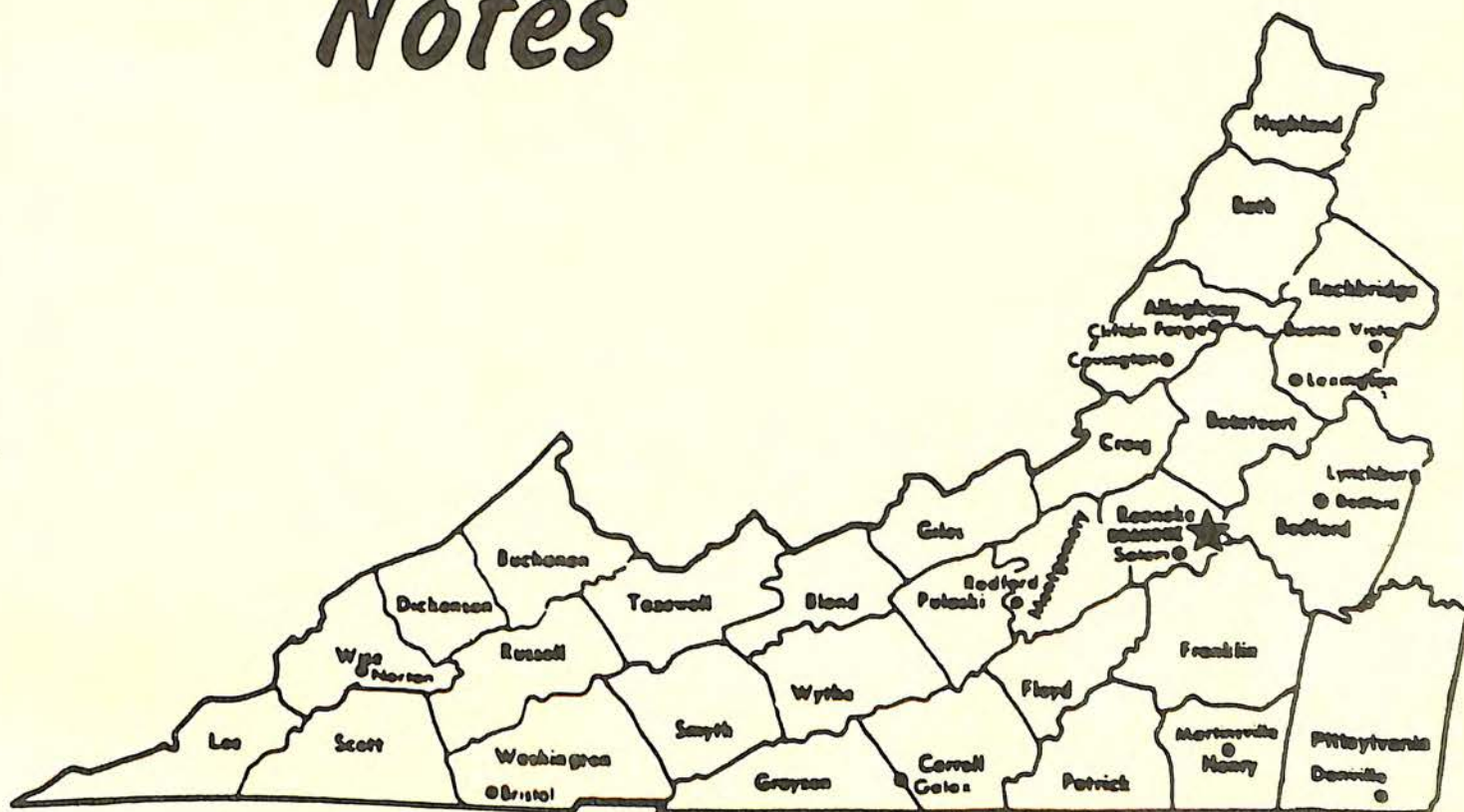


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The Southwestern Virginia Genealogical Society meets the third Saturday of each month (except summer months & Dec.) at the Roanoke City Central Library, Elmwood Park, Jefferson St (across from Community Hospital), Roanoke, Virginia at 1:30 pm. Come early and research in the Virginia Room.

Dear fellow genealogists:

As we look forward to the new year, we wish you success in your genealogical research projects. The Southwestern Virginia Genealogical Society values your membership and your participation in the activities of the society. Your executive committee works throughout the year to provide services to assist you.

Our membership for 1994 is increasing. A number of people joined for both 1993 and 1994 in order to have complete sets of issues of the VAN.

I would like to appeal to our members who live in the Roanoke area to become more involved in the society. We need volunteers to serve in a variety of capacities in the society in 1994. We need your attendance at our meetings and your suggestions for programs.

We recently received copies of Orderly Book of Colonel Henry Bouquet's Expedition, 1764 and Jacob Parkhurst's, Sketches of Jacob Parkhurst, 1772-1863. Mr. Monroe Stewart of Monroe, Louisiana made these copies available to us and they have been placed in the Virginia Room at the Roanoke City Library. Many thanks to Mr. Stewart.

Please let us know if you have suggestions as to how the society can serve you better.

Sincerely,

*Norma Jean Peters*  
Norma Jean Peters, President

"		"
"	IN MEMORY	"
"	of	"
"	Joseph William Remines	"
"	grandson of	"
"	Charles and Ruth Hale	"
"		"

**VIRGINIA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY**  
**5001 West Broad Street Ste 115**  
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5 January 1994

Dear VGS Member:

The enclosed is part of the lead article for the January-February newsletter. You are being asked to help mount a campaign to preserve Virginia's heritage, the records in which you so avidly pursue your research. The Virginia State Archives is the repository for all state records including land patents and grants, military certificates, Confederate pensions, tax records and other documents that record our state's history and our ancestors' lives. For years counties have voluntarily sent their original records to the Archives to insure their preservation. These records, still in the boxes they came in, still covered with dust, are stacked in the aisles, inaccessible, slowly eaten away by acid, crumbling into dust.

Budget restraints and overseers more concerned with other matters have contributed to this neglect. But, we are also to blame, for we have allowed it to happen. We need legislative action if we are going to stop the destruction of our history. You are asked to contact your legislators, in writing, by fax, by phone or in person. Let them know that you are vitally concerned about the future of your state's history. Let them know that you expect them to safeguard the records of the past.

During the current session you legislators can best be reached by writing them at the addresses below. (Your local library can supply their names if you don't know them.)

The Honorable \_\_\_\_\_  
 Senate of VA  
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 PO Box 396  
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 General Assembly Building  
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 Richmond VA 23202

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 Richmond VA 23211-1397

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 Governor's Office, 3rd Floor  
 PO Box 1475  
 Richmond VA 23212

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 Delegate, Virginia Assembly  
 General Assembly Building  
 PO Box 406  
 Richmond VA 23202

Chairman, Senate Appropriations  
 Committee  
 The Honorable Hunter Andrews  
 Senator, Virginia Assembly  
 PO Box 396  
 Richmond VA 23202

The Archives, our history, our heritage, needs your help now. Please take the time to help us preserve these records.

## The Virginia State Archives: A Treasure in Trouble

Sparked by rumors of deficits and further budget cuts, a group of concerned Archives users recently investigated the current and future status of the institution. We're researchers; finding answers is our business. And, "find out" we did. It isn't a pretty picture.

Although the title of the institution is the Virginia State Library and Archives, it is in reality two institutions with separate and unequal status under the direction of the State Librarian. On one side is the Archives; on the other, the State Library.

VSLA Task Force recommendations for a \$3,000,000 addendum budget to be submitted to the Legislature included only \$100,000 for the Archives. [For non-mathematicians, that means that one out of every thirty dollars would go to the Archives.]

For fiscal years 1992-93 and 1993-94, the Archives received only 11% of the entire 2.3 million dollar budget for the Virginia State Library and Archives.

A mere \$7000 was allotted in the last budget for continued conservation and restoration of original documents. There is no conservation specialist.

The Archives presently requires 57,000 cu. ft. of storage space. It will be allotted 27,000 cu. ft. in the new VSLA building. Press releases of the ground breaking for the new building state "two stack floors" will be used for storing archival materials. In fact ½ of one floor will be devoted to archival storage.

There are enormous archival holdings that include county court records, solicited by the Archives from the county court clerks, that have not been inventoried, preserved, or made available to the public. They continue to be inaccessible to those persons who have legitimate research interest in these holdings.

Worse yet, there are no plans to inventory or preserve these records. As unprocessed records they are destined to be stored off-site at a warehouse. These include, but are not limited to, county loose papers and original volumes, tax records, original state papers, military records, land records, the list is endless.

What can be done? The legislature and the governor allocate the funds and set policy. But we bear the final responsibility; for they are our elected officials. They respond to our concerns. To institute change, we must be heard, not one of us, not some of us, but **all** of us. If we all, each and every one of us, let our legislators and the governor know that we want **funding for preservation and all of the manuscript records to remain in one place and accessible**, we will be heard!

But we **all** have to speak to be heard. **Let your local historical and genealogical society know that the Archives needs their support.** Ask them to join you in the campaign. If we don't, in the words of the current overseer, "Virginians will find their documentary heritage in irreversible jeopardy by 2007, the Commonwealth's 400th Anniversary."

# CROWDER CEMETERY

## Craig County, VA

### New Castle

Recorded 3, July 1992 by Ruth G. Hale

Beckner, William T.	Sept. 4, 1891 - Apr. 11, 1947
" , Lavina P.	Aug. 8, 1892 - Apr. 30, 1935
Pendleton, George Richard	Oct. 9, 1883 - Oct. 15, 1918
Pendleton, John (Father)	Jan. 16, 1857 - Aug. 27, 1933
" , Esther Parker (Mother)	Aug. 21, 1857 - Apr. 23, 1922
Pendleton, Annie E. (Sisters)	June 13, 1896 - Nov. 8, 1969
" , Sarah "	Oct. 5, 1887 - July 21, 1961
Pendleton, Linda Ruth, d/o Mr. & Mrs. John M.	Jan. 29, 1932 - Sept. 19, 1932
+ Pendleton, George W.	1914 - 1989, Pvt. U. S. Army W.W.II
Pendleton, John M.	May 30, 1889 - May 1, 1937
" , Hannie B.	Nov. 9, 1888 - Dec. 22, 1973
Craft, Christena L.	Dec. 14, 1846 - June 15, 1920
Child's grave marked with stone slabs	
Lee, Bertha C. (Mother)	
Lee, Harry	Jan 23, 1884 - Aug. 15, 1970
Lee, Charles Milton	(Add. Lotz Fu. Mrs. Bertha May C. Lee)
+ Lee, Jonathan Afton	1906 ?, part of Funeral Home Marker
Craft, Harriet E. Crowder, w/o L. M., d/o J. E.	Jan. 18, 1948 - Feb. 3, 1975
Craft, Elmira M., w/o J. E.	1916 - 1979, U.S. Navy W.W.II
Craft, Joel E.	Oct. 30, 1885 - May 23, 1916
Craft, Mary E., w/o J. E.	Jan. 16, 1854 - Nov. 18, 1908
+ Elmore, Bernie A.	Oct. 7, 1858 - Jan. 10, 1943
	Died Age 79 yrs., no dates
	March 11, 1915 - Nov. 10, 1951
	Va. Pfc. 9901 Tech SVC Unit
Elmore, Margie Crowder	June 30, 1890 - Apr. 9, 1970
Elmore, William Bruce, Sr.	Feb. 26, 1876 - Apr. 21, 1948
Elmore, Frances Taylor	Died Dec. 29, 1926, Age 75 yrs.
Tripp, Frank H.	1869 - 1933
" , Louie Mae	1874 - 1951
Paitsel, Martha	Feb. 8, 1850 - Feb. 15, 1929
Paitsel, Thomas Garwood (Father)	Aug. 6, 1848 - June 27, 1935
Paitsel, Charles	May 20, 1886 - Aug. 14, 1929
Craft, Charles L.	1866 - 1947
" , Florence H.	1868 - 1934
Davis, Nalvin Thomas	Oct. 4, 1918, Va. Pvt. 317 Inf. 80 Div.
Davis, Mary E.	1901 - 1965 (Arritt Fu. Marker)
Caldwell, Marieta Alean, d/o Mr. & Mrs. H. F.	March 18, 1928 - Dec. 7, 1928
Caldwell, Howard L.	July 13, 1894 - March 10, 1959
" , M. Elizabeth	Aug. 8, 1896 - Jan. 25, 1957
Shanks, Margie L.	1887 - 1929
Shank, 3 Infant babies of J. E. & Margie L.	1919 - 1921 - 1922
Shanks, Burnell H.	1914 - 1929
Shanks, James E.	1889 - 1942
Caldwell, Clarence E.	Sept. 7, 1889 - Feb. 7, 1920
Caldwell, Clinton W.	Nov. 7, 1890 - Dec. 21, 1923
Caldwell, Rosa Lee	March 13, 1865 - Nov. 8, 1929
Caldwell, Leroy J.	Aug. 28, 1867 - Aug. 29, 1931
Ponton, Claude Linwood (Husband)	Apr. 1, 1916 - Apr. 22, 1972

## Crowder Cemetery

## Part Across the Branch

Tripp, Frank J. (Father)	May 14, 1897 - Apr. 3, 1960
" , Mary K. (Mother)	March 22, 1906 - Aug. 2, 1969
+ Tripp, James L.	Feb. 2, 1923 - Apr. 29, 1943, Va. Pvt. Inf. W.W.II
Tripp, Calvin Clayton, s/o Mr. & Mrs. Frank	Sept. 23, 1929 - Oct. 18, 1930
+ Elmore, Clifton E.	Feb. 4, 1907 - Sept. 20, 1982,
" , Esther P.	Pfc U. S. Army W.W.II
Damewood, Sgt. Michael Spessard	May 21, 1913 -
Damewood, Sesler W. (Father)	Apr. 5, 1920 - Dec. 20, 1947
" , Annie B. (Mother)	Apr. 19, 1881 - Dec. 10, 1963
+ Damewood, Osbon Odell	Jan. 25, 1887 - Feb. 12, 1961
" , Mary Alice W.	Apr. 1, 1911 - Dec. 6, 1988
+ Elmore, Letcher C.	Cox U. S. Navy W.W.II
" , Verlie T.	July 19, 1920 - May 13, 1989
McClanahan, Frank	July 21, 1893 - Nov. 11, 1974, Pfc U. S. Army
+ Dodd, Elwood Johnson	Nov. 29, 1895 - Nov. 8, 1965
Nicely, Maggie Lena	No dates
Nicely, (Hubert?)	1918 - 1981, S1 U. S. Navy W.W.II
Tripp, Hampton G. (Son)	Feb. 7, 1894 - Oct. 5, 1967 (Boitnott Fu. Marker)
" , Delsie H. (Mother)	1860 - 1958 (Boitnott Fu. Marker)
" , Gordon B. (Father)	Nov. 25, 1927 - June 17, 1986
Funeral Home Marker, no name left	Dec. 4, 1905 -
Funeral Home Marker, no name left	Apr. 27, 1901 - Sept. 7, 1949
+ Damewood, Kenneth W.	1908 - 1987, SA U. S. Navy W.W.II
Damewood, Dorothy Pearl	June 13, 1934 - June 21, 1934
Craft, Mattie DeVinney (Mother)	July 17, 1899 - Oct. 1, 1986
Pendleton, Frank W. (Father)	Jan. 7, 1903 - May 8, 1969
" , Mattie G. (Mother)	Apr. 18, 1909 - May 4, 1973
Munford, Thelma H. (Daughter)	1922 - 1986
Huffman, Bretha B.	1911 - 1956
Huffman, Harless R. (Father)	1902 - 1989
" , Veona P. (Mother)	1901 - 1951
Switzer, Frank Robert (Father)	Apr. 2, 1908 -
" , Elsie Virginia (Mother)	May 26, 1911 - Aug. 4, 1955
Switzer, Earl I.	1943 - 1985
+ Cross, Otis M.	Aug. 31, 1891 - Dec. 11, 1945
Funeral Home Marker, nothing left, name nor dates	Va. Pvt. Co. B. 5 Engineer W.W.I
Martin, Esther Huffman	Sept. 30, 1905 - Aug. 23, 1969
+ Huffman, Leonard Roy	Aug. 23, 1919 - June 24, 1970
Grave, Fu. Home Marker, no name or dates	Va. Cpl. Co. B 707 Tank BN W.W.II
Grave, Fu. Home Marker, no name or dates	
Grave, Fu. Home Marker, no name or dates	
Hancock, Walter A.	May 3, 1902 - Sept. 5, 1986
" , Nellie E.	Oct. 3, 1917 -
Hancock, Stewart Russell	Mar. 1, 1941 - Mar. 3, 1941

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# TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

## OF THE

### Commonwealth of Virginia.

*The prayer of your petitioners, the Trustees of Emory & Henry College humbly sheweth—*

THAT the friends of learning in Southwestern Virginia, regarding the great and growing importance of this section of the State, and its rapid increase of population, have for many years, seen and deplored the extreme inadequacy of the system of public schools, to supply the educational necessities of the people. To point out the causes of this, is not the object of this memorial. Suffice it to say, that after the public benevolence had provided a noble fund for common education, and the wisdom of previous Legislatures had been employed in devising a plan for its application, there was still found lying at the door an insuperable difficulty, which destroyed the efficiency of the system, and rendered the annual expenditures for education almost a total waste. We refer to the notorious and almost universal want of competent teachers for the public schools. So deplorable has been this deficiency West of the Mountains, and so general the conviction of it among the people, that these schools have been degraded beneath the respect and acceptance, even of those who needed their privileges most, and the community were driven to the painful necessity of having no schools at all, or schools taught by men of acknowledged incompetency, and in many cases, (from the impossibility to procure better,) of abandoned morals. While, to meet the wants of such as aspired to the learned professions, there were but a few select schools and academies, and not a single college, throughout the vast region West of the Mountains, comprehending a territory of more than 30,000 square miles, and an enterprising population of nearly half a million.

Driven thus almost to the necessity of suffering their sons to grow up in ignorance, victims to vice and strangers to all the conservative influences of education, or of sending them abroad, (an alternative within the ability of the rich alone,) to be educated under institutions neither congenial with our interests nor the civil polity of the State, the friends of learning in this quarter of the State, in 1835, resolved on a combination of effort to establish a seminary of high grade. To place a liberal education within the reach of all, and also operate as a Normal school for the education of teachers, were the prime objects in view. On no other plan could the imperative demands of the country be met. The absence of competent teachers of good moral character, must obviously nullify the most enlightened system of Primary education ever desired. Added to which, the growing demand for superior education in the different professions, united loudly in the call for such an institution. To throw its privileges within the reach of all, the prices were to be graded at minimum rates, and a farm connected with the establishment, that the students might defray a portion of their expenses by manual labor.

So stern was the necessity which called forth the enterprise, that in a short time, subscriptions deemed good and available, were obtained to the amount of about \$40,000, with a reasonable prospect of increasing it far beyond that sum. With a beginning so auspicious, a Board of Trustees was appointed—buildings were projected, and so far completed, that in the spring of 1838, the college commenced its operations. The buildings were erected on a plan commensurate with the intended importance of the college, and with the farm attached, cost about \$40,000—a sum, considering the character and extent, deemed very cheap. The principal edifice is of brick, 150 feet long by 45 feet wide, four stories high, and in its durability and finish not surpassed by any similar building in the State. The boarding-hall is also a spacious brick edifice, 70 feet long by 40 feet wide, and two stories high, exclusive of the basement, with all necessary out buildings—the whole furnishing accommodations for about 150 students.

The college has now been in operation near five years, and we feel safe in asserting, that it has demonstrated its utility, and acquired a reputation far beyond the most sanguine expectations of its projectors. The number of students from the beginning, has averaged more than 160, and of those who have already enjoyed its advantages, near 100 have been, or still are engaged in the business of Primary instruction—thus realizing already, one of the great objects in the establishment of the college. Its local position—being 10 miles from any town or village, yet conveniently accessible from all parts—in the midst of a fertile country remote from market, with a population eminently moral and virtuous, and a climate unsurpassed for its salubrity by any in the world—all conspire to make this a most felicitous location for a seat of learning. With such advantages, and a glorious prospect of more extended usefulness in the future—with an able and efficient Faculty at their posts—a valuable Library numbering more than 1200 volumes, and a Cabinet of Natural Science, already superior to those of many of the older institutions in the country—our pecuniary embarrassments have brought us to the verge of ruin. Relying upon the good faith and honor of the subscribers, the Trustees proceeded to a completion of the buildings, and thereby incurred a debt which now amounts to nearly \$20,000. To meet the debt which was first incurred, the uncollected subscriptions were thought to be sufficient, but the commercial reverses of the country for a few years past have so oppressed the community, that the subscriptions have become almost worthless. After trying every expedient for aid, by appealing to the liberality of the public, and taxing the friends of the college in some cases, quite beyond their individual ability, we are reduced at last to the painful prospect of seeing our spacious halls shut up—our young men of proud and aspiring talents, sent home, bereft of their only hope of an education, and the high expectations of the country blasted, perhaps forever.

In this state of things, we appear before your honorable body for aid. It is understood that there will be in the Treasury, in the course of the present year, a large amount of funds, to be invested for the benefit of the public school fund. A donation of the amount sufficient to save us from ruin, might not be deemed at the present juncture, consistent with the welfare of the State. We therefore, respectfully petition that, of the funds above referred to, the sum of \$20,000 be loaned to your petitioners, for the purposes set forth in this memorial, for the security of which, and the prompt payment of the interest, we are ready to pledge the entire property of the institution. In granting this prayer, you have the precedents of former Legislatures, conferring similar aid on some of the older colleges and other institutions of the State, and probably no Legislative aid was ever more wisely bestowed. In behalf of this petition, we plead the extraordinary private efforts which have been made—the large portion of the Commonwealth to be benefited by the permanent existence of the institution—the advantages accruing to the State, by its annually sending forth a body of well educated teachers—the rights which the citizens of the Southwestern counties have in the school fund, forming as they do, a large and respectable fraction of the constituent sovereignty of the State, and the well known fact, that these Western and Southwestern counties have seldom received the favors of the State in any form, although in soil, citizens and wealth, scarcely less important than the East; and that in thus investing a portion of the public funds, there will be no diversion from its primary object, but on the contrary a direct promotion of the same.

We the subscribers, citizens of

*Giles*

County, respectfully concur in the above petition.

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The original is at the Virginia State Archives, Richmond, Va. The number of the petition is Giles Co (Va) A6824, 13585, Ck 1, Ck 3, Ck 5; date 9 Dec 1842. A photocopy has been placed in the Virginia Room, Roanoke Central Library, Roanoke, Va.

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CORRECTION TO SURNAME INDEX - 1993

Doris Goins, 8018 E Cree Lake S, Kendallville, IN 46755

GOINS	Cephas	Pulaski, Va - Preble, Oh	1869-1933
GOINS	James	Patrick, Va - Wythe, Va	b 1801; md 1835

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I certainly think the best book in the world would owe the most to a good index; and the worst book, if it had in it but a single good thought, might be kept alive by it. -----Horace Binney

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Search for Amariah Phares, Revolutionary War Soldier  
of Franklin and Floyd Counties

Three years ago, I never heard of Amariah Phares<sup>1</sup>. All I knew, was that my father said his great-grandmother Epperly was "a Ferris of English blood" and that is all he knew about this family. He knew that his great-grandfather John Epperly served in the War of 1812.

With these few clues, data from John Epperly's War of 1812 file, and a lot of searching, I found that his wife Nancy's name was spelled "Phares" and that Amariah Phares was listed as the father on their Montgomery Co. marriage bond. One day while looking through some New Jersey Archives data, I found that an Amariah Phares was married to Sarah Van Zandt and also that he was listed on page 718 of Stryker's List of Jerseymen in the Revolution.<sup>2</sup> I wasn't sure that it was the same person, but how many people are named Amariah? I looked in the 1810 census and didn't find him at first until, again by accident, I found that "Emeriah Fares" lived in Montgomery County in 1810 and an "Emerica Pharis" in 1820. My guess was that this was "Amariah Phares". Widow's pension file from the National Archives, W5541 verified that Amariah Phares of Middlesex Co., New Jersey was truly my ancestor.

The uncirculated book, "John & Laura" written by William C. and Eugena Agee (formerly of Riner, VA) verified my data and provided additional family information. The Agee's sent me a copy of the war record from the New Jersey Archives which has much more detail than is in Stryker's Book. They also sent me information regarding his first marriage to Sarah Van Zandt.

Elizabeth was his second and surviving wife. Amariah married Sarah Van Zandt in 1780 in the State of New Jersey. She died and their infant daughter was adopted by Amariah's brother when he went to Franklin Co. Amariah gave his brother 20 pounds to pay for his daughter's education. He married Elizabeth Beheler, daughter of David Beheler in 1791. She could speak no English and he could speak no German at the time.

Amariah was a school teacher and according to a letter from his daughter Nancy, was well educated and always had a teaching position waiting for him.

Amariah Phares served in several New Jersey units. His widow, Elizabeth Beheler applied for his pension in Floyd County, Virginia on the 24th of November, 1840. She thought he was a Sergeant Major, but if he was, there is no known verification of this.

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<sup>1</sup> Don't be surprised to see "Amaziah" in some books. This is in error. One archive record has cursive "AmaRiah" and the capital "R" looks a little like a z.

<sup>2</sup> Stryker, William S. Official Register of the Officers and Men of New Jersey in the Revolutionary War. Trenton, NJ: William T. Nickleson & Co., Printers. 1872. LOC E263.N5N55. Copy 4 on Microfilm number 43436E at the Library of Congress.

Here is a transcription of the New Jersey archives record:

"Private 2nd Regiment, Middlesex County Militia; in active service under Captain William Williamson at Cranbury, March 2 to April 2, 1777; Private, Captain Joachin Gulick's Company, 2nd Regiment; Middlesex County Militia.

Private, Captain Longstreet's Company, 1st Regiment, New Jersey Continental Line; enlisted from Captain Gulick's Company, 2nd Regiment, Middlesex County Militia, May 23, 1778, for nine months; discharged February 23, 1779.

At the date of enlistment in the Continental Line, place of residence was given as Cross Road; age 23 years; height 5'-8"; light complexion; light eyes; brown hair.

Received certificate No. 1542, dated June 10, 1784 and signed by Thomson Stelle, for L12:10:0, for the depreciation of his Continental pay in the Middlesex County Militia.

Died, Floyd County, Virginia, January 1, 1824<sup>3</sup>."

I note that the widow's pension application is difficult to read, but I have managed to transcribe it if anyone is interested.

I have since joined the Sons of the Revolution (SAR) based upon Amariah's service. As far as I can determine, I am the first person to join any society based upon his service.

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<sup>3</sup> The Archive record originally had 1834 as the death date, but they have since corrected this. You may get a copy of this record for a small fee, by writing to: New Jersey Archives, 185 W. State St. CN 307; Trenton, New Jersey 08625

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 EPPERLY

I have noticed errors in some genealogy books about the origin of the Epperly Family. Usually they don't know that the family lived in Frederick Co., MD prior to three brothers (Jacob, Christian & George) moving to Montgomery Co. (Floyd) in 1791, or they don't know that Christian was Jacob and George's brother. To complete the picture, it is necessary to have the following data:

George Epperly's Revolutionary War Pension File (S32,328)  
 Zion Lutheran Church Records (Floyd Co., VA)  
 Jacob Epperly's Will of 1811<sup>1</sup> from Frederick Co., MD  
 1810 Census for Montgomery Co.

I will be happy to provide the transcribed versions of George Epperly's pension file and Jacob Epperly's Frederick Co., MD will of 1811 for future publication if you wish.

In closing, I would like to say that I have been very active in genealogy in the past few years and in addition to Amariah Phares have five supplementals in the Sons of the Revolution (SAR). Four of the supplementals and Amariah Phares have many descendants in the Floyd/Franklin County area:

James Cannaday, Philip Stigleman<sup>2</sup>, Jacob Epperly (sent son George as a substitute) and Peter Weaver.

1 Jacob, Sr., remained in Frederick Co, MD along with his son John. John, Christian, George, Jacob are named in the 1811 will. Some authors failed to notice that the will includes Christian.

2 Philip Stigleman married Margaret Weaver, daughter of Peter Weaver of Augusta Co., VA.

Loyd L. Epperly

P.O. Box 306  
Madison, VA 22727  
December 24, 1993

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LEGISLATIVE PETITION  
for GILES COUNTY, VIRGINIA

To the Honorable the General Assembly of Virginia --- the petition of the undersigned Citizens of the Counties of Giles, Wythe, and Smythe would respectfully represent to your honorable body, that the inhabitants living along the road leading from the Plaister Banks in the County of Smithe Eastwardly as far as John Kirks or Thomas Shannon's in the County of Giles - have for a number years past, been subjected to an unreasonable share of labour in Keeping the same in repair, owing to the immense travel over it by waggons laden with Plaister & Salt, for the counties of Giles, Mercer, Monroe, Greenbrier, Botetourt and Montgomery That the consumption for these articles is annually increasing in these Counties - and the persons along the line of the road aforesaid, cannot, without heavy pecuniary burthens, Keep the same in repair. We therefore pray Your honorable body, to take the subject under consideration, and grant such relief as may be deemed adequate to the demand of Justice in behalf of the Citizens in the above named counties. To this end we would respectfully suggest, that an appropriation of \$        Dollars be made, for the purpose of opening this said road - and that a tax not exceeding \$2.00 may be authorised to be collected off each waggon passing the same, laden with plaister or Salt, to be appropriated in like manner-- The improvements to commence at the Plaister Banks, and progress Eastwardly till the whole be complete. That an Engineer be appointed to locate the Same -- upon suitable ground, at a grade not exceeding five degrees. -----

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Subscribers Names

Zadok Sexton

Robert Buchanan

Samuel Tuckwiller

John T?P Johnson

Granville Callaway

Archibald T Buchanan

Subscribers Names

David Rose

James R Buchanan

Thomas Rose

William G Hall

Thomas Hall

John P Bell Junior

Subscribers Names

Jonathan Smith

Allexander Ward

Michael Bringer

Andrew Littlepage

Harvey Ward

The original of this petition is at the Virginia State Archives, Richmond, Va The number of the petition is Giles Co 11950, Bs 21-22; date 29 Jan 1838. A photocopy has been placed in the Virginia Room, Roanoke Central Library, Roanoke, Va.

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## The DUNCAN FAMILY

prepared 1991 by  
Mary Frances Duncan Bridges

"The Duncan family in Floyd County is derived from Blanch, Thomas and John Duncan, three brothers who emigrated to America from Scotland about the year 1775 and first located in the Indian Valley section." 'Floyd County: A History of Its People and Places' by Dr Amos D Wood.

I. Blanch Duncan md Nancy Reed on 4 Apr 1797, Montgomery Co, Va, with John Duncan as surety. He probably died about 1830-1, as the appraisement of his property was in Jan 1831. He and Nancy lived, and their children were born, in Montgomery Co, Va. Their children were: 1. Henry, b c1798; 2. George, b c1801; 3. John R, b c1802; 4. Peter, b c1803; 5. Blanch Jr, b c1809; 6. Reed, b c1810; 7. Spencer; 8. Sally; 9. Squire B; 10. Abel W.

1. Henry (b 1798-d 1876), 1/md 24 Oct 1820 Montgomery Co, Va, Elizabeth Weddle, (b 1799-d after 1860), d/o David & Pegga Weddle. He and Elizabeth moved to Carroll Co, Va in the 1840's. Henry 2/md Rachel Marshall in 1863. In 1850 Carroll Co census, his occupation is a miller and in the household is 5 yr old Oliver H Hannahan. Their children were born in Carroll Co.:

A. Nancy, (b c1824) md James Dalton, (b 1818) s/o William and Frances (Sturman) Dalton. One child one year old & Catherine Duncan, believed to be the sister of Nancy, were in their household in the 1850 census.

B. Isaac (b c1827) md Rebecca Dalton (b c1829) d/o William & Frances (Sturman) Dalton, & lived in the Dalton settlement on Big Reed. He 2nd md Malinda Duncan in 1875 & lived on Greasy Creek. Children: (1) James, b c1849; (2) Benjamin W, b c 1852; (3) Albert J, b 1859. In the 1870 Carroll Co, Va, census there is a Rachal, b 1847, & Velera, f, b 1869, could this be the wife and child of James?

C. Blanch (b 1830) md 16 Feb 1853, Frances "Fanny" Nestee (b 1834) Children: (1) William R, b 15 Dec 1853; (2) Katherine, b 30 Oct 1854; (3) Elizabeth, b 1855; (4) Susan b 1858; (5) Lilesta(?), b 1860; (6) Henry, b 1863; (7) Tazwell, b 1865; (8) Letitia, b 1869.

D. Mary, born 1831; (E) Elizabeth, b 1832; (F) Catherine, b 1833

G. Sally, born 1838.

H. Henry M, b 1842, md Irene \_\_\_\_\_, b 1846. Children: (1) Ambrose, b 1868; (2) Sarah J, b 1869.

2. George, (b 1801-d 1863), md Elizabeth "Betsy" Morrice, (b 10 Aug 1807, bapt 12 Feb 1809, d 28 July 1886, Floyd Co, Va, buried Duncan Cem), & lived in the Indian Valley section. They were md 16 Jan 1826 Montgomery Co, Va, with William Morrice as surety. Children:

A. Fleming (b 3 Dec 1826-d 20 Nov 1885) 1st md 6 Nov 1852 Evely(n) /Evaline Cox (b 7 Oct 1829-d 11 Nov 1878 in Floyd Co, Va) He was a lawyer. Children 9 (from census and IGI):

1. Malachi, (b 1 May 1855-d 2 Feb 1916, buried Duncan Cem). He was injured in a fall at the mill and the doctor accidentally administered an overdose of morphine, which caused his

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- death. He md 28 Feb 1877, Floyd Co, Va, Amelia Agnes Wade (b 11 Sep 1860-d 24 Jun 1931) d/o Nathan & Martha Wade
2. Calincy(?), b c 1857; (3) William C, b c 1858; (4) Sarah C, b c 1860; (5) Elizabeth, b Sept 1863, Floyd Co, Va; (6) Ann Elizabeth, b 4 May 1866, Floyd Co, Va; (7) John W, b 3 Nov 1868, Floyd Co, Va.
- George 2nd/md 22 May 1883, Floyd Co, Va, Catherine Spangler, b 1848, d/o Henry H & Elizabeth Spangler. One child.
- B. Timandra, (b 1828-d 15 June 1901) 1/md 16 Dec 1856, Floyd Co, Va, Esau Reed, (b 1840 and died during the Civil War) s/o Emery and Miram Reed. Three children. She 2/md 22 May 1864, Floyd Co, Va John L Carroll, b 1844, s/o John and Docie Carroll. 3 children.
- C. Beauford, (b 30 Nov 1831-d 11 Jan 1905, or b 30 Nov 1834 - d 14 Jun 1905), md 24 Nov 1857, Floyd Co, Va, Sarah Elizabeth Simmons, (b 14 Feb 1838-d 25 Dec 1907) d/o James & Lavina Simmons. Both are buried in Duncan Cemetery. Seven children:
1. Rufus James (b 11 Apr 1859-d 13 Jun 1884 buried Duncan Cem) md 26 Oct 1881, Floyd Co, Va, Francina Duncan, (b 9 Jun 1854 d 4 Sep 1945), buried Big Sand Cemetery), d/o Benjamin & Nancy (Burnett) Duncan.
  2. Mary E, b 10 Jan 1861.
  3. Levina "Vinnie" Elizabeth, (b 8 Apr 1865-d 27 Nov 1885, buried Duncan Cem.), md 9 Oct 1884, Floyd Co, Va, Jacob D Altizer, b 1864, s/o Jephtha G & Mary Altizer.
  4. Joseph G (b 11 Nov 1867-d 14 Jan 1942, buried Big Sand Cem.) md 1 Sep 1895, Floyd Co, Va, Mellie Duncan, (b 1869 - 5 Sep buried Big Sand Cem), d/o Nancy Duncan.
  5. Maudie Mozella, (b 31 Mar 1870-d 4 Feb 1954), buried Duncan Cem), md 11 Dec 1890, Floyd Co, Va, Samuel J Radford (b 20 Apr 1861, Franklin Co, Va-d 15 Jul 1939, buried Duncan Cem) s/o Samuel & Ellen Radford.
  6. William Athaway (b 1873) md 10 Jan 1901, Floyd Co, Va, Dora A Lester (b 27 Feb 1880-d 10 Apr 1949)
  7. George Taylor, (b 5 Mar 1875-d 10 Apr 1949), md 13 Nov 1898, Floyd Co, Va, Leona F Gardner (b 10 Jun 1882 -d 11 Jun 1957) d/o James A & Henriett Gardner. Both buried Big Sand Cem.
- Found Hosia L (11 May 1881-24 Oct 1886), ?s/o Beauford & Eliz. Found Mattie 8 f born 31 Mar 1869 & Mazilla or Louisa 8 b 31 Mar 1869, 1870 census. Are they twin daughters of Beauford & Elizabeth? Louisa is 8/12 months on that census.
- D. Lucinda (b 7 Apr 1834-d 25 Apr 1884) md 9 Jan 1850, Floyd Co, Va William Allen Howell (b 14 Oct 1827-d 16 Oct 1905). 10 children.
- E. Rhoda, (b 16 May 1837-d 2 Oct 1911), md 10 Sep 1856, Floyd Co, Va, Jubal Reed (b 16 May 1837-d 11 Oct 1922). Both are buried Duncan Cem. Jubal Reed's profession is given as minister, presumably in the Brethren Church, though he earned his livelihood by farming. Jubal and Rhoda lived in Laurel Creek section. Jubal was apparently held in high regard and respect in his community as Jubal's Knob was named for him. After his death in 1911, Rhoda lived with her daughter Lydia Weeks, where she died. Three of the Reed children, Margaret, Noah & Lydia married three

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of James Weeks children, Malachi, Ellie and Lafayette, their second cousins. Children:

1. Rosabelle, (b 26 Jun 1857 - d 20 Mar 1944), md 9 Nov 1876, Floyd Co, Va, Gordon B Lester, (b 24 Apr 1854-d 5 Jul 1937) s/o Lewis and Mary B Lester. Both are buried Lewis Lester Cemetery.
  2. W Paris, (b 19 Feb 1859-d 1938), md 23 Dec 1886, Floyd Co, Va, Druzilla N Reed, (b 1869-d 193\_\_), d/o Mark J and Mary Reed. Both are buried Smith Cemetery.
  3. Elizabeth, (b 1862) md 11 Jan 1883, Floyd Co, Va, Robert Thompson, wid. (b 31 Dec 1859), s/o Elswick and Lockie (Lester) Thompson. Moved to Tn.
  4. Obediah, (b 1 Jun 1865 - d 2 May 1946, buried Smith Cem.), 1/md 28 Nov 1889, Floyd Co, Va, Rachel Elizabeth Alley, (b 1871), d/o William F & Sarah Alley. 2/md 4 Oct 1900, Floyd Co, Va, Mary Isabelle Reed, (b 26 Jun 1871 - d 13 Mar 1929, buried Smith Cem), d/o Mark & Polly Reed. Three children - 2nd marriage: Ausby Reed, Noah, and Everett.
  5. Miriam M (b Oct 1887, md 18 Oct 1883) Floyd Co, Va, Andrew O Reed, b 1862, s/o Elijah & Sarah Jan Reed.
  6. Margaret A, (b 30 Mar 1870 - d 19 Dec 1941), md 5 Jul 1888, Floyd Co, Va, Malachi C Weeks, (b 29 Jan 1969-19 Jan 1951), s/o James M & Missouri (Duncan) Weeks. Both are buried Reedville Church Cemetery.
  7. Eva Emaline, (b 1873-d 8 Jun 1934) md 2 Mar 1893, Floyd Co, Va, Seglar Akers, (b 1872-d 19 Oct 1944), s/o Greenberry & Lucy (Delaney) Akers. Both buried Reedville Church Cemetery
  8. Robert L, (b 1875) md Belle Gordon. Buried near Dublin, Pulaski Co, Va.
  9. Noah C, (b 25 Aug 1876-d 8 Aug 1956), md 13 Nov 1898, Floyd Co, Va, Susan Ellen (Ellie) Weeks, (b 7 Mar 1874 - d 26 Nov 1968), d/o James M & Missouri (Duncan) Weeks. Both buried Pleasant Valley Church Cemetery.
  10. Lydia Catherine, (b 8 Nov 1879-d 6 Mar 1969), md 8 May 1898 Floyd Co, Va, Lafayette A Weeks, (b 15 Feb 1876 - d 29 Apr 1945), s/o James M & Missouri (Duncan) Weeks. Both are buried Reedville Church Cemetery.
- F. Chrisley (b 1839-d 1888), md 10 June 1860, Floyd Co, Va, Malinda "Linda" Lester (b 1842), d/o Lynch & Lucy (Sowers) Lester. Seven known children.
1. George W, (b 16 Jan 1862), md Eliza Reed, (b 19 Jun 1868-d 16 Apr 1885), d/o Madison D & Elizabeth Reed.
  2. Lucy Arzella, (b 2 Apr 1865 - d 20 Oct 1889, buried White Rock Cem), md 16 Dec 1880, Floyd Co, Va, Burdine Reed, (b 1858), s/o Robert & Margaret Reed.
  3. Matilda C, (b 22 Jan 1868), md J W Letsinger.
  4. Ballard P, b 1871; (5) Eliza E, b 1874; (6) Lynch L, b 1877
  7. Elizabeth, b 1880.
- G. Samuel, (b 1841), md 22 Jan 1863, Floyd Co, VA, Luzetta Ellen Hylton, (b 1839), d/o Henry & Sarah Hylton. Moved to Missouri, then to North Dakato and finally to Canada. One child.

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- H. Nancy, (b 1844), md 31 Dec 1867, Floyd Co, Va, Samuel Palmer, (b 1838), s/o I & M Palmer. Moved to West Virginia.
- I. Elizabeth, (b 20 June 1846-d 24 Dec 1908), md 16 Apr 1868, Floyd Co, Va, Josiah D Burnette, (b 25 Jul 1838-d 18 May 1922), s/o Josiah & Jemina (Dickerson) Burnett. Both are buried White Rock Cemetery. Eleven children.
- J. Margaret (b 1850) md 25 Aug 1875, Floyd Co, Va, John Quesenberry (b 1855), s/o Elijah & Eliza J Quesenberry. Moved to Missouri.
3. John R (Dunkin, 1850 Census), (b c1802), md 3 Sep 1822, with Blanch Duncan, surety, Ann Reed (b c1797), d/o Peter Reed. Children:
- A. Susannah (b 1831) md Henry Hylton.
  - B. Amos (b 1833) md 18 Jan 1854 Nancy Reed. Children:
    - (1) Ross, b 30 Oct 1855; (2) Burwell, b 1858; (3) George Riley, b 1867; (4) Winston, b Mar 1867; (5) Aaron, b 15 Feb 1871.
  - C. Milley, (b 1834), md Wesley Sumner (Floyd Co, Va.)
  - D. B\_\_\_\_cle (b 1836). Burwell md 26 Nov 1858 Susanna Reed. Also living in the household in 1850 census were Nancy 8ly and John W Hust, 18 y.
4. Peter (b c1805), md Violet Cox on 2 Mar 1830, Montgomery Co, Va, with Blanch Duncan as surety. Violet/Vila/Viola (b c1810) was d/o Ross Cox. Peter was a farmer. (All Duncan's were spelled Dunkin in the 1850 Floyd Co, Va, census.)
- A. Luke (b 1831), md Nancy Howell, b 1825.
    - 1. Evaline, b 1851; (2) James P, b 1854; (3) Orpha(?) Jane, b 1855, md 17 Oct 1872 Wm Akers; (4) Charlott, b 1857; (5) Delilah, b 7 May 1861; (6) Viola D (?), b 7 May 1863; (7) Andrew J, b 1864; (8) Simon Peter, b 1867; (9) Mahala (b 20 Mar 1869) md 14 Oct 1885 Floyd Co, Va, James A Howell (b 9 Aug 1859) s/o Wm Allen Howell & Lucinda Duncan d/o Geo & Elizabeth (Morricle) Duncan.
  - (B) Lawyer, b 1835; (C) Fook(?), b 1838; (D) St\_\_\_\_a, b 1839;
  - (E) Mahala b 1843; (F) Anna b 1845; (G) Nancy b 1847; (H) Peter b 1850; (I) Nancy (?) b 1850; (J) Vila b 1856.
- Also in the 1860 household were Jackson A, b c1837 & Abel b c1839. They are probably Duncans since no other surname was given.
5. Blanch Jr, (b 1803-d 3 Apr 1879 Floyd Co, Va, buried Duncan Cem.) md 26 or 28 Mar 1829, Montgomery Co, Va, Mary Morricle (b 29 June 1812, Montgomery Co, Va; baptized 10 Mar 1813; d c1830.) Mary Morricle was the last child of Billy & Peggy Morricle to be baptized in the Luthern Church. Three years after her sister, Elizabeth, md George Duncan, Mary was not yet 17 when she md George's brother Blanch. She died a year later, probably in childbirth. Watchers at her bedside reported that a star fell on the night she died. It is not known exactly where Mary and Blanch lived; he later lived and raised his large family in Copper Valley, Floyd Co, Va. Blanch 2/md 27 Oct 1831 Montgomery Co, Va, Catherine Phillips, born 1812-3. Children from census.
- (A) James C, b 1834; (B) Mary S(?) b 1836; (C) Martha, b 1838; (D) Solomon, b 1839, md 25 aug 1865, Floyd Co, Sarah Howchin; (E) Susan b 1840; (F) Jacob (?John) b 1841; (G) Blanch, b 1843, md 24 Aug 1865, Floyd Co, Thursday Alley; (H) Reed, b 1844; (I) Andrew J, b 1846; (J) Greenberry, b 1848; (K) Robert (?) b 1850; (L) Artemas,

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- b 1852, md 14/19 Sep 1872, Floyd Co, Va, Milla C Hill, d/o Elijah & Sarah Hill. (M) Catherine (?), b 1854, md 22 Jan 1873, Asa Akers; (N) Rachal (?), b 1855, md 22 Oct 1874 A H L Dickerson. (O) Ruth, b 1859. (P) infant/ Bluford (?) b 1860c
6. Reed, b c1810, l/md Sarah Dickerson in 1831. After her death, he 2/md 1836 Mary Akers, d/o Wm & Lydia Akers. Reed moved to Carroll Co, Va, c1840 and settled on Big Reed near "Camp Virginia." He died in 1861 in a scarlet fever epidemic along with many of his children. Polly (may have been a nickname for Mary) was born c1820.  
(A) Malinda, b 1834. (B) William B, b 1835. (C) Mahala, b 1837. (D) Eliza, b 1839. (E) James, b 1840. (F) Harrietta, b 1841. (G) Lydia, b 1844. (H) Mary, b 1847.
7. Spencer md Sally Byrd. (8) Sally md Peter Reed.
9. Squire, b c1811, md Sarah H \_\_\_\_\_, b c1812  
(A) Nancy D, b c1836 (1850 census)  
Nancy Dunkin 72y living with them in 1850.
10. Abel W md Polly B Byrd, b 13 Apr 1831, Floyd Co, Va.

II. Thomas Duncan (the settler), brother of Blanch, md \_\_\_\_\_. His estate was appraised Sept 1847. Children

1. Lewis (b c1819) md 13 Feb 1840, Montgomery Co, Susan Akers (b c 1813)  
Children: (A) Joshua, b 1841. (B) Ruben, b 1843. (C) Giles A, b 1845. (D) Andrew I, b 1847. (E) Melvina, b 1849. Others?
2. Riley (b c1823) md 28 Oct or 9 Nov 1843, Montgomery Co, Mahala Akers, (b 1821). 1850 census - ch: (A) James, b 1844?, (B) Clasisa, b 1846  
Also in household: Rebecca Duncan 60y, b c1790.
3. Humphrey (b c1821) md 15 Dec 1846, Floyd Co, Va, Lucy Boothe (b 1827)  
Children from 1860 census: (A) Malina, b 1848. (B) Elijah, b 1849. (C) Sarah, b 1851. (D) Susannah, b 1853. (E) George Riley, b 1856 (F) Crockett (b 11 Sep 1857 or Aug 1857-d 20 Nov 1923) md Mary E \_\_\_\_\_ (b 20 Dec 1861-d 23 Apr 1937)
4. Crockett md \_\_\_\_\_ Wray
5. Thomas (b 1830) md 31 Oct 1850, Floyd Co, Unis Akers or Eunis Reed.  
Children from census: (A) Missiouri, b 1852. (B) Louisa, b 1854. (C) Giles H, b 1856. (D) Miriam, b 1858. (E) Emera/Emory J, b 16 Oct 1859. (F) M R, Johnson, b 1860. (G) Sarah M, b 1862
6. Lynch (b 1836) md 31 Dec 1856, Floyd Co, Va, Elizateth "Betsy" Akers (b 1837). Children: (A) Mary Jane, b 1858. (B) child b 22 Aug 1859 (C) George A, b 1860. (D) Captain Lynch, b 1862. (E) Sarah Ann, b 7 Feb 1866. (F) Charles M, b 14 Aug 1868.
7. Lucy md Jacob Akers. (8) Polly md Luke Grimes.
9. Nancy md Andrew Reed
10. Susie (b 1816-d 27 Apr 1896) md 15 Dec 1836, Floyd Co, Andrew Akers (b 1817- d 30 Mar 1895). They are buried Akers Cem, Alum Ridge, Va.

III. John Duncan (the settler), brother of Blanch and Thomas. (Act. ret. Aug 1844- probably Carroll Co.) Wife unknown. Children:

1. Benjamin (b 1817) md 1 Jan 1843, Floyd Co, Va, Nancy Burnett (b1825)  
Children: (A) July A/Julan, b 1844. (B) Ennis/Ananais, b 1845. (C) Minerva, b 1846. (D) Asa, b 1848. (E) Eliza, b 1850. (F) Delilah b 1850, md Henry Connor. (G) Sarah, b 1852. (H) Francisca, b 1854.

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- (I) Malina, b 1856. (J) Rebecca, b 1858. (K) infant, b 1860
2. Tommy
  3. Rhoda md 12 May 1842, Floyd Co, Va, Stephen Hughett (Hewitt)

My great great grandfather was Henry Duncan who md Mary \_\_\_\_\_. Their son, Benjamin Duncan (great grandfather) md Mary Swain. Their only child, a son, Allan Thomas Duncan, was my grandfather.  
Allan Thomas Duncan was born 14 Mar 1868 in Floyd or Carroll Co, Va, and died 15 Jun 1934 in Trees, La. On 26 Jul 1892 he married Mary Susan Troutman of Lawrence Co, Ohio. Connection with the families in Carroll or Floyd Cos?

LEGISLATIVE PETITIONS  
GILES COUNTY, VIRGINIA

To the Hon'ble General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

The Petition of the Undersigned Stockholders in the Capital stock of the Giles, Fayette and Kanawha Turnpike Company pursuant to an Act passed by the General Assembly on the 1st day of March 1857 Incorporating said Company would respectfully represent to your Hon'ble Body that owing to the 4th Section of said Act directing the Board of Public works to cause to be surveyed the best route for said road "not having as yet been complied with, owing as your Petitioners believe to a press of business upon said Board occupying the time of their engineers upon roads previously authorized by Laws, it has been impossible to make arrangements to commence the making said road within the time prescribed by the Act prescribing certain General regulations for the incorporation of Turnpike Companies" Your Petitioners would therefore respectfully beg Your Hon'ble Body to allow a further time to begin said road as long as your Hon'ble Body in its discretion shall deem best & as in duty & we will ever pray

Fayette Court House

February 19th, 1839

John Mans?Marrrs	Sam'l Pack	Felix G Hansford	John Phillips
?J's ? Boyer	C A Stuart Jun	Hiram Hill	E D Vandal
H Hull	Abraham Vandel	Alfred Beckley	John Beweller?
John Bowyer	Adam Nicely	John Harriman	J Y Waitt
Charles Windson	Lewis Courtner	Benjn? Jones	?Rson? Prince?
Henry Montgomery	D. Smith	Wm Humphreys	Wm Prince
William Blake	H W Dickinson	Seth Huse	J G Withrow

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It appears that the signatures on this document were signed by the people named. The xerox copy will be placed in the Virginia Room, Roanoke Central Library.

## WILL OF WILLIAM WALROND

submitted by  
Iamona Phillips\*

WB , p24,25,26: Signed 12 October 1809, Montgomery Co, Va. Codicil signed 25 July 1810, Proven September Court 1810, Montgomery Co, Va.  
Typed copy.

In the name of God, Amen. I William Walrond of Montgomery County being in perfect memory of body doth make this & constitute this my last will and testament in manner and form following, that is to Say All my Just Debts to be paid as soon as my Executors hereafter named can make it convenient - Item I lend to my wife Nancy one negroe Girl by the name of Fillis during her natural life at her Deth I gave the sa. negroe girl Philles to her Sun James. Also three Beds and furniture. I Bequeth to her as her own right and property, and all other articles of movable property, which my wife by her own Industry hath procured and brought into my home I desire it to be Sold with my other property hereafter mentioned and the amount thereof to be paid to her for her own use I also Bequeth to my Said wife two pire Cretures known by the names of Bob & Sade together with a complete two horse waggon and harness which said Waggon & harness to be purchased and paid for out of my estate and such of my live Blacks as my wife have a right to clame I desire to be Sold by my executors and her to receive the amount thereof I further desire that all my negroes both men - women 2 children, here or Elsewhere and all my live Stock of every discription all my household afares farming utensals and every kind of crop made from the earth belonging to me, Excepe such as is above mentioned to my wife to be Sold at a twelve months credit by giving bonds with approved Security, also two tracts of land I do now own in Montgomery County Whereon I now live containing 415 acres by Survey be the Same more or les with an entry showing the Same the other tract lying in Pittsylvania County where I formerly lived containing three hundred and Sixteen acres by Survey be the Same more or less. Said Tract of Land I desire to be Sold by my executors as followeth One third of the purchis money to be paid twelve Months from the day of Sail and one other Third two years after Sail and one third three years after Sale - I will and bequeth to my Sun Benjamin Waldren one hundred Dollars - and to my Sun William Waldren I bequith Three Dollars together with one bond executed by said Wm Waldren to Jesse Waldrin and then assigned to me - I Will and bequeth to my daughter Sally Motly - three Dollars.

I gave & bequeth to my Daughter Anny Waldrond fifteen Dollars And to my Suns Reubin Walrin, John Walrin and Jesse Walron I will & Bequeth the whole residue of all Moneys arriving from the above mentioned Sails of negrows, lands, Stock, crops, &c after my Just debts are paid and two hundred Dollars in cash & my Shop gun to my Sun Reubin Walren over and above his proper claim with his Brothers, John & Jesse Walron for his Serveces as executor in said Will, I apoint Reubin Walrin my sun Executor in this my last Will and testament. I hereby revoke all former testaments, and this only my last Will and testament, Given under my hand and Seal this 12th day of October in the year of our Lord 1809.

In presents of

Jas Woods

Thos Walrond

William X Can  
mark

Wm Walrond (seal)

This is an addition made to my Will made by James Woods Esquire of Montgomery County, that it is my Will and desire exclusive of the Twenty shillings, left Sarah Motly, my daughter, wife of Daniel Motley of Pittsylvania County, that she

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be made equal with the other legatees of my Estate, who is John Walrond Reubin Walrond & Jesse Walrond after all my just debts are paid This is my Will and desire. Given under my hand and Seal this the twenty fifth day of July 1810.

Wm Walrond (seal)

As an addition to my will, I appoint Daniel Motley, Jr as an Executor with Reuben Walrand to my Estate in the Will made by James Woods.

Teste: Jacob Boon, John Boon, Daniel Boon

At Montgomery September Court 1810, The Last Will and testament of William Walrond deceased Together with a Codicil thereto were presented in Court and proven the said will by the oaths of James Woods Thomas Walrond and William Gan, The said Codicil by the oaths of Jacob Boon and John Boon Witnesses thereto subscribed and ordered to be Recorded - And on the motion of Reuben Walrond the Executor in the said Will named who made oath and entered into Bond with Security according to Law Certificate is granted him for obtaining a Probat thereof in due form  
Teste Charles Taylor cC

### Browning's Mill Cemetery

The cemetery at Browning's Mill 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 about 2 1/2 miles. The ruins of the mill can be seen on the right a short distance after you cross the bridge. The cemetery is in the woods on the hill west of the mill. Date inscriptions were transcribed: early 1980's. Compiled by Walter A. and Avis C. Hunt.

Cline, Granville: CSA Co. G 45th VA Inf,

Creger, George: Revolutionary War Pvt. VA Militia  
1763 - 1838

Corvin, A. J.: CSA VA Militia

Etter, Leonard: CSA VA Militia

(Kettering, Nancy?): 16 Apr. 1798 - 19 Oct 1814

Walters, John P.: CSA 1 Sgt. Co. I 29th VA Inf.

Walters, Michael: Revolutionary War Pvt. Doacks VA Mil 1798

Walters, Michael, Sr.: 1 Dec 1788 - 16 Feb 1859  
Left a wife and 8 children

Walters, William: 7 Jun 1828 - 7 Nov 1885 Our Father

There are other graves but they are not marked. This cemetery has not been used in many years.

## WILLIAM WALDRON: BILL OF SALE

submitted by  
Lamona Phillips\*

Montgomery Co, Va., Will Book \_\_, p 492 - 497

Wm. Waldron: Xd Amount of Sales of the Estate of William Waldron dec'd of  
Montgomery County made the 27th, 28th, and 29th September 1810.

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Philip Boyster	Dr		
To one kettle \$5.16, 1 book 58, 2 baskets wood \$1.29		7.03	
three windser chairs 66		<u>.66</u>	7.69
James Wallace			
To 1 pair wedges \$1.00, 1 pot \$2.00, 1 bedstead 50		<u>3.50</u>	3.50
John Lakeland			
To 1 pair wedges \$1.00, 1 pr spurs 33, cutting knife & D knife 50 - 1 pot \$1		<u>2.83</u>	2.83
Joseph Givens			
To one Bell		<u>" 16</u>	" 16
John Reynolds			
To 1 tea kettle & cribbell \$1.66, 24 bushels salt 5.50,		7.24	
1 case & bottles \$4, 1 chair box 50, 1 tea kettle 1.66		<u>6.16</u>	13.40
John Rayburn			
To one Hand saw		" 50	" 50
Christian Layman			
To 1 pair stretchers \$1.58 1 pair braces 1.79		3.37	3.37
Samuel Myers			
To 1 bridle 66 1 pair braces \$2.16 1 blind bridle 66		3.48	
2 pairs snuffers and Harness		<u>2.00</u>	5.48
William Bowyed			
To one back band 42, 1 pot 2.33 1 box stelyard 2.67		5.42	
25 Head of Hogs \$18.67 3 casks \$1.42		<u>20.09</u>	25.51
Parker Lucass			
To 1 pair of chains \$1.84 2 Razors Case Floss \$1		<u>2.84</u>	2.84
William Givens: To 2 endles and 1 back band		<u>1.67</u>	1.67
Isaiah Givens			
To 1 pair back bands \$3.18, 1 sugar base 1.75 6 sheep 8.33		<u>15.60</u>	15.60
1 pair fear irons 2.34			
William Mann: To 1 kettle 2.00 1 shot Gun \$8.34		<u>10.50</u>	10.50
Jonathan Power			
To 1 pot \$1.42, 1 basket of Irons \$1.19, 1 churn Pot &c		3.11	3.11
Alexander Handly: To 1 Kettle & Led \$1.50, 1 Earthern Pot \$1.00		<u>2.50</u>	2.50
John Liuner: To 1 Grid Iron		<u>1.16</u>	1.16
page 493			
Charles Spangler			
To 1 Stone Pot 78, 1 place & Irons \$1.33 1 Cubic \$2.34		4.45	
1 Tub & beans 53, 1 cow & calf \$12:12½, 1 set of silver		16.60½	
buckles 3:75		<u>7.24</u>	28.09½
3 chairs \$1:66, 1 stone Jug 92, 11 Hoggs \$4.66			

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Richard Huntsman	Dr		
To 1 Mill Iron & Cloves \$1.08 1 Mattock \$1:17		2.25	
1 Raw hide \$1.25 1 Hym Book 37½		<u>1.62½</u>	3.87½
Giles Thomas: To 1 Shot gun		<u>6.78</u>	6.78
James S Shaw: To 1 Dubonary 68, 1 arm chair 50, 1 Coulter 50		<u>1.68</u>	1.68
John Walrond			
To 1 Bible \$2 2 Books 34, 1 pr of spurs \$1.00		3.34	
To 1 Negro woman (Annakey)		<u>13.33</u>	16.67
Fatthey Harles: To 1 mans saddle \$2.58 1 cow \$12.50		<u>15.08</u>	15.08
Joseph Polk: To one Still		<u>50.00</u>	50.00
John Woods: To One Heifer		<u>7.58</u>	7.58
Frederick Walker: To 1 cow & calf \$10.33, 1 candle stand 84		<u>11.17</u>	11.17
Samuel Wallace: To 3 yearlings \$15:21 12 sheep \$15:16		<u>30.37</u>	30.37
William Akins: To 17 geese		<u>3.54</u>	3.54
Jacob Carper: To 6 sheep		<u>8.50</u>	8.50
James Damewood: To Seven Sheep		<u>7.08</u>	7.08
Mary Walker: To Six plates		<u>2.10</u>	2.10
James Welch: To two pewter dishes \$1:84, 1 Lock and book 58		<u>2.42</u>	2.42
Reuben Waldron: To One Silver watch		<u>20.00</u>	20.00
Julius Webb			
To 1 ox cart and yoke \$24:01, 1 Desk \$21:50 two scythes			
and cradle 67		<u>46.48</u>	46.48
Thomas Walrond			
To one axe \$1:30, 1 Kettle 53, 1 Looking glass 25, one cask 50		<u>2.58</u>	2.58
Nancy Shaw			
To 1 Side Saddle 16, 1 Bed &c \$6, 1 trunk \$1, 1 tea pot \$1		8.16	
1 Set delf ware \$1.33, 1 cupboard \$4, 1 cotton wheel 25			
Earthern ware \$1:00		6.58	
1 chair 25 Knives forks &c \$1 7 Hoggs \$14:66		<u>15.91</u>	30.65
Henry Savers: To one Loom		<u>2.00</u>	2.00
John Lakeland			
To 2 Shekles 33, 1 oven & Lid \$2, 1 pr boots \$3:25		<u>5.58</u>	5.58
George Greenaway			
To one yoke of oxen \$44, 1 pr Hand Irons \$2, 2 Casks \$1:33		<u>47.33</u>	47.33
David Smith: To 1 Bed, bedstead &c		6."	6."
George Pine: To 4 Shotes		<u>3.25</u>	3.25
Jacob Huffman: To One mare		<u>20.84</u>	20.84
Michael Henderlite: To wheat in the Straw		5.33	5.33
Daniel Mottley: To One Negro man Dick		<u>406."</u>	406."
Jesse Walrond: To One girl (Esther)		<u>346."</u>	346."
Joseph Mottley: To One Negro man, Ned		<u>40."</u>	40."
John Lenler: To one negro woman (Delphy)		<u>11."</u>	11."
James Woods: To One pair of Saddle Bags		2.50	2.50

## Wm Waldron: Bill of Sales

Philip Borter: To 3 casks 67 cts, 1 grind stone \$1:25	1.92	1.92
Total amount		\$129.27

R Walrond Exer

In Montgomery November 1817

The foregoing amount of Sales of the Estate of William Walrond dec'd was returned into Court and ordered to be Recorded

OK

Teste: Br: Miller D.C.

(from a typed copy)

(Note: After a will had been proven in court, the court appointed 3 or 4 persons to take an inventory of the deceased's personal belongings. This included everything - furniture, dishes, linens, farm animals, etc - that was not mentioned in the will. This inventory was then presented to the court and approved. The next step was to set a day for the auction or sale of the property named. The family and neighbors could then purchased the items. This document, 'Bill of Sales', is then given to the court and the monies collected goes into the estate to pay the debts - the balance is divided between the heirs.)

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DIVORCES

Chap. 363. .... marriage between **Orlando W Brown** and **Scotty Catharine**, his wife, of Shenandoah Co .... are divorced..... (passed 1 Apr 1848) p 349

Chap. 365: ....marriage between **Bertholomew Cassagrande** of Richmond and **Angela** his wife ....are divorced .....(passed 20 Mar 1848) p 349

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Chap. 370. ....marriage between **Daniel M'Ginty** of Marion Co & his wife **Louisa** (formerly **Louisa Roberts**) ... are divorced ...(passed 24 Jan 1848) p 350

Chap. 373. .... marriage between **William Yonson** and his wife **Eliza Jane**, his wife of Loudoun Co ....are divorced .... (passed 27 Mar 1848) p 351

above from "Acts of the General Assembly of Virginia 1848-9"

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THOMAS UNDERWOOD, 1650 IMMIGRANT,  
AND HIS DESCENDANTS

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## WILLIAM WALROND: SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE

Submitted by  
Lomona Phillips & Flora Unger  
Montgomery Co, Va, WB \_\_, p 495

		<u>The Estate of William Walrond dec'd</u>			
				Dr	
1810		To Reuben Walrond Exer.		4.33	
Sept 27th		To Cash paid William E Rutledge		4.57	
Xd		To do paid Christin Lamar		2.00	
		To do paid Burkly Kyle		20.63	
	28th	To do paid George Greenway		6.00	
	29	To do paid Soloman Pastors		2.08	
		To do paid Thomas Walrond		4.50	
		To do paid appraisors of Estate		1.50	
Novr 29		To do paid Willson Voded		1.00	
Decr 13		To do paid Benjamin Waldron		5.50	
18		to do paid John Reyburn		" .44	52.55
		To do paid William Tunstall CPC		33.12 $\frac{1}{2}$	
January 5, 1811		To do paid Parker Lucass		2.75	
		To do paid Same		12.75	
		To Do paid James Welch		33.84	
		To do paid Alexander Handy for James Lockert		5.90	
		To do paid William E Rutledge		7.25	
	7th	To do paid John & Jacob Boon		17.34	
		To do paid Jacob Boon		35.31	
	15	To do paid Daniel Mottley		105.61	
		To do paid Same		1.00	
	17	To do paid Allen Woodson		40.00	
	25	To do paid Benjamin Walrond		11.66	
	31st	To do paid William E Rutledge		2.50	
April 19th		To do paid Jonathan Johnston		16.96	
May 29		To do paid John Murrell		16.12 $\frac{1}{2}$	
June 13		To do paid John Wembish		5.00	
	17th	To do paid John Dabney atty		5.62 $\frac{1}{2}$	
Octo 2nd		To do paid John Reynolds		6.44	
		To do paid John <u>Senior</u>		3.84	
		To do paid Lewis Francisco		8.67	
	3rd	To do paid Samuel Myers		12. "	
	4th	To do paid Fatty Harles		8.75	
		To do paid James S Shaw		21. "	
	7th	To do paid Philip Moorand		2.50	
Octo 8, 1811		To do paid Peggy Bowen		" .75	448.01
		To do paid Charles Spangler		7.98 $\frac{1}{2}$	
Octo 10, 1811		To do paid George Greenway		4.01 $\frac{1}{2}$	
		To do paid Same		133.86	
		To do paid Christian Eby		239.67	
	12th	To do paid James Breckenridge		60.00	
		To do paid Matthew Harvey		" .50	
		To do paid (Bob, a Negro for fur by) I.W.		5.59	
December 4th		To Cash paid Thomas Bowyers		" .78	452.40
		To do paid Charles Taylor clerk		2.84	
March 7th, 1812		To do paid John Woods for &c		80. "	
April 1st		To do paid Higginbotham & Co		4. "	
20		To do paid Henry Glass			

## Wm Waldron: Settlement of Estate

June 2 (1812)	To do paid Allen Taylor ?	7.50	
	To do paid John Lester	1.34	
4	To do paid George Greenway	2.50	
	To do paid Thos Bowyer D.S.	".84	
July 1st	To do paid Rawley White, Jr	7.14	
	To do paid William Tunstall, CPC	7.70	
	To do paid Joseph Polk	49.50	
Decr 22nd	To do paid Charles Taylor clk	1.24	
	To do paid Henry Bowyer clk	".70	158.30
Jany 30th, 1813	To do paid Wm E Rutledge	3."	
May 30th	To do paid George Greenway	2.87½	
June 2nd	To do paid Wm Bowyer for Ju. Hair	1.00	
	To do paid Same for Jno Walter	1.00	
5th	To do paid Alexander Hamilton	70.90	
	To do paid Abraham Gish	2.67	
	To do paid Jacob Gish	22.96	
June 24th	To do paid Wm Walrond (order to G. T.)	12.50	
29	To do paid Same	333.34	
30	To do paid Same	8.03	
Augt 25th	To do Paid Same	17."	
Sept 9	To do paid Jno Dickinson D.S.	2.98	
Octo 18th	To do paid Champress Tomy, Exr.	303."	
	To do paid William Tunstall, C.P.C.	1.46	
Febry 12th	To do paid Jno & Jesse Walrond	382.48½	1165.20
Jany 18th, 1814	To do paid William Hall	".50	
	To do paid Chessel Dabney atto.	2.50	
Apl. 4th	To do paid Matthew Clay, Jr	4."	
May 5th	To do paid Stokey T Foster DS	101.4	
19th	To do paid Higginbotham & Co	90."	
Decr 25	To do paid Wm Walrond (or to J. T.)	63."	261.04
July 4th	To do paid Thomas M Henry	1."	
	To do paid E Rawlins for Wm Lee	128.93	129.93
			\$2666.88
March 29th, 1816	To do paid Higginbotham & Co	26.13	
April 13	To do paid Champress Tomy	69.25	
June 15	To do paid Thomas Atkinson Exr	72.44	
16th	To do paid Danl Mottley Adr	19."	
18	To do paid Danl Mottley Adr	10.16	
July 8th	To Cash paid James Breckenridge	305.50	
Octo 15th	To ditto paid Thomas Atkinson for Jr.	11.25	
	To do paid for total amt. & my expenses &c	128.31	642.14
	To Cash paid Wm Tunstall	".18	3308.92
	To do do Thos Bowyer	".90	1.08
			\$3310.00

1811	CONTRA	CR.	
Septer 27th	By Amount of Sales in Montgomery Cty	1292.76	
Octo 4	By Amount of Negroes hire	38.33	
Nov 10	By Amount of Sales in Pittsylvania Co	797.25	2128.34
Jany 5, 1812	By 1st Annual instalment of land sold in M.C.	306.58	306.58
Jany 5, 1813	By 2nd do instalment of do in M.C.	306.58	306.58
Octo 1st	by " do instalment of do in P.C.	500."	500."
Jany 5, 1814	By 3rd do instalment of do in M.C.	306.58	306.58
Octo 1st	By 2nd do instalment of do in P.C.	500."	500."
Octo 1, 1815	By 3rd do instalment of do in do	500."	500."
			\$4548.08

The above amount of sales was this day shown to Reuben Walrond Exer of William Wallrond decd and was admitted by him to be correct.

W B Charlton, John Wade, JB Goodrich

Pursuant to an order of the worshipful Court of Montgomery County made the 2nd day of the November Term 1817, We the undersigned commissioners have proceeded to Settle with Reuben Walrond Executor of the Estate of William Walrond decd late of the County and find the accounts to Stand as follows to Wit

To amount of Monies Received as per statement.....\$4548.08

Cr.

By amt of Voucher to us shown..... 3310:00  
\$1238.08

Ballance due the legatees of the decd Wm Walrond One thousand two hundred and thirty Eight dollars & eight cents

Given under our hand this 5th day of Nover 1817

Wm B Charlton, John Wade, J B Goodrich

In Montgomery County November Court 1817

This account was presented in Court and ordered to be Recorded

Teste Br: Miller DC

(from a typed copy)

#### NAMING

....from Hingham, Massachusetts, parents named 1st and 2nd sons and daughters almost exclusively for themselves. Older children were rarely named for English grandparents. Hingham was likely representative of the New England Puritan culture. from "Awareness", Association of One-Name Studies, V2, #1,

#### LEMON CEMETERY

Botetourt County, VA

Rt. 615, on the property of Mr. Joe Preston, near Oriskany.

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LEMON, James Edward	1864 - 1955
" , Korah E.	1872 - 1956
Fieldstone Markers	
LEMON, A. B.	July 14, 1852 - July 2, 1884
" , Jas. G.	May 26, 1811 - Apr. 6, 1884
" , Rebecca C.	Nov. 29, 1822 - Apr. 1907
Old Marker: J. G. L.	Died Aprl. 6, 1884 Age 73 yrs.



Virginia Cases, or  
**DECISIONS OF THE GENERAL COURT OF VIRGINIA**  
 Chiefly on the Criminal Law of the Commonwealth  
 Commencing June Term, 1815, and Ending June Term, 1826  
 Volume II

by William Brockenbrough

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This volume is one of four from "Virginia Reports Annotated", usually found in a (Virginia) law library. This volume is concerned with the appeals on points of law and the reasons why the appeal was denied or upheld. The trial may take only a paragraph or a page - the points of law may be a paragraph or several pages with the judges saying why they voted as they did.

June Term, 1815

pl11. Commonwealth v **John Feely**: Preventing Witness from Attending Court, Wythe Co .... **H Chapman** attorney for Com'lth in the Superior Ct of Law ..... 11 May 1814 ..... that **John Feely**, [inn-keeper] late of Wythe Co, on 15 Oct 1812... did use means to prevent .... **Samuel Wright** from attending as a witness ..... deed of trust by the said **John Feely** to **John Draper** .....

pl11-112. **Peter Haught** v The Com'lth: Indictment date: Superior Ct of Law Harrison Co. ... pltf indicted for assaulting and beating **James Baker** by the information of **J Baker**, labourer .....pltf said prosecutor **James Baker** was a husbandman [farmer] and not a labourer .....

pl12-3. **James Halkem** v The Com'lth: Horse Stealing: Superior Ct of Law, Wythe Co .... The indictment "with force and arms, one gelding of a dark bay colour ..... price of \$75, and a mare of mouse colour ..\$75, .. chattels of one **Peter Snavelly**

pl13-114. **Munford Smith** v The Com'lth: writ of error: Superior Ct of Law, Grayson Co, May Session 1815, indictment for the murder of **James Henderson**.. ..tried and found guilty of murder in the 2nd degree... **James Bryson**, one of the jury, .... In support of the motion, the prisoner produced **J A M'Craw**, a witness .... on, or about 24 Apr last, he was at the residence of W & J U in the co. of Surry, N C, adjoining the co of Grayson, ca 29 miles from Grayson Courthouse, and ca 17 miles from where the supposed murder happened, ... and because **James Henderson** the dec'd, had lived in the neighbourhood before his death ....from **Amos Ballard** a witness from Grayson ....

November Term, 1815

pl17-118. The Com'lth v **George Offner**: Gaming. Corporation Court of Winchester Nov 1813 for unlawful gaming. ..At the succeeding Term of the Superior Court of Frederick co, he applied for a writ of error .....One of the Grand Jury, to wit: **Edward Slater**, was an alien ....

pl18. The Com'lth v **Mark Butts**: Gaming. Fairfax Superior Ct. We present **Mark Butts** for playing at the game of Faro, at the booth of **Price Skinner**,...

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within the co. of Fairfax, within 12 months last past, on the information of **John Fulmore**, and **Paul Skinner**, ..... the gaming committed at the booth of one \_\_\_\_\_ **Clarke**, and not **Price Skinner** .....

pl18-9. The Com'lth v **John Maddox**: Gaming. Grand jury, Fairfax Co. present **John Maddox**, tavern-keeper ....

p 119-121. The Com'lth v **William Cherry**: Grand jury of Winchester, removed to Superior Ct for Frederick co. .... juryman **Edward Slater**, native born subject of Great Britain; came to the US in 1784 and to Va. in 1786, that he married in Va.; he held real estate by deed in fee simple in Va.; that he served as a constable, as a common-councilman in Winchester, and frequently on Grand juries in the Hustings court there, and in the District Court of Winchester. There was no fact agreed, that he had ever naturalized as a citizen. .... Court: "that **Edward Slater** ..... was not a good and lawful Grand Juror, and that the said Presentment is not a good one."

p 121. **John Bills** v **Ezra Harris**: Assault & Battery. Superior Ct, Ohio Co. .... in which the jury found for the plft "six cents damages, and the costs." ..... Under \$16.66 in Superior Ct "shall not recover costs."

p 121-122. The Com'lth v **George Dove**: Intoxicating Liquors. Superior Ct, Rockingham Co. .. for retailing spirituous liquors without license..... on 26 Apr 1813 **Briscoe G Baldwin**, Com'lth Att. for Rockingham Co. .... that **George Dove** on 6 Mar 1812 .... at his store .... without license ..... retail spirituous liquors ...

pl23-4. **John Conner** v The Com'lth: Perjury. Superior Ct of Law, Greenbrier co ... on 22 Nov 1813, a Regimental Ct of Enquiry\*... **John Conner** was sick and unable to attend the muster on 28 Oct 1813 ..... when he was not sick ..... he was fined and jail sentence for 40 days .... [\*note: the county militia - each male within the age requirement was required to attend militia meetings unless excused by the county court]

## June Term, 1816

p 128-131. **John Hutson** v **Joseph Lowry** and **Joseph Neville**: Adjourned case from the Superior Ct of Law for Harrison co. .... **John Hutson** on 11 Sep 1815 indebted to **Joseph Lowry** .. **John Somerville**, a JP.. **Joseph Neville**, constable

p 131. **John R Jackson** v **John Boast**, **John Hart** and Another: Prince George Superior Ct. Assault & Battery and damages \$10. .... new trial because of smallness of damages. Court: no new trial.

pl32-3. The Com'lth v **William Birchett**: Superior Ct of Mecklenburg, 29 Apr 1816 ..... affidavit of **Joel Watkins** ..... the deft was commissioned as a JP ... after qualifying, he was appointed ... a Deputy Post Master....

## June Term, 1817

p 135-6. **John Maddox** v **Charles Ewell**: Superior Ct, Prince William Co.....

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Charles Ewell moved the co ct to view away for opening a road from Charles Ewell's mill to the mouth of Col Alexander's and Richard Brent's lane ..... Gerard Alexander, acting JP, and coroner of co. .... John Maddox ..on whose land the road in part run ...

pl37-8. Noah Zane v Jonathan Zane: Ohio Co Ct Mar 1816. Application of Jonathan Zane, ..... to meet on his lands 16 Mar to view the place proposed for keeping a ferry across the Ohio river..... his lands above and adjoining the town of Wheeling, ...

p 138-9. The Com'lth v John Speer: Cheats. Superior Ct of Law, Greenbrier Co. ....on 8 Apr 1816, with force ...falsely and deceitfully obtain ... from one Thomas Creigh 3 yds of velvet .. the value of the whole, of \$9.87½..... and bank-notes and money ....

pl40-1. The Com'lth v Levi Gibson: Superior Ct of Buckingham. Indicted for the murder of Francis Gibson ... convicted of 2nd degree murder and sentence to 5 yrs .....Charles Woodson, a juror,.....came with the rest of the jurors having agree on a guilty verdict ....which was subscribed by Oglesby Scruggs ..... Robert S Gary, deputy sheriff, .... William Watson, a juror, ..... Levi Gibson brother of Francis Gibson .....

pl42-3. The Com'lth v James Chalmers: Superior Ct, Isle of Wight,...."for selling by retail, spirituous liquors, to wit: apple brandy, at his house in the co of Isle of Wight, to be drank at the place where sold, on the 1 April 1816, by the information of Thomas Hardy and Lemuel Womberell."

pl43. The Com'lth v Nathaniel Terry: Gaming. Halifax Superior Ct .....for unlawful gaming at cards in a tavern. ....Court: that the act of playing at Cards in a Tavern, whether the person so playing bets or not, is Gaming,....

pl43-8. John King v The Com'lth: Murder, distinguished from Manslaughter. Dying declarations,...Superior Ct, Spottsylvania ....petitioner was indicted for the murder of John Goss.....convicted of 2nd degree murder and sentenced to 18 yrs ..... Claiborne W Durrett, a witness ..... John King, with John Goss, the dec'd, and one Burnett, and Mankin, and the witness, and several others, were at a small house near the new Toll-bridge in the town of Fredericksburg. ... playing cards and drinking .... argument .. fight .. "he was stabbed with a knife in the belly." ..... Isaac Jones .....Dr Carmichael .. John Carter ..... Richard Johnston ..... Mr William Orrill .....John Burnett

November Term, 1817

pl48-150. The Com'lth v William Quann: Superior Ct, Rockbridge.....forgery of paper purporting to be an Inland Bill of Exchange to be signed for Weildy Hughte, for Samuel Crory, alias M'Crory [McCrory], with the name of the said Weildy Hughte, alias Hughes, ....to Matthew White, alias Whyghte, ..."Spring Forge Dec 10, 1815, Mister Matthew Whyghte, ples to lete William Quan have 18 dollars in stoars, for Samuel Crory. Weildy Hughte:" ....

p 150. Nathaniel Frisbie v The Justices of Wythe County: The plft applied

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to the Superior Ct for a Mandamus, to compel the Justices to nominate him as one of the 3 persons annually recommended to the Executive, out of whom one is commissioned as sheriff of the county. ....was and had been, an active JP for many years ....

p150. **Thomas Taylor** v The Com'lth: Writ of error - Larceny. Superior Ct of King George Co. .... **Thomas Taylor**, labourer, on 3 Oct 1812 did steal a cow .. price \$12 .. chattels of one **John G Stuart**,.....

p151-7. **Jacob Warner** v The Com'lth: Bigamy. Superior Ct, Frederick Co Indicated .... that on 2 Mar 1809 in Delaware Co, PA, marry and take to wife one **Alice Woodward**, and that afterwards, to wit: on 9 Mar 1817 (Alice being alive) did feloniously marry one **Mary Ann Pendleton**, in Winchester, Frederick Co. Found guilty and fixed the term of 1 year.

PA marriage law passed in 1701. The 1st section, after providing for the publication of the intended marriage declares, (interalia [among other things]) "that all mariages shall be solemnized, by taking each other for husband and wife, before 12 sufficient witnesses; and the certificate of their marriage under the hands of the parties, and witnesses at least 12, one of them a JP, shall be brought to the Register of the co where they are md, and registered in his office." .....If the marriage was not registered, it may be proved by parol [spoken] testimony alone .....sent under date of 2 Oct 1817 from the governor's office of PA.

p 157-162. **Levi Gibson** v The Com'lth, 2nd Case: .....again indicted for the murder of his brother, **Francis Gibson**, Superior Ct, Buckingham Co. **David W Eldridge**, witness ....**Wm Wadmore**,.... **Wm Gibson** .... convicted and sentenced to 10 yrs in jail ..... verdict upheld.....

p162-4. **Joseph Barker** v The Com'lth. Superior Ct, Henry Co. .... stealing of bank notes .... Court: judgment "be reversed and annulled" ...

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p162-5. **John Cummings** v The Com'lth: Superior Ct. Nansemond. Larceny of Bank Note of Sister State (NC) ... notes having been stolen from **Jacob Jones**

p165-172. **William Wallace** v The Com'lth: JP-Malfeasance in office ..Brooke Co, Superior Ct ..... petitioner out of malice toward **John Hindman**, surveyor of the high-way ....**John Walker** ..... **Wallace** to be removed from office. Court denied writ of error.

p172-3. **Abner Vance** v The Com'lth: Insanity. Superior Ct, Russell co.... He was indicated for the murder of **Lewis Horton** .. **John Chandler**, one of the venire being called ..... "that the prisoner introduced his daughter, a witness, to prove the insanity of the prisoner"..... the daughter stated she knew nothing of the prisoner on that day, nor for some days before. The prisoner was convicted and sentenced to death. Court: a new trial.

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p 173-4. The Com'lth v **Samuel Haines**: Adjourned case from Montgomery Co. **George Helm**, **Sampson Patton**, and **Samuel Haines**, had entered into a joint recognizance ..... **Helm** "no inhabitant" ... **Patton** died shortly afterwards ... **Haines** pleaded to issue, and pending the issue died.

pl74. **Griffin Thompson** v The Com'lth: Superior Ct. Charlotte Co. Larceny Petitioner indicted for the larceny of a hat, property of **Robert D Moore**....

p 174-5. **Thomas Holleman** v The Com'lth: Grand jury of Superior Ct. Southampton in Apr 1814, for running a fence across the public road in said co, leading through his plantation ....from Jan 1 to Apr 1 ....

## November Term, 1818

p 175. **Jacob Conrod** v **Peter Conrod**: Randolph Co. Superior Ct. The plft agreed for the sum of \$100 to serve as a substitute for the deft in the militia during the late war [War of 1812], a 6 month tour of duty in a Company of Militia then about to march to Norfolk .....The plft served part of his time, and then deserted ..... the plft said he should collect his money. The court said no.

p 175-76. The Com'lth v **Nicholas C Kinney**. Augusta Co. Superior Ct of Law The deft was indicted, together with **George Holloway** and **James J Pleasants** assaulted **Henry Morris** in his dwelling-house ...

p 176-177. **Finney Rutherford** v The Com'lth: Wythe Co. Superior Ct of Law. convicted of receiving a stolen bank note .....

pl77-178. **William Trimble** v The Com'lth: Washington Co. Superior Ct of Law Shooting ... court held 2 Nov 1818 ... **Francis Preston**, foreman

pl78-180. **Abner W Mercer**, alias **William Wilson** v The Com'lth: Sale of Free Negro as a slave .....Superior Ct, Norfolk Co. .... plft for selling a free mulatto man, named **Abram Hiter**, .....**Hiter** was said to be the offspring of a white woman by an Indian. ....

## June Term, 1819

pl80-1. The Com'lth v **Stephen Hensley**: Monroe Co, Superior Ct..an adjourned case. .... on 24 Sep 1818, he paid **John Spangler** with a forged note....

pl81-2. The Com'lth v **William Moseley**: Larceny of bank notes. Superior Ct Russell Co. stole from **George Fuller** .....

pl82. The Com'lth v **John Moore**: Superior Ct, Dinwiddie Co, Sep 1818 ..... presement: " ..... do present **John Moore**, for suffering his negro man named **Billy** to hire himself and go at large ...within the 6 months past."

pl82-3. **William R Holt** v The Com'lth: Superior Ct, Henrico Co. petitioner indicted for uttering a forge promissory note .. signed by **W H Cabell** ..... endorsed by **W Galt** ..... **Samuel Scruggs**, of Cumberland Co, is a material

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witness for him .... did not show up .. **William Selden**, one of deft counsel,

p183-4. The Com'lth v **Joseph Cohen**: Campbell Co. Superior Ct. Indicted for 2nd degree murder of a slave....

p184. The Com'lth v **Thomas Flint**: Adjourned case from Botetourt Co. .... indictment for assault & battery ...fine assessed \$1.00

p 184-7. **Abner Vance** v The Com'lth. 2nd Case. Washington Co., Superior Ct. He had been indicted, tried, convicted, and sentenced to death by the Superior Ct. of Russell Co in Apr 1818, for the murder of **Lewis Horton**. Reversal and a new trial awarded. Sept. term 1818 Russell Co an impartial jury could not be found. New trial 31 May 1819, Washington Co..... the prisoner is an inhabitant of Russell Co. .... newspaper printed in Abingdon, called the "Political Prospect," on 13 June 1818 gave the trial of two persons for murder in Russell Co --- In speaking of the act of the prisoner in shooting the dec'd, the author uses the word "unfeeling savage" as applied to the prisoner. .... new trial denied.

## November Term, 1819

p 187-8. **Robert Carter**, a free man of Colour, v the Com'lth. Augusta Co, Superior Ct. Indicted for the felonious highway robbery of a grey mare, belonging to **Henry M'Gill**. ...New trial ordered.

p 188. **Daniel Justice** v The Com'lth: Superior Ct. Tazewell Co. Indicted for obstructing the public highway, by building a fence on and across the same, and continuing the same for the space of 8 days. .... Guilty and fined \$13.33 1/3.

p188-196. The Com'lth v **John Gaines**: The prisoner was arrested in Culpeper co for stealing a horse, the property of **Daniel Allen** of Fauquier Co .... the larceny having been committed in Georgetown, District of Columbia, and the horse being found in the possession of the prisoner in Culpeper co. The prisoner was alleged to be a citizen of Va, as well as Mr **Allen**.

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p199-200. The Com'lth v **Jacob Lester**: Adjourned Case from Lunenburg Superior Ct. Indicted for assault on **Reuben Skinner**

p 200. The Com'lth v **Alexander Goode**: Superior Ct., Brunswick Co, for an assault and battery on **Reuben Allen** ...

p201. The Com'lth v **Thomas P Harrison** and Others: Stafford Co. Ct. for unlawful gaming ....

p 202. **Benjamin Ficklin** v **George Ficklin**: Culpeper Co. Court, on 15 July 1816. **Fielding Ficklin**, the orphan son of **Fielding Ficklin**, dec'd came into ct and make choice of **Benjamin Ficklin** as his guardian. On the 15 Feb 1819 the same orphan came into the same court, and made choice of **George Ficklin**

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as his guardian..... It was admitted that the said orphan was upwards of 14 years in 1816 .....

p202-3. The Com'lth v **Laurence Linton**: Superior Ct, Ohio Co. Indicted for the murder of **Joseph M'Caughy** who died in Jefferson Co, Ohio.....the fatal wound inflicted in Ohio Co. ..

p 203-4. **Joseph Chew** v The Justices of Spottsylvania: **Chew** lived in Spottsylvania Co --- removed to Orange Co and continued to serve as a justice in Spottsylvania Co --- removed back to Spottsylvania Co. Court: in moving to another county, he resigned as a justice.

p 204 The Com'lth v **Jerry Mann**: Adjourned case from Superior Case of Botetourt Co. The prisoner was a black man, held as a slave, but he had instituted a suit to recover his freedom, ..... to be tried as a free man. He was indicted, tried, and convicted ..an assault upon a woman. .... that **Mary M'Causland** was a white woman.

p 204-6. The Com'lth v **Malachi Williamson**: Adjourned case from Superior Ct of Princess Anne. Indicted June term, 1820, as an accessory before the fact of the murder of **Mary Whitehurst**. One **Aaron Throp** had been indicted at the same time as principal in the said murder.

p206. **Andrew Heath** and **James M'Kim**, Executors of **Andrew Heath**, Dec'd v **John Blaker** and **Daniel Kimbler**. Superior Ct, Loudoun. Upon a Bill Penal.

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p206-8. **John W Keerle** v **Richard Norris**, Bail for **Robert N Norris**: Superior Ct, Culpeper Co. Suit agst **Robert N Norris** on a promissory note, who failed to appear.

p208-9. Ex Parte (one side only) **Robert W Collins**: Superior Ct of Law for Lewis Co. The clerk of a Superior Ct cannot practice law in his court.

p210. The Com'lth v **Mark Perdue** and **Samuel Dillion**, Senior: Superior Ct of Law, Franklin Co. .... Indicted for an affray in assaulting and beating each other, "to the terror of sundry citizens then and there assembled, &c." The verdict of the jury acquitted both of them of the affray, but found the deft **Dillion** guilty of a breach of the peace in assaulting the other deft, **Perdue** and assess his fine \$1.00, but if the Law be for him, then they find him not guilty. Court: Judgment must be the same for both since there is not separate indictment.

p211. **Hogue & Flanagan** v **Charles W Cottle**, Sheriff of Kanawha, and His Securities. The plfts sued out execution agst the goods of **Robert Hamilton**, returnable 1 Jan 1818 which was placed in the hands of a deputy .....The amount not being paid to the plfts ....

p 211-12. Ex Parte **Colin Clarke**: **Robert Graham**, ex'r of **James Lyle**, dec'd, ..... his power revoked by this Ct, at a former term, Nov 1819, and **James**

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Lyle, one of the legatees of the testator, was substituted de bonis non with the will annexed, in place of sd **Graham**. Mr **Clarke** ... who had intermarried with another of the legatees, .. to qualify as an adm'r of the same estate.. Court: He is too late in applying.

p212-3. **William Angel** v The Com'lth: Superior Ct. of Henrico Co. Indicted under the statute agst mayhem, (b) for maliciously and unlawfully shooting one **Andrew Tensor** - two trials

p213-6. The Com'lth v **John Bennet**: Indicted in the Circuit Ct of Brooke Co for a rape on the body of **Nancy Geer**... age 6 yrs ....on 21 June 1820 .....

## June Term, 1821

p218-22. **William Steele & Co** v **Isaac Brown** and **M M'Coul**, Sheriff of Kanawha On 4 Aug 1820 **Steele & Co** sued -debt-in Superior Ct Kanawha Co..**Edward Johnston**, **George Gee** and **Isaac Brown** .....**Isaac Brown** sued **Richard E Putney** and **David Ruffner** for debt ...

p222. **George Ferguson**, Assignee of **Blackburn Akers**, v **Thomas Highley**. .... Superior Ct of Wythe Co. for debt.

p222-3. **Absalom B M'Clunn** v **Major Steele**: Adjourned case from the Superior Ct of Law of Frederick Co. for taking and selling a horse which the plft claims to be his. **Isaac Williams** obtained 2 judgments agst **Thomas M'Clunn** and **Eleazer Barrow** and **Birket D Jett** obtained judgment agst the same two ... **Major Steele**, the constable ... the sheriff took a horse from **Thomas M'Clunn** and **Absalom B M'Clunn** said the horse was his ....

p223-4. **Bushrod Washington** v The Com'lth: Adjourned case from the Superior Ct of Law of Fairfax Co. Failure to enter land with Commissioner from 1811 to 1819 ... amount of taxes due ...

p224-5. **William Chiles** v The Com'lth: Superior Ct of Law Hanover Co. .... Horse stealing.

## November term, 1821

p225-7. The Com'lth v **John Tyree**: Superior Ct of Law Caroline Co. Negro sent to Ct as free person. The prisoner, who was a black man, was indicted for a rape of **Betsy F Gray**. ....**William Tompkins** of Spottsylvania Co came into court .. on 17 Nov 1810, he owned a slave named **Armistead**, ca 18 years, who absconded from him ... **John Tyree** is that slave .... statement supported by **Wilson Swann**. **Tyree** brought before an Examining Ct 13 Aug 1821 ....**Tyree** passed himself as the son of **Aggy Tyree** a free woman .....

p 227-9. **Robert Mackaboy**, **Lewis Courtney**, and **John Strickler** v The Com'lth: Superior Ct of Law of Spottsylvania Co. Information given by a constable of Fredericksburg that plfts in Error, and sundry others were guilty of a riot, ... at the house of **Kitty Ship** ... on 4 Jan 1819 .... Court: case of errors found for the plfts.

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p 229-230. **Betsy Vaughn v The Com'lth:** Superior Ct of Petersburg. The petitioner was indicted, in two counts, for the unlawful shooting, and for the malicious shooting of **Sally Walker**, an infant daughter of **Jenny Walker**. She acquitted of both charges. She was also indicted, in 2 counts, same charges as to **Jenny Walker**, a free woman of colour, on - Aug 1821. Found guilty and given 2 years.

p 230. **Leroy Vandewall, alias Peters v The Com'lth:** Superior Ct of Henrico Co. Guilty of unlawful shooting and sentenced to 1 year. Court: one month means a Lunar month of 28 days.

p 230-39. **Ex Parte William Pool, Matthew Thompson and Asa Wilson:** Superior Ct of Law, Henrico Co. The petitioners were sailors who had signed a contract to sail from Boston to sundry other ports and then return to Boston; That the petitioners had deserted their ship ..... were arrested and placed in jail ..

## June Term, 1822

p 244-51. **Alexander Lithgow v The Com'lth:** Superior Ct of Law, Henrico Co. Embezzlement from Farmers' Bank of Va. Sentenced to 1 yr.

p251-3. **Andrew Campbell v The Com'lth:** Superior Ct of Law, Kanawha Co. ... The indictment was agst **Alexander Campbell** and the petitioner, jointly, and charged them with the larceny of salt from **Gardner Hunt** and **Holley Hunt** .... his father **Alexander Campbell** was acquitted ..... In Examining Ct they were examined for stealing from **Austin Hunt** and **Garner Hunt** ....

## November Term, 1822

p253. **The Com'lth v Benjamin Long Jun:** Superior Ct of Caroline Co. Unlawful gaming. . . .that **Hay Battaile**, one of the Grand Jurors, was not a freeholder, .... that **Birkenhead Boutwell**, another juror was the owner of a mill The law directs that "the Sheriff shall summon 24 of the most discreet freeholders of the co, being citizens of this Com'lth, and not Constables, now Ordinary-keepers, now Surveyors of highways, now owners or occupiers of a Mill" who shall be a Grand Jury. 1 Rev Code, of 1819, ch 75 §1.

p 254. **The Com'lth v William Carter:** Superior Ct of Caroline Co. Unlawful gaming.....that **Hay Battaile** was not a freeholder, he had put his land under a deed of trust for paying a debt. Court: As the land has not been sold, the deed of trust does not disqualify him from serving on a jury.

p 254-45. **The Com'lth v John Stuart and Others:** Superior Ct of King George Co. the 18 Sep 1821..."For reasons appearing to the Ct, as well from its own observation as from the testimony of **Matthew King**, it is ordered, that **John Stuart**, **Benjamin Grymes**, **James F Minor**, **William G Stuart**, **John Hooe** and **Nehemiah H Mason**, ..to appear in next court ....attachment ... agst them for riotous and disorderly conduct .... committed by them in the presence of the Judge of this Court, at the tavern of **George Johnson** ... on the night of the

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17th instant ..... they were advised that the Judge was there .... they were drunk, and excessively noisy and turbulent ..... they were quarrelling and striking at each other .... one of the party struck the witness, and another rode his horse into the house .....could not be restrained until a late hour of the night.

p 255. **John Hammock v James Wilson:** Superior Ct of Kanawha Co. Unlawful Entry and Detainer .... that the deft, **Wilson**, had turned him out of possession of a tenement containing 100 acres and prayed restitution. The jury's verdict was in favor of the plft -- the judge ordered a new trial.

p 255-6. The Com'lth v **Adam Hickman, Jun:** Superior Ct of Law, Harrison co. Adjourned case. The deft indicted for perjury. ...The deft had sued **Joseph Fettro** for rent .... on 15 Oct 1819 **Hickman** was asked if he had received any rent from **Fettro** and he said no .... it was proved that he had .....Justices **Daniel Morris** and **John Reynolds** .....**William L Mitchell**, constable .....

p256. The Com'lth v **James Mortimer.** Superior Ct of Law, Ohio Co. The prisoner was indicted for burning the barn of **Josiah Thompson**. He was acquitted and then charged with the burning the barn of **Josias Thompson**.

## June Term, 1823

p257. The Com'lth v **James Smith:** Adjourned case Superior Ct of Law, Buckingham Co. .... Indicted for breaking and entering the store-house of **Brightberry Brown**. Guilty and given 7 years. New sentence to be given.

p 257-58. **Peter Young** v The Com'lth: Superior Ct of Law, Franklin Co. The indictment was feloniously stabbing a certain **Littleburg Young**.

p 258. **Peter**, a Slave, v The Com'lth: Superior Ct of Law for Hampshire Co. on 18 Nov 1822 for the murder of **William Poling** ....

p 258. **Nancy Hutchins** v The Com'lth: Superior Ct of Law for Washington Co. Incestuous Marriage. Nov term 1819 .... William Tankersly on 1 Mar 1819 did intermarry with **Nancy Hutchins**, the niece of the said **William Tankersly**, being the daughter of **Elizabeth Hutchins**, the sister of the said **William Tankersly** .....

p 259. **Beverly t Wells** v The Com'lth: Superior Ct of Chesterfield Co. June Term 1821. .. for selling ardent spirits, without license .....

p 259-61. **Everett Oxley** v **Bailey Turner** and **William T T Mason:** Superior Ct of Law for Loudoun co. Assault and battery agst the deft, **Turner**, ..... **Mason** became his appearance bail ...

p 261-63. The Com'lth v **John Ervin** and **Pleasant Lewis:** Adjourned case from Superior Ct of Scott Co. Forgery of Bank Notes. .... on 2 July 1822 did make and forge 6 notes .... did pass to **William Strong** ...

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CEMETERY

Bedford County, Virginia

From Bedford West on Rt. 460, turn right on Rt. 680 to Penicks Mill, turn left on 684, when you come to a fork, at a country store continue on Rt. 688 until you come to Rt. 692, turn right. A narrow gravel road takes you to the cemetery on top of a mountain.

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ORANGE, David A. 1954 - 1973  
WELCH, George D. (Sol) Feb. 16, 1882 - Jan. 19, 1958  
WELCH, Ella S. Dec. 9, 1887 - Feb. 26, 1954  
CARTER, William May 7, 1903 - Oct. 1, 1981  
" , Edith V. May 1, 1911 - Feb. 3, 1973  
Small stones marked only with first names: Blanche C., Judy C., Anna O.,  
Oten O., Tom O., may be reserved lots.  
OVERSTREET, Charles W. Mar. 16, 1947 - July 4, 1971  
OVERSTREET, W. Otey 1919 - 1986 (Carder Tharp Funeral)  
stone - Daniel H.  
CARTER, Don Davis Oct. 20, 1951 - Sept. 6, 1972  
CARTER, Eugene B. Mar. 29, 1898 - Feb. 18, 1974  
" , Ester Overstreet Apr. 20, 1901 - Mar. 14, 1987  
CARTER, James Atwell Dec. 12, 1920 - June 5, 1986 † Pvt. U S. Army W.W. II  
WELCH, Fannie D. Nov. 4, 1895 - Aug. 1, 1965  
WELCH, Albert B. June 4, 1890 - Aug. 26, 1951  
CARTER, Harry Lenold May 31, 1920 - Apr. 25, 1983, † U S Army W.W. II  
" , Louise Dec. 29, 1924  
rocks - grave of a small child  
OVERSTREET, Fannie Lee Apr. 3, 1884 - Jan. 1, 1978  
CARTER, Marvin Dempsey 1942 - 1965 (Lotz Funeral Marker)  
RUFF, Ollie R. April 1, 1910 - Apr. 3, 1986  
" , June R. June 8, 1905 - July 19, 1973  
RUFF, Johnny Delmos Son Jan. 23, 1949 - Feb. 12, 1972  
ROBERTSON, Lewis Chapman Son Aug. 31, 1946 - July 4, 1971  
ROBERTSON, Mrs. Ora V. 1894 - 1973  
tombstone broken off  
CARTER, Alvis G. 1939 - 1962  
" , Wallace W. 1935 - 1954  
CANTO, Donna C. Mother 1958 - 1987  
CARTER, M. A. Oct. 29, 1866 - Sept 15, 1950  
GROOVER, Lula B. July 25, 1920 - Aug. 30, 1950  
PHILLIPS, James Edward Died Sept. 20, 1957 - 58 yrs.  
CARTER, Fred May 1, 1892 - Sept. 22, 1967  
" , Lillie M. May 8, 1891 -  
CARTER, William O. Jan. 28, 1918 - Dec. 11, 1969  
" , Ruby O. Mar. 12, 1924  
CARTER, Luther Davis May 14, 1927 - Sept. 4, 1984 Father  
" , Hazel Orange May 20, 1929 Mother  
CARTER, Andrew J. June 5, 1894 - Oct. 6, 1964 Father  
CARTER, Emma Dooley July 4, 1896 - June 23, 1955 Mother  
RUFF, Edith Mae 1929 - 1980  
LOVE, Lila Dooley May 21, 1921 - Sept. 17, 1967 Mother  
CARTER, Henry J. 1911 - 1971  
" , Ellen H. 1903 - 1970  
CARDER, James Otey Died Aug. 195\_ (M. P. Carder Funeral)  
stone  
Pearl R. - no dates

RUFF, Walter J.	June 15, 1895 - Aug. 19, 1984	
Mary R. - no dates		
OVERSTREET, James H.	July 27, 1892 - Sept. 6, 1976	† Pvt. U S. Army, World War I
OVERSTREET, Martha P.	Feb. 16, 1896 - Feb. 16, 1979	
OVERSTREET, Amos	Aug. 22, 1896 - Apr. 10, 1981	
" , Gola D.	May 25, 1899 - Aug. 4, 1977	
RUFF, Elmer H.	Aug. 6, 1900 - Apr. 12, 1974	
ORANGE, Glen W.	Aug. 26, 1900 - Dec. 26, 1977	
" , Effie M.	Oct. 20, 1905 -	
ORANGE, Glenda E.	May 18, 1944 - Jan. 18, 1953	
ORANGE, RALEIGH Thomas	Apr. 30, 1923 - June 5, 1978	† GM 3 U S Navy W.W. II
cement marker		
ORANGE, George William	Apr. 4, 1918 - Jan. 21, 1980	† Pvt. U S Army
ORANGE, J. Willard	July 12, 1914 - Oct. 25, 1979	
" , Juliet E.	May 24, 1915 -	
DOOLEY, Lola C.	Dec. 10, 1906 - July 17, 1985	
DOOLEY, Jake B.	May 7, 1903 - Feb. 16, 1977	
DOOLEY, Fred Alton	Nov. 19, 1931 - July 3, 1960	†
	Virginia Cpl. 108 QM Bakery Co. Korea	
DOOLEY, Jake J. Son	1929 - 1974	
OVERSTREET, James O.	1903 - 1982	
" , Gracie C.	1907 - 1981	
RUFF, N. M.	1936 - 1937	
cement marker		
ORANGE, Samuel Joseph	Jan. 31, 1925 - Oct. 28, 1925	
ORANGE, Elmer Louis	Dec. 7, 1928 - Oct. 15, 1933	
broken marker		
cement marker		
OVERSTREET, Core M.	Sept. 7, 1899 - Oct. 22, 1930	
OVERSTREET, Arthur William	Jan. 21, 1892 - Jan. 2, 1978	† Pvt. U S Army World War I
ORANGE, March Virginia	Mar. 1, 1900 - Feb. 5, 1985	
ORANGE, Garrison Thomas	Nov. 8, 1894 - Nov. 26, 1966	
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From the Montgomery Messenger newspaper, Christiansburg, VA, Wednesday March 16, 1870:

Appointments of the Baltimore Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church for the Roanoke District:

E. F. Busy, Presiding Elder

Salem--W.A. Wade, L.H. Davis  
 Christiansburg--D. Bush  
 Blacksburg--P.H. Whisner  
 Fincastle--J.R. Fitzpatrick  
 Lexington--J.H. Temple  
 Buchanan--A.O. Flaherty

New Castle--G. Moore(?)  
 Catawba--W.T. Quinn  
 Sinking Creek--E.G. Jamieson  
 Lafayette--H.M. Strickler  
 Montgomery--L.B. Madison  
 Jacksonville--C.C. Wertenbaker

## HORNBERGER's FAMILY BIBLE

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(page) This Certifies that W. F. Hornbarger of Clifton Forge, Va., and Miss Sallie B. Gilliland of Charleston, W.Va. were united by me in the Bonds of Holy Matrimony At her Mother's residence on the 16th day of January in the year of our Lord 1889 In presence of A few intimate friends. Signed Rev. C. W. Cook, Pastor, Charleston, W.Va.

## (page) BIRTHS

W. T. Hornbarger, son of William P. and Mary C. Hornbarger born in Montgery Co. Va. June 12, 1862.

Sallie B. Hornbarger wife of W. T. Hornbarger daughter of Henry D. and Mary J. Gilliland born in Alleghany Co. Va. March 8, 1857.

William H. Hornbarger son of W. T. and S. B. Hornbarger born in Alleghany Co. Va. Nov. 29, 1890. Mary E. Hornbarger daughter of W. T. and S. B. Hornbarger was born in Alleghany Co. Va. June 24, 1892. Mattie (?Mollie) P. Daughter of W. T. and S. B. Hornbarger was born in Alleghany Co., Va. Oct. 1 rst 1894. Robert H. son of W T. and S B. Hornbarger was born in Alleghany Co. Va. January 8, 1899.

## (page) MARRIAGES

William Henry Hornbarger and Mrs Nellie B. Bradly was married February 1918/  
Martha P. Hornbarger and W. Neil Dudley was married December 20, 1918.  
Martha H. Dudley born Oct 15, 1919.

## (page) DEATHS

(top) Mamie E. Hornbarger died on 1/26/1967.

William P Hornbarger and Mary C. Hornbarger's children

William Trig was born June 12, 1862

John W. Was born January 5th, 1865

Daniel Peter was born Sept fith 1866.

Martha Jane was born Sept 14, 1869

Marion Lafayette was born April 20, 1871

Nancy Kezia, was born Sept 1rst, 1873 / died July 11th, 1874.

James Hiram Edger was born Jan 23, 1875 / died Oct 1889

Beatrice Annie born Jan 23, 1877, died early

Ettie May born July 12, 1879

Mry Rebeca Elisebeth was born January 2ond 1881

Sallie B Hornbarger died on 1/28/1943

W. T. Hornbarger died in March 1946.

## (page) MEMORANDUM

Henry D. Gilliland died July 3rd 1863 at Gettyesburg age 33 years

Mary Jane Gilliland died May 20, 1918, age 83 years.

Mary Cathrine Hornbarger died in April 1910, age 72. William P Hornbarger died in July 1914 age 78 years.

I here certify to all whom it may concern that on the 11th of March 1861

I Solemised the rites of marriage between William P. Hornbarger and Mary

Cathrine Evans to clerk of Alleghany Co. Va. / Rev James M Rice

W P Hornbarger born June 24, 1836 / Mary C. Evans January 28, 1838

(page) (Newspaper obituaries found in Bible)

DEATH OF MRS. HORNBARGER (written in 1(?) April 1910) Sergeant W. T. Hornbarger returned home last night from Hicksville, in Bland County, to which place he was called several days ago by a telegram announcing the extreme illness of his mother.

Mrs. Hornbarger died last Saturday and was buried Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Age, 72 years.

The deceased had been a great sufferer from Bright's disease for the past year, or more, and as her malady did not yield to the treatment of her physicians, at the time mentioned she passed peacefully away.

She is survived by her husband, Mr. W. P. Hornbarger, and the following children: W. T. Hornbarger, of Clifton Forge; J. W. Hornbarger, of Healing Springs; D. Hornbarger, of Hinton; M. L. Hornbarger, of Bluefield; Mrs. Ettie Dunn of Hicksville, and Mrs. Bettie Leffel, of Cove's Creek.

Mr. Hornbarger has the sympathy of his many friends in this city.

8/19/1972 ROBERT HORNBARGER DIES IN COVINGTON: FORMER RESIDENT. Robert Hughes Hornbarger, 73, Rt. 5, Jackson Heights, Covington, died at the home of his daughter Friday morning. He was a former resident of Clifton Forge.

He was born in Clifton Forge Jan. 3, 1879, the son of the late William T. and Sally Belle Gilliland. He had lived his entire life in the Clifton Forge area.

He was a retired C&O yard brakeman, and a member of Clifton Forge Presbyterian Church.

Mr. Hornbarger is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Donna H  
(Note: This obituary continues)

(page) (written) J. D. Gilliland, son of Henry D. and Mary J Hook Gilliland passed away Apr. 23, 1940, was taken to Charleston, W.Va. 25th of April 1940 and laid to rest by our mother in Spring Hill cemetery.

(Newspaper clipping) A QUIET WEDDING. This morning at 10 o'clock, Miss Sallie B. Gilliland, an estimable lady, was united in marriage to W. T. Hornebarger of Clifton Forge, Va., at the home of the bride, in Glen Elk, Rev. C. W. Cook, pastor of the M.D. Church South, performed the ceremony. There were present, the family and a few intimate friends, Mr. and Mrs. Hornebarger left for Clifton Forge, their future home, on the noon train. The best wishes of many friends accompany the happy couple on their journey through life.

\*703 Bedford Road; Bel Air, MD 21024

## QUERIES

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94-1: Alexander MONTGOMERY md Mary SMITH in Washington Co, Va ca 1780. His father was John MONTGOMERY of Amherst Co, Va. Who were her par?  
Isla MONTGOMERY, 216 Ross, Downs, Kansas 67437.

94-2: REDMAN (var sp)-HALE-CHADWELL: Seeking info on Ignatius REDMAN in Tithables 1758-1786 Loudoun Co, Va. Other REDMANS in Loudoun Co were Andrew, Francis, James, Jeremiah, John, Rhodam, Thomas & William. In 1767 Ignatius, James & Rhodam in Pittsylvania Co, 1782 in Patrick Co, Va. Wife was Nettie CHADWELL, son John. Nancy REDMAN (b 1780) md 1804, Patrick Co, to William HALE, s/o James & Polly Cummings HALE. James HALE & family were from Loudoun Co. Dorothy Hale AMIS, 8730 Ferncliffe Ave NE, Bainbridge Island, WA 98110-2940.

94-3: Samuel "Big Sam" ROBINETT, c 1710-1766, wife Mary CALDWELL, lived on or near Back Creek (East or West?), Augusta Co, 1761; Botetourt Co 1769; Fincastle Co 1772-6; Washington Co 1776; Smythe Co 1832. Last set of ch lived Montgomery & Wythe Co, Va with Thomas DUNN & Mary CALDWELL. Some neighbors lived Back Creek. Glenn E ROBINETTE, 224 Aspen St, Alexandria, VA 22305

94-4: The John THOMAS family relates that John md Mary ROBINETT at Washington Co (Augusta Co) in 1761, d/o Sam & Miss Cherry ALLEN(?) ROBINETT, related to Isaac & Jesse ALLEN? Old tale handed down in Samuel Houston ROBINETT (1762-1850) family, too. Any info somebody? Glenn E ROBINETTE, see 94-3.

94-5: Daniel ROBINETT's birth record reportedly on record at the Wythe Co, Va courthouse. What became of it? Daniel was the eldest s/o Sam & Mary CALDWELL ROBINETT, their other 3 ch: Michael, b 1765; Ann (md James WADDLE) b 1766; & James, b 1767 (apparently turned 21, 1788 Montgomery Co, Va Tax List). Trying to establish last family of "Big Sam" ROBINETT, above. Glenn E ROBINETTE, see 94-3.

(Note: Birth records were NOT recorded in Va courthouses until 1853. The birth could be in a deposition of a court case, pension record, etc.)

94-6: Want info on Gustave KESTER, a tailor who was living in the Roanoke area in the mid-1890's & is buried there. His ch were Chauncey, William, James, Harry, Bertha (SAVILLE) & 3 other daus whose md names were FITZGERALD, BROWN & NIGHTON. What was his wife's name, when was he born, when did he die & where is he buried? Don STRAHLE, 78 Beaumont Place, Thornhill, Ontario, L4J 4W8.

94-7: Elijah DICKERSON, s/o Griffith Sr, b 1755 - d ca 1832, Floyd Co (Rev War Pension stopped). Cannot find land sale or settlement of est. Was he f/o Elijah, wife Susannah GUTHRIE and Griffith, wife Rebecca THOMPSON? Elijah d 1876 Boone Co, IN; Griffith d 1845 Hendricks Co, IN. Will exchange. Marilynn DICKERSON, 740 N Wagner, Ann Arbor, MI48103.  
(note: see query 94-31)

## QUERIES - cont'd

94-8: Griffith DICKERSON, d 1802, leaving will; no settlement est. Will named Elijah & other ch, "his Griffith" to be ex'r. Leonard DICKERSON, wit, proved will 1823-25, Montgomery Co. Missing ex'r might be in Vevay, Switzerland Co, IN. Petition for Rev War pension stated he lived 6 yrs VA, 14 yrs KY, 23 yrs IN after War. Cannot find KY residence though 2 other Griffith DICKERSONS stayed in KY. Petition not filed. Will exchange. Marilynn DICKERSON, see 94-7.

94-9: In his will dated 18 Oct 1760, William BOYD of Flatt Cr, Bedford Co, Va, names sons John, James, Robert, Francis & Joseph. Who did these sons marry & who were their ch? Is there a relationship bet these sons & John, Joseph, Robert & James BOYD found in Patrick & Franklin Cos. in the early 1800s? Carl BOYD, PO Box 795, McBride, B.C., VOJ 2EO Canada. (US Postage 40¢)

94-10: Seek p/o Phoebe/Phoebe PECK (b 1 Dec 1821) md Charles HURT c1849, d 10 Mar 1909, Ada Co, Idaho. Ch: Sarah Ann (BOYD), William, Margaret (VINCEN), Bradford, & Mary Jane (COX). Family tradition & son William's death certificate say Phoebe was b in GA; 1850 Russell Co, Va, census says she was b in VA & her pars were b in England. Carl BOYD, see 94-9

94-11: William SPENCER md Cary (?) c 1853/4. Need proof of Cary/Carrie's maiden name. Need death date(s) & place(s) for sons Daniel R SPENCER & Sanders Sherman SPENCER, both md Carr. Co, Va. Mrs S Oscar DEAN, RD 3 Box 82, Cambridge Springs, PA 16403.

94-12: Would like to correspond with desc of Calaway & Elizabeth (HAWKS) GALYEAN md 1845 Surry Co, NC. Known ch: Martha, Jonathan, Thomas & Susan. Mrs S Oscar DEAN, see 94-11.

94-13: Need maiden name of Jane Magdalaine who md Thomas ROBERTSON (b c 1761, d Franklin Co, Va, will proved 1798. Billie R LEWIS, 1104 Voncile St, Lake Wales. FL 33853-3919.

94-14: \$100 REWARD for documented proof of parents & bp of Matthew MARTIN (b c1773, d Sept 1853 Franklin Co, Va) md Edith STATON, d/o George & Sarah (ROBERTSON) STATON. Issue: Margaret, Virginia E, Hezekiah, Mathew Jr, John, Mary, Elizabeth & Anna; all named in father's will. Billie R LEWIS, see 94-13.

94-15: \$100 REWARD for documented proof of pars & bp of Andrew E. LEWIS, b 1801 NC (according to Washington Co, Va 1850-60 census records); d bet 1860-70 census records; md/1 Elizabeth KAYLOR d/o Daniel KAYLOR & Elizabeth WEEKS; md/2 Sarah ? who d 1888 & buried in Mendota Cemetery in Washington Co, Va. Billie R LEWIS, see 94-13.

94-16: I have been trying to determine the name of the f/o Benjamin BOON(E) who md Margaret Ann Fisher. They were the p/o my gf, Benjamin Franklin BOONE, b Floyd. Can you direct this inquiry to any BOONES that are members of the Society - I would be most appreciation. Elizabeth B. BRAGG, 14661 Palmetto Palm, Miami Lakes, FL 33014.

94-17: Need additional info on the following people from Craig Co & the surrounding cos of Va. William O ELMORE md Fannie S TUCKER 2 Jan 1878. John A RUBLE md Laura TUCKER 9 Jan 1883. Perriair A WOLF(E) md Virginia Bell TUCKER

## QUERIES - cont'd

27 Jan 1887. All letters will be answered within 7 days.

James TUCKER, PO Box 943, Commerce, TX 75429-0943.

94-18: Need info on TUCKER family in Craig, Botetourt & Alleghany Cos. William A TUCKER (b c1870-1 Craig Co, Va) & Issac S TUCKER (b c1874-5 Craig Co, VA). Who did these 2 men marry? Where did they go? All letters will be answered within 7 days. James TUCKER, see 94-17.

94-19: Need info on ch & sibs of: John TUCKER Sr md Peggy Margaret PAXTON or PASTON 26 Oct 1824 in Botetourt Co, Va. Their ch were William, Henry, John Jr, Andrew I, Alexander, Elizabeth, Sophia, Berry & Eliza I TUCKER. All letters will be answered within 7 days. James TUCKER, see 94-17.

94-20: Need p/o Lorenzo GILLESPIE, b 1800-10 (per 1840 census), md Margaret CHAFFING (LDS record) - Lt of Tazewell Co militia 1829 - deputy sheriff 1836 (Harman's Annals). F/o William L GILLESPIE who md Lydia J KENDRICK. "Bill L" was my g gf. I am unable to connect them with the extensive Tazewell GILLESPIE family. Charles H McGLOTHLIN, 200 Sherwood Forest, Wytheville, VA 24382. phone 703-228-4605.

94-21: Seeking info on Levi Henry SCHAUB (b 1-5-1839, d 5-24-1863) md 8-18-1858 Mary Melissa MCCRAW (b 4-17-1837, d 6-26-1914) Approximate area NC/Va. Betty Young SMITH, 7064 Hickman Cemetery Road, Radford, VA 24141.

94-22: Seeking info on Mary Agnes BURNETT (b ?, d 7-14-1908 at 4th of July picnic) md Elijah Franklin MCPEAK (b 7-3-1882). Need pars, etc. Also, info on Archie MCPEAK & Lucretia SUTPHIN. No other info known. Approx. area Pulaski/Montgomery Cos, VA. or WV. Betty Young SMITH, see 94-21.

94-23: Need pars & sibs of Samuel HENDERSON (b c1805, ?Montgomery Co, Va- d 1841-2) md 1831 Mary McDONALD. Ch: Julia, Ruth, Orville md 1860 Naomi Delilah JOHN, Edward & Eldridge. Orville & Delilah had 1 ch, Jefferson David HENDERSON, b 1861. Orville & bro Eldridge killed in the Civil War. Was Edward also killed? Did Edward md Catherine ? ? Mrs Mark W HEATHERINGTON, PO Box 7933, Orlando, FL 32854.

94-24: 1850 census Montgomery Co, VA lists Thomas HENDERSON, age 28 & Julia HENDERSON, 18, living with above widowed Mary HENDERSON & her 4 other ch, Ruth, Orville, Eldridge & Edward. Thomas & Julia were md April 1850. To which HENDERSON family did Thomas belong? Was he killed in the Civil War? Julia purportedly killed in a fall from a hayloft. When? Did they have dau Anna b c1855? Mrs Mark W HEATHERINGTON, see 94-23.

94-25: 1860 Census Raleigh Co, WV has Anna HENDERSON, age 5, living with her uncle Orville HENDERSON & wife Delilah. 1870 Raleigh Census, Anna HENDERSON, 15, is living with Mary & Ruth HENDERSON. Was she d/o Thomas & Julia HENDERSON now living with her widowed gm & maiden aunt? Mrs Mark W HEATHERINGTON, see 94-23.

94-26: I would like to correspond with other QUALLS-QUARLES researchers whose QUARLES-QUALLS families moved from Va to Tn then to Ark. I would also like to hear from anyone trying to find names for all 23 of Issac QUARLES ch. Wilma Qualls BENNETT, Rt 5 Box 380, Blanchard, Okla 73010.

## QUERIES - cont'd

94-27: Need info on Peter FOX, b c1744, lived in PA, probably Lancaster or Berk Co, may have settled Cripple Cr, Wythe Co, was the f/o Mathias FOX, who md Barbary Spangler & settled in Burke's Garden, Tazewell Co. Where was he b? Who were his pars? Elizabeth Ann Fox MARTIN, 3906 Shelley Drive, Mobile, AL 36693.

94-28: James SHEPARD/SHEPPARD s/o C SHEPARD of Pulaski Co, Va md Mary WARDEN 11 Sep 1873. Mary d/o Oscar D & Julia Ann WARDEN. I will appreciate hearing from anyone who has knowledge of this family. I would like to hear from desc of this couple. Malita W MURPHY, HC71 Box 319, Princeton, WV 24740.

94-29: John W OWENS/OWEN, s/o A & E OWENS of Pulaski Co, Va, md Sarah E WARDEN 24 Apr 1877. Sarah E d/o Oscar & Julian Ann WARDEN. I will appreciate hearing from anyone having knowledge of this family. Some spell the name OWEN - can anyone tell me who the sibs of John are & where are the desc of this family at the present time? Malita W MURPHY, see 94-28.

94-30: Joseph & Annie WARDEN lived Roanoke, Va during the early 1900's. They were p/o 2 ch Albert WARDEN and Dorothy WARDEN FITZGERALD. Albert d in the 1940's leaving 2 daus. Dorothy (Mrs Freddie) FITZGERALD may still be alive living in Roanoke. Can anyone advise me regarding any family of either Albert or Dorothy? Would like to contact this family. Malita W MURPHY, see 94-28.

94-31: Seeking name of pars & info about: George COOK (b 1777) md 4 Dec 1800, Madison, Va to Jermima WILHOIT (b 25 Apr 1779). Griffith DICKERSON (b Floyd, Va-d 1845-6) md Rebecca THOMPSON - son Reed DICKERSON b 1816 Montgomery Co, Va. Jean FIELDS, 3820 N St. Rd 39, Lebanon, IN 46052.  
(Note: see query 94-7)

94-32: Alexander RODGERS, b Va, md Jeruseda AVERY - had son Samuel Marion RODGERS, b 1849 Roanoke Co, Va. Need pars names & info. Jean FIELDS, see 94-31.

~~94-33~~ 94-33: See pars & sibs of Hamilton GARDNER (b 1811 Va-d 1856-60), lived Montgomery Co, Va in 1850, md Juliet THOMPSON 1834. Ch: Mary E md James W HICKOK; Ellen J md Wm EPPERLY; Levinia; Fleming md Alice HALE; Robert md India; Edward md Isabella CARTY; Rosa md Harvey WALTERS; Eliza md John SIMPKINS. Would like to Correspond with anyone having info on this family. Marian A BARNABA, 1525 Krebs Drive, Newark, Ohio 43055-1730.

## ABBREVIATIONS

b - born	ch - child, children	d/o - daughter of	g gf - great grandfather	p/o - parent(s) of
bet - between	co - county	est - estate	gm - grandmother	sib(s) - sibling(s)
bp - birthplace	cr - creek	ex'r - executor	info - information	sis(s) - sister(s)
bro - brother	d - died	f/o - father of	md - married	s/o - son of
c or ca - about	desc - descendants	gf - grandfather	par(s) - parent(s)	wit - witness

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"Orderly Book of Col. Henry Bouquet's Expedition in 1764", edited by Edward G. Williams. The ten pages of introductory notes, map and explanatory notes, with sources cited, contribute considerable interest.

by Gene Swartzell

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#### FAMILY NEWSLETTER

**ELLIOTT 'N' KIN:** A new Elliott newsletter - from the V 1 #1, Feb 1994 issue that we were given (and to be placed in the Virginia Room, Roanoke City Library Roanoke, Va) is very good. The main article is on Philip Lock Elliott, hints, queries, etc. The subscription rate is \$6.00 per year. Address: ELLIOTT 'N' KIN, John Burrows, 815 Hartsook Blvd, Roanoke, Va 24014.

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