

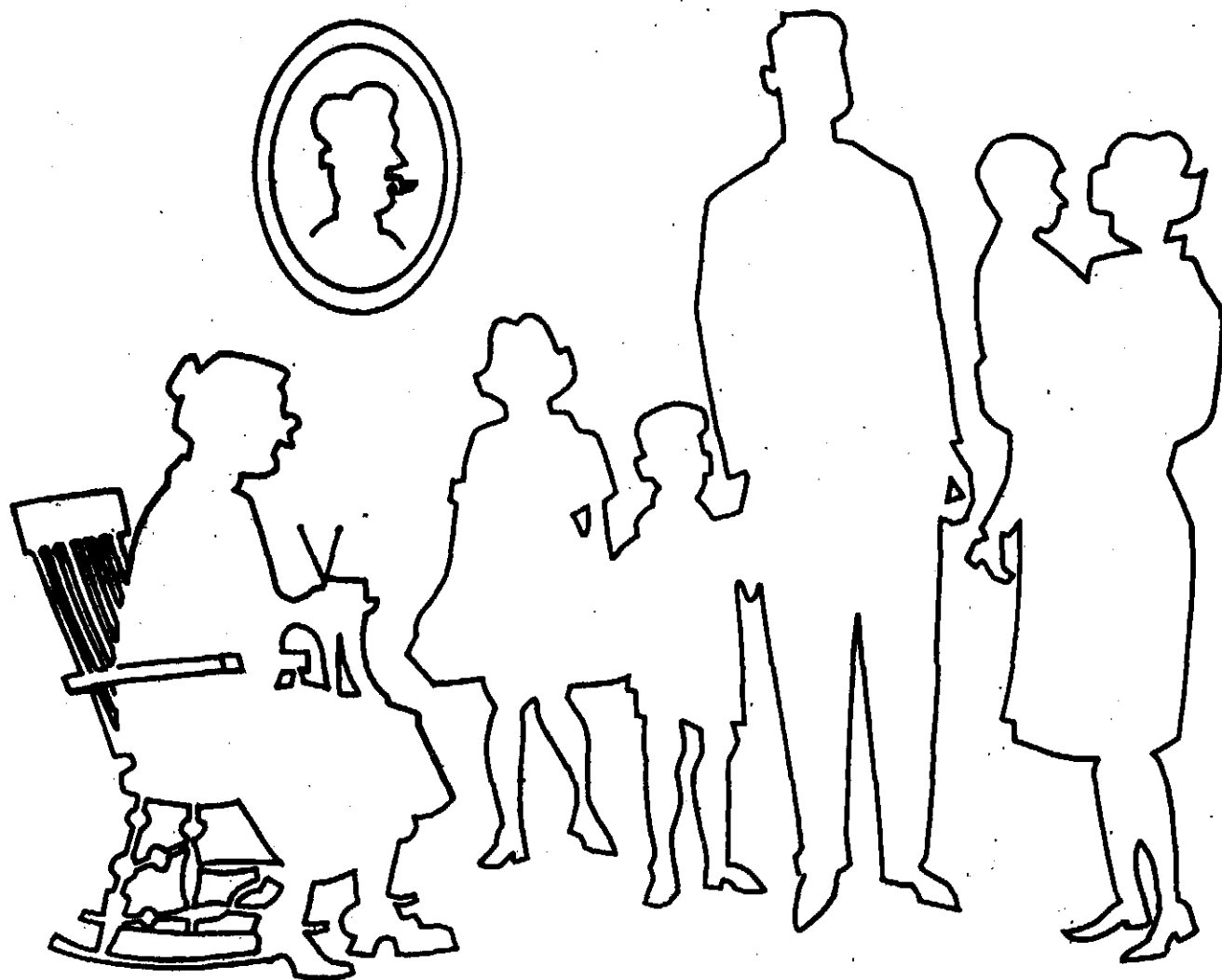
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RESEARCHERS EXCHANGE INDEX TO BE COMPILED

At its las meeting, the Board of Directors voted to begin a new service for the members of our Society. This will be the collecting and maintaining of an exchange file of family lines currently being researched by our members. Each Society member is urged to contribute information. It is hoped by this means to put members in touch with each other who are working on the same family. The index will be kept in a central location and be made available to Society members.

This how it will work: Type about 1/3" from the top of a 3" X 5" card the surname of the family in all caps, including all variations of spelling. Under the surname, list the states in which the family is known to have lived, using state abbreviations. On the lower portion of the card, type your name, mailing address and phone number, with the area code. (see example 1). On the reverse of the card, you may give as much vital statistic data as you wish. (see example 2). Send all information to Arkansas Genealogical Society, 4200 "A" Street, Little Rock, Ark. 72205.

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ALLISON, ALLYSON, ALISON, ELLISON

Example 1

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100 Cedar Ln.
No. Little Rock, AR 72118

R. P. Baker
Board Member
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ALLISON, Sylvester Franklin

Example 2

b. 1862
pb. Lucas Co. IA
m. 12/22/1900, Franklin Co. AR
Mary L. KINWORTHY
d. Mar., 1932

Father: James ALLISON
b. Ohio (?)
m. ?

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS - JUNE MEETING

5 June 1976 - 10:30 AM - LIBRARY - SOUTHERN STATE COLLEGE MAGNOLIA, ARKANSAS. The Board of Directors will be guests of the SO-WE-AR GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY. A Tour showing the Genealogical Resources in the Library will be conducted. Dutch Treat Lunch in the Blue and Gold Room in the College Cafeteria. 1 PM Business Meeting. All interested in Genalogy are invited to attend.

ANNUAL MEETING - OCTOBER 1976

Plans are being made for Annual Meeting. This year in North Little Rock Community Center. October 2nd is the planned date, the Speaker will be announced in the September issue. If you would like special notice, send a Self Addressed Stamped Envelope to 4200 "A" St., Little Rock, AR 72205.

BOOKS OF INTEREST

SOLOMON ALSPACH ANCESTORS DESCENDENTS RELATED FAMILIES 1750-1975 has just been released. This is a well documented book. Also spelled Alspaugh, etc. 8 1/2 X 11 dark red hardback cover with gold lettering. Many pictures, maps and original WILLS & other letters. Write: Emma Joyce Hamilton Alspaugh, 1016 Highland Dr., Magnolia, AR 71753 for additional information. (The Alspach/Alspaugh's lived in Penn., Ohio., & then migrated westward, some to Ark.) \$13. pp

45 YEARS ON THE ROCK ISLAND LINE, By Tom Foster of Malvern, AR. An interesting human interest, story of his life as Engine Watchman. Paper Back 5 1/2 X 8 1/2. \$4.50 pp

If you know about other books you think are interesting, drop us a note.

ARKANSAS GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY - TOPS 600 MEMBERS

Today we reached 604 membership! That is really Great! Everyone is doing a fine job. We have information on hand, and promises of more. The first three issues are the largest, then the index is in our December issue. 200 pages is promised (if information is available) and the Index is extra. If you have information on your family, you would like to share with other Arkansas Family Historian Members and readers, let us know.

The little pink slip in the December 1975 issue, was a great help! this not only save postage, but it takes much time and effort to get statements ready. Those who did renew early have our many many thanks. So far only two have not gotten on the list, and out of 600 we are real proud. New metalplates have been made for the new members, some few have moved. Our many thanks for letting us know about that too, before the Quarterly is mailed. The MAIL is not easy on our publication, so it really takes a beating when it has to be returned, etc.

If you do not find your Query in this issue please do not give up, three pages are already for the September issue. Also the ANCESTOR CHARTS are still coming in. Volume III is still promised for June, (many have already paid for those, and they will be sent, soon as they are ready) Volume IV is planned for release at the October Meeting. Volume V is now being gathered. If you have not sent your Chart, it is still not to late, as the future volumes will be printed as soon as possible. It is a large job to gather a volume, index, and print so be patient and in time your Chart will appear in print.

Continue to share your Quarterly with your friends and relatives, or better yet, suggest that they become one of our Arkansas Family Historian Members.

Our March 1976 issue is out of print, but a few more will be printed when time allows. Thanks many many times for the nice remarks, and we are so happy so many are enjoying our Family Historian, sorry time and paper always seems to be so short.

Sincerely

Claine Cia

HUTCHINS

1. JOHN HUTCHINS, 1:

Emig. from Kent,
England to New
Rochelle, N. York
shortly after 1685.
Pintard was a
Huguenot.

son of:

b. Kent, England
d. New Rochelle, New York
md. England

CELESTE PINTARD

dau of: Antoine Pintard of Rochelle, France

b. Rochelle, France
d. New Rochelle, New York

Issue:

*1. son

2. HUTCHINS:

b.

d. "Freehold Village", Monmouth Co., New Jersey (prob.)

md.

dau of:

b.

d.

Issue:

*1. Col. Anthoney Hutchins b. 1720 md. Ann Conover.

2. General Thomas Hutchins md. Pittsylvania Co., Va.

Catherine Donelson, dau of Col. John Donelson an older sister of Rachel (Donelson) Jackson, wife of Pres. Andrew Jackson. In 1766, as ass't engineer, under orders of Gen. Thomas Gage, Hutchins accompanied Capt. Harry Gordon on journey down the Miss. River. Hutchins pointed out the eligibility of the site of Memphis, Tenn. for a city, called "Cliffs of Margot" on Hutchin's map. He was Geographer General under the Crown. During the Rev. War, served as Col. under Gen. George Washington; and after the war, by appointment of Washington, served for many years as Geographer General of the U.S. In 1784, he wrote "Historical Narrative and Topographical Description of Louisiana", which included Ark. Many of Hutchins' maps are on file in the Library of Congress. In 1778, he accompanied Capt. Dillard on Illinois expedition. Hutchins and his wife resided in Philadelphia, Pa.

Issue:

1. John Hutchins. He was partner of Pres. Andrew Jackson in business located on Jackson's Plantation, "Hunter's Hill", Davidson Co., Tenn.

Issue:

1. Andrew Jackson Hutchins, orphaned at age 6 years, became ward of Pres. Andrew Jackson, c. 1812.

3. COL. ANTHONY HUTCHINS: b. 1720 Monmouth Co., New Jersey

d. 1804 "White Apple Plantation", Natchez, Miss., buried atop an
Colonel in the 16th Indian mound on "White Apple Plantation".

British Foot Regiment md. prior 1771 N. Carolina

Royal American Brigade, ANN CONOVER

fought at Detroit and dau of:

Canada during the b.

French & Ind. Wars. d. after 1820 "White Apple Plantation" Natchez, Miss., buried

Col. and Sheriff of atop an Indian Mound on "White Apple Plantation".

Anson Co., N. Carol- Issue:

*1. John Hutchins II, b. 1774 md. Elizabeth (Brooks) Townsen.

2. Samuel Hutchins, no issue.

3. Mary Hutchins md. Abner Green; owned "Grange Plantation" on 2nd

1769 Anson Co., Petition "Mecklenburg".
 Mig. 1771 to Natchez, Miss. and est. "White Apple Plantation" on 2nd Creek. Remained neutral during Rev. War. Member of House of Representatives of Miss. Territory. 1797 Member of Committee of Safety of Natchez Territory. Called "The Stormy Petrel", and loathed by the Spanish. Figured prominently in early Miss. development and history. Took oath of Allegiance to the U.S. 15 Oct 1798. He was acknowledged head of the Republican or Jeffersonian Party, and his house the general rendezvous of its most active partisans. He was educated in New Jersey, Princeton.

Creek; Reg. of Probates for Bourbon Co.; 1802 Treas-Gen for Miss. Terri.; Justice for Adams Co., Miss. Son of Col. Thomas M. Green, delegate of Miss. Terri. to Congress, who est. "Springfield Plantation" near Fayette, Miss., where Rachael (Donelson) Robard married Pres. Andrew Jackson, 1791. Abner Green also owned "Gayoso", house built by the former Spanish Governor Gayoso de Lemos.

Issue:

1. youngest daughter married W. H. Sparks, author of "The Memories Of Fifty Years", 1872.

4. Elizabeth Maria Celest Hutchins d. 1812 "Cotton Fields Plantation" near Natchez, Miss., md. 1st, William Vousden who est. "Cotton Fields Plantation" and was among the 1st to introduce cotton for export, at first shipping from the Post of Arkansas to New Orleans, La., and London, Eng. 1795. She md. 2nd, 31 Mar 1803 Natchez, Miss., William Brooks b. 20 Jan 1764 Exeter, N. Hampshire, d. 1821 "Cotton Field Fields", son of Deacon Samuel Brooks and Elizabeth (Pike) Brooks.
5. Magdalene Hutchins md. Gen. Ferdinand L. Claiborne who was commandant of the Miss. Vol. of the War of 1812. Justice of Adams Co., Miss. His brother was W.C.C. Claiborne, Gov. of the Miss. Terri. 1801-1805, then Gov. of La., Gov. of La. Territory, 1803, included Arkansas.

Issue:

1. J.F.H. Claiborne b. 1807 Natchez, Miss., d. 17 May 1884, buried Natchez, Miss., md. Martha Dunbar, dau of William Dunbar, scientist; in 1804, appointed by Pres. Thomas Jefferson to explore the Ouachita River country (Ark.), which was the 1st scholarly account of the Hot Springs (Ark). Claiborne was a lawyer; Miss. State Legisla.; 1835 Congressman from Miss.; 1840 edited "Miss. Free Trader", Natchez, Miss.; historian, author of "Mississippi As A Province and State".

4. JOHN HUTCHINS, II:

Reportedly the 1st white British male born in the Miss. Territory.

Planter, inherited "White Apple". Moved 1836 to "Woodbourn"

It is now "Fair Oaks" seen on the annual Natchez Pilgrimage tours. A miniature portrait of him is owned by Lucile R. Johnson. Elizabeth: Descended from 1st Gov. of Mass. Bay Colony, John Winthrop; and 2nd Gov. of Mass. Bay Colony Thomas Dudley. Cousin of Nicholas

- b. 26 July 1774 "White Apple Plantation", Natchez, Miss.
- d. 15 Oct 1855 "Woodbourn" Natchez, Miss., buried Natchez Cemetery.
- md. 31 Mar 1810 Natchez, Miss.
- ELIZABETH (BROOKS) TOWSEN, widow of Gen. Ezekiel Towson m 1810. dau of: Judge Samuel Brooks IV and Mary (Giddings) Brooks
- b. 1 Apr 1783 Exeter, New Hampshire
- d. 4 June 1868 "Glen Aubin Plantation", Natchez, Miss., buried Natchez, Miss. Cemetery.

Issue:

- *1. Elizabeth Brooks Hutchins b. 1813 md. Richard Mathews Gaines
2. Anthony White Hutchins b. 1812 Natchez, Miss., d. 1880 Ft. Worth, Tex., md. 1st, Cynthia J. Berry d. 1848 of Versailles, Ky., md. 2nd, Mary Blaine Chamberlain of Bedford, Pa., dau of Dr. and Rev. Jeremiah Chamberlain. Hutchins mig. 1855 and est. "Prairie Lea Plantation" near Lexington, LaFayette Co., Missouri. C.S.A.
- Issue: by 1st md., Berry.
1. Elizabeth Hutchins, lived in Lexington, Mo.
2. Jennie Hutchins md. Richard Ireland, C.S.A., resided in Lexington, Mo.
3. John Hutchins, joined Union Army, while a minor, under an assumed name, stayed in Reg. Army 40 yrs., finally revealed his true identity. Had 2 sons.

Gilman, signer of Dec. of Ind., and U.S. Pres. John Adams.

Her father was the 1st Lord Mayor of Natchez, Miss. and Treas. of the Miss. Terri., mig. there 1788 from Exeter, N. Hampshire. He was also Judge of the Orphan's Court. His home was "Connerly's Tavern" seen today on the Natchez tours.

Elizabeth(Brooks)Hutchins' gr-father's (Dr. John Giddings a member of the

Assembly of N. Hampshire during the Rev. War) was bought in 1929 by the Henry Ford Foundation, and is seen today in Greenfield Village to where it was removed from Exeter, N. Hampshire. Many of her other ancestral homes are still standing and occupied in Exeter, N. Hampshire.

John Hutchins kept a diary, referred to by J.F.H. Claiborne.

Aug 27, 1832, John and Elizabeth (Brooks) Hutchins gave to Richard M. Gaines and their daughter Elizabeth Brooks (Hutchins) Gaines, a parcel of land due to "natural love and affection to the said Eliza B. Gaines"

4. Anthoney Hutchins, C.S.A., mig. to Houston, Texas.

Issue: by 2nd md., Chamberlaine:

5. Rosa Hutchins md. Wesley Smith, lived in Lexington, Mo., had 2 daus. Rosa was banished from Mo. during Civil War to Natchez, Miss. for warning C.S.A. troops.

6. Jim Hutchins became a geologist, mig. to the Rockies.

7. Sam Hutchins mig. to Wyo., was a cattleman.

8. Joe Hutchins d. age 19 of typhoid.

9. Linton Hutchins founded bank in Ft. Worth, Tex. Had 2 sons, 2 daus. His parents died while living with him.

10. Jere Chamberlain Hutchins b. 13 Oct 1851 "Tillawara Plantation" Concordia Parish, La., d. after 1941, Grosse Point, Mich., md. 1st, 1880 Anna Brooks, dau of Joseph Brooks; md. 2nd, 1903 Detroit, Mich., Sarah Russel d. 1939. No living children in 1941. He was President of the Detroit United Railway and author of "A Personal Story".

11. Ellen "Dixie" Hutchins, had 2 sons, 4 daus.

3. John Odlin Hutchins b. 4 Nov 1816 Natchez, Miss., d. 3 July 1890 Biloxi, Miss., md. Aubin Markham b. 17 Sept 1817 d. 28 Dec 1868 "Glen Aubin Plantation" Natchez, Miss.

Issue:

1. Hugh Hutchins, killed by a falling tree.

2. Dr. John Hutchins b. c. 1841 Natchez, Miss. md. 1878 Melissa Harrell, dau of Thomas C. and Elizabeth (Cherry) Harrell. In 1870, Hutchins lived with his uncle and aunt, Judge James Forbes Robinson and Mary Pendleton (Gaines) Robinson on "Deerfield Plantation" Chicot Co., Ark. He practiced medicine in Drew Co., Ark. until 1883, removed to Desha Co., Ark. where he practiced many years. C.S.A. Attended Princeton Univ. before Civil War. Grad. 1868 from Univ. of Louisiana Medical School in New Orleans. He witnessed Richard Mathews Gaines' Will.

3. 4 daughters married and moved elsewhere.

NOTE: This HUTCHINS LINE continues to page 84
Number 7. RICHARD MATHEWS GAINES who
married ELIZABETH BROOKS HUTCHINS

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GAINES

1. THOMAS GAINES: son of: Sir John Gaines of Brecon County, Wales (1559-1606)
 b. 1585 Brecon, Wales
 d. Virginia
 md.
 Emig. c. 1641 from Brecon, Wales to Va.
 Great, great grand-father of Pres. James Madison
 dau of:
 b.
 d.
 Issue:
 *1. James Gaines, I, b. 1620
2. JAMES GAINES, I: b. 1620
 d.
 md.
 He appears in Rap-pahannock Co., Va. by deed May 7, 1663 and by patent to 519a. Mar 2, 1667.
 dau of:
 b.
 d.
 Issue:
 *1. Richard Gaines b. c. 1670 md. Dorothy Kelley
3. RICHARD GAINES: b. c. 1670 King and Queen Co., Virginia (was New Kent Co., Va.)
 d. 13 Feb 1755 Culpeper Co., Virginia
 md.
 DOROTHY KELLEY or CATHERINE MADISON or CATHERINE RAWLINS.
 Antecedant of General Edmund Pendleton Gaines and George Strother Gaines of Alabama.
 dau of:
 b.
 d.
 Inventory of his estate appears in Will Book A, pp. 113, 134, and 205. Culpeper Co., Va.
 Issue:
 *1. James Gaines, II b. c. 1710 md. Mary Pendleton b. 1717
 2. William Henry Gaines d. 1790, md. Isabella Pendleton, Grandfather of General Edmund Pendleton Gaines and George Strother Gaines of Alabama.
 3. Francis Gaines d. c. 1775 md. Dorothy.
 4. Henry Gaines b. c. 1731 d. 1796 md. 1st Maria (Wood) Stoop, md. 2nd, Miss Wilson.
 5. Thomas Gaines
 6. John Gaines
 7. Richard Gaines d. c. 1801 md. Mildred Hollinger or Frances Jolly or Miss Rawlings
 8. Roger Gaines md. Miss Rawlings.
4. JAMES GAINES, II: b. 18 Jan 1710 Culpeper Co., Virginia
 d. 10 Mar 1786 Culpeper Co., Virginia
 md. 1731 Culpeper Co., Virginia
 MARY PENDLETON
 Will probated in Culpeper Co., Va., 20 Mar 1786, Book C, p. 229.
 dau of: Henry and Mary Bishop (Taylor) Pendleton III.
 Mary Pendleton Gaines' d. 1717 King and Queen Co., Virginia
 Will was probated d. 1803 Madison Co., Virginia (formerly Culpeper Co., Va.)
 24 Mar 1803, Will Book 1, p. 392, Madison Co., Va.
 Issue:
 *1. James Gaines, III, b. c. 1739 md. Mildred Bland Pollard.
 2. Rev. Henry Gaines b. c. 1737 King and Queen Co., Va., d. 25 July 1830 Pickens Co., S. Carolina, md. 1st, Martha Ann George, md. 2nd Sarah Churchill.
 She was descended

from Charlesmayne through her maternal line, Gregory. Mary was sister of Edmund Pendleton who is buried inside of Bruton Parish Church, Williamsburg, Va.

3. Richard Edward Gaines d. 1807 md. Elizabeth Broadbuss.
4. Edmund Pendleton Gaines b. c. 1743 d. 1815-16 md. c. 1774 Tabitha Rucker b. 1754 d. 1840, dau of Ephraim Rucker. Lived Madison Co., Va.
5. Joseph Gaines b. c. 1747 moved to Kentucky.
6. William Gaines d. 1780 md. Mary.
7. Francis Gaines b. c. 1752 md. 21 July 1776 Elizabeth Lewis dau of Edward Lewis. Moved to Kentucky.
8. Thomas Gaines b. 1754 d. c. 1800 Newberry Co., S. Carolina, md. 1st, Margaret Bush, dau of Edward Bush of Culpeper Co., Va., md. 2nd, Mrs. Delilah (Fort) Strother, widow of Richard Strother.
9. Catherine Gaines md. c. 1754 William Broadbuss.
10. Mary Gaines b. 1742 d. 1829 md. cd. 1761 Edward Herndon, md. 2nd, John Hawkins.
11. Sarah Gaines md. James Broadbuss.
12. Isabella Gaines d. Mar 1787 md. 1786 Richard Price d. sp.

5. JAMES GAINES, III:

Rev. War: 4 years in the 5th Virginia Regiment of Foot. Court martial clerk 5 years. Sheriff during the Revolution. In 2nd expedition to capture Fort Desquense.

- b. c. 1739 Orange Co., Virginia
- d. 25 Nov 1788 Orange Co., Virginia
- md. 1760 King and Queen Co. or Orange Co., Va.
- MILDRED BLAND POLLARD
- dau of: Robert Pollard III and _____ (Garlick) Pollard.
- b. 1736 King and Queen Co., Virginia
- d. after 1796
- Issue:
- *1. Col. Abner LeGrand Gaines b. 1762 md. Susan Elizabeth Mathews.
2. Dr. Benjamin Pendleton Gaines md. in Abbeville District, S. Carolina, Elizabeth (Ware) Madison. He was a surgeon in War of 1812.
- Issue:
1. William Baxter Pendleton Gaines b. 12 Sept 1808 d. 19 May 1891, md. Eugenia Gratia Harris of Charlotte, N. Carolina.
- Issue:
1. William Pendleton Gaines, b. 20 Nov 1851 Brazoria Co., Texas, md. Sept 1883 Augusta Evans. They resided in Austin, Texas.
- Issue:
1. Aime Celeste Gaines.
2. Edmund Pollard Gaines md. Susan Sample b. c. 1802. They resided in 1850 Marengo Co., Alabama.
- Issue:
1. William Pollard Gaines b. 1832.
2. Mahulda Gaines b. 1832.
3. Strother Gaines b. 1834.
4. Catherine Gaines b. 1834.
5. John Gaines b. 1838.
6. Abner Gaines b. 1840.
7. Edmund Gaines b. 1842.
3. James Gaines
4. Mary Pendleton Gaines b. 12 Feb 1762 d. 8 Oct 1850, md. 31 Jan 1785 William Daniel.
5. Nancy Ann Pollard Gaines b. 26 Jan 1777 d. 5 July 1796 md. W. James Mathews, buried Highland Cemetery, Kenton Co., Ky.
6. Daughter

6. COL. ABNER LAGRANDE GAINES: b. 12 Feb 1762 Orange Co., Virginia
 d. 30 Oct 1839 Gaines X Roads, near Walton, Boone Co., Ky. bur. there
 md. 16 Dec 1792 Augusta Co., Virginia
 SUSAN ELIZABETH MATHEWS
 dau of: William and Mary (Wright) Mathews
 b. 29 Dec 1774 Augusta Co., Virginia (near Parnassas, Va.)
 d. 31 Nov 1861 Gaines X Roads, near Walton, Boone Co., Ky. bur. there.
 Issue:
 *1. Richard Mathews Gaines b. Feb 1802 Boone Co., Ky., d.
 20 Aug 1871 "Mason Lake Plantation" Chicot Co., Ark. md.
 27 May 1830 Natchez, Miss. Elizabeth Brooks Hutchins b. 7
 Sept 1813 "White Apple Village" Plantation near Natchez,
 Miss., d. 9 Nov 1840 Natchez, Miss., buried Natchez Cemetery
 dau of John and Elizabeth (Brooks) Towson Hutchins of Nat-
 chez, Miss.
 2. James Mathews Gaines b. 1 Dec 1793 Virginia, md. July 1827
 Elvira Percival Tousey b. 1809 Ky.
 Issue:
 1. Pendleton W. Gaines
 2. Alfred S. Gaines
 3. William T. Gaines b. 1832 d. c. 1850, unmarried.
 4. George T. Gaines b. 1834 md. 1859 Susan Randolph Harrison
 b. 1838.
 Issue:
 1. William T. Gaines
 2. Pendleton Cabell Gaines
 3. George T. Gaines
 4. James Mathews Gaines, Jr.
 5. Lucy H. Gaines
 6. Elvira T. Gaines
 7. Mamie E. Gaines
 5. Elvira Tousey Gaines b. 1841 md. c. 1859 Joseph Chambers
 6. Oliver LeGrand Gaines b. 1843.
 3. General and Gov. John Pollard Gaines b. 22 Sept 1795 Augusta
 Co., Va., d. 9 Dec 1857 Salem, Oregon, buried Old Pioneer
 Cemetery, Salem, Ore. md. 1st, 22 June 1819 Elizabeth Kin-
 caid d. 1851, dau of Nicholas Kincaid of Versailles, Ky.,
 md. 2nd, 25 Nov 1852 Margaret Burnside Wand. He was Maj-Gen.
 in Thomas Marshall's Ky. Cav. Brigade in the Mex. War., cap-
 tured in Mexico City, escaped. Was in War of 1812. Member
 of Ky. Legislature, appointed Gov. of Oregon Territory by
 Pres. Taylor.
 Issue:
 1. Archibald Kincaid Gaines b. 1822, never married.
 2. Richard Gaines md. Ada Titsworth.
 3. Flors Gaines, untraced.
 4. Harriet Gaines, untraced.
 5. Mary Gaines b. 1839 md. Mr. Belding of Hot Springs, Ark.
 6. Matilda Gaines b. 1840, untraced.
 7. Abner Pendleton Gaines, b. 1844 d. in Oregon, md. Mary
 Ellen Looney.
 Issue:
 1. Chester Gaines
 2. Richard L. Gaines.
 3. John P. Gaines
 4. Ida Gaines md. Mr. Waggoner
 5. Harriet Gaines md. Mr. Sims
 6. A dau md. Mr. Job.
- Mig. 1793 to near
 Walton, Boone Co., Ky.
 The house he built
 still stands, is re-
 stored, and occupied.
 It has 20 rooms, 3
 stairways, 1 secret
 room and underground
 tunnel, 10 carved
 mantles with wood
 burning fireplaces.
 His home was a cen-
 ter of state wide hos-
 pitality to notables
 of the day such as
 U.S. Vice Pres.
 Richard M. Johnson,
 his brother, Judge
 Benjamin Johnson 1822
 Judge of the Superior
 Court of Ark., Henry
 Clay, Pres. Andrew
 Jackson, and Hon. J.
 G. Carlisle. The
 house was built in 1793
 and occupied by them
 till her death, occur-
 ing the 1st year of the
 Civil War 1861. Gen.
 Kirby-Smith, friend of
 Judge James Forbes Rob-
 inson, used this house
 for staff headquarters,
 while he was in Ky.,
 during Civil War.
 Col. Abner LaGrand Gaines
 was a school teacher and
 planter.
 Susan Elizabeth (Mathews)
 Gaines was either a niece
 or cousin of Gov. George
 Mathews of Georgia. She
 was, reportedly, descend-
 ed from Gov. Samuel
 Mathews, Gov. of Va.
 1656-1660.
 Her birth place, the
 home of her parents,
 William Mathews and Mary
 (Wright) Mathews, still
 stands and is occupied
 near Parnassas, Augusta
 Co., Va.
 Abner LaGrand Gaines'
 Will, probated Dec 1839,
 is in Boone Co., Ky.
 Will Book D, pp.31,32,33.

8. Anna Maria Gaines b. June 1827 d. 9 May 1898 Little Rock Ark., buried Mt. Holly Cemetery, md. post 1865 Peter Hangar II b. 1807 Augusta Co., Va. d. 1895 Little Rock, Ark., buried Mt. Holly Cemetery, son of Margaret (Mathews) Hangar, sister of Anna Maria's g. mother, Susan Elizabeth (Mathews) Gaines, and Peter Hangar I, who both d. young, leaving son Peter II an orphan to be reared by his aunt and uncle Col. and Mrs. Abner LaGrand Gaines. Peter Hangar md. 1st, 18 June 1850 Matilda Cunningham dau of Dr. Mathew Cunningham, first Mayor of Little Rock, Ark. Peter Hangar first mig. c. 1830 to Chicot Co., Ark. with his Gaines cousins. In 1836, he represented Chicot Co. in the Ark. Legislature. He removed to Little Rock, where he bought the "Anthoney Hotel" and several businesses. In 1860, he built the "Jones House" 814 Scott, which is now featured on the Quapaw Quarter Tours. His home was "Oak wood" located on a bluff at the eastern edge of the Quapaw Quarter which became known as "Hangar Hill". This house was used during the Civil War by Gen. Sterling Price, C.S.A. as staff headquarters. The house no longer stands, but Churchill Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy have placed a marker on the site. His son, Frederick Hangar, in 1899 built the "Hangar House" 1010 Scott St., now featured on the Quapaw Quarter Tours. He had no children by his 2nd md.

Issue: by 2nd md., Margaret Burnside Wand.

9. Catherine Gaines md. Homer Greene

10. Ann Gaines, untraced.

4. Maj. William Haney Gaines, b. 30 June 1797 Ky. d. 1 June 1894 Hot Springs, Ark. md. 1st, 10 June 1819 Alethea Early, md. 2nd, 1829 Maria Belding dau of Ludovicus and Lydia (Bassett) Belding. He first migrated to Arkansas c. 1830, to Gaines Landing, Chicot Co., Ark. He later removed to Hot Springs, Ark. and was a major factor in the development of Hot Springs, Ark.

Issue: by 1st md., Alethea Early. (kin to Gen. Jubal Early)

1. Virenda A. Gaines md. 1st, George Pendleton, md. 2nd, Col. Sappington of Little Rock, Ark.

Issue:

1. Althea Pendleton b. Star City, Ark., d. Hot Springs, Ark. md. Star City, Ark. Leland Leatherman, lawyer, Mayor of Star City, Ark. They removed to Hot Springs, Ark. where he became Chancery Judge Feb. 1894.

Issue:

1. Mable Leatherman md. Mr. Shelby

Issue:

1. Talbot Shelby, lives in Hot Springs, Ark.
2. George Shelby, lives in California.
2. George Pendleton Leatherman md. Julia Wilson Van Vleit. He was County Assessor and Collector of Hot Springs, Ark.

Issue:

1. Leland Fletcher Leatherman, b. 16 Feb 1915 Hot Springs, Ark. md. Margaret Fitzgerald. No issue. He grad. 1939 from Univ. of Ark. Law School, is now in practice with former Gov. Sidney McMath and Henry Woods, Little Rock, Ark.

2. Dr. James Wilson Leatherman md. Eleanor McMurphy.
He practiced medicine in Hot Springs, Ark.

Issue:

1. James Leatherman, student of Univ. of Ark.
School of Medicine, 1975.
2. Tom Leatherman, student of Univ. of Ark.
School of Medicine, 1975.
3. Martha Leatherman

Issue by 2nd md., Maria Belding

2. Frances L. Gaines md. Mr. Balzell
3. William H. Gaines II, untraced.
4. Louisa E. Gaines md. E. S. Blaisdell
5. Mary Pendleton Gaines, never married.
6. Abner LeGrand Gaines, died in infancy.
7. Albert Belding Gaines b. 17 Aug 1857 md. 1882 Mary C.
Fellows of Camden, Ark. They lived in St. Louis, Mo.

Issue:

1. Daniel Fellows Gaines md. Dorothea Haley
2. Albert Belding Gaines, Jr.
8. Augusta Gaines b. 24 Aug 1851 d. 29 May 1946 Hot
Springs, Ark., md. 29 June 1875 Samuel Henry Stitt son
of David Patterson Stitt and Mary Ann Pollard. The
Stitt home, Park Ave., Hot Springs, Ark., is now, 1975,
occupied by their granddau Mrs. Ralph Patterson, being
the home of 4 generations of Stitts. Samuel Henry
Stitt was most prominent in Hot Springs, and one of
its valued civic leaders.

Issue:

1. Elizabeth Mary Stitt b. 6 May 1876 d. 6 June 1954,
md. 18 Dec 1911 Eugene Polk.
2. Samuel Henry Stitt II, d. in infancy.
3. Herbert David Stitt, b. 7 Mar 1880, d. Mar 1943,
md. 1905 Mary Pendleton.
4. Frank Lewis Stitt b. 26 Oct 1883 Hot Springs, Ark.
d. 19 Feb 1958 Hot Springs, Ark. md. 11 Nov 1907
Helen McCarthy b. 6 June 1887 d. 19 Feb 1958, dau
of John Humphrey McCarthy and Helen (Monahan) of
Little Rock, Ark.

Issue:

1. Frank Lewis Stitt II, b. 16 Jan 1910 d. 5 June
1927 Hot Springs, Ark.
2. Helen McCarthy Stitt b. 11 Oct 1917 md. 27 Sept
1935 Dr. Ralph Moody Patterson b. 29 Aug 1909
Celeste, Tex. He practices medicine in Hot
Springs, Ark.

Issue:

1. Ralph Moody Patterson, II, b. 17 May 1936,
md. 2 Aug 1963 Patricia. He is a practicing
attorney in N. Little Rock, Ark. and an Ark.
State Senator. Grad. of Univ. of Ark. Law
School.

Issue:

1. Lynde Gaines Patterson, b. 8 Sept 1965,
Fayetteville, Ark.
2. Cecel Stitt Patterson b. 24 Oct 1966 N.
Little Rock, Ark.
3. Ralph Moody Patterson III b. 13 Nov 1970
N. Little Rock, Ark.

2. Helen Stitt Patterson b. 25 Nov 1943 md.
3 Sept 1966 Robert Miller Goff II. They
reside in Little Rock, Ark.
Issue:
1. Helen Stitt Goff b. 25 Apr 1970 Anna-
pollis, Maryland.
3. Frank Stitt Patterson b. 25 Nov 1943. Twin,
not married.
5. Mary Wright Gaines b. 5 Mar 1800 Boone Co., Ky., d. 8
June 1875 Ark. md. 4 Mar 1824 Boone Co., Ky. John Craig
Busch b. 1797 Fredricksburg, Va. d. 1884 Ark., son of
John Busch and Sally (Craig) Busch. They mig. to near
Star City, Lincoln Co., Ark.
Issue:
1. Phillip Edward Busch b. 1831 d. 1904 md. 1850 Vir-
ginia Lindsey Branson b. 1831 d. 1879, dau of Nathan
Branson and Marie Woodworth.
Issue:
1. Sally Craig Busch b. 1860 d. 1914 md. 1880 William
Thaddeus Traweek.
Issue:
1. Sarah Ellen Traweek b. 28 Oct 1882 Lincoln Co.,
Ark. md. 3 Apr 1907 Star City, Ark. Dr. Charles
W. Dixon, son of Charles Virginus Dixon and
Cornelia Emma Pendleton of Douglas, Ark. His
maternal grandfather was Dr. Samuel Henry Pendle-
ton, from whom Pendleton, Ark. is named. both
the Dixons took a very active roll in the civic
life of Southeast Ark. for over half a century.
They resided in Gould, Ark. where he practiced
medicine.
Issue:
1. Tighlman Dixon, lawyer in Little Rock, Ark.
6. Benjamin Pollard Gaines b. 8 Nov 1803 Boone Co., Ky.,
d. 8 Nov 1878 md. 1824 Matilda Fox Kincaid dau of Nicholas
Kincaid of Versailles, Ky. They settled Gaines Landing,
Chicot Co., Ark. 1824, where the first Episcopal Mission
West of the Miss. River held services, and was first
started. Gaines Landing became the gateway to the South
west.
Issue:
1. Elizabeth Priscilla Gaines b. 16 Apr 1825 Boone Co.,
Ky., d. 20 July 1909 Chicot Co., Ark. buried Lake
Village Cemetery, md. 1843 Johnson Chapman b. 19 May
1815 Orange Court House, Va., d. 17 Aug 1868 Columbus,
Ark., buried Lake Village Cemetery, son of Richard
Meriwether Chapman and Maria (Verdier) Chapman.
Issue:
1. Matilda (Mattie) Chapman b. 17 Aug 1844 Chicot Co.,
Ark., d. 4 June 1925 Chicot Co., Ark., buried Lake
Village Cemetery, md. John G. B. Simms b. 1 May
1845 d. 9 July 1919 buried Lake Village Cemetery.
Issue:
1. Ida Simms b. 1883 d. 1967 buried Lake Village
Cemetery, md. John R. Haynes b. 1874 d. 1949
buried Lake Village Cemetery.
Issue:

1. Mattie Haynes, lives in Lake Village, Ark.
 2. William Haynes md. 1st Louise Morrison d. 1962, md. 2nd 1964 Ruby Griffith.
 2. Lilly Simms b. 2 Mar 1886 d. 7 Feb 1971 md. Mr. McClintock. She is buried Lake Village Cem.
 3. Augusta Simms b. 27 Dec 1880 d. 17 Feb 1971 buried Lake Village Cemetery, md. William Kirten b. 6 June 1876 d. 31 July 1964 buried Lake Village Cemetery.
 4. Albert Gallatin Simms b. 187_, d. 1945 buried Lake Village Cemetery md. Mary Alice b. 20 Apr 1881 d. 23 June 1967 buried Lake Village Cem.
 5. John Broadus Simms b. 1877 d. 1944 md. Julia Carlton b. 1880 d. 1970. Both buried Lake Village Cemetery.
 2. Elizabeth Chapman b. 1846 d. in infancy.
 3. Richard Mossom Chapman b. 24 Nov 1849 d. 8 Nov 1854, buried Lake Village Cemetery.
 4. Benjamin Gaines Chapman b. 1852 d. 1923 md. 1879 Chicot Co., Ark. Lula Hopkins.
 5. Johnson Chapman, II b. 18 Aug 1858 d. 6 Sept 1910 md. Jessie Miller b. 19 June 1858 d. 26 June 1936, both buried in Lake Village Cemetery.
- Issue:
1. Johnson Chapman, III, b. 14 Feb 1882 d. 8 Apr 1926, buried Lake Village Cemetery.
 2. Edward Miller Chapman b. 1885 d. 1943 buried Lake Village Cemetery.
6. Margaret Gaines Chapman b. 11 Sept 1858 d. 7 Aug 1893 buried Lake Village Cemetery, md. Judge James Forbes Robinson b. 28 Nov 1830 Ireland, d. 1909 buried Lake Village Cemetery. This was his 2nd md. He md. 1st, Mary Pendleton Gaines, dau of Richard Mathews Gaines (see for his first issue and history).
- Issue:
1. Gaines Robinson never married
 2. Helen G. Robinson b. 21 Jan 1883 d. 18 Apr 1902 buried Lake Village Cemetery.
 3. Spence Robinson never married.
 4. Mattie Robinson md. Calmese Merritt, Sheriff of Chicot Co., Ark., mig. to La.
- Issue:
1. Mary Merritt, never married, lives in Baton Rouge, La.
 2. Margaret Merritt, md. Mr. Beard, div., lives in Baton Rouge, La.
7. Charles Stuart Chapman b. 31 May 1861 d. 5 May 1933 md. Ninette H. Simms b. 3 Sept 1866 d. 28 Nov 1928, both buried Lake Village Cemetery.
 8. Mary Proctor Chapman b. 5 Feb 1863 d. 4 Feb 1951 md. 1888 Richard Mathews Gaines, son of Dr. John Hutchins Gaines and Helen Marie Pendleton (Fouchee) Gaines of Hot Springs, Ark. (see) Both buried Lake Village, Ark. Cemetery.
- Issue:
1. Lt. Charles Chapman Gaines b. 21 Jan 1890 d. 4 Jan 1921, buried Lake Village Cemetery.
 2. Elizabeth Pendleton Gaines b. 28 Sept 1893

d. Jan 1968 Lake Village, Ark. md. Col. George Spence Fricke. (see issue under Richard Mathews Gaines section).

9. Maria Verdier Chapman b. 30 Jan 1848 d. 26 Nov 1916 md. Charles H. Carlton b. 24 Dec 1838 d. 8 Aug 1892, both buried Lake Village Cemetery.

Issue:

1. Herman Carlton
2. Irene Carlton b. 1886 d. 1952, never married.
3. Julia Carlton b. 1872 d. 1934 md. Edward B. Bagby b. 1870 d. 1945, both buried Lake Village cemetery.
4. Gertrude Carlton b. 28 Aug 1879 d. 7 July 1914 md. Garlick H. Bagby b. 1875 d. 1940, both buried Lake Village Cemetery.
5. Daisy Carlton b. 1882 d. 1970 md. Charles C. Haynes b. 1871 d. 1936, both buried Lake Village Cemetery.

2. Mary Wright Gaines b. 1 June 1826, d. 8 Jan 1909 buried Lake Village Cemetery, md. Stephen Proctor.

3. Margaret Mitchim Gaines b. 8 Apr 1828 d. 7 July 1895, buried Lake Village Cemetery, never married.

4. Archie Ann Gaines b. 1829 md. Mr. White, lived in Hot Springs, Ark.

7. General Augustus Woodford Gaines b. 1805 Boone Co., Ky. d. 10 Feb 1860 md. 4 Feb 1830 Ann Daniel dau of Abner Gaines Daniel. General Gaines was Paymaster General, U.S. Army.

Issue:

1. Robert Wickcliffe Gaines b. 1831 Ky., d. in infancy.
2. Laura Gaines b. 1833 Ky., d. c. 1895, unmarried.
3. Mildred Pollard Gaines b. 1835 Ky., md. R.R.H. Toe Laer.
4. Sarah Ann Gaines b. 1839 d. young, unmarried.
5. Mary Bush Gaines b. c. 1841 Ky. d. 4 yrs. of age.
6. Augustus Woodford Gaines, Jr. b. 1837 Ky. d. 1847.
7. Mary Gaines b. 1843 Ky. d. 3 yrs. of age.
8. Susan Elizabeth Gaines b. 1837 Ky. d. 21 July 1916 Puerto Cortes, Honduras, md. Meade Montgomery, d. 1862 Memphis, Tenn. Major, C.S.A. She md. 2nd, Major E. A. Burke.

Issue:

1. William Meade Montgomery, Jr. b. 1862 d. prior 1901 md. 1885 Virginia Patrick.

8. Archibald Kincaid Gaines b. 7 Jan 1808 Boone Co., Ky., d. 1871 md. 1st, 22 Aug 1843 Margaret Dudley md. 2nd by 1850 Elizabeth T. Dudley. They were sisters.

Issue: by 1st md. Margaret Dudley

1. Elizabeth Mathews Gaines b. 1844
2. John Dudley Gaines b. 1846

Issue: by 2nd md., Elizabeth T. Dudley.

3. Margaret A. Gaines b. 1852
4. William L. Gaines b. 1854
5. Jane B. Gaines b. 1856 md. Mr. Collins
6. Archibald K. Gaines b. 1859

9. Abner LaGrand Gaines b. 12 Feb 1810 d. 5 May 1877.

10. Elizabeth Harrison Gaines b. July 1812 Boone Co., Ky., d. 1887 md. 26 July 1831 George T. Hubbell b. New York. They resided in Kentucky.

Issue:

1. Abner LaGrand Hubbell b. 1833 Ky.
2. Mildred Pollard Hubbell b. 1836, Ky.
3. Archibald K. Hubbell b. 1845, Ky.
11. Harriet B. Gaines b. 20 May 1817, never married.
12. Mildred Pollard Gaines b. 20 July 1815 Boone Co., Ky.
d. 26 Dec 1900 "Lake Hall Plantation" Chicot Co., Ark.,
buried Lake Hall Cemetery, md. 8 Feb 1841 Anthoney
Harpin Davies b. 28 Apr 1798 Derby, Conn., d. 10 Sept
1862 "Lake Hall Plantation" Chicot Co., Ark. He remov-
ed to Ark. in 1835 where he established "Lake Hall Plan-
tation" Chicot Co. He was a lawyer, planter, merchant,
banker, member 1836-38 Ark. Legislature, member of the
1st Ark. Constitutional Convention, Chicot Co. Judge
1858-60, and member of the 1840 convention nominating
Wm. Henry Harrison for president. He died as the first
Federal troops entered southern Ark. Portrait of him
is owned by Margaret Davies Carner, 1975, and portrait
of Mildred Pollard (Gaines) Davies is owned, 1975, by
Hebe Fry Riddick, both of Little Rock, Ark.

Issue:

1. Pollard Harpin Davies b. 13 Nov 1841 d. 12 Mar 1930,
C.S.A.
2. Frances Walker Davies b. 2 Feb 1844 d. 5 Oct 1870
md. 3 Oct 1867 Charles William Fry b. 1 May 1842
Orange Court House, Va. d. 6 Sept 1922 Hot Springs,
Ark., son of Phillip Slaughter Fry and All Clayton
Slaughter.

Issue:

1. William Reuben Fry b. 18 Sept 1870 Orange Court
House, Va. d. 1940 Hot Springs, Ark. md. 1902
Grace Greenwood Rector, dau of Dr. Henry Massey
Rector and Hebe Frances Gower.

Issue:

1. Hebe Gower Fry b. 8 Sept 1903 Texarkana, Ark.
md. Oct 1925 Federal Judge Walter Garrett
Riddick b. 1883 Gainesville, Ark. d. 31 July
1953 Little Rock, Ark. son of Judge James
Edward Riddick and Emma Wade Mack. He was
Federal Judge, Court of Appeals, 8th Circuit.

Issue:

1. Walter Garrett Riddick, II b. 18 Nov 1926
Little Rock, Ark. md. 1st, Marguerite Rice
d. 1965, md. 2nd, 16 Apr 1972 Joanne Ham-
ilton. Asst. U.S. Attorney, E. Dist. Ark.

Issue:

1. Walter Garrett Riddick III b. 10 May 1956
2. Hebe Fry Riddick b. 12 July 1930 Little Rock
Ark. md. Zack Baer II, divorced. She is
working on her doctorate at the Univ. of Ark.

Issue:

1. Maurice Zack Baer, III.
3. Frederick Walter Davies b. 16 Nov 1846 d. Aug 1929
md. Kate Fry.
4. Anthoney LaGrand Davies b. 24 Dec 1848, untraced.
5. Abner Gaines Davies, d. in infancy.

6. Robert Geddes Davies b. 29 Sept 1851 Lake Hall Plantation, Chicot Co., Ark. d. 19 Feb 1933 Hot Springs, Ark. md. 11 May 1875 Cornelia Alice Gibbs b. Raphine, Va., dau of James E. Gibbs. Davies was a lawyer, having read law with Augustus Garland, and was City Attorney of Hot Springs, Ark. He md. 2nd, Margaret Cameron Fulham, dau of Isaac Fairchild Fulham.

Issue: by 1st md., Gibbs.

1. Harpin Davies
2. James Gibbs Davies
3. Fanny Davies
4. Charles Davies

Issue: by 2nd md., Fulham

5. Cornelia Davies d. prior 27 Mar 1938, md. Mr. Woodcock.
6. Allen Thurman Davies, never md. He was City Attorney for Hot Springs, Ark. and member of the Ark. Legislature.
7. Fulham Fairchild Davies b. 22 Feb 1890 Helena, Montana md. Harriet Aline Lower, dau of Robert Horn Lower and Nettie (Cummins) of Hot Springs, Ark. He was manager of Merrill, Lynch, Fenner, and Bean, Little Rock, Ark.

Issue:

1. Alice Lorraine Davies, b. 10 Mar 1915 Hot Springs, Ark. md. James R. Harris.
2. Harriet Kilene Davies b. 23 Feb 1919 Hot Springs, Ark. md. Jefferson Speck.
3. Margaret Cameron Davies b. 24 Dec 1923 md. 12 June 1947 Joseph Norbert Carner b. 31 Aug 1919, son of Joseph Karner of Austria, and Helen Peters of Budapest, Hungary. Margaret Grad. Master of Fine Arts, Goodman Memorial Theatre, Art Institute of Chicago, Ill. She is an honorary member of the Ark. Bar Assoc., Asst. Prof. of Theatre Arts at Univ. of Ark. of Little Rock. Joe Carner is Asst. Prof. of Multimedia at Univ. of Ark. Both members of Trinity Episcopal Cathedral.

Issue:

1. Margaret Cameron Carner b. 20 Feb 1962, twin, Little Rock, Ark.
2. Frances Cornelia Carner b. 20 Feb 1962, twin, Little Rock, Ark.

7. RICHARD MATHEWS GAINES: b. Feb 1802 near Walton, Boone Co., Ky.
 d. 20 Aug 1871 "Mason Lake Plantation" Chicot Co., Ark.
 md. 27 May 1830 Natchez, Mississippi
 ELIZABETH BROOKS HUTCHINS
 dau of: John and Elizabeth (Brooks) Towsen Hutchins
 b. 7 Sept 1813 "White Apple Plantation" near Natchez, Miss.
 d. 9 Nov 1840 Natchez, Miss., buried Natchez Cemetery.
 Issue:
 *1. Mary Pendleton Gaines b. 1837 md. Judge James Forbes Robinson.
 2. Abner Gaines md. Miss Martin
 Issue:
 1. Minnie Gaines md. Mr. Lombard
 2. Proctor Gaines
 Issue:
 1. Lena Gaines md. Mr. McMurray
 2. Brooxie Gaines
 3. Dr. John Hutchins Gaines b. 7 Mar 1831 Natchez, Miss.,
 d. 1909 Hot Springs, Ark., buried there, md. 18 May 1854
 Helen Marie Pendleton Fouchée, dau of William and Mary
 Ann (Pendleton) Fouchée; b. 1832, buried Hot Springs, Ark.
 Grad. 1849 Danville, Ky. 1853, Grad. Univ. of Louisiana
 Medical School. In 1853 began practice of medicine in
 Chicot Co., Ark. C.S.A. In 1885 removed to Hot Springs,
 Ark. Member of Ark. Med. Society and American Medical
 Association. Episcopal.
 Issue:
 1. Mary Pendleton Gaines d. in infancy.
 2. Margaret Bruce Gaines d. 1929 Hot Springs, Ark.
 3. Benjamin Pollard Gaines d. in infancy.
 4. Edmund Pendleton Gaines md. Mary Ella Cook.
 5. Abner Gaines b. Dec 1857 d. Apr 19 6 md. Alice Virginia
 Trotter. He was United States Marshall of Ark. Sheriff
 of Chicot Co., Ark.
 Issue:
 1. Helen F. Gaines
 2. Ellison C. Gaines
 3. Edmund Pendleton Gaines
 4. Dixon Trotter Gaines. Chicot Co., Ark. Clerk,
 Treasurer, Assessor, and Editor of the Chicot
 Spectator Newspaper.
 6. Richard Mathews Gaines b. 1855 Chicot Co., Ark. d. 1931
 Chicot Co., Ark. md. 1888 Chicot Co., Ark., Mary Proctor
 Chapman b. 1863 d. 4 Feb 1951, dau of Johnson and
 Priscilla (Gaines) Chapman. Grad. Locust Dale Academy
 Madison Co., Va. Read law under Judge James Forbes
 Robinson. Admitted to Ark. Bar 1879. Chicot Co. Treas.
 Planter. Episcopal. The "Deerfield Plantation" Mansion,
 home of Mary Pendleton (Gaines) and Judge James Forbes
 Robinson, burned the night Robinson was having a wedding
 party for Richard Mathews and Mary Proctor (Chapman)
 Gaines. The mansion burned to the ground, and they were
 unable to save any of the grand French imported furniture,
 family portraits, nor the vast amounts of English, American,
 or Irish silver which had been so carefully buried
 throughout the Civil War.
 Issue:
 1. Lt. Charles Chapman Gaines, d. in service.
- Mig. c. 1822 to Natchez, Miss. Appointed, by Pres. Andrew Jackson, U.S. Dist. Attorney of Mississippi. Est. plantation on Woodville Rd. 2½ mi. from Natchez, Miss. 1830-34 Attorney General of Miss. 1833 Est. "Gaines Landing" Chicot Co., Ark. with 2 brothers. Mexican War, 1846, was appointed inspector of "Fox's Staff, 2nd Div., Miss. Militia. 1849-50 mig. to "Mason Lake Plantation" Chicot Co., Ark. 1856, Ark. delegate to Nat. Convention. 1856-60 Member Ark. Senate. 1861, Nominated delegate to Confed. Conven. His mansion, burned 1972, was noted for "Free and genuine hospitality". His portrait miniature, owned by Lucile R. Johnson, 1975. Episcopal. Mason. Elizabeth Brooks (Hutchins) Gaines was descended from Col. Anthony Hutchins, the "Stormy Petrel" of early Miss. history. She was also descended from the 1st and 2nd Governors of the Mass. Bay Colony, Gov. John Winthrop and Gov. Thomas Dudley. Her grandfather was Judge Samuel Brooks, 1st Lord Mayor of Natchez, and Treas. of the Miss. Terri. His home, Gonnerly's Tavern is seen today on the Natchez Tours. The home of her Gr-Grandfather, Dr. John Giddings, Member of the N. Hampshire Assembly during the Rev.

War, was bought in 1929 by the Henry Ford Museum and moved to Greenfield Village where it is now on display.

Her father's home, "Woodbourn" now known as "Fair Oaks", Natchez, Miss. is included on the Natchez Tours. Many of her other ancestral homes in Exeter, N. Hampshire are still standing and occupied, some dating as far back as the 17th century.

She was also related to Gov. C.C. Claiborne, 1801 Gov. of Miss. Territory, 1803, Gov. of La. Territory, including Arkansas.

Richard Mathews Gaines was among the first to practice law in Chicot Co., Ark., c. 1836.

Will of Richard Mathews Gaines was Probated Aug 30, 1871, Chicot Co., Ark.

Aug 27, 1832, from John and Elizabeth Hutchins to Richard M. Gaines and his wife Elizabeth Brooks Hutchins Gaines, a parcel of land in Natchez, Miss., due to "natural love and affection to the said Eliza B. Gaines".

June 20, 1836, Richard Mathews Gaines bought "Gostic Place Plantation", 2½ miles out on the Woodville Road from Natchez, Miss.

Mar 22, 1836, Richard M. Gaines bought land in Chicot Co., Ark. Deed Record B, p.186.

Sept. 19, 1835, Richard M. Gaines bought property in Natchez, Miss. next to the Bank.

Aug 10, 1861, Richard M. Gaines gave property to his daughter Mary Pendleton (Gaines) Robinson, in Chicot Co., Ark., "Deerfield Plantation".

2. Elizabeth Pendleton Gaines b. 28 Sept 1893 Chicot Co., Ark. d. Jan 1968 Lake Village, Ark., md. Col. George Spence Fricke.

Issue:

1. Richard Gaines Fricke b. 5 Mar 1924 New Orleans, La., d. 15 Dec 1968 Lake Village, Ark. md. Susan Virginia Cain b. 26 Oct 1925, dau of John Leonard and Maye (Harris) Cain. Resides in Lake Village, Ark.
- Issue:
 1. John Cain Fricke, b. 16 Dec 1954 Lake Village, Ark.
 2. George Spence Fricke II, b. 24 Nov 1853 Lake Village, Ark.
 3. Laura Chapman Fricke b. 17 Mar 1956 Lake Village, Ark.
3. Richard Mathews Gaines d. 1920 never married.
4. William Fouchee Gaines, never married.
5. Benjamin Pollard Gaines d. 1949 Lake Village, Ark. md. Garmillia Livingston, dau of William Emmet Livingston and Margaret.

Issue:

1. Dr. Benjamin Gaines, Jr., b. 24 Aug 1930 Lake Village, Ark. md. 19 Oct 1957 Shelba Jean Davidson b. 29 Apr 1939, dau of Lee Davidson. He is a dentist in Branson, Missouri.
- Issue:
 1. Benjamin P. Gaines III b. 22 June 1959 Kansas City, Mo.
 2. Jeanine Gaines b. 4 Sept 1961 Harrison, Ark.
 3. Jacqueline Gaines b. 30 Oct 1962 Branson, Mo.
2. Richard Livingston Gaines b. 8 Oct 1941 Lake Village, Ark. md. 1966 Patricia Mishler. He is an accountant in Lake Village, Ark.
- Issue:
 1. Holli Marie Gaines b. 11 Apr 1967 Lake Village, Ark.
 2. Leslie Ann Gaines b. 29 Jan 1969 Lake Village, Ark.
 3. Tricia Richelle Gaines b. 22 Aug 1971 Lake Village, Ark.
4. Daughter b. 3 Jan 1833 d. 3 Jan 1833 Natchez, Miss. Buried Natchez, Miss. Cemetery.
5. Mary Elizabeth Gaines b. 14 Feb 1836 d. 1 Mar 1936, buried Natchez, Miss. Cemetery.

JUDGE JAMES FORBES ROBINSON: son of:

Emig. c. 1840 to U.S. from Ireland. His father had shipyards. He had a sister in Ire., Lady Margaret Robinson. A brother, Henry Robinson, came to U.S. with him, settled in the north. Judge Robinson taught law c. 1851 Jefferson College, Natchez, Miss. Mig. c. 1853 to Chicot Co., Ark. 1854, admitted to the Ark. Bar. C.S.A. Major, 23rd Ark. Inf. Reg. under Gen. Kirby Smith. "Chicot Guards". Friend of and corresponded with Robert E. Lee, Albert Pike, Kirby Smith. These letters are owned, 1976, by Sam Robinson, Jr. 1881, Ark. Legislature. 1891-99, 1st Chancellor of 2nd Division of Ark. His portrait hangs in McGehee, Ark. Court House. Episcopal-Vestry for many years. Mary: When child, received diamond ring from Jefferson Davis. When married, received "Deerfield Plantation" as gift from her father. Their plantation home burned 1888. July 1864, "Battle of Ditch Bayou" occurred very close to "Deerfield". In 1873, during Reconstruction, three white men were hanged by rioting black masses. Judge Robinson, with his 15 yr. old son, John Hutchins Robinson, drove his wagon through the mob, cut down the hanged men, drove back through the mob, and buried them.

b. 28 Nov 1830 Ireland
d. 1909 "Deerfield Plantation" Chicot Co., Ark., buried Lake Village, Ark. Cemetery.
md. 2 July 1857 "Mason Lake Plantation", Chicot Co., Ark.
MARY PENDLETON GAINES md. 2nd, Margaret Gaines Chapman
dau of: Richard Mathews and Elizabeth Brooks (Hutchins) Gaines.
b. 1837 Natchez, Mississippi
d. 1876 "Deerfield Plantation", Chicot Co., Ark., buried in Lake Village, Ark. Cemetery.

Issue:
1. Henry (Harry) Clay Robinson b. 1869 md. Marian Rucks Dunn.
2. John Hutchins Robinson b. 1859 "Deerfield Plantation" Chicot Co., Ark.; Grad. Yale Univ.; Served in Phillipines during Spanish-Amer. War; mig. to Gunnison, Colorado; Engineer. His daughter lived in California, untraced.
3. James Forbes Robinson, Jr. b. 1873 "Deerfield Plantation" Chicot Co., Ark.; Grad. Yale Univ.; mig. to Gunnison, Colorado; engineer. Untraced.
4. Elizabeth Brooks (Brooxie) Hutchins Robinson b. 1869 "Deerfield Plantation" Chicot Co., Ark. md. 1st, Mr. Allen, md. 2nd, Mr. Walter P. Shelton of Greenville, Miss.

Issue:
1. Mary Allen md. Dr. Lanquary, mig. to Calif., no issue.
2. Ann Annette Robinson b. 16 Aug 1875 "Deerfield Plantation" Chicot Co., Ark., d. Feb 1941 Hot Springs, Ark., md. 16 Dec 1896, U. S. Army Capt. William Curtis Neary d. June 1898 Santiago, Cuba during Spanish Amer. War, son of Capt. Wm. J. Neary, C.S.A., Georgia; both buried Arlington National Cemetery close to the Lee home.
1. Margaret Curtis Neary b. 27 Sept 1898 Hot Springs, Ark. d. 27 Oct 1973 Abdington, Va., buried Abdington Church, Gloucester Co., Va., md. 16 Aug 1921 Trinity Episcopal Cathedral Little Rock, Ark.; Div.; Robert Wallace Reynolds b. 6 Oct 1899 Lake Village, Ark., d. 1 Jan 1970 Lake Village, Ark., grandson of General Daniel H. Reynolds, C.S.A. of Chicot Co., Ark. General Reynolds' home on Lake Chicot in Lake Village, Ark. still stands and is occupied.

Issue:
1. Margaret Annette Reynolds b. 23 Aug 1922 Hot Springs, Ark. md. 16 June 1947 Louisville, Ky., Charles Clifton Pittenger b. 7 Sept 1920 Louisville, Ky. They reside in Louisville, Ky.

Issue:
1. Charles C. Pittenger, Jr. b. 26 June 1949. Grad. Centre College of Ky. Lives in Louisville, Ky.
2. Margaret Bruce Pittenger, b. 21 Feb 1951 md. 30 June 1973 Louisville, Ky., John Roscoe Proffitt, III of Dalton, Ga. She grad. of Agnes Scott College. Lives in Slidell, Louisiana.
3. Wallace Neary Pittenger b. 7 May 1954, attended Univ. of Ky. Lives in Cincinnati, Ohio.

6. Lycurgus Johnson Robinson, d. a minor, named for son of Joel Johnson, bro. of V.P. of U.S. Richard M. and Judge Benjamin Johnson, of Ark.
7. Pendleton Robinson d. a minor from a hunting accident.

Mary Pendleton(Gaines) Robinson's portrait is owned by Annette Reynolds Pittenger, Louisville, Ky., 1976.

Picture of Judge James Forbes Robinson owned by Lucile Robinson Johnson, 1976.

9. HENRY (HARRY) ROBINSON: b. 1869 "Deerfield Plantation" Chicot Co., Ark.

Planter

Inherited "Deerfield Plantation".

Episcopal.

Marian:

Grad. "St. Rose of Lima Catholic Convent", Greenville. Performing professional pianist and organist; teacher. Catholic, convert to Methodist.

Descended from Nicholas Martiau, 1620

Yorktowne, Va.; Wm.

the Conq.; Edward

the III. She is also descended from Col.

John Lewis, II, gr.-

g. father of Gov.

Merriwether Lewis,

Gov. of the La. Territory 1807-1809, which included Ark.

William Savin Fulton, 1829 Sec. of Ark. Territory, 1835 Gov. of Ark.

Territory, 1836 elected Senator from Ark.,

was brother-in-law

of her gr. gr. g.

mother Margaret (Shall)

Yerger. He read law with her gr. g. father

Judge James Rucks, law partner of Judge and

Senator Felix Grundy of Nashville, Tenn.

She was also descended from John Taylor, g.

father of John Penn, signer of Dec. of Independence, of N. Carolina.

Pictures of Henry Clay Robinson and Marian

Dunn Robinson are owned by Lucile R. Johnson, 1976.

Issue: by 2nd md., Margaret Gaines (Chapman) Robinson

8. Gaines Robinson, mig. to Chicago, Ill, never married.

9. Spence Robinson, mig. to DuValls Bluff, Ark., never married.

10. Mattie Robinson md. Sheriff Calmese Merritt of Lake Village, Ark. Mig. 1941 to Louisiana.

Issue:

1. Mary Merritt, never married, resides in Baton Rouge, La.

2. Margaret Merritt, md. Mr. Beard, div., resides in Baton Rouge, La.

d. Lake Village, Ark. buried Lake Village Cemetery.

md. 12 Feb 1896 Greenville, Mississippi,

MARIAN RUCKS DUNN she md. 2nd, Paul C. Haering.

dau of: Dr. Samuel Read Dunn II and Amanda Yerger (Rucks) Dunn of Greenville, Miss.

b. 2 Aug 1872 "Glenbar Plantation" Washington Co., Miss.

d. 1 Mar 1957 Little Rock, Ark., buried Roselawn Cemetery.

Issue:

*1. Judge Samuel Read Dunn Robinson b. 1899 md. Zelma Ruby Gray.

2. Lucile Robinson b. 1897 Greenville, Miss., md. 1st, James Kenneth Bradas, md. 2nd, Steven Archer Finlay of Greenville, Miss. She is a lawyer, having passed the Mississippi Bar, and author of the best seller historical novel, "The Coat I Wore", history of Natchez, Miss. She has lived in Greenville, Miss. since the 1920's.

Issue: by 1st md., Bradas.

1. James Kenneth Bradas, Jr., b. 1921 Little Rock, Ark. md. Jeanette Clark. He Grad. from Julliard School, New York and MA from Columbia Univ. Teaches in Amityville, New York.

Issue:

1. James Clark Bradas, Grad. Univ. of Miss.

2. Janet Bradas

Issue: by 2nd md., Finlay

2. Mary Pelham Finlay b. 1934 Greenville, Miss., md. Jack Wilson Hunt of Memphis, Tenn where they reside.

Issue:

1. Jack Wilson Hunt, Jr. Attends Univ. of Miss.

2. Mary Pelham Hunt

3. Jane Lee Hunt

3. Judge Harry Clay Robinson b. 1902 Greenville, Miss., d. 1970 Little Rock, Ark., md. Louise Gates. Grad. from Ark. Law School. Circuit Judge, Little Rock, Ark. Buried Roselawn Cemetery.

Issue:

1. Harry Clay Robinson, Jr. b. 17 Sept 1934 Little Rock, Ark. Grad. Univ. of Ark. Law School. Lawyer in Ft. Smith, Ark.

2. Col. Victor Gates Robinson b. 13 Apr 1936 Little Rock, Ark. Colonel in the U.S. Air Force.

4. Marian Robinson b. 3 Dec 1904 "Deerfield Plantation" Chicot Co., Ark. md. 1st, 1921, Frank Lincoln Pattison, div., md. 2nd, Walter Davis b. 1904 Pine Bluff, Ark. d. 1974 Little Rock, Ark. Marian is an avid worker in the Christian Science Movement.

Issue: by 1st md., Pattison.

1. Dr. Frank Lincoln Pattison, Jr. b. 11 Dec 1921 Little Rock, Ark., md. 1943 Jean Elizabeth Smith, div. He is a dentist in N. Little Rock, Ark. Grad. Univ. of Tenn.

Issue:

1. Sgt. Ronald Pattison, U.S. Marine Corps, killed in Vietnam.

2. Patricia Pattison

Issue: by 2nd md., Davis.

2. Marian Davis b. 17 Dec 1927 Little Rock, Ark. md. 1st, James M. Coates, div., md. 2nd, Robert M. Goff. They reside in Little Rock, Ark. She attended the Univ. of Ark.

Issue: by 1st md. Coates.

1. James M. Coates III b. 2 May 1948 Little Rock, Ark. Grad. Louisiana State University.
2. Cynthia Marian Coates b. 9 June 1950 Little Rock, Ark. md. 24 Jan 1976 Patrick Dana Miller of Eldorado, Ark. Grad. Univ. of Ark.
3. Elizabeth Robinson Coates b. 23 Oct 1955. Attends Louisiana State University.

10. JUDGE SAMUEL READ DUNN ROBINSON: b. 21 Mar 1899 Greenville, Miss., lived "Deerfield Plantation" Chicot Co., Ark.

World War I, was d. living in Lake Village, Ark.

Lieutenant of Co. E, md. 7 July 1924 Little Rock, Ark. Div.

153 Inf., 39th Div. ZELMA RUBY GRAY

Saw Combat in France. dau of: Dr. Alfred Frederick and Agnes (Ball) Gray

Grad. 1924 Ark. Law b. 4 Sept 1904 Louisville, Ky. while father in medical school.

School. d. living in Little Rock, Ark.

Elected Pulaski Co., Issue:

Ark., Prosecuting *1. Lucile Robinson b. 14 Dec 1928 Little Rock, Ark. md. 21 Dec

Attorney for 6 yrs. 1952 Little Rock, Ark., Dr. Henry Dawson Johnson b. 26 Aug

Elected Justice of 1927 Little Rock, Ark., son of James Henry and Frances Irene

Arkansas Supreme (Wooten) Johnson of Little Rock, Ark.

Court, served 15 yrs. 2. Samuel Robinson, Jr. b. 22 July 1934 md. Georgiana Camille

Was a leading court Lange, div. 1975.

room lawyer.

Issue:

Est. Robinson Tho-

1. Lange Lucile Robinson b. 14 Feb 1966 Ft. Worth, Tex, adopted.

roughbred Farm.

Member of:

Ark. Bar Assoc.,

Amer. Bar Assoc.,

Director of Amer.

Quarter Horse Assoc.,

Amer. Cutting Horse

Assoc.

Methodist

Ruby:

Grad. Henderson and

Brown Academy; Grad. of

Arkansas Polytechnic

Univ.

"Who's Who of American Women".

Hospital Administrator

Past Pres. Greater Little

Rock Hospital Council.

Member of:

Board of Woman's City Club,

DAR, DAC, Ark. Pioneers,

Ark. Genea. Soc., etc.

Executive board member of

First Methodist Church.

Descended from Ball family
of Virginia, and Gray family
of N. Carolina

11. DR. HENRY DAWSON JOHNSON: son of: James Henry Johnson and Frances Irene (Wooten) Johnson of Little Rock, Ark.

World War II, Navy Corpsman. b. 26 Aug 1927 Little Rock, Ark.
 Korean War, Navy combat corpsman, attached to the 3rd Platoon, E Co., 2nd Bat., 1st Reg., 1st Marine Div. d. living in Little Rock, Ark.
 Combat corpsman in Korea. md. 21 Dec 1952 Little Rock, Ark.
 Attended Univ. of Ark. Little Rock, Hendrix College, Grad. 1956 Univ. of Ark. School of Medicine. Univ. of Ark. Residency in Internal Medicine. LUCILE ROBINSON b. 14 Dec 1928 Little Rock, Ark.
 In private medical practice of Internal Medicine. Issue:
 On faculty of Univ. of Ark. School of Medicine. Grad. 1972 Parkview High School, 1973 Debutante Presentation Pleasant Valley Country Club, Attends Louisiana Polytechnic University.
 Past Chief-of-Medicine of St. Vincent's Hosp. and Baptist Hospitals, now, Vice-Chief of Medicine of the new Doctor's Hospital.
 Amateur magician. 2. Mathew Henry Johnson b. 26 Sept 1958 Little Rock, Ark.
 Member of: Attends Little Rock Central High School.
 American College of Physicians,
 American Medical Assoc.,
 Ark. Medical Assoc.,
 Pulaski County Medical Soc.,
 American Society of Internal Medicine.
 International Brotherhood of Magicians.
 Pleasant Valley Country Club
 Trinity Episcopal Cathedral.
 Lucile:
 Sullins College, Bristol, Va.
 Hendrix College, Conway, Ark.
 Univ. of Ark. at Little Rock.
 Univ. of Ark. School of Medicine.
 Medical Technologist.
 Worked 12 years in Ark. Senate.
 Member:
 Ark. Medical Society Auxilliary.
 DAR, DAC, UDC, Past Pres. of Ark.
 Pioneers, Ark. Arts Center, Fine Arts Club, Quapaw Quarter Assoc.,
 1812, Ark. Genealogical Society,
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 Past member of Board of Ark. Arts Council, Trinity Episcopal Cathedral.

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LAKE VILLAGE CEMETERY
Old Section Behind Iron Fence
Lake Village, Ark.

Inventoried, March 1976, by Miss Mattie Haynes

1. Johnson Chapman Born Aug 18, 1858, Died Sept 6, 1910.
2. Jessie Miller Chapman, Born June 19, 1858, Died June 26, 1936.
3. Johnson Chapman, Born Feb 14, 1882, Died Apr 8, 1926.
4. Edward Miller Chapman, 1885-1943.
5. Helen G. Robinson, Born Jan. 21, 1883, Died Apr. 18, 1902.
6. Margaret G. Robinson, Born Sept 11, 1858, Died Aug 7, 1893.
7. Mary Gaines Robinson, 1839-1876.
8. James Forbes Robinson, 1833-1909.
9. Julia C. Bagby, 1872-1934.
10. Edward B. Bagby, 1870-1945.
11. Gertrude C. Bagby, Born Aug. 28, 1879, Died July 7, 1914.
12. Garlick H. Bagby, 1875-1940.
13. Daisy Carlton Haynes, 1882-1970.
14. Charles C. Haynes, 1871-1936.
15. Ida Simms Haynes, 1883-1967.
16. John R. Haynes, 1874-1949.
17. Mrs. Mary W. Proctor, Born June 1, 1826, Died Jan. 8, 1909.
18. Margaret M. Gaines, Born April 8, 1828, Died July 7, 1895.
19. Elizabeth P. Chapman, Born in Boone Co., Ky. April 16, 1828, Died at Lake Village July 20, 1909.
20. Johnson Chapman, Born at Orange C H Va., May 19, 1815, Died at Columbus, Ark. Aug. 17, 1868.
21. Richard Mossom, Son of Johnson and Elizabeth P. Chapman, Born Nov. 24, 1849, Died Nov. 8, 1854.
22. Richard M. Gaines, Feb. 17, 1855, Mar 7, 1931.
23. Mary Chapman Gaines, Feb. 5, 1863, Feb. 4, 1951.
24. Lieut. Charles Chapman Gaines, Born Jan. 21, 1890, Died Jan. 4, 1921.
25. Richard M. Son of Richard M. and Mary C. Gaines, Sept. 16, 1895, Jan. 13, 1918.
26. Ben P. Gaines, 1899-1946.
27. William Fouche Gaines, July 21, 1897, Oct. 15, 1869.
28. Mary S. Fouche, Born May 19, 1825, Died Feb. 15, 1879.
29. Abner Gaines, Dec. 9, 1857, Apr. 12, 1926.
30. Virgie Trotter Gaines, Died Dec. 13, 1929 aged 70 years.
31. Charles Stuart Chapman, May 31, 1861, May 5, 1933.
32. Ninette H. Simms, Wife of Chas. S. Chapman, Sept. 3, 1866, Nov. 28, 1928.
33. John G. B. Simms, May 1, 1845, July 9, 1919.
34. Mattie C. Simms, Aug. 17, 1844, June 4, 1925.
35. Lilly Simms McClintock, March 2, 1886, Feb. 7, 1971.
36. Albert Gallatin Simms, 187 -1945.
37. Mary Alice Simms, Apr. 20, 1881, June 23, 1967.
38. John Broadus Simms, 1877-1944.
37. Julia Carlton Simms, 1880-1970.
39. Augusta Simms Kirten, Dec. 27, 1880, Feb. 17, 1971.
40. William Kirten, June 6, 1876, July 31, 1964.
41. Henry Clay Robinson, Born 1869 Died 1917, is buried next to his father James Forbes Robinson and mother Mary Pendleton Gaines Robinson.
42. Maria Verdier Carlton b. 30 Jan, 1848, d. 26 Nov 1916.
43. Charles H. Carlton b. 24 Dec 1838, d. 8 Aug 1892.

REVOLUTIONARY WAR PENSION APPLICATION AND OBITUARY OF BENJAMIN HARDIN

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Born as Benjamin Hardin, Junior, on March 15, 1764, in Mecklenburg County (became Tryon in 1768 and Rutherford in 1779), North Carolina, he died as Colonel Benjamin Hardin on April 2, 1848, at his residence in the valley of Goodie Creek, Christian Township, Independence County, Arkansas, a pensioner of the Revolutionary War. A bronze marker supplied by the U. S. Government is at his place of burial. There, on October 20, 1974, a Memorial and Dedication Service was conducted jointly by The Independence County Historical Society and the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Gilbert Marshall Chapter of Little Rock.

In the standard printed histories of Arkansas he appears as "Old Colonel Ben Hardin, the hero of so many Indian wars," who came from Livingston County, Kentucky, in 1815 with his brother, Joab, and three sons-in-law: William Griffith, Thomas Wyatt and William Martin, and 10 other Kentucky families, to settle in the wooded wilderness near White River in Independence County (then part of Lawrence County, Missouri Territory). Page 233 of Manuscript GO 147, North Carolina Department of Archives and History, reveals that in 1789, as a Lieutenant Colonel, Benjamin Hardin was a Field Officer in the armed forces of Tennessee County, North Carolina (includes the now counties of the State of Tennessee: Hickman, Humphreys, Dickson, Houston, Stewart, Montgomery, and the western third of Robertson).

The following Declaration and Application of Benjamin Hardin is given verbatim and with the same spelling and scant punctuation as in the handwritten

*A great, great, great grandson of this Benjamin Hardin.

original. His identification number at the National Archives is S-32293.

"Territory of Arkansas)	At the January Term of the County
County of Independence)	Court of said County AD 1833.

"On this seventh day of January AD 1833 personally appeared in open Court before the Justices of the County Court of Independence County and Territory of Arkansas now sitting Benjamin Hardin a resident of said County and Territory aged sixty-eight years who being first duly sworn according to Law doth on his Oath make the following Declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the Act of Congress passed June the seventh AD 1832. That he entered the service of the United States under the following named Officers and served as herein stated towit. That he joined a Volunteer Horse Company in Rowan County North Carolina on or about the fourteenth day of June AD 1780, under his father Benjamin hardin, Senior, then Captain. Philip Rutherford was Major, a Mr. Prevard, Lieutenant Colonel. Matthew Locke, Colonel, a Regiment raised in the State of North Carolina. That he lived in Rutherford County North Carolina at the time he joined said Company. That he entered as a private and so continued during the war. That he immediately marched to the adjoining County towit Lincoln County and attacked and defeated twelve hundred Tories under the Command of Col. John Moore, a British officer. Then returned to Rowan County and dismissed from further duty. Immediately after which he joined a Company of about three hundred men under Captain Benjamin Hardin, Senior, and Colonel George Davidson and marched and reinforced General McDowell at the Old Cherokee ford on Broad River in South Carolina, as he thinks in July 1780, and continued with him about two months when the enemy compelled the troops in which he served to retreat to Nolichucke in North Carolina said McDowell still commanding. General McDowell was reinforced by Colonels Campbell, Sevier and Shelby. And then all met on the Yellow Mountain and marched over into Burke County in North Carolina against the British forces commanded by Colonel Ferguson, who retreated before the American forces to King's Mountain where he was overtaken and defeated by the American forces in which engagement this Deponent was at the Battle of

King's Mountain. The United forces were commanded by Col. William Campbell.

He returned back again to Washington County in North Carolina and having assisted to escort as far as he believes Wilkes County the prisoners, he was permitted to return home. Immediately after his return Colonel John Sevier and Colonel Arthur Campbell raised a body of Troops which this Deponent joined to go against the Cherokee Indians. This Deponent in this expedition was commanded by Captain Jacob Brown, had a Battle with said Indians at Boyd's Creek which emptied into French Broad River and defeated them, burned a number of towns, and took a number of prisoners, and then returned back to Nollichucky. About the first of March 1781 this Deponent joined and enlisted in a Mounted Rifle Company for one year, under the command and in the Company of Captain John Newman, which was raised by order of Col. John Sevier who commanded Washington County, North Carolina. At the time this deponent enlisted in said Company he understood they were to go against the British Regulars. He was ordered out on the frontiers of the State to scout and reconnoitre, and keep down the Cherokee Indians, and remained there during the year in active duty and received his Discharge signed by his Captain. And returned home and this Deponent from that time to wit in March 1782 remained at home and never afterwards engaged in service.

"The following interrogations were propounded by the Court to the Applicant Benjamin Hardin.

1. Where and in what year was you born? Answer - I was born in Mecklenburgh, North Carolina on the 15 March 1764.
2. Have you any record of your age and if so where is it? Answer - I have at home in my Bible.
3. Where were you living when called into service; where have you lived since the Revolutionary War; if a substitute for whom? Answer - I was living in Rutherford County, North Carolina until driven from there to Rowan County where I enlisted being what is called a Refugee. Since the Revolutionary War I lived on Holston River in said State until 1785. Then moved to Tennessee then North Carolina (these last 3 words do not indicate he returned to North Carolina; but that Tennessee was still

at that time part of North Carolina - M. S. Craig), and lived there until about 1793. I moved to Kentucky and lived there until 1815 when I moved to Missouri now Arkansas Territory (established in 1819 from Missouri Territory - M.S.C.), where I now reside, and never was a substitute for any person.

4. How were you called into service? Answer - I volunteered.
5. State the names of the Regular officers who were with the Troops when you served, such Continental and Militia Regiments as you can recollect and the general circumstances of your service? Answer - I knew General William Davidson but recollect seeing General Morgan, Col. Lee and many others whom this deponent does not now recollect, as his duty took him in other directions and he was commanded by State officers, and do not recollect any Continental or Militia regiments except as mentioned. I was in several skirmishes which I have not deemed necessary to mention.
6. Did you ever receive a Discharge from the Service and if so by whom was it given and what has become of it? Answer - I never did except for the year's service I served under Captain Newman. I kept it until the fall of 1782 when I gave up my Discharge to certain Commissioners who sat in Washington County in North Carolina to receive the discharges and pay the Troops, or rather to give Certificates for payment and I received my pay in what were called Indents and with which my father bought land of the State.
7. State the names of persons to whom you are known in your present neighborhood and who can testify as to your character for good behavior and veracity, your services as a Soldier of The Revolution. Answer - John Caruthers is known to my having served in The Revolution, and Caleb S. Manly, Richard Peel, Senior, and James Trimble and many others can certify as to my veracity and good behavior in my present neighborhood.

"I Benjamin Hardin do relinquish every claim whatever to a pension or Annuity except the present and declare that my name is not on the Pension."

Roll of the Agency of any State or Territory. (Signed) Benjamin Hardin
 Sworn to and subscribed on the day and year aforesaid (Signed) J.
 Boswell, Presiding Justice.

"Territory of Arkansas, County of Independence. On the seventh day of January AD 1833, John Carruthers appeared in open Court before the Justices of the County Court of said County, now sitting, and being first duly sworn according to law on his Oath saith that he is well acquainted with the within named applicant, Benjamin Hardin, and knew him during The Revolution as a soldier in the Army of the United States and saw him in the Battle of King's Mountain and in other places during said war and that he is a man of veracity and good behavior and is satisfied that the written statement is true. (Signed) John Carruthers. Sworn to and subscribed on the day and year aforesaid. (Signed) J. Boswell, Presiding Justice."

Certificates were signed in open Court that day by Caleb S. Manly, Richard Peel, Sr., James Trimble, Aaron Gillett, Joseph H. Egner, John Ringgold, Jeremiah Cornwell and Charles H. Pelham testifying to the fact that Benjamin Hardin was "a man of truth, veracity, respectability and good behavior in the neighborhood where he resides."

The following obituary is in the May 27, 1848, issue of the Batesville Eagle, a weekly newspaper published at Batesville, Independence County, Arkansas. The annotations in parentheses are by M. S. Craig, M.D., the compiler.

"ANOTHER REVOLUTIONARY WAR SOLDIER GONE

"We are pained to announce the death of Colonel Benjamin Hardin at his residence on April 2 (1848), Independence County (Arkansas).

"He was no ordinary man. Born in Rutherford County (actually, Mecklenburg County, the part that later became Rutherford) in the State of North Carolina on the 8th. of March 1762 (should be March 15, 1764), where he resided with his father, Captain Benjamin Hardin, until his 16th year, when the Tories under Moore rendezvoused at Ramsaur's Mill and Captain Hardin had to flee with his family to save their lives. He (Captain Hardin) returned with his son, Benjamin, and raised a Company called The Refugees, and was joined by others until the

force numbered four hundred fifty men. They were attacked by the Tories by said mill, and in this battle young Hardin bore a conspicuous part.

"He (young Hardin) joined Captain Newman's Company and served twelve months, was at the Battle of Cowpens and with the advance sent in to begin the fight. He was in the Battle of King's Mountain in the division commanded by Colonel (John) Sevier. In short, he was in the army from the time he was sixteen until peace was declared.

"He (the young Hardin--later) was Captain of a Company in the battle with the Cherokees at Nick-a-jack. He commanded the party that defeated the Cherokees at Cold Water, and was in nearly every skirmishing party on the Cumberland (river).

"In 1782 he married Elizabeth Scott. In 1786 (should be 1785), he moved to the Cumberland and placed his infant son in Mansker's Station (near now Nashville, Tennessee). In 1794 (should be 1793) he moved to Logan County, Kentucky, and in 1803 to Livingston County in that State. The country at that time was pretty much without law and order. Horse thieves were doing a flourishing business. The great personal strength and daring of Colonel Hardin at once pointed to him as a fit leader on the side of Justice and right. His services were in constant demand, and he became the terror of the evil doer.

"In 1815 he moved to this State and has resided here ever since. He was a kind neighbor and a just man in all his dealings. He leaves many children, grandchildren (and several great grandchildren), and scores of friends to mourn his loss."

HISTORY OF JOSEPH HOPE FAMILY

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following was contributed by Mrs. Marian F. Green, 6901 W. 41st St., Little Rock, AR 72204.

Joseph HOPE was born in Banks County, Georgia, November 1, 1815. His wife Nancy McEver HOPE was born in Georgia, 2 November 1819. His father was James Hope, b. in Yorkshire, England, 9 May 1785. His mother was a Jewish girl, Mary Levine, b. 22 March 1784 in Ireland. Joseph and Nancy were married in Georgia & all their children were born there with the exception of one, who was born in Arkansas. Joseph Hope came to Arkansas in 1858, was a farmer, cattle & horse raiser, in Georgia.

HISTORY OF JOSEPH HOPE FAMILY (Con't page 2)

The Gold Rush in 1849 took him to California where he staked a claim. He soon became ill and the Doctor told him, he had cancer of the stomach and to go to Hot Springs, Ark., and drink the hot water from the Springs there. He sold his Gold Claim and returned to Georgia where he told his family to prepare to journey to Ark., when he could send for them. He and his son-in-law, Joe PRAYTOR, came to Hot Springs. The Hot Water from the Springs did help him but he was not cured, he died 7 January 1861, at the commencement of the War between the States.

While Mr. Hope was in Hot Springs, he met some Real Estate dealers and they brought him to Benton to see some property. The ALLAWAY Place near Benton. The property was on what is now called Bennet Road, just off the Sheridan Highway. He bought the farm & sent back to Georgia to bring his family to Arkansas. His wife, Nancy Hope, sold the property in Georgia, keeping the Family wagons, buggies, and surrays, and three teams of horses. She sold all her household goods and furniture and packed the wagons. She fixed up one wagon for cooking & eating. They left Georgia in 1859 in covered wagons. Mrs. Hope hid all her watches, jewelry, and money in the cooking wagon. She put them all in the bottom of a crock and filled the crock with meal, so if the thieves came they would not suspect their valuables were under the meal. One of Mrs. Hope's sisters and her family left Georgia with them. Their name was STRICKLAND & they settled in White County, Arkansas. On several occasions after the War, Mrs. Hope and her children visited the Stricklands in White Co.

They traveled in Wagon Train by day and sometimes by night, ferried the Mississippi near Memphis, Tennessee. They got within 25 miles of Benton and stopped at a Stage Coach Inn & spent the night. This Inn was later known as the "NINE MILE BRICK HOUSE". When Mrs. Hope & children arrived at their new home in Arkansas, only a small amount of land was cleared for corn and wheat.

They began to look around for a protestant Methodist Church, but the nearest one was in Little Rock. Before Mrs. Hope and her family left Georgia, they had a dinner for them to say goodbye, and the Pastor of their Church wrote out a Membership for each one of them to bring to an Arkansas Church. A Methodist Church was started in Benton and they attended this until after the War. Mrs. Hope, remained a member of the Benton Church until her death. Some of her sons and daughters helped with the starting of the New Hope Methodist Church.

Here are the names of the Joseph Hope Family: Martha Ann Hope; Thomas Hope; John William Hope; Lourania Hope; Green Hope; Margaret Elizabeth Hope; Nancy Jane Hope; Gustin Hope. They all grew up and were married in Saline County, Arkansas, except their daughter Martha Ann Hope, who was married before leaving Georgia.

Martha Ann Hope, born 22 April 1840, in Banks County, Georgia, married Joseph Praytor. They had only one daughter.

Thomas Hope, born 27 July 1842, in Banks County, Georgia, married Louesia Ramsey. Three children were born to them: Harvey Hope; Nancy Jane Hope; and Ambrose Hope.

John William Hope was married to Sarah Clarissa Logan in Saline County, in 1868. She was born 29 March 1844, in Tennessee, and he was born in Banks County, Georgia, March 18, 1845. Nine children were born to them: Matta May & twin (twin was born dead) Sophia Magdaline, Nancy Florence, Alice Kate, Joseph Marshall, Will Bracton, Sarah Della, and Ambrose Hosa.

Lourania Hope was born 2 November 1847 in Banks County, Georgia. She married Mac Tudor and six children were born to them: Ada, Anna, Bess, Mattie, Ollie & Robert.

Green McCutchen Hope, was born 27 September 1850 in Banks County, Georgia. Married Frances Russell - one son, James Hope was born to this marriage. His second marriage was to Symanthia Hewey and five children were born: Walter Hope, Bell Hope; John Hope, Argus Hope; Conrad Hope. Third marriage was to Ocie Hodges, and one child, Lee Hope was born.

HISTORY OF JOSEPH HOPE FAMILY (Con't page 3)

Margaret Elizabeth Hope, was born 18 August 1852 in Banks County, Georgia, married Sim W. Ray on September 9, 1872. Eight children were born: Joseph Franklin Ray; Charlie Martin Ray; Pearl Nancy Ray; May Ray; Maude Estell Ray; Kate Ann Ray; Myrtice Cardelia Ada Ray; Paul Ray.

Nancy Jane Hope was born 23 March 1858 in Banks County, Georgia, married Joseph Huey & six children were born: Hattie Huey; Frank Huey; Sam Huey; Birdie Huey; Ernest Huey & Milburn Huey.

Gustin Joseph Hope was born 1 December 1860 in Saline County, Arkansas, married Ada Bolin. Six children were born: Clara Hope; Claude Hope; Clyde Hope; Lilly Hope; Ada Hope & Clifford Hope.

Mr. Joseph Hope was asked three times if he wanted to buy Negro Slaves, to work his farm. He said he did not believe in Slavery. He said he would work his own farm by raising cattle and horses. He died in 1861 leaving his family to go through the Civil War. It was very rough for them having lost all their cattle and horses. Two of the Hope sons, John & Thomas were Confederate Soldiers in Arkansas' Second Division.

This is a statement Margaret Hope Ray remembered from childhood: "On the day of the Jenkins Ferry Battle some Confederate Soldiers came by and told her to go in the house, that there would be a Battle soon, and she would hear the roar of the Cannons", they told her to tell her mother, for they thought John Hope was in the Battle. He was not in the Battle, because he was very ill with the measles. The little girl heard the roar of the cannons very low as they were miles away. Mrs. Nancy Hope took pillows and covered her head so she would not hear the roar of the cannons and be so frightened. She lived a long life and died in 1896.

Myrtice Ray Walker remembered that all her Hope Relations loved horses and trained them well and always had fine horses. This is a story about her Grandfather, Joseph Hope, and his love for his horses. He had ridden his saddle horse all day, in the snow storm and when he returned home at midnight, before he went in the house to get warm, he unsaddled his horse, put the saddle in the Gear Room, put the horse in the dry stable, climbed a ladder to throw down some dry hay for him. He also put a warm blanket on him.

Joseph Hope was in the Black Hawk War, and fought near Florida, driving back the Indians. Mrs. Nancy Hope received a pension for his service after his death in 1861. They are both buried in the Hughes Cemetery in Saline County, Arkansas.

Children of John William and Sarah Clarissa Hope: Matta May & Twin (Twin born dead) 21 July 1869, Matta May died 8 April 1873. Sophia Magdaline Hope, b. 4 August 1870. Nancy Florence Hope, b. 16 October 1871. Allice Kate, b. 13 August 1873. Joseph Marshall Hope, b. 20 January 1876. William Bracton, b. 4 June 1878. Sarah Della Hope, b. 27 July 1882. Ambrose Hosa Hope, b. 3 February 1883.

Sophia Magdaline Hope married Will Hogue. Their children were: Lena Hogue; Roy Hogue; Harve; Clyde Hogue; Vera Hogue; Bessie Hogue; Raymond Hogue; Helen Hogue; and Archie Hogue.

Joseph Marshall Hope married Cora Ramsey. Their children were: George Hope; May Hope; and Earl Hope.

Sarah Della Hope married Robert Lewis Cabe. Their children were: Gracie Edith Cabe; John Fletcher Cabe; Una Mamie Cabe; Elsie Marguerite Cabe; Lucile Cabe; Robert Lee Cabe and Raymond Lewis Cabe were twins. All other children died very young.

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ABSTRACTS OF WILL BOOK NO. 1
OF
CONWAY COUNTY, ARKANSAS
1826 - 1865

by James Logan Morgan

These abstracts were made by James Logan Morgan, 314 Vine St., Newport, Ark. 72112. Conway County was created in 1825 from Pulaski County. This record is in the county archives in the courthouse at Morrilton. Early entries consistently identify the record as "Will Book No. 1," but later references cite the volume as "Book A." Page 124 is incorrectly numbered 224, and subsequent pages continue this mistaken numbering. Abbreviations used: bro., brother; dec., deceased; div., division; dtr., daughter; exr(s)., executor(s); exrx., executrix; gdn., guardian. Following the name of the testator is the year in which the will was made. The year in which the will was proved or filed for probate, if different from the year in which it was made, is given in parentheses.

ADAMS, Charles, Sen., 1842 (proved 1844); page 51

Wife Sarah; son Charles Adams, Jr.; dtr.-in-law Mary Adams. Div. at death of wife "Between all the Rest of my children." Son James Adams, exr. Witnesses: Joshua Moses, John M. C. L. Lemon.

ALDRIGE (ALDREDGE), Mrs. Viola, 1863 (proved 1864); page 233

Dtrs. Eliza Arnet Aldredge, Susan Hellen Miller. Witnesses (Howard Township, Conway County): T. W. Hervey, Jonathan Miller.

ARRENDALL, Samuel, 1855, verbal will; page 69

Timothy Gay, Thomas Gay and D. Bennett, witnesses and exrs. Wife Mary Arrendall. Div. "to my dear children": Henry, David and Charles Arrendall.

BENTLEY, George ("Col. Bentley"), 1831 (proved 1833); page 17

Children by first wife, Uny Bentley, dec.: sons Eli Bentley, Oliver Tolls Bentley (minor) and George Harrison Bentley (minor); dtr. Mary Mathews, wife of Thomas Mathews (underlined in original). Children by present wife, Ann Bentley: Ellis Russell Bentley, Joseph _____ (faded) Bentley and John Bentley. Witnesses: Joseph J. Simmons, Wm. C. Boren, Joseph D. Lusk.

BLAIR, Penelope, 1863 (proved 1864); page 231

Equal div.: Matilda Brooks, John B. Blair, Matilda A. Green. Jonathan Miller, exr. Witnesses (Howard Township, Conway County): T. W. Hervey, Jonathan Miller.

BLAKLEY, Adam B., 1859; page 88

Wife Sarah Ann, sole legatee. Witnesses: W. A. Brinkley, J. D. Brinkley.

BLOUNT, James, Senior, 1830; page 10

Legacy to son Thomas; "the remainder to be divided equally among the rest." Mentions son James, granddtr. Margaret Blount. Witnesses: James Watson, John Englebright, Adam Kuykendall.

BLOUNT, Reuben J., 1840 (proved 1841); page 42

Eldest son Harvey B. Blount, exr. and gdn. of Nancy Jane, Lydia Elizabeth and Margaret Catharine, minor dtrs. by his (testator's) first wife, and Benjamin Franklin and Sarah Emeline, minor son and dtr. by his last wife. Stepson Andrew Jackson Titsworth. Witnesses: W. H. Murphy, James Owens, Jasper W. Comstock.

CALLYHAN, Jane, of Union Township, 1852; page 64

Son Calvin Callyhan, sole legatee and exr. Witnesses: Benjamin Smith, A. A. Eaton.

CAMPBELL, James, 1857; page 78

Wife Melissa A. Campbell, exrx. Granddtr. "or the grand daughter of my wife" Sarah Melissa Hill, residual legatee. Mentions Caroline Patterson. Witnesses: John A. Griffin, C. Etheridge.

DOWDLE, Allen, 1858; page 82

Lists "my lawful heirs": Mary A. (or Mary N.) Harshaw; Nancy E. Vaden; Joseph M. Dowdle; William Wadkins and Allen Dowdle Wadkins, minors, sons of Amanda Wadkins, dec.; William Minton Dowdle; Juliett E. Taylor; Robert A. Dowdle; Salke C. Hayzen. Richard Taylor and sons Joseph M., William M. and Robert A. Dowdle, exrs. Land in Prairie County. Witnesses: T. W. Harvey, T. E. Emerson.

ELLIS, Jane, 183_ (faded, probably 1838; proved 1838); page 33

To be buried in family graveyard "alongside of my deceased husband Radford Ellis." Div.: bro. John Jones, Phoebe Jones (widow of Joseph Jones, dec. bro.). Half-sisters Margaret Raney, Nancy Roberts; "my two half Brothers" Jacob and Henry Fortenberry; heirs of dec. half-sister Mary Taylor. William Carter, exr.

ELLIS, William, 1840; page 38

Son Joneathan O. Ellis, exr. and gdn. of minor children. Div. when youngest dtr., Jane Ellis, "comes of age," on Oct. 20, 1850. Exr. to maintain wife Delila and "my ... three children" George, David and Jane Ellis, minors. Div. "among my children": William T. Ellis, Henrietta Plumer, Jonethan O. Ellis, Radford Ellis, Elizabeth Ann Rogers, James P. Ellis, George Ellis, David L. Ellis and Jane Ellis. Witnesses: Bennett B. Bell, H. A. Berry.

GREER, Thomas, 1830, verbal will; page 9

Mentions son Amos, "Polly when she becomes of age." Div. "amongst my children," as they come of age. Witnesses: B. F. Howard, Saml. G. McHenry.

HENRY, Thomas S. (or Thomas T.), 1861 (proved 1863); page 121

Wife Harriet Henry, James M. Moose and Abraham Fryer, exrs. Reference to business partnership with John A. Griffin, dec., and the late firm of Henry and Gordon. Wife named gdn. of "my children." Mentions money due him as gdn. of his nephew Thomas Benton Green. Witnesses: R. T. Markham, James M. Gordon.

HINES, William, 1860; page 93

Nephew Richard B. Jackman of Jefferson County, Ark., exr. Wife Emily Quintiller Hines; property to descend to her children by testator, if any. If no children by wife survive at her death, property to descend to "my other children": John J., Sarah R., Samuel H., Israel E. and William H. Hines. Witnesses: S. J. Stallings, J. M. Moose.

HOGUE, Gideon, 1848, Bayou Township; page 57

Div. among "all my children" at death of wife. Leaves "Improvement I now live on" to M. B. Hogue and Malinda Hogue. Witnesses. John P. Hogue, Tilman Hogue.

HOUSTON, John, Senr., 1837; page 24

Elisha W. Owens and son Lazerous Houston, exrs. Mentions: wife Margaret; son Lazerous; "my fourth son" Levi Green Houston; dtr. Margaret, wife of George Harris; son John L.; dtr. ____ah (faded), wife of James Wilson; son William ____ (faded); dtr. Margery, wife of Benjamin F. Howard; grandchild by dtr. Polly, wife of Lewis S. Tweedy. Witnesses: Elisha W. Owens, Joseph L. Fore.

HOWARD, B. F., 1865; page 237

Homestead to be used for maintenance of "all my children." Dtr. Mrs. Sophrona F. Sayles; "my other heirs" Margaret Ann, Sally Elmina and George W. Howard. Land in Perry County. Thomas W. Hervey, son-in-law W. A. C. Sayles and only son George W. Howard, exrs. Witnesses: M. W. Steel, J. E. Mills.

ISAACS, Hays J., 1855 (proved 1856); page 74

Wife Jane, principal legatee and exrx. Tract of land in Perry County to Luther M. Davis. Witnesses: Walter J. Vance, John R. Miller.

JONES, George W., 1859; page 86

Wife S. E. Jones and child William A. Jones, legatees. Thomas Jones to manage affairs. Witnesses: David J. Warren, John J. Jones, R. Whitehead, J. M. Waddle.

KELLEAM, Jessey (Jessee), 1826; page 2

Wife Martha, to raise "my two youngest children," Lewcinda and Eliza Whiters (underlined in original); son James Kelleam, exr. Witnesses: T. H. Tindall, John Campbell, James Kelleam.

KELLEAM (KELLAM), John, 1826; page 1

Wife, not named, legacy of one-half of estate; other half to father Jessey Kelleam and bro. James Kelleam, who are named exrs. Witnesses: T. H. Tindall, Jesse Johnston.

KUYKENDALL, Peter, 1860 (proved 1863); page 123

Wife Martha, legatee and exrx.; after her death property to descend to her heirs. Witnesses: G. L. Cunningham, Joshua Moses.

LEWIS, Sarah, 1838, codicil 1841 (proved 1844); page 45

Sons Daniel, Joshua J. and Stephen D. Lewis; dtrs. Caroline Walker, Mariah Bower, Harriet Menefee and Sarah M. Lewis (single). Dudley D. Mason, exr. Witnesses: Margaret Bilby, Nelson Phillips.

McEWIN, Robert, 1857; page 80

Wife Mary McEwin, sole legatee. Witnesses: J. E. Halbrooks, William Shipp, Sion Bradley.

McFARLIN, Liddy, 1827; page 6

Bequests to dtrs. Maranda Murphy, Lydia Blount; Alexander James, Jipson McFarlin and Benjamin Harris Murphy, "three youngest sons," minors, of Benjamin Murphy; grandson Jipson McFarlin (Murphy?); Harvey, ____ (faded) and James Blount, three oldest sons of Reuben J. Blount. Money "coming to me from the government as compensation for Osage depredations" to sons-in-law Reuben J. Blount and Benjamin Murphy. Witnesses: T. H. Tindall, Liny Tindall.

MABERRY, Thomas A., 1861, verbal will; page 103

"I want Mary to keep the Land that she lives on for a home for her and the children." Verbal will given to Greenberry B. Tedder and Mary Elizabeth Smith (Maberry's "own daughter"), Aug. 4, 1861, when T. A. Maberry was about to leave to rejoin his company in Col. Thos. D. Merrick's 10th Arkansas Volunteers.

MABRY, Hazel, 1860 (proved 1863); page 227

Bro. Daniel Mabry, exr. Wife Jane; property to be divided between "my children" when youngest child becomes of age. Witnesses: James Halsey, John A. Bates, J. J. Casey.

MOORE, Benjamin, 1840; page 36

Div. between nephews James D. and Schuyler Moore of Conway County. Dudley D. Mason, exr. Witnesses: Thomas O. Jones, Jane H. Jones.

MORRIS, William J., 1852; page 60

Mother Avy Tyson given his improvement in Conway County, but sister Mary Morris to live there "until my mother shall move to this county" and to have improvement if mother does not move. Witnesses: James Tyson, James S. Bowers.

OWEN, Travis, of Pulaski County, 1846 (proved 1855); page 72

Wife Louisa N. Owen "to raise and keep our children." Div. "between her and my nine children" (7 dtrs. and 2 sons): Mary A. M., Maranda N., Matilda J., Louisa H., Isabella S. C., Martha A. S. T., and Travis Owen, "minor heirs," and Asbury Somerfield Owen and Sarah J. West. Witnesses (Pulaski County): J. Falkner, Franklin Strog. Proved 1855 in Conway County by testimony of Mary A. M. Stockton and Matilda Jane Owen.

OWENS, James, 1859; page 91

Wife Charlotte and her children Nancy, Joseph and Thomas, principal legatees. Legacies of \$50 each to dtrs. Ann and Mary Liza. John Guess and Charlotte Owens, exrs. Witnesses: John Breeden, C. M. Green (or Guess).

PATE, William, of Van Buren County, 1844 (proved 1854); page 66

Wife Lovecy Pate. Div. "among my children" after death or remarriage of wife. John Franklin McAllister, exr. Witnesses (Van Buren County): Rodrick Bain, Elisha S. Williams, G. V. Stratton.

PHILLIPS, Lewis, 1852; page 62

Son William Phillips; dtr. Maryann George; Nancy Jane Matthews, to receive real estate on payment of \$160; bequest to Elizabeth Parks. Div.: William Phillips, Maryann George, Elizabeth Parks. Witnesses: Henry Heffington, W. D. Smith.

PYEATTE, Abraham, 1827, verbal will; page 3

Wife Isabel, sole legatee and exrx. Witnesses: William Lindsey, John McMillin.

SCHMIDT, John George, 1861; page 116

Bequests to Mary E. Shore, Barthania Ann Burklin; rest of estate to "my parents." Thomas W. Shore, exr. Witnesses: E. M. Jones, J. H. Joslin, G. W. Joslin (all of Green Grove P. O.). Proof of will incomplete and not dated but begun between Dec. 27, 1861, and Dec. 30, 1862

SCROGGIN, Henson, 1854 (proved 1860); page 100

Wife Malinda, property for support of youngest children until they come of age, to be held by Wyly J. Scroggin "and his mother." Wyley J. Scroggin to be gdn. of younger children. Witnesses: Robert J. Scroggin, Joshua Jones.

STANDLEE, John, 1821, Pulaski County; page 4

Wife Sarah; sons John, William, Green; dtr. Hanah. Div. "amongst all of my children." Witnesses: Edmund Hogan, James Blackburn, William Flanikin. Recorded 1821, Book No. 1, p. 29, Pulaski County, Ark. Recorded 1827, Conway County, Ark.

TAYLOR, James, 1836; page 23

Wife Barthany, life estate. Names son William Taylor, exr. Calls for distribution to "my children": dtr. Eady Ragsdail; Henry (?) _____ (faded); Lewis _____ (faded); dtr. M _____ (faded); James Cornwell. Witnesses: James Kelleam, George W. Bankhead.

TAYLOR, Richard A., 1862; page 118

Wife Juliet E. Taylor, legatee and exrx. Witnesses: Edward J. Merrell (Morrell?), Russell Welborn.

TITSWORTH, James, 1838; page 28

Bequests to dtrs.: Rhoda Wadkins; Louisa, wife of Littleton Petiller (Petillo). Grandchildren: Caroline, only child of dec. son Meshac Titworth; Ledia and Jackson, heirs of dec. son James Titworth (their stepfather, Reuben J. Blount). Sons-in-law, John Wadkins and Littleton Petiller, exrs. Witnesses: Joseph W. Comstock, Learner B. Stith.

TUCKER, John, 1832; page 12

Names "my beloved companion Fanny Smith and my natural son James Tucker by my beloved companion Fanny Smith," exrs. Nominal legacies to "my lawful wife Happy Travice by maiden name" and "such heirs of hers as may have been born since her separation from my bed and board." Other nominal legacies to: Elizabeth Lucas, dtr. "by my lawful wife"; heirs of Sally Medlock, dec. dtr.; heirs of Larry Tucker, dec. son. Div. "among my said seven natural children by my said beloved companion ... Fanny Smith": dtr. Martha Craine, wife of Harris Craine; sons James Tucker, William Tucker, Alfred Tucker, Jefferson Tucker; dtrs. Melissa Titworth, Fanny Tucker. Land in Pope County, Conway County. Witnesses: Nimrod Menefee, Egbert Harris, Radford Ellis.

WELBORN, Russell, 1865; page 241

Anderson Gordon, James Gordon and W. L. Menefee, exrs. Wife Sinai Welborn; stepson Richard M. Johnson. Mentions "my three children": Anna Eliza, Agnace and Margaret Emma (or Anna, Eliza Agnace and Margaret Emma) Welborn. Witnesses: N. M. Barmore, William H. Lee, George H. Morrell.

WELLS, Jonathan R., 1860; page 97

Wife Evelina and son Jonathan Wells, exrs. Grandson Jonathan Wells; dtr. Elizabeth Roberts "and her children"; sons Jeheal, A. C. and John A. Wells. Bequest to Pavilla Wells. Leaves land known as the William Wells place in Point Remove Bottom to "my three grandchildren" Franklin, Francis and Andy Fronie Wells. Witnesses: Robert W. Harper, A. Gordon.

WHITEHEAD, Drury, 1846; page 54

Wife Frances Moore Whitehead; children Elizabeth, William, Richard, Thomas and Jasper Whitehead. Witnesses: Wm. Sharron, Benjamin Jones, Thomas Weston.

DESCRIPTIVE LIST
OF THE
FAMILIES OF CONFEDERATE SOLDIERS
OF
PRAIRIE COUNTY, ARKANSAS

February 4, 1863

Edited by James Logan Morgan

On February 4, 1863, the clerk of Prairie County recorded the first of several lists of families of indigent soldiers eligible to share in the proceeds of an appropriation for these families made by the General Assembly of Arkansas in 1862. This list is found in County Court Record D on pages 232-38.

In the abstracts below, the name of the soldier is listed first, followed by the regiment or other military organization in which he was serving (or in which he was serving at the time of his death or discharge), and the names and ages of members of his family, along with the relationship of each to the soldier. The military designations are quite often not the same as those used by the National Archives. Among the abbreviations used below are: Bat., Battalion; Cav., Cavalry; dtr., daughter; Regt., Regiment; T. M. Cav., Trans-Mississippi Cavalry; T. M. I., Trans-Mississippi Infantry; wf., wife. Unless otherwise noted, the soldiers were listed as being "in service" and as having enlisted from Prairie County.

ALLEN, Jas. D., 1st Regt. T. M. I.; Matilda, 24, wf.
ASH, Wheeler, 2d Regt. T. M. I.; Emeline, 35, mother; Mary J., 7, sister; Jas., 4, brother.
AUSTIN, H. J., 1st Regt. T. M. I.; Mary A., 25, wf.; John T., 4, son.
AYDLOTT, Jasper, 30th Ark. Regt., enlisted from Jefferson County; Martha, 20, wf.; Martha B., 2, dtr.
BAKER, William, 2d Regt. Ark. Cav.; Elizabeth, 20, wf.; Jefferson, 1, son.
BALDOCK, D., George, and William (dead); 21st Ark. Regt.; Louisa, 53, mother; Thos., 15, brother; Alice, 12, sister.
BARNETT, E. W., 1st Regt. T. M. I.; Mary E., 16, wife; E. N., 7, son; John J., 5, son.
BARNETT, William (dead), 1st Regt. T. M. I.; Jane, 21, wf.; "Infant Child," 1 month.
BELL, William M., 5th Ark. Regt.; Mary A., 22, wf.; John M., 3, son.
BIGGS, Jonathan, 30th Ark. Regt.; Rennie, 26, wf.; Benj., 8, son.
BIRD, W. H., 2nd Regt. T. M. Cav.; Fannie E., 30, wf.; Jas. H., 11 months, son; Ann E. GRAY, 9, step-dtr.; Martha E. GRAY, 5, step-dtr.
BLANSETT, Daniel W., 30th Ark. Regt.; Mary A., 36, wf.; J. D., 1, son; H. DEATON, 6, stepson.
BOX, J. M., 17th Ark. Regt.; Martha E., 24, wf.; Mary O., 6, dtr.; Robt., 9, son.
BUMGARDENER, J. S., 1st Regt. T. M. I.; Martha, 35, wf.; Mary, 4, dtr.; Nancy, 2, dtr.; J. H., 1, son.
CATO, Robt., 30th Ark. Regt.; Fredonia, 25, wf.; Chas. N., 4, son; Robt. B., 2, son.
CHAFIN, Jas., 1st Regt. T. M. Cav.; Polly A., 20, wf.
COLLINS, Robt. J. (dead), 30th Ark. Regt.; Louisa, 44, mother; M. M., 20, sister; Caroline, 18, sister.
DAUKIN, George, 5th Ark. Regt.; Margaret, 23, wf.; George, 1, son.
DAVIS, John S., 1st Regt. T. M. I.; Mary J., 30, wf.; George, 9, son; Sarah J., 5, dtr.; Sarena H., 3, dtr.; Harriet E., 1, dtr.
DAVIS, M. W., 1st Regt. T. M. Cav.; Sidney, 35, wf.; Emma, 14, dtr.; Alice, 10, dtr.; Jas., 11, son; W. S., 8, son.
DERRYBERRY, J. A. Y. (dead), 1st Regt. T. M. I.; Elizabeth, 25, wf.; Wm., 8, son; Jas., 6, son; John, 4, son; Allin, 2, son; Jefferson, 1, son.
DICKSON, John S., 1st Ark. Regt.; Martha J., 42, mother; Willis, 14, brother; Mary, 12, sister; Saml. B., 10, bro.; J. S., 8, sister; Eliza J., 6, sister; Joseph, 3, brother.
DRULETT, Edward (dead), 30th Ark. Regt.; Julia, 20, wf.
DUBLIN, John (dead), Capt. High's Co., State Guard; Mary J., 14, dtr.; Frances E., 5, dtr.; John T., 2, son.

DUBLIN, Luke (dead), 2d Regt. T. M. Cav.; Nancy, 28, wf.; Jas., 4, son.
 EAGLE, Daniel, 1st Regt. T. M. I.; Elizabeth, 25, wf.; Allice, 4, son (?), Elizabeth, 3, dtr.; Infant, 3 months, dtr.
 FERGUSON (FERGASON), A. J., 1st Regt. T. M. Cav.; Mary J., 21, wf.; Nancy E., 4, dtr.; Geo. P., 1, son.
 FERGUSON, J. L., 1st Regt. T. M. I.; Rosannah, 20, wf.; Infant, 2 months, son.
 FERGUSON, John T., 30th Ark. Regt.; Sarah, 21, wf.; Mary, 1, dtr.
 FLACK, John R., 2d Ark. Regt.; Beatris, 30, wf.; Willie, 4, son; John M., 1, son.
 FOANE, Robt., 2d Regt. T. M. Cav.; Charity, 20, wf.; Infant, 3 months, dtr.
 FORTENBERRY, Jacob, 6th Ark. Regt., enlisted from Pulaski County; Jeffer-son, 4, son; Thos., 6, son; Elizabeth, 1, dtr.
 GLOVER, George W., 1st Regt. T. M. I.; Sarah, 24, wf.; Margaret, 5, dtr.; John, 4, son; Munroe, 3, son; Saml., 1, son.
 GOLLEHER, Rufus, 1st Regt. T. M. I.; Malvina, 28, wf.; A. W., 1, son.
 GORDON, Jas. N. (dead), 2nd Regt. T. M. Cav.; Nancy, 27, wf.; W. S., 3, son; Elizabeth, 1, dtr.; Sarah, 10 days, dtr.
 GRAY, Gracy (dead), 21st Ark. Regt.; Ellen, 6, dtr.
 GREEN, Eli, 30th Ark. Regt.; Elizabeth S., 21, wf.
 GREEN, L., 30th Ark. Regt.; Mary J., 22, wf.; Frances E., 3, dtr.
 HARRIS, V. M., 2d Regt. T. M. I.; C. J., 30, wf.; Julius, 4, son; Benj., 2, son; Ann E., 3 months, dtr.
 HARRISON, B. H., 1st Regt. Ark. Cav.; E. M., 25, wf.; S. A., 4, dtr.; Jas. R., 3, son; Wm., 3 months, son.
 HARRISON, G. W., Wm., and Henry, 2nd Regt. Ark. Cav.; Eliza S., 50, mother; Martha C., 20, sister; Chas. N., 15, brother; Jas. N., 13, brother; Amanda S., 8, sister; Virginia C., 4, sister.
 HARRISON, Saml. F., 21st Ark. Regt.; Patience A., 30, wf.; Wm. H., 7, son; A. E., 4, dtr.; Mary S., 2, dtr.
 HARVILL, W. B., 30th Ark. Regt.; Martha, 19, wf.; Fannie, 1, dtr.
 HEDGECOCK, John H. (dead), 30th Ark. Regt.; Mary E., 24, wf.; Mary E., 2, dtr.
 HICKS, Howell C., 2d Regt. T. M. I.; Fanny B., 25, wf.; Emma J., 9, dtr.; Marjonah, 8, dtr.; Margaret, 6, dtr.; Chas., 1, dtr. (?).
 HICKS, J. T., 1st Regt. T. M. I.; M. J., 24, wf.; George C., 5, son; Allice A., 2, dtr.; Martha E., 1, dtr.
 INGRAM, John P. (discharged), 1st Regt. Ark. Cav.; Mary, 27, wf.; Baxter, 6, son; Edwd., 5, son.
 JACKSON, Jesse G. (dead), 1st Regt. T. M. Cav.; Eliza B., 32, wf.; Sarah J., 13, dtr.; Eliza E., 10, dtr.; Wm. E., 5, son; Jesse G., 2, son.
 JENKINS, Levander, 1st Regt. T. M. Cav.; Mary E., 25, wf.; S. A., 4, son.
 JOHNSON, Dely, Conscript; Susan, 25, wf.; J. C., 5, son; J. C. T., 8, son; W. J., 3, son.
 JOHNSON, John, Conscript; Louisa, 30, wf.; Margaret, 8, dtr.; James, 7, son; Joel, 5, son; John, 5, son; Jenelly, 4, sister; Richd., 3, son; Henry, 2 (or 1), son.
 KINDRICK, Jas. N., 30th Ark. Regt.; Margaret A., 24, wf.; Chas. J., 3, son; John H., 1, son.
 KIRKSEY, W. H., 2d Regt. T. M. I.; Epsey A., 28, wf.; Lucinda M., 7, son (?), F. D., 3, son; Infant, 3 months; Elizabeth, 58, mother.
 LEGATE, Chas. S., 30th Ark. Regt.; Rachel A., 22, wf.; Wm. A., 5, son; Margaret E., 3, dtr.
 LUCK (LOCK?), John, 4th Ark. Bat.; Lurany, 24, wf.; Jas. W., 3, son; John, 3 months, son.
 McKEA, Calvin, 1st Regt. T. M. Cav.; Elizabeth, 27, wf.; Henry H., 9, son; Ewel, 6, son; Nelson, 2, son.
 MARTIN, J. M. (dead), 1st Regt. T. M. I.; Mittie, 22, wf.; "Infant child," 6 months, dtr.
 MAYBERRY, B. F. (dead), 2d Regt. Ark. Cav.; M. A., 22, wf.; Walker, 4, son; Ida, 1, dtr.
 MAYS (MAYO?), B. M. (dead), 2nd Regt. T. M. I.; Caroline, 24, wf.; Infant child, 5 months, dtr.
 MILLER, Van (dead), 30th Ark. Regt.; Nancy J., 25, wf.; Wm. A., 6, son; Van, 5 months, son.
 MINTON, B. S., 4th Ark. Bat.; Martha, 18 (or 28), wf.
 MORRIS, R. D., 30th Ark. Regt.; Lurana, 34, wf.; Gaston, 13, son; W. H., 8, son; S. T., 4, son; Elizabeth, 2, son (?).
 NEELY, Jas. M., 30th Ark. Regt., enlisted from Jefferson County; Margaret A., wf., age 23; Martha A., 9, dtr.; Jno. J., 6, son; Amanda, 2, dtr.
 OLIVER, S. M. (dead), 30th Ark. Regt.; E. E., 25, wf.; Wm., 6, son; Chas., 3, son.
 OVERTON, Thomas, 1st Regt. T. M. I.; Mary, 24, wf.; Georgia A., 3, dtr.; Martin, 13 months, son.
 PATTERSON, George, 1st Regt. T. M. Cav.; Martha, 30, wf.; Wm., 11, son; Saml., 9, son; Alfred, 4, son; Sarah, 2, dtr.

PATTERSON, Jas., 30th Ark. Regt.; Geo. W., 12, son; Berline, 10, dtr.;
 Jas. R., 3 months, son.
 PATTERSON, John W., 1st Regt. T. M. Cav.; Mary, 24, wf.; "Infant child,"
 6 months.
 PATTERSON, Robt., 30th Ark. Regt.; Mary, 19, wf.; "one child," 4 months.
 PATTERSON, Wesley (dead), 30th Ark. Regt.; Mary, 19, wf.
 PEARCE, Jordan T., 1st Regt. T. M. I.; Jane, 23, wf.; Nancy L., 3, dtr.;
 Amanda C., 1½, dtr.
 PEARCY, William G., 1st Regt. T. M. I.; Emma J., 22, wf.; Laura j., 3, dtr.
 PETTY, George, 21st Ark. Regt.; Barbary A., 30, wf.; John, 11, son; M. C., 6,
 dtr.; Louisa, 4, dtr.
 PHILLIPS, J. J. (dead), 21st Ark. Regt.; Charlotte, 25, wf.; John H., 10,
 son; R. A. E., 7, dtr.; J. L., 4, son.
 PIPKIN, P. J., 30th Ark. Regt.; Elizabeth, 40, mother; Nancy, 16, sister;
 Margaret, 13, sister; Lucinda, 10, sister; Parale, 6, sister; Jno. D.,
 2, brother.
 PITTS, Richd. R., 30th Ark. Regt.; Drucinda E., 32, wf.; Mary J., 6, dtr.;
 Seldon, 5, son; Virginia, 3, dtr.
 POWELL, F. M., 30th Ark. Regt.; Martha, 30, wf.
 QUAILS, David, 5th Ark. Regt.; Emily, 24, wf.; John, 2, son.
 REAVES, B. W., 1st Regt. T. M. I.; H. L., 25, wf.; Chas., 4, son.
 REED, David, 1st Regt. T. M. Cav.; Margaret, 17, wf.; Wm. G., 1, son.
 RIDLIN, S. D., 1st Regt. T. M. I.; Margaret, 23, wf.; Ida, 3, dtr.; Edga,
 3 months, son.
 ROBERTS, Saml., 21st Ark. Regt.; Mary A., 25, wf.; Mary S., 5, dtr.;
 Martha A., 3, dtr.
 RUFFIN, Thos., 4th Ark. Bat. (dead); Mary A., 18, wf.
 SADDLER, B. F., 4th Ark. Bat.; Sarah J., 27, wf.; Thos. E., 10, son;
 Martha M., 8, dtr.; Mary O., 5, dtr.; Virginia, 2, dtr.
 SHARP, Wm., 2nd Regt. Ark. Cav.; Mary A., 16, wf.
 SMART, Robt. H., 5th Ark. Regt.; Nancy, 24, wf.; Nancy, 3, dtr.; Infant,
 3 months, son.
 SMITH, John T., 30th Ark. Regt.; Sarah E., wf.; M. A., 5, dtr.; P. L.,
 3, son; W. C., 1, son.
 SMITH, W. W., 30th Ark. Regt.; A. C. A., 28, wf.; Octavia, 7, dtr.;
 Lindolph, 5, son; W. C., 1, son.
 SPARKS, David, Rufus, and Albert, 21st Ark. Regt.; Lucy, 36, step-mother;
 Mary A., 14, sister; Amanda, 13, sister; Jas. H., 11, brother.
 SPARKS, John M., 1st Regt. T. M. Cav.; Tennessee M., 19, wf.; Infant
 child, 2 weeks.
 SPARKS, Minor, John M., and William, 1st Regt., T. M. Cav.; David SPARKS,
 60, father; Camfrey, 58, mother.
 SPARKS, Spencer M., 1st Regt. T. M. Cav.; Sarah M., 24, wf.
 STEELE, William, Napoleon, and Jas. D., 1st Ark. Cav., and Joseph, 1st
 Regt. T. M. Cav.; Jas. STEELE, 66, father; Frances, 60, mother;
 Frances, sister.
 TATE, Encs, 1st Regt. T. M. Cav.; Margia, 23, wf.; "one child," 1.
 TUCK, R. C. A., 30th Ark. Regt.; Mary A., 35, wf.; T., 3, son; Aalice,
 6 months, dtr.; Jas. FURR, 15, stepson; J. A. FURR, 8, stepson.
 WAMACK, H. C., 21st Ark. Regt.; Lucy A., 22, wf.
 WARE, Jas. E., 2d Regt. T. M. I.; Mahala, 25, wf.; Wm., 8, son; Albert,
 6, son.
 WELCH, Jerry, 1st Regt. T. M. Cav.; Adeline, 24, wf.; Mary A., 9, dtr.;
 Oran A., 5, son; Robt., 1½, son.
 WHISENANT, Calvin (dead), 30th Ark. Regt.; Jane, 26, wf.
 WHITE, John, 30th Ark. Regt.; Lucy, 26, wf.; Mary, 7, dtr.
 WILLIAMS, J. K., 2nd Regt. T. M. I.; Martha, 19, wf.; John A., 5 months, son.
 WILLIAMS, N. W., 30th Ark. Regt.; Sarah, 22, wf.

For more complete citations, write: James Logan Morgan, 314 Vine St.,
 Newport, Ark. 72112.

Esther Clem Greene
(Mrs. Luther Greene, Jr.)
Mattie Stewart Dale Clem
(Mother)
David Thomas Dale
(FATHER OF MATTIE DALE CLEM)

Robert Dale

Jane William Boyd Dale

William Boyd

Susannah McClure Boyd Rowland

John McClure

Mary Porter McClure

Justice James McClure

Mary Gaston McClure

William Gaston

Olivet Lemne (or LeMure)

Following records given me about 1955 by two of my aunts (both now deceased). They were Mrs. Coy Dale Fordyce, who lived in Arkadelphia, Arkansas; and Mrs. Bessie Dale Tonry, who lived in Warren, Arkansas.

Notes have been added from additional information found - censuses, Goodspeed Books, etc.

CHILDREN OF SUSANNAH P. MC CLURE - by first marriage to William Boyd

1. Mary Boyd - who married Alexander Walker. They moved to Mountain Home, Ark.
2. Hugh Boyd - who married Sarah Frances Knox
3. David Boyd - who married Angelina Pitts. Their children were Mary Weaver and Thomas
4. Jane William Boyd - who married Robert Dale. They moved from Chester, S. C. to Chesterville, Mississippi, in 1849. Robert died April 12, 1853 in Chesterville, Miss., and Jane died in October, 1858, in Chesterville. (Robert & Jane Dale and family, entry #729, in 1850 census, Pontotoc County, Miss.) (Their children are shown in 1860 census of same county living with their grandparents, Susannah and Dr. William Rowland, entry #1393)
 Robert and Jane Dale's children were:
 1. James McCullough Dale who married Mattie - numerous descendants throughout Arkansas. They had three children: Alice, Shud, and Robert Miller Dale
 (I have correspondence from son of above Robert and grandson of above James McCullough Dale. The above Robert married Ada McFadden and children: Ree Ethel, Lois May, R. Terrell, Floyd Miller, James Coleman, Robert Warren, Jathan Allen, and Charles Henry.) (Have more information on these Dale's and their children, also)
 (Also, James McCullough Dale was married a second time and there were some children from this marriage. This marriage was to Lalah Rambo. James McCullough and Lalah Rambo Dale are buried in Rose Hill Cemetery, Arkadelphia, Arkansas; dates on stones shown are: James (1842/1919), and Lalah Rambo Dale (11-4-1879/9-26-1935).
 2. Dr. John Richard Dale, who married May Beauchamp. Their children were: Christine; Dr. Robert Rodney; Dr. John Richard, Jr., who married Alice Ashford and had one child, John Richard III; and Lois. (Have articles

CHILDREN OF SUSANNAH P. MC CLURE - by first marriage to Wm. Boyd
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- on Dr. John R. Dale copied from "Goodspeed-Southern Arkansas-1890"; also, one from Scrapbook-Vol. III, Arkadelphia, Ark. Library) (We found graves on the above in Rose Hill Cemetery, Arkadelphia, as follows: Dr. John Richard Dale (8-20-1849/8-26-1927); May Beauchamp Dale (10-3-1861/5-26-1942), Lois Dale (2-5-1889/6-17-1934); Dr. Robert Rodney Dale (Died 5-10-1937 at age 52 years).
3. Alice Jane Dale - who married W. A. Stewart. Their children were: Martha who married John Smoker Hunt and their children were Stewart and Alec Francis; Dale - who married Martha Key and their child was Robert Boyd; William A. - who married Florence Beck and their children were W. A. and Katherine.
 4. David Thomas Dale - (9-20-1846/4-2-1925). Married Mary Marbury on 1-12-1869. Mary Marbury Dale (3-12-1852/7-11-1931). She was born in Arkadelphia, Ark. During the war between the States (1861-1865) David Thomas was captured near Selma, Alabama, and held a prisoner a few days and was taken with the Federal Army to Montgomery, Alabama, and held a prisoner until the surrender, then walked home from Montgomery to Chesterville, Mississippi. David Thomas and Mary Dale are buried in Rose Hill Cemetery, Arkadelphia. (Have article on David Thomas Dale copied from "Goodspeed-Southern Arkansas-1890"; also, have copy of his service in Civil War Confederates.)
Children of David Thomas and Mary Dale were as listed below: (Have more information on all these families also)
Leonard Washington Dale; Cordelia Elizabeth (Coy) Dale, who married Willis R. Fordyce and they had two children: Inez and Willis (both died in infancy); John Richard Dale (3-12-1875/2-3-1901); Joe Saunders Dale who married Harris Hart Flanagan and their children: Louise Othello, Anna Mae, Dale, Nash, and Elizabeth; Alice Jane Dale (1-12-1881/4-27-1885); Mattie Stewart Dale who married John Mason Clem, Jr. and their children: Mary Frances, Fay, May, John Mason III, Joseph Dale, David Thomas, Cordelia Elizabeth (Coy), and Esther; Bessie Earle Dale, who married William Patrick Tonry and their children: Mary Dale, Cordelia, Jane Boyd; David Thomas Dale, Jr., who married May Campbell and their had one child, Gladys; and Mary Ann Dale who married Clive Walter Harrington and their children: David William and Alice Dale.

CHILDREN OF SUSANNAH P. MC CLURE - by second marriage to Dr. William Rowland

1. Hannah Rowland - who married Simeon McCord first and Andrew Gayle second. Children by first marriage were Susan and Grace. Children by second marriage were Ruth Alan who married Britian Rogers and their children were: Gayle, Ruth Alan, Rosa, Grace Rowland, and Britian.
2. Thomas Rowland - who married Martha Ann McDaniel. Children were: John; Susannah; James Thomas; Virginia, who married James Pattillo; Dr. W. T.; Martha, who married John N. Stuart, and their children John N. & Martha Virginia.
3. Sarah Rowland - who married Dr. Richard Cunningham. Their children were: Mary and Dick.

(This gives you an insight into the descendants of Mrs. Susannah P. McClure Boyd Rowland)

Guntown, Miss.
Jan. 5, 1916

Mrs. May B. Dale
Texarkana, Ark.

My dear Mrs. Dale;

Your letter has just arrived. I take pleasure in telling you what I know of your husband's ancestry. I sent in separate registered package the History of the Women of the Revolution, Vo. III. I once had the entire series. All the volumes have been lost but this one. The book is out of print and cannot be replaced, if lost. Your memorandum tells me that the Gastons can trace their line of ancestry back to the first King of France. I did not know we were of Royal blood, but have always been proud of our lineage.

My mother told me that the Gastons were French Huguenots who fled from France to Scotland when they were persecuted on account of their religion. Afterwards they moved from Scotland to County Wester, a Protestant community in North Ireland, and hence were called Scotch-Irish. They emigrated as stated in your memorandum, to Pennsylvania, and then came to South Carolina. The statement in your memorandum that Judge Gaston married Hannah, daughter of Mary McClure is erroneous. You will see by referring to the book that he married Hannah, the daughter of Dr. William McClure, and granddaughter of Mary McClure. I know the book account is correct because it is in accord with what I learned from my mother. Judge Gaston was an eminent jurist of North Carolina and he was a Catholic, because he was reared by my mother who was a Catholic. So my mother told me.

Susannah Rowland's first husband was a Boyd, and she had two sons by him, one of whom I know. A cousin of Mrs. Rowland's first husband married a sister of my mother. My mother claimed kinship with the Gills, but I am not able to say how close in line it came. As stated in my former letter, I have frequently heard my mother and her brother narrate the events in the life of Mary McClure and her family and relatives as given in the book. The book I sent is an heirloom in my family and has passed through many hands and has always come back home. Of recent years it has been loaned to several women seeking to join the society known as the Women of the Revolution. I have never let it go so far from home as the trip it is now making, but I am glad to send it, because I know you will read it with great interest.

I am glad you wrote me about your immediate family. I have two sons who are practicing medicine, both graduates of Tulane University, New Orleans, from which school I received my medical degree, A. D. 1859. I have two daughters, both married, one of whom lives with me. The other is the wife of a Presbyterian minister. My oldest son is married and is the father of one son. My youngest daughter is the mother of a little girl two years old.

I am not able to give you any information concerning John McClure's family, nor am I able to tell you where Mrs. Rowland's brother, Dr. McClure, settled in Alabama. Hoping I have been of help to you in tracing the lineage of your husband's family, I am

Yours truly,
W. B. Gamble

Letter not dated

My dear Mrs. Dale:

I must first beg pardon for the long delay, but I have been away on a visit North to my sister's, and while your letter was forwarded, I could not answer till I reached home to look it up.

Dr. William McClure was the son of John McClure and Mary Porter, (Rev. Heroine). John McClure was my grandfather. We have a family tree made from my mother's and her friend's memory, and also from information in various histories and memoirs of the South.

I have a cousin, Mrs. Andrew Rose, in Texarkana, also. Do you know her? So many of the McClure family have moved West. I am constantly getting letters from different ones of them. If I can be of any other service to you, will be glad to do so.

Sincerely,
Leila Davega Cox (Mrs. W. B.)

Chester, S. C.
117 Pincknet Street

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(DALE, BOYD, MC CLURE, ROWLAND, GASTON) Tupelo, Miss.
Jan. 24, 1919

Dr. J. R. Dale
Texarkana, Arkansas

Dear Sir:

I regret that I did not fulfill my promise to send you the Old Harmony Church record of your parents, earlier, but it just seemed that I could never get a chance to do it until today, and Mrs. Dozier has been right unwell and I visited her and found the old record all right and could hardly quit reading it when I got started. It has so much to recall old times. The record shows more Black people members than White people, and more baptized infants of the Blacks than the Whites, and so much to remind us of former days.

Robert and Jane Dale were received by letter from the Pleasant Grove Church, S. C., April 7, 1849. The pastor was R. E. Sherrill of Concord Presbytery, N.C. who was installed pastor a short time after they joined the Harmony Church. The records show Mr. Robert Dale died April 12, 1853, and Mrs. Jane Dale died Oct., 1858. We can now see why we did not find any record at Union or Fishing Creek churches of their membership. I do not know where the Pleasant Grove Church in South Carolina is located, but presume you will have no trouble about locating it. If you desire, I saw so much to interest me that I never thought to look for the Baptism of your children until after I came home.

We are well at present, tho have had a seige of flu here that was no respecter of persons. We escaped lightly so far, but it is still here. Charlie Bolen's oldest daughter, Mrs. Tuer, died with it this week and left five children and there has been a great many deaths here, but not so many as is reported from other places, especially old Chester, S. C. Johnson Witt is still at Colony, Oklahoma, and is going day and night, as the flu is very severe there. My nephew, Jim McNeill, is still in France. A grandson of Uncle Henry Martin was killed in France soon after he got there. Lindsey Banns and I see where one of the Cooper boys was killed over there, and where John McClay's third son, Erskine died at Monticello, Ark., a few days after he got back from France.

I trust you and all your family are safe and on this side of the water. With kindest regards to you and Mrs. Dale, I am

Yours truly,

J. M. Dixon

(A note on the bottom of this letter
showed: Inscription on tombstone - 345 Church Street
born 1795, died Nov. 26, 1862 - Mrs. Tupelo, Mississippi
Susan P. McClure Boyd Rowland) May 15, 1920

Dear Cousin May,

You may just number me with the ungratefults. I certainly appreciated your kindness in sending the record. When it came, I had gone on a little visit to Beham. Every week since I have wanted to go to Mrs. Dozier's and get the record, but numerous duties have prevented. This morning, with all of Saturday's duties before me, I went out, and am sending this record. Dr. William and Susan P. McClure-Boyd-Rowland joined Old Harmony Church in Pontotoc County and they brought with them letters of dismissal from Fishing Creek S. C., April 14, 1850.

Miss Hannah Rowland joined Harmony on profession of faith, Aug. 24, 1850, April 13, 1850. John Richard Dale, child of Robert and Jane Dale was christened at Old Harmony Church by the pastor, R. E. Sherrill.

I am sending a little booklet, which I am sure you will enjoy if you haven't read it.

When Gale gets his diploma in law, June 9, and Ruth Allen hers here from high school, June 1, Rosa gets through in the recital, Grace Rowland in a recital in expression next week, also in music the following week, I am going to get a cold biscuit, bucket of water and go out in the woods and lie down and rest, and if I have any thoughts to collect, I will try to write you a letter.

Love to all,

Ruth Gale (Mrs. B. A. Rogers)

(Mrs. B. A. Rogers is the daughter of Hannah Rowland McCord Gale, and granddaughter of Susan P. McClure Boyd Rowland)

Guntown, miss.
Dec. 25, 1935

My dear Mrs. Dale,

It gives me pleasure to enlighten you as to your husband's ancestors. My mother, whose maiden name was Martha Gaston, was something more than a first cousin to Mrs. Rowland. She was a first cousin because they were both granddaughters of Mary McClure and they were second cousins because my mother was the granddaughter of Justice John Gaston, and Mrs. Rowland was his grand niece. Justice Gaston and Mary McClure were brother and sister. My grandfather, Hugh Gaston, son of Justice Gaston, married his first cousin Martha McClure, daughter of Mary McClure and sister to Mrs. Rowland's father. In the year A.D. 1844 or 1845 my mother visited Mrs. Rowland in Pontotoc County, Miss. She took me, a lad of eleven years, with her. I have a distinct recollection of the event and remember that she called on her daughter, Mrs. Dale, who was then near her home. My mother emigrated from South Carolina to Alabama in A.D. 1818 or 1819. My mother and Mrs. Rowland were about the same age, being girls together. Mrs. Rogers is right that they were both members of Fishing Creek Church, S. C., both being reared under its shadow. The old organization is still in existence. A few years ago I wrote to the clerk of the Church Session for the date of the letter by which my mother was dismissed from the church to join a church in Alabama. He wrote me in answer expressing regret that he could not comply with my request because the records of that date were lost. So it is probable that Mrs. Rowland's membership of the church lasted considerably longer than my mother's and the records may show her name. Mrs. Rowland had two sons by her first husband. I think their descendants are still living in Alabama. Mr. Gayle, Ruth's father, told me that one of them had visited his wife some years ago. Ruth Rogers' mother, Hannah Rowland, was married twice. I don't think there was a child by the first husband.

Mary McClure, the grandmother of my mother and Mrs. Rowland, was no ordinary woman of her time, in the days of the Revolution in South Carolina. She had four sons and three daughters. Two of her sons gave their lives in defense of their country, William and Hugh. All four fought through the war. John McClure was a gallant soldier under General Sumpter, being first a Captain and afterwards a Colonel. I don't know which of the sons was the father of Mrs. Rowland.

One of the three daughters of Mrs. McClure married Ned Martin, one married a Walker and the other married her cousin, Hugh Gaston, my grandfather. Your husband has a noble ancestry of whom you can well be proud. I am sending you by registered mail a book I prize next to the Bible. Read it and return it. I have marked in the index with an X the names which are ancestors of Mrs. Rowland or relatives. I have heard my mother and my uncle speak of all the events in the lives of these parties as given in the book. They were then just as stated in the book. My mother was born A.D. 1795; and was a daughter of a Revolutionary Soldier. I will be eighty-two years old next March, 9th day.

If any of your family should wish to belong to the organization of the Women of the Revolution, their relation to Mary McClure and her son John, entitle them to membership. I will close with best wishes for you and family.

Your friend and kinsman,
W. C. Gamble

P. S. The book is sent in separate package, and as the mails are crowded during Xmas festivities, upon second thought I have concluded not to send it now, so look for it in a week or two.

No date on following article

Concerning the record of William Poag McClure, we find that he was married to Arabella Kenyon, a niece or younger sister of Judge Owen Kenyon, whether in South Carolina or Georgia, the record does not say - presumably in Jasper or Butts County, Georgia. From there he moved to Okolona, Arkansas, where he practiced medicine to the time of his death. The children of Dr. William Poag McClure and Arabella Kenyon McClure were: Lafayette, who married Mr. Hinton; Kennon (father of Kate McClure Wallis, (Dr. Jim) children: Charles and Jim, who married Lucy Jones, or James.

Cousin Kate Wallis, you see, is our second cousin.

M. R. Stuart

COPY OF ESTATE OF WILLIAM BOYD: (From old records Aunt Coy Dale Fordyce had)

3 and 4: William Boyd and Mrs. Susan Boyd Rowland: on the day of February 1823, Mrs. Susan McClure Boyd was appointed administratrix of the estate of William Boyd, deceased. The letters do not show the date of William Boyd's death, but they state that he lately died intestate. On the day of September 1823 she filed bond for sum of \$5,000 with James McClure, Robert Robinson and John Poag as her sureties. Robert Robinson, John Poag, James McClure and James Lowry were appointed appraisers of the estate. The appraisers made their return on the 25th day of October 1823, under which they appraised the personal property of the estate, including 8 negroes. The property was sold on the 2nd day of November 1823, under order of the court, and brought the sum of \$2,397.15. Mrs. Boyd continued to act as administratrix and she filed return for the estate each year, until the year 1829, when the return is filed by Dr. William Rowland, Administrator, in right of his wife. These returns show various items paid for education, board and clothing for the children. The return for 1828 gives the following information concerning the children of William Boyd:

"By the boarding of Hugh Boyd for one year now last past,
By the boarding of John Boyd for one year now last past,
By the boarding of Mary Boyd for one year now last past,
By the boarding of Jane William Boyd for one year now last past."

The return for 1829 shows amount paid for board of John Boyd, Mary Boyd and Jane William Boyd, and also shows medical attention paid for Hugh Boyd, and tuition paid Rev. James Lowry for Hugh Boyd, John Boyd and Mary Boyd. This file contains various returns and calculations by the Judge of Probate, better known as the Court of Ordinary, concerning the distribution of the funds of the estate. It is noted that the Judge of Probate in several of his calculations, after deducting one-third for the widow, divided the remainder of this into five shares for the children. The files do not contain information as to who the fifth child was. Perhaps it was David Boyd, mentioned in your letter of January 31, 1919.

On January 5, 1830, Peter Wylie, Ordinary, ordered the sheriff of Chester County District to summons Susannah and William Rowland to appear before the Court of Ordinary to be holden at Chester Court House for the District of Chester on the third Monday in January and enter into a new bond with the other sureties, or in the failure therein, the letters of Administration to be revoked. This summons also stated that James McClure and Robert Robinson, two of the sureties of Susannah P. Boyd, now Susannah Rowland, wife of William Rowland, Administration of the estate of her former husband, William Boyd, had petitioned the Court of Ordinary of said District to be released from said securityship. Mrs. Rowland and her husband evidently did not give another bond, for on Jan. 30, 1830, by order of the Court of Ordinary the letters of administration were revoked and all the kindred and creditors of William Boyd were cited to appear on the 1st Monday in February, to show cause, if any they had, why letters of Administration should not be granted to John Poag. On this same date, January 30, 1830, John Poag filed an affidavit in the Court of Ordinary to the effect that he was present when Ephram Lyles, Ordinary, granted letters of Administration to Mrs. Susannah P. Boyd, and at that time James McClure, Esq. was spoken of as going in with her, but refused to go more than security and gave as his reason that he might be called on as a witness concerning said estate and being administrator might deprive him as being competent, but he agreed to assist his sister Susannah, in transacting the business of said estate. On the 1st day of February 1830, letters of administration upon the estate of William Boyd were granted to John Poag, who filed a bond in the sum of \$5,000, giving John K. Johnson and Robert Millen as his sureties. John Poag entered into the discharge of his duties as administrator of the estate and continued to file returns of the estate until the year 1841. The records fail to show any final distribution of the funds in the hands of the administrator, or that the administrator ever changed. The records in the Office of Clerk of Court show that on May 25, 1849, William Rowland to John Poag a tract of land containing 242 acres in the waters of Rock Creek and the dower to this land is signed by Susannah P. Rowland, on May 25, 1849, before C. D. Melton, Magistrate. On September 19, 1849, William Rowland deeded 108 acres, which is described as his home place, to John Martin. Dower to his deed was renounced by Mrs. Susannah Rowland before James B. Magill, Magistrate, on October 19, 1849. The records in this county contain no further information concerning either Mrs. Rowland, or her husband, Dr. William Rowland.

5. John McClure: None of the records in the office of the Probate Court, nor in the office of Clerk of Court, give any information concerning John McClure. There is no administration upon his estate, nor have I been able to find where he ever deeded any land or where any land was deeded to him. There is a record of James McClure, whom I suppose was an uncle or some other relative of James McClure above mentioned, a brother of Mrs. Rowland.

I hope that the information above given may be of some value to you. As a whole this search has been unsatisfactory from my point of view. In those days there was no record of births, marriages, or deaths. The only light thrown upon

COPY OF ESTATE OF WILLIAM BOYD: (CONTINUED)

these records are in probate Judge's office and in the office of Clerk of Court. The records in regard to the estate of deceased persons very often give the names of wife and children. The records in the office of Clerk of Court do not give information about parties, but only give the amount of land they own and renunciation of dower and that is the only way we can get at a matter of this kind.

There are perhaps other details in regard to settlements of these estates that may be of interest to you, such as copy of returns filed by administrator, description of the land covered in deeds, and matters of this kind, but there is nothing else in my opinion, that would throw any light upon matters of interest to you.

If you desire copies of these returns, I shall be glad to send them, to you, or if you want this information for a definite purpose, and will let me know what the purpose is, I shall be glad to make another search of the records to see if there is anything that would help.

I also wish to have a talk with Mr. J. C. McClure of this Bar. Mr. McClure and I have mentioned the matter several times, but were interrupted each time, and I have never gotten to have a talk with him to find out just what he knows. I will do this at the earliest possible date, and write you if he is able to give me any information.

If I can be of any further service, do not hesitate to call on me.

Yours very truly,

M. L. Marion

NOTE: Date this record obtained not shown

 (This from old Beginning of the Record of the McClure Family
~~records that my Aunt Coy Dale Fordyce had~~)

The record of the McClure and Gaston families dates back to the beginning of French History. We first find that John Gaston DeFoix and his wife, Agnes of Navarre, fled from France to Scotland because of the persecution of the Huguenots.

The Century Dictionary says of Foix, "An ancient government of Southern France, it formed a countship in the Middle Ages, and was ruled by the Foix family from the Eleventh Century. It was annexed to Navarre in 1484 and passed to France in 1589.

Of Navarre, the Century Dictionary says: "An ancient kingdom which comprised the modern province of Navarre in Spain, and part of the Basses Pyrénées in France. It was about the year 900 that it arose and under Sancho the Great (900-1035) comprised also Arragon and Castile. It was united to France under King Henry IV in 1589."

John Gaston DeFoix (above mentioned) was of the Huguenot faith and left France on account of religious persecution. He was the direct descendant of Gaston DeFoix, Duc De Nemours. The Century Dictionary says of him: "A celebrated French General, he was the son of Jean DeFoix and Marie of Orleans, sister of Louis II of France. Marie De Orleans was a daughter of Charles of Orleans, who was the son of Louis, Duke of Orleans, who was the son of King John of France (1350-1364), the son of Charles of Valois, the son of Phillip III (1285), son of Louis IX (1226-1270), son of Louis VIII (1117-1130), son of Louis VI (1108-1117), son of Phillip I (1060-1108), Hugh Capet (987-996). All of the later Kings of France descended from Hugh Capet and his wife Hedwig. She was the daughter of Henry, King of Germany, (876-973), the son of the Duke of Saxony.

William Gaston, son of John Gaston DeFoix and his wife, Agnes of Navarre, married Olivet Lemne of Scotland. There were nine children from this union. Mary, who married James McClure; Martha, who married Alexander Rosboro; Jane, who married Mr. Strong; Elizabeth, who married Mr. Knox; Hugh; John; Robert; Dr. Alexander, who married Margaret Sharp; and William.

After his wife's death, William Gaston emigrated to America, settling first in Chester, Pa., 1749, and afterwards moving to Chester, S. C. 1752. The various members of the families became prominent in the Revolution and reference is made to their patriotic activities in various histories of this period, notably in Mrs. Elletts' History of Women of the Revolution. Later references are found in the Century Dictionary under the name of Gaston. The Gastons and McClures and Martins are mentioned in B. J. Lossing's Pictorial History of the Revolution. Mary Gaston McClure, who married Justice McClure, was the daughter of William Gaston and Olivet le Mure. She was born in 1725 and died in 1800. She had several children, among these were James; Hugh; and John, who married Mary Porter. Their children were: Hannah, who married A. Fogg; Dr. William, who married Arabella Kenyon or Kennon; Susannah, who married William Boyd, and then Dr. William Rowland; Hugh; John; Mary; and possibly others.

CENSUS

GREENE COUNTY, ARKANSAS

Family Number		1850	
Union Township			
1. Mitchell	34. Winneham	75. Morrison	113. Crafton
2. Taylor	35. Barber	76. Anderson	114. Forest
3. "	36. Forest	77. Holcum	115. Risley
4. Lovelady	37. Farmer	Forest	116. Boyd
5. Adams	38. Carter	78. Meredith	117. Risley
6. Thompson	39. Watkins	Eaton	118. Seits
Edwards	40. Meridith	79. Meredith	119. "
7. Bratton	41. Hardwick		120. Jones
8. Johnson	42. Bramlet	Bradshaw Twp.	121. Harris
9. Tadlock	43. Miller	80. Bradshaw	122. Hill
Futrel	44. McIntosh	81. Cooper	Summet
10. Futrel	45. Sims	Meredith	123. Hinkle
Stanford	46. Mitchell	82. Smith	124. Fletcher
11. Owens	Kurkendall	83. Nichols	Hinkle
12. Mitchell	47. Wyatt	84. Saterfield	125. Flotchor
Turner	48. Duffell	85. Asberry	126. Jones
13. Johnson	49. Saunders	Walker	127. Clark
McKinley	50. Maury	86. Reed	128. Walker
14. Taylor	51. "	Talton	Cook
15. Moore	52. Thurman	87. Reed	129. Jones
Patterson	53. Higgenbotham	88. Tanner	130. Cohorn
16. Massengill	54. Vaughan	89. Nichols	131. Bratcher
Johnson	55. Balen	90. White	132. Sweeten
17. Massengill	56. Steel	91. Hazle	133. Braden
18. Croft	Reynolds	92. "	134. Hardin
Martin	57. Shelton	93. Nochols	Cook
McKinney	58. Poole	94. Simmons	135. Meredith
19. Wiley	59. Rowland	95. "	136. Briggans
20. Martin	60. Cook	96. Feagley	Moody
21. Lewallen	Shelton	97. Dalton	137. Nettles
Welch	61. Thomas	98. Warren	138. Johnson
22. Dorsey	62. Taylor	99. Watson	
23. Jones	63. Stone	100. Troup	Chalk Bluff Twp.
24. Bohaning	Murphey	101. Harris	139. Shults
Glasscock	64. Stone	102. Dillinger	140. Davis
25. Ragsdale	65. "	103. Pollard	141. Nettles
26. Norsworthy	66. Vaughan	Troup	142. "
27. Shaver	67. McDaniel	104. Forest	143. Davis
28. Dorsey	68. Freeman	105. "	144. Berry
29. Ragland	69. Forester	106. Dalton	145. Wyatt
Thompson	70. Meredith	107. Murphy	Lemsford
30. Clark	71. Somers	108. Johnson	146. Davis
31. Vaughan	72. McCracken	109. Davis	147. "
32. Brown	73. Farmer	Keel	148. "
33. Mattiece	74. McIntosh	110. McIlroy	149. Hollis
	75. Jones	111. Feagley	150. Irvin
	Robertson	112. Heron	151. Winfred

152. Swain	194. Mack	232. Parker	271. Leaton
153. Murphy	195. Paine	233. Jones	272. McCracken
154. Laine	196. Nettles	234. Holt	273. South
155. Clifford	197. Golden	235. "	274. Self
156. Harris	Shelts	236. Brown	275. Gwinn
Concord Twp.	Harris	237. Tyler	Furgerson
156/ Eagle	198. Edmonson	238. "	276. Gwinn
157. Ferrel	199. Kimbro	239. Cochran	277. McCracken
158. Jackson	200. Whitten	240. Webb	278. Ishmael
159. Tuckness	Nichols	241. Lane	Edmonson
160. Lasley	201. Duffell	Smith	279. Ishmeal
161. Thompson	202. Jones	242. Lane	280. "
162. Clark	203. Hill	243. "	281. Cross
Watson	Kennedy	244. Rogers	282. Ishmeal
163. Peebles	204. Thomas	Webb	283. Brashears
McFarland	Cooper	245. Tennison	284. Grigston
Nasworthy	205. Edmonson	246. Harris	
164. Manor	206. Ford	Calloway	Powell Twp.
Big Creek Twp.	207. Edmonson	247. Harris	285. Willey
165. Hale	Draper	Smith	286. Roy
166. Hazle	208. Freeman	Hall	287. Cruse
167. Galyean	209. Skipped	Parker	288. Bobbett
168. Messeker	210. Lawrence	Johnson	289. Winchester
169. Parker	211. Purcell	248. Lamb	290. White
170. McIntosh	212. Nixon	249. Cardwell	291. McCracken
171. Eubanks	213. Rasbury	250. Cook	292. Grayson
172. Harris	Meredith	Burrow	293. Waldrum
173. Johnson	214. Watkins	251. Cook	Cowhorn
174. Shelton	215. Shaver	Burrow	294. Rutherford
175. Mitchell	Murray	252. Cook	295. Pankey
176. Mellon	216. Cato	253. "	Grayson
Shane	217. Huffstutler	254. Cardwell	296. McCracken
Crowley	Nutt	255. Cook	297. "
177. McNeal	218. Cotheran	256. Burrow	298. Ray
178. Wooten	219. Smith	257. Busby	299. Ray
179. Johnson	220. Forester	Sego	Roy
180. "	221. Wright	258. Bramlet	Nasworthy
181. Hitchcock	222. Hampton	259. Self	300. Burrow
182. Lamb	McCain	260. Hinson	301. Caldwell
183. Milure	223. Clark	261. Coward	302. "
184. Lawrence	224. Rasbury	262. Cross	303. Crook
185. Cagle	Coker	263. Hargraves	304. Sims
186. Nettles	225. Andrews	Self	305. Caps
187. Copeland	226. Snelson	264. Chriatian	306. Baker
188. Nettles	227. McNeice	265. Busby	307. Harris
189. Long	Spencer	266. Courtney	Bell
190. "	228. Stuart	267. Latch	308. Ray
191. Campbell	229. Roland	268. Little	309. Randolph
192. Wooten	230. Love	269. Sullins	Furgurson
193. "	Bates	Burke	310. Waldrum
	231. Benick	270. McCoy	311. McLaughlin
	232. Coward	271. Robertson	Gage

312. Gage	356. Hooper	395. Cantwell	439. Jones
313. "	357. "	396. Nichols	440. Crow
314. Widnor	358. Edwards	397. Gargus	Lawrence
315. Littre	359. Lane	398. Hamilton	441. Beshears
316. Deson	360. "	Vichey	Austin
317. Vaughan	361. Mounts	399. Price	442. Seagraves
318. Ray	362. Rutherford	Winneham	McIntosh
319. Burrow	363. Irvin	400. Allen	443. Poole
320. Hagan	364. "	401. Bramlet	444. "
Burrow	Nasworthy	402. Clifford	445. McCollough
321. Cupp	365. Nobbs	403. Stars	446. Drusel
322. Rhea	Nasworthy	404. Sanders	447. Brackenridge
323. Shane	366. Sanders	405. Rhea	Dorsey
324. Coker	367. Culbertson	406. Weeks	448. Gunnels
325. Coaker	Gwinn	Rhea	Brashears
326. Martin	368. Cooper	407. Tucker	449. Crites
327. Hughs	369. Sutfin	408. Clark	Brackenridge
Gullett	370. Sanders	409. "	450. Brackenridge
328. Hughs	371. Gibson	410. Austin	451. "
329. "	372. Gwinn	Clark	452. Huffstuttler
Wood	373. Barnett	411. Palmer	453. Finley
330. skipped	374. Heron	412. "	454. Taylor
331. Bryson	375. Nichols	413. Alston	455. Sweet
332. Phebehouse	376. Bagwell	414. Payne	Flood
333. Croley	377. Hollis	415. McDaniel	456. O'Neil
334. Phvehouse	378. Johnson	Roberson	457. Winneham
335. Dennis	Strickland	416. Roberson	Leib
336. Ellis	Smith	417. "	458. Vanbibber
Hughs	379. Thompson	418. Meredith	White
337. Coiksans	Stretfin	419. Frenette	459. Ragland
McFarland	380. Bobbett	420. Smith	460. Stars
338. Hutchins	381. Rotin	421. Floyd	461. Wright
339. Pinnell	Nichols	422. Alexander	462. Reynolds
340. King	382. Edwards	423. Floyd	463. Lockhart
341. Hutchins	383. McCracken	Nixon	McIntosh
342. Collins	McVay	424. Smelser	464. Holderby
343. Waldron	384. Cook	425. "	465. Lumpkin
344. Ray	385. Grigston	426. Sutfin	466. Palmer
345. "	386. Ray	427. Gray	467. Landrum
346. Lester		Glasscock	468. Nutt
347. Cook	St. Francis Twp.	428. Owen	
348. Lamb	387. Bobbett	429. Cupp	
349. "	Winchester	430. Spencer	
350. "	388. Medlock	431. Light	
White	389. Holcum	432. Landrum	
351. skipped	390. Jones	433. Sanders	
352. "	391. Bostic	434. Terratt	
353. Ray	Graham	Thompson	
354. "	Ishmaheal	435. Sanders	
355. Cardwell	392. Hall	436. Yocum	
Ray	393. Palmer	437. Johnson	
Puryell	394. Hitchcock	438. Yocum	

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QUERIES

I would like to recommend the M804 microfilm series which has been released by the National Archives and Records Service. These are the complete records of the Revolutionary War Pension & Bounty Land Warrant Application Files. Everything in the file has been micro-filmed, even scraps of paper with only a number or name. This contains much more information than you receive when you order the photo copies of a service record.

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Microfilm 804 - Roll # (List Surname desired and given name if you do not want to buy all of one name) \$12.00 per roll.

I had been searching for a record for Moses Presley because I know he received a Revolutionary War land grant in Georgia. I bought the roll that had all of the name Presley (Pressley) and they were all on the same roll. Did not get Moses Presley record, but I found his brother John. John gives much family information in his affidavit, made with application for pension. He identifies Moses as his brother, and gives details of his service and states he was serving with his brother, Moses. Moses signed as a witness and stated he would add particulars in his own application. His application must have been lost for it is not included. I did not know he had a brother, John.

Many of the names are on more than one roll, but unless the name is Smith, Jones, Johnson, or other very common names you will be able to buy all of one surname for not more than \$24.00.

PUBLISHED FAMILY HISTORIES

In the last issue of the ARKANSAS FAMILY HISTORIAN, the publication of Family Histories was mentioned (in the Editor's Notes). If you have published your family history, please send in a notice. Include the NAME of the BOOK, FAMILY, location, type of printing and cover, number of pages, and price, if copies are available. Also your address and do not forget the Zip Code.

These published histories should give the answers to many of our QUERIES.

Mrs. Leister E. Presley

McLEAN
GREENLEE
WENTZ
TISDALE

Mrs. Sharon Tinnell Shirk, 1420 Lakewood Drive, Slidell, LA. 70458 - I am seeking information on the following families, McLEAN, Greenlee, Wentz, Tisdale. I would especially like to have the burial location on these families.

ALWAYS REMEMBER - SEND A SELF ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE (S.A.S.E.)
WHEN YOU HOPE FOR A REPLY

ATKINS Hellon Atkins Fortson, (Mrs. J. Leon Fortson) 843
WILSON Stephenson Street, Shreveport, LA 71104 - It seems
COOK that it was about the time NC and SC became States
WHITE that the ATKINS FAMILY of which I am a descendent,
 began moving to South Carolina, Tenn. Miss., before
settling in Ark. I am particularly interested in information about
John ATKINS, b. 1780 in NC and his wife Sally, b. 1759 NC, whose
descendents moved from NC to Tenn and to Ark.? In 1840 John ATKINS
b. 1780, in NC, was living in Ouachita Co., Missouri Twp, with his
wife (name unknown, but could be the Mary listed in State records
as having died in 1850 in Ouachita Co., Ark., of influenza). At
home in 1840 with them were their two youngest sons. There could
have been daughters in this John's family, but I have been able to
trace only sons, who are as follows: In the 1850 Census of Ouachita
Co., Ark., were: (Champagne Twp) Jolly ATKINS, b. 1800 in SC, wife
Susan, b. 1802 SC and their son Gerveas (Jarvis). Smackover Twp.
R. H. ATKINS, b. SC 1806, wife Lucinda, b. 1810, SC and their child-
ren: John C. b. SC; Leanadier & Charles b. Tenn.; Almira, Thomas.
Charles H. b in Miss., and Claudis, William, Marcella, & James A.
b. in Ark. Charles Eton ATKINS, b. 1807, SC; wife, Amanda, and
their children, were still living in Miss. in 1850, later moved
to Ark. Taylor Twp.: John R. ATKINS, b. 1814, SC; Katherine (Wilson)
his wife, b. 1817 in Alabama, all their children born in Ark. were:
Emarintha, Leander, John, Opella & Willis. It was with this son that
the elder John was either visiting or living after the death of his
wife and when the Census was taken. Marion Twp.: William ATKINS,
b. 1820, SC and his four children: Susan, Clementine, David & Saphrony
all born in Ark. Also Marion Twp.: Leander ATKINS, b. 1823, SC; Mary
his wife, b. 1828, Miss. & children Haywood & James, b. in Ark.

R. H. & Lucinda's eldest son, John C., b. 1829, SC, married in Ark., to Sarah Cook, b. 1840 in Miss. They had children: Potter, Lucy & Panisade who may have died young as no record has been found. Their three children who grew to adulthood were: Presley, Robert J. & Annis.

Robert J. married first to Margaret Louise WHITE, who died about 1894. Where is she buried, and who were her parents? They had Marvin Marlar, b. 1881, Effie, Doyle & Coy. Any information about any of this ATKINS line will be helpful. In later years other children were born into these families, and I will be glad to share any information I have.

HARRIS Charles N. Ferguson, 306 N. Beard St., Shawnee, OK
SIBBERS? 74801 - Both sides of my Grandparents on my Mother's
SMITH family lived in Ark., for awhile. The HARRIS family
in Sebastain Co., Ark., and the SIBBERS in Scott Co.,
Ark. My Grandparents married at Waldron, Ark. I would like to get
any information on Mattie J. SMITH, she was about 1/4 Choctaw Indian.
Mattie may also have been an orphan. Does anyone know where she
was in Arkansas in 1860 Census. Any information at all will be
appreciated and I will be happy to exchange data.

KENT O. Phillip Kent, 3818 Wayside Drive, Bartlesville, OK
 PELT 74003 - I am interested in the following genealogies:
 LEWIS KENT... Virginia, Alabama, Arkansas
 THOMPSON PELT... North Carolina, Arkansas
 LEWIS... Virginia, North Carolina, Alabama, East Texas
 THOMPSON... Scotland, Virginia, North Carolina, Alabama,
 Mississippi & East Texas

WOOTEN Mrs. J. R. Bush, 125 Pinewood, Hot Springs, AR 71901
 MILLER John WOOTEN, b. 1796, Tenn., died 1861, Washington
 Co., Ark. Married 2nd to Mrs. Alley MILLER (with 2
 MILLER children) in 1847. Children by wife #1 (name unknown, b.
 Tenn.) All living in 1861: Wm. born Ill, living in Franklin Co.,
 Ark.; John, b. Ill. living in Scott Co., Ark. Abigail Burnet, b.
 Ark., living in Crawford Co., Ark. Mary J. Gibson, b. Ark. living
 in California. Boling, James & Royston, all born in Ill. and all
 living in Texas in 1861. Allen Harrison, Elizabeth, Marion, Stephen
 & Pleasant, all born in Ark., and all living in the home in 1861.
 The last two were children of wife #2. Would like to hear from any
 descendants.

I am collecting data on all WOOTTEN, WOOTEN, WOOTTON Families
 of Arkansas and adjoining states from 1835 to 1900. Also from Ky.
 and Virginia from 1607 to 1825. Especially wish to know relation-
 ship of THOS. W. WOOTTEN to ANNIE WOOTTEN LINGO (widow of James) of
 Huntington, Ark. He signed as Administrator of her Estate in 1888.
 What relationship were they to the LARIMORES?

WILKINSON Iona W. Packer, Box 744, Duncan, Ariz. 85534 - My
 WARD Great grandfather was Archibald WILKINSON, b. about
 McDONALD 1818/23. I do not know where. He lived in Atlanta,
 HAMMOND GA when my Grandmother was born 11 Sept. 1846 (Julia
 MILLER Ann Virginia Texas Wilkinson). She had two brothers
 ANDERS Henry Clay & Joseph Jean WILKINSON. Archibald's 1st
 POTTA wife was Betheny WARD, and she died in 1854 possibly
 in Ala., after her death, my Great grandfather and
 his two sons moved to El Dorado, Union Co., Ark., and my grandmother
 remained in Ala., and married and later moved west, and never saw
 her family again. My uncle Henry Clay was born 4 June 1851 in Ga.
 and died 1876 (I do not know where) he lived near Chidister, in
 Ouachita Co., Ark. and married a McDonald. I don't know here first
 name, and they had two children, Caddo & Henry. They may have lived
 in Rosston, Ark. My Uncle Joseph Jean WILKINSON was b. 4 Jan 1853,
 GA died 30 Apr 1903 in Little Rock, & buried in Beebe, Ark. He was
 the Reverend of the Presbyterian Church at the time of his death, in
 Beebe. He was married to Sarah Josephine WORTHAM, 4 Jan 1882.

My Great Grandfather's 2nd wife was Mary Frances HAMMOND (her
 1st husband was a Mr. MILLER) they married 29 July 1861 in El Dorado,
 Ark., & had three children: Elizabeth Lenora, b. 18 Oct 1863, died
 21 May 1944; Archibald Alonzo, b. 30 Oct 1865, died 26 Feb 1960; &
 Ida Samantha, b 13 Feb 1868, and died 25 Feb 1946. All three were
 born in El Dorado, Union Co., Ark., the children being very young
 when their father died, they know very little about him. They moved
 to Camden, Ouachita Co., Ark. Archibald WILKINSON, had two sisters,
 Mary Ann, who married Newton Gilbert HAMMOND (he was a brother to
 Mary Frances HAMMOND. Rebecca married a Mr. ANDERS. I have found
 record of three brothers altho can not prove it Neal K. WILKINSON
 married Rebecca JOHNSTON, Joseph & Alexander J. married Jane Adeline
 POTTA. Any help or advice will be much appreciated.

BAKER Mrs. McPherson V. Bounds, 715 E. Washington, Shreve-
 McCONAUGHEY port, LA 71104 - Need to locate the grave of Rev.
 MITCHELTREE James DANIEL BAKER, died at Belva, Scott Co., Ark.
 BOUNDS 1898. He was a Methodist E. Minister. Wife, Barbara
 ARRINGTON both were from Ohio. Will correspond on any of the
 surnames listed.

JACKSON DeWayne Jackson, Rt. 2, Manila, AR 72442 - Need information about William JACKSON, 1870-1900? His place of birth was most likely Tennessee. He married Anna PETTY, near Helena, Phillips Co., Ark., ca 1890. Two children were born: Ethel, ca 1891 and George W., Oct. 1893. Sometime after this Wm. JACKSON died, possibly in Phillips Co., Ark. Any information will be appreciated.

HOLMES Mrs. Frances Harr, Rt 1 Box 171 F, Sarepta, LA 71071
HALL William Henry HOLMES & Lucy HALL, married 31 Dec 1905. William, b. 10 July 1880, d. 27 Nov 1942, Princeton, Dallas Co., Ark. Lucy, b. 15 July 1875, d. 25 April 1936 also in the Princeton area. Children: Infant Son, d. 24 Nov 1906; William Reese Holmes; Infant Son; David Robert Holmes; Henry Harry Holmes; Infant, d. 25 July 1916. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

SCHUMACHER Irma King, R.R. 2 Warsaw, Ill 62379 - Christian (Chris) MILLER SCHUMAKER supposedly lived in Little Rock, Pulaski Co., Ark. (?). He was born 11 Nov. 1860 & married once to a Louisa MILLER at Tioga, Ill., 12 Dec. 1889. I would like to contact any descendants or anyone who has information about him. He had friends by the name of SCHOBBER & KLEPFLERS and a brother Peter. Also interested in any SCHMITZ who might be related to Christian SCHUMAKER.

WARD HELEN WIDENER, 1700 Oak Meadows, Irving, TX 75061 - I
HUTCHINS am researching the Family lines in Arkansas: WARD,
LOYD settled in Van Buren Co., before 1870; HUTCHINS, settled
OGDEN in Van Buren Co., after 1870; LOYD, data unknown; OGDEN
settled in Lawrence & Jackson Counties about 1810 before
Arkansas was a State (Ark. Territory 1819)
My husband is a grandson of Andrew WIDENER (Dr.) of Little Rock, Arkansas.

JACKSON Mrs. Joe B. Hanna, 10305 Sunset Blvd., Oklahoma City, OK
SCOTT 73120 - I would like to correspond with descendants of
AUSTIN Anderson JACKSON, b. 1819, Wayne Co., TN. Married Nancy
POLLOCK SCOTT ca 1840, Wayne Co., TN. They came to Pope Co., Ark.
DIXON in 1849 & settled in Gum Log Township & later in Atkins
area. Their children were: William (Great Grandfather);
James N.; Mary A.; J. D.: Andrew; Hannah E.; Tennessee M.; & George A.
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AUSTIN SCOTT in 1866 in Atkins. (Pope Co. Marriage Records: William
JACKSON, 25, married Elizabeth SCOTT, 24, 2 Aug. 1866, by W. A.
Strickland, JP, Book D page 128) Also Pope Co. Ark. Marriage records:
Anderson JACKSON, 64 married Mrs. Louisa McLAREN, 50, both of Atkins,
28 Dec. 1882, by W. R. Kayser, JP, F Book, page 65) They had a Grist
Mill and later a Cotton Gin on Crow Mountain. William & Elizabeth's
children were: Mack D.; Mary Susan; Lou Ann (Grandmother, married
Houston DIXON - Pope Co. Marriages: Houston DIXON, 24 married Miss
L. A. JACKSON, 18, both of Atkins 13 Dec 1888, by F. J. Johnson, MG,
F Book page 371) Sarah (Sally) John E.; Oscar M.; Guy; & Pearl.
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North Carolina, married Frances POLLOCK about 1840, probably in
Lawrence Co., TN. They came to Gum Log Township, Pope Co., Ark., and
later Atkins area. Their children were: James A.; Elizabeth A.;
Mary J.; Phillip W.; Margaret; Charles; Susan; Sarah; Amanda; John W.;
Joseph K.; Stanford; Tennessee L.; & Alice.

TARVER Mrs. Marian Hogue Green, 6901 W. 41st, Little Rock,
 NATION AR 72204 - I am trying to trace my mother's family.
 Her name is Violet TARVER & her father was Samuel P.
 TARVER. He was born 20 June 1866, White Co., Ark?, & died 14 Oct.
 1908. Married Claude NATION in Saline Co., Ark., 29 Oct. 1890.
 Samuel's brother was Christopher C. TARVER, who was State Represent-
 ative, from Cleburne County 1903-1905. Will exchange information.

HOLIFIELD Mrs. Ray Aldridge, P. O. Box 184, Dyer, AR 72935
 SLEEPER Information wanted concerning the JACOB HOLIFIELD
 WELLS Family who lived in Conway Co., Ark. Daughter Sarah
 A. HOLIFIELD married Leander SLEEPER, 9 August 1853,
 Lewisburg, Conway Co., Ark. Where did the HOLIFIELD Family come
 from to Arkansas? Where and when was Sarah born? Need the parents
 of Susan WELLS (or any information

HUTCHINS Helen Widener, 1700 Oak Meadows, Irving, TX 75061
 DILLARD Need the father of William P. HUTCHINS, b. 13 April
 1840, Lawrenceville, GA. Moved to Van Buren Co.,
 Ark., ca 1870. Served in the Confederate Army. Married Sallie
 Ann DILLARD also of GA., b. 18 Oct 1843, d. 24 March 1890. Wm. d.
 1 Jan 1911, both were buried at Hardin Cemetery, near Morgontown,
 Van Buren Co., Ark. Will exchange information. Would also like
 to correspond with children of Wm. and Sallie.

LOYD Helen Widener, 1700 Oak Meadows, Irving, TX 75061
 ALLEN Need inf. on Robert A. LOYD & Mary Elizabeth ALLEN.
 Robert d. ca 1889 while cleaning out a Dug-Well. He
 was called Al. Mary Elizabeth (called Betty) married a man named
 GARRISON, they had a son named Charles LEONARD GARRISON, about 1892.
 Elizabeth died a few weeks after he was born. Believe she is buried
 at Fairview Cemetery & Robert at Mt. Olive, but can not find graves
 at either place. Would just love some help on this line. I have a
 beautiful well preserved picture of Robert & Elizabeth.

WARD Helen Widener, 1700 Oak Meadows, Irving, TX 75061
 DOUGLAS Need information on the Jonah (Joe) S. WARD & Mary
 Ann Douglas line. Joe, b. 28 May 1851, d. 18 Feb 1924.
 Father was Henderson WARD, from Ireland. Mary Ann, b. 2 April 1851,
 d. 11 Feb 1934, both are buried at the Blackwell Cemetery in Van Buren
 Co., Ark.

OGDEN Helen Widener, 1700 Oak Meadows, Irving, TX 75061
 GENTRY The big Headache - Robert C. Ogden, b. 1839, Smithville,
 WARD Lawrence Co., Ark. Amanda M. GENTRY, married 28 Mar.
 WIDENER 1867. Their son Yuclid OGDEN, b. ca 1870, married
 MAY Ada Arizonia WARD, daughter of Joe & Mary Ward of Van
 Buren Co. Yuclid disappeared just after 1900. He and
 Ada (called Zonia) separated and he was never heard of again as far
 as is known. Would like to know his death date & where he is buried.
 Will gladly exchange information on any or all of these lines and
 would like to correspond with relatives. Have done extensive research
 on some of these. Also have WIDENER-MAY line of Clark County, Ark.

REMEMBER - Send a THANK YOU NOTE - for any clue.

TURNEY "TURNEY FAMILY REUNION" #8 will agins be held at Srigler City Lake "Lake John Wills" about one mile Southeast of Stigler, Oklahoma, on Sunday June 13, 1976 upon the hill. If you like to camp out there is plenty of good spots for this or there are good Motels in town at fair prices. We could call this year the great American "TURNEY FAMILY REUNION CAMP-IN" if "YALL" all come on out. Attendance is getting bigger & better each year, ask anyone who has been there. Thanks to our "Prize" Committee, we will have Door Prizes this year. Also we must start taking contributions again this year. Approx. 25¢ per person.
SPECIAL NOTICE:

The Business Meeting will begin at 10 o'clock A.M.
The Covered Dish Dinner will begin at approx. 11:30 A.M.

TURNEY Forrest Gene Turney, P.O. Box 1072, Grand Prairie, TX 75050 - (Phone 214-258-0914) I would like to locate Mrs. Helen TURNEY. The last I knew of her was, Mountain Home, Baxter Co., Ark. She is working on the TURNEY FAMILY BOOK. Also would like any and all information on TURNEY FAMILY, will talk, trade, write or call anytime. My Great Grandfather was Peter Gid TURNEY, Heber Springs, Cleburne Co., Ark. My father was Ernest Iceland TURNEY, b. 1901, d. 1964. Grandfather was William H. TURNEY, b. 1859, d. 1933. Grandmother was ROGERS.

FEWELL W. W. Caldwell, 1303 Brentwood, Pine Bluff, AR 71601
HOGGE Need parents of William F. FEWELL, b. ca 1781, Vir.
HOGUE married Parthenia HOGGE (HOGUE). He is listed in
WILSON the 1810 Census of York District, S. Carolina. He
and Parthenia had fourteen children. The first child was Amanda Melvine, b. 1 May 1817, married 11 Jan 1834 to John C. WILSON. They moved to Cabot, Lonoke Co., Ark. in January 1884. She died in 1915 and is buried in Cabot. I have quite a bit of data on these families, but cannot find the parents of William FEWELL and Parthenia HOGGE. I also have the children of Bennett & Matilda HOGUE. Would like the vital data on William & Nancy, also need proof that Parthenia was his daughter. Would also like information on parents of John C. WILSON who married Amanda FEWELL.

NORMAN Mitchell D. Norman, 2505 Gilmerton Rd., Lot 12, Chesapeake, VA 23323 - Need information on John Columbus NORMAN, b. 1836, Stoddard Co., MO., d. unknown date (after 1880), Greene Co., Ark.; children: H. Norman, female, b. 1868, Molly F., b. 1870; John William, b 1872, and d. 1918, Greene Co., Ark.; Nancy J., b. 1876. It is believed that John C. NORMAN was married twice. His first wife, Ann, died and the second marriage ended in divorce. It is also believed that he was buried in an unmarked grave at Gainesville, Greene Co., Ark. Any information on these people would be greatly appreciated.

SPURLOCK Mrs. Avis Rogers, 1104 Citizen St., Jonesboro, AR 72401
My Great Grandfather, David SPURLOCK was born in Floyd County, KY, 15 Dec. 1818. He later came to Sharp Co., Ark., in 1846 & married Mary Ester ?. They were both buried in a Cemetery in Sharp Co., Ark., near Ashflat, Ark., but neither one has any headstone. I would appreciate any information on any of this family.

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WHEN YOU HOPE FOR AN ANSWER

CHENNAULT Mrs. Mabel S. Wright, P. O. Box 293, West Monroe, La
 CHENNAULT 71291 - John CHENNAULT, Revolutionary Soldier, d. ca
 1820 in Ga., wife, Fanny. Need parents of John;
 children's names, brothers or sisters. Urgent to contact descendants
 or relatives. Would like to correspond with anyone having any infor-
 mation.

WRIGHT Mrs. Mabel S. Wright, P. O. Box 293, West Monroe, LA
 DOWNER 71291 - John W. WRIGHT, M. D., b. ca 1817, GA. Came
 BRIGGS to Columbia, LA., in 1850s, married Jennie DOWER, 1857.
 Had one child, Dr. E. L. WRIGHT. Divorced 1870, m.
 Henrietta BRIGGS; several children by her. Dr. J. E. WRIGHT, d. 1887,
 son, d. 1910. Where did he live prior to coming to Columbia, LA.?
 Who were parents, were there sisters or brothers? Was there a wife
 prior to 1850, if from Georgia where did he attend school?

CHENNAULT Mrs. Mabel S. Wright, P. O. Box 293, West Monroe, LA
 CURTIS 71291 - Seeking contact with anyone having information
 ROWAN on the following: Relatives or descendants of these:
 Jackson CHENNAULT who married Josephine CURTIS, 22
 Feb. 1855, Saline Co., Ark. Would like to know the parents names of
 Jackson. Also would like to know the names of the parents, brothers
 and sisters of William Chennault, who married Mary ROWAN 26 Sept 1855
 and the same information on William CHENNAULT, who married Josephine
 CURTIS. Anyone having CHENNAULT records, please contact me.

ROBERTS Mrs. Mabel S. Wright, P. O. Box 293, West Monroe, LA
 NORTON 71291 - ROBERTS: Parents, birthplace, marriage record
 of Norton, wife, Martha? of Marion Co., South Carolina,
 (or Dillon Co.) brother, Redden. Norton ROBERTS, and sons Sam & Irvin,
 and Robert, came to LA. in the 1840s. Also need heirs or descendants.
 This family probably originated in North Carolina.

JAMES William C. Bryson, 1512 Crestwood Drive, Fayetteville,
 BROUGHTON AR 72701 - Need information - parents of Joseph Gabriel
 PERKINS JAMES, b. Arkansas Territory 1824, married Sarah
 Priscilla BROUGHTON, b. 1828, probably in Ouachita Co.,
 Ark. She was daughter of E. T. BROUGHTON, Sr. JAMES children were:
 Susan, b. ca 1847, married ? JOHNSON; Elizabeth, b. ca 1849, married
 A.H.D. PERKINS, 1867 in Kaufman, Texas; Dempsey, b. ca 1851, Texas;
 Wm. P. JAMES, b. 1853, MS., never married; Dickey, b. ca 1859, not
 listed in 1870 census; Edward J.b. ca 1865; Nanette Amanda (Mittie)
 1867-1909 (born Tyler, Texas 1867); married G. W. BRYSON, 1895, Mineola,
 Texas; Thomas Broughton JAMES, b. ca 1874 in Kaufman, Texas. Would
 appreciate any information.

GRIFFIN Mrs. Richard Wynn Irvine, 2202 Nashville Avenue, New
 Orleans, LA 70115 - "According to the Lamar County
 Precinct 3, Texas, 1850 US Census, my grandmother, Mary Ellen GRIFFIN,
 was born in Arkansas, 16 Dec 1837." From family records I assume she
 was born in or near Texarkana. I am seeking any record that will
 establish the County of her birth. I am willing to pay for duplica-
 tion of the record or any other charge. Please help.

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WHEN YOU HOPE FOR A REPLY

HENSLEY Mrs. Jan Ironside, 506 Lawndale, Springdale, AR
 McGEE 72764 - Need information of McGEE & MOBLEY in Ark
 MOBLEY J. W. (Jack) MOBLEY, b. 1813, North Carolina &
 SULLIVAN brother Sorrell, b. 1806, North Carolina (Sampson
 WATSON Co. ?) were early settlers of Northeast Arkansas.
 They settled in Lawrence Co., Ark. in 1830. J. W.
 married Lena (?) b. 1817, North Carolina. Their known children
 were Calvin, b. 1830, N.C. and Thomas R., b. 1837. Calvin married
 Amanda McGEE, her father was Joseph C. McGEE, b. 1802, Rutherford
 Co., Tenn., came to Arkansas about 1840. Joseph's first wife's
 name is not known, their children: William F., b. 1832, TN., wife
 Polly Esther WATSON, b. 1832, TN.; Joseph, b. 1836, TN., wife
 Kilah ? born, 1836, North Carolina; Amanda, b. 1838, TN, husband,
 Calvin MOBLEY; Virginia, b. 1841, Arkansas; Joseph C. McGEE's
 second wife was Edith HENSLEY, b. 1811, TN., their children:
 George, b. 1844, Ark., wife Mary ?; James, b. 1846, AR; Talbot, b.
 1849, AR; Franklin, b. 1852, AR; Edith, b. 1854, AR; Francis, b.
 ?; Chapman, b. ?; Martha (Barnett) b. ?

Calvin MOBLEY & Amanda McGEE had the following children: Wiley,
 b. 1866, Ark., wife Caroline Smith; Kelly Jane, b. 1865, AR; Ida
 Leona SULLIVAN, b. 1870, AR; Ulysses Grant, b. 1872 married Maude
 BARNETT. Will gladly exchange or be happy to receive any information.

REDPATH Mrs. W. B. Redpath, 508 Myrtle Ave., Willard, Ohio,
 44890 - A number of years ago, while living in Chicago,
 Ill., I was contacted by a Mr. Redpath, a salesman for church furnish-
 ings, whose hobby was talking to, and collecting background informa-
 tion from families of the same surname in the various cities where
 he travelled in his business. I am under the impression that at that
 time he told me that either he or some member of his family was pre-
 paring to publish a History of his own branch of the family, as far
 as they had been able to trace it. (His home was in Little Rock, Ark.)
 Can anyone be of any assistance to me in trying to locate anyone who
 is either a REDPATH or anyone who can give any information about the
 Family. Any assistance you can give me would be greatly appreciated.

UNDERWOODS Mary Ruth Hemphill, Box 242, West Point, Miss. 39773
 HOUSTON Need information on - The UNDERWOODS that came to
 Helena, Phillips Co., Ark. about 1840/50. A. G. &
 Q. H. They were both lawyers and their father was JOHN UNDERWOOD.
 Also information is needed on JOHN K. HOUSTON, who went to Arkansas
 about 1840. Will exchange data.

FRYAR Mrs. James F. Shields, 305 Shawnee Trail, Chattanooga,
 LOVELADY TN 37411 - I am interested in a JOSEPH FRYAR FAMILY,
 GRAHAM in Logan Co., Ark., circa 1880. The second FRYAR
 FOSTER Family I am interested in is a Sevier, Pleasant &
 HUGHES Joseph FRYAR (not the Joseph Fryar Family) in Greene
 Co., Ark., circa 1850. The FRYARS and LOVELADYS, in
 Greene Co., were from Hamilton Co., TN. There were several inter-
 marriages between, FRYARS, LOVELADYS, GRAHAMS, FOSTERS, & HUGHES, etc.
 I am a descendant of JEREMIAH FRYAR, b. about 1770/80. His wife
 was Rebecca LOVELADY. The above three, Sevier, Pleasant, & Joseph,
 I believe to be their sons. I have lost tract of Jeremiah between
 1840 & 1850. He could have died. I know the sons had Bounty Land in
 Arkansas from their service in the Sabine & Cherokee Wars. Any assis-
 tance would be greatly appreciated. I have a lot of information on
 the FRYARS & LOVELADYS in Tennessee & would like to share.

LUNA Jean Hager, Route 3, Pawnee, OK 74058 - Need information on Peter Marcus LUNA, b. ca 1844, Ark., and wife Susan MURPHY Rainey (MURPHY) LUNA, b. ca 1853, Ark. my great grandparents. They had the following children in 1880: Polly MATHIS C., b. ca 1874; John Franklin (my grandfather) b. 12 Dec 1875, married Sarah Ellen MATTHEWS (or MATHIS); Aggie, b. ca 1878; and James R., b. 1880. They may have had other children after 1880. Also, William MATTHEWS, b. Ark., ca 1850, and wife Martha E. (CHURCH) MATTHEWS, b. Georgia, ca 1853, my great grandparents. According to information I have, both are buried about 4 miles north of Russellville, Pope Co., Ark., in the "Forks of the Creek Cemetery". (This may not be the official name of the Cemetery). William & Martha E. MATTHEWS had the following children in 1880: Louiza J., b. 1869; Marinda E., b. 1872; Polly Ann, b. 1875; Sarah Ellen, b. 11 Mar. 1877, d. 24 April 1914; and Julie E., b. 1879. Also, Lewis, b. ca 1809, Ark., and Marinda MATTHEWS, b. ca 1824, Tenn., whom I believe to be my great great grandparents. They were living in Pope County, Ark., in 1860. Their children at that time were: Louisa, b. ca 1847; William, b. ca 1849; Nancy E., b. ca 1851; Sarah, b. ca 1853; Benjamin F., b. ca 1855; James B., b. ca 1858; and an infant son, b. 1859.

COX Mrs. Fred Cox, Rt. 5 Box 149, Rayville, LA 71269 - Have McHORSE enjoyed our Historian. Could someone cover Southwest HOWARD Arkansas. I would like to see Old Baptist Cemeteries FAULKNER COX & allied families - once McHorse - now Pleasant Grove, HARDER near Provo, Sevier Co., Ark. Also cover Pope County, HOLT Howard, Little River, Faulkner in our Historian. (Provo Cemetery, 6 miles northeast of Locksburg, near Provo, Ark.) Would like to correspond with anyone knowing of William J. COX, 1830, S.C. settled near Locksburg, Sevier Co., Ark. Wife Harriett (HOWARD) COX, 1830 S.C., or any of living relatives or friends of this family. Martha COX married Robert FAULKNER, lived in Little River Co., we think. Mary Lou COX, married Doc HARDER. Melissa COX married Harry HOLT. Where did William J. COX die? Flora CANNON, children? in Dierks, Ark. Flora, daughter of Martha & Robert FAULKNER, children of William & Harriett COX. Please help - Postage returned.

PRATT Mrs. Denzil E. Gates, 3607 Bella Vista Drive, Midwest FOX City, OK 73110 - Desire information on parents of Jesse Richardson, PRATT, Sr., & descendants of his children by Frankie FOX. JRP, Sr., b. Tenn., 1804, d. Randolph Co., Ark., 1888. Frankie FOX, d. ca 1843 in Reynolds Co., MO., left children; unknown daughter, 2; Mathew Y. married Jane ?; Mary Elizabeth married Elvis Harrison; William Y., married ?; John Bunyon PRATT married Nancy L. HAYNES, Malinda CHILTON and 2 more; Jesse Richardson PRATT, Jr., married Claudia Elizabeth ATKINSON; Green B. PRATT married Susan HAYNES; Milton J., PRATT died in Civil War in Iron Co., MO. Welcome correspondence with any of these descendents, or other relatives. Will exchange.

BLUCKER Mrs. Floyd B. Jones, Rt. Box 422, Jacksonville, AR 72076 Could anyone in the Society suggest a researcher in area of SWEDISH ANCESTORY - Name - BLUCKER - but due to Name Change Custom in Sweden, possibly would be numerous name changes back to original name. Any help would be appreciated.

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JONES
CARROLL
JENKINS
HUDDLESTON
SHAW

Mrs. L. R. Hereford, Sr., 418 Oak Glen Drive, San Antonio, TX 78209 - Need information to trace my maternal grandmother's lineage and possible relatives in Union Co., Ark. I was reared in her home, in Central Texas & regret I did not ask more information of her before her death many years ago.

She was the oldest daughter of one John JONES, whose wife was a CARROLL (given name unknown). She had a wealthy brother named Jim CARROLL. They were all "well-to-do" prominent people, owning many slaves on plantations, during the period from 1840 to 1859, when my great grandfather JONES sold his land and moved to Natchitoches, LA. My Grandmother was born in Union Co., Ark. in 1844. After the Civil War, she came to Texas with a sister and married here, but the rest of the family stayed in LA. They kept in touch until her death in 1941, but not I have no records to go by and would like to find some descendant of her family or if there are any records in Arkansas I might consult. I hope to make a trip this summer, one of my grand daughters plans to take me to trace the migration of the Carrolls and Jones Families, this summer and I hope to search in Union County. I have been told there are CARROLLS still living in Union County, and may be JONES, but John JONES being such a common name, it may be difficult to find those in this family. My Grandmother, Frances Caroline JONES, who out-lived three husbands, KENKINS (killed in Civil War) HUDDLESTON & SHAW, lived a life that could furnish ample material for a novel. Any clue will be appreciated.

BLACKBURN
JUDKINS

Karla M. Finch, Box 542, Eagar, AZ 85925 - Rachel BLACKBURN, b. 6 Jan 1823, England, d. 15 Nov. 1900, husband Lewis JUDKINS. I would like any information

on either or both of these people. I hope someone can help. Will gladly exchange data.

NAIL

Mrs. James H. Nail, Rt. 7, Box 22, Louisville, MO 39339 - I am interested in any NAILS in Arkansas.

Would like information on Thomas NAIL, who was in Ark., somewhere about 1836. Have never been able to locate him. He is not in 1840 Census. Is there a Census Index for 1850?

HOLIFIELD
SLEEPER
WELLS

Mrs. Ray Aldridge, P.O. Box 184, Dyer, AR 72935 - Information wanted concerning the Jacob HOLIFIELD Family who lived in Conway County, Ark. Daughter Sarah A. HOLIFIELD married Leander SLEEPER, 9 Aug.

1853, Lewisburg, Conway Co., AR Where did the HOLIFIELD Family come from to Arkansas? Where and when was Sarah born? Need the parents of SUSAN WELLS (or any information about her family) who married Uriah SLEEPER, 20 Feb. 1874. She died about 1883 in either Yell or Conway Counties, AR.

MATHEWS
WIEN
COLE

Mrs. Mary Jane Draeger,, 315 Douglas Avenue, Waukesha, Wis. 53186 - Wanted information or correspondence with the descendants of Frank M. MATHEWS of Hazel Valley, Ark. His children were: Estella; Melvin W.;

Bertha; and Raymond Rousevelt MATHEWS. Also information about a Mrs. S. C. WIEN and a A. W. COLE of Winslow, Washington Co., Ark., about 1926.

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CRAWFORD Mrs. Charles M. Cole, Mosekollen 9, Oslo 7, Norway
 FRANCIS Note: Mail can also be sent to: Mr. Charles M. Cole
 WARD c/o Rowan Drilling Company, 1900 Post Oak Tower,
 ZACHARY 5051 Westheimer, Houston, TX 77027 (Will be forwarded
 GILLUM to Norway) - Robert CRAWFORD moved his wife Elizabeth
 WHITENBURG (FRANCIS) CRAWFORD (believed to have been daughter of
 HARIFORD Henry FRANCIS of Rev. War, who died in Johnson Co.,
 LOGAN Ark., and their sons William Madison CRAWFORD, who
 married Rebecca WARD (daughter of John WARD) and John
 Francis CRAWFORD, who married Almira Zachary CRAWFORD (daughter of
 Caleb ZACHARY) and James J. CRAWFORD, who married Sarah GILLUM (daugh-
 ter of Thom. GILLUM, to Arkansas between 1820 & 1828. They were
 living in Crawford County and then POPE County when it was estab-
 lished and later Johnson County. Robert CRAWFORD is listed as a
 member of 1830 Pope County Court and he died rather suddenly on Sept.
 6, 1833 in Pope Co., Ark. His daughter Nancy is said to have drown,
 when trying to cross a swollen branch of Horsehead Creek, in Johnson
 County in April 1830.

It is believed that when Robert CRAWFORD brought his family to
 Arkansas in the 1820s, his brother William CRAWFORD and possibly
 Samuel CRAWFORD also came to Arkansas. We believe William Crawford
 had the following daughters? Jane WHITENBURG, Nancy HARIFORD, Sarah
 LOGAN and Betsy (Elizabeth) LOGAN??? We believe R. A. LOGAN was a
 close friend of these two brothers - if not a relative. These families
 lived in Kentucky, before moving to Missouri in about 1803, and then
 to Arkansas in the 1820s. I would enjoy exchanging information with
 anyone working on any of these lines. I have a great deal of back-
 ground on most of them. Will answer all letters.

NOTE: Mrs. Cole has offered to look up anything in Oslo, Norway.
 She will be there two years. No guarantees but she will
 give it a try.

HOLMES Mrs. E. A. Holmes, 15 West Alpine Drive, Oklahoma City,
 EDWARDS OK 73109 - I would like to hear from anyone researching
 BYFORD the HOLMES family of Boone Co., Ark., near Harrison &
 SCROGGINS Belfonte area. My husband's grandparents were married
 TIMMONS there 28 Dec 1879, Robert Andy (Bob) HOLMES & Sarah
 ABLES Elizabeth EDWARDS. His parents were Moses HOLMES &
 LUMPKINS Artie M. ?, maiden name unknown. Need names of parents,
 EXLEY brothers, & sisters, all other data will also be much
 appreciated. We have been told there are many descen-
 dents still living in this same area PLEASE HELP.

Need data on parents of my grandfather Houston BYFORD, b. 4 Dec
 1847, Miss. married Hannah Tabitha Caroline SCROGGINS, 11 May 1867,
 Alcorn, Miss. Their first child, a daughter was born in Miss. They
 were in Graves Co., Mayfield, KY. when 2nd child was born 28 Feb. 1870,
 were living in Saline Co., Ark., in 9 Dec 1874 when my father was born.
 The 1850 Census of Scott Co., Ark (Blackfork) shows the family living
 ing this area at that time and it gives both parents of Houston and his
 wife Caroline as being born in Tenn. Houston Marion BYFORD'S mother
 was a widow with several children at the time she married Houston's
 father. Her married name at the time was TIMMONS, she and Houston's
 father both died when Houston was very young. He only had half brothers
 and sisters by the name of TIMMONS and his half sister Elizabeth TIMMONS
 (ABLES) raised him, therefore we know nothing at all about his ancestors.
 I am in hopes, some of the TIMMONS family will see my request & can help.

ROBINSON George Bleimes, 4565 Hamilton Rd., Gahanna, OH
 KRANZ 43230. - Need information on ancestors of Edward
 RICHTER F. & Bertha L. ROBINSON. They were son & daughter
 AMRHEIN OF Peyton M. ROBINSON, b. ca. 1857 & Bertha (Bettie)
 SMITH (SCHMIDT) b. 9 Aug 1864, Caseyville, Union Co.,
 Ky., married 26 Dec 1878, Argenta (North Little Rock) Pulaski Co.,
 AR. I have some information 2 generations back - but incomplete.
 Rumored: In 1956, Effa Laura Cather, 5323 Sylvan Hills Road, L.R.
 (N.L.R.?) had ROBINSON Family story from the Arkansas Gazette, 1936,
 in an old scrapbook. Can anyone help me obtain a copy of it? Edw.
 F. ROBINSON, b. Little Rock, 27 Feb 1882 married Sophie Anna (Annie)
 KRANZ, b. Little Rock, 6 June 1885, married in L.R. ca 1902. Need
 information on Annie's parents - Wm. KRANZ & Katherine ROUCH.

Bettie SMITH'S sister, Mary Barbara, b. 17 Dec 1867, KY married
 Julius T. RICHTER, b. ca. 1850 (where)? at L.R. 14 June 1883. Julius
 died in Little Rock 21 Aug. 1892. Mary B., then married Wm. KRANZ,
 b. 9 Jan 1866 - New Orleans (?) at Chicago, ca 1893. I don't be-
 lieve the above two Wm. KRANZ's were the same person - but may be
 related??

Bettie SMITH's mother, EMELIE (Amelia) SCHMIDT (Smith), Nee
 RUSER, b. 26 June 1832 SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN married WILHELM H.
 AMRHEIN, b. ca 1839, Germany, at Little Rock, 5 Dec. 1879. He had
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William AUSTIN, father of Elizabeth Austin JACKSON, b. 1818, NC.
 Married Frances POLLARD about 1840, probably in Lawrence Co., Tenn.
 They came to Pope Co., Ark., in 1850. They also settled in Gumlog
 Twp. and later Atkins area. Their children were: James A.; Elizabeth
 A.; Mary J.; Phillip W.; Margaret; Charles; Susan; Sarah; Amanda;
 John W.; Joseph K.; Stanford; Tennessee L.; and Alice.

LEIRD Dale Thomas, 1264 West Pioneer Road, Porterville, CA
 LEARD Would like to exchange information on LEIRD, (LEARD),
 CONDRAY CONDRAY, BATES, & BOYDSTON of Cleburne, Faulkner
 BATES Counties. CROCKETT, ROBERTS, MASON of Van Buren,
 BOYDSTON Cleburne, & White Counties. The CROCKETT Family came
 CROCKETT from Pa. to Tenn., very early, was in Humphrey County,
 MASON Tenn. in 1804, came to Van Buren Co., Ark. about 1855
 ROBERTS and members of the family are living in White County at
 the present time.

WRITE YOUR QUERY EARLY - TIME AND SPACE BOTH RUN OUT - SEND QUERY
 WITH NAMES - DATES - CLEARLY TYPED - OR HAND WRITTEN

STANDLEY Oleta S. Hunt, 901 Third Avenue, Safford, Arizona
 RAINES 85546 - In 1871, after losing almost everything
 MAGEE while fighting in the Confederate Army, my great
 McGEE grandfather, William Wadsworth STANDLEY, and his
 wife Eliza J. (?) of middle Tennessee, along with
 their children: J. Mack, who later married a Froma (?); John Ivy,
 my grandfather, who in June 1880 married Sarah Lee RAINES, and
 Susan F.; no other record available, settled in or near Boone-
 ville, Logan Co., Ark. My other paternal grandparents, James
 Henderson RAINES and wife, Elizabeth Magee (McGEE) traveled with
 the same wagon train. James Henderson RAINES, had a number of
 children by a former marriage who came with him, as did my grand-
 mother, Sarah Lee, and my aunt, Lucindia Victoria, both of whom
 were born in McNairy County, Tenn.

Both great grandmothers had sons born in Logan Co., Arkansas.
 Namely: John Henderson RAINES and George W. STANDLEY, both believed
 to have been born in 1873. I have done abstracts of deeds concern-
 ing my grandfather and grandmother, John Ivy and Sarah Lee RAINES
 STANDLEY. I would like someone to look for probate packets, marriage
 records or any other material that might be available.

Shortly after the turn of the century, my teen age Uncle John
 RAINES came into the barn and went into the corn crib to get food
 for the horse. My great grandmother was watching, and saw him
 bitten by a cotton mouth mocassin snake. My uncle survived the
 bite, but my grandmother died of a heart attack brought on by this
 horrifying experience. Surely if there was a newspaper (at that
 time) that item would have made the news.

PLEASE help me. Both these lines go back to pre Revolutionary
 War times, in this country and I have a great deal of information
 on them but this period in Arkansas has thus far been impossible to
 prove. I will be happy to pay for a researcher or will be delighted
 to exchange data, with anyone researching either STANDLEY or RAINES.
 I have both lines back to the very early 1700s.

WEMPLE George J. Wemple, 106 E. State Road 8, Crown Point,
 GODFREY Indiana 46307 - Any genealogical data, in the form
 COFFEE of cemetery records, census data, etc., on the follow-
 WIMPLE ing persons will be appreciated. Myndert V. WEMPLE
 (or, WIMPLE), b. 12 Sept 1824, Rotterdam, N.Y.,
 married 24 Sept 1847, to Sarah C. DAKIN, b. 28 Aug. 1830 and died
 25 June 1894, West Plains, MO. **Residence: Reputed to have been
 living with his son (below) and a daughter in Little Rock, Pulaski
 Co., Ark., about 1895 or later. Children: Elliot V. WEMPLE, b. 25
 March 1850, unmarried, residence - said to have been living in
 Little Rock, Ark., with his father and a married sister, about 1895
 or later. Anna T. WEMPLE, b. 15 July 1853, married 29 Dec 1872 to
 Charles W. GODFREY, b. 10 Dec. 1849. Mary E. WEMPLE, b. 8 Oct. 1857,
 married 9 July 1881 to William P. COFFEE. Jane H. WEMPLE, b. 8 Oct.
 1857, married 9 June 1878 to William T. COFFEE. Any clue will be
 very much appreciated.

SHOPTAWS Mrs. Beverly Mitchell, Box 483, Clear, Alaska 99704
 TUCKERS Would like to correspond with anyone related to the
 HALLS SHOPTAWS, TUCKERS or HALLS of Pope Co., Ark. My
 great grandfather, William Calvin HALL, b. 1841, d
 1910 was married to Louise Arabella TUCKER, b. 1849, d. 1921. Her
 father, Jonah WARRENER TUCKER, b 1825, d. 1897 married Mary Walker
 SHOPTAW, b. 1827, d. 1902. Will exchange data.

DURHAM Mrs. Hughes Seewald, Route 1 Box 376, Amarillo, Tx
 HARDWICK 79106 - 1860 Johnson Co., Ark. Census shows, Joab
 Durham, b. ca 1800 NC, wife Nancy (Hardwick) DURHAM,
 b. ca 1810, VA.; four children: next door (Shoal Creek, Post Office)
 Dillard HARDWICK, b. ca 1816 VA; believe Dillard was brother to Nancy
 & they were the children of Jonathan HARDWICK, of Dickson Co., Tenn.
 Nancy probably died in Johnson Co., Ark., between 1860 & 1870. Joab
 DURHAM was in Red River Co., TX Census with daughter Emma, in 1870,
 where he died. Need any information on these DURHAMS & HARDWICKS.

THOMPSON Need any information about Jordan THOMPSON, b. ca 1810
 KY, wife, Ann (Maiden name unknown) b. ca 1810, NC,
 son Albert, b. 3 Nov 1831, MO (County ?) with 6 other children in
 Johnson Co., Ark., 1850 Census. 1860 Johnson Co., Ark., Census shows
 Albert THOMPSON and wife Joice P. (DURHAM) THOMPSON with two children:
 Charley & Lucy: they in Red River Co., TX 1880 Census. Lucy Patterson
 THOMPSON, b. 19 Mar 1860, Johnson Co., Ark., married 1878, Red River
 Co., TX to John Edward HUGHES. Will appreciate any information on
 THOMPSON-DURHAM.

ADAMS Need parents, birthplace, William Eli ADAMS, b. 22 Oct
 1832, Ark. (County?), father born in Ireland, mother
 may have been Elizabeth WILSON, b. about 1811, Tenn.; Montgomery Co.,
 Ill. 1850 Census, at Hillsboro, where William Eli was living with
 Josh WILSON, 1860; Eli married 1860, Margaratte SCHAFFER; 1870s to
 Texas.

SEEWALD William Henry Seewald, b. ca 1835, Seneca Co., Ohio,
 Tiffin Co., in 1860 Sebastain Co., (Fort Smith) Ark.
 with wife Mary (maiden name unknown) b. about 1843, LA & son Phillip,
 born Ft. Smith, 1860. William moved to Las Vegas, N. M., 1870s where
 he died 1914. Need any information.

BRIMAGE Lenna Brimage, P. O. Box 7502, Riverside, CA 92503
 BRIMAGE Need help on this name BRIMAGE, BRIMAGE from any of
 these Counties in Arkansas: White, Lawrence, Randolph,
 Mississippi, Faulkner, Pulaski, Perry, Yell, Newton, Craighead. I
 have lots of information on these names from all over the USA now.
 All are from one large Family of North Carolina, 6 sons, found 1790.
 after 1790 they moved to Tenn., Franklin, Lincoln and Old Davis
 Counties by 1860 were over in Arkansas, most all were from Carroll
 County, Tenn. All proven by old letters of 1860, and Census, and
 Family Records.

GRAY Mrs. Charles A. Underwood, 5516 Fern Drive, San Jose,
 WILSON CA 95124 - William Carroll GRAY, b. in 1830 (where?)
 married Elizabeth Ann WILSON. They are buried in
 Wilson Cemetery in Faulkner Co., Ark., and their graves are enclosed
 in a large rock fense. There is a single rock fence around the grave
 beside him and a 90 year old cousin said it was his sister. Does any
 one know for sure? They resided in Faulkner County for many years.
 Need his place of birth, parents, brothers, sisters and any other in-
 formation available to fill in the family of this ancestor.

WHINERY E. W. Sharp, 207 Wilcoxson, Farmersville, TX 75031
 Although I am researching several families in Ark., I
 am particularly interested in Abram WHINERY, who settled in Washington
 Co., Ark., in the late 1820s. He was very active in State & local
 polirics. His public life is an open book, but his personal life is
 paractically a "lost book". I would appreciate hearing from any one
 who has an interest in any WHINERY FAMILY.

LUMPKINS Mrs. Elmer A. Holmes, 15 West Alpine Drive, Oklahoma
EXLEY City, OK 73109 - Need data on James Madison LUMPKINS
 and wife Susan EXLEY LUMPKINS. He was born in Ga.,
mother was an Indian (Cherokee) and his father was ? LUMPKIN.
James was driven out of Georgia on the Trail of Tears, was in Chatt-
anooga, Tenn. area in 13 June 1850, at the time my grandfather was
born. The family moved to Clark Co., Ark., near Arkadelphia &
DeGray community. James died there about 1898. Would like to have
names of his parents and that of his (2) half brothers and others if
there were others. Any and all data on the above families will be
greatly appreciated and all letters will be answered.

NOTE: Does anyone have data on the DeGray Cemetery, in Clark County,
Arkansas. We need a copy for the Arkansas Family Historian,
Send to Arkansas Genealogical Society, Inc., 4200 "A" Street,
Little Rock, AR 72205 - Attention: Mrs. Cia

SMITH Mrs. Sharon Tinnell Shirk, 1420 Lakewood Drive, Slidell,
KELLY LA 70458 - I am interested in any information on the
FERGUSON ancestors of Abrahm Smith, b. in Virginia 1782 and his
WILLIAMS wife Nancy P. SMITH, born in N.C. 1797. They lived in
BLACKERBY Alabama until 1849, when they moved with their family
TISDALE to Bradley and Jefferson Counties in Arkansas. They
 were the parents of at least 8 children: John J., Elias
B., Permelia (Kelly) (Ferguson), Eliza D. A. (Williams), Mary (Blackerby),
Frances (Tisdale), Nathan & Martin V. B. Most of the children lived in
what is now Cleveland County. Need biographical information on them;
where they lived, occupation, special happenings, place of burial, etc.
Any information appreciated.

CECIL Thomas L. House, 1104 W. Newman, Harrison, Ark. 72601
 John CECIL, b. 1822 in Morgan Co., Tenn., son of Joseph
& Margaret CECIL. Family came to Carroll Co., Ark., in the early
1830s. John CECIL was Sheriff of Newton Co., Ark., in 1840s, Confed-
erate officer and Guerilla leader during the Civil War. He married
Mary Ann (Surname unknown) about 1845, probably in Newton Co., Ark.
Children: Martha J.; William H.; Martin L.; John; Joseph; & Thomas
J.; Desire to contact descendants of this family or anyone with
knowledge of them.

ARCHER Mrs. Harry W. Archer, 2232 Cos, Liberty, TX 77575 -
 Need any clue toward finding parents, siblings, and
other children of Cornelius ARCHER, said born Virginia, besides his
son Reverend Phillip ARCHER, of Alabama, Cornelius was said to have
been Revolutionary Soldier. A Cornelius appears in a tax list of
Franklin Co., Va. 1786. Our Cornelius was in Tenn. by 1797; in
Morgan (then Cotaco) Co., Ala., by 1818; then said by one of his
grandsons (Phillip's son) to have come to Arkansas by or after 1825
and died in Ark. He does not show in 1830 or 1840 Census of Ark.,
but may have been in a son's home, though said to have farmed in
Ark., before his sudden death. Will gladly pay for data or exchange.

WATTS Darlene Smith, Box 186, Highland, CA 92346 - My people
NORRIDS the WATTS, NORRIDS & CHERRY came to Sebastian Co., Ark.
CHERRY about 1800. I would like to hear from anyone working
 on either of these families.

WRIGHTMAN Sydney Stevens, P.O. Box 864, Gonzales, LA 70737
 RIGHTMAN I am hunting for a man named ADELBERT WRIGHTMAN
 PARKER (RIGHTMAN) PARKER, b. 21 Sept 1842, Tenn., married
 McCONNELL JANE ANN McCONNELL, 1880/83. She was dau. of
 KIRSEY Robert H. McCONNELL, of Greenwood, Sebastian Co.,
 Ark., who was a Senator from Ark. 1880s. His first
 child Mattie Annie PARKER, b. 1869 (mother unknown) married Add
 KIRSEY in Arkansas. (Add- probably was Addington) & probably from
 Miss. One of A. W. (R) Parker's wives was probably a HUDGEONS.
 Joseph O. PARKER, b. 11 Dec 1875 on Sound Census, living with G. F.
 JOSEPH O. HUDGEONS, in Seb. Co., 1880. In 1904 Joe O. PARKER visit-
 ed with relatives in Fayetteville, Washington Co., Ark. Also a
 name in Jane A. McCONNELL PARKER'S Family Bible - MIRIAM E. DONAGHE,
 b. 22 Feb. 1854. Wilson Myers STEVENS, wife Annie ROWELL of Ozark,
 Franklin Co., Ark. Will exchange data.

MAGRO Paul Joseph Magro, 1221 North Bryan Street, Little
 CIURCINA Rock, Ark 72207 - I am attempting to trace the origin
 of the name MAGRO and any living relatives related to
 me. The MAGRO Coat of Arms is officially recorded in ancient heraldic
 archives. Documentation for the MAGRO Coat of Arms design can be
 found in Reitstap Armorial General. The name "MAGRO" is not a common
 one. I was born in Worcester, Mass. My father and mother were born
 in Italy at Palazzola Acreide. My father's name was Joseph and he
 had twenty brothers and one sister, named Nancy, all of whom remained
 in Italy. Nancy married another MAGRO and had a son named Paul. My
 mother's maiden name was Josephine CIURCINA. She had three bothers,
 Paul & Salvatore CUIRCINA who lived at New Britain & Hartford, Conn,
 and Sebastiano, a police officer, still living in Rome, Italy. My
 parents came to America in 1913. For a short while they lived at
 Lawrence, Mass., then moved to Worcester, Mass. I have six sisters
 and one brother, still living in Worcester. My grandfather's name was
 Paolo MAGRO, b. in Palazzola Acreide, 6 Sept 1847, and his wife's name
 was Francesca CORALLO, b. 22 April 1848 in Palozzola Acredide. Paolo
 MAGRO'S father's name was Giuseppe and his mother's maiden name was
 Messina PROSPERA. Francesca COROLLO'S father's name was Giuseppe and
 her mother's maiden name was Nuncia GALLO. This is all the information
 I have at present. Please be so kind as to write, and I thank you for
 any information you may be able to send.

HAND Mrs. Patsy C. Greer, Rt. 2 Box 45, Quitman, LA 71268
 Seeking help on my ancestor Howard HAND. In the 1850
 Census of Shelby County, Ala., Howard HAND was 20 yrs. old. Grand-
 mother said "Howard was killed near Little Rock, Pulaski Co., AR and
 is buried in the area. Can anyone help with death dates or other any
 other information. Will exchange data. Please help.

JENNINGS Miss Bunyon A. Faircloth, Rt 2 Box 512, Texarkana, TX
 75501 - I am interested in a Winnie (male) JENNINGS,
 who lived in or near Little Rock, Pulaski County, AR., in the early
 1900's. He was a brother to my great grandmother Rachel Ann JENNINGS,
 b. 8 Dec 1854, d. 7 July 1877 at Stevenson, Jackson Co., Ala. She
 married 16 June 1875 at Stevenson, Jackson Co., Ala., to James Clark
 THORNTON, b. 17 June 1842, Stevenson, Jackson Co., Ala., d. 4 Apr.
 1928, Franklin, Robertson Co., TX. Need to know her parents. Any
 help would be appreciated very much.

BUMGARNER Virginia Bumgarner Tuley, Rt. 2 Box 140, Wynnewood,
 GARNER OK 73098 - Need information on John A. BUMGARNER,
 WILLIAMS wife, Elizabeth WILLIAMS. Was in Calhoun Co., Ark.
 in 1870. Would like to correspond with descendants
 or related family. Did M. B. GARNER die in Pulaski Co., Ark. When?
 How? Was he a Civil War casualty in 1865 or die of injury after-
 wards? Any and all data appreciated, and all letters will be answer-
 ed, and Postage refunded.

SUMNER Mrs. Loretta L. Marvin, 1730 Skyline Drive, Lincoln,
 MOONEY Neb. 68506 - Duke (Dale) SUMNER was murdered by
 Whittey and Davis, near Pocahontas, Randolph Co., Ark.
 about 1870, and buried near Pocahontas. I would like any information
 birth date, place, marriage or place or death & correct date. He was
 born at Mammoth Springs, Fulton Co., Ark., and married Martha Eliza-
 beth MOONEY. Duke had a brother Henry, who was buried at Raleigh.
 Any small clue will be appreciated and I will answer all letters.
 John Izaac SUMNER, b. 27 June 1874, Mammoth Springs, Fulton Co., AR.,
 died 17 March 1943, Azetec, N. Mex, was Dale SUMNER'S son. John
 married Anna Belle SHANE about 1897. Anna Belle SHANE, b. 11 Jan.
 1880, Alton, Madison Co., Ill. & died 18 Nov. 1928, Durango ?

WAGUESPACK Mrs. Wilbert J. Waguespack, Jr., Rt. 3 Box 48-C,
 LAW Vacherie, LA 70090 - Joseph WAGENSBACK came to the
 Louisiana Coast around the 1720s from Alsace. It
 is believed that he came over with John LAW'S Germans to settle
 the Arkansas concession, and when John Law's Company of the Indies
 went bankrupt, he was among the people who migrated down to LA.,
 and settled above New Orleans, in what is now St. Charles, St. John,
 and St. James parishes. Could anyone help with any knowledge of
 records on these settlers? I would appreciate any information on
 John LAW'S concession and especially ship lists or other pertinent
 information. Also, any information of any WAGUESPACKS in Arkansas.
 Perhaps Joseph left some of his brothers there. (According to J.
 Hanno Deiler, in his book "Settlement of the German Coast of LA."
 Joseph WAGENSBACK in the Census of 1724 was 23 years old and had
 been 2 years on his place and was from Schwobsheim, Alsace. Will
 be happy to exchange data. (WAGENSBACK - WAGUESPACK)

TITSWORTH Harvey R. Titsworth, 1505 Northwoods Drive, Deerfield,
 FIPPS Ill. 60015 - I am attempting to trace my father's
 family that originated in Ark. My grandfather was
 Robert Blackwell TITSWORTH, b. 1866, Van Buren/ Ft. Smith, Ark. area.
 His parents are listed as Levi and Darcus Blackwell TITSWORTH. His
 grandfather is also listed as Levi TITSWORTH. The grandmother's
 name is not known. Any birth, marriage or death dates not known.
 Robert Blackwell TITSWORTH married Mary Ellen FIPPS, (b. 1873, ky.)
 in Ft. Smith (date not known) & moved to Texas where my father, Elmer
 Wilson TITSWORTH, was born 19 Aug. 1895, in Alvarado, Johnson Co., TX.
 My father was the second of six children from this marriage. Robert
 died October 1935, Thrall, TX., and was buried at Taylor, Williamson
 Co., TX. Mary Ellen FIPPS TITSWORTH, d. at Thrall, TX., March 1935,
 and is also buried at Taylor, TX. This information was found in a
 family Diary kept by my mother. Also the names of Robert Blackwell
 TITSWORTH'S brothers and sisters were: Carroll, Columbus (Lum),
 Newton, Green, Charlie, & Nancy. No birth dates were listed. A second
 source of information on this same family was obtained from my aunt
 (Robert Blackwell Titsworth's youngest daughter), Jewel Titsworth Hill,
 who currently resides in Georgetown, TX. Her list of Robert Blackwell
 TITSWORTH'S brothers and sisters given from memory recently, included
 Carroll, Columbus (Lum), Newton, Will & Lilly. My mother's records
 show Robert Blackwell TITSWORTH'S brother, Carroll TITSWORTH married
 Tinney MCKENZIE. Children of this marriage were: Mack, Bessie, Harry,
 Tinney, Vina & another name that was not legible. At the time that
 this entry was made (19) Carroll was listed as working for Magnolia
 Oil Co., in Texas. I appreciate any information available to
 help trace my family back to my emigrant ancestor.

FEDERAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS CENTER
LAGUNA NIGUEL
Artel Ricks, Regional Commissioner

The Federal Archives and Records Center has now moved to the multitiered building at Laguna Niguel and has what some historians consider 'a gold mine' of documents of the Old West dating from 1853. Among the archives are records of the Dept of Interior describing efforts of the Bureau of Indian Affairs and others to *Americanize* the Indian. US Customs records recall when Chinese workers and opium and tobacco, rather than Mexican nationals and heroin, were smuggled into the US across the border.

Visitors to the center are able to examine bankruptcy filings and old court cases and have access to the 1900 federal census, recently made public. Primarily, however, the center serves as a temporary storage house for the increasing amount of paperwork put out each year by federal agencies. It is housed on the first floor and is scheduled to occupy about 20% of the building, which will house the records of 40-50 federal agencies in Southern California, Arizona and southern Nevada. The center is a custodian for the older records of agencies, but stores only materials still used--it does not keep dead files.

This past year the center expected to receive about 55,000 cubic feet of records (3,000 documents per cubic foot) and to dispose of about 48,000 cubic feet. It usually gets records that are 4-5 years old and keeps them another 5 years before they become part of the trash sold to a local wastepaper recycling company.

Although the center conducts most of its business by mail, it receives numerous walk-in requests from private citizens wanting to see bankruptcy files. Most other documents can be read by citizens who first obtain approval from the agencies to whom the records belong. Some documents, however, are confidential and are stored in vaults to protect the rights of individuals and national security. Among the center's most guarded records are those owned by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, the Atomic Energy Commission and the FBI.

The records center is not as easily used as a library. Documents are not indexed, but instead are filed according to each agency's own system. To locate a court proceeding, for example, the inquirer must know the case number. However, serious historians, students and genealogists use the center for primary sources of research.

Records from earlier years were saved but not catalogued and no one knows what many of them contain. In recent years those interested in the history of Mexican-Americans and Indians have found the archives of great value. For example, the center's archivists, in the process of hunting down answers to requests, discovered an account of the life of Ricardo Flores Magon, a Mexican revolutionary, in the old logs of the federal courts of Los Angeles and Arizona.

Other documents tell of smuggling along the Mexican border. Comprehensive records of Indian-government relations include 16 rolls of microfilmed treaties and reports of the Army's investigation into the Fort Apache Massacre. Also of interest are titles, surveys and maps published by the old General Land Office.

Many informational requests that come to the regional center are redirected to the much larger National Archives in Washington, DC. But it is hoped that the Southern California regional center--one of 13 such record centers--will expand its holdings of original and microfilmed documents that have special local interest. Specifically, it is hoped that the center will obtain from Washington the records of the Spanish land grants and of the relocation of Japanese during WW II. The objective is to bring research material nearer to those most apt to want it.

For more information write the Federal Archives and Records Center; 24000 Avila Road; Laguna Niguel, CA 92677; or phone (714) 831-4220.

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Chinn family reunion

Wednesday, April 28, 1976

attracts 200 people

Batesville Daily Guard, Batesville, Arkansas

The second annual reunion of descendants of John F. and Elizabeth Chinn was held Sunday afternoon, April 25, at Cave Creek United Methodist Church.

The reunion followed a potluck supper at the Batesville Housing Authority social center, Saturday evening. The supper honored Mrs. Lizzie Chinn, who will be 100 years old Friday.

About 200 persons attended the supper and the family reunion.

The reunion featured talks by two descendants of John F. Chinn. Vernon Chinn of Lahambra, Calif., told of his visit with Hazel Chinn Besser, of Los Angeles, who is compiling a history of the various branches of the Chinn family in America.

Van Rogers, of Sudan, Texas, advised descendants of John F. Chinn on how to become members of the Daughters of the American Revolution or Sons of the American Revolution. Rogers is a member of the Lubbock, Texas, chapter of SAR. He entered on the basis of Charles Chinn's service as a magistrate in Virginia in 1776. Charles Chinn was the grandfather of John F. Chinn.

John F. Chinn brought his family to Arkansas in 1848. He settled on Cave Creek, north of Batesville, and became a prominent farmer in that area.

Next year's reunion will be held in June.

Those who attended from Batesville include: Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers E. Green, Nellie Mae Barnett, Pearl Roberts, Edith King, Mrs. Myrtle Canady, Reaves Lawrence, Myrtle Ramey, Mr. and Mrs. Billy W. Roberts, and Maitre Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Medley, Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson, Zela Meacham, Mrs. Coy Chinn, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis D. Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Cummings, John Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. D.E. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Storey, Irene Canady, Murphy Chinn, Mrs. Lizzie Chinn, Mr. and Mrs. Ullman Chinn and Effie Swearingen.

Lillie McClure, Mrs. Della Reaves, Roberta D. Tugwell, Bonnie Stroud, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Richardson, Jimmy Tharp, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brokaw, and Mr. and Mrs. Billie Swearingen.

Also present were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carpenter and Marcus Roberts of Newark; Judy Wood, Freddie Wisdom II and Mrs. C.A. Chinn of Sulphur Rock and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Chinn of Magness.

Mrs. Nell Elsass of Rector; Cecil Ball of North Little Rock; Troy Dale Garlin and Bob Hudgens of Little Rock; Mr. and Mrs. John Claude Duncan of Blytheville; Bobby Chinn and Roger Chinn of Jacksonville; Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Haley, Neil Johns and Mr. and Mrs. Conway Johns of Evening Shade and James Logan

Morgan of Newport.

Several families attended from Oklahoma: Virginia Weir and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Martindale of Bethany; Pearl F. Chinn and Bonita Williams of Oklahoma City; and Linda Joshua of Lawton.

Texans who attended were: Mr. and Mrs. Van Rogers of Sudan; Mrs. H.W. Woodward of Littlefield; and Letitia Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Rogers of Muleshoe.

From Missouri were: Stella M. Nichols and Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Gray of Malden; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Duncan, Sterling Duncan and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Duncan of Chaffee and Mary Ann Kagle of Cape Girardeau.

Others attending included: Mary Ann Canady of Jackson, Miss.; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Eller, Mr. and Mrs. Brian Lanier and Gary D. Eller of Pineville, La.; Mr. and Mrs. George Purila of Phoenix, Ariz.; Nan Wade Nance and Mark Wade of Burns, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. William M. Rogers of L'Anse, Mich.; Vernon Chinn of Lahambra, Calif.; Ola Swearingen of Fresno, Calif.; Margaret A. Johnson of San Jose, Calif.; and Mrs. Gene Smithee of Caseyville, Ill.

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