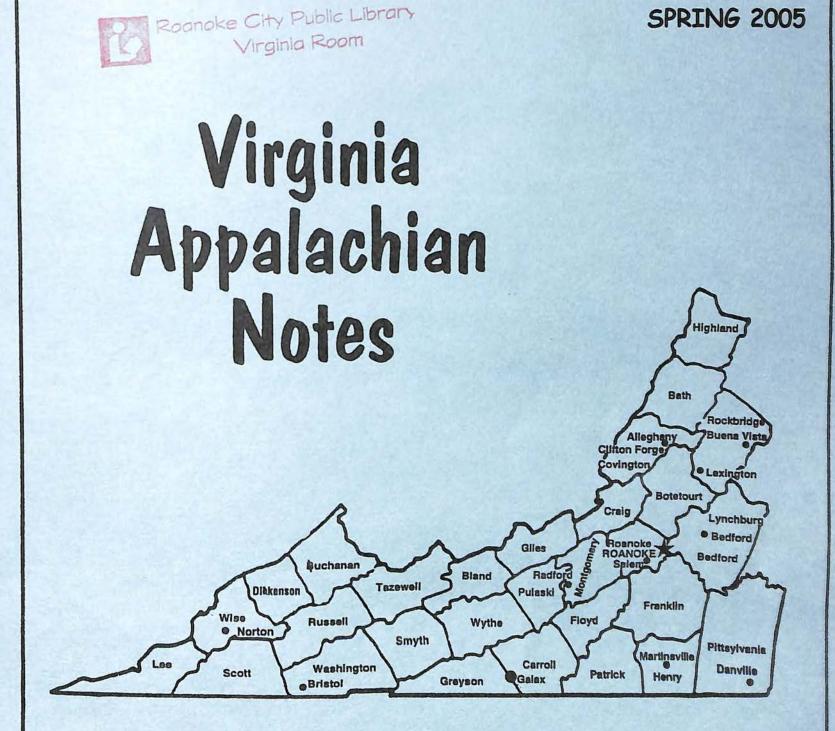
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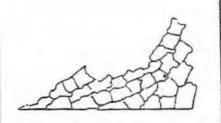
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In Memoriam: William H. Walters, 12 May 2004. A book has been placed in the Virginia Room in his honor.

New Member: Betty Ruth Johnson, Eagle Rock, VA



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May 2005

Dear Friends,

We did get an education on the workings and needs of libraries. In addition to the expected books and microfilms to augment collections, shelving and repair of a reader/printer was requested. Projects included digitizing or microfilming of early newspapers, cemeteries and photo collections. The purchase of archival quality materials to properly preserve or to reorganize collections. And there were more....quite a challenge!

Be sure to read the published minutes of the March 22 special meeting of the Executive Board to select recipients of grants. It was very difficult to schedule because the members who are 'retired' are busy with volunteer work. Only two could not attend; Elaine had to work and Fred was volunteering. I think we all feel very good about the success of the Grants Program and hope you do!

The spring issue will be a little early to work around vacation plans of committee members. The publishing committee expresses their appreciation to several members who have contributed work, they have done or have found during research, to the VAN. The search for articles is constant. Do you have research you would like to share? Please do, and do not forget to cite your sources.

Remember, the summer issue will not have a Surname Index this year. Consider sending a Query to locate others researching the same names. The committee has experienced an increase of queries recently as members are reaching out for help. Each member is allowed two queries per issue.

The program for the May 21st meeting will be presented by Circuit Judge Gino Williams titled "Researching Floyd County".

Best regards, Gene

SOUTHWESTERN VIRGINIA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY, INC. Executive Board Minutes Special Meeting March 22, 2005

The meeting was called to order at 1:00 P.M. in the Brody Room of the Roanoke City Main Library. The purpose of the meeting was to select winners of the Grants to Libraries and Historical Societies in our southwest Virginia area.

Present: Gene Swartzell, Babe Fowler, Mickey Prescott, Jim Nelson, Karen Kappesser, Don Vaughan and Winfred Hart. Absent: Elaine Powers and Fred Anderson

The response to the Southwestern Virginia Genealogical Society's grant announcement was extremely positive. We had many applications with requests coming from most of the counties in southwest Virginia. The Society is both pleased and challenged by this response, the challenge having been to select winners from among so many worthy and deserving projects.

Every member of the executive board was given a copy of each application ten days prior to the meeting for their consideration. The projects and needs of the applicants were reviewed. Elaine could not be present, but submitted her preferences.

A list of Award winners and their projects is attached.

The Award Letter by Elaine Powers was approved: Awards will be mailed and letters of notification will also be sent to unsuccessful candidates.

Adjournment: 2:20 P.M.

Submitted by

Gene

Gene Swartzell, Acting Secretary

AWARD WINNERS

Bassett Historical Center Bath County Historical Society Botetourt County Libraries Franklin County Historical Society Wise County Historical Society Lonesome Pine Regional Library Bath County Public Library Bedford Public Library Systems Clifton Forge Public Library Giles County Historical Society Wythe County Historical Society Coeburn Community Library.

Roanoke Public Libraries -Virginia Room

NEWS RELEASE

The Western Pennsylvania Genealogical Society and the Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania have reached an agreement to hold a state-wide genealogical conference in Pittsburgh on September 29 and 30, 2006. This event, the first state-wide genealogical seminar held in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, will undoubtedly draw considerable numbers of family historians to Pittsburgh because Pennsylvania is a genealogically significant state. For three centuries the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania has been one of the most populous colonies or states, so many family historians can track their ancestry back to Pennsylvania.

Program specifics will be announced later in 2005. Conference planners, John T. Humphrey and Barbara Braden Guffey, have noted the program will feature presentations that will discuss all aspects of Pennsylvania research along with computer and Internet topics as well as not-to-be missed methodology lectures.

Both societies have experience running large conferences. In 1997 the Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania hosted the NGS Conference held at Valley Forge, and in 2003 the Western Pennsylvania Genealogical Society hosted NGS's Centennial Conference. Both conferences were among the most successful events NGS has held.

Society websites: www.wpgs.org and www.genpa.org.

For further information contact Barbara Braden Guffey, guffeyb@verizon.net or 412-487-3907

SIGNS OF THE TIMES.

ARTICLES

6130 Old Cifax Road Forest, VA 24551 Oct 14, 2004

To the Signs of the Times,

have had the blessed privilege recently to examine an old family Bible belonging to the late Elder Henry Valentine Cole who lived in Floyd County, Virginia, near Locust Grove. This Bible is now in the possession of Elder Cole's grandaughter, Nancy Cole Leftwich of Madison Heights Virginia.

Elder Cole's parents, Fleming and Abigail Vest Cole were among the early settlers of Floyd County. His paternal great-great-grandfather was Joseph Cole, a soldier in the Revolutionary War. On Oct. 18, 1877 he married Miss Tempy Lawrence A document found in the Bible states the following: Laurel Creek Primitive Baptist Church Floyd County Va. Saturday before the fourth Sunday in July 1897 Henry Valentine Cole is liberated to go into all the world wherever the Lord may cast his lot and preach the Gospel of Christ. Amos Dickerson, Moderator, A.F. Ferguson Clerk.

Elder Cole faithfully served various Primitive Baptist Churches in the Floyd area including: Laurel Creek, Valley View and County Line and others. He was a close friend of Elder P.G. Lester who was one of the editors of the Primitive Baptist publication "Zion's Landmark".

Elder Cole was instrumental in the establishment of the Locust Grove Telephone Company and also served as it's president. He was also a well known schoolteacher in Floyd County and also served the County in the capacity of land assessor and justice of the peace. He and his wife were blessed to celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary in 1928 before his death on Dec 12, 1935 at the age of 82 years.

In his family Bible Elder Cole documented a very accurate record of all the persons he baptized in the time period 1901-1925. No doubt many of the names listed have descendants still living in the Floyd County and Roanoke, Virginia area.

I have attempted to transcribe this list as accurately as I possibly could. I stand to be corrected on some of the spelling as some of it was not legible due to the age and condition of the paper.

Perhaps you would like to publish these names in some future edition of the "Signs" I am also including a photo of Elder Cole and his wife, Tempy Lawrence Cole, a memorial that Elder Cole wrote on the occasion of his mother's death in 1924 and a copy of a Circular Letter to the churches of the Smith River Association in 1897 also found in the Bible. Any or all of this you are more than welcome to publish. I hope it will be of interest to some of the readers.

Respectfully submitted, Steve A. Everett, Forest, Va.



Elder Henry Valentine Cole and wife Tempy Lawrence Cole

> A record of persons baptized by Elder Henry Valentine Cole 1901-1925

Cole Shanks-1901 Frazier Sowers wife-1902 Austin Martin and wife-1902 Andy J. Martin's wife-1902 Cannon Smith-1902 Wilmouth Jane Conner wife of George B. Conner-1902 Carra Munsey, wife of Kyle Munsey 1902 widow Dillon (near Auburn) Wife of Jack Peters James Maxey Ellen Roop wife of James Roop-June 1903 Sallie H. Phillips (a mid.

Sallie H. Phillips (a widow)-June 1903 Elzora Poff Wife of James Poff - August

4, 1904

Cannada Light-August 16, 1904 Osburn Sowers-May 26, 1907 Charles Reed-August 7, 1907 William C. Booth - May 26 1907 Charles Poff-August 11 1907 Mrs. James Lemon and Daughter Mrs Plegar-Sept 1907 Joseph Board and wife-Sept 19 1907 Miss Ida Dobyns-Oct 61907 Mrs. William H. Poff Nov 9 1907 Miss Bet tie Spangler-May 1908 H. A. Spangler-June 1908 Columbus Rakes-Nov 1908 Letcher Cole-May 1909 Noah Spangler and wife-Oct 3, 1909 Archie Sowers-Nov 1909 Mary Cole Kyle Cole's wife-Nov 1909 A Sister Willis at Salem Church-March 18, 1910 Laura O Board wife of Ras Board-March 271910 Pearly Cole wife of Letcher Cole -March 27, 1910 Eliza Cannady wife of Otho Cannady-1st Sunday in June 1910 Cloe Martin wife of J. T. Martin-Aug. 27 1910 Oma Board wife of Henry Board-Aug. 27, 1910 Founch Cole wife of Waller S. Cole -Aug. 27, 1910 Mrs. Conner wife of Walter Conner -Aug 27, 1910 Florence Lester wife of William Lester-June 1910 Samuel and wife-Jan 1911 Henry Board-Jan 1911 Mrs. Amelia Poff wife of Riley Poff April 8 1911 Miss Sarah Furrow-April 91911 Charles Poff's wife-July 8 1911 Giles Martin's wife-July 8 1911 Samuel Terry-July 22 1911 Samuel Nowlin-July 22 1911 S. M. Poff-July 291911 Oscar Wickman's wife-Aug 4, 1911 Vinie Mills-Aug 4, 1911

SIGNS OF THE TIMES

Mrs. Oscar Poff-Aug 12, 1911 Mrs. Charles Reed-Aug 12, 1911 Robert Conner and wife-June 16, 1912 Both couples baptized at Laurel Creek Jasper Jones and wife-June 16, 1912 Mrs. Smith-June 23 1912-County Line Sister Janie Nichols-July 14, 1912-Salem Mary E. Poff (Wife of K. Poff)-Sept 29, 1912-Salem Lucy Austin-Oct. 13 1912 Lucy Austin-Oct. 13 1912 Maide Mande Blackwell (wife of Arthur)-March 22, 1913 Mrs. Gracie Basham-Aug. 17, 1913 R. H Bugg - Aug. 24 1913 Annie Wilson - Aug. 31, 1913 H. A. Conner and wife-Sept. 18, 1913 Joseph Clower-2nd Sunday in June 1914 Wife of Tom Trail 4th Sunday in Aug. 1914 James Ferano and wife, Abigail-2nd Sunday in June 1915 Lucy Martin-2nd Sunday in June 1915 Mrs Cynthia Booth (date not stated Lemuel Farris and wife (date not stated) Mrs. Poage Sept 29, 1917 Mrs. Jarrels-May 1918 Mrs Palmer-1918 Mrs. Hattie Collins (widow)-May 25, 1919 Waskie Conner and wife-July 13, 1919 Ervine Poff's wife-July 13, 1919 Mrs. James Conner and daughter, Oakey-April 1921 William Turner-April 1921 at County Line Balard Dobyns-June 5, 1921 Joseph Justin-Aug. 14, 1921 Thomas Agee and wife-Aug. 20, 1921 the widow Aldridge-July 29, 1923 (for Pure Creek) Mrs. Robert Smith-1923 D.W. Vest-1925 Mrs Homer Kelly-Oct 4, 1925 Dallas Young-Oct 12, 1925 Sam Poff-Oct 12, 1925

Mr.Mrs Roy Conner, Laura Conner-Nov. 8, 1925

J.D. King-Nov. 8, 1925

Mary Conner, widow of John Aaron Conner

(handwriting very shaky on last entry)

will try to write a few lines in memory of the death of my mother Abigail Cole who died on the 8th day of Dec. 1924, at the age of 91 years and 2 months. She was a member of the Primitive Baptist church for about 68 years and had the confidence and fellowship of the church, and lived at peace among her neighbors and was always ready to make any sacrifice that she could make for their comfort. She lived a widow for 36 years. Her husband. Flemming Cole, died in the year 1888. The writer was the only child. She leaves 5 living grand children. O.F., S.W., S.L., C.R. and Minnie M. Cole and several great-grand children, and while she lived with us was old and feeble, yet we miss her and feel so sad and lonely and when we enter her room we are made to feel so keenly that we have no mother. She always tried to impress upon our minds the vital principals of morality and industry. She was called aunt Abbie by all the neighbors and was loved and respected by all so far as I was able to know.

H. V. Cole

From Primitive Baptist Newsletter - Vol. 173 #2 Feb. 2005

Early Landowners of Pennsylvania: Atlas of Township Warrantee Maps of Washington County, Pa.

Ancestors Tracks (<u>www.ancestortracks.com</u>) has introduced the first of its county atlas series, early Landowners of Pennsylvania: Atlas of Township warrantee Maps of Washington County, Pa. Those township maps, which are on file at the PA Archives in Harrisburg, show the earliest surveys of tracts in each township; names of the warrantee and patentee; dates of the warrant, survey, and patent; and the patent book and page. What I found unique and so handy is that the township warrantee maps, which are typically extremely large and hard to handle, have been reduced to page size for easy use and coordinates have been added to them. All the information for each landowner has been detailed into easy-to-read tables for quick reference. Since each tract has coordinates, you can locate the tracts of your ancestors and their relatives and neighbors on the map easily. They have added copious footnotes from published county histories, as well as an everyname index. You can see a sample page of their book at

http://ancestortracks.com/washblurb.html (click on "information found on this map"). There is also a CD of the maps available, which makes it possible to zoom in for details.

This series will, for those of you with Western Pennsylvania ancestors:

*Pin your families to exact locations prior to the 1790 census.

- *reveal family relationships you might not have realized. Relatives tended to live next to each other in those times so tracts that are contiguous could indicate new family ties.
- *Trace the progression of families and neighbors as they moved across Pennsylvania
- *Locate wills, church records, deeds and orphan court records by showing which towns your ancestors lived in
- *Help plan a trip to the land of your ancestors, so you can walk where they walked and feel your roots
- *Give flesh to your ancestors by helping you find historical events in the county histories where they lived
- *Uncover the history of modern land tracts.

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Copies of the Washington County Atlas & CD are available from either Ancestor Tracks (ancestortracks.com) or Closson Press (clossonpress.com) at a cost of \$30: the CDs are \$15. The second volume, Early Landowners of Pennsylvania: Township Warrantee Maps of Fayette County, PA., is being printed and will be released any day now. They have also published a book detailing the Virginia land transfers entitled Early Landowners of Pennsylvania: Land Tracts Transferred from Virginia to Pennsylvania 1779-1780 for \$25 and a CD of Caldwell'S Illustrated Historical Atlas of Washington County for \$25. (Sent to us by Sharon MacInnes, WPGS member #5924)

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LIBERTY ACADEMY

LIBERTY ACADEMY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL of CENTRAL DISTRICT, BEDFORD COUNTY -ESTABLISHED 1936

ALLEN MT.	OTTERVIEW
FIZER	FAIRVIEW
KRANTZ	WOODLAWN
STONEY FORK	WHEATLAND
EBENEZER	BLOUNT
CENTERVILLE	TRINKLE
LOWRY	CALVARY

FOREWORD

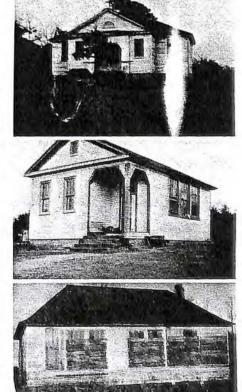
Hidden away along the by roads of Central District lie the remains of the little schools where generations of Bedford's citizens learned their three R's. Well remembered by those who once walked weary miles to school, the little buildings have now felt the hand of progress. Like many of the beloved things of old, there was no place for them in this modern age. Hallowed in our thoughts, these old remains stand as another example that "the old order changeth". As Bedford enters her Third Century, the school house of yore is replaced by the modern classroom and the familiar yellow buses.

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HISTORY OF LIBERTY ACADEMY

The school now known as Liberty Academy was formerly Randolph-Macon Academy.

Randolph-Macon College for men was established in Boydton, Virginia, in 1839 as a Methodist-Episcopal School. However, it was moved to Ashland, Virginia, following the War Between the States. W. W. Smith, founder of the Randolph-Macon system, felt the need of feeder or preparatory schools for the College at Ashland. Due to the scarcity of public high schools in the state the boys at Ashland had to take preparatory work at the colleges.

In 1890, Dr. Smith chose Bedford as the location for a feeder school. This school was named Randolph-Macon Academy. Thirty acres of land were bought through donations and a school was built. The original building is what is now Liberty Academy. The bricks for the new building were made on the grounds and a lake was made when the land was excavated for the clay for the bricks. This lake was very popular with the skaters of Bedford in the winter. Also, the ice from the pond was stored in an ice house which was located just behind the main building.

Randolph-Macon Academy was opened in the fall of 1890. The original building had a capacity of one hundred and twenty five students. In 1915, the east wing which houses the present teachers' apartment was added to the main building. The west or gymnasium wing was burned in 1920 and was rebuilt during the next year. In addition, a swimming pool was built adjoining the gymnasium.

Dr. Smith decided an Front Royal, Virginia, as the site for the second feeder school. This school was built in 1892 by the same plan as was used in Bedford. Even the grounds were as much like the Bedford grounds as possible. It has been said that this school had one of the most beautiful locations of any school in the State of Virginia.

The auditorium of Liberty Academy was used as a study hall. Each student had his own desk and was required to be in study hall five nights a week—Monday through Friday. Classes were held on Saturday rather than on Monday.

The average enrollment at the academy was two hundred and twenty-five. The classes were small with only twelve to fifteen students to each class. This resulted in a close relationship between the teacher and the students. The first co-principals were A. M. Hughlett and E. Sumpter Smith. Mr. Hughlett left in 1898 and Mr. Smith was the principal until 1918. From 1918-1922 E. Sumpter Smith and William R. Phelps served as co-principals. Col. Phelps became principal in 1922. He held this position until the Academy closed in 1933.

In 1933, due to the depression and to the fact that there were more public schools, Randolph-Macon Academy was forced to close. The school in Front Royal had burned and had been rebuilt so it was decided to use the one with the newer buildings; therefore, the Academy in Bedford was closed.

The Bedford County School Board purchased this unique and lovely Academy building and grounds in 1936 for \$33,000 for the purpose of using it as a public County School.

The building went down rapidly during the twoyear period it was abandoned. Hundreds of window panes had to be put in and other repairs made in order to make it usable for a public elementary school. During the period it was abandoned hoboes from the railroad had found it a sheltering place from the cold.

A period of consolidation of the one and two-room schools of Central District started with the opening of Liberty Academy Elementary School in the fall of 1936. Approximately 18 small schools consolidated to form the present Liberty Academy Elementary School. (See picture of feeder schools).

One of the last smaller schools to close was "Woodland" which was on Route 43. This school closed after the death of Miss Louise Armbruster who had taught there for many years.

The Liberty Academy building has served as a central meeting place for County Teachers' Meetings, teacher workshops, banquets, extension courses, and group meetings. It also houses the Bureau of Teaching Materials Center, and Supervisors' Office.

From its very beginning as a public school the east wing of the third floor has been used as a teacherage. The majority of the teachers and student teachers who have taught at the Academy have been housed there. During Warld War II when the housing situation was critical, teachers from other schools in the County also lived there. The principals of the school and their families have always lived in the buildings. Several other principals, supervisors, and custodians have also had apartments there.

Eight buses transport pupils to Liberty Academy School; four of the buses make two trips. The first bus loads arrive about eight o'clock in the morning and go back for second loads. The last of the second bus loads leave about four o'clock in the afternoon.



SCHOOL BUSES AT LIBERTY ACADEMY, 1952-Loaded to take children home from school

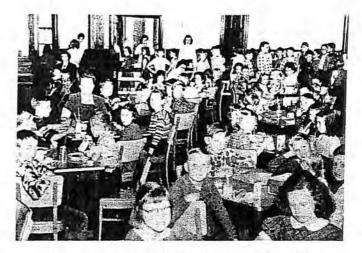
When the school was started, the lunchroom was opened in what is now known as the auditorium at Liberty Academy. The children sat in old style desks which were in one corner of the auditorium. The kitchen was in a small room nearby and served mainly soup. It has been moved to the present lunch room and has grown into a modern lunchroom with bright tables, chairs and drapes. It also has a modern kitchen and facilities for serving hot lunches. Approximately 335 lunches are served each day.

Mrs. A. L. Garrison is in charge of the School Library at this time. She has added hundreds of good books to the library. Each grade is served by the library in addition to room libraries of supplementary books. Mrs. Garrison keeps the latest and best materials in front of the pupils at all times.

Under the leadership of our present principal, Mr. A. L. Garrison, the building is noted for its cleanliness and beauty. The general organization and administration of the school is on an exceptionally high level.

The original enrollment at Liberty Academy was approximately 245. It has grown to an enrollment of 490 at the present time.

The original faculty of seven teachers has grown to eighteen at the present time, while the number of sections for each grade has grown from one to two and three.



A scene in THE LUNCH ROOM at Liberty Academy, 1952

The original teachers when the school was started 1936 were: Miss Norma Franklin, Miss Nell Boswe Miss Linda Walker, Miss Bernice Sloop, Miss Mary Ali Glass, Miss Wilma Dickerson and Miss Ethel Stevens.

This was an alert, wide awake, energetic and inte ested group of teachers. They had a real challenge, wi the occupation of such a spacious and lovely old buil ing. Most of the classrooms had been freshly painte The classrooms were quite modern for that period time, with small work rooms adjoining the main room running water in each classroom, a wall socket for u of radio and victrolas, work benches, drawing ease and sand tables.

The alert faculty under the direction of Miss Mc Kelly, Elementary Supervisor of the County Schools that time, and Superintendent A. G. Cummings, set (the type of work which was in keeping with the reviso Virginia State Course of Study. The revised edition the State Course of Study was published for use of c teachers in the State of Virginia.



A LIBRARY scone at Liberty Academy, 1952. Mrs. A. L. Garrison Librarian

PRINCIPALS OF LIBERTY ACADEMY







MR. SAMUEL COFFEY

MR. O. T. BONNER

MRS. MADELINE DRISKILL









MR. NICHOLAS HURT

MR. GORDON STEWART

MRS. RUBY BASKERVILL

MR. A. L. GARRISON

This type of work had many merits which will be long remembered and respected. The pupils developed a sense of responsibility, self-discipline, courtesy, manners, use of talents and leadership ability.

The point of view for developing the Virginia Instructional Program was as follows: (Quote-State Course of Study)

"The American system of free public schools has been developed to assist in perpetuating, improving, and realizing democratic ideals. The school, therefore, must be democratic, not only in its instructional program, but also in its organization and method.

The effectiveness with which the desired attitudes will function depends upon the facility with which the pupil can use the specific habits, abilities, and knowledge involved in dealing with the life problem. It is important, therefore, that mastery of the abilities and knowledge essential to the solution of a problem should be insisted upon. The learning experience which promises results in terms of modifications of behavior occurs in the problem-solving setting, in which abilities and knowledge find purposeful use, rather than in the memorization of isolated facts and the mastery of unrelated abilities." (Unquote)

This type of work continued for many years. Each class room was open for observation and hundreds of supervisors and teachers from all parts of the State came to the Academy to observe the work being done. It was also used as an observation center for the County Teachers.

A similiar type of work continued with added features to the program, such as: Glee Clubs, Vested Choirs, Rhythm Bands, Art Rooms, Music Rooms, Elementary

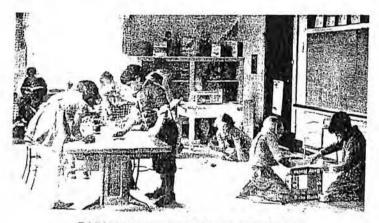
Home Economics, Woodwork Shop, Science Laboratory and Library. By adding these features, it was possible to give the child's special talent, interests and ability a continued opportunity to develop.

Talents were shown each spring when elaborate pageants were held on the lawn. The pageants were original and were written by the pupils and teachers. The themes were centered around classroom work and every child participated. The elaborate costumes were made by the parents, children and teachers. Musical instruments for the pageants were made by the music and art classes. Motion pictures were made of some of the pageants and are available for use today. This type curriculum gave the children a chance to develop personality, grace, dignity, as well as talent in music, art, speaking and dramatization.



MISS BURNS' CLAY MODELING CLASS-1952

Walter Hopkins, Charles Overstreet, Bert Nance, Johnny Bryant Frances Parker, Judy Key, Jackie Faribault.

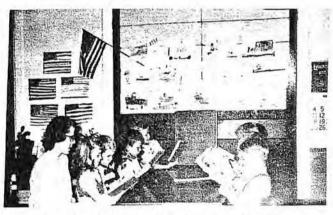


EARLY FIRST GRADE CLASS-1938

Miss Norma Franklin, teacher; Girl left of table, Annie Marie Overstreet; Boy right of table, David Boinstein.

During World War II when materials of all types were scarce, the elaborate outdoor programs on the lawn were replaced by a more simplified indoor type of program. However, the programs are beautiful and most effective. May Day and Christmas programs in which nearly all pupils still participate are given in the auditorium or gymnasium. The crowning of the Heelth Day Queen and the recognition of pupils who have attained the five point standards are played up in the May Day programs of today. Health and Physical Education activities play a great part in the program each year.

In 1943, 1944, and 1945, the school worked in cooperation with Radford College. A number of Radford students spent from three months to a year at Liberty Academy as student teachers with the regular class room teacher. This continued for a number of years. Many students returned the following year as regular classroom teachers. Some of the student teachers were:



MISS BURNS' READING CLASS-1952

Raymond Woodward, Judy Key, Walter Hopkins, Leo Wilcht Frances Parker.

Miss Anna Kate Givens, Miss Virginia Johnson (de ceased), Miss Grace Ellen Fink, Miss Carrie Mobley, Mis Almenta Waters, Miss Mae Stone, Miss Lois Poland, and others.



BOY'S CHORUS-1952

Left to right, front row: Frank Leftwich, Wayne Agee, Fred Robertson, Roy Padgett. Second row: J. E. Agee, Robert Rider, Ronald Obenchain, Lional Toms, Vernon Craig. Back row: Kendall Wilkes, Warren Carwile, Billy Hopkins, Carl Overstreet, Bobbie Crouch and Phillip Arthur. 61

In addition to the regular classroom work the followng teachers gave part time to the instruction of music ind art: Miss Wilma Dickerson and Miss Mary Alice Hass, music and art; Miss Nell Boswell, music; Miss rankie Bryant, music; and Miss Elizabeth Prilliman, art.

The above art teachers helped the pupils in developng many wall murals which were beautiful and rich n color.

In recent years Mrs. Paul Overstreet, Jr., has served as rt teacher and Mrs. Evan Marshall as music teacher. Ars. Evan Marshall has taught music to the pupils at ne Academy as well as sharing her time with several ther schools in the County for the past four years.

A fifth grade class room teacher, Miss Shirley Irving, iscovered some unusual talent, a girls' trio. This trio as been very active in school music programs, as well s singing over WBLT, our local broadcasting station. tudents from other grades are also active in participatig in broadcasting programs.



Mrs. Delia Morgan, Teacher Lester Williams, Student Billy Johnson, Student

This school, in 1939, as well as all others in the couny, engaged in a five-year period of child study. Bedford County was invited to join the study by the Commission in Teacher Education of the American Council on Eduation. It was a co-operative study of the preparation if teachers and of their continuing education while in ervice.

The first year of the study, two of the Liberty Academy



LIBERTY ACADEMY TRIO Janet DeWitt, Mary Frances Wilkerson, Patsy Ayers

teachers, Mrs. Madeline Driskill and Miss Mary Wright were selected to attend the summer workshops on Child Study and Development. Mrs. Madeline Driskill went to the University of Chicago and studied under Dr. Daniel Prescott, Dr. Tryon, Dr. Havighurst and others. Miss Mary Wright went to George Peabody College, Nashville, Tennessee, and studied under Dr. Karl W. Bigelow, Dr. Armstrong and others. She also attended the University of Chicago the second summer of the study.

As an outgrowth of the Child Study Program and the enriched program of work, each year special stress is put on understanding children and also of developing pupil talents and abilities. Each individual child is given an opportunity to develop his talents in music, art, science and other fields of work.

Each child is considered as an individual and is given the help he needs. Teachers see a need for special groupings as well as for individual work, and much work of a remedial nature is done by each class room teacher. Pupils are given an opportunity to progress at the rate of speed he is capable of attaining.

The enriched type of program as taught at Liberty Academy today gives a great deal of stress to mastering the 3 R's as well as developing the talents, interests, abilities and personalities of the pupils.

According to the state testing program given in 1950-51 every grade at Liberty Academy is up to, and in many cases, above national standard for achievement of the 3 R's as well as all other subjects.

FOREST SCHOOL 1887-1952

Around 1887 our first school was one room near the present route 460. A writing desk was improvised but most of the pupils sat on benches with their slates in their laps. A "wood burner" ate up fuel but gave little heat. About 1903, another room and small cloakroom were added by the district school board. While this work was being done, a small cottage on the present site was rented. Near the end of that term, the cottage burned. The pupils began the next term in the old building with additions and a much larger playground. For about ten years the patrons and district school board worked to enlarge the school to three rooms and add equipment, including heavy coal stoves. About 1915, all this work was wiped out in another fire. The rest of the term was continued in various buildings of the village. The following term, on the present site, a new plant was ready with three roomthat could be opened into an auditorium for the pupils and the community's use. This encouraged even closer cooperation between school and village. Much later the building was brick veneered; a kitchen and another room were added. In the thirties a furnace was installed. Repeated well drilling was fruitless but water is now piped in.

In 1950 the P.T.A. graded the large playground. Due to the foresight of the School Board there is enough acreage for several baseball games at once, or for the primary children to play safely away from the older ones. Former pupils remember games of Mumbledy Peg, Fox in the Walnut, Crack the Whip, even one year of tennis. On good days, they ate their lunch under the old maple that still shades us. But lunches have progressed from the piece of fat meat wrapped in newspaper or the cold sweet potato, through a period when the older girls prepared hot soup, to the present balanced lunch program. Benches were replaced by double desks with ink wells and they yielded to modern movable chair desks. The single book, a primer or a cherished classic from home, has been multiplied by standard textbooks, the rental system, and an 800 book library. The early terms of four or five months that put Forest pupils one or two years "behind" other schools



PRESENT DAY SCHOOL

were lengthened to nine after 1922. The patrons no longer give room and board to teachers as part of their salary, nor do they have to sell homemade ice cream by the roadside to make up the salary.

Pupils wishing more education had to ride to New London on horseback, or board in Lynchburg paying tuition. Both cost more money than many had. The patrons finally won not only more teachers but two years high school. Consolidation and buses diverted the high school pupils to N.L.A. and Forest reverted to seven grades.

This last change was due in part to the first hard surfaced roads. Parents were fearful the first day their children left in "those buses" to go "so far." But they realized bad weather had kept them from school many days. They remembered walking as far as five miles in the mud. They remembered waiting until they were eight or ten years old before they could start that walking. They remembered the disadvantages of the single teacher who could not go over all the work each day although they stayed until four o'clock. They were glad their children could go to high school.

The former pupils of Forest School have been interviewed by this year's sixth and seventh grades. They told about the struggles of the past with nostalgic affection. Yet they tell us they wish they could have had more education so they could have better jobs now and help their own children more. To better jobs and happier families . . . to better prepared and adjusted citizens . . . this school is determined to progress in the future as it has in the past.

I. GROWTH ACADEMICALLY

- (1) Seven grades under one teacher
- (2) Two teachers but put back 2 or 3 years if moved
- (3) Two years High school
- (4) Reduced to elementary again, three teachers
- (5) Low spot, two teachers in early 1940's
 - (6) Three teachers in 1951

II. GROWTH IN BUILDINGS

- (1) One room
- (2) Two rooms
- (3) Fire
- (4) Rebuilt two rooms
- (5) Another fire
- (6) Three rooms
- (7) Kitchen and Primary room added
- (8) Brick encased

II. MONEY MAKING PROJECTS

- (1) To have a longer term
- (2) To pay the teachers
- (3) Unique methods

V. ROADS AND BUSES, THE BIG CHANGE

- (1) Mud roads
 - (a) walked as far as 4 miles
 - (b) had to be 7 years old but often waited until 10
 - (c) poor attendance
 - (d) little contact between teacher and parents
- (2) Good roads
 - (a) larger grades
 - (b) higher education possible
 - (c) parents had better income
 - (d) good attendance on bad days

. RECESSES AND LUNCH TIME

- (1) Small playground with briars
 - (a) games played and exercises
 - (b) Board's foresight in large acreage
 - (c) PTA grades playground in 1950
- (2) Lunches under the old maple tree
 - (a) fat meat wrapped in newspaper

- (b) children prepared first hot lunches
- (c) today's lunch program

VI. THE SCHOOL DAY

- (1) Opening exercises
 - (a) visiting preachers
 - (b) Lord's Prayer
 - (c) none
 - (d) flag exercises
- (2) Equipment
 - (a) benches, boards, slates 65 years ago
 - (b) double desks with ink wells
 - (c) modern movable chair desks, maps, etc.
- (3) Books

- (a) first primer
- (b) classics
- (c) rental system and library

VII. LIST OF FORMER TEACHERS AND PRESENT ONES

Teachers Prior to 1903 -

Miss Mary Goode,	Miss Helen Jones
first teacher, 1883	Miss Lizzie Duncan
Miss Sallie Lindsay	Miss Lucy Claytor
Miss Jenny Fuqua	and the second second

Teachers After 1903 -

Not Chronological

Mrs. Lucy Radford	Miss Beatrice Marshall
Miss Lucy Walker	Miss Aleas Mosely
Mr. Tate	Miss Mary Singleton
Miss Graves	Miss Linda Perkins
Miss Ruth Catlin	Miss Lelia Wood
Mr. Rider	Miss Ruth Fuqua
Miss Hattie Burnette	Miss Agnes Miller
Miss Gladys Wooldridge	Miss Esther Miller
Miss Vixella Rucker	(Mrs. J. S. McCauley)
(Mrs. Lewis White)	Miss Lillian Baldock
Mrs. McGee	Mrs. Morgan
Mr. Chapman	Mrs. Lilly Leftwich
Miss Taylor	Miss Royster
Miss Grace Steptoe,	Mrs. Ira Campbell
principal	Miss Lois Turner
Miss Iva Forgie	Miss Tomlinson
Miss Lovey Burnette	Mrs. Eugene Wilson
Miss Adriene Adams	Miss Helen Craddock,
Miss Eleanor Bower	13 years, principal
Mrs. Jarnagan	Mrs. J. B. Thurman
Mr. Postum, principal	Mrs. Virginia O'Hair
Miss Mary Jackson	Mrs. Carl Flock
Miss Margaret Burnette,	Miss Jessie King
17 years, principal	Mrs. Whitney Grove
now Mrs. C. H. White	Mrs. Kitty C. Radford

Hon. P. F. St. Clair Dead

Hon. P. F. St Clair, who was truly the leading citizen of Giles county, died at his home at Bane last Monday night at 11 o'clock.

Peyton Ferdinand St. Clair was born in Roanoke, August 15, 1860, and lived there until he was about seventeen months old, when his father, Meadow St. Clair, moved to Pulaski County. They lived there until 1868, when the family moved to the present home in Giles county.

October 16, 1887, Mr. St. Clair married Laura May Cecil and there were five children born to this union:

D. M. St. Stair W. C. St. Clair Ardelia St. Clair Ellen Elizabeth St. Clair Nancy St. Clair now Mrs. Harris Hoge, Jr.

His father died September 5, 1889. His mother lived until February 16, 1907. His brother G. William St. Clair, of West Virginia, died November 4, 1906, his brother John St. Clair, died August 1906, and he left one brother Charles R. St. Clair, of Dublin, VA, yet living.

Peyton St. Clair was a man of almost perfect health until last August when he had his first serious attack in Craig County, Virginia but from this he soon rallied and he attended his entire extensive business until October. 1913.

He was a man of untiring energy, a kind and helpful neighbor at all times and was tender and loving to his family.

From his earliest manhood, he showed a fondness for active politics, but he never was a candidate for office until 1901, when he was nominated and elected as a Democrat from his district to the senate of Virginia. Going into the legislature untried in that period of transition from the old constitution to the new, his worth as a statesman was recognized and he was placed on some of the most important committees of the senate, where he soon showed his ability and was recognized as one of the strong men of that body. He was reelected in 1905, served two years and declined reelection.

He was about ten years chairman of the Ninth congressional district Democratic committee, but declined reelection at the Norfolk convention in 1912. He served six years on the board of visitors of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and was again appointed by Governor Stuart a few weeks ago.

No man in Southwest Virginia exerted a stronger influence in his district, his county or state than did Peyton St. Clair.

He owned a large and valuable farm in Giles County, and for years has dealt in cattle and sheep, shipping many car loads each session. He was president of The First National Bank of Pearisburg, was active in various business enterprises and almost invariably successful in what he undertook.

As a tribute to the memory of Peyton F. St. Clair, all stores in Pearisburg and the four banks in the county were closed when the funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon.

He was buried Wednesday afternoon at Pleasant Hill Methodist Church at Bane by the Masonic order of which he was an honored member. His funeral was conducted by his pastor, Rev. D. T. Miles, and was attended by an unusually large crowd of people.

Active pall bearers were:

Judge Martin Williams R. S. Fry Clay Mason H. B. Shelton Charles Johnston G. W. Buchanan F. D. Kelley J. R. Johnston T. A. J. Bratton W. P. Eaton F. F. Farrier S. H. Bane

Honorary pall bearers: C. L. King W. H. Buchanan A. E. Shumate J. R. Goodwin M. P. Farrier J. T. S. Hoge Bernard Mason M. J. Miller P. S. Miller G. M. Roberts G. W. Shumate John G. Williams John W. Williams S. A. Mann W. H. Wheelwright B. F. Straley

The Roanoke Times of Tuesday said of him:

"By the death of Peyton F. St. Clair, Virginia has lost a strong, active, valuable man. The loss is felt with special force in this part of the State, where Mr. St. Clair's activities were most immediately known and felt, but it will be realized by all everywhere who are familiar without public men and affairs. He was a farmer and loved the soil and the work and science of using it, but his energies sought outlet and use in other directions. He was a high class businessman, shrewd, far sighted broad minded and filled with that prolific pulse known as pure spirit. He liked politics for the sake of the game and that he might serve his State, his community, his party and friends. One of the most controlling qualities of his nature was loyalty. The person or cause winning his good will and confidence won a friend who would not swerve nor falter. His promises were given from his heart and were given to be kept. Conservative in his hopes he spared nothing of his time, labor and means in the endeavor to do always more than he undertook. He was a man who could be trusted always. There was no selfish purpose in his work. His ambitions were to do good and faithful service. In the darkest and apparently the most hopeless days of his party in his section his busy brain never ceased from contriving plans for revitalizing it, he sanguine while others desponded, his courage never faltered and he was stirring and potent among the leaders, tireless, resourceful, filled with the joy and fire of battle

He was a good and kindly neighbor, devoted, generous and tender with his family, a leading citizen because he really led and used his powerful influence to better the condition of the people and for the promotion of all progress in right directions. Few men in the State did more than he to promote the development of Virginia and start and urged the old Sate upon onward and upward course. In his personal relations with men he was bluff, straightforward, outspoken, honest and convincing. He was trusted because he deserved to be. He won friendships readily held them closely and when he gave friendship he gave it heartily and faithfully. He was honest, true, clean and brave Not much better than that can be said for any man. For him it may be added that he used his strength and was useful because his instinct was to be so and he had the clear head to know how.

We have lost a good strong man who was real man. All we can do is to mourn him, to emulate his good work as we can and to keep his memory in high honor among the worthiest of Virginia's sons and the foremost of the human forces that have given her new life and hope and power."

Note: Mr. St. Clair died at 11 P. M., Monday, 7 August 1914

contributed by Mrs K A (Margaret) Thompson

Note: Usually we do not publish material outside of the area shown on the front cover of VAN, but this is a list of citizens who performed services in the Revolutionary War. Many of the descendants went into our area of Virginia.

Wednesday the 19th day of June 1782 Present Samuel Brown, William Ward, Michael Woods, Archer Mathews and John Henderson: Gentlemen

On the motion of John Anderson Leave is granted him to keep an Ordinary in this County for one Year from this day, whereupon the said John Anderson with William Frogg his Security entered into and acknowledged Bond in the Penatly of Fifty Pounds conditioned as the Law directs.

ORDERED that Moses Hall be allowed for 169 lbs of Beef furnished for the use of this State.

Ordered that Archer Mathews be allowed five Pounds for one hundred Diets, also Six Pounds nine Shillings for one hundred and Twenty nine Pasturages and for twenty nine Bushels of Corn, furnished for the Use of the United States.

Ordered that William Frogg be allowed Thirty three pounds six shillings & eight Pence for one Horse, a Dark Bay six years old fourteen hands high, also Fifty Pounds for a Sorrel Horse thirteen hands three Inches high four years old, furnished for the Use of the United States.

Ordered that Anthoney Bowen be allowed for 27 1bs of Mutton & one bushel of Corn furnished for the Use of this State.

The same to Alexander Clark for 332 1bs Beeff for same.

The Same to Henry Hunter for 204 1bs Beef same.

The Same to James Henderson for 3124 Pounds Beef the same.

The Same to Bond Estill for 387 3/4 lbs of Ditto. the same.

The Same to William Laugherty (Lafferty) for 154 lbs Ditto & 26 lbs Indian Meal the same.

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Ordered that Robert Thompson be allowed for 15 lbs of Beef furnished for the use of this State.

Mathias Kisinger the Same for the Same.

Thomas Edgar the Same for 98 lbs Feef The Same.

The Same to Same four Pounds Ten Shillings for one Bushel of Salt furnished the Same.

Ordered that John Otan be allowed for 24 lbs Beef the Same.

William Johnston the same fifteen Shillings for 15 lbs Bacon the Same.

William Morris the Same Sixteen Pounds nineteen Shillings for 339 lbs. Bacon.

William Estil the same for 15 lbs Venison furnished for this State's Use.

John Raulster the same for 50 lbs Ditto - Ditto.

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James Caldwell the same for 182 lbs Ditto, the same.

Adam Caperton the Same for 85 lbs. Ditto. the same.

James Hamilton Ditto ... for 107 lbs. Ditto. the same.

Ordered that Charles Kavanah be allowed for 48 lbs Venison. The same.

Ditto Peter Davis for 156 lbs. Dittothe same.

Ditto John Anderson for 25 lbs flour.....the same.

Ditto Andrew Donnally Sixty Pounds for one Gray Horse fourteen handsHigh four years old furnished for the use of this State.

Ditto James Henderson five shillings & six Pence for one Mare & two Horses employed one day in the Service of this State.

The Same as next above is allowed to William Estill for the same.

Ordered that William Laverty be allowed Thirteen shillings & six pence for the Service of one Horse employed nine Days for this State.

Ditto Conrod Yoakam five Shillings & six Pence for one Mare and Two Horses employed one day in the Service of this State.

Ditto Jacob Miller Eleven Shillings for one mare & Two Horses employed two Days in the Service of this State.

Ditto Michael Kelly four Shillings for one mare & Horse employed one day in the Service of this State.

Ditto Andrew Donally Thirteen shillings and Six Pence for one Horse employed nine Days in the Service of this State.

Ditto David Hanna Eight shillings for one mare & Horse Two days employed in the Service of this State.

Ditto John Oten five shillings for one mare employed Two days in the Service of this State.

Ditto Uslesten Petejon Six Shillings for driving Cattle belonging to this State.

Ditto Robert Thompson Seven shillings & four pence for the same

Ditto William Morris Twenty shillings for the Service of a Horse employed for this State.

Ditto Leonard Cooper The Same.

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Ordered that Conrod Yokeham be allowed Sixteen shillings and eight pence for a Horse employed in the Service of this State.

Ditto James Henderson One Pound Twelve shillings for carrying Flour for the Use of this State.

Ordered that Thomas Ellis be allowed nine Pounds four shillings for 184 Rations furnished for this State.

Ditto James Huggard The same as next above.

Ditto James Huggard junior The same as next above.

Ditto William Huggard The same as next above.

Ditto Andrew McFerran The same as next above.

Ditto Samuel McGarra The same as next above.

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Ditto John Peper Eight Pounds seven shillings for 167 Rations furnished for the Use of this State.

Ditto Michael Rhoney Eight Pounds fifteen shillings for furnishing a mare to drive Pack Horse Seventy Days, also Fourteen Pounds for furnishing a mare to drive cattle Seventy Days, for this State.

Ditto Archibald Woods Thirty five Pounds Two shillings for 702 Rations furnished on account of this State.

Ditto Thomas Shelton Twenty Seven Pounds eight shillings for 468 Rations Ditto

Ditto Adam Woods Three Pounds fourteen shillings for 74 Ditto....Ditto

Ditto Andrew Woods Seven Pounds eight shillings for 148 Ditto Ditto

Ditto Hugh Caperton Three Pound fourteen Shillings for 74 Ditto ... Ditto

Ditto Peter Woods the same as next above.

Ditto Samuel Hutchison the same as next above.

Ditto Andrew Wilson Three Pounds Two Shillings for 62 Rations furnished on Account of this State.

Ditto James Wilson Three Pounds fourteen shillings for 74 Ditto for Ditto.

Ditto Jacob Miller Three Pounds Two Shillings for 62.. Ditto ... Ditto.

Ditto Charles Miller Three Pounds fourteen shillings for 74 Ditto.. Ditto

Ditto John Jamerson the same as next above.

Ditto Francis Catly the same as next above.

Ditto Charles Cavender The same as next above.

Ditto James Williams Eleven Pounds Eleven shillings for 231 Rations furnished on account of this State.

Ditto Thomas Williams Eleven Pounds fourteen Shillings for 234 Ditto for Ditto

Ditto Joseph Williams the same as next above.

Ditto Nicholas Woodsin Eleven Pounds Two Shillings for 222 Rations furnished for this State.

Ditto Thomas Woodsin Eleven Pounds fourteen shillings for 234 Ditto.. Ditto

Ditto George Parks The same as next above.

Ditto Alexander Reid Three Pounds Two shillings for 62 Rations furnished for this State.

Ditto Samuel Pack Eleven Pounds fourteen Shillings for 234 Rations. the same Ditto George Pack the same as next above.

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Ordered that John Farler be allowed Six Pounds fourteen shillings for 134 Rations furnished for this State.

Ditto William Lacey Eleven Pounds fourteen shillings for 234 Ditto.. Ditto Ditto William Lacey Junior the same as next above.

Ditto Mark Lacey Eight Pounds Two shillings for 182 Rations for this State. Ditto James Lacey Six Pounds fourteen shillings for 134 Ditto.. Ditto..

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Ditto William Laferty Eleven Pounds fourteen shillings for 234 Ditto. Ditto. Ditto David Frazer The same as next above. Ditto Martin Frazer The same as next above. Ditto James Frazer The same as next above. Ditto William Meek The same as next above. Ditto Francis Farler five Pounds nineteen shillings for 119 Rations furnished for this State. Ditto James Meeke Three Pounds Fourteen shillings for 74 Ditto.. Ditto. Ditto John Frazer The same as next above. Ditto James Fitzpatrick the same as next above. Ditto John Fitzpatrick the same as next above. Ditto James Allison the same as next above. Ditto Rodger Kilpatrick the same as next above. Ditto John Nicholas the same as next above. Ditto John Thompson Two Pounds five shillings for 45 Rations furnished for this State. Ditto William Hamilton Twenty nine Pounds Two shillings for 582 Ditto Ditto Ditto Samuel McClung Seven Pounds eight shillings for 148 Ditto. Ditto Ditto James Jarrett the same as next above. Ditto Leonard Cooper Three Pounds one shilling for 61 Rations furnished for this State. Ditto Charles McClung Three Pounds fourteen shillings for 74 Ditto Ditto. Ditto Peter Shoemaker The same as next above. Ditto Wilson Lewis The same. Ditto Thomas Carroway The Same. Ditto William Scott The Same. Ditto George Sea The Same. Ditto Michael Sea The Same. Ditto Jesse Jerrell The Same. Ditto John Shoemaker The Same. p 50 Ordered that William Caldwell be allowed for 112 1bs Venison furnished for the Use of this State. Ordered that there be allowance made to William Estill for 120 lbs Ditto ... Ditto Ditto.....John Estill Five Pounds Two Shillings for 550 lbs Pork ... Ditto Ditto.....James Graham for 7 Bushels Corn & 193 1bs Beef Ditto The Same for mare & Horse employed in the Service of this State, Eight Shillings.

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Ordered that there be allowed to William Meeke Seven Shillings & six pence for one Horse employed in the Service of this State five Days.

Ditto.....to Thomas McMurry Nine Pounds for two Bushels of Salt furnished for the Use of this State.

Ditto.....to James Williams one shilling & six Pence for the Service of one Horse one Day.

Ditto William Shanks Seven Pounds Twelve Shillings for 152 lbs Bacon for the Use of this State.

Ditto Volentine Cook one Shilling & six Pence for Corn & Hay for the State's Use

Ditto Archibald Woods four Pounds for one Beef & Three shillings for half a Bushel of Corn & Fodder, furnished for the Use of this State.

Ditto William Laferty nine shillings for Corn, fodder & Beef for State use.

Ditto John Fitzpatrick nine shillings & six pence for Pork & Horse hire for Ditto

Ditto Rodger Kilpatrick fourteen shillings for Sundry State Services.

Ditto John Farler for serving as Scout fifteen days & finding his Rations..Ditto

Ditto Andrew Woods Thirty shillings for five Pounds of Powder Ditto

Ditto Thomas Shilton Two Pounds twelve shillings & six Pence for the Hire of a Horse employed in the Service of this State 35 Days.

Ditto Moses Hickenbottom Seven Pounds Twn shillings for 150 lbs. Bacon furnished for the Use of this State.

Ditto Mark Lasey Fifteen shillings for 5 lbs Load (or lead) for the Use of this State.

Ditto Alexander Reid Six shillings for Venison for Ditto.

Ditto Archibald Woods Two Pounds Twelve Shillings & six Pence for the Hire of a Horse 35 Days employed in the Service of this State.

Ditto Mark Lasey for serving as a Scout in this State 5 Days.

Ditto John Anderson four Pounds Twn shillings for one Beef furnished for the Use of this State.

Ditto John Farler for serving as a Scout in this State 12 Days.

Ditto Robert Alford Seven Pounds Seventeen Shillings & six Pence for 1 3/4 Bushels of Salt furnished for the Use of this State.

Ditto John Miller fifteen shillings & five Pence for 77 lbs Pork furnished for the Use of this State.

Ditto Alexander Reid for serving as a Scout in this State 18 Days.

Ditto Nicholas Woodfin the same as next above

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Ordered that there be allowed to Joseph Ellison for serving as a Scott in this State Eighteen Days.

Ordered that an allowance be made to William Meeke for 45 Diets for State.

Ditto for the same.

Ditto..... Diets for State.

Ditto..... for serving as a Scout in this State 7 Days.

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Ditto.....to Thomas Farler Two Pounds five shillings for 45 lbs Bacon furnished for the Use of this State.

Ditto.....to William Laferty & James Williams Thirty Two shillings for Horse hire & the service of two men four days each for this State.

Ordered that an allowance be made to Joseph Ellison for serving as a Scout in this State Seven Days.

Ditto..... to William Laferty fourteen shillings & six Pence for Rations & Meal furnished for the Use of this State.

Ditto..... to Andrew Woods Eighteen shillings for three pounds Gun Powder for the Use of this State.

Ditto..... to Susanah Woods for thirty five Diets furnished for the Use of this State.

Ditto..... to the Same for Diets & Horse hire three Pounds Two shillings Ditto William Estile Forty shillings for Diets & Fodder for this State.

Ditto Thomas Wright Two Pounds Twn shillings for 50 lbs Bacon furnished for the Use of this State.

Ditto Peter Woods Three Pounds for Corn & fodder 30 Nights furnished a Horse belonging to this State.

Ditto John Henderson Thirteen Shillings & four Pence for feeding an Horse belonging to this State.

Ordered that this Court be adjourned till Court in Course.

The minutes of these Proceedings were signed

Sam. Brown

Queries

Seek information on Edward SMITH and wife, Mildred or Millard BIRD SMITH of Grayson Co, Va. He was an Irish Conscript in British Army during Revolutionary War; deserted; became a patriot; moved to Pulaski Co, Ky. Died ca 1823 in Hamilton Co, Ohio. Will share. Marilynn Dickerson, 740 N Wagner Rd, Ann Arbor, Mi 48103.

Wish to correspond with anyone interested in Griffith DICKERSONS, especially Griffith DICKERSON of Montgomery Co, Virginia, born ca 1780; married Rebecca THOMPSON in 1800. Was Elijah DICKERSON father of Griffith? Was James THOMPSON father of Rebecca. This family moved to Indiana ca 1825. Will share. Marilynn Dickerson, 740 N Wagner Rd, Ann Arbor, Mi 48103

Seeking parents, birthplace of James WILLIAMSON and wife, Telita BAXTER. They were born in Kentucky, lived in Decatur Co, Indiana, died mid 1800s. Their daughter, Frances Jane married Vinson E. SMITH in 1847. They lived in Putnam and Boone Counties, Indiana He died in 1909. She died in 1912. Will share. Marilynn Dickerson, 740 N Wagner Rd, Ann Arbor, Mi 48103.

Would like to know more about John P SMITH, Vinson's father. He was born in Chesapeake Bay area, the son of a Revolutionary War soldier. He married Sarah ASKEW of Maryland ca 1799. They emigrated to Ohio in 1818; settled 1820 in Fayette Co, Indiana. He died in 1844. Will share. Marilynn Dickerson, 740 N. Wagner Rd. Ann Arbor Mi 48103

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GARLAND – TUTWILER BIBLE

Contributed by Mrs. Douglas Boynton

From the Bible of Margaret A. Garland who married Eli Shores Tutwiler in February 1849, Lexington, Virginia.

p. 1 Names of Birds M. G. Tutwiler Norwood, VA.

p. 2 MARRIAGES

John Belfield Garland and Maria R. McClelland were Married December 23rd 1842 at the residence of Mr. John McClelland in the town of Lexington, Rockbridge County, Virginia. E. S. Tutwiler and Margaret Annette Garland, daughter of John B. Garland, were married on the day of February 1849.

John McClelland Tutwiler and Julia Rust were married in Luray, Page Co. VA. On the 31st day of March 1874.

(note: the last two entries in the same handwriting)

p. 3 BIRTHS

John Belfield Garland Son of Peter R and Winefred B. Garland was born at Woodberry Richmond County Virginia June 1st 1803.

(a poem has been omitted)

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John McClelland Tutwiler was born in Lexington Va Jany. 6th 1850

p. 5 DEATHS

John McC Garland Son of J B Garland and Mariah R _is Wife Died at Fort Sill Indian Territory on the 6th of October 1869 – he was the Second Son of <u>the same name</u>.

Maria R. Garland the <u>Idolized</u> Wife of John B. Garland, Died at Woodberry in Richmond County, Virginia; on the 15th day of May 1831 in the 26th Year of her age.... Her earthly remains are Buried in the burying Ground of the Beflied family at Belfe (?) Mount in Richmond County Virginia by the side of her first son.....It is my <u>wish</u> to be <u>placed by her side</u> When I leave the <u>form</u>.... I am a <u>Mason</u> and <u>Oddfellow</u>....Will some Brother or friend See to itand <u>Receive My Gratitude</u>

J. B. Garland died in Fredricksburg at the house of Capt. R. H. Alexander at 1.30 a.m. – the morning of the 24th of April 1877 & was buried in the cemetery at the same city.

John McC. Tutwiler died May 19th at Lexington Va. 1884 (day & yr filled in by someone else.) (all entries were made by different people)

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Newspaper Obituary

Sudden Death of Dr. J. B. Garland

Dr. J. B. Garland, the well known dentist, died suddenly while sitting in his chair at his home on Main Street, while conversing with Capt. R. H. Alexander, about 1 o'clock a. m. yesterday. The Doctor had been complaining during the day of an asthmatic affection and pain in the chest, and Capt. Alexander was sitting up with him, showing his neighborly attention and endeavoring to relieve his sufferings. He had been on the street conversing with friends as late as 9:30 p. m. Monday night. Dr. Garland was a native of Richmond County, and was in the 74th year of his age. He was related to the Garlands and Lyells of that county. He was an accomplished dentist and a cultivated man. His eccentricities of opinion prevented in many cases that intimacy of association for which he was well fitted, but his pure and upright life, gentlemanly demeanor and kindness of heart made him respected by all.

Dr. Garland is the last survivor of the small band who voted against the ordinance of secesstion in 1861. He was a most determined and determined and intrepid man, always ready, with an intelligent reason for his own opinions, and at the same time, never disposed to urge them offensively before others.

BOOK REVIEW

VIRGINLA GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH BY George K. Schweitzer, PhD, ScD. 223 pages, soft-cover, Word Processing by Anne M. Smalley.

This is a 'where to find it' source, not a 'how to'. The Table of Contents provides the guidance needed to utilize the information to be found. Dr. Schweitzer begins with *Virginia Background*.

Chapter 2 speaks of *Types of Records*, Chapter 3 - *Record Locations*, and Chapter 4 takes us through *Research procedure & County Listings*. Two illustrations locate rivers and counties.

A brief look at Court Records directed attention to a resource at the Library of Virginia web site. The reader is guided through 7 steps to *Search* and on line viewing of a court record. That attention to detail will be appreciated by the novice.

You may wish your own copy to keep at hand. It is available for \$15.00, postpaid, from George K. Schweitzer, Genealogical Sources, Unltd. 407 Ascot Court Knoxville, TN 37923-5807

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GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH

Surnames

- Family Histories.
- Biography files.
- Cemetery Records.

Virginia Vital Records

- Vital Statistics and Court records by County.
- Bureau of Vital Statistics (coverage varies by county).
 Births 1853-1896, Marriages 1853-1935, Deaths, 1853-1896.

No state statistics were recorded pre-1853 or 1896 - June 1912. Directories

- Roanoke City, 1889-present, few gaps.
- Virginia Business, 1871,1884,1893,1897,1917.

Passenger Lists Church Histories

Military History

- Revolutionary War, 1812.
 - Pension and land grant abstracts and records.
- Civil War.

Regimental Histories.

War of the Rebellion: Official Records.

Index to Compiled Service Records.

 World War II, Roanoke Valley WWII Veterans. 3 Volumes, Index Census Records

- Virginia—Every extant census and soundex. Print indexes.
- Various censuses (primarily antebellum) for 24 states and the District of Columbia. Some print indexes.

Ancestry Plus (family history online database). Available on site. CD ROM (family history research databases). Available on site.

Newspapers - on microfilm.

- Virginia Gazette, 1736-1780.
- Big Lick and Roanoke (Various papers), 1877-1912.
- Roanoke Times, World News, 1889-present.
- Roanoke Tribune, 1999-present (boxed).
- Herald of the Valley, Fincastle, 1820-1823.
- Floyd Press, 1944-1990.
- Lynchburg (various papers), 1814-1885.
- Salem Times Register, 1866 -1868, 1909, 1934-present (gaps).

Obituary Indexes for Roanoke Times and Roanoke World News.

- April 1923-June 1950 (Subject indexing also).
- January-June 1988, 1989.
- 1990-present, www.roanoke.com/archives/

HISTORICAL RESEARCH and SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

- Virginia state histories.
- County, regional and subject histories.
- Swem's Virginia Historical Index and associated periodicals.
- · Virginia history related journals and newsletters.
- Vertical File by subject.
- Pamphlet file by subject.
- Manuscript collections primarily genealogical.
- Photographs- early Roanoke and aerial images.
- Maps- historic and modern county, USGS topographical.
- Sanborn Insurance Maps, 1889-1932 (years vary by city). Roanoke, Salem, Rocky Mount, St. Paul.
- School Yearbooks, various institutions and years.

VIRGINIA Y. LEE AFRICAN AMERICAN COLLECTION

 This collection is at the Gainsboro Branch Library. These are extensive holdings in fiction and non-fiction, by and about African Americans. It includes many historical works. Titles can be found in the online catalog at www.rvl.info. Contact the library at 15 Patton Ave NW, Roanoke, 24016; 540-853-2540.

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- Photocopies, \$.10. Microfilm Reader/Printers, \$.25 per copy.
- Interlibrary Loan service for books and microfilm. There is no fee.
- U. S. Census microfilm rental program, \$4.50 per reel.

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Botetourt County, Virginia Death Records- continued

CRAFT, Charles E - b 4 Oct 1856 Bot Co - 4 Jan 1857 - f William CRAFT - m Leona - cd (infant) - rep by father

CRAFT, Elizabeth - b ca 1781 Va (census #1227) - d by 12 Aug 1850 - w/o David CRAFT - Admr John THOMPSON

CRAFT, Jacob M - b 1837 -d 1904 - St Jacobs Lutheran Cem

CRAFT, Jonathan - b ca 1797 Va (census #1012) - d by 11 July 1853 - h/o Barbara - Adm John SHAFER

CRAFT, Mary Ann - b 17 Mar 1780 - d 30 Jan 1856 - age 75y 10m 13d - Ref Lemontown gravestone

CRAFT, Melvin Hazel - b 17 Sep 1912 Bot Co - d 4 Aug 1913 - f D[avid] G CRAFT (b Bot Co) - m Lula B (YOUNG) (b Bot Co) - buried St Jacob's Cem - cd Acute milk infection

CRAFT, William (md) - b Va - d Jan 1850 - age 40 - cd pneumonia - Ref: 1850 Bot Co Mortality Schedule - adm William M LACKLAND (9 Sep 1850)

CRAIG see Ellen ANDERSON

CRAIG, Liza - d by 12 May 1829 (son called an orphan) -son Andrew Lewis

CRAWFORD see Lucy ANGLE, Martha COLLINS, Erosa Francie HUFFMAN, E M PIFFER, James MASON, Thomas TOSH, James ALEXANDER, Hattie May CAMPBELL, Alto May CLARK, Ida Lee HOLDREN, Virginia F[or T] HORNE, male LEMON, Jacob M LEMON, William Edward LEMON, male LOVING, Seaton Alexander LOVING

CRAWFORD, Andrew - d by 8 Feb 1791 Bot Co - f [John CRAWFORD] -Ref WB A p294 will dated 10 Jan 1791, Admr bond, WB A p449 division - Relatives: wife Ulfee; Ch: John, James, Eunice, Pheba; Margaret (md VINZANT); bro: William - Admr: William CRAWFORD, Edward MITCHELL - [On 12 Apr 1797, son James was under 14, On 14 June 1797 dau Phebe was over 14]

CRAWFORD, Andrew K - b [ca 1799] - d 1866 Bot Co -f [William CRAWFORD] - m [Margaret KILPATRICK] - Adm 12 Nov 1866 James M McCOY

CRAWFORD, D[avid] J - b 15 Sep 1829 - d 8 Jan 1904 Bot Co - f [Samuel CRAW-FORD] - m [Jane AUSTIN] - h/o Melvina CRAWFORD (1835-1910) - Ref Lemontown gravestone

CRAWFORD, Fletcher J - b ca 1840 Va (census #1221) -d by 10 Feb 1862 Bot Co - f Joseph CRAWFORD - m Elizabeth [CRIST] - Adm Thornton L CRAWFORD

CRAWFORD, Grace - 26 Mar 1913 Bot Co - d 26 Mar 1913 Bot Co - f Lee CRAWFORD (b Bot Co) - m Mary B (FORD) (b Bot Co) -buried Forest Chapel Cem -cd still born

CRAWFORD, Ida May - b 5 Mar 1913 Va - d 7 Dec 1914 Bot Co - f Oscar J CRAW-FORD (b Va) - m Emma A (COFFMAN) (b Va) - buried Haymakertown Cem - cd pneumonia

CRAWFORD, James - b 18 Oct 1912 Bot Co - d 18 Oct 1912 Bot Co - f Robert Alonza CRAWFORD (b Bot Co) - m Bertha (CLARKE) (b Bot Co) - buried Buchanancd still born

CRAWFORD, Jane - b ca 1803 Bot Co - d 23 July 1857 Bot Co - f [Isaac AUSTIN] - cd inflamation of stomach -rep by son David J CRAWFORD -w/o Samuel CRAWFORD

CRAWFORD, John - b [ca 1748] - d by Dec 1796 Bot Co - f John CRAWFORD - Ref WB A p438, will dated 24 Sep 1796 - Relatives: wife Margaret; Ch: John, William, Andrew, James, Samuel, Margaret; bro William

CRAWFORD, John - d by 9 Mar 1829 (ch called orphans) Bot Co - f [Andrew CRAWFORD] - Ch, ____, Madison J [? James Madison], John

CRAWFORD, John James - b 6 Jan 1837 Va -d 9 Nov 1913 Bot Co - f John CRAWFORD (b Va) -m Sallie (HOGAN) (b Va) - buried Flaherty burial ground - cd enlarged prostate gland

CRAWFORD, Josiah - b ca 1840 - d 20 Jan 1921 Bot Co - age 81y - f Samuel CRAWFORD - m Jane AUSTIN - wife Mary KESSLER - buried Crawford-Hinchee Cem (endof 765 off 605) not in Cemetary Book

CRAWFORD, Josiah - d 1826 (Bot Co WB E p104) - f [John CRAWFORD] - wife [Elizabeth] Ann TOOTLE - Ch: Madison, John, Isabella, Sarah, Susanah, Maria (unmd), Elizabeth, Bevelin, & Margaret

CRAWFORD, Josiah Lee - b 23 Jan 1863 - d 27 Feb 1952 Bot Co - f David J CRAW-FORD - m Melvina JONES - wife Mary Blanche FORD - buried Crawford-Henchee Cem (end 765 off 605)

CRAWFORD, Josiah S - b [23 Feb] 1858 - d 1928 Bot Co - f [John S CRAWFORD] - m [Mary C QUISENBURY] - h/o Molly S (POLLARD) CRAWFORD - grave Mt Union Cem

CRAWFORD, Mary "Pollie" - b ca 1835 - d 19 Dec 1921 Bot Co - age 86y - f John KESSLER - m Betsy K KINZIE - hus Josiah CRAWFORD - buried Crawford-Hinchee Cem (end #765 off 605) not in Cem book

CRAWFORD, Mary Blanche - b 19 Dec 1874 - d 12 Oct 1957 Bot Co - f W A FORD m S A - hus Josiah Lee CRAWFORD - buried Crawford-Hinchee (end 765 off 605)

CRAWFORD, Melvina - b 8 Mar 1835 - d 22 Jan 1910 Bot Co - f [James JONES] - m [Mary] - w/o D J CRAWFORD (1829-1904) - Ref Lemontown gravestone

CRAWFORD, Mollie S - b 1865 - d 1921 Bot Co - f [Shepherd POLLARD] - m [Sarah M SMITH] -w/o Josiah S CRAWFORD - grave Mt Union Cem

CRAWFORD, Nathan Thomas - b 17 Nov 1868 Bot Co - d 15 Dec 1938 Bot Co - f Josiah CRAWFORD - m Mary KESSLER -wife Daisey McCARTY - buried Crawford-Hinchee Cem

CRAWFORD, Nimrod - d 1842 (Bot Co Inv) (WB F p482) - [wife Elizabeth GRAY; Ch: Elizabeth HOLSTINE, Ann CALDWELL & Sally CALDWELL]

CRAWFORD, Ruby Ann - b 22 Feb 1886 Fr Co - d 22 Feb 1916 Bot Co - f Call MULLENS (b Fr Co) - m Susie (SNYDER) (b Fr Co) - buried Daleville Cem - cd lobar pneumonia CRAWFORD, Samuel - d by 11 Nov 1867 Bot Co - Ex: 11 Nov 1867 Abraham SAVILLE CRAWFORD, Sarah E - b 1 Oct 1836 Va - d 3 Dec 1913 Bot Co Va - f John FALLS (b Va) -m Margaret (HAGIUS) (b Va) - buried Flaherty burial ground - cd heart disease - [hus John J CRAWFORD] CRAWFORD, Thornton L - b ca 1840 Bot Co (census #1221) - d 27 May 1862 Bot Co - age 22y - f Joseph CRAWFORD - m Elizabeth [CRIST] - cd fever -rep by father CRAWFORD, William - d 1835 Bot Co - f [John CRAWFORD] - m [Margaret] - relatives: wife Margaret [KILPATRICK] - Ch: Jean KILLPATRICK, John, Margara, Eufues, Elizabeth HARDY, Mary, Thomas, William, Joseph, James, Andrew K, Robert K, Samuel F, Elexandra, Sarah; Gs John CRAWFORD; b-i-1: Robert KIRK-PATRICK CREASEY, George W - b 1 June 1844 Va - d 3 May 1913 - f Claiborne CREASY (b Va) - m Anne (WITT) (b Va) - buried Buchanan Cem - cd TB CRENSHAW, Abner - d by Apr 1814 - Ref WB B p385, appraisal CRESS see Curtis ALDERSON CRESSIN, Elliott - d by 14 Aug 1854 - Ex: William COPPINGER CREWS, Robert W - b ca 1822 Va (census #1127) - d by 8 Apr 1861 - f Thomas CREWS - m Sarah "Sally" - Adm Robert R DOUTHAT CREWS, Sarah - b ca 1784 Amherst Co (census # 1127) - d 16 Apr 1853 - f not given - cd pneumonia - rep by hus Thomas CREWS - Ex Thomas CREWS (12 Dec 1853) CREWS, Thomas - b ca 1776 Va (census # 1127) - d by 8 Jan 1866 - h/o Sally -Adm James ROWLAND, sheriff **CRIDER** see Nicholas HAYNES CRINER see Alivia Frances SMITH, Loyd B SMITH CRIST see GRIST, Nicholas W CALDWELL, Sarah CALDWELL CRIST (or GRIST), John - d by 8 Oct 1791 - Ref WB A p304, appraisal CRIST, Olie Edward - b ca 1890 Rb Co - d 14 Apr 1916 - f Richard CRIST (b Rb Co) - m Maggie (KING) (b Rb Co) - buried Oriskany Cem - cd diptheria CRITTS (or CRITZ) see Ann McDONALD, Edward McDONALD, Abraham PETERS, Jacob PETERS CRITTS, George - d by June 1805 - Ref WB B p99, will dated 21 Jan 1805 -Wife Mary; Ch: John, Elizabeth, Conrad, Mary (md ____ CRAFT), George, Tunay [?Jinny?], Anney [Ann], Catty, Henrey, Philip - [on 14 Jan (or Feb) 1809 son Philip was aged over 14]

CRITTS, George - d by Mar 1823 (order) - Ref: WB C p571, appraisal - admrs: Robert DICKEY, George THRASHER

CROCKETT see Lucy C BURNS

CROFT SEE John HAMILTON

CROFT, Johnathan - b ca 1845 Bot Co - d 16 Feb 1859 - age 14y 14m? 9d - f David CROFT - cd brain fever - rep by father

CROFT, Robert - b ca Feb 1842 - d 17 June 1859 - 17y 4m 2d - f David CROFT - cd brain fever - rep by father

CROMER see Sallie SWOOPE

CRONISE see Emma Cronise BRUGH, Maggie M STEVENS, Ann BREWBAKER

CRONISE, Anna Matilda - b 31 Oct 1827 - d 19 June 1907 Bot Co (Wheatland Cem) - f REMSBUG - hus Jacob CRONISE - Ref: Cronise Scrapbook 42 & 48

CRONISE, Catherine - b 15 June 1842 Adams Co, Pa - d 12 Jan 1898 - f (b Pa) - m (b Pa) - 1st w/o William H CRONISE - grave Wheatland Cem - 7 ch: John A, Alice, Willis, Florence (md _____ FIDLER), Annie, Frank & Emery - Cronise Scrapbook 55

CRONISE, Evaline D - b 31 Mar 1852 - d 26 Nov 1924 Bot Co (Wheatland Cem) - f Matthew BOOZE - m Eveline - hus Marshall C CRONISE (md 5 Sep 1811 Bot Co)

CRONISE, Jacob - b 25 Aug 1822 (census 1880 Bot Co Buchanan Dist #250) - d 29 Jan 1901 Bot Co (Wheatland Cem) - age 73y 5m 4d - f Frederick CRONISE (d ca 1866) - m Anna NICODEMUS - (d 27 July 1896) - Relatives: wife Anna M REMSBURG (md 25 Feb 1847), [Ch: 17 & 9 alive at his death], bro & sis: William, (md Peter ZIMMERMAN), (md Jacob HEAGEY), (md Alexander RAMSBURG), (md Daniel GAUGH) - Ref: Cronise Scrapbook 42 & 48

CRONISE, Marshall C - 23 Oct 1851 Frederick Co, Md (census 1880 Bot Co Buchanan Dist #251) -d 6 Oct 1930 Bot Co, (Wheatland Cem) - f Jacob CRONISE m Anna M - wife Evaline D BOOZE (md 5 Sep 1871 Bot Co)

CRONISE, Sue E - b 1 Apr 1850 - d 17 Nov 1910 Bot Co (Wheatland Cem) - f BOOZE - hus W H CRONISE

CRONISE, William H - b 22 Apr 1837 (census 1880 Bot Co Buchanan Dist #245) d 7 Apr 1912 Bot Co (Wheatland Cem) - f Jacob CRONISE - m Anna M NICODEMUS wife #1 Catherine (d 12 Jan 1898); wife #2 Sue E BOOZE

CRONK, (male) - b 25 Apr 1913 Bot Co - d 9 July 1913 - f Walter CRONK (b Mont Co) - m Rosa (OLIVER) (b Rke Co) - buried Troutville Va cem - cd Marasumus

CROSBY see Joseph PHIPPS

CROSS see Mary DILL, Mary MAYS, Aurelia WHISLER, Lewis DILL, Andrew McCLURE, Charlotte McCLURE, Joseph Thomas McCLURE, Margaret Virginia McCLURE

CROSS. John [md Polly MAYS] - b 1761 - d by 8 Nov 1830 (ch called orphans) f [William CROSS] - m [Elizabeth] - Ch: Orilla (over 14), Lewis (over 14), Nancy (under 14), Malvina (under 14) CROSS, Thomas - b ca 1780 Pa (census #514) - d by 10 Apr 1854 - h/o Elizabeth - Ex John A CROSS & Benjamin AMMEN CROSS, William Sr - d by June 1798 - Ref: WB A p473, will dated 26 Apr 1798 - wife: Elizabeth; Ch: William Jr, Mary, Jane, John, Elizabeth md (Eath) CROUCH see Elizabeth PARKER CROUCH, Ella - b 18 June 1865 - d 11 July 1907 -w/o G CROUCH - grave Amsterdam Cen CROUSE see Jacob Spiller, Mary A Moomaw CROUSE, Catherine - b ca 1795 Rockingham Co, Va - d 15 Feb 1870 Amsterdam Twsp, Va - age 75y - f George CLINE - m Mary - cd Internal Rheumatism - rep by s-i-1 Benjamin F MOOMAW - w/o Daniel CROUSE - Ref: Death Book; Moomaw graveyard gravestone - Ex bond 13 June 1870 WM P MOOMAW CROUSE, Daniel - d by Oct 1818 - Ref WB C p141, will dated 3 Sep 1818 - Wife Catherine - Ch Anny CROWDER see Frank Crowder DAVIS, Samuel W TROUT CROWDER, Bettie & Sallie (twins) - b 22 Mar 1913 Bot Co - d 23 Mar 1913 - f Miles Joseph CROWDER (b Craig Co) - m Sarah (DILLARD) (b Bot Co) - cd permature CROWDER, Henry - b 25 Aug 1916 Bot Co - d 25 Aug 1916 - f Joseph CROWDER (b Craig Co) - m Laura (DILLARD) (b Bot Co) - buried at home CROWDER, Lena F - b 22 Apr 1915 Bot Co - d 8 Mar 1916 - f B L CROWDER (b Craig Co) - m Ida (SMITH) (b Bot Co) - buried White Church Cem - cd Bronchial pneumonia CROWDER, Mary - b ca 1856 Bot Co - d 19 Oct 1862 - age 6y - f H E CROWDER m E - cd diptheria - rep by father CROY see Jacob SIMMONS CRUMPACKER see Caterin BAIN, Abraham GRAYBILL, Rev George H GRAYBILL, Sarah GRAYBILL, Susan E GRAYBILL, Abraham SNIDER CRUMPACKER, Abraham (widower) - b ca Oct 1767 Md - d 22 Apr 1859 - age 91y 6m 0d - cd dysentary - rep by dau Mary SHOWALTER CRUSE, Thomas - b ca Nov 1772 "Camel" Co, Va - d 2 Aug 1859 Pattonsburg age 86y 9m 2d - f Gideon CRUSE - cd old age - rep by dau Virg. GARDNER - h/o Sarah CRUSE

CRUSH see Julia Ann BARGER, Samuel NOFSINGER, Bulah Loren SECRIST, Mary Ruth SECRIST, Charlotte SIMPSON, Harriett SIMPSON, Henry B SIMPSON

CRUSH, Bettie - b ca 1860 Bot Co - d 27 Dec 1862 - age 2y - f Samuel CRUSH m E - cd Diptheria - rep by father CRUSH, Charles E - b ca 1852 - d 24 Jan 1853 - f McDowell CRUSH - m C - cd carbuncle - rep by father CRUSH, David - d 1832 Bot Co WB E p320 - [wife Susannah COULTER; Ch: Ann Eliza, Samuel McF, Jane S, Amanda, McDowell, Martha McP, & Edwood C] CRUSH, Edward Carrington - b 11 Sep 1832 Bot Co - d 16 Sep 1913 - f David CRUSH (b Bot Co) - m Susan (COULTER) (b Bot Co) - buried Mt Moriah Cem cd chronic Bronchitis - h/o Martha K CRUSH (d 1903) CRUSH, Eliza - b ca 1862 Bot Co - d 20 May 1865 - age 2y 6m - f Ed CRUSH - m Martha A - cd croup - rep by mother CRUSH, Jacob - b [ca 1794] - d 1875 (Bot Co Inv) (WB N p19) - f [maybe Peter CRUSH] - [wife Susanna SWISHER; Ch: ____, Harriet, Hannah KIDDY, July A, Mary Magdaline KIDDY, George, Matthias, Cathernie, Elizabeth, Lydia, , Virginia, Paulina CRUSH, John Thomas - b 1 Mar 1854 Bot Co - d 6 May 1917 - f McDowell CRUSH (b Bot Co) - m Catherine (VANDERGRIFT) (b Bot Co) - buried Fincastle Cem cd Mitral insufficiency CRUSH, Maria L - b ca 1863 Rke Co - d 6 Feb 1865 - age ly 4m - f William L CRUSH - m Margaret F - cd croup - rep by mother CRUSH, Martha A - b 24 Oct 1838 - d 31 Jan 1903 - hus [Edward] - grave Mt Mariah Lutheran Cem CRUSH, Mary F - b 1841 - d 1919 - f [William F RHOADS] - m [Mary] - [w/o William L CRUSH] - grave Fincastle Presbyterian Cem - [Ch: Ellen HEISLOP, Verner CRUSH] CRUSH, McDowell - b ca 1827 (census 1850 Bot Co #1369) - d ca 1890's - f David CRUSH - Susannah COULTER - wife Catherine VANDERGRIFT - Ref: Cronise Scrapbook 52, no date CRUSH, Peter - d by 11 Dec 1804 (son called an orphan) - son Jacob CRUSH, S E - d 1928 Bot Co, Heir list - Ch: Eva GIVENS (b ca 1876), J H (b ca 1878), C P (b ca 1882), M A (b ca 1884), Bessie HARRIS (b ca 1888), H R (b ca 1892), R L (b ca 1895) CRUSH, Samuel - b 26 Jan 1818 - d 7 Nov 1895 Bot Co (WB Q p107) - Relatives: [wife Harriet WAGGONER]; Ch: Samuel E, Mary S REID, Emma MILTON; Gs Howard CRUSH; [other ch, David McDowell] - see Cronise Scrapbook 47 & correction from Noftsinger to Crush on p 43 CRUSH, Samuel B - d 1920 Bot Co (will, WB 3 p154) - wife Mattie H - Ch Ella H CRUSH, Sarah Virginia - b 24 June 1858 Bot Co - d 24 Apr 1916 - f J[acob] M

LEMON (b Bot Co) - m [Martha] Jane (REID) (b Bot Co) - buried Oriskany Cem - cd pneumonia

CRUSH, William L (CSA) - b 1837 - d 1881 - m [Ann] - [h/o Mary F (RHOADS) CRUSH] - grave Fincastle Presbyterian Cem CUMB see Mrs James Emory McDANIEL CUMMINGS see Catherine STYNE CUMMINGS, John - d by 12 Aug 1777 -Ref Admr bond - Admr Robert PRESTON CUMMINGS, Samuel Sears - b ca 1901 Rockbridge Co - d 4 July 1917 - f Custer CUMMINGS (b Va) - m Susie (WRIGHT) (b Va) - buried Griffith, Va, Cem - cd Cholera Infastum CUNDIFF, Elizabeth Frances - b ca 1852, Bed Co - d 27 Oct 1854 - f Jefferson CUNDIFF - m Mary E - cd Scarlet fever - rep by father CUNDIFF, Leoti (male) - b ca Jan 1857 - d 25 May 1862 - age 5y 4m 5d - f Edward B CUNDIFF - m S - cd unknown - rep by father CUNDIFF, Sarah Ann - b ca 1853 Bed Co - d 28 Oct 1854 - f Jefferson CUNDIFF - m Mary E - cd scarlet fever - rep by father CUNNINGHAM - see Minnie M BUSH CUNNINGHAM, [Hugh???] - d by 12 June 1783 (son called an orphan) - son William CUNNINGHAM, Hugh - d by 13 May 1772 - Ref: WB A p17, will dated 30 Apr 1772, Admr Bond - Relatives: Wife Sarah; Ch: Jesibel & 10 others, not named; Stepson James DAVIS; s-i-1 John YOUNG - Admr John YOUNG CUNNINGHAM, John - d by 16 Nov 1807 - Ref WB B p181, appraisal - Admr James BRECKENRIDGE CUPP, Martha - b 12 Jan 1866 Va - d 25 May 1916 - f Roman LOVING (b Va) - m Lizzie (FISHER) (b --) - buried Haymakertown Cem - cd Seneral paralysis CURD, Charles E - b ca 1865, Bot Co - d 3 Aug 1868 Bot Co - age 3y - f John E CURD - m Susan F [LUSTER] - cd drowned - rep by father CURD, James Albert - b 10 May 1845 Bot Co - d 3 June 1917 Bot Co - f J E CURD (b Va) - m Susan F (LUSTER) (b Va) - buried Fincastle Cem - cd Organic heart disease CURD, John T - b ca 2 Oct 1841 Bot Co - d 6 Oct 1861 Bot Co - age 20y Om 4d - f John E CURD - m Susan [LUSTER] - cd typhoid fever - rep by father CURRY, William Sr - d by 8 Feb 1781 - Ref WB A p134, appraisal & Admr Bond -Admr James CURRY CURTAIN, ____ (maybe CUSTER) - d by 13 Oct 1795 (son called an orphan) - son William CUSTARD see CUSTER, Alexander CLAGE

CUSTARD, Lewis C - b ca 1848 - d Nov 1856 - f George CUSTARD - m Sarah - cd hurt in fall - rep by father CUSTER see CUSTARD, Mary E DAVIS, Sarah F DAVIS, Catherin MERRITT CUSTER, - d 8 Feb (ca ?1900) near Fincastle, Bot Co - age ca 27y - hus James CUSTER - left 3 small ch - see Cronise Scrapbook 53 (no date) CUSTER, Charles Adam - 7 Apr 1906 Bot Co - d 17 Sep 1917 - f James Edward CUSTER (b Bot Co) - m Mary Ellen (HAMILTON) (b Bot Co) - buried Eagle Rock Cem - cd caught in sawmill belt CUSTER, Kent Oliver - b 6 July 1895 Bot Co - d 10 Jan 1916 - f George W CUSTER (b Craig Co) - m Jessie L (JOPLIN) (b Bot Co) - buried Springwood Cem - cd intestinal TB CUSTER, Mattie E - b 29 Aug 1915 Bot Co - d 29 Aug 1915 - f E W CUSTER (b Bot Co) - m Mabel E (DUVALL) (b Rke Co) - buried Haymakertown Cem - cd still born DAKIN, Jacob - b 15 Mar 1837 - d 30 June 1877 - Ref Presbyterian Cem gravestone at Fincastle - h/o Alice Dudley Brugh Dakin Waid DAME, Betsy - b 11 Mar 1797 - d Apr 1797 - Ref Fincastle Presbyterian gravestone DAME, George - d by 12 Apr 1815 (son called an orphan) - son Samuel DAME, Samuel - d by 12 Feb 1844 (sons called orphans) - f [George DAME] sons: Samuel (over 14), James (over 14) DAMEWOODb - see Isaiah JOHNSON, Mrs Miah WILLS DARBY, James - d by 28 Feb 1815 - Ref: WB B p425, WB C p371, appraisal & settlement - Note: included pension from US for widow & ch. - adm^r Mary DARBY DARRICK, John - d by 14 Sep 1790 - Ref WB A p288, will dated 4 Aug 1790, admr bond - Relatives: wife Mary; Ch: Jonathan, Michael & others not named. - Admr Michael Derrick - In a suit on 11 May 1796, orphans named: Michael, Elizabeth, Mary, Barbara, Jonathan, Rosa, John, & Eve DARST, Sarah "Sally" - b ca 1790 Va (census #1155) - d by 12 Feb 1866 - w/o Samuel DARST - Adm Edmund PENDLETON DASHER see DEISHER, George RULE DATZELL see John DEPEW Sr, maybe DELZELL DAUSON, Hannah (widow) - b ca 1782 - d 9 Oct 1857 Poor House - rep by Steward DAVENPORT see Hesakiah EUBANK DAVIDSON see Mollie E RIELEY

DAVIDSON, Baker - d by 26 June 1805 - Ref WB B pl06, appraisal, Adm^r: William DAVIDSON

DAVIDSON, Joseph - d by Dec 1814 - Ref WB C p40, appraisal

DAVIDSON, William Sr - d by Dec 1812 - Ref WB B p319, will dated 17 Nov 1812 - wife Martha; Ch: Ginny (m McCARTNEY), Joseph, & 3 other sons & 3 other daus. - Ex^T: Joseph DAVIDSON, John PITZER Jr

DAVIS see Hugh CUNNINGHAM, Lucy FLAHERTY, Maggie FLETCHER, Catherine KESSLER, Clora A KESSLER, Francis M KESSLER, female MUSE, Sarah PALMER, Helen THOMPSON

DAVIS, (female & male) (twins) - d 8 Mar 1915 Bot Co - d 9 Mar 1915 & 10 Mar 1915 - f John F DAVIS (b Hawkins Co, TN) - m Martha E (KLEPPER) (b Hawkins Co, TN) - cd premature birth

DAVIS, Alexander - b ca Feb 1770 or 1790, Bot Co (census #378) - d 21 Aug 1861 - age 82y 6m 0d - cd paralysis - rep by son John DAVIS - Ex John E McCREERY (14 Oct 1861)

DAVIS, Andrew - b ca Oct 1862 - d 1 Nov 1862 - age 16d - f Joshua DAVIS - m Elizabeth - cd whooping cough - rep by father ??John DAVIS??

DAVIS, Clara (or Cloe) - b 8 Apr 1788 or 1792, Bot Co (census #378) - d 7 July 1858 - f [Henry SPICKARD] - cd unkn - rep by hus Alexander DAVIS

DAVIS, Elizabeth F - b ca 1850 Bot Co (1850 Census, Rke Co #579 aged 1m) - d ca 1909 Bot Co - f Reuben BRYANT - m Malinda called May (by p^S: dau of Lewis & Drusilla (PETERS) GISH) - w/o Henry L DAVIS (d 1909) - Ref Haymakertown Cem

DAVIS, Frank Crowder - b 22 May 1913 Baldwin Station, Bot Co - d 22 May 1913 - f Frank CROWDER (b Fincastle, Bot Co) - m Annie Bell DAVIS (p^S unmd) buried Gale Cem - cd born dead

DAVIS, Henry - d by 14 May 1866 - Adm Robert R LUNSFORD

DAVIS, Henry L - b 1840 - d 1909 Bot Co - h/o Elizabeth F BRYAN (d 1909) -Ref Haymakertown Cem - [wife was adopted dau of Lewis & Drusilla (PETERS) GISH. See WB 1 p 516 for heirs: E K DAVIS, Drusilla PAINTER, Ida HARTMAN, Rebecca CLEMER, Pearl DAVIS, Clara M DAVIS, Cora T DAVIS, & Emery L DAVIS

DAVIS, John A - b 16 Mar 1836 - d 31 Oct 1911 - f [John DAVIS] - m [Ellender] - h/o Mary E DAVIS - grave Hogan-Old Cem (Little Catawba)

DAVIS, Lizzie Myrtle - b 12 Apr 1877 - d 19 Apr 1909 - f [Giles S] THOMAS - m [Katherine J PETTIT] - w/o Worth DAVIS (1874-1942) - Ref Foutz Cemetery gravestone

DAVIS, Lucinda - b 20 Aug 1809 - d 10 Mar 1896 - w/o William DAVIS (1808-1873) - Ref: Old Glade Creek gravestone

DAVIS, Mary E - b 4 June 1842 Va [Bot Co] - d 21 May 1914 - f William AUSTIN (b Va) - m Sallie (CUSTER) (b Va) - buried [Hogan]-Old Cem [Little Catawba] - cd heart disease - [w/o John A DAVIS]

DAVIS, Osborn - b 13 July 1849 Bot Co - d 19 June 1915 - f E DAVIS (b Bot Co) - m Mary (JONES) (b Bot Co) - buried Glade Creek Cem - cd paralysis DAVIS, Parmelie L - b ca 1858 Bot Co - d 20 Nov 1862 - age 4y - f Andrew DAVIS - m M J - cd diptheria - rep by father DAVIS, Pauline FOUTZ - b 1 Apr 1848 - d 15 June 1925 - f [Greenville FOUTZ] - m [Sarah] - w/o Volney DAVIS - grave Foutz Cem (near Bonsack) DAVIS, Philip - d by 14 May 1816 (dau called an orphan) - dau Sarah (over 14) DAVIS, Sarah F - b 27 Nov 1830 Va [Bot Co] - d 26 Feb 1914 - f William AUSTON (b Va) - m Sallie (CUSTOR) (b Va) - buried on home farm - cd dropped dead DAVIS, Toliver A - b ca 1857 Bot Co - d 25 Mar 1916 - f H A DAVIS (b Bot Co) - m Clara (OWENS) (b Bot Co) - buried Glade Creek Cem - cd lobar pneumonia DAVIS, Viola F - b 1873 - d 1933 - w/o DAVIS - grave Foutz Cem (near Bonsack) DAVIS, Volney - b ca 1842 Bot Co - d 7 Nov 1917 - f Henry DAVIS - m Adline (PALMER) (b Bot Co) - buried Bonsack Cem - cd Cerebral hemorrhage DAVIS, William - d 15 Sep 1808 - d 5 Apr 1873 - h/o Lucinda DAVIS (1809-1896) - Ref Old Glade Creek gravestone DAVIS, William S - b ca 1810 Va (census #855) - d by 10 Oct 1865 - h/o Eliza G - Ex Joseph F Robinson DAVIS, Worth - b 3 July 1874 - d 14 Apr 1942 - h/o Lillie?[Lizzie] M [THOMAS] DAVIS (1877-1909) - Ref Foutz Cemetary gravestone DAWSON see Charlie SLOAN DAY see Mary KEFAUVER DAY, infant - d by 9 Dec 1909 - m Julia DAY - cd bled to death through neglect - Inquest papers DAY, Benjamin, Major (Rev War soldier) - b ca 1752 - d 16 Feb 1821 Fredericksburg, Va - age 69y - rep in "Herald of the Valley" 12 Mar 1821 DAY, John - d by Oct 1819 (order) - Ref WB C p232 division - Ch: Elijah, Joel, James DEACON see George Washington NICELY DEACON, John Franklin - b 27 Aug 1851 Va - d 4 Nov 1913 - f Douglass DEACON (b Va) - m Margaret (SAVILLE) (b Va) - buried High Bridge Cem - cd Angina Pectoris DEAL see DEEL, Charles BROUGHMAN, Eliza SIMPSON, Thomas H SIMPSON DEAL, George - d by Nov 1815 - Ref WB C p38, will dated 1 Dec 1813 - Relatives: wife Magdalin; Ch: Peter, Mary Magdalin (md _____HENDERLIGHTER), Susanna dec'd SPANGLER), wife's son Jacob SIGGEL [md 1795 Mary WAX], wife's daus (md Mary BUMGARDNER, Susanna [ZIRKLE] FRINGER [md 1787], Christina SPICKARD, Eliz-

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abeth [SEAGLE] NYE [md 1796], Molly [SEAGLE] STEVER [md 1797], Barbary COOK

DEALE, James Knox Polk - b ca 1844 Bot Co - d 15 Aug 1854 - f Hugh DEALE - m [Ann] - cd flus - rep by father DEALE, Mary - b June 1838 Bot Co - d 12 June 1858 - cd consumption - rep by hus John DEALE DEALE, Samuel - b ca 1852 Bot Co - d 12 Aug 1853 - f Hugh DEALE - m Ann rep by father DEALE, Samuel Jr - b ca 1822 (or 1820) Bot Co (census #855) - d 24 Oct 1854 - f Samuel DEAL - m Mary - cd typhoid fever - rep by father - h/o Emily -Adm Peter OBENCHAIN DEAN see Rosa A TAYLOR DEARD see Peter HINER DEARDORFF see Harman BRUGH, DIERDOFF DEARDORFF, Henry - d by 13 Sep 1791 (6 Oct 1792 marked out) - Ref WB A p314 appraisal & Admr bond - Relatives on 11 Sep 1792, his orhpans Elizabeth, Jacob & Paul - Admr Mathias SNIDER DEARING see DEERING DEATON, George E - b ca Sep 1869 Bot Co - d 27 Oct 1869 [in 1870 census] age Oy 1m 7d [should it be 1y 1m 7d] - f George P DEATON - m Mary S - rep by father DEATON, Martha C - d by 13 Apr 1822 - Ref WB C p348, Appraisal & Sale -[widow of Levi DEATON] DECKER, Fannie H - b 11 Feb 1850 - 30 Apr 1929 - w/o William C DECKER grave Mt Union Cem DECKER, William C - b 25 Oct 1840 - d 17 Aug 1928 - h/o Fannie H DECKER grave Mt Union Cem DEEDS see Susan DWIRE, Rebecca Jane RIDDLEBARGER, Elizabeth SLUSSER DEEDS, Emma Elizabeth - b 24 Mar 1864 - d 9 Jan 1894 - w/o B D DEEDS - grave Haymakertown Cem DEEDS, John - b 10 Dec 1829 - d 1890 - h/o Sarah S DEEDS (d 1906) - grave Haymakertown Cem DEEDS, John H - b 16 Oct 1860 - d 28 Dec 1891 - grave Haymakertown Cem DEEDS, Lou Ann - b 24 Sep 1872 - d 28 Dec 1894 - grave Haymakertown Cem DEEDS, Sallie E - b 5 Aug 1893 - d 5 Sep 1893 - f B D DEEDS - m Emma Elizabeth - grave Haymakertown Cem DEEDS, Sarah S - b 21 Sep 1833 - d 7 June 1906 - w/o John DEEDS (d 1890) grave Haymakertown Cem

DEEL see DEAL, Missouri EASTON, female READ

DEEL, male - b 22 Aug 1912 - d 22 Aug 1912 - f Grover Cleveland DEEL (b Bot Co) - m Bertha E (WHEIGHT) (b Rke Co) - buried Mill Creek Cem - cd still born DEEL, Charlott V - b ca Jan 1865 Bot Co - d 21 Sep 1865 - age 9m 10d - f Martin V DEEL - m Ann E - cd dysentary - rep by father DEEL, Malinda - b 3 Jan 1841 Bot Co - d 25 Feb 1913 - f Eleck FELLERS (b Bot Co) - m Elizabeth (COOK) (b Bot Co) - buried Mill Creek Cem - cd pneumonia DEEL, Mary Ann - b 12 Aug 1826 Bot Co - d 10 Dec 1859 - yr 33y 8m - f Jacob OBENSHAIN - m Mary - cd consumption - rep by hus Ferdinand W DEEL - cem Obenshain Cem (East of Mill Creek Cem) DEEL, Ruebenia - b ca 1785 Va (census #541) - d by 13 Aug 1855 - Adm Solomon SECRIST DEEL, Samuel (widower) - b ca 1794 Rockbridge Co - d 1870 Buchanan Twsp - age 76y - cd age - rep by d-i-1 Mary DEEL DEEL, Wesley - b 21 Nov 1916 Bot Co - d 10 Dec 1916 - f J[ohn] W[illiam] DEEL (b [Bot Co] Va) - m Pearl (OBENSHAIN) [b Bot Co] - buried Obenshain Cem - cd Maulnutrition DEERING see DEARING, Sarah Virginia ST CLAIR DEFREESE see Audley PAUL Sr DEISHER see DISHER, George RULE, David NOFFSINGER, Samuel OBENSHAIN, Charles Ivan STOVER, Iva Preston WILHELM, Margaret Dean WOOD DEISHER, female - b ca Oct 1858 Bot Co - d 15 Feb 1859 - age 4m - f A[bsalom] P DEISHER - m [Frances J] - cd not known - rep by father DEISHER, Absolom Preston - b 4 Apr 1833 Bot Co - d 15 Mar 1915 - f George DEISHER - m Sarah (HAMBRICK) - buried Eagle Rock Cem - cd Cerebrel Hemorrhage DEISHER, Amanda - b 14 July 1854 Craig Co - d 21 May 1914 - f Miles J BIGGS (b ?Craig Co) - m Eliza J (HOWARD) - buried Deisher Cem - cd TB DEISHER, Betsy - b 1821 - d 1897 - f Mathias CIRCLE - m Mary ARMENTROUT w/o Christian DEISHER - Ref Locust Bottom gravestone DEISHER, Charlton (unmd) - b Bot Co - d 5 Sep 1857 - m Mary DEISHER - cd fever - rep by bro Evans DEISHER DEISHER, Diannah - b ca 1812 Bot Co (census #1520) - d 5 June 1858 - age 46y - Joseph PECK - m [Susannah FRANKLIN] - cd flux - rep by hus Jacob DEISHER DEISHER, Elizabeth - b ca 1809 Bot Co - d 10 Aug 1864 - age 55y - f Jacob SNIDER - m Susan - cd dropsy - rep by hus Peter DEISHER DEISHER, Evans Jr - d 2 Dec (age 31y) Bot Co (near Strom on Roaring Run of Craig's Cr) - f Charles Evans DEISHER Sr (b 15 Dec 1831 Auston's book; b ca 1833 census) - m Adelin McCARTNEY - obituary in Cronise Scrapbook 18 (no date)

DEISHER, Jacob - b ca 1800 Va (census #1520) - d by 13 Oct 1862 - f John Deisher - m Susannah STRETES - h/o Dianah PECK - Adm John B CAHOON DEISHER, Jacob - b 28 June 1823 Va (census #815) - d by 13 Nov 1865 - f Jacob DEISHER - m Christiana RULE - h/o (1) Frances FLAHERLY, (2) Mary Jane Matilda OWEN - Adm Mary Jane Matilda DEISHER DEISHER, James M - b 22 May 1833 - d 4 July 1926 Bot Co (gravestone) - wife Minerva OBENCHAIN - Mt Pleasant Cem DEISHER, Lewis R - b 3 July 1841 Va - d 28 Sep 1917 - f Christian DEISHER (b Va) - m Frances (CIRCLE) (b Va) - buried Locust Bottom Cem - cd Senility DEISHER, Marjory Josephine - b 27 July 1917 Bot Co - d 9 Nov 1917 - f J[ames] Q DEISHER (b Bot Co) - m [Josephine] "Joice" M (PETERS) (b Bot Co) - buried Shiloah Cem - cd ?Imacition? fever DEISHER, Mary Jane Wilson - b ca 1851 Bot Co - d 21 Feb 1853 - f George F DEISHER - m Mary [WRIGHTSMAN] - cd casualty - rep by father DEISHER, Minerva Obenchain - b 20 Sep 1834 - d 4 July 1890 Bot Co (gravestone) - hus James M DEISHER - Mt Pleasant Cem DEISHER, Samuel Ashby - b 1867 - d 1893 Bot Co gravestone - Mt Pleasant Cem DEISHER, Susan - b ca 1772 Pa (census #978) - d 4 Jan 1862 - f [Jacob STRETES] - cd old age - rep by son Peter DEISHER - Adm Samuel BURGER (9 Feb 1863) DEISHER, Susan - b 3 June 1847 - d 24 Dec 1872 - f John B ALLEN - m Clementine HUNTER - w/o John E DEISHER [no] - Ref Beaverdam gravestone DEISHER, Virginia - b ca 1853 Bot Co - d 1 July 1853 - f John E DEISHER - m Sarah [Susan Ann] - cd bowel complaint - rep by father DEISHER, Volney - d by 8 Aug 1859 - f [maybe s/o Peter DEISHER] - m [Polly SHEETS] - h/o Mary - Ex Abraham SAVILLE & Evans DEISHER DE LONG see Maggie M FRINGER DELONG (male) - b 23 July 1869 Bot Co - d 24 July 1869 - 1d - f George T DE-LONG - m Elizabeth F - rep by father DELONG, George - b ca 1776 Pa (census #695) - d by 12 Sep 1864 - Adm John B ALLEN, another bond 3 Aug 1866 DELONG, Susanna - b ca 1779 Pa (census #695) - d 1 Feb 1856 - cd paralysis rep by hus George DELONG DELONG, Susan Virginia - b ca 1837 Bot Co - d 13 Apr 1861 - age 24y - f [George DELONG] - m Nancy DELONG - rep by mother DELONG, William B - b ca 1836 Bot Co - d 27 Mar 1867 - age 31y - f George DELONG - m Nancy - cd heart disease - rep by bro George T DELONG - h/o Adaline DELONG - Adm 9 Sep 1867 George T DELONG

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DELZELL, James - d by Sep 1815 - Ref: WB C p5, will dated 22 June 1815 - Wife Martha; Ch: James, Hugh, Nancy, Sally, Betsy - Ex^r Martha DELZELL

DELZELL, Mary (widow) - b [ca 1775] Va - d Sep 1849 - age 74y - f [James MOORE] - cd Erysipelas - Ref 1850 Bot Co Mort Schedule - [hus Robert DELZELL]

DEMPSEY see Daniel CAMPBELL

DEMPSEY, Absalom Cornelius - b 17 Dec 1787 - d 26 June 1872 - h/o Elizabeth B - grave Mill Creek Cem

DEMPSEY, Elizabeth B - b [6 Nov 1787] - d [ca 1874] - age 87y - f [Henry BOLTON] - w/o Absalom C DEMPSEY - grave Mill Creek Cem

DEMPSEY, William - d by 11 June 1806 (ch called orphans) - Ch: Judith (over 14), Dubartus (over 14), Lucy (over 14)

DENNIS, Edward - d by 22 Nov 1816 - Ref WB C p62, 112, 152, appraisal & settlements - Note: divison of slaves into 3 lots, heirs not named. - Adm^r: Ann DENNIS

DENNIS, John - d by 3 Sep 1924 - cd car wreck - Ref: Inquest papers

DENNIS, Joseph - d by June 1794 - Ref: WB A p375, will dated 26 July 1790 - wife Mary; ch: not named - Admrs: Mary DENNIS, James PEERY

DENNIS, Lang (colored) - d by 26 Dec 1886 - cd excessive drink - Ref: Inquest papers

DENNISTON, John - d by 15 Nov 1775 (7 May 1776 marked out) - Ref: WB A p66, appraisal & admr bond - Admr John HENDERSON

DENT, James Lee - b ca 25 Feb 1861 Bot Co - d 27 July 1862 - age ly 5m 5d - f H[arvey] DENT - m Hester - cd teething - rep by mother

DENTON see Philip E FIREBAUGH, Lewis KESSLER, Albino G LAYMAN, George G LAYMAN, Robert ANDERSON

DENTON, Anna - b 12 Aug 1812 - d 26 Jan 1897 - f Christian MOOMAW - m Catherine SNIDER - w/o Robert A DENTON (1815-1880) - Ref Daleville gravestone

DENTON, Benjamin - d by 11 Oct 1814 (14 Nov marked out) - Ref WB C p277, settlement - Ch: on 11 Oct 1814 his orphan John A (over 14) - Adm^{rs}: Margaret DENTON, William ANDERSON

DENTON, Dallas A - b ca 1799 Bot Co - d 15 Aug 1865 - age 65y 11m 21d - f Benjamin DENTON - m Mahala -cd asthma - rep by wife Patsy A DENTON - Adm: 8 Oct 1866, Sheriff Lewis LINKENHOKER

DENTON, Robert A - b 30 Sep 1815 - d 2 June 1880 - h/o Anna DENTON (1812-1897) - Ref Daleville gravestone

DENTON, Theodore E - b 11 Oct 1848 Bot Co - d 18 Jan 1914 - f Robert DENTON (b Bot Co) - m Annie (MOOMAW) (b Bot Co) -buried Daleville Cem - cd delitaion of heart

DENTON, William A - b ca 3 Sep 1843 Bot Co - d 17 Sep 1862 Sharpsburg, Md age 19y Om 14d - f Dallas A DENTON - m Patsy - cd gun shot -rep by father DEPEW, John Sr - d by Sep 1811 - Ref WB B p 264, will date 27 June 1809 -Relatives: Wife Catherine; Ch: Elijah, Isaac, John, Lewcrecia (md DET-ZELL), Abraham, James, Jacob, Samuel (dec'd) (his 3 ch, not named), Gdau Mary DEPEW (of James) DEPEW, Samuel - d by 8 Nov 1791 (13 Jan 1792 marked out) - Ref WB A p310, WB B p363, appraisal & admr bond, division - Relatives: wife Polly; gdns of orphans named but ch not named 13 Dec 1791, 10 Jan 1792 & 13 Sep 1808 - Admr Mary DEPEW, Elijah DEPEW DERRICK see DARRICK DETZELL see John DEPEW Jr, also DELZELL, DALZELL, etc DEYERLE see James SMITH DICKERSON see William KYLE, Ulyses PUGH DICKEY see Catherine GURTNER DICKEY, Magdalene - b ca 1830 Bot Co - d 10 Oct 1853 Gilmore Co - Robert S DICKEY (farmer) - m Margaret - cd fits - rep by father DICKEY, Robert S - b ca 1785 Pa (census #1267) - d by 14 Sep 1857 - h/o Margaret - Ex William J DICKEY DIERDOFF see DEARDORFF, Daniel BRUGH, Elizabeth BRUGH, John BRUGH Sr DIERDOFF, Christena - b ca 1840 - d 16 Nov 1924 - age 84y 10m - Ref 01d Dutch Cem DIETRICH, Elizabeth - b 19 Sep 1788 - d 15 July 1880 - Ref Old Glade Creek Gravestone DIGGS see Martha Diggs BURWELL DILL see A[nna] BREWBAKER, Harvey D LIPES, Joel BREWBAKER, John BREWBAKER DILL, Eliza Jane - b 12 Oct 1834 Bot Co - d 19 Sep 1912 - f William PECK (b Bot Co) - m Lumina (FINCH) (b Campbell Co) - buried Springwood - cd obstruction of bowels DILL, Henry - d by June 1818 - Ref WB C p122 & 355, will dated 3 Mar 1818, division - Relatives: wife Mary, Ch: Andrew, Esther, Susanna, Anne (md Abra-(md John RHEA, dec'd, his 5 ch one named Rebecca), Jacob; ham Brubaker), s^S-n-1 Daniel DILMAN, Michael RULE, b-i-1 Jacob AGIST, Others: Nicholas YOUNG (md Catherine) - orphan Esther was aged over 14 by 7 May 1821

DILL, Lewis - b ca 1829 Va (census #696) - d by 12 Mar 1860 - f Andrew DILL - m Mary CROSS - adm Andrew DILL

A SHAWSVILLE HOME, ca. 1750

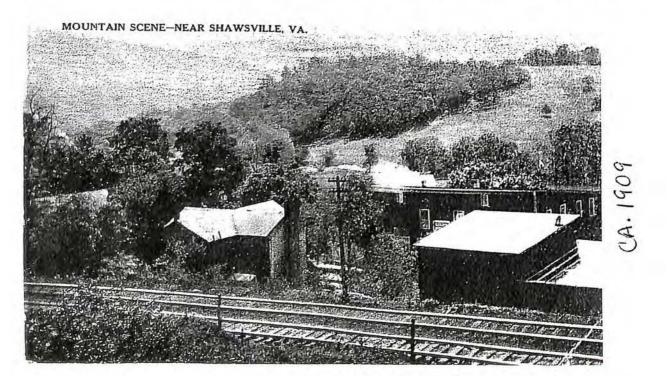


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The Pappas home in Shawsville is about 250 years old, and was formerly a tavern and lodging place, whose guests may have included George Washington, frontiersman Daniel Boone, and the explorers, Lewis and Clark.

Much of the house has been altered, but it is undergoing restoration. The floors, believed to date to the time the house was built, are made of chestnut. Some of the boards in the walls measure 12 to 18 inches wide. One board is 21 inches wide.

Karen Pappas, the owner, says the house was probably owned by the same family for the first 100 years. Credit Progress '96, New River Newspapers, L.L.C. Wednesday, February 28, 1996



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