fulton, Lamar	Maudina Bullion	Apr. 16, 1889
Franklin, John B.	Pearl Evans	Apr. 24, 1889
Farley, J. B.	Anna Brooks	Sept. 5, 1889
Farris, A. D.	Maggie Hyatt	Nov. 1, 1889
Fulquim, D. R.	Lillie Maddox	Nov. 27, 1889
Fitzgerald, G. W.	Margaret Felton	Jan. 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

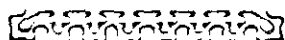
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Harris, Joe	Rachel Jackson	Jan. 14, 1887
Henderson, William	Sarah Cummings	Feb. 5, 1887
Henderson, William	Angeline Rhodes	Feb. 16, 1887
Holland, T. D.	Miss A. J. Moss	Mar. 1, 1887
Helm, Lafayette	Mrs. M. A. Seamons	Mar. 22, 1887
Hall, James	Maggie 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
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.

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

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	2/12/1906	12/26/1974
TEC 4 US Army		
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	10/1/1035	11/23/1971
Texas Major US Army, Vietnam BSM-AM		
Oscar A. Metcalf		4/26/1935
Tex PVT 38 US Vol Inf		

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. ?

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

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. Marwisky 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.

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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									
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		

LIST OF VOTERS

	Fisher	Caldwell	Clements	B. Lockhart
55 W ^m W Arrington	x		x	
56 Byrd Lockhart	x	x		
57 Lewis Lowell			x	x
58 Jas George		x		x
59 G. W. Davis	x			

LIST OF VOTERS

Fisher	Caldwell	Clements	B. Lockhart
42	43	13	16
X	X		
43	44		

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.

1st Teller
 1st
 (E.W. Bull)
 Secy

J. H. Arrington Judge
 2d Teller
 (S. Webster)

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.

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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 vermillion, 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.

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.

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

Gonorrhea.

HEMORAGE 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).

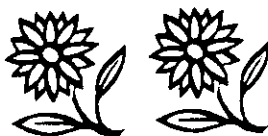
MANIA POPE	A form of insanity but no other data found.
PALPITATION HEART	(See Tobacco heart/heart attack).
PALSY - PARALYSIS	Also called Shaking Palsy and St. Vitus Dance.
PARSONDS	Also called Graves Disease; a disorder of the thyroid.
PUERPERAL FEVER	The cause of many women dying at child-birth; called "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:

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 Almintia 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. Hoston, age 29, carpenter, is also listed with this household. Did Almintia 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 as 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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ADMINISTRATIONS OF ESTATES OF PERSONS WHO DIED INTESTATE

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DATE FILED	DECEASED	ADMINISTRATOR
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

DATE FILED	DECEASED	ADMINISTRATOR
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

DATE FILED	DECEASED	ADMINISTRATOR
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

DATE FILED	DECEASED	ADMINISTRATOR
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. Hoyl
13 Oct 1896	J. F. Wisdom	Mary Wisdom
19 Apr 1899	Laura Worley	J. B. Worley

DATE FILED	DECEASED	ADMINISTRATOR
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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1886-1890

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
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
Kimbro, 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

GROOM	BRIDE	DATE
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
Nephler, 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

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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

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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
Wright, Daniel W.	Mrs. Emma Abshier	Aug. 24, 1886
Walker, Charlie	Mrs. Annie Baker	Aug. 24, 1886
Walker, Simon	Caroline Hicombbotham	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
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 McKendree 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} Pennington
mark

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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.
 . . .

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} B. Price
mark

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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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Witnesses: S. G. Christal, W. F. Burton
Executors: J. A. Renshaw, L. Renshaw
Signature: Mrs. Sallie Renshaw

Inventory: Book 4, page 501
Witnesses: W. H. Harvey, W. B. Stone
Executor: R. T. Hailey
Signature: Stephen E. Reynolds

Bequests: Appoints A. J. Jones of town of Paradise as sole executor.
Lengthy discription of land near Paradise,. . .shall be divided among my ten children as follows:

To my son F. W. Reynolds	\$20.00
To my daughter Marthy Newsom	\$20.00
To the heirs of my son S. L. Reynolds	\$20.00

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} _{mark} Ross

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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 feeble 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.

Book 4, page 7

Signed: 15 March 1893

Filed 5 June 1894

Died: 20 May 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)

"Thise 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. Trosper 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.

p. 137 1893-1894

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 Harriette 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.

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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.3)



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.

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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 Bal-linger 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.

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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,

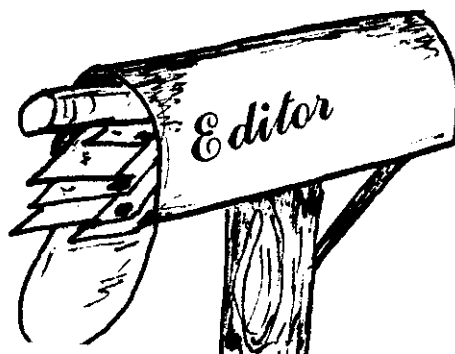
God willing,

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.]
- 2 - Bible Records Chairman - she keeps an index of all persons listed by name, printed in Bible records published in Texas periodicals.
- 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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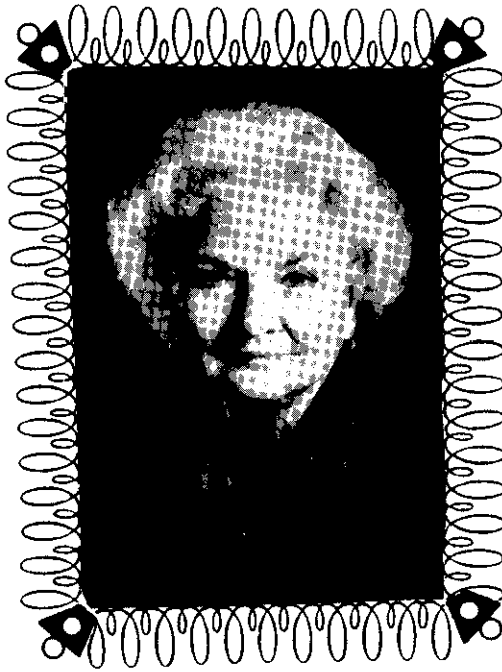
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It was with great pleasure that we received the news from Mr. Bill Linder of the National Genealogical Society early in March that Fort Worth had been selected as the site for that organization's 1983 "Conference in the States" with the Fort Worth 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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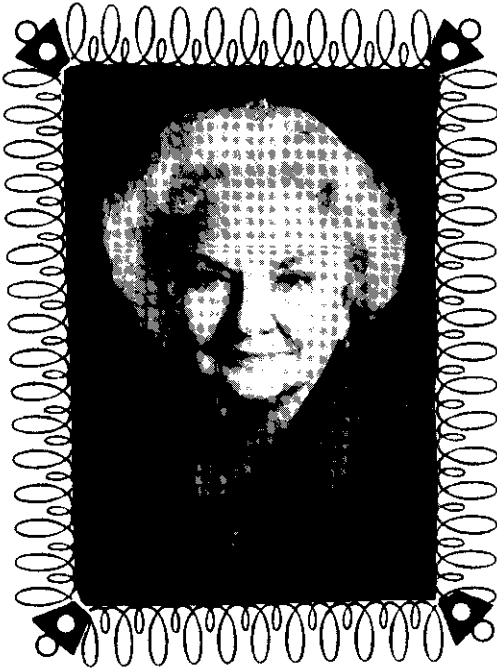
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Our Membership Chairman, Kay Melear, tells me that we now have more than 900 members on our rolls. We are very proud when people tell us we belong to one of the largest and most enthusiastic genealogical societies in this country. Seattle and St. Louis 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.

Geraldine C. Keith

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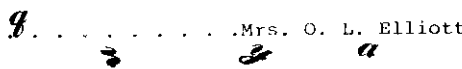
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With the year drawing to a close, it is time to reflect on our accomplishments for the year 1981 and to thank those who made these possible.

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 Regester, 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



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