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PUBLICATIONS

Two of our Arkansas Genealogical Society members have announced publication of "The 1840 Census of Arkansas" -- publication date on or about Oct. 1, 1963. The compilers, Mrs. Inez Cline and Mrs. Bobbie McLane of Hot Springs, say that their book is alphabetically arranged for easy reference and that the book is of special value in that it is the first Federal Census after Arkansas became a state. "It enables a researcher to locate a family when the county of residence in 1840 is not known." There are 12,775 names. If interested, contact Mrs. Gerald B. McLane, 112 Leach St., Hot Springs, Ark.

The Central Texas Genealogical Society announces publication of the McLennan County, Texas, Marriage Records 1850-1870. Edition limited to 300 copies. Paperback \$3.75; cloth \$5.50. Address: Central Texas Genealogical Society, Waco Public Library, 1717 Austin Ave., Waco 1, Texas.

The Peter Hansbrough Bell Press, Box 96, Baylor Station, Benton, Texas, announces publication of a new Civil War book, "Fort Worth in the Civil War." Limited edition. Paperbound 65 cents; hardbound \$2.50.

James Manford Carselowe, PO Box 156, Adair, Okla. still has copies available (at \$3 each) of his four mimeographed books: "Cherokee Pioneers", "Early Settlers", "Pryor Cemetery" and "My Journal." Mr. Carselowe, noted Cherokee historian, is a member of the Arkansas Genealogical Society.

EXCHANGES

A letter from Mrs. C.E. Duffy, corresponding secretary, Maryland Genealogical Society, 3102 Duglow Road, Baltimore 22, Maryland, reminds us that we haven't done right by genealogical societies in other states. She wrote: "The Librarian of the Maryland Genealogical Society has advised me that she has not been receiving copies of 'The Arkansas Family Historian.' We have enjoyed your publication very much and regret not having it."

In answer to Mrs. Duffy and other genealogical societies, we can only say that we are unable to carry on an exchange program. When we have run off, gathered, stapled, and mailed 450 copies of our Family Historian to our membership list, we are too worn out and broke to send out a hundred exchanges. We are willing to exchange with nearby genealogical publications, especially Oklahoma and Texas, because many early Arkansas families moved to those states. We are even sympathetic with California, because we know how many Arkansas families moved to the Golden Gate.

But finances have compelled us to call a halt on exchanges. We just can't afford them. Also, we have no way of making the contents of such excellent genealogical journals as those of Seattle, Baltimore, Alamo-gordo, El Paso, Baton Rouge, and many many more available to our members. The Arkansas Family Historian is published in Fayetteville, in the northwest corner of Arkansas. But most of our members live 200 or 300 miles away, and we have been unable to work out any system of distributing our exchanges where they will do the most good.

\$3, of course, will put any genealogical society on our mailing list.

THE MORROWS AND THEIR DESCENDANTS

by Mary Cox, Box 696, Sanderson, Texas

Mariah Cox, daughter of Coleman and Martha (Buchanan) Cox, was born 15 Aug. 1815 near Bowling Green, Ky. She died 21 Aug. 1900 at Cove Creek, Washington Co., Ark. and is buried there beside her husband. She married 1st Dr. Conditt - one child. Husband and child soon died. She married 2nd 11 Dec. 1834 John Morrow (born 1808 S.C.; died 6 Oct., 1885) of Bowling Green, Ky. The Morrows were devout Presbyterians and built a church on Cove Creek in which they worshipped. The old home of the Morrows has been moved to Prairie Grove Battlefield Park where it was dedicated Sept. 1957 as a Battle Museum. The Morrow home on Cove Creek was Confederate headquarters on the night before the battle.

Of interest is the original US Land Office receipt for 40 acres of land, purchased by John Morrow in 1837. This document is now in the home of Dr. John A. Morrow of Sallisaw, Okla. It reads as follows:

Receiver's Office, Fayetteville, Arkansas
5 May, 1837

1878

Received of John Morrow of Washington County, Arkansas, Fifty Dollars being full payment for the southwest of the northwest quarter of Section No. 36, Twp No. 14 N of Range 32, Washington County. Forty acres at \$1.25 per acre.

Mathew Leeper, Receiver

There is a nice sketch of the Morrow family in "Early Settlers of Cane Hill" by Ellen Earle Richardson, published by the Washington County Historical Society in 1955. Miss Emma Hodges of Durant, Okla., a granddaughter of the Morrows, wrote a story of life on Cove Creek, Ark. which was published in the Tulsa World by Mrs. Lucile Ellingwood Morrow of Collinsville, Okla. The story as Emma wrote it:

"My maternal grandmother, Maria Cox Morrow, was a lovely brunette. Romance came to her early in life; at the age of 16 she was already a widow. One day, while crossing one of the mountain streams while riding horseback, the water being swift, her horse was carried downstream. A young man approached from the opposite bank and took her safely to the other side.

"It was love at first sight; the tall gentleman, John Morrow of Bowling Green, Ky. became her second husband when she was 18. They established a home at Cove Creek, Ark. on a beautiful hillside, surrounded by flowing springs, walnut and catalpa groves -- across the mountain from Boonsboro, now Cane Hill.

"There they lived and reared a large family, with slaves owned by my grandfather to work the hillside farm land. My mother, being the eldest child, attended Miss Graham's academy at Cane Hill. Four children were married and living near by at the beginning of the War between the States. Two sons, Coleman and George, were old enough to enlist in the Confederate Army and George fought at both Prairie Grove and Pea Ridge. The three married daughters, whose husbands also enlisted, came with their children to stay with their parents for the duration.

"The house was large and rambling and others stayed with them also. General Price's army camped in the bottom field below the hill, where Cove Creek supplied water for the horses. The springs provided drinking water for the army. At this time, the battle of Prairie Grove was fought, only eight miles distant. During the day of the battle, all of Grandmother's household, many neighbor children and four orphan children she had taken in, stayed in the large cellar under the house. They remained unharmed, but bullet holes may be seen in the old Morrow house to this day. My Grandfather, knowing the country around and near the battleground of Prairie Grove, was sent on reconnaissance trips and managed to see my Grandmother each time.

"Another year passed. Their handsome son, Coleman, was killed. Cane Hill now knew total war. Bushwhackers raided all that part of Arkansas, stealing, destroying and killing. Starvation threatened this now large family, which was oftentimes provided for by two younger boys who brought in squirrels, an occasional wild hog or turkey. Often when they were just seated to a meager meal, the bushwhackers would come and take all the food.

"All war must end and things get back to normal. My grandparents' home, strangely enough, was never burned; their widowed daughter and her two children remained with them, also several of the colored people who were now free but refused to leave. Cane Hill College was functioning again and many young men were there studying for the ministry under Dr. F. R. Earle. My Grandfather built a small church and these young men would come for the week-end and stammer out their first sermons under Grandfather's stern look and Grandmother's smiling encouragement.

"After Grandfather's death, she visited around among her children, but spent her last days in Cane Hill. As a girl in her teens, I listened to stories of her girlhood and married life; even at 80 she was always immaculately dressed, with lace cap and black silk apron ready to meet any company. She lived gallantly, died peacefully, was buried in the family graveyard with her husband and children who had gone before her."

Children of John and Mariah (Cox) Morrow

Martha Jane Morrow	b. 3 Nov. 1835	d. 26 Oct. 1915
Mary Lubina Morrow	b. 25 Apr. 1837	d. 29 Aug. 1879
George Greenfield Morrow	b. 28 Apr. 1839	d. 1918
Sarah Frances Morrow	b. 1840	d.
John Coleman Morrow	b. 12 Dec. 1842	d. 16 Feb. 1865
Margaret C. Morrow	b. 1 May, 1845	d. 21 Oct. 1906
Samuel Buchanan Morrow	b. 20 Feb. 1846	d. 20 May, 1880
Thomas Anderson Morrow	b. 27 May, 1849	d. 1924
James Henry Morrow	b. 1851	d. 1928
Ircas Ann Morrow	b. 27 Apr. 1853	d.
Emily Mariah Morrow	b. 1855	d. 1936
Elvina Alice Morrow	b. 10 Feb. 1858	d. Nov. 1868

MARTHA JANE MORROW, daughter of John and Mariah (Cox) Morrow; b. 3 Nov. 1835; d. 26 Oct. 1915; buried Cane Hill Cemetery beside her husband. She m. 17 Nov. 1857 HOWELL HODGES (b. 19 Mar. 1830; d. 25 Apr. 1924. They were m. by Rev. Samuel Cox, uncle of the bride. There were five children, all born on Cove Creek, Washington Co., Ark.

Thomas E. Hodges	b. ca. 1859 (from Census)
Maria Jane (Jennie) Hodges	b. ca. 1863
Martha Lee (Maggie) Hodges	b. ca. 1865
Lillie Hodges	b. ca. 1870
Elmira L. (Emma) Hodges	b. 1875

Thomas E. Hodges m. 8 May 1887 Altonia Smith in Little Rock, Ark. He was a doctor in the Cane Hill neighborhood and later moved to Rogers, Ark. He and his wife died there and are buried there. His father, Howell Hodges, spent the last days of his life with this son. There were three children:

Guy Hodges, b. 19 Mar. 1888; d. 16 June 1959 Rogers, Ark. He m. Elizabeth McCullough who d. Feb. 1960. Guy Hodges was a doctor as his father was before him. There were two sons:

Carl Hodges	b. 8 June 1914; married, no issue
Gene Hodges	b. 14 Apr. 1919; never married

Ruth Hodges, b. 27 Nov. 1892, Cane Hill, Ark.; m. 28 Nov. 1917 Edward Herring; no issue. Mrs. Herring sent the birth dates and other data from Little Rock where she and her husband live.

Howell Hodges, b. 6 Feb. 1899; m. 30 Mar. 1922; Ernestine Musselman; no issue. Live Oklahoma City.

Mary Jane (Jennie) Hodges, m. 21 May 1889, Edward Lowery Cline in Cane Hill, Ark. Jennie d. 1913 and Ed Cline in Aug. 1946.

Both are buried in Tahlequah, Okla. Their children:

Grover Hodges Cline	b. 9 Mar. 1890
Lilly Cline	b. 6 July 1891
Rose Cline	b. 2 Feb. 1894; m. Aubert McPike
Thomas Harris Cline	b. 10 June 1896
Jewell Morrow Cline	b. 21 Jan. 1901; m. James Reichard
Dan Lowery Cline	b. 4 Nov. 1903
James Edward Cline	b. 30 Nov. 1907

Lilly Cline m. 18 May 1913 Jackson Terrell (d. 9 Feb. 1961) in Tahlequah, Okla. Their children:

John Edward Terrell,	b. 9 Nov. 1914; m. 1939 Gladys
Hetchum	in Tulsa, Okla.
Nona Belle Terrell,	b. 7 Nov. 1915; m. 1938 Ogden Walter
Morgan,	Siloam Springs, Ark.
Jennie Marie Terrell,	b. 27 July 1921; m. 1940 Roy Moody
Hall;	live Oklahoma City

Martha Lee (Maggie) Hodges, m. 1884 Lee Douglas Blakemore. They lived 3 miles from Cane Hill, Ark. Maggie died at 43, leaving Emma, the baby age 3. She is buried in Cane Hill Cemetery. There were eight children:

Eula Beatrice Blakemore b. 23 July 1885
 Exum Blakemore
 Otto Blakemore
 Jessie Jane Blakemore b. 1894
 Carlotta Altonia Blakemore b. 1896
 Lacy Blakemore b. 1898
 Gus Garland Blakemore b. 1900
 Emma Blanche Blakemore b. 1902

(Birth dates as sent by members of the family.)

Eula Beatrice Blakemore, b. 23 July 1885, Cove Creek, Ark.;
 m. 18 Jan. 1905 Fred Erwin Merriman at Cane Hill, Ark. by the
 Rev. Nathan Hanks. They lived in Ark. until 1915 when they
 moved to Grove, Okla. In 1918 they moved to Lenapah, Okla.
 In 1946 they bought a home in Bartlett, Kans. where they cel-
 ebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with open house. Have
 had much correspondence and help from Cousin Eula. The Merri-
 man children, 6 sons and 3 daughters:

Louis Blakemore Merriman, b. 9 Nov. 1905 Bentonville, Ark.
 Never married. Served 18 months overseas in the Navy.

James Bruce Merriman, b. 5 Mar. 1908, Prairie Grove, Ark.;
 d. 27 Nov. 1908 and is buried in the West Cemetery near
 Cane Hill, Ark.

Rex Howell Merriman, b. 22 Aug. 1909, Prairie Grove, Ark.;
 m. 18 Sept. 1945 Lois Wilson of Oklahoma City in Independ-
 ence, Kans. Rex served two years in the Army (Field artil-
 lery) in France, Germany, Austria. Received citation for
 bravery and outstanding performance of duty. One son:

Philip Ray Merriman, b. 12 Mar. 1947

Martha Lee Merriman, b. 18 May 1912, Prairie Grove, Ark.;
 m. (1st) 1934 Nelson Jordan of Lenapah, Okla., who was
 killed in car accident Feb. 1936; m. (2nd) 1947 Harvey
 Levin of Osawatomie, Kans. in Prescott, Ariz. Her son:

James Lynn Jordan, b. 5 June 1935 Lenapah, Okla. who
 m. 24 Dec. 1955 Rosa Bartlett of Osawatomie, Kans.

They have three children:

Nelson Lynn Jordan, b. 12 Mar. 1956

Janet Lee Jordan, b. 21 Oct. 1958

Julie Ray Jordan, b. 29 Nov. 1962

Polly Ruth Merriman, b. 20 Sept. 1914, Prairie Grove, Ark.;
 m. 23 June 1932 James Willis Higgins at Nowata, Okla. They
 live in Prescott, Ariz. and have four children:

Myra Lucile Higgins, b. 3 Oct. 1936

Ronald Willis Higgins, b. 9 Apr. 1940

Carolyn Ruth Higgins, b. 2 June 1946

Mary Lee Higgins, b. 25 May 1948

Paul Erwin Merriman, b. 25 May 1918, Grove, Okla. Served
 in the Army overseas and received two Purple Hearts. He
 died 21 Feb. 1944 on Anzio Beach, Italy, and is buried
 near Rome, Italy.

Lila Lucile Merriman, b. 7 July 1921 at Lenapah, Okla.;
m. 23 Apr. 1940 Merle K. Myers of Nowata, Okla. He
served 18 months in France, Germany, Austria. Two
children:

Paul Edward Myers, b. 27 Nov. 1942, Coffeyville, Kans.
Susan Elizabeth Myers, b. 14 Dec. 1949

Edward Brady Merriman, b. 24 May 1923, Lenapah, Okla.; m.
6 Feb. 1946 Betty Crain, Coffeyville, Kans. Brady was a
flyer in the Navy. Received his wings and Lieutenant's com-
mission at Corpus Christi, Tex. Taught flying at Pensacola,
Fla. Two children:

Paula Marie Merriman, b. 21 Apr. 1954
Nancy Jo Merriman, b. 4 May 1957

William Mason Merriman, b. 19 Feb. 1926, Nowata, Okla.
Bill served in the Navy 14 months on a ship that supplied
fuel at Luzon, Iwo Jima, Okinawa and Japan. Never married
and lives in California and is with a flower nursery.

Exum Blakemore, b.ca.1887. Letter from his sister: "Exum joined
the army about 1912. Was at Angel Island, Calif., then was sent
to Hawaii where he stayed 35 years. He married an Hawaiian girl
named Emily who was well educated and taught school. Our son
visited them. Exum and Emily separated a few years ago. He has
made several trips back to the USA and I think he is living in
El Paso, Tex. He had two children and several grandchildren.

Exum Blakemore, Jr.
Irene Blakemore

Otto Blakemore, b.ca. 1890; m. Beulah _____, Stilwell, Okla.
Their children:

Willard Blakemore
Bruce Blakemore
Thomas Blakemore
Helen Blakemore
Otto Blakemore, Jr.

Jennie Jane Blakemore, b. 1894 near Cane Hill, Ark., lost her
mother when 14 years old. Lived with her sister Eula in Prairie
Grove until she was 18. She m. (1st) Walter D. Daugherty in
Stilwell, Okla. and had 2 children. She m. (2nd) 1927, Levi
Adair and had 2 sons. Jessie moved to Calif. in 1949. Her
children:

Alice Delphine Daugherty, b. 8 Nov. 1917; m. Lloyd DeMoss
they live in Littleton, Colo. Have 6 children:

Carol Jane DeMoss, b. 15 Feb. 1939
Tommy George DeMoss, b. 5 Apr. 1941
Linda Faye DeMoss, b. 14 Aug. 1943
Jessie May DeMoss, b. 7 July, 1945
Alice Ann DeMoss, b. 16 Feb. 1947
Mary Louise DeMoss, b. 4 July, 1949

Walter Douglas Daugherty, Jr., b. 11 Nov. 1919 and d. 1954.
Never married.

William Rex (Billy) Adair, b. 30 Jan. 1932; m. 1956.
 He was in the Air Force. Has two children:
 Billy Rex Adair, jr., b. 4 Feb. 1957
 Robin Lynn Adair, b. 11 Oct. 1959

Harley Gano Adair, b. 30 Dec. 1935; m. and has one step-son
 and one son, Douglas Steven Adair, b. 22 Oct. 1959.

Carlotta Altonia (Lotty) Blakemore, b. 1896; m. (1st) 7 Sept.
 1927 George King (divorced 1932); m. (2nd) 2 Dec. 1932 Myron
 Wilson Moore in Auburn, Calif. No issue. Lotty has lived out
 west most of her life. She sent her Puchanan paper with much
 data on the Blakemore family.

Lacy Blakemore, married; deceased. Widow lives in Oklahoma City.
 One daughter, Judith Blakemore.

Gus Garland Blakemore, b.ca. 1900. It is said that he was his
 father's favorite. Whereabouts unknown. He m. 15 June 1940
 Harriett Thomason, and had three children:

Ronald Edward Blakemore, b. 10 Dec. 1941
 John Clifford Blakemore, b. 15 July 1943 (twin)
 Judith Lynn Blakemore, b. 15 July 1943 (twin)

Emma Blanche Blakemore, b. 1902; m. 24 Nov. 1927 Clyde Wm. Clack,
 son of Harvey I. Clack and Jessie Phillips Clack of Celina, Tex.,
 in Durant, Okla. Separated. One son:

Richard Scott (Dick) Clack, b. 13 Nov. 1928. Captain in the
 Army. Married Oct. 1955 (without Army approval) Hoshiko
 (Yo-shee) Eguchi, daughter of a prominent family of Tokyo,
 Japan. Married 2nd time in Army and civil ceremony 19 Dec.
 1955 and again 25 Feb. 1956 in a large social wedding.
 Their children:

Michael Bruce Clack, b. July 1956
 _____ Clack, b. 28 Jan. 1960 (daughter)

Lillie Hodges, b.ca. 1870; d. 18 Sept. 1962; m. William (Will) Jones
 in Muskogee, Okla. Two daughters:

Gladys Jones, m. _____ Rogers; no issue

Myrtle Jones, m. Howard Rose. One son:

Richard (Dick) Rose, single, deceased near Christmas 1961.

Elmira L. Hodges, known as "Tinker" and "Emma", b.ca. 1875. She lives
 in Durant, Okla. and has much knowledge of the family. She is the
 writer of the sketch of life on Cove Creek, Ark.

Mary Lubina Morrow, daughter of John and Mariah (Cox) Morrow, m. 10 Nov.
 1859 to A.D. Strickler, by Rev. Samuel Cox, uncle of the bride. Recorded
 Fayetteville, Ark. and also in the Strickler family bible thus: "Alfred
 D. Strickler and Mary Morrow was married on the 10th day of November 1859
 by Samule (sic) Cox in the county of Washington, State of Arkansas."

Mary Strickler died young, but her two daughters were married before her death. Miss Emma Hodges says that Mary Morrow was the only Morrow girl with blue eyes. Mrs. Charley Sherry of Strickler, Ark., in whose home we saw the Strickler Bible, also has the records of the earliest Baptist church of that community, and in it is this: "Sister Mary Strickler received by experience. No. 17". After Mary's death, Alfred Strickler married as 2nd wife Martha Crawley and they were the parents of two daughters -- Tilford Strickler who married a Sharp and Sarah who married Ves Sawyers and lives in Washington State.

Strickler children:

Dorcas Isabelle Strickler, b. 20 Sept. 1860; m. James Voris. They were said to have lived in Chicago, Ill. Their children:

George Voris

Emery Voris

Thomas Harry Voris

Ada Voris

Mollie Voris who m. Harry Bates, Edmond, Wash. and had two children: Margaret Jane Bates and Betty Bates

Sarah Douglass Strickler, b. 11 Aug. 1863; m. ca. 1879 Robert Clark. They lived in Benton Co., Ark. for a time. After Robert's death, Sarah kept house for Dr. John Morrow whose first wife, Margaret Dearing, died 1915, leaving a small son, John.

Clark children:

Pearl Clark, b. 18 Mar., 1880

Alfred Johnson Clark, b. 4 Jan. 1883

Mary Bell Clark, b. 3 Nov. 1885

Ethel Clark, b. 23 Nov. 1889

Albert Edgar Clark, b. 6 Apr. 1891 (see children below)

Grace Clark, b. 25 Apr. 1894

Hugh Clark, b. 29 Mar. 1897

Thelma Clark, b. 5 Sept. 1900

Albert Edgar Clark married Gladys Goble 18 Nov. 1917. Their children:

Albert Edgar Clark, Jr., b. 28 July, 1920

Gladys Elaine Clark, b. 21 Dec., 1923

Donald Winston Clark, b. 28 July, 1926

Herbert Lynn Clark, b. 5 June, 1928

Ray Gilbert Clark, b. 28 Nov., 1935

Walter Lee Strickler, b. 27 July 1868 in Washington Co., Ark.; d. 21 June 1934; buried San Bernardino, Calif. His wife is buried there also. He m. March 1887 Fannie Estelle Cobb (b. 2 Feb. 1871; d. 14 Apr. 1933). The Stricklers lived for a time around Strickler, Ark., then moved to Okla. and later to Calif. Their children:

Lucy Mariah Strickler, b. 29 Aug. 1889; m. Virgil Brewster.

Lillie Douglass Strickler, b. 8 Nov. 1891 in Westville, Okla.; m. 14 July 1907 George M. Haire. They live in San Bernardino.

Haire children:

Flossie May Haire, b. 22 Nov. 1908; m. Alex M. Flores; two sons:

Jimmie Lee Flores, b. 17 July 1930; m. Margie Hollyday 28 Sept. 1951. Son: Deral Flores, b. 26 Feb. 1953.
Gene Montez Flores, b. 19 May 1935

Elmer Henry Haire, b. 26 Feb. 1911; m. 28 Oct. 1941
LaMona Handover; no children.

Elsie Edna Haire, b. 20 Jan. 1915; m. 27 June 1934

Charles Piper; 2 sons:

Larry Piper, b. 29 Nov. 1938

Dennis Piper, b. 19 Aug. 1942

Willie Strickler, daughter of Walter & Fannie Strickler;
deceased; no children.

Hugh Strickler, b. 28 Jan. 1900, son of Walter & Fannie; m.
10 May 1923 Hazel Mildred Addington (b. 17 Aug. 1903) in San
Bernardino, Calif. Hugh lives at Turlock, Calif. Children:

Edward Alfred Strickler, b. 5 June 1924 Riverside, Calif.;
m. 18 Apr. 1947 Josephine Encenios (b. 5 May 1925) in
Reno, Nev. Their children:

Robert Walker Strickler, b. 15 Mar. 1948

Ronald Wayne Strickler, b. 4 Sept. 1951

Kathy Strickler, b. 5 Jan. 1955

Doris Fae Strickler, b. 4 July 1926; d. 13 Aug. 1955;
m. 19 Feb. 1947 Marlin L. Retzlaff (b. 22 Sept. 1919) in
Reno, Nev. Four children:

Kieth Lucern Retzlaff, b. 9 Aug. 1948

Jerry Lee Retzlaff, b. 13 Aug. 1950

Marlys Fae Retzlaff, b. 20 Mar. 1952

Sharon Ann Retzlaff, b. 5 Jan. 1953

Robert Hugh Strickler, b. 5 Oct. 1928 San Bernardino, Calif.
m. 7 Sept. 1954 Carol Jean Tankersley (b. 20 Oct. 1930) in
Reno, Nev. Their children:

Dale Gerald Strickler, b. 7 July 1956

Daniel Hugh Strickler, b. 6 Feb. 1959

Georgia May Strickler, b. 12 Sept. 1903; m. a Mr. Sharp in Las
Vegas, Nev.

James Alfred Strickler, b. 8 Jan. 1905 in Stilwell, Okla.; m.
ca. 1925 Catherine Probus. One son:

John W. Strickler, b. 26 Oct. 1926 San Bernardino, Calif.;

m. Lillie West Ca. 1948. Three children:

John W. Strickler, Jr., b. 11 Jan. 1949

Ann Strickler, b. 8 Oct. 1951

Judie Strickler, b. 23 Nov. 1954

Ernest Lee Strickler, b. 30 Oct. 1915 Riverside, Calif.; m.
3 June 1949 Joan Abbott (b. 5 Aug. 1921, St. George, Utah);
one step-daughter, 2 children:

Vickey Lorraine Pace Strickler, b. 11 Apr. 1941

Ted Raymond Strickler, b. 17 June 1951

Erna Jo Strickler, b. 29 Nov. 1953

Joe Fagan Morrow, son of G.G. & Eulalia Morrow; d. 1 Oct. 1946 (killed in car accident); buried Collinsville, Okla. He m. Lucile Ellingwood. Two children:

Benoras Harriett Morrow, b. Mar. 1921; d. 20 Mar. 1922
 Joe Ellingwood Morrow, b. ____; m. 1946 Barbara Warren of Olustee, Okla. Two children:
 Kathleen Morrow
 Frank Morrow

Ann Ruth Morrow, b. 22 Apr. 1892; deceased and buried Collinsville, Okla. She m. Arnett Odell; no issue.

SARAH FRANCES MORROW, daughter of John and Mariah (Cox) Morrow, b. 1840; baptized Oct. 20, 1841 in Cane Hill C.P. Church; m. 22 Dec. 1859 to John King by the Rev. Samuel Cox, uncle to the bride. John King was killed in the Civil War. Sarah (Sade) never remarried, but lived with her father and mother until her two daughters married the Rinehart boys. She went with them to Washington State where they settled in and around Dayton in Columbia Co. She died out there and is buried in the Dayton Cemetery where both of her daughters and their husbands and children are also buried. Eula Merriman remembers that when she was a small child, Lee Rinehart and his wife would come and stay with Grandpa Hodges in the winter. They had a son ill with T.B. who died young. Mrs. Mike Rinehart (age 85, sister-in-law to Lee and Fayette Rinehart) copied the Tombstone inscriptions and sent other data.

King children

Sterling King, b. 1860; d. 10 Mar. 1862
 Levenia King, b. 1861; d. 1937
 Alice King, b. 1864; d. 1945

Levenia King m. Lafayette Rinehart in Washington Co., Ark. He was b. 1857; d. 1922. Three children:

Fred King Rinehart, 1886-1912; m. Helen Clancy, 1888-1945
 Clyde Bateman Rinehart, b. 1888; m. Zula Fry. Live in Waitsburg & Dayton, Wash. Three children:

Gladys Rinehart, b. 20 Oct. 1912; d. 5 May 1935; single
 Wayne Rinehart, b. 5 Apr. 1916; m. and two children:

Pamela Rinehart, b. 27 Sept. 1941

George Wayne Rinehart, b. 29 Aug. 1944

Frances King Rinehart, b. 20 Mar. 1918; m. ____ Perkins.

Two children:

Paul Edgar Perkins, b. 18 Mar. 1946

Roger Dean Perkins, b. 12 June 1948

Alice King (1864-1945) m. Lee Rinehart (1859-1945) in Ark. She died 17 days after Lee passed away. It is said that they had 2 children -- a son who died young and a daughter Elizabeth (Bess) who m. W. Gull-ehur. She was b. 1887 and d. 1926. She had 2 sons - the oldest d. 1918 and the 2nd son now lives in Spokane, Wash; age 41, single in 1963.

(Note: The 3rd child of Lafayette and Levenia Rinehart was an infant b. 1893 and d. 1895. No one seemed to remember its name and could not find the grave.)

JOHN COLEMAN MORROW, son of John and Mariah (Cox) Morrow, was b. 12 Dec. 1842; d. 16 Feb. 1865; buried Morrow Cemetery. He served in the Confederate Army and was captured at Vicksburg, paroled and exchanged and later came home to Washington Co., Ark. on furlough. In the neighborhood of West Fork, he and two other men, Wright and Crozier of Cane Hill, encountered bushwhackers. In the ensuing fight, on Feb. 16, 1865, Morrow was killed; the others escaped to reach home. Mariah Morrow with two daughters took the remaining stock, an ox team, and made a 2-day journey to bring the body home to Cove Creek for burial in the Morrow Cemetery.

Letter from Eula Blakemore Merriman dated May 7, 1959: "I have heard Grandpa Hodges speak of Coley many times. He was engaged to a girl, Margaret McGlothlin. It seems Uncle Coley, as everyone called him, was handsome and brave and reckless. All of the family seemed to treasure his memory so much."

Dr. J.A. Morrow of Sallisaw, Okla. has a letter written by John Coleman Morrow and the latter's parole after Vicksburg. The letter follows:

Rienzi, Miss., April 21st, 1862

Dear Brother,

As I have the opportunity of sending you a letter by Mr. Brown, I thought that I would do so. We had a tolerably pleasant trip of four days from Des Arc to Memphis. We stayed at Memphis nearly two days and came out to Corinth about a hundred miles northwest of Memphis and took the cars and came here which is about fifteen miles from Corinth on the Mobile and Ohio Railroad. The news is in the paper that we will be pressed into service when our time is out for two more years. The Colonel says that the company will be disbanded when the regiment's time is out and that is the 15th of July and I intend to come home if I can get there. There is about one hundred and twenty-five thousand men in this vicinity. I expect we will have a big battle before our time is out but I don't look for it soon. Our company is nearly dwindled out. Only 22 privates able for duty. Mitchell has command of us. Bill Pyeatt says for to tell his folks that he and Dick are well. I am well myself. All the men that are absent from our company today put down as deserters and a reward of \$30 offered for each man. No more at present. Please write soon.

J. C. Morrow

MARGARET C. MORROW, daughter of John and Mariah (Cox) Morrow; b. 1 May 1845; d. 21 Oct. 1906; buried in Howell Cemetery. "Married 17 August 1869 Mr. James Howell age 21 years and Miss Mag C. Morrow age 24 years by George Morrow." Recorded Fayetteville, Ark. James Howell (b. 1 Mar. 1848; d. 8 Feb. 1928) was the son of Wiley B. and Elizabeth (Larkin) Howell. All are buried in the Howell Cemetery near Hogeeye, Ark. Cousin Jimmy (James Coleman) Howell was living at the time this was written and furnished much information.

Howell children

- Susie J. Howell, b. 27 Feb. 1870; d. 28 Oct. 1879
- Robert Earl Howell, b. 9 Mar. 1872; d. 23 July 1877
- Mattie M. Howell, b. Oct. 1873; d. 18 Apr. 1874
- Annie Helen Howell, b. 1 Oct. 1877; d. 16 July 1890
- James Coleman Howell, b. 25 Nov. 1879; m. 1st Delia Hodges and had 3 children; m. 2nd Mae Switzler. Jimmie lived for a time in Arkansas, leaving there in 1916 for Canon City, Colo.

Howell children

Helen Howell, d. at 49 years. She m. 1st Dave Mangam (2 ch.)
and m. 2nd Clarence Sparks (2 ch.):

Jean Mangam
Joyce Mangam
William Sparks
Raylynn Sparks

Iora Howell, m. Cecil Williams who d. Aug. 1956:

Deane Williams
Janette Williams
Gaylord Williams

Floyd C. Howell, b and d. Feb. 1911

Noah M. Howell, b. 11 Aug. 1884; d. 3 Feb. 1922; m. 1910 Birdie Switzler. She later m. J.H. King (Ala.) and they live in Wichita Falls, Tex. Two Howell sons:

Fred Lewis Howell, b. 9 Oct. 1911; never married
James Leon Howell, b. 14 May 1913; m. Lottie B. _____. They
have one dau., Marilyn Faye Howell, b. 27 Feb. 1941.

SAMUEL BUCHANAN MORROW, son of John and Mariah (Cox) Morrow, b. 20 Feb. 1846 on Cove Creek, Washington Co., Ark.; d. 20 May 1880 and is buried in the Morrow Cemetery. He m. Frances Parks and they had one son:

Samuel Edgar Morrow, b. 1879; who m. 1st Josephine Duncan and
m. 2nd Cleo Dominy.

Muriel Morrow (dau. of 1st marriage); m. _____ Ladd.
Camelia Morrow, Trans-World Airlines, Los Angeles, Calif.
Martha Janet Morrow, b. 1944; Fayetteville, Ark.

THOMAS ANDERSON MORROW, son of John and Mariah (Cox) Morrow; b. 27 May 1849; d. 1924 and is buried in Prairie Grove Cemetery beside his wife. He m. 1874 Grace Jane Hannah (1852-1926). They lived on the old Morrow farm on Cove Creek where all of their children were born. 6 children:

John Andrew Morrow, b. 6 Aug. 1875
Terry R. Morrow, b. 13 Mar. 1878; d. 15 Oct. 1895; Morrow Cemetery
Effie Morrow, b. 10 Mar. 1880; d. 9 Apr. 1880; Morrow Cemetery
Mary Abbie Morrow, b. 1881; d. 1954; Coweta, Okla.
Eva Morrow, b. _____; d. 1925
Naomi Jane Morrow, b. _____; d. Sept. 1961

JAMES HENRY MORROW, son of John and Mariah (Cox) Morrow; b. 1851 on Cove Creek, Washington Co., Ark.; d. 1928 and is buried in the Glenn Rest Cemetery in Glenns Ferry, Idaho. Others of his family also buried there. He m. 14 Mar. 1872 Louise Cox (b. 2 Apr. 1850; d. 9 Aug. 1899), dau. of Burwell and Rebecca (Mobley) Cox. Jim Morrow went to Idaho in the late 1870s. Mrs. Etta McColloch (now in her 90s) remembers the wagons rolling down the hill when they came by to tell her folks at Cane Hill goodbye — the Morrrows, the Carters, the Torbets and others of the family. Inez (Morrow) Mullen wrote that Jim panned gold on the Snake River.

Morrow children

Nora Ann Morrow, b. 23 Dec. 1872 in Ark.; d. Idaho. She had one dau. who m. Roy G. Johnson, Glenss Ferry, Idaho.

Hermie Morrow, a dau. b. 1874 in Ark.; d. as infant

Hallie Morrow, b. 12 June 1876 Idaho; d. 1954. She m. 18 Jan. 1898

James A. McFadden. They moved to Nampa, Idaho, where he d. 1942; four children:

James L. McFadden, lives in Emmett, Idaho

Leonard McFadden, lives in Meridian

Merl McFadden, lives in Glenss Ferry

Gladys McFadden, m. _____ Thomson and lives in Boise.

Clyde Morrow, b. 1878; d. in infancy in Ark.

James Conrad (Con) Morrow, b. 4 Feb. 1880 in Ark.; d. 12 May 1962 in Glenss Ferry, Idaho. In his obituary it is stated that he was born in Ark. and came to Idaho in 1884, so it appears that James was in Ark. four or five years. He m. and had 5 children:

Neva Morrow, m. _____ Winslow, Ontario, Idaho

Loanie Morrow, m. _____ Lorenze, Ontario, Idaho

Oren Morrow, Sacramento, Calif.

_____ Morrow, son, died

_____ Morrow, daughter, died

John Harlie Morrow, World War I veteran. His tombstone reads: "John Harlie Morrow, pvt. 116 Idaho Eng. 41 Div., died June 8, 1937. World War I Vet."

Jack Morrow, b. 1884; d. in Walla Walla, Wash.; said to have been a World War I veteran.

George Getty Morrow, b. 1886

Narbonne Fay Morrow, b. 23 Feb. 1892; d. 13 Nov. 1948; m. Helen Togood of Boise, Idaho; no issue.

DORCAS ANN MORROW, daughter of John and Mariah (Cox) Morrow; b. 27 Apr. 1853; d. in Durant, Okla. and is buried there. She m. 5 Sept. 1872 George M. Hagood by Rev. F.R. Earle. George was the son of Lewis and Eliza (Yates) Hagood. They lived at Cane Hill, Ark. until 1893 when they removed to Durant, Okla. There were 5 children:

Ema Clara Hagood, b. ca. 1875; m. Ben McCurtain and had one daughter:

Doris McCurtain, m. Melvin Helander and lives in Gallup, N.Mex.

They have two daughters:

Clara Helander

Elizabeth Helander

Albert Sidney Hagood, b. ca. 1876

Martha Bell Hagood, m. Dr. Crockett. They lived in Durant, Okla. and had 5 sons:

Henry Crockett

David Crockett

John Crockett

Hagood Crockett (deceased)

Archie Crockett (deceased)

Annie Loretta Hagood, b. ca. 1879; d. young

Floyd Hagood; his widow lives in Durant, Okla.

EMILY MARIAH MORROW, daughter of John and Mariah (Cox) Morrow, b.1855; d. 1936 and buried in Oaklawn Cemetery in Siloam Springs, Ark. She m. 26 Dec. 1878 A. E. (Alec) Andrews; recorded Fayetteville, Ark. They lived in Cane Hill until 1893. At that time they received their letters of dismission from the C.P.Church and moved to Siloam Springs, Ark. The stones in the cemetery carry these inscriptions:

ANDREWS

Alfred E.
1850 - 1926

Emma
1855 - 1936

Edgar L. Andrews
1884 - 1946

Andrews children:

John Morrow Andrews, b. 5 Oct. 1879; baptized 13 May 1883 at Cane Hill, Ark.; m. 28 Dec. 1900 Lena Taylor (she lives in Fort Smith, Ark.). They had four children:

Emily K. Andrews, b.ca. 1901; m. Warren Raeder, Boulder, Colo.

Kay Raeder, b. 30 Aug. 1933; m. 17 June 1959 Bruce Burns

John Morrow Andrews Jr., m. 4 Oct. 1930 Mary Rayburn

Elizabeth Andrews; b. 28 Feb. 1933, Fort Smith, Ark.

Donald Calhoun Andrews, b.ca. 1905; m. 26 July 1944 Margaret Stevens, Tucson, Ariz. Two children:

John Brook Andrews, b. 17 Apr. 1946

Donna Margaret Andrews, b. 3 Feb. 1951

Baby Andrews, b. 31 Oct. 1911; d. at birth

Edgar Lewis Andrews, b. 1884; d. 1946; baptized 1886 C.P.Church in Cane Hill, Ark. Married a girl from Texas and had one daughter. Separated. Married a widow. No issue. Separated.

Malloy Andrews, b. 1889; m. Marie McGraw after World War I; live in Bentonville, Ark. No issue. They have the family Bible given to him at the death of John Andrews in Fort Smith, Ark.

ELVINA ALICE MORROW, daughter of John and Mariah (Cox) Morrow, b. 10 Feb. 1858; d. November 1868. Dr.Morrow of Sallisaw says: "Aunt Mina died as a little girl, probably from appendicitis." On the gravestone in the Morrow Cemetery -- "Minnie A."

(Editor's note: We call our readers' attention to some of the sources that Miss Cox exploited in her research for "The Morrrows and Their Descendants". These sources include:

1. Previously published material (Tulsa World, Flashback, etc.)
2. Correspondence with descendants. Thus, the Hodges data from Mrs. Herring, Merriman data from Mrs. Merriman. Blakemore data from Mrs. Moore, Howell data from J.C.Howell, Idaho data from Mrs. Mullen, etc.
3. Marriage and deed records in various courthouses
4. Family Bible (Strickler)
5. Tombstone inscriptions in half a dozen cemeteries
6. Church records (Cane Hill CP church).
7. Family memorabilia (land office receipt, soldier letter, etc.)
8. Many many many personal interviews

That's what it takes to compile a family history. -- WJL)

BETHEL CEMETERY (Methodist)
Pulaski County, Arkansas

This is a partial list of tombstone inscriptions in Bethel cemetery, copied by Margaret Smith Ross in the summer of 1954. The cemetery is in the churchyard of Bethel Methodist Church. It is on a good gravel road, about 1½ miles west of the junction of that road with state high way number 5. The cemetery is in the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of Section 33, Township 4 North, Range 11 West.

Kizzie I. Dennis, Mar. 5, 1862 - Mar. 15, 1879
 T. A., son of A.M. & E.G. Dennis, Nov. 9, 1886 - Dec. 1, 1886
 T. T. Dennis, Feb. 1, 1865 - Feb. 1, 1888
 Katie Dennis, Nov. 26, 1865 - Mar. 24, 1895
 Lenius E., son of J.R. & M.M. Joiner, Apr. 14, 1876 - Apr. 2, 1893
 Valeria A. Joiner, Sept. 7, 1880 - Mar. 30, 1889
 Miss Nancy E. Joiner, June 19, 1866 - Aug. 22, 1882
 Mary M. Joiner, Jan. 17, 1847 - Feb. 7, 1908
 Joel R. Joiner, Nov. 13, 1846 - Nov. 29, 1881 (Masonic)
 Harriet E. Dennis, Oct. 26, 1860 - Jan. 31, 1861
 Thaddeus Dennis, Jan. 12, 1826 - Aug. 1, 1872
 Rachel E. Daniel, Jan. 28, 1834 - Nov. 24, 1886
 Emily L. McCart's, Dec. 4, 1850 - Feb. 8, 1870
 John Davenport, Sept. 11, 1828 - May 17, 1905 (Masonic)
 Loucinda F., wife of John Davenport, Jan. 1, 1830 - Apr. 23, 1893
 John B. Davenport, Mar. 13, 1858 - May 29, 1876
 Joseph C. Davenport, June 5, 1854 - Sept. 4, 1863
 Savannah F. Davenport, June 2, 1856 - Jan. 5, 1865
 James Noah Magness, Feb. 1, 1852 - May 29, 1916
 Nancy J. Magness, June 5, 1854 - Jan. 2, 1925
 Sammie G., son of J.N. & N.J. Magness, Aug. 4, 1877 - Sept. 14, 1878
 Mary E., daughter of J.N. & N.J. Magness, Sept. 6, 1875 - Aug. 11, 1876
 Willie Faulkner, Apr. 1859 - Aug. 18, 1868, aged 9 years 4 months
 Samuel Faulkner, Mar. 1862 - Mar. 12, 1865, aged 3 years
 Nancy M., consort of John Faulkner, born 1824 - died Jan. 15, 1892
 J. M. Faulkner, died Aug. 28, 1862, aged 42 years, 8 months
 Harriet I., wife of John Franklin Hancock, Jan. 21, 1839 - Sept. 8, 1882
 William Barron, Jan. 1, 1801 - June 11, 1871
 Lavinia, wife of William Barron, May 15, 1805 - Aug. 25, 1865
 Amelia H. Barron, Feb. 13, 1830 - Apr. 24, 1861 (broken stone)
 A. J. Clement, Apr. 17, 1810 - June 30, 1865
 Tignel E. Toney, Mar. 3, 1833 - Oct. 5, 1901 (Masonic)
 A. C. Toney, Sept. 15, 1843 - Apr. 9, 1926
 Ella C., wife of John E. Arrington, Aug. 6, 1874 - Sept. 6, 1908
 Annie L., wife of J.E. Arrington, Mar. 25, 1884 - Sept. 17, 1939
 T. L. Barron, son of Mrs. Maggie Barron, Jan. 7, 1900 - Nov. 7, 1931
 Carl Edward Arrington, Aug. 12, 1923 - Feb. 27, 1924
 John R. Huddleston, 1846 - May 30, 1913
 R. M. Barron, Private 47 Ark. Cav. CSA, Dec. 5, 1839 - June 9, 1916
 Susan, consort of J.S. Barron, Jan. 11, 1851 - Sept. 24, 1879
 Robert L. Barron, Mar. 21, 1878 - June 11, 1893
 Jane, wife of J. M. Daniels, Feb. 2, 1821 - May 30, 1886
 Mohn Madison Daniel, Aug. 10, 1818 - Aug. 14, 1902
 James Jasper, son of S.R. & M.E. Adkins, Nov. 17, 1865 - Feb. 8, 1887
 Darcus M. Wilson, Oct. 12, 1814 - Aug. 1, 1889
 Harriete, wife of F. S. Bradford, Sept. 19, 1850 - Aug. 7, 1874

Bethel Cemetery (continued)

- Ellen M. Wilson, born June 8, 1853 - married to Willis Garner,
 Feb. 9, 1870 - her and infant died Nov. 18, 1871
 James W. Ivie, Nov. 7, 1845 - Jan. 21, 1877
 Nimrod Andrews, Oct. 8, 1835 - Sept. 22, 1902
 Susan Andrews, Nov. 22, 1833 - Mar. 11, 1918
 John Hemphill, July 29, 1875 - Dec. 9, 1897
 J. A. Hemphill, Aug. 12, 1828 - July 30, 1899

CEMETERY, Pulaski County

This cemetery is located in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 8, T 1 X, R 13 W. It is on the highway, old route of Highway 70, near Red Gate, a short distance from the Saline County line. This is a complete list of marked graves in this cemetery, copied from the tombstones on Jan. 1, 1955 by Margaret Smith Ross. The cemetery also contains many unmarked graves.

- W. H. Rowan, born Nov. 17, 1847 in Saline Co., Ark.
 Sintha A. Rowan, born Mar. 10, 1848 - departed this life Apr. 12, 1868
 Walter, son of W.H. & C.A. Rowan, born Jan. 27, 1867 in Pulaski Co.,
 Ark.; departed this life Dec. 22, 1897
 Margaret A. E., wife of E.R. Braziel, born June 22, 1860 - died
 Oct. 8, 1882 (broken stone)
 Martha P., wife of Victor E. Rosencrans, died Nov. 27, 1914, aged
 41 years, 7 months and 9 days
 Leonard, son of V.E. & M.P. Rosencrans, died Sept. 11, 1909, aged
 6 years, 9 months, 20 days
 Jeff Davis Steele (undertaker's temporary marker)
 Odale Blacwell (undertaker's temporary marker)
 Lucy M., daughter of J.A. & M.A. Davis, born Feb. 26, 1878 - died
 Sept. 1, 1878
 John Dee Douglas, Aug. 10, 1873 - Aug. 5, 1943
 Emily G., wife of Samuel G. Parker, born June 18, 1837 - died
 Oct. 11, 1859
 Mrs. Amanda Joycer, died Jan. 22, 1918 (undertaker's temporary marker)

RECENT PUBLICATIONS

Through the courtesy of Mrs. T.J. Garner of VanBuren, our Society has a copy of "The Stevenson-West Reunion" (Booklet 2, 1963). The Reunion held Sept. 1 in Van Buren, attracted more than 100 descendants of the pioneer Stevensons and Wests.

Our Society has received a copy of the 1963 Directory of the California Genealogical Society, by courtesy of J. Gregory Metcalf, publications chairman. This attractive 48-page booklet contains, in addition to the by-laws and roster of members, the family names in which each member is primarily interested (checked) and also a list of "Special Projects" in which members are engaged.

WILLIAMSON CEMETERY
Russellville, Arkansas

When it was determined that the waters of Dardanelle Reservoir would flood some rural cemeteries, the U.S. Corps of Engineers secured a site for a new cemetery and moved the bodies and headstones to the new cemetery. This work was done so carefully and in such a dignified manner that relatives and friends, who had dreaded the ordeal, were agreeably surprised and satisfied. The burial plats in the new cemetery are numbered and the following is a list of reburials from the Williamson Cemetery, Pope County, with the number of the grave. This is copied from the documents in the office of the US Engineers, by G.R.Turrentine.

R. L. Russell	434	McLin Q. Williamson	553
Ruby L. Russell	433	Cloyd M. Williamson	554
Infant Reid	666	Annie E. Williamson	555
John E. Reid	662	Elizabeth Williamson	644
Mattie A. Reed	661	Thula Williamson	645
Joe Williamson baby	552	Sarah Williamson	646
Lauson Ed Williamson	564	W. W. Williamson	647
John Thomas Williamson	565	Baby Massey	508
Betty Sue Williamson	566	Minnie Williamson	509
Joseph Williamson	545	George M. Williamson	430
Sarah E. Williamson	546	Molly Williamson	429
Janie E. Williamson	561	Sally Harvey	432
Glynn E. Williamson	562	Bob Williamson	428
Infant Williamson	563	Virgle Williamson	427
Thomas Williamson	445	Infant Howey	510
Sarah Williamson	446	Mary F. Williamson	556
Baby Williamson	447	Margaret F. Cox	557
Effie Carpenter	575	Mary Eleanor	516
Millie Williamson	572	Eldridge Williamson	558
Woody Carpenter	576	Catherine E. Williamson	559
Sophia E. Williamson	571	* John Williamson	635
John T. Williamson	570	* Sally Williamson	634
Robert T. Williamson	547	Margaret H. Williamson	579
Harriett Williamson	548	William McLin Williamson	580
Robert Williamson	549	Wm. McLin Williamson Jr.	581
Sarah Williamson	550	Mack Burris	694
Leona Williamson	551	Nancy Burris	693
A. B. Williamson	598	Wm. Franklin Williamson	618
Mary Ann Williams	599	Martha J. Williamson	617
Burna Williamson	597	Robert F. Williamson	616
Clemmie Williamson	596	William F. Williamson	620
Annie Williamson	595	Emma Williamson	621
A.B. Williamson baby	594	James Williamson	622
A.B. Williamson daughter	593	Elizabeth Williamson	623
A.B. Williamson, Jr.	592	Mack Williamson	608
Levi Williamson	604	David Foster Williamson	607
Charlie Douthet	569	Geo. M. P. Williamson	610
Effie Williamson	573	Joseph J. Williamson	611
J. L. Williamson	574	Wm. McLin Williamson	615
Sallie Wright	560	Robert F. Williamson	614
John L. Williamson	643	John Williamson	613
Jane Williamson	642	Wm. McLin Williamson Jr.	612
Susan Williamson	641	Joseph J. Williamson	603
Betty Williamson	640	Sally Williamson	602

Baby Williamson	601
R. A. Hunnecutt	697
Fannie Hunnecutt	696
Johnny Birge	695
Mary Alice Dowdy	663
Henry C. Jones	664
M. Chise Reyholds	494
Mary A. Keener	1106
Wanda Catherine Reeves	723
John Doyle Haulmark	698
Marvin G. Williamson	540
George Williamson	517
Sarah Williamson	518
Ruby Dell Roberts	483

Marked with an asterisk in the above list is the patriarch of the Williamson clan, John and Sally Williamson.

Graves of the Williamson slaves were also removed. Names and plat numbers are as follows:

Fannie	380
George	381
Mack	382
Mandy	383
Jerry	384
Jane	385
William	386
Will	387
Josh	388
Aretha	389
Lizy	390
James	391
John	392
Jack	443
Minnie	444

(Editor's note: Mr. Turrentine says: "In the US Engineers plat and list of burials there are hundreds of names with the grave number, but no vital statistics. To get the vital statistics would require hours of work in the cemetery. I have each cemetery separate and am sending the Williamson-Shiloh cemetery first.")

LAND PATENTS ARE COMMON

The Ohio Historical Society says in its May 1963 issue: "If you have a notion your recently uncovered Land Patent bearing the signature of a President has value that will prove a bonanza -- forget it. Fantastic prices are definitely not being paid for such documents. The Ohio society says, "The Society, which has a collection of several hundred accumulated in years past, does not wish to purchase them and more often than not, is not even anxious to receive them as gifts."

Patents issued prior to 1832 were signed by the President. It was Andrew Jackson who, faced with an increasing flood of documents which required his signature, delegated the signing of deeds to his clerks, and that procedure was followed by his successors in office.

Not one of the Land Patents presented to the WCHS bears an authentic presidential signature. All are signed by subordinates or clerks.

Which reminds us, that we regularly receive queries about the value of copies of the Ulster County Gazette containing account of the death of Georg Washington, and the New York Herald containing account of the assassination of President Lincoln. These copies are worthless. Both the Ulster County Gazette and the NY Herald have been re-printed in the millions. This also is true of the first number of the Arkansas Gazette and of the wallpaper edition of the Vicksburg Gazette. We have seen three original copies of the first issue of the Arkansas Gazette but only one genuine copy of Vicksburg Gazette.

THE HOPKINS FAMILY

by Zora Lee Langston Atkinson, Little Rock, Ark.

Joshua Hopkins, born between 1776 and 1778 in Guilford County, N.C., married Ellen (Elly) Odeneal on April 8, 1805, in Rockingham Co., N.C. They moved from Greensboro, N.C., to Hardeman Co., Tenn., in 1830. He died on Oct. 8, 1848, and she died on Nov. 1, 1854. They are buried at Springhill Methodist Cemetery about two miles south of Volivar, Tenn.

Children of Joshua and Ellen Odeneal Hopkins:

Preston	b. Feb. 1, 1806 in N.C.;	d. Dec. 1, 1866 in Ark.
Thomas	b. Nov. 25, 1809 in N.C.;	d. Dec. 25, 1858 in Ark.
Sarah Tate	b. Apr. 4, 1811 in N.C.;	d. Apr. 4, 1873 in Ark.
Julia Ann	b. _____, 1812 in N.C.;	d. _____, 1896 in Ark.
Luzinia	b. _____, 1814; in N.C.;	d. _____, 1894 in Ark.
John Earl	b. July 25, 1816 in N.C.;	d. Nov. 9, 1880 in Ark.

John Earl, youngest son of Joshua and Elly Odeneal Hopkins, born in N.C. on July 25, 1816, died in Lee Co., Ark., Nov. 29, 1880 and is buried in Old Central Methodist Church Cemetery in Phillips Co., Ark. He married Judith A. Martin, June 30, 1838, in Bolivar, Tenn. She died on Dec. 2, 1845.

Children of John Earl and Judith A. Martin Hopkins:

Ally Virginia	b. June 26, 1839 in Tenn.;	d. Feb. 7, 1840
Sarah Elizabeth	b. Oct. 21, 1840 in Tenn.;	d. Oct. _____, 1930
Martha Ann,	b. Jan. 7, 1843 in Tenn.;	d. Sept. 12, 1846
Mary Frances	b. Jan. 7, 1843 in Tenn.;	d. _____ 1906-7
Albert Monroe	b. Apr. 5, 1845 in Tenn.;	d. Aug. 5, 1895

John Earl Hopkins married Sarah Grace Darnall on Sept. 7, 1847. The Rev. Sam Lambert officiated. She was born on Aug. 9, 1825 in Marshall Co., Ky.; died Mar. 21, 1912, in Rondo, Ark., and is buried in Rehoboth Cemetery. She was the daughter of Orpha Grace and Jesse Darnall. John Earl and his family moved to Arkansas and settled in Phillips Co. on Oct. 1, 1870. He bought a tract of land from his brother-in-law, Reuben Heathcock, located about 18 miles west of Helena, Ark. In 1880 he with his family moved to Lee Co., Ark., near Vineyard, and lived there until his death, Nov. 29, 1880.

Children of John Earl and Sarah Grace Darnall Hopkins:

Ann Augusta	b. Aug. 5, 1848;	d. Jan. 23, 1893
Orpha Jane	b. Aug. 20, 1850;	d. Oct. 15, 1851
John Earl Jr.	b. Jan. 20, 1852;	d. June 8, 1873
Joshua Jesse	b. Aug. 3, 1853;	d. Oct. 21, 1858
Thomas Preston	b. Mar. 31, 1855;	d. Aug. 12, 1868
Franklin Haywood	b. Aug. 5, 1857;	d. Aug. 31, 1930
Temperance Lavanda	b. Aug. 11, 1860;	d. Oct. 24, 1932
Susie Emmer	b. Jan. 9, 1863;	d. July 12, 1873
William Odeneal	b. June 19, 1866;	d. Oct. 22, 1943

Ann Augusta Hopkins, born in Bolivar, Tenn., Aug. 5, 1848; married Jacob Milton Binkley, Dec. 22, 1868; died Jan. 23, 1893. Jacob Milton Binkley, born in 1832 in Hardeman Co., Tenn., died Jan. 16, 1897. Both are buried in Rehoboth Cemetery.

Children of Jacob Milton and Ann Augusta Hopkins Binkley: Sallie Ann, John William, Frank Milton, Elenore LaVanda, Carrie, Emma Corrie, Rosie Lee, Orpha Grace, Georgia Ray.

Sallie Ann, born in Bolivar, Tenn., Sept. 19, 1869, married Thomas Courtney Langston, Dec. 22, 1887, at the home of her parents in Vineyard, Ark.; died Jan. 14, 1892, and is buried in Rehoboth Cemetery.

Children of Thomas Courtney Langston and Sallie Ann Binkley Langston: Zora Lee, Minnie Augusta, Milton Paslay.

1. Zora Lee, born Oct. 19, 1888; graduated from University of Arkansas, June 11, 1913; taught in public schools of Arkansas and Oklahoma until her retirement in 1954; married James Harris Atkinson, July 28, 1920.
2. Minnie Augusta, born in summer of 1890, lived only a short time, is buried in Rehoboth Cemetery.
3. Milton Paslay, born Jan. 9, 1892; graduated from Aubrey High School; lives on the home place where he was born. He is a bachelor.

John Milton, born Nov. 29, 1872; married Annie Mathews, Jan. 16, 1895; died Dec. 14, 1957, and is buried in Farmerville, La. Annie, born July 27, 1873, died Jan. 27, 1927, and is buried in Rehoboth Cemetery.

Children of John William Binkley and Annie Mathews Binkley: John Milton, Fannye Maye, Mattie Lou, Cara Ethel.

1. John Milton, born in 1898, died in the summer of 1901, and is buried in Rehoboth Cemetery.
2. Fannye Maye, born March 23, 1902; married William Thomas Webster, March 15, 1921. They had one child, a son, William Thomas Jr., born March 14, 1922, married Muriel Mulvenna, Feb. 5, 1943. They have a child, a daughter Marian Kay, born Oct. 11, 1948, a student in Nunnally Elementary School in Marianna, Ark. Fannye Kaye was divorced, later married Harry Bogart and after his death married R. J. Everett, Jan. 5, 1955.
3. Mattie Lou, born _____, died in 1905, is buried in Rehoboth Cemetery.
4. Cara Ethel, born Sept. 14, 1908, married Ira Keasler on Jan. 5, 1928; died Nov. 5, 1958, and is buried in Delhi, La. They had two children, Betty Jo and Lillian Ann. (1) Betty Jo, born Apr. 26, 1930, graduated from Louisiana Tech, married Jim G. Waters on March 28, 1952. (2) Lillian Ann, born Apr. 23, 1932, graduated from Louisiana Tech, married James Larken Brently on March 6, _____. They have three children: Cara Jo, born Jan. 29, _____, James Ira and Janice Ann, born March 13, 1957.

Frank Milton, born Dec. 31, 1874, married Rosie _____, Jan. 1904 in Suphur Springs, Texas. Died Feb. 14, 1957 in Dallas, Tex. Children of Frank Milton and Rosie Binkley: Gracie May, Willa Fay, R. A.

Elenore Lavanda, born March 16, 1878, married Daniel Govan Fleener Jan. 12, 1899; died March 12, 1912, and is buried in Reheboth Cemetery.

Children of Daniel Govan Fleener and Elenore LaVanda Fleener: Lorena M., William Binkley, Earl Sylvestus, Homer Edward, Annie Lou, Rosalia.

1. Lorena M., born Oct. 26, 1899, married Guy S. Libby, died Feb. 6, 1936. Their child, a son Robert Guy, born Oct. 6, 1921, was killed in Saipan while serving with the armed forces in World War II.
2. William Binkley, born July 30, 1901, married Orlana Gregory, Oct. 6, 1929. They had two children: Patsy Jean, born Dec. 13, 1931, graduated from Marianna High School, attended Ouachita College, married Homer W. Jones, Oct. 26, 1952; and Frances Lee, born Oct. 26, 1934, attended Penn State Teachers College and Arkansas State Teachers College. Married Kenneth A. Miley, June 3, 1957.
3. Earl Sylvestus, born Jan. 31, 1904; died Oct. 8, 1938, and is buried at Marianna, Ark.
4. Homer Edward, born Aug. 12, 1906; married Margaret McGrew, daughter of John and Viola McGrew. Their child, a son John Edward, born Oct. 25, 1948, died May 9, 1958, and is buried in El Paso, Texas.
5. Annie Lou, born Aug. 26, 1908; married Minor Lindale McClurg July 18, 1950. They have one son Alfred Lindale, born July 23, 1948. They reside at 308 East Ave., Dade City, Fla.
6. Rosalia, born Sept. 16, 1910; married Robert R. Perry Dec. 25, 1929. They live at Eau Gallie, Fla. Children: Martha Ann, born March 6, 1931; attended University of Georgia for three years; married Ira Carlton Dodd Aug. 3, 1952. Their home is in Fairburn, Ga. Robert R. Perry Jr., born Oct. 23, 1933; attended Southern Tech at Atlanta for two years. He spent one year in Salzburg, Austria, while serving in the armed forces 1954-56. He married Barbara Ann Godfrey, Mar. 30, 1957. They have one child, a son Rodney Reeves, born Jan. 26, 1958. Their home is in Douglassville, Ga.

Carrie, born in 1880; died Aug. 11, 1883.

Anna Corrie, born March 9, 1884; married Harvey Newton Forsythe, Nov. 12, 1901. Harvey Forsythe born May 14, 1869; died Jan. 3, 1907, is buried at Friendship, Ark. Children: Francis Mand A. Harold.

1. Francis Milton Forsythe, born March 4, 1904; married Pearl Trilby Lovell, May 31, 1924 at Martin, Tenn. Pearl was born Nov. 11, 1902. Children: James Ricketts, born Dec. 21, 1926, married Betty Joe Olds Dec. 30, 1947. She was born Aug. 28, 1931. They live in Nashville, Tenn.

2. Arthur Harold, born Sept. 19, 1906, married Ann Elizabeth Ingram, Oct. 19, 1934. Ann, born June 12, 1912, died Aug. 28, 1954, and is buried at Winona, Miss. They had one son, John Edward, born March 19, 1937. He is in college at Oxford, Miss.

For her second husband, Emma Corie Forsythe married Elmer Travis Ricketts on July 26, 1910. He was born May 31, 1887, died April 12, 1938, and is buried in Paris, Tenn. They had one child, a son Elmer Bailey Ricketts, born Jan. 19, 1912, married Rose Jeanette Cooper in June 1935, died Oct. 11, 1948, is buried in Gulfport, Miss. They had one child, a daughter, Rosemary Ricketts, born July 31, 1936. She is a student at Peabody College, Nashville, Tenn.

Rosie Lee, born May, 1886, died in 1887.

Orpha Grace, born May 14, 1888, married Edward Blaine Evans on Aug. 23, 1906. Edward, born Feb. 21, 1885 at Vicksburg, Miss., was killed in a train collision, Jan. 6, 1917, and is buried in Vicksburg, Miss.

Children of Edward Blaine Evans and Orpha Grace Brinkley Evans:
Lottie Louise, Elizabeth Frederick, Edward Binkley.

1. Lottie Louise, born Aug. 9, 1907, married Carl B. Pugh Nov. 19, 1927. They had one child, a daughter, Betty Jean Pugh, born Sept. 15, 1929. Lottie Louise Evans Pugh married William Lee Myers, June 17, 1936. He died Nov. 28, 1938.
2. Elizabeth Frederick, born Aug. 26, 1909, died Nov. 23, 1911.
3. Edward Binkley, born June 18, 1913, married Jane Frederica Wilson, Feb. 8, 1936. Children: Edward B., born Feb. 12, 1938; LeLouise, born Dec. 1, 1940.

Grace Binkley Evans married Joseph C. Hovas (Jud), Mar. 31, 1920. Jud, born Nov. 19, 1884, in Montgomery Co., Miss., died July 31, 1947, and is buried in Forest Hill Cemetery, Memphis, Tenn. Grace died Dec. 3, 1959 and is buried in Forest Hill Cemetery.

Georgia May, born Dec. 31, 1889, married Bert Dunn and they were the parents of two sons and two daughters.

Orpha Jane Hopkins, born Aug. 20, 1850; died Oct. 15, 1851.

John Earl Hopkins, Jr., born Jan. 20, 1852 in Bolivar, Tenn.; died June 8, 1875, in Phillips Co., Ark. He came to Arkansas in 1870 and was employed in a large mercantile business at North Creek. He was returning from Helena with a load of freight when the horses became unmanageable going down a long hill. He was thrown out and killed.

Joshua Jesse Hopkins, born Aug. 3, 1853; died Oct. 21, 1858.

Thomas Preston Hopkins, born March 31, 1855; died Aug. 12, 1868.

Franklin Haywood Hopkins, born Aug. 5, 1857; married Laura George Wicker, Feb. 11, 1880; died Aug. 31, 1930. Laura died Aug. 8, 1899. On Jan. 24, 1900, he married Lucy Irene Dinkens. Children: Annie Mai, Orpha Grace, Lillian.

1. Annie Mai, born Jan. 10, 1902, married Gray Hendrix, divorced, later married David Boswell and they had one son.
2. Orpha Grace, Born July 3, 1904, married Henry Bynum.
3. Lillian born Feb. 19, 1908, married William Manasco, divorced, later married a Mr. Metzger.

Temperance LaVanda Hopkins, born Aug. 11, 1860, in Bolivar, Tenn.; married C. L. Langston, Feb. 22, 1880; died Oct. 24, 1932 and is buried in Rehoboth Cemetery. They had no children of their own, but after the death of Sallie Ann Langston, they took Paslay, her five-day-old son, and he continued to live with them until their death.

Susie Emmer Hopkins, died when ten years old.

William Odneal Hopkins, born June 19, 1866, in Bolivar, Tenn.; married Laura Effie Prince, June 23, 1892. She was born Oct. 10, 1871; died Aug. 25, 1896, and is buried in Rehoboth Cemetery. Children: Infant, died in 1893; William Bond, born July 30, 1894; died Sept. 25, 1899, and is buried in Rehoboth Cemetery.

William Odneal Hopkins married Annie Rosella Prince on Sept. 9, 1902, at Rehoboth Baptist Church, with the Rev. J.A. Smith reading the vows. Annie Rosella, born Jan. 3, 1880, is now living at Marianna, Ark. William Odneal died Oct. 22, 1943, and is buried in Marianna. Their children are: Charlie Frank, and Winnie Odneal.

1. Charlie Frank, born Aug. 12, 1903, graduated from Marianna High School, attended the University of Arkansas, is connected with the Turner Drug Store and is manager of a cotton business. On Feb. 15, 1927, he married Martha Turner at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F.R. Turner. Martha Wilmouth Turner, born April 17, 1904, graduated from Marianna High School and attended Gulf Park College. They live in Marianna and take an active part in church and civic affairs. Their children are: Charles Turner, William Paschal, and Jane.

Charles Turner, born Aug. 28, 1930, graduated from Marianna High School with the class of 1948, attended Georgia Tech, and graduated from the University of Arkansas in Jan. 1952. He is now a certified public accountant. He married Carlene Denisford, March 9, 1951. They have an adopted child, Amy Turner Hopkins, born March 1957.

William Paschal, born April 16, 1936, attended the University of Arkansas for two years and is now attending Cranbrook Academy of Art, Bloomfield Hills, Mich.

Jane, born Feb. 1, 1946, is in school in Marianna, Ark.

2. Winnie Odneal, born June 22, 1906, finished high school in Marianna, graduated from the University of Arkansas in 1928. She was a member of Chi Omega Sorority and is now National Treasurer of that organization. She married LaRue Bowker, Jan. 1, 1928 at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hopkins. They have one child, a daughter Saranne, born Oct. 10, 1937. She attended Southern Methodist University where she graduated with honors in June, 1959. She was elected to Phi Beta Kappa.

THE RALPH SKELTON LINE

THROUGH the kindness of Dr. George Byers, 3104 Corby Blvd., South Bend 15, Indiana, we are able to add the following Skelton information to our files. We had earlier published a Skelton family history compiled by Alan G. Skelton, Vicksburg, Miss. Mr. Byers is a gr-gr-grand nephew of Ralph Skelton of Washington Co., Ark. He sent us the following from the 1850 census:

Washington County, Ark., West Fork Township (1850 Census)

77	Skelton, Ralph	63	M.	Farmer	S.C.
	" , Casania	36	F.		Ind.
	" , William	22	M.	Farmer	Ark.
	" , Robert	16	M.	Farmer	Ark.
	" , Prudence	14	F.		Ark.
	" , Alfred	12	M.		Ark.
	" , Mary	10	F.		Ark.
	" , Phebe	8	F.		Ark.
	" , Jacob	5	M.		Ark.
	" , Elizabeth	1	F.		Ark.

Washington County, Ark., West Fork Township (1860 Census)

27	Skelton, Ralph	75	M.	Farmer	S.C.
	" , Casania	48	F.		Ind.
	" , Mary	18	F.		Ark.
	" , Phebe	14	F.		Ark.
	" , Jacob	12	M.		Ark.
	" , Betsey	11	F.		Ark.
	" , Catharine	8	F.		Ark.

35	Skelton, Jonathan	38	M.	Farmer	Ark.
	" , Mary	19	F.		Ark.
	" , Adam	2	M.		Ark.

(Note: Jonathan Skelton was son of Ralph and first wife Fanny.)

3	Skelton, William	32	M.	Farmer	Ark.
	" , Catharine	31	F.		Tenn.
	" , Nancy	8	F.		Ark.
	" , Henry	6	M.		Ark.
	" , Robert	4	M.		Ark.
	" , Martha	2	F.		Ark.
	" , John	1	M.		Ark.

(Note: William Skelton was son of Ralph and Casania Skelton.)

Gibson County, Indiana: Items re Ralph Skelton, the elder

1. In Knox Co., Indiana Terr., early wills (1811): Will of Absalom Linn. Among witnesses was Ralph Skelton. Will proved 29 July 1811.

2. Knox Co., Indiana Terr., marriages: Marriage of Ralph Skelton and Fanny Latham, both of Knox Co., 6 Feb. 1810. "Ralph Skelton and Fanny Latham by virtue of a license etc., married by me this 16th day of January 1810. Joseph Milburn."

3. Deed to parcel of land in Gobson Co., Indiana, 1816
4. Grand jury service in Gibson Co., Indiana, Oct. 1815
5. Surety with Zachariah Skelton (2nd gr-grandfather of George Byers) for Benjamin Scales in Gibson Co. court, March term 1815, who like Ralph Skelton married in 1810 in then Knox Co., Ind.

Knox Co. will record, Indiana Territory and State 1806-1852. No Skelton in Index. On pages 19 and 20, Will of Jonathan Latham witnessed by James Skelton and Ralph Sketon, 6 Oct. 1809. Two sons: William Latham and Jonathan Latham Jr. Quarter section to Jonathan and Phanny Latham, my daughter. Land in Shelby Co., Ky. to William Latham, Jaimy Lynn and Sally Fisher, my son and daughters. November 1809.

Dept. of Interior, General Land Office, July 16, 1879. The SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 22, Township 15 North, Range 30 West, in Arkansas, is located with Warrant No. 84069 for 40 acres, Act of 1850, by "Robert Skelton, Private, Captain Montgomery's Company, Indiana Militia, War of 1812", to whom the same was issued March 9, 1852. This information for use in Claim No. 33,782 (Widow), Act of March 9, 1878."

War of 1812, Claim of Widow for Pension, etc. State of Arkansas, Co. of Washington, 28 November 1878. Casania Skelton aged 64 of Washington Co., widow of Ralph Skelton, served as Private in Co. commanded by Capt. Joseph Montgomery in Regt. Militia of Gen. Wm. H. Harrison in War of 1812 -- was drafted at Indiana 11 day August 1812 for 3 months; discharged Vincennes on 12 Sept. 1812. She married Ralph Skelton in city of Washington in Co. of Hempstead, Arkansas; she was Casania Conner. Ralph Skelton died Washington Co., March 1861 - lived in Arkansas since him and I were married and he resided in the state of Indiana prior to our marriage. Marked X Casania Skelton.

Genealogical notes from Pension File, National Archives:
 Ralph Skelton and Casania, of Capt. Joseph Montgomery's Co., Indiana Militia. Claim of Widow:
 State of Arkansas, County of Washington, 28 Nov., 1878 personally appeared before me, Clerk of Court, Casania Skelton age 64 years, a resident of Washington Co., sworn, declares she is widow of Ralph Skelton decd, was identical with Ralph Skelton who served under name of Ralph Skelton -- commanded by Capt. Joseph Montgomery, commanded by Gen. Wm. H. Harrison, in War of 1812. She further states that she was married to the said Ralph Skelton in the Co. of Hempstead, Ark., on the _____, and that her name before her marriage was Casania Conner and that she has not remarried; and she further states that her said husband Ralph Skelton died at Washington in the State of Arkansas on the _____ day of March A.D. 1861; and she further declares the following have been the places of residence of herself and her said husband since the date of his discharge from the army: in Ark. since him and I were married; and he resided in State of Indiana prior to our marriage. She hereby constitutes _____ her attorney; she has heretofore made no application for Pension, that her said husband drew a land warrant for 80 acres of land in 1855 or 1858; that she resides in Washington Co. Ark., and her post office address is Hazel Valley.

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Casania X Skelton

mark

Alfred W. Conner, age 27, resident of Fayetteville, Washington Co., Ark. and Isaac S. Conner, age 63, of Fayetteville, have known Casania Kelton for 25 years and 62 years; that she was wife of Ralph Skelton.

A. W. Conner

I. S. Conner

28 Nov. 1878, P.R. Smith, Clerk

Land Warrant # 84,069 - 40 acres - Act 1850, by Robert Skelton, issued March 9, 1853. Claim # 33,782 (Widow) Act of March 9, 1878, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 22, Twp 15, Rn. 30 West.

George W.M. Reed, Clerk

Served Indiana Militia 11 Aug to 12 Sept 1812; 3 ? Dec. 22, 1812. 32 days service. Admitted July 28, 1879 to \$8 per mo. (pension) from March 9, 1878, the date of Act, Bounty Land Claim 38,875 - 120 - 55.

Marriage date 1825. Ralph Skelton to Casania Conner. P.R. Smith, age 62 and I.S. Conner age 63 say that they have known claimant and the foldier to live together as man and wife from 1825 till death of soldier. No legal barrier to marriage presumed as they always lived in one county. Death of soldier March 1861, averment of Claimant and testimony of above affidavits.

Knoxville, Tenn., Pension Office, Certificate 26403, Widow Casania and Ralph Skelton, last paid at \$12 to November 4, 1900, has been dropped because of death. Died about November 16, 1900.

OKLAHOMA OBITS OF PERSONS BORN IN ARKANSAS

Paul L. Springer, 1122 N.W. 97 St., Oklahoma City 14, Okla., who holds membership in our Society, recently sent us a bunch of clippings from Oklahoma papers -- mostly obituaries of persons born in Arkansas. They include:

Mrs. Mary Hardin 75, born 1888 in Conway, Ark.

Mrs. C.A. (Walsie Gilliland) Howard, 76, born in Harrison, Ark.

Mrs. Bernice Stewart died Edmond, Okla.; buried Pea Ridge, Ark.

Mrs. Katharine F. Smith died Okla City; buried El Dorado, Ark.

Virgil G. Vassar 42, "born in Arkansas"; has sister, Mrs. Hazel Wright in Hot Springs, Ark.

Ben Edward Knowles 73, born in Marmaduke, Ark.

Ray H. Swift 59, born at Charleston, Ark.

James D. Dallas 69, "born in Arkansas"; came to Okla. in 1923.

James Monroe Jones 75, born 1888 in Arkansas. Died at Sallisaw, okla. Burial in National Cemetery at Fort Smith.

Peter Arnold Reed 92 of Sallisaw. Born Nov. 16, 1870 in Arkansas.

Oliver Townsend 70, born in Polk Co., Ark. and moved as a child with his family to a community east of Asher, Okla.

John Omer Walls 67, born Sept. 29, 1895 in Arkansas.

Mrs. Victoria Brown 88 of Vian, Okla. Born 1874 in Hartman, Ark.

The above are all obituaries. But another clipping shows picture and story of 60th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Thompson of Yukon, Okla. Mr. Thompson was born in Berry, Ark. Oct. 25, 1883 and his wife was born in Marshfield, Mo., Apr. 1888.

Thanks, Mr. Springer, for your continued interest in Arkansas genealogy.

SOME RHODES FAMILY NOTES
by Paul L. Springer, Oklahoma City

SANDERS

John SANDERS, b Dec. 25, 1812; d "Civil War", and Arrena BUNDON, b Aug. 15, 1819; d July 1900 in Stone Co., Mo. Children of John and Arrena Sanders:

Sarah Jane, b Sept. 28, 1841, Chattanooga

Erven D., b Mar. 20 (?), 1843

Stokely, b Dec. 16, 1845

Elizabeth M., b Oct. 31, 1846-48? (all these dates appear in various records.)

Prior Lee, b Feb. 19, 1848

John H. (R?), b Dec. 7, 1849, Mo.

Henry Newton, b May 30, 1852, Mo.

Covis Calaway, b July 4, 1856

Sarah Jane Sanders md ca 1857 in Stone Co., Mo., James Joden "Jim" RHODES. He was b Apr. 20, 1813 Buncombe Co., NC. Several of their ten children were born at Graphic, Ark. More about the Rhodes family later. Sarah Jane (Sanders) Rhodes d Jan. 12, 1908; bur. Pope Cemetery Graphic, Ark. James Joden Rhodes d Jan. 20, 1885.

Elizabeth M. Sanders (4th ch of John and Arrena) m "Buck" Spears. "They had 2 dau. & 4 sons: Sarah, Sophronia, Lee, Jim, Joe & Fred."

RHODES

Henry RHODES and Susan _____, Ch: Jess, Fathia, Mary, Dave b 1791 in Buncombe Co., NC, Charley b 1794? in Buncombe Co., NC.

NFD -- Jess, Fathia, or Mary. Dave Rhodes md July 2, 1812 in Warren Co., Tenn., Winnaford "Winnie" Chesser, b 1796 (92?) in "Wheeler", Va. (Wheeling?). David d Nov. 30, 1856 in Stone Co., Mo. Winnie d "early" in 1884, Denton, Tex. David served in War of 1812 from NC (Widow's Certificate # WC33078 & other records, Natl Archives.

Ch of David & Winnaford: James Joden, b Apr 20, 1813 Buncombe Co., NC; William Grissom, b June 1814, Buncombe Co., NC.

Charley Rhodes possibly had ch: Jim, Bill, Jess, Rance, John, Celia, Polly Ann, & Martha (Census lists "Celu" b N.C. 1827).

About 1830 some of the Rhodes families moved to Ky, and some to Mo., thence to Texas & Crawford Co., Ark.

James Joden Rhodes md Feb. 1836 (Buncombe Co., NC?) Mary P. "Polly" Huffline, b 1818; d Nov. 24, 1854 (Stone Co., Mo.?). One son, John M. Rhodes, b Nov. 1, 1836 "in Ky." "The family moved to Stone Co., Mo. when John was 2 weeks old." John M. md Apr. 23, 1857 Rachel Packwood, b July 20, 1840 Mo.; d May 27, 1921; bur. Sappington Chapel, Cowden, Okla. John M. d Oct. 14, 1906 Uvalde, Tex.

Ch of John M.: M. Ellen, b Mar. 17, 1856; James M., b Jan. 9, 1860 Cassville, Mo.; E. Jane, b Dec. 14, 1861; Alford, b Jan. 15 (18?) 1865 "10 mi. from Fort Smith, Ark."; B. Bert, b Jan. 13, 1867, Mountainburg, Crawford Co., Ark.; Henry Franklin, b Apr. 28, 1869, Crawford Co., Ark.; Riley, b Apr. 3, 1871 Ark.; Laura, b June 11, 1873, Ark.; "Newt", b Feb. 23, 1876, Ark.; Robert Lee, b Aug. 4, 1878, Mineral Wells, Tex; Lillie, b (twin) Aug. 4, 1878, Mineral Wells, Tex; George, b Feb. 18, 1881, Tex. Of these children, only one, Riley Rhodes, Carnegie, Okla., is still living. He was 92 on Apr. 3, 1963. Descendants number in the hundreds, mostly in SW Oklahoma.

James Joden RHODES, b Apr. 20, 1813; d Jan. 20, 1885; bur Pope Cemetery, Graphic, Ark.; md (2nd) Aug. 1857? Sarah Jane SANDERS, b Sept. 28, 1841, Chattanooga (Tenn.?). She d Jan. 12, 1908; bur Pope Cem, Graphic, Ark. (After James' death, Sarah md a Mr. Rountree). Children of James & Sarah RHODES:

1. Isaac Newton, b 1858 Mo.; md Cinthia Sherman. Ch: Henry, Willy, Merty. I.N. d May 23, 1937, bur (where?). Cinthia d Apr. 18? 1884, bur (Bolten?) Cem 4-5 mi of Graphic." NFD

2. William Franklin "Bud", b 1860 Stone Co., Mo. Md Sarilla DYER, b June 2, 1862 (Ark.?) She d Feb. 9, 1837; bur Gracelawn, VB. Ch: Hassan, Effie, Clem McCullough, Hazel, Rabie Guthrie (b Feb. 27, 1901 Graphic, Ark.), James Opie, b Oct. 9, 1899 Graphic, Ark. (Hassan & Effie d inf.) Clem McC md Mable Weaver; had 1 son, Robert McCullough who md Christine Hogan and lived at Fayetteville. Hazel never md; d Feb. 17, 1936 (37?) Rabie G. md Syble Campbell; had 2 daus: Mary Olive & Ann Marie; James Opie md Mae Agnes Rains; had 2 sons & 2 daus; Peggy Ann, James Opie Jr., Phillip Guthrie, & Mary Eleanor.

3. Mary Irene "Renie", b 1863 Stone Co., Mo.? (Census lists "Owena" b Texas?); d Apr. 25, 1884; bur Pope Cem., Graphic, Ark.; md William Wainwright; had dau Lida b 1884, d Inf. NFD

4. Lilly Ann, b July 7, 1865, Stone Co., Mo.; d Oct. 7, 1867 Sebastian Co., Ark.

5. DeLoyce A. "Dee", b 1868 Fort Smith, Ark.; d Sept. 20, 1931; bur Atoka, Okla.; md 1889? A rk.? Betty Ables. Ch: James (Henry?), Dessie (md a Mr. Chastain?), Delta, Essie & _____?

6. Louise Belle, b Nov. 8, 1870, Graphic, Crawford Co., Ark.; md 1888 George W. Edwards, b Sept. 11, 1867 Graphic, Ark.; d Jan. 28, 1961 Sallisaw, Okla. (She is still living May 1963). Ch: Temple Ollie, b Aug. 6, 1889, Graphic, Ark.; d Jan. 26, 1890. James Mirl, b Mar. 7, 1891 Graphic, Ark; md 1911 Fort Smith to Ruth Alice Maloney, b Oct. 6, 1895 at Atkins, Okla. He d Sallisaw Oct. 11, 1961; bur next to Father, Sallisaw, Okla. 12 children, all living except one and have ch and/or gr ch. August Lee, b Aug. 31, 1894 near Muldrow, I.T.; md Nov. 1917 to Danna Pearl Fisher; 1 dau adopted. August was killed Dec. 24, 1925 and is bur in Mitchell Cem., W of Muldrow, Okla. William Alvis, b Sept. 12, 1896, near Muldrow, I.T.; md 1919 Iva Belle Spence; he d Nov. 8, 1961 and is bur Wewoka, Okla. Nine children, all md except one, all have ch and 3 have gr ch. George Calvin, b Feb. 24, 1899 near Muldrow, I.T.; never md; d July 15, 1956 Fort Smith, Ark. Sarah Elve, b Feb. 27, 1901 near Muldrow, Okla., d Sept. 2, 1909. Mary Josie, b Nov. 25, 1903 near Muldrow, I.T.; md Sept. 23, 1920 Randolph "Ran" Holland; 2 ch: "Ran" Holland d & bur Mitchell Cem., Muldrow, Mary Josie md 2nd Andy Lewis Spence, b Aug. 13, 1902 near Roland, I.T.; 5 ch. Harper Dee, b Jan. 14, 1906 near Muldrow, I.T.; md 1939 at Kibler, Crawford Co., Ark., to Bonnie Iva Morgan, b Aug. 10, 1917; 1 dau. Clarence Bradford "Brad", b Dec. 20, 1907; md Vernia Payne; 1 dau. Charley Haskel, b July 19, 1910; md Mattie; 4 ch. Joe Conley, b Sept. 29, 1913; md Ola Benges; 4 ch.

7. James Ellison "ELL" Rhodes, b Mar. 17, 1873, Crawford Co., Ark.; md Fannie Watts; 6 ch. "ELL" d Feb. 14, 1937 and is bur in Chalk Bluff Cem., Stilwell, Okla. NFD

8. Rilla Jane Rhodes, b Nov. 28, 1875, Graphic, Ark.; md Oct. 15, 1902 to Hugh C. Crow who was b 1864 in Kans. and d June 22, 1949; bur in Mm.Pk.Cem., Tulsa. Ch: Jewell, b Dec. 22, 1903 near Lagoner, I.T.: md Guy Cochrane; no ch.

9. Ollie Rhodes, b Apr. 5, 1878 Crawford Co., Ark.; d Nov. 29, 1949 and is bur Morris, Okla. She md 1931 Andrew Ling. He d in Oregon. Ch: Rilla Mae Ling (md and lives in Oregon) & Hurbert Lee Ling who d at 2 years. NFD

WILLIAM Grissom RHODES (2nd ch of David & Winnaford -- see page 1) was b June 1813, Buncombe Co., NC; and d 1878; bur in Pope Cemetery, Graphic, Crawford Co., Ark. He md 1834? Eliza (Louisa) Ditmore who was b 1815 (1819?) in Tenn.; d 1889 and bur in Pope Cem., Graphic, Ark. Ch:

1. Dave, b 1819? Tenn; d 1889; bur Pope Cem., Graphic, Ark.
2. John, b 1838 Ky.; killed Civil War, Pea Ridge, Ark.; bur in Natl Cem., Fayetteville, Ark.
3. Henry, b 1840 Mo. (He or brother Dave killed in Civil War.)
4. Elizabeth, b 1841 Mo.
5. Winnie, b 1843, Mo.; md J. Smith
6. Jane, b 1845, Mo.
7. Francis Marion, b Jan 7, 1847, Mo.; d Apr. 3, 1934. Married 1868?, Belmont, Ark., to Eliza Jane Richison who was b Jan. 20, 1849 (Mo.?); d Sept. 10, 1929; ch: Rady, b Jan. 13, 1869, md Lige Garrett; 7 ch.
8. Ransom R., b Jan. 17, 1849, Mo.; d Dec. 17, 1929; md "before June 2", 1870 to Caroline L. Dyer who was b Aug. 16, 1853 Ark. and d May 17, 1934; bur Pope Cem., Graphic, Ark. (Family reunion held at his old home on 3rd Sun in Aug each year.)
Nine ch, all b in Crawford Co., Ark.
9. M.E. (dau.), b 1852 Mo.
- 10 William Russell, b Jan. 12, 1853, Crane, Mo.; d ?; md "Sis" Brewer; 7 ch.
11. Columbus C., b 1857 Mo.; md (1st) "Sis" Dobbs; 3 ch. Md (2nd) Ella Blevins; 7 ch.

(Editor's note: Mr. Springer, who compiled the foregoing list, writes that he has many more of the Rhodes descendants. He sent us the grandchildren of William Grissom Rhodes, which we are unable to print because of our limited space. Readers interested in RHODES, SANDERS, EDWARDS, etc. should write to Paul L. Springer, 1122 NW 97th St., Oklahoma City 14, Okla. -- WJL)

LUKER FAMILY NEWSLETTER

We acknowledge with thanks receipt of a copy of the Luker Family Historical Society Newsletter, dated October 1963. This is the second number and it's a dandy. 12 pages and printed. Unusual is a directory of the Lukers in the U.S. and England. We were surprised to see the impressive list of Lukers in Arkansas. Names and addresses are given. Address: Luker Family Historical Society, 852 East 8th South, Salt Lake City, Utah.

CONFEDERATE OFFICERS FROM ARKANSAS

who were prisoners on Johnson's Island and who signed their names in the diary of Capt. Evans Atwood of Springdale, Ark.

B. D. MOODY, 1st Lt. Co. B, 15th Ark Regt. Captured at Black river, Miss., May 17, 1863. Address: Ozark, Ark.

A. J. RANSOM, Capt. Co. I, 15th Ark Regt. Captured near Port Gibson, Miss., May 1, 1863. Address: Ozark, Ark.

G.W.O.DAVIS, 1st Lt. Co.E, 15th Ark Regt. Captured at the battle of Black River, Miss., May 17, 1863. Address: Dover, Ark.

WM. H. HOLCOMB, Capt. Co.G, NW Ark Infry Vols. Captured at Big Black Bridge, Miss., May 17, 1863. Address: Fayetteville, Ark.

JOHN A. HICKMAN, 1st Lt. Co. B, Batt.Ark.Cav. Captured at Big Black Bridge, Miss., May 17, 1863. Address: Rock Hills, Ark.

ALFRED MITCHELL, 1st Lieut. 15th Ark Infty. Captured May 17, 1863 at Big Black Bridge, Miss. Address: Boonsboro, Ark.

J. C. LEE, 2nd Lt Co.F, NW 15th Ark Infty. Captured in Miss., May 17 1863. Address: Bentonville, Ark.

JOSEPH PETTY, 2nd Lt Co.A, 1st Bat. Ark Cav. Captured at Big Black Bridge, Miss., May 14, 1863. Address: Dover, Ark.

T. R. BRANTLY, Capt. of Co.C, 1st Batt of Arkansas Cavalry. Captured at Big Black River, Miss., May 17, 1863.

D. A. STUART, Major 15th Regt NW Ark Vol Inf. Captured at Big Black River Bridge, May 17, 1863. Residence: Ozark, Ark.

ISHAM L. ANDREWS, 1st Lt. Co.K, 23rd Ark Regt. Captured at Port Hudson July 1, 1863. Address: Harrisburg, Ark.

H. MOORE, Major 21st Ark Regt. Captured at Big Black Bridge, Miss., May 17, 1863. Address: DuValls Bluff, Ark.

JOHN PARKER, Captain Co.C, 20th Ark Infty. Captured at Black River, Miss., May 17, 1863. Address: Albany, Ark.

G. H. TOBEY, 1st Lieut. Co. F, 1st Batt Ark Cav. Captured at Champions Hill, Miss., May 16, 1863. Address: Norristown, Ark.

DAVID A. ARBUCKLE, Capt. 17th Ark Regt. Captured at Port Hudson, La. Address: Charleston, Ark.

W. C. LOTSPEICH, Lieut. Co.I, 60th Tenn. Captured at Big Black River, Miss., May 17, 1863.

F. M. HARE, Capt. 5th Ark Regt. Captured July 19, 1863 in Migs Co., Ohio. Address: Witsburg, Ark.

J. S. CARTER, 2nd Lt. Co. 7, NW 17th Regt Ark Vols. Captured at Big Black, Miss., May 17, 1863. Address: Dover, Ark.

J. P. CARNAHAN, Capt. 16th Ark Inftry. Captured at Port Hudson, La., July 9, 1863. Address: Cane Hill, Ark.

J. V. SEE, 1st Lieut. 1st Ark Cav, Cabel's Brigade. Captured May 22, 1863. Address: Bentonville, Ark.

P. H. BENSON, 1st Lieut Co.I, 23rd Ark Regt. Captured at Port Hudson July 8, 1863. Address: Jonesboro, Ark.

S. T. MOORE, 2nd Lieut Co. F, Kings Regt, Ark Vol Inf. Captured at Helena, Ark. July 4, 1863. Address: Pea Ridge, Ark.

JAMES F. STOUT, Capt. Co.G, 1st Batt Ark Cav. Captured at Big Black Bridge, Miss., May 17, 1863. Address: Hebron, Ark.

E. H. MESSICK, Major 14th Ark Regt. Captured at Port Hudson, La., July 9, 1863. Address: Yellville, Ark.

T. J. CAMERON, Lt.Col. 6th Ark Regt. Address: Princeton, Ark.

M. P. ASMUSSEN, Lieut. Co.A, 17th Ark Regt, Logan's Cavalry Surrendered at Port Hudson, La. July 9, 1863. Address: Fort Smith, Ark.

D.P.H.CALDWELL, Lt. Co. 10th Ark Inf Regt. Address: Magnolia, Ark.

WM. M. ATWOOD, 2nd Sergeant Co. D, Hunter's Regt, Shelby's Div Vol Cav. Address: Fayetteville, Ark.

THE MOSELEY REGISTER

by Carribel Eck Carter

For many years it was my great pleasure to receive bantering, lively and gay, but very informative, letters from a gentleman in Pennsylvania who called himself Franklin Moseley, much to the dismay of all of those interested in the Moseley lines. Nevertheless, he was a descendant of William Moseley, a wool merchant who came to America from Holland in 1649 and brought with him his two sons, William and Arthur, his wife, Susanna Burnett Blakemore Moseley, and her daughter by her first marriage, "Corky" Blakemore.

Mr. Moseley's files on Moseleys all over America were so extensive that the Latter Day Saints of Salt Lake City microfilmed them, and he could reach into his cards and tell me, at a minute's notice, all about the ancestors of any Moseley who happened to be mentioned in an Arkansas paper. When he died in the spring of 1961 I felt that I had lost an old friend, though I had never seen him.

It was he who put me in touch with Mr. G. Andrew Moriarty of Ogunquit, Maine, who happens to be an authority on English heraldry. Mr. Moriarty is also descended from Wm. Moseley and has taken the time to write articles on his ancestry for the New England Genealogist and Historical Register. But Mr. Moriarty is modest about his own ancestry back to William. It was Mr. Moseley who told me that Capt. Joseph Moseley of Princess Anne Co., Va., took command of a ship out of Elizabeth City, N.C., and frequently called at Salem, Mass. Later he was in command of the famous Grand Turk and he carried Benjamin Franklin to France during the Revolution. A print of the Grand Turk can be found on some of the bottles of Old Spice shaving products. Capt. Joseph Moseley married a lady in Salem, Mass.; and has some descendants still living in New England, of which Mr. Moriarty is one.

But these people are the descendants of William, the elder son of the immigrant wool merchant, and I have not studied those lines, as I have those descending from Arthur, the younger son, who was my mother's ancestor. Going back into England where the elder William Moseley was supposed to have been, at one time, an officer in the Army of Charles I, this line reads:

20. John Mosely (the name means "mossy meadow") who lived in the 15th century in Whittington, Staffordshire, England, and married Agnes Longmere.
19. Nicholas Moseley m. Eliz. Harecourt
18. Humphrey Moseley m. Margaret Hughman, dau. of Sir Clement Hughman of Ousden, Suffolk. He died in 1592.
17. William Moseley, b. 1562 in London, d. 1642 at Carburton, Notts., m. Dorothy Helms of Burford, Oxfordshire, and was a prosperous cloth merchant, as was his son.
16. William Moseley, b. 1595 at Staffordshire, England; d. 1655 in Va.; m. as her 2nd husband, Susanna Burnet Blackmore (or Blakemore), dau. of Ralph Burnett, a London draper. She died in Va. in 1655

15. Arthur Moseley, b. ca. 1639 in Rotterdam, Holland, d. 1702 in Lower Norfolk Co., Va.; m. (2nd) Joan Hancock.
14. Arthur Moseley, b. ca. 1660 in Lower Norfolk Co., Va.; d. 1730 in Henrico Co., Va.; m. (1st) Sarah Hancock, dau. of Robert Hancock and wife, Loan Ligon.
13. Arthur Moseley, b. ca. 1690, d. 1734; m. Martha Cocke, dau. of John Cocke and his wife, Obedience Branch.
12. William Moseley, b. 1730 in Henrico Co., Va.; d. 1763; m. 1755 in Cumberland Co., Va., Mary Watkins, dau. of John Watkins and his wife, Phoebe Hancock.
11. William Moseley, b. May 18, 1759; d. May 1816 in Powhatan, Va.; m. 1788 in Amelia Co., Va., Rebecca Clarke Townes, b. May 18, 1765; d. Aug. 21, 1846, dau. of John Townes and his wife Martha Allen of New Kent Co., Va.
10. Wm. Armistead Moseley, b. June 17, 1801 in Powhatan Co., Va.; d. Dec. 18, 1883 in Kemper Co., Miss.; m. July 23, 1830 Eliza Fowler Mitchell, b. July 20, 1811 in Scotland; d. Dec. 16, 1889 in Kemper Co., Miss., dau. of Dr. William Mitchell and his wife, Elis. Fowler of Scotland.
9. Isabella Montague Moseley, b. Nov. 26, 1839 in Kemper Co., Miss.; d. Feb. 26, 1914 at Idabel, Okla.; m. June 7, 1860 Napoleon Patterson Perrin, b. 1837 in Abbeville Dist., S.C.; d. 1807 at Horatio, Ark. Both are buried in Clear Creek Cemetery near Horatio (Sevier Co.), Ark.
8. Mary Katherine Perrin, b. Mar. 14, 1882 at Horatio, Ark.; d. Feb. 28, 1963 at Fayetteville, Ark.; m. May 17, 1904 in Sevier Co., Ark. John Leuthauld Eck, son of Dr. Joseph Eck and his wife, Mary Creamer. John Eck was born Apr. 16, 1878 in Norwoodville, Ark., and died Mar. 19, 1952 at Seminole, Okla. Buried at Mena, Ark.
7. Carribel Eck, b. Feb. 22, 1905 at Horatio, Ark.; m. Mar. 30, 1934 at Mena, Ark. to David Ralph Carter, b. Sept. 28, 1904 in Ind., son of Austin Remy Carter and his wife, Ethel Hulen.
6. Delona Marie Carter, b. Feb. 11, 1937 at Mena, Ark.; m. Aug. 20, 1958 at Fayetteville, Ark., William McLee Anderson 3rd, son of Wm. N. Anderson Jr. and his wife, Elizabeth Stafford, of Hot Springs, Ark.
5. Kimberly Carter Anderson, b. Apr. 27, 1963 at Corvallis, Oregon.
6. David Rupert Carter, b. Oct. 18, 1938 at Mena, Ark.

(Editor's note: Mrs. Carter informs us that the Moseley Register has been taken over by a niece of Franklin Mousley and that it will be some time before she is ready to answer letters: -- (JL))

KELLETT I am seeking information about my people, the Kelletts, of northeast Arkansas. They settled in what are now Sharp and Randolph counties in the early 1800s. Some of them had been soldiers in the War of 1812 and they got homes on their land certificates that gave each soldier 160 acres of land. As these land claims were taken up before statehood, I do not know where to look for the records, Little Rock or Washington. Any word about a Kellett appreciated.

Mrs. Vera L. George, Doddridge, Ark. R.1

OLIVE I still have not found Marville Mattison Olive who lived at Hope, Ark., for a time and was in the State Legislature, I am told. I believe he was a son of William Olive of Stewart County, Tenn. but surely do need some evidence to back this theory up.

Mrs. Chas. C. Cartwright,
117 West Bay Ave., Norfolk, Va. 23503

**ROBINSON
HAMILTON** I would like to contact someone who may know something about the following families. William David Robinson, b. 1839 Ind., came to Ark before 1 July, 1858 when he m. Frances Hamilton in Clarksville, Ark. They had 2 ch., Joseph & Sarah. He m. 2nd Mary F. Crasen on 10 Mar. 1870 in Clarksville and they had the following ch.: Henrietta, b 4 Jan 1872, m 20 Sept 1885 W. E. Bynum; Elizabeth, b 15 Apr 1874, d unmarried; Nannie who d. unmarried; John, b 1878, NFI; Bud, do not know real name, b 21 Dec 1880, and Claude, d unmarried.

Also seek John L. Hamilton, b 1803 SC and his wife Susan b 1803 SC. They were in Ark by 1850, had the following known chrn: Wright b 1832 Ga.; Frances b 1835 (see above); and Joseph b 1838 in Ga.

Mrs. M. R. McCauley,
1584 Ferger, Fresno 4, Calif.

CHAPLINE Am searching for information concerning the Chaplines, as my father was Will Chapline. He died in La. 1906 before I was born and I never knew any of my father's relatives. May be in Arkansas soon for searching.

Mrs. Blossom Chapline Anderson,
3560 W. 76th Ave., Westminster, Colorado

TITSWORTH I am hunting Titsworth bible and family records. I wish to hear from any descendants of Isaac Titsworth and James Titsworth and any other families with the Titsworth name

Mrs. Frank Grass,
2506 NW 66 St., Oklahoma City, Okla.

WYNN (WINN) Am still trying to find where in Tenn. my gr-grand father Thomas Wynn, b in 1800, lived in Marion Co. Tenn. He m. Nancy Sweeden and had 11 ch, as: Thomas Jr, b Nov. 20, 1832 and M. Nancy Beene; Dutton, Ely, James, Matthew, John who was b. Feb. 1827 and m. Martha Beene; Martha, Charles, Mary, Sarah, Nancy. This might help others who are also looking for this family history.

Mrs. T. L. Beene,
2505 W. 17th St., Little Rock, Ark.

JAMES Frank James (Benjamin Franklin James) came to Texas with the George Thomas family in 1840 when he was only 18 years old. He married the widow Flint (Harriette Thomas Flint) about 1850. His father was Joe (Joseph) James who lived near Hot Springs, Ark. Children of Joe James were: Gid, Abe, Sallie, Nancy, Frank, Jane, Ike, Joe and Wesley. Who was the wife and who were the parents of Joe James?

Mrs. J. Dexter Eoff,
700 Eighth St., Ballinger, Tex. 76821

COLEMAN Desire contact with any descendants of Bill Coleman, to Crawford Co., Ark 1841 from Hickman Co., Tenn. He was my grandmother Caledonia (Coleman) Lancaster's brother but contact between them was not maintained after her removal in 1851 to Bell Co., Tex. Another brother, Alexander Coleman, had preceded her to Texas and of his family much is known. The brother Ephraim is shown to have remained for a time in Hickman Co. but nothing is known of John (twin to Elizabeth), they being one of three pairs of twins in a family of ten children.

James, twin to Alexander, was living in Graves Co., Ky. by 1870 when certain papers show his wife to have been Julia Tarkington. Elizabeth married James Grimes: Arzilla (also spelled Griselle, Ursula, etc.) married a Harrington and moved to Ark.; Emiline married D.B. Briggs and her twin Caroline seems to have pre-deceased her mother.

This Coleman line is documented back to Youngs Coleman living in Surry Co., NC by 1777, and his wife Sarah Morphew (Murphy) traces back to James Burk who married Mary Bane in Chester Co., Pa. 1730 but lived in Va and NC where he died 1782-83 leaving a will. Etc.

Mrs. J. T. Ramage,
3911 S. General Bruce Dr., Temple, Tex.

McCLELLAN I am told that I can buy this booklet from you --
BUTTREY "The McClellans of Alabama and Arkansas" by Bobby Jones McLane. I am wondering if you have anything on this surname in your files. Somehow my Buttreys are mixed up with the McClellans or McClellands, whichever way they want to spell it. I understand there was a Buttrey killed in the battle of PeaRidge, Ark.

Mrs. Barbara Conrad,
Box 516, Glens Ferry, Idaho 83623

FINE I am interested in corresponding with anyone concerning the Fine and Hutchens families. I very much want to contact descendants of Great-uncle Spender Fine who lived in or near Fayetteville, Ark. The 1850 Census shows his birth as 1810, his wife Jane and children as William, Caledonia, Sophronia, Malonia, Martha, Carillar L., Elizabeth, Savannah, James, Ann, Clementina, and Peter. I will share or help others in any way I can.

Mrs. Louallen Fine,
Rt. 2, Box 174, Lincoln, Ark. 72744

HARDIN Wanted: Information on John Hardin of Crawford Co. b. in Mecklenburg or Rowan Co., N.C. 1768. Lived in Sumner Co. and Robertson Co., Tenn 1787, 1815. Also Benj. Hardin, Rev. soldier, Batesville, Ark., b. Mar. 15, 1764, in Mecklenburg Co., N.C.; m. Elizabeth Scott 1782.

Mrs. W. F. Fullerton,
821 Battlefield Dr., Nashville, Tenn.

WILBURN

I am trying to locate the family Bible or any information regarding W.W.WILBURN b. 1782 in Va., m. Francis (maybe Smith), b. 1782 S.C. Children believed to be (1) Felix G. Wilburn b. 1803 Ga., m. Lydia Beller 1823 in Madison Co., Ala.; 1840 Carroll Co., Ark.; 1854 Nacogdoches Co., Tex. where married 2nd time; 1860 Carroll Co., Ark. in home of Francis Wilburn, wife of W.W.Wilburn; and 1870 Boone Co., Ark. census.

(2) Lihue Tandy Wilburn, b. 1808 Ga.; m. Cynthia Brittain 1827 in Madison Co., Ala; 1830 census in home of Wm.Brittain, Pulaski Co., Ark.; Jan. 1837, Shelby Co., Tex.

(3) John J. Wilburn, b. 1814 Ala., m. Nancy Abt 1835; 1840 Marion Co. Ark, 1850 Marion Co., Ark. (Had son Felix Galiman Wilburn b. Oct. 1836 in Ark, m. 1st Sarah Elizabeth Sanders 1867, d. 1874-76 in Ark.)

W.W.Wilburn d. between 1850-60 Carroll Co., Ark.; his wife Francis between 1860-70, Carroll Co. I am sure there were other children. Any information regarding any of these Wilburn families, or other Wilburns will be appreciated.

Mrs. A. D. Marshall,
Route 11, Box 330, Houston 16, Tex.

BLAND

My gr-grandfather Van Tate Bland, son of Isaac Bland, m. Laura Martin, dau. of Jacob Martin, d.in Hope, Lavaca Co., Tex. 1907-08. Laura Martin d. at Batesville, Independence Co., Ark. They had the following children: Sadie, Bland, William Bland, Jake Isaac Bland, Lillian Bland and Betty Bland. Birth and death dates unknown except for my grandfather Jake Isaac Bland. He was b. Apr. 12, 1893 in Bethesda, Independence Co., Ark. and married Rosa Ann Ross Nov. 22, 1914. I would like to obtain any information on this Bland family. If there is any charge for this service, I would be happy to pay.

Victor L. Bland,
13 S.E. 1st, Milton-Freewater, Oregon

SHIPMAN
WILLIAMS

Would appreciate information of the following early settlers: Shipman, Carroll Co., Ark.; Williams, Hempstead Co., Ark. Hamilton (Hambleton), Eason & Dennis, from Tenn. to Ark. and Mo.

Grace H. Flanders,
140 W. Crystal Ave., Salt Lake City, 15, Utah

HUGHES
MARTIN

You people are doing a wonderful work in your organization. I have been working on the Hughes and Martin genealogy for ten years and find it very interesting. Should any member of the Society need anything on our families, feel free to write me -- mostly from Va., Tenn., N.C., Ky. and Mo. and there are a lot of them.

S. G. Hughes, Greenfield, Mo.

NELSON

I need information about the Nelsons of Carrollton, Carroll Co., Ark., especially Isaac N. Nelson, b Ky. 1830 and his wife Rachel L. (Wright) Nelson, b Tenn 1838. She died Carroll Co., Ark. 1919. Am also interested in these other Carroll Co. families: Mary Thomas, b Ark. 1838-9; her father, Absalom Thomas, b. 1804 Tenn. Also, Cypherus Stanley (Standlee), b. N.C. 1768. Also Mary Stratton b. Va. 1771. A Bowman came into the family too, but do not know how.

Mrs. M. D. Nelson,
705 S. Davis Drive, Arlington, Texas

FREEMAN I would like to subscribe to your genealogical magazine, since some of my husband's lines are in Arkansas. They came there in the 1850s.
Mrs. J. C. Freeman,
5470 S. Volentine, Fresno, Calif. 93706

SKILLERN The family I am working on is the Skillern family. There are descendants living in and near Fayetteville but these kind and really nice people do not have the time to do research for me. And I, being far removed, find it impossible. There was an Audley Skillern who settled very early in Washington Co., Ark. There was apparently also a John Skillern, whose widow resides in Fayetteville. I am particularly concerned with finding references to James D. Skillern, father of John. James D. Skillern was supposed to have been an early settler there also, but I have not been able to find him in the Census records of Washington Co. Perhaps a search of the records on these three men will bring something to light. This is a part of a large project which is to resolve in publication of a book on the Skillern family, so any assistance you can give, will help its authors.

Mrs. Kenneth C. Appell,
851 Hamilton Dr., Pleasant Hill, Calif.

THORNBERRY I am a great-grandson of John Brown Robinson and Nancy Thornberry of Benton Co., Ark. Their son, Robert Harper Robinson, was my grandfather. I have quite a lot of information on the Robinsons but none on the Thornberry family. I will appreciate any help you can give me on this.
W. L. Robinson, Box 572, Hamilton, Tex.

BONE I am working on the Bone and Wright families. There
WRIGHT was a Henry Bone who came from Ireland about 1690 and settled in Kent Co., Va. My gr-grandparents, James Bone and Aceneth Potts, came from Tenn. to Ark. in 1841 with my grandparents, Rev. Henry F. Bone and Margaret J. Ivy. I have reason to believe they settled in Izard Co., Ark. My mother's parents were William Wright and Annie ?. William and James Wright (brothers) came from Nashville, Tenn. to Ark. in _____. Bob stayed in Nashville and Bethel went to Ky -- all four brothers. My father was Thomas Abram Bone and my mother Frances Jane Wright. They were married in Randolph Co., Ark. in 1879. I would like to hear from someone working on these names or be willing to pay for someone to help me on this.

Mrs. C. L. Hull,
121 No. State St., Decatur, Tex.

DOSHIER Here's my problem. Richard Doshier, born about 1790, moved from Tenn. to Ark. about 1830, around Fort Smith or Yellville, we think. His son James, born 1818, married Pernicia Banard about 1847. He was vet of Civil War. Moved his family to Lamar Co., Tex. after the war. All the Doshiers I find in research are spelled Dozier which was first Dauge (French). I would like to prove that Doshier goes back to these spellings and these lines, or find where they came from. There are still some in Ark. If you find anyone that I might contact, would appreciate it.

Mrs. Forrest B. Doshier,
1501 Rusk St., Amarillo, Tex.

NICKS I am interested in the Nicks family any branch
 CANTRELL as I feel quite certain they are all related. Also
 seek information about one Pinkney Cantrell who
 lived in Fayetteville, Ark. about 1860-62, possibly before that. He
 was my gr-grandfather. His wife was Jane Rowland of McMinnville, Tenn.
 There were five children of this union, which was his first marriage.
 His second marriage took place in Missouri 1863. I hope that there may
 be someone who can assist me.

Mrs. Ruth Hunt, 3435 Exshaw Road,
 Calgary, Alberta, Canada

BLEDSONE I will pay for information on Rev. Isaac Bledson
 and his wife, Sarah Shumate Bledson, telling me
 the names of their parents. He was born in Tenn.
 in 1821. She was born in Mo. in 1827-28. They were living in Taney and
 Stone Cos., Mo. before and during the Civil War. Rev. Isaac Bledson
 served with the Confederate troops. He had a brother, ~~Harold~~ Bledson,
 living in Taney Co. in 1840 census.

Mrs. Carl Bledson, Aroya, Colorado

CROSS Desire information on Micajah Cross, born 1811-12
 Tenn.; migrated to Ouachita Co., Ark. with brothers
 Henry, Francis M., and A.J. Cross. In 1850 Census
 Micajah was married to Susan born 1812 Ala.; in 1860 census his wife's
 name is Julia born 1823 Ala. One son was named Featherston. Could this
 be the first wife's maiden name?

Also, William James Cross, born Giles Co., Tenn.
 1833, migrated to Ouachita Co., Ark. with father, Micajah Cross; mar-
 ried 1852 Ouachita Co., Elizabeth Hicks. Most of their children were
 born in Columbia Co., Ark. but in later life moved to Arkadelphia, Ark.
 where she died 1904 and he died 1906. Need information from descend-
 ants in Arkadelphia.

Also, Francis Hicks, b. 1787 Ga. (what county?);
 married Elizabeth Wood 1809 in Montgomery Co., Ga.; moved to Bibb Co.,
 Ala., where most of their 15 children were born; later migrated with
 many of the children to Ouachita Co., Ark. His will is filed in Colum-
 bia Co., Ark.; names 11 of the children: where is this couple buried?
 Who were their parents? Desire correspondence with descendants.

Would like to correspond with any by the name
 of Fomby-Formby, as all seem to be descendants of Nicholas Formby who
 died in Halifax Co., Va. in 1804. His three sons Nathan, Thomas, Aaron
 migrated to Ga. and descendants later settled in Ark.

Mrs. L. E. Montgomery,
 2722 Cumberland Ave., Waco, Tex. 76707

BRITAIN William Brittain, ordained missionary Baptist
 minister when he arrived in Texas, left Surry Co.,
 N.C. after 1824; in Madison Co., Ala., 1827; in
 Pulaski Co., Ark. 1830; remained there through 1833, maybe longer; in
 Shelby Co., Tex., 17 Jan. 1837. Information wanted as to when ordained
 and missionary work in Ark.

Mrs. A. B. Marshall,
 Route 11, Box 330, Houston 16, Tex.

BAIRD I was thrilled to find the Sept. 1962 issue of Flashback in the California Genealogical Library, in which was the first reference I had seen in an Arkansas publication, to any wagon train leaving Ark for Oregon or to Calif. This reference contained a letter from the Tigards, dated Nov. 15, 1852 from Oregon Terr. The thrilling thing to me was that the letter mentioned my grandfather, Benj. Baird. The letter states that Benj. Baird met this 1852 wagon train (from West Fork, Ark.) at the mouth of Sandys River in Oregon, to take the Craigs home with him, but sadly enough, Ewing Craig (my grandmother's brother) and his wife had died in Aug. before reaching Oregon. However, I know that two children survived and were reared by their aunt (my grandmother). The letter relates that John Gilbreath and John Winn went on home with Benj. Baird, and from the notes I inferred that both these men had married into the Craig family.

I am wondering if this John Winn was in any way related to Jesse Winn who married my aunt Grazelle Taylor in Oregon in the 1860s and then went to Eastern Oregon where they took up a homestead on which their grandchildren now live. Also my cousin George Winn (their son) still has an interest in this ranch. It would be appreciated if you can give me the name of a researcher in Fayetteville who would (for a fee) look up the Cook collection in the U of Ark library to see if there any further references to wagon trains out of Ark.

Mrs. Stella Baird,
1720 MacArthur Blvd., Oakland 2, Calif.

VAUGHN Many thanks for the final copy to complete my
COUNTS treasured set of Flashback. I never cease to be surprised that I find something new every time I go through them. I am trying to arrange some kind of index, since I refer to them so often. For instance, on one of the earliest lists is mentioned three Vaughns: William, Daniel & Samuel. Either Samuel or Daniel helped located the city of Fayetteville. A Wm. Vaughn was father of Celia Vaughn Oliver who was the mother of my gr-grandmother Nicia Oliver who m. George Bilton (also noted on the early lists). The Oliversons were from Oliver Springs, Tenn.

Then there are three mentions of Nicholas Counts, who was brother of my gr-gr-grandfather Ellis Counts, on my mother's side. Among the property purchased was the Shumate-Benbrook farm on White River in Washington Co., Ark. The first Counts came from Germany during the Rev. War and later settled in Grainger Co., Tenn.

Mrs. Dee A. Sikes,
2947 S. Quaker Ave., Tulsa 14, Okla.

PATTY Seek information on the Jesse Patty family of Carroll Co., Ark., who was the father of John Burnett Patty, and was sheriff of Carroll Co. at one time. Jesse Patty was killed by bushwhackers near Berryville, Ark. His wife's name was Mary (Polly) Burnett Patty. I need information on Jesse Patty and his parents as to date and place of birth, death, marriage I also need same information on his wife. The 1790 Census gives John and Jesse Patty as living in Union Co., S.C.

Mrs. Mary H. Harper,
519 E. 8th St., Port Angeles, Wash.

Some White County and VanBuren County Queries

I would like to exchange information with others who are interested in any of the following lines:

Hiram Allison, b in Va abt 1810; m Rejoina; their ch b in Tenn; they came to VanBuren Co., Ark abt 1849.

Elijah Bean, b 1815 in NC; m Isabell Goff b in Ky abt 1821; Elijah d Nov.10, 1876 in VanBuren Co., Ark.

Neal Brooks, b abt 1801; came to Ark from Tenn; d in White Co.,Ark. about 1880.

Malcomb Boise Brooks, b 1828; m MaryElizabeth Permenter Mar.29, 1849; d in Tex Apr 3, 1912.

Caldwell who came from Ireland shortly after the Revolutionary War; had a dau Sarah who m a Smith; lived in Kings Mtn area of Carolinas.

Carson family came from Ireland and lived in Fayette Co., Ga. Three of the ch were: James J., Martha and Rachel. James J m Frances A. E. Neal, a sister of his uncle Ben Neal. Martha m Wiley Clark Presley in 1848 in Ga. Rachel m Billy Bears, also from Ireland.

Mary Magdaline Dunaway who m John Yingling June 24, 1866 in White Co. Ark. The Dunaway family came from SC.

Thomas Finley who m Ann Bowen, dau of Malcolm Bowen & _____ Garrett. They were from Spartanburg area of SC.

Samuel Goff, b abt 1795 in Sc; m Mary (Marilda)? Their ch were b in Ky. They came to Ark abt 1840 and settled in VanBuren Co. D abt 1870.

James Holliman m Elizabeth Jane Jackson, dau of Claiborn, b abt 1839 in Tenn. Came to VanBuren Co., Ark. abt 1858.

James S. Howell b 1795. His wife Mary b Dec. 29, 1795. Their ch b in Ky (some in Warren Co.). They came to White Co., Ark. abt 1850.

Claiborn Jackson b in Tenn or Ala abt 1814; m Elizabeth Lolar, b in Tenn. Their ch b in Tenn. They came to Ark abt 1858.

Permenter (male) m Thompson. Their dau Mary Elizabeth Permenter m Malcomb Boise Brooks Mar.29, 1849. They lived near Rosebud, Ark.

Smith. The family came from Tenn to Yell Co., Ark about 1847. They moved to VanBuren Co., Ark after the Civil War. Bradley Smith & John D. Smith were brothers. Had another bro who remained in Yell Co.

Nicholas Whisenant m Nancy Smith in SC. They came to White Co., Ark. in 1860. Various spellings for this name.

Sebastian Yingling b in Germany abt 1809 and d in white Co., Ark in Feb. 1866. He m Christine, also b in Germany, abt 1814. They came to America and White Co. abt 1846. Name also spelled Gungling and Jungling.

Also Garrett, Presley, Thompson, Bowen.

Mrs. Leister E. Presley,
1708 W. Center St., Searcy, Ark.

ARKANSAS VALLEY HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION, Russellville, Ark.

We have received a copy of the 1963-64 yearbook of this society, which meets on the second Friday in each month at the Eureka restaurant in Russellville. N.H.Bell is president; Myrtle Roush, secretary. The programs for the next seven months are devoted chiefly to family history. Here are the dates, family names, and speakers:

Nov. 8, 1963 - The Oates family, by Leannah Williamson

Jan.10, 1964 - The Gardner family, by Forrest Gardner

Feb.14, 1964 - The Hogins family, by Mildred Craig

Mar.14, 1964 - The Hurley family, by Sylvia Talkington

Apr.10, 1964 - The Massie family, by Lill _____

May 8, 1964 - The Wilson family, by Matt _____

June 12 1964 - The Ellis family, by Forr _____

AN ARRINGTON QUERY

I have a copy of Alfred Arrington's biography, written by Flora Arrington, apparently his daughter by his second wife. She stated he was born in Iredell Co., N.C. 1810 and died Dec. 31, 1867. Frankly, I am not interested in Alfred Arrington only to the extent that he might lead me to the parentage of Ethelbert Arrington. It has been assumed that they were brothers, though not a shred of proof. It is strange that they came to Washington Co., Ark. about the same time, unless they were brothers or very closely related. Flora Arrington stated that Alfred was the son of John Arrington and Sophia his wife.

John Arrington was in Johnson Co., Ark in 1840 and when Newton Co. was cut off from Johnson he lived in the new county. I had a letter from Newton Co. clerk and he said the only marriage he had was for John A. Arrington in 1868 to Martha Villines, so that is that.

I also had a letter from a descendant of Alfred Arrington in Texas. She said I was the first person to ever contact her on this family. She had some data from the Conner Bible, and the marriage of Sarah and Alfred Arrington is in it. They married Sept. 6, 1832. She said the Conner family came to Hempstead Co., Ark. about 1816. Then where did Alfred marry Sarah? Sarah was still living until 1901 when she died in Fayetteville. She was living in 1880 with her daughter Ann and her husband William H. Allen. In 1850 she was with her father John Conner and in 1860 she was alone. John Conner died 1866 and his wife Elizabeth died 1861.

Now I am not interested in the Conner family, only that perhaps some of their documents might prove Ethelbert Arrington. If there were a divorce between Alfred and Sarah and it is of record there, it might tend to show something, particularly if an affidavit was filed by Ethelbert or any other close relative.

Anne E. or Annette Arrington was living in Farmington, Ark. in 1917. If any of her descendants live there, could you tell them that all we want is proof, if they have it, that Ethelbert and Alfred were brothers. There was a Mary Arrington, 92, in the 1850 census of Washington County but I could not find her. I was told she was living with Joel Combs and apparently it was Levi Combs. So when I found Joel and she was not with him, I let Levi slip by me. She was born in Maryland and now I wonder if she could be the wife of the Revolutionary soldier and the grandmother of these boys. John Arrington of Newton Co. had a son Joel, Ethelbert had a son Joel, the Stricklands and Combs families also had the name of Joel common to them.

There were Arringtons in Scott, Johnson, Newton, Franklin, and of course Washington County. And there were families in the eastern part of the state also, quite a lot of them. If some researcher will look up the Arringtons in Franklin and Johnson counties, I will be glad to pay for this service.

Mrs. M. B. Biggerstaff,
4716 N. Miller, Oklahoma City 12, Okla.

(Editor's note: We had never heard of an Ethelbert Arrington until we received Mrs. Biggerstaff's letter. We knew Alfred Arrington quite well, because of the swath he cut in Washington County's early history. As for the Conners, Combs and Stricklands, we are much interested in these early Washington County families. -- (JL))

From the Howell Family Bible

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Leister E. Presley, 1708 1/2 Center Ave., Searcy, Ark., we are able to present the James S. Howell family record. Mrs. Presley writes:

Grace Marshall of California (gr-granddaughter of James S. Howell) has an old Bible with the following information:

	<u>born</u>	<u>died</u>
James S. Howell.	Oct. 2, 1795	Aug. 2, 1852
Mary Howell	Dec. 29, 1795. . . .	Sept. 5, 1859
Levi Howell.	Mar. 7, 1816	
Sarah A. Howell.	Mar. 18, 1818	
Winnie Howell.	Jan. 19, 1820. . . .	(Nov.18, 1877) tombstone
John S. Howell	Dec. 19, 1821. . . .	
William Howell	Aug. 23, 1823. . . .	May 20, 1837
Ruben Howell	Mar. 3, 1825	
Mary Howell.	Feb. 13, 1827. . . .	Nov.6, 1848 (Mary Haden)
James M. Howell.	Oct. 17, 1829	
Dudley Thomas Howell	Sept. 6, 1832. . . .	(Aug.21, 1874) tombstone
Louise E. Howell	Sept. 9, 1832. . . .	Sept. 12, 1841
Henry Harvey Howell.	Mar. 16, 1839	
Mary Howell		Dec. 1, 1817 (relationship unknown)
Sarah Ann Howell	Apr. 10, 1838	(these are grandchildren)
Avana Jane Howell.	Nov. 11, 1839	
Mary Francis Howell.	Aug. 6, 1841	
James William Howell	Nov. 9, 1843	
Laney Elizabeth Howell	Mar. 16, 1846	
Synthia Ann Haden	Oct. 15, 1848	

Information in parentheses added by Mrs. Presley. Also following information:

Winnie Howell married her first cousin, Jim J. Howell, both natives of Ky. and in 1850 they moved with their 4 children to White Co., Ark. Her parents and other members of the family soon followed. Some of the brothers continued on to Oregon but John S., Dudley T., and Henry Harvey remained here and also her sister Sarah. Sarah was married to Tom Hardcastle, who died soon after they came to Ark.; then she married Samuel Caruthers, an early sttler of White Co.

A LATE QUERY

I AM Seeking information on my gr-grandfather, James Rilly Pollock, and his wife, Serena Barkhurst. They were married at Elm Springs, Ark on Dec. 1, 1859. During the Civil War he served in F Co., 10 Regt Texas Inf. After the War he returned to Elm Springs where he had a small business and served for a time as postmaster. About 1875 he moved his family to Denver, Colo., where he resided until his death in 1912. According to the 1870 census, he was born in Ark (abt 1836) and his wife was born in Mo. (abt 1844). I would like very much to obtain their exact places of birth, along with their parents' names.

James W. Pollock,
2A-51 Wynt. Terr., Provo, Utah

THE SECRETARY'S MAIL

I'm greatly interested in Arkansas genealogy, as I was born in Ark. and my ancestors were there, in Territorial days. My father and grandfather were born in Ark. (Poinsett and Craighead counties), and my gr-grandfather Richard Hall was treasurer of Craighead Co. when it was formed. My grandfather Anderson Hall married Margaret LaVesque who was French and her ancestors, I've been told, came to this country with LaFayette. Hope to attend an Arkansas genealogy meeting some day.

Mrs. Claud Hill,
308 S. Newport Ave., Tampa 6, Florida

I like the Arkansas Family Historian and would certainly hate to miss an issue. My grandfather Peters practiced medicine in Carroll Co., Ark. for about 30 years. I have the Peters' genealogical charts - records that go back to Boston 1658. Will be glad to send you some information for publication if you care to use it.

Mrs. Thomas E. Turpen,
327 LaVega D., S.I., Albuquerque, N.M.

It's wonderful that all of you are so public-spirited that you do this outstanding job on genealogy, records, etc. We appreciate it. On page 46 of the latest copy of the Arkansas Family Historian, there is mention of Inez Waldenmaier's "Genealogical Annual Index." I'd love to have it but have no idea about the cost.

Mrs. Eva Williams,
1034 N. College Ave., Fayetteville, Ark.

(We regret to report that Mrs. Waldenmaier has given up her genealogical publications, including her Newsletter which she published from 1955 to 1963 and the Annual Index. If any of our Arkansas readers have benefitted from Mrs. Waldenmaier's services, a thank-you note would be appropriate. Address her: Mrs. Inez Waldenmaier, 3023 Fourteenth St., N.W., Apt. 802, Washington 9, D.C.)

I am president of the Amarillo Genealogical Society and plan to put on several workshops in the district soon. Would you please send me a set of the Arkansas Family Historian for use in the workshops? They will be the only thing I have on Arkansas. Am taking my "roving library" to the smaller places where genealogical material is not available.

Mrs. Forrest B. Doshier,
1501 Rusk St., Amarillo, Texas

I would be delighted to have you call on me if there is anything I can do to help the "cause." I work in the treasurer's office in the Pulaski Co. court house, spend my noon hours at the History Commission and can do copy work, etc. So if there is anything I can do to help, don't hesitate to call on me.

Mrs. J. H. Speer,
1401 Sycamore St., North Little Rock, Ark.

You are doing a marvelous job with the Arkansas Genealogical Society. I enjoy reading the Family Historian. I am treasurer of our Kansas Genealogical Society and enjoy the work so much.

Mrs. Coy Farrell,
405 Hudson, Garden City, Kansas

You all are doing a wonderful job on The Arkansas Family Historian. I know how it is to try to do research, and other activities connected with genealogy, with the limited time afforded after work. Hope by this time that Mr. Lemke is much improved and back on the job. I cut some stencils for a friend yesterday and it almost put me under. Tell Mr. L. not to over-do. And tell Mr. Carter that I've always had a secret desire to be an archaeologist.

Mrs. Laretta Russell,
PO Box 2633, San Antonio, Tex. 78206

Have thoroughly enjoyed furnishing information on request from family researchers through the Arkansas Genealogical Society. Is there a special system in compiling a catalog of old cemeteries?

Mrs. T. M. Deere,
301 Main St., Hot Springs, Ark.

Since this thing of locating missing names is such a job, I thought the enclosed newspaper clipping might be of interest to someone. I sure wish someone would "dig up" something on the Stephens family for me.

Mrs. B. H. Talley, Sayre, Okla.

(Irene Hansen Talley from Izard County, Ark.)

(The clipping that Mrs. Talley enclosed, from the Daily Oklahoman, was headed "Family to Reunite after 36 Years." It told of the reunion of Jack and L.O. Abbott and their sister, Mrs. J.R. Birtciel of Cameron, Okla. Jack Abbott located his brother and sister when he visited a boyhood friend, Dimp Fowler, in Springdale, Ark. Fowler told him that he had two sisters and a brother. Jack Abbott found his brother in Oklahoma City and his sister in Cameron. (Hereabouts of the other sister, Ora Abbott, is still not known.)

I am doing research for pay and will be very glad to help anyone if they will contact me at my home. My phone number is Swarthmore 5-2960. By the way, doesn't the society have any meetings or is it just contact by the journal?

Mrs. Minnie O. Johnston,
Rt. 1, Bentonville, Ark. 72712

I recently ran across a letter in the Louisiana Genealogical Register which I believe you will find interesting. It is about the early history of the Morrow family of South Carolina. This may not be the same family as the Arkansas Morrows but they probably all have the same ancestry.

Mrs. Faye Dearing Barr,
409 Cornell Ave., Baton Rouge 8, La.

Your name was given me by some person at our genealogy library here. I understand you are a researcher. Will you permit me to ask you some questions? Where do you do researching from? Do you have one certain place in Arkansas? And what records do you search? If you will answer my questions I can tell you more about what I am interested in. I may want a little searching done on some of my lines. I was born in Arkansas and all my father's people lived there. Thanks very kindly.

Mrs. H. L. Smith,
224 Edgemont, Salt Lake City 16, Utah

GENEALOGICAL NOTES FROM EVERYWHERE

The Sept. 1963 issue of STIRPES (Texas State Genealogical Society) is an attractive 36-page-and-cover magazine, containing much important material. Some of our Arkansas folks will be interested in the article "Morrow Miscellanea" and in several other family histories. Enclosed with the magazine is the program of the Texas State Genealogical convention, to be held Nov.29-30 in Fort Worth.

"FAULKNER FACTS AND FIDDLINGS", quarterly published by the Faulkner County (Ark.) Historical Society, carries a list of the residents of Conway in 1880. The population of Conway in 1880 was 1,017, of which 184 were Negro. Name, age, occupation, and place of birth are given (data from US Census of 1880).

Magna Charta Book Co., 5324 Beaufort Ave., Baltimore 14, Maryland, has just published its Catalog No. 9 of "British Genealogical Reference Books." The 24-page catalog will be loaned to our readers on request. Address: Arkansas Genealogical Society, Box 237, Fayetteville.

The Sept. 1963 issue of the Newsletter of the Wisconsin State Genealogical Society carries an editorial protesting the proposal to abolish the Ohio State Library, the closing of the Indiana State Library to the public, and the county clerks' decision in Illinois that county records are no longer public. All of which would work a hardship on genealogical researchers. County records are still accessible in Arkansas, as we know from having visited a dozen court houses during the past year. And most county clerks are helpful.

The current issue of "Genealogical Tips", published by the Tip-o'-Texas Genealogical Society, c/o Public Library, Harlingen, Texas, contains several lists of names from such sources as Fauquier Co., Va. Deed Book 1785; Daily Express, Matamoras; Daily Cosmopolitan, Brownsville; and "Biographical Index of Columbian Industrial edition of the Fort Collins (Tex.) Express 1894."

We have some 50 recent issues of genealogical publications in our AGS office that we will be glad to loan to any member of our Society. These copies include the following publications:

- Our Heritage, San Antonio Genealogical and Historical Society
- The Treearcher, Kansas Genealogical Society
- Report of the Ohio Genealogical Society
- Genealogical Publications Exchange, Rocksville, Md.
- Bulletin of the Stamford (Conn.) Genealogical Society
- Mt. Hood Tracker, Oregon City, Oregon
- Kansas City Genealogist, Independence, Mo.
- Louisiana Genealogical Register, Baton Rouge
- Oklahoma Genealogical Society Quarterly, Oklahoma City
- Austin Genealogical Society Quarterly, Austin, Tex.
- East Tennessee Historical Society Echoes, Knoxville
- Newsletter, Wisconsin State Genealogical Society, Milwaukee
- Genealogical Society Bulletin, Fort Worth, Tex.
- Genealogical Periodical Annual Index, Bladensburg, Md.
- The Surname Index, San Gabriel, Calif.

Write to the secretary (Box 237, Fayetteville, Ark.) and return the copies when you are through with them.

Last-Minute Querics

I am interested in locating material on the Richesin family, some living in the Harrison, Ark. area. Can you give me any help?

Miss Pearl Rutherford,
705 S. West St., Mt. Vernon, Mo.

I read every line of the Arkansas Family Historian before placing it with my file. I especially like the pictures, for I have several generations of my family in pictures which I have accumulated over the years.

Mrs. Lewis O. Bowen, Sr.,
216 Croydon Ave., Rockville, Maryland

Need information on Houston family in Ark. who settled in Sevier Co. between 1820-24. Need parentage of Mary Houston who m. James Marrs Sr. from Ky. and who died Nov. 8, 1840 near Mulberry, Franklin Co., Ark. She was born in Indiana. Named her children: Wiley, b Ky 1814; James; Alexander; Matthew, b 1820 Ark.; and Elizabeth. Please write.

Rea Marrs Jameson, Albany, Texas

Will you print a request for family of Paris Cantrell, whose brother was Pinkney, my gr-grandfather? Paris' family: Marrillj. Cantrell, Boone Co., Ark. about 1880; Sabrina A. m. Um. Patterson; Thomas R. m. Dora Ann Pumphrey, lived Lead Hill, Ark. about 1880; Addie m. Geo. F. McCleary, Lead Hill; Jennie m. Calvin Coker; Howard E, Springfield, Mo. Paris was born in Tenn. in early 1800s, married Rosanna Frier. Also I need to know the names of Paris Cantrell's parents. If any of the descendants of this family could contact me, I would appreciate it.

Mrs. Ruth Hunt,
3435 Exshaw Rd., Calgary, Alberta, Canada

The September 1963 issue of the Bulletin of the Local History & Genealogical Society, cooperating with the Dallas Public Library (Vol. IX No. 3), is more elaborate than usual. There are 30 pages of articles ("Migrations into and out of Virginia"); lists of new books on genealogy; family, bible and cemetery records; lists of new books on genealogy; family, bible and cemetery records; and a list of family reunions held in Texas this year. Mrs. Harry J. Morris is editor. Her address: 6840 Lakewood Blvd., Dallas, Texas 75214.

Several AGS members have asked us about the National Genealogical Society. Address of this society is: 1921 Sunderland Place, N.W., Washington 36, D.C. Membership costs \$7 (\$2 initiation fee and \$5 annual dues). The Society publishes much genealogical material, most of it priced at \$1 or \$2, and is still offering its "Index of Revolutionary War Pension Applications" (20 installments) at \$1.50 per.

Some of our readers may like to know that the October issue of Flashback, published by the Washington County Historical Society, Fayetteville, Ark., contains the Karnes-Winn family history, as well as several other articles of genealogical interest.

Fred Marshall, 1332 N. Lewis, Tulsa, Okla., writes us a letter that we hope to publish in our next issue. His grandfather, Jos. N. Marshall, came to Norristown, Ark. about 1832 and his father was born March 9, 1836 at Norristown. His mother was born 1845 in Alabama and came to Norristown with her people, the Dunns, in 1853. The Marshalls joined a wagon train to California in 1853 but later returned to Arkansas.