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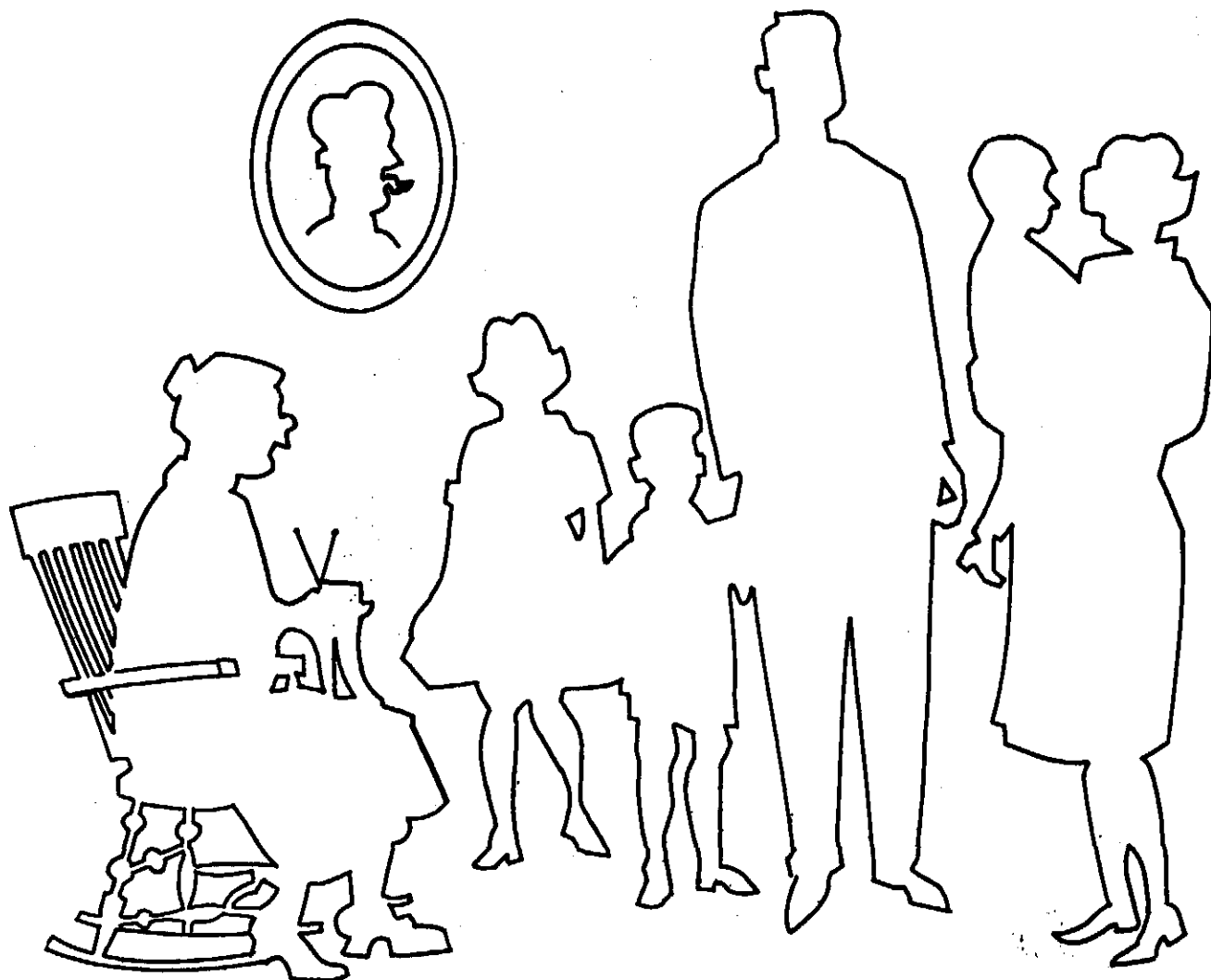
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## MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT:

The Society Board of Directors met Jan. 8, 1968, at the Arkansas Historical Commission offices in the Old State House in Little Rock, with permission of Dr. John L. Ferguson. Mrs. T. H. Bowles served as our hostess and showed us the wonderful collection of Arkansas historical resources. Many treasures are stored there and available for use and study by responsible persons.

The Board elected Mr. Lee Spencer, Librarian of State College of Arkansas, as Society Historian. He has accepted the office. He was asked to begin writing a History of the Society. We are only five years old and it was decided that the history should be started while resources are available.

The Board made plans for a Regional Workshop on genealogy. It will be held in El Dorado April 6, 1968. Miss Annie Laurie Spencer, vice-president of the Arkansas Genealogical Society, will chair the workshop. The workshop will be for persons who want to get started on family research. Sessions will also be held for persons who have started and want to go further in family research.

It is planned that workshops will be held later in other cities in the state.

At our January meeting the Directors also discussed publications of individuals in the Society and having the Society assist as sponsors.

If you have suggestions to make on what you would like to see the Society do, please write to me, and I will present your ideas to the Board of Directors.



Dr. James S. Upton

## GENEALOGICAL WORKSHOP TO BE HELD IN EL DORADO, APRIL 6TH

A genealogical workshop, sponsored by the Arkansas Genealogical Society, will be held in El Dorado, Arkansas, April 6th at the Barton Library. Sessions will begin at 1:30 p. m. The registration fee will be \$1.00.

Dr. James S. Upton will serve as moderator. Subjects to be presented are:

"Material Available In Arkansas", by Bobbie J. McLane of Hot Springs.

"Clues For Locating Ancestors On The Move", by Annie Laurie Spencer of El Dorado.

"How to Start", by Mrs. Henry McKinney, Jr. of El Dorado.

Miss Annie Laurie Spencer of El Dorado is serving as chairman of the workshop, and Mrs. Wilma Newton of Hampton is co-chairman.

We urge all our members in the southern Arkansas area to attend the workshop and bring friends. The meeting is open to the public, and anyone interested is invited to attend.

The Board of Directors of Arkansas Genealogical Society will hold their regular quarterly meeting at the Barton Library in El Dorado, April 6th, beginning at 10:00 a. m.

## ASSOCIATION FOR RECORDS AND CENSUS INDEXING

The need for indices among genealogists and historians is rapidly increasing. This applies to all types of records which are now being searched repeatedly by many different people. Particularly important are the Federal Census records. Many records, however, other than census records should also be indexed, such as marriages, probate, Bible, land, tax lists, and passenger lists.

During the mid 1930's some indexing of original records was initiated to provide work for unemployed people. When the available funds were expended the work was discontinued. With the onset of the Social Security program, an applicant often had to furnish proof of his age. The difficulties experienced by many persons led to financing by the Federal Government of the indexing of the Census records of 1900 and 1920, and of part of the 1880, using the Soundex system. Nevertheless, indexing of the vast number of early records remains to be done and is still urgently needed.

Automatic data processing, as a means of analyzing and indexing records, has become commonplace in recent years by all progressive establishments, including colleges and universities. Genealogists and historians should do no less. To this end a nonprofit association has been formed and was incorporated on August 28, 1967; the name of which is the Association for Records and Census Indexing.

At present the Association is continuing the transcribing and indexing of the 1830 census of Tennessee, which was formerly sponsored by the National Genealogical Society. Tennessee is being used as the pilot state. Considerable care is being given to details so as to develop a workable pattern which can be used for similar purposes in all other states.

Work on the Tennessee census is progressing very well. To date more than 75 percent of the transcribing has been completed by volunteer workers. Two different volunteers separately transcribe the census for each county. These are now being compared to assure accuracy. Methods of programming the data for electronic computer processing to compile the indices are under investigation. Upon completing these phases of the work, the data will be ready for key punching and indexing. Each volunteer worker participating in the transcribing and associated activities, and each organization which donates processing services will be given recognition as each indexing undertaking is completed. Additional volunteers are invited to aid in this work.

The mailing address of the Association for Records and Census Indexing is P. O. Box 9621, Arlington, Virginia, 22209. Its Board of Directors are J. Hobart Bartlett, Joseph E. Ferrier, William T. Pryor, Francis C. Rosenberger, George Ely Russell and Noel H. Thompson. The professional consultants of the Association are Robert W. Carder and Gunther E. Pohl.

### MRS. J. CLIFFORD HILL IS FIRST LIFE MEMBER

Mrs. J. Clifford (Ruth Reid) Hill of Jonesboro, Arkansas, has become the first life member of Arkansas Genealogical Society. Life memberships are obtained by paying \$100. to the Society in one installment. We would like to express our appreciation to Mrs. Hill for her interest in the Society.

### 1968 DUES NOW PAYABLE

We would like to urge all members who have not already done so to mail their 1968 dues. This saves us the time and expense of sending statements. All memberships become due on January 1st each year and dues are \$5.00 annually.

# THE MORGANS OF LINCOLN COUNTY, ARKANSAS

by

Mrs. Thomas H. Bowles

Hardy Morgan was born 1785 in North Carolina; his parents are unknown to me, but in the 1810 census of Montgomery Co., N. C., his household consisted of his wife, age 16, baby son, and two males over 16. Nearby lived Charles Morgan, old enough to have been his father.

Hardy married in 1808, Nancy Elizabeth Hearne, age 14, daughter of Ebenezer Hearne and wife, Dovey Walker. Ebenezer was a Revolutionary War Soldier, private in the N. C. Line, and drew a pension for his service, see "Roster of Soldiers of the Revolutionary War from North Carolina", published in 1952 by the North Carolina D. A. R. On page 446, Ebenezer Hearne, private, received \$120., March 4, 1831, age 73; he was living in 1835, see page 578. Hardy and Nancy were parents of fourteen children by family tradition, but I have been able to prove only ten of them from records.

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- IV. Nelson "Nels" Morgan, son of Hardy Morgan and wife, Nancy Hearne, was born 1815 in Montgomery Co., N. C., and married there to Narcissa --, whose maiden name has not been found. She was born 1820 in North Carolina. Their children were:
- A. Amanda C. Morgan, b. 1840, Montgomery Co., N. C.; d. 1877, Ark., m. 1st, Jan. 2, 1873, to Alexander Brown as his second wife. Alexander d. 1874, age 46, and Amanda m. 2nd a Mitchell who deserted her just before she died in 1877.
  - B. Anne Morgan, b. 1842, N. C., m. 1st, Asa Y. Carey, who was killed at Tyro by Luther Jones. She was Asa's second wife. She had one daughter, Asa Henrietta Carey, b. 1866, Drew Co., Ark., who m. Thomas S. Paschall, son of William Henry Paschall and his second wife, Mary A. Newman. Anne Morgan Carey m. 2nd William H. Paschall as his third wife, Dec. 28, 1869. Born 1813 in Warren Co., N. C., he died Oct. 4, 1893. They were the parents of seven children: Henry W., George Nelson, Ida E., Frederick, Fannie Belle, Mary Lou, Lily Mae.
  - C. Henrietta Morgan, b. 1844, Pontotoc Co., Miss., died young.
  - D. Alford Nelson Morgan, b. 1846, Miss., d. 1876, Lincoln Co., Ark. M. 1st Feb. 16, 1871, Drew Co., to Josephine Henrietta Lay, b. 1846, Tenn., d. 1873, daughter of William Lay and Nancy Elizabeth Dancy. They had two daughters:
    1. Anna Morgan, b. 1872, m. William I. Miller, Star City, Ark., Dec. 19, 1888.
    2. Ophelia Alice Morgan, b. June 20, 1873, d. May 23, 1945, Little Rock, m. 1st Feb. 2, 1893, Frank Leslie Bowles, who died Feb. 28, 1893. A daughter, Leslie Frances Bowles, b. Nov. 6, 1893, m. Benjamin Rolfe Eldridge, Jr. Ophelia m. 2nd, Feb. 2, 1898, at Catholic Church in Little Rock, to Judge George Herbert Joslyn, b. Aug. 19, 1840 near Ithaca, N. Y. They had a son and two daughters.

After the death of Josephine in 1873, Alford Morgan m. 2nd, Dec. 30, 1874, Sallie L. Paschall, daughter of William Henry Paschall and his second wife, Mary A. Newman. They had one daughter, Sallie.

- E. Mary Morgan, b. 1848, Miss. (Census of 1850, Pontotoc Co., Miss.)
- F. Joseph Morgan, b. 1850, Pontotoc Co., Miss. Died the first night the Morgan family arrived in Arkansas in 1858 from Mississippi.
- G. Charles Bond Morgan, b. 1852, Pontotoc Co., Miss., d. 1904, Ark., m. Dec. 28, 1877 in Lincoln Co., Ark. to Carrie E. Paschall (1859-1937) daughter of William Henry Paschall and 2nd wife, Mary A. Newman. (See children on next page.)
- H. Elizabeth "Lizzie" Morgan, b. 1854, Pontotoc Co., Miss., m. Winfield Scott Paschall. She had a baby girl and both died less than year after her marriage, 1871.

Nels Morgan brought his family to Drew Co., Ark. in 1858 when his mother, sisters and brothers removed from Pontotoc Co., Miss. After the death of his first wife, he married 2nd, Feb. 6, 1860, Desha Co., Ark. to Mrs. Elizabeth Nowlin Townsend, b. 1820, Tenn. She had four children by her first husband: Steve; Mary Josephine, who m. Dr. G. W. Rosell; Tennessee; and Rebecca Jane Townsend, who m. John Milton Ferguson, April 6, 1877, as his second wife. Nels and Elizabeth had only one child:

- I. Hardy David Morgan, b. Dec. 1860, Drew Co., Ark., m. Oct. 30, 1887, Lincoln Co. by Rev. J. R. Vick, to Josephine Moore, b. 1870, and they were parents of:
  1. Lacer Morgan/
  2. Carl Morgan.
  3. Peona, who m. John Haligan.
  4. Lula, b. Feb. 13, 1899, d. May 11, 1962.
 Hardy Morgan died in 1900.

- IV. G. Charles Bond Morgan, (1852-1904), son of Nels and Narcissa Morgan, married Dec. 28, 1877 in Lincoln Co., Ark. to Caroline Henry "Carrie" Paschall. She was born 1859, Drew Co., Ark.; died 1937, Tyro, Ark. Their children were:
1. John Thomas Morgan, b. June 18, 1880, Tyro, Ark.; d. Apr. 16, 1953, buried in the Tyro Cemetery, near which he had lived and farmed all his life. He married 1st Lizzie Lay, Mar. 1, 1899 (Drew Co. Book G, p. 213). She was born Sept. 11, 1881, Lincoln Co., Ark.; d. Feb. 21, 1937 (Tyro Cemetery); was the daughter of William Henry Lay II and wife, Frances A. Wilkerson. William was a Confederate soldier, Co. F, 18th Ark. Inf., 1862-65. After Lizzie's death in 1937, John T. Morgan m. 2nd, June 29, 1938, Mrs. Frances Lay Hutchinson, niece of his first wife, born 1889, she was the daughter of Christopher C. Lay and Nancy Lay, who was the sister of Lizzie Lay I. Morgan. She died July 8, 1963, Tyro, Ark.
  2. Sarah "Della" Morgan, b. Oct. 17, 1882, Tyro, Ark.; died Nov. 19, 1916, buried Tyro, m. Sept. 14, 1898 to Roscoe Wells (1876-1955), his first wife.
  3. Mattie Henrietta Morgan, b. Apr. 5, 1885, Tyro, Ark., m. May 13, 1903 to John W. Wilkerson as his second wife. They were divorced and she m. 2nd, Apr. 9, 1905, Daniel Marvin Greene, b. Aug. 21, 1881, Monticello, Drew Co., son of James H. Greene and Mary Elizabeth Sawyers. He died Apr. 11, , Pine Bluff, Ark., buried at Selma, Drew Co.
    - a. Carrie Elizabeth Greene, b. Apr. 17, 1906, Tyro; d. Sept. 27, 1912.
    - b. Ammie Lenuel Greene, b. Sept. 4, 1907, Tyro; d. June 23, 1913, Tyro.
    - c. Annie Pearl Greene, b. Dec. 18, 1909, Tyro; m. 1st Dec. 1928, Harry Smith; m. 2nd, July 1938, Charlie Ornsbey.
    - d. Ida Lillian Greene, b. Nov. 15, 1911, Tyro, m. 1st, Mar. 1935, Hubert Johnson, divorced; m. 2nd, 1945, Clyde McCoy, divorced; m. 3rd Hubert Johnson, divorced; m. 4th Abie Woodall, divorced; m. 5th Clyde McCoy.
    - e. John Thomas Greene, b. May 29, 1914, m. 1st, Nov. 1933, Flossie Benson, divorced, remarried, divorced; m. 3rd, Lillie Baker.
    - f. Daniel Marion Greene, Jr., b. Nov. 17, 1917, Dumas, Ark., m. Bernice Hoskins, Aug. 30, 1946.
    - g. James Chester Greene, b. July 29, 1920, Dumas, m. Feb. 22, 1942 at Harrisburg, Poinsett Co., Ark. to Miss Cauna Ellen Cleveland, daughter of Leonard Cleveland and Cauza Lee Cauna. She was born Jan. 5, 1923, Cherry Valley, Cross Co., Ark. Children of James and Cauna Greene:
      - (1) Betty Ann Greene, b. Aug. 23, 1947, Lake Village, Chicot Co., Ark.
      - (2) Leslie Wayne Greene, b. May 26, 1950, Little Rock, Ark.
      - (3) Marvin Ray Greene, b. March 9, 1955, Little Rock, Ark.
      - (4) Ethel Lucille Greene, b. May 8, 1956, Little Rock, Ark.
    - h. Mattie Helen Green, b. July 17, 1924, m. Aug. 8, 1946, Jimmy Ingram.
  4. Charlie Lemuel Morgan, b. Oct. 14, 1889, Tyro, Ark.; m. July 18, 1914 to Ida Wilkerson, b. 1898.
  5. Minnie Mae Morgan, b. Sept. 9, 1891, Tyro, Ark.; married Charlie Butler, 1887-1963.
  6. Arthur Bond Morgan, b. Feb. 26, 1893, Tyro; d. Oct. 12, 1921; m. Iva Brown.
  7. Annie Caroline Morgan, b. Jan. 15, 1895, m. Jan. 25, 1914, Mark Jones, b. Oct. 5, 1893, d. Sept. 13, 1932 (Tyro Cemetery). Annie m. 2nd, John Henry Carter in 1938.

VIII. George Whitfield "Whit" Morgan, b. May 25, 1825, Montgomery Co., N. C., son of Hardy Morgan and Nancy Elizabeth Hearne. He was a Confederate soldier, enlisted Mar. 3, 1863, Auburn, Ark., as a private in Co. F, 18th Reg. Ark. Inf. under Capt. John L. Brent and Col. R. H. Crockett. His brother, Nelson Morgan, was in the same company. Whit married, 1866, Harriet Ophelia Lay, daughter of William Lay and wife Nancy Elizabeth Dancy of Haywood Co., Tenn., who came to Drew Co., Ark. in 1849.

Whit's health failed; his doctor advised a sea voyage; so in 1873 he took his wife, Ophelia, and three small children to New Orleans where they boarded a ship and went around the southern end of South America, up the west coast to California, where they stayed three and a half years. As his health had not improved, they returned to Tyro, where he died Nov. 29, 1879, and is buried in the Tyro Cemetery. After his death, Ophelia remarried Oct. 18, 1881 to William Jackson Bowles, age 61, of Desha Co., Ark., wealthy planter and merchant. They were married by S. T. Heflin, Justice of the Peace. William Jackson Bowles died Oct. 15, 1887, and is buried in Tyro Cemetery. Harriet Ophelia Morgan Bowles moved to Little Rock from Monticello, Ark. in 1911 and lived with her daughter, Mrs. John Collins, until her death June 13, 1913. She is buried in Roselawn Cemetery, Little Rock.

The children of Whit and Ophelia Morgan were:

- A. Joseph T. Morgan, b. Apr. 23, 1867, Drew Co., Ark., killed by a falling tree, Oct. 31, 1885.
- B. Anna Morgan, b. Jan. 22, 1869, Star City, Ark., m. Mar. 1, 1883, Walter Ivanhoe Bowles, her step brother. (See their descendants listed below.)
- C. Juanita Morgan, b. 1871, Star City, born with one eyelid closed, but was a beautiful girl; m. May 29, 1889 at Star City to Jefferson Brown Mead, son of S. M. and Mary Mead. They had two children: Jeffy Blair Mead, b. Jan. 10, 1890, m. Theodore Donaldson Jones, Dec. 22, 1908, Pine Bluff; and William "Ray" Mead b. June 30, 1892, WWI veteran, killed in Pine Bluff, June 12, 1934. Juanita died in 1896 and her husband died Dec. 2, 1904.
- D. Elizabeth Morgan, b. 1874, California; d. 1880, Lincoln Co., Ark.
- E. William Whitfield Morgan, b. Oct. 22, 1876; m. June 23, 1907 to Mrs. Eula May Schoock Scott; d. May 9, 1924, Little Rock; buried in Roselawn Cemetery.
- F. Norrie Ophelia Morgan, b. Jan. 1, 1878, Lincoln Co., Ark., m. Nov. 8, 1898 to John Collins, son of Moses Albert Collins and Mary Payne. John was b. Dec. 19, 1855, Drew Co., Ark.; d. May 31, 1922, Little Rock, Ark; buried Roselawn Cem. Norrie died June 12, 1967, Little Rock. They had six children.
- G. Paul Morgan, b. July, 1879; d. 1897, Tyro, Ark.

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- B. Anna Morgan, oldest daughter of Whit Morgan and Ophelia Lay, was born Jan. 22, 1869, Star City, Ark. She married March 1, 1883 at Reedville, Desha Co., Ark. (Desha Co. Marriage Book D, p. 260) to Walter Ivanhoe Bowles, b. Mar. 28, 1853 in the Bowles Mansion in Richmond, Va., fifth child of William Jackson Bowles and his first wife, Anna Maria Rogers. Children of Anna and Walter Bowles:
  1. William Jackson 'Jay' Bowles, b. May 29, 1884, Reedville, Ark., m. Nov. 25, 1909 to Mary Ella Wadsworth, b. July 10, 1891, daughter of Newton Yancy Wadsworth and wife, Mary Ella Norris. Jay and Mary went to New Mexico in 1909 to homestead land. They stayed a year and returned to Ark. He was a dry goods merchant at Warren, Ark. many years; now lives in Monroe, La.

- VIII. B. 1. a. Walter Terrill Bowles, b. Sept. 1, 1910, Texico, N.M., m. Dec. 24, 1950 to Ruth Hall of Mobile, Ala. Served as Sgt. in Europe in WWII.  
 (1) Linda Terrell Bowles, b. May 4, 1953, Waco, Texas.
- b. William Jackson Bowles, Jr. (or III), b. Nov. 10, 1918, Warren, Ark.; m. 1st Mrs. Veronica Lineville Harris, divorced; m. 2nd, May 12, 1950 to Mrs. Virginia Ruth Hall Evans, a widow with Joe Evans, 15; Baxter Evans, 12; and Virginia, 9. William served in WWII, now in Vietnam.  
 (1) Mary Jacqueline Bowles, b. Dec. 17, 1952.
- c. Newton Malcolm Bowles, b. Aug. 7, 1921; d. Dec. 29, 1935, Monroe, La.
2. Walter Ivanhoe Bowles, Jr., b. Feb. 23, 1888, Reedville; d. Aug. 1, 1898, at Tyro, Ark. (No tombstone.)
3. Hallie Bowles, b. Apr. 30, 1891, Tyro, Ark.; unmarried.
4. Felix Varner Bowles, b. Sept. 19, 1892, Tyro, m. Jan. 30, 1913 to Thelma Wells, of Poplar Bluff, Mo. at Pine Bluff, Ark. No issue.
5. Hester Ann Bowles, b. July 20, 1894, Tyro, Ark.; m. Dec. 2, 1909 to Walter Martin Carraway, son of Martin Preston Carraway and Emma Jane Clements. Walter died Dec. 30, 1955, Little Rock.
- a. Preston Ivanhoe "Ivan" Carraway, b. Sept. 9, 1912, Orlando, Ark.; m. at Little Rock, Sept. 20, 1930 to Victoria "Ruth" Cook, daughter of Emmet Cook and Ethel Baldrige.  
 (1) Preston Ivanhoe, Jr., b. Dec. 21, 1932, m. 1st Shirley Brown, May 13, 1952; div. June 9, 1953. M. 2nd, Aug. 1, 1954, Roberta Ann Hart, b. Dec. 1, 1931, Brooklyn, N. Y., dau. of Joseph D. Hart and Lucy Mick.  
 (a) Preston Ivanhoe III, b. Aug. 9, 1955.  
 (b) Nancy Leah Carraway, b. Sept. 19, 1956.  
 (c) Roger Carraway, b. 1959.  
 (2) Gloria Yvonne Carraway, b. Feb. 23, 1934, Little Rock, Ark.; died June 1, 1960, Benton, Ark.  
 (3) Walter Emmet Carraway, b. Aug. 6, 1936, Little Rock, m.
- b. Dorothy Dane Carraway, b. Aug. 9, 1914, New Edinburg, Ark., married March 17, 1934 to Robert Bowman Duffy, son of Nelson Eugene Duffy and Lulu Bowman. He was born Jan. 30, 1910, San Antonio, Texas.  
 (1) Dana Lee Duffy, b. Dec. 23, 1934, Little Rock, m. Feb. 10, 1953 to John Lee Heffington, son of Jeffry Marvin Heffington and Mary Ann Smith. John was born April 29, 1932.  
 (a) Joanna Heffington, b. June 3, 1955, Little Rock.  
 (b) John Daniel Heffington, b. Jan. 17, 1957, Little Rock.  
 (c) Timothy Mark Heffington, b. Sept. 14, 1959, Joplin, Mo.  
 (2) Deborah Kay Duffy, b. Oct. 7, 1952, Little Rock.
- c. Cecil Francis Carraway, b. Dec. 18, 1926, Little Rock, m. Sept. 27, 1947 to Stella Mae Pelton (twin to Della Fay Pelton), daughter of Marion Pelton and Rosa Raney. Stella born June 21, 1927, Saline Co., Ark.  
 (1) Cynthia Carraway, b. Aug. 22, 1952, Little Rock.
6. Jessie Bowles, b. July 3, 1896, Tyro, Ark. Lives in National City, Calif. m. 1st Paul Barber of Kansas, 1917; div. 1931; m. 2nd Joseph Sontgerathe, in 1932. He was born Aug. 29, 1890.

- VIII. B. 7. Dewey Lee Bowles, b. May 28, 1898, Tyro, Ark. Lives in Montibello, Calif. Married 1916 to George Washington Taylor, b. Feb. 22, 1891, Kansas, died July 29, 1942, Los Angeles, Calif.
8. Valeria, Bowles, b. Apr. 23, 1900, Tyro, Ark.; died June 15, 1901, Monticello, Ark., where she is buried.
9. Thomas Holland Bowles, b. June 11, 1902, Monticello, Ark., m. Aug. 14, 1921 in Little Rock to Frances Ewell Massey, daughter of John William Massey and Jessie Isaac Smith, his first wife. Frances b. Feb. 17, 1904, Little Rock.
- a. Mildred Jane Ellen Bowles, b. Mar. 18, 1923, Little Rock, m. 1st Apr. 4, 1942 to Edwin Francis Vaught, son of Maurice Kelly Vaught and first wife, Gertrude Swiney. Edwin born Nov. 23, 1917, Sheridan; Sgt. WWII; grad. U. of Texas, 1950; presently Librarian, San Antonio, Texas. They were divorced May 7, 1951. Mildred m. 2nd, Feb. 20, 1965, Houston, Texas Morris Sheppard Brooks, son of Benjamin Hill Brooks and Araceli Gomez Fernandez. Morris was born July 19, 1916, Mercedes, Texas.
- (1) John Edwin Vaught, b. Jan. 23, 1943, Little Rock, m. June 6, 1964, Houston, Tex. to Anne East, dau. of Marvin East and Merle Whittenton.
- b. John Massey Bowles, b. Jan. 30, 1925, Little Rock; Sgt. WWII; married June 3, 1950 to Billie Maxine Broadway, daughter of Richard Wesley Broadway and Mabel Kellogg. Maxine born Feb. 16, 1932, Little Rock.
- (1) Jane Ellen Bowles, b. Nov. 6, 1956, Little Rock.
- (2) Julie Ann Bowles, b. Nov. 6, 1958, Little Rock.
- c. Patricia Ann Bowles, b. July 31, 1927, Little Rock, m. 1st, May 29, 1946 to Marion Carlos Sharp, Jr., son of M. C. Sharp, Sr. and Claire Smith.
- (1) Cathy Ann Sharp, b. Jan. 25, 1947, Little Rock.
- (2) Ronald Marion Sharp, b. Sept. 24, 1948, Little Rock.
- (3) Nancy Carol Sharp, b. Oct. 24, 1949, Little Rock.
- (4) Richard Thomas Sharp, b. Oct. 12, 1953, Little Rock.
- Patricia divorced Marion Sharp, Jr., Feb. 11, 1957, Houston, Texas and m. 2nd, Apr. 4, 1959, Glen Nelson Martin, b. Dec. 30, 1930, Matador, Texas, son of Baker Vincent Martin and Arda Mal Howard. He adopted the four Sharp children and changed their name to Martin. Patricia and Glen were divorced Jan. 19, 1965, Houston, Texas and he remarried.
- d. Nancy Virginia Lee Bowles, b. June 8, 1930, Little Rock, m. 1st Apr. 12, 1947, Fred Braden, Jr., b. Sept. 18, 1929, son of Fred Braden and Laura Elizabeth Beliew. They were divorced Sept. 29, 1955.
- (1) Michael Fredrick Braden, b. Feb. 23, 1948, Little Rock.
- Nancy m. 2nd, Oct. 14, 1956, Paul Fehien Long, b. June 29, 1928, Jacks-  
spm. Tenn., son of Michael William Long and Blanche Harrison.
- (2) William Paul Long, b. June 22, 1957, Little Rock.
- Nancy and Paul were divorced Feb. 16, 1960. She m. 3rd, Aug. 26, 1963, Thomas Elton Wooten of Hamburg, Ark.
10. Norrie Ophelia Bowles, b. Feb. 22, 1904, Monticello, Ark.; m. 1923 to William McKinley Craven. Divorced.
- a. Billie Craven, b. Jan. 10, 1924, Little Rock; m. 1944 to June Fisher of Los Angeles, Calif. All children were born in Los Angeles.
- (1) William McKinley Craven III, b. March 8, 1945.
- (2) Vickie Jeanne Craven, b. Aug. 3, 1946.

- VIII. B. 10. a. (3) Donna Joe Craven, b. Nov. , 1947.  
 (4) Barney Darrell Craven, b. July 11, 1950.  
 (5) Dirk Eris Craven, b. Sept. 10, 1952.
11. John Preston Bowles, b. June 14, 1905, Monticello, Ark., m. June 18, 1936, in San Francisco to Bette Matthews, daughter of Arthur James Mathews and first wife, Ada Florence Cole of Sydney, Australia.  
 a. David Whitfield Morgan Bowles, b. Jan. 19, 1940 in Sydney; Australia. Married and has a son.  
 b. Anna Florence Bowles, b. June 24, 1947, Sydney.  
 c. Sarah Jane Evelyn Bowles, b. Aug. 25, 1951, Sydney.
12. Euzel (male) Bowles, b. Apr. 25, 1907, Monticello, Ark.; died age 10 months.
13. Jeanne Bowles, b. Apr. 20, 1909, Hermitage, Ark. (Bradley Co.), m. Glyde Alfred "Sam" Grace at Tucson, Arizona, May 15, 1942. He was born Feb. 9, 1908, Mount Pleasant, Iowa, son of George Delbert Grace and Mary Elizabeth Gheen.
14. Infant boy, died at birth at Hermitage, 1911.
15. Anna Elizabeth "Annabeth" Bowles, b. Oct. 20, 1913, Hermitage, Ark., m. May 27, 1933 to Robert John McHugh at Los Angeles, Calif.  
 (1) John Cary McHugh, b. July 17, 1934, Little Rock, Ark., m. Jan., 1967 to Lynn McGrath (b. Aug. , 1945).  
 (2) Sharon McHugh, b. Oct. 3, 1939, Los Angeles, Calif., m. May 6, 1967 to Terry Lange.

Walter Ivanhoe Bowles was a merchant for years, a Mason, a small man with thick wavy hair. He died Oct. 29, 1937 in Little Rock and was buried in Oakland Cemetery in Monticello. His widow, Anna Morgan Bowles, moved to Los Angeles Jan. 8, 1940 with her daughters Hallie and Jeanne and grandson, Billie Craven, whom she had reared. Other daughters already lived there. She died in Los Angeles, Oct. 1, 1955, and was buried in San Diego.

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#### TYRO CEMETERY

Tyro, Smith Township, Lincoln County, Arkansas, is 80 miles southeast of Little Rock, 16 miles north of Monticello and 12 miles southeast of Star City. In 1898 it had a population of 175. Today there is only the Cemetery with a very well built Church beside that was originally built two stories tall. The upper floor was used by the Masons and the lower floor as a Church. It is now only one story tall and is called the Union Church as it is used by more than one denomination. The Cemetery is the size of a city block and has huge oak trees. It is enclosed by a stout wire fence.

William Jackson BOWLES, b. Nov. 13, 1819; d. Oct. 15, 1887.

Ann Maria Rodgers BOWLES, wife of W. J. BOWLES, b. Aug. 26, 1814; d. Mar. 10, 1882.

Jane C. BOWLES, daughter of W. J. and A. M. BOWLES, b. Mar. 12, 1855, Goochland Co. Virginia; d. Dec. 23, 1871, Lincoln Co., Ark.

William Andrew BOWLES, b. Jan. 11, 1843; d. June 14, 1883 (son of Wm J. and Ann Bowles)

Sarah A. Thompson BOWLES, b. Dec. 28, 1854; d. Oct. 27, 1886 (wife of Wm. A. Bowles).

William Oscar BOWLES, b. June 12, 1875; d. Aug. 11, 1881 (son of W.A. & Sarah Bowles).

W. E. BOWLES (Edgar), b. July 1, 1877; d. Oct. 5, 1899 (son of W.A. & Sarah Bowles).

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- John Jackson BOWLES, b. March 26, 1841; d. Oct. 5, 1899.  
 Ella Nuckols BOWLES, b. Nov. 7, 1842; d. Dec. 7, 1924 (wife of John J. BOWLES).  
 Frank Leslie BOWLES, b. Feb. 2, 1868, d. Feb. 26, 1892 (son of J.J. and E. A. Bowles).  
 Andrew Jackson BOWLES, b. June 26, 1875; d. Apr. 4, 1937 (son of J.J. and E.A. Bowles).  
 John Ivanhoe BOWLES, b. Dec. 7, 1877; d. Jan. 13, 1952 (son of J.J. and E. A. Bowles).  
 Octavius E. BOWLES, b. Feb. 25, 1880; d. Apr. 14, 1883 (son of J.J. and E. A. Bowles).  
 William F. PURYEAR, b. Jan. 31, 1862, Va.; d. Dec. 1, 1898 (son of E. A. Bowles by 1st husband).  
 Cassie H. PURYEAR, b. Jan. 8, 1877; d. Dec. 1, 1898 (wife of Wm. Franklin Puryear).  
 Emma Bowles COLLINS, b. Apr. 15, 1866; d. Dec. 25, 1949; (dau. of J.J. and E.A. Bowles).  
 Thomas A. COLLINS, b. Oct. 6, 1862; d. Dec. 12, 1930.  
 Mathew COLLINS, b. Apr. 24, 1841; d. Mar. 23, 1885 (1st husband of Patsy A. Bowles).  
 Patsy A. BOWLES, wife of Jordan IRWIN, b. Aug. 29, 1845, Va.; d. Sept. 3, 1894.  
 Robert "Jordan" IRWIN, b. May 16, 1845, d. Jan. 2, 1905.  
 Willie Benjamin COLLINS, b. Feb. 1, 1871; d. Apr. 1, 1950 (son of Mathew & Patsy Collins).  
 Opal COLLINS, b. Nov. 6, 1892; d. Apr. 4, 1909 (son of T.A. and Emma B. Collins).
- William H. LAY, Sr., b. Mar. 11, 1843; d. Feb. 2, 1882 (son of Wm. & Nancy Elizabeth Lay).  
 Dancy Lay, He was called Henry as he was son of William H. Lay).  
 Francis A. Wilkerson LAY, b. Dec. 1, 1847, Va.; d. Oct. 26, 1926 (wife of William H. Lay, Sr.)  
 Charles M. LAY, b. Apr. 30, 1873; d. Dec. 19, 1900 (son of Henry & Francis Lay)  
 William Henry Lay III, 1868-1943 (son of Henry & Francis Lay)  
 Mrs. William H. LAY (Adney Wells), b. Feb. 11, 1871; d. July 16, 1931.  
 Chris C. LAY, 1861-1890, (son of Harrison H. Lay)  
 Nancy Lay KING (dau. of William H. Lay & Francis Wilkerson; m. 1st Chris C. Lay;  
 m. 2nd Tom King).  
 J. W. HAGINS, b. Dec. 14, 1857; d. Mar. 21, 1901 (son of John Hagins and Elizabeth LAY)
- Charles Bond MORGAN, 1852 - 1904.  
 Carrie Henry MORGAN, 1859 - 1937 (wife of Charles Morgan, daughter of Wm. H. Paschall).  
 John Thomas MORGAN, b. June 18, 1880; d. Apr. 17, 1953.  
 Lizzie Lay MORGAN, b. Sept. 11, 1881; d. Feb. 21, 1939; (wife of John T. Morgan, daughter  
 of W. H. Lay, Sr.).  
 Frances Lay MORGAN, b. Nov. 5, 1889; d. July 8, 1963 (2nd wife of John T. Morgan, daughter  
 of Chris Lay).  
 Mary A. MORGAN, b. Mar. 3, 1900; d. Oct. 7, 1902 (daughter of John & Lizzie Morgan).  
 Infant daughter MORGAN, b. Sept. 14, 1906; d. Sept. 20, 1906 (daughter of John & Lizzie M.)  
 Horace MORGAN, b. Nov. 30, 1912; d. Feb. 18, 1913.  
 Gladys Morgan BROTHERTON, b. Mar. 28, 1914; d. Jan. 1, 1935 (daughter of John & Lizzie M.)  
 Whitfield MORGAN, b. May 25, 1825; d. Nov. 29, 1879.  
 Joseph T. MORGAN, b. Apr. 23, 1867; d. Oct. 31, 1885 (son of Whit & H. O. Morgan).  
 Arthur B. MORGAN, b. Feb. 26, 1893; d. Oct. 12, 1921.  
 Arthur F. MORGAN, b. May 28, 1914; d. Jan. 11, 1916.  
 John Joe MORGAN, 1925 -  
 Vernie Bee MORGAN, 1932 - 1955 (wife of John Joe Morgan).  
 Ray Thomas MORGAN, born & died Dec. 15, 1946 (son of Arthur Leon Morgan).  
 Charles A. BUTLER, 1887 - 1963 (husband of Minnie Morgan).  
 Ruth BUTLER, b. Aug. 12, 1920; d. Dec. 4, 1931, (daughter of Charles and Minnie M. Butler).

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Mark A. JONES, husband of Annie Morgan, b. Oct. 5, 1893; d. Sept. 13, 1932.  
 Carrie JONES, b. Nov. 7, 1914; d. Mar. 17, 1915 (daughter of Mark A. and Annie M. Jones)  
 M. A. JONES, b. Nov. 28, 1919; d. Dec. 11, 1919 (child of Mark A. and Annie M. Jones).  
 Alfred JONES, b. Oct. 27, 1929; d. June 3, 1930 (son of Mark A. and Annie M. Jones).

Alonzo Broaddus NUCKOLS, b. Aug. 1, 1848; d. Jan. 27, 1917.

Maria Cordelia BOWLES, wife of Alonzo B. NUCKOLS, b. Aug. 1, 1848, Va.; d. Apr. 22, 1883.

Edward Jackson NUCKOLS, b. Apr. 13, 1863, Va.; d. Apr. 16, 1936 (brother of Alonzo B.)

Emma G. Hall NUCKOLS, b. Nov. 25, 1878; d. Feb. 3, 1930 (wife of E. J. NUCKOLS).

Agnes Ophelia NUCKOLS, b. Mar. 24, 1868, d. June 13, 1949 (2nd wife of A. B. Nuckols;  
 daughter of Joseph Henry Hall and Elizabeth Lay Hagins.

Henry J. NUCKOLS, b. Mar. 20, 1889; d. July 14, 1899 (son of A. B. & Agnes Nuckols).

Lavinia NUCKOLS, b. Jan. 18, 1888; d. Sept. 9, 1891 (daughter of A. B. & Agnes Nuckols).

Lillie May NUCKOLS, b. May 6, 1891; d. Oct. 26, 1902 (daughter of A. B. & Agnes Nuckols).

Orie Lee NUCKOLS, b. Oct. 20, 1892; d. June 21, 1899 (son of A. B. & Agnes Nuckols.)

Rosa Lee NUCKOLS, 1901 - 1903.

Martha Cordelia COLLINS, b. May 23, 1875; d. Feb. 13, 1965 (daughter of A. B. NUCKOLS).

Zachariah COLLINS, b. Aug. 13, 1865; d. Dec. 28, 1940.

Winfield S. PASCHALL, b. Apr. 13, 1849; d. Oct. 27, 1893.

Mattie A. BROWN, wife of Winfield PASCHALL, b. May 20, 1854; d. Oct. 15, 1942.

Fred V. PASCHALL, b. Aug. 2, 1878; d. Feb. 9, 1904.

B. A. PASCHALL, b. Jan. 8, 1892; d. Jan. 4, 1912.

Lum G. PASCHALL, b. Mar. 10, 1892; d. Nov. 24, 1939.

Lincoln H. PASCHALL, b. Apr. 9, 1916; d. Dec. 22, 1958.

Guy PASCHALL, 1923 - 1924; son of Mr. & Mrs. C. T. PASCHALL.

Grady PASCHALL, b. Dec. 12, 1925; d. Feb. 8, 1926; son of Mr. & Mrs. C. T. PASCHALL

Berttie PASCHALL, d. Aug. 24, 1902, daughter of Fal PASCHALL.

Roscoe WELLS, 1876 - 1955 (husband of Della Morgan).

Infant Daughter WELLS, born & died Feb. 28, 1905 (daughter of Roscoe & Della M. Wells).

Infant Son WELLS, born & died Nov. 10, 1908 (son of Roscoe & Della M. Wells).

Dewey WELLS, b. Nov. 2, 1912; d. Oct. 20, 1915. (son of Roscoe & Della M. Wells).

Roscoe Lee WELLS, b. Sept. 13, 1916; d. Mar. 11, 1917 (son of Roscoe & Della M. Wells).

John W. ANDERSON 1867 - 1946.

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MID DECADE CENSUS

The U. S. House of Representatives has passed a bill to provide for a mid-decade census every 10 years, starting in 1975. This means that beginning in 1970 there will be a national census every five years instead of every ten years. A 255-127 vote sent the bill to the Senate.

## JEFFERSON CEMETERY, MARION COUNTY, ARKANSAS

by

Mrs. L. D. Burnes

This old cemetery is located just in the edge of Yellville, Ark. The late Dr. L. M. Weast told me Col. Jefferson came here very early, while the town was still inhabited by Shawnee Indians, took up several hundred acres of land along Crooked Creek, and began this cemetery on his farm for his family and slaves. There are many graves not marked. Most of the graves are covered with big flat stones with the inscription chiseled on them. It is in a lovely setting, having big shade trees and ivy covered graves.

Lewest DILBUGH, b. April 4, 1845; d. June 18, 1857.

Rufus A. JEFFERSON, 1825 - 1856. "In Memory of Rufus A. Jefferson, son of Thomas and Charlotte C. Jefferson, was born in Iredell County, N. C., died in Yellville, Ark."

Rachel C. MARTIN, 1831-1857. "In Memory of Rachel C. Martin, daughter of Cole and Nancy M. Patten, wife of John M. Martin, she was born in Rutherford Co., N. C., 21 January 1831, died in Yellville, Ark. 12 November 1857." (In 1850 census I find Rachel and her twin sister, Charity, living in Thomas Jefferson's household.)

Elizabeth MILUM, wife of Brice Milum, born in S. C., 15 February 1824, Married 9th November, 1840, Died 5 April, 1862.

Thomas D. MILUM, son of Brice and Elizabeth, b. 15 Jan. 1842; d. 20 May, 1863.

(A tall grey spire marks these two graves, a bought stone. An old issue of the 'Mountain Echo', the weekly county paper, had an article telling of Thomas D. being wounded during the Civil War and was placed in a hospital in Little Rock. He was so homesick his father went after him in a buggy and brought him home, and buried him in Jefferson Cemetery by his mother.)

Elizabeth WIMBERLY, who departed this life --- 25, 1857.

## VANZANT CEMETERY, MARION COUNTY, ARKANSAS

Long abandoned, located in Sec. 28, Twp. 18 N., Range 16 W, this old cemetery has not been in use for many, many years. It is about six miles south of Yellville off of State 14. Located on a hill top in a beautiful grove of trees. Old timers tell me that Samuel Vanzant owned the farm and ran a grist mill and gin from a large spring there. This spring now furnishes Yellville's water supply.

Andrew M. CALLAHAN, 1794 - 1879.

Mary E. CALLAHAN, wife of Andrew, 1840 - 1887.

Lelley Lee, son of Andrew and Mary E., 1874 - 1887.

John W. CLARK, 1814 - 1863.

J. H. REED, died Mar. 12, 1865, aged 42 years, 3 months and 24 days. (Was killed by bushwhackers and brought here by women by ox wagon and buried.)

Elizabeth REED, wife of J. H., d. Apr. 17, 1882, aged 55 years, 2 months and 26 days.

George L. REED, 1860 - 1898.

Samuel L. VANZANT, 1831 - 1899.

Umphany VANZANT, 1831 - 1890.

Copied by:

Mrs. L. D. Burnes  
Yellville, Ark.

## NIVEN CEMETERY, CLEVELAND COUNTY, ARKANSAS

by

Mrs. Robert G. Reaves

The pines and oaks are slowly closing in around the cemetery where lie buried ancestors who wrested homesteads from these forests and cleared giant pines and oaks for the first schoolhouse in the area. So secluded is it now, that the other day I missed the turn into the land from the mail route road, and I had been there just the day before. Some thirty years ago a wide lane gave ample view of the old house beyond. Now the house is gone with not much remaining: a small outhouse, the ruins of the chimney, concrete steps, a litter of hand-hewn shingles and once great beams and two huge magnolias.

In dry weather you can drive down the lane to the houseplace. You can turn off to the right on a road-of-a-sort and drive all the way if you don't mind plowing through the blackberry briars. Keep to the right all the way. I always walk, and always think I may be lost until I walk up on it, one of the loveliest spots you can imagine.

John and Elizabeth Timmons Niven chose this spot back of their house as a resting place for their loved ones. It was the custom of their day. They shared their burial ground with close relatives such as Mrs. Niven's sister and her husband, Martha Permelia and Philip George Henry, my great grandparents.

P. G. Henry had surveyed just about every town on the Cotton Belt between Pine Bluff and Camden. He served as captain in the Civil War, but was put out of commission early in the war with an eye injury at Shiloh. He came home and served as Jefferson County Treasurer from 1862 to 1864.

Capt. Henry helped clear the land for the school along with John Niven, James Hudson, Locust Cottage postmaster (the school was named for him) and Andrew Burton Cason, also from Anson County, N. C., who had married Harriet, another of the Timmons girls.

There were ten Timmons girls and three boys. They were from Timmondsville, S. C. This and more information about them has been collected by Mrs. J. H. Cason, Jr. of Pine Bluff, Ark., who has just written up her work on the Cason family.

Niven Cemetery is in SE 1/4, NE 1/4, Sec. 21, Twp. 8S, Range 11W. To get there from Pine Bluff, go south on Highway 79 some fifteen miles until you come to a new roadside park. Here you turn right onto Highway 212 West. Follow this road 1.5 miles; at this point turn left onto the mail route road. Two and 4/10 miles more will put you right at that dim lane. Turn to the right here. Your best bet is to hunt up a local guide: my father, George Holmes or one of his sisters: Mrs. C. C. Pittman, Mrs. J. D. Hawley or Mrs. H. O. Tomlinson. They are the children of Capt. P. G. Henry's daughter, Frances, who married Gray Holmes.

The Niven Cemetery, as so many in our state, is deteriorating rapidly. Some stones are now unreadable and many are broken. It reminds me of something Janice Clark said so eloquently in a recent 'Gazette' article:

"They are going the way of the Indian mounds--the cemeteries of our ancestors--lost in groves of dogwood and young pines, their crumbling tombstones buried in the forest loam."

My mother and my two daughters, Fran and Cindy Featherston, helped me lug table, typewriter and chair from the houseplace to the cemetery. They helped chalk the tombstones and gather the information. I have been back three times and have rechecked them every one. When you come to "Ada Watts, born Sept. 31, 1874", be assured that is the way it is on the tombstone. All information enclosed in parentheses came from other sources.

BASS, Bertha May, dau. of T. C. & Anne Bass; b. Mar. 8, 1897; d. July 17, 1899.

BREATHWAIT, Cora E., wife of John Breathwait; b. Oct. 2, 1862; d. July 25, 1890.

BROWN, Morgan L. (from Alabama) b. Mar. 4, 1826; d. Jan. 13, 1877.

BROWN, Robert L., son of M. L. & L. A. Brown, b. Sept. 10, 1865; d. Feb. 8, 1891.

## NIVEN CEMETERY, CLEVELAND COUNTY, ARKANSAS

- CRUMP, Sarah P., daughter of P. G. & M. P. Henry, b. Feb. 13, 1847; d. Oct. 30, 1870.
- HENRY, Flora Bell, daughter of P. G. & M. P. Henry, b. July 24, 1869.
- HENRY, Martha Ann, daughter of P. G. & M. P. Henry, b. Apr. 21, 1858; d. Aug.
- HENRY, Martha Permelia (Timmons), wife of P. G. Henry, b. Chesterfield Co., S. C., July 29, 1826; d. May 20, 1899.
- HENRY, Noah, son of P. Henry; b. Feb. 8, 1887; d. July 2, 1899.
- HENRY, Philip G(eorge), b. Anson County, N. C., Aug. 29, 1821; d. May 14, 1901.
- HUNTLEY, infant son of W. J. & R. L. Huntley; d. Mar. 3, 1886.
- KENDALL, Irene Lavissa, daughter of B. F. & M. J. Kendall; b. May 14, 1894; d. July 21, 1899.
- McLENDON, Martha F., wife of Edgar McLendon and daughter of John and Elizabeth Niven; b. Oct. 1, 1850; d. Nov. 20, 1873.
- NIVEN, Ann, wife of John Niven; d. Aug. 2, 1890; aged 62 years.
- NIVEN, Anna Melissa, daughter of Arch'd & Martha (Redfern) Niven; b. Feb. 10, 1873; d. June 19, 1876.
- NIVEN, Archibald, son of J. & E. Niven; b. May 4, 1857; d. May 21, 1858.
- NIVEN, Bessie, dau. of Dr. C. D. & E. W. Niven; b. Dec. 9, 1883; d. Dec. 23, 1883.
- NIVEN, Dr. C. D., b. Jan. 9, 1855; d. Mar. 25, 1898.
- NIVEN, Elizabeth, wife of John Niven; b. July 5, 1828; d. Sept. 20, 1869.
- NIVEN, Elizabeth W., wife of Dr. C. D. Niven; b. Feb. 1, 1857; d. Oct. 26, 1910.
- NIVEN, Isaac, son of J & E Niven; b. Aug. 31, 1867.
- NIVEN, Isaac, son of J & E Niven; b. May 31, 1867; d. Oct. 17, 1867.
- NIVEN, John, b. Anson Co., N. C., Mar. 20, 1821; d. May 14, 1887.
- NIVEN, John T., b. Dec. 6, 1859; d. Nov. 15, 1909.
- NIVEN, Pearl, daughter of Dr. C. D. & E. W. Niven.
- NIVEN, Robert B., son of Dr. C. D. & E. W. Niven; b. Oct. 15, 1882; d. Sept. 27, 1883.
- NIVEN, Sarah Isabella, daughter of J & E Niven; b. Sept. 15, 1848; d. May 28, 1858.
- ROBINSON, Flora E., wife of William H. Robinson, daughter of Archibald and Martha Niven; b. Anson Co., N. C., July 28, 1855; d. Jan. 8, 1877.
- ROBINSON, W. H., b. May 26, 1846; d. March 3, 1883.
- SINCLAIR, Calvin R., b. Anson Co., N. C., July 29, 1815; d. May 28, 1875.
- SINCLAIR, Flora A., dau. of John & Elizabeth Niven, wife of Joseph Sinclair, b. Oct. 18, 1850; d. Aug. 30, 1871.
- SINCLAIR, H(ugh) C., b. July 13, 1846; d. Aug. 9, 1924.
- SINCLAIR, H. F., wife of H(ugh) C., daughter of H & L Brown, b. Feb. 22, 1850; d. Jan. 25, 1898.
- SINCLAIR, John A., son of C. R. & S. Sinclair; b. Apr. 9, 1850, d. Feb. 9, 1876.
- SINCLAIR, Joseph P., son of J. M. & S. L(avicie) Sinclair; b. Nov. 25, 1891; d. Aug. 16, 1892.
- SINCLAIR, Newel Carl, son of J. M. & S. L(avicie) Sinclair; b. Apr. 18, 1877; d. July 30, 1901.
- WATTS, Ada, dau. of W. H. & L. L. Watts; b. Sept. 31, 1874; d. Oct. 22, 1895.
- WATTS, Nora E., dau. of W. H. & S. L. Watts; b. Aug. 31, 1879; d. July 31, 1885.
- WATTS, Sarah Lavisa (wife of William Henry Watts) b. Mar. 12, 1844; d. July 13, 1901.
- WATTS, Wm. Henry, b. Jan. 3, 1841; d. Jan. 20, 1903.
- WILSON, Baby J. Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. J(ohn) A(dam) Wilson; b. May 20, 1881; d. Jan. 8, 1882.
- WILSON, L. Eugenia, dau. of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilson; b. Nov. 18, 1879; d. July 10, 1881.

## BIBLE RECORDS

by

Jennie Belle (Jane) Lyle

MATHIS

Mathis Bible Records in possession of Miss Bessie Wilkes, Star City, Lincoln County, Arkansas, copied August, 1949, by Jennie Belle Lyle.

William Mathis, son of Luke Mathis and Ann his wife was born December 20, 1782.

Enoch Mathis, son of Enoch Mathis, was born May 10, 1784.

Fanny Mathis was born August 18, 1787.

Polly Mathis was born October 5, 1790.

John Mathis was born January 5, 1794.

Patsy Mathis was born October 14, 1797.

Enoch Mathis Family:

Ellander wife born January 7, 1791.

Little Beary Mathis son of Ellander and Enoch born March 18, 1809.

Jinnet Mathis daughter of Ellander and Enoch born October 14, 1810.

Elizabeth Mathis born May 19, 1817.

Arena Barnet Matthews born October 11, 1819.

Joseph Bearten (Burton) Matthews born April 9, 1822.

Patsy Ann Edith Minerva Carolina Matthews born July 3, 1824.

Frances Lavinia Matthews born January 26, 1827.

Lucinda Emaline Matthews born January 1, 1829.

James Madison Matthews born January 24, 1831.

Enoch Matthews and Ellander his wife were married in the Year of our Lord May 5, 1808.

The death of Enoch Matthews was the Eleventh day of May 1832 ten minutes after five o'clock in the evening.

Slaves - "The Ages of the Black"

Clarissa was born September 29, 1824.

Harriet was born July 14, 1826.

JONES CEMETERY, Lincoln Co., Ark., west of Star City.

Joseph Burton Matthews; 4-9-1822; 2-19-1890; (Primitive Baptist Preacher).

Mary Frances Cook; wife of Joseph Burton Matthews; 7-14-1837; 4-24-1924.

GOUDELICK

Goudelock Bible in possession of Miss Irma Boyd, 1400 Park Lane, Little Rock, Ark., 1968, copied by Jennie Belle Lyle in 1954.

James T. Goudelock and Agnes Jane Neely were married May 9, 1850.

Robert H. McCullough and Agnes Jane (Jennie) Goudelock were married Jan. 10, 1875.

Adam John Goudelock and Rebecca (Beckie) Hilliard were married Nov. 19, 1876.

James T. Goudelock was born October 2, 1821; died Monday February 3, 1873.

Agnes Jane (Neely) Goudelock was born Decr. 31, 1827; died Monday, Nov. 4, 1904.

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GOUDELLOCK

Mary (Maynie) Silena Goudelock was born Feb. 13, 1851; died Friday Oct. 10, 1890.  
Adam John Goudelock oldest son was born April 21, 1852.

Rachel Elizabeth Goudelock 2nd daughter was born January 7, 1854; died Wednesday  
Feb. 12, 1908 4:10 a. m.

Agnes Jane Goudelock third daughter was born Jan. 20, 1856; married Robert H. McCul-  
lough. They lived at Monticello, Drew Co., Ark.

James Terrel Goudelock, Jr., was born Jan. 18, 1858; died July 12, 1906. Unmarried.

Thomas Harvey Goudelock was born Sept. 22, 1859; died March 24, 1895. Unmarried.

Margaret Catherine Goudelock fourth daughter was born Dec. 8, 1861; died Sept. 13,  
1903. Married Jim Giles.

Caroline Virginia Goudelock, fifth daughter was born Feb. 18, 1864; died Jan. 29, 1898.  
Never married.

William Samuel Dunlap Goudelock was born March 5, 1867. Never married.

Martha Pamela Idolette Goudelock sixth daughter was born Oct. 4, 1869; died March 8,  
1901; married William Lindsay Watson.

Rachel Elizabeth (Goudelock) Boyd died Wednesday, Feb. 12, 1908, 4:10 a. m.

Dr. J. T. Goudelock was the son of Adam S. Goudelock, born Sept. 12, 1796, died  
Oct. 26, 1886 and Miss Polly L. Littlejohn, who were married January 4, 1821. Adam  
S. Goudelock joined El Bethel Baptist church, York County, S. C. in October 1933 and  
served as Clerk 33 years. He was ordained a deacon in October 1834 and continued to  
hold that office until his death, fifty-two years.

MT. ZION CEMETERY (PRESBYTERIAN), Lincoln County, Ark.

Isabella F. Boyd; aged 83 years; died July 10, 1886. She was Isabella Farris Crawford,  
widow of Samuel Boyd, Chester Co., S. C.

M. S. G. (Marker for Mary Silena Goudelock. Never married).

T. H. G. 9-22-1859; 3-24-1895. (Marker for Thomas Harvey Goudelock).

Dr. J. T. Goudelock; 10-2-1821; 2-3-1873. (Masonic emblem).

J. T. G.; 1-18-1858; 7-12-1906. (Marker for James Terrel Goudelock, Jr.).

L. V. Boyd; 9-3-1848; 2-12-1915. Papa. (This was Lorenzo Verenus Boyd).

Elizabeth; wife of L. V. Boyd; 1-7-1854; 2-12-1908. Mama. (Rachel Elizabeth Goudelock).

M. P. Watson; 10-4-1869; 3-8-1901. (Martha Pamela Idolette Goudelock who married  
William Lindsay Watson.)

THOMAS

Thomas Bible Records in possession of Mrs. Garland Craig (Jennie Thomas) Ross,  
Star City, Lincoln County, Ark., copied by Jennie Belle Lyle, 1954.

Joel Thomas was born the 4th of March 1804.

Foeba Hagler wife of Joel Thomas was born in the Year of our Lord 1801.

Jemima Thomas was born the 3d day of December 1824.

Henry Wilson Thomas was born the 18th day of October 1827.

Miriam Thomas was born the 12th day of May 1830.

Thomas Allen Thomas was born the 12th day of March 1833.

Emanuel James Thomas was born the 12th day of November 1835.

William Alexander Thomas was born the 10th day of August 1838.

George Washington Thomas was born 26th day of February 1840.

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THOMAS

Elizabeth Adaline Thomas was born the 1st day of November 1843.

Mary Catherine Thomas was born the 1st day of Jan. 1847 and departed this life 1850.

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Sarah Jane Thomas daughter of William and Martha Thomas was born the 13th day of December 1824.

Mary Ann Elizabeth Thomas was born the 10th day of February 1827.

Ira Martha Thomas was born the 17th day of January 1829.

John William Jefferson Thomas was born the 5th day of June 1831.

MT. ZION CEMETERY (Presbyterian), Lincoln County, Arkansas.

Joel Thomas; 3-4-1804; 2-9-1886 (Father of George Washington Thomas).

Nancy Thomas; born A.D. 1807; died 2-1-1893. Erected by her son T. T. Burr.  
(Second wife of Joel Thomas).

Joel Lee Thomas; 1878 - 1935.

G. W. Thomas; 2-26-1840; 5-26-1928.

Paulina, wife of G. W. Thomas; 3-2-1852; 9-20-1934. (Mary Paulina Lyle).

Henry W. Thomas; 10-18-1827; 1-27-1894.

George William Thomas; 1895-1954; Evie R. (Ross) Thomas, his wife; 1895-1961.

Also marker reading: George William Thomas, Arkansas F3 US Navy, World War I.  
5-20-1895; 11-17-1954.

T. T. (Thomas Thurman) Ross; 11-21-1876; 12-13-1949.

Edna Thomas, wife of T. T. Ross; 2-7-1877; 12-28-1942 (daughter of G. W. Thomas).

Erskin, son of T. T. & E. G. Ross; 10-17-1905; 1-13-1906.

Ada (Calhoun) Thomas; 6-27-1870; 11-19-1934.

Pauline (Calhoun); wife of R. L. Thomas; 9-9-1882; 2-11-1921.

Pearl Adelia Thomas; 9-23-1875; 1-31-1956 (daughter of George W. Thomas).

Rex Boyd Thomas; 5-18-1907; 1-5-1927 (son of Lee & Virgie Mays Thomas).

LYLE

Lyle Bible Record in possession of Miss Pearl Thomas, September 1952, Star City,  
Lincoln County, Ark., copied by Jennie Belle Lyle.

Thomas Lyle and Sarah Martin Knox was married Dec. 17th, 1840.

Thomas Lyle and Jane M. Duncan was married January 22, 1863.

Thomas Lyle was born January 11th, 1817, Antrim Co, Ireland.

Sarah Martin Lyle was born Dec. 30th, 1819, Chester Co., S. C.

Jane M. Lyle was born Nov. 16th, 1820, Chester Co., S. C.

John K. Lyle was born Nov. 16th 1841.

David Franklin Lyle was born July 4, 1843.

The infant was born Feb. 10, 1845 and departed this life Feb. 12, following.

William Henry Lyle was born June 9, 1846.

Martha Jane Lyle was born June 5, 1849.

Elizabeth Caroline Lyle was born Oct. 12, 1850.

Mary Pauline Lyle was born March 2, 1852.

James Martin Lyle was born Oct. 24, 1855.

Thomas Brown Lyle was born January 16, 1859.

Jane Isabella Lyle was born April 23, 1864.

Tallulah I. A. Lyle was born Sept. 26, 1865.

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LYLEMT. ZION CEMETERY (Presbyterian), Lincoln County, Arkansas

Thomas Lyle; died 1-25-1892; aged 75 years 14 days. Ruling Elder from 1849 to 1892.

Sarah M., wife of Thomas Lyle; died 3-2-1862; aged 43 yrs, 2 mos, 2 days.

Jane M., wife of Thos. Lyle; died

Martha J., dau. of Thos. & Sarah M. Lyle; 6-5-1849; 10-30-1862.

David F., son of Thos. and Sarah M. Lyle; 7-4-1843; 3-2-1862.

W. H. Lyle; 6-9-1846; 6-15-1922.

William D. Lyle, son of W. H. & Hettie C. Lyle; 9-18-1877; 12-28-1901.

Hettie Cornelia Nichols, wife of W. H. Lyle; 1-28-1858; 10-3-1888.

F. C. Lyle, 3-28-1876; 9-6-1900 (son of W. H. Lyle).

Mildred I. Kersh, wife of F. C. Lyle; 11-15-1879; 3-25-1901.

Leona Lyle Marks; 1875-1951 (dau. W. H. Lyle).

Hettie Lee Marks; 1901-1911 (dau. Leona Lyle Marks)

James S. Duncan; 10-15-1859; 5-30-1923 (Stepson of Thos. Lyle).

Mary B. Duncan; 9-19-1830; 10-21-1898 (Aunt of James S. Duncan).

G. A. Millen; 10-28-1838; 7-4-1883 (Nephew of Sarah M. Lyle).

Verda May Bishop; 10-4-1889; 8-15-1895 (Dau. J. A. & Lula Lyle Bishop).

Earnest B., infant son of J. A. & Lula Lyle Bishop; 3-14-1886; 11-11-1886.

Mary Euist Knox; 1885 - 1948 (Dau. Wm. Henry Lyle).

John Elvie Knox; 1878 - 1953 (Husband of Euist Lyle).

Bennegene Knox Caloway; 2-25-1917; 6-7-1936 (Dau. Euist Lyle).

PLEASANT SPRINGS CEMETERY (Missionary Baptist), Coleman Community, Drew Co.

John Kirk Lyle; 4-16-1881; 2-6-1951; Undertaker Marker (Son of Wm. Henry Lyle).

Mattie McPherson, wife of J. K. Lyle; 8-10-1882; 8-10-1911.

REYNOLDS

Data from Chapman Levy Reynolds Bible in possession of George Erastus Newman, Rt. 1, Box 134, Owen Township, Lincoln Co., Ark., 1956, copied by Jennie Belle Lyle.

Chapman Levy Reynolds, Sr. and Harriett Hairston was married December the 24th, 1832.

Children and friends look at this when I am dead and gone - my age and marriage is here on record for your future consolation and here is the date of my abstinence from the use of ardent spirits except as a medicine and prescribed by a Physician when taken or formerly prescribed for me under semilar circumstances. God Help. December 29th A.D. 1852.

(Sgd) C. L. Reynolds, Sr.

Peter Hairston was born'd July the 9th A.D. 1782 - The father of Harriett Reynolds (alias) Hairston.

Edmund Reynolds the Grand Father of C. L. Reynolds, Senr. was born'd December the 25th A.D. 1764 and died Aug. 28th 1834.

C. B. Reynolds and Sarah Vastie Reynolds was married Dec. 9, 1884.

C. B. Reynolds died March the 24th 1906.

Chapman Levey Reynolds, Senr. was born'd December 17th in the year of our Lord 1806.

(The year 1806 was lined out and 1813 written in.)

Harriett Hairston was born'd February 22nd in the year of our Lord 1815.

Starke Hunter Reynolds was born'd December the 8th A.D. 1833.

Elvira Malissa Reynolds was born'd the 24th of February A.D. 1836.

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REYNOLDS

Victoria Adaline Reynolds was born'd the 29th August A. D. 1838.

Eliza Elizabeth Reynolds was born'd Nov. 20, 1840.

Wm. Levy Reynolds was born'd in the year of our Lord Feb. 7, 1843 and died July 24, 1862.

Chapman Barnett Reynolds was born on the 21st day of May, 1845.

George Walton Reynolds was born July 13, 1848 and died Jan. 31, 1856.

Harriett Bethany Corrine Reynolds was born Aug. 17, 1857.

John Floyd Reynolds was born February the 10th A. D. 1854.

Letitia Bernice Reynolds was born the 17th day of October 1858, and departed this life Sept. 17, 1858. (the year 1858 is lined out and 1878 written in).

Chapman L. Reynolds departed this life on the 14th day of March the year of our Lord and Saviour 1870.

Harriett Reynolds died 3 June 1874.

Sarah V. Reynolds a wife of C. B. Reynolds was borned Aug. 12, 1869.

Chapman Levey Reynolds, Junior, a son of Starke H. Reynolds, Senior, was borned July 28, A. D. 1832.

Mander Minerva Reynolds, a daughter of Starke H. Reynolds, Senior, was borned August the 29th 1834.

America Reynolds, a daughter of Wm. T. Sanders and Nancy Sanders, a wife of C. B. Reynolds, was borned March the 4th, 1849.

Jacob James Sanders, a son of S. M. L. Sanders and M. B. Sanders was borned August 25th 1880.

Americus A. Reynolds departed this life June the 9th, 1883.

Zular Bethany Reynolds was borned April the 5th, 1883.

Starke Hunter Reynolds, Senr. a brother of C. L. Reynolds, Senr. was born'd April 1st A. D. 1811 and departed this life March 27, A. D. 1836.

John Levy Reynolds, a son of J. F. Reynolds, was born'd January the 27th, 1879 and departed this life August 20, 1882.

Zular Bethany Reynolds was borned April 5, 1883 and died May 5, 1883.

John Flid Reynolds departed this life on the 9th day of January A. D. 1884 at home, Lincoln County, Ark.

Katherine Reynolds (alias) Barnett was born July 4, A. D. 1788 and departed this life November the 10th A. D. 1843.

William Reynolds, the husband of Katharine Reynolds, the father of Starke H. Reynolds, Sr. C. L. Reynolds, Senr. and Madany Reynolds.

Eliza Reynolds.

Jasper M. Reynolds was borned August the 3rd A. D. 1789 and departed this life Dec. 4, 1858.

Take care of this Book children and friends when I am dead and gone.

(Sgd) C. L. Reynolds, Sr.

MA YSON

Mayson family data written in this Reynolds Bible as follows:

This is the births of A. L. and V. A. Mayson children:

Mariah Louise Mayson was born December 1, 1860.

Eliza Burkham Mayson was born March 4, 1862.

George Archy Mayson was born January 4, 1867; died November 1, 1891.

Nellie Lee Mayson was born January 7, 1869.

Sallie Holliway Mayson was born August 13, 1871, departed this life July 12, 1875.

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MAYSON

Dan Ellan Mayson was born June 4, 1874.

Bular Aalice Mayson was born September 27, 1879, died March 15, 1880.

Adda Lou McLemore daughter of W. C. and E. B. McLemore was born August 10, 1882; died October 5, 1883.

SANDERS

The following Sanders data was written on a piece of paper and pasted in the back of the Reynolds Bible:

Wm. T. Sanders and Nancy Masengill was married April 10th, 1844.

J. E. Owen and Malissa Ann Sanders was married July 8th, 1860.

Wm. T. Sanders and Lucinda Reeves was married Oct. 27, 1868.

John M. Wood and Armilda Batchelor was married March 4, 1864.

Wm. T. Sanders was born Feb. 22, 1821.

Nancy Sanders was born May 25, 1817.

Malissy Ann Owen was born July 5, 1845.

Malissa Ann Sanders was born July 5, 1845.

Marion T. Sanders was born March 27, 1847.

Amanda A. Sanders was born March 4, 1849.

Mary Jane Vining was born Feb. 14, 1856.

Martha Ann Massengill was born Feb. 29, 1858.

Amanda Massengill was born Sept. 8, 1842.

Charity E. Sanders was born Feb. 1, 1855.

Wm. A. Owen was born Jan. 1st, 1862.

Nannie J. Batchelor was born Feb. 21, 1862.

John M. Wood was born Feb. 17, 1848.

Nancy Sanders died Sept. 20th, 1867.

W. T. Sanders died April 20, 1876.

(NOTE: George E. Newman stated that Nancy Sanders, wife of William Sanders, was a daughter of John Smith and a sister to Dolly Smith who married Dr. John G. Simmons, and that his father was Charlie Newman who married Elvira Melissa Reynolds and her father was Chapman Reynolds who came to Arkansas from Alabama. Nannie Batchelor was a half sister to the Sanders girls, according to Mr. Newman, and Alfred Cogbill's uncle, Tom Cogbill, married a Sanders.)

NEWMAN

Record of Births and Deaths kept in a "Record Book" by George Erastus Newman:

Elvira Malissa Newman was born Feb. 24, 1836; died Nov. 4, 1907, age 76 yrs.

Charles Newman, Sr., was born July 4, 1843; died Jan. 8, 1903, age 60 yrs.

George Erastus Newman was born Dec. 6th, 1872.

Charles Vernah Newman, Jr., was born Nov. 9, 1874; died Nov. 1, 1917, age 42 yrs.

Joseph Floyd Newman was born Oct. 26, 1878; died Aug. 28, 1950, age 71 years, 10 months.

G. A. Newman married to Frances L. Feagin (widow) April 22, 1893.

Corbett Otto Newman was born April 22, 1897.

Bertha Corrine Newman was born Feb. 24, 1898; died March 1898, age 1 month.

Onie Malisa Newman was born Aug. 16, 1900.

Jessie Laurence Newman was born Aug. 17th, 1903.

Jessie Newman died Aug. 6, 1931, age 27 yrs, 11 months, 20 days.

G. A. Newman married to Alice Bolen Dec. 7, 1915.

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NEWMAN

Alice Cordelia Blassengame was borned May 29, 1875.

Zola Beatrice Newman was borned May 22, 1916.

Charles Sylvester Newman, Jr. was borned July 25, 1903.

Mae Newman died August 1, 1942.

Francis Louisa Blasengame was borned May 29, 1856 and died March 30, 1915, age 49 yrs, 10 months.

GRANDCHILDREN OF GEORGE E. NEWMAN:

Brenda Kay Hankins borned Nov 6, 1946.

Kenneth Eugene Hankins was borned Sept. 14, 1948.

Patricia Ann Hankins borned Oct. 3, 1942.

Charles H. Newman, 27, and Mrs. Melissa McLamore, 34, March 3, 1872, by S. G. Sanders, J. P. Lincoln Co. Marriage Records Book A, pg. 34.

(NOTE: Elvira Malissa Reynolds, according to her son George Newman, first married Dock McLemore. They had three children, Harriett McLemore married Jack Shumake; Molly died young; and Wright McLemore who married Lucy Smith and they lived on Bayou Bartholomew, four miles below Yorktown, Lincoln County, about the Pinchback place. Mr. Newman further stated Victoria Adaline Reynolds, his mother's sister, married A. L. Mayson.

(From Goodspeed History, Drew County, page 929: Monday, March 22, 1847, the first county court met at the house of A. M. Rawles. Present: the Hon W. H. Wells, presiding judge; Thomas S. Newman and C. L. Reynolds, associate justices.)

HALL

Bible of A. J. A. Hall and wife, Mary Jane Hall, owned by their daughter, Vanetta Atlee (Mrs. Newton) Robinson, Monticello, Ark., when this data was copied December, 1957, by Jennie Belle Lyle.

A. J. A. Hall born April 17, 1832.

Mary J. Hall born October 19, 1837.

Augusta Bartlett Hall born October 22, 1869.

Edwin Bosworth Hall born May 12, 1871.

Areta Bodman Hall born March 5, 1873.

Rembert Juan Hall born April 6, 1875.

Vanetta Atlee Hall born March 7, 1877.

Willie Marvin Hall born June 19, 1879.

Jennie Lois Hall born February 20, 1884.

Mary J. Hall died Jan. 11, 1911.

A. J. A. Hall died June 11, 1914.

Elizabeth Bartlett Hall died March 21, 1862.

Simeon Bartlett Hall died June 2, 1839.

Edwin Bartlett Hall died October 1, 1941.

George W. Nichols died March 28, 1859.

William Chandler died April 15, 1862.

Augusta Bartlett Hall Cavaness died December 28, 1956.

Aron Bunyan Little died February 25, 1955.

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HALL

Thomas Wirt Walker died November 9, 1951.  
 Areta Bodman Hall died March 27, 1943.  
 Rembert Juan Hall died August 11, 1950.  
 Jennie Lois Hall died November , 1915.  
 Minnie Kersh, wife of Edwin Hall, died January 8, 1954.

Copied by:  
 Jennie Belle Lyle  
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 Little Rock, Ark. 72207

Augusta B. Hall married November 26, 1885, Jim M. Cavaness.  
 Areta Bodman Hall married Rufus Collins February 5, 1893.  
 Edwin Bosworth Hall married December 19, 1894, Minnie J. Kersh.  
 Vanetta Atlee Hall married January 23, 1895, Newton J. Robertson  
 Willie Marvin Hall married November 8, 1896, Aaron Bunyan Little.  
 Jennie Hall and Felix S. Stephens married May 30, 1911.  
 Rembert Juan Hall married December 30, 1915, Emma Green.  
 Thomas Wirt Walker married August 30, 1922, Mary Lottie Robertson.  
 Luther Kendrick Pace married August 25, 1923, Hazel Elizabeth Robertson.  
 Diantha Louise Hall born November 1, 1829, married Reese Bowden.  
 Eliga Hall and Elizabeth Bartlett married October 25, 1828.  
 Montraville Taylor Hall and Susanah Gillham were married November 25, 1862.  
 Jim P. Brown and Hazel Robertson Pace married July 30, 1932.

Eliga Hall born in Massachusettes August 28, 1800.  
 Elizabeth Bartlett born April 28, 1800.  
 Monteville Taylor Hall born September 22, 1834.  
 Simeon Bartlett Hall born December 12, 1836.  
 James Whitson Hall born April 27, 1865. Eldest son of Monteville Taylor Hall.

Albinus Julius Hall of Drew County, Arkansas, and Mrs. Mary Jane (Burton) Chandler of Drew County, Arkansas, were married November 18, 1868 by J. M. Brown, Pastor of Mt. Zion Presbyterian Church. Witnesses: Thomas Giles; Miles A. Hoke.

Newton J. Robertson, son of John A. Robertson and wife, Hattie (Yarborough) Robertson, was born in Fairfield Co., So. Carolina. Dave and Arch Yarborough were brothers of Hattie Y. Robertson.

PLEASANT SPRINGS CEMETERY, Missionary Baptist, Coleman Community, Drew County.

Edwin B. Hall; 5-12-1871; 8-22-1954.  
 Minnie Kersh Hall; 5-20-1875; 1-8-1954.

MT. ZION CEMETERY (Presbyterian) Lincoln County, Ark.

Mary Agnes, wife of Archie Yarbrough, 9-1-1855; 3-2-1888.  
 Infant dau. of J. W. (Whit) and Nora (Rogers) Hall; 7-11-1891; 7-12-1891.  
 Our Baby, son of J. W. and N. O. Hall; born and died 9-17-1898.  
 Susan Josephine Hall; 4-21-1845; 7-2-1934 (She was a sister to Dave Gillham).  
 Montraville Taylor Hall; 9-22-1834; 1-27-1913.  
 Infant dau. of M. T. & S. J. Hall; born and died 8-24-1868.  
 Floy Hall, dau. of W. A. & Attie (Hall) Hoke; 5-2-1891; 9-21-1900.  
 William A. Hoke; 3-21-1859; 5-12-1935.  
 Attie (Hall) Hoke, wife of Wm. A.; 7-3-1871; 5-9-1954.  
 John A. Robertson; 6-23-1836; 6-11-1916 (Newton's father).  
 Mary H., wife of J. A. Robertson; born 1843; died 7-25-1907 (Newton's mother).

## MONTICELLO'S OLD CEMETERY - DREW COUNTY, ARKANSAS

From the Advance Monticelonion, April 14, 1960. Article: "Did you Know That?", by N. D. Cotham. The article states that only six stones are left standing, others broken or prostrate. These records from the Old Cemetery in 1936.

-- Submitted by Jennie Belle (Jane) Lyle

Frances L. Allen (1841-1888) Married to J. W. Allen, Sept. 8, 1863.  
 Dr. J. W. Allen (1829-1895).  
 Samuel Allen (1800-1872).  
 Mary W.; wife of Samuel Allen (1800-1876).  
 John C. Chesnutt (1813-1871).  
 Daniel Coatney (Courtney?) (1804-1853).  
 Obedience, wife of J. J. Davis (1806-1860).  
 Sarah Davis (1763-1861) (Daughter of Wm. Nesbitt, a Revolutionary Soldier)  
 Mrs. L. B. Duval (1816-1858).  
 Ruth D., wife of Wiley D. Crook (1807 - 1875).  
 Henry, son of H. W. & M. E. Crook (1858 - 1859).  
 Wiley D. Crook (1850-1865).  
 Ruth B. Royal (1849 - )  
 Mary Wood, wife of George Cunningham (1815 - 1859).  
 Nancy M. Futral (1840 - 1860).  
 Sammie Rogers, twin son of Chesley and Eliza J. Guinn (B & D 1860).  
 Agnes Anna, dau. of B. C. and Al. L. Hayett (D 1852, aged 2 years).  
 Peter Miller (1811 - 1861).  
 Eliza Miller (1810 - 188 ).  
 Virginia P., dau. of Wm. and Eliza Buntin (1847 - 1857).  
 Martha, wife of O. B. Parker (1828 - 1857).  
 Josephine, dau. of A. P. and J. E. Wilson (1851 - 1851).  
 Collins F. Hemmingway (1814 - ). Wife Aggripina (1819 - 1857).  
 Col. I. L. Brooks and wife, Betty Lee (Stone broken).

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## QUERIES

### ANDERSON

My grandmother, Martha E. Anderson, b. 1839, Ark., 1850 census Madison Co., daughter of Isaac and Jane, both born Tenn. Would appreciate earlier data on this family.

Wayne C. Keeney  
Route 6 2917 Floyd Ave. Modesto, Calif. 95350

### BARKER - ALLEN - TAYLOR - HUCKABY

I would like to know something about John Ervin Barker's family prior to coming to Ark. He came from Ind., settled either in Yell or Logan Co., m. Missouri Allen. I would also like information on her family. My grandfather John Marshall Taylor came from Ringo, Ga. to Ark. ca 1872, m. Melissa Huckaby, who lived in Sebastian and Scott Co. Would like any information on these four families.

Stella Barker  
P. O. Box 72      Huntington, Ark.      72940

### BARNARD

Would like to contact descendants of these children of George Washington Barnard (1818-1900) and wife, Elizabeth, b. Tenn. 1815. This family arrived in Ark. ca 1844, in 1850 census of Scott Co. Also Zedie Barnard (male) b. Tenn. 1835; Jackson L. Barnard, b. Tenn. 1836; Ruhama Artimacia Barnard (female) b. Tenn. 1839; George Taylor Barnard, 1844; Anna Pernicia Barnard, 1845; and Lydia Ann Barnard, 1846. My grandfather, Isaac Barnard, was a brother to the above children. Have made contact with the other two brothers' descendants (Marcus Monroe Barnard and Benjamin Franklin Barnard) and have ample information on them. All descendants of G. W. Barnard are invited to join me in preparing a family history.

Clyde O. Barnard  
2129 Sharon Drive      Garland, Texas      75040

### BENNIGHT

My gr-grandfather, George M. Bennight, served in Civil War, 33rd Ark. Inf., Co. I. He enlisted June 24, 1862 from Caddo Gap, Montgomery Co., Ark. Had a son George William, born Aug. 20, 1866, at Sulphur Bluff, Ark. (?) Would appreciate any information on this family.

B. M. Bennight  
2005 S. Main St.      Orem, Utah      84057

### BLAND

Radford Sherman Bland, son of Daniel Bland and Sarah ---, born near Houston in Perry Co., Ark. Dec. 1832, d. there Nov. 1900. Wife's name was Margaret. Would like any information on this family.

Mrs. Joyce Bland McColl  
5608 Brattleboro      Des Moines, Iowa      50311

### BULLOCK - HALSELL

My gr-grandfather, Josiah William Bullock (1836-1863) homesteaded some land in Independence Co. in 1859. I've recently learned he turned in his home at that time as Van Buren Co. He married Elizabeth Ann Halsell, Sept. 1, 1859 in Calhoun Co., Ark. I've tried to find some of the Bullock descendants around Van Buren Co., Ark. but have been unsuccessful. Can anyone help? One John W. Bullock homesteaded nearby in 1861. He also named Van Buren Co. as his home. Was John a brother?

J. Floyd Bullock  
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## QUERIES

### BOATWRIGHT

I am interested in the Boatwrights in Ark. My ancestor was Powhatan Boatwright.

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### BOTTOMS - LANGSTON - McCLUSKEY - BOHANNAN

The Bottoms, Langston and McCluskey families all came to Ark. after the Civil War, the first two to Scott Co. and the last to Searcy Co. The Bohannans were already there, but I do not know for how long. My gr-gr-grandfather, Cornelius Bohannon, m. Mary Ann Sykes. I would like to correspond with anyone having information on these families.

Verna Bottoms

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### BRADSHAW - BARNARD

Who were parents of William Bradshaw b. Tenn. 1812/13, m. ca 1836, probably in Ark., to Margaret Elizabeth ---, b. Ala. ca 1822 (Where? who were parents?) They were living in Washburn twp. of Scott Co., 1850; Sebastian Co., 1860. William had known sister, Rebecca, b. Tenn. ca 1815, m. ca 1833 (Tenn. or Miss.) to George Awalt; probable brother, A. J., b. Tenn. ca 1810. What is connection with Barnards? Descendants of William and Rebecca were part Indian; believe mother was half-blood Choctaw or Cherokee(?) William's daughter Lucretia probably m. William Rhodes (Roads) and one daughter believed to have married Hixson. Would like to correspond with members of these families, exchange all data.

Mrs. W. J. Richberger

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### BULLOCK

In Vol. 34 of "Records of the War of the Rebellion", I find that Confederate Gen. Joseph Shelby made camp on May 3, 1864 at Bullock's Farm, which was apparently between Tulip and Princeton in Dallas Co. Does anyone know of such a place or of any Bullocks there?

Ronald Bullock

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### CARUTHERS - GILBERT

My father, David Mark Caruthers, son of Green Kalep Caruthers and Sarah Dorothy James (born White Co.) m. Fannie Chriseen Gilbert, daughter of James Elic Gilbert and Ella Jasephine Davis. Parents of James Elic Gilbert were Elic Gilbert and Sarah Blankinship. Parents of Ella Jasephine Davis were Josh Davis and Tabitha Hilbern. Will exchange information.

Mrs. Margaret Roach

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### COLLIER

There was a David Collier in the Carroll Co. Ark. census of 1850 and 1860. He was 80 years old in 1860 and because he was not in the 1870 census, I am sure he died between 1860 and 1870. I need to have proof of his death date and who his children were. I have reason to believe he had a son Anderson Collier, b. ca 1824; a son William Collier, b. ca 1836; and possibly three or more others. It is thought that five or so brothers went from Tenn. to Mo. Ark. and Texas, with at least one staying in Tenn. The records all say their father and mother were born in Va. If anyone can help us, would appreciate hearing from them.

Mrs. Lahoma Hunnicutt

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## QUERIES

### CROSBY - GRAY

Want birthplace in Ark. of Dr. George Washington Crosby, b. 1845, son of Cyrus Crosby and Sally Gray. Dr. G. W. Crosby was Sgt. in Cav. Co. C, m. ca 1865 to Ruth Ann Billingsley of IZARD Co. Cyrus Crosby was born where? Census said Pa.; death certificate said N. Y. Did Dr. G. W. Crosby have brothers and sisters? Would like any information on this family.

Mrs. Fred A. Shaw

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### DAVIS

Would like any information on Davis, Dillenger and Garrett.

Lori Davis

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### HAMMONS

In attempting to research my family, I have been unable to locate any records relating to their presence in Arkansas. These facts are known: John Y. Hammons, Oct. 1, 1852 to Nov. 3, 1877, and Malinda E. Griggs, April 15, 1852 to July 5, 1877, had one son Samuel Baxter Hammons, b. Nov. 24, 1873. They lived at Piney, between Berryville and Kingston. John Hammons had a brother, Lee, who had two sons, John and Willie (or William). S. B. Hammons is listed in 1880 census of Carroll Co. as living with his grandfather, S. B. Griggs at Eureka Springs. I am interested in tracing John Y. and Lee back to their parents and also Lee's sons forward to date.

Bob D. Hammons

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### HARRIS - BRADSHAW - SHUTTLESWORTH - MOORE - HARMAN

I am trying to locate a death record and place of burial of David H. Harris and wife Sarah. He was born S. C. 1787; she was born Va. 1800; they had two sons, John and William M., and there may have been others. They were in Champagnolle, Union Co., Ark. in 1850 census. William M. Harris m. Margaret Jane Bradshaw there May 8, 1856. She was born in Ark. or La. Mar. 9, 1841. Who were her parents? Where is she buried? Am also searching for information on T. Jackson Shuttlesworth, b. S. C. 1829 and wife Martha Moore b. 1827 in Tenn. or Ala. Also ancestors of David Albert Harman, b. 1832 La. and wife Phylissa Ann Richey, b. 1838 near Lake Charles, La.

Mrs. Roy Denton

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### HOLMES - DORTCH - GRAY

My gr-gr-grandfather, Samuel S. Holmes, m. Martha C. Dortch in 1830 in Mecklenburg Co., Va. They came to Ark. in 1847-48, settling in Dallas Co. Their son, Noah Dortch Holmes, b. 1833 in Mecklenburg Co., Va., m. Lucy Gray, dau. of Major Joseph Gray, in 1861 in Dallas Co. Major Joseph Gray was son of George Gray of Franklin Co., Tenn. The Gray family came to Ark. in the 1830's. Would like to hear from anyone with information on these families. Also working on these lines: Russell, Hudson, Pride, Taylor, Malone, Benning, Fox, Barner, Harwell, Ivey and Haskins.

Mrs. Jerry P. Glover

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## QUERIES

### HUTCHESON

Had good result with the last query, so am sending another: Have found my gr-uncle John and Cynthia (Pierson) Hutcheson descendants, but she says "our gr-grandfather, Charles Hutcheson m. Elizabeth Keith instead of Elizabeth Bird. Also Sargeant Wisdom Hutcheson m. Mary Johnson; Nichademus Hutcheson m. Elizabeth Gaustin; and Elizabeth Hutcheson m. Joseph Weis (Weese)". Would like to correspond with any descendants of these listed above.

Mrs. Gene Cowden  
Pleasant Hope, Mo. 65725

### LEE - NEAVES - GRIMIT

Would like to exchange information on these people: John and Elizabeth Gritmit, 1830-40, Hamilton Co., Tenn.; Francis Marion Lee and Elizabeth Ramsey, Washington or Benton Co., Ark. 1850; Thomas B. Neaves and Margaret Wilson, Christian Co., Ky. 1806-1833; Chapman Bodenhamer, Ark.; Painter lines from Va. or Carolinas; Gault and Goss from Tenn. and Greenwood.

Mrs. Virginia Greenwood  
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### LEACH - HINDS

Josiah Leach m. Sarah Hinds in Knox Co. Tenn. in 1801. They both may have been from Guilford Co., N. C.; Sarah's sister Rhoda m. Gist. Sarah also related to Sharps, Newports, and Grahams. Need her father's name. Was he Leir Hinds or Joseph Hinds of a N. C. family which came to Tenn. and Ky. Need data on Josiah Leach, had brother or son Jacob, who m. into Hazel family.

Edna L. Sayers  
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### McCLAIN - MOODY

Jim McClain was my gr-grandfather. Was Mary Gammill his first or second wife? His son Rufus McClain m. Olive Moody at Ozark, Ark. She was the daughter of Larkin Moody and they came to Franklin Co. from Webb City, Mo. Would like to find information on these lines. I am also working on Carlock and Westerfield.

Ophelia Carlock Westerfield  
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### NOBLE - GRAVIER

I am interested in the following Noble family listed in 1850 census, Jefferson Co., Ark.: Frances Noble, age 43; John, age 22; James, 21; Joseph, 18; Frances, 16; Celestine, 14; Catherine, 10; and Damarcus, 12. Damarcus (Mark) was the son of John Noble, born at Arkansas Post and Francis Gravier. Her mother was named Susan.

Mrs. Ben M. Jarrell  
710 Threadneedle Beaumont, Texas 77705

### ROGERS

I am looking for J. B. Rogers, who appears on 1880 census in Six Mile Run twp., Logan Co. (Caulksville) with daughters Roxanne, 25; Susan, 22; and son James W., 16. Am looking for the latter two children.

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44 Pearl St. Hudson Falls, N. Y. 12839

## QUERIES

### MILLER - PEERSON - MAYES - HAXTON

Have genealogical information to exchange on following Washington Co., Ark. pioneers: John Miller, b. Ky. 1793, m. Mary (Polly) Roberts, moved so. of Fayetteville in 1832. Had children: Sarah Ann, m. John Peerson; John T. Miller, m. 1st Francis Cone, 2nd Eliza Ann Spencer; Stephen M. m. Martha ---; N. Miller m. M. A. ---; Mary Jane Miller m. Jos. Gage; Carrol Miller; Andrew Miller m. Elizabeth Rutherford; Geo. W.; and Eliza.

Joseph D. Miller, b. Ky. 1795, m. 1st Eliza; 2nd Cyrene Pruitt(?) from Montgomery Co., Ill., moved to so. of Fayetteville in 1832. Children: Lucinda m. Samuel Mayes; Wm. M. Miller m. Martha Landers; John McDowell Miller m. Clarise Pruitt; Joseph D. Miller, Jr. m. Elizabeth Paul; Hiram Rountree Miller m. 1st Rebecca Rutherford; 2nd Mary Eliza Cox; Mary Miller m. Obed C. Cate; Phebe Jane Miller m. Orin Austin Phillips; Serena H. Miller m. Geo C. Mayes; Sarah H. Miller m. Thos. M. Fine; Julia Miller m. Nathan Thomas.

William Peerson (Pierson) born Carolinas, 1789, m. 1810 Knox Co., Ind. Martha (Patsy) Strickland, b. Ky. Moved from Fulton Co., Ill. in 1832 to Greenland, Ark. area (south of Fayetteville). Issue: Hannah Peerson m. Ethelbert Arrington; John Peerson m. Sarah Miller; Elizabeth Peerson m. Rev. Wm. A. Ingram (Baptist); Jones Peerson m. Easter Reed; Eliza Ann Peerson; William Peerson, Jr. m. Martha? Lydia?; Stephen Peerson m. Malinda Sherry; Martha Ann Peerson m. 1st Wm. Gilliland, 2nd --- Pruitt; Maryann Peerson m. Septemus Hyams; Daniel L. m. Martha Shury; Sarah or Sally Ann Peerson m. Isaac Harrison.

John Peerson, son of above William, b. Gibson Co. Ind. 1814, m. 1833 to Sarah A. Miller; to Washington Co. so. of Fayetteville in 1832 from Fulton Co. Ill. Issue: Arminda G. Peerson m. Chism Petross; Jane m. Wm. G. Privette; Mary J. Peerson m. W. R. Dye; Amanda E. Peerson m. Wm. E. Mayes; Wm. Carol Peerson m. Hannah Dixon; James Harva Peerson m. Mary E. Campbell; Jones Norman Peerson m. Mary Lichlyghter; Andrew Jackson Peerson (died young); Van Washington Peerson m. Mariah Fitzgerald; John Joseph Peerson m. Margaretta ---; Chas. Washington Peerson m. Josie Crider.

Samuel Mayes, b. Ga. 1808, m. Lucinda Miller (dau. of Joseph D. Miller above), moved to area south of Fayetteville in 1833. Issue: Joseph Mayes m. Sarah P. Collins; Emily Mayes m. John R. Wilson; Robert H. Mayes m. Charlotte Wilson; Wm. E. Mayes m. Amanda E. Peerson; Samuel S. Mayes m. Rebecca Ford; Franklin Mayes m. Garmania Belle Shreve.

William Bennett Hazton, b. Ohio 1824, m. Margaret Foote, b. Ind. 1826; to Osage Creek 1870, to Springdale ca 1874. Issue: Elizabeth Catherine Haxton m. James Buell Slaughter; Squire Newton Haxton m. Almeda Walker; Thomas Jefferson Haxton m. Telitha Ellen Schoonover; Sarah Francis Haxton m. J. A. (Dan) Armstrong; Lillie D. Haxton m. A. Y. (Pete) Wilson; Rose Haxton m. Wilse Gipson; Candace Mellissa (Tad) Haxton m. John Jasper Douglas; Nettie Haxton m. Lee Stonewell Petross; Wm. Levi Haxton m. Lizzie Nordurft; Jas. Edward Haxton m. Gertrude Lieth. Have information on Haxton family back to 1764 Scotland.

Also working on Rutledge, Officer, Coyle, Davis, with origins in Scotland, Ireland, Pennsylvania, Virginia, Carolinas, Kentucky, Tennessee, Indiana and Illinois.

C. Vale Mayes

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### MULLENS

Mr gr-grandfather, Benjamin Isaih Mullens (b. 1-28-1852) m. Sarah Payne in 1871. She was born 7-23-1857. Their son, Benjamin Harrison Mullens, was born at Yellville, Ark., Oct. 16, 1890; he m. Arzora Davis, daughter of Joseph Prior Davis (b. 3-4-1861) and Florilla Grinder (b. 5-21-1862). All of above lived in Marion Co., later at Rosebud, White Co. On my father's side, my lines are Rankin, Strong and Friddle of Crawford Co. (Chester) Ark.

Frieda Loriene Kellie

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## QUERIES

### REA - KEENER - RUSSELL - STANLEY - GOODWIN - SANDERS - LEWIS

Am interested in the Rea and Keener families of Ga., Ala., and Ark., originally from Pa. Need information on parents of Benjamin Allen Russell, b. 1807 Tenn., d. 1871 Union Co., Ark.; need information on parents of Saledia Stanley, b. 1812 Tenn., d. 1887, Union Co., Ark., parents born in Va. Would like to correspond with anyone working on Goodwin families of S. C., Tenn., Miss., La. and Ark. Need data on Benjamin Goodwin, b. 1818, lived Pike Co., Miss., also John Wesley Goodwin, b. 1810, Tenn., d. Polk Co., Ark.; am working on N. C. Sanders family, Hilliard Sanders, b. 1813, lived Anson Co., N. C., d. Claiborne Parish, La. Need information on John Shurrell Lewis, b. 1815, S. C., lived Webster Parish, La., died Kaufman Co., Texas. Any help will be appreciated.

Barbara G. Billings  
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### SIMPSON

I am interested in the history of the Simpson family. From information that I have, they left Antrim Co., Ireland, in the early 1770's.

John H. Simpson  
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### SPOON

My gr-grandmother, Lucy Spoon (1859-1920), m. Marion Hammer, b. 1849 (where?). She was the daughter of Jack Spoon, killed by bushwachers in Civil War. Would like any information on this family. They were in Arkansas, and possibly Tennessee.

Mattie Smith  
907 McKinley Wagoner, Okla. 74467

### STOUT

William Stout settled in Pope Co., Ark. in 1842, came from Alabama, but do not know what place. He served as County Clerk of Pope Co. when the county seat was at Dover. He was assassinated Nov. 5, 1866. Would like to have any information on this family.

C. M. Stout  
Hattieville, Ark. 72063

### TAYLOR - LEWIS - WALKER

Need information on Rev. Speed Taylor and Ellen Yaden (or Yeager) at Red Star, Newton Co., Ark. before 1900. Also, George Lewis, son James and daughter Martha Jane in Ark. in late 1800's; and William Giffen Walker, b. June 6, 1840, Ga., lived and died in Madison Co. (Huntsville) Ark.

Phyllis McMichael  
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### WHITTLE

Whittle - Ferguson - Edwards - Matlock - Vanderheiden - Dick - Borrier - Standard - Broyles - Tittsworth - Renfro - Huffstetter - Livingston - Springfield - Vandergriff - Kaylo. I need information on Jim Whittle m. Florence Dick, Dec. 11, 1901. She was born March 1, 1871. Children: Jay, Mildred, Herbert, Florence, Marie. John Ferguson (1870-1927) m. Mary Magdaline Edwards on Dec. 12, 1903, Van Buren County, Clinton, Ark. Children: Jewel, Cecil L., Frank Whittle, sisters Callie & Ellen m. Vanderheiden brothers. If anyone knows anything about the county and states they lived, contact:

Barbara M. Whittle  
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## QUERIES

### WILSON

My gr-gr-grandfather was Thomas Wilson, b. Sept. 26, 1826 in Tenn. I believe he had brothers James, William, John and a sister Mary (Polly). Also the family spoke of Uncle Alex. Thomas Wilson m. Elizabeth Ramsey, b. Feb. 27, 1829, daughter of John and Rachel Sneed Ramsey, Rachel Sneed being the daughter of William Sneed. John Ramsey was born in Pennsylvania, came to Independence Co., Ark. from Ky. In Carroll Co. history, John and Alex Wilson were practising law in Carrollton in 1836 or 1838. Could this Alex be my uncle? There are so many Wilsons in the 1840 and 1860 census of Benton and Carroll Co. I know they're not all mine. I would like to contact persons with this line. I also have much information on Hudspeth, Gage, Barnett, Clark, Gibson and Dutton families.

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### WINCHESTER - ASHER - CARPENTER

I would like to hear from anyone having knowledge of Winchester, Asher and Carpenter families who lived in Newton Co., Ark. in 1850's.

Mrs. James Asher Winchester  
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### GRAVES AND THEIR KIN

I am compiling a genealogy of the Graves and related families, descendants of Capt. Thomas Graves of Jamestown. Will welcome correspondences from anyone having data and proof of families for possible inclusion in publication.

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