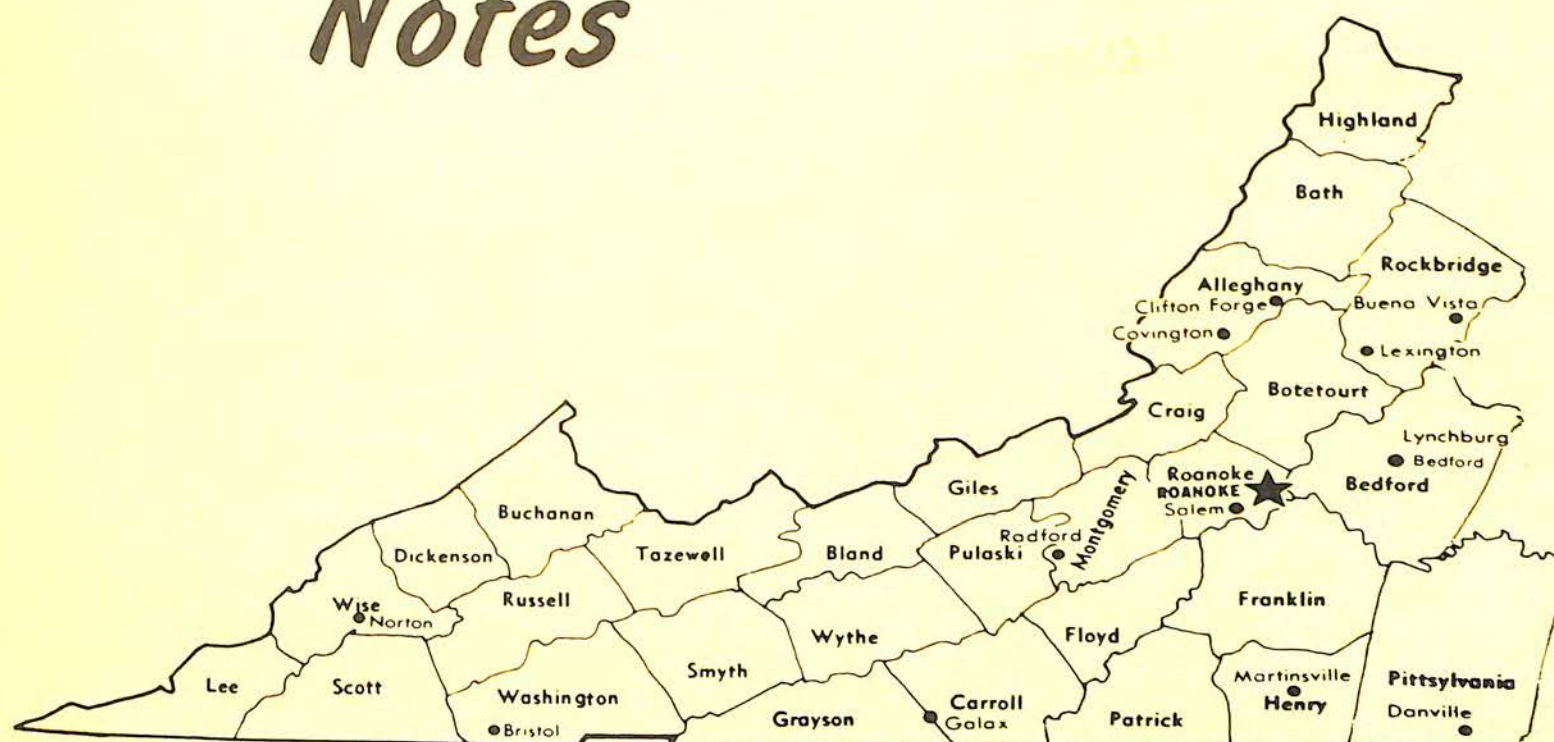


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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

This has been a great year for our society. Thank you for the many calls and notes complimenting our Membership Directory for 1981. Mrs. Ora Belle McColman, printer of VAN, did the beautiful job of typing and putting it out for us. We are still getting new members and those not in the Directory will be published in the VAN.

Saturday October 17 will find the Society traveling to Chatham, Virginia, (county seat of Pittsylvania County), where we will visit the Courthouse, cemeteries and old homes. The trip was planned by Bruce Anderson and John Burrows. Our host will be Judge Langhorne Jones.

Mrs. Ann Swain, Archivist, Radford University Library, Radford, Virginia, will be our speaker for the November 21, 1981 meeting. The meeting will be at 1:30 pm at the Gallery, SH Heironimus, Downtorn Roanoke. Her topic will be "Floyd County, Its People and Places."

The November meeting will be the election of officers for the year 1982. During December you will be sent a renewal form for the year 1982 with the name and address of the new membership chairman. There will be no meeting in December.

The January meeting will be Jan. 16, 1982, with speakers from Grayson County. The meeting will be in the Hancock Room, Roanoke City Public Library, Elmwood Park, at 1:30 pm. The speakers will be Laura A. Bryant, newspaper editor, Grayson County Historical Society, and Mrs. Betty Low Fields, author of "Grayson County: A History in Words and Pictures."

Thanks for all your support during the year and HAPPY HOLIDAYS.

Belva M Counts, President

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November Meeting:

"Floyd County, Its People and Places."

speaker: Mrs Ann Swain
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Louise Johnson
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Happy Holidays

BUCHANAN COUNTY, VIRGINIA

REGISTER OF DEATHS

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REGISTER OF DEATHS within Buchanan County, Virginia, Eastern District
John R. Yates, Commissioner of the Revenue in the year ending 31st
December 1886.

(The information and abbreviations used: Race: w - white, b - black, mul - mulatto; sex: m - male, f - female; d - died; pd - place of death; cd - cause of death; age: y - years, mo - months, w - weeks, d - days; p - parents; b - born; pb - place of birth; inf - person giving information and relationship to person who died.) (o - occupation)

1. ALLEN, Paris = w = m = d December 25, 1886 in Buchanan Co., Va. = cd dysentery = 1 y = p Lewis and Armida Allen = pb Buchanan Co, Va. = inf father.
2. BROWN, George W. = w = m = d January 31, 1886, in Buchanan Co., Va. = cd dropsy = 35 y = p George A. and Mary Brown = o Merchant = married = inf L. E. Brown, wife.
3. BOOTHE, Victoria = w = f = d August 20, 1886 = pd McDowell Co, WV. = cd consumption = 30y 2 mo = p Adam and Rachel Hamer = b Tazewell Co, Va = o housewife = married = inf J.W. Boothe, husband.
4. CHARLES, Nelson = w = m = d August 10, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd dysentery = 3 y = p D.M. and Nancy Charles = b Buchanan Co, Va = inf D.M. Charles, father.
5. CHARLES, William = w = m = d August 12, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd dysentery = b Buchanan Co, Va = 9mo 2 d = p D.M. and Nancy Charles = inf D.M. Charles, father.
6. CHARLES, A. J. = w = m = d July 8, 1886 = pd Buchanan County, Va. = cd not known = 1 y 1mo = p Green Charles = inf Green Charles, father.
7. CHURCH, Reuben = w = m = d October 8, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd consumption = 60 y 6mo = p not known = b Buchanan Co, Va = inf Emiline Church, wife.
8. CHILDRESS, Miles = w = m = d March 24, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd croup = 16d = p J.W. and Francis Childress = inf J.W. Childress, father.
9. CHARLES, William = w = m = d October 8, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd dysentery = 3 y 1 mo = p J.M. and L.J. Charles = inf J.M. Charles father = b Buchanan Co, Va.

10. DAUGHERTY, Mary E. = w = f = d September 24, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd dysentery = 2 y = p G.F. and R. E. Daugherty = b Buchanan Co, Va = inf G. F. Daugherty, father.
11. DOTSON, ----- = w = f = d October 28, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd still born = p Shade and Nancy J Dotson = inf Shade Dotson, father.
12. HURLEY, Caroline = w = f = d October 8, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd dysentery = 1 y = p Daniel and Alifair Hurley = b Buchanan Co, Va = inf Daniel Hurley, father.
13. HURLEY, Levi = w = m = d November 1, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = p Jonathan Hurley = inf Jonathan Hurley, father.
14. HURLEY, Celia = w = f = d October 9, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd dysentery = 70 y = p unknown = inf Jonathan Hurley, son.
15. HORN, Milly F. = w = f = d May 20, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd puerperal state = 42y 4 mo = p Joel and Caroline Church = pb Buchanan Co, Va = inf husband.
16. HONAKER, L. C. = w = f = d December 10, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd droup = 2 y = p David and L.C. Honaker = pb Buchanan Co, Va. = inf David Honaker, father.
17. KEEN, Martha = w = f = d April 10, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd unknown = p James and Malinda Keen = 7 y = pb Buchanan Co, Va. = inf James Keen, father.
18. KELLY, Hettie C. = w = f = d December 24, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd unknown = 2 y 2 mo = p J. H. and Mary Kelly = inf J. H. Kelly, father = pb Buchanan Co, Va.
19. LESTER, Marisa = w = f = d November 15, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd dysentery = 1 y 6 mo = p Sarah Lester = pb Buchanan Co, Va = inf Sarah Lester, mother.
20. LEE, John = w = m = d December 15, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd dysentery = 2 mo = p Chril and Melvina Lee = b Buchanan Co, Va = inf Chris Lee, father.
21. LOONEY, Abby = w = f = d October 21, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd dysentery = 52 y 1 mo = p Ben and Vacey Ratliff = pb Buchanan Co, Va = o housewife = inf Joseph Looney, husband.
22. MATNEY, Celia = w = f = d January 15, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd dysentery = 2 mo = p William and Celia Matney = pb Buchanan Co, Va = inf William Matney, father.
23. MATNEY, Joseph = w = m = d December 5, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd dysentery = 3 y = p Joseph and Pricy Matney = inf Joseph Matney, father.

24. OSBORN, Dacy = w = f = d August 15, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd erysipelas = 18 y = p R. P. and Cinda Osborn = inf R. P. Osborn, father.
25. OSBORN, Noah = w = m = d December 25, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd not known = 1 mo = p Levi Osborn = pb Buchanan Co, Va = inf Levi Osborn, father.
26. RATLIFF, Joseph H = w = m = d September 11, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd pertussis = 1 mo 10d = p T. W. and Jennie Ratliff = pb Buchanan Co, Va = inf T. W. Ratliff.
28. RATLIFF, Thomas = w = m = d November 8, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd dysentery = 1 y = p Jacob and Viecey Ratliff = pb Buchanan Co, Va = inf Jacob Ratliff, father.
27. RATLIFF, Albert G. = w = m = d October 19, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd pertussis = 14 d = p R. N. and M. J. Ratliff = pb Buchanan Co., Va = inf R. N. Ratliff, father.
29. STACY, Rhoda = w = f = d October 8, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd dysentery = 74 y = p Simion and _____ Davis = pb Buchanan Co, Va = o housewife = inf Ben Stacy, husband.
30. STILTNER, Charles C. = w = m = d September 4, 1886 = cd dysentery = 7 y 4 mo = p David and Matilda Stiltner = pb Buchanan Co, Va = inf David Stiltner, father.
31. STACY, Sarah F. = w = f = d August 8, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va. = cd dysentery = 8 y = p J. R. and Clarissa Stacy = pb Buchanan Co., Va = inf J. R. Stacy, father.
32. WHITE, Shade = w = m = d August 10, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd dysentery = 2 mo 3 d = pb Buchanan Co., Va = inf Shade White, father.
33. ROWE, Jane = w = f = d June 14, 1886 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd cancer = 70 y = p not known = pb Buchanan Co, Va = inf D. L. Atkins, son.

REGISTER OF DEATHS within Buchanan County, Virginia. Eastern District. William Keen, Commissioner of the Revenue, in the year ending 31st December 1891.

ADKINS, William Riley = d July 11, 1891 = cd phthisis pulmona = 32 y = p Squire and Sarah Adkins = pb Buchanan County, Va = single = inf father.

BOYD, Mary Isabel = d September 16, 1891 = cd spasms = 21 y = p Isam and Elizabeth Boyd = pb Buchanan County, Va = single = inf father.

CHARLES, _____ = f = d March 10, 1891 = cd Spasms = 12 d = p J. C. and Mary J. Charles = pb Buchanan County, Va = inf father.

COLEMAN, Rueben = d November 11, 1891 = pd Buchanan County, Va. = cd croup = 2 y = p Rueben and Matilda Coleman = pb Buchanan County, Va. = inf father.

COLEMAN, Mahala = d August 9, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd fever = 68 y = p David and Nancy Stiltner = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = married = inf Peter Coleman, husband.

COOK, Ruth A. = d November 1, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd LaGrippe = 2 y = p Eli and Mary Cook = inf father.

EPLING, Henry = d December 4, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co, Va. = cd consumption = 7y or 81y = p James and Elizabeth E. Epling = pb Giles County, Va. = married = inf Elizabeth Epling, wife.

KEEN, _____ = f = d September 29, 1891 (born dead) = p Nettie Kean = pb Buchanan County, Va = inf Nettie Keen, mother.

KEEN, Isabel = d February 6, 1891 = pd Buchanan County, Va = cd LaGrippe = 45 y = p James and Mary Keen = pb Buchanan County, Va = married = inf James Keen, son.

KEEN, Boyd = d October 10, 1891 = pd Buchanan County, Va = cd LaGrippe = 18 mo = p James A and Cordelia Keen = pb Buchanan County, Va = inf James A Keen, father.

McCLANAHAN, Clinton = d August 4, 1891 = pd Buchanan County, Va = cd LaGrippe = 4 mo = p William and Martha McClanahan = pb Buchanan County, Va = inf father.

MITCHEL, Bury(?) = f = d March 16, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd LaGrippe = 1 mo = p Russell and Rebecca Mitchell = pb Buchanan Co, Va = inf father.

MATNEY, Daniel B = d October 2, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd LaGrippe = 2 y = p D. H. and Cozbie Matney = pb Buchanan Co, Va = inf father.

OSBORN, Ida = d March 14, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd LaGrippe = 1½ mo = p N. S. and Rancy Osborn = pb Buchanan Co, Va = inf father.

ROADS, _____ = m = d October 14, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = 4 d = cd ----- = p Rush and Minta Roads = pb Buchanan Co, Va = inf father.

RATLIFF, Polly = d July 23, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co, Va. = cd consumption = 40 y = p Walter and Lizzie Matney = pb Buchanan Co, Va = inf William Ratliff, husband.

RATLIFF, William J. = d February 15, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd Measles = 3 y = p George R and Ocea Ratliff = pb Buchanan Co, Va = inf father.

STURGEON, _____ = m = d September 10, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd unknown = 15 d = p Jno. and Luley Sturgeon = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf father.

STILLWELL, Rinda = f = d April 2, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd rheumatism = 50 y = p unknown = pb Buchanan Co, Va. = married = inf Tazewell Stiltner, husband.

SMITH, _____ = m = d May 2, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co, Va. = cd unknown = 15 mo = p Rus. T. and Louisa Smith = pb Buchanan Co, Va. = inf father.

STACY, Martha J. = d December 24, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd typhoid = 28 y = p George and Mary Yates = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = married = inf M. H. Stacy, husband.

STACY, Charles = d September 12, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd croup = 3 y = p John W. and Mary L. Stacy = pb Buchanan Co., Va = inf father.

WHITE, David = d August 12, 1891 = pd Hazelton, Barber Co., Kansas = cd gastritis = 49 y = pb not known = married = inf Sarah White, wife.

WALDRON, Sidney Elmer = d April 27, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd cerebro spinal menengitis = 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ mo = p John W and Mary E Waldron = pb Buchanan Co., Va = inf father.

WOOSLEY, Thomas Mays = d December 16, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd cholera infantam = 8 mo = p Thomas and Abigale Woosley = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf father.

WARD, Mary E. = d January 18, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd unknown = 18 d = p John and Oily Ward = b Buchanan Co., Va. = inf father.

REGISTER OF DEATHS within Buchanan County, Virginia, Western District. John H. Keen, Commissioner of the Revenue, in the year ending 31st December, 1891.

1. BOWMAN, Nancy E. = w = f = d April 30, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd erysipelss = 10 d = p John and Mary C. Bowman = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf John Bowman, father.
2. BOYD, Vicey V. = w = f = d February 3, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = 7 d = p E. K. and Rachel Boyd = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = o (of father) farmer = inf father.
3. COOK, William = w = m = d December 19, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = 1 d = p Isaac and Esta E. Cook = pb Buchanan Co., Va. - o (father) farmer = inf father.
4. COXTON, Marion = w = m = d January 17, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd shot = 32 y = p Martin and Rebecca Coxton = pb Buchanan Co., Va = o farmer = not married = inf father.
5. COLEMAN, Lilly R. = w = f = d March 27, 1891 = cd not known = 1 mo = p W. O. H. Coleman and Rebecca Coleman = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = o farmer = inf father.

6. COMPTON, Edward = w = m = d September 15, 1891 = cd fever = 35 y = p Henders. and Phebe Compton = pb Buchanan Co., Va (also pd) = o farmer = husband of Nancy Compton = inf father.
7. DEEL, Orpha = w = f = d December 16, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd tumor = 3 y = p Henry Deel = pb Buchanan Co., Va = o (father) farmer = inf father.
8. GRIFFEY, George = w = m = d October 3, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd old age = 95 y = p John Griffey = pb Tazewell Co., Va. = o farmer.
9. HALE, J. K. = w = m = d February 24, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd scrofula = p Lazarus and Margaret Hale = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = 20 y = o farmer = not married = inf father.
10. LOONEY, Jennir = w = f = d April 22, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd consumption = 38 y = p John and Mattie Yates = pb Buchanan Co., Va = wife of James Looney.
11. LESTER, Jacob = w = m = d April 13, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd Lagripp = 50 = p John and Raches Lester = pb McDowell Co., WV.
12. MCGLOTHLIN, Jacob J. = w = m = d November 11, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd not known = 30 y = p David and Nellie McGlothlin = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf wife.
13. OQUINN, John = w = m = d January 7, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd not known = 1 d = p G. W. Oquirn = pb Buchanan Co., Va.
14. OWENS, Louisa = w = f = d September 16, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd consumption = 43 y = p Lewis and Mary F. Winrs = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = wife of A. J. Owens = inf husband.
15. PHILLIPPS, Jackson = w = m = d July 4, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd croop = 1 d = p Jackson and Mary J. Phillips = inf father.
16. RUNNION, Loucinda J. = w = f = d May 19, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd cancer = 22 y = p Martha J. Deel = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = wife of A. J. Runions = inf husband.
17. SHORTRIDGE, Cathrin or Catharine = w = f = d June 13, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd fever = 48 y = p John and Sidie Yates = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = wife os Simion Shortridge = inf husband.
18. SHORTRIDGE, John = w = m = d August 13, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd fever = 21 = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = p Simon and Catharine Shortridge = not married = inf father.
19. SHORTRIDGE, Berta = w = f = d April 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd crpp $\frac{1}{2}$ = $\frac{1}{2}$ mo = p Robert and Dora Shortridge = inf father.

20. SHORTRIDGE, Patten = w = m = d May 24, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd fever = 21 y = p Elijah and Ellen Shortridge = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf father.
21. SHORTRIDGE, Ellen = w = f = d November 6, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd fever = 54 y = p not given = wife of Elijah Shortridge = inf husband.
22. STILTNER, C. L. = w = f = d August 17, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd consumption = 74 y = p John Elswick = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = wife of Elijah Stiltner.
23. TALLER, Basil = w = m = d December 13, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd croop = 2 d = p James and Malvina Taller (Taylor?) = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf father.
24. WOOD, William C. = w = m = d January 22, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd croop = 2 y = p Charles and Angeline Wood = pb Buchanan Co., Va = inf father.
25. YATES, Loucinda = w = f = d November 5, 1891 = pd Buchanan Co, Va. = cd fever = 15y = p George and Mary Yates = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf father.

REGISTER OF DEATHS Within Buchanan County, Eastern District, L. W. Compton, Commissioner of the Revenue, in the year ending 31st December 1895.

1. No name = w = m = d January 9, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd Bold Hives = 1 d = p Noah and Vicy Addiar = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf Noah Addiar, head of family.
2. DENNIS, Beslie = w = f = d February 3, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. cd not know = 16 d = p W. L. and Mary Dennis = pb Buchanan Co., Va = inf W. L. Dennis, head of family.
3. LESTER, Linsy = w = m = d September 9, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd flux = 11 mo 25 d = p Joseph and Remy Lester = pb Buchanan Co. Va. = inf Joseph Lester, head of family.
4. MATNEY, Poley = w = f = d May 10, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd consumption = 52 y = p Ben Stacy and Roady = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf John Matney, head of family.
5. MULLINS, Lety = w = f = d October 11, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd flux = 1y 11 d = p W. R. and L. Mullins = pb Buchanan Co., Va = inf W. R. Mullins, head of family.
6. RIFE, Sarah L. = w = f = d August 18, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd flux = 1 y 2 mo = p Shird and Winey Rife = pb Buchanan Co., Va = inf Shird Rife, head of family.

7. RIFE, Poley Ann = w = f = d January 10, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd fever = 5 y = p James Luveney Rife = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf James Rife, head of family.
8. RATLIFF, Jimimia = w = f = d February 16, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd spinal disease = 1 mo 3 d = p G. B. and O. C. Ratliff = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf G. B. Ratliff, head of family.
9. RIFE, No Name = w = m = d May 14, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd not known = 1 d = p Esaw and S. Rife = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf Esaw Rife, head of family.
10. STACY, Margaret = w = f = d June 11, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd not known = 56 y = p John and Betsy Yates = pb Tazewell Co., Va. = inf Preston Stacy, head of maily.
11. STACY, Elis = w = m = d December 19, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd fever = 7 mo = p Joseph and L. Stacy = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf Joseph Stacy, head of family.
12. STACY, Rindy = w = f = d January 16, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd fever = 1 y 4 mo 16 d = p Epison and R. Stacy = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf Epison Stacy, head of family.
13. PERKINS, Emily R. = w = f = d July 9, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd consumption = 23 y = p C. W. and M. S. Smith = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf C. W. Smith.
14. STURGEN (?STURGESS?), Lucinda = w = f = d October 1, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd fever = 2 y 6 mo = p J. L. and Lovely Sturgen = inf J. L. Sturges.

REGISTER OF DEATHS within Buchanan County, Virginia, Eastern District.
L. W. Compton, Commissioner of the Revenue, in the year ending 31st
December, 1895.

1. VANCE, Elen = w = f = d April 4, 1895 = pd Buchanan County, Va. = cd Gropsy = age unknown = p W. and Louvisy Vance = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = married = inf Wm. Vance, Hd of family.
2. TAYLOR, John = w = m = d February 16, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd not known = 1 d = p B. D. and Hetty Taylor = pb Buchanan Co. Va. = inf B. D. Taylor, Hd of the family.
3. RATLIFF, Mattie E = w = f = died April 8, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd croup = 1 y = p B. R. and Elizabeth Ratliff = inf B. R. Ratliff, Hd of family.
4. No Name = w = f = d August 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = Dead Born = p Dorse and Gracy Lester = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf Dorse Lester.
5. LESTER, Edmond = w = m = d December 22, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd old age = 90 y = p James and Polly Lester = pb Pike Co., Ky = inf Joseph Lester, grandson.

6. LEE, Richard = w = m = d May 1, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd croup = 3 mos = p Shade and Lucy Lee = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf Shade Lee, Hd. of family.
7. No Name = w = m = d April 10, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd Dead Born = p Dorse and Tildy Estep = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf Dorse Estep, Hd of family.
8. ELSWICK, Dorey (?Dora) = w = f = d January 23, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd fever = 3 y = p Miles and Vicy Elswick = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf Miles Elswick, Hd. of family.
9. McCOY, Wm. Albert = w = m = d February 12, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd not known = 5 y = p John and May McCoy = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf John McCoy, Hd. of Family.
10. CHARLES, Sarah M. = w = f = d February 7, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co, Va. = cd consumption = 53 y = p Johnson and Sealy Herley = pb Tazewell Co., Va. = married = inf Moses Charles, husband.
11. No Name = w = m = d November 8, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd not known - age not known = p Autony and Mandy Coleman = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf Autony Coleman, Hd of family.
12. BAKER, Cosby = w = f = d December 25, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd not known = p Wm. and Polly Baker = 8 mo = pb Buchanan Co., Va = inf Wm. Baker, Hd. of family.
13. BROWNING, Dorcas = w = f = d December 26, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd not known = 6 mo 23 d = p J. L. and Mary Browning = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf J. L. Browning, Hd. of family.
14. BLANKENSHIP, Ferl = w = m = d November 2, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd burned = 1 y 3 mo = p G. L. and Harrett Blankenship = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf G. L. Blankenship, Hd. of family.
15. BLANKENSHIP, B. = w = m = d February 1, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd not known = 2 mo 2 d = p Jackson Stacy and R. Blankenship = pb Buchanan Co, Va. = inf Rebecca Blankenship.
16. BLANKENSHIP, Ida = w = f = d July 25, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd not known = 3 mo 25 d = p U. G. and Mary Blankenship = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf U. G. Blankenship.

REGISTER OF DEATHS within Buchanan County, Virginia, Eastern District
L. W. Compton, Commissioner of the Revenue, in the year ending 31st
December 1895.

1. BROWN, James P. = w = m = d December 16, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd catarrh = 77 y 2 mo = p Thomas and Rachel Brown = pb Tazewell Co., Va. = married = inf G. W. Brown, son.

2. COMPTON, S. T. = w = f = d November 12, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd fever = 72 y = p J. J. and M. Johnson = pb Russell Co., Va. = married = inf B. N. Compton, son.
3. No Name = w = f = d June 16, 1895 = pd Russell Co., Va. = cd dead born = p Charles and Sarah Cordill = pb Russell Co., Va. = inf Charles Cordell, father.
4. DAY, Joshua = w = m = died September 27, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd not known = 13 mo = p Albert and L_____ Day = pb Buchanan Co. Va. = inf Albert Day, father.
5. GOSS, D. A. = w = m = d April 15, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd fits = 10 mo = p Sandy and L. Goss = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf Sandy Goss.
6. HARMAN, Ida J. = w = f = d April 2, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd fever = 6 mos = p H. C. and Nancy Harman = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf H. C. Harman.
7. No Name = w = f = d November 15, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd Dead Born = p J. P. and Catherine Keen = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf J. P. Keen, father.
8. McNEIL, Thomas Foster = w = m = d October 16, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd flux = 4 y 7 mo = p J. Q. and Margret McNeil = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf J. Q. McNeil, Hd. of family.
9. NIPPER, Mary A. = w = f = d March 10, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd whooping caught = 10 mo = p P. and E. Nipper = pb Buchanan Co. Va. = inf P. Nipper, head of family.
10. No Name = w = f = d July 8, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd dead born = p N. W. Osborn and Randy = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf Randy Osborn, Hd. of family.
11. RATLIFF, Howard = w = m = d September 30, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd spinal disease = 6 y = p W. B. and Cosby Ratliff = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf W. B. Ratliff, Hd. of family.
12. STILLWELL, Amos E. = w = m = d July 28, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd spinal disease = 2 mo = p B. and H. Stillwell = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf B. Stillwell, Hd. of family.
13. STILLWELL, Hannah E. = w = f = d August 25, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co. Va. = cd flux = 24 y = p unknown = pb Buchanan Co., Va. inf B. Stillwell, Hd. of family.
14. WADE, Author = w = m = d September 9, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd fever = 18 y = p Asa and Sarah Wade = pb Ash Co., N.C. = inf Sarah Wade.

15. WARD, Mary = w = f = d October 19, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd not known = 6 d = p J. R. and L. M. Ward = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf J. R. Ward, Hd of family.
16. WATSON, Mary = w = f = d August 28, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd cancer = 1 y 3 mo = p R. and Dicey Watson = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf R. Watson, Hd. of family.

REGISTER OF DEATHS within Buchanan County, Virginia, Western District.
J. W. Boyd, Commissioner of the Revenue, in the year ending 31st
December 1895.

1. ASHBY, Vienna = w = f = d March 3, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd croup = 1 d = p Ed and Almeda Ashby = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf parents.
2. BOYD, Margaret L. = w = f = d July 28, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd consumption = 31 y 6 mo 8 d = p H. G. and Nancy Jackson = married = inf husband = pb Buchanan Co., Va.
3. BARTON, Simeon = w = m = a August 8, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd unknown = p G. W. and Mary Barton = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = 1 mo 14 d = inf Hd. of family.
4. CHURCH, William F. = w = m = d September 20, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co, Va. = cd croup = 1 y 4 mo = p D. C. and Isabel Church = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf Hd. of family.
5. CLEVINGER, Lincus = w = m = d January 16, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd unknown = 20 d = p L. W. and Caroline Clevinger = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf Hd. of family.
6. COOK, Edward = w = m = d December 14, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd unknown = age dead born = p J. A. and Nancy Cook = pb Buchanan Co., Va = inf Creed S. Cook.
7. GRIFFETH, Pheba = w = f = d November 26, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd diphteria = 47 y = p George and Peggy Griffeth - pb Tazewell Co., Va. = married = inf parents.
8. HURT, Meekin L. = w = m = d August 25 (1895) = pd Russell Co., Va. = cd fever = 34 y = p I. J. and Anna Hurt = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = o distillery = inf parents = married.
9. HALE, Rosa = w = f = d April 14 (1895) = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd unknown = age unknown = p J. H. and D. C. Hale = pb Buchanan Co., Va = unmarried = inf parents.
10. JACKSON, Newton = w = m = d February 14, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd unknown = 24 d = p J. and Lucy Jackson = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf parents.

11. JAMES, Jane = w = f = d September 12, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd lock jaw and hog bit = 40* = p F. and Vicy Deel = pb Russell Co., Va. = married = inf husband. (*years)
12. LOONEY, J. M. = white = male = d February 15, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co. Va. = 34 y = p Joseph and Vicy Looney = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = married = inf wife = cd consumption.
13. LESTER, Saida L. = w = f = d November 16, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd unknown = 1 mo = p Eli and Jane Lester = pb Buchanan Co., Va = inf parents.
14. MUTTER, Wm. H. = w = d August 12, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd unknown = 3 d = p B. J. and C. A. Mutter = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf parents.
15. MEADOWS, Francis = w = m = d August 18, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd typhoid fever = 50 y = p Horten and Rebecca Meadows = pb Buchanan Co., Va = married = inf wife.
16. NICKELS, Willie = w = f = d February 22, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd unknown = age unknown = p J. and Sarah Nickels = unmarried = inf parents.
17. OWENS, A. J. = w = m = d June 8, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd consumption = 54 y = p J. and Pricy Owens = pb Russell Co., Va. = married = inf wife.
18. OQUIN, Wm. P. = w = m = d December 8, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co, Va. = cd whooping caught = 2 mo 14 d = p A. and Margaret J. Oquin = pb Buchanan Co, Va = inf parents.
19. PHILLIPPS, Ethel = w = m (?) = d October 15, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd unknown = age unknown = p T. and Mary Phillipps = pb Buchanan Co, Va. = inf parents.
20. SWINEY, Sarah E. = w = f = d October 8, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd unknown = age 23 d = p Ell and Retta Swiney = pb Buchanan Co, Va. = inf parents.
21. STILTNER, John = w = m = d September 15, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd flux = 5 y = p Jacob and Susan Stiltner = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf parents.
22. STILTNER, Isaac = w = m = d September 18, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd flux = 7 y = p Jacob and Susan Stiltner = pb Buchanan Co, Va = inf parents.
23. STREET, Girttrude = w = f = d December 20, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va = cd flux = 10 mo 18 d = p Jm. and Jane Street = pb Buchanan Co, Va = inf parents.

24. TILLER, Arthur = w = m = d April 11, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd croup = 30 d = p A. and Rosina Street (I questioned this information, since the child has one name and parents a different one) = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf parents.
25. VANCE, Alexander = w = m = d December 31, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co, Va = cd typhoid fever = 45 y = p Wm. and Peggy Vance = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf wife.
26. YATES, Aams = w = m = d December 31, 1895 = pd Buchanan Co., Va. = cd unknown = 1 mo 12 d = p J. D. and M. D. Yates = pb Buchanan Co, Va. = inf parents.
27. LOONEY, Peter = w = m = d February 15, 1895 = 8 y 5 mo 3 d = p J. W. and Vacey Looney = cd fever = pb Buchanan Co., Va. = inf mother.



HOW TO GET THE MOST FROM A PROFESSIONAL GENEALOGIST

Ann L. McAlister

The relationship between client and professional researcher is special. Selection of a professional genealogist is usually done on trust, whether by recommendation of a friend, a library or historical association, or by picking one from an advertisement or listing.

The response to your inquiry about services and rates should give one an idea of the professionalism and skill of the person selected in the area you wish searched. With luck, you have a searcher who not only has access to the records you need, but a keen grasp of the ethics of a professional relationship. What to look for in a genealogist is a subject that has been covered elsewhere.

There are also standards that may be applied to clients. A few guidelines can gain you a good working relationship and save you money by simplifying the search. Responsible genealogists want to provide clients the best results in the least amount of time. Here's how the client can help:

1. Be specific about your needs
 - A. A simple surname pedigree (paternal line only)
 - B. Ancestral search including all direct lines as far as possible
 - C. Lineage in order to join an hereditary society
 - D. Full family groups from a common ancestor
 - E. Local history background contemporary with given ancestor
2. Specify the services you expect
 - A. Location of documents you may send for
 - B. Copies of documents obtained by your researcher
 - C. Abstracts of documents by your researcher
 - D. Abstracts of secondary source material
3. Share all the information you have related to each particular search with your researcher. N.B. SEND COPIES, OR NOTES, NOT ORIGINAL MATERIALS. Even if your interest is in one ancestor, supply your researcher with:
 - A. Collateral family groupings as you have them
 - B. Family legends
 - C. Sources of the information you have, i.e.:
 - i. Documents; including date, place (county and state) and location
 - ii. Aunt Ella's notes; identify Aunt Ella by full name and relationship
 - iii. Family Bible
 - vi. Printed genealogy or history; include author, title, publisher, year of publication as known
4. If you get new information from another source, family member or researcher, send it as soon as possible to your researcher, following above suggestions.
5. Be businesslike in your own correspondence, being sure to date your letters, use full names, and keep copies so you have a record of what you have sent.
6. Read reports carefully. Be open to suggestions. Answer questions from your researcher, and feel free to ask your own for clarification, and to suggest new approaches. Remember you're a team.
7. Set clear financial limits, and pay promptly. Do not expect instant results. Be willing to accept failure.

GENEALOGY IN SOUTHWESTERN VIRGINIA

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When you are just beginning your search for family records, in this area, you ask yourself several questions: What do I do first? What next? Where do I go first? Next? Etc.

First, you put together all names, dates, places, etc., from your living relatives, family records, such as Family Bibles, old diaries, letters, etc.

Next, you look for additional information about the persons at the places you have from the Family Records. Most of this additional information is found at County Courthouses, in the office and vault of the Clerk of the Circuit Court.

It is important to remember that the present-day counties only have information recorded after the date of the formation of the county. Therefore, knowing the date of the founding of the county, is important. Records of an earlier date may be found in the Courthouse of the county that was split to form the new county.

Another thing; when a town is incorporated into a city, it is no longer a part of the county, and the records of that area are found at the CITY Courthouse.

So, you ask, "Where do I find the Courthouse?" If travelling, the street address can be found in the local telephone directory; look under the name of the City, for "Clerk of Circuit Court", or the attendant at a service station, etc, will direct you.

To learn the name of the County seat, where the Circuit Courthouse can be found: Most libraries have booklets listing Counties and their County seats, and giving other helpful information. County seats are also listed on State Road Maps. If you wish to write to the County Clerk, address it: Clerk of Circuit Courty, ----- County, _____ (name of County Seat), Va. (zip code.)

By way of illustration, to help you understand about the early court records of this area: All of this area was in Orange County, Va., before 1745; but there were hardly any white people here, then. In 1745, Orange County was split, and the area west of the Blue Ridge Mountains and south of the northern boundary of present-day Rockingham County, became the new County of Augusta, County seat in Staunton, Va. In 1770, that part of Augusta southwest of the site of Lexington, Va., became the new County of Botetourt, County Seat at Fincastle. In 1772, that part of Botetourt County southwest of about the site of Salem, Va., became the County of Fincastle, County Seat at the Lead Mines. Then, in 1777, Fincastle County ceased to exist, and three counties were formed from it's area: Kentucky, Washington and Montgomery. County Seat of Washington, Abingdon, and of Montgomery, Christiansburg. The records of Fincastle County are now at Christiansburg, in the Montgomery County Courthouse.

Then, at later dates, other new counties were formed, with their new courthouses.

Another thing to remember: the formation of new states; Kentucky in 1792, and West Virginia in 1863.

Some of you will ask, "How about Church Records?" None of the early churches in this area attempted to keep records of births, deaths or marriages, or if they did, none have survived, to my knowledge. A few ministers kept personal lists of marriages and (or) baptisms; but these lists are so few as to be almost none.

Another question, often asked, "Why can't I find real early marriage records at the courthouse?" Before the Revolution, the only persons authorized to perform the marriage ceremony were the Ministers of the Church of England. The Church of England was very weak in this part of the state; the Vestries being made up, partly, by men of other demoninations. The marriage rites were considered the business of the Church, as were those of baptisms and the 'last rites' of the dead, and these records were supposed to have been recorded in the Parish Register and kept in the Church records, and not at the courthouse. As far as is known, these Parish Registers were not kept, in this part of Virginia.

Ministers of the 'other denominations' performed marriages in their own congregations, and the couples considered themselves married in the sight of God. At the close of the Revolution, one of the first acts of the General Assembly, was to make all marriages performed by all denominations legal, and the children born to such marriages, legititmate. And authorized the licensing of Ordained Ministers to perform marriages. For the above reasons, very few marriages were recorded in the County Courthouse, until about 1782.

You will have other questions; feel free to ask this writer, or the Genealogical Society, we'll do our best to answer.

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CATHERINE WILLIS

(The original of this Legislative Petition is at the Virginia State Archives, Richmond Virginia. It is in the Franklin Co., Virginia, box which includes the year 1807. A copy has been placed in the Virginia Room, Roanoke City Public Library. An attempt has been made to trace the signatures that were on the petition. Told that it is a very good copy.)

Legislative Petition: Catharine Willis petition; To Ch Jus'n Rej'd Dec 18-07; Decr 29, 1807 Rej'd; rep'd.

To the honorable the speaker and house of delegates of the General assembly of Virginia. The petition of Catharine Willis humably sheweth that she was married to a certain Joseph Willis about five years ago in Pendleton Virginia and that after coming with him to Franklin County Virginia where your petitioner now lives - he abandoned your petitioner and her two little children and went to the State of Ohio where he is since married. Your petitioner would have contented herself in her forlonghn situation and endeavored to support herself & little children without murmer had it not been for the distrisses which have follen on her by reason of the Debts of her unnatural husband Your petitioner begs leave to state that the said Joseph Willis when he went of was very much in debt and left her without bread with out meat and allmost without cloathes-- and still it is a fact that his creditors have taken from her from time to time what she has made with her own hands -- her wheel the pot in which she prepaired her humble meal secured by the work of her own hands, has been taken & sold and such was the capacity of his creditors that lately a part of her cloathes were taken & sold Thus situated & suffering your petitioner appeals to your honorable Va by for releif and prays that you would grant a divorce - And as bound in duty the wile pray de - Catharine Willis

At the request of Catharine Willis formerly Catharine Harrold she Certify that Joseph Willis has deserted her - and that it is reported and believed that he is married again in Ohio that the said Catharine is apparrantly a discreet woman very industrious and that it is true what she has his?the too made by her labour has been taken to pay her husbands Debts.

Nath'l H Claiborne Att at L

Abram Griffey
John Bowman
John ?Ceely
Joseph Nave
Philemon Smith
Abraham Abshire
John Noftsinger
Nathaniel Mitchel
Henry Carper
William Coger
William James
John Boon

John ?Flosey? Hoses?
Isaac Boon
George Phillips
James Abshire
Adam Wray
Adam Garman
Na"_ Gaverols?
Henry Wees? Wese
Daniel Brower
David Overhotts
Edward Robision
James Wray

Oliver Wray
William Wright
James Wray Jr
John Wright
George Wright
Elijah Boockman
Henry Lane
John Lwary?
Jams Mills
Valentine Napier

Catharine Willis

Nath'l H Claiborne

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Abram Griffey	Daniel Brower
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John Gaby	Edward Robeson
Joseph Nave	James Wray
Philemon Smith	Oliver Wray
Abraham Abshire	William Wright
John Kettinger	James Wray Junr
Nathaniel Mitchel	John Wright
Henry Barber	George Wright
William Cogeo	Elijah Boskeman
William James	Henry Law
John Bacon	John Law
John Hasey	James Mills
Isaac Boon	Valentine Maphin
George Phellips	
James Abshire	
Adam Wray	
Adam Gammann	
Martha Kaverols	
Henry Waco	

PITTSYLVANIA COUNTY, VIRGINIA
1850 Mortality Schedule

The following is a few of the deaths (married and old) from the 1850 Census Mortality Schedule. The original is at the Virginia State Archives, Richmond, Virginia, and on microfilm.

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- Line 1. Jesse Sanders = 87 yrs = male = widowed = d July
 2. Lynch Dillard = 66 yrs = male = widowed = d Aug
 3. Jane Thompson = 60 yrs = female = widowed = d May
 16. Susan Boswell = 44 yrs = female = married = d Feb
 17. Abram Debo = 75 yrs = male = married = b PA = d May
 18. R H Bowen = 36 yrs = male = married = d Oct
 26. Susan Shields = 63 yrs = female = d Feb
 27. Eliza Whitehead = 36 yrs = female = married = d Mar
 29. Elizabeth Shelton = ?40 yrs = female = married = d Aug
 35. Jacob Hufman = 62 yrs = male = married = b Md = d Apr

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10. Abram Lewis = 52 yrs = male = widowed = d April
 30. Dolly C Mathews = 37 yrs = female = married = d June
 32. Bryan Lea = 62 yrs = male = married = d May
 33. Sally Crews = 45 yrs = female = married = d Jan.

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2. Susan Wooding = 73 yrs = female = widowed = d April
 14. Harriet Lovelace = 47 yrs = female = married = d May
 24. Jacob Turk = 70 yrs = male = d Aug
 26. Mary Giles = 54 yrs = female = widowed = d Oct
 33. B M Reynolds = 45 yrs = male = married

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2. ?Avery Law = 83 yrs = female = widowed = d Mar
 4. Francis Parish = 30 yrs = female = married = d May
 5. Jane Parish = 62 yrs = female = married = d June
 11. Chris Robertson = 70 yrs = male = married = d June
 13. Judith Meraisks?? = 24 yrs = female = married = d Sept.
 14. Mary Childress = 25 yrs = female = married = d July
 16. William D Griggs = 49 yrs = male = married = d Oct.
 19. John Giles Sr = 80 yrs = male = married = d Aug.
 23. Nancy Powerr = 26 yrs = female = married = d Jany
 27. Clement Pigg = 63 yrs = male = married = d Dec.
 28. Eleanor Parker = yrs = female = widowed = d Feby
 32. Francis Bell = 85 yrs = female = widowed = d Nov.
 33. Frances Swanson = 67 yrs = male = married = Feby died
 35. John James = 61 yrs = male = married = d Jany

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1. Thomas East = 74 yrs = male = married = d Oct.
 19. John S Adams = 69 yrs = male = married = d Oct.
 23. Betsey Barrett = 37 yrs = female = married = d July
 28. Travis G Miller = 45 yrs = male = married = d Sept
 29. Elizabeth Roach = 85 yrs = female = widowed = d Sept

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- Line 7. Willis Shelton = 83 yrs = married = widowed = d June
 14. Ann Watson = 74 yrs = female = married = d Mar
 20. Sally Watson = 72 yrs = female = widowed = d Mar
 21. Nancy Shelton = 37 yrs = female = married = d May
 26. Catharine Womack = 33 yrs = female = married = d Aug
 34. Mary Nowlin = 39 yrs = female = married = d Dec.

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4. Shedrick Chaklah? = 40 yrs = male = married = d Aug

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1. Wilmoth N. Aany??/Amos?? = 36 yrs = female = married = d Aug
 2. Letty White = 75 yrs = female = married = d Oct
 3. Clement Pigg = 70 yrs = male = married = d Jany
 9. John Elliott = 34 yrs = male = married = d April

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2. Martha M Harris = 42 yrs = female = married = d Jany
 20. William F Burnett = 23 yrs = male = married = d March
 28. Sarah Thornton = 72 yrs = female = b NC = d July

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3. William Womack = 50 yrs = male = married = d Nov
 8. Jane Dix = 28 yrs = female = married = d Jany
 13. Sarah McLanland? = yrs = female = married = Nov
 14. Wilmoth Williams = 84 yrs = female = widowed = d Apr
 33. Robert Terry = 22 yrs = male = married = d Sept

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3. George A Gwinn = 55 yrs = male = married = d Jany
 11. William B Anderson = 71 yrs = male = married = d Feby
 26. Eliza ?Townes = 24 yrs = female = married = d Aug
 35. Joshua Howerton = 40 yrs = male = married = d April

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1. Mary Millner? = ?62 yrs = female = married = d Nov

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4. Mary Dailey = 22 yrs = female = married = d April
 5. Nicholas Lewis = 28 yrs = male = married = d July
 7. Sampson Dodson = 42 yrs = male = married = d Oct
 8. Nancy ?Grey? = 74 yrs = female = married = d April
 9. Mary Banks Pricharde? = 31 yrs = female = b NC = d Nov
 11. Robert Hardy = 70 yrs = male = widowed = d April
 21. Ann W Eanes/?Eavins? = 50 years = female = married = d Nov

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9. John Davis = 62 yrs = male = married = d Jany

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9. William W Price = 21 yrs = male = married = d Mch
 17. John Ross = 66 yrs = male = married = b Ireland = d Mch

CONFEDERATE VETERANS

contributed by
Michael A Ports

(From the Richmond, Va., Dispatch, May 16, 1902)

COMPANY C, THIRTY-SEVENTH VA. INFANTRY

A List of the Officers and Privates and Brief History

To the Editor of the Dispatch:

Will you kindly publish in your Confederate Column the enclosed roll of Company C, 37th Regiment, Virginia Infantry? By so doing you will oblige the few survivors of that old company, which was as gallant as any that ever kept step to the music of "Dixie" during the sixties.

And right here I want to thank the Dispatch for its generous defence of the worthy Confederate soldier. We claim the paper as our official organ, as some of us commenced reading it in the camps and trenches around Richmond, and we value it greatly. I wish every Confederate was a subscriber to it.

C. B. Price.

THE ROSTER.

Roll of Company C, 37th Regiment, Virginia Infantry, Third Brigade (Taliaferro's), Jackson's old Division, Jackson's Corps, Army of Northern Virginia.

Captain - J. F. McIlhany, dead.

Lieutenants - James L. White, wounded; John D. Duff, killed; J. D. Alderson.

Sergeants - John W. Fickle, dead; Mike Powers, dead; William H. Fuller, wounded; Floyd Carico.

Corporals - James L. Williams; John T. Gray, wounded; William Carson, dead; C. B. Price, wounded.

PRIVATES.

Thomas C. Aston, wounded, dead.

Orral Anderson.

Melvin Anderson, killed.

James Adams, dead.

James Bussey.

John Bussey, killed.

Fleming Burk, killed.

John G. Burk.

Edward Ball.

James Ball.

C. C. Baker.

James Boyd.

R. C. Boyd.

Habe. Bickley, dead.

John Buckles, dead.

Isaac Boyd, dead.

Charles Breadlore, dead.

William Breadlore.

Joseph Bausell, dead.

John Belther, killed.

George Bays, dead.

James Bays, dead.

Fitze. Coman, dead

John Crowder, dead.

Wesley Barker, dead.

(above out of place name - typist error)

*Daniel Farmer
 William Campbell, wounded; dead.
 William Culberson, killed.
 William P. Cooper, wounded.
 Nathan Cooper, wounded.
 John Counts, dead.
 Luther H. Clapp.
 Fullen Dickenson.
 John Duff.
 James Duff.
 Reese B. Duff, dead.
 O. C. Duff.
 Samuel Duff.
 Thomas Dougherty, killed.
 J. B. Davis, wounded.
 E. D. K. Davis.
 William Davenport.
 John Dickenson, wounded.
 Nathan Easterly, killed.
 Soloman Engle, dead.
 Jesse Elliot, dead.
 Jackson Farmer, dead.
 *H. S. Fickle, wounded; dead.
 I. B. Fickle, wounded; dead.
 William Frick, dead.
 Isaac Faddas, dead.
 Andrew Ferrel.
 Soloman Fraly.
 Elihu Fields, dead.
 Dock Fraley, dead.
 Henry Fry, dead.
 Lilburn Fields.
 Charles Finery, dead.
 Lafayette Gilmer.
 E. D. Grey.
 John D. Grey, wounded; dead.
 W. S. Gilmer, dead.
 William Greyham.
 James Grey, dead.
 Arch. Grey.
 Morgan Gilmer, dead.
 Jefferson Howell, dead.
 Lilburn Hendrix, dead.
 Frank Horton, killed.
 John Human.
 J. J. Heneritzky.
 William Haney.

*James Jessee, dead
 William Hanson.
 W. R. Harry.
 Thomas Harris, wounded; dead.
 Jefferson Jessee, Sr., killed.
 Jefferson Jessee, Jr., dead.
 *Samuel Keller, transferred.
 Jerry Kelly, dead.
 Henry Kelly, dead.
 William King.
 Thomas King.
 David Kimberlin.
 David McCrut, killed.
 John McElhany, dead.
 Samuel McCloud, killed.
 Hugh Mutter, dead.
 Hensley Mead, dead.
 Charles McElha, dead.
 Jacob Mitchem.
 Hugh Mongumery, killed.
 Thomas Morton.
 John McFaden, dead.
 Joseph McCarthy, dead.
 John McCloud.
 Henry Moore.
 Harry Mays, dead.
 C. W. Powers.
 Calvin Powers, wounded.
 William Powers, dead.
 William Parks.
 G. W. Seacott.
 James Shell, killed.
 Isaac Shell, wounded.
 John Sawyers.
 William Sawyers, dead.
 Samuel Southerland.
 Riley Smith, dead.
 J. H. Sullivan.
 Armstrong Skenes.
 Henry Steel.
 George Smith, killed.
 J. S. Vermillon, killed.
 Charles Whetsel, killed.
 Benjamin Whetsel, dead.
 John Williams, killed.
 Thomas Wilson, wounded; dead.
 S. H. Wyett.

The foregoing roll was made from memory by C. B. Price, a member of the old company, who now resides at Hansonville, Russell County, Va.

I have been at work on it for one year. If any name has been omitted or is spelled incorrectly, I hope it will be reported to me, as I wish the the roster to be complete before it is impossible to get it, as the sur-

vivors will have soon passed away.

C. B. Price was corporal of Company C, 37th Regiment, Virginia Infantry.

Company C was enlisted in Russell county, Va., April, 1861, went immediately to the front, and was in the war from start to finish.

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NUNN FAMILY BIBLE RECORDS

Contributed by
Colonel William Preston Chapter NSDAR
Roanoke, Virginia

In 1949 this Bible was in possession of Hermann Adkins, Roanoke, Va.

BIRTHS

Josiah Wesley Nunn was born April 20, 1827
Lovina Ann Pedigo was born July 22, 1830
William R. Nunn was born December 8, 1850
Joseph Henry Nunn was born August 6, 1853
Sarah Jane Nunn was born April 24, 1856
Mary Virginia Nunn was born _____ 27, 1850
Martha Ann Nunn was born October 25, 1861
Thomas Martin Nunn was born January 9, 1866
John Wesley Nunn was born August 29, 1868
Lillie Bell Nunn was born May 1, 1872

MARRIAGES

J. Wesley Nunn and Lovina A. Pedigo were united in matrimony at the residence of Joseph Pedigo, October 17, 1849, by Arnold Walker, Oaklever, Henry county, Virginia
W.R. Nunn and Emma J. Draper were married November 20, 1877
J.H. Nunn and Lucy J. Stone were married November 24, 1881
Sarah J. Nunn and D. E. Marshall were married December 18, 1878
Martha A. Nunn and C. L. Holland were married February 10, 1886
Mary V. Nunn and B.L. Marshall were married December 23, 1898
T.M. Nunn and Bettie M. Carter were married _____ 1895
John W. Nunn and Marie Womack were married _____
Lillie B. Nunn and W.H. Adkins were married January 30, 1895
William R. Nunn and Roberta Susan Draper were married June 27, 1894
William R. Nunn and Lilian Via Shumate _____

DEATHS

J. Wesley Nunn died March 14, 1901
Lovina A. Nunn died Spring of 1907
W. R. Nunn died March 30, 1818
Emma J. Nunn died August 5, 1893
Roberts S. Nunn died July 5, 1897
Joseph H. Nunn died _____ 1908

I do certify that this is a true and just copy of the above named bible
(note: from a typed copy)

SURNAMES

Here is the list of surnames that members have sent in. See the membership directory for the numbers following each name. Example: Goodpasture (Va-0112) - The member is looking for Goodpastures in the state of Va., 0112 - Robert A Goodpasture. The state the person is researching comes first - if no state than they would like to hear from all researching the same.

Abshear - 01	Bell: (Va-V128)	Cameron: (0301)
Abshire - 01	Bench: (026)	Campbell: (Va-0102)
Acton - (Va-0303)	Benham: (0216)	(Russell Co, Va - Th
Adams - (Va-0128) (NC-0128)	Bennett: (Va-016)	-0190)
(Th-Va-Mo-0293)	Bentley: (SC, Ga-079)	Capper (Va-0318)
Adkins - (Va-Oh-0149)	Beverly: (NC-0179)	Cardwell: (Ku-0123)
(Montgomery Co, Va-0232)	Bishop: (sw Va-033)	Carr: (Va-Ky-095)
Akers: (Va-V78); (Va-0303)	Black: (Va-NC-Ky-V15);	Carrick: (Va-0175)
(Va-0318), (Va-0270).	(Va-WV-0115); (Oh-	Carroll: (Va-Th-06)
Alexander: (NC-Va-TN-01);	0227)	Carter: (Va-069) (Gooch-
Va-V51)	Blackwell: (NC-Va-091)	land/Cumberland-V175)
Allen: (Va-Ky-In-0272)	Blakely: (0283)	Cassell: (Va-V31)
Alley: (Va-0273)	Blankenship: (Va-0104);	Cassity: (Va-WV-Ky-Mo-
Altic: (038)	(Va-WV-0115), (Oh-	0181)
Altizer: (Va-V87);	0227)	Cecil: (Pulaski Co-0232)
(Va-0270)	Boothe: (Va-V96), (0221)	Chambers: (Ky-V87)
Ancrums: (SC-082)	Bosters: (Va-0101)	Chaplin: (Va-0242)
Anderson: (Va-NC-0309);	Bott: (Va-014)	Chastain: (Va-SC-079)
(Va-06); (Appomattox	Bowen: (Va-101)	Childress: (Va-NC-0170),
Co, Va-040)	Bowlin: (Va-0217)	(Va-NC-Th-Mo-034),
Andrews: (Va-V124)	Bowman: (Va-0222)	(Va-0175)
Angle: (Va-V124)	Bowyer: (Va-093),	Christian: (Va-Isle of
Argabright: (Va-V25)	(Va-0175)	Man-0219), Va-0254)
Armentrout: (Va-093)	Boyl(e): (Pa-Va-In-0295)	Churchwell: (0216)
Arrington: (Va-0309)	Bradshaw: (Va-0228)	Clark: (Va-055) (Va-V
Artrip: (Va-0240)	Branch: (NC-Va-0219)	36), (Pa-059)
Asberry/Asbury: (015)	Brandstetta: (Va-0102)	Cochran: (Hampshire Co-
Atkinson: (Va-041);	Brayton: (059)	0238)
(Va-066)	Brickey: (Va-068)	Cock: (Scott Co-097)
Atkins: (Va-066)	Brooks: (Va-159),	Coffman: (Va-017)
Austin: (Va-V128)	(Ky-0255)	Collins: (Grayson Co-
Bagnal: (NC-Va-066)	Brown: (Rke-Botetourt-	047), Va-V196)
Baker: (Va-055)	0288), (Va-V25), (pa-	Coltharp: (Va-Th-061)
Ballard: (Culpeper Co,	swVa-0135), (va-0167),	Colyer: (Pa-076)
Va-0251)	(Henry & Franklin Co	Compton: (Halifax Co-
Banner: (015)	-0157), (Orange Co-0251)	V120)
Barbour: (Va-V199)	Brumfield: (Va-Ky-0131)	Cook: (Ga-V107)
Barnard: (Th-061)	Bryant: (Va-V96), Frank-	Cooper: (Va-V199)
Barnett: (Va-Oh-0316)	lin, Va-V123).	Cope: (Va-NC-0206)
Barnhart: (Va-0222)	Burkholder: (Va-041)	Copenbarger: (Va-0120)
Basham: (088); Cumber-	Burnett: (0221), Va-	Copes: (Oh-Va-0257)
land/Goochland-V175)	0268)	Copp: (Va-031)
Bates: (Va-054)	Burton: (Va-NC-0243),	Corley: (088)
Bayne: (Va-V159)	Md-0319)	Courtney: (Pa-09)
Beach: (0217)	Butcher: (Va-Md-067)	Cousins: (Va-0167)
Beckett: (026)	Butler: (Va-NC-0170)	Cowan: (Va-Th-066)
Beil: (Pa-Va-0295);	Butt: (Va-V31)	Cox: (Th-06), Grayson
Belcher: (Ky-0255)	Byars: (Va-0318)	Co-NC-047), Scott Co-
	Byrd: (Va-V123), (NC-	097)
	Va-V179)	

Craghead: (V79)
 Crouse/Crows: (Pa-NC-065)
 Crabtree: (Va-Md-066)
 Craft: (Va-041)
 Craig: (Va-Ky-V15), (Va-041)
 Crane: (Va-In-059)
 Crawford: (Va-069)
 Crockett: (0301)
 Crotty: (WV-Va-V41)
 Cruise: (Va-V31)
 Creasy: (Va-070)
 Crumpacker: (Va-070)
 Cundiff: (Va-Ky-013)
 Curtis: (In-Va-WV-019)
 Curtright: (Va-Ky-067)
 Custer: (Pa-Va-031), (Va-Oh-Wa-0320)
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 DALTON: (0301), (Va-Tn-076)
 Daniel: (Prince Ed'd Co-040)
 Darter: (Scott Co-V141)
 Daugherty: (019)
 Davidson: (Va-075), (Va-0268)
 Davis: (Va-034), (Va-V76), (Botetourt Co-099), (Va-0288), (Pa-0189)
 Davison: (078)
 Dawson: (Va-079)
 Dean: (Va-0278)
 DeBoe: (Pa-Va-Ky-0220)
 Debusk: (Va-091)
 Dees: (NC-SC-0273)
 DeHart: (Va-V120)
 DeLapp: (IL-V87)
 Denton: (Va-054), (Va-NC-0309)
 Deshler: (Va-Pa-093)
 Deskins: (V124)
 Dickens: (0208)
 Dickenson: (Va-V15), (Russell Co-082)
 Dickey: (Va-031)
 Diehl: (Va-0205)
 Dinwiddie: (V79)
 Disher: (NC-V46)
 Doak: (Va-Mo-IL-o235),
 Dool(e)y: (Va-Ky-In-0181)
 Downard: (088)

 Drake: (Va-Tn-IL-067), (Va-Ky-WV-086)
 Drod(d)y: (WV-FL-V187)
 Dryden: (0247)
 Duley: (Va-Ky-In-0181)
 Duncan: (Ky-Va-0227)
 Dunn: (Va-NC-0131)
 Durham: (0283)
 Durmon: (Va-Ky-0137)
 Dyer: (Va-NC-WV-Tn-0184)

 Eagle: (NC-Va-Ky-01)
 Earles: (Va-V199)
 Easter: (Va-086)
 Echols: (V101)
 Eddy: (Va-WV-Oh-In-089)
 Edmonds: (0208)
 Edwards: (NC-V36)
 Edwins: (Va-NC-065)
 Elder: (Va-V138)
 Eller: (NC-V51)
 Elliott: (Mo-Ky-0293)
 Englard: (Va-NC-0206)
 Ervin: (Scott Co-097)
 Epperly: (Va-0303)
 Ester: (Va-Ky-062)
 Evans: (Va-075)

 Fanning: (Va-0202)
 Farmer: (Va-Or-034), (V162)
 Fehrman: (IL-097)
 Felty: (Pa-swVa-0135)
 Ferguson: (Va-015), (Va-WV-Ky-072), (Va-0233)
 Fielder: (Grayson Co-099)
 Fillinger: (Va-0254)
 Finney: (Va-0228)
 Finter: (053)
 Fisher: (038), (0262), (Oh-Io-0120)
 Fisher: (038), (0262), (Oh-Io-0120)
 Fleming: (Va-0102)
 Flora: (038), (0222)
 Ford: (NC-WV-0115)
 Francisco: (Va-0101)
 Franklin: (Va-V91)
 Frantz: (038)
 Freeman: (NC-0179), (035)
 Fugates: (Va-V111)
 Fulk: (Va-NC-0309)
 Fults: (Va-NC-0206)

 Galloway: (NC-Tn-0295)
 Gandy/Gandee: (WV-V187)
 Gardner: (035)
 Garner: (Va-Ky-062)
 Garrett: (swVa-0134), (Pittsylvania Co-0251)
 Gaulding: (Va-0303)
 Gearheart: (Va-0199)
 George: (Hampshire Co-0238), (Ga-091)
 Gibboney: (Va-V37)
 Gibbs: (Ga-V107)
 Gibson: (Va-V199)
 Gilbert: (Va-V93)
 Gillespie: (Va-Pa-031)
 Gill(e)y: (Va-076)
 Gilliland: (Botetourt-Alleghany Co-022)
 Gillispie: (Va-0280)
 Gilmore: (Va-Ky-062)
 Glenn: (Va-NC-08)
 Godbey: (Halifax-Pulaski Co-0251)
 Golding: (NC-Va-0282)
 Goodpasture: (Va-0112)
 Graham: (Va-0243), (Va-V37)
 Gra(i)nger: (Va-V15)
 Graves: (Va-V78)
 Gray: (Va-V5), (Va-053)
 Grayson: (Va-V166)
 Green: (NC-WV-0115)
 Greenwood: (015)
 Griffith: (Va-069), (Va-0240)
 Grills: (Va-0284)
 Grisso: (038)
 Groseclose: (Va-In-Io-0120)
 Grubb: (Va-202)
 Gunoe: (Va-WV-0254)

 Hale: (Va-Tn-06), (Va-0252)
 Haga: (Va-0202)
 Haggard: (Va-NC-Tn-0181)
 Haller: (Va-Pa-V37)
 Halley: (Va-0256)
 Halstead: (NY-Oh-In-0295)
 Hamilton: (Va-0179), (Va-V186)
 Hammond: (Va-0149)
 Hamrick: (Va-Oh-0316)
 Hancock: (Va-V76)
 Hanks: (Va-055)

- Hanshew: (Va-031)
 Harbert: (Va-068)
 Harless: (Pa-Va-V78)
 Harman: (Va-V31)
 Harmon: (Montgomery/Alleghaney Cos-022), (Va-202)
 Harlow: (Va-0320)
 Harper: (NC-Va-V179), (Va-Oh-0149)
 Harreld: (Va-In-0120)
 Harrell: (Va-0270)
 Harris: (Va-0199), (0200), (0221)
 Harrison: (Va-0117)
 Hartley: (NC-V36)
 Hartman: (Md-V159)
 Hartwell: (Brunswick Co-V93)
 Harvey: (Va-76), WV-0199)
 Hash: (Va-0220)
 Haymaker: (053)
 Haynes: (Botetourt/Alleghany Cos-022)
 Hays: (Grayson Co-047)
 Hazlewood: (Va-Ky-0273)
 Helton: (Va-Ky-0149), (098)
 Henderson: (Va-016), (Va-Ky-Ind-088)
 Henton: (Berks Co, Pa-0198)
 Herbert: (Va-068)
 Herrald: (Va-In-0120)
 Herron: (Ga-V107)
 Higgins: (Grayson Co-NC-047)
 Hilton: (Va-Ky-0149)
 Hix: (Cumberland/Goochland-V175)
 Hoback: (V83)
 Hobbs: (swVa-0134)
 Hodgen: (0200)
 Hodges: (0137)
 Hoggard: (Va-NC-Tn-0181)
 Holland: (Va-08), (V79)
 Holley: (Va-0256)
 Holloway: (Cumberland/Goochland-V175)
 Honaker: (Va-Pa-0240)
 Hopkins: (Va-068)
 Hornbarger: (022)
 House: (Va-0252)
 Houston: (Va-0205)
 Howard: (0221)
 Hoy: (Va-WV-086)
 Hubbard: (Va-0223)
 Hudson: (Va-0205)
 Huggart: (In-Il-0154)
 Hughart: (In-Il-0154)
 Humphries: (Va-V128)
 Hurt: (Va-055)
 Hutchens: (Va-099)
 Hutson: (Va-NC-0309)
 Hyatt: (Md?-Ky-076)
 Innes: (Ky-Va-V51)
 Jackson: (Va-0303)
 Jameson: (Va-WV-Ky-072)
 Jamison: (Franklin Co-0190)
 Jenkins: (Va-Ky-Al-Mo-095)
 Jenks: (Va-V51), (V124)
 Jennings: (Va-NC-V91)
 Johnson: (Va-0303)
 Johnston: (swVa-033)
 Jones: (Va-013), (Va-WV-Ky-072), (Va-0198), (Va-V128), (Va-Tn-Mo-V141), Grayson/Carroll Cos-0278)
 Kasey: (Va-0256)
 Kee: (0117)
 Keith: (059), (V96)
 Kelly: (Va-0128), (Va-V196)
 Kendig: (0267)
 Kennedy: (Va-V25), (Va-Ky-062)
 Kennon: (Va-0167)
 Kenny: (Va-V91)
 Kerlin: (Ky-069)
 Kerr: (Va-V196)
 Kessler: (Pa-Va-Md-0320)
 Kilgors: (Va-V111)
 Kincade: (Va-WV-0174)
 Kindig: (0267)
 Kingry: (Pa-V159)
 Kinn: (Pa-Oh-0157)
 Kinnerly: (Floyd Co, Va-V102)
 Kinzer: (V101)
 Kirk: (sw Va-033)
 Knuckles: (All sp. Va-019)
 Kountz: (Va-093)
 Kyle: (Va-Tn-Mo-V141)
 Lacey: (Va-NC-Ky-Mo-095)
 Lafferty: (WV-V59)
 LaFollette: (In-Tn-019)
 Lancaster: (Il-Oh-Va-0257)
 Landers: (Va-0303)
 Larch: (Va-086)
 Large: (Va-NY-Ky-0104)
 Lawless: (SC-V107)
 Lawrence: (Tn-Va-0284)
 Lawson: (Va-Tn-Mo-0293)
 Layman: (Va-0222)
 Lee: (Va-Oh-Io-0120)
 Lemmon: (Va-0318)
 Leonard: (Va-Ar-0319)
 Leslie: (Va-0280)
 Lester: (Va-V87), (Henry Co-0157)
 Lewellen: (Va-WV-Pa-0288)
 Lewis: (In-Mi-09), (Va-065), (NC-Va-0219), (sw Va-033)
 Liddle: (V5)
 Light: (Floyd Co-V102),
 Linkenhoker: (Va-054)
 Liskey: (Va-In-0258)
 Little: (Va-Ky-0104)
 Lockart: (Va-0102)
 Long: (Va-0123)
 Love: (NC-V25), (Rockbridge Co-0300)
 Love: (NC-V25), (Va-0205)
 Lovelace: (NC-0170)
 Lovell: (Va-061)
 Lucas: (Va-V87)
 Lyon: (V111)
 Lyon(s)/Lyen(s): (Ky-0123)
 McAlexander: (0221)
 McAlister: (SC-Ga-V107)
 McCarty: (Va-V166)
 McCaskey: (oh-09)
 McClannahan: (Pa-Va-0247)
 McClelland: (Va-V5)
 McClintock: (Va-0117)
 McCrory: (Ky-V87)
 McCrotty: (WV-Va-V41)

McClung: (Va-053)
 McDaniel: (Oh-0134)
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 McElhaney: (Va-0123)
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 McEntire: (0217)
 McGee: (088)
 McGeorge: (V 79) (Va-0256)
 McGlothlin: (078)
 McGrady: (swVa-0242)
 McGraw: (Va-0252)
 McGuire: (0262)
 McHenry: (Va-Ky-0177)
 McKee: (Va-0179)
 McMahan: (WV-0199)
 McMullan: (Va-Ga-Mo-017)
 McNeil: (Va-09), (Va-V123)
 McPherson: (Va-013)

Mackey: (SC-Mo-0235)
 Magee: (Va-Ky-0154)
 Major: (Md-Va-0288)
 March: (Pa-Va-Ky-Oh-089)
 Marion: (Goochland-SC-V102)
 Marlin: (Va-In-0258)
 Marrol/Marl: (Frederick Co
 -0238)
 Marshall: (swVa-NC-0242),
 Va-V196)
 Martin: (Pr. Ed'd Co-040),
 Va-034), (Va-NC-061),
 (NC-0170).
 Marvin: (0217)
 Massey: (Va-NC-0223)
 Matthews: (Pa-065)
 Mattox: (V79)
 May: (Va-Ky-V31), (Ky-Va-
 075), (Va-0300)
 Mays: (Va-V5)
 Meador: (Va-0267)
 Meadows: (Va-WV-Oh-0223)
 Melton: (Va-0268)
 Meridth: (Va-0273)
 Messick: (Haywood Co, Tn-
 0190)
 Miller: (Va-Ky-Mo-017),
 (Va-Pa-093), (Va-WV-0115),
 (Va-0202), (0273).
 Milton: (Va-0268)
 Minter: (Va-Ky-01)
 Mitchell: (Va-Scotland-
 0219)
 Montgomery: (Va-V37)
 Montague: (Va-0247)

Moore: (Va-0228), (Va-
 Oh-0316)
 Mooring: (Va-0303)
 Moran: (WV-V120)
 Morehead: (Va-0243)
 Morgan: (Tn-0184)
 Morrison: (Ky-0117),
 (Pittsylvania Co-061),
 (WV-Ga-Ala-0325)
 Mossis: (Va-066), (Berks
 Co, Pa-0198)
 Morrissett: (Va-V51)
 Mosely: (098)
 Mothershead: (Io-0233)
 Muirhead: (Va-0243)
 Mullins: (Va pr 1800-
 V123)
 Mullis: (088)
 Murfin: (NJ-082)
 Murphy: (Va-NJ-Pa-V124)
 Musgrove: (Va-0149)
 Musser: (0301)
 Myers: (Va-V96), (Va-
 V138)

Nance: (Va-0192)
 Nash: (Va-V138), (Va-
 0303)
 Neal: (Ky-V87)
 Newbolt/d: (SC-IL-0257)
 Nigh: (Io-Mo-0233)
 Northcut(t): (Va-NC-
 0206)
 Nunley: (Va-Pa-WV-019)

Obenchain: (Va-Pa-Io-
 Ks-0320)
 Ogden: (0208), (Md-Va-
 Ky-0319)
 Ordway: (Mass-NH-Ky-
 0220)
 Orange: (Va-0280)
 Overton: (Va-Ga-Ala-Ky-
 0325),
 Overholser: (sw Va-033)

Padgett: NC-091)
 Pael: (Botetourt-0238)
 Painter: (Tn-Va-0284)
 Parkinson: (Md-Ga-079)
 Parsley: (Va-0216)
 Parsons: (Pa-065)
 Pate: (V136)
 Patrick: (078)

Patterson: (swVa-0134)
 Patton: (Va-075), (Va-
 V179)
 Patteson: (Buckington-
 061)
 Payne: (Va-0192), (Va-
 NC-0206), (V138),
 (035)
 Peal: (Botetourt Co-
 0238)
 Pearce: (Pr. Edw'd Co
 -040)
 Pearson: (Scott Co-V
 141), (Va086)
 Pedigo: (Va-0216)
 Pennybaker: (Va-V87)
 Pepper: (WV-Ga-SC-Ala-
 0325)
 Perdue: (Va-Mo-Or-034)
 Peterman: (Va-V87)
 Peters: (Va-Ky-0154),
 (V136), Va-0222),
 (Scott Co-V141)
 Pettit: (Va-0272)
 Philpot: (NC-Ky-06)
 Pierson: (WV-Fl-V187)
 Pike: (Va-Md-Ky-067)
 Piles: (Va-V83)
 Poage: (Va-In-Ky-Mo-
 0233)
 Porter: (Va-V5), (Ky-
 Va-0227)
 Power: (Va-041)
 Prather: (Va-NC-0170)
 Pratt: (Va-V166)
 Price: (Va-Ky-062),
 (Va-Md-Or-0320)
 Prince: (Va-IL-o257)
 Probus: (Md-08)
 Pruitt: (0278)
 Purvine: (Tn-Carolina-
 0235)
 Pyles: (Va-V83)

Radford: (v136)
 Ragan see Reagan
 Ralston: (Va-0205),
 (Ky-0205)
 Ramey: (Russell & Wash-
 ington Co-0190)
 Ramsey: (NC-0179),
 (NJ-082)
 Randall: (Maine, NY-
 WV-Ky-072)

- Rasnake: (078)
 Raven: (Md-Va-0288)
 Ray: (Va-NC-0240)
 Redman: (va-Tn-06)
 Reagan: (Pa-Va-Ky-01)
 Repass: (Pa-sw Va-0135)
 Reynolds: (Va-V196)
 Rice: (Va-Ky-V15), (NC-Tn-Va-0293)
 Richardson: (Va-0267), (Va-0300), (Va-Ky-0131)
 Richmond: (Ky-Va-0227)
 Riley: (Va-0228), (Ky-Va-0227)
 Ritchie: (0301)
 Roach: (WV-V59)
 Roberson: (Va-WV-Ky-072)
 Roberts: (Va-WV-0192)
 Robertson: (Va-V159), (Va-V36), (Va-WV-Ky-072), (NC-Va-0219)
 Robinson: (Va-016), (NC-Va-0219), (Va-0284)
 Rogers: (Va-V96), (Va-0255), (Va-Tn-Mo-0293)
 Roop: (Va-0273)
 Root: (Io-Mo-0233)
 Rose: (Va-WV-0115)
 Rouse: (Va-0168)
 Rupe: (Va-0273)
 Rush: (Va-Ky-0272)
 Russell: (Va-0175), (Va-Ky-0220)
 Rutherford: (Va-V93)
 Ryan: (Bedford/Roanoke Co-0251)
- Samuel: (NC-0242)
 Sappington: (Ky-09)
 Satterwhite: (0208)
 Saul: (0262)
 Saunders: (Va-08)
 Schoonover: (WV-V187)
 Schrader: (Pa-swVa-0135)
 Scott: (Oh-In-0258)
 Scudder: (Va-V59)
 Seals: (Ky-0255)
 Seifert: (Fredreck Co-0238)
 Sexton: (Va-NC-0131)
 Shannon: (Va-Pa-Ky-Tn-V166)
 Shaon: (Md-Va-0256)
 Sharp: (Va-Oh-0128)
- Shartzter: (Va-Pa-0157)
 Sheets: (In-Oh-Pa-0258)
 Shelton: (Va-075)
 Shepherd: (098)
 Shifflett: (Va-013)
 Shipley: (Va-Ky-In-0168)
 Showalter: (Va-Pa-0243)
 Shupe: (Grayson Co-099)
 Sibold: (V101)
 Sifrit see Seifert
 Simpkins: (Va-V186)
 Simpson: (Va-WV-Ky-Oh-0137)
 Sinclair: (Bedford Co-061)
 Sink: (Bedford/Franklin Co-V123)
 Slusher: (Va-070)
 Smelser: (Va-054), (Va-0268)
 Smith: (Tn-026), (Pa-059), (Va-069), (Pa-swVa-0135), (Va-Ky-Tn-0220), (Va-0267), (Rockbridge -0300), (Floyd Co-V102)
 Snodgrass: (Va-0254)
 Soper: (Va-Tn-0233)
 Sowder: (026)
 Spence: (Ire-Va-0247)
 Spencer: (Charlotte Co-040), (Va-0117), (Va-076), (Carroll/Grayson-0282)
 Spradlin: (Va-V78)
 Spurlock: (Va-0198)
 Steagall: (Franklin Co-0137)
 Steele: (Va-0228), (Va-0157)
 Stevens: (Va-V46)
 Stewart: (NC-Tn-Al-Mo-095), (Va-0123)
 Stickler: (WV-0134)
 Stickley: (Va-V166)
 Stinespring: (Va-017)
 Stinson: (055)
 Stone: (Va-054), (Va-0175)
 Stover: (Va-V46)
 Straton: (WV-V59)
 Strong: (NC-0242)
 Stockner: (NC-Va-0282)
 Stoneman: (Va-0252)
- Sullivan: (Tn-In-0168)
 Summerfield: (Va-0101)
 Summers: (Va-Ky-In-0272), (WV-V187)
 Sumner: (Va-0243)
 Sumpter/Sumter: (018)
 Surface: (V101), (V179)
 Surratt: (NC-Va-0282)
 Sweeney: (Va-Pa-0223)
 Sykes: (Va-0240)
- Tarter: (Scott Co-V141)
 Taylors: (Va-NC-Ky-V93)
 Terry: (NJ-Va-Ky-0286)
 Thomas: (Va-016), (Va-055), (V136)
 Thompson: (Va-0102), (Va-0192)
 Tribble: (Va-0112)
 Truman: (098)
 Turman: (Va-0198)
 Turner: (Va-?_46), (Va-0256), (Cumberland/Goochland-V175)
 Tyree: (0208)
- Updike: (0262)
- Vance: (Va-017), (Va-Tn-0104)
 Vauses: (Va-NC-V93)
 Vencil: (Va-In-0295)
 Vencill: (Va-0268)
 Vest: (V136)
 Via: (WV-V120)
- Waddle: (0168)
 Wade: (Va-NC-V124), (Va-0247)
 Walker: (Wythe Co-0235), (Va-0254), (swVa-0216)
 Wakefield: (0217)
 Wall: (Va-016)
 Walling: (Pa-Va-Tn-0168)
 Wallis: (Va-013)
 Walters: (Va-0303), (Montgomery Co-022)
 Wampler: (Va-099)
 Ward: (Va-V91), (098)
 Ware: (Va-070)
 Waskey: (V59)

Wasson: (035)	Wilkins: (IL-0154)	Wren: (Va-NC-091)
Watkins: (026)	Williams: (Ky-0258), (Va- In-0272), (Va-Oh-0316)	Wright: (Va-015), (Va- V76)
Wheeler: (NC-Va-0278), (Md-NC-Va-V179)	Wilson: (Va-0192), (Va- 0199), (Va-V186), (Va- -Ky-Ill-0317)	Wyatt: (Va-Oh-0316), (Va-079)
White: (NC-V25), (Va- 078), (Va-061)	Wimmer: (Va-0318)	Wygall: (V101)
W(h)atley: (IL-0257)	Winchester: (NC-Va-Th- 095)	Young: (Va-0267)
Webb: (Va-0223), (Va- 0278)	Winesett: (Va-NC-V91)	Zerfas: (V179)
Weddell: (0168)	Witt: (Va-070)	
Weddle: (0168)	Wood: (WV-V120)	(note: Those counties without a state are Va. -- I hope that I haven't made too many errors.)
Welch: (Va-NC-0131)	Woods: (Va-V78), (Va-0270)	
Wellcome: (Va-0137)	Woolwine: (053)	
Weller: (Ca-NY-082)	Worrel: (NJ-Pa-Va-Ky- 0286)	
Wiley: (Va-0300)		
Wilkenson: (Va-0319)		

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QUERIES (con't)

WILSON, Robert L., Sunrise Acres, Rt 1 Box 20, Fletcher, NC 28732

Need marriage record of Samuel FERGUSON and Rebecca MAYS md ?Grayson Co, Va, early 1800's. Rebecca dau of William Mays and obedience TERRELL. Also need parents of Samuel Ferguson.

PURCELL, Mrs. Isabell W., 720 Aumond Road, Augusta, GA 30909

Need parents of Isaac WILLIS b 1804 Va. d after 1880 res. Lee & Wise Cos, Va, md ca 1826 Elizabeth _____, b 1810 Va, d 1884, parents of Absolom Willis, b 1828 Lee Co, Va, d 1905 Wise Co, Va, md ca 1848 Lucinda C TATE, b 1830 d 1905, dau of John Tate, b 1800 Va, who was pastor Three Forks Primitive Baptist Church near Big Stone Gap, Wise Co., Va. Will exchange Willis and Tate information.

ODDS & ENDS FOR MEMBERS

First name is ancestor - following names are members who are working on the same name. Check the Membership Directory for member address.

PARSONS, John = Wm S Abshear & Harold B Peters.

MAY, John = Jo Ann Cuddy & R Vaughn Cassell.

BOOTHE, George = George Pesely & Edward D Graham.

McALEXANDER, = George Pesely is working on William and Mrs. L. G. Rich is not sure of her ancestor - could be a connection.

NUCKLES/Nuckolls = Mr. Watha Lambert & Mrs. Margaret M Curnow - surname is in Tazewell Co., Va. Also Mrs. Sandra S. Birthisel.

FULKERSON = Mrs Shirley O'Toole & Garland Black.

IRENE OLIVE KITTINGER

Approved

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Walnut Hills (919) 467-6989

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QUERIES

editor: Minnie Hall

BARCLAY, Kathryn, 110 Windham Rd., Norfolk, VA 23505

Seeking info on Bedee (B.D.) BARCLAY, b January 5, 1815 in WV. Who were his parents?

DICKINSON, Patricia, 825 S. Walnut St., ST. Albans, WV 25177

Need info on Patrick & Lucy Fuller SMITH. Sale of PATRICK's estate June 11, 1814 in Russell Co. Had sons, Henry b. 1808, Aly b. 1812 in Campbell Co., TN. Lucy married, second, Issac JACKSON. After 1820 census, moved to Pike Co., KY.

CLARKSTON, Deborah Thompson, Rt. 1, Box 41-G1, Big Stone Gap VA 24219

Need to know parents of John Martin THOMPSON, b March 8, 1874 in Lee Co. VA d 1949. Also Eliza STAPLETON, b Aug. 15, 1873 in Scott Co. VA, d. 1956 in Wise Co. VA. They married in Wise Co. VA on Dec. 28, 1893.

VOWELL, Marion C., 508 Warwick Rd., Palatine, IL 60067

Barnabus GULLION, Daniel CAMERON and wife Jane (GUILLION), Reuben REPASS & wife Ester (GULLION), sold land, Wythe Co VA, 1824. Was Barnabus GULLION and Kettering KEATH, who were m 1788, Montgomery Co. parents of these GULLIONS? Was Daniel CAMERON the son of James CAMERON & Ann Charity SPANGLER?

COX, Jane, 2506 Lafayette Ave. Richmond, VA 23228

Compiling data on the desc of Robert GIBBONEY (1810-1867) and Elizabeth Goering HALLER (1816-1884) of Wythe Co. VA. They had 7 child. (1 male and 6 females) b between 1838 & 1858, whose married surnames were GIBBONEY, COX, HUDSON, KYLE, SHELLEY, BEAR, & MAJOR(S).

BRIMHALL, Mrs. L. C., Box 787, Winston, OR 97496

Collecting info on desc of Henry PEPDEUX and w, Marie TOISSON, who left France in 1657. Came to Eliz. City, VA. Spelling variations - PERDUE, PURDUE, PARDUE, PURDEW, PURDOO. Reply with SASE.

BRIMHALL, Lavonnie, P. O. Box 787, Winston, OR. 97496

Seeking ancestors, etc of: John CHILDRESS, Sr. ca 1730, Henrico Co VA. lived Albemarle Co, w Rachel PERKINS, father and s in Rev. War. John CHILDRESS, Jr. Dec 2, 1759 Albemarle Co. VA, lived Amherst Co. VA, w Elizabeth LINDSAY, also lived Burkes CO & Wilkes Co, NC. In 1795 settled on Bull Run in TN. John d Jan 11, 1849. Need all data for 6th child, James who m Polly AYRES 1808 TN have no data on wives.

ROBERTSON, James S., 3520 Winding Way RD. SW, Roanoke, VA 24015

Need info on Stephen ROBERTSON b ca 1805 Franklin CO. VA, d Dec 27, 1889, Franklin Co VA; son of John & Frances (Smith) ROBERTSON; m Martha A. PALMER Nov 25, 1828 Franklin Co. VA. Would like to find someone with Bible record & photographs of this family.

BARNES, Freda, 1111 Wilmore Dr. Middletown, OH 45042

Need info on BIRDS of Bedford & Franklin Co. Elizabeth, dau of Luke BIRD, m John CUNDIFF in 1803 Bedford Co. Who were others in her family.

GIBSON, Naurine H., Box 15075, 5101 Cortez Dr. Orlando, FL 32808
 Need info parents of Thomas BLANKENSHIP, b ca 1823, in VA, m Malinda
 HOLBROOK b 4-4-1834. Child Sarali b ca 1853, Thomas b 4-19-1855
 Tazewell CoVA., Isaac, b ca 1858 & Mary 1839. Will answer all responses
 & xch info.

BUCKINGHAM, Richard W., 6129 Leesburg Pike, #817, Falls Church, VA 22041
 Where can I find copies of the Montgomery Herald for 1855, a newspaper
 possibly published in Radfor. The Library of Congress does not have it
 in theri newspaper depts. My grandfather published "a piece of poetry"
 in it and dedicated it to his sweetheart (later his wife).

GUTSCHE, Mrs. Pamela J., 516 O'Connell St. Watertown, WI 53094
 Seeking info about parents of William WOMACK, b in 1814 or 1815 in VA.
 Mother's first name is Catherine P. or A., no maiden name known. Father's
 name unknown. Bros & sis are James, Joseph, John, LeRoy, Larkin, Rebecca,
 Catherine, and Mary Catherine (Mary may be a niece). Any info may be of
 help.

JOHNSON, Mrs. Joe R. (Vivian H.), P. O. Box 698, Danville, KY 40422-0698
 Seek info on Charles M POSTON m Lodemie HAMMOND Sept 23, 1896, Smyth Co.VA
 He the son of Thomas & May/Mary Elizabeth POSTON, age 23, and Lodemie, age
 16, dau of Alfred & Lucinda (Musgrove) HAMMOND. Child: Lola m Charles
 HARRIMAN, lived FL in 1920; Harry l Welch WV 1923: Hubert/herbert, Charles
 Wm and Laura Lou m a Smith and liv Welch, WV in 1923.

BLANKENSHIP, Barbara, 9125 Woodpark Lane Apt D, Knoxville, TN 37923
 Seek info Rev SOLDIER, James C. MCGHEE b 1762 Cumberland Co PA to Bedford
 Co PA 1766, to East TN after war, then to Lee Co VA ca 1800, to Anderson/
 Campbell Co TN ca 1806, to Wayne Co KY 1833, d 1839. Seek parents, wife
 and children.

PARKS, Mrs. Elizabeth M., RT 1 Box 407, Sedona, AZ 86336
 Seeking ancestry two great grandmothers, Sarah W. CHANDLER b Nov 15 1805,
 Albemarle Co, m Samuel L. BILLUPS, Kanawha Co, April 25, 1822, d Wayne Co,
 April 27, 1887. Mary (Polley) CHANDLER b 1794, m Oliver MOORE, June 6,
 1808, Fluvanna Co, d July 23, 1854, Kanawha Co VA.

JONES, Shirley A., 3664 Woodruff Ave, Long Beach, CA 90808
 Seeking info and desc on my 3rd ggfather, John BREWER, son of Lewis &
 Agatha (Holland) BREWER of Grayson Co VA. John m 1st Celia J. (Celey)
 ELLET/ELLIOTT 1828; 2nd Catherine BEDWELL, 1847. Where did John & Catherine
 go? Also researching Andrew, Miller & Reddick.

MERRITT, Russell W., Box 261, Augusta, IL 62311
 John MERRITT b Bedford Co VA ca 1780-84, w Sarah (?) b 1780. Where? Where
 m and who were their parents? Child - Daniel K, Richard, Mary, Nancy, John
 B, Thomas, George, William. Daniel K was my ggfather. John d 1854,
 Botetourt Co. Where did Sarah go? Are there living relatives?

FAWBUSH, Bessie Stinson, 88 E. Front St. Richlands, VA 24641
 Seeking desc of James STINSON and his w Adah __. James b ca 1799
 Russell Co. VA, d ca 1870 Russell Co. VA. Their child - William E.,
 James O; Nancy md. _____ HELTON; Amanda md. Eli JACKSON. Mary Jane md
 Danial HORTON. Also, Charles B. STINSON m Florience DAVIS 1891
 Russell Co. VA, moved to Irenton. OH. ca 1910. Gladly xch info.

MOORE, Barbara J., 14922 Heimer Rd, San Antonio, TX 78232
 Need birthplace of Magnus MCDONALD d 1809, Wilson Co TN, m 1788 to
 Tabitha MORRIS, Montgomery Co. VA. Magness & James MCDANIEL in
 Botetourt Co. 1771. Magnus in Washington Co. 1782. Purchased land
 in Wythe Co. VA from James & Rebecca MCDONAD in 1790, he sold this
 land in 1800 and went to Wilson Co., TN.

PEIRCE, Robert A., Hagerstown, IN 47346 (P.O.Box 48)
 Henry FULLHEART bought land on branch of Tinker Creek, Botetourt Co,
 1819. Will mentions wife Mary, Childr John, Henry. Need data on
 Henry Sr., country of orgin, etc. Xch on FULLHART, FRANTZ, GARST,ZUG.

MCHENRY, Miss Aileen, Rt. 2, Beloit,KS. 67420
 Info wanted on MCHENRY family who lived in Southwestern Virginia. Isaac
 was 1 of 8 sons of John MCHENRY. Was John son of Barnabur MCHENRY?

JOHNSON, Mrs. Leonard, 500 E. Tunnell St., Santa Maria, CA 93454
 Seeking info on Charles HOLLIDAY b 1771 Baltimore to Mary MCALISTER &
 James HOLLIDAY. Siblings - William, Janit/Jane. Others? Married
 Sarah WATKINS may 1793, Montgomery Co.VA. Lived Montgomery, Smythe,
 Russell Counties. To Kentucky ca 1809. Sarah d Allen Co. KY 1816.
 Charles d 1850 Chesterfield, IL.

WELLS, Mrs. Don W., Box 125, Riverton,KS 66770
 Need the parents and bp of william COUCH b 1820 in TN. Md Louisa Jane
 PROVANCE b May 16, 1822. In Cape Girardeau, MO by 1850, buried Mitchell
 Cemetery at Melbourne, MO. Lived in Daviess Co. MO. Louisa was the dau
 of Gincey HARMON & William PROVANCE who m in Greene Co TN Nov 26, 1818.
 Their oldest son was named Isaac Harmon PROVANCE.

COFFMAN, Ban H., Box 67, Center Point, IN 47840
 Need info Robert ST.CLAIR, w Ruth (?) Bedford Co. VA. Will probated
 1827, son Isaac SINCLAIR m. Anna PATTESON Feb. 20, 1798. Moved to KY
 then IN with Thomas E. MARTIN family. Would like info on SINCLAIRS,
 MARTINS & GRAVES.

DALTON, Standler V., 2901 Hillcrest, Hays, KS 67601
 My gggfather, Timothy DALTON, b 1760-1770, w Sarah, in Hawkins Co. TN ca
 1800-1834. Son, Timothy b 1803. He probably came from Carroll Co. VA.
 Wish to learn his parents, siblings and other children.

PATE, Ruth J., 11315 E. 72nd St, Raytown, MO 64133

Searching for the father of Daniel BOWLIN b 1801 in VA, d in Indianola, IO. Also am searching names : WAKEFIELD, HULL, MCENTIRE, BEACH, MARVIN and MOFFIT.

GREEVER, E. L., 115 Spring Grove, Bluefield, WV 24701

I am searching the JONES and TURNERS of Bedford Co VA. Have much info I will share.

FRANCIS, Mrs. Bernice Kelley, 11 Montague Ave. Winchester, VA. 22601

Dicy/ Disey FARLEY, b 1813 in VA; all census records and family Bible say she was b in VA. Where in VA? Who were her parents? M 1834 in Ohio, Thomas SHARP; children - Jackson, Seth, Huldah, Ivy, Melissa, Zimri, Phidella, Charlotta "Lottie"(my gmother) and Ezra. Info Xch, postage refunded.

PURCELL, Isabell Willis, 720 Aumond Road, Augusta, GA 30909

My paternal line WILLIS is from Lee & Wise Cos. Earliest documented anc is Isaac WILLIS b 1804 VA m. ca 1826 Elizabeth ?, d ca 1880 Wise Co. This family was associated with the Three Forks Primitive Baptist Ch. Their eldest son Absolom WILLIS b 1828 Lee Co., m ca 1848 Lucinda TATE.

WELLS, Clara Couch, Box 125, Riverton, KS 66770

John Henry LITTLE b ca 1800?? wife Elizabeth ?. Son John Henry LITTLE b MO Aug. 4, 1828. M Amanda ENGLAND b IL Sept 9, 1832. They m June 3, 1852 at Warsaw, MO, Benton Co. Also Isaac ENGLAND b ca 1800 VA m Rebecca ?? b ca 1805 VA. His f was Titus ENGLAND b 1780 VA. Isaac was a Meth preach in Benton Co. MO in 1850 census.

HARGREAVES, Catherine Armstrong, 124 Larch, Saginaw, MI. 48602

Is proof avail that John RICHARDSON & Susan BRUMFIELD, dau of Robert BRUMFIELD who d 1790 Mercer Co. KY, were the parents of Mary D. RICHARDSON (1790-1871) who m 1813 Mercer Co. KY to James Ramsey ARMSTRONG? Who were the parents of John RICHARDSON & where in VA was he from?

FERRIN, Mrs. Mildred Slone, 12061 S 800 East, Draper, UT 84020

Surnames I am researching are - HALE, SHEPHERD, SLONE, SIZEMORE, MOORE, PRATOR, ELKINS, FRAZIER, SEXTON, SALISBURY, THORNSBERRY, STEARNS, STEARN, TRUMAN, WIREMAN, HELTON, WARD, MEREDITH, CARTER, SALMONS, CARPENTER, MARIS, MENDENHALL, THOMAS, DIXON, CLEMONS, FRANKLIN, MOSELY. Want to hear from anyone with these surnames in their lines. Will refund postage.

DAWSON, Jr., Marilyn (Mrs. EF.), 309 Shadow Oaks, Conroe, TX 77303

Want to trade info with anyone working on a BENTLEY line. My BENTLEY family settled in GA, Wilkes Co by 1800, came from SC & maybe VA.

COFFMAN, Ben H. Box 67, Center Point, IN, 47840

Want proff David COFFMAN m Mary Ann LOVELL ca 1774, prob Westmoreland Co. VA. Childr Lovell, Robert, Markham, Marshall, Sara. Robert LOVELL III Sarah MARSHALL family names. David COFFMAN b Lancaster Co. PA lived Jefferson Co TN, d Limestone Co. AL 1835.

FERRIN, Mrs. Mildred Slone, 12061 S 800 East, Draper, UT 84020
Having problems on my Joseph HALE, b 1756, Patrick Co, VA, m Rachel ??

WELLS, Clara Couch, Box 125, Riverton, KS 66770
John David JOLLEY b Dec 12, 1825 MO. M Eliza Ann ELLIOTT b Apr 20 1830, TN, dau of Robert & Margaret ?? ELLIOTTE.

CUDDY, JoAnn Whitson, 58 Pear Tree Point Rd, Darien, CT 06820
Seeking info on ch of James JONES & Thomas JONES who lived near Samuel FERGUSON in the Bluestone-Clinch area late 1700's. Was Samuel's w Mary A. JONES, b 1779, dau of either?

TRENHOLM, Emily Quillin, 1150 Judson Dr. Boulder, CO 90303
Desire info on Thomas & Anna Fields STRONG, Isaac & Ursula BOUNDS, Charles & Rebecca Bevins BOND, William & Margaret Davis BOND, all living in Scott Co or thereabouts in the late 1700's, early 1800's. Also Patrick & Ann Walker PORTER of Russell Co.

LUCAS, Doris A., Star Route 3, Alturas, CA 96101
Seeking info on Valentine MARTIN, b ca 1750, w Elizabeth DALTON from Virginia to Surry Co. NC; Edward BUTLER b early 1700's, s William BUTLER & brothers to NC, w Francis COOK.

COONES, Mrs. J. Michael, Rt 2, Box 195, Gentry, Arkansas, 72734
Seek info on the following - Edmund Warren LEWIS, b Jan 31, 1813, VA. M Sarah Lewis POINDEXTER. Who were his parents, bros & sisters? Adam CROUSE (CROWS), Jr. b 1801 Ashe Co. NC, m Judith JOHNSON. One bro possibly named Obediah. F Adam CROUSE, Sr. Who was his mother, other siblings?

BLANKENSHIP, Barbara, 9125 Woodpark Lane, Apt D, Knoxville, TN 37923
Desire info on surname SHOOPMAN/SCHUPPMAN/SHOOKMAN/SHOATMAN/SHOAKMAN/SHOOTMAN any place or time. First found in 1792 Montgomery Co VA marriage records. Same names John, Jacob, Nicholas & Michael appear 1813 Campbell Co TN. Elizabeth SHOOPMAN m Wm BYRD ca 1830 Campbell Co. TN. Seek parents & birth place.

EASTER, Peggy E., Rt 1 Box 401, St. Albans WV, 25177
Need info on Charles DRAKE, b 1780 in what is now Giles Co, VA, m Clarissa JEANS (JEAMS). Moved to Pike Co. KY, then to WV.

CARTER, Mary J. 5701 East Glenn #62, Tucson, AZ 85712
Info on Nathaniel & Elizabeth FOGG, parents of my gggmother, Anna FOGG who m Cornelius NOELL ca 1740 Essex Co. VA. Joseph CALLAWAY, Jr. b VA, f of Richard CALLAWAY, b 1722 Caroline Co. VA. Richard CALLAWAY & w Frances WALTON were p of Mildred Callaway NOELL. Need all info on WALTONS & CALLAWAYS. Wm GRIZZARD & wife Sussex Co. VA to Southhampton Co. VA Their son Jeremiah was my gggfather, who m Betsy WOODARD, dau of Micajah & Mary WOODARD, both b VA later went to NC and on to Davidson Co. TN where Micajah's w. p Aug, 1808. Xch info on early ancestors of Betsy WOODARD.

GUTSCHE, Pam, 516 O'Connell St. Watertown, WS 53094
Need info on William WOMACK b in VA in 1814. M was Catherine P or A., no

maiden name. Brothers of William are James, Larkin (Lukin), John, LeRoy, Joseph. Sisters are Catherine, Rebecah, Mary Catherine. Any info please.

LONG, Helen E., 1789 Sullivant Ave. Columbus, OH 43223

Josiah KENNON b 1817 VA, m Mary Jane BROWN. Who are his parents & siblings. Marriage performed by Rev. J. SCHOONFIELD, witnessed by Theodric MORRIS & Susan HARRIS.

SCHRADER, Patricia L. 3438 Castle Rock, Garland, TX 75042

Is Henry WHATLEY (WATLEY), who fought in 1812 Illinois Militia, part of the WATLEY family of Logan Co. KY (1798-1802)? And also from the WHATLEY line out of VA?

LORD, Joyce E., 913 South 41st Ave Apt 1, Yakima, WA, 98908

Would like to hear from desc of Palser ROUSE who m Susan WEDDLE and settled in Montgomery Co VA. Also any WALLING. Info for info.

CARTER, Mary J., 5701 East Glenn #62, Tucson, AZ 85712

Thomas CARLIN m Elizabeth EVANS in VA ca 1779. He was son of John CARLIN of County Antrim, Ireland. She was dau of George EVANS & w Mary, Halifax Co VA & and gdau of Walter EVANS, who came from Wales. Need info re EVANS family, whose desc later moved into TN. John CARLIN, s of Elizabeth EVANS & Thomas CARLIN m Jane COULSON in Grayson Co. VA 1804. Jane was dau of Jacob and Eliz? COULSON in Grayson Co VA. Jacob's will proved May 1811 named his wife, Elizabeth & child: Jeremiah, Isaac, Rachel HILL, Sarah, Jane CARLIN, Priscilla NEWMAN & John. Will xch info.

PARSLEY, Mrs. W. B., 10908 Melton View Lane, Knoxville, TN 37921

Need any information about John BENHAM & wife Mary HOBBS, who came to Washington Co, Va, ca 1769. Also John Benham Jr, who md Elizabeth GRIMES ca 1800 Washington Co, Va. They moved first to Dickson Co, TN, then Wayne Co, TN.

SWITZER, Norma, Rt 7 Box 115, Doniphan, MO 63935

Searching for birth & parents records of Salena DURHAM, b Natural Bridge, Botetourt Co, Va. on ?11 May 1843. Salena md Pleasant BLAKELY, b 16 Sept 1849, Laurel Co, KY. When & where were they md?

(Note: No Durham in Botetourt Co 1850, or Montgomery Co., but family by that name in 1850 Franklin Co. - no Salena.)

BOWLING, Mrs Rubye , R2 Box 444, Osgood, IN 47037

Information on following who lived in Scott Co, Va in 1800 era to 1900. PETERS: Joseph, Issac, Rev. James, Nancy Catherin (b 14 Apr 1866), Samuel and Elizabeth; MAY, Eli C (b 26 Oct 1819); BOWERS, Carolene; GILLIAM, W. Hiram, Harmon, Floyd, Charles, Mima, Paralee, Elizabeth, & Ellen.

NEIGHBORS, Marvin U., 3817 Vermont Ave., NW, Roanoke, VA 24017

Need parents of Henry CRAIG, who md Mildred MEADOR, dau of Richard, in Bedford 1818. David & Elizabeth MOORE to Montgomery Co. pre 1799 - sold farm in 1816 & left county. Where to? Need marriage of David & Eliz'h - also parents.

EXCHANGE QUARTERLIES

by Jean Moseley

Thought that the following articles might be of interest to our local members. All of our quarterlies are placed in the Virginia Room of the main Roanoke City Library at Elmwood Park.

"Ancestry" (W. Palm Beach, Fl.) July 1981 & preceding issues: 'Genealogy and the Law.'

"St. Louis Genealogical Society", Summer, 1981, p 43 "What's a Palatine?" and '1782 Tax List, Greenbriar Co., Va.' (continuation XIV - 1)

"Nelson Co. (Ky) Pioneer", summer '81, "The uncertainty of Early Kentucky Land Titles', 'Nelson Co. Deed Books'.

"Kentucky Ancestors", Vol 17 #1, July 1981, 'Cemetary records' - many Virginia names - 'Church Records'.

Miami Valley Genealogical Society (Ohio), Vol XI #1, Crieger Family of Southwest Virginia" by Clarence E Shepard (also one of our members). Vol XI #3, Bible Subscription list - persons who bought - 1819-1820, Pa, Ohio, Md, Va, NY, NJ & NC, Germans mostly - good source.

Pellissippiian Genealogical Society (new exchange), Tenn. - excellent records.

"Heart of Texas Records", Vol XXIV #3, Fall 1981. Hint of enclosed envelope: Information has been passed along to me that when a business size envelope is folded in thirds and put inside another envelope of the same size, it jams the posting machines at the post office. I am told that it is better to carefully insert the unfolded envelope of the same size (it will work). Just don't forget to always enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope when writing for information. This is just a common courtesy and you are more likely to get a reply too.

QUARTERLIES RECEIVED

"Newsletter", Grayson Co. Historical Society, Inc., Rt 1 Box 293, Elk Creek Virginia 24326. Queries, articles, etc. on Grayson Co.

Quarterly from KYOWVA Genealogical Society, PO Box 1254, Huntington, WV 25715. Queries, hints on how to & where, pedigree charts, June issue has Hutchison/Hutchinson births from Wayne Co. Court House, WV.

"The Three Bells" (newsletter for the Bell Family) published by Mrs. Molly Bateman Reigard, 1321 Gum Tree, Huffman, TX 77336. August issue has 12 pages (consecutive page 58)

The Flint Genealogical Society, PO Box 1217, Flint, Michigan 48501. July, 1981, sample copy. Good information for Michigan.

Coos Genealogical Forum, PO Bos 1067, North Bend, OR 97459. June 1981. Starts with page #34 and ends p 60.

(We are not including the price of above --due to change in dues (inflation!))

The Sun City Genealogist, The Sun City Genealogical Society, PO Box 1448, Sun City, AR 85372. Vol 2, #II, summer 1981. Good articles on how to and where to research - and how to use the facility after you get there.

BCGS Newsletter, Blair Co. Genealogical Society, Box 855, Altoona, PA 16603 Jan 1981, Vol 2 #1. Article on "The Lower Family."

We have received notice of the Mapes Family Association. George Robertson III 90 Clifton Blvd., Binghamton, New York 13903, is seeking people to start chapters and information on the Mapes family. Contact him.

BLANKENSHIP and ARMSTRONG FAMILIES

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LAWRENCE COUNTY

Continuation of History of Early Times

Early Families of Aid Township - Humble Start Which Some Had

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Of Jas. Blankenships children, Pressley married Mary Jacks and lives on Elkins Creek. Bartley married Martha daughter of Daniel Markin. Rily married Isabelle, daughter of James Rayburn. Andrew went to Tenn. Andrew Sr.'s child, Jane, married Lewis Nida and is dead. Mary Ann married Peter, son of Jephtha Clark Sr. He died and she married Allen Drummond. Ida married Nathan ERwood and lives near the mouth of Raccoon. Johnson married Polley, daughter of Davis Green, She died and he married Jane, daughter of Hannah Fostnot, and lives in Ill. Jeremiah Rankin's, sr.'s child; Malinda, married Patrick, son of Jno. Culpepper Wilson and Sarah Martin Wilson.

Col. Amstrong married Hannah, daughter of Elizabeth Dilley, and died on N. E. S. 24. Both died of cholera in Sept. 1848 and both were buried in one grave by Peter Chirst and Esq. Jno. Massie. No other persons would go near them. All were afraid of the cholera. They slid their coffins with them in onto the sled on skids and when they got them to the grave slid them on skids into the grave. Of his children Mary married Sylvester Drummond and is dead. Hiram married Susan, daughter of Thornton Drummonds, and lives at Rankins point; John died single; Sarah Ann married Mid Freeliae and is dead; Peniance married Thornton Lambert and is dead. Wm. Barbery Stevens lives at Rankin point; Asherina married John Harvey, son of Thos. Lambert and is dead; Matilda married in Ill. Thos. and Berry died single; Diana Adaline married Mr. Saunders and lives in Mason township. Mahala married Miss Brown. Diana married a son of Edmond Massie and lives on Buck creek. Col. Armstrong Sr.'s child, Lowden, went off in time of the war and was never hear of.

GENERAL ANDREW LEWIS of ROANOKE and GREENBRIER

by

Patricia Givens Johnson

Andrew Lewis was the greatest Indian fighter and frontier hero produced by Western Virginia prior to the Revolution. He was a close associate of George Washington, Lord Dunmore, Dr. Thomas Waslker, Thomas Jefferson, Patrick Henry, William Christian, and other prominent men. This is the first biography to be published about this first nationally known leader of the Roanoke Valley.

Lewis accomplished many things. Three important accomplishments were: (1) He participated in Commissions negotiating Indian treaties at Fort Pitt and Fort Stanwix. (2) He commanded Virginia Rifle riflemen who set back Cornstalk's forces at the Battle of Point Pleasant on the Ohio River in October 1774. (3) He drove Governor Dunmore from Gwynn's Island during the Revolution.

Genealogists will be interested in the five generation Lewis family chart with the following surnames: Amos, Ball, Beale, Boswell, Bragg, Bowyer, Bryant, Calhoun, Crow, Evans, Finney, Givens, King, Long, Love, Luke, Lynn, Madison, Marshall, McClanahan, Montgomery, Murray, Strother, Whitley and others.

This book has a soft cover, 259 pages plus 20 pages of pictures and maps and completely indexed. A complimentary copy has been given the Southwestern Virginia Genealogical Society by the author and has been placed in the Roanoke County Public Library (Electric Road). The price of the book is \$14.50 and may be ordered from Patricia Givens Johnson, Rt. 2 Box 50, Christiansburg, Virginia 24073.

(Note: See Nov. 1979 for a list of other books written by Mrs. Johnson.)

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Franklin County, Virginia 1875-1981

This 10th publication in memory of Raymond H Sloan and published in connection with Franklin County Fiddler's Convention has an outstanding Collection of old photos of Franklin County churches, homes, schools and early settlers.

The family of John Thornton(1806-1888) and Luch Ashworth Thornton (1812-1888), married 13 Jan 1834, has a group picture with names of their twelve children and marriages. There were 95 known grandchildren.

The Knowles (Noles) family was found in Franklin County by 1788, discovered from the research of Robert (Bob) Knowles (1894-1952). Other early families pictured were Davis, Dillon, English, Goode, Greer, Gregory Hodges, Newman, Perdue, Ramsey, Sigmon and Turner. The editors of this publication are Dorothy R Cundiff and Rod Shively. It is published by the Merchants' and Businessmen's Association in Rocky Mount, Va. 24151. The price is \$2.00. A complimentary copy was sent to the Southwest Virginia Genealogical Society and has been placed in the Virginia Room of the Roanoke City Public Library.

ROCKBRIDGE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

VOLUME SEVEN of the PROCEEDINGS

1966 - 1969

On August 9, 1939 citizens of Rockbridge County and Lexington met in the hope of saving from destruction a building that was considered an architectural gem, and formed the Rockbridge Historical Society. During 1966, the Chairman of the Library Committee, Dr. Charles W. Turner, with the help of some Washington & Lee University students, recatalogued and indexed all papers, pictures and memorabilia belonging to the Society. A committee working under him rearranged and decorated the living room and other rooms of "The Castle."

Improvements on the three houses owned by the Society have continued throughout the three years. The opening of "The Castle" under the supervision of Dr. Turner was started in October, 1969. The principal acquisitions, 1966-1969 are listed.

Some of the outstanding papers were: Black Friday in Lexington - The Failure of the Bank of Lexington by Dr. Ollinger Crenshaw; The Ellen Glasgow Library by Colonel Carrington C. Tutwiler, her nephew; Spottswood Styles, Lexington's Negro poet, including his poetry by Houston Barclay; Lexington Baptists, 1839-1887 by Dr. John Barrett; John Jordan, Builder by Willard Isely; and many others. Each paper is well documented with footnotes. This volume has 175 pages and is completely indexed.

A gift copy to the Southwestern Virginia Genealogical Society from the Rockbridge Historical Society has been placed in the Virginia Room of the Roanoke City Public Library. A copy of this volume and earlier volumes may be ordered from the Librarian, Rockbridge Historical Society, Lexington, Virginia 24456. The price is \$3.00 each.

GIFTS TO SOUTHWESTERN VIRGINIA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

Haven Families and Allied Families by Mrs Bonnie Ball, 1970-71, Big Stone Gap, Virginia, as collected for Mr. J B Havens, Family Historian, PO Box 508, Stafford, TX 77477

Prelude to the Present 1831-1981. Salem Presbyterian Church by Collier S Harvey. Printed as a part of the observance of the 150th anniversary of the Salem Presbyterian Church, June 4, 1981, Salem, Virginia.

All have been placed in the Virginia Room of the Roanoke City Public Library.

SWITCHES & CINDERS

It is the right of the editor to select the material that goes into the publication and i am doing that now by reprinting this article that appeared in the October 1978 issue of VAN. Carrie Gertrude Straton was born 7 July 1886 and died 23 Sept 1981, married 1909 Mannings G Waskey, 1887-1972.

Told by Mrs Carrie Straton Waskey to her daughter, Mrs Claude S. (Babe) Fowler.

"The year is about 1892. The place is now Myrtle, W.Va., about 20 miles from Logan. The home is a two-story log house, known as the Col. Floyd's old home. There are two rooms up and two rooms down - each with a huge fireplace. The family: the father, Allen Butcher Straton; the mother, S. Jane Deskins Straton; the two children are Carrie, about 6 years old, and Joe, about 4 years old. The time was about November with Christmas not too far away. Toys, as we know them, were unheard of in that area, and hard candy just as rare. The presents were hand made and usually clothing.

"The trip to Logan took the better part of the day and when we went, we spent the night with my grandparents, William and Mary (Perry) Straton, and returned home the next day.

"Father made the trip to Logan about a month before Christmas for supplies and purchased some hard candy for Christmas as a special treat for us. Mother hid the candy, but I found it. Each day Joe and I would sneak a piece or two of the candy and one day there was no more candy. It did taste so good!

"Christmas Eve, we hung up our knitted yarn stockings (which were made by my grandmother Martha (Bevins) Deskins) by the fireplace and placed our shoes under them. Then off to bed with dreams of what Santa Claus would bring us.

"The next morning we ran down the stairs to see what Santa Claus had left for us.

"I heard Joe, crying, ask, "Did Santa Claus bring you just what he gave me? - - - A switch in my stocking and cinders in my shoes." I replied, with tears streaming down my face, "Yes, that's what I got."

(She told many stories of her childhood, but I believe that this was her favorite one -- especially when she told it to her grandchildren and great grandchildren.)

THE LAST WORD

I would like to take this opportunity to thank many of you for your many Kindnesses to me and my family at the death of my mother. Hopefully, I can now get around to answering the many letters that have accumulated over the past ---- to long a time.

Please all of you out there be good so you won't get 'switches & cinders' in your stocking.

Babe Fowler, editor

HAPPY HOLIDAYS!!!! FROM All of us here

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