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February, 1991

Dear Fellow Members:

I hope your holidays were wonderful and that your new year will be great. We have some exciting plans for 1992, and I would like for each of you to be a part of them. We will have our regular meeting dates each month. In March, we have a field trip planned for the Roanoke College Archives. You will be receiving more information about that trip.

We would like to welcome Carol Milbourn as our new treasurer. Ed Graham has done a wonderful job for the past two years, but our by-laws limit that position to two years. He is probably in need of a rest. Mildred Campbell will be our new corresponding secretary. Their telephone numbers have been included on the inside cover of the VAN. If you need them, please give them a call. If you have not paid your 1992 dues, please take care of that. Gene Swartzell, our membership chairperson, and H.W. Scott correct. One problem we are encountering is those of you who are a long period of time for us to mail you something and have the post Office return it to us. It also costs us return postage. If

you are moving, from the works of the VAN. We still have some We have sold many back issues of the VAN. We still have some copies of most issues available if you are interested. The new Membership Directory is in the works now, and you will be receiving it as soon as it is ready.

it as soon as it to all the hard-working officers of this Thanks go to all the hard-working officers of this organization. Some of them put in a lot of time taking care of the business matters. If one of them calls you needing care of the try to find the time to help out.

Sincerely,

Patsy Wingfield President

IN MEMORIAM

Marvin W Ham 215 Longwood Rd Baltimore, Md 21210 1991 James M Vicars 1032 S Roosevelt Cols, OH 43209 22 Sept 1991

Collin County June the 3rd 1859

Dear Brother

Thos Horton I Sit down this evening to drop you a few lines to let you know that we are all well and well pleased with the Country hoping these few lines will find you and family enjoying the Same like blessings. I would have written to you before but did not know where to direct my letter until I RC a letter from James Duncan which informed me you were in the Cove. I will try to give you a description of Collin C . as fare as I have Sean for beauty and Soil it cannot be beat on earth the Prairies lies high and just rolling enough to drain the water off betwen the branches of the Sabine. The Prairies is about 1/2 mile wide and on the branches timber enough to answer the demands of the country. These branches run up the divide between the Sabine and Trinity rivers and Some of them is from 1/2 mile to 50 miles in length. These Prairies are covered with grass that looks like a wheat field with numerous heards of cattle and deer. Some times can be Sean twenty in a gang. The Prairies at this Season of the year is over Spread with flowers of every tint and hue. The land is all taken up in Collin Co. but a plenty for Sale. I know of three four hundred acre tracks it is said can be had for \$2.00 per acre one half timber and the other half Prairie land and a great many other tracks that can be had for \$2.50 per acre. If you intend to move to this Country the Sooner you come the better it will be for you as land is rising verry fast. There is a 350 acre track joins me that has got a good double house orchard and about 45 acres in cultivation that can be had for \$3000.00. I think this will be a great Season for people to move to Texas as there was plenty of wheat made and a good looking chance for corn. If I was young and back in Virginia and know what I now know about Texas I could not be kept there. I would beg my passage to Texas. My opinion is that Collin Co. is a great deal healthier a place than the Rye Cove. The water does not lie on the ground and the Springs and wells is not fed by Stagnated water. There is allway a pleasant air stiring on the Prairies though verry Sultry in the timber. Our wheat harvest is over here and the people is generally done laying by their corn and better looking corn I never saw grow out of the ground.

Please tell Mr. Robert F. Dorton that he could do much better in this country than in Va. as good wagonmaking can do well here. I will not bring my letter to a close as I want to write a few lines to Brother Harry Carter. Please write as Soon as this comes to hand and let me know how you are getting along. To Tho[°] Horton. John Pendleton

Collin County Texas June the 3^d 1859 Dear Brother and Sister in Christ I take this opportunity to

drop you a few lines to let you know that we are all well and well satisfied with the country hoping these few lines may find you enjoying the same like blessings. I have had better health since I left Va for the same length of time than I have had for many years. I should like verry much to see you once more in the flesh but I never expect to see you until the judgment of the great day but hope in God to see you in that better world where parting will be no more. I have often thought of you and drempt of seeing you, & how glad I was. I often think of being at your house and seeing old Harry smile when I slept in and the many good dishes of coffee my dear Sister Polly has dished out to me and the happy Seasons we have had togeather but now more than a thousand miles apart.

A word now to Sister Polly in regard to her beautiful flowers in her garden. Her garden is nothing in comparrison to our Prairies for beauty. They are covered the bloom from the large rose down to the little pink. When the Seed gets ripe I will Send you Some of the beauties of Texas. When you get these lines I want you to write to me and let me know how you are getting along. When I got to Texas I felt like John did in the isle of Patmus almost banished from friends no meeting houses. An old Baptist Sister invited me to preach at her house. My first sermon was from Paul to the Romans the first chapter and the 15 and 16 verses. I have since bin preaching in a School House near Farmersville and in the Masonic Hall in Farmersville. We have Missionary Baptist and old side Baptist and Methodist. The presiding Elder here is James Belamy that used to be with us at Copper Creek in the time of that big revival. I have not heard a Shout in Texas except Mary Pendleton. Tell old Brother Tommy Carter that I had the pleasure of spending one night in talking with old Robt Gibson and saw Matha Moss and passed by charles Nelson but did not know it until I had passed by house. Matha Moss is independent of this world he clears about \$60.00 per day from his saw mill and gris mill. Gibson had not heard any thing of Elijah Carter for three or I must conclud my letter Write when this comes four years. to hand. To Harry and Polly Carter

John Pendleton

Note:

I send this letter to you because I think you would I send that a copy. This letter was written shortly after John Pendleton moved from Virginia to Texas. Gibson and Moss lived in Tennessee and were visited on the way. Nelson also lived in Tennessee. All of these families originally came from the area around Rye Cove and Ft. Blackmore, Virginia. Mary Pendleton was John Pendleton's daughter-in-law, the wife of his son Newton Pendleton. The copy of this letter was sent to me by Mrs. Edward H. Shook, a grand daughter of Thomas Horton to whom the original was directed. My best wishes to you for Christmas and the New Year.

/s/ James W. Phillips

James W. Phillips was the son of Roy E. Phillips and Charlotte Elizabeth Pendleton, grandson of Eldridge Howard Pendleton and Sarah Cassandra Robinson, greatgrandson of William Gaines Pendleton and Charlotte Coupland, and great-great-grandson of John Pendleton and Jemima Kilgore. James W. Phillips was born in 1919 and died Dec. 20, 1986. He was the author of <u>The Pendleton</u> <u>Family</u> which was published in the late 1930s. He was the Curator of the DeGoyers Library in Dallas, Texas.

Mr. Phillips sent the copy of John Pendleton's letter to Maxine Pendleton Sanders of Wichita Falls, Texas. Mrs. Sanders is the daughter of Homer Alexander Pendleton and Marguerite B. Shine, granddaughter of Eldridge Howard Pendleton and Sarah Cassandra Robinson, great-granddaughter of William Gaines Pendleton and Charlotte Coupland, and great-great-granddaughter of John Pendleton and Jemima Kilgore. Mrs. Sanders shared this letter, and other valuable information, when my late husband, Robert Ferrell Pendleton and I began our family search.

Robert Ferrell Pendleton was the son of Hardy Winford Pendleton and Lydia Rowena Bradford, grandson of Croel Newton Pendleton and Maggie L. Allison, great-grandson of William Pendleton and Harriet Rebecca Hawkins, greatgreat-grandson of Isaac Newton Pendleton and Mary ? (she was mentioned in John Pendleton's letter), greatgreat-great-grandson of John Pendleton and Jemima Kilgore.

John Pendleton was born ca. 1792 in Russell (now Scott) County, Virginia. He was the son of Benjamin Pendleton. John married Jemima Kilgore ca. 1810. She was the daughter of William Kilgore and Virginia Jane Osborne. John was a Methodist minister and farmer. John and Jemima were the parents of 13 children (all born in Scott County, Va.). Their children were: Melinda who married Daniel Price, William Gaines who married (1) Charlotte Coupland (2) Rhoda Day, Hiram Kilgore who married Eliza Jane Richmond, Ira T. who married Phoebe Flannery, Isaac Newton who married (1) Mary ? (2) Lucy Shifflett, Jane who married John Duncan, John Craig who married Martha Ann Asbury, Eliza who married (1) Monroe W. Legg (2) Elijah W. Hendrix, Andrew Jackson who married Sallie Taylor, Allison Osborne who married Rebecca Ann Lawson, Sarah E. who married Abraham J. Gaylon, Minerva Jemima who married (1) Levi Howell (2) Joseph Rice Buchanan, and Melvin C. who married (1) Mary Davis (2) Narcissus M. Brummett.

John Pendleton, his wife Jemima and their children lived in Scott County, Va. until shortly before 1850 when they moved to Lee County, Va. In the fall of 1858, John and Jemima Pendleton, sons Allison Osborne and Isaac Newton and their families, daughter Eliza and her husband Monroe Legg, grandsons Eldridge Howard and James Bell Pendleton, and brother-in-law Robin Kilgore moved to Texas. The trip to Texas was made in covered wagons and it took them 64 days to make the trip. It is believed that son William Gaines Pendleton was already in Texas teaching school. John Pendleton died Oct. 11, 1861 and is buried in the Pendleton Cemetery near Farmersville, Collin County, Texas. Jemima Kilgore Pendleton died May 28, 1868 and is buried beside her husband.

John Pendleton evidently knew the value of Collin County, Texas well as it now one of the fastest growing counties in the state. It is near Dallas and much of the growth is due to the location and interstate highways.

Many descendants of John and Jemima Pendleton have visited Southwest Virginia in search of their roots, and have grown to love the area and it's residents. The area is especially lovely in the fall with the many colors on the trees and bushes.

Copied and submitted by Patricia A. Moore Pendleton, 1207 Harvey Drive, Wichita Falls, TX 76302

MCCLURE

from Plea Book: 1807-1844, Botetourt Co, Va: p 1-4: Tues, 10 Feb 1807: McClure's Ex'r vs Allen's Ex'r: John Allen ex'r of Malcolm Allen dec^d who was guardian to Malcolm McClureagainst him Samuel McClure, Samuel McClure Jr and Alexander Crawford & Elizabeth his wife late Elizabeth McClure Ex^r & Ex^x of Malcolm McClure dec^d..... to answer a ?______it [] in Chancery 11th day of Oct 1799John Coalter Gentⁿ their attorney - Dec 1799 John Harden DS..John McClure dec^d p 5-8: Answer by James Breckinridge, Gentⁿ his attorneyJohn Allen ex^r ...of his ward by the will of his dec^d father John McClure..... about 1778 lent out money upon Interest to one John Henderson for about 6 months . about to leave this country-ret^d it to the deft cal780 to P. Lockhart p 9: Comp^{1ts} replied: Tues 14th Sept 1807: ... Commissioners ... directed to George Caldwell, David Worley, William Steele & Alexander McClure appointed by Ky court to take the depositions of Hannah Worley & Mary McClure on Wed day of June 1803

p 10-14: copy of John McClure's will: May 22, 1777John McClure of Botetourt Co[heirs] my wife, son Samuel, son Alexander, daughter Mary,to my sons and daughters: Agnes, Jennet, Malcolm, Hannah, Rebehah, John Halbert, Moses, Nathaniel Land to be sold when youngest child some of age, or of the marriage of my wife if thought properCaleb Word y, George Skillern & son Samuel McClure ex^{TS}..... John (his mark) McClure. Memorandum: son Malcolmland which is in pastures with James Trimble..... Teste: Sam'l Walker, John Stewart, Joseph Walker, Geo Hutchinson, James (his mark) McElamey

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1873	Nov 24	George Rose	to	Miss Mary Jeter Col ^d
	" 29	George W Carter	to	Miss Sallie Wygal
	Dec ^r 18	William Milliron	to	Julia Paries
	" 20	Charles W Saunders	to	
	" 23	George Bluford	to	
	" 24	John T Scott	to	Josie T Simpkins
	" 24	E Bluford	to	Mary Clark (Cold)
	" 24	Selden Longley	to	Miss Linnie H Jordan
	" 25	John M HowdyShell	8	Mary J Shinall(Shinalt)
	" 27	Francis M Hawley	to	Frances Jane Quesinberry
	" 29	George W Parker	to	Mary C AKers
		William G Cecil	to	Ella AKers
	" 31	Henry Minter	to	Mary P Baldwin Cold
1874	Jany 1	Sam ¹ A Hall	to	Julia F Smith
	Jany 2	Marvin Clark	to	Rozana Paul
	" 3	George M HanSon	to	Eliza J Crockett
	3	Giles P Saunders	to	Eliza Andrews
	" 7	James R Daniel	to	Embazatha Vaughn
	. 7	James Vaughn	to	Mary Black
	" 19	Elijah T Dalton	to	Ellen M Rakes
	" 22	David L AKers	to	Pauline C Combs
	" 26	John Mullen	to	Harriet Trail
		W ^m J Kirkner	to	Rebecca L Thurston
	" 31	Michael Burks	to	Louisa Lewis
	Feby 9	Thomas Mintar	to	Martha Whitreson Cold
	" 11	Thomas H Somermon		Miss ?Annie Jameson
	" 12	Michel Chenault	to	Louisa AKers
	" 21	W ^m Bain	to	Rhoda A Thornton
page		" Dain	to	Knoua A Indiniton
1874	March 4	Joseph Burks?Banks	to	Rebecca Eaves
	" 7	Sheppard C Chumbly		
	" 30	James Webb	8	Lucy Hoge Mary E Albert
	April 1	Henry Wadkins		Frances Colman?Coleman
	" 6	Rufus R Albert	to	
	" 11	W ^m B Cecil	to	Hanrie J Dudley
			to	Miss Mollie E Trolenger
	" 27	Stephen D Lindsey	to	Margaret A Moore
		Caleb Crews	to	Sallie Buford
		James Night	to	Harriet E J Loutt?Long
	" 6 " 18	Elijah C Burton	to	Emma M Hill
	" 30	Laura A Cofer	to	William A Keister
	June 25	Allen Mays	to	Milley Jones
		Chester W Taber	to	Jane C Bateman
	July 2 " 8	W ^m D Page	to	Miss Jane Boothe
		Dirrell N Jones	to	Sallie McGavock
	" 22	Sam ¹ Brooks	to	Betty Brinks
	Aug 4	James W Calhoun	to	Miss Mattie E Jordan
	" 8	Jo ^S E Wilson	to	Miss Lettie?Lettitia Simpkins
	" 13		to	Harriet J Linkous
	" 14	Cary L Simpkins	to	M ^{rs} Maggie M Pettit
	" 24	Thomas H Burks	to	Nancy M Paris

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1874 Sept	14	James W Graham	to	Susan Jameson
н.	16	F Martin	to	Jane Pool
	26	R M Chumbly	to	Susan Chumbly
Oct	7	Levis P Stearns	to	Cynthia B King
	2	James T Taylor	to	Elizabeth Whitaker
	3	Geo W Ratcliff	to	Miss Lucretia Switzer
	6	Benj ⁿ Riddle	to	Miss Araminta E Robertson
" 1	7	Allen H Allison	to	Miss Norma A Cecil
	9	Thomas L Landrum	to	Lettitia Conner
	4	W ^m Yopp	to	Sarah A Meradith
	5	David Tyler?Tayler	to	Patsey Brown
	9	John W MidKiff	to	Elizabeth Holley
" 1		Daniel A Burns	to	Mary J Black
	0	Henry R Lane	to	Eliza Sayers
" 1		Uriah Graham	to	Susanna T
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1874 Nov 1	6	Silas AKers	to	Martha A AKers
		Jackson Duncan	to	Christianna SimpKins
		Richard Callusy?	to	Nancy Whales
Decr	1	J S N Christly	to	Mary J Smith
"	2	Milton Hurst	to	Victorine V Rhodes
	12	Flemming Carter	to	Emily Brown
	14	John McGlothin	to	Mollie Safewright
	17	John Morris	to	Mary E AKers
	24	Geo W Langman	to	Sallie Fortune
		James M Broock	to	Gillie E Farmer
	28	J F Calfer?Calfee	to	Lizzie A Sayers
	11	John Black	to	Kitty Coy?Cox
	29	W ^m Stovall		Laura Lewis
**		Geo W Baliles		Lucinda J Garten
	**	Chas M Clark		Nannie Newby
1875 Jany	2	Augustus N Crowel	to	Nancy M Ashworth
1075 Shiry	6	Nelson D Conner	to	Julia E Rhodes
	9	Joseph Bland	to	Margaret Burks
	21	Nelson T Rupe	to	Mary E Hedge
	25	Joel G?E Stone	to	Susan J Jenkins
	11	Hiram D W Martin	to	Mary J Millirons
	27	Nathan C Farmer	to	Mary J Farmer
	27	John Pain	to	M ^{rs} Emma Lane
	28	James Hopkins	to	Bettie Stokes (Cold)
March		Calvin G Herd	to	Amanda C Stone
11	10	John N Rupe	to	Mollie J Linkous
	25	Ballard W P Crowel	to	E L Odell
12	6	G A Moorehead	to	Mary E Bosange
July		John Carter	to	Sallie Roseberry
"	8	Andrew L Myers	to	Bettie Ford
**	19	Henry Bond	to	Polly Trale
	5	Munsford Arnold	to	Susan Nash
Aug	5	Sandford Stewart	to	Lizzie Bryan
	'	and the second sec	to	Elizabeth B?R Martin
	-	S Weddle	to	Sarah Alexander
	-	Richard _ Reeve	20	Seren mesundel

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1875 Aug	John H Austin	to	Nancy Farmer
page 32 1875 Sept 7	Thomas Pland		Linnia Dana
" 14	Thomas Bland William Smith	to "	Lizzie Penn
20	John Bryson		Louisa <u>Tirge</u> Charlotte Edwards
30	James W?N Ratcliffe		Ellen Owen
October 7	Thomas Ratcliffe	to	Susan Moore
" 12	James W Stone	0.4	Edie E Robinson
" 13	James L Criner	to	Eilza J AKers
" 19	Giles T Kirby	to	M ^{rs} Mary Smith
" 21		to	Cynthin C Raines
		to	Sarah J Carpenter
" 27		to	Nancy Edwards
" 31			Eliza Jane Rhodes
Novenber 4	The second se	to	Susan J Smith
" 11		to	Julia Smith
" 24			Lucy T Cloyd
" 29		to	Martha Henkle
Decr 6	m and m and a second	to	Elmira C Barger
" 9		to	Suzania Crouch
		to	Rosa Stokes
" 11	- m	to	Malinda Covey
" 14	the second s	to	Belle J Gleaning
" 16		to	Mary E Buckingham
" 17		to	Nannie A Cecil
. 20		to	Miss Mollie K Darst
" 21		to	Kate Palmer (Col ^d)
" 21		to	Miss Pretha Hedge
" 22	and the second	to	Sarah L Nelson
" 23		to	Ella Louis (Col ^d)
" 24		to	Miss Mary Gregory
" 29	and a second sec	to	Miss Sue J Boyd
" 31		to	Annie Walters
March 30			Emily Saunders
April 5	Lew S Calfer?Calfe	ee to	
" 28	and the second	to	Nancy Russell
" 29			Alice McCain
" 19			Mollie Dobbins
May 3	Daniel Blair?Blain		Sarah
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June 31	William B Netherland	d to	Carrie V Gorden
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1876 January 5	Thomas L/?S Henritze	er to	M F Welch
" 6		to	Katie Burks (Cold)
" 13		to	Katie Kissinger
" 17		to	Miss Bettie J Raines
" 18	Julius R Summerson		Mary E Hevener
" 18			Mary J Dawson
" 20		to	Katie Mustard
" 26		to	Margaret A Montgomery
" 31		to	Miss Jane Burton
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1876	Feby	16	Robt D Gardner	to	Miss Bell M Cook
		19	James Safewright	to	Miss Margt. Bratten
		23	W ^m A Johnston	to	Miss Sallie Caldwell
		26	Charles S Kirkwood		Ollie J Brown
		27	James B Cummings		Miss M Kate Carper
	Marc	h 9	John Johnston	.,	Margaret Bland?
		22	N M Bond	to	Nancy E Johnston
	Apri	1 4	W ^m Farlow	to	Manerva Falkner
	Apri		W ^m G Carter	to	Maggie A Albert
		24	Alex G Hall		Fannie L Anderson
	May	1	Jesse Cabiness		Sarah A Renn
		3	Isaac Lane	to	Maggie Smith
		10	Charles Honirshel?		
		23	Thomas R Vermillio	_	
		24	Charles S Mansfiel		Mary Willie Smith
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		28	Joseph A White	to	
	Aug	5	D B S Ste	to	
		24	W ^m Rodgers	to	Jane Black
	· · · ·	10	Summers	to	Elvira
	Sept		Hight	to	Lula E Lyon
		18	James Beard	to	Victoria Albert
			James Vaughn	to	Miss Mary E Honaker
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1876	Sept		James C Vaughn	to	Virginia B Carper
	Oct ^r	2	John E Gilliam	to	
			Henry B McGavock	to	Grace Goodwyn
		11	Gordon Olinger	to	Bettie E Albert
		23	James Elbert Hartw		
			Millard <u>F</u> GoodyKoo		
		25	John M Brown	to	K L Hickman
	" -	26	Lewis Thomas		Kitty Smith
	NovI	8	Truman B Meradith	to	Ella ?Raitler?Raider
		11	John Montgomery	to	Jane Finly
		20	Leman T Meradeth	to	Dora E Thompson
	**	22	W ^m W Crouch	to	Sarah C Jenkins
		11	Chester Day	to	Lucinda Magee (Cold)
		15	Martin V Whirley	to	Martha A Wilson
	**	20	Joseph L Thompson	to	Miss Julany B Meradith
	*1	25	Hiram Mills	8	Matilda Eves Col
		27	George Austin	to	Lucy Walker Col
	**		Patrick H McCaull	to	Miss Ida Baskerville
	**	u	Dack Davis	to	Adaline White
		28	W ^m F Howard	to	Bettie M Darst
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1877	Jany	16	Lew Lewis	8	Lucy F Manns
		16	Alex T Caldwell	8	Emmarilla Beard
		18	Andrew S Turner	8	Isabel Ridpath
		23	David Russel	8	Frances Chambers (Cold)
		30	James D Owen	8	Ellen E Warden
	Feby	3	W ^m H Barrow	8	Bettie F Wygal
		8	Cloyd Ingram	8	Louise Wilson
		13	AKin B Karfey	to	Mary J Groseclose
		17	Francis M Farmer	to	Victorine W
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1877	Feby	22	John H Purdy	to	Miss Victoria L Albert
2211		23	Willis SCales	to	Amy Pool
		24	Patrick H Smith	to	Susan J Farmer
		27	John Jones	to	Samaria Southern
		28	Burdine Gunn	to	Madora Lowman
			W ^m T Martin	to	Harriet E Whitaker
	March	16	Jeramiah H Goad	to	Rhoda Bond
	"	19	J E Trale?Hale	to	Polly Simpkins
		27	J Howe Sayers	to	Sallie I Dunlop
	April		James N Jackson	to	Rebecca Duncan
	"	16	Chas H Gordon	to	Miss Mattie McC Guthrie
		19	Silas T Turner	to	Virginia Ridpath
		21	John W Owen	8	Sarah E Warden
		25	Sie Clark	8	Fannie Hogans
			Charles Brown	8	Angeline Mitchel
	May	2	John P Currico?Cur	rin	8 Sallie A Stone
	"	5	Harrison Washingto		Nancy Austin
		8	Geo W Thonton?Thom		to Harriet Graham
	" 1	1	Andrew Roseberry	to	Sarah Clowers
		1	David Williams	to	
		4	W ^m W Jenkins	to	Susan Hill (col ^d) Tabitha <u>Cro</u> uch
	June		W ^m R Wheeler	to	Eliza J Runyon
	July		William Parker		Eliza M Craig
	Augt	2	John Lee	to	Nancy Huskins
	"	2	John A Longworth	to	Annie B Owens
		14	Gustavus Gruter	to	R E Lovell
		18	C A Hill	to	Miss Mary C Linkous
		23	Isaac Ritter	to	Eva M Robinson
	Sept ^T		Lynch Kersey	to	Nancy A Cox
	Sept.	5	W ^m H Nichalus	to	Harriet M A Chrisley
		5	Lewis A Taylor	to	Nancy E Woolwine
		11	W ^m R Burton	to	Miss Lucy A Grogg
		13	James Miller	to	Sallie Mathews (Cold)
		14	Allen B Hall	to	Rebecca E Martin
		17	Sam ¹ W Honaker	to	Sarah Freeman
-	25		Sam w nonces		Treendin
page	36	21	John P Keister	to	Elizabeth E Rider
1877	Sept	21	Jacob S Barger	to	Martha E Caviness
		26	Joseph H Covey	to	Diadera C Smith
			W ^m A Linkous	to	Lucinda Kersey
	Oct	2	Jefferson Carter	to	Celia Carter
		1	Jerrerson ourcer		Cerra Carter

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1877	Oct	3	Hugh B Carden	to	Sarah E Carden
	"	4	Perry Burks	to	Julia A Johnston (Cold)
			Giles O Morehead	to	Sarah E Gibls/?Gibbs
			John N Chumbly	to	Sallie M Turner
			Henry Albert	to	Amanda Turner
		16	Maurice A Langham Langhorn	to	Margaret A Kent
		24	W ^m H Bouldin	to	Virginia E Elkins
		30	James H Sowers	to	Adaline Slaughter
	Novr	6	James W Vickers	to	Mollie K Price
			John R Harkrider	to	Rebecca J Sheppard
		13	Wesley Wagnor	to	Letitia Miller
		27	Acquilla F AKers	to	Mollie J Scott
		28	W ^m H H Allison	to	Trevenia A Cecil
			James D Summers	to	Susan A Blanchet
	**	29	Thomas White	to	Susan Harvey (Cold)
	Decr	4	Taylor S Barger	to	Cosby J Woolwine - white
		8	Faris W?Gynn	to	Martha Stegar (Cold)
			Henry Doleman	to	Maria Parker (")
		13	Jernian J Crouch	to	Francis A Jenkins (white)
		17	Edward Austin	to	Jossie Allison (Col ^d)
		18	James H Grogg	to	Miss Mary A Harkrider (white)
		18	Jacob Odell	to	Martha M Bond (")
		19	Wyndham R Gilmer	to	Maggie J Cecil (")
	**	20	Jacob Ceaser	to	Julia A V Holliday (Cold)
		31	Fleming T Carter	to	Elizabeth A Simpkins - white
1878	Jany	7	Samuel H Phillips	to	Kattie T Clark (Cold)
10/0	"	10	Chas Austin	to	Lizzie Radford (Cold)
			Saml Scales	to	Hanah Austin (Cold)
			W ^m Harper	to	
		22	John B Clowers	to	Sallie Caviness
page	37		Sound B Stonets		Services
F-0-	Feby	5	James Lee?See	to	Nancy Black Cold
	u u	14	James L Warden	to	Lucinda J Lyon - white
		25	Green D AKers	to	Mary A Lovel - (white)
		28	Chas W Johnson	to	Miss Fannie Naff - white
		20	Henderson Green	to	Sarah A Brown - Col^d
	Mar	.2	John H Coatley	to	Martha Sayers - white
	Mai	.2	Gordon C Black	to	Mary E Ratcliffe - "
		14	John A Hodges	to	Mary R Moore "
			Andrew J Honaker	to	Lc's Smith "
		18	Benj ⁿ R Sutton	to	Julia E Miller "
		19	W ^m Dunford	to	Mary A Rickman "
		15	John Alexander	"	
	••	26	John A King	to	
	**	27	The second se		Martha S Taylor - white Lucy Pelham - "
		27	James Whitt Robert Dodd	to to	Eliz ^{bth} K Kibler "
		21			
1070	Apr_		OSCar P Warden	to	nary - neudan
1878	Apr	7 7	Geo W Breedlove	to	inder of teleto
	"	11	Ephriam Clark	to	Eliza Heuston (Col ^d)

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1878	Apr 1	7	Jas E M Headerick	to	Menssis J Hicks -(white
	" 2	5	Christopher C East	to	Kissiak S Smith - "
			Geo W Sutton	to	Maggie A Webb "
	" 2	6	Thomas Elkins	to	Miss Susan Nance "
	May	6	Jackson M Sayer	to	Mollie Lawson "
		3	W ^m Sayers	to	Helen H Sayers "
	" 1	6	James M Clark	to	Mary J Gravely "
	" 2	2	Nelson Kersey	to	Elizabeth A W Folkes- white
	2	3	John W Hurd	to	Mary Odell "
	June	4	Amos Lee	to	Jane Hall (Cold)
		6	Anderson Finly	to	
		12	James M Rodgers	to	Lucy J Miles white
		17	J M Crawford		Sallie Sturdivant "
	OT	27			
		28	John W Vandegrift	to	Louisa E Coviness "
	July	4	Barney Slaughter	to	Maggie Findley Col
		9	Charles B Everstine	e to	
			C R Lavinder	to	Frances Ellen Martin - white
		_	Josvir?John Minnich	k to	
			R	to	Mollie C Eane - white
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1878	July	31	Saml A Vickers	to	Miss Sallie Wygal - white
	Aug	7	W ^m M Harris	to	Miss Annie J Welhein - white
			Geo Poindexter	to	Sarah Jones Cold
		8	Montgomery Marshall	l to	Jane H Smith - Col ^d
	"	10	Thomas Cox	to	Miss Nancy Rhen - white
		15	John G Farmer	to	Miss Mary A Warden "
		19	W ^m H Maning	to	Lina A Holliday "
		22	Lewis A Cummingham	to	Miss Maggie J Sadler "
		27	W ^m M AKers	to	Miss Sallie E Taylor "
		29	Lee AKers	to	Fannie H Roop? "
	Sept	2	John P Howard	to	Miss Christianna E Cecil- "
		3	Wily Hoosier		Eliza Jane Ritter "
		17	W ^m A Simpson	"	Lizzie N Ferrell "
		26	Geo Bouldier	"	Lucretia F Woody -Cold
		"	W ^m Falkner		Allice Woody
	Oct	1	W A Hall	"	S G Abell (Bro ^S) white
		, 2	Davies E Stewart	"	Jennie M Harston (Fathie) Col
		2	Stewart Charleton	"	Rachael Strother Cold
		8	John L Coffee	"	Miss Annie Godby white
		9	Fleming Lewis		Ezzie Ma <u>nn</u> Col ^d
		26	Pyrers L Reed	"	Miss Rhoda C Brewer white
		31	Robt J Adams	to	America M Davis "
			W ^m F Cook to	D A	Ann Meadows Cold
	Nov	6	Mark Clark	to	Melvina Anderson "
		.0	M T Kirkner	to	Miss Lizzie V Akers white
		14	L G Tyler		Annie B Tucker "
		19	Chas T King	to	Miss?Mrs Sallie Jones "
1878	Nov	20	Chas W Scott		Miss Rosa Nolele?Noble "
		23	Hesakiah Whitt		M ^{rs} Ella GoodyKoontz "

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1878	Nov	29	David H Barger	to	the second of statute	
	Dec ^T	5	Edward Smith		Emma Iroin	Cold
		11	Geo Washington Ro	oop "		white
		17	Thomas W Covey		Lucy R Showalter	
		18	Geo W Carter	to		
		23	John S King	to		
		24	James Hall	to		?C
		31	Burrell Pool	to	Mary Miller	
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1879	Jany	1	David P Watson	to		white
		6	Thomas McCracken	to		
		8	Joel P Johnson		Laura A Huddle	
	**	15	Chesun Dickison		Louisa Burks	(Co1 ^d)
		21	David S Conner	••	Eliz th J Corden	white
		24	John Slaughter		Amanda Prinn?Prim	Cold
	**	28	Jo ^S F Smith		Julia A Ray	white
		29	John W Combs		Mary J Williams	
	Feby	1	Henry D Howard		Fannie P Sayers	
	"	15	Oscar Slade	to	Kitty Thomas	cold
		19	Ja ^S B Owens	to	Charlotte J Moore	white
		24	Robt B Richardson			WILL'CC II
	Mch	10	Shull Showalker	"	Jennie Brattin	cold
	Apr	2	$W^m \overline{C}$ Clark		Josie Burton	white
	"	14	Simon P Ewald		Mary A Draper	white
					Jane Hill	
		16	Lewis W Holmes		Minnie S Cecil	cold
		16	Milton F Peters			white
		24	Peirson Toler	to		Cold
		28		to	Olevia F Wheeling	white
	May	1	John F Floyd	to	Millie Bobbie?Ribble	e Cold
		19	Kint Wright	to		
	"	26		to	Zemmie	white
			Madison D Holmes	to		
		27	John R Queesenber			
		28		to	Levisa Payne	
	June	3		to	Nancy M Robinson	
		12	George Clark	to	Lucy May	Cold
		later -	C C Deyle	to		white
	**	26	Randall Holliday	to		Cold
	July	5	David Lawson	to	and the second	white
		7	W ^m N Gilliam	to	Maggie L Hickman	
	**	8	Tho ^S Stegar	to	Fannie Harvey	cold
	**	19	Irving R Jones	to		cold
	**	19	Calendar	to	Rachel Huckstep	cold
	**	19	Spencer Burke	to		cold
	47	**	L ^ Boyer	to	Nancy E Long	white
	**	?	W ^r Itewart	to		white
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1879	Aug	13	Moses Porte	to	Rachel Woodson	cold
1013	Ang	18	John H Nelson	to		
	11					white
	125	25	A W Jones	to	hancy E byons	**

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1879	Sept	4	Beng J Montgomery	to	Henretta Falkner	cold
		8	Alex H Whitt	to	Harriet F Haley	white
		18	Alex J Rupe	to	Rosana Thornton	**
			Stewart AKers	to	Laura A V Roop	
			John Willis	to	Eliza Nunn	
		19	Edward E Eanes	to	Sarah M Wood	
		20	Cha ^S M Carden	to	Cynthia V Tickle	
		23	Robt C Boothe	to	Miss Emma J Summers	
		24	Alex M Montgomery	to	Amanda Houston	cold
	Octo	2	John A Linkous	to	Mary E AKers	white
	Oct	6	James M Roberts	to	Elena A Cecil	white
		2	J C Wysor	to	Jennie May Gardner	
	- 11 -	7	Joseph H Ratcliffe		Mary A Morehead	
		15	W ^m B Bishop	to	Mary J Bill	
		23	Alex ^T J Thornton	to	Mildred A Thornton	
		29	Robt A Albert	to	Minnie?Nannie R Robi	nson
		30	John W Mayo		Susan Hurst	
	Novr	1	Tho ^S Cole	to	Susan A Mitchel	
	NOVI	4		to		
			W ^m Burgis	to	Susan M Underwood	
		6	W ^m L Olergard Cha ^S Johnson	to	Lydia M Beard	A
		6	Ja ^S B Smith	to	Charlotte Montgomery	white
		22	W ^m J Wood	to		white
		26		to	Mary E McC Allison	cold
			James Burnett	to	Mary Crocket	cold
	Dec	5	J H Busby	to	Emaline Hogan	
		10	John H Knode	to	Julia A E Reed	white "
		16	Ja ^S M Hicks	to	Julia E Martin	
in the		24	W ^m C Hungate	to	Eliza J Fagg	
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1880	Jany	1	Ja ^S Montgomery	to	Rosa Stewart	Col
		13	Josiah F Forlines	to	Nannie B Vaughan	white
		15	John Clark	to	Eliz b th Nunn	
		17	Eugene G DeJarnett	to	Agnes L Howe	
		26	David T Martin	to	Miss Gillie W Darst	" d
		28	Albert Kellis	to	Lucinda Black	Cold
	July		David L?S Pollard	to	Miss Maggie McCabell	white
	"	12	Edmund Hicks	to	Hannah Hall	Cold
		21	W ^m Steele	to	Vansia Catli	white
		23	Robt E Frazier	to	Mary A Radford	
	**	24	J Sidney Holly	to	Sarah Bedford	Cold
	March	n <u>11</u>	J Early Moore	to	Miss Blanche B Baske	rville white
		17	W ^m Findley to	о На	annah Carter	Cold
		25	Milton P Odell	to	Sarah J Wilson	white
	Apr	1	James Croy		Melvina Smith	"
	"	7	and as	to	Catharine Page	
		8	J C Farmer	to	Susan E Summers	**
	25	0	James Cenrinell	to	Susan E Summers	
		2	Genvinell		North D. Court	white
		3	Isaac Willis	to	Mary E Crad	white
	May 1	1.5	Jackson Hurst	to	Maggie Dawson	

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1000 N		W ^m T Hurst	+-	Perilar T III.	
1880 May			to	Emily J Wheeler	white
1 alt 1 2 4	22	E?C W Brown	to	Lucy Y Hudsoon	
June		C H Yost W ^m Stith	to	Henry E Colley	o ad
	24		to to	Rhoda Petty	Cold
	26	Ja ^S M Brown		Miss Mollie D Harris	
July		Robt Mils?Mills	to	Henrietta Walker	Cold
	5	Peter Whitaker	to	Martha J Magale	white
	15	Miles Walsam Watsom	to	Victoria Graham	Cold
Aug	3	Moses D D Burkett	to	Lavenia J Harles	white
	26	W ^m A Burton	to	Alice O Cooper	white
**	27	Geo H Gilmore	to	Margaret D Crockett	1.0
Sept	t 22	Charles T Silvers	to	Miss Rhoda A Kersey	
	23	Henry S Dudley	to	Maggie A Wygal	
	25	W ^m A Guthrie	to	Catharine J Brown	
Oct	7	Stuart C Blackard	to	Nancy J Ingram	
		John W White	to	Mattie M Lyons	
		Saml H Echols	to	Mary A Reese	
	-	John F Cole	to	Lucinda M Clark	
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Oct	23	Jessee Myers	to	Mariah Love	Cold
	25	W ^m H Honaker	to	Sarah Owen	white
	27	Lewis Hall	to	Sarah Austin	Cold
	28	W ^m C Miller	to		white
Nov		Thomas Hill	to		whitte
NOV		Webester R Hollid			Cold
	18		to		white
"	23	Feeling S Smith	to		white
		Edward H Brown	her		
			to	Saforna White	er "
	24	John F Brewer			Cold
	29	W ^m Patterson	to		
Dect	r 6	Tho ^S N bman	to		white
				or marked out and rewri	
	13	Ja ^S GocKett	to	Miss Ella C Crockett	white
"		Jessee B Jotul	to		
**	22	John Lawson	to	Miss Lucinda Sayers	
		Thomas J Reynolds	to	M ^{rs} Nannie Stover	
••		Gordan W Bird	to	Miss Embazetta AKers	
••		Tho ^S L Tate	to	Miss Lucy J Painter	
	11.	Cloyd Slaughter	to	Rachel Ca	Cold
**	23	Richard Montgomer	y to	Melvina Holliday	
		John H Tickle	to	Sarah A Eanes	White
	25	Harvey H Bruce	to	Margaret Burton	
	29	Sidney J Boothe	to	Daina L LinKous	**
**	30	John Fuller	to	Nancy Lee	Cold
	20	John Larrer			001

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CHAMPAIGN WOMAN, AGED 108, TALKS Champaign Daily Gazette, 10 Aug 1912, Champaign, IL

contributed by Michele McNabb, Archives Ass't Champaign Co Historical Archives *

What would you do if you were the oldest person in Champaign, having lived several years over the century mark and far beyond the four-score years and ten, the time allotted for man to inhabit this earth?

Mrs Winnie Hennison, 411 West Maple street, 108 years old, says she is happy in her own thoughts as she sits on the back porch of the home of her daughter, Mrs Maggie Carter, and looks over the sunny yard with its wealth of old-fashioned and bright-hued "posies" and wanders back in memory to the old antebellum days in the south "before de wah."

Children Born In Slavery

Born and reared in slavery, bearing her sixteen children under the same conditions, the old southern "mammy's" thoughts naturally dwell mostly on her younger days. "Ole marster" and "young missy," the huge plantation in Tennessee, the few bright spots in the lives of the slaves, such as "possum killin' time," "applejack time," "Christmus time" and "camp meetin'" time, and through it all never to be forgotten memories of hard work in the cotton fields from daylight till dark and the cruel words and deeds of the slave-owner, dwell uppermost.

Retains All Her Faculties

Mrs Hennison retains all of her faculties to a remarkable degree excepting that her mind wanders and she cannot keep it long on any subject of the present which is brought before her. She will revert in thought to the olden days and the fact is not to be wondered at. She does not wear "specs" and probably the reason for this is the fact that the old woman never could read nor write. Her hearing is remarkably keen and she is the first of the household to hear a Big Four engine's shrill whistle long before the train thunders by a little ways from the front of the house.

The Centenarian's face is threaded with winkles, but a pair of humorous old eyes in which there is a saddened cast, however, beams out above it. Mrs Hennison said that her two southern masters in Tennessee were noted for their cruelty and memories of old times and old scenes are forever crowding before her mental vision.

Negro Born in 1804

Mrs Carter says that her mother's age would not be known if it had not been for an elder brother of Mrs Hennison's, who died several years ago. Before his death he informed Mrs Carter how old her mother was, saying that she born on the plantation of one Dave **Kent** in Pulaski county, between Lynchburg and Bristol in 1804.

Napoleon Starting on Conquests

The year of Mrs Hennison's birth was the same as that which witnessed the beginning of the fame of Napoleon Bonaparte, which extended uninterrupted for ten years. When the "little corporal" died broken hearted on the island of St Helena in 1821, Mrs Hennison, being seventeen years old, was serving in the capacity of maid for "young missis" who had married her "marster" ten years before.

During the war of 1812 with England, our second war of independence as it were, the little pickaninny was playing around the plantation cabins with the other negroes of her age on the immense preserves owned by Mr Kent. Three years later she began her training for "lady's maid."

Remembers Marriage of Master

"Yassir, I remember that time well," said the old ex-slave. "When Marster

Champaign Woman, Aged 108, Talks (con't)

Dave he married Miss Virginny **Buford** I went along with de young couple to watch over de young missy. They was kind to me in de main, but Marse Kent was turrible hard on his niggers an' beat 'em an' sold 'em aroun' lak dey was a passel of cattle."

"How'd I know when I was free?" she continued, "marster come an' tol' us hissef and he didn't lak it none too well, neither. But we-all didn't lak him an' we all skun out as quicken as we could."

Mrs Hennison has remained with the Carters in Tennessee near their old plantation home until three years ago when the family removed to Champaign.

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MEDICINE?

Desolve the Vomit in 6 spoonfuls of warm water. Take a spoon every 10 or 15 minutes till it works and then drink 2 gills of Camamile or sage tee after every operation when it turns down drink chicken broth then take 10 grains of anvil dust and scales powdered and sarched(?) mix up with honey or surrup an hour before breakfast and an hour before dinner - eve every day for 20 days. Drinking after each Dose a gill or more of Camamile tee or sage tee at Bed time. Every night bath your (feet) and legs 15 or 20 minutes in warm water and take a tablespoonfull or two of pretty strong decoction of Rattle Snake Root put a Quarter of an ounce of allowe into a gill of Rum or brandy in a vial. Shake it now an then and hang it in a warm place making it up thus take a tea spoonfull every morning, use plenty of Mustard let your Food be light and fresh your drink may be weak grog or water with cold (?) taken of or otherwise will be very useful.

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Receipt for Biles: Take a tablespoonfull of the scale off : The outside of a pox for 3 mornings successivily.

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Receipt to Stop Children from eating dirt: Take two spoonfuls of dog Wood roots Bark one and a half spoonfulls of sassafras roots Bark two spoonfulls of the drop from the Iron works five or six rases of Ginger mixed in honey take a teaspoonful of the same night and morning. Keep outo of the dew or water nor eat milk.

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Receipt for Worms: Give one teaspoon of syrup of bears foot at bed time and one or two in the morning for two or three succeeding days to children of between two and one years of age Regulating the dose according to the strength of the patient. Syrup of bears foot is made thus: Sprinche the green leaves with vinegar stamp and strain out the juice and add to it a sufficient quantity of coarse sugar. This is most powerful medicine. For long round worms.

from "Jeremiah White His book May y^e 11 - 1722". BIBLE RECORDS AND OTHER FAMILY DATA contributed by the Peaks of Otter Chapter, DAR, 1934-1951, Vol II, collected by Susan A Early, Chapter Genealogist, Bedford, Va, 1951. This volume in the Bedford (Bedford Co) Library, Bedford, Va.

SAYERS FAMILY BIBLE RECORDS

contributed by Judy Blackwell*

The following family Bible records were copied from the Bible now in the possession of Josephine Sayers Stoner who resides in Roanoke, Va. The Bible published by Ziegler and McCurdy, Philadelphia, Pa.; Cincinnati, Ohio, St. Louis, Mo., Springfield, Mass., entered according to Act of Congress in the year 1872 by Ziegler & McCurdy in the Office of the Librarian of Congress, at Washington, D. C.

(p 1) This certifies that the Rite of Holy Matrimony was celebrated between Winfield S. Sayers of Virginia and Hellen H. Sayers of Virginia on the 16th of May 1878 at residence of R. Sayers by the Rev. John D. Honaker. Witness: Fannie P. Sayers.

(p 2) Births: Elizabeth Graham Sayers was born July 14, 1879. Rachel Grayson Sayers was born June 8, 1881 Mary Winfield Sayers was born June 26, 1883 Willie Kate Sayers was born April 9, 1885 Earnest Stanley Sayers was born June 20, 1887 Fannie Sue Sayers was born May 10, 1890 Carrie Lee Sayers was born September 8, 1892 John T. Sayers was born June 11, 1895

(p 3) Marriages: Ernest Stanley Sayers and Olivia Holmes, married Nov. 14, 1916 Mary Winfield Sayers and Thomas Benjamin Payne, married June 16, 1920 Carrie Lee Sayers and Frank Martin Riley, married July 7, 1926 John T Sayers and Elizabeth Graham, married November 23, 1921

(p 4) Deaths: Helen Hortense Beauharnais Sayers born Jan 4, 1856 died Feb 15, 1917 Maggie Draper Sayers born April 23, 1861 died October 8, 1917 Willie Kate Sayers died March 10, 1923 Winfield S Sayers died September 15, 1938 Ernest Stanley Sayers died May 2, 1937 Elizabeth Graham Sayers born July 14, 1879; died Nov 4, 1952 Rachel Grayson Sayers died September 28, 1961 Mrs. Mary Winfield Payne (Winnie) died April 7, 1965

The following is written on a blank sheet of paper Helen Hortense B Sayers was born Jan. 4, 1856 died Feb. 15-1917 Winfield Scott Sayers was born March 12, 1853 died September 15, 1938 John Thompson Sayers was born June 11, 1895 died April 14, 1871 Fannie Sue Sayers was born May 10-1890 died April 15, 1973 Carrie Lee Sayers Born September 8, 1892 and May 24, 1985 age 92

The following was copied from a written sheet found folded in the same Bible. (p 1 & 2) Family Record (One torn sheet evidently from another, probably older, Bible)

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Births RMueben (sic) Sayers was born March 23, 1815 Hamilton Sayers was born January 28, 1817 Abner Sayers was born May 24, 1819 Rachel Sayers was born January 17, 1824 John Grayson Sayers was born Sept 2, 1826 William Sayers was born Feb 23, 1829 Elizabeth Sayers was born Feb 11, 1834 Births James Sayers was born August 30, 1781 Mary Sayers was born November 22, 1792 Marriages James Sayers and Mary Grason was married June 30, 1814 Hamilton S Kirby was married Dec 26, 188_ In Bible described: Ma "iages page 1 James Sayers and Mary Grayson were married June 30, 1814

Reuben Sayers and Eleanor A Horne were married Oct 6, 1840 John T Sayers and Rachel Sayers were married Nov 11, 1840 Stephen Kirgy and Elizabeth M Sayers were married Dec 10, 1857

Births (Written on back side of same sheet of paper) James Sayers was born August 30, 1781 Mary Sayers was born Nov 22, 1792 James G Kirby was born Jan 12, 1859 Mary B Kirby was born June 28, 1862 Margaret A Kirby was born August 31, 1863 Lenna L Kirby was born August 29, 1865 Lucretia G Kirby was born March 13, 1868

Opposite Column Reuben Savers was born 23 of March 1815 Hamilt : Sayers was born 28 of Jan 1817 Abner Sayers was born 24 day May 1819 Rachel Sayers was born 19 of Jan 1824 John G Sayers was born Sept 2, 1826 William Sayers was born 23 February 1829 Elizabeth sayers was born, 11 day February 1831

Deaths page 4 Mary Sayers died Nov. 10, 1851 Hamilton Sayers died August 13, 1870 Abner Sayers died Sept. 1, 1874 John G Sayers died March 23, 1896 Reuben Sayers died April 9, 1896

Stephen Kirby died Feb. 28, 1882 Elizabeth Kirby died December 31, 1916 Opposite: Mary B. Kirby died Nov. 3, 1916 James G Kirby died Nov. 3, 1885 Hamilton S. Kirby died April 22, 1927 Lenna L Kirby died May 4, 1937 Margaret A. Charlton died Nov 30, 1937 (It appears to me that the person who wrote this material was copying from an old torn out sheet of an older Bible record that had been placed with the other records in the newer Bible.

On another sheet of white paper the following: Esther Mary Sayers born Nov. 2, 1841 died November, 1912

Abner Sayers born April 11, 1843 was killed at Gettysburg July 3, 1863 Joanna Crockett Sayers born August 10, 1846 died Nov. 15, 1893 Susan Jane Sayers born October 15, 1848

William David Sayers born Oct. 5, 1850 died Oct 15, 1864 Ann Elizabeth Sayers born Jan 3, 1852 died Sept 28, 1917 Fannie Perkins Sayers was born May 27, 1854 Helen Hortense Beauharnais Sayers born Jan 4, 1856 died Feb 15, 1917 Maggie Draper Sayers born April 23, 1861 died Oct 8, 1917 Nannie A Sayers was born July 28, 1863

This information written on the back of letter dated October 29, 1931 from Captain David G Sayers entered the Confederate Army that was commanded Captain Elias V Harman in the spring of 1862 as a second lieutenant of a company of Partizan Rangers.

Lieutenant Sayers was made Captain of a company that was attached to the 37th Battalion of Virginia Calvary, Captain Sayers was born Sept 13, 1840 died April 12, 1902.

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Thursday, March 9, 1815.

VIRGINIA. At Rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Superior Court at Chancery holden at Wythe Court House for the District at Wythe on the 21st November, 1814.

William Patterson, Plt. against Mary Wallis the widow of David Wallis dec'd, and John Wallis, James Wallis, Margaret Wallis, Elizabeth Wallis Polly Wallis, David Wallis, and Jane Wallis his heirs at law and the adm'rs of his estate and Samuel Dudley. Defts.

The Defendants Margaret Wallis, Elizabeth Wallis and Jane Wallis, not having entered their appearance and given security according to the Act of Assembly and the rules of this court and it appearing by satisfactory evidence that they are not inhabitants of this Commonwealth. On the motion of the Plaintiff by his council. It is ordered that they appear here on the first day of the next term and answer the Plaintiffs Bill and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in some newspapers published in this Commonwealth for two months successively and posted at the front door of the Court House of Wythe County. A Copy -- Teste J E Brown, C. C. JITS, JOTS, AND DOTS ON THE OLD FAMILY NAMES OF SCOTT

by

C. V. Compton

from Thursday, December 23, 1937 The Gate City Herald (Va)

The Adams family is of Welsh origin. They migrated to Pennsylvania long before the Revolutionary War and two brothers, Samuel and George came down the "Great Trough" of Virginia. Samuel went to Kentucky in 1773 as one of the very first settlers of that state and George's descendants are the Adams in Scott and adjacent cc nties.

Addington is an old English name. They came from the region of London prior to the Revolutionary War. William Addnigton (sic), who is the progenitor of the Addingtons of Southwest Virginia, participated in the Battle of Yorktown from Culpepper (sic) Co., Virginia. After the close of the Revolution he with his family migrated to Caswell County, North Carolina and thence on to Hyter Gap, Virginia. We find a James Addington, living in the same community of North Carolna (sic) with William prior to 1800 and a member of the Quaker Church -- we do not know the exact relationship -- whether father and son or what. We know William Addington, who married Miss Cromwell left two sons, and one of these was Charles Cromwell Addington, who moved from Hyter Gap in 1802 to the Old Billie Guillenwater's Farm near Wood, Virginia, but due to the fear of fever and chills he migrated to the Copper Creek Region in a year or so and founded the Addinton (sic) settlement in that section.

Brickey was originally Briquette, until Anglicized to the present spelling. John Brickey with his family left France during the St. Bartholomew Massacre 1686, first coming to Charleston, South Carolina and then with his wife, Mary, and the following children: Gerard, John, Jr., William, Peter, Gency, Nancy, and Mary to Maryland. John, Sr. moved from Mary and Co., Va. prior to 1725 where he left a will 1732. Among his children only Peter, who married Winifred Lucas, had the heirs to continue the Brickey name. His sons John and Jerrard moved to Southwest Virginia prior to the Revolutionary War and John married Mary Garner, migrated after the close of the war (1789) to Blount Co., Tenn. Most all the Brickey. of Southwest Virginia are the descendants of Garrard Brickey.

Broadwater is English from Broadwater Hundred, Hertfordshire, England. We find the will of William Broadwater in Accomac County dated 1716 leaving a large family of sons and daughters. In the Revolutionary War at least nineteen Broadwaters served in the Continentla (sic) Army. Charles and Nancy Broadwater, born in Fairfax Co., moved to Loudon Co., and in 1787 bought a farm in Botetourt County and sold the farm in 1811 and came to Russell (Scott) County. We believe Charles died enroute but his wife, two sons, William and John and four daughters, reached Scott County about 1812. John married Winnie Kilgore from whom all the Broadwaters of southwest Virginia are descendants. William married a Culbertson and migrated to Missouri in 1825 where find most of his descendants.

Carter is an old English name. We find more Carters in Scott County than any other family name -- also this is true for the state of Virginia. The Carters of Scott County came from Amherst Co., Virginia in about 1772 to

Scott. We find the will of James Carter, Amherst County, mentioning two sons, Jas. and Dale which will is dated 1754.

Carrico is a Gallic name -- they came direct from France during the St. Bartholomew Massacre in 1686 to Charleston, South Carolina. One of the descendants moved to Danville, Virginia region from whom the Carricos of Southwest Virginia are descendants.

Compton is an Anglo-Saxon name, meaning a town in the hills, John Compton came to Roxbury, Massachusetts in 1634 as a Baptist. William, his son migrated to Long Island and at one time owned a part of Coney Island -- then he moved to Woodbridge, New Jersey in 1666 with his wife Mary Wilmot where he bought the land from the Indians and built the first Baptist Church in New Jersey from which church all the Baptist churches of Pennsylvania, Maryland nd(sic) the Valley of Virginia have sprung. Just prior to the Revolutionary War John Compton, his brother Samuel, and their nephews, Abraham, Jeremiah and Reubin came to Botetourt County, Va. John was killed by the fall of a tree on Wolfe Creek in 1778, Abraham was killed in the Continental Army in 1779, Samuel died at a ripe ole age in Botetourt County, Jeremiah drew a pension for Continental service and died in Sevier County, Tenn., and Reubin drew a pension and died in Montgomery Co., Virginia, but most of his descendants migrated to Arkansas. Abraham's descendants are the Comptons of Scott County, Va.

Culbertson is a Scottish name but Joseph Culbertson came from Ulster County, Ireland in 1720 and established Culberston Row, Franklin Co., Pennsylvania. One of his sons settled at Culbertson Bottom, near Draper's Meadow from whom all the Culbertsons of Southwest Virginia have sprung. Joseph Culbertson who was buried near Ft. Blackmore, possibly say service in the Revolutionary War. All Culbertson in American are akin.

Dingus (Dinges, Dinges, Dingee) is of Teutonic origin. They came from the Palatinate, Rhine Region Germany. Three brothers came across in 1749-50-51 and the last one of the three to come was Phillip Dingus, the progenitor of the Dingus's of Southwest Virginia. One of Phillip Dingus' sons married a Miss Head (a German woman) whose son Phillip Dingus, who married Nancy McConnell, the sister of Adam and George McConnell. It is the writer's opinion that George, Adam and Nancy McConnell's father was Adam McConnell. Adam McConnell served in the Revolutionary War in Pennsylvania and his son Adam, Jr., served in the Indian Wars of 1787. Nancy spoke German fluently and had her own German Bible. George spoke German and possibly English brokenly as when he came from Glade Hollow (near Lebanon, Va.,) and bought the land around the Glad around the Glade Hollow Region, Scott Co., he said in his German dialect that he bought a "Walley on top of a hill". Phillip Dingus who married Nancy McConnell, left a large number of descendants in southwest Virginia, and eastern Kentucky.

Bowens are from Wales. We find them at Frederickstown, Maryland. Reece Bowen left Fredericktown, Maryland and in the fullness of years drifted down the great "trough" to Tazewell County, Va. He married Miss Louisa Smith in Augusta County, Va., lived for a while on the present site of Roanoke City. He is reputed to be the one of the Long Hunters and settlers at Maiden Springs in 1772. His descendants are scattered along the Clinch Region. Estill is of Irish descent. Wallace Estill was the originator of the Estills and born in New Jersey in 1707. He married Mary Bowdy and came to Augusta County, Virginia about 1745. Benjamin Estill, the second son was born in 1735, married Kitty Moffett in Augusta Co., and thence moved to Washington Co., Virginia. His brother went to Kentucky and a county was named for him, while Benjamin gave the name to Estillville, Virginia, which in later years has been changed to Gate City, Virginia.



THE NATIONAL COALITION TO STAMP OUT CHICKEN SCRATCHING Tips to Improving Your Writing by Charles Lehman

Improving your handwriting is not a very difficult process. There are five common elements used in the formation of letters and words that when done correctly will yield legible and graceful writing.

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Russell Co, Va, Order Bk 9, p 395: Oct 2, 1832: Russell County Court to wit: On the 2nd day of October 1832 personally appeared before the County Court of Russell and State of Virginia Francis Browning, a resident in the county of Russell and State of Virginia, aged about seventy-nine years, who being first duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the provisions made by the act of Congress passed June 7th 1831 ---. That he entered the service of the United States in the State line of North Carolina in the month of October in the year he thinks of 1778 at Hillsborough in the said State, under Captain William White and as he now thinks, Lieutenant Lawson and Ensign William Raney, and was attached to the State Regiment commanded by Col. James Saunders and Major Moore for a term of six months, and from Hillsborough, the place of rendezvous, he, with the said Regiment marched to Salisbury, when when they joined the Salisbury Regiment under the command of Col. Lock, and were then placed under the command of General Rutherford and marched from thence to a place then called Pine Tree, the same perhaps which is now called Camden in the State of S. Carolina, near the junction of the rivers Congaree and Wateree, and from thence marched to the Ten Mile house, it being about ten miles from Charleston in the State of S. Carolina, and from thence to a little town called Dodgeston, and from thence took up their line of March for Savannah in South Carolina, where they joined the main army under the command of General Lincoln at a town called Pinensburgh upon the Savannah river. From which place the Regiment to which the said Frances Browning belonged, marched up the said river to a place called the "Two Sisters" where they remained, nearly in sight of the enemy for about one month, and then marched to the place called Brian Creek, where they joined General Ash the time of the Battle fought at that place, and took part in that enin gagement, and from thence he and his regiment were ordered to make a forced march back to Pinensburgh to protect the magazine left there, which they affected by a most servere and fatigueing march, and remained there and in the vicinity of that place watching and following the varied movements of the enemy upon the border line of Georgia, from Savannah to Augusta, which was exposed to the depredations of the british then in the said state of Georgia, and was then incessantly engaged, until about the 10th of April in the year he thinks of 1779, when he and the Regiment to which he belonged were discharged, at a place called Black Swamp, about 500 miles from home, and obtained a regular discharge in writing, which has been since either lost or mislaid so that he cannot now produce it. The said Browning, although nominally belonging to the state line, performed continental service during the time aforesaid, and out of the nominal compensation received from the government for his services, he afterwards paid \$100 thereof for one bushel of salt. The said Francis Browning further states that sometime after his return home from the tour aforesaid, he removed with his family from Caswell County in the state

Bk 9, p 396: of North Carolina near Jonesborough then N. Carolina but now state of Tennessee, where he was again in 1781 drafted to go to the State of South Carolina under the command of Col Sevier for a three months tour, when the situation of his affairs was such as to render it exceedingly inconven-

ient for him to leave home, and he employed one (name not recollected) a substitute whom he paid, a horse valued at fifteen pounds in genuine currency, and also allowed him the wages of the said tour, and that the said substitute was received as such by the proper officer and performed the duties of the said tour. He hereby relinquishes every claim whatsoever to a pension or annuity, except the present, and declares that his name is not on the pension rolls of any agency in any state. Sworn to and subscribed the date and year aforesaid.

Francis Browning

We - Nathaniel Munsey, a clergyman residing in the neighbourhood of Francis Browning in Russell County, in the state of Virginia, and William Price a justice of the peace residing in the neighbourhood, county and state a foresaid, do hereby certify that we are well acquainted with Francis Browning, who has subscribed and sworn to the foregoing declaration: that we believe him to be about seventy-nine years of age: that he is reputed, and believed in the neighbourhood where he resides to have been a soldier of the revolution, and, that we concur in that opinion. Sworn to and subscribed the day and year aforesaid.

> Nathaniel Munsey William Price

And the Court do hereby further certify, that Jesse Vermillion personally appeared, before them this day in open Court and made oath, that he was personally acquainted with Francis Browning who has sworn to and subscribed the foregoing declaration and that the said Browning served in the war of the revolution and that he believes that the foregoing declaration sworn to and subscribed as aforesaid, contains a correct recital of the services of the said Francis Browning in the war of the revolution: Sworn to and subscribed, the day and year aforesaid.

Jesse Vermillion

And the said Court do hereby declare their opinion, after the investigation of the matter, and after pulling the interrogatories presented by the War Department, and hearing the testimony of Jesse Vermillion who hath sworn to and subscribed the above affidavit, that the above named applicant was a revolutionary soldier and served as he states. And the said Court further certify it appears to that Nathaniel Munsey who has signed the preceding certificate is a clergyman resident in Russell County in the state of Virginia, and that William Price who has also signed the same, is a resident in the same County, and Jesse Vermillion who has signed the preceding affidavit are all credible and respectable persons, and that their statements are entitled to Credit.

CORRECTION

In the August 1991 VAN on p 96 in the listing of Pension Applications is an error -#35 R C Browder served in Co F, 29th Virginia Infantry. This service is typed in at #34 for John A Sutphin. Mr John A Sutphin is NOT listed in John Perry Alderman's "29th VA Infantry." I do not know the extent of the typographical error(s). Camilla (Browder) Dean, RD 3 Box 82, Cambridge Springs, PA 16403.

CRAIG COUNTY, VIRGINIA

Death Records - Alleghany District

contributed by Ruth Hale,

1. Andrew Marie Huffman - sex female - race white - maritial status single born July 12, 1916 - age 1 year 8 months 24 days - pb Craig Co - Floyd Chapman Huffman, born Craig Co - mother Lula Ann Abbott, born 0 - died Mar 26, 1917 cause of death cholera - buried Mar 26, 1917, Brickey Cemetery, by M W Francisco.

2. Clara Dale McPherson - f - w - b July 23, 1915 - ly 8m 22d - pb Craig Co - f Cleveland McPherson, b Craig Co - m Myrtie Hughes, b Montgomery Co, Va - d Apr 14, 1917 - cd Cholera - bur April 15, 1917, Bowan's Graveyard, C W Francisco - information given by W M Francisco, Abbott, Va.

3. William Henry Harrison - male - black - s - b 1845* - 72y - occupation farmer - f Peter Harrison, b Greenville, Va - m Fannie Harrison, b Augusta Co, Va - d July 9, 1917 - bur July 10, 1917, Beard Graveyard, M C Huffman - inf Mattie Beard, Abbott, Va. *-pb Greenville, Va

4. Hiram Hines Anderson - m - w - married - b Dec 9, 1839 - 78y 3m 20d - o farmer - b Botetourt Co, Va - f John Anderson, b Winchester, Va - m Matilda Wax, b Botetourt Co, Va - d Aug 29, 1917 - bur Aug 30, 1917, Lee Cem., E W Camper - inf PVC Lee, Abbott, Va.

5. Mearl Huellar Woods - f - w - s - b Mar 21, 1917 - 4m 19d - b Craig Co f William Dewey Woods, b Craig Co - m Eva Boase, b Botetourt Co, Va - d Aug 9, 1917,-cd cholera - bur Aug 10, 1917, Carper Graveyard, C W Francisco,- inf Eva Woods, Abbott, Va.

6. un-named - m - w - b Sept 26, 1917 - f James C Carper, b Craig Co - child born Craig Co - m E C Brefant, b Craig Co - d Sept 26, 1917 - cd born dead - bur Sept 27, 1917, Carper Graveyard, CW Francisco - inf James C Carper.

7. Amanda Kale Lee - f - w - md - b Mar 4, 1861 - 56y 8m 28d - o housewife - b Craig Co, Va - f Aaron C Mann, b Va - m Mary Walker Givens, b Va - d Dec 2, 1917 - bur Dec 5, 1917, Abbott, Va, E Camper - inf Leo L Lee, Abbott, Va.

Death Records - Paint Bank District

1. Dana C Rowan - m - w - s - b June 27, 1889 - 27y 8m 5d - o dentist - b Paint Bank, Va - f N F Rowan, b Paint Bank - m Edna Whitelaw, b Jackson, Tenn d Mar 2, 1917 - cd Tuberculosis of Hip & Spine - bur Mar 3, 1917, Paint Bank, Va, undertaker WF Wiley - inf Percy W Rowan, Paint Bank.

2. Alexander C Looney - m - w - md - b Dec 4, 1852 - 85y 4m 26d - o farmer - b Craig Co - f Moses Looney, b Va - m Jean Caldwell, b Craig Co - d Apr 30, 1917 - cd cerebral embolism - bur May 1, 1917, Paint Bank, Va, WF Wiley - inf G N Looney, Paint Bank.

3. Eliza Smith - f - w - s - b 1850 - 66y 9m - o housekeeper - pb Craig Co - p Adam Smith, b ? - m Anne _____, b ? - d July 22, 1917 - cd chronic nephritis - bur July 23, 1917, Paint Bank, Va, WF Wiley - inf Mrs W B Reynolds, Paint Bank.

4. Dortha Mae Smith - f - w - infant - b Sept 9, 1917 - 3m 15d - b Paint Bank - f George B Smith, b Paint Bank, Ba - m Minnie Williams, b Giles Co, Va - d Dec 24, 1917, - cd child was dead on returning from church - bur Dec 25, 1917, Paint Bank, Va, WF Wiley - inf Mrs W B R, Paint Bank.

Alleghany District

1. Walter R Caldwell - m - w - s - b Aug 22, 1905 - lly 5m 5d - o school boy b Craig Co, Va - f Ernest Caldwell, b Craig Co, Va - m (blank), b Craig Co d Jan 27, 1917 - cd struck by horse - bur Jan 28, 1917, Springs, Va, E W Camper - inf New Castle Record, New Castle, Va

2. Martha A Eakin - f - w - wd - b Nov 19, 1827 - 89y 10m 17d - o farming, b Va - f William Smith, b Va - m Frankie Champ, b Va - d Feb 16, 1917 - bur ? - inf G W Givens, Springs, Va. -cd old age -

3. John Edebard Francis Reynolds - m - w - md - b Sept 28, 1870 - 46y 5m - o farmer, manuel labor - b Va - f John EF Reynolds, b Va - m Sarah Leffel, b Va - d Feb 28, 1917 - bur Mar 1, 1917, Chestnut Grove Church, EW Camper - inf Ruphus Reynolds, New Castle, Va.

4. John D Lugar - m - w - md - b Nov 29, 1849 - 69y 5m 17d - b Va - f Adam Lugar, b Va - m Annie Shawaer, b Va - cd apoplexy - d May 16, 1917 - bur May 17, 1917, Lugar Grave Yard, EW Camper - inf Nannie V Lugar, New Castle, Va.

5. Margret Jane Looney - f - w - md - b June 6, 1841 - 76y Om 11d - o farmer's wife - b Craig Co - f Bennett J Reynolds, b Va - m Perssie Reynolds, b Va d June 17, 1917 - cd heart failure - bur June 18, 1917, Looney Graveyard, EW Camper - inf Ira Looney, New Castle, Va

6. William Peter Wallace - m - w - s - b Apr 19, 1912 - 5y 4m 18d - b Craig Co - f William Earl Wallace, b Craig Co - m Estelle McGuire, b Craig Co died Sept 7, 1917 - cd infantile paralysis - bur Sept 8, 1917, Home Cem, EW Camper - inf WE Wallace, Sinking Creek, Va.

7. Oscar W Carper - m - w - md- b Oct 3, 1843 - 74y lm 18d - o farmer - b Va - f James Carper, b Va - m Sarah Sarver, b Va - d Nov 21, 1917 - bur Nov 21, 1917, Home Graveyard, EW Camper - inf Frank Reynolds, New Castle, Va.

8. Mauddie Inethe Huffman - f - w - s - b July 12, 1891 - 26y 3m 7d - o assist. at homework - b Craig Co - f Ballard W Huffman, b Craig Co - m Martha Nidy, b Craig Co - d Oct 19, 1917 - cd consumption - bur Oct 20, 1917, Home Graveyard, EW Camper - inf Martha Huffman, New Castle, Va.

9. Raborun T Carper - m - w - s - b Mar 3, 1913 - 9m 12d - b Craig Co f Ollie Carper, t Craig Co - m Addie Ruble, b Craig Jo - d Dec 18, 1917 - cd meningitis - bur Dec 19, 1917, Looney Graveyard, EW Camper - inf Ollie Carper, Rt 1, New Castle, Va.

Simmonsville District

1. Absolom Dem \Rightarrow y Woods - m - w - md - b Jan 6, 1853 - 64y 2m - o farmer - b Va - f Archibald Woods, b Va - m Elizabeth Smith, b Va d Mar 5, 1917 - bur Williams Cem, Mar 6, 1917 = cd natural death from an unknown cause, found dead in his bed at $3\frac{1}{2}$ pm, Mar 6th by Cora Humphreys - undertaker FR Price, Newport, Va.

2. Martha Landona Hypes - f - w - md - b Sept 1860, Craig Co - 56y 5m 5d o housewife - f Henry S Troutt, b Botetourt Co, Va, now Craig Co - m Martha Albert, b Botetourt Co, Va, now Craig Co - d Feb 20, 1917 - cd measles - bur Feb 21, 1917, Hypes Cem, FR Price, Newport, Va - inf Laymen Hypes, Newport, Va.

3. Malissa Isabel Bradley - f - w - md - b Mar 18, 1869 - 47y llm - o housewife - b Craig Co - f Samuel Caldwell, b Craig Co - m Louisa Huffman, b Craig Co d Feb 18, 1917 - cd Measles - bur Feb 18, 1917, Huffman Cem, DH Huffman, Newport, Va - inf Sara Huffman, Newport, Va.

4. Caroline Duncan - f - w - s - b ?- pb Craig Co - age ? - o housekeeper - f John L Duncan, b Craig Co - m Mary Ann Smith, b Craig Co - d 7 Apr 1917 cd Lagrippe - bur 8 Apr 1917, Hutchison Cem, FR Price, Newport, Va - inf James L Duncan, Newport, Va.

5. Francis Marrian Lugar - m - w - md - b Apr 23, 1859 - 58y 3m 14d - o farmer - b Craig Co - f James W Lugar, b Craig Co - m Polly A Givens, b Craig Co d 7 Aug 1917, - bur Aug 8, 1917, Ross Cem, DA Huffman, Newport, Va - ins S J Oliver, Newport, Va, RFD 1. -cd absess of lungs & cronic bronchitis -

6. Mary Virginia Troutt - f - w - widow - b Aug 16, 1843 - 74y lm 2d o housekeeper - b Craig Co, Va - f Joseph Eakin, b Craig Co - m Agnes Price, b Giles Co, Va - d Aug 19, 1917 - cd senility - bur Eakin Cem, Aug 20, 1917, DH Huffman, Newport, Va - inf R A Eakin, Sinking Creek, Va

7. Syntha Arbela Fisher - f - w - md - b June 5, 1845 - 72y 3m 5d - o house wife - b Va - f John Saunders, b Va - m Ellen Scott, b Giles Co, Va - bur Sept 9, 1917, Williams Cem, DA Huffman, Newport, Va - inf BH Meadley, Newport.

8. Elis S Reynolds - m - w - s - b Sept 29, 1883 - 34y 5m 18d - o farmer - b Craig Co - f Ralph Charlton Reynolds, b Craig Co - m BE Caldwell, b Craig Co - d Sept 29, 1917 - cd Tuberculosis - bur 1 Oct 1917, Caldwell Cem, HL Lugar, Newport, Va - inf A E Merideth, Sinking Creek, Va.

9. William Keneth Porterfield - m - w - s - b Aug 1, 1917 - 2m 6d - o none b Craig Co - f James W Porterfield, b Craig Co - m Clara Lemon Hanah, b Botetourt Co, Va - d Oct 6, 1917 - cd Marasmus? - bur Oct 8, 1917, Waiteville, WV, DA Huffman, Newport, Va - inf J W Porterfield, Maggie, Va.

10. Julia K Dumphy = f - w - s - b Jan 2, 1849 - 68y 5m 4d - o school teacher - b New York City - f Henry Dunphy, b New York City - m Matilda Garatrantd, b New York City - d June 6, 1917 - cd senility - bur Newark, New Jersey, June 8, 1917, Geo W Honeywell, Newark, NJ - inf A S Feeney, Bluehealing Springs.

11. Hiram Penalton Elmore - m - w - md - b Mar 17, 1851 - 66y 7m 25d - o
farmer - b Craig Co - f James Elmore, b Va - m _____ Jones, b Va - d Nov
12, 1917 - cd Angenia Pectoria - bur Nov 13, 1917, Bell Cem, undertaker
Friends, Maggie, Va - inf GC Martin, Va

12. Woodie Mason Caldwell - m - w - s - b Dec 30, 1880 - 36y llm 29d - o farmer - b Craig Co - f Adolphus L Caldwell, b Craig Co - m Addie Caldwell, b Craig Co - d Dec 29, 1917 - cd tuberculosis - bur Dec 30, 1917, Caldwell Cem, MM Huffman, Newport, Va - inf Maud Caldwell, Sinking Creek, Va. Nathan McClure Leslie (1829-1919) who immigrated to Texas in the 1880s was probably born in Augusta or Rockbridge Co, Va, 17 Aug 1829. He was the son of Samuel & Elizabeth Winegar Leslie (Lesley). Samuel & Elizabeth were married 28 July 1814 by Samuel Houston at the Old Oxford Presbyterian Church in Rockbridge Co, Va. Samuel is listed as the son of John, & she the daughter of William Winegar. Samuel is shown on the 1840 Rockbridge Co census and a taxpayer in 1841. In 1850, he is shown in the Augusta County, Va census, age 57, Elizabeth, age 56.

According to information from History of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Botetourt County, VA by Rev. E. W. Leslie, A.M., published in 1910, David A Leslie was the son of Samuel and Elizabeth Leslie. David A. was born near Fancy Hill, Rockbridge County, VA 14 June 1831. It can be assumed that Nathan McClure Leslie could have been born either in Rockbridge or Augusta counties. The article further states that the family moved c 1837 to Alleghany Co, Va, then back to Rockbridge where they lived at Collierstown. C1841, the family moved to Augusta County where they probably remained until 1850 as Samuel is shown on the 1850 census in Augusta. Nathan is shown on the 1850 census living with James Leslie in Botetourt County. It is assumed that James was his brother. Then Samuel and his family moved back to Rockbridge County and lived near Brownsburg. C 1851-1852, Samuel planned to move to Wythe Co, Va, but became ill. He then moved to the home of a relative in Bedford County. Samuel & his wife Elizabeth are buried at the Zion Church at Locust Bottom in Bedford County. The known children of Samuel and Elizabeth were: Nathan McClure (1829), David A (1831), Elizabeth (1832), Pansy (1834), and Martha (1840). James was born in 1822. There was also a William listed in the 1850 Botetourt census who may have been a son.

David A married Elizabeth Lemon, daughter of Christopher and Sidney Lemon 14 April 1858. He moved to Blue Springs where he worked as a carpenter. David served in Co. K, 28th Va Regt, and also made coffins for the CSA at Lynchburg. Although his father had been a strict Presbyterian, David joined the Lutheran Church as a young man. He helped build the Lutheran church at Glade Creek, Blue Ridge Community. Both David & Elizabeth Lemon Leslie are buried at the Glade Creek Church Cemetery which is now a Baptist church.

When Nathan McClure Leslie married Susan Waggoner 18 December 1851 at Fincastle, Va, he was listed as a farmer in Botetourt co where at least three of his children were born.

Sometime between 1851 & 1860, Nathan became a Baptist minister. Bedford court records indicate that he presented himself to the court in Oct of 1860 and was granted permission to perform marriages in Bedford as a licensed Baptist minister. He is listed in the Strawberry Baptist Association minutes as the minister of Flint Hill Baptist Church in Bedford County. His post office addresses during the 1870's included Thaxton, Troutville, & Fincastle (1871-1873). The Va Baptist Historical Society, Richmond, Va, indicated that Nathan Leslie pastored churches at Cove in Alum Springs, New Bethel, Rose or Rosey Hill, Enon, Natural Bridge, and at Flint Hill. The society was unable to furnish further information about Nathan.

In the 1862 Confederate records at Bedford County, Va, it is noted that David A Leslie asked to be released from military service with the CSA to help operate Plott's Mill with his partner brother, N M Leslie. It is noted above that David did serve later in the military. Nathan's son, Alonzo remembered the Yankees coming to his father's house at meal time and taking all the available food. Then they destroyed the mill which Nathan and his brother operated.

Prior to 1880, Susan had died as Nathan is listed as a widower in the 1880 census of Botetourt Co. Susan may be buried near Buchanan. Her father, John Waggoner and his wife Mary Powers lived near Buchanan. John is shown in the Fincastle records as having made the shingles for the court house built in 1820 in Fincastle. He is shown in the 1860 census with his wife Mary, born in 1798 in Va. Her parents are assumed to be Yancy and Nancy Powers. Nancy is shown in the 1870 census, aged 105, living with the widowed Mary. John's father, Jacob, was still living in Botetourt co in 1850. He was born in New Jersey in 1764. John Waggoner died in 1868 and the probate of his estate named Nathan McClure Leslie and wife (Susan) among the heirs. John Waggoner is buried at the Mt. Moriah Lutheran Church, located near Lapsley Run and Eagle Rock, northwest of Fincastle, Botetourt Co, Va.

C 1886, Nathan, his new wife, Susan A Laymon, (whom he married 14 Oct 1881) and part of his family went to Texas on an immigrant train, according to William S Leslie, Nathan's grandson. At Dallas, the family purshased or hired a team and wagon and settled south of Dallas at Fairy(?). At that time it seems that the large family was divided with the older children remaining in Virginia. There was no issue with the second marriage.

Nathan and Susan Waggoner Leslie's children were: Josephus A (1854), Lora Virginia (1855), Nannie Judson (1852), Alonzo Chalmer (1860), Andrew M (1866), William Walter (1868), Anna (1869), Howard (1870), Charles Edward (1873), and Ellira (1876).

Josephus, Anna, Walter, and Nannie remained in Virginia. Lora Virginia moved to Oklahoma where she died rather young. Alonzo Chalmer (called "Uncle Doc") went first to Texas, began his practice of medicine, and sent for the rest of the family. After remaining near Dallas for four years, the family moved by covered wagon in 1890 to the plains of West Texas. They settled near Hermleight, Scurry County, TX, where Nathan took up state land at \$1.00 per acre with 40 years to pay. The family lived for sometime in a dugout, Nathan continued to preach, and his son, Charles Edward, also became a Baptist preacher. Nathan McClure Leslie died 15 February 1919 and is buried in the Snyder Cemetery in Snyder, Texas near his son Dr. Alonzo C Leslie and his wife, Nathan Leslie's second wife, Susan Laymon is buried in the Hermleigh Cemetery, Hermleigh, Texas.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION:

Census records 1840, 1850, 1880, 1900; Botetourt Marriage Records; John Waggoner Estate papers; Cemetery records, Snyder, TX; Family Records of William S Leslie; History of Evangelical Lutheran Church in Botetourt Co. History of Rockbridge County; Rockbridge Marriage Records; Old Oxford Presbyterian Church Records; Bedford Civil War Records; Strawberry Baptist Association Records; The Virginia Baptist Historical Society

contributed by Jane Leslie Newberry, 6045 Fox Chase Trail, Shreveport, LA 71129

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THAT WHICH YOUR ANCESTORS HAVE BEQUEATHED, EARN IT AGAIN IF YOU WOULD POSSESS IT. --Goethe

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OLD BEREA CHRISTIAN CHURCH CEMETERY

Old Berea Christian Church Cemetery is located west of Wytheville, Virginia. Take Main Street (Route 21) west. Yield right onto the Old Stage Road (Route 667). Follow the Old Stage Road until you come to the Old Fish Hatchery Road (Route 654), turn left and follow Route 654, cross the N & S Railroad. The old cemetery is on the left at the foot of the hill before you come to Berea Church. Date inscriptions were transcribed: 2 June 1991. Compiled by Walter A. and Avis C. Hunt.

- Corvin, George Hopper: son of J. L. and L. B. Corvin born 10 Sep 1904 killed by passenger train 23 Jul 1906
- Earhart, Louella Virginia: 6 May 1908 17 Apr 1911 2 years 11 months 11 days
- Etter, Agnes Arlene: daughter of L. R. and Dora Etter born and died 6 Dec 1935
- Etter, Altha Omega: daughter of R. C. and S. R. Etter 11 Sep 1906 - 8 Mar 1907 5 months 8 days
- K: one stone with only on letter on it
- Kegley, Mary Ann: wife of G. W. Kegley 28 Aug 1861 1 Aug 1903
 - Kegley, George Washington: 9 Jun 1856 3 May 1936
 - Marsh, Betty Lee: 7 Feb 1918 30 May 1920 (on same stone with I. E. Marsh)
 - Marsh, John H.: 21 Oct 1890 26 Jul 1937
 - Marsh, I. E. (and child): 10 Jun 1831 17 Dec 1922 (on same stone with Betty Lee Marsh)
- W: one stone with only one letter on it
 - Whitaker, Catharine: 28 Jan 1854 18 Sep 1923
 - Wisley, Hellen Elzara?: daughter of W. A. and M. J. Wisley born and died 23 (or 25) Mar 1920

??: one stone that cannot be read

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- H-1 Belvin, Ernest Alexandria: 29 Mar 1905 24 Oct 1984
- W-1 Belvin, Ethel Grinnell: 21 Dec 1907 28 Aug 1960
- W-2 Cassell, Lucille I.: 1917 Mother
- H-2 Cassell, William L.: 1907 -1982 Father
- W-3 Catron, Clara F.: 4 Mar 1915 -
- W-4 Catron, Darthula U.: 5 Jan 1884 27 Apr 1972
- D-5 Catron, Edna Aileen, d/o W. Z. & F. O. Catron: 24 Jul 1926 - 24 Jul 1926
- W-5 Catron, Flossie C.: 1886 -1984
- W-6 Catron, Isabell S.: 12 May 1915 -
- H-6 Catron, L. Early: 27 Sep 1915 9 May 1974
- H-4 Catron, Robert H.: 9 May 1867 28 Sep 1945
- H-3 Catron, Robert P.: 6 Sep 1912 19 Sep 1975
- D-5 Catron, Ruby Irene: 1 Jan 1930 2 Jan 1930
- H-5 Catron, William Z.: 1880 1952
- W-7 Cline, Annie Marsh: 27 Feb 1899 -
- H-7 Cline, William Pierce: 9 Jun 1891 22 Mar 1976 Corvin, Alford S.: 21 Oct 1881 - 28 Mar 1960
- W-8 Corvin, Alice M.: 11 May 1890 1 Aug 1966
- H-9 Corvin, Arthur R.: 9 Aug 1891 24 Apr 1975
- W-10 Corvin, Dolly L .: 4 Feb 1884 -
- W-12 Corvin, Emeline C.: 1858 1940

H-8 Corvin, Harlow J.: 13 Oct 1885 - 11 Feb 1963

H-11 Corvin, James L.: 1862 - 1943

W-9 Corvin, Laura Ann Hounshell: 3 May 1903 - 3 Jul 1972

W-11 Corvin, Laura B.: 1867 - 1948

H-10 Corvin, Lawrence Jackson: 3 Feb 1880 - 29 May 1950 Corvin, Lois Imogene: (baby) 15 Aug 1972

H-12 Corvin, Mance: 1853 - 1939

Corvin, Meredith S.: 8 Mar 1917 - 2 Dec 1988 Daddy

Corvin, William A. Rudolph: 30 Oct 1935 - 27 Apr 1952

H-13 Creger, George F.: 26 Dec 1854 - 21 Jul 1937

S-13 Creger, George F., Jr.: 9 Jan 1891 - 17 Apr 1974

Creger, Kenneth Lee: US Army Vietnam 1948 - 1978

W-13 Creger, Virginia G.: 9 Mar 1856 - 1 Feb 1923

H-14 Crigger, Edgar Bailey: 1903 - 1953

D-14 Crigger, Erma Charleen: 8 Aug 1927 - 11 Sep 1972

W-14 Crigger, Nita E.: 1906 -

S-15 Dooley, Garnett M.: 14 Aug 1933 - 3 Jun 1986

H-15 Dooley, Harry Mitchell: 11 Jun 1897 - 26 Jun 1972

W-15 Dooley, Ina Marsh: 9 Jun 1900 - 14 Nov 1971

Etter, Elmer Q., Jr.: 11 Mar 1945 - 13 Mar 1949

H-16 Etter, Everett Rhudell: PFC US Army Korea 9 Jul 1928 -18 Dec 1988 Father (married to Ramona K. Etter 21 Mar 1953)

W-17 Etter, Helen D.: 20 Mar 1928 -H-17 Etter, James A. "Rab": 12 Oct 1922 -H-18 Etter, James L.: 25 Apr 1901 - Papa W-18 Etter, Mary I.: 23 Dec 1899 - Mom

- S-18 Etter, Roger S.: 26 Nov 1938 11 Jul 1981 Son and Brother
- W-16 Etter, Ramona K.: 7 May 1935 Mother (married to Everett R. Etter 21 Mar 1953)
- W-19 Grubb, Alice Virginia: wife of Curtis A. Grubb 11 Feb 1878 - 27 Nov 1913

Grubb, Bobby N.: PFC 38 Engineers Vietnam 22 May 1936 -31 Oct 1969

- H-20 Grubb, Charlie F.: 15 Apr 1906 22 Jun 1976
- H-19 Grubb, Curtis Augustus: 16 Aug 1872 27 Oct 1947

W-21 Grubb, Cynthia R.: 30 Sep 1914 -

S-19 Grubb, Elmer Clarence: 1903 - 1967

Grubb, Fred R.: Tec 4 US Army 14 Jan 1923 - 10 Mar 1974

- W-22 Grubb, Georgia A.: 29 Nov 1884 25 Jun 1954
- W-23 Grubb, Gladys B.: 19 Sep 1918 (buried recently)
- W-20 Grubb, Hallie S.: 27 Feb 1906 6 Mar 1967
- H-24 Grubb, Henry C.: 2 Jul 1904 (30 Jan 1991 obit.)
- H-23 Grubb, Joe M., Sr.: 25 Aug 1910 19 Jul 1979 Grubb, Joe M., Jr.: 18 Feb. 1943 - 1 Mar 1979

W-24 Grubb, Lillie T.: 26 Mar 1909 - 17 Nov 1981

- D-25 Grubb, Linda Sue: daughter of Z. S. and T. H. Grubb 4 Oct 1947 - 6 Oct 1947
- H-21 Grubb, Luther J.: 21 Oct 1909 2 Jul 1982 Grubb, Michael Dale: 21 Jun 1956 - 7 Jun 1981 Grubb, Ralph Lee: 4th armored division US Army PFC 24 May 1934 - 27 Jan 1956

W-25 Grubb, Thelma H.: 18 Jan 1908 -

Grubb, Tonnie James Walter: 29 May 1913 - 16 Nov 1957 H-22 Grubb, Walter S.: 12 Sep 1877 - 3 Aug 1942 S-19 Grubb, Woodrow A .: 21 Jun 1912 - 24 Oct 1934 Our Brother H-25 Grubb, Z. Shaffer: 13 Dec 1908 - 10 Jan 1984 Harrah, Julia D.: 4 Nov 1925 - 22 Jul 1984 W-26 Houseman, Josephine I.: 4 Aug 1915 - 25 Jun 1987 Neen H-26 Houseman, Oscar C.: 5 Jun 1912 - 3 Apr 1980 Frosty Irvin, : infant daughter of Mr. & Mrs. G. S. Irvin 18 Sep 1938 W-27 Irvin, Ella Walters: 2 Jun 1891 - 18 Nov 1971 (married to James Edgar Irvin 29 Sep 1913) Irvin, Donald Clinton, CPL US Army: 3 Feb 1928 - 16 May 1986 H-27 Irvin, James Edgar: 16 Jun 1886 - 23 Apr 1970 (married to Ella Walters 29 Sep 1913) N & W H-28 Irving, C. Maiden: 1895 - 1967 W-28 Irving, Dollie Etter: 1896 -W-29 Jarvis, Fanny Hale: 1881 - 1974 Jarvis, Leona May: 25 Feb 1924 - 7 Dec 1986 H-29 Jarvis, Samuel Martin: 1888 - 1964 W-30 Kegley, Bertie P.: 16 Aug 1891 - 26 Sep 1985 H-30 Kegley, Dewey: 12 Jan 1892 - 10 Oct 1975 H-31 Kegley, Garnett E.: 22 Sept 1914 -Kegley, George Harlo: 12 Sep 1885 - 30 Aug 1961 Same stone as Jettie Kegley Woodward W-31 Kegley, Gladys E.: 3 May 1920 -Kegley, Lula E.: 1876 - 1968 Mother McAllister, Eugenia Flo, d/o J. L. & Elva M. McAllister: 1959 Marsh, Ann W.: 1904 - 1983 W-32 Marsh, Gladys Catron: 7 Aug 1906 - 7 Nov 1987

W-32 Marsh, James Kelly: 16 Aug 1903 -

Marsh, James Steven: infant of David L. and Patsy R. Marsh 1956 -1956

Marsh, Kathy Ann: infant of David L. and Patsy R. Marsh 1953 - 1953

W-33 Marsh, Rhoda Jane: 1872 - 1958

H-33 Marsh, Thomas George: 1857 - 1923

H-34 Marsh, William Thomas: 1897 - 1977

W-34 Marsh, Venolia C.: 1908 -

Mutter, Jason Lee: 23 Dec 1982 - 23 Dec 1982

Ryan, Tony, infant s/o Mr. & Mrs. F. C. Ryan: 15 Apr 1958

W-35 Simmerman, Annie Sue: 1 Sep 1904 - 7 Oct 1981

H-35 Simmerman, Charles Ray: 11 Jan 1902 - 19 Dec 1973

H-36 Spraker, Clyde C.: 20 Dec 1901 - 20 Jan 1974

W-36 Spraker, Lottie K.: 7 Mar 1905 - 20 Jun 1974

Wagner, Sue Robinett: 1 Jan 1946 - 10 Dec 1988

H-37 Waller, Fred: 1902 -

W-37 Waller, Katherine: 1907 - 1977

W-38 Wohlford, Edith K.: 27 May 1900 - 29 Nov 1977

H-38 Wohlford, Hugh C.: 28 May 1905 - 10 Apr 1988

Woodward, Jettie Kegley: 18 Nov 1883 - 31 Mar 1970 Same stone as George Harlo Kegley

CORRECTION

In the August 1991 VAN on p 96 in the listing of Pension Applications is an error -#35 R C Browder served in Co F, 29th Virginia Infantry. This service is typed in at #34 for John A Sutphin. Mr John A Sutphin is NOT listed in John Perry Alderman's "29th VA Infantry." I do not know the extent of the typographical error(s). Camilla (Browder) Dean, RD 3 Box 82, Cambridge Springs, PA 16403. [Editor's note: Our article was taken from photocopies of a record in Carrol Co. I believe that the notes were taken by the board at various locations and then recorded at the court house. How many errors were made we will never know. And all who serve in the Civil War are not recorded. The only record of my grandfather, James M Waskey, serving is his pension record.]

QUERIES

Please see inside of back cover on how to submit queries and how many words to use.

ance - ancestor(s)	cr- creek	f- father	p/o	- parents of
b - born	d - died gm	- grandmother Pr 1	Jm -	Prince William
bro - brother	dau - daughter(s)	inc - including	s/o	- son of
ca - circa. about	desc- descendant(s)	info - information	W	- wife
cem - cemetery	d/o - daughter of	md - married	w/o	- wife of
ch - child(ren)	exch - exchange	p - parent(s)	sis	- sister

1 & 2 -92: Seeking info about the ance & desc of John WIATT/WYATT of Gloucester Co, Va, b 15 May 1732-d 5 Jan 1805, md 13 Nov 1756 Mary (Elizabeth) TODD of Gloucester Co (b 5 Feb 1725-d 9 Nov 1794) d/o Elizabeth MASON & Christopher TODD of Toddsbury. Are they p/o Mary Conquest WYATT (b 1764 Manassa, Pr Wm Co, Vad 6?26 July 1854 Breckenridge Co, Ky) md Edmund NEWMAN (RS) 3 Apr 1783. Cateby GRAHAM, bro of Mary GRAHAM, co-signed the marriage bond with Edmund Newman. Mary GRAHAM was the w/o William Edw. WIATT s/o John WIATT & Mary TODD. Was Mary Conquest WYATT (b 1764) sis of Dr William Edw. WIATT? Mrs Wm B Bridges, 529 Oriole Lane, Shreveport, LA 71105

3-92: I am seeking any info on Thomas FALIN & his desc. He was b in 1760s & resided in Scott Co, Va. He had at least 9 ch - inc William, David, John, Michael & Sally. Desc have used the surnames Falin, Failen, Phalen, Faling, etc. I will gladly share info. Hope to compile info for eventual distribution. Rebecca Falin, 281 Fairgrounds Rd, Painesville, OH 44077.

4 & 5-92: Exch info on John Button Sr, s/o Robert BUTTON. John (b 1666, Essex Co, Va- d 1764 Culpeper Co, Va) md Elizabeth ? 1699 in Culpeper Co, Va. Their 1st son, John BUTTON Jr (b 1700 - died 1785 Culpeper Co, Va) md Susannah HOPPER ca 1748 in Culpeper Co. Susannah (b ca 1728 Culpeper Co, d ?) was the d/o Thomas HOPPER & Mary Ann GEORGE. Thomas (b ca 1709 - d 1809 Culpeper Co) md Mary Ann 1729. Mary Ann (b ca 1709 Va) was the d/o of William GEORGE (b ca1685 -d 1783 Culpeper Co). John E Finney, 13900 Shaker Blvd, Suite 412, Cleveland, Ohio 44120.

6-92: Exch info on Andrew SADOWSKI s/o Anthoni SADOWSKI & Marya BORDT, (b ca 1705 Berks Co, Pa - d 1774 Va) md Catherine ? . Andrew & Catherine's 4th child was Jacob SADOWSKI (b 1750 Hardy Co, Va-d 19 May 1832 Jessamine Co, Ky) md ca 1775 Jemima Vause, d/o Capt Ephraim Vause of Va. John E Finney, see 4 & 5-92.

7-92: Looking for any info on all 'BURKS' who lived in Casey, Logan, Lincoln, Mercer, or any other part of Ky. Would like to correspond with anyone working on "BURKS" line in Va & Ky. Paul C Hettich, Bluebill Hill, Big Sur, CA 93920.

8-92: Looking for any info on Amy or Anny 'WHITE' nee 'GRIFFEY.' She md 1st to a Mr. WHITE & was widowed then md Levi BURKS, his 2nd marriage. They had at least 1 child James Alfred BURKS in Mercer Co, Ky. Paul C Hettich, see 7-92

9-92: ISOM, Belle Daisy, p unknown, but f thought to be William or Daniel ISOM. Belle was b in Grayson Co, Va, 2 May 1885 & d in Iola (Allen) KS 24 Dec 1928. She is buried in Cedarvale Cem, Neosho, KS. She is my paternal gm. Postage & copies reimbursed & will exch info available. Desperately need help with the ISOM's of Grayson Co, VA. Mary F McBride, 5003 Sunset Bluff, Huntsville, AL 35803

10-92: Need ch of Henry Sidney LAMBERT, b 1884 Tazewell Co, Va. Henry Sidney Lambert worked for N&W Railway in Bluefield, WV in 1930s & 1940s. Watha Lambert, 6005 W. Indianola Ave, Phoenix, AZ 85033-4136

11-92: Need info on "Big Sam" ROBINETT (1710-1766) & his family. Md 3rd w(?) Mary CALDWELL ca 1763, lived near Walkers or Back Cr, Augusta Co, Va. (widow md Thomas DUNN). Ch: Jasper (b 174_), Mary Polly (b1741/5) md 1761, Aug'a Co, John THOMAS, George(?)(b 174_), Thomas (174_-1766), Daniel (b1764), Michael (b1765), Ann (b1766) md James WADDLE, James (b1767) living Wythe Co, Va, 1789. No land records on "Sam." Glenn E Robinette, 224 Aspen St, Alexandria, Va 22305

12-92: Samuel ROBINETT, came down Valley of Va 1749/55, w Miss Cherry ALLEN(?), son Jesse (b1755, Aug'a Co, Va), Isaac H, Samuel Houston (b 20 Nov 1762 NC), William P (b 175_) settled Robinett Valley, had Cherokee mother; daus: Nancy (d 1840 Russell Co, Va) md AHL ANDERSON, Rebecca, Lydia, 2 other daus md Hance(?) JOHNSTON?JOHNSON (Daniel, Don?). (copied as sent). Sam drowned Wataugh River near Elizabethton (TN) ca 1766. Glenn E Robinette, see 11-92

13-92: George ROBINETT (b 174_) apparently s/o Samuel "Big Sam" ROBINETT. Witness for William PRESTON's land sale, Botetourt Co, Va,1770. His name is on Daniel BOONE's papers (1766-75). He apparently removed to Ky, where his name is on record after 1800. Any info on this person or his family will be greatly appreciated. Glenn E Robinette, see 11-92

14-92: Seeking a clue to parents & siblings of Susannah WARD, b 1776 Va, who md William WELLS, Baptist preacher & s/o Zachariah WELLS of Lee Co, Va. The couple lived in Ashe Co, NC; Scott & Lee Co, Va; Letcher & Lawrence Co, Ky during the period 1800-45. <u>Martha Heinemann, 705 N Belvedere, Memphis, TN</u> 38107-5021.

15-92: Desire to correspond with anyone researching the BOCOCK family. My line: (1) Sarah Eliz. BOCOCK (b ca 1808) md 24 Oct 1854 Henry Co, Va, to Thomas David BOULDIN, (2) Matilda Jane BOCOCK (b 20 Mar 1832) md ca 1853 Joseph Jackson MINTER, (3) Mary BOCOCK (b ca 1811) md 30 Dec 1831 Curtis HARDY. All of these from Henry Co, Va. Desperate, please write. Bill Carter, 4435 Cordell Dr SW, Roanoke, Va 24018

16-92: John WATKINS of Henry Co, Va, was md to Nancy MOORE, d/o James MOORE. John d after 1842. Wish to correspond with anyone researching the lines of WATKINS, MOORE, MAYS, SMITH. Bill Carter, see 15-92.

17-92: Who were the p of Curtis **HARDY** (b ca 1804) md 30 Dec 1831 Mary **BOCOCK** in Henry Co, Va. I suspect Curtis is the s/o Joseph **HARDY** & Nancy **HOGGARD** but can find no proof. Curtis on census states his p b in Va. <u>Bill Carter, see</u> 15-92.

18-92: Names researching: Wm Lewis ARMENTROUT, David Hilliard SHOTTS, Winchester LEDBETTER, William Ayers DAVIS, Junius Huston JOHNSON. Jim & Josie Shotts, 1422 Catawba Rd, Blacksburg, Va 24060. 19-92: Can anyone identify a Thomas JACKSON who is said to be the father of Rachel JACKSON, w/o Philip HUFF. Rachel was b probably in the early 1740's. They lived in Loudon & Montgomery Co, Va. <u>Mary ! Van Epps, 6172 Calle Vera</u> Cruz, La Jolla, CA 92037.

20-92: Robert JACKSON is the f/o Rachel who md Henry HUFF 5 June 1811, according to Rachel's marriage bond. Who is this Robert? Is he related to Isaac JACKSON? Can anyone identify Isaac JACKSON? Any help appreciated. Mary Van Epps, see 19-92

21-92: Laban TICE of Floyd Co, Va is said to have come from NC. I would appreciate any info on NC TICE families. I can only find very limited information. Laban TICE was b 17 Aug 1818, d 20 Nov 1848. His w was Francis Jane WEBB. Mary Van Epps, see 19-92.

23-92: \$50.00 REWARD for documented proof of p/o Arris P MEADOWS (b ca 1760 Va-d bef 11 Apr 1820, Kanawha Co, WV) md in Greenbrier Co, WV to Martha BYRN-SIDE/BURNSIDES who 2/md Robert CHAMBERS. Arris moved to today's Boone Co ca 1811 from Monroe Co; owned land on Kisnger Run, Greenbrier Co & Powell's Branch in today's Monroe Co; was listed as "Ivis", "Aries" & "Irias" MEADOWS. <u>Billie</u> Lewis, see 22-92.

24-92: Malinda Warden Carper, d/o of John WARDEN & Nancy BELL, was b 20 Apr 1827 near Riner, Va. What was the names of her bro^S & sis^S. Malinda attended the Old Brick Church & was buried there 29 Mar 1905. I will answer all mail to anyone working on the WARDEN family & will exch info. <u>Malita Warden Murphy</u>, Box 319 Athens Star Rt, Princeton, WV 24740.

THE SNUFFERS (A History of the Forebearers and Descendants of Isaac and Malinda (Rakes) Snuffer of Raleigh County West Virginia) by Jim Wood, 111 Daniel St, Beckley, WV 25801 [published 1989]. This book was not reviewed by VAN because it was sent directly to the Virginia Room by Barbara Drew, a member of SVGS. The book is well researched, well written, and takes the family back - Raleigh Co - Floyd Co- Montgomery Co - up the valley to Md - Pa - Germany - to the sixteenth century. Write to Mr Wood for price and if the book is still available. Also includes data on the Huffs, Gearharts, Elizabeth Davis, John Nowlin, Charles Thomas. VAN thanks Mrs Drew for sending the book to the Virginia Room.

THE LAST WORD

I owe apologies to many people for not answering their mail and the fact that this issue will be late coming out. Most of Nov & Dec I was out of town and on coming back - I started the New Year with a 'cold' that kept me in for more than 2 weeks have a good case of 'cabin fever.' This is for local members -- VAN needs help especially with typing. We need a query editor and another assistant editior. And don't say 'I know nothing about putting out a quarterly.' Learn on the job, as I did. Want to congradulate one of c r members. Richard Dickenson has been appointed borough (Staten Island) h.storian. Dick (at that time with VPI) was a speaker at our first workshop; he has 'contributed many articles to VAN and I hope he will continue with his research in this area. Good luck Dick on your new job. Babe Fowler

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