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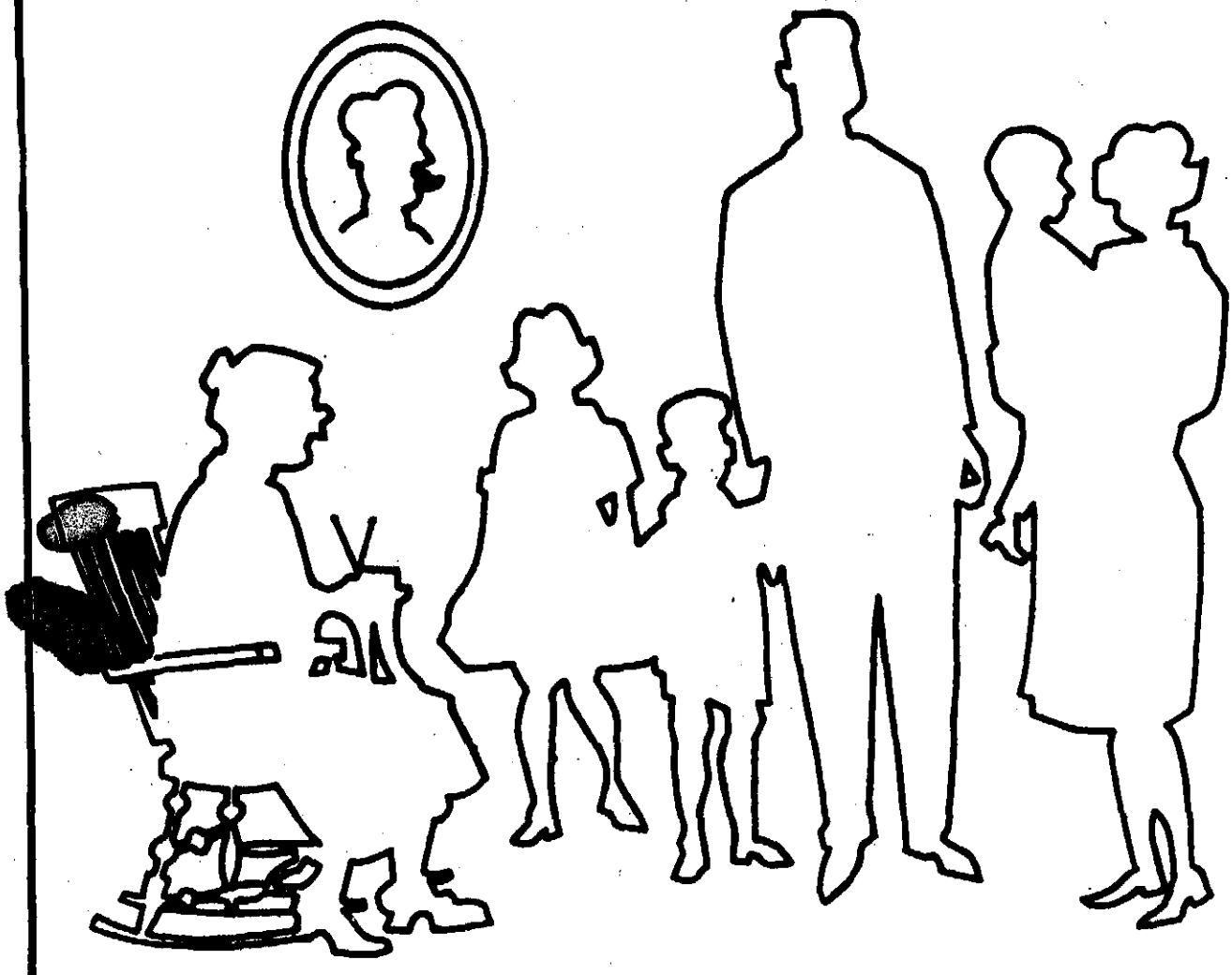

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GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH & HOW TO BEGIN

The following few hints as to how to begin, might help some beginners and some long time researchers, as we do tend to forget some hints!

MAKING A FAMILY RECORD may be up to you! If someone in your family has already worked on the records, fine! but you might like to recheck the information before you begin. Document your records as you progress. That means, be sure to record where you found the record (courthouse, census, bible, personal interview, newspaper clippings, cemetery markers, etc.) Date your notes, and please write the name of the book and page number. Many books are now published (many in the last 5 or so years) by individuals or family groups, who have had an interest in preserving their family history.

START WITH YOURSELF - You are the beginning "twig" on your family tree, & work toward your unknown "roots". Find out the vital information about your parents, write it down, then look for data about your grandparents, greatgrandparents, etc.

NAMES, DATES, PLACES, RELATIONSHIPS - You will be concerned with pulling from the many and varied documents of recorded history four key items: names, dates, places, and relationships. These are the tools of the family searcher. People can be identified in records by their names, the dates of events in their lives (birth, marriage, death), the places they lived, and by relationship to others either stated or implied in the records.

HOME SOURCES - The place to begin is at home. Here you will find much information in family Bibles, newspaper clippings, military certificates, birth and death certificates, marriage licenses, diaries, letters, scrapbooks, backs of pictures (we hope they have been identified) baby books, confirmation certificated, etc.

RELATIVES AS SOURCE - Visit or write those in your family who may have information particularly older relatives. (Do not forget the in-laws). More often than not others before you have already gathered family data. You should write a letter, make a personal visit, or telephone survey to find out about such persons and what information is already collected.

FINDING DISTANT RELATIVES - Before launching your research program in Libraries and Archives, search for distant relatives who may have already performed research. Advertise in the local genealogical bulletins (city, county, or state) where your ancestors lived. The most widely circulated genealogical magazine (which also specializes in getting people together who are working on the same families).

CHURCH RECORDS - A few churches have records of important events in the lives of members, but many do not. Investigate the possibility of finding genealogical data in the records of the church to which your ancestors belonged. Even if the church no longer exists, some neighboring church may have the first records (often the last secretary - it is well worth the search).

BIRTH, MARRIAGE, and DEATH RECORDS - Some States began to keep records of birth and death earlier than others, but for most of the United States birth and death registration became a requirement around the turn of the century, about 1890-1915. NOTE: Arkansas began keeping these records about 1914 (but many are not found, until much later). Write: Bureau of Vital Statistics - State Health Department, 4815 W. Markham, Little Rock, AR 72205 - ONLY if you know the month and year! then you will possibly receive a CANNOT FIND notice! Also there is a fee for the search (and they keep that fee, for the search - about $3.) Before that time these events may be found recorded generally only in church records, family Bibles(some time in newspapers, along with the other news items, often hidden). Marriages will be found recorded in most counties, dating often as early as the establishment of the county. NOTICE - remember the counties were not all established at the same time (you might also look in the next county, and for sure the county - the present county was established from!)

DEEDS & WILLS - Records of property acquisition and disposition can be good sources of genealogical data. Such records are normally in the county courthouses. DEEDS are in the Circuit Clerk's office. WILLS are in the County Clerk's office. Often the earliest county records or copies of them are also available in State Archives.

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FEDERAL RECORDS - The National Archives in Washington, D. C., has records of use in genealogical research. The Federal census made every 10 years since 1790 is a good source. (1790, 1800, 1810, 1820, 1830, 1840, 1850, 1860, 1870, 1880, (1890 was burned, and is not available) and 1900). The census records are also available on microfilm in the National Archives' regional archives branches located in 11 metropolitan areas throughout the county. Write: General Services Administration, National Archives & Records Service, Washington, D. C. 20408 for descriptive leaflet available, upon request. The National Archives also has military service and related records, passenger arrival records (again, a near date is necessary to search here!) and others.

CONFEDERATE RECORDS - Will not be found in the Washington office. They were not Federal Records. Look for these in the State Archives. Arkansas has many records (but you will need to search these, or hire a professional researcher). History Commission Office, 2nd Floor (in the large building directly back of the present Arkansas State Capitol Building, in Little Rock).

LIBRARIES, SOCIETIES, ARCHIVES - Visit the State, Regional, and local institutions in your area. Libraries, historical and genealogical societies, and archival depositories are all good sources for genealogical and family history data. In Arkansas - start at the History Commission FIRST. (please find address under CONFEDERATE RECORDS). The old newspapers are on microfilm, card file on various subjects, all Census records for the entire United States from - 1790 to 1880 are on microfilm, Census of 1890 - 97% of the schedules were destroyed by fire in 1921 (one entire wing of a building in Washington, D.C. was destroyed). Content was similar to that for 1900 census. 1900 census for Arkansas, is on microfilm: Address (street & house numbers in large cities) relationship to head of family: color or race (W-white, B-black (negro or negro descent), Ch-Chinese, Jp-Japanese, and In-Indian); month & year of birth; age at last birthday; martal status (single, married, divorced, widowed); number of years married to present husband; number of children of wife; number of children living; place of birth of person and parents (state or country only); citizenship; if foreign born, year of immigration, and number of years in United States; citizenship status if over 21 (Al-alien, Pa-declaration of intent has been filed, Na-naturalized); occupation; education - can read, write, and speak English; ownership of home, (O-owned, R-rented); whether a home (H) or a farm (F); and whether free (F) or mortgage (M). Seperate schedules were prepared for institutions, military establishments, and Indian reservations.

COURTHOUSE RECORDS - Please hesitate to ask the people in the various offices anything about Genealogical problems you may have. Those people are not paid to know about genealogy! They are paid to take care of the present day records, and there are many different records today! Between the phone calls they have about (??????) and the people who seem to always have the wrong office, then to try to record the important information from very young, nervous couples (who are making arrangements to marry) etc. We are very lucky here in Arkansas (thus far) most of the records are still available and may be searched, by researchers. Some few Courthouses have burned, but then many times all is not lost, and requests were often made to "please come and record your records, again", after many early courthouse fires.

NOTE: When you are researching any INDEX, please say the SURNAME many different ways, and be sure to check all the different spellings (names were not always spelled alike, nor were they recorded correctly!

EDITOR'S NOTE: This information has been gathered from various leaflets: ARKANSAS HISTORY COMMISSION OFFICE, GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION, ARKANSAS GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY, INC. ETC. (Elaine Weir Cia, 4200 "A" Street Little Rock, AR 72205)

EDITOR'S NOTE: This information is being reprinted from our December issue of our Arkansas Family Historian. Many of our 1980 members are receiving their very first issue of our Historian. Many members have expressed sadness...because they are just finding our publication. We were so sorry to find it necessary to close our 1979 year almost two months early, as our first two issues were out of print. Welcome to our Group and happy hunting.

Greetings From Your Editor — Elaine Weir Cia

DEAR MEMBERS AND READERS OF OUR ARKANSAS FAMILY HISTORIAN:

We want to brag brag brag & brag on the entire membership!!! Everyone has really tried to make this year much more enjoyable for your Editor! Memberships (over 1000) were paid by January 1, 1980, and some who just could not get around to getting their check in the mail by the dead-line date, have sent their $9. with a note "I do not mind, but sure do not want to miss one issue of our AFH Quarterly". Should anyone ask tho...the last time to pay $7. was on or before January 1, 1980. Since that date... Membership Fee is $9. (Year begins January 1 and ends December 31).

There is no chance to receive a Quarterly for 1980 unless you have paid...the membership card and the metal (address plate) are both taken from one drawer and moved to the current year...so those who have paid, are not also paying for someone else, who has forgotten!

Enough paper and other supplies have been placed on order (with a hold) on much of the paper, until needed. January 1979 was BAD...the trucks were on Strike and then the weather was bad and everything was delayed (for about 3 months). Then we do not like to use just any kind of paper, machine works better with our Nekoosa Bond, and many of our Memberships go into bound books, and we do want the paper to last as long as possible. This is great to know all the information that does finally become published in our Arkansas Family Historian will be on record in many places, it would take a great disaster to destroy all our publications, all over the United States and Canada and Europe, etc.

Now...the Renewals are well under way (and that does take much time to change the plates to new addresses, make plates for all the new members and send all the things members also order when they pay their membership) we have also made a great effort to publish as many Volumes of Ancestor Charts, and Family Group Sheets as possible. This became a BAD problem!

Many many charts were sent to us, absolutely a mess!!!! Several have made one last effort to type (best we could) and get them into published form. NOW...NO MORE Charts will be published unless they are typed, and none are corrected after they are received!!!!! This is only a service and makes for great contacts, both for the present and future, but after all our Quarterly comes first and we do enough to get those into alphabetical order...printed...then indexed and covers made, then collated, and all for $3. We are not even going to return them with a request to please type, they will just be destroyed!!! Space is rare, and we do not have rare space for a mess (until someone takes time to try to figure out a Badly written chart)

We have some real requests.....in the first place everyone is busy trying to work on their own family records....it takes a great amount of time (not to mention, the hard to read microfilm, and other records) no one can SCAN several census years, or indexes, without making severa attempts, PARKING is always a big problem, then all records are not in one spot!!! We can always know...someone is not thinking when they make these requests.

The few people who have offered to do research for others, are still working on their own records, and besides that, they have requests over and over from the people who have been on their list for a long time. We wish we knew of anyone who would like to research in their area (not just Arkansas) for others. We have a list, we send on request, but have many more requests than those people can satisfy. Research is very slow and time consuming, but there are so many books and charts, etc available these days, constant research is necessary to be sure every source is covered.

Both Ancestor Charts and Family Group Sheet Volumes will require a searcher, as only a few charts were used in any one volume (in order to get as many charts into print as possible, then we are not trying to publish any one person's family records, but just trying to help as many different people as possible). If you have sent your charts or chart in the past year or so, there is not much way of knowing which Volume your charts are published. Again this is only a service, and our service can only stretch just so far. Our headquarters is where your Editor lives, and only a few volunteers come in. Those members who live in many other places, only like to receive their publication (on time).

If you have included a self addressed stamped envelope with each of your charts, you may have been notified, when your chart was published, and also if your name is on the "Please send & bill when published List", you might have been notified...that again, is when someone has time! Many members have requested, "Please send any and everything published, until notified to remove my name". Those requests are mailed first!.

We will try to work problem out at a future date. Many problems will be solved, by not excepting any Charts that cannot be photo-copied. If you are not sure whether your Chart will photo copy, better send a self addressed stamped envelope, then they can be returned to you.

WHAT IS AN ANCESTOR CHART VOLUME?
WHAT IS A FAMILY GROUP SHEET VOLUME?

In 1975 our Board of Directors (Arkansas Genealogical Society) voted to begin a new project! Simple forms were approved by the Board and these forms were included in the regular Arkansas Family Historian Quarterly publication.

After a period of three months, only 17 charts had been returned to our office. (Which is the home of the Editor - Mrs. Cia).

The BOARD then decided, maybe the idea was not going to work!!! But after three months (when the Board met again) a mountain of ANCESTOR CHARTS had arrived (most of them in very poor condition - the information was there, but the handwriting left much to be desired, then the problem of trying to photo copy for printing really became a problem.

Various ways have been tried - and at best, none are good ideas. It is not possible for an Ancestor Chart to be typed by someone not familiar with the family (if the handwriting is not legible, and the spelling is not correct in the first place, and just one mis-spelled name or wrong date can become a disaster and much lost time can be the result!)

But at the October Workshop in 1975 we finally printed VOLUME I, and have tried to publish additional volumes (as time and our finances will allow). To this date we have 18 Ancestor Chart Volumes, and about 65 to 70 Charts are included in each Volume, with a complete index in the back of each Volume and in the front, a list of the compilers are listed with street, etc and Zip (if that was included on the chart, some forget that always!). Never do we print more than 4 Charts for any one person. We are attempting to help many people (not publish any one person's family in our Ancestor Chart Volumes. If there are several Charts, some will be published in a future volume. This is a FREE SERVICE (these charts make great contacts, with others working on the same surnames). Many have been printed, but remember our ARKANSAS FAMILY HISTORIAN comes first, and so far we are not late.

These VOLUMES are $3. each. There is NO FAST way to check all these 18 indexes plus the Compiler's list. Many members and readers request a copy as soon as they are printed, especially those interested in many different lines.

Please do not ask your Editor to check these many VOLUMES for you! We will try to work out something in the near future (if you have sent your chart, and do not know which volume, perhaps someone who does have a complete set will volunteer to look these up...but wait a little while...we would like to have some volunteers, first).

Volunteers do come in to help from time to time, but there are many other jobs waiting for any volunteer who comes to our headquarters!!!!

FAMILY GROUP SHEETS

FAMILY GROUP SHEET VOLUMES are published in the same way. However this project started several years later, and to this date we have 8 Volumes in print. All have been filed in Washington, D. C. with the Copyright office. Many Libraries have them, also so you might request your Library to order them (or you might give a set to your Library).

We request no marriage be listed after 1920. Begin with your grand parents and, complete them as much as possible before sending them for publication. We are not in a hurry, as we have many yet to be published.

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You may request blank charts by sending self addressed stamped envelope to: AGS, 4200 "A" Street, Little Rock, AR 72205 (only 4 will go into a large envelope, and be sent for a 15 cent stamp). These charts are 2 cents each.

AN APPEAL FOR RESEARCHERS

If you would like to help others with genealogical problems in your area, please complete this form, and return to us (soon as possible).

NAME_____ADDRESS_____ZIP_____

I would like my name placed on the Researcher's list, currently being compiled by the Arkansas Genealogical Society, Inc. I understand that the list will be sent on request to those who would like to have records searched in my area.

All arrangements and communications are to be made directly between the researcher and the person requesting a search.

I will research material relating to:_____

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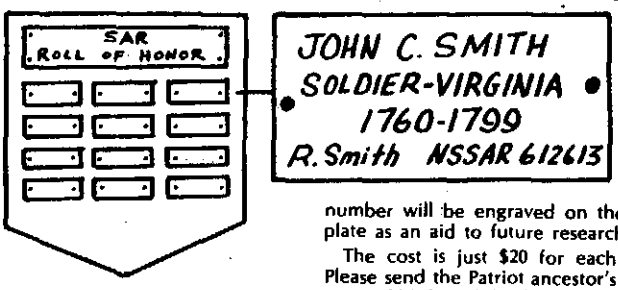
_____

I prefer to exchange research time_____charge a reasonable fee_____ for a minimum amount of information. I prefer to require a minimum charge for my time. I prefer to make individual arrangements with each persons, depending on the amount of research requested. I prefer to only research Marriage records_____Deed Records_____Wills & Probate Records_____ Civil War Records_____Newspaper Obituaries_____Cemetery Records in Print _____Census Records_____Any other records_____.

From: W. W. Caldwell, President of "The Arkansas Society of the Sons of the American Revolution". 1303 Brentwood Road, Pine Bluff, AR 71601
"The Arkansas History Commission has micro-filmed many of the Records of the Arkansas S.A.R dating from 1890 to date. The data is on two reels and can be read at the History Commission office, on 2nd Floor of the new building (1979) Number One Capitol Mall (directly back of the present day capital buidling in Little Rock.

If you would like to have more information about this Society write to either Mr. W. W. Caldwell or to W. Bernard Barber, 1119 Scenic Way, Benton, AR 72015

Society Will Honor Patriots With Plaque



A beautiful walnut plaque with the names of Revolutionary War Patriots engraved on brass plates will be placed on permanent display at the Arkansas History Commission soon. The plaque will contain the name and brief biographical data on the patriot ancestor(s) of ARSAR members who wish to honor their forebearer(s). The sponsoring ARSAR member's NSSAR number will be engraved on the brass plate as an aid to future researchers.

The cost is just $20 for each plate. Please send the Patriot ancestor's name, years of birth and death, type of service, state of service, and your national number to Comp. W. Bernard Barber, 1119 Scenic Way, Benton, Ark. 72015.

The Society will show a net profit of about $1,500 if we fill the plaque's 100 spots. This money will be used for the many patriotic programs your Society engages in. This is a marvelous way to honor your ancestor(s) and aid the Society at the same time.

Please Complete And Mail Today

Name _____

NSSAR # _____

Ancestor _____

Born _____

Died _____

Service _____

State _____

Mail to: W. Bernard Barber
1119 Scenic Way
Benton, AR 72015

FROM: Max L. Baker, Ph. D., History Committee, University of Arkansas College of Medicine, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, 4301 W. Markham, Little Rock, AR 72201
"The University of Arkansas College of Medicine is building a collection of materials relevant to the history of medicine in Arkansas. Specifically, we are seeking documents, manuscripts, letters, etc. that describe the practice of medicine in Arkansas through the years, and the individuals who practiced it.

We are using this means of contacting the local historical and genealogical societies to reach individuals who may have such information. I know that from time to time many local journals have published material relevant to Arkansas medical history. It is this sort of material, and the supporting reference information that we are seeking.

Any material which would be furnished to us would be housed in the History of Medicine Room of the Medical Sciences Library. There the material would be available to anyone whith an interest in Arkansas Medicine. Also, any historical materials furnished to us would be properly acknowledged as to their source.

If you know of anyone having such historical material available, would you please pass this information along to them. Thank you very much for any help!

FROM; Marshall D. Vance, P. O. Box 27 Forrest City, Arkansas 72335 - I am a small but dedicated collector of books and historical materials pertaining to the history of Arkansas and the Ozarks. Recently I expanded my interests to include any cook book or pamphlet published in the region--there were not too many before 1950. I am interested also in the cookery items published by such as church groups, women's clubs, other civic organizations, etc. as fund raising projects.

As books of this type have not previously been collected very much, not even by our local libraries, I am having quite a time locating any of them. Books of this nature really should be preserved, before it is too late. Few if any other historical periodical or even newsletter in Arkansas would be appropriate for an appeal of this type. Please help me!

NOTICE!!!! If you have books (or other information) about Arkansas People, etc., for sale, please let us know (and include the price, and where to order. Many are interested in any ARKANSAS MATERIAL (this does not have to be new material) write: AGS, 4200 "A" St., Little Rock, AR 72205

BOOK REVIEWS
By
R. W. Dhonau, Director

Going into the 1980's we are areciving Gift Books with very good information in them. We appreciate every one of them! I have also received some very nice letters asking about information in the list of Family Histories, published in the December issue of our Arkansas Family Historian. Seems a great deal of interest has been generated by the reviews on Gift Books. For those who may be new members, we publish reviews on all books which are donated to our Arkansas Genealogical Society Library, which is merged with the Genealogical Collection of the Little Rock Public Library. You are encouraged to visit on the second floor of the Library located at Eighth and Louisana Streets, Little Rock, Arkansas. (Hours 9 to 4 each day except Monday).

First is "FORSYTH COUNTY, NORTHCAROLINA CEMETERY RECORDS, Volume III - 1977". This listing includes OLD TOWN and SALEM CHAPEL Townships which are near Winston-Salem. There are excellent township maps, showing every small town, road, railroad, creek, etc. This is the third of five planned volumes to cover the entire county.

It lists each cemetery with the family names in Capitol letters, and in alphabetical order. There is a general surname index for the entire volume, and bibligraphy for future information. This is well organized and is easy to locate name format and may be ordered from: Donald W. Stanley, 134 Stanley Drive, Kernersville, North Carolina 27284. Price was not given.

"HARDIN COUNTY, TEXAS CEMETERIES", 1976, is a gift from Southeast Texas Genealogical and Historical Society, 2870 Driftwood Lane, Beaumont, Texas 77703. It is the third in a series of Cemetery Records. There are 9 large-scale maps to cover the County. With these the most minute detail of grographical features should be located.

This volume has very large type so the names are easy to read. Cemetery listings are not alphabetical but it has a complete surname index. It is a large volume with 271 pages including index. The society which published the information does not guarantee the accuracy nor authenticity of the information since it was gathered by others and sent to them for publication. We certainly appreciate this gift. Further information may be obtained from the address given above. Price was not given.

"PROBATE COURT RECORDS - JOHNSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS" is a Gift from the compiler and publisher, Mrs. R. W. (Lillian) Mickel, County Historian. Address: P. O. Box 250, Clarksville, AR 72830.

From the vault of the Johnson County Court House at Clarksville, Arkansas, this information lists: WILLS, ESTATE SETTLEMENTS, DEEDS, 1835 Tax List and 1840 Census. More than 10,000 names are included and a general surname index is given.

This compilation of early date court records gives so much information it is very difficult to classify. Anyone who suspects ancestors in the county should check this out. Thanks for the gift to our Society Library. Price is $15. prepaid.

"SAM WILLIAMS: PRINTER'S DEVIL" - 1979, has been donated to our Arkansas Genealogical Society's Library by Mary Medearis, Editor, and Charlean Etter of Etter Publishing Company, Hope, Arkansas 71801. These ladies are most prominent in the activity of the Southwest Arkansas Regional Archives of which Mary Medearis is Coordinator. The Archives are located at Old Washington Historical State Park, Washington, Hempstead County, Arkansas 71862.

The book is about the writings of Sam Williams who was an apprentice printer to W. H. Etter, publisher of the Washington Telegraph, beginning in 1851. Actually the "Memorabilia" or reminiscense of life in Hempstead Co., Arkansas, was written in the 1880s and described the events happening back to 1807. The pictures of social life, personal sketches, political annals and anecdotes of character and events were published in 1886 in the Washington Press as they came from the memory of Sam Williams.

The book is not a connected history of events but the many incidents concern events that make history. It is only by reading this collection of stories that one can realize their worth as history. I find it an important work and interesting in the telling of the facts of an earlier life-style. It is generously supplemented with various types of illustrations. There are also biographical sketches of many men of that time.

Any further information may be obtained from Mrs. Medearis or Mrs. Etter at Box 134, Washington, Arkansas 71862.

BOOK REVIEWS (Con't page 2)

"BURRELL PERRY - Descendants and Ancestors", 1978, was given to our ArkansasGenealogical Library by the compiler, Mrs. Elsie Perry Tucker, 7602 Tanager, Houston, Texas 77074. Our thanks to her.

The ancestors of this family came from Wales and settled in North Carolina The first known ancestor was Jeremiah Perry, who was killed in the Revolutionary War when his horse fell on him while carrying messages. His youngest child was born February 16, 1767. The only information was passed down through the family by word of mouth. Early information is scarce but well considered and documented.

Descendants are listed of Burrell Perry, the son born in 1767, on down to the present day. The information came from many people and is skillfully woven into a narrative with smooth flowing continuity. It gives me the feeling that they were closely-knit families who valued their heritage.

This is a long history of 449 pages and complete information is given. It would pay anyone to check through the names because these descendants cover a large number of states. If further information is desired, the compiler whose address is shown above may be contacted.

"RESEARCHERS EXCHANGE INDEX" Volume I is a publication by and principally for the members of the Arkansas Genealogical Society. There is something for everyone in this Index, however, and we are glad to share the information with anyone who does family research.

The purpose of the colume is for our members to present information on their families and also request information that others might share what they have on the same families. It is a different way to share a central exchange of information.

Feel free to write the members listed and share with them. I have noted families listed about whom I have additional information to what is given. The volume may be ordered for $5. from Arkansas Genealogical Society, Inc. (or A.G.S.) 4200 "A" Street, Little Rock, Arkansas 72205

NOTICE

Newly published DESHA COUNTY RECORDS are the subject of a book now available for purchase. These Records include the 1860 Census Report and Marriage Records from 1850 thru 1860. This publication of genealogical source material may be ordered for $12. postpaid from R. W. Dhonau, 4410 Lee Avenue, Little Rock, Arkansas 72205.

There are 102 pages including the surname index. The volume is 8½ x 11 inches in size with a durable plastic cover. These two records work hand-in-hand because both are the same time in history. They were copied from microfilm of the original.

ARKANSAS FAMILY HISTORIAN
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CLARK COUNTY HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION

Mrs Grace Nelson (one of our Honorary Members) has donated her copies of our Arkansas Family Historian, to the Clark County Historical Association. They are now in the Association Files at Riley Library, Ouachita Baptist University, Arkadelphia, Clark County, Arkansas.

Allen B. Syler, one of our long-time members, has placed his copies in the Clark County-Arkadelphia Public Library, where they are available in the Arkansas Room. Allen is also copying and indexing the Obituaries and Death notices from the Southern, and will be glad to check for information. Do not forget to include a self addressed stamped envelope (S.A.S.E.)

ARKANSAS ARCHIVISTS AND RECORDS MANAGERS

A new Group has been organized! Membership in AARM is open to those who are engaged or interested in archival or records management activities, or who wish to support the objectives of AARM. Membership includes the AARM Newsletter and notice of meetings. Individual membership is $5.00 per year. For additional information about this Group, please contact: Edwina Walls, 910 N. Martin, Little Rock, AR 72205

SPRING WORKSHOP will be held on Friday night and Saturday, March 21 & 22 1980 in historic Eureka Springs, AR. Sessions will be conducted in the Inn of the Ozarks, which will be their headquarters.

SOUTHWEST ARKANSAS REGIONAL ARCHIVES (SARA)

SARA will move into new quarters. The 1874 Courthouse in the Old Washington Historic State Park is nearing completion of the restoration done by the Department of Parks & Tourism, and SARA will occupy the right wing of the first floor. (This Park is in Hempstead County, Arkansas).

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MEMO TO: National Genealogical Society Membership

FROM: Netti Schreiner-Yantis, President
Malcolm H. Stern, NGS Representative, National Archives Advisory Council

Every person who has ever relied on the National Archives for research assistance should be aware of an alarming recent development which is seriously threatening your ability to do organized research in the future:

The new Administrator of the General Services Administration (GSA), taking advantage of the law which makes the National Archives and Records Service a branch of GSA, has issued orders to disperse many of the collections now housed in Washington and send them to the regional branch closest to their source of origin. This means that searchers in military or immigration or similar collections of records will have to pursue the data all over the country in assorted regional offices, many of them already ill-equipped to service the many researchers who would now be seriously augmented in numbers.

In the opinion of many knowledgeable people, including members of the Citizens' Advisory Council to the Archives, this misguided move must be stopped or our National Archives will cease to be the great central resource for genealogists, historians, and authors, that it has always been.

Some of the important collections are already being processed for dispersion.

Many of us are addressing individual letters of protest to David Rubenstein in the Office of Assistant to the President for Domestic Affairs and Policy, The White House, Washington, DC 20500. Letters may also be sent to your Senators [Washington, DC 20510] and to your Congressmen [Washington, DC 20515] to make known your views on this matter.

Whatever you can do to disseminate this information will be appreciated by every American concerned with the future of the National Archives and Records Service.

IT IS OUR INTENTION TO KEEP NGS MEMBERS INFORMED OF EVENTS OF INTEREST THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY SO THAT THEY MAY HAVE A VOICE IN DETERMINING POLICIES WHICH MAY EFFECT THEM.

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Scholars Oppose Records Dispersal

Archives Dispute Goes to White House

By Thomas Grubisich
Washington Post Staff Writer

General Services Administrator Rowland G. Freeman III, the former Navy admiral who is pressing ahead with his plan to reorganize the National Archieves, has been attacked by his foes on a new flank: the White House.

Until recently most of the controversy was confined to the chandeliered Archivist Reception Room at the Archives on Pennsylvania Avenue, or Freeman's ornately paneled conference room at GSA headquarters across town.

Now, in an effort to get Freeman's boss, President Carter, to intervene, historian John Hope Franklin, head of the 15,000-member American Historical Association, and the two most recent chief archivists have taken their grievances to domestic policy chief Stuart Eizenstat's office.

The academicians and scholars are upset by Freeman's announced intention of shipping hundreds of thousands of cubic feet of historical records from the overstuffed Archives headquarters in the Federal Triangle to roomier regional centers throughout the country.

The admiral says the shift will make better use of expensive storage space and also "bring history to the people."

But his critics say Freeman's plan, if carried out, will make archival research much more difficult and, in some cases, render it impossible.

"It's the craziest thing I've heard of," says historian Franklin. "People ask me, 'What the hell is going on at the National Archives?'"

According to one participant, the delegation to the White House told Eizenstat aide Al Stern that Freeman was bypassing professional opinion in making decisions about the Archives. The group focused its criticism on the shifting of records as proposed by Freeman, the participant said.

Stern's only reaction, according to the source, was to ask for more information about the controversy, and it was subsequently sent to him.

Last week a group of local historians and archivists formed an Emergency Committee to Preserve the National Archives. The new group's letterhead already includes the names of well-known scholars, including William Appleman, new president of the 8,000-member Organization of American Historians, and Herbert Gutman, one of the leading experts on the slave experience in the South.

In yet another example of the anti-Freeman offensive, James B. Rhoads, who resigned as archivist last summer, has gone public with a frontal attack on his former boss.

"I am convinced that there is a real very danger that in the course of a fe wmonths he (Freeman) may undo the work of three generations of professional archivists who have built possibly the finest national archives in the world," Rhoads said in a recent talk to archivists and historians.

The focus of the controversy now has shifted to the imminent selection of a successor to Rhoads.

Freeman, echoing criticisms made by the General Accounting Office and a House subcommittee, has claimed that the Archives, which is responsible for more than 3 billion documents ranging from the Declaration of Independence to canceled Treasury checks, is paralyzed by mismanagement an drefuses to adopt current, more efficient techniques of record keeping.

But because Freeman stresses management talent as his No. 1 prerequisite in a new archivist, his critics fear he will choose someone who will treat the Archives less as a national cultural institution than as a balky bureaucracy in need of modernizing.

At an all-day session today in Freeman's conference room, an advisory selection committee will hold its last session before sending names of qualified candidates on to a GSA panel, which will make the final recommendations to Freeman.

But there are fears among committee members that the selection process is not working. "I see decisions being made [by Freeman] in a way that will drive off good candidates," said one member. . . . Frankly we have been disappointed in the number and quality of candidates."

THE RAMICK FAMILY

By Luther Greene, Jr. September 1979

Picture of Noah Solomon Ramick 8-7-1882/11-4-1949 and his 1st wife, Della Appling 7-12-1884/6-23-1903. My mother, Mrs. Luther Greene Sr., was Faye Ramick and the only child of Noah and Della. Della died when Faye was only seven months old.

Sources of information and contributors to this family history are: W. Delbert Ramick of Fort Worth, Texas (a descendant of Peter Ramick through his son David and David's son James); Uncle Charlie Ramick (now deceased); Uncle Loyd Ramick, T. Roose Ramick, and Mrs. Ida Nell Raymick of Pine Bluff, Arkansas; Ocie J. Ramick of Sheridan, Arkansas; and many others who have been so helpful in furnishing family data on their immediate families; as well as census records, marriage records, family records, and tombstone inscriptions. (Note: As often noted, the best we can count on is using these censuses for a good guide, but they were no better than the enumerators who took them, or often the family member giving the information did not know correct ages, etc., thus accounting for discrepancies seen from one census to the next ten-year census.)

Tradition from several family sources is that our first Ramick to this country came as a German Hessian Soldier, that he was wounded and left behind by the others, was taken into the home of a family, and later married one of the daughters in that home. We first find record of Peter Ramech in South Carolina and feel certain that he was that one who came to America as the German Hessian Soldier, later quit the British Army and joined the Continental Army. He is found in 1800, 1810, 1830, and 1840 census records living hear the fork of Saluda and Broad Rivers in Lexington District, S. C. (Note: This is the area in S. C. where there was a German settlement called Saxe Gotha Town as far back as 1740 and 1750. Some of its earliest land grantees were of English origin, but because most of the later grants were given to German-speaking emigrants, the settlement quickly took on a reputation of being "Dutch;" today the area is still called the "Dutch Fork," after the German word for their language.)

I received the following copy of a letter from Reeda Ann Owens, a daughter of Astor R. Ramick. This letter was written by Dan J. Taylor, a grandson of Elder E. D. Taylor and Sarah Ramick Taylor, Sarah being the daughter of Peter Ramech. This letter is the most authentic information received concerning the first of our Ramick Family to come to this Country, and it has been copied in its entirety, as follows:

"Leesville, S. C. May 13, 1941

Mr. Astor R. Ramick
Benton, Arkansas

My dear sir: Your letter of the 8th inst. received and contents noted with pleasure. I was at Lexington Courthouse last Saturday was a week ago and while there seen Mr.

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D. E. Efird and he was telling me of the letter he had gotten from you. (Mr. Efird is a relative of my wife and a very very fine man.)

As far as I am able to find out there are no Ramicks in S.C. or has been for upwards of 100 years. My wife's father has been dead 4 years and was 88 years old at his death and spent the last 8 years at my home most of the time and he said he never knew any Ramicks in the county or elsewhere in S. C. and he knew Lexington County all his life. His father was also a native of this section and my wife remembers him quite well and she never heard him mention any Ramicks in this section.

I do not know whether you know it or not but my grandmother on my father's side was born a Ramick and was born and reared about 6 miles west of Columbia at Arthur's Station. Grandfather Taylor told me during his life time that grandmother's father was a British soldier, who was wounded at the Battle of Camden, S. C. in the latter part of the Revolutionary War and made his way as best he could to old Granby on the Congaree River below where Columbia is now situated and grandmother's mother and some other women found him wounded and carried him to their home and nursed him until he got well and he quit the British Army and joined the Continental Army. After the war he married grandmother's mother and grandmother was one of the children of this marriage. Whether there were more I do not know, but must have been. Grandmother's mother was full German, but do not know her maiden name.

No doubt but your grandfather Ramick was a nephew of my grandmother. I have a second cousin at Lexington, Sam B. George, who now is in his middle 70's who was born and lived in Lexington all his life and was at one time Clerk of Court and who has the Taylor side of the house in good shape. I gave him the data on Great Grandfather Taylor's family that left S. C. in 1842 and went to Arkansas and I am most sure that the Ramick's went at that time or shortly afterwards. The Lybrands, Gartmans, Lees, and others went at that time. Great Grandfather Taylor's name was Garrett though when he sold out in S. C. to go to Arkansas he signed the land titles as Garrotly, and prior to this he was known as Garroldi as according to land titles that are now in possession of Mr. George. I have seen them. Great Grandfather Taylor and his wife had 14 children, 13 of them went west and one, Wm. L. Taylor remained in S. C. and he was the oldest. I know what became of the 13 who went to Arkansas.

When you visit S. C. this summer I can give you all of this.

When I get to Lexington I will see Mr. George and see if he knows anything about the Ramicks. If he does not I do not know of anyone who could give you the information.

I am living all right. Enjoy good health, weigh 126 lbs. Eat hearty. I have been on my farm for 15 yrs. (126 acres) near Lake Murray (artificial lake) 31 miles long and 14 miles wide when full. My wife is in good health. I will be 65 in August and she 64 in Nov. We have no children but you know I have 2 by my first wife. My son Dan J. Jr. lives at Conway S. C. and is Supt. of a large veneer plant. He is married and has a son Dan J. III. He is doing well. Conway is only 14 miles from the Atlantic Ocean. My daughter who is now a widow lives at Bennettsville, S. C. She has 2 children 18 & 16 yrs. old, son and daughter. The boy finishes high school this year and her daughter next year. The boy is a member of the National Honorary Society.

We have been very dry in the section this year. Only 7½" of rain since Jany. 1st, which is ½ less than the normal rainfall for the section. Thermometer stood at 50 Sunday, Monday and this A.M. Farm work very late. Grain crop fair.

Let me know sometime before you start to S. C. and I will send you a road map and tell you how to find me.

When you see your father-in-law give him my regards.

I trust this will, in its rambling way be of interest to you and write me when you feel like it. I am

Yours very truly,

Dan J. Taylor, Route 2, Box 150"

(Note: Dan J. Taylor was born in Arkansas, son of Newton Taylor. In 1900 Dan J. was Deputy Clerk of Grant County, Arkansas.)

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PETER RAMECH OR RAMICK

The only land transaction that we have on Peter Ramick shows where he purchased from Alexander B. Stark on 22 March 1800 seventy four acres of land on Broad River. He is in this location on the 1800, 1810, 1830, and 1840 censuses.

Peter was born in 1762. His wife's name is not known to me. According to the Journal of Rev. Godfrey Drehr which we read on microfilm in the South Caroliniana Library at the University of S. C., one entry made showed Peter Ramick's wife died Saturday, October 14, 1837, and her funeral was preached by Godfrey Drehr, a Lutheran Minister, and he preached from Col. 3.4. Another entry made by Rev. Drehr showed Peter was given the sacrament on Good Friday, 1845. Following is an obituary taken from the book, "Southern Christian Advocate," by Brent Holcomb: "Issue of August 25, 1848 - Southern Christian Advocate - Died in Lexington Dist., S. C., July 22d, 1848, Peter Ramick, aged 86 years, an old revolutionary soldier...a member of the Lutheran Church from his youth to the time of his decease...."

The children of Peter were: David born in 1791 in S. C., John born 1798 in S. C., Samuel born 1805 in S. C., and Sarah born 1817 in S. C. Sarah died in 1913 in Grant County, Arkansas, as wife of Elder E. Danial Taylor. Also, there was one daughter listed as 10 to 16 in 1810 census which we have no further record of.

DAVID RAMICK (OLDEST SON OF PETER)

(W. Delbert Ramick of Fort Worth, Texas, is a descendant of David Ramick and he has written the following record of this family)

David, the oldest son of Peter, was born in South Carolina in 1791. He lived with his father until 1835 or 1840 when he is shown in the census as head of a household living alone. In 1845, when he was 54 years of age, he married Martha Harris, age 34, born in S. C. Their only child, James David Ramick, was born March 30, 1847. Between 1850 and 1860 David and his family moved to Macon County, Georgia, to the town of Oglethorpe. David died about 1863 or 1864 in Macon County, Georgia. James ran off from his mother and joined the army much to his sorrow as he said many times. According to his army records he enlisted at Andersonville, Georgia, on July 16, 1864, and was sent to the hospital on October 5, 1864, probably with the measles since many Union prisoners died with the measles at the prison camp at Andersonville. In 1869 at the age of 23 James married Laura Ann Paine, age 18, born in Georgia. In 1870 his mother Martha, age 60, was living with James and Laura in Macon County, Georgia. Martha may have died before 1880 when James is shown in the census records in Crenshaw County, Alabama, where he moved in 1871 where he is shown with Laura - age 26, Thomas - age 8, and Mattie - age 7. Census records on this family are as follows:

1850 Lexington District, S. C.							
Family 176	Ramick,	David	59	M	Farmer	$200	Born in S. C.
		Martha	39	F			"
		James D.	3	M			"
1860 Macon County, Georgia (Oglethorpe)							
Family 116	Ramack,	David	69	M	Farmer	$200	S. C.
		Martha	50	F			"
		James D.	13	M			"
1870 Macon County, Georgia (Oglethorpe)							
	Ramick,	James	24	M	Farm Labor	$100	S. C.
		L. Ann	19	F	Keeping house		Georgia
		Martha	60	F	AH		S. C.
1880 Crenshaw County, Alabama (Beat 6)							
Family 78	Ramick,	James	32	M	Sawmill		S. C.
		Laura	26	F			Georgia
		Thomas	8	M			Alabama
		Mattie	7	F			"

Descendants of James David Ramick and Laura Ann Paine Ramick

1. Thomas Mahoney or McHonie Ramick, born 3-27-1871 in Alabama, died 9-30-1935, buried at Hickory Grove Cemetery, Opp, Alabama; married 1896 to Cora Lee Varnadorn who was born 2-22-1874, died 1-22-1956, buried Hickory Grove Cemetery, Opp, Alabama.
2. Mattie Lou Ramick, born 9-3-1873 in Alabama, died 12-15-1955; married Wilber Allen Hall who was born 10-9-1870, died 8-4-1937. We know there were 12 children from this marriage, but have no information at this time on them.

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Descendants of Thomas Mahoney Ramick and Cora Lee Varnadorn Ramick

1. Willie Edgar Ramick, b. 10-29-1897 in Alabama, died 4-28-1977, buried Opp, Alabama. No marriage.
2. Annie Pearl Ramick May, b. 9-29-1901 in Alabama. Married S.M. May who was b. 7-10-1898 and died 11-14-1966. Parents of 2 girls.
3. Mattie Lou Ramick, b. 7-19-1905 in Alabama. No marriage.
4. Laura Lea Ramick Rhodes, b. 1-23-1908 in Alabama. Married R. L. Rhodes on 3-1-1927. Parents of 2 boys and 1 girl.
5. Volena Ramick (Howard) Jones, b. 10-30-1915 in Alabama. Married 1st to a Howard in 1934, and parents of 2 boys; married 2nd to Mr. Jones and parents of 1 boy.

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Laura Ann, James' first wife, died in 1880 after the census was taken or in 1881, because James married his second wife, Elizabeth Kilcrease, b. in Georgia. This marriage to Elizabeth was in 1881 or early 1882 and from this marriage three children were born.

Children of James D. Ramick and Elizabeth Kilcrease Ramick

1. William David Ramick, b. 12-8-1882 in Alabama, died 11-15-1966, buried in Ft. Worth, Texas. He married 1-16-1910 in Lott, Texas, to Elsja Rushing who was b. 2-27-1883 in Texas and died 1-17-1972, buried in Ft. Worth. Parents of 4 boys and 2 girls.
2. Effie Pearl Ramick Rogers, b. 4-23-1884 in Alabama, married in 1904 to Lee Rogers who was b. 12-19-1879 in Texas and died 7-12-1961 buried in Texas. Parents of 4 boys and 5 girls.
3. Ada Viola Ramick Mathews b. 11-21-1888 in Alabama, died 11-14-1972 and buried in Texas; married 1910 to Walter Mathews who was b. in Texas 3-11-1889 and died 4-22-1971, buried in Texas. Parents of 1 boy.

Children of William David Ramick and Elsja Rushing Ramick

1. Imogene Ramick Roy, b. 4-11-1911 in Texas; married 1938 to Travis Roy. Parents of 2 girls.
2. J. Z. Ramick b. 3-13-1913 in Texas, married 1943 to Melva Pettegrew of Australia. Parents of 2 girls.
3. William Delbert Ramick b. 12-9-1914 in Texas, married 12-24-1936 to Iris Marie Roy. Parents of 1 girl and 1 boy.
4. Guy T. Ramick b. 11-27-1917 in Texas. No marriage.
5. Cecil C. Ramick b. 12-11-1922 in Texas, married 1952 to Mrs. Maxine Creswell. 1 boy (adopted)
6. Glendene Ramick Wallace b. 5-26-1924 in Texas, married 1-11-1947 to J. W. Wallace. No children.

Children of Lee Rogers and Effie Pearl Ramick Rogers

1. Alma Beatrice Rogers Jones b. 10-13-1905 in Texas. Married Jeff Jones.
2. Clemmie Lorene Rogers Evans, b. 11-28-1907 in Texas. Married Floyd Evans.
3. Lessor Alex Rogers, b. 3-10-1910 in Texas. Married Hattie B. Brown.
4. Ima Inez Rogers Hill b. 2-5-1913 in Texas. Married Wesley Hill.
5. Raymond Rufus Rogers b. 7-5-1917 in Texas, died 3-12-1944 and buried in Texas.
6. Vernon Edward Rogers b. 6-6-1919 in Texas, died 6-26-1922 and buried in Texas.
7. Guss Leon Rogers b. 4-26-1921 in Texas, married Laverne Woodbury.
8. Onnie Modell Rogers Paul b. 3-5-1923 in Texas, married Eddy Paul.
9. Nell La Verne Rogers Currey b. 1-13-1928 in Texas, married Pete Currey.

Children of Walter Mathews and Ada Viola Ramick Mathews

1. Elmer D. Mathews b. 8-27-1911 in Texas, married 6-15-1933 to Fanny May Travis who was b. 6-30-1912. Parents of 1 girl and 1 boy.

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James David Ramick's second wife, Elizabeth Kilcrease, died in 1889 and was buried in Alabama. In 1892 James went to Texas with his three children by Elizabeth and left his two children by first wife, Laura Paine, in Alabama who by this time were 19 and 20 years of age. In Milam County, Texas, on 12-15-1892 he married Mrs. Mary Frances (Watson) Pearson, born Mississippi, who had 1 boy and 2 girls by Pearson. From this marriage were born four children:

1. James Ira Ramick b. in Texas, died 4-2-1971 and buried at Taylor, Texas. On 4-10-1918 he married Vera Helen Spraggins in Milam County, Texas. Parents of 1 boy and 5 girls.

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2. Allie Ramick Mullins b. in Texas, married 5-2-1915 in Milam County, Texas, to J. W. Mullins.
3. Jewel Ramick Swanzy b. in Texas, buried at Lilac, Texas, married 12-5-1922 in Milam County, Texas, to Arthur Swanzy.
4. Alma Ramick Palm, b. Texas, buried in Round Rock, Texas, married _____ Palm.

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James David Ramick died 3-16-1916 and buried at Gauze, Texas. His third wife, Mary Frances Pearson Ramick died 9-1-1926.

Children of James Ira Ramick and Vera Helen Spraggins Ramick

1. Vera Mae Ramick Kelly b. 1-30-1919 in Texas, married Kenneth Kelly. 1 girl.
2. Maude Louise Ramick Wiseman b. 7-6-1920 in Texas, married Autrey Wiseman. 1 boy and 3 girls.
3. Juel Marie Ramick Ritcheson b. 5-30-1924 in Texas, married Floyd Ritcheson. 1 boy and 1 girl.
4. Opal Joyce Ramick Rathke b. 3-24-1929 in Texas, married Vernon Rathke. 1 boy and 4 girls.
5. Ira Ruth Ramick Vance b. 1-20-1932 in Texas, married Charles Vance. 2 boys and 1 girl.
6. Maxine Inez Ramick Kennedy b. 6-16-1936 in Texas, married Dwight Kennedy. 2 boys and 2 girls.
7. James William Ramick b. 2-2-1939 in Texas. 4 boys and 2 girls.

JOHN RAMICK (SECOND SON OF PETER)

(This John Ramick was an uncle of my ancestor, John S. Ramick, who came to Arkansas)

John Ramick was b. in 1798 in Lexington County, S. C. John married Sarah or (Sally) Seastrunk and stayed in Lexington County, S. C. (Note: I have a letter from Mrs. Marguarette Nation of Shreveport, La. concerning the Seastrunk Family) John was living in the home of his father Peter until 1830. In the 1830 census John was listed as head of a house but living alone. By 1840 John had married Sarah Seastrunk and had two daughters under age 5. Also living with John and Sarah was one female 70-80 who we believe to be Sarah's mother. The children of John and Sarah were Mary E., Susan M., John R., and David E. John (the father) died in 1852 according to a letter in a pension file which was written and signed by Sarah Ramick after her son John R. Ramick died in the Confederate Service as a Private in Co. H 20th Regt. S. C. Vol. stationed at Sullivans Island, S. C. on October 14, 1862. Sarah Ramick was still living in 1892 according to deeds signed by her to her daughters Polly Ann Ramick, Mary E. Ramick Miller, and Susan M. Ramick Taylor. Polly Ann did not marry as far as we can determine as she was still shown in a deed dated 1901 as Polly A. Ramick. Census records found on this family are as follows:

1850 Lexington District, S. C.						
Family 177	Ramick,	John	52	M	Farmer	Born in S. C.
		Sally	40	F		"
		Mary E.	19	F		"
		Susan M.	11	F		"
		John R.	8	M		"
		David E.	5	M		"
1860 Lexington District, S. C.						
	Ramick,	Sarah	51	F		S. C.
		John	18	M		"
		Emanuel	14	M		"
		Polly	9	F		"
1870 Lexington County, S. C. (Vicinity of Saluda Town - P. O. Columbia)						
Family 578	Ramick,	Sarah	58	F	Keeping house	S. C.
		Emanuel	24	M		"
		Polly A.	17	F		"
1880 Lexington County, S. C.						
Family 239	Ramick,	Sarah	68	F	Keeping house	S. C.
		D. E.	29	M	Son	"
		Polly A.	23	F	Daughter	"
		Susanna	40	F	Daughter	"
	Taylor,	Willie	9	M	Grandson	"

As far as we know David Emanuel Ramick never married, so this John Ramick line ended at this point in South Carolina with no male children to carry the Ramick name on. John's other son, John R., who died in the Confederate Service left neither wife nor children.

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SARAH RAMICK LYBRAND TAYLOR (DAUGHTER OF PETER RAMICK)

Sarah Ramick b. 9-25-1817 in Lexington District, S. C., died December 1913 in Grant County, Arkansas, and is buried in Grapevine Cemetery, Grant County, Arkansas. Sarah first married a Lybrand, his first name not known to me. She married second to E. Danial Taylor, son of Garrett Taylor and Mary Lee. Sarah and Danial Taylor married in Lexington County, S. C. about 1841 according to the age of the oldest child born in S. C. They were in Arkansas by 1847 and were living in Jefferson County, Dawson Township in the 1850 census.

I have a letter from Mrs. Opel Goodman Reynolds of Sheridan, Arkansas, who is a descendant of Peter Ramick through his daughter Sarah Ramick who married E. D. Taylor; and their son Caldwell C. Taylor who married Charlotte Finch; and their daughter Florence Taylor who married W. D. (Dick) Goodman. In this letter Opel wrote that her Uncle Peter Ramick who married her father's sister, Sarah Jane Goodman, was named after his grandfather or great grandfather Peter Ramick, who was Grandma Sarah Ramick Lybrand Taylor's father. This cleared the mystery of who Peter Ramick's daughter was as shown in the 1830 census of Lexington County, S. C. as one female 10-15 years of age.

Sarah and E. D. Taylor are buried in Grapevine Cemetery, Grant County, Arkansas; as Elder E. D. Taylor 12-16-1823/7-6-1913 and Sarah Taylor 9-25-1817/12-16-1913. An obituary published in the Sheridan, Arkansas Headlight dated 7-10-1913 on Elder Taylor and one published in the Pine Bluff, Arkansas Commercial dated 12-17-1913 on Sarah show that at that time their surviving children were: Newton J. Taylor, C. C. Taylor, and Mrs. Mary Ross all living in Grapevine, Arkansas.

The children of E. D. and Sarah Taylor of which we have record were John, Caldwell C., Newton J., Mary, and Noah.

Listed below are names copied from pages of the Family Bible of Elder E. D. Taylor, which is now in the possession of Mrs. Eula Goodman Ramick of Sheridan, Arkansas.

E. D. Taylor	12-16-1823
Sarah Ramack	9-25-1817
C. C. Taylor	6-14-1850
Newton J. Taylor	11-10-1856
Emily C. Fikes	3-3-1855
Margaret I. Taylor	10-15-1872
Annie M. Taylor	3-5-1874
Danial J. Taylor	8-29-1876
George A. Taylor	4-14-1878
Robert L. Taylor	2-13-1881
S. P. Taylor	2-27-1881

(Note: For the reader's information and confusion, Mrs. Eula Goodman Ramick is a sister to Mrs. Opel Goodman Reynolds and is also a descendant of Peter Ramick through his daughter, Sarah. Eula's husband, Ocie J. Ramick, is a descendant of Peter Ramick through his son, Samuel, whose line will be given in following pages. You will note in these records that follow how the families (Ramick, Goodman, Taylor, Gartman, and others) who came early to Jefferson and Grant Counties, Arkansas, inter-married and settled around Grapevine, Arkansas. It is only fitting to assume that to claim kinship with one of the families, somewhere down the line you will probably relate to the others.)

1850 Jefferson County, Arkansas (Dawson Township) - enumerated 12-6-1850

Family 486	Taylor,	Daniel	25	M	Farmer	Born in S. C.
		Sarah	28	F		"
		John	8	M		"
		Matilda	3	F		Arkansas
		Noah	3	M		"
		Caldwell	1/12	M		"

1860 Jefferson County, Arkansas (White Oak Twsp. - Brooks P. O.) - enumerated 9-17-1860

Family 599	Taylor,	E. D.	35	M	Farmer	S. C.
		Sarah	42	F	Keeping house	"
		C. C.	9	M		Arkansas
		Newton J.	5	M		"
		Mary M.	3	F		"
	Spires,	M. M.	3	F		"

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1870 Grant County, Arkansas (Madison Twsp. - Tulip P. O.) enumerated 7-22-1870							
Family 51	Taylor,	Elza D.	48	M	Farmer	Born in	S. C.
		Sarah	53	F	Wife		"
		Newton J.	16	M	At school		Arkansas
		Mary A.	13	F	At school		"
	Spires,	Matilda	24	F			S. C.
		Danial	22	M			"
1880 Grant County, Arkansas (Madison Twsp.) enumerated 4th & 5th June 1880							Parents
Family 47	Taylor,	E. D.	56	M	Farmer	S.C.	N.C. S.C.
		Sarah	63	F	Wife - keeping house	"	S.C. "
	King,	Margaret	33	F	Niece	"	" "
1900 Grant County, Arkansas (Madison Twsp.) enumerated 6-21-1900							Parents
Family 201	Taylor,	Danial	76	M	Farmer	S.C.	N.C. S.C.
		Sarah	82	F	Wife	"	S.C. "
	King,	Margaret	52	F	Niece	"	" "

Some of the children of E. D. and Sarah Taylor were found in Grant County, Arkansas, in the 1900 census as: Newton J. Taylor age 45, Emily C. 45, George N. 21, Clarenda 17, and Sarah M. 15; Caldwell Taylor 49, his wife Charlotte 40, Samuel 19, and Solomon 15; Dan J. Taylor 23, his wife Della M. 18 (Dan J. was a son of Newton J. and grandson of E. D. and Sarah Taylor. Dan J. Taylor and Della Derough were married 10-26-1899, recorded in Grant County, Ark. - Book C, page 414)

SAMUEL RAMICK (THIRD SON OF PETER)

(Although Samuel was not the youngest child of Peter, information on him is being given last as the following pages will concern the descendants of Samuel who came to Arkansas)

Samuel Ramick was born about 1805 in Lexington District, S. C. In the 1830 census he was listed as head of house in age group 20-30 with 2 males 5-10, 1 female 10-15 and 1 female 20-30. Samuel and Ann's children were Mary Ann born about 1820, William David born 5-17-1822, and John Selethiel born about 1826. All three of these children came to Arkansas, but at different times. William D. was in Jefferson County in the 1850 census. John Selethiel was in Jefferson County by 1855 according to a poll tax record and Mary Ann had married Charles Spires in Lexington County, S. C., and they were in Jefferson County, Arkansas, in the 1860 census.

Samuel Ramick was deceased by 1840 census as Ann was listed as head of the house with 2 males 15-20 and 1 female 15-20. A deed dated 1-22-1839 in Lexington County, S. C. of John J. Kinsler to John Lown for land on Red Bank and Lick Fork Creek shows the land adjoins property of a Brazelman, Kinsler, Fellers, estate of Wm. Kinsler, Colly Souter, Joseph Souter, and estate of Samuel Ramick.

We found no further record of Ann Ramick, Samuel's widow. She may have remarried or died before the 1850 census.

MARY AN RAMICK SPIRES

Mary An Ramick was the oldest child of Samuel and Ann Ramick. She was born in Lexington District, S. C., about 1820 according to the 1850 census. Mary An, John S., and David Ramick recorded deeds in Lexington District, S.C., of which we made a copy at the Archives in Columbia, S. C.

Mary An married Charles Spires about 1832. Charles was born about 1810 according to the age in the 1850 Lexington District, S. C. census. We believe that they were in Arkansas (Jefferson County) by 1859 as they were in the 1860 census in that County. We found no further record of them after the 1860 census. One son, Daniel I. Spires, married Martha E. Caldwell, and settled and raised his family in Jefferson County, Ark. (Spring Twsp.) As shown above, two of their children were living in the home of an aunt and uncle, E. D. Taylor and Sarah. Matilda Spires was then age 24 and Daniel age 22.

The 1840 census of Lexington District, S. C. shows Charles Spires as head of house in age group 20-30 with one male under 5, one male 5-10, 1 female under 5, 1 female 5-10, and 1 female 20-30 (which would have been Mary An). Also, one female 60-70 listed in the home.

1850 Lexington District, S. C.						
Family 970	Spires,	Charles	40	M	Farmer	S. C.
		Mary An	30	F		"
		Elizabeth	17	F		"
		James	15	M		"
		Millissey	12	F		"

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	William	9	M		S. C.
	John	8	M		"
	Sharlote C.	5	F		"
	Isiah D.	4	M		"
	Nancy An	1	F		"
	Julia	3/12	F		"
1860 Jefferson County, Arkansas (White Oak Twsp.)					
Family 498	Spires, Charles	52	M	Farmer	S. C.
	Mary A.	40	F		"
	C.M.C.	14	F		"
	Danial I.	13	M		"
	Nancy A.	11	F		"
	Julia M.	10	F		"
	Celia C.	8	F		"
	Jonathon P.	6	M		"
	Andrew M.	4	M		"
	Henry D.	1	M		Alabama

WILLIAM DAVID RAMICK

(Much of the information on this family was given to me by Mrs. Ida Nell Raymick whose husband was a direct descendant of William David)

William David Ramick b. 5-17-1822 in Lexington District, S. C. was the older son of Samuel and Ann Ramick. William David married Artimisa Taylor b. 11-22-1820 who was the daughter of Garrett Taylor and Mary Lee Taylor. William David and Artimisa came to Arkansas in 1847 and settled in Jefferson County. Living near them in the 1850 census were Artimisa's parents, Garrett and Mary Taylor; Artimisa's brother, E. D. Taylor and his wife Sarah Ramick Taylor; and others that had moved there from Lexington County, S. C. William David and Artimisa's oldest child, John Samuel, b. 11-19-1847 was about three weeks old when they moved to Arkansas. The other children were: Danial George b. 6-4-1851, Mary Ann b. 9-3-1853, Emma Zo b. 2-8-1856, and Nancy C. E. b. 3-8-1859. Emma Zo married Wm Lewis Appling.

1850 Jefferson County, Arkansas (Dawson Twsp.)					
Family 481	Raymick, William D.	29	M	Farmer	S. C.
	Artimisa	20	F		"
	John	2	M		"
1860 Jefferson County, Arkansas (White Oak Twsp. - Brooks, Arkansas P. O.)					
Family 591	Ramick, Wm.	34	M	Farmer	S. C.
	Artimisi	30	F		"
	John S.	12	M		"
	Mary A.	6	F		Arkansas
	Emiso	4	F		"
	Nancy C.	1	F		"
1870 Grant County, Arkansas (Madison Twsp. - Tulip P. O.)					
Family 38	Raymick, David W.	47	M	Farmer	S. C.
	Artimissa	40	F		"
	Mary A.S.	16	F		Arkansas
	Elizen	14	F		"
	Nancy C.E.	11	F		"

(NOTE: Census records not clear to read; feel sure the one shown Elizen age 14 was meant to read Emma Zo, who was shown Emiso age 4 in 1860)

1880 Grant County, Arkansas (Madison Twsp.)					
Family 103	Ramick, D. W.	58	M	Farmer	S. C.
	A. L.	49	F	Wife	"
	Mary A.S.	25	F	Daughter	Arkansas
	N.C.E.	21	F	Daughter	"

JOHN SAMUEL RAYMICK, oldest child of William David and Artimisa, married Elizabeth Mayberry Cearley (widow Cearley). Children were Mary Rodella and William James. When John Samuel came back from the war, he married widow Cearley. (Her first husband, Andrew J. Cearley, was killed during the Civil War and he left four children by Elizabeth: Isabell, Jacob Andrew, Henry Yell, and John Thomas).

It was told that when John Samuel first came back from the war, he was afraid to stay at the house because of the Graybacks. He hid out behind what is now the Ramick Cemetery. His mother took food out to him. One of the James brothers (Frank) came by and got him and made him swim Derreiseaux Creek holding to the horse's tail. They were talking of stringing him up, but one said he had done them no harm, and they left him.

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John Samuel and Elizabeth are buried in the Ramick Cemetery near Grapevine, Arkansas. Their stones show J. S. Raymick 2nd Arkansas Cav. C.S.A. and Elizabeth M. Raymick 9-13-1831/12-29-1902.

1870 Grant County, Arkansas (Madison Twsp. - Tulip P. O.)

Family 11	Raymick, John	23	M	Farmer		S. C.
	Elizabeth	37	F			Miss.
	Jacob A.	15	M			Arkansas
	John T.	14	M			"
	Henry	11	M			"
	Mary	3	F			"

1880 Grant County, Arkansas (Madison Twsp.)

Family 114	Ramick, J. S.	32	M	Farmer		S. C.
	Elz.	46	F	Wife		Miss.
	Mary	12	F			Arkansas
	William J.	9	M			"
	Cearley, Henry	20	M	Stepson		"

1900 Grant County, Arkansas (Madison Twsp.) enumerated 6-4-1900

						Parents	
Census	Raymick, John S.	53	M	Farmer	S.C.	S.C.	S.C.
page 269	Elizabeth M.	68	F	Wife	Miss.	N.C.	N.C.
	Massey, Nellie	14	F	Granddaughter	Ark.	"	Ark.

Children of John Samuel Raymick:

1. Mary Rodella Raymick 10-12-1868/1-30-1886 married Hardy F. Massey. Mary died when their child Nellie was born, and Nellie was raised by her grandparents and her Uncle William James. (See 1900 census above - Nellie Massey shown living with grandparents)

2. William James Raymick b. 8-18-1870 at Grapevine, Arkansas, married on 12-21-1893 to Georgia Alice Watts b. 4-9-1876 at Brooks, Arkansas. Willie James taught school around Grapevine and Ain Communities for about 25 years. It is said that he was a great Christian man. Willie J. died 1-13-1956, Georgia A. died 2-23-1957, and they are buried in Ramick Cemetery near Grapevine, Arkansas. Children of Willie James and Georgia were:

   a. William Kenneth Raymick b. 3-2-1895 at Grapevine married 6-20-1917 to Martha Hattie Wingard. Children: Freeman Lavon, Kenneth Jr., and Dorsey. Hattie died 4-13-1939 when the boys were small. Kenneth later married Patsy Briney - no children. Kenneth died in the fall of 1975.
   b. George Mathew Raymick b. 6-20-1898 at Grapevine; died 11-19-1905 and is buried in Ramick Cemetery.
   c. John Dorsey Raymick b. 9-26-1900 at Grapevine married 9-4-1923 to Gusie Elizabeth Petty b. 7-27-1901. John Dorsey died 3-19-1972 and is buried in Ramick Cemetery. Children are Dorothy, Thelma, Johnnie, Jamie Marie, and Dorsey Merrill.
   d. Mary Marie Raymick b. 12-24-1902 at Grapevine married 5-30-1925 to LaClede Ferguson. Children are Verna LaClede and Willie Harrell.
   e. Roe Donal Raymick b. 12-18-1906 at Grapevine married 11-5-1927 to Ida Nell Pope b. 2-2-1906. Roe Donal died 3-13-1964 and is buried in the Ramick Cemetery. Children are Sunbeam Raymick b. 10-21-1928 married Tom Tidwell and are parents of Gloria, Tommy, Elaine, and Marilyn; Donnie Ruth Raymick b. 8-8-1930 married Wayne Henderson and are parents of Tony; James Ernest (Jimmy) Raymick b. 5-15-1933 married Norma Bernson and are parents of Lori Lynn, Lana Lois, and James Maurice.

1900 Grant County, Arkansas (Madison Twsp.) enumerated 6-28-1900

					Parents	
Family 265	Raymick, William	29	M	Farmer	Ark.	S.C.	Miss.
	Georgia	24	F		"	Miss.	"
	William K.	4	M		"	Ark.	Ark.
	George M.	1	M		"	"	"

JOHN SELETHIEL RAMICK

John S. Ramick (my gr. gr. grandfather) was the youngest child of Samuel and Ann Ramick. He was born about 1826 in Lexington County, S. C., married first to Elizabeth Parder, 2nd to Martha Jane Morris Clark. The earliest record that we have of John S. and Elizabeth in Arkansas is a poll tax receipt recorded in Jefferson County, Arkansas, dated in 1855; also, one of their children was born in Arkansas that year. The children of John Selethiel and Elizabeth that we have record of were William Lee, George N., Julia A., James H., Samuel Wade, and John Henry. Elizabeth died some time after the 1860 census.

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John S. married on 9-4-1866 to Martha Jane Morris Clark 9-9-1837/12-3-1919. Marriage is recorded in Jefferson County, Ark., in Book Vol. VI, page 73. Martha Jane is buried in Grapevine Cemetery. Children born to this union were Daniel Marion, Faytie, Peter D., and Della. Daniel Marion was the father of T. Roose Ramick. (Martha Jane Morris was first married to Daniel Clark, marriage recorded in Jefferson County as Daniel Clark 24 and Martha Jane Morris 19 on 1-7-1858 by J. G. Taylor. Daniel Clark's date of death is unknown to me.

John Selethiel Ramick was the grandfather of Uncle Loyd and Uncle Charlie Ramick and they told me that their grandfather was buried in Springhill Cemetery. In September 1976 Neil Sharp and I walked in to the cemetery which is located in the woods on a hill about a quarter of a mile due south of Clements Cemetery in Grant County near Grapevine. I found his grave there and it showed "Corp. John S. Ramick - Co. A 9th Ark. Inf. C.S.A." but there were no dates on the stone. (T. Roose Ramick told me that he helped place the monument there.)

In a widow's application for pension by Martha J. Ramick dated 6-22-1911, she stated that her husband, John S. Ramick, died at home on 10-13-1877. He was mustered into service in Pine Bluff, Arkansas, on 7-25-1861. His service record shows that he was wounded on 4-6-1862 in the Battle of Shiloh in Tennessee and again on 7-28-1864 in the Battle of Atlanta, Georgia. He was captured by forces of Maj. Gen. Thomas and sent to Louisville, Ky. on 1-11-1865. He was also a prisoner at Camp Chase, Ohio, was released from there and transferred to City Point, Va. for exchange on 2-25-1865.

(NOTE: This John S. is not to be confused with John Samuel Ramick, son of William David Ramick. John Samuel is buried at Ramick Cemetery as John S. Ramick 2nd Ark. Cav. C.S.A.)

1850 Lexington County, S. C.

Family 977	Ramick,	John	25	M	Farmer	S. C.
		Eliza. A.	20	F		Georgia
		William L.	2	M		S. C.
		George N.	3/12	M		"
	Parder,	Sarah	65	F		Georgia

(NOTE: Believe the last named to be the mother of Eliza. A. Ramick)

1860 Jefferson County, Arkansas (Whiteoak Twsp. - Brooks, Arkansas - P. O.)
(This location was later taken into Grant County after formation in 1869)

Family 622	Ramick,	John S.	32	M	Farmer	S. C.
		Elizabeth A.	30	F		Georgia
		William L.	12	M		S. C.
		George N.	10	M		"
		Julia A.	8	F		"
		James H.	5	M		Arkansas
		Samuel W.	3	M		"
		John H.	8/12	M		"

1870 Grant County, Arkansas (Madison Twsp. - Tulip, Arkansas P. O.)

Family 110	Ramick,	John S.	44	M	Farmer	S. C.
		Martha J.	32	F		Miss.
		William L.	22	M		S. C.
		George N.	20	M		"
		Samuel W.	13	M		Arkansas
		John H.	11	M		"
		D. M.	2	M		"
		Nancy	1	F		"

1880 Grant County, Arkansas (Madison Twsp.)
(NOTE: John S. died before this census - his widow, Martha is listed as Head of House)

Family 70	Ramick,	M. J.	42	F	Keeping house	Miss.
		D. M.	12	M	Son	Arkansas
		N.F.P.	11	F	Daughter	"
		Peter D.	7	M	Son	"
		M.D.E.	5	F	Daughter	"

(NOTE: Martha J. was listed in the home of her son, Peter, in the 1900 census)

Descendants of John Selethiel Ramick by 1st marriage to Elizabeth

1. William Lee Ramick 5-24-1848/6-22-1914 married Mary Jane Goodman 2-7-1850/1-7-1930 (My great grandparents) Mary Jane was the daughter of William R. Goodman and Elizabeth Wood. William Lee and Mary Jane are buried in Grapevine Cemetery, Grapevine.

   William Lee served in the Confederate Service during the Civil War. Although I have been unable to obtain a copy of his service record, Uncle Loyd Ramick has told me

that his father William L., fought in the Civil War and was only age 14 at the time he fought in the Battle of Jenkins Ferry in Arkansas. I have a copy from Arkansas History Commission of an application for pension filed by William L., file #18242 dated 5-13-1909 and approved for $50; application for pension increase, file #27401 dated 7-10-1913 and approved for $100; and copy of his widow's (M.J.) application, file #18242 dated 6-29-1914 and approved for $100 for widow's pension. In the March 1978 issue of Ouachita County, Arkansas Historical Quarterly, an article showing those attending a reunion of Ex-Confederates held 20-21-22 September 1899 listed W. L. Ramick, Grapevine, among those attending.

1880 Grant County, Arkansas (Madison Twsp.)

Family 175	Ramick, W. L.	32	M	Farmer	Born in S. C.	
	M. J.	29	F	Wife	Arkansas	
	Wm. H.	8	M	Son	"	
	Eliza. E.	6	F	Daughter	"	
	Sarah J.	7/12	F	"	"	

(NOTE: Uncle Loyd, Felix, and Charlie (children of William L.) were born after the above census was taken. Uncle Loyd told me that he had a sister, Betty, who died young. Betty often used for Elizabeth, which was shown above in census. Other children of William L. who died young were Ollie and Johnnie)

1900 Grant County, Arkansas (Madison Twsp.)

						Parents	
Family 235	Ramick, W. L.	52	M	Farmer	S.C.	S.C.	Ga.
	Mary J.	50	F	Wife	Ark.	"	Ill.
	Sarah J.	20	F	Daughter	"	"	Ark.
	Noah S.	19	M	Son	"	"	"
	Loyd	12	M	Son	"	"	"
	Felix S.	11	M	Son	"	"	"
	Charles	7	M	Son	"	"	"
	Taylor, Mary J.	72	F	Aunt	Ga.	Kent.	Ga.

Descendants of William Lee Ramick and Mary Jane Goodman Ramick

a. William Henry Ramick 4-15-1872/2-15-1952 married on 7-31-1894 to Mattie Annie Taylor 3-5-1876/2-20-1960. Marriage recorded in Grant County - Book C, page 150. Both are buried in Grapevine Cemetery. Children: 1) Ara; 2) Penn; 3) Eugenia; 4) Vulah; 5) Odell; and 6) Hoyt. Penn was married on 6-16-1929 to Ruth Haskins recorded in Cleveland County, Arkansas - Book 8, page 21. The family of William Henry in census enumerated 6-16-1900 in Grant County (Madison Twsp) dwelling 156 is shown as Henry Raymick 28, Annie M. 26, Ara 5, Penn 3, and Eugenia 10/12.

b. Sarah Jane Ramick 10-29-1879/7-26-1954 married on 11-29-1903 to John Smith Hedden 2-18-1872/3-1-1964. Both were born at Grapevine, Arkansas, and are buried there at Hedden's Chapel Cemetery.
Children: 1) James Elvis Hedden b. at Grapevine 11-13-1899 married on 3-31-1947 to Fern Harris b. at Union Town, Kansas 9-23-1919. Their son is Lloyd James. A stepson of James Elvis is Ronald McHenry. (Note: James Elvis was a son of John S. Hedden by a previous marriage to Etta Sharp. Etta died 9-22-1900 and is buried in Grapevine Cemetery; also, there was another child of John S. and Etta, Beulah 12-1-1898/12-12-1898 buried in Grapevine Cemetery); 2) Vanas Hedden 11-3-1904/2-12-1905 buried in Grapevine Cemetery; 3) Clarence Duffie Hedden 12-2-1905/5-14-1909 buried in Grapevine Cemetery; 4) LouElla Hedden b. at Grapevine 9-7-1907 married on 10-8-1926 to B. Clark Poss b. 9-9-1902 at Grapevine - died on 4-1-1969; 5) Lloyd Hedden b. at Grapevine 4-23-1909 married on 3-27-1927 to Ora Worthen who was b. at Sheridan 7-20-1906; 6) Boyd Hedden b. at Grapevine 3-3-1911, died 12-29-1950 - was married on 3-5-1932 to Thera Mae Wyles who was b. at Grapevine 7-11-1913 - their children were Vivian Marie, Shirley Daphene, and William Aaron; 7) Ollie Lee Hedden b. at Grapevine 1-8-1916 married on 12-24-1935 to John Fielding who was b. at Grapevine 5-23-1914 - their children are John Clifford, Brenda Lue, and Linda Jane; 8) Carl Hedden b. at Grapevine 11-4-1917 married on 6-13-1941 to Dora Ella Hampton who was b. in Lonoke 10-7-1923 - their children are Carl Vanas, Janie Cordelia, and Janet Carlene; 9) Joe Ray Hedden b. at Grapevine 3-24-1920 married on 3-4-1939 to Marsha Jane Blackerby who was b. at Grapevine 12-6-1923 - their children are Martha Rae, Betty Jo, and Larry Dale; and 10) Ruby Hedden b. at Grapevine 12-6-1921 married on 5-16-1942 to Grover Smith who was b. at Pine Bluff 11-16-1921 - their children are Charles Eugene, Barbara Lynn, and Charlotte Gail.

c. (My grandparents) Noah Solomon Ramick 8-7-1882/11-4-1949 first marriage 10-20-1901 to Della Appling 7-12-1884/6-23-1903. Marriage by F. Sanders, M.G., recorded in Jefferson County, Arkansas. Della is buried in Grapevine Cemetery. Noah died in Camden, Arkansas, Hospital; buried in Pine Bluff, Arkansas.

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The following article of interest was found on N. S. Ramick published in The Malvern, Arkansas, Times Journal on Friday, 11-12-1915: "N. S. Raymick for Representative - N. S. Raymick throws his hat in the ring this week as a candidate for representative of this county in the next General Assembly. Mr. Raymick is a native of Grant County, but has resided in this county for the past four years. He is an upright citizen and comes from one of the old pioneer families of this section of the State. His announcement is subject to the action of the Democratic primary."

Child of Noah Ramick and Della Appling Ramick: Faye Ramick Greene 10-19-1902/8-4-1974 married on 1-4-1919 at Grapevine to Henry Luther Greene 6-12-1899/4-29-1955. (Marriage by Oliver Sharp, M.G., recorded in Cleveland County, Ark., Book Vol. 6, page 255). Both are buried in Memorial Park Cemetery, Camden, Ark. Children: 1) Noah S. 11-23-1919/9-18-1921 buried in Grapevine Cemetery; 2) Henry Luther Greene, Jr. b. at Fordyce, Ark. on 3-26-1922 married on 5-11-1941 to Esther Clem who was b. at Malvern, Ark. on 4-8-1922 - their children are H. L. III and Bettye Ann; 3) Charles Vernon b. at Rison, Ark. on 2-17-1925 married on 8-29-1952 to Mary Oreta Robertson b. at Lake Village, Ark. on 12-11-1931 - their children are Charles Ricky and Rita Faye; and 4) Zella Faye b. at Camden, Ark. on 11-4-1932 married 1st to Dorman Robertson, 2nd to Ed Cagle and has one daughter by this marriage (Paula Denise), & 3rd marriage to T. C. Tatum. Dorman Robertson died 4-6-1963 and is buried in Memorial Park Cemetery, Camden.

Noah S. Ramick's second marriage was to Althea Haley, daughter of Azro R. Haley. Their marriage recorded in Grant County, Arkansas as: N. S. Ramick 23 of Turin, Grant County, and Altha Haley 19 of Turin on 11-19-1905 by W. B. McCool - Book D, page 142. Children of Noah S. and Althea: 1) Juanita who married Lyle Becker; and 2) Vivian who married Leslie Tucker. Vivian died about 1973. Children are Louise Garner and Norma Jean Kerr.

d. Loyd Ramick b. 9-2-1887 married on 3-22-1924 to Minnie Duke b. 9-19-1900. Their children are 1) Loyd Ramick, Jr. b. 3-16-1928 married on 11-23-1949 to Sarah Yeargain b. 6-9-1928. Their children are Rickey & Stephanie; 2) Ruth Virginia b. 1-22-1925 married on 6-16-1951 to Pete Kohler b. 2-2-1921. Their children are Bob and Jim.

e. Felix Samuel Ramick 4-28-1890/5-12-1928. A Military funeral was held for Felix, and he was buried in Grapevine Cemetery. He was married to Mary Elizabeth Bates in 1921. After Felix died, Mary married on 4-5-1933 to Allie Lee Sharp 4-15-1892/10-14-1954. He was the son of Robert (Bob) Sharp and Laura Epsey Lites.

f. Charles Pinkney Ramick 7-13-1892/9-5-1978, buried in Grapevine Cemetery. Married on 2-13-1915 to Faustina (Fossie) Cearley b. 9-28-1894. Children are 1) Gerald Ramick b. 1-25-1916 married on 1-3-1942 to Evelyn Schwartz. Their children are Barbara, Richard, & Jan; 2) Conrad Coburn Ramick b. 12-10-1919 married on 12-4-1944 to Marie T. Lodewyck. Their children are Charles Conrad, Michael Thomas, and Melissa Ann; 3) Elena Elaine Ramick b. 1-15-1922 married on 5-31-1942 to Charles Edward Taylor b. 10-26-1918. Their children are Patrice Elaine Taylor, Kent Ramick Taylor, and Timothy Charles Taylor; 4) Nelda Charlene Ramick b. 10-9-1928 married 9-15-1950 to Lauren Sanders - no children - now divorced.

2. George N. Ramick b. 1850 married Elizabeth P. Ross 10-17-1853/3-27-1881. She was a sister to Abb and John Ross. She is buried in Davis Cemetery, Grant County, Ark. (Lazybend Community) Have been told that George N. is buried in Springhill Cemetery; however, most stones are broken there, or many did not have stones. After George N. died, his widow Elizabeth P. married George's brother, Samuel Wade Ramick.
Descendants of George N. Ramick and Elizabeth P.

a. Albert Anderson Ramick 6-6-1872/10-8-1957 married Irma P. Taylor 8-30-1889/3-16-1927. Marriage was on 2-5-1910 recorded in Grant County - Book D, page 418. They are buried in Grapevine Cemetery. Their only child is George Astor Ramick, b. 7-13-1914 married on 4-28-1943 to Ara Mona McSwain. Children of George Astor and Ara are George Astor Ramick, Jr. and Thomas Eugene Ramick.

b. Georgeanna (called Anna) married on 2-25-1905 to Charles Edger Wilkinson - marriage recorded in Grant County, Book D, page 116. He was a son of pioneer Dr. Hugh Montgomery Wilkinson. Children 1) Carl; 2) Liza Hazel - deceased wife of Hallie Crowder; 3) Zelma - married to Calvin Barnes; 4) Anderson Charlie; 5) Fearil Phlorena - married to Carmen Henderson; 6) Earil Mae - married to Kenneth Markham; and 7) Hugh Montgomery - deceased, was married to Lois Crouse.

1900 Grant County, Arkansas (Madison Twsp.)						Parents		
Family 216	Raymick, Albert A.	27	M	Farmer		Ark.	Ark.	Ark.
	Eliza. G. A.	25	F	Sister		"	"	"

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3. Julia A. Ramick b. about 1852 married A. Ross. Children 1) John Gean Ross who lived near the Johnnie Hedden place at Grapevine. He is buried in Davis Cemetery; 2) Mary Liza who married Phill Morris, and they are buried in Davis Cemetery.

4. James H. Ramick b. around 1855 according to census records. No information on him.

5. Samuel Wade Ramick 2-25-1854/9-19-1942 married 1st to Elizabeth P. Ross Ramick, who was widow of his brother, George N. Elizabeth is buried in Davis Cemetery. Samuel Wade married 2nd on 7-10-1881 to Alcydora Taylor 6-4-1857/3-5-1926. Marriage recorded in Grant County, Ark. - Book A, page 276. Children of Samuel Wade and first wife, Elizabeth, were:

   a. Mary Elizabeth (Lizzie) 7-28-1877/1-26-1929 married on 4-23-1899 to Governor Houston Smithey 6-26-1878/8-16-1912. Marriage recorded in Grant County - Book C, page 383. Both are buried in Grapevine Cemetery. Their children 1) Alice; 2) Annie who married Wilson Britt; 3) Claudia - deceased, was married to Martin Plunkett; 4) Fayette Wm. 8-20-1909/11-8-1961 who married Audrey Marie Little - their children are Odessa Odell Smithy who married Henry Grady Jackson and have two children - Michael Grady and Gary Lee; Joy Ellen Smithy 1st married Earl Dean Denton and have six children - Rebecca Joy, Robert Earl, Carolwinn Marie, Wanda Sue, Raymond, and Angela; Joy Ellen married 2nd to Edward Fowler Lyday; Gene Robert Smithy who married Barbara Jean Hansen; and Mary Jane Smithy who married Billy Wayne Harper - their children are Billy Wayne Jr., Steven Jay, Michelle Leah, and Troy Edward; 5) Mamie - married William Pounder.

   b. Martha who married William Lee Goodman. Their marriage recorded in Jefferson County, Ark. - Vol. N (1903-1904), page 631. Their children 1) Granville; 2) Laron; and 3) Bera - deceased, was married to Marion Reeves.

Children of Samuel Wade Ramick and second wife, Alcydora Taylor

   a. Walter G. Ramick 2-25-1885/7-5-1967 married 1st on 3-22-1907 to Blanchie Shepherd, marriage recorded in Grant County - Book D, page 240; married 2nd on 6-3-1910 to Nancy Alice Roberts 1-11-1888/8-2-1977.
   Children of Walter and Alice: 1) Seigle Mae Ramick 7-14-1911/11-16-1943. She lost her life in an explosion at Pine Bluff Arsenal. She married 1st on 6-10-1937 to Perry Aiken, 2nd on 8-1-1942 to Oscar Sutterfield. No children by either marriage; 2) Zelda Idella Ramick b. 9-28-1913 married on 1-23-1942 to Robert L. Berry who had one child, Patricia Berry Clark, by a previous marriage, 3) Grover Allen Ramick b. 1-2-1916 married 1st on 1-12-1940 to Nettie Jo Gibbs. Their children: Judy, Donna, and Jerry; Grover married 2nd on 1-6-1961 to Hays Miller Gill who has two children by a previous marriage to Mr. Gill - Amelia Ann and Michael Gill, 4) Mildred Virginia Ramick b. 9-2-1918 married 1st on 5-22-1937 to John L. Sullivan - they had one child, James Lamar (deceased); Mildred married 2nd on 6-1-1959 to Mitchell Jeffrey, 5) Lola Bell Ramick b. 11-21-1920 married on 12-27-1941 to Paul Highfill - their child, Carolyn Ann; 6) Luther Leon Ramick 11-17-1922/5-17-1961. He died in automobile accident. He was married in 1946 to Dorothy Lee Case, and were parents of Pamela, Rodney, and Debra.

   b. Arthur Wylie Ramick 5-26-1888/2-11-1973 married on 3-8-1911 to Donia Mae Burress 10-8-1895/9-8-1969 - marriage recorded in Grant County, Ark. - Book D, page 502. Children: 1) Gladys Lucille Ramick b. 12-18-1911 married 1st on 4-4-1928 to W. Curtis Wyles - their children are Homer D., Arthur David, Jimmy R., Virginia Modene; Gladys married 2nd on 4-4-1944 to George Edwards Bates - their children are Jannie Lee, Mary Donia, Frances Josephine, and 3 children who died as babies. George's children by a previous marriage are Zetty May and Edward Lee; 2) Mary Pauline Ramick b. 2-25-1915 married on 9-18-1932 to Samuel Morris Williams Sr. b. 7-10-1912 - their children are Samuel Jr., Letta Bell, Linda Fay, Ralph Eugene, Jerrel Dean, Marilyn Ruth, Shirley Paulette, and Deborah Grace; 3) Otha Vernon Ramick 12-2-1917/5-22-1977 married 1st in 1940 to Rose Lee Tycer - one child Linda Lee; Otha Vernon married 2nd on 4-1-1955 to Virginia Fox - their children are Vernon Randell, Arthur Ray, and Diane Loraine. Virginia had 3 children by her marriage to Mr. Fox - William Roy, Thomas Lee, and Dale Edward; 4) Dorothy Alline Ramick b. 12-9-1919 married on 2-27-1937 to Rev. Raymond Allison Thompson b. 8-18-1919 - their children are Billy Ray, Glenn Allison, and Jerald; 5) Alva Jacob Ramick b. 11-22-1921 married on 10-8-1949 to Doris Daniels - children are William Daniel and Richard Garland; 6) Mollie Maxine Ramick 1-14-1924/6-14-1934; 7) Edna Louise Ramick b. 11-6-1927 married first to Floyd J. Crump, Jr., and their daughter Floy Carolyn; Edna Louise married 2nd in 1953 to Harold Burrow - their children are Lynneda Gay, Scott Steven, and Philip Fredrick.

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c. Lela Ramick married on 12-17-1905 to John T. Gregory - marriage recorded in Grant County, Ark. - Book D, page 152. Children are Chester, Mertis, Alton, Floyd, and Thomas.

d. Osie J. Ramick b. 10-1896 married on 2-15-1914 to Eula Goodman b. 8-1897. Marriage recorded in Grant County, Arkansas - Book E, page 97.
Children: 1) Nathan Evander Ramick b. 7-25-1915 married on 6-18-1939 to Madaline Ginnett - their child Sharon Hope; 2) Gussie Merle Ramick b. 1-21-1918 married on 6-25-1941 to Harry Brown - their child Harriet; 3) Mavis Lorella Ramick b. 10-30-1921 married on 9-1-1940 to Wilbert Morris - no children; 4) Ottis Sherman Ramick 12-20-1923/3-15-1924; 5) Bonnie Gean Ramick b. 11-2-1925 married on 6-8-1946 to Thomas Hollis McBryde - their child Thomas Preston; 6) Lottie Nell Ramick b. 5-13-1931 married on 7-26-1952 to Rommie Lee Taylor - their children are Phillip Lee, Roger Dale, Gregory Jay, Lori Renee, Lisa Gay, Todd Corey, and Lee Anne; 7) Patsy Evelyn Ramick b. 8-28-1933 married on 10-19-1952 to Alvis Jesse Worthen - their children are Anthony Ramick Worthen, Dean Allan, and Sherri Lynn; 8) O. Jay Ramick b. 11-21-1937 married on 4-12-1957 to Lorene Van Ness - their children are Cynthia Ann and Rebecca Adele.

e. Ada C. Ramick 1st married Ben Wilkerson - one child who died as a baby; married 2nd to Bob Anderson. Bob was married to Ada's sister, Ella, and married Ada after Ella died.

f. Ella May Ramick married 1st to Henry May - one child Ruth died as a baby; married 2nd to J. Cornelius; 3rd to Bob Anderson.

g. Alma M. Ramick married on 4-14-1917 to Earnest Harrington - marriage recorded in Grant Co., Ark. - Book E, page 352. Children are 1) Velma, 2) Eva Mae, 3) Juanita, and 4) Conrad.

Census records of Samuel Wade Ramick and family

1880 Grant County, Arkansas (Madison Twsp.)

Family 64	Ramick, S. W.	23	M	Farmer	Born in S. C.	
	Elizabeth P.	25	F		Ark.	
	Albert A.	7	M		"	
	E. G. A.	5	F		"	
	Mary A.	2	F		"	
	Martha	1/12	F		"	

1900 Grant County, Arkansas (Madison Twsp. - enumerated 6-22-1900)

						Parents	
Family 215	Raymick, Wade	46	M	Farmer	Ark.	S.C.	S.C.
	Alcidora	45	F	Wife	"	"	"
	?	23	F	Daughter	"	Ark.	Ark.
	Martha	20	F	"	"	"	"
	Walter	16	M	Son	"	"	"
	Arthur	12	M	"	"	"	"
	Lela	8	F	Daughter	"	"	"
	Osa	3	M	Son	"	"	"
	Ada	1	F	Daughter	"	"	"

(Note - The daughter shown as age 23 would be Mary Lizzie - film not clear to read)

6. John Henry Ramick married on 5-8-1878 to Annie Taylor - recorded in Grant Co., Ark. - Book A, page 65.
John Henry homesteaded land in Grapevine, Ark. (Have copy of record) Grant 9-17-1889, Grant County, Grapevine, Ark., Cert. #4883, application #12564 recorded in Land Office, Little Rock, Ark. - Vol. 8, page 325). In part, application gave information as follows: About August 1879 he built dwelling and corn crib, resided on the land since 12-20-1879. He had a wife and three children, was a farmer. Improvements to the land included a log house (18x20), two stables, crib, smoke house, potato house, and 25 acres cleared and cultivated. Before settling on land he lived with an uncle, William, about 2½ miles from land claimed. (Note: That Wm. would have been Wm. David, brother to John Selethiel Ramick, John Henry's father) He stated he went to market about three times a year, church about 12 times a year. Some neighbors he mentioned were: Marion C.C.Gatlin, George Fikes, Peter M. Pearce, Emanuel Taylor, and G. W. Taylor. Children of John Henry and Annie were:

a. Mittie who married Carl Falls.

b. William who married Geneva Cotton. Geneva had a son by a previous marriage to Mr. Evans. William and Geneva's children are 1) Elmer Lee; 2) Drayton; 3) George, and 4) Marie Ramick Wilson. William Ramick is buried in Ramick Cemetery.

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1880 Grant County, Arkansas (Madison Twsp.)

Family 65	Ramick, J. H.	21	M	Farmer	Born in Ark.
	Anna E.	20	F		S. C.
	H. W.	1	M		Ark.

Descendants of John Selethiel Ramick by 2nd marriage to Martha Jane Morris Clark

1. Daniel Marion (Bob) Ramick 11-12-1868/6-28-1932 married on 2-24-1894 to Julia Ann Taylor 9-29-1869/10-30-1935. Marriage is recorded in Grant County, Ark. - Book C, page 133. Both are buried in Grapevine Cemetery. An item of interest was taken from the Sheridan Headlight, Sheridan, Arkansas, issue of 5-18-1922, page 4, column 2, as follows: "Round About Grapevine - D. M. Ramick is conducting a successful business near Grapevine. He conducts his business on the Christian Plan."

1900 Grant County, Arkansas (Madison Twsp. - enumerated 6-25-1900)

						Parents	
Family 229	Raymick, Daniel M.	32	M	Farmer	Ark.	S.C.	Miss.
	Julia	31	F	Wife	"	"	S.C.
	John	3	M		"	Ark.	Ark.

Children of Daniel Marion Ramick and Julia Ann Taylor

a. John Astor R. Ramick 1-9-1897/3-23-1960 married on 1-3-1919 to Reeda Belle McClellan. She was a half sister to Senator John L. McClellan. J. Astor and Reeda Belle's marriage is recorded in Grant Co., Ark. - Book E, page 471. Reeda Belle was b. 10-29-1900, died 10-12-1948. They are buried in Grapevine Cemetery. Their child Reeda Ann b. 10-2-1935 married John Owens - their children are Sarah, Matthew, David, and Daniel.

b. T. Roose Ramick b. 10-10-1902 married on 4-15-1933 to Betty Morrow b. 12-16-1908. Betty had one son Carl O. (Hoodie) Davis by a previous marriage to Carl M. Davis. Carl O. (Hoodie) Davis b. 6-21-1927 married on 3-29-1952 to Harriett Atkins. Their children (adopted) are Sherri and Carl Jr. Hoodie died 12-21-1978 and is buried in Grapevine Cemetery. At the time of his death he was Dean of The Medical College of Georgia, Augusta, Georgia.

c. Ethel Ramick b. 7-9-1908 married on 5-8-1935 to Roy Church. Their children are (adopted) Judy and John.

d. Clara Ramick b. 2-20-1913 married on 2-13-1940 to Houston Crouse. No children.

2. N. Faye Ramick 5-25-1869/7-26-1909 married on 3-6-1883 to Gerret J. Davis Taylor 10-8-1861/8-14-1939. Marriage is recorded in Grant County, Ark. - Book A, page 364. They are buried in Grapevine Cemetery. Children: Joe, Hattie, John, Susie, Tom Gould, and Martha.

3. Peter D. Ramick 10-23-1872/6-22-1924 married on 3-21-1897 to Sarah Jane Goodman b. 8-1877. Marriage is recorded in Grant County, Ark. - Book C, page 269. They had a daughter, Amil Ramick, who died in California.

1900 Grant County, Arkansas (Madison Twsp. - enumerated 6-25-1900)

						Parents	
Family 223	Raymick, Peter	28	M	Farmer	Ark.	S.C.	S.C.
	Sarah J.	22	F	Wife	"	Ark.	Ark.
	Martha J.	63	F	Mother		Unkn.	Unkn.
	Della	22	F	Sister	Ark.	Ark.	Ark.

4. M. Della E. Ramick 1-23-1875/12-26-1937 married George Finley. They are buried at Grapevine. Their son, Seburn, lives at Grapevine near the Johnnie Hedden homeplace.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Many Many thanks to Mr and Mrs Luther Greene, Jr. 1026 Robinwood St.,S.W. Camden, AR 71701 for working up this article, preparing it for photo-copying and also sending us a list of names and the money for many extra issues, to share with those who have helped make this RAMICK FAMILY RECORD possible. This possibly will only be a start as many will enjoy this article now, and for many future years. Our Arkansas Family Historian goes to many members, many exchange Societies, and many Public Libraries, so it will be shared, when it is published in our Quarterly. This is one of the interesting things about Genealogy!

Also please notice the Ancestor Chart on page 22 of this issue. Our past President. Marion S. Craig, M. D. turned in his Chart for our Volume III Ancestor Charts, and Number 135, he has one tiny spot # 30 & # 31 is not filled. Now he has this Chart perfect!!!!

1 Sept. 1979

Compiler Marion Stark CRAIG, Jr., M.D ANCESTOR CHART #___

Street 300 Beckwood Road

City Little Rock, Ark. 72205

1 Marion Stark CRAIG, Jr., M.D.
B 1 July 1920
PB Batesville, Independence Co., Ark.
M 27 Mar. 1944, Little Rock, Pul.Co., Ark.
D
PD

2 Marion Stark CRAIG, SR., M.D. (Father of 1)
B 11 Oct. 1884
PB Greenbrier Twp., Ind.Co., Ark.
M 10 Nov. 1914, Ind.Co., Ark.
D 20 Aug. 1959
PD Batesville, Ind.Co., Ark.

3 Mary CASE (Mother of 1)
B 17 Feb. 1881
PB Batesville, Ind.Co., Ark.
D 27 Aug. 1929
PD Batesville, Ind.Co., Ark.

4 Andrew Johnson CRAIG (Father of 2)
B 27 May 1844
PB Greenbrier Twp., Ind.Co.,
M 1 Oct 1879, Ind.Co., Ar. Ark
D 5 Apr. 1934
PD Salado, Ind.Co., Ar.

5 Dorcas Mary ENGLES (Mother of 2)
B 18 Mar. 1844
PB Independence Co., Ark.
D 14 Oct. 1934
PD Salado, Ind. Co., Ark.

6 Robert Ridgway CASE (Father of 3)
B 11 Jan. 1846
PB Batesville, Ind.Co., Ark.
M 15 May 1867, Ind.Co., Ark.
D 14 Oct. 1920
PD Batesville, Ind.Co., Ark.

7 Ella Aurelia BYERS (Mother of 3)
B 14 June 1849
PB Batesville, Ind.Co., Ark.
D 25 Aug. 1934
PD Batesville, Ind.Co., Ark.

Spouse of #1:
Evelyn Louise TORRENCE, R.N.
B 11 May 1922 D
PB Pine Bluff, PD
Jeff. Co., Ark.

8 John Lewis CRAIG (Father of 4)
B 23 Aug. 1801
PB North or South Carolina
M 12 May 1835 Ind.Co., Ark.
D 2 Nov. 1864
PD Greenbrier Twp., Ind.Co., Ar.

9 Margaret Ann HARDIN (Mother of 4)
B 17 Aug. 1817
PB Davidsonville, Law.Co., Ark.Terr.
D 27 Mar. 1910
PD Greenbrier Twp., Ind.Co., Ark.

10 William Driskill ENGLES (Father of 5)
B 23 Feb. 1806
PB Kentucky
M 28 Feb. 1839, Ind.Co., Ark.
D 13 Sept. 1845
PD Independence Co., Ark.

11 Margaret Ball STARK (Mother of 5)
B 21 Oct. 1818
PB St. Charles Co., Mo.
D 15 June 1895
PD Independence Co., Ark.

12 George CASE (Father of 6)
B 5 Dec. 1813
PB Sussex Co., N.J.
M 10 June 1841, Wabash Co., Ill
D 22 Oct. 1864
PD Hopewell, Ark., on Miss. River

13 Sarah RIDGWAY (Mother of 6)
B 8 Jan. 1821
PB Pennsylvania
D 6 Feb. 1902
PD Batesville, Ind.Co., Ark.

14 John Hancock BYERS (Father of 7)
B 12 Dec. 1814
PB Wash.Co., Pa.
M 29 June 1843, Shelby Co., Ohio
D 8 Mar. 1855
PD Batesville, Ind.Co., Ark.

15 Esther Ann WILSON (Mother of 7)
B 29 Nov. 1823
PB Xenia, Green Co., Ohio
D 22 June 1891
PD Batesville, Ind.Co., Ark.

16 John CRAIG
B 1773 in S.C (Father of 8)
M 17 Oct. 1795 Rowan Co., N.C.
D Dec. 1850 Lawrence Co., Ala.

17 Elizabeth ANDREWS
B c. 1777 (Mother of 8) Rowan Co., N.C.
D 1821-1829, Law.Co., Ala.

18 Joseph HARDIN
B 1784 Ruth. (Father of 9) Co., N.C.
M 19 Nov. 1808, Liv. Co., Ky.
D 27 Aug. 1826, Law. Co., Ark.Terr.

19 Margaret JOHNSON
B 1784 (Mother of 9)
D 17 Aug. 1817, Law.Co., Ark.Terr.

20 Peter ENGLES, Sr.
B 12 Jan. 1782 (Father of 10) Frederick Co., Md.
M 28 July 1803, Mason Co., Ky.
D 19 Dec. 1849, Ind. Co., Ark.

21 Hester AUTER
B 27 July 1783 (Mother of 10) N.J.
D 31 Jan. 1870, Ind.Co., Ark.

22 Job Ball STARK
B 26 Nov. 1787 (Father of 11) Nelson Co. Ky.
M 2 Sept. 1813, St. Charles Co., Mo.
D 22 Feb. 1845, Ind.Co., Ark.

23 Elizabeth GRAY
B 19 June 1793 (Mother of 11) Camden Co. N.C.
D 27 June 1844, Ind.Co., Ark.

24 Christopher CASE
B 31 July 1781 (Father of 12) Sussex Co. N.J.
M 15 July 1804, Sussex Co., N.J.
D 18 July 1862, Richland Co., Ohio

25 Mary GATES
B 11 Mar. 1783 (Mother of 12) Sussex Co. N.J.
D 9 May 1881, Richland Co., Ohio

26 Richard RIDGWAY
B 17 Apr. 1772 (Father of 13) Burl. Co. N.J.
M 22 Aug. 1808, Wisox, Pa.
D 16 Oct. 1853, Wabash Co., Ill.

27 Sarah COWELL
B 23 Sept 1787 (Mother of 13) Wisox, Pa.
D 16 Nov. 1848, Wabash Co., Ill.

28 John BYERS, M.D.
B 22 July 1786 (Father of 14) Wash.Co., Pa.
M about 1808
D 27 July 1871, Ind.Co., Ark.

29 Sarah BONAR
B 8 Apr. 1786 (Mother of 14) Wash.Co. Pa.
D 15 Apr. 1817, Wash. Co., Pa.

30 John WILSON
B 29 May 1793 (Father of 15) Fayette Co Pa.
M 27 April 1820, Greene Co., Ohio
D 15 Mar. 1868, Shelby Co., Ohio

31 Sarah BUCKLES
B ca. 1802 (Mother of 15) Greene Co. Ohio
D ca. 1831, Shelby Co., Ohio

FISHER CEMETERY
Poinsett County

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following was compiled by Mrs. Wade Glenn of Fisher, Arkansas. Mrs. Glenn went to the cemetery and collected information from headstones, then went to the one who keeps the official records of this cemetery and put all available information together. There are numerous graves with no markers and nobody remembers who is buried there. Our thanks to Mrs. Bonnie Hutchins for send us this valuable list.

Neva Furrow Addis	1917-1975
Ike Alexander	
Sanders J. Alexander	
J. M. Asher	1864-1934
Lillie Asher	1878-1958
Emma E. Barr	1865-1951
Marion R. Barr	1924-1979
John Henry Barker	1917-1979
Norman Barker	1965
William Lee Barker	1910-1964
Elvira A. Barker	1914-1969
George W. Barker	1887-1970
Minnie F. Barker	1890-1978
Ralph W. Barker	1935-1977
Sally Basham	
J. N. Bass	1860-1909
Lee Beal	1901-1960
Baby Beal	
Bettis	
Charles Birdsong	1917-1974
Charlie Brown	1910-1978
Frank Brown	1902-1951
Alvin D. Brown	1861-1948
Elizabeth Brown	1881-1976
H. M. Brown	
Hunter Brown	1898-1927
Annie M. Burnett	1859-1933
Clyde Burnett	1908-1975
James M. Burnett	1876-1971
Myrtle A. Burnett	1883-1946
Rhoda Bollinger	1886-1974
Ralph J. Bryant	1894-1976
Marie Bryant	1898-1978
Wendell E. Pryant	1917-1919
Gellie Cadle	1902-1977
T. W. Cagle	1876-1905
Ira Cagle	
Molly Cagle	
Ed Caldwell	1903-1979
Jack Caldwell	1955
Emma M. Caldwell	1902-1960
James A. Campbell	1901-1978
Alonzo Campbell	1878-1939
Nellie Mae Campbell	1888-1964
Baby Campbell	
Sallie Etta Cannon	1867-1964
Amanda M. Carty	1852-1937
Damon C. Clemons	1867-1939
Sarah M. Clemons	1869-1932
Homer G. Clemons	1900-1969
Clifton Cooper	1884-1939
Robert Lee Cox	1868-1930
Cordelia Cox	1868-1950
Otha V. Cox	1895-1957
Frances Cox	1894-1962
Bennie H. Cox	1934
Tommy Cox	1938
J. Frank Curtis	1879-1956
Curtis Inf.	1912
Virgil L. Curtis	1908-1911
Curtis Inf.	1912
Chester C. Craig	1917-1975
E. Gertrude Cunningham	1919-1970
J. A. Dale	1849-1927
Lucinda P. Dale	1857-1913
John A. Dale	1886-1958
Margaret Dale	1886-1973
Russell Dale	1908
Alvin Dale	1909-1910
Willard Dale	1917-1918
Mica Paige Dale	1969
Mandie Marie Dale	1971
W. Tom Dalton	1870-1951
Ella May Dalton	1881-1957
Fred T. Dance	1934-1974
Harold J. Dance	1931-1973
Anthony W. Darter	1889-1975
Bessie Love Darter	1890-1976
Tammy Lynn Dean	1964-1966
Christine Davis	1915-1969
Aaron P. David	1905-1965
R. Turner Dennis	1900-1972
Dave Dennis	1906-1978
Mabel Dennis	1910-1964
Robert S. Dennis	1881-1964
Martha Dennis	1884-1964
Claudine Dennis	1925-1972
Anna B. Dennis	1896-1974
William C. Dennis	1891-1974
Ernest Dennis	1925-1945
Florence A. DeWitt	1910-1911
Ader M. DeWitt	1911
Flora DeWitt	1908-1910
Arthur E. Dixon	1879-1939
Bessie V. Dixon	1882-1967
Kenneth E. Dixon	1941-1979
Lemuel P. Dixon	1848-1927
Elvira Dixon	1859-1933
Agnes Dodd	1921-1965
Ida Dodd	1891-1965
J. W. Dodd	1847-1900
Charles C. Drum	1943
Anna Mabel Drum	
Elijah M. Drum	1921-1968
John L. Drum	1907-1979
Thomas Duncan	1875-1959
Ellen Duncan	1882
Curtis Dodd	1887-1973
Lula E. Evans	1887-1971
William L. Ford	1859-1949
Elizabeth Ford	1871-1906
Elmer W. Ford	Inf. 1901
Zola Ford	1894-1896
R. Sigle Ford	1898-1954
Thana Ford	1900-1976
Harry M. Ford	Inf. 1925
Onnie M. Ford	1877-1944
Orville Ford	1908-1963

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Raymond Ford	1902-1972
Albert Foster	1850-1898
Frank Foster	1902-1940
Arno Herman French	1901-1951
Larry H. French	1945-1966
Judy A. French	1946-1966
Jerry D. French	1954-1979
Emmon Furrow	1874-1959
Maranda Furrow	1871-1946
Joseph R. Furrow	1909-1928
Ruby M. Furrow	1915-1925
Alma E. Furrow	1883-1922
Matilda Furrow	1845-1896
Dora E. Garrett	1871-1949
H. Franklin Garrett	1935-1968
C. Olen Garrett	
Bobby Jane Gill	1875-1920
T. W. Gill	1862-1948
George Gibson	1895-1963
Grace Gibson	1895-1975
Robert W. Gibson	1857-1937
Elmer M. Gibson	1891-1969
Lydia G. Gibson	1892-1977
Ralph Gillett	1893-1959
Thomas Gillett	1921
Jack Reed Glenn	Inf.
Ernest Glenn	1893-1909
Ernest Glenn	1877-1956
Martha J. Glenn	1887-1976
Pfc. Ernest C. Glenn	1925-1945
T. R. Glenn	1874-1963
Martha (Matt) Glenn	1874-1944
Julia Glenn	Inf. 1902
James R. Glenn	1876-1957
Etta Mae Glenn	1888-1925
Raymond Glenn	1908-1924
Myrtle L. Glenn	1913-1934
Roy W. Glenn	1910-1977
Earl Glenn	1895-1971
J. W. Glenn	1898-1963
Everett Glenn	1898-1963
Atlanta Glenn	1900-1975
George Gordon	1873-1964
Myranda Gordon	1874-1967
Carrie Gunnells	1889-1952
Robert H. Gunter	1883-1967
Anna Mae Gunter	1884-1969
John Wylie Gunter	1911-1976
Randal Hammon	1893-1955
Emma Hammon	1891-1963
Thelma Hammon	1915-1932
Delano Hawkins	1935-1976
Charles O. Harrelson	1904-1979
Vernon Hawkins	1951
Grover Hawkins	
Carrie Hawkins	
Sybel Hawkins	Inf. 1912
Haywood Hawkins	Inf. 1914
Richard O. Henson	1905-1977
Edna Henson	1918-1978
Kate Henson	1871-1882
Silas D. Hill	1873-1944
Gus Hill	1900-1962
Mary Alice Hill	1903-1939
Roy Howard	1903-1935
Mary Huddleston	1885-1918
Verne Huddleston	1909-1919
Virginia M. Huddleston	1908-1909
Ruth G. Hutchin	1912
Ethel Herst	1888-1971
Urban Houchin	1912-1969
Raymond Hutchin	1908-1965
LeRoy Jackson	1857-1924
John O. Jackson	1880-1931
Edward D. Jackson	1909-1929
Effie Jameson	1907-1948
Ervin Jones	1891-1943
Otto Jones	1886-1958
Maud Jones	1898-1969
Jessie Jones	1881-1967
Logan Jones	22 years old
John C. Kelley	1876-1923
Della L. Kelley	1884-1969
John Lee Leonard	1859-1919
Monora P. Leonard	1857-1900
Virgil A. Leonard	1881-1900
Enoch Leonard	1893-1900
Ettie Lewis	1875-1927
John B. Loomer	1883-1949
Ethel Loomer	1890-1974
Maudie Mae Lewis	1885-1952
Willie Malone	1917-1969
C. C. Manning	
Ira S. Matthews	1919-1949
Elmer Matthews	1961
Martha Matthews	1881-1930
Rose Mary Matthews	1939-1951
John J. Matthews	1975
Mildred McCartney	1884-1942
Kenneth McKenzie	1843-1899
Katie McKenzie	1892-1898
William B. McCoy	1889-1955
Ethel M. McCoy	1889-1962
James T. McCorkle	1881-1927
Cecil A. McCorkle	1880-1966
Thomas I. McElyea	1883-1935
Ernest G. McIllwain	1918-1944
S. P. McIllwain	1884-1947
James E. McIllwain	1938-1965
Chann McIllwain	Inf. 1951
E. H. Moore	1905-1965
Ruble E. Moore	1902-1964
Nancy E. Moore	1897-1971
Betty Loretta Moore	1934-1936
E. J. Moore	1877-1958
Beulah Moore	1881-1950
Edgar Stacy Moore	1906-1972
La Deryl Moore	1929-1933
John N. Morgan	1837-1908
Surrintha Morgan	1848-1932
Joseph E. Mross	1896-1933
Stella Mae Matthews	1899-1911
William Dow O'Donnell	1915-1961
Robert Dow O'Donnell	Inf. 1949
O'Donnell Inf.	1947
John N. Park	1894-1960
Lona A. Park	1900-1942
Martha Jane Park	1925-1938
Thomas A. Park	1900-1938
Oral Park	1900-1937
John H. Perkins	1935
Bud Pentecost	

FISHER CEMETERY - Poinsett County (Con't page 3)

Geneva Pentecost	
Herman Pestor	1857-1914
Rudolph H. Pestor	1906-1965
Joseph L. Plyler	1888-1954
Roy L. Plyler	1909-1970
Edna C. Plyler	1914-1978
Samuel P. Plyler	1884-1953
Mary Bell Plyler	1884-1967
George R. Plyler	1872-1933
Linnie S. Plyler	1875-1959
Minnie M. Plyler	1899-1900
John Plyler	1879-1931
Frances Pohlner	1883-1954
Reinhard E. Pufahl	1880-.934
Dorthea E. Pufhal	1891-1975
Ernest F. Pufahl	1910-1969
Paul Ray Pufhal	1939-1962
Terry Quinn	1962-1970
John R. Reeves	1887-1956
Oma Ward Reeves	1892-1974
Charles Richardson	1881-1918
Oliver Richardson	1908-1959
Willie K. Richardson	1904-1976
James F. Robonett	1923-1970
Herman Robinett	1929-1931
James M. Robinette	1896-1977
Claude F. Robinette	1894-1968
Effie D. Robinett	1899
Lucy Robinson	1882-1974
James E. Roberts	1939-1966
A. D. Rodacker	1857-1921
Michael T. Rothe	Inf. 1967
James A. Sanders	1872-1960
Bertie Sanders	1916
Gracie Sanders	1906-1907
Thomas M. Sanders	1869-1926
Mary A. Sanders	1875-1949
Hazel A. Sanders	1917-1972
Emma Mae Sanders	1918-1934
Newt Sanders	
R. Frank Sanders	
Emma Sanders	
Lily Sanders	
August Schultz	1829-1917
Emma Schultz	1837-1912
Karl Schultz	1859-1945
Mathilda Schiltz	1875-1902
Winifred C. Sears	1889-1969
Dwight Small	1904-1913
Wallace L. Smith	1905-1969
James W. Smith	1877-1905
James D. Smith	Inf. 1904
Samuel R. Smith	1895-1962
Sarah Jane Smith	1867-1946
Samuel A. Smith	1896-1962
Anna B. Smith	1902-1962
Wilma June Smith	1942-1959
Edsel W. Smith	1923-1967
Jonna D. Smith	1933-1972
Minnie Mae Smith	1910-1966
Thomas H. Spurlock	1874-1948
Cora Spurlock	1880-1959
Shelby Spurlock	1902-1963
Lester Spurlock	1900-1975
Andy C. Strange	1893-1969
James E. Swan	1882-1958
A. C. Smith	1885-1956
Elizabeth Smith	1891-1967
Charley R. Tanner	1894-1953
Alberta Tanner	1882-1933
Juanita Tanner	1921-1922
Robert L. Taylor	1916-1978
Norman L. Tilley	1868-1974
Mary Anna Tilley	1874-1954
Lawrence Trobaugh	1900-1967
Owen S. Trobaugh	1871-1951
Etta H. Trobaugh	1876-1944
John E. Trobaugh	1898-1938
John Uhl	
John A. Wampler	1885-1949
Maud M. Wampler	1887-1943
Alice Mae Wampler	1923-1924
Ethlinda Wampler	1848-1908
Charles C. Wampler	1880-1963
Carrie L. Wampler	1877-1959
Herman F. Ward	1873-1951
Clara A. Ward	1875-1949
William Weaver	1893-1969
Lisa Anne Weaver	Inf. 1959
H. R. & V. T. Weaver - Twins	1957
Chin Mi Welch	1942-1968
Antony Wegley	
Katherine Wegley	1889-1979
Noel Duke White	1907-1965
Robert White	
Clara Ann Whitt	1870-1969
John T. Whitt	1843-1885
Mildere Whitt	1847-1884
Inf. Whitt	1882
Cora A. Whitt	1877-1899
Charles W. Wharton	1870-1951
May Ella Wharton	1874-1936
R. Fred White	1909-1963
Alfred T. White	1882-1948
Effie White	1880-1962
Laura B. White	1885-1973
John W. Wixson	1877-1925
Anna M. Wixson	1887-1974
Charles Wixson	1868-1957
Carrah B. Wixson	1877-1948
Kenneth L. Wixson	1903-1956
Ruth E. Wixson	1902-1966
Roy Wixson	1906-1965
Anna Wixson	1910-1974
E. W. Wideman	
Mrs. E. W. Wiseman	
W. W. Wymer	1887-1956
Effie Wymer	1892-1962
J. T. Wilson	1878-1912

EDITOR"S NOTE: Our many many thanks to Mrs. Glenn for all this very valuable cemetery inventory. If you can add any information to this list, please write Mrs. Wade Glenn, Fisher, AR.

BRUCE TAYLOR — Sharon R. Hardin, 1516 W. Spruce, Olathe, Kansas 66061 - I enjoy AFH and eagerly look forward to each issue. Thank you for such good work. During the past year I traveled "home" to Arkansas and searched some of the family cemeteries in Conway Co. I have enclosed the Inventories of the McKay; Lowder and Peck-Childress Cemeteries. If anyone has any questions, please write. I will be happy to answer any questions. Our new OLATHE LIBRARY will open this fall and my AFH will be donated to the Genealogy Dept. Once more thanks again to all who work on the AFH.

Need inf. about the BRUCE and TAYLOR Families of Ark. Williamson Harrison BRUCE, b. ca 1800 Scotland married (date unknow?) Lorraine (or Louisa) TAYLOR, ca 1820. died when? where? When did he come to America from Scotland and where did he live in Tenn.? Where is his burial place? Lorraine (or Louisa) TAYLOR b. ca. 1800, Silver Creek, KY. Where is this on the present (today's) map? Lived in Conway Co., AR 1826-1860. Buried at Gala Rock, AR (is this near Pope Co., AR: Children of W. H. BRUCE and L. Taylor BRUCE: Sarah, b. 1824 TN married Joe PECK ca 1848, d. 1919, AR; Ann, b. ? d? married Isaac WHITSON; Williamson, b. 1829 AR, m? d?; Eliza, b. 1833 AR m? d?; Harriet M., b. 1836 AR married Plesent C. SPIERS; Catherine, b. 1839, AR married James Plunkett, 22 Sept. 1854, died?; William, b. 1842, AR married Milly A. FRAZIER, 23 Jan. 1863. Any inf. will be appreciated.

BOYLE-O'BOYLE-BOYLES — Descendants of Hugh Collins BOYLE wanted, born 13 June 1801, S.C. or N.C. married 10 March 1821, Sumner Co., TN to Eliza SPOONER. Lived in Forsyth Co., GA. during 1830-40 then TN., 1840-47., GA 1847-187. He served in the Civil War with the CSA. Moved to Arkansas in the 1870's with many of his grown children and families. It is believed his father was Joseph BOYLE and mother, L. G. DOLLARHIDE. Have no inf. about these two people. Does anyone know anything about these people? Children of H. C. and Eliza BOYLE: Sarah, b. 1830, GA; Mary, b. 1832, GA.; Elizabeth, b. 1836, GA.; William J. (or R.) b. 1838, GA.; Nancy J., b. 1840, where?; Joseph, b. 1842 TN; James, b. 1844, TN; Martin, b. 1847, GA. There were probably older children born between 1821 and 1830. Hugh Collins BOYLE was killed, 20 Oct. 1877 and was buried at St. Vincent, Conway Co., AR. Eliza SPOONER was buried beside him 10 Nov. 1879. Their rock covered graves are the only two remaining after a farmer in the 1930' removed all the tombstones and plowed over the cemetery. Anyone with more information about this cemetery, please contact me.

CROSSLAND — Alabama, 1850's - Stincy Caroline CROSSLAND, b. 31 May 1854, Ala. Father's name unknown. Mother: Nancy Strickland CROSSLAND. My great aunt Una ROBERTS, said they were Cherokee Indians. They lived in Alabama during the Civil War and no record of the father has been found (that he served). My grandmother Clemmentine SCROGGINS, said her grandfather was hung in the barn by the KKK when he refused to join them while his wife was tied to a chair on the front porch, to watch. Stincy had a brother, Simon, b. 1842, GA. Found in US Census 1870, Stevenson, Jackson Co., Ala. No other CROSSLANDS can be found in this area and time. Stincy married Emmanuel Lay SCOGGINS, 18 Dec. 1873 at Stevenson, Ala. They moved to Conway Co., Arkansas via Wagon Train in 1881. They had 10 children. They lived at Cleveland, Conway Co., AR., and were buried at the Cleveland Cemetery. S.C.C. SCOGGINS, died 7 Feb. 1936. I.L. SCOGGINS, died 7 May 1930. I have more inf. about their children and will answer any questions concerning this family. (Please enclose S.A.S.E.) Self addressed stamped envelope.

HUGG — Do not know much about this family. Think Joseph HUGG, b. ca 1830, S.C. married Margaret TEASLEY, b. 1840's, Spring Place, GA. In 1851 Joseph HUGG acquired Cherokee Land in Chattanooga, TN. Family history says this was the site of the Ross House at the foot of Lookout Mt. Would like to know when they moved to Arkansas? Daughter, Mary Susan Julia born 23 Sept. 1861, GA married 1st to John ALLISON, married 2nd to J. M. BOYLE, d. 22 March 1925, Arkansas. Any inf. appreciated. Lived in Conway Co., AR period 1880-1925.

LOWDER — Jeremiah Michael LOWDER, b. 1823, Ross District, Stanly Co., N.C., married ca. 1848 to Parsilla M. SHOFFNER, Ablemarle, Stanly Co., N.C., died ca 1862 in Civil War (CSA) Ark. Children: Robert F., b. ca. 1849/50, N.C. married Sarah Elizabeth COOPER, d. 22 June 1873; Mary Frances, b. 25 Dec. 1854, N.C., married W.M. Roberson ca 1890, died 10 Dec. 1934; Catherine Elizabeth, b. 1856, N.C. married? d?; Francis M., b. 1859, AR m? d?; George, b. 1862, AR,m? d? The LOWDERS were born in N.C. but thought to be of German descent. Moved to Ark. in 1858, Conway Co., AR (near Cleveland). Records show parents of J. M. LOWDER could be George and Elizabeth LOWDER, b. 1797 and 1803. Also mother of George may be Elizabeth b. 1770? Maybe someone else is working on this line and could help me! I have a great Aunt Lizzie CAMPBELL, who is 87 living in Cleveland, AR who knows about this sied of the family (1850-1900's). I will answer all mail.

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PECK Con't from...Sharon R. Hardin, 1516 W. Spruce, Olatha, KS 66061) - Joseph PECK, b. 1819 VA married Sarah BRUCE 1845, d. ca. 1858, AR. Joe PECK and a brother lived for a time in Texas (1840-48) raised cattle, moved to AR., married and had several children. Died in AR 1858. Where in VA was he born and riased? What were the names of his brothers and sisters? Where in Texas did they live? When? Buried at home-place in Hattiesville, Conway Co., AR. Please help!

POOLE-POOL Sintha DeAner POOLE, b. 16 May 1819,S.C. married ca 1835 to Henry SCOGGINS, Pickens District, S.C., died 2 Jan. 1899 in Cleveland, Conway Co., AR. Had 9 children, widowed at age 35. Lived in Alabama during Civil War. Sons fought for both North and South. Names of children: Square (male); Sam (male); Clemmentine; Icies (female); Immanuel Lay (male) b. 28 Oct. 1845, Pickens District S.C. married Stincy C. CROSSLAND, d. 5 July 1930, AR (other names unknown). Mother of Sintha was Una (?). Moved to Conway Co., AR in 1881. Many of her children came to AR and may be in Greenwood area. Any inf. about SCOGGINS and POOLE needed.

ROBERSON William Marshall ROBERSON, b. ca 1839/40 Ark-TN. married 1st to Parmelia (?) and 2nd to Mary Frances LOWDER, d. Dec. 1894 AR. Family says same was originally ROBERTSON, but misspelled when W. M. joined the service during Civil War and dropped (t) after war. Cannot find service record. Had a brother called "Kemp". Lived in Van Buren and Conway Co., AR Children of 1st marriage: Anna A., b. 1861 married ? CHAMBERS, d.?; Mary M. E., b. 1870 married ? DRIVER, d.?; Jo Anna, b. 1871 married ? MAXWELL, d.?; Florence, b. 1873 married? FOSTER, d. 13 Jan. 1928; James Marshall, b. 1875 married Dell LOWDER, d. 1955; Edith, b. 1878 married ? BUTLER, d.?; Louisa Belle, b. 1881 married ? GIST, d.?; Julie, b. 18?? married ?ENNIS, d.? 2nd marriage: Parmelia Elizabeth, b. 10 Jan. 1892 married Grover CAMPBELL; William Jerry, b. 18 Jan. 1895 married Emma Clemmentine SCOGGINS, d. 10 Dec. 1950, AR. Help please! Any inf. would be helpful.

SCOGGINS Henry SCOGGINS, date and place of birth unknown. Lived in Pickens District S.C. 1845 era. Married Sintha DeAner POOLE, ca 1835, they had 9 children. Died around 1854, burial site unknown. Names of children: Sam; Square; Icies; Lindy; Clemmentine; Immanuel Lay, b. 28 Oct. 1845, S.C. Wife, Sintha and children moved to Arkansas in 1880's. Lived in Conway Co., Ark. Will answer all questions. (Enclose S.A.S.E.)

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following Cemeteries were inventoried by Sharon R. Hardin, 1516 W. Spruce, Olathe, Kansas 66061. Please write her if you can help with additional inf. on any of these people.

PECK-CHILDRESS CEMETERY
Conway County, Arkansas - 1978

PECK-CHILDRESS Cemetery, just west of Hattieville, Arkansas, is a small family cemetery. The cemtery is located on the property of Mr. Van Massingill, and is enclosed in a fenced area and kept clean by his sons. There is a total of 17 graves. Five have no markers. In the 1820's Williamson Harrison BRUCE, b. ca 1800, Scotland, and his wife, Lorraine (or Louisa) TAYLOR BRUCE, b. ca 1800, Silver Creek, KY and daughter, Sarah, b. June 1824, Tennessee, came to Arkansas from Tenn. Sarah BRUCE always said they moved to Arkansas Territory "the year the stars fell". One of the few settlements in the Territory was Cardon Creek, which was said to be the meeting place of Trappers, Indians and outlaws. The BRUCES first stopped at Cadron, then moved and settled at what is now Hattieville, Conway Co., Arkansas. Hattieville was named for the BRUCE'S granddaughter, Hattie PECK, daughter of Sarah. Sometime in the late 1840's a cattle drive led by Joe PECK, b. ca 1819, Virginia came through this area to Sedelia, Missouri. They stopped to water the cattle near the BRUCE'S and Joe met Sally. He returned two years later and married Sally. Joe squatted land Northwest of the BRUCES and built a cabin for Sally and his family. Joe PECK died prior to the Civil War of pneumonia and Sally buried him in a corner of the garden near the house. This was the first grave in the PECK-CHILDRESS Cemetery

Children of Joseph and Sally PECK
Joseph S. Peck, 1852-1911

Hattie M. wife of Wm. W. Stout
b. Dec. 11 1852 - d. April 9 1892

Mollie A. wife of J. M. Williams
b. 27 Aug. 1855-d. 15 Dec. 1878

Children of Joe S. Peck
Winnie E. Peck, b. 5 Sept. 1894
d. 21 Jan. 1903

J. Ivan Peck
b. 23 April 1897-d. 8 Dec. 1906

L. Bruck Peck
b. 2 May 1900-d. 15 Dec. 1906

PECK-CHILDRESS CEMETERY (Con't page 2)

Minnie M.
dau. of W. W. Stout and Hattie Peck Stout
b. 27 Aug. 1885 - d. 6 Jan 1904

Minnie Lee
dau. of J. W. and M. V. Childress
b. 6 Mar 1892-d. 14 April 1892

Those buried at the cemetery with newly erected markers include:

Joseph Peck, b. ca 1819 VA - d. ca. 1858

Sarah Bruce Peck Childress, b. 1824 - d. 1919

James Williamson Peck, b. 15 Sept. 1849 - d. 1 March 1899

Louisa Woodrell Peck, b. 1853 - d. 1903

McKAY CEMETERY - CONWAY COUNTY, ARKANSAS

McKay Cemetery is located in Conway Co., AR near the Van Buren Co., line. To reach this cemetery, turn west off Highway 95, 3/4 miles north of Cleveland, west 3/4 mile to the Arden Freeman house on the county road between Cleveland and Jerusalem, turn north to nortwest past the Campbell homeplace to the old Parker place approximately 1 3/4 miles. Here the cemetery is located on the north side of the trail in a fenced area. There are no signs to mark the cemetery and certainly no marked trails to this cemetery. Inventory taken September 1978 by Sharon Hardin.

William Marshall Roberson, 1840 - 1895
Mary Roberson Peters, Dec. 25, 1854, d. 10 Dec. 1934, age 81
Deller R. Jane Roberson, b. 1 Jan 1877 - d. 13 Feb. 1933, age 56
W. T. "Tommy" Roberson, b. 30 Dec. 1895, d. 17 March 1900 (son of Marshall and Dell Roberson
Baby girl Roberson, Dau. of Marshall and Dell Roberson
Julie Barnes Roberson
Thomas W. Wells, 1857-1923 Victoria Wells, 1861 - 1925
Arazonia
Myrtle
Herbert
Ida May
Emma Jane
Josie
There are many graves here with only rough stones for markers. At the turn of the century there was once a town named GRIDLEY nearby.

LOWDER CEMETERY - CONWAY COUNTY, ARKANSAS

LOWDER Cemetery is located off Highway 95 north in Conway Co., AR. This cemetery is 1 ½ mile south of Cleveland. East off 95 about 1 mile, East of the Mt. Zion AME Church on a dirt road. In 1858 a wagon train left Albermarle, North Carolina on a journey to a new home in Arkansas. The captain of the wagon train was a man named Upchurch. It is believed that many of the travelers were of German descent. One of the families in the company was my great great grandfather J. M. Jeremiah Michael LOWDER and his family. The LOWDERS settled in the valley beneath the ridge near what is now Cleveland about 19 miles north of Morrilton. Tax records of 1860-61 show 51 acres, Northeast Range 16 belonged to J. M. LOWDER. The cemetery is on this land. J. M. Lowder died in the Civil War, as a soldier in the Confederacy, but his descendants do not know his burial place. His widow Parsilla M. (Shoffner) Lowder farmed the land after he died, and is buried here. The first dated marker is 1875. There are many graves here with only stones as markers. The inventory of the 21 marked tombstones is as follows:

P. E. Arnold, b. 13 July 1883 -d. 24 Oc. 1887, age 4 yrs. 7 9 days.
James Wesley Brents, 11-20-1868, 5-26-1926
Eldora Brents, 8-27-1878, 10-28-1964, wife of James Wesley Brents
Selia, dau. of J. W. & Eldora Brents, May 21, 1919, 2 July 1919
Mary E. Brents, b 23 May 1871, died 23 May 1871

LOWDER CEMETERY (Con't page 2)

Ethel, wife of W. C. Brents, Jan. 3, 1896 -29 Nov. 1925
Sarah Ella Brents, 12 Jan 1905 - 25 April 1932
Edward Dwight Brents, 17 March 1918 - 3 Nov. 1920
M. E. Brents, wife of S. A. Brents, b. 24 Dec. 1858 - d. 22 March 1903
Brents
Priscilla D. 9 Nov. 1839 - 14 March 1878
Pleasent M. 20 Oct. 1839 - 2 Oct. 1881

George M. Carr, Co. B. 3 Ark. Cal.
John Carr, b. 22 Feb. 1870, died 7 Aug. 1884
Wm. G. Carr, b. 17 Sept. 1870, died 28 Dec. 1949
Winston Carr, b. 22 Nov. 1822, died 3 August 1884

Parsilla M. Lowder, wife of J. M. Lowder, b. 13 Aug. 1831, d. 25 July 1885

William A. Russell, 22 Nov. 1888, died 2 Sept. 1889
Charles W. Russell, b. 29 Oct. 1895, died ?
Anderson O. Russell, b. Oct. 1897, died 3 July 1902

P. B. Upchurch, died 1 Dec. 1886, age 70+
Mary Ann Upchurch, died 6 Feb. 1875
Quinice B. Upchurch

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MORE INFORMATION TO BE SHARED.....

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following was contributed by Suzanne Poe Caprio, 101 Waterwell Road, Crossett, AR 71635. "I am enclosing a copy of a cemetery index for a small cemetery in osuthern Union Co., Arkansas, THE TEEL CEMETERY. We have carefully worked on this list and hope it will be of help to others in their search. My grandmother has lived within 5 miles of the cemetery all of her life and might be able to help someone in need of information on this area.

In loving memory of my granddaddy,
James Harris (Jim) McKinney
My great-grandparents and
My great-great-grandparents
Who are buried here-------
Suzanne Poe Caprio

INDEX FOR THE TEEL CEMETERY
UNION COUNTY, ARKANSAS

The Teel Cemetary is located about 5 miles south of Strong (Union County) Arkansas, ½ mile off of the Strong-Huttig Highway. The oldest marked grave is William Jameson, June 20, 1861. There is one grave known to be older, the grave of _____ Chambliss. This grave is the only brick covered grave in the cemetary and there is no name or date to be found.

This information has been compiled by Suzanne Caprio, her mother Opal McKinney Poe and her mother Pearl Cobb McKinney. Mrs. McKinney has lived near or within five (5) miles of the cemetary all of her 86 years. She knows where many unmarked graves are located. We list these names in this index, also.

John Lee Jones 3-21-1906 - 3-14-1976
*Sula A. Burson Jones 11-12-1913 - **

Infant son of Mr & Mrs W. R. Beasley 6-30-1925

Infant son of W. R. Beasley 12-14-1904 - 12-15-1904

May Bell Beasley 2-19-1882 - 2-12-1960

William Riley Beasley 9-08-1881 - 10-22-1927

Lettie Ardell McKinney Fike & Son (Herman) 1-22-1879 - 3-17-1898 (her dates)
Herman died February 14, 1898

TEEL CEMETERY, Union County, Arkansas (Con't page 2)

Louis and Lois Fike (twins of J.A. Fike) 1903

Julius A. Fike 2-17-1867 - 2-18-1952

Lou Ella Fike 1-22-1877 - 3-13-1915

James D. Burson 3-17-1900 - 4-14-1971

Eunice Ann Burson 11-27-1907 - 5-09-1964

_____ Chambliss (oldest known grave)

William Jameson 3-18-1811 - 6-20-1861

Simeon King 8-20-1837 - 10-07-1911

Mary Cobb King (died) 1-04-1932

Gerald Owen LeGuire 9-29-1908 - 3-08-1965

Tronie Garner LeGuire 10-27-1921 - 9-08-1972

Russell Duane Swart (Infant) 9-17-1963

Mattie E. McKinney 1877 - 1927
George E. McKinney 1877 - 1956

Infant Daughter of G.E. & M.E. McKinney (no marker for this grave)

Alma Johnson Hendrix 7-05-1895 - 10-07-1976
Ernest A. Hendrix 10-05-1895 - *

John E. Kuykendall 10-27-1905 - 10-08-1966

Porter E. Jones 10-10-1902 - 4-25-1962

William Riley Baker 7-01-1894 - 2-09-1968

Georgia B. Baker 1-12-1891 - 5-23-1972

Maggie Jones (wife of A. J. Jones) 3-25-1878- - 9-24-1907

Mattie May Jones (wife of A. J. Jones) 8-04-1899 - 6-09-1901

Infant son of A. J. Jones 5-05-1897

Henry T. Hendrix 10-06-1883 - 8-16-1968

Julia R. Jones 2-17-1889 - 4-30-1974

Allan Johnson 7-19-1917 - 8-03-1972
Eleanor Johnson 2-02-1917 - * (wife)
Dorothy Johnson 2-21-1954 - * (daughter)

Nettie Ivy Slade 12-17-1858 - 9-03-1937

Mary A. Teel 1851 - 1926

Jimmy Teel 1849 - 1930

William O. "Bill" Teel - Born 1887 (marker - In Memory of)

Pat McKinney 12-01-1888 - 11-18-1964

W. C. Tullis 7-12-1883 - 12-05-1934

Cynthia Tullis (wife of G. W. Tullis) 5-10-1843 - 12-08-1907

TEEL CEMETERY, Union County, Arkansas (Con't page 3)

G. W. Tullis 9-12-1845 - 5-15-1904

Lizzie A. Tullis 9-23-1870 - 10-30-1961

Samuel J. Ezelle, Jr. 9-20-1944 - 6-08-1956

Samuel J. Ezelle 11-27-1910 - 5-27-1961

Janie Glosson Newsom 10-08-1894 - 10-31-1966

Walter D. Glosson 1-27-1890 - 8-28-1955

John Neal McKinney 10-18-1897 - 3-19-1960
Biddie White McKinney 12-28-1898 - 10-31-1972

Eugene Hendrix 7-05-1892 - *

Birdie Hendrix 11-22-1892 - 10-09-1961

John F. Hendrix 3-21-1919 - 8-27-1978

Alice Maude Hendrix 4-02-1915 - 10-05-1977

Roy W. Beasley 3-06-1918 - 8-12-1963

Roscoe C. Beasley 10-27-1884 - 7-13-1968

Lula P. Beasley 8-31-1884 - 5-31-1977

William F. Nelson 6-02-1879 - 1-04-1961

Rosa B. Nelson 12-23-1888 - *

Travis Alpine Cobb 6-09-1902 - 3-24-1979
Myrtie Vestal Cobb 9-01-1907 - *

Sarah Ida King Cobb 1866 - 1939
Alpine Beaugard Cobb 1861 - 1932

James Harris McKinney 10-19-1887 - 12-26-1970
Pearl Cobb McKinney 11-19-1892 - *

Mauddie Perdue (wife of J.J. Perdue) - (Dtr of J. F. Poole)
9-23-1893 - 11-03-1918

Della Jackson (wife of W.W. Jackson) - (Dtr of J. F. Poole)
8-06-1889 - 8-31-1911
Jackson Baby (infant daughter of Della Poole Jackson) (no marker for this grave)

Ophelia Olive McKinney 11-09-1882 - 10-14-1900

Sarah Harper MCKinney 9-22-1858 - 1-25-1906
John Henry McKinney 6-05-1837 - 11-13-1897

George Emit McKinney 9-04-1851 - 12-15-1897
Josephine (Jodie) Harper McKinney 1-21-1855 - 6-10-1936

William Henry McKinney 1876 - 1928
Onie Mae McKinney 10-01-1895 - 8-06-1967

Ola McKinney Little (wife of J. F. Little) 8-22-1893 - 7-03-1926

"Granny" Lizabeth A. King 1841 - 1898

Denny Jackson (son of W. L. & Alice R. Jackson) 10-02-1894 - 9-26-1899

William L. Jackson 1-28-1856 - 11-25-1901

TEEL CEMETERY, Union County, Arkansas (Con't page 4)

Alice R. Jackson Taunton 6-08-1863 - 2-05-1931

Dr. L. T. Jackson (son of W. L. & Alice Jackson) 10-20-1881 - 6-14-1914

Elizabeth Jackson Poole 3-24-1898 - *
James F. Poole 1-11-1892 - 2-28-1970

W. C. Lewis 6-11-1903 - 9-19-1964

Sarah J. Lewis 5-07-1869 - 9-19-1956

W. S. Lewis 4-06-1867 - 10-06-1928

Infant Daughter of W. S. & S. J. Lewis 1908

Cawny Lewis (Dtr. of W. S. & S. J. Lewis) 10-18-1898 - 2-21-1899

Alma Lewis (Dtr. of W. S. & S. J. Lewis) 12-30-1893 - 1-30-1894

Martha Caroline Beasley 10-02-1853 - 4-10-1927

Sarah Baker (wife of W. R. Baker) 7-04-1834 - 7-01-1891

W. R. Baker 12-15-1825 - 6-14-1908

Allie Baker (wife of W. R. Baker) 6-29-1856 - 8-30-1915

Lou W. Tatum 6-30-1852 - 10-26-1913

William Finley Jameson (son of W. D. & M. J. Jameson) Died 11-09-1867 age 2 yrs. 2 mts & 25 days.

Drucella Webster 9-30-1894 - 11-04-1894

Thurman T. Webster 9-11-1895 - 1-29-1896

Gracie Webster 1-11-1897 - 4-25-1897

William Christopher Ezelle 11-27-1972 - 12-03-1972

George A. Burson 10-19-1886 - 9-11-1962
Ida Ethel Burson 11-09-1892 - *

Nannie K. Burson 9-19-1895 - 1-10-1976

William Thomas Adams 8-09-1922 - 11-09-1965

Vera B. Adams 7-16-1900 - 5-28-1974

No marker for the next graves listed---

Charlie Brown
Minnie Brown

Julia Brown

Kinch McKinney

Mr & Mrs. Glosson
Baby Glosson

Mrs. Black

Mr. Smith

Mrs. Andrews

Wile Andrews

* Indicates a double tomb with one partner not deceased as of 10-08-1979.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Our many thanks to Suzanne Poe Caprio, 101 Waterwell Road, Crossett, AR 71635 for sharing all this information with the members and readers of our Arkansas Family Historian. If you can add any information on any of these people, please drop Mrs. Caprio a note!

MASON GASKEN/GASTON — Mary M. Bostian, Box 386, Yellville, AR 72687 - I would like to correspond and exchange data with descendants of John and Frances (GASKEN/GASTON) MASON, my great great grandparents. She was daughter of John GASTON and great granddaughter of Francis GASTON. John and Frances MASON (both born 1790-1800), lived in Lincoln and Gaston Counties, died in Gaston Co. Their children: Col. Lawson MASON, b. 1820 was State Representative from Gaston Co., 1868-69, married Catherine LINEBERGER, 2nd to Rebecca CRAIG; Caleb, b. ca 1824, married Eliza RAMSEY; Louisa, b. 1829, married (?) Russell of Alabama.; William Alexander, b. 1822; went to Pope Co., AR married Catherine SCOTT, died in Searcy Co., AR near Marshall, AR in 1905, leaving many descendants in that area; Samuel Selathiel, my great grandfather, born Lincoln Co., North Carolina, 1828, migrated to Conway Co., AR ca 1848.

Samuel Selathiel MASON married Elizabeth SHEWMAKE (SHUMATE/SHUMAKE/SHOEMAKE) in Conway Co., Dec. 1849. Elizabeth was born in TN, 1830, dau. of James and Nancy SHEWMAKE. Can anyone tell me where in Tennessee the SHEWMAKES lived? Samuel S. and Elizabeth MASON'S children were: James Harrison (my grandfather) born 1850, married Rebecca HILL, after her death, he married 2nd to Mary Jane "Sis ATKINSON, my grandmother; John Stark, b. 1853, married Margarete (?), lived at Hartsford, Sebastain Co., AR; Marcus Lafette, b. 1857, married Jennie A. CARPENTER; Mary Frances (nothing else is known, at present about her; Lawson A., b. 1860, married Ellen McGinty, lived and died near Oklahoma City, OK; Elizabeth Ann, b. 1862, married (?) LEWIS, lived and died near Pilot Point, TX; Wm. H. born 1866, married Clara BROWN, said to have lived in Panama or South Amercia; Nancy Emma, b. 1868, married Jas. Benj. VAUGHN, lived at Signal Mountain, TN.

I will appreciate help with these MASON, GASTON, SHEWMAKE and ATKINSON lines to fill in many missing pieces in the puzzle and will share data I have in my file.

Our Arkansas Family Historian is very interesting and informative, I appreciate all the hard work in this effort.

SMITH WALKER — Mrs. Connie S. Lawson, 223 Dryden Dr., Vallejo, CA 94590 - Lydia SMITH, from Ft. Smith, Sebastain Co., AR married 1st unknown, but one dau. Lorena Belle; 2nd married to (?) SMITH. Died 1904/5 Washburn Co., MO. Daughter, Lorena Belle went by her stepfather's name of SMITH (she was born in AR., 1875, d. 1967) she was my great grandmother, married Thomas V. WALKER in Newton Co., MO.

GREEN BOWERS BORDEN SMITH — Robert F. GREEN, b. 1842 near Cumberland Mts.?? died 1888, Newton Co., MO., married 1st Sarah BOWERS, 1st child: John GREEN; 2nd married to Isabell WILKES (2 children: Elizabeth Bell; & Allen Hansford GREEN. 3rd marriage to Lizzie SMITH (2 children: Horace, & Vera GREEN. Isabell WILKES, b. AR., died approximately 1880 (dates unknown). Allen Hansford GREEN, born, Huntsville, Van Buren City or Van Buren Co., AR., married Ader BORDEN in Newton Co., MO 1893.

Robert F. GREEN reportedly Civil War soldier from AR., & served in that state. (He was my great great grandfather).

MARR/S — Isaac MARR/MARRS, b. 1779 VA., died 1850/60, AR. married cousin, Catherine MARR/S, born 1784, Wilkes Co., GA., died ? near Canehill, AR. They married in Louisville, Lexington or Logan Co., KY approximately 1799. They were in Arkansas as early as 1817, 1st lived Lovely's Purchase, then Prairie Grove-Canehill area. I do not know where Lovely's Purchase was. Would like to know the burial place of Isaac and Catherine. Children: John, 1803; Andrew Jackson, 1804; Hugh, 1805; William 1806; Jane, 1808; Catherine, 1810; Franklin, 1812 (all born in Kentucky); James 1821; Alexander, 1824; Rosanna, 1826; Elizabeth, 1828; Andrew, 1830 (all born in Arkansas).

Andrew Jackson MARRS, b. 1804 was my great great great grandfather. He left Ark., at age 23, settling in Newton Co., MO. He died there in 1888.

Some Data

Reportedly town of MARRS HILL and a MARRS CREEK in Arkansas were named for this family. I do not know where they are!

2 sons of Andrew Jackson MARRS (grandsons of Isaac & Catherine) reportedly went down to AR and joined Confederate Army. The oldest son: Isaab, b. 1840 sickened and died at some sort of military camp/hospital at Little Rock, AR - wartime. The other son: Andrew, b. 1841, joined in AR, but served in MO, he reportedly died at the battle of Marshall, MO.

I have reference to: MARR, James Capt., Art. Union, Dept. of Arkansas under Maj. Gen. Steele, 3rd Brigade under Col. Engleman, Rank of 1 Lt. on 2 Sept. 1861, Mustered out: 4 Aug. 1865. I have article published in 1962 AFH (Mrs. T. J. Smith, Waco, TX). I am interested in other data regarding the MARRS of Arkansas. The WCHS sent me a list of the MARRS buried in Prairie Grove Cem. Any help on any of these people will be appreciated.

ELLENBURG — Tressie Wilkinson Weathers, 509 SE 70 Oklahoma City, OK 73149 - Would like to correspond with any descendants of Walter; John; & Pryor ELLENBURG. Found in Point DeLuce, Arkansas Co., AR in 1900. Sister, Sarah Alice married Oscar WEATHERS.

MC DOUGAL HAMBRICK LUCKADOO — Christepher Columbus MC COUGAL and wife Mary (HAMBRICK) came to Arkansas after 1880. Mary died and was buried in Antiock Cemetery (where in Arkansas, is that?) 2nd wife, Jane HOLCOMB LUCKADOO. Came from Madison Co. Ala., to Ark. then to Parker Co. TX. Will appreciate any small clue. (Possibly Clark Co., AR.). I will be happy to receive any inf. and will gladly answer all letters.

BASSETT CROW SLACK — Bettye Dean Smith, Glen Cove Rt., Coleman, TX 76834 - My great great grandfather, Thomas BASSETT, b. AR married Sarah CROW, also Born AR., according to the 1850 Pike Co., Missouri Township Census. They had 12 children of which my great grandfather, Robert Crow BASSETT, was also born in AR. R.C. married Martha Stafford SLACK, a widow, who had a child, Clara, when she married my great grandfather. My great aunt who is 96 says that Sarah CROW was full blood Cherokee Indian. Can anyone suggest how to trace the Cherokee Indian. According to my aunt Thomas BASSETT'S father was originally from Canada. I will greatly appreciate any help from any source, concerning these elusive ancestors.

SHERMAN — Richard L. Smith, 6 E Rhine Road, Fort Brall, N.C. 28307-My grandfather, Horace Willard SHERMAN'S father was George Washington SHERMAN, b. 1867, possibly AR (but where in AR?) he died in 1903 (he did not died in Viola, where he lived). Any inf. on the SHERMAN family of Faulkner Co., AR will be appreciated.

REPULSE AT HELENA, PHILLIPS CO. — Robert Talbott, 208 Carpenter, Warrensburg, MO 64093 - Can anyone help with inf. on any material published about the July 1863 Repulse at Helena, Phillips Co., AR. I will appreciate any suggestion.

PATRICK ROSE MC CALL — Annie Barnett, 913 Bowie St., Arlington, TX 76012 - Searching for Ancestors of James PATRICK, born 1851; wife Margaret (McCALL) PATRICK, b. 1853; son Hugh Jed PATRICK, b. 1879; Starlin ROSE, b. 1852; wife Christian (MC CALL) ROSE, b. 1855. (These are in Scott Co., AR).

MORTUARIES CEMETERIES SCOTT CO. 1896 — Can anyone help me with the names of the Mortuaries and Cemeteries operating in Scott Co., AR 1896. Searching for death date, and burial site of my great grandparents. Will gladly exchange data and be happy to refund postage. Please help!

RICHARDSON MOSS (Polk Co., AR) — Juanita McDaniel Lewis, Rt 1 Box 322, Davis, OK 73030 - I am looking for inf. on Obediah RICHARDSON and Elizabeth (MOSS) RICHARDSON families who were living in Pope Co., (or in 1870. Sources tell me that the family origianated in Limestone Co., Ala. The names of some of their children were: Adeline, b. 1860?; Rebecca Jane, b. 27 Oct. 1871, married James Jackson LEWIS, 23 Dec. 1888 in Polk Co., AR; Tamsen, b. 1872; Thomas W., b. 1874; James Wesley, b. 1876, Pinknew, b. 1877; and Chester Lee, b. 1879.

LEWIS — I also need inf. on the Elijah LEWIS descendants. He was born 1798 (?) in South Caroline and died near Spring Hill, Hempstead Co., AR. He was living in Lafayette Co., AR in 1850. In 1850 he was living in Hempstead Co., AR with his son Benjamin LEWIS.

I will appreciate any help and will share any inf. I have with others who are interested in this line.

ARRINGTON BRAZELL — G. O. Arrington, P. O. Box 182, Boyd, TX 76023 - I am trying to find some trace of my great grandfather, James E. ARRINGTON. Tradition says that he moved to Harris Co., now Poinsett Co., in 1871, also that his wife died 1877.

1880 he was living with his son, G. D. ARRINGTON in Boone Co., AR. I would love to find where G. D. ARRINGTON married. The old Family Bible shows that G. D. ARRINGTON married Eliza BRAZELL, 16 Feb. 1873. I would also like to find where James ARRINGTON, son of James E. ARRINGTON married to Sarah (?)...

My father Daniel E. ARRINGTON was born 12 Aug. 1875...where? G. D. ARRINGTON was living in Lonoke Co., AR in 1875, Dec. for they sold land in Humphries Co., TN, 1 Dec. 1875 (Have copy of Deed).

Any suggestion or help with knowledge of these people will be appreciated

DALLAS CO. HARRISONS WARD NUTT MATTHEWS TOLER DARBY MARKS McKINNEY GRAY — Mrs. M. Leonard Green, 10502 Bob White Drive, Houston, TX 77096 - Would like contact with the descendants of the HARRISON Families who came to Dallas Co., Arkansas between 1847 and 1860. Am compiling a book on the descendants of Thomas HARRISON of Caswell Co., North Carolina. Some of the men who married into the families were: Frank WARD; Walter MATTHEWS; Billy MARKS; Clifton GRAY; Russell McKINNEY; John NUTT; and a Mr. TOLER. These families lived around Fordyce, Tulip, Sulpher Springs, & Carthage. Am interested in any cemetery recirds and marriage records available on Dallas Co.

DODSON SHARP — Orabelle I. Hays, P. O. Box 829, Okanogan, WA 98840 - Looking for ancestors of Rev. Thomas DODSON, b. 1805 TN, married to Nancy SHARP. Moved about 1850 to Wesley, Madison Co., AR. Was Primitive Baptist Minister, and died 1884. Children: Willis: Nehemiah; William; Amos; John; Tom; Elisha; Nancy Elvira (GARRETT); Jim; Francis; Millie (BOONE); and Elizabeth (HUGHES). Will exchange inf.

GARRETT KIMMINS — Seeking ancestors of James Broomfield GARRETT, born in a covered wagon on road from North Carolina to Tenn., in 1816. Lived in Hickman Co., TN until 1857 when moved to Wesley/ Goshen (Madison/Washington Co.), Arkansas. Married Charity Polly KIMMINS. He died 1887. Children: Joseph; John Cooper; Mary (McWilliams); Margaret (Cummings); Caroline (FRITTS); Adeline (SHANNON); and Ann (CLARK). Will exchange information.

I am enjoying receiving the Arkansas Family Historian and am learning a great deal about the state. Had excellent results frm my last Query. Several people replied and helped me a great deal. Thank you for all your hard work.

FANNING — Clyde White, Rural Route #1, Murrayville, Ill 62668 - Seeking any inf. about a Joseph FANNING, b. possibly in the 1770s in Wythe Co., VA, twice married, father of eleven children by his 1st wife and five by his 2nd wife. Joseph moved to TN in 1820, in 1825 he followed his sons to Morgan Co, Ill., but later moved to Arkansas. In looking through an AR census index I found a Joseph FANNING listed in Carroll Co., AR 050 Osage Township in 1840 and in Carroll Co., 147 Prairie Twp. in the 1850 census. I believe this may be the Joseph FANNING we are tracing and would appreciate the census listing of this Joseph FANNING and his family.

Joseph FANNING is my great great great grandfather. Succeeding generations lived and died here in Morgan Co., Ill. If this is not the Joseph we are tracing, I would like the listing anyway, in the event that it may be a relative. Will share with others working on the FANNING line.

SLOAN McKINNEY — Mrs. M. A. Morkle, 2204 Bluebonnet, Texarkana, Tex 75501 - I would like any inf. on the following: James SLOAN, b. 28 Sept 1793, N.C. and died 2 Nov. 1862, Clark Co., AR married Anna Carolyn McKINNEY, b. 24 April 1809 Lincoln Co., KY., died 13 Sept. 1834, Clark Co., AR near Gurdon & Okolona. Children: Ashley, b. 1830, Clark Co., died ca 1858, Clark Co., AR. (Ashley was postmaster in Okolona, AR 1858; Lizzie & Betty SLOAN (twins) b. 1831; Mary Ann, b. 13 Sept. 1843, married James M. BROWNING in 1851 & moved to Ouachita Co.,; Elizabeth (Betty) married John W. BASS, 2 March 1848 in Clark Co., but have not been able to find any inf, about them. Believe theother twin died young. I have not been able to locate graves of Anna Carolyn, Ashley or Lizzie. Can anyone help me?

WESTMORELAND ROSS — Also would appreciate any inf. on Edwin Peterson WESTMORELAND who came to Clark Co., near Gurdon, in early 1860s with wife Mary Ann & 3 children: Mary Alice who married Bozeman ROSS; Julia Etta & James Henry. I was told, Edwin WESTMORELAND was assinated in Clark Co. before 1865 or 1866. I have not been able to locate his grave or the two children, Julia Etta & James Henry. Believe the children died in 1870 as I have not been able to find anything about them, after the 1870 census. At that time they were living with their mother Mary Ann and her 2nd husband A. L. Griffin. Please help!

VANN — Maydene Vann Wilson, 2101 Dartmouth Pl., San Angelo, TX 76901 I have considerable data on the VANN Families in Arkansas and will be glad to share with others working on these lines.

ALWAYS REMEMBER....NEVER FORGET....SEND A SELF ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE WHEN YOU HOPE FOR AN ANSWER TO ANY GENEALOGICAL QUESTION.

THANKS FOR PUBLISHING QUERY!!!! Virgie L. Nix, Box 274, Alluwe, OK 74049 - Just had to write to you to thank you for publishing my Query in the Sept. 1979 issue of "The Arkansas Family Historian". I have enjoyed every copy of our Historian and want to keep it coming..... If I can help any way just let me know. I am new at this Genealogy business but am willing to do what I can to help.

While I was visiting in the Court House in Searcy Co., AR., I ran across a book, "The History and Folklore of Searcy County", by Mary Frances Harrel This book had some family records of interest to me and I would like to have a copy. Is this book available, or is it out of publication? How can I obtain a copy? Can anyone help?

EDITOR'S NOTE: Write: Searcy County History, Mary Frances Harrell, Rt. 1 Box 62, Leslie, AR 72645

MARTIN KYSER Mrs. E. Martin, 219 S. 9th, Aransas Pass, Tx 78336 - I belong to several Genealogical Societies in Texas and Tennessee, Mississippi and Missouri and will trade inf. to anyone for inf. on Samuel MARTIN, 3rd wife Marion Kathryn HON, HONN or HOHN. born in AR? we know he died in Walnut Ridge, and he was born in Mo. He lived some time in MO before coming to AR.

Need inf. on William KYSER that came to Cleveland Co., and possibly Bradley Co., AR before coming to Texas, from S.C & Alabama. MARTIN was my late husband's grandfather. William KYSER possibly was my mother's great grandfather. My sister and I both need this for our family records.

I have several small books on MARTINS from Dallas, TX. Will gladly share with other working one these lines. (Mrs. Eva Mae Martin).

BREM BABER Alberta Griggs, 901 Ave. B., South Houston, TX 77587 - My greatgrandmother, Sarah (Sally)(BREM)BABER, was born in S.C. (shown on census records) 30 August 1838 (Bible Records). She died 31 August 1872, in Arkansas, perhaps in Hempstead county, as on the 1870 census, she and her three small children were in Hempstead Co.,AR If anyone has inf. on her, or with whom the children lived, please let me know. My greatgrandfather, Chesley Daniel BABER, died in 1864, but where? Children were: Nannie Elizabeth; John Barringer; James Thomas and George. Please help!

MOREHOUSE BUSCH Ms. Iliff Higginbotham, 2511 East 25th Place, Tulsa, OK 74114 Can anyone help me with any inf. about Katherine BUSCH MOREHOUSE, died Eureka Springs, Carroll Co., AR 1902 (or 1905 and Lewis Gordon MOREHOUSE, died Eureka Springs, Carroll Co., AR 1910 (may have been 1912). What cemetery could they have been buried? Possibly church records, or just any help will be appreciated.

DREWRY DRURY Jerry Drury, 312 E. Rose Wood Ct., Ontario, CA 91764 - Please help me locate my great great grandfather & his family in AR. John DREWRY, b. 1800 N.C. lived a while in Arkansas, I could not find him in 1840 Arkansas Index. I did find him in 1850 Census in Lee Co., AR. Three of his children were born in AR: Calistia DREWRY, b. 1844 AR; Francis DREWRY, b. 1843, AR; John DREWRY, b. 1848, AR. Can anyone help me find when he moved to Arkansas? or any other inf. about this family, will be appreciated, and I will gladly share data with others working on this line.

MOORE Mary C. Austin, 32 Heather Way, Larkspur, CA 94939 - Green M. MOORE, and wife Sarah (my great great grandparents and family settled in Randolph Co., AR sometime after 1850 and before 1860. They are on the 1860 Federal Census (page 162 (or 462??) in the "Little Black Township". They moved to Arkansas from Bedford Co., TN. I am very much interested in locating land records, a possible Will, and death and cemetery records for both Green M. and Sarah MOORE. The are not on the 1870 Federal Census for Randolph Co., and may have relocated in Little Rock, Pulaski Co. but have not been able to find them on that census either.

Green M. MOORE'S brother Don C. Moore (or Dan C. MOORE) was living in this same township on the 1860 census and from land documents I have found that he was living there in 1851. I would also like to find more on this Don C. MOORE and his family.

Any inf. on ancestors or descendants of these people will be appreciated, and I will gladly share with others.

SMALLEY CLARK SOUTHWORTH CRAIG — Mrs. Connie S. Lawson, 223 Dryden Dr., Vallejo, CA 94590 - Jackson Wesley SMALLEY, Jr., b. 11 July 1864, Marshall Co., KY. Married 1st to Ellen CRAIG, children: Luther; Frank; George; John; Lester. Married 2nd to Lucy Mae SOUTHWORTH. Jackson W. SMALLEY, Jr., died 26 Aug. 1942, buried Liberty, Arizona. He was the son of Jackson Wesley SMALLEY, SR., and his mother is believed to be Louise KING?

Lucy Mae SOUTHWORTH, b. 23 Oct. 1883 in Lafayette, Indiana, married near Ft. Smith, Sebastian Co., AR, 1901. Jackson & Lucy lived north of Mulberry Crawford Co., AR for about one year, before moving to Oklahoma where all their children were born. Lucy is 96 and resides in Vallejo, CA with her daughter. She is my husband, Ira's, grandmother. Any inf. appreciated & I will gladly share data with others working on these lines.

BEAVERS of BAXTER CO. ARKANSAS DE HART — Patsy Beavers Nye, 8707 East 14th, Tulsa, OK 74112 - John BEAVERS, b. 1821, VA, lived in Illinois near Springfield, where he was in lumber business. Married to Charlotte DeHART ab. 1832, and died 1869. They had 6 children: John, b. 1852 Ill.; Andrew, b. 1854, Ill.; Julia, b. 1855, MO; Ellen, b. 1855, MO; Sharldter, b. 1860, MO.; Charles, b. 1864, MO. This inf. was obtained partially from the 1870 Marion Co., AR US Census. John BEAVERS settled in what is now Baxter Co., at Advance, AR. The following is from: (Bible now in possession of my great aunt in Missouri).

BIBLE RECORDS OF CHARLES ROBERT BEAVERS

Charles Robert Beavers, b. 1864, d. 20 Dec. 1918
Mary Evelynn (Cunningham) Beavers, b. 1869,(d. 17 Oct. 1949)
Henry Melton, b. 19 June 1886,(d. 28 Nov. 1969)
Charles William, b. 2 Feb. 1888, d. 27 July 1937
George Franklin, b. 9 Sep 1890, d. "early age"
Jonathan Calvin, b. 20 Mar 1893,(d. 2 Oct. 1970)
Nora Ann, b. 22 Nov. 1894,(d. sometime in 1977 or 1978)
James Edgar, b. 13 Jan. 1897, d. "early age"(he was approx. 7 years of age)
Mary Lucinda, b. 1 Aug 1899
Arthur Eugene, b. 4 Mar 1905,(d. 13 Nov. 1949)
Allie Laura, b. 26 Feb. 1907
Callie Isabell, b. 26 Feb. 1907
Velma Ada, b. 12 Sept 1909

Dates in parenthesis were recorded by my great aunt. Henry Melton is my grandfather. He married Hattie POGUE. They had one son: James Robert b. (5 Jan. 1907 and now living in Tulsa, OK) Henry and Hattie were divorced and Henry married 2nd to Stella BARTON.

James Robert married 2nd to Elizabeth LaGERE, 31 July 1926. They had three daughters all now living in Tulsa, OK. They are: Betty Marie McMasters (b. 20 Jan. 1929); Mary Elizabeth (Mrs. Bob) Reeves,(b. 18 July 1930); and Patsy Ann (Mrs. Donald) NYE, b. 17 Nov. 1931.

Additional inf. on the ancestors or descendants of this family will be appreciated.

McGEHEE HUGHES — Sirleen Ghigleri, P. O. Box 571, Aptos, CA 95003 - Robert A. McGEHEE, born 1861, Drew Co., AR married 1889 to Lee HUGHES, in Drew Co., AR., died 1940 in McNairy Co., TN. Children: Jessie; Ina; Harvey; & John (all born in Drew Co., AR). Would like to correspond with anyone with knowledge of the ancestors of Robert A. McGEHEE Also the brothers and sisters (if any). He possibly had a brother named Tom McGEHEE. Will appreciate any help, and will gladly share data with others working on this line.

HENSLEY — Helen Hensley, Rt. 1 Box 640-J, Sanger, TX 76266 - Would like to correspond with anyone with knowledge of the HENSLEY Family, mostly from Van Buren Co., AR. My basic information concerning the family is scanty. I lack many of the names and dates necessary to obtain various records. Please help!

HOLSONBACK EASTER HOLLY — Mrs. Ann H. Phillips, P. O. Box 7316, Asheville, North Car. 28807 - Need parents of David Samuel (Dave) HOLSONBACK, b. 1835, AR d. ca 1900 Farmersville, TX and parents of his wife, Martha Jane Easter (married 1st to Pleasant King LAGRONE, 2nd to HOLSONBACK, 31 Dec. 1871; both Dave and Martha living in Cedar Creek, Scott Co., AR in 1873 up to her death, 20 Jan. 1897. Her sister, Mary Ann EASTER, married HOLLY, probably HORACE; their brother was Benton EASTER. The 1880 census, Scott Co., shows Martha J. HOLSONBACK, b. AR, but her sister Mary A. HOLLY, born in Mississippi. Please help! Happy to refund postage.

ODOM YOUNGBLOOD — Mrs. Thomas J. Webb, 369 F. Circuit Lane, Newport News, VA 23602 - Seeking inf. on the Hubbard S. ODOM Family. Hubbard S. ODOM, b. 1810? in Georgia, wife Narcissus, b. 1842 in Ala.; Sarah A. ODOM, b. 1858, AR; Peter H. ODOM, b. 1863, AR; Texansia, 1870, AR;& Della, ODOM, b. 1872, Ark.

Also M. YOUNGBLOOD, b. 1809? in South Carolina, wife Emily, b. 1840 in Ark; Frances Marion YOUNGLBOOD, b. 1866 in Arkansas (Lafayette County). Will appreciate any information and will gladly share with others working on these families.

HAMES — Kenneth E. Hames, 673 Ave. F. SE., Winter Haven, Fla. 33880 - I am attempting to trace my family and would like to contact anyone with any knowledge that will help me. My information points to Arkansas as birth places of my Great grandfather, Albert S. HMES, according to the 1900 census. Also two HAMES are listed in the 1840 Arkansas Census: Gazway HAMES, former county: Scott & present counties, Pulaski, Crawford & Pope. James HAMES, former county: Desha and present county, Arkansas county. (Phone 299-6968) Please help!

COLES COLE — Mrs. Vivian I. White, 6431 Ripley Ln., Renton, WA 98055 - My problem: great grandpa known as Robert in 1850 Fulton Co., KY & known as Samuel in Polk Springs, Iron Co., MO in 1860 (known to family as PSR (Pleasant Robert Samuel) COLES. I cannot find his marriage record, which should have been someplace between Iron Co., Mo 1860 and 1866 in Ark., to Martha CRABB or CRABBTREE. She ran away, after having 2 sons...when they were very young. Must have been a divorce, because he married Elave Ellen HARCOM, 1873 in Ark. They lived in White Co., AR in 1900, found under the name of (Daniel)...evidently a mishearing.

His family: Henry G. COLE, b. 1810, N.C. carpenter (1840 Hickman Co., KY); & 1850 Fulton Co., KY; & 1860 Polk Springs, MO.; wife, Dorthula, b. 1823, Indiana; Ema E., b. 1839 KY married to John A. HICKS in Polk Springs, MO.; 1880 Independence Co., AR., living with son Jaspar HICKS in White Co., AR.; James M. b. 1840, KY married to Sarah S. PALMER, 31 Jan. 1861, Polk Springs, MO.; John Henry, b. 1842, KY.; Martha A. b. 1844 KY married 29 Dec. 1861 to Finley ADAMS in Polk Springs, MO.; Robert Samuel Pleasant COLE, b. 1846 KY, married 1866 to Martha CRABB or CRABBTREE (most likely Green Co., AR; Alexander, b. 1854, Polk Springs, Mo.; Fanny (not sure this is correct) b. 1848 KY.; and William, b. 1860, Polk Springs, MO. Believe this family were Methodist.

Living with this family in 1850, Fulton Co., KY was EMA LEWIS, b. 1780 SC (might be Dorthula's mother, grandmother, or?)

I cannot find when PSR COLE (Changed to COLES) married 1st wife or divorced her but some of family lived in Greene County, and one of PSR's sons lived most of his life there, so sounds logical, however, they say their court records burned.

Cannot learn maiden name of Dorthula or when she and Henry married.

Cannot get any records of Henry in the 2 counties of Kentucky other than Fed. Census, so do not know if he owned land, or contracted carpentry, or if raised in Kentucky from childhood. Also the family story...traded MO. land for oxen & wagon & moved to Arkansas about 1870...where did they settle?

Unable to find his parent's names so cannot go back to North Carolina with the COLE family.

SHANDS HOLBROOKS — I also had great grandparents ALMAREN SHANDS & wife Mary L. (HOLBROOKS) FRANCIS...evidently was a widow when she married Almeren in Forsyth Co., Georgia in 1858. They moved to Miss., then to White Co., Arkansas, where he died in the 1870s. He was supposed to have been a Methodist Minister. I have no idea when Mary SHANDS died, she was born 1830 in Georgia, was on 1900 White Co., AR census living with son-in-law William COLES and family. Almaren was born 1813, S.C. but where in South Carolina? who were his parents? Who were Mary's parents? Almaren had one son, killed in Civil War, nickname "Monty" his name was either A. P. or William...were in Forsyth Co., GA with him so could have enlisted there. I have been stuck for a number of years, so will appreciate any tiny clue and will gladly share with others working on these lines.

HAWKINS BURTIN REDWINE — Mrs. B. F. Winn, P. O. Box 297, Petaluma, CA 94952 - I am interested in the BURTON, HAWKINS & REDWINE Families of Randolph Co., Arkansas and Clay Co., Arkansas. Would like to contact those working on any of these lines, and will gladshare data. Please help!

PIERCE ANGELL — Mrs. Ruth I. Bivens, Route 3 Box 359, Mountain Grove, MO 65711- I no longer type, am a great grandmother! I have to research from home, a light stroke plus heart trouble has left it's mark! However Our PIERCE and allied lines, also main line, we have 25 Ministers.

Lawrence ANGELL had a brother, Rev. John ANGELL, also a Rev. Soldier in North Carolina (big family).

Nathaniel PIERCE, b. 1789 S.C. had a brother Thomas, who died in MO 1837 Nathaniel had a son, Thomas, b. 1810 KY, who died in Siloam Springs, Benton Co., AR, 1860, left 5 or 7 children.

Washington PIERCE (Rev. Baptist) had a son, Thomas, b. 1849 Taney Co., MO. about 1890., he died or was killed in Hot Springs, Garland Co., AR. (This could have been added to Pierce).

We had 9 brothers, born from 1748 to 1791, all but the oldest lived. I have not found them all, but my rare old PIERCE Book has some into Missouri, Iowa, Kansas. 379 pages of (Pearce, Pierce, Peirce) all the WILLS. Some I had payed for abd have original, I have all my allied lines to Indiana, TN., two are complete, Virginia. Also completed 2 full lines main of PIERCE to England and Ireland, by the time my Maryland WILLS arrive, I will have them finished, I believe. EDITOR'S NOTE: Please also see PIERCE QUERY in March 1979 issue or possibly June 1979).

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following is also from Mrs. Bivens.

My mother Golda Gladys, b. 20 April 1901, Greenforest, Carroll Co., AR., dau. of Alfred Washington and Sarah Jane (ANDERSON) BRADSHAW. Alfred W., b. 15 Sept. 1872, left with family in 1804/5 for Oregon, where I, Ruth was later born to Golda and Arch WIMER. I had only one brother, Vernon Guild WIMER, who died in 1968.

Alfred and Sarah settled in Eugene, Oregon, but later went to Medford, where he planted the Maridian Orchards. Sarah raised a large family. Alfred died in Eugene, OR, age 96 years. Sarah died 1946.

Alfred's father was Abel BRADSHAW, b. 1840, New Hanover County, North Carolina. Abel Martin BRADSHAW was shot clear through during Civil War, CSA, Missouri, died in Arkansas many years later, 1925.

Alfred's mother was Carolien PIERCE, b. 1848, Taney Co., MO. She was the seventh child of Rev. G. Washington PIERCE, b. 1812 (KY or TN)?

Caroline's mother was Nancy Ann ANGEL (ANGELL) b. 1820, Franklin Co. TN Nathaniel PIERCE, b. SC 1789 and Sarah, b. 1794, TN., father and mother of Rev. Washington PIERCE and Sarah (?) what?

The PIERCE and ANGELS were in Independence Co., AR 1835 tax list, 1840 they are in Taney Co., MO. 1850 all are there: G. Washington PIERCE, b. (TN) 1860 all are there also: Rev. G. Washington PIERCE, b. (KY). 1870, I have not been able to find them (Taney Co., burned over). All left who could.

I need to have the birth place of Rev. Washington PIERCE for DAR records The 1880 AR Census would have this plus, where his folks were born. Rev. Wssh. PIERCE was a good Baptist Minister. Could anyone tell me where to write to get the PIERCE of Carroll Co., AR 1880? Will gladly answer and refund postage.

I also trad inf. with others. I can from Census 1840, 1850, and 1860, 1870 Taney Co., MO. Also have cemetery records of this County, Marriages burned during Civil War, and again 1886.

Nancy Ann ANGEL's father was James ANGELL, her mother was Mary (?). James ANGELL, b. 1790, N.C. Mary died before 1840, but she probably was b. in KY or TN (could possibly be a PERRY).

James ANGEL's father was Lawrence ANGELL (ANGEL) b. Rowan Co., N.C.1760, Rowan became Surry County, and this was where Lawrence was when he went into the Revolutionary War, North Carolina Continental line. He put in for Pension in Johnson Co., Indiana 1831 he was turned down the 1st time, however he put in again and his Pension was approved 1832 May. James had taken over as head of the family in Indiana. His mother had died in Tenn. We never found Lawrence's wife, but it is daid to be Sarah (?) At the date May 1832, Lawrence was 72 years old.

In Mr. SHINN's book, he has Lawrence ANGEL buried in Ark. near Independence Co., 1833, however Lawrence was there 1833, as transfer of pension was made. Mr. Shinn said Lawrence ANGEL (ANGELL) N.C. was buried with several others in this Company (all Revolutionary Soldiers).

Lawrence ANGEL left Arkansas he and the family were in Jefferson Co., Missouri 1836. Lawrence ANGEL (ANGELL) died 25 Nov. 1836 in Jefferson Co., MO.

Rev. George Washington PIERCE and Nancy Ann ANGEL married in this Co., 16 Oct. 1836.

Lawrence ANGEL was 76 at death. Jesse and James, sons of Lawrence put in for transfer of Pension to that County in Missouri.

ANGEL - PIERCE Family information (con't page 2)

The pension says Lawrence ANGEL departed life Nov. 25, 1836 in said County a bove. His Heirs were paid to that date.

In North Carolina and Tennessee, Lawrence had larger family living with him. We do not know if they were his children, or his wife's children? However James and Jessee were the children named in Pension.

Marion County, Arkansas has a James ANGEL, also for a long time. I claimed him because of Mr. Shinn's book. However found James was son of John (in North Carolina) he married Elizabeth WARD.

We later have WARDS in Carroll County, Arkansas (this was a great loss of time).

Jesse ANGEL had 6 sons. I have not found Jesse after 1838, he was in White Co., TN. 1828 he recieved a land grant, which I have (from Gov. Sam Houston). 1830 Jesse was in Ill. White Co., Ill. Census, 6 sons.

Martin B. ANGEL was in White Co., Tenn. He could have stayed on Jesse's land. Martin B. died in Jackson Co., Ill. 1852. A., Jessee was killed about that time in Tenn., while riding horseback, he could have returned to his land. I have records on all this.

James lost Mary, his wife in North Missouri, 1836. His children are living with Nancy ANGEL PIERCE, their sister in 1840, Taney Co., MO.

William was born 1821, White Co., Tenn. Sarah, b. 1823, White Co., TN. Lawrence W. ANGEL, b. same county, 1828. A dead letter in Sparta Spring of 1828 was not called for. Mary, b. 1831, Ind. (Johnson Co.).

1850 has others all listed together(some are married) in Taney Co. MO. Others who have worked on this line can have the same trouble as I. My records, when I get the 1880 Carroll Co., census, I will have all my records to prove for DAR. I will do all marriages of mine married out of Taney Co., MO (the others of Taney Co., MO burned). My DAR records will be available for copy.

LAWRENCE ANGEL - was the son of Charles ANGEL, b. 1720, and Isabella Washington CUMMINGS (COMINGS). She also was born 1720 in Virginia.

The ANGEL line, I have complete to and in England. Also, I have many on ANGEL Family who write, can help.

PEIRCE, I have records - all proved - many also in touch, with twenty lines. If you send me a page, I will try to match, perhaps can put them into their line.

One girl wrote this year.---I had her main line to a Rev. Soldier VA & two contacts on that line.

A man also wrote from Arizona -- was able to put him in touch with two on BRADSHAW line, and get him to John the Emigrant. Please send S.A.S.E of course (Self addressed stamped envelope).

If Copy is done on a copy machine it is 25¢ uptown, per sheet.

I cannot research for others, but can tell them where to obtain Missouri records.

I also will trade research. If I have it. I do have many books, Virginia, North Carolina, Tennessee. 1790 South Carolina Indexes, 1790 PA. All people. Both give age groups, these are like the reel (microfilm) require much time. 1830 Illinois., & Indiana (these have all people, number only.

The WILL INDEXES of Maryland 1634-1777 lists many people, it only indexes name, page, book number.

Grimes North Carolina WILLS are also early (they are abstracts). I also have Jefferson Co., MO., 1840, 1850 Census - all people + Vol. I Marriages, St. Francis Co., MO 1840, & 1850 Census.

Wilkes County, North Carolina Court records & WILLS 1779 to 1790.

Perquimens Co., North Carolin by Winslow, and also have Rare - Old PIERCE Genealogy of Mass. State, done by two PIERCE boys, published 1888. This is a gold mine of records.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Mrs. Bivens did a beautiful article, her handwriting is beautiful - I only wish some folks could type as well!!! Write her, she may know all about your PIERCE or ANGEL Family. Be sure to include your S.A.S.E.

SPRAGGINS JAMES PIPKINS — Deborah Spraggins Wegmet, 803 Washington Ave., Jacksovnville, TX 75766 - I am stuck on my SPRAGGINS Line in Bradley Co., AR- Daniel T SPRAGGINS married Rebecca JAMES 1855. Did Daniel have a sister, Sarah, who married James PIPKINS in 1854? Were the Harriette SPRAGGINS and James H. SPRAGGINS who married in 1856 related to Daniel? How? Rebecca JAMES was b. in GA of parents born in NC. Who were they? Did she have sisters, Margarette, Mary, Nancy, Rachel and Sarah Ann? All these JAMES girls married in Bradley Co., AR in the 1850's or 1860's. I would also like to locate William Echols SPRAGINS, author of A Brief History & Brief Genealogy of the Andrew Beirne, William Patton, William Echols, V, & Robert E. Spragins Lines copyright 1956 (Huntsville, Alabama).

HOBBS Juanita (Posey) Duff, 510 Oildale Dr., Oildale, CA 93308 - My great grand father's name is Evie HOBBS, his dau., my grandmother, was Emma HOBBS. Great grandfather was Cherokee Indian, my grandmother - one-half Cherokee, my grandmother was born in 1873.

POSEY Great grandfather's name is John (?) POSEY, his son (my grandfather's name is John William POSEY (he was also one-half Cherokee Indian, he was born in 1871. My father is John William POSEY, and he may have been born in Arkansas, 27 July 1888. My grandparents were married in Sebastain Co., AR (Greenwood District, 27 Sept. 1890. ?? Their marriage is recorded on page 80 B Book of marriages (on 4th or 5th of Nov.) I would like to find the name of my great grandmother Posey, before she married my great grandfather. Was she full blood Indian since my grandfather was one-half, or was the Indian on the POSEY'S side of the family? Please help me find this and any other inf. on either of these people.

GILES Hazel Tarkington, 4716 South U St., Fort Smith, AR 72903 - Joe Green GILES, age 45, and wife Cordelia, age 45, both born in AR, were listed in the 1900 Grant Co., AR census with one dau., Mary age 22. (they were in Tenn. Township). A neice, Mollie Howel, age 18, also in household. The GILES family lived on S. R. Parnell's farm in 1900 (inf. from a Parnell descendant). The informant remembered the family and stated that - "the neighborhood kids called Mrs. Giles, "Aunt Cord" because Cordelia was too big a mouthful for them." She also remembered that Aunt Cord was a tall woman and she almost always wore a long white apron. The daughter, Mary, was a pretty girl, tall and slender." The Parnell descendants did not remember what became of the GILES family, but thought that Mollie HOWEL married a man by the name of CUNNINGHAM and went to live in or near Malvern, Hot Spring Co. AR.

I would like very much to locate descendants of the GILES family. What became of Mary GILES? Some members of Joe's family were born in Louisiana. Did Joe and Cordelia move to LA.? Jose's brother, Sim GILES married a Miss BALLEW and lived in Grant Co., AR. In 1880 Joseph GILES and Cordelia were living in Grant Co., AR. They had a son, Vadon, age 2, and Mary was one year old. By 1900 Vaden had died. (census record stated that two children were born to the mother and only one was living). Any help appreciated and I will gladly share data with others working on these lines.

SWOPE COCHRAN Sue (Cochran) Patten, P. O. Box 1025, Lakeport, CA 95453 - I am seeking any and all inf. on Susan (SWOPE) COCHRAN, her children were: Sarah; Belle; Liddie, possibly a dau. Nancy, and sons George and John Henry, of Fulton Co., AR after 1870.

HIGH George HIGH and any other of the HIGH Family, believed to have been in Carrol Co., AR Civil War time or after.

MACOMB COX Abraham MACOMB and wife Mary Margaret COX.

Recently I had a chance to read some of the ARKANSAS FAMILY HISTORIANS and am very interested in joining this group, as several of my ancestors lived in Arkansas in the 1800s. I have some additional information on these names and will gladly share with others working on these lines.

DU PUY JENKINS Edgar L. Frazell, M. D., 809 Nix Professional Bldg., San Antonio, TX 78205 (512-224-4861) - My ancestor, Great grandfather, Dr. Jonathan Ethelbert DU PUY, b. 28 August 1812, VA., died 9 August 1884, Texas. When Dr. DU PUY entered medical school at Transylvania U. at Louisville, KY, 1835-36, he registered from Alabama. After leaving school (without a degree) he practiced in Arkansas, until he migrated to Texas circa 1860. He raised a family of 7 or 8 children in Arkansas, but brought them all to Texas. He married Louisa JENKINS, possible in Arkansas, or possibly in Alabama, since she was born there.

I am most interested in knowing what county he might have lived in, when in Arkansas. Can anyone help? I will appreciate even a tiny clue.

WARD WILSON Vera L. Dean, P. O. Box 181, Station A., Richmond, CA 94808 - Would like to establish contact with descendants of George E. WARD, a son of Cornelies B. and Charlotte WARD, born 1850 in TN and 1855 in Arkansas, respectively). Their children in the 1900 Census of Cave Creek Village, Polk Township, Sheet 11B, Newton Co., AR., were: George E., 1879; Ellen, 1881; Etta, 1886; Ashley, 1897; Dolly B., 1890; and Leander 1894. My Mom also remembers Rose, who was probably born after 1900. One of my kin is said to have married a child of George WARD and lives in Little Rock, Pulaski Co., AR., possibly Betty Berniece STANDRIGE married Archie WARD/ I cannot remember for sure of whom the person spoke. Please help.

FROM: Deborah Spraggins Wegment, 803 Washington Ave., Jacksonville, TX 75766
I really enjoy the Family Historian. Because the first Query I sent in, I established contact with a very helpful lady who gave me a great deal of inf. of my JOHNSON and ROWELL lines. Miss Melba Newton, of Star City, AR has since sent me copies of photographs of my great great great grandparents, William Brown JOHNSON and Eliza Frances ROWELL along with pictures of three of their children.

SANDHERR ROWLAND — Alta L. Marsh, 6817 Pennywell Dr., Nashville, TN 37205 - I am seeking inf. on the following: (Grave markers, or any other inf). Carl J. SANDHERR, b. circa 1800, Germany, died 5-10-1835, Burial, Little Rock area; wife, Lisetta (Elizabeth) Mrs. Carl. J. SANDHERR, b. 1803, Germany, died 1857, Saline or Pulaski Co., AR, burial Little Rock area? Henry Jacob SANDHERR, b. 3-20-1829, Germany, died c. 1890, Little Rock, burial, near his father & mother (above). I will appreciate any help and will refund postage etc.
Also need to know where: Harris ROWLAND & wife Frances, are buried (their dates are, Harris, b. 1800 in NC, died after 1850 in AR & Francis, b. 1805 in GA, died after 1850 in Ark.

SANDERS — Opal Duncan, 304 S. E. C St., Bentonville, AR 72712 - I am searching for inf. on Simeon SANDERS, son of Joseph and Nancy SANDERS. Simeon was b. 1821, Orange Co., Ind. Found on 1860 census of Wash. Co., AR died between 1870 & 1881. Married 18 Feb. 1846 to Welment WAY. He was my great great uncle. Can anyone help me? or suggest any way I can get inf. on either of these people?

MILLER PETTIT — Eugenia M. Field, 6315 Yvonne Way, 598-1628, Colo. Springs, CO 80907 - My mother in law was placed in an orphanage with two of her brothers. Her name is Dona Olga MILLER, b. 1 Feb 1903, Harvey, Scott Co., AR, dau. of George Byron MILLER, b. 15 Aug. 1861, Howard Polk Co., AR, died 22 June 1908, Harvey, AR. and Mary Elizabeth PETTIT, b. 20 June 1867, died 1906/7? Would like any record, birth, death, marriage, etc. (Father's & mother's oarents names, just any inf. will be appreciated.

VAN CLEAVE — Allan Wenzel, 8036 11th Ave., N.W., Seattle, WA 98117 - I am seeking any inf. (especially obituary) for William Harmon VAN CLEAVE (also spelled VAN CLEVE) who died 21 April 1906 in Havana, Yell Co., AR. Also the cemetery where he is buried.
Also can anyone help locate a George W. VAN CLEAVE in any cemetery in Benton Co., (possibly in Flint Township). Any inf. will be appreciated and I will gladly refund postage, etc.

HOWARD JONES — Nannette Whitney, 108 Pershing Place, Monroe, LA 71202 - Wm. Bridges HOWARD, b. 4 Sept. 1836 in LA, d. 16 Sept. 1913 in AR married Margaret Jane JONES, b. 4 March 1842, d. 31 Dec. 1901. They married in AR, but where? Parents of Wm. Bridges HOWARD were Melinda, ?) b. ca 1815 Miss. Bridges HOWARD, b. ca 1804, KY. Need inf. on them & their issue. (Elvira, Malinda A., Cintha A., Emala, & John L.) They were in Ouachita Co., AR 1850 (Missouri Township).
The parents of Margaret Jane JONES, b. 4 March 1842, Ala. died 31 Dec. 1901, AR). were: Elizabeth (?) b. ca 1808 GA and Louis JONES, b. ca 1806 GA. Their 1st 4 issue were born in Alabama: Louisiana T. 1836; William L. 1838; Benjamine, 1840; & Margaret J. 1842. They also had 4 issue in Arkansas: Martha A. 1843; Julia, 1845; Nancy R. 1847; and Elijah F., 1850. Will gladly exchange inf. on these people.

NEWBERRY QUALLES — Betty Dennis, P. O. Box 22, Watson, AR 71674 - Could anyone help me find the marriage record of Merdex NEWBERRY and Nancy QUALLES, between 1860/5. I will appreciate any suggestion.

LUTHER KING HULSEY WHITE — Mrs. Lou Pero, 1006 Delaware, Bend, OR 97701 - James M. LUTHER, b. NC abt 1828 married Lucinda WHITE, Indiana, abt. 1850. Have located them in Izard, now Baxter Co., AR prior to Civil War. Entered land, erected cotton gin, was a furniture maker by trade. Enlisted in Confederate Army, was a prisoner near end of War. Children: Dr. Joesl E. LUTHER; Zelphia Lucinda KING; Frances married I. R. COLE; Anna, wife of J. M. BAILEY (was married 1st to Greg Doyle, d. abt 1880); William Calvin; James Madison (Matt); three children who died in infancy. James M. died 1875, Lucinda died 1879. Above information is from article by Joel LUTHER ca 1922, lived Mt. View, Stone Co., AR. Cannot verify by existing record. Need newspaper clippings, marriage records, letters, whatever? Please help! I will gladly share with others working on: LUTHER Family, know of many descendants. Also KING & HULSEY lines.

INGRAM — Edward L. Ingram, 1203 Wilshire, Odessa, TX 79761 - I am seeking any inf. (especially the place of birth and the parents of John B. INGRAM) who appears on the Marion Co., AR census rolls for the years of 1840, 1850 & 1860. The census rolls lists him as a property owner 1000 acres in 1860. Census shows S.C. as birth place, wife Mary, b. in KY. Court house was destroyed 1919 & all records were lost. Are there other sources? I am most interested in these two things - Mr. Ingram's birthplace in SC & his parents' names. Please help.

DENDY — Mrs. Mary S. (Cheatham) Thornburg, 102 East St., Gartford, Mich 49057 - Seeking inf. on A. T. J. (Thomas Jefferson) DENDY Family. He was born Jan. 1835, Alabama (?) married Mary Eliene SHORES approximately 1854/5 in Ala(?). In 1877 they lived at Rockford, Coosa Co., Ala. In 1881/2 his wife died. They were the parents of 8 children, born between 1856-77. Shortly after his wife died, T. J. moved his familt to Raliegh, TN., stayed there awhile, then moved on to Arkansas around 1890. He lived near Monette, Craighead Co., AR. After his youngest child, my husband's grandfather, Jefferson Shores DENDY married, Josephine ALSUP, in 1896. He died 1905/6 at Monette, AR and was buried at Black Oak, Craighead Co., AR

We are interested in finding someone with knowledge about his descendants, survivors at death, brothers, sisters,, parent's names, especially the town & county where he was born, we know Ala., but where? Could anyone help with a newspaper clipping, obituary notice, tombstone marker, cemetery or any other inf., which would be appreciated.

I sure enjoy my ARKANSAS FAMILY HISTORIAN, can hardly waituntil I receive my next one. I was born and raised in Arkansas, my maiden name was CHEATHAM, from Monette, AR., would like to know of others from Monette.

For the lady who was looking for the Enos TUBERVILLE FAMILY, I don't know if it would be of any help to her, but there is a Lester TUBERVILLE living in Lawrence, Mich. She might write to him.

RIGGS — Charles Riggs, 10148 E. Compton Blvd., Bellflower, CA 90706 - John William RIGGS, born about 1840, place unknown, son of Thomas Jackson RIGGS, mother's name unknown, married Popular Springs, TX., died 1881, Hartford, Sebastain Co., AR. Married Margaret LOGGAINS, mother's maiden name (?) CANNON (Cherokee Indian. Interested in locating any records, especially Birth, death, deeds, land grants, Obituary notices, marriage dates or any other data. Will appreciate any help and will gladly share with others working on this line.

ROWTON, McDONALD, McCONNELL, STOVALL — Mrs. Joan Rowton, 230 Todd Rd., Kalama, WA 98625 - Wm. Riley ROWTON, b. abt. 1828, TN married 18 July 1847 to Levisa A. T. McDONALD, b. abt. 1830, AR. Who were the parents of LEVISA? Known children: Christopher C., b. 1848 AR., married Tennessee E. (?), b. 1848, AR (but where in Ark.?) Parents ?; William Daniel (husband's grandfather) 1 Aug. 1849, AR married to Martha M. McCONNELL David Peyton, b. 1851, AR married Miranda Addline STOVALL, b. 1853, KY (but where?); Sarah, b. abt. 1853, AR married to (?). Can anyone help with birth death dates, parents names, or any other inf. I will gladly exchange data. NOTE: Most of the ROWTON people were possibly buried in either the Black Springs or Gaston Cemeteries near Black Springs, Montgomery Co., AR. Have these cemeteries been inventoried, if so where can I purchase a copy?

McCONNELL, ROWTON, MEREDITH, JONES, NEWBUM(B), HENDRIX, CRAWFORD — Desire all vital inf. on the Robert McCONNELL Family of Montgomery Co., AR. The 1850 Census shows he was born abt. 1793, Ohio, wife, Sarah (?) known children: Emily M. Stacey;Elizabeth mar.C. M. Miller; Wilson married MO. GARRETT?; David married Louisa MEREDITH. Miller C. McCONNELL, b. 18331 AR; wife, Elizabeth, b. 1836 AR. Their dau. Martha M., b. 1851-58; M. William Daniel ROWTON, 30 Oct. 1873. John Meredith, b. abt. 1806 VA married Elizabeth (?) possibly in Georgia abt. 1826/7. Known children:William, b. 1827 married Sarah JONES; George Duncan, b. 1829 married Rutha NEWCUM(B); Barbara, b. 1832 married (?); Catherine, b. 1834 married (?); Henry, b. 1838 married Nancy Jane HENDRIX; Thomas, b. 1840 married (?); Mary, b. 1843 married (?); Adam C., b. 1845 married (?) CRAWFORD. All these children were born in Georgia, but where in Georgia? who were the parents of Joh MEREDITH, and where in Virginia was he born? what was Elizabeth's surname? She was born in North Carolina but where? I believe some or all of these people were buried in the cemeteries near Caddo Gap, Montgomery Co., AR. Would like to know if these have bee inventoried, and where I might purchase a copy?

MEREDITH
NEWCOM (B)
BUREL/BURRELL
SMITH
PEEL
SCOTT

Mrs. Joan Rowton, 230 Todd Rd., Kalama, WA 98625 - George Duncan MEREDITH (My husband's great grandfather) b. 1828/9,GA., married 10 July 1851 to Rutha NEWBOM9B) b. 1832, AR. Who were the parents of Duncan and where in Georgia was he born? known children: Jane b. 1852, AR; Wm. Thomas (my husband's grandfather) b. 1853/4. AR married Vina Jane BUREL/BURRELL, b. 1852 Ala., SC or AR; George, b. 1855, AR; John, b. 1857, AR., married to Martha SMITH; James, b. 1861, AR; Nathan, b. 1865, AR married 1st to Harriet PEEL, 2nd to Lillie SCOTT; Joseph, b. 1872, AR. Can anyone help me locate birth and death dates or any of these people? Please H-E-L-P!!!!!

NOTE: The following Obituaries were sent by Mrs. Joan Rowton, from the Longview Daily News, with the hope that they will help someone. "My Ark. Research isn't going very good, and I'm really in the dumps about it! But I do enjoy reading the Arkansas Family Historian, and hate to wait 'till the next Volume arrives".

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Obituaries

Tambie C. Hudson

A 37-year-resident of St. Helens, Ore., Tambie C. Hudson, 75, died April 8 in a St. Helens nursing home. He was born Feb. 22, 1904, in Weddington, Ark., was a former employee of Crown Zellerbach and a former resident of Clatsop County.

Survivors include his wife, Edythe; one son, Jesse of St. Helens; three daughters, Marjorie L. Backman of Kennewick, Carolyn L. Paulsen and Lori L. Hudson, both of St. Helens, and one brother, Steve Hudson of Otis, Ore.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Coleman Rushing Chapel in St. Helens with the Rev. Hugh Barton officiating. Interment will follow at Columbia Memorial Gardens. Coleman Rushing Funeral Chapel of St. Helens is in charge of arrangements.

Raymond Davis, 68, of 330 Cypress St., Longview, died Jan. 5, 1978, in a local hospital. He was born Oct. 28, 1909, in Norman, Ark., was retired from the Columbia Lumber Co. and had been a resident here 30 years. He was a member of the Longview Community Church.

Survivors include his wife, Emma at home; one son, Rex of Longview; three daughters, Wanda Turner of Lacey, Wash., Myrna Raff of Longview, Melinda Kirkpatrick of Seattle; his mother, Mrs. Izzie Davis of Mount Ida, Ark.; two sisters, Clara Skinner of Muskogee, Okla., and Daisy White of Black Springs, Ark.

Funeral services will be held Monday at 2 p.m. at Steele Chapel with the Rev. Paul Roper officiating. Concluding service and interment at Cowlitz View Memorial Gardens. Those who wish may contribute to the Muscular Dystrophy Program or Multiple Sclerosis. Steele Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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William Alexander Cole, 84, of 476 23rd Ave., Longview, died Feb. 19, 1978, in a local nursing home. He was born Feb. 3, 1894, at Prescott, Ark., came to Longview in 1944 from Broken Bow, Okla., and was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include [illegible] at home; one [illegible]; three brothers, Allen and Winburn, both of Broken Bow, Floyd of Longview; one sister, Metha Wreyford of Snyder, Texas; nine grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 11 a.m. at Steele Funeral Chapel with the Rev. M. Ted Cotten officiating. Concluding service and interment to follow at Longview Memorial Park. Steele Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Mary D. Johnson, 78, of 2124 Tibbetts Drive, Longview, died July 6, 1978, in a local hospital. She was born April 16, 1900, in Swain, Ark., had been a resident here since 1938, and was a member of the American Baptist Church.

Survivors include five sons, Leslie, Wilfred R. and Willis T., all of Longview, James T. of Woodland, Byron D. of Castle Rock; three daughters, Doris M. Johnson and Marie Smith, both of Longview, Ruth Edgmon of Nail, Ark.; 30 grandchildren; numerous great-grandchildren; six brothers and two sisters.

Private committal services will be held Saturday at Bunker Hill Cemetery. Memorial services will be held Sunday at 3 p.m. at the American Baptist Church with the Rev. Gerald Traeger officiating. Those who wish may contribute to the Longview Christian School Education Fund at the American Baptist Church. Steele Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Friday July 7, 1978 pg 20

Ida Mae Pettit, 82, of 926 Delaware St., Longview, died Jan. 12, 1979, in a Woodland hospital.

Born Aug. 2, 1896, in Arkansas, she had been a resident of this area since 1937, coming from Stillwater, Okla. She was a member of Calvary Community Church, Longview.

Surviving are a son, Hugh Pettit of Longview; four brothers, Roy and Harry Willman of Longview, Joe Willman of Stillwater and Jack Baugh of Florida; a sister, Janie Perkins of Florida; four grandsons and 17 great-grandchildren.

The Rev. William Paris will lead services at 2:30 p.m. Monday at McVicker's Chapel on the Hill, Kelso. Services will conclude at the chapel, with private interment to follow at Longview Memorial Park. The casket will remain closed. Memorial contributions may be made to the building fund of Calvary Community Church.

McVicker's Chapel on the Hill is in charge of arrangements.

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Allen L. Baker, 93, of 235 22nd Ave., Longview, died Dec. 29, 1978, in a local nursing home.

Born Sept. 20, 1885, in Ranger, Ark., Baker was a retired truck driver for the Washington State Highway Deptartment. He was a member of the 20th Avenue Baptist Church.

Survivors include two stepsons, Monroe and Albert Barnes, both of Longview; one daughter, Mae Vanbalkenburg of Olympia; a brother, James Baker of Waco, Texas; a sister, Emma Sammons of Midwest City, Okla.; two grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at the Steele Funeral Home, Longview, with the Rev. Douglas Maggard officiating. The casket will remain closed after the services, but friends may call until 10:30 a.m. Concluding services and interment will be at Longview Memorial Park.

Steele Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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Jane Slape, 85, of 345 Oregon Way, Longview, died Dec. 15, 1977, at a nursing home in Independence, Ore. She was born Jan. 6, 1892, at Alpena Pass, Ark., and came to Longview in 1944 from Missouri.

Survivors include a son, Howard of Longview; two daughters, Mrs. Wanda Wells of Independence, Mrs. June Cope of Longview; a sister, Celeste Duncan of Longview; 10 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Monday at 2 p.m. at Steele Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Paul Roper officiating. Contributions may be made to the Cancer Fund. Private interment will follow at Longview Memorial Park. Steele Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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Deane S. Nelson, 90, of Nahcotta, died June 19, 1978, in Ilwaco. She was born June 29, 1887, in Cincinnati, Ark., and had been a resident of Nahcotta since 1908. She was a member of the Pacific County Historical Society, a 25-year member of the Ocean Beach Rebekah Lodge and was postmistress of Nahcotta for many years.

She is survived by seven nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be Saturday at 1:30 p.m. at th Ocean Park Methodist Church with the Rev. Paul Walker officiating. Vault interment will follow at the Oysterville Cemetery. Penttila's Chapel by the Sea of Long Beach is in charge of arrangements.

pg 29 Thursday June 22, 1978

CR women safe after dock sinks

By AP, Daily News Staff

Three Castle Rock women are reportedly safe and a Battle Ground woman is in satisfactory condition after being thrown into Liberty Bay during a partial pier collapse at the Kiana Lodge resturant on the Kitsap Peninsula Friday night.

Earl Olmstead told The Daily News this morning that his wife, Twyla, along with Marjorie Roberts and Mable Slack, all of Castle Rock, were walking back from the restaurant to a charter boat when a section of the pier collapsed.

The women were attending the National Federation of Democratic Women, currently meeting in Seattle. They are expected home late Sunday night.

"Twyla got trapped underneath the wreckage," said Olmstead. "She was in the water for 40 minutes before she ever got out. She said she couldn't have held on much longer. She was just about ready to float off."

Mrs. Olmstead has an injured arm, elbow and ribs.

Olmstead said his wife told him Mrs. Slack was uninjured and Ted Roberts confirmed that his wife did not require hospitalization.

An elderly Arkansas woman, Lucille Jacobs of Fort Smith, was killed and at least 14 others injured during the accident which pitched a total of 25 persons into the chilly water. About 250 delegates to the convention had been dining at the lodge prior to the accident.

A Coast Guard helicopter from Port Angeles and a Navy helicopter from Whidbey Island assisted in the rescue effort, as did a Coast Guard utility boat from Seattle.

Mary Lou Cheny, conference coordinator, said most of those injured are Washington state residents.

Mrs. Cheny said Sally Uusitalo of Battle Ground, Wash., and Shirley Bartok, also of Washington state, were in satisfactory condition today at Harrison Hospital.

"Those in the water were located mainly by their cries for help," said Mrs. Cheny, explaining there were no lights.

The privately owned restaurant is located near the Suquamish Indian reservation on the Kitsap Peninsula. It is approximately 15 miles northwest of Seattle across Puget Sound.

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Obituaries

John L. Rayon, 72, of 2106 Coal Creek Road, Longview, died Aug. 26, 1978, in a local hospital. He was born March 19, 1906, in Arkansas and had lived in the local area, where he was a retired mill worker for Reynolds Aluminum, since 1952.

Survivors include his wife, Lorene at home; three sons, James H of Yakima, John L. of Tacoma, Bill F. of Longview; one stepson, S. L. Sheperd of Castle Rock; one daughter, Wynona Rose of California; one stepdaughter, Lucille East of Stockton, Mo.; one brother, James F. of St. Louis, Mo.; two sisters, Dolly Lee of Ceres, Calif., Mae Robinson of Jay, Okla.; 13 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Services will be held Tues. at 2:00 p.m. at Hubbard Funeral Home with the Rev. Lewis Minner officiating. Interment will follow at Whittle-Hubbard Cemetery. Hubbard Funeral Home of Castle Rock is in charge of arrangements.

Kenneth Jackson DePriest, 70, of 212 N. Pacific Ave., Kelso, died June 22, 1978, in a local hospital. He was born Dec. 9, 1907, in Plainview, Ark., and was a member of the Longview American Legion.

Survivors include one daughter, JoAnn Schirmer of Walla Walla; two brothers, Carl of Longview, Harry of Kelso; two sisters, Dorothy Petrie of Kelso, Gertrude Redick of Longview; granddaughter, Jayne Schirmer, and grandson, Mark Schirmer, both of Walla Walla; and special friend Charlotte Smith of Kelso.

Services will be held Saturday at 10:30 a.m. at Steele Funeral Chapel with private interment Monday at Longview Memorial Park. Steele Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

pg 21 Friday June 23, 1978

James Dennis Fagan, 69, of 344 27th Ave., Longview, died Dec. 7, 1977, in a local hospital. He was born Jan. 28, 1908, in Pike County, Ark., where he grew up and received his early schooling. He retired from Weyerhaeuser in 1973, was a member of Local Woodworkers Union and the Union Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Olivia Elizabeth at home; one son, James T. of Everett; three daughters, Verna of Sacramento, Calif., Dorothy of Moses Lake, Bessie of Longview; 15 grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 11 a.m. at Steele Funeral Home with the Rev. Meyer officiating. Concluding service and interment will follow at Longview Memorial Park. Steele Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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Josephine B. West, 95, of 4231 Pleasant Hill Road, Kelso, died Oct. 10, 1978, in a Longview nursing home. She was born March 21, 1883, in Heber Springs, Ark., moved to this area in 1908 and settled in Ostrander. She was a member of the Kelso First United Methodist Church and the Pleasant Hill Grange.

Survivors include two sons, Rex L. and Charles D., both of Longview; three daughters, Thelma Eyer of Kelso, Margene Paxton and Marian Gunn, both of Castle Rock; five grandchildren, and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 11 a.m. at the Ditlevsen-Moore Chapel with the Rev. Floyd E. Green Sr. officiating. Services will conclude at the chapel with private interment following at Cowlitz View Memorial Gardens. The family suggests memorial donations to the Memorial Fund of the

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Service held for Troy Cason

Funeral services were held Thursday in Walla Walla for former Longview resident Troy Cason who died at age 69 on Oct. 24.

Mr. Cason, who resided in Milton-Freewater, Ore., at the time of his death, was born June 23, 1909, in Wicks, Ark., and spent much of his life in Washington, Oregon and California. He moved to the Milton-Freewater area in 1974.

Surviving are his wife, Ruth, in Milton-Freewater; a daughter, Margie Fisher of Kelso; a sister, Doll Pearson of Kelso, three grandchildren, two great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Nora D. Vermillion, 99, of 415 N. Fifth Ave., West Kelso, died Dec. 14, 1977, in a Longview nursing home. She was born Sept. 3, 1878, in Fayetteville, Ark., lived here since 1929 and was a member of Kelso First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include one son, William of Kelso; two granddaughters, Colleen Casper of Denver, Maxine Hoggatt of Big Piney, Wyo.; four great-grandchildren; four great-great-grandchildren; and four nieces.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 1:30 p.m. at Ditlevsen-Moore Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Floyd E. Green Sr. officiating. Concluding services and vault interment will be at the Longview Memorial Park. Ditlevsen-Moore Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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SIMS — Mrs. Geo. R. Beeler, Box 547, Chickosha, OK 73018 - I would like to correspond with anyone who can help with inf. on: my grandfather, Robert Artrmus SIMS, who at one time resided in Craighead Co., AR. My father Andrew Jackson SIMS was born in that county, 6 March 1892; as was another son Martin Luther SIMS, b. 5 Nov. 1888;and dau. 1 Mar 1890. It could be their place of birth was at Black Oak, Craighead Co.,AR. Any small clue will be appreciated.

KANADY, BUTT, ASTOR — Tim Sparks, Rt. 3 Box 56-A, North Little Rock, AR 72116 - I am searching for inf. of four of my ancestors: John KANADY b. 1813, ALA (I think). His parents were supposed to have been born in Ireland. He married Elizabeth "Betsy" BUTT, a descendant of John Jacob ASTOR. Her parents were from Germany. John & Betsy moved to Saline Co., AR 1846. Their four children: John Jacob Greenberry Washington KANADY (1840-1922); Joe KANADY; William KANADY; and Martha KANADY.

SNODGRASS — Also, I am looking for the parents of John (Johnson) SNODGRASS, b. 1804 TN. His wife was Jane and they had eight children. In 1850, they lived in Bledsoe Co., TN. Their son, William P. married Polly SYKES and they moved to Saline Co., AR about 1848. Polly's parents were Dempsey (born 1795 in North Carolina) and Charlotte (b. 1801 in N.C.). In 1850 they lived in Meigs Co., TN.

I will appreciate any and all help, and will gladly share data with others working on these lines.

BALL/BELL, WARDEN — Mrs. Malita Murphy, Box 319 Athens Star Rt., Princeton, West VA 24740 - I am presently helping an old county in Southwest VA with family records on many men who served in the Wars for a display for a museum in VA. Thinking I almost had one family completed with all war records and much materials I found among old records there that this man on the census, Joseph WARDEN married Hannah BELL and migrated with several children to Arkansas. I found an old Grist Mill book and on one page approx 1870 it listed Joseph WARDEN, Cane Creek, Conway Co., AR. I ordered the 1870 census and found he owned land there at that time. Perhaps, some one reading this Query will know how to help with other inf. on (possible with the marriage of his family or anything concerning him).

Studying the land records in VA, I find he sold land and migrated west about the same time his brothers were joining the forces for the Civil War. Could this man or the oldest son have fought in any War from Arkansas? The names of his children are the same as the brothers who stayed in VA.

Should I be able to help anyone in the AGS with inf. from this area, will be happy to do so.

1870 US Census, Muddy Bay Township, Cane Creek, Conway Co., AR (30 June) S. T. Matthews, Enumerator. Dwelling 45: Joseph WARDEN, 38 farmer, b. VA; Hanna, 44, b. VA; John 18; Mary 16;Amanda, 14; Roady (Rhoda) 12; Kernelius (Cornelius) 10 VA; Julia, 8, Ark.; James 6, AR; & James MASS, 16 Donestic, b. AR.

STROOPE, TRAMMEL — Kathaleen Ann Stroope Veasey, 515 West Avenue B, Lovington, New Mexico 88260 - My great great grandmother Delphia TRAMMEL was born in Georgia, 1810 and married William H. STROOPE in Clark Co., AR 1824. Who were her parents, siblings, etc. I would like to correspond with anyone who can help with any information on these people, and will gladly share any additional data.

KIRBY, HARRIS — Tressie Wilkerson Weathers, 509 SE 70 Oklahoma City, OK 73149 - Need help on the following persons: James David KIRBY, Wyatt KIRBY, Richard (Dick) KIRBY. Dick lived in AR but left his family and have no knowledge of him. James was in Hopkins Co. TX 1880. Came to Indian Territory (Okla.) before 1900. Wyatt married Kizzie HARRIS (Choctaw Indian) Indian Territory. Believe this family maybe connected with KIRBYSin Randolph and Dade. Co. MO. Need birthplace, parents or any other inf. will be appreciated.

SPEEGLE, NICHOLS — John D. W. SPEEGLE wife Nancy (NICHOLS?) living in Franklin Co., AR about 1850. Children: Lawson; Hannah; Alice; James; Warina; Margaret; Deliah; & John. Moved to Hopkins Co., TX about 1860.

WITHERS, WEATHERS — Need help on George WITHERS (WEATHERS) in 1880 he was living in Point DeLuce, Arkansas Co., AR. Who where his parents? When did he die? Where was he buried? Children: Gussie; HENRY; ANNIE; Oscar; & Cordelia.

FROM: Mary Ann Webber, 7310 "L" Street, Little Rock, AR 72207 "I thought that others might find these obituaries interesting. They appeared in the Arkansas Methodist in the early 1920's, and are eloguent examples of the flowery prose used in the earlier times.

Strangely enough, both sisters were born in Hertford Co., North Carolina, but South Carolina is given as their state of birth.

HARRISON.—Mrs. Fannie Harrison, nee Parker, was born in South Carolina, May 24, 1844. When she was young her parents moved to Tennessee, where she was first married to William Brown, who was killed during the war between the States. Two children were born to this union. She was next married to Frank M. Harrison, who now lives in loneliness near Mineral Spring, Ark. Their one child lived but a few hours. She lived at Umpire, Ark., twenty-two years and for that time was a good member of our church here. Sister Harrison was of a good family. She professed faith in her Savior in girlhood and lived the rest of her life in the service of her Master. One of her brothers, Rev. J. A. Parker, is a member of the Little Rock Conference. For ten years prior to her death she lived near Glenwood, Ark. There she was buried and there the resurrection trumpet will awake her sleeping body and make it like unto the glorious body of Her Lord and Savior.—J. F. Taylor.

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LACEFIELD.—Mrs. Elizabeth Jane Lacefield, nee Parker, was born in South Carolina, August 10, 1846, and died at Athens, Ark., June 26, 1921. She passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Sallie James, who with her husband tenderly cared for her in her last sickness. She had an attack of her heart about three months before she died and was never well any more. But increasing pain was her portion until her release came. She was moved to Tennessee when a child where December 11, 1873, she married John. S. Lacefield. This good man passed to his reward August 12, 1917. Since that time Sister Lacefield was very lonely. Her married life was a happy one. She was the mother of five children, all living:- W. J. Lacefield, J. W. Lacefield, Richard Lacefield, Mrs. Sallie James and Mrs. Mamie Halcombe. Her sister, Mrs. Fannie Harrison, preceded her to heaven a short time before. Sister Lacefield professed Christianity and joined the South Methodist Church when a little girl and lived a consistent Christian. She dearly loved her Savior and her Church. Her children and grandchildren know where to find her. —J. F. Taylor, P. C.

BARRY FLETCHER — Jean Wright Falkner, 2501 Albemarle Dr., Farmers Branch, TX 75234 - Searching for any inf. on William Eugene BARRY, b. Ireland. When did he arrive in USA. Maiden name of his wife? (?) FLETCHER. When was he naturalized? When and where did he die, and where is he buried. I do know he was naturalized, sometime after the Civil War. Had one son, Eugene BARRY; one daughter, Lucy Elizabeth BARRY.

WRIGHT PERRY — Also another great grandfather, Jonathan WRIGHT, bor in TN 1810 moved to White Co., AR sometime before 1832, married Sara PERRY born 1814 (somewhere in Arkansas, but where?) possibly White Co. Last known to have been in Prairie Co., AR 1853. Can anyone help with any inf. on any of these people. Especially where they are buried. Any help will be appreciated and I will gladly refund postage, etc.

HEUSE/HUGHES MATHIS/ MATHEWS — Reba Presson, 418 North Rider, Pampa, TX 79065 - Who were the parents of James HEUSE(HUGHES) of Searcy Co., AR? He was 3/4 Cherokee Indian. He married Sarah MATHIS (MATHEWS) of Pope Co. AR, 5 Feb. 1871 (Book D page 258:Marriage Book, Pope Co., AR). Shown in 1880 Census of Pope Co., Independence Township. James HUGHES died about 1882. Sarah Hughes remarried in Sept. 1891 to William S. CURTIS, she died about 1915 and is buried at Walnut Grove Cemetery at Hector. Sarah MATHIS HUGHES, CURTIS parent's were Lewis & Marinda MATHIS (MATHEWS). Listed in Pope Co. Census 1850 & 1860. Marnida was listed as head of household in the 1870 & 1880 census. Can anyone help with the names of Lewis or Marinda's parents.

James & Sarah MATHIS HUGHES' daughter Louisa E. HUGHES married on the 25th January 1891 in Pope Co. to James G. CURTIS. He was the son of Hillery and Susan Blacksher CURTIS. Hillery and Susan CURTIS are buried at Forks of the Creek Cem. north of Hector (Pope Co., AR.)

My mother in law, Mary Tennessee CURTIS is a daughter of James and Louisa CURTIS. She was born in Pope Co., near Hector, 19 Nov. 1898. Mary (Tennie) CURTIS, married in Dec. 1920 at Sallisaw, Okla., to Beverly Bryant PRESSON, another Arkansas family from Sebastain & Franklin Counties.

In the 1940s they moved from Okla., to Perryton, TX. Beverly Bryant PRESSON died and is buried there, in 1955. Mary (Tennie) is now 78 yrs old and in good health. She lives near us in Pampa, TX. We made 2 trips to Hector in 1976, and she still remembers many people even to she was only 9 when her family moved to Okla.

Some of the families who intermarried with the HUGHES, CURTIS, & MATHIS or MATHEWS families are the BREWERS-MORRIS-PETTY-CHURCH-McALISTER-CROUCH-COFFMAN-KENDRICK-LONG-BROWN-ROSS-RIGGS.

I would like to correspond with others working on these families. Also I have collected a lot of inf. on Pope Co., and have a lot of Pope Co. records and would like to help anyone working on any of these families. I will be happy to answer letters, including Self addressed stamped envelope. S.A.S.E.

WILLSON — Mrs. Judy Wooten, 18 Hanover Dr., Little Rock, AR 72209 - I found a Query from AFH Vol. VII, No. 2 April-May-June 1969, sent in by Mrs. Virginia JAMES, 2834 Stonewall St., Shreveport, LA 71109. My letter was returned. After 10 years I'm not surprised! Can anyone help me locat Mrs. JAMES' current address? I must correspond with her on our WILLSON lines. Please help!

ASHBROOKE, LOCKERT, STROOPE, STAFFORD — Ms. Jimmie Graham, Route 2 Box 232Y, Denison, TX 75020 - I am still hopeing to find inf. on my great grandmother, Julia Ann ASHBROOKE - LOCKERT - STROOPE - STAFFORD. Julia married my great grandfather Josiah STAFFORD about 1866, probaply at Alpine, Clark Co., AR. They had 2 children: Alford Monroe, b. 18 June 1867 (my grandfather); and Marian Josiah STAFFORD, who died 1875/6. Julia, b. 28 June 1827 in Arkansas (but where?) At least that is shown on the census record for 1870.

CALLAWAY — Finally found where my great grandfather, CALLAWAY was born, but they are gone from Union Co., AR by 1860. I have faound many CALLAWAYS, but none belong to my family. I need help with these names: 1850 Census - Union Co., AR (Franklin Township): Lawrence CALLAWAY, b. 1808 GA married Sarah EAVES, 7 Jan. 1829, Elbert Co., GA. Children: Mary L., b. 1830 GA.; Marian F., b. 1834, GA.; Levy H., b. 1838 GA.; Sarah A., b. 1840, Macon Co., GA.; Julia A., b. 1843, Ark.; Madison, b. 1845, Ark. (11 July, my great grandfather); & Caroline, b. 1849, AR.

This family is on the census with Levi A., believed to be a brother, since he appears on the Alabama census 1840 with Lawrence. With them also is Leroy and James CALLAWAY, believed sons of Joshua 1840 census, Dallas Co., Lawrence moved, (but where?) In 1880 Nevada Co., census my great grandfather Madison, is in Emmitt with Lona CALLAWAY, Levi's widow, and her children. I need to know where they were in 1870 census. Are they on the roster for the Civil War in Arkansas? Any inf. about any or all of this family will be appreciated.

STAFFORD — I still need to know if Ivey STAFFORD on the 1870 census, with son William in Alpine, Clark Co., AR is the son of Josiah STAFFORD and Sarah Ivey STAFFORD. Ivey was born in N. C. in 1786. I believe Joel STAFFORD, Clark Co., census 1850-1870 was a brother, but need proof.

NOTE: I am trying to index the Arkansas CALLAWAYS, and would appreciate help with any of that name. I will also help anyone needing assistance in this area of Texas, also. Please enclose S.A.S.E. (Self addressed stamped envelope).

SUTTON — I found two graves marked with concrete blocks. On top of the blocks are two fruit jars with this written inside of them! Ada, Daughter of Obe and Ida SUTTON, May 8, 1898-August 1898. Ola, Daughter of Obe and Ida SUTTON, May 21, 1900 - June 1900. These jars are weighted down with gravel. This is in the Ravia Oklahoma cemetery. This is Johnson county which was the headquarters of the Chicksaw Indians.

WASSOM, RUTHERFORD, TOW, ROBINSON, REED, BAKER, CUNNINGHAM, McDANIEL, HUDLIN, HUDLAND — Roberta Tow Linzoain, P. O. Box 272, Roll, AZ 85347 - James Grant WASSOM, b. 24 Nov. 1863 TN (but where?) Were Andrew & Hester WASSOM kin to him? They were in Jackson Co., TN. If so, how were they related? His parents were Jacob Leonard WASSON & Mary Anne (?). James G. WASSOM, died 5 March 1931 at Wagoner, OK and was buried in Pioneer Cemetery there (but so far have not located his grave. On 16 Dept. 1888, Nancy Melinda "Nannie" RUTHERFORD became his bride. I have 2 birthdates for her & would like to know which is correct (15 April 1867 & 24 April 1868) born at Fayetteville, Washington Co., AR to John W. RUTHERFORD & Mary Jane CARNEY. Nancy M. died 30 Dec. 1932 at Skiatook, OK & was buried 1 Jan. 1933 at the Elmwood Cem. in Wagoner, OK. Can anyone help with proof of this information?

They had eight known children. I would like to contact anyone with any knowledge of any of these people or any of their children: Pearl Ivy WASSON, b. 1 Sept. 1890, Indian Territory, OK (Wagoner) died 13 June 1964, Inola, OK married to Wm. "Willie" Oliver TOW; Maude WASSOM, married to Tobb RUTHERFORD, son of James Ellis RUTHERFORD, their children: Ford; Ruth; & Katherine (were there others?); Addie WASSOM, married to Clay ROBINSON, had daughter Beatrice (were there others?); Ruth WASSOM, married to Joe REED, children: Lawrence; Loretta; Jack; Mary Frances; Joan; & Peggy (were there others?); Jake WASSOM, b. about 1907, where? married Bulah BAKER, they had: Wayne; Perry Donald; Margaret Jane; Martha Geraldine; Lonnie Dale; and Kenneth Jake; White WASSOM married Helen CUNNINGHAM and had: Sonny; Hoyt; Mary Jewel; & Loretta Jane; Roy WASSOM married to Mona McDANIEL, and had: Juanita; Robert; Lillina; Clyde; Norma "Nacy" Lee; Barbara; Torchy; Ruby WASSOM married to Fred HUDLIN, & had: Kathryn; Mable; & Martha. I will answer all letters. Please send S.A.S.E (Self addressed stamped envelope).

BRUCE PATTERSON ATKINSON — Dr. Thomas A. Bruce, 4 Hillandale, Little Rock, AR 72207 - Three children of James and Lucy Gaines BRUCE of Bedford Co., TN came to Independence Co., AR between 1814 and 1846... Martha BRUCE, married Thomas PATTERSON; Robert BRUCE married 1st Nancy PATTERSON, 2nd Nancy Dillard HANGHREN, and George Washington BRUCE married Indiana ATKINSON. Need any information on descendants. Will gladly share data with others working on these lines.

WOOD COKER DILLDINES HYMUN — Delano Wood, Rt 2 Box 96, DeWitt, AR 72042 - I am searching for inf. on Floyd WOOD, from Florence Ala. He married to a Sue (Susie or Susan) they had 2 sons. Jessie Ennis WOOD, b. 2 1888; Jim WOOD b, 1890. Floyd WOOD died between 1898 and 1900, his wife remarried in 1903, we believe to a preacher. Jessie Ennis WOOD married Minnie G. COKER, in Florence, Ala., Sept 13, 1906, they had 2 children: Raymond Ennis WOOD; and Ora Mae WOOD, b. in Ala. They came to Arkansas in 1913 settling at Fordyce and later moved to Heber Springs, Cleburne Co., AR where she died. He left Ora Mae, his daughter with his friends the DILLDINES and spent 2 years in Colorado, when he returned to Arkansas, the DILLDINES and his daughter had disappeared, we have not heard any more from them!

Jesse WOOD married Mellie HYMUN, from Arkansas Co., AR in 1918 and they were the parents of 10 children. Jessie lived in Arkansas Co., AR until his death, 6 Dec. 1916. Jim WOOD, also has disappeared. (He was Jessie's brother). He was believed to have served in World War I. Jessie WOOD had another relative that lived in Arkansas, Sid WOOD, who lived in Lincoln Co., and died there about 1942. We would like to correspond with anyone who has any information on this WOOD Family, and we will gladly share with others working on this line.

WILSON — Bill Haber, 1518 East 29th St., Brooklyn, New York 11229 (Phone 212-338-9297) - In connection with a project being conducted by the Baseball Hall of Fame in Cooperstown, New York, I am trying to locate the current whereabouts (either the home address, or the date and place of death) of a man by the name of THOMAS C. WILSON. Mr. WILSON is a veteran of major league baseball.

To the best of my knowledge, Mr. WILSON was b. about 1889. He played major league baseball with the Washington Senators in 1914. As of 1912, Mr. WILSON had been a resident of Hartford, Sebastain Co., AR. He was well known throughout the area as a semi-pro ballplayer, frequently taking trups with local ball clubs to play opposing teams in Texas, Oklahoma, and Louisiana. Since 1914, however we've lost all trace of Mr. WILSON whatsoever.

Can anyone help with even a tiny clue (newspaper clipping, census, city directory records, etc.) Perhaps some descendant or neighbor, etc might be able to help. Please contact Bill Haber at the above address, any inf. will be appreciated. (Bill Haber's title is Baseball Historian and Statistician).

IVY — Mary Ann Wilson, Box 113, Locust Grove, AR 72550 - My great great great grandfather was Thomas A. IVY. He was b. ca 1800/1810. Was listed in the Muster Roll of the U. S. Mounted Rangers as #49 Private, age 25, Pentecost, Batesville, Captain Jesse Bean's Company of Mounted Rangers, Commanded by Major Henry Dodge, August 25 to Sept. 26 1832 Stationed at Fort Gibson. 1850 Census, Independence Co., AR shows he was b. TN. He was 1st mentioned in 1830 Independence Co., AR census. Can anyone help me find the names of his parents, and the county in TN where he was born? He was married 1830 to Sarah WILSON, divorced 1835 and later married Beedy BROWN, 1837 and had 2 children: Thomas & Sarah. He died 1858.

Any tiny clue will be appreciated and I will gladly share data with others working on these lines.

HEAD — John C. Head, 2838 Jody Lane, Shreveport, LA 71118 - I wish to contact someone who would check the military files, etc. in Arkansas History Commission and any other records available for records on Richard C. HEAD, a Confederate Civil War veteran, Winler's Alabama Volunteers. He lived in Hot Springs County, AR from 1880 until 1900 and in Hempstead Co., AR from 1900 until his death in 1906.

I know he appled and received a pension application #5213 and his tombstone was purchased by the State of Arkansas.? I wish to have a copy of any records that are available, and will gladly cover any charges for these services. I would also like to make a contact with anyone that is researching the names: HEAD, MILNER, and PARRISH from Southern Arkansas. I will gladly share data with others working on these families.

SHATTUCK — Mrs. Frances Dubs, Box 56, Ashby, Neb. 69333 - My great grandfather, Chester Philetus SHATTUCK lived in AR (probably at Rogers, Benton Co.) after 1871. I am interested in any inf. on him or his family and will gladly share data with others working on this line.

LANCASTER
THATCHER
SMITH — Dee Willett, 1930 Lucky St., Bakersfield, CA 93307 - Need inf. 1870 Prairie Township, Franklin Co., AR: Elizabeth SMITH, 31; Harriett, 12; Mary, 10; William, 1; George LANCASTER, 5; and Dudley, 1. The two LANCASTER children are of my ancestor, Delaney and Sarah Ann THATCHER LANCASTER family. Sarah Ann's sister; Lucinda THATCHER married James W. SMITH. What relation is Elizabeth SMITH to the two LANCASTER children? Is Elizabeth the same person as Lucinda THATCHER SMITH? Will gladly refund postage to all who write me regarding the SMITH - LANCASTER Families.

HARRISON
HAIRSSON — Hugh H. Harrison, 3808 Overland Dr., Del City, OK 73115 - Seeking inf. on Benjamin Craven HARRISON, b. 1854/58, grew up on White River. Born White Co., on death certificate, d. 1928 Sebastain Co., AR married Frances Autrey (Autry) in Ft. Smith., AR 26 Oct. 1879. He was 21. 2nd married to Mattie (Martha Jane Florence) MOODY, widow with large family. Benjamin Craven HARRISON's father (Thomas?) was a gunsmith. Will appreciate any help, and would like to correspond with anyone with knowledge of these people, their ancestors or descendants.

BABER
BREM — Alberta GRIGGS, 901 Ave., B, South Houston, TX 77587 - Would like to correspond with anyone who can help with inf. on my greatgrandmother, Sarah (Sally) (BREM) BABER. She was born in S.C. (census records) 30 Aug. 1838 (Bible Records). She died in Arkansas (perhaps Hempstead Co., AR), 31 Aug. 1872. Her husband Chesley Daniel BABER, died 1864, where? In the 1870 census, she and the four small children were in Hempstead Co., AR. Will appreciate any tiny clue. Please help!

I enjoy the Arkansas Family Historian very much!
The following sovenier was given to my mother, Nannie BABER, by her teacher. She can place these in family groups and knows a good portion of the fathers and mothers.

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Arkansas
1905-1906

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Teacher

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W. M. Cannon — James Latimer
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Birdie White	Sims Baber
Jessie Zachry	Arch Zachry
Sallie Zachry	John Shelly
Elsie Zachry	Luther Shelly
Maggie Muldrow	Lonnie Shelly
Annie Muldrow	Selma Latimer
Annie Latimer	Unice Latimer
Bertha Latimer	Willie Latimer
Mamie Zachry	Wiley Middleton
Nannie Baber	Julius Middleton
Fannie Baber	Eddie Corley
Cora Shelly	Emmett Corley
Ernest Cannon	Robbie Corley
Lonnie Cannon	Joda Davison
Lee Davis	Laburn Welch
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EDITOR'S NOTE: This is a most interesting Brochure. We would like to know more about this School. There are two listing for Gravelly. One is Little River (mail Foreman).. The other is Gravelly, Yell Co.

TRAVIS HINSON — W. D. Travis, 5291 Prince Valiant, San Antonio, TX 78218 - John W. Travis, with spouse, Columbia V., and three children. are listed on 1880 US Census, Lawrence Co., AR (Reeds Creek Township). Lived near the town of Strawberry. He died here on 6 Jan. 1183. Graveside Masonic ceremony conducted by the Reeds Creek Masonic Lodge Number 176 of Sharp Co., AR. Spouse believed to have died in Lawrence Co., AR ca 1898/99. Can anyone tell me if there are any published cemetery records and obituaries available for this area and time? Would like to assertain cause of death and place of burial for John W., and cause and date of death and place of burial for spouse, Columbia V. (HINSON) TRAVIS. Any tiny clue will be appreciated and I will gladly share with others working on this line.

McMILLAN McMILLON McMullen HARDCASTLE BRADY — Mary McMillon Sauerhage, 109 E. Oak St., Mascoutah, Ill 62258 Desire inf. regarding these persons listed in the 1900 Soundex Census of Arkansas, National Archives, Washington, D. C.: Henry Houston McMILLAN, age 39, son, Whitfield, age 21; Jacob age 18; Louis M. age 16; and Joseph, 8. Lucinda HARDCASTLE and Minda Ann BRADY. Minda Ann is believed to be neice, child of Mary and Thomas BRADY., (Nee McMILLAN). Living in Jefferson Twp., Jackson Co., AR. Have extensive information on early family of Henry Houston McMILLAN. Happy to exchange. Will reimb. postage.

McMILLAN — Desire inf. on Lorenzo McMILLAN (Lon) and wife, Mary, son: Matthew, stepdaughter, Ada Richter. Listed in 1900 Soundex census of Arkansas, National Archives, Washington, D. C. Living in Campbell Township, Lawrence Co., AR. Have early family of Lorenzo. Happy to exchange. Will reimb. postage.

HOPPER — Karen Cordes, 1505 N. Canyon Rd., #55, Provo, Utah, 84601 - Need proof of birth for, Joseph Larkin HOPPER, b. 6 or 12th December 1887 in Charleston, Franklin Co., AR or any inf. on him or his parents, etc. J. D. & Gertrude HOPPER (his parents?) sold land in the Charleston District in Feb. 5, 1892. Will appreciate any help and will be more than happy to pay whatever fees are needed.

THANKS TO ALL WHO HELP!

FROM: Margaret Wallace, 1400 Fairway Terr. #15, Clovis, New Mexico 88101

"May I say how very pleased I have been, in regard to the quick response and generosity of all persons whom I have been in contact with, since joining ARKANSAS GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY. How enjoyable it would be, if I lived in the area and could come by and help with the enormous work it must take to provide the service which is given. Instead, I will just have to say a big THANK YOU!!!!!

EDITOR'S NOTE: Sure makes our jobs as little easier, when we know others appreciate our efforts. Our Society is built on sharing, and helping others, and it just grows and grows!!!!!

ROCHELLE — Patricia E. Funk, P. O. Box 132, Sweet Home, AR 72164 - I am seeking inf. on any ROCHELLES who lived in Tennessee during the Civil War. Some of them later moved to De Soto Co., Mississippi Horn Lake, Eudora, and Lake Cormorant districts). I am especially interested in one Sally ROCHELLE, who married John HOPKINS of De Soto Co., MS about 1870-75. They were my great grandparents. Sally was born about 1853 in Tennessee and John was born 1850 in MS. Her father (first name unknown at present) was a Doctor. Sally had a brother, Robert ROCHELLE, also born in TN. & later lived in Eudora, MS. She had another brother (name unknown) who was an invalid. John HOPKINS, died in 1884 and Sally later married a Mr. GRAY. She divorced Mr. GRAY and married a Mr. WHITE. She died in DeSoto Co., MS about 1930, at the home of her brother, Robert. Robert "Uncle Bob" had 12 children: Lee; Wiley; Rado; Lawless; Garland; all boys, and Omie, married a HOBBS; Eunice married a DYE; Veetra; Bertha; Ruby; Leslie; and Etta, married Sid POLEY; all girls. They lived in Eudora, DeSoto Co., MS where the family operated a dairy farm. Can anyone help with additional inf. on any of these people, their ancestors or descendants? I will gladly share inf. with anyone interested in any of these lines.

AFH has been so much help to me in the short time that I have been a member and I say thanks, thanks, thanks!

EVERYONE IS ENCOURAGED TO WRITE - A TINY CLUE - MAY HELP MORE THAN YOU WILL EVER KNOW.

COOK
PELT
Mr. Walker H Rayburn, 1012 West Main St., Elizabeth City, N.C. 27909 - Wish inf. regarding all COOK and PELT families in LaFayette & Nevada Counties, AR in the 1860 and 1870 U.S. Censuses. Would like to contact anyone with knowledge of Lemuel C. COOK & wife Isabella PELT COOK who were his grandparents and would have been children of the era of 1860 and 1870. Please help!

PARKER
BLAGG
Mrs. R. E. Brower, 214 N. Kansas City Ave., Excelsior Springs, MO 64024 - My great great grandather was William PARKER, b. 1818. He was in Washington Co., AR 1840. His son, John PARKER also lived in Washington Co., 1840, next door to the BLAGG Family, and my William PARKER married an Elizabeth BLAGG in AR in 1843, Yell Co. In checking the 1840 census, I find only one John PARKER. Can anyone help with any additional inf. on him or his family? or the BLAGG Family that settled in Washington Co., AR in 1830s. In TENN. 1830 the same BLAGG Family lived in AR 1840. 1830 TN, shows Israel BLAGG & John M. BLAGG. 1840 AR census shows Israel BLAGG & John M. BLAGG, she has to be connected. Israel BLAGG was not found in 1830 AR census, could Isreal BLAGG have been in the Mexican War or was John M. BLAGG in the same War? (they were not in the 1850 census). Nancy his wife was in Yell Co., AR. Will gladly share inf. on these families.

BAILEY
PALMER
HENDERSON
Tommy E. Lanphear, 14664 Washington Ave., San Leandro, CA 94578 John T. Bailey married to Allice E. PALMER, 8 Sept. 1891. Sarah Lee, b. April 1894; Nyridia, b. July 1896, both in AR. Would like any inf. on these people, death records, marriage, etc., (especially the death date of Allice F. BAILEY. Also would like inf. on Condy HENDERSON, b. 1901 or 1902 in Arkansas. Please help! Will gladly share with others working on these lines.

ELROD
RUSSELL
THOMPSON
LOWRANCE
MAXWELL
Doris & Jack Rose, 603 - 39th St., Richmond, CA 94805 - Looking for inf. of any and all descendants of Abraham ELROD and wife MARY, who moved from Hall Co., GA to Saline Co., AR about 1848. Joel ELROD and Margaret Jane RUSSELL are my direct line (2d - Great's). Her parents were William RUSSELL and Jane THOMPSON, both born in Orange Co., N. C., moved to Saline Co., AR prior to 1848, died there and are buried in Nelson Cemetery. Also need inf. on William Daniel LOWRANCE and his wife Nancy Jane MAXWELL who moved there from Hardeman Co., TN prior to 1870. Will gladly exchange.

WELLS
BLALOCK
BROWN
Looking for descendants of William WELLS and Sarah BLALOCK who were married in Jones Co., GA prior to moving to Gran- Co., AR about 1870. William was an older brother to my G-GF WELLS who married Mary Ann BROWN in Jones Co., GA 1872. John WELLS family moved to Grant Co., in 1877/8, and descendants still live there on the land that he bought at that time. Where are William and Sarah WELLS buried?? and when did they die??? Will exchange any inf. desired if we have it on file Please help!

NOTE: I will check surnames of 1860 Saline Co., AR census of Saline Co., AR, also Forsythe Co., N.C., cemetery records, Hall Co., GA records. We also have all 11 Volumes of the "Moravian Church Records" and I will check those. Anyone writing, please include an A.A.S.E for further information. (Self addressed stamped envelope).

WARDEN
BELL
Mrs. Malita Murphy, Box 319 Athens Star Route, Prinecton, West Virginia, 24740 - For the past 2 years I have been working in Virginia on the history of several old families. I have in my possession, books kept by the owner of a Grist Mill in Virginia in the 1800s. In the book I found a name and address of a Joseph WARDEN, Cane Creek, Conway Co., AR. I ordered the 1870 census for Conway Co., and I found Joseph WARDEN with wife Hannah, and 5 children, born in VA., and 2 in Arkansas. The oldest child was listed 18 yrs., the 1st one born in AR was 8. This man assessed for land and I found, he married Hannah BELL in 1850 in Virginia, and sold his land in Virginia. I am presently working on a book of cemeteries of a county in Virginia and found the gravesite at one of the oldest churchyard cemeteries there, of a woman with the name and correct age who would have been the mother of Joseph WARDEN. The names of his children were: John; Mary; Amanda; Rhoda; Carnelius; Julia; & James. The brothers of this man all fought in the Civil War from Virginia and Joseph left Virginia, about the time they entered the War. His brothers also named their children and some have the same names. Should anyone in AFH reading area know of any of this family, as to marriage, or any kind of records, please contact me. My phone is 304-425-2566, Princeton, West Virginia.

If not called for in 10 days return to

Mrs. E. GOODWIN,

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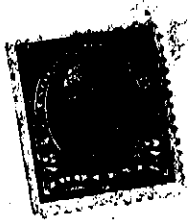

Miss Florence Davis

Pawnee

(Sangamon Co) Ill.

STOUT–DAVIDSON—Married, at noon, Wednesday, March 6th, in the Baptist church at Auburn, the Rev. Mr. Doebr, the pastor, officiating, Samuel Jesse Stout of Cotton Hill township, and Miss Miriam Meter Davidson, of Glenarm.

The wedding was a very quiet one, only relatives being present, and was quite a surprise to the acquaintances of both of the contracting parties. The groom is a prominent and very wealthy farmer. Miss Davidson is the daughter of Samuel Davidson, a prominent farmer of Glenarm. After the ceremony Mr. Stout and his bride were driven to his home, where a wedding supper was served at 5 o'clock last evening to a number of relatives and friends.

HANE–DANIS—Married, at the parsonage of the Christian church in this city, Wednesday, March 6, 1895, Rolla B. Hane and Miss Ida M. Davis, both of Pawnee, the Rev. A. P. Cobb, pastor of the Christian church, officiating.

The young couple was accompanied by the aunt of the groom, Mrs. Della Nodine, of this city. After a week's visit in Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Hane will reside in Pawnee, where Mr. Hane is engaged in the grocery business. The groom is 24 and the bride 23 years old.

THE BLUE AND THE GRAY.

By the flow of the inland river,
Whence the fleets of iron have fled,
Where the blades of grave-grass quiver,
Asleep are the ranks of the dead—
Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the judgment day;
Under the one the Blue,
Under the other the Gray.

These, in the robings of glory;
Those, in the gloom of defeat;
All, with the battle-blood gory,
In the dusk of eternity meet,
Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the judgment day;
Under the laurel the Blue,
Under the willow the Gray.

From the silence of sorrowful hours
The desolate mourners go,
Lovingly laden with flowers
Alike for the friend and the foe—
Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the judgment day;
Under the roses the Blue,
Under the lilies the Gray.

So, with an equal splendor,
The morning sun rays fall
With a touch impartially tender
On the blossoms blooming for all—
Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the judgment day;
Broidered with gold the Blue,
Mellowed with gold the Gray.

So when the summer calleth
On forest and field of grain,
With an equal murmur falleth
The cooling drip of the rain—
Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the judgment day;
Wet with the rain the Blue,
Wet with the rain the Gray.

Sadly, but not with upbraiding,
The generous deed was done.
In the storm of the years that are fading
No braver battle was won—
Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the judgment day;
Under the blossoms the Blue,
Under the garlands the Gray.

No more shall the war cry sever,
Or the winding rivers be red;
They banish our anger forever
When they laurel the graves of our dead.
Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the judgment day;
Love and tears for the Blue,
Tears and love for the Gray.

—F. M. Finch.

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St. Francis, Ark., Dec 21 *1891*

Florence & Ida I write you to let you no that Parnell and that I will not be home to hold christmas with you but you go on and have your dinner all the same perhaps Luther will be with you. I am staying here to try to hurry up the [illegible] will be home as soon as I can. Be good girls and do the best you can. hope you are well

Yours truly

Mrs. R. Hane

ROBERTS THOMPSON — Mrs. James P. Duke, 418 N. E. 11th St., Grants Pass, OR 97526 - My father, John A. ROBERTS, b. 15 Dec. 1888, St. Joe Searcy Co., AR., son of Riley ROBERTS, murdered 1914/15 and buried Marshall, Searcy Co., AR. Riley ROBERTS married Sarah Jane (THOMPSON?) (also buried at Marshall, AR). Children: Henry Clay, died young; Billy, (murdered 1904/5) buried at Marshall; Charlie (run over by a train at Marshall (buried at Marshall); James Alfred ROBERTS married Ida (?) and had 3 boys & 1 girl (girl drowned). Ida lived at Okemiah,OK;John Alfred married Ollie Mae DEWEASE (these are my parents); Dora ROBERTS married Lee TREAT & they lied at Prue, OK (parents of 11 children); Martha ROBERTS married Joe BURLSON (lived at Okemiah, OK (parents of 8 children); Etta ROBERTS married Birch TILLEY (lived at Prue, OK (parents of 8 children).

My father John A. ROBERTS 1st married a Mrs. CLARK, they had a daughter, Annis, the mother took her to Indian Territory, so I have a half sister somewhere.

My mother, Ollie Mae DEWEASE, b. 1 April 1900, Leslie, Searcy Co., AR., daughter of Henry DEWEASE (was french, had a store, was Baptist & preached when the circuit rider could not make it. Her mother, Fanny Theodosha (LIVINGSTON or LIVINGSTONE?) was English. Henry DEWEASE died of pneumonia, when Ollie Mae was 14, so would be 1914. Fanny Theodosha died 3 weeks later, after her parents died Fanny Theodosha's mother had a Guardian appointed for the children. The children were: Ollie Mae who married John A. ROBERTS (my parents); Maude married (?) WILSON & moved to Gary, Indiana; Eva married (?) WILSON & moved to Houston, Texas; Irene married (?) WILLIS & moved to Atlanta GA; Momer, (murdered in 1920s; Vernon (last known address, California); and Jennie, youngest child could still be alive (but where could she live now??)

My father was in service, stationed at Schofield Barracks, Honolula,T.H. My parents married while he was home on leave, at Marshall, Searcy Co., AR., I was born in the Islands. After they returned to the states, he was stationed at Camp Kearney, near San Diego, CA, 1918. My mother had the flu & was not able to care for the children, my father let a family by the name of Milsap adopt a sister of mine (so I have a sister somewhere). I will appreciate any suggestion and would like to correspond with anyone with any knowledge of any of these people, any help anyone can offer will be appreciated and I will gladly refund postage. Please help! (Norma Duke)

BUNCH SCOTT CHRISTIAN — Irene B. Keller, Rt. 2 Box 140 A, Minatare, Neb. 69356 - I am searching for John Hnery BUNCH, b. 1836, McMinn Co., TN married to Winnie Catherine SCOTT, daughter of James SCOTT and Melvina CHRISTIAN, in either McCracken or Ballard Co., KY, 1860. He owned land in Green Co., AR., children: (born Gainesville, Greene Co., AR) Mary Louella BUNCH, b. 27 Aug. 1861; George John Thompson BUNCH, b. 1863. John had relatives in Mississippi Co., AR. His father lived in Ballard Co., KY, as did his wife's family. John was ambushed, robbed, and murdered after selling his land in AR in 1869. We have lots of information from my sainted grandmother, who lived to be 94 years of age. James SCOTT was 96 when he died in 1901. But no-one kept records. Courthouse fires, etc. We are having a time getting records on the family & a record of their lives. John did serve in Confederate Service as a Private in Company A 27 Infantry, Arkansas. There was no pension for him, as he was not living when pensions were granted

BEARDEN — I am also searching for Mary J. BEARDEN, who moved her younger children to AR., 1885. We have no idea what area, but it was near Little River Co., AR., as she died there 21 May 1898 (in AR). Can anyone help locate her 1885-1898. We will so appreciate!

HUNTER — I am searching for the surname HUNTER. Hardy HUNTER settled near the Ben Lomond area of Sevier Co., AR in 1818. My great grandmother was born ther 1830 and married there in 1850. I have many documents, marriage license, WILLS, a DEED leaving property to his grandson, with my great grandfather as Guardian, the WILL leaving my great grandmother some slaves. Any inf. on the early HUNTER FAMILIES will be appreciated.

LOOKING FOR A LOST KENTUCKY ANCESTOR? — Harry D. Jones, 470 New Circle RD. N.E. Lexington, KY 40505 - Phone 606-252-4155 (Open at noon Daily, Closed Wed. Coin & Stamp Shop). During the past few years, I like many others began a search for my Ancestors. I now find I have amassed a wealth of Genealogical information on the early settlers of Kentucky. During the past year Ihave added thirty eight county and family searchers in their respective areas. They too have family files and county histories and we plan to cover the entire one hundred and twenty counties of Kentucky.

I will be most happy to correspond with anyone who may have reached an impasse and in need of a helping hand, and we know that time comes to all of us. Simply drop me a line explaning the problem and area. Please enclose Family lines, not one name and date. Please enclose S.A.S.E.

Family research leads to discovery of Revolutionary War Hero

Mary McMillon Sauerhage, Mascoutah, was admitted to the Belleville Chapterof the Daughters of the American Revolution Feb. 2,)1979.

After a long search through family records and libraries Mrs. Sauerhage discovered she was related to SpencerColeman, a Revolutionary War soldier who fought with the Whigs at Wallin's Bottoms and at the Lead Mines in New River, Virginia, According to Mrs. Sauerhage hs story is quite lenghty and fascinating. Coleman lived to be 84 he died in 1838 in Monroe County, Tennessee. Mrs: Sauerhage has his pension papers from the National Archives and is will from Monroe County, Tenn.

Mrs. Sauerhage's search began after she read "Roots". "It was an interest that had laid dormant for years," she added.

Her search began in the St. Louis Public Library.There she found her father's name on the U.S. Dicennial Census of Lawrence County, Arkansas in June, 1870. Listed as the head of the household was A.T. McMillonand his wife, Mary Elizabeth McMillon. Mrs. Sauerhage had not known her grandparent's names when whe started.

When she wrote to Lawrence County for a marriage certificate she discovered her grandfather has been married three times. Further research revealed he was a Confederate Solider with R.G. Shaver's ArkansasInfantry Regiment. In 1865, he was a Prisoner of War of the Union Troops in New Orleans, La.

Further research through dicennial films showed he was the son of Samuel McMullen. "Any researcher has to be aware that in every family spelling variations of family surnames will be found," she said. By the time she discovered tis piece of information she had ben researching for two years steadily.

When she sent to Cocke County for records of Samuel McMullen, she received an answer saying their records has been burned during the Civil War. She wrote again asking if many a library has remnants of records. Her letters went unanswered until March 1978 when she received a large envelope from E.R. Walker III, Newport, Tenn. , the "Cocke County Tennessee Historian." The envelope contained the lineage of Smuel's wife Nancy. From those papers she learned she had a Revolutionary War Patriot in her lineage.

Mrs. Sauerhage says while she is pleased with her discoveries she is far from done. She has been unable to unravel her mother, Jalie Jennie A. Westbrook McMillon's ancestry or that of her greatgrandfather Samuel McMullen.

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Mary McMillon Sauerhage

"Geanealogical research is never finished. It is a lifetime project. Genealogical research is not for the faint hearted, the impatient, nor a person not completely dedicated to the tremendous work involved," she said.

Mrs. Sauerhage is the Chairman of the Query Committee of the St. Clair Genealogical Society. Her advice to those starting a search is: "To those just thinking about it and beginners remember, when no results re found, you re lost but the records are not lost. Sep across the county line and look in the next county. Study your immediate family first ~~first. When you think you now the county, study a study your immediate family first.~~ When you think you know the county, study the history of that county first. In almost every instance the county may have had a ~~difficult~~ different name and haye been in a different state in earlier years. For instance, ~~in 1778~~, Coocke County, Tennessee was Green County, North Carolina. IN OLDER DAYS.

Mrs. Sauerhage is continuing her research and starting a book on her findings.

HARRISON Helen Wolfe, 2128 Pearson Dr., Midwest City, OK
SANDERS Need inf. about the parents of C. SANDERS (b. 1830 in Tenn). and Mariah (b. 1834 in Tenn). Mary was their daughter who married Robert C. HARRISON in Rutherford Co., TN 8 Aug. 1842. After Robert's death C. and Mariah lived with Mary HARRISON and her four children in Gibson Co., TN.
CRAW Am searching for the passenger list for a ship coming from Scotland to the Bahama Islands, and then to the Colonies about 1650. In the "Directory of Ancestrial Heads of New England Families 1620-1700" there is listed "CRAW, Robert, reisdent of Newport, R.I. 1651. I need to know if Robert had a son, John born 1660. John was one of the "Original Proprietors" and drew 50 acre tract of land at Bolton, Conn. He died 1730 in Bolton.
NOTE: Those searching for "BATES" Family records, might be interested in the organization, "THE BATES FAMILY of OLD VIRGINIA" - Write Box 9134 Bellevue Station, Richmond, Virginia 23227

GOLDSWORTHY Mrs. Judi Mikles Coffey, 1813 6th St., Port Hueneme, CA 93041
STRINGER According to family tradition my great great grandfather Job
HARDEN GOLDSWORTHY and his brother came from England to New York.
CRAIG The only inf. passed down, is that they became separated in
COLVARD New York and JOB migrated first to Tennessee and then to Arkansas. Job married Elizabeth (either STRINGER or HARDEN). I have not been able to find any inf. on her. On my great grandfather's death certificate her name appears as Elizabeth HARDEN first but that is crossed over and STRINGER written above. Her birthplace is listed as Tenn. I do not know if they had other children besides my great grandfather James Andrew GOLDSWORTHY, b. 12 January 1851 in Johnson Co., AR. According to an old family Bible James 1st married Elizabeth CRAIG on 12 January 1874. I have no other inf. on her. James married 2nd to Georgann COLVARD on 5 Oct. 1880. (Georgann was married 1st to (?) PITTS). Georgann, b. 8 June 1855 in Charleston, Franklin Co., AR., daughter of William COLVARD and (?) possibly (?) SEWELL. Children of James Andrew and Elizabeth Craig GOLDSWORTHY: Alford, b. 10 Sept. 1877 (no other inf. on him). Children fo James Andrew and Georgann COLVARD GOLDSWORTHY: Gertie, b. 16 March 1882, died 16 Oct. 1957, married Warren HUCKABY; James Wolford GOLDSWORTHY, b. 9 Jan. 1886, died 9 Aug. 1965, married 1st to Gussie Maude RICHEY, 2nd to Alice Lorene KELLEY; John GOLDSWORTHY, b. 16 July 1888 married to Bess Nichols; Bessie GOLDSWORTHY, b. 6 Aug. 1890 married to John McCuen. Can anyone help with any inf. on any of these families? ancestors or descendants?
DICKSON My great great grandfather, Charley LeGrant DICKSON was born
GREY & died in Texas (have no idea where). He broke wild horses on his father's ranch and died of injuries before his son, Charley, Jr., was born. Charley I, was married to Annie Bell GRAY, b. 10 April 1858 at Dardanelle, Yell Co., AR., and died 12 April 1920 at Fort Smith, Sebastain Co., AR. The names of their parents are not known. After Charley I died Annie Bell Gray DICKSON raised her young son Charley, Jr. & her two half-sisters: Salley (married (?) Reese) and Willie Married (?) FINLAY. Willie FINLAY had one son, Stephen.

Charley LeGrant DICKSON, Jr., b. 21 May 1879, Dardanelle, Yell Co., AR., died 16 March 1911, at Ft. Smith, Sebastain Co., AR married Emma Burell MOODY, 23 April 1901. Children of Charley and Emma: Olive Evalean, b. 14 Nov. 1902 married Ellis Lafayette MIKLES I; Charley Eugene DICKSON, b. 21 Dec. 1904, died 4 July 1955.

Emma B. MOODY DICKSON was daughter of James Pink MOODY, b. 12 Oct. 1843, died 4 July 1906 and Mary R. ROSE, b. 26 Dec. 1859 died 14 Feb. 1930. James Pink MOODY and Mary ROSE had 13 children. I believe one other daughter was Birdie Lue MOODY and she married Harry SPARGER of Durant, OKla. Can anyone help with any inf. on any of these families? I will gladly share with others working on these lines.
NOTE: My maiden name was misspelled in the December 1979 issue on page 270, it should be MIKLES (not Mickles).
NOTE: Just want all to know how much I enjoy the FAMILY HISTORIAN and all the work all the volunteers do. Many thanks!! Judi Mikles Coffey

DUBLE Marcus M. Key, 614 Wellesley Dr., Houston, TX 77024 - Need
SPRINGS help in locating Duble Springs Church in Dallas Co., Arkansas
CHURCH Elizabeth Ann (CAMPBELL) BAIRD (1833-1863, died Arkadelphia, Clark Co., AR and was buried at DUBLE SPRINGS CHURCH in Dallas County, probably a Methodist Church. Can anyone help find this burial site. Please help!

MARSHALL COUNTY

NOTE: The following was contributed by Mrs. Tom Bigger, 1002 Bragg Circle, Tullahoma, Tennessee 37388 -Index - Questionnaires - Confederate Soldiers.

NAME	COMPANY	REGIMENT
Allen, Myrick R.	G	32nd Tenn.
Barnes, J. W.	D	4th Tenn
Bowden, Robt. L.		3rd Tenn
Bruce, John H.	C	17th Tenn
Cathey, M.V.B.		Maj. Cotney's Art.
Clayton, S. H.		3rd Tenn
Davis, W. G.		11th Tenn. Cav.
Hardison, S.T.		24th Tenn
Hendricks, Jas. W.	C	17th Tenn
Kerr, J.C.R.	B	55th Tenn
Lannard, J.M.		32nd Tenn
London, C. C.		3rd Tenn
Luna, J.S.		53rd Tenn
*Martin, P. T.		17th Tenn
McKnight, J.H.	I	14th Tenn
Morris, E. G.		44th Tenn
Morton, J. H.	C	17th Tenn
Orr, Calvin Jefferson	G	3rd Tenn Inf.
Patterson, David F.		17th Tenn
Snell, S. M.		17th Tenn
Thompson, J.K.P.	B	41st Tenn. Inf.
*Thompson, Lizey Loson	H	41st Tenn. Inf.
Thompson, W. J.		41st Tenn. Inf.
Vincent, James A.		3rd Tenn. Inf.
Warner, James Polk	F	23rd Tenn. Cav.
Watson, Wm John		53rd Tenn.
Woodward, Edward W.	A	4th Tenn. Cav.

COFFEE COUNTY

Adams, Charles W.	A	48th Tenn. Cav.
Bell, W. T.	E	4th Tenn Cav.
Bryan, Thos. L.		4th Tenn. Cav.
Butler, T. J.		17th Tenn.
Duncan, L. S.		
*Farrell, H. W.	A	44th Tenn
Frazier, I. T.		
Freeze, S. H.	I	4th Tenn.
Gentry, W. T.		4th Tenn.
Grass, A. H.		1st Tenn. Cav.
Harrell, G. B.	G.	17th Tenn.
Hatchcock, L.		44th Tenn
Holmes, W. S.	I	4th Tenn. Cav.
Petty, Wm. Esmond	B	3rd Va.
*Prince, James Claiborne		57th Tenn. Inf.
*Ray, Vercume H.	A	17th Tenn.
Sageley, Blake Leander	G	4th Tenn.
Sain, James C.		1st Tenn. Cav.
Shelton, Jessee Ransom	E	4th Tenn. Cav.
Sims, Wm. Polk	H	11th Tenn. Cav.
Tallant, John	B	1st Tenn
Travis, John H.	B	28th Tenn. Cav.
Walker, James Patton	A	44th Tenn. Inf.
Willson, C. B.	E	16th Tenn
Newman, George W.	A	28th Tenn. Cav.
	One Federal	
Gerard, S.	C	10th Ohio Cav.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Our many many thanks to Mrs. Bigger for sharing this very important list with the readers and members of our Arkansas Family Historian. This just might help some one find their Ancestor in another strange place. We have many members in Tennessee and others with Tennessee interest. If you see a name on this list (or any other place) you might mention it to another person by that name (remember not everyone reads the same publications, and sharing helps many others!)

HAYS
HUFF
CHANCE
CRAWFORD
LEE

Roberta Tow Linzoain, P O Box 272, Roll, Arizona 85347 - I am seeking any and all inf. on these people, their ancestors or descendants: Rachel HUFF, b. Dec. 1774 married 1st to John LEE. They had 2 children: Sarah, 17 Oct. 1799; John, 12 June 1800 (these dates could be incorrect) I do not know what happened to her 1st husband, if he died or they divorced. Sarah HUFF LEE then married Samuel HAYS, b. 11 Aug. 1772. Where? and they had 10 known children: Nicholas, b. 13 Mar. 1803;Alex, b. 26 April 1804; Mary, b. 11 March 1806; Samuel, b. 16 Nov. 1807; James, b. 24 March 1809 (could have married to Jamima CHANCE?); Alexander, b. 16 June 1811; Elizabeth, b. 16 June 1813; Wm. C. b. 17 Aug. 1815, married to Delila CRAWFORD, b. 21 June 1818; Elijah M. b. 15 Jan. 1818; Stephan D. b. 15 April 1820.

William C. HAYS and Delila CRAWFORD had 12 children: Samuel A., b. 15 Dec. 1839 (could his wife have been Talitha U. of Illinois?); Malinda Jane, b. 13 Feb. 1841; James M., b. 11 Sept. 1842; William C., b. 12 Jan. 1844; John W., b. 3 Nov. 1845; Christan Ann, b. 21 Dec. 1846; Hamilton N., b. 28 Sept. 1848; Zachriah Crawford, b. 10 Oct. 1850; Isaac J., b. 18 Jan. 1852; Rachel E., b. 1 Dec. 1853; Thomas M.;b. Aug. or Sept. 1855; George W., b. 11 Jan. 1858. Delila must have died or (?), at any rate there were 2 more sons who were half brothers to the others. Their names were: Andrew J. 2 July 1860; and Charles E. HAYS, 1863/64.

NOTE: This information was in a letter addressed to Joseph Marion HAYS, dated 13 Jan. 1906, Texico, Illinois, and Return address "Bushycreek". Would like to contact & correspond with others working on any of these lines, and I will answer all who write.

LOFTON
EDISTON
EDISTIN
EDSTON
OUTLAW
MORGAN
CLARK
OLIVER
TAYLOR
LOWE
GUESS
GUEST
BILLINGSLEY

JoAnn Dudley, Route 1, Box 271 B., Shawnee, OK 74801 - Any inf. on the following would be deeply appreciated: Nancy Ann LOFTON, b. ca 1850 AR (possilby Conway Co.). He parents (?) were reportedly killed when she was a child. She married EDISTON (also spelled EDISTIN, EDSTON, etc.) in the late 1860s. He operated a Ferry on Arkansas River in early 1870s, then disappeared in the mid-1870s. Their two daughters were Mary, b. 1868/9 Arkansas and Sarah, b. January 1871, AR. Later, Ann LOFTON married Rubin OUTLAW, and they had four sons. Daughter Sarah married John Calvin MORGAN, b. 1862 TX, who had come to Arkansas to visit his aunt, Nancy GUESS/ GUEST? The married 20 March 1890, at Divide, Conway Co., AR (mail out of Casa, postal guide 1962,- South of Ark. River). John Calvin's parents were Calvin William MORGAN, b. 13 Aug. 1826 in VA (but where in VA)? and Nancy (Clark) OLIVER who were married ca 1855 in AR (but where)? Nancy's parents were (?) CLARK and (?) TAYLOR and Calvin William MORGAN's parents were reported to be Samuel Leonard MORGAN, b. VA ca 1790/1800 & (?) LOWE, b. in VA. John Calvin's brother, Dick William MORGAN, was born June 1858 in AR (but where in AR?) and died near Mt. Ida, Montgomery Co., AR. Will share other inf. if known, on any of the above people, with others interested in these lines.

Also need inf. on Sid BILLINGSLEY, who lived near Howe, OK at one time????

NOTE: I enjoy the AFH Quarterlies, that a friend shares with me.

HOLLAND
HILL

Mrs. Patsy McCorkindale, 1507 Mt. Vernon, Yakima, WA 98902 - I am searching for inf. on, or descendants & ancestors of: Julia Ann HOLLAND, b. 12 Oct. 1851 & died 6 Oct. 1929, married Irvin Jackson HILL, b. 9 Aug. 1855 & died 27 Dec. 1925, on 25 Nov. 1873 in Magnolia Columbia Co., AR They has 8 children: (one, my grandmother, Sophronia Violet HILL, who married Reuben Davis WARREN & their son, Bob Curtis WARREN (my grandpa) was born in 1903, in Ben Lomond, Sevier Co., AR., and died 1935. I have heard, Julia had a brother named Green Thomas HOLLAND & brother named Jim & a sister Victoria. Green Thomas HOLLAND, married a lady, Betty ROSS. I have more inf. on these people and would happily exchange & work with any one on these lines.

ARKANSAS CENTENNIAL FARMS & HOMES!!!

Mrs. W. Gill Bonner (Kathryn R.) Genealogical Research, Route 3, Box 61, Marianna, AR 72360 - I would like to see recognition on Arkansas Centennial Farms and Homes! There must be several, and I am surprised that nothing has been done about this.

We are natives of Arkansas, but lived in Michigan over thirty years, removing back here two years ago, where the BONNERS have opened a manufacturing plant in Lexa (BONNERS ole home town)! The BONNER farm, near Lexa has been in the family since 1846, the home built in 1882.

Most people want to go to the National recognition, but we are not interested in that phase. We think Arkansas has a lot of historical places that should be 'pure Arkansas' and left as such!

If anyone has a problem, in this part of the state, I will be glad to help them, if it doesn't involve more than an hour or so. I was three years State Chairman, Lineage Research, Michigan DAR, and still spend many many hours weekly working on Genealogy.

KNIGHT
KITE

Mrs. T. Ogden Bigger, 1002 Bragg Circle, Tullahoma, TN 37388 Wilfrid Wister KNIGHT, b 7 Jan 188? had older brother, Allen KNIGHT/KITE; younger sister who died, age 4. All born in Deckerd, Franklin Co., TN. Who were their parents? The two boys were reared by an aunt after their mother died of typhoid fever. They went to Arkansas, and then to Chattanooga, Tennessee. Wilfrid was a 32nd degree Mason in McAlester Co., OK 1920s. Allen KNIGHT was a railroad man in Harrison? Co., Ark. 1918. (ca). Will exchange information on KNIGHTS and WISTERS in Meigs?

"GARDEN BROOK" ARKANSAS-1893?

Shirley (Brittain) Cawyer, (Mrs. T. B.) P. O. Box 164, Stephenville, TX 76401 - Where was :GARDEN BROOK:, Arkansas in ca. 1893? My atlas does not show it, nor does the U.S. Zip Code book! From: "THE LEWIS FAMILY GENEALOGY IN AMERICA", published 1893 by Wm. Terrell Lewis, on page 317, "Eliza Mourning BRITTAIN married Dr. Joseph G. BLACKSTOCK and died in Arkansas in 1877, leaving three children, viz: Joseph BLACKSTOCK; Sophia BLACKSTOCK; and Ernest BLACKSTOCK. Their POST OFFICE IS GARDEN BROOK, ARKANSAS."

If I knew what county this town was located in, I could then order the census. I am compiling a history of the BRITTAIN Family and want it to be as complete as possible, therefore, need to know the locality of above town.

Eliza M. BRITTAIN & J. G. BLACKSTOCK did not marry until 1856 in Henderson Co., N.C. therefore, they would not be on the 1850 Ark. census. I will appreciate any help, and would like to correspond with anyone with knowledge of these people, their ancestors or descendants.

TOWRY/TOWERY
MARTIN
STAMPS
BROCK

Mrs. Della Y. Guise, P. O. Box 915, Grants Pass, OR 97526 - I am seeking any inf. on the following: John TOWRY (TOWERY) b. 1781, N. C. married Mary MARTIN in 1803. She was born 1786, TN. I desperately need to know the names of both their parents. Their son Silas TOWRY (I need his birth date) married Drucilla STAMPS (I need her birth date). John and Mary had 9 children (?). Silas and Drucilla had 9 children. Their oldest child was Mary Jane TOWRY, born 1840 MO., (my great grandmother) and she married Thomas BROCK, in 1865, in Polk Co., AR., he was born 1823 in Habersham Co., GA.

I made a trip to Arkansas in the summer of 1979 and was able to get a great deal of family data on the descendants of the above and I will gladly share with anyone interested.

DU PUY
JENKINS

Edgar L. Frazell, M. D., 809 Nix Professional Bldg., San Antonio, TX 78205 - Urgently desire inf. re: Dr. Jonothan DU PUY whose wife was Louisa JENKINS. He practiced medicine for a time in Arkansas prior to migration to Texas where he died 1884. 1850 census (Sept. 21) Montgomery Co., AR.: J.E. DuPuy, age 37, Physician, val. $2240, b. VA; Louisa, 25 housewife, b. Ala.; Mary, 3, AR; David L., 2, AR; Sarah, 1, AR. Any assistance will be appreciated, and I will gladly share with others working on this line.

WHITSITT

Mrs. Mary H. Mills, R.R. #1 Box 196, Waynetown, Indiana 47990 My Great Grandfather Samuel WHITSITT settled in 1830-40 near Haynes, which is in Lee Co., AR, but I think he lived in St. Francis Co., AR can anyone help with inf. about this family?

HUGHES

Emma Hughes, 1409 N. Humac, Pine Bluff, AR 71602 - Dr. Henry HUGHES, a veterinarian, moved from Texas in 1860 or a few years later, with his nine children, to Kansas. I do not know how many of the nine children were girls, but I am sure there must be many HUGHES descendants in several states. I want to get in touch with as many of these descendants as possible, as I am working on my family history and want any inf. on them. I am anxiously waiting for help!!! Please help!

STAFFORD

Karla K. Morlan, Green Castle, MO 63544 - I am searching for the burial place of George Wilson King STAFFORD, who died 2 March 1878 (just across the river) from Little Rock, (I assume it was in North Little Rock). He managed a cotton plantation, but I doubt he was socially or financially prominent. I will appreciate any help, especially would like a photo-copy of an obituary, or just any suggestion.

HARTSELL
CLINE

Mrs. Iva Hartsell Lester, 200 Florida St., Vallejo, CA 94590 Samuel M. HARTSELL, died Monroe Co., Miss 1855. Married to Christina CLINE, 1819, Cabarrus Co., N.C. 1840 Census lists three females, b. 1820-1830. Need names of these daughters and who they married? Will gladly exchange data on these people.

BENBROOK TRAYLOR AIKMAN — Mrs. Frances Jernigan, 52 Colony Road, Little Rock, AR 72207 Seeking any inf. on the following: Henry BENBROOK, b. 17 Dec. 1812, KY and his brother, Elbert, b. ca 1807 KY. They came to Izard Co., AR Territory, shortly after 1830. Henry married 1st to Catherine LANGSTON and 2nd to Elizabeth TRAYLOR, b. March 1824, Pike Co., Indiana, the daughter of Washington and Mariah AIKMAN TRAYLOR. Henry & Elizabeth were probably married in Northfork Township, Izard Co., AR about 1845. The TRAYLORS owned land that lay on both sides of the Missouri-Arkansas State line, their first house being in Arkansas (1840 Census) and their 2nd house being built on the Missouri section of their property. Izard Co., at that time extended to the state line. Washington TRAYLOR was probably born in South Carolina about 1796. Mariah AIKMAN was born in Bourbon Co., KY, about 1799, the daughter of James AIKMAN. The TRAYLORS were married in Daviess Co., Indiana, 24 Feb. 1819, and lived in Pike Co., Indiana, until about 1838, when they moved to Arkansas. About 1855 they moved to Tarrant Co., TX., where Washington died about 1865.

SMITH HUME SANDERSON — Seeking any inf. on the parents of Byrd SMITH, born 3 June 1814 in TN., married Susan Wilson HUME in Louisville, Blount Co., TN, 19 July 1842, died in Izard Co., AR, 20 Dec. 1891. His father's name was Benjamin, and according to family letters he was living in the 1850's; however, I have been unable to locate him on the 1850 Tennessee census. Byrd had a cousin, Absalom Rufus SMITH living in east Tennessee. In the 1840s Byrd and Susan moved to Missouri and lived in Lafayette, Johnson Greene and Polk Counties before moving to Izard Co., AR in the 1860s. Also seeking the names of the grandparents of Susan Wilson HUME SMITH. She was the daughter of David and Eliza SANDERSON HUME, natives of Scotland. David was born 9 March 1794. Eliza was born 26 May 1789, they were married at St. John's Episcopal Church, Richmond, Virginia, 22 April 1820. Susan was born 18 June 1821, Virginia. It is known that David came to America alone as a young man and that Eliza's family immigrated from near Melrose, Scotland when she was a child. Any inf. will be appreciated and I will gladly share with others working on any of these lines.

HIGGINBOTHAM RATLIFF RATCLIFF CALVERT NIX WILLIAMS BROOKS WARD BEARD — Louise Nix Doak, 3809 West 25th, Pine Bluff, AR 71603 - Jackson and Lucy HIGGINBOTHAM, whose daughter Martha Jane HIGGINBOTHAM married my Great Grandfather, Benjamin Franklin RATLIFF (RATCLIFF) -My Great grandfather, Benjamin Franklin RATCLIFF married Esther Ann Calvert. Great grandfather Gabriel Nix married Catherine WILLIAMS. Great grandfather, Martin Van Buren BROOKS married Margaret STRAUGHTER. Great grandfather Jephth Harris WARD married Francis E. BEARD. Need birth & death dates and any other vital records, would like to correspond with descendants of any of these people, and I will gladly share with others working on any of these lines.

HARDT — Wilma Sumner, Rt. 1 Box 15, Fellows, CA 93224 - I'm looking for inf. on my Great grandfather, James "Jim" HARDT, b. in Ill., moved to AR (dates unknown?) His wife's name was Lula (?). James lived in Biggers, Randolph Co., AR in 1887, as my grandfather, Austin HARDT was born that year.

James' father was Dr. Charles Frederick William HARDT, owned 80 acres of land 1 mile south of Biggers, in 1875 (was later sold to his heirs: James; David & 2 daughters: Henrietta ANGLIN & Mary Rebecca LUTTRELL in 1894. I need birth, death, marriage dates especially & anything else anyone might know about the HARDT Family. They moved to Missouri later (date unknown)? Will gladly trade inf. with others working on this line.

SUMNER — James SUMNER Family lived near Mulberry, Crawford Co., AR. Any inf. will be appreciated, wife's name, birth, death, marriage, etc. records. James' father was Mark SUMNER, a Baptist Minister, will also appreciate inf. on him and his family. James' children: John; Nathaniel; Saul; Mark; Andrew; Lucinda; Mahaley; Sue; Rebecca; Pacola (died as child);& Polly.

James was born in Whitley Co., KY. The family came to Arkansas around 1900

BALLARD BLOODWORTH — Henry Ballard, Jr., 9882 Victoria St., Burkburnett, TX 76354 - I am still trying to find inf. on Elijah BALLARD, his wife was Mary BLOODWORTH BALLARD. A tiny clue will help? Where in AR did they live and when? Where did they marry? Who were their children, etc.

HILLEY KELLEY — Evelyn Jackson, Box 6, Savoy, TX 79479 - Still searching for any record of anykind on my Grandfather, Thomas Henry HILLEY who married Maude A. KELLEY, 1893 in Benton, Saline Co., AR. Thomas Henry HILLEY, b. 7-4-1869, Tuscumsia, Alabama (or Corinth, Mississippi). Had two brothers: Green and Dorman; and sisters: Cora; Fannie; & Biddie.

Thomas Henry HILLEY'S father was also named Thomas Henry HILLEY, Sr. Where could this family have lived other than Saline Co., Arkansas? Please help! I do enjoy every issue of our Arkansas Family Historian.

RHEA
DAVIS
CRAWLEY

Mrs Marie K. Olson, 35 Chadwick Dr., Charleston, S.C. 29407 My sister-in-law did me a real favor when she put me in touch with AGS. I have spent hours reading my first three issues of the Family Historian and have sent letters in every direction. This family research can be very frustrating; and I swear off of it at least once a week, but then I will receive a new bit of inf. and take up the search once again.

I need inf. about John F. RHEA, son of Andrew M and Lucinda E. (or G.) RHEA. John was born August 1875, AR., married Annie DAVIS at Strickler, Washington Co., AR., 28 Nov. 1897. Marriage performed by S. H. CRAWLEY, JP He and Annie were divorced ca 1899 and he married a dau. of S. H. CRAWLEY when? He was a farmer, moved to Okla., died of a brain concussion ca 1914. Where did he live and die in Okla.? I have received a death certificate from OKla. Bureau of Vital Statistics for John RAY, who died 2 Feb. 1913, after having been injured by a horse. He died in Calumet, Canadian Co., OK and was 48 years of age, a farmer. The name is not spelled the same, the age is about 10 years too old, and there was no family inf. given except that he was married. I am wondering if there were any children by John F. RHEA and his 2nd wife? The 1900 National Census lists many CRAWLEYS, but so far, I have not found S. H. CRAWLEY. John F. RHEA was my grandfather. Annie DAVIS was the oldest child of Robert George DAVIS of Cove Creek Twp., Washington Co., AR.

I have other inf. about the DAVIS family and will be glad to exchange inf

BAKER

Effie McKinney, Rt. 4 Box 113, Marshall, AR 72650 - Need inf on a BAKER Family who came to Fulton Co., AR in 1868. Mother, Fanny (or George) BAKER had 4 sons: Henry, Dan; Jim; Leni. Leni BAKER's (wife's name unknown) were parents of: John, b. 1882;Bob; Mary; Sarah; Jenney; Effie.

I will appreciate any inf. about this family. Marriage records, birth dates, death dates, spouse' names, etc. I will gladly share inf. with others interested in this family or their ancestors or descendants.

BASSETT
CROW

Mrs. Bettye D. Smith, Glen Cove Rt., Coleman, TX 76834 - The 1850 census listed my great great grandparents: Thomas and Sarah (CROW) BASSETT, as being born in Ark. ca 1818-1820. Can anyone help me determine the County? They were the parents of eight children. Any help will be appreciated.

BENTLEY
KOGER
NEWSOM

Mrs. Virginia L. Spearman, 1310 ElDorado Blvd, Houston, TX 77062 - Searching for any inf. about Laura BENTLEY who married 1st. to John NEWSOM, and they lived in Cotton Plant Woodruff Co., AR. They had the following children: Tom; Jefferson Davis, b. 1861; David Upchurch, b. 1863; and Laura. She married 2nd to (?) KOGER. They had a son, Moses. An old picture of her has "Laura KOGER" written on the back and the name of a photographic studio in Forrest City, St. Francis Co., AR. I will appreciate any help at all, no matter how samll.

LAMB

Mrs. Janet Lamb, 7732 Excelsior Ave., Orangevale, CA 95662 Can anyone help with proof that Thomas C. LAMB was the father of Rene LAMB...who was my husband's great grandfather? All my husband's father's lines are from Drew County, AR...LAMB; BARNETT; HALL; THOMPSON; WILLIS. So I really thought I would find a connection somewhere. I would like to correspond with anyone with knowledge of these DREW Co., AR families especially the descendants of Thomas C. LAMB. Please help.

HOLLINGSWORTH
ROBERTSON
CROW
MYRS
BARKER

Mrs. Emily A. Bogel, 810 Vinton Woods Dr., Forest Park, GA 30050 - I would like to correspond with anyone who can help with inf. on Jessie Ernest ROBERTSON, born 14 April 1878, died 10 April 1930. He was the son of Wm. Oliver ROBERTSON & Addie Ermennie HOLLINGSWORTH. Jessie married 22 June 1897 to Louisa BARKER, born 26 May 1878, died 5 Dec. 1964, dau. of J. A. BARKER, born 14 Feb. 1854 & mother Mary Jane MEDLOCK, born 2 Feb. 1854 & died 24 February 1965. Need birth and death dates and places, an any other vital inf. Addie died at the State Hospital on W. Markham in Little Rock, Pulaski Co., AR, & is buried in Little Rock (that is all the inf. we have.) Any inf. will be appreciated and I will gladly share with others researching this family.

Eli Aaron CROW, born 1861, GA, died in Cotton Plant, Woodruff Co., AR, married to Mary Magaline MYRS, born 1876 ,ALA, also died 10 Nov. 1916 in Cotton Plant, dau. of Peter MYRS.

NEWSON — Mrs. Virginia L. Spearman, 1310 El Dorado Blvd., Houston, TX 77062 - Any inf. on David HEWSOM, b. June (or July) 1814 in Virginia. Married 1st to Nariepa (?) ca 1835, in VA, died 1863 in Arkansas. Children: Georgetta, b. ca 1836 in VA, died March 1850, Shelby Co., TN (she and her mother died the same month of dysentery); Elizabeth (Betty) b. ca 1839 in VA, married George BONNER in AR; Rebecca (Patsey) b. ca 1841 in VA, married Charlie MAY; Sally, b. ca 1843 in VA.; William, b. ca 1846 in Mississippi, died 1866; Junious Turner, b. 26 Aug. 1849 in Mississippi, married Mary Shirley KNOX, died 5 June 1931 in Mansfield, TX.

David NEWSOM married 2nd to Frances T. (Laura) BENTLEY, in 1853 in Shelby Co., TN. Children: John, b. 2 April 1855, Memphis, TN, died 1 June 1855; Tomas TH. b., 25 Jan. 1857, Memphis, TN married Jennie (?); Jefferson Davis b. 10 Aug. 1861, Des Arc, Prairie Co., AR, died 1936, Grayson Co., TX.; David UPCHURCH, b. 2 April 1863 in Des Arc, died in Grayson Co., TX.

Frances BENTLEY married 2nd to Josish C. BURGESS, who died 11 Sept. 1870. Children: Annie Laura, b. 1866, married H. Lemare PATTON, died 1885, in Arkansas; Nathaniel Alexander, b. 1868, died 1869.

Frances BENTLEY married 3rd to (?) KOGER, they had one son, Moses. She had a brother Tom and sister Martha. She lived in the Woodruff Co./ St. Francis Co., area of Arkansas.

Any help will be appreciated, and I will gladly share with others working on these lines.

POWELL — John Young, 114 Cambridge Road, Brighton, Ill. 62012 - I am searching for any inf. on two of my family members. Henry POWELL (1860-1880); and David POWELL (1848-1865). I would like to find an index to United States Land Patents (Arkansas), and if Henry and David POWELL are listed on it. Please help.

LANGLEY
MC CARTY
LONGLEY — Mary J. Biederstedt, 3436 7th St., Lewiston, Idaho 83501 - Can someone please help me? I need proof of death for my great grandmother (died 1916-1918) at St. Paul, Madison Co., AR. My great grandparents owned a farm near St. Paul, my father said there was a Creek near their place named Fernie. After my grandparents died, my grandfather, Tilden LONGLEY owned the farm.

I am searching for these people: great grandfather, David LANGLEY, b. 1850 KY, died 1921, OK. Great grandmother Mary Longley McCARTY, b. 1850 KY died, St. Paul, Madison Co., AR. Their children: Elisha, b. 1870, KY; Luanda, b. 1872, KY; James, b. 1874, KY; (grandfather) Tilden, b. 1877, KY; Hannah, b. 1879, KY; Darkus; Theodore; Joe; Andy; Dane. Any inf. will be most welcome. I also need the names of Mary Longley McCARTY's parents. They probably moved to Arkansas in the early 1900s. They were in Ky in 1880. Please help.

BEGGS
BAGGS
BOGGS
BIGGS — Mrs. Ruby M. Davis, 2578 Bullinger, Wichita, Kansas 67204 - Would like to correspond with anyone working on the BEGGS Family lines. My great great grandfather, Robert BEGGS from Sevier Co., Saline Township was born around 1799 in KY. Where in KY was he born? When and where did he die? His 1st wife was Hulda HODGINS. When and where did she die? Who were her parents? Who was the father of Robert BEGGS? My great grandfather was James Henry BEGGS, b. 1842 in AR., who married Elizebeth BEETS-BUTS. I need inf. on Elizebeth. My grandfather was Robert BEGGS, b. 1868 and resided in Sevier Co., AR and Dallas Co., TX. Was he married to Fannie? I will appreciate any help and will answer every letter.

WINANS BAPTIST CHURCH? — Patricia Kelly, 1500 Fredericksburg Road, San Antonio, TX 78201 - Can anyone tell me if there is presently a WINANS Baptist Church in Little Rock (or if there ever was a church by that name in Little Rock?) I have been told there is one. My maiden name was WINANS, and I am working on the WINANS Genealogy. Please help.

WILLIAMSON
VAUGHN — Lois Lentz, 117 West Norwood, San Antonio, TX 78212 - I need any inf. on Thomas WILLIAMSON and Ann VAUGHN who married 15 July 1859 (possibly Sevier Co., AR) I will appreciate any suggestions and would like to correspond with anyone with knowledge of these people.

WITT — Michael S. Cole, Rt 6 Box 52, Harrison, AR 72601 - Would like to exchange information with anyone doing research concerning the family of William WITT. He was born 1675, France, and came to Manakin, Virginia in 1699, was a Huguenot emigrant. He left a WILL in Albrmarle Co., VA in 1754. His children were: John; Benjamin; Sarah (CANNADY); Agnes (KEY) Lewis; Abner; David' William; and Charles WITT.

McDONALD
TEAGUE

William T. Bowen, 2403 Bellegrove St., Bossier City, LA 71010 I am seeking inf. on members of my family, long deceased. John Cox McDONALD, b. 3 May 1823, NC, died 25 Feb. 1882 in Columbia Co., AR., married 1st to Elizabeth TEAGUE, b. 16 May 1825. Married 2nd to Mary Ann BOYD, b. 15 Aug. 1833, Dale Co., Ala., died 20 Sept. 1925, Columbia Co., AR.

Brothers of John Cox McDONALD are rumored to be Sean (Shawn) McDONALD who settled near Stephens, Ouachita Co., AR. John Will McDONALD who settled in Claiborne Parish, LA. Peter McDONALD who settled in Claiborne Parish, LA.

Who were the parents of John Cox McDONALD? where did they come from? Are they listed in the 1850 or 1860 census of Arkansas?

Parents of Mary Ann BYRD were Hansel BYRD, b. 1815 in N.C. & Margaret TAYLOR, b.1820 in S.C. Who were the other children of Hansel BYRD who came with him from Dale Co., Ala., to Columbia Co., AR. soon after 1859? Who were the parents of Hansel BYRD and his wife? Any inf. on any of these people will appreciated and I will gladly share with others working on any of these lines.

SEGROVES

Ilana Call Landes, 1061 University Heights Drive N., Flagstaff, AZ 86001 -I am seeking any inf. on the family history of my husband's great grandmother, Alice Louella SEGROVES, who was born in Arkansas 9 Sept. 1868 (but where?) Her death certificate shows she was born in Ark., (inf. given by her son).

Any clues would be better than what I have now, so I really can get started on my Arkansas research. Can anyone help? I will appreciate any help and will gladly refund postage, etc.

RANTON
CURETON
STRANGE
STINSON
DYER
WILLIAMS

Flora Nell Ranton Unger, 2572 Russell St., Redding Ca 96001 - Would like to exchange inf. with anyone researching these names They were in Lafayette Co., and Hempstead Co., AR as early as 1820 and 1840. I have Bible record of STRANGE-DYER-RANTON families. I would like to correct some inf. in a Query I sent to Arkansas Family Historian in Dec. 1978. I have now learned that my great grandfather, William J. RANTON, fron New York (but what county?) to Barbour County, Ala., married 26 Aug. 1852 to Kesiah CURETON (instead of PALMER), Barbour Co., Ala. Marriage Book 4 page 82.

My grandfather, Robert Palmer RANTON, b. 12 Sept. 1856, Barbour Co., Ala. William J. and Kesiah RANTON moved their family to Lafayette Co., AR after 1856 (not before).

For anyone searching WILLIAMS, there is a Samuel Jasper WILLIAMS, b. 9 March 1860 in our STRANGE and RANTON family Bible. He probably was b. New Lewisville, Lafayette Co., AR. He is listed among the RANTON births, but we know of no one in our family by that name.

At the time of Robert P. RANTON's death, 14 Jan. 1893, he was head of a dry goods store in New Lewis-ville, Lafayette Co., AR. Does anyone know the name of that store? They owned a house and lot in New Lewis-ville and his widow, Malinda Tallitha STRANGE RANTON, had to sell it to get money to move her nine children to Palmer, Ellis Co., TX in 1894.

Malinda's father, George P. STRANGE married Catherine D. DYER, was a sheriff of either Hempstead ot Lafayette Co., AR. His father was Edmond L. STRANGE (1850 Census, Lafayette Co., AR., La Grange Township). Must have moved there from Tenn. about 1840.

Catherine H. DYER was daughter of James DYER and Tallitha GARRETT (?) Family listed 1850 Census, Hempstead Co., AR., Spring Hill Township. I believe they moved to Arkansas about 1829. I have their birth and death dates from Bible. Any additional inf. on any of these people will be appreciated, and I will gladly share with others working on any of these lines.

WATKINS

W. B. Harris, P. O. Box 322, Hennepin, OK 73046 - I am seeking any inf. on Eves. WATKINS, his wife (her 1st name was Mary). They had four sons: William; Fred; Edd; and Charlie or Charley WATKINS. Charlie was born at Eureka Springs, Carroll Co., AR, 28 Feb. 1885. I am sure the other boys were born in AR. I would like any vital records, marriage, birth, death, etc. Will gladly pay for copies, postage, etc. Please help. (Senior Vice Commander V.F.W. Post 4775)

HILL
SMITH
SHED/SHAD
TAYLOR
WILLIAMS

Frances Johnson, Box 505 Mesa, AZ 85201 - Need inf. concering the following: John Elihu HILL, b. 1874, S.C. married Sarah Amelia SMITH, 3 Dec. 1901. Sarah's parents were Barryman Jasper SMITH and Melissa Jane SHAD/SHED, both born in Georgia. Sarah A. SMITH, born 4 Oct 1918, Bigfork, Polk Co., AR, died 7 July 1947, Okla. Also need help on my great grandfather, James Wiley TAYLOR, son of George Washington TAYLOR. He was married to Coye Lee WILLIAMS, who was born in Potter, Polk Co., AR., 15 Jan. 18__? and died 21 Aug. 1936, also in Potter, AR. Any tiny clue on these people will be appreciated, and I will gladly share with others working on these lines. At present I am at a dead STOP!

WHITE CAID HILL — Mrs. Billye J. Scattergood, 121 Hobbs St., San Angelo, TX 76903 - Need inf. on the parents of John D. WHITE, lived in Faulkner Co., 1880. Daughter Mary Jane (Mollie) married W. J. CAID in Greenbriar. Children: Maude; Leiler; John William; James R.; Cecil; Otis; Jesse CAID. Another dau., Nippie, married W. J. HILL in Greenbrier. Can any of these descendants, or any one else help with this WHITE line?

ETHERIDGE — Need birth and death dates of Nathaniel Barnett ETHERIDGE, possibly buried in West Shady Grove Cemetery (unmarked grave) Greenbriar, Faulkner Co., AR. George ETHERIDGE; Isaac ETHERIDGE in 1900 Census are nephews. Any descendants of this family left in Faulkner County, who can help? Did Henry Clay ETHERIDGE come to Texas? I will appreciate any small clue and will gladly share data with others working on either of these lines.

ADNEY ? ABNEY ? — Mrs. John (Jeri) Edwards,5010 Terrace Heights Dr., Yakima, WA 98901 - I certainly enjoy the Family Historian. Where can I find any inf. on my great great grandfather, Dr. J. ADNEY? He was on the 1880 census of Ball Township, Benton Co., AR. The Medical Association has no inf. on him. He died in 1909 in Boone Co., AR. I cannot find him on the 1870 Census, however I know he was living elsewhere in Arkansas prior to his stay in Benton Co. In the winter issue (Jan.Feb.March 1979) there was a Dr. J. ADNEY in Yell Co. (Int. Rev. Assement) dould this be my ancestor? Could someone give me a clue, as to where I might search next?

I would like to forward a "food for thought" suggestion that I read in another Genealogical Society Quarterly. An appeal was sent to every newspaper, an article asking citizens to send in inscriptions from Farm Burying Grounds. The Editors gave the Society the greatest news space they have ever received.

The response of sending in rural cemetery information has been extremely gratifying.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Our coverage is as good, if not better than the Newspaper, as we reach those interested in helping others with genealogy, and also making contacts, all over the entire world. Everyone is encouraged to tell their friends, relatives, and neighbors, if they happen to see an article mentioning their family name, and help any way they can to prevent duplicating copying various material, especially cemeteries "hard to reach, or even find".

From Mrs. Edwards: I know this would be very importan to me as my ancestors are buried on their farms in Arkansas, but so far I have been unable to locate any information from anyone who knows about them. Can anyone help Mrs. Edward, Yakima, Washington is a long way from Arkansas!!!!

PLOTNER — Martha Williams, % Ben Williams Inc., 1206 A McRae, El Paso, TX 79925 - Around 1830, or thereafter, a family by the name of Joe PLOTNER & Elizabeth, his wife went to Arkansas to live. It is thought that he went on the prompting of another brother, but this is not known. He lived in Ark., for awhile and then is said to have returned to Kansas. As far as anyone has ever been able to piece together, nothing more was heard of them...records were destroyed and efforts to trace this family has been fruitless. Many years later, my immediate family was living in Arkansas (1925) and they had a child named Billie Tom PLOTNER, in Siloam Springs, Benton Co., AR. Father's name was Joe PLOTNER, b. about 1889 and mother was Willie (WILLIAMS) PLOTNER. She was b. in 1902. I have heard she was an orphan, & was raised in an institution but it is hearsay. For all practical purposes, Joe vanished about 1933-35 and no trace of him can be found. These PLOTNERS are thought to be descendants of the Joe and Elizabeth, who came to Ark., many years before...it is doubtful that they were the same although the dates could have been different and Joe could have easily been married more than once. What happened to Billie Tom? We do not know. Two other brothers, James about 55-57 and John about 53-55 cannot remember anything valuable. Can anyone help? A tiny clue...would be appreciated.

PIERCE CREEK TOWNSHIP??? — Brenda C. Cruz, 125 E. 49th St., Long Beach, CA 90805 - Can anyone tell me anything about PIERCE CREEK Township (where was it located?) in the year 1900. Could it have been in Faulkner County, Arkansas or ???? Did the people farm? or how did they survive?

JACKSON — Wanda Wright, 14600 - 51st Ave NE # 28, Maupville, WA 98270 - My great grandfather, Mark JACKSON ran for State Senator from the 25th district as a Republican. We would like to have copies of anything pertaining to him about the election.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Sure would have helped, to mention the date he ran! & whether he was elected!

MYERS STANLEY — Lowell M. Duffey, 802 14th Ave., Jacksonville, Ala. 36265 - My great grandfather, Nelson Monroe Myers, born 10-3-1821, d. June 1905 (buried in Little Rock, AR). Came to Little Rock, Pulaski Co., AR in the late 1890s and according to family accounts, died there. In his last days, he lived with his daughter, Abigail STANLEY, at Little Rock. Can anyone help me locate his burial site? (Oakland Cem. has been checked - not there). Possibly an obituary, or possibly a mortician's record. The inf. I am seeking is the exact date of death and the burial site. Will appreciate any inf.

ULMER HOGGART BRINSON RAY GREEN MOFFETT ETC. (see list): — Wanda Joy Ulmer Karrant, Star Rt. Box 18-A, Chester, AR 72934 The surnames I am working on are as follows: (Paternal side) ULMER, BRINSON, RAY, GREEN, MOFFETT, CALLENDER, MAXWELL, TAYLOR, FRANCIS, FORE, KEES, HORGER, INABINET, SANDERS, PEMBERTON, S(C)HULER, SHAUMLOFFEL, NAGELY, BLAKE, RENTZ, SCHNELL, BALL, GOTSCHMAN, WILLIAMSON, BUCHER, STUFFENEGGER, & JENFER. Maternal side: SMITH, RO(D)GERS, YERBY, BARR, HOLCOMBE, HASSELL BALLIENT (?), MC MILLAN, BAINES (BAINS), PORTER, MC TYRE, SNELL CHARLTON, BOGAN, WILKINS, BERGERON, & PELETAN(T). On my husband's pedigree: Paternal side: KARRANT (KARRANTULIUS in Greece), KOCHOVAS. Maternal side: BOGGS, HARDMAN, (HARTMAN), EYE, GOFF, REXROAD, RIDDLE(EL), PARSONS (?), PROPST, WELSH, GRAY, RENNICK, ZORN, BROOM, BALDWIN, (BOYLDWIN), RULEMAN.

Have run some of the above surnames to their country of origin which puts me in the following countries: England, Wales, Scotland, Ireland, Germany, Switzerland, France. In some lines I am back into the 1500s and 1600s. Some are rather complete and many more are in an incomplete state with much to be proven. I will gladly share what I have on any of mine or my husband's lines with anyone working on any of these lines, and will appreciate hearing from anyone working on any of these lines.

On page 5 of the 1979 Jan.-Feb.-March AFH the editor asked us to share ways we had found help in a rather unusual way. I really didn't have a great deal of inf. on my father's family as my mother and father had divorced when I was a baby and contact had been more or less lost and ones I did know did not seem to know much about the ULMER lineage, but knew that they had come from Mississippi. From some old report cards of my father's and bits and pieces I eventually found my grandfather's death date and place in Okla. I sent for a death certificate and was eventually led to the area around Brookhaven, Miss. (Lincoln Co.) and located graves of my great grand-father, whose name was rather unusual, Franklin Herger ULMER and many of my other ancestors, plus many living distant cousins. My distant cousins raised in that area and still living in that same area couldn't tell me where Franklin Herger Ulmer and wife had lived before coming to that area, nor could they tell me much more than I alreay knew by that time. One day while just looking at any and all I could find on Miss., at the Century Enterprises Genealogy Library, that was then operating in Ft. Smith, Sebastain Co., AR., I picked up a history on Jasper Co., Miss., written by H. H. Daniels and noticed many ULMERS buried in that county and in particular one or two bearing the middle or first name of Herger. The author of this history had offered to help anyone needing help with Jasper County records, so I just wrote him and asked if he knew anything about the Ulmers of that county, and explained my connection. A few days later I received a long distance telephone call from Mr. Daniel and he informaed me that I was a cousin of his and he had lost my Great grandfather after they left Jasper County and had been looking for any of his descendants for over 3 years. He had published a book on the Ulmer family but had to leave out the descendants of Franklin Herger Ulmer. Needless to say, I have helped him as much as possible to contact all of the descendants I could, and he has published a supplement listing all of us and many of us have now been attending the Ulmer Family Reunion held once a year that we had never known about before. We have all met countless cousins, we would never have known but for my desperation and more or less clutching at a straw. All long shots should be followed up...for once in awhile they do pay off and reward you for all the ones you write for...that never answer!!! I could tell many other stories similar to the above that have helped me beyond measure.

Thanks again for any help I may receive through the Arkansas Family Historian, I certainly can use any and all help I can get.

WIGGINS — Virginia Wiggins Murray, (Mrs. Richard) 2006 Austin Drive, Fayetteville, AR 72701 - About 20 Jan. (to 31,) 1911, C. R. WIGGINS, was buried in Maple Hill Cemetery, Helena, Phillips Co., AR., after dying from a gunshot accident a few days prior. I hope to find inf. concerning the accident and an obituary. Please help!

MARTIN ALEXANDER TALLEY/TALLY WATKINS YOCUM — Vera L. Dean, P. O. Box 181, Station A., Richmond, CA 94808 - Need data, spouse, and descendants of George MARTIN and Jesse MARTIN (both born prior to 1841--probably c 1820 in or near Wayne Co., TN (possibly to Henry MARTIN (1797-prior to 1870) & Nancy (c1797-prior to 1860).

*Henry and Nancy MARTIN were in the 1850 Census of Greene Co. AR., Union Township, #18. Their other children were: Peter MARTIN (1824-1910) who married 2nd Mary TALLEY or TALLY (probably a sister to Josephine TALLEY who married her cousin, Sebern MARTIN, who was a brother to my great-grandpa, Nathaniel MARTIN, whose letters appear in my book, "MARTIN LETTERS"; Nancy Emeline ALEXANDER; Mary Anne WATKINS; Elizabeth MARTIN; Malinda YOCUM; Nathaniel McDaniel MARTIN (1841-1892); James Henry MARTIN (c1843-c1909); and Sarah HURST EDWARDS (?).

By 1860, Henry MARTIN and some of his family were in Providence in Campbell Township, page 37 (or 859), of Searcy Co., AR. His son, Peter MARTIN, was in Campbell Township in 1850 living with William MARTIN of the same age. Who was this William MARTIN? (Page 178 (356).

ALEXANDERS and WATKINS are later found in Carroll Co., AR.

KIRKKENDOLL AUTRY — Georgia Reed, 2005 Doris Ave., Del City, OK 73115. Would love to correspond with relatives of my 1st great grandfather Matthew KIRKENDOLL, b. 15 May 1824, Warren Co., KY, but raised near Hartford, Ohio Co., KY. He married Mary Elizabeth AUTRY, 9 Nov. 1848, in Ohio Co., KY. Several of their children were born there. Matthew served 4 years in Civil War, and following the War, they removed to Arkansas by way of Missouri. Children: Josephine; Martha Ann; Carried Caroline; Democrat "Dimmy"; Lorenzo Dow; Thomas; Johnny; Arsley; Mary Jane; and Elvis. Carrie was my grandmother. I have a little inf. about Dimmy and Lorenzo, but nothing on the other children. Mary E. died at Salem, Fulton Co., AR., 7 Nov. 1886. Matthew died 14 July 1917, Keystone, Pawnee Co., OK. Need to know parents of Matthew and Mary? I will appreciate any help with this family, and will gladly share with others working on these lines.

REED BLACK — Desire inf. on ancestors and other descendants of Robert Emmit REED and Mollie REED (a cousin), his wife. They were married in Cork Co., Ireland. Robert came to America and served in Rev. War under George Wwashington. Following the War he returned to Ireland and brought Mollie to Pennsylvania, America. Their 1st child: Watson was born 14 Nov. 1806 at St. Genevieve, MO. I do not know where Robert Emmit; Nancy; Rachel; Nellie; and Malenda were born. The family migrated into Arkansas, where Watson obtained a Land Grant in 1845 from James K. Polk (Pres.) in Hempstead Co., AR., near Columbus. Watson REED and his wife, Penelope Rebecca BLACK REED, raised a large family. Four of their sons served in Conf Army from Monroe, Louisiana. Some of the family re-located in Texas following the Civil War. Penelope died in 1886 and Watson in 1890; they are buried at Cisco, Eastland Co., Texas. I would love to correspond with relatives or anyone that can help me with this family. Glad to exchange inf.

ROBINETT FOSHE DOHERTY — I am interested in contacting relatives/descendants of Enoch ROBINETT and his wife, Tellitha T. FOSHE. They were in Blount Co., TN at least until 1834, perhaps longer. According to my records they had 10 children and some are known to have migrated into Calif., Missouri, and Arkansas. I do not know other states they may have settled in. One of their sons, Benjamin, was my 1st great grandfather. He purchased land in Wright Co., MO in 1855. He and his wife, Delilah DOHERTY COX, later lived in Douglas Co., Missouri. They are both buried at the 1st County Courthouse site for Douglas Co., Vera Cruz. Benjamin died 11 Aug. 1862 and Delilah, 11 Aug. 1898. John Wesley ROBINETT, one of their sons married Carrie Caroline KIRKENDOLL, 17 Sept. 1875 at Fulton Co., Arkansas. My dad, William Lafayette ROBINETT, their 1st child, was born 24 July 1876 in Sharp Co., AR., living in the northern and northwestern counties until around 1900 when they moved into Indian Territory (now Oklahoma). I will gladly exchange inf. with those searching same family lines. (Georgia ROBINETT Reed).

HOLDER — Mrs. Harold I. Holder, Box 3 R R 2, Lexington, OK 73051 - Tom HOLDER was 1/2 or more Cherokee Indian, died 1904 or 5. He lived at Beebe, White Co., and Bloomer, Sebastain Co., AR. We would like to find out if he was registered on the Cherokee Indian roll. His wife was Mollie Mitchel HOLDER. MITCHEL was her maiden name & she was Indian also. Their oldest son was named: Ollie HOLDER, and his father died when he was 9 years old. Can anyone help me find if any of these people were registered on the Cherokee Indian roll? Any inf. will be appreciated. Ollie HOLDER says his father owned a large farm in Arkansas when he passed away. What county could he have lived? Please help!

BROOKS HARTMAN — Thelma Colmer, 222 East Berna Ave., Napa, CA 94558 - Seeking any inf. on son in law's family. Orvel Eugene BROOKS, b. 2 Oct. 1933, Summersville, Texas Co., MO., son of James Albert BROOKS, b. Carrollton, MO., and Ruth Wave HARTMAN, b. Summersville, MO. Who were Orvel E. BROOKS' brothers and sisters? Would like to know the birth and death dates for Orvel's parents, when they married and where they are buried. Who were his grandparents? Where were they born? Married? died? etc

Orvel E. BROOKS served some time in the Navy. Stationed in San Francisco Bay area. Possibly at Mare Island Naval Base in Vallejo, CA. Could have been Hunters Point or Skaggs Island. He married 1st to June (?) 2nd to Louise Colmer; 3rd to Daisy Moore. Children of Orvel E. and June: Sherri Lynn; and Stephen James BROOKS. Children of, Orvel E. & Louise: Robert Guy BROOKS. He and Daisy Moore had no children. Orvel E. BROOKS was killed instantly in an automobile accident 11 May 1976, Napa, CA., and is buried in Tulocay Cemetery, in Napa, Napa Co., CA. I would like to heard from anyone related to this family.

McADAMS McWILLIAMS — Seeking inf. on great grandfather Thomas Darell McADAMS, b. c 1827/8 Ala. Married Christina McWILLIAMS, c 1847/8 in either Claibourn Parish LA or Union Co., AR. Christina was born c 1834, Ala. Her parents, Wright McWILLIAMS, b. c 1812 Ala and Rachel (?) b. c. 1807 Tenn. Christina's brothers and sisters were: John, b. c 1831, Ala.; William "Bill" b. c 1833, Ala.; Anderson, b. c. 1838, Ala.; and Malissa S, b. c 1841, Mississippi.

Thomas Darell's parents were: James McADAMS, b. c 1809/10 S.C. & Martha (?) b. GA. Thomas Darell's brothers & sisters were: George who married Nancy (could her surname have been ABBOTT?); Celia married Marion D. CLARK; Jane married William "Will" SANDERS; Deba married (?) KING (could have been Frank KING???) & believe there was also a William and Nancy.

Children of Thomas Darell and Christina McADAMS were: William J. b. c. 1849 AR (probably Union Co.); Thomas "Tommy" W. b. c 1853, AR; John W. b. 1855, LA (Claibourn Parish); George, b. 1858, AR; Malissa S. b. 1868/9 TX (probably Titus Co.); Robert E. Lee, b. 1871/2, AR.

Were William McADAMS and Sarah PATTERSON the grandparents of Thomas DARELL McADAMS/ They were both born c 1789/90 NC. They were married in NC. These McADAMS lived in Union Co., AR 1850. Lafayette Co., AR 1860. Thomas Darell and Christina lived in Titus Co., TX., 1870 and Miller Co., AR 1880. I would like to hear from anyone related to these families or anyone with any knowledge of them. I will answer all who write and will gladly share with others working on any of these lines.

JONES — Mrs. Dewey A. Jones (Iris M.) P. O. Box 334, LaSalle, CO 80645 I am looking forward to bing a member of AGS, and hope I can be of some help. I am working on my husband's family and seeking inf. on Wm. J. JONES, b. in k833, Missouri. Had 4 sons: Andrew, b. 1861, MO; my father-in-law) James, b. 1864, MO; Robert, b. 1866, MO; & Levi, b. 1873, MO.

I found them in the 1880 soundex & census in Marion Co., AR., and the mother was not listed, perhaps her name was Sarah Elizabet, from family records, & Andrew, Robert, & Levi were all in Perry Co., AR., and buried in Rights Cemetery and Petti Jean River Bottom. James was found in 1900 census in Perry Co., with 1st family and then in 1902 Feb. he married my mother in law, Lizzie B. YORK in Pike Co., AR (where both died).

The YORKS came from near Tahladega Co., Alabama. Other names on the YORK family side are: LLOYD; BULLARD; BRYANT from Alabama.

As all aunts, uncles etc are deceased & several fires ruined many of the family records etc we need help badly. I am also a member of the Weld Co., Genealogy Society, Greeley, Colorado. Please help.

SEEKING OZARK REGION BOOK — Mrs. Leojean Lane, P. O. Box 383, Newport, WA 99156 - I am trying to locate a book published in 1890 entitled "The Goodspeed History of the Ozarks Region". Can anone tell me where I might buy a copy?

ARENDELL COOPER — Wanda Arnold, Rt. 8 Box 47B 19, Lubbock, TX 79407 - I am looking for any inf. on Charles ARENDELL and Sara Jane COOPER, being in Conway Co., AR around 1870 to 1876. She remarried to Sam Houston BOWMAN in Plummerville, Conway Co., AR in 1877. Charles ARENDELL and Sara Jane had one son: Dulis Sebran ARENDELL, March 1875, in Mountain Home or near there. We are especially interested in contacting anyone working on the ARENDELL Family. Please help!

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ANCESTOR CHART #

1 DOROTHY GOODIN
B 20 Jan. 1932
PB Hollis, Harmon Co., Oklahoma
M 11 Oct 1947-Claremore, OK
D
PD

Spouse of #1:
HARVEY MACK MAIN
B 31 Oct 1927 D
PB Claremore, OK PD

2 SAMUEL JESSE GOODIN (Father of 1)
B 10 April 1903
PB London, Pope Co., AR
M 8 Aug 1925 -Della, Okla.
D 12 July 1971 Oroville, CA
PD Buried Tulare, CA., Cem.

3 LOUISE JEWEL JONES (Mother of 1)
B 16 April 1906
PB Greenwood, Wise Co., TX
D
PD

4 Charles Lilborn GOODIN (Father of 2)
B 3 August 1866?
PB Red Bay, Alabama
M 1 November 1888
D 21 October 1924
PD Belzoni OK buried Belzoni Cemetery, Pushmataha Co Okla.

5 Mary V.M.M.A. MARTIN (Mother of 2)
B 8 Feb. 1872
PB London, Pope Co., AR
D 11 Jan 1929 Middleburg, OK
PD Buried Blanchard Cem. Blanchard, Oklahoma

6 THOMAS SIMPSON JONES (Father of 3)
B 18 Oct 1871
PB Mississippi
M 12 July 1905 Hugo, OK
D 11 March 1912 Speer, Messer
PD Pine Lake (Cem. LongCreek Choctaw Co. Okla

7 Josie Joanna TATE (Mother of 3)
B 15 December 1872
PB Lonoke, Lonoke Co., AR
D 24 Sept 1936
PD Sayre, Okla Buried Lonoke Cem. -Sayre, OK

8 Mance GOODIN (Father of 4)
B
PB
M
D 1869? Tennessee
PD

9 Martha DOVER (Mother of 4)
B
PB
D 1918?
PD Clarksville, Johnson Co., AR

10 JASPER JESSE MARTIN (Father of 5)
B 5 May 1833
PB Lawrence Co., Alabama
M 3 June 1855
D 4 June 1914, London, Pope
PD Buried East Point Cem.AR

11 MARTHA A. JOHNSON (Mother of 5)
B 12 April 1837
PB Franklin Co., Ala.
D 11 Jan. 1918 London, Pope
PD Buried East Point Cem.AR

12 T. J. JONES (Father of 6)
B 1844?
PB Mississippi
M
D
PD

13 MARY (Mother of 6)
B 1845
PB Mississippi
D
PD

14 ANDREW TATE (Father of 7)
B
PB Arkansas
M
D
PD

15 BLOODSWORTH (Mother of 7)
B
PB
D
PD

16 GOODIN (Father of 8)
B
M
D

17 (Mother of 8)
B
D

18 DOVER (Father of 9)
B
M
D

19 (Mother of 9)
B
D

20 TOM MARTIN Ala. (Father of 10)
B
M
D

21 Ala.(Mother of 10)
B
D

22 JOHNSON (Father of 11)
B
M
D

23 LUCIENDA JOHNSON MANSAL Ala.(Mother of 11)
B
D 1903? Buried Rachel Cem.?

24 JONES (Father of 12)
B
M
D

25 (Mother of 12)
B
D

26 (Father of 13)
B
M
D

27 (Mother of 13)
B
D

28 TATE (Father of 14)
B
M
D

29 (Mother of 14)
B
D

30 BLOODSWORTH (Father of 15)
B
M
D (Full blood Choctaw)?

31 (Mother of 15)
B
D

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MARTIN

Dorothy (Goodin) Main, 1780 S. Monaco Parkway, Denver, CO 80224 - I am interested in any inf. on the GOODIN/ GOODEN Families who came to Pope Co., AR., near London in 1882? from East Tennessee-Mississippi-Alabama-Georgia? My Grandfather married Mary MARTIN, daughter of Martha A. & Jasper MARTIN.

Charles Lilborn GOODIN, b. in Red Bay, Alabama, 3 Aug. 1866 (or ?) Son of Martha DOVER and Mance? GOODIN. Came to Arkansas with a train of 22 in 1882? when he was 17. His mother was left a widow when Charles was 3. (about 1870) no family records were kept, and he never knew for sure the date of his birth! The best his sisters could remember, he was 56 when he died 21 Oct. 1824.

His father was a Union soldier in the Civil War? his mother drew a pension. (Apparently Mance was a nickname, have been unable to locate him in the census search or army records.) His brothers and sisters are as follows: Emeline (GOODIN) STRONG (Mrs. Z. E.) born 28 Jan. 1854, died 8 Sept. 1916 near Poteau, OK., buried Vaughn Cemetery. One son Jesse White STRONG, b. ?, married Ida HICKMAN. Martha A (GOODIN) WARD, GUNTER, TIERCE (Mrs. M. R.) b. 1856, died 1925, buried at Vaughn Cemetery. One son John WARD, b. ? died Texas. Married, Hattie RAY. Sarah (GOODIN) GOODIN (Mrs. F. M.) born? died? buried Vaughn Cemetery. 1st married Frank Marion (Mate) GOODIN, a cousin. Had one son Mance GOODIN, who died at the age of 17, buried in Vaughn Cemetery. Later she married a Tom HOUSE. Josephine (GOODIN) FORTNER or FALKNER? (Mrs. Buck) had 8 children: Tom; Frank; Andy; Jesse; Huella (FORTNER) PARKER; Mary (FORTNER) MOORE; Callie (FORTNER) BURNS; and Mandy (FORTNER) RITTER. Andy G. GOODIN, b. 1868, died March 28 1910. Buried Vaughn Cemetery. Married Ida VINSON, daughter of Jock VINSON of London, Pope Co., AR. (cousin to Mary (MARTIN) GOODIN, in Clarksville, Johnson Co., AR., on 7 May 1903. Ida had a daughter Louisa, by a former marriage, when she and Andy married. They had 5 children?: Marion Dena (GOODIN) PERSALL; Adeline (GOODIN) DECKARD; Brooks; Patsy GOODIN/; Andrew GOODIN? and Houston GOODIN. George GOODIN, b.? & died 1918? George and his mother MARTHA (DOVER) GOODIN both died during the flu epidemic in 1918, believed to have been buried near Clarksville, Johnson Co., AR. George 1st married Jane WEBB, and had 2 sons: Marion and Cornelieus Vanderbilt (Dick) GOODIN. He later married Hattie WARD, widow of John WARD. They had a dau. Mandy (GOODIN) BASS, she was married to Henry BASS, son of Seborn BASS. Samual GOODIN born? married? died?, buried at Shamrock, OK? had 5 children: Tom; Dick; Hattie (GOODIN) STRONG, married to Columbus STRONG, and Sallie & Lottie. W. E. (Bill) GOODIN, b. 25 Dec. 1862 married to Alice Gertrude JONES, in Arkansas. Died 27 May 1899, buried Vaughn Cemetery. Had 5 children: Andy; Sidney; Clinton; Casabiancia (Bance); Lucy (GOODIN) COLLINS& BESSIE. Bill moved his family to Salisaw, OK in 1894 from London, Pope Co., AR to work in the Lumber Industry as a carpenter.

DOVER
GOODIN

Charlie DOVER brother to Martha (DOVER) GOODIN apparently moved to Arkansas with the GOODINs and then to Indian Territory with Charlie GOODIN. in 1903. Other members of the party from Tenn., were Sterling GOODIN, brother to Mance GOODIN and his sons and daughters. They were:James Madison; John Ruckard (ROOK); Synthia Lee (GOODIN) SNOW; Alice (GOODIN) Brewer; Mollie (GOODIN) SIMMONS; Nannie (GOODIN) Brown; Nola (GOODIN) STEWART; Lou (GOODIN) HILL; and Bonaparte (Bone) GOODIN. Bone married Clementine BEENE, daughter of Carl BEENE of Yell * Scott Counties in Ark. Sterling GOODIN died 1886-1889? Alma, Crawford Co., AR and is buried at Hickory Ridge Cemetery, he was 32° Mason (Mississippi).

Little is known of the GOODIN Family in either Arkansas or Oklahoma. They seemed to have moved prior to census. The FORTNER-FALKNER-FAULKNER Family moved to No. 10 near Howe, OK in 1907 from Piney, near Clarksville in Johnson Co., AR.

I will appreciate any inf. and will gladly exchange data on any of these people. Dorothy (Goodin) Main.

CROSS
CANNON
McGUIRE
STOUT
GIVENS

Nadeen Cross Marlett, 1630 Victor Way, Modesto, CA 95351 - A recent book "CROSS CONNECTIONS" - Families of CROSS, CANNON, McGUIRE, STOUT, GIVENS, and allied lines. 300 pages of information, charts, documents, Bible records, pictures and full index. Hard bound. $23.00 This is about Alabama people in 1850 census, Arkansas people by 1890/2 CROSS families. John R. & Thomas J.

EDITOR'S NOTE: You might like to mention this to a friend who might be searching for these families.

THE BEST WAY...TO GET SOMETHING DONE...IS TO BEGIN!!!

STEPHENS HOPPER — Mrs. James G. Lucas, 2640 Glenwood, San Angelo, TX 76901 - My grandfather, Manley Nathan Wair STEPHENS married Rachel Elizabeth HOOPER, 24 Dec. 1882, in Burford, Baxter Co., Arkansas. Can anyone help me locate their marriage license? or any other inf. about this couple or their descendants? I am also interested in the: MILLER LUCAS, BARTON, DAVIS, SOUTH, NICKELL, CALAHAN, ELLISON, SHEFFIELD & MORGAN Families. Please help!

SOWARD HOTCHKISS MEAD SHANKS EAST LEGGETT PAINE ALEXANDER HAWKINS FRYER/ FRIAR WOMACK — H. Martin Soward, III, P. O. Box 606, Ingleside, TX 78362 - Searching for inf. on the following families: West Walker SOWARD, b. 1814 in East TN, married Matilda HOTCHKISS, about 1837, probably in St. Francis Co., AR. Matilda was a dau. of Hezekiah Knight HOTCHKISS and Lydia MEAD. All of the above settled in Independence Co., AR about 1838. Need dates of deaths of Hezekiah and Lydia. She died sometime before 1850 census; he died after 1850. Children were: Mary Lydia, b. about 1838, married Levi D. SHANKS in Independence Co., AR; later lived in Marion Co., AR; Ann Elizabeth, b. 1840 1st m. to Calvin EAST, 2nd m. to William D. LEGGETT; Rhoda B. SOWARD b. about 1843, died at age 22 (about 1865); Elvira P., b. in 1846, m. James W. Paine in Ind. Co., AR., lived in Marion Co., AR., in 1880 and in Garland Co., AR in 1900; Henry Cleveland SOWARD, b. 1848 m. Nancy ALEXANDER, settled in Oklahoma; William West (Tolsh) SOWARD, b. in 1850, Baptist preacher and served in the Arkansas State Legislature, married Sarah Caroline HAWKINS, later settled in Okla.; John Wamac SOWARD, b. 1855 m. 1st to Martha (Mattie) E. HAWKINS and 2nd to Lucretia Alice FRYER (sometimes spelled FRIER or FRIAR). Was there any connection between the SOWARDS and the WAMAC (or WOMACK) families in Indpendence Co., AR.? Would like to hear from descendants of any of the above people.

FRYER/ FRIAR GRIFFITH REED SPURGEON POPE BROCK SOWARD BUFFALO WARINNER — Also searching for inf. on the following: William FRYER (FRIER, FRIAR, FRYAR, etc.) born about 1818 Franklin Co., MO. Son of George FRYER, who died in Franklin Co., MO. in 1836 & Mary FRYER, who died (same place) in 1839? William married 1st to Winnifred GRIFFITH, in Franklin Co., MO in 1839. They had the following children: Martha; Green Lumly, b. in 1842 married to Cynthia Ann WARINNER, lived in Gasconade Co., MO & Springfield, MO.; Rufus, b. about 1844, m. Susan (?); Mary or Nancy FRYER married David REED; Virginia, b. about 1848; William, b. about 1849; Rebecca E., b. about 1851; George W. b. in 1852, married Marietta (or Molly) (?), lived in Springfield, MO in 1900 & Margaret (Maggie) b. in 1860, married a Mr. SPURGEON. Winnefred Griffith FRYER died about 1860. William FRYER then married Mrs. Emily Richardson POPE Emily had at least one child, Martin POPE, by her 1st marriage. Emily was a daughter of Richard Richardson and Jincy BROCK of Franklin Co., MO. Wm. & Emily had two children: Lucretia Alice, b. 1864 and Elizabeth Parilee FRYER b. 1865. Sometimes between 1865 & 1870 William & Emily FRYER moved to Marion Co., AR. Lucretia Alice FRYER married John Wamac SOWARD in 1887, probably in Marion Co., AR and later moved to Indian Territory, New Mexico Territory & later Texas. Elizabeth Parilee FRYER married William (Bill) BUFFALO, son of Isaac & Rhoda SOWARD BUFFALO. In 1900 William FRYER, age 82 was living at the Green Co., MO. Alms House in or near Springfield. When did he die? Where is he buried? Would like to hear from any of the descendants of these people, and will gladly exchange additional data.
NOTE: I thoroughly enjoy our fine publication! Keep up the good work! HMSIII

MURRAY GILLILAND — Peter F. Hartmann, Jr., 2414 Holt St., RRD 3, Savannah, TN 38372 - Seeking any inf. on the Family of William or Henry MURRAY in Pine Bluff, Jefferson Co., AR., Clarksville, Johnson Co., AR., Russellville, Pope Co., AR. Also the Robert W. GILLILAND Family, who lived in Russellville, Pope Co., AR., and Clarksville, Johnson Co., AR. The Murray's first name could be Henry. (Not sure) all the family is dead, so need any information, please!

HARDCASTLE MOBLEY HAVNER/HAVENER MACOM — Mrs. Walter McConnell, 1940 N.E. Hood Ct., Gresham, OR 97030 Would appreciate any and all inf. on HARDCASTLE; MOBLEY; HAVNER (also spelled HAVENER) & MACOM. The HAVNERS and MOBLEYS are from Johnson Co. and the Hardcastles & MACOM Families are from Johnson are from Pope and Johnson Counties, Arkansas. Please help!

CONWAY
SHACKLEFORD
SCHACKLEFORD
ADAMS
WOLF
STUART
STEWART
POLLARD

Mrs. Mildred Cannon, Rt 2 Box 246 A., Strafford, MO 65757 - I am asking to have another query published, please. But before I write it, I'd first like to say a BIG THANK YOU for the help that the Arkansas Family Historian has given to me. Two years ago I began the research on my family "roots" with mostly tradition and a lot of it wrong, even to the names. A Query was published for me...today you would not believe the pages and pages that I have accumulated either directly or indirectly from that Query. Now, I would like to try the "other side of my house". I am most grateful!

Would like to hear from anyone researching the CONWAY; SHACKLEFORD; SCHACKLEFORD; & ADAMS, who lived near Conway; Faulkner Co., AR. My grandmother, Amanda Melvina (ADAMS) SPENCER was born there 30 Sept. 1845, the dau. of Joseph Edward ADAMS, b. ca 1816, Mass., and Barbara Ann SHACKLEFORD. Both had been married before. To whom? where? There were several children older than Amanda. In 1854 they moved to Panola Co., TX., near Carthage. Have inf. since 1854. Will gladly exchange. Tradition shows: grandmother SHACKLEFORD was born a CONWAY?? Other names: Wolf; STUART; STEWART; & POLLARD.

These people came from South Carolina. Robert Howard WOLF, b. 17 April 1833, S.C. Was he the son of John WOLF Methodist preacher, who died in TN.? Who was John's wife?

On 25 Sept 1855, R. H. WOLF married Sarah Elizabeth POLLARD, b. 17 Aug 1834 Greenville District, S.C. Both are buried at Bloosom, TX What were her parents and grandparents (POLLARD & STEWART) given names? Where did they live in 1850? Were these the same POLLARDS connected with "Far West Cherokee Indian Academy" near Hope and Washington, AR ca 1844? Any inf. or suggestions for finding inf., no matter how small will be appreciated. Will exchange inf. or will return postage. Please Help!

NICHOLS
BROWN

Frances Hurst, 1469 Rainey #1, Memphis, TN 38127 - I need inf. on Clifton NICHOLS who was on the Franklin Co., AR census 1850-1860 and on Newton Co., AR census 1870-1880. He was b. about 1811 in TN., (but where in TN.?) He was married to his 2nd wife, Manda Cora BROWN in Newton Co., AR in 1873. The children of 2nd wife were: Hamet Asbury; Francis O.; Melinda Ann; Calaway M.; Charles Wesley and Harrison. I would like to correspond with anyone working on NICHOLS Families in AR especially descendants of this family or anyone who knows what happened to Charles Wesley NICHOLS.

DENNINGTON

I also need inf. on Burrell DENNINGTON, b. 6 Feb. 1845, Floyd Co., GA., wife, Missouri (?) They were on the 1900 Searcy Co., AR,1880 on the Floyd Co., GA Census. All children born in Floyd Co.,GA Children: Allice married J. W. Lemay; Arkadelphia married D. J. Lemay; Martha married Thomas C. MARTIN; Minnie married Charles Wesley NICHOLS,2nd George W. LAWRENCE; Parlee married Eli PEOPLES; Pemly married John BROWN; Lethy married Frank LAWRENCE; Amanda married Mr. Ellis, & Mr. ROUNDS. Will appreciate any suggestions and will gladly share data with others working on these lines.

PATY

Thomas C. Paty, 4209 No. 2nd Drive, Phoenix, AZ 85013 - Searching for information on the following: My great Uncle Asbury Emery PATY, b. in GA 1824 migrated to Arkansas about 1880. Known to live in Faulkner Co., AR where he died about 1886 near Conway. Will gladly exchange inf. with anyone having knowledge of him. He was unmarried.

SILVERS
SLATEN

Steve Smith, Rt 1 Box 289, Henryetta, OK 74437 - Charlie James SILVERS, b. Nov 1883, AR (but where?) married 17 Mar 1912 (but where and to whom?) Madison Allen SLATEN, probably 1850, near Waldron, Scott Co., AR. Also Mary Frances SLATEN, b. 15 Oct. 1894, Scott Co., AR. Will appreciate any help in locating the whereabouts of these people, and will gladly exchange data.

STOVALL
IRBY

Bessie Stovall DALTON, Box 582, Denison, TX 75020 - Seeking any inf. on STOVALL and IRBY Families, Desha Co., AR, 1880, 1890, 1900. Will appreciate any help and will gladly share with others working on these lines.

HUGHES
ATKINS
TURNER

Hildred Hughes Ables, 700 Garfield, Miami, OK 74354 - My roots in Arkansas go back to 1852 and my ATKINS, TURNER roots probably much farther back than that! I was delighted to find that AGS publishes the Arkansas Family Historian, and I have already made one contact, as a results of reading a Query in an 1976 copy loaned to me by a friend! Will appreciate any help and will gladly share data with others working on these lines.

FALLS — Mrs. Wallace M. Smith, 2612 Alden Ave., Dallas, TX 75211 - I am interested in contacting all by the name of FALLS. This family originated in the U.S. in PA., but branched out all over. A group came from North Carolina to Polk Co., AR and another group came from Green County, TN to Independence Co., AR before moving on to Texas.

SNOW — Am also interested in corresponding with all SNOW Families. My mother's maiden name. Her uncle, Richard Jackson SNOW lived for a while in Mississippi. (but where in Miss.?) before he settled in Polk and Logan Counties, AR. He died in Logan Co., AR., and members of his family went on to Oklahoma and some to Texas. Will gladly share data on both families.

NATIONS — Mrs. A. P. Coston, 5302 Atlantic Road, San Angelo, TX 76903 - I seek information on the NATIONS Family. This family lived in Columbia, Hempstead Counties in the late 1830-50s; and Lafayette County. Would like to correspond with anyone workingon these families, and will gladly share data.

MORELAND HAMEL — Sunshine Moreland Wilson, 1555 Sleeping Indian Rd., Fallbrook CA 92028 - Martha Ann HAMEL MORELAND and her husband Elisha Burk MORELAND were enroute by wagon with their 4 children from Parker Co., TX to Illinois, when Martha Ann died and was buried in Rockport, Hot Spring Co., AR., on 9 July 1881. Burk MORELAND then sold his wagon and team, took his children by train back to Texas. Can anyone help me find any proof of my grandmother's death? I will appreciate any help and will gladly pay for the same.

CLOVER — Mrs. J. Howard, 824 N. 12th St., Guthrie, OK 73044 - I am seeking any inf. on my CLOVER Families in AR. On a Sheriff's Census, 1829, of Clark Co., AR some inf/ is shown. Also I have Clovers on 1850 Census and I find 3 others mentioned: Montgomery, Hot Spring & Crawford and Sevier Counties. The 1st of my CLOVERS came to Ark., from Ilinois in 1818/19. Can anyone help me? I will be willing to pay a fee. One reason for my "haste" is I will be 80 years old in May 1980. Any help will be appreciated.

HORTON SCOTT — Ernie Horton, 16660 Rachel Ct., Oregon City, OR 97045 - Seeking any inf. on B. L. "Lem" HORTON, b. July 1850 AR., married Mary E. SCOTT, b. April 1855, Miss., Married ca 1872/3. Family moved ca 1900 to Okla., Territory around Coal Co. Need parents' names; when and where born; and died; & and any inf on their children: Issac, b. 1874; Benjamin, b. 1877; William, b. 1880; John A., b. 8 July 1885; & Mary E. b. Aug. 1888. All these children were born in White Co., AR. Related surnames SWAFFAR, SWAFFER, and SWAFFORD.

SCOTT — Also seeking any inf. on Issac J. SCOTT, b. ca 1833 in Ala., married Mary (?) b. ca 1835 in Miss. Lived in Conway Co., AR in the mid 1800s. I need to confirm dates, what was her maiden name? and are these the names of their children?: J.W. b. 1850 Miss married S.E.; Andrew T., b. 1851 MS, married Martha A (?); Albert, b. 1854 MS; Mary E., b 1855 MS married B. L. HORTON; Issac b, 1857 MS married Nancy (?); & Arron, b. 1860 MS. Any inf. on any of these people will be appreciated and I will gladly share with others researching these families.

THANK YOU LETTER!!!!!

From Judi Mikles Coffee: I received my Family Group Sheet Volumes I, II, & III and thank you for sending them so quickly! Wish I lived closer, so I could help you -- I know how busy you must stay, and again I want to say how much I appreciate all the hours. My favorite day is the day the Family Historian arrives in the mail!!! Thanks again... Judi M. Coffee

HENDRICKS PLUNKETTS WRIGHTS RIDGELLS LANGLEY HARRIS GREENS — Mary Hendricks Boyter, 7203 Marseille Dr., Shreveport, LA 71108 I need inf. on my great grandfather: George Wiley HENDRICKS, buried on his farm, Sheron ?, AR with his wife my great grandmother PLUNKETT, with some Slaves, who I think came from Green Co., Ala. My grandfather: Willie James Hendricks, is buried Humnoke, AR along withgrandmother, Elizabeth WRIGHT (both were in Civil War. Mother's family: Silvester RIDGELL, great grandfather came from S. C. to Ala. and my grandfather Robert Davis RIDGELL & grandmother Catherine LANGLEY; great grandfather, Charley LANGLEY. All inf. will be appreciated. Also can anyone help with inf. on the HENDRICK'S Mansion in Green County, Ala.?

YOKUM DUGAN — Mrs. Helen R. Olson, 522 Nord Ave., Chico, CA 95926 - Seeking any information on my great grandparents, John YOKUM (YOCUM) and Malinda DUGAN, married in Arkansas, 1828. A son, Henry Patrick YOKUM was born in Carroll Co., AR in 1833. My grandfather, James Andrew Jackson YOKUM was also born in Ark., 1835. This family moved to Missouri about 1835/36. Went to Oregon in 1851 from Lawrence Co., MO. Will gladly exchange additional data with anyone working on any of these lines, would especially like to correspond with any descendants.
NOTE: I have enjoyed our Arkansas Family Historian and I am sure it is helpful to many people!

McGEHEE — Urith M. Dillon, 224A Heritage Village, Southbury, CT 06488 - All my great grandfather James Leonidas McGEHEE'S several brothers and his sister, Elizabeth McGEHEE went to Proctor, Crittenden Co., Arkansas around 1850. Elizabeth McGEHEE married (?) OWEN. I remember seeing her when I was a child. McGEHEE, Arkansas is named for some relative of mine. Also my great Uncle John McGEHEE and his wife Virginia NICHOLS are buried in McGEHEE, Arkansas. My McGEHEE Family took up land grants in Arkansas. One of the brothers was G. G. McGEHEE and somehow I think his name was George Gideon McGEHEE. This family came to Arkansas from Montgomery Co., Tenn. (on the bank of the Cumberland River, west of Clarksville, Tenn.) They were the children of James. M. (sometimes called "Junior") McGEHEE and his wife Elizabeth, formerly of Anson County, North Carolina. Would like to correspond with anyone with any knowledge of these families.

WANDA McKINNEY ENJOYS THE ARKANSAS HISTORIAN!

FROM WANDA L. McKINNEY, P O Box 145, San Pedro, CA 90733.

FIRST...I think we have the best magazine in the world (ARKANSAS FAMILY HISTORIAN, and I wonder if we might not also have the largest membership!!!! I receive 21 publications from Genealogical & Historical societies & of the ones I receive, only Ansearchin' News (Tenn. Genealogical Society) comes close to listing as many members as (A.G.S.). I say our magazine because Arkansas is my home.

SECOND.. I was saddened to not that back issues of the Historian are running low (almost out! (E. Cia). I am so happy that I have all the back issues available (I ordered them long ago, when I became a member). I also have all the Ancestor Charts and the Family Group Chart Volumes to date, but I feel sorry for the ones who do not have them for, as you know they are jam packed with goodies!

EDITOR'S NOTE: I for one am happy they are not in a stack (buried in a stock pile...as they are of no value, when they are not being used!).

THIRD...(and last) I would like a favor...Can anyone let me know where a copy of the book "Genealogical History of the Langstons, Princes, Hopkins, Holtzclaws, Starnes, etc." by Zora L. Atkinson, published 1960...that they would be willing to sell me?

My ancestors are the McGREW family of Phillips County, AR, and several of them are woven into her family by marriage & buried at Rehoboth Cemetery. I do not know if McGrews are memtioned in her book or not, since I've never seen a copy.

I think all of the AGS Staff are doing a great job!

HULSEY — Joyce A. Rex, 1416 Alan Lane, Midwest City, OK 73130 - Would like to contact HULSEY researchers regarding the family of Elijah HULSEY, b. ca 1800/4 Georgia, and wife Savilla, b. ca 1810, GA. Savilla has been listed as a BOYD, tho no proof has been offered. Children of the above are Ache F. b, ca 1828 Ga. Adler "Ad", b. ca 1833/5 Ga.AR.; Mary A. (Arlena) b. ca 1836, Arkansas; Gincy, b. ca 1838; Peggy, b. ca 1840; Bruce, b. ca 1842; Armstead, b. ca 1844; Nancy, b. ca 1846; Mahala, b. ca 1848; Martha A., b. ca 1851; James W.; b. ca 1857. This family is listed in the following areas in census records: 1840 & 1850, Carroll Co., AR; 1860, Pope County, Arkansas, 1870, Van Buren Co., Ark., and 1880, Stone Co., Arkansas (descendants).

1860 Pope Co., AR Clark Township (London)

Dwelling 414			Dwelling 413		
HULSEY, Elijah (lab)	65	m GA	HULSEY, Adler (lab)	25	m Ark
Lavetta (Savilla)	47	f "	Louisa	30	f GA
Jane	21	f Ark	Manus, Robert	10	m "
B-- (Bruce)	18	m "	Eliza	5	f Ark
Armisted	16	m "	Hulsey, Rebecca	2	f "
Nancy	13	f "			
Mahala	12	f "	POPE CO.,AR Marriage Records		
Martha A.	9	f "	Show NO MARRIAGES for any one		
James W.	3	m "	named HULSEY between 1850 & 1870		

Elaine Cia, Editor

ROBERTS
THOMPSON
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LIVINGSTON
LIVINGSTONE
MILES
WILSON

Norma Aileen (Roberts) Duke,(Mrs. James P.) 418 N. E. 11th St. Grants Pass, OR 97526 - My father, John A. ROBERTS, b. 15 Dec. 1883, St. Joe, Searcy Co., AR, son of Riley ROBERTS (b. ? but was murdered 1904/5) and is buried at Marshall, Searcy Co.,AR His mother was Sarah Jane THOMPSON? also buried at Marshall. (birth & d. dates unknown). Children: Henry Clay ROBERTS, d. young; Billy, murdered 1904/5 at Marshall, AR; Charlie was run over by a train at Marshall, and buried at Marshall;James Alfred ROBERTS married Ida (?) and were parents of 3 boys & 1 girl (girl drowned) Ida lives at Okemiah, OK; John Alfred married Ollie Mae DEWEASE (my parents); Dora married Lee TREAT, lived at Prue, OK,(parents of 11 children); Martha m. Joe BURLESON, lived at Okemiah, OK (parents of 8 children); Etta m. Birch TILLEY, lived at Prue, OK (parents of 8 children).

My father John A. ROBERTS 1st married a Mrs. CLARK, they had a daughter, Annis, the mother took her to Indian Territory, so I have a half-sister somewhere.

My mother Ollie Mae DEWEASE ROBERTS, b. 1 April 1900, Leslie, Searcy Co., AR., daughter of Henry DEWEASE, was French and had a store, was also Baptist preached when the circuit rider didn't make it. (Weather, etc.)

Her mother was Fanny Theodosha (LIVINGSTON or LIVINGSTONE?) English. Henry DEWEASE died of pneumonia, when Ollie Mae was le, so should be 1914. Fanny Theodosha died 3 weeks later. After parents died Fanny Theodosha's mother had a Guardian appointed for the children, whose name was Wm. J. MILLS or MILES.

Henry DEWEASE and Fanny Theodosha DEWEASE were the parents of the following children: Ollie Mae DEWEASE married John A. ROBERTS (my parents;Maude married (?) WILSON, went to Gary, Ind.; Eva married J. T. WILSON, went to Houston, TX.

(Ollie Mae was in J. T. WILSON'S care after her parents died.)
Irene married (?) WILLIS, went to Atlanta, GA; Homer was murdered in 1920s.; Vernon (last known residence, was Sacramento, CA); Jennie (youngest, could still be alive).

My father was in the service, stationed at Schofield Barracks, Honolulu, T.H. My parents married while he was home on leave, 30 Aug. 1914, Marshall Searcy Co., AR. I was born in the Islands. After they came back to the states, he was stationed at Camp Kearney, near San Diego, CA (1918?).

Mother had the flu, wasn't able to care for the children, so my father let a family by the name of MILSAP adopt a sister of mine, so I have a sister somewhere. I have much research to learn. Any help anyone can suggest will be deeply appreciated (no matter how small).
NOTE: I now have my mother's marriage record, also the name of her Guardian.

I've never done any research for anyone except family or friends, but I will be willing to help anyone I can. I have read about people from Arkansas coming to Oregon in the early days. I will send anything helpful on to AFH. The following obituary is from our local newspaper "Grants Pass, OR. Daily Courier, Thursday Dec. 13, 1979"

Obituaries

GOLDMAN COOK

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Friday in Slawson's Chapel of the Valley for Goldman Cook, who died Wednesday in Josephine General Hospital.

The Rev. Clive Jared of The Church of God of Prophecy in Salem will officiate, and burial will be in Hawthorne Memorial Gardens.

Friends may call at Slawson's Funeral Home from 5 to 9 p.m. today.

Born Mar. 25, 1901, in Rosie, Ark., Cook was a retired construction worker, and came here three years ago from Grover City, Calif., with his wife Ida, who survives. They celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary Oct. 15.

Surviving in addition to his wife are three sons, Marshall G. Cook, Kennewick, Wash.; Emmett Ray Cook, San Francisco, Calif.; and Loren Wayne Cook, Hastings, Mich.; daughter Sue Deal, Grants Pass; 15 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

RICHMOND

Timothy R. Knott, 2510 "B" St., Lincoln, Nebraska 68502 - I am trying to locate the family of Francis P. RICHMOND, JR., they moved to St. Paul, Madison Co., AR in the late 1800s and were there in early 1900s.

I am also interested in the names: Mrs. F. P. MELVIN and Carolyn LONDAHL, descendants of Francis RICHMOND in St. Paul or Madison Co., AR. Obituaries of the above, contact with descendants, or any one who could help me with any Madison County Cemetery Records on these people. I will be glad to pay expenses, etc. Please help!

BRUCE
HIGGINS
LEWALLEN

Rebecca Fry Harris, 2714 Elm St., Bellingham, WA 98225 - Seeking inf. on Frank LEWALLEN and wife, Annie BRUCE. Her 2nd m. to Mr. HIGGINS. Also need inf. on their son, Wm. LEWALLEN, b. ca 1862 in AR.? died ca 1904 AR & is buried outside Russellville, Pope Co., Arkansas. Will appreciate any help & will share data with others working on these people.

ARKANSAS GEURINS....

Taken about 1928 in Little Rock, ARK this snapshot shows sisters Fanny Geurin DeBruler & Ella Geurin Cooke with neighbors & Bobbie Cooke and the little girl is said to be Rubye Cooke Stratman....any help on the identity of the others or connections?

CAN ANYONE PLESE HELP

IDENTIFY?

Help will be appreciated:
Write:
Charlotte Coultas Stupek
457-A Manzanita Avenue
Santa Cruz, CA 95062

(or if you are connected or know anyone who is related to anyone named Geurin - you might like to write Charlotte, she is publisher & Editor of the "GEURIN GAZETTE" Newsletter. This appeal was in the Jan. 1980 issue.

GALAWAY — Joe W. Galloway, 906 N.W. First St., Wagoner, OK 74467 - Need to locate the following families. Last confirmed location came from 1860 US Census, page 45 McClennan Co., TX.:286 Mary Galaway, 36, b. Ill. (no husband listed); John, 11, Ill;*Abner, 8, AR; Mary M. 5, AR; J.T. 4, AR. Dwelling 277 John Galaway, 42, Ill; Elizabeth, wife, 37, TN; Adam, 19, Ill; Sarah, 12, Ill.; David, 8, AR; Benjamin, 5, TX; Seth, 2, TX; Lucinda, 3/12 TX. These 2 families thus had Ill, AR, & TX connections, must have been migrating together. Could anyone help me find them on 1850 Census in AR? My big problem...this is my family linage, but I cannot find them before or afterward! GALLOWAY/GALAWAY is spelled different ways! I will truly be grateful if these two families could be located in Arkansas, andwould like to communicate with them!

Other Arkansas Ancestors are: CYPERT (or Sypert) Francis, Sr.; Francis Jr; Jesse; J.W.; William Perry; Wayne D.; Buena Vesta; & Joe W. Galloway. Much has been written on this linkage.

FOSHEE — Mrs. Ben F Mouser, (LaFrona Foshee Mouser) P. O. Box 378, Spade, TX 79369 - I would like any inf. on Joseph FOSHEE, b. 1804, Chatham Co., N. C. wife Nancy G., b. 1812 N.C.; son Edmund Alexander FOSHEE, b. 1832, N.C. In 1850 this family was in Clark Co., AR. Unable to find them for 1860. 1870, Joseph FOSHEE was in Montgomery Co., AR with wife, dau.-in-law & grandchildren. Son Edmund was killed in Civil War in GA., according to family history (but no records have been found on him). Edmund FOSHEE married Elizabeth Henderson, 31 Dec 1848, Clark Co., AR. Will appreciate any help and will gladly share additional data with others working on the FOSHEE line.

NOTE: This 1860 census record is needed to finish my supplement for D.A.R. on this FOSHEE Family, which has never been proved.

JOHNSON — James W. Johnson, 1304 Randolph, Traverse City, Mich 49684 - I am attempting to acquire basic genealogical inf. on my great great grandmother, Mary Johnson. She appears in 1850 Greene Co., AR Bradshaw Twp., Mary JOHNSON, 37 TN; Mary, 14, TN; Nancy, 11, Miss;*James, 8 MS; Frederick C. 6 MS. 1860 Green Co., AR Chalk Bluff, Twp. shows: Mary JOHNSON, 50 TN;*James, 18 MS; Phillip, 4 AR; Mary MEREDITH, 18 (housework) TN. Have been unable to find her in census before, although her son James appears in 1870, 1880 & 1900. Have located Miriam Bond JOHNSON his first wife in the 1850, Panola Co., Miss Census. Would appreciate any help, especially death place & date, marriage place etc., and will gladly exchange

EVANS DOUTHET — Rebecca Fry Harris, 2714 Elm S-., Bellingham, WA 98225 - Need names of parents of Albert Wm. EVANS, b. 3 April 1847, Ohio? died 6 Nov. 1913, AR. He married 26 Dec.1869, Newton Co., MO to Martha DOUTHET, she was born 1844 in N.C. and died 1913 in Little Rock, Pulaski Co., AR. They lived in Madison & Carroll Counties, Arkansas.

DOUTHET — Also need any inf. on Henry DOUTHET and wife Clarissa. Henry was born ca 1807, NC., & Clarissa, b. ca 1817, N.C. They lived in Newton Co., MO. Children: Delilah, b. ca 1839, NC; Harrison, b. ca 1842, NC; & Martha, b. 5 Aug. 1844, NC.

JONES LOSEN — Also need names of parents of Jacob "Jake" JONES, b. ca 1845 AR., and names of parents of his wife Mary JONES, b. ca 1854, AR. Mary's 2nd m. was to a Mr. LOSEN. Need any other data on any of these people also. They lived in Yell Co., Arkansas.

LITTLE / NORRIS REUNION 1979 & AGAIN 1980

The LITTLE/NORRIS REUNION was held at Okemah Lake near Okemah, OK from May 25 through May 28, 1979. Would you believe some came as early as May 20th & stayed until May 29th. Many fish were brought into camp mostly by children. This was the best reunion I have attended. We camped close together and had a lot of fun getting better acquainted with the (175) who attended. The gasoline problem didn't hurt us much. We had people from Okla., Arkansas, Missouri, Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, California, and Oregon.

The campfire burned throughout the entire reunion. Thursday night it roasted our marshmellows, Friday night it roasted our weiners, and Saturday night it helped to light our talk, laughter and songs not to mention a cigar or two.

Saturday morning we loaded a train of cars and pickups and visited the local cemeteries where the LILLLES and other relatives and friends are buried. We went to the Cemetery where James "Jim" LITTLE was buried in 1934. The writer, who was only six at the time, along with others who attended the funeral, failed to identify the unmarked grave. Some trees have died and some have grown in the cemetery. If any of you know which grave is Uncle Jim's, please let us know so we can mark it.

Saturday evening we had a hamburger fry and made and ate sixteen freezer loads of ice cream. With out tummys nice and plump, we leaned back in those chairs circled around the old campfire to listen to Dean McVay pick and sing. Dean is from Oregon, his wife is a descendant of Nicholas C. (or Uncle Bose) LITTLE. Dean pulled talent from everyone, one sang, two sang, we all sang. VINA LITTLE got the biggest laughter and cheers from the crowd with her solo "THE BALLAD OF THE OLD MAID". Dean took a copy of the Ballad back to Oregon with him.

Sunday noon we had a pot luck dinner; what a feast: Cameras were clicking everywhere. Sunday evening and Monday morning were a little "Sobby" with all the Goodbyes until the next reunion in 1980.

June 12 through 15th 1980 we will meet on Doyle LITTLE'S FARM, 1/2 mile east of Kingston, Madison Co., Arkansas. Every road leading out of Kingston is now paved. Come early and stay late if you like. Buffalo river, scenic, good swimming with LOST VALLEY STATE PARK for good hiking is only 10 miles away. Kings River, 1 1/2 miles away, Dogpatch USA 47 miles away, Diamond Cave 30 miles away, Eureka Springs, Ark., 30 miles away, Beaver Lake about 35 miles away, Branson, Missouri, a music town, and Silver Dollar City not far away.

We hope to have electricity available for campers. There is now a public telephone in Kingston. Dean plans to be here to play for us. Make your plans early, bring your ole Banjo, songbook, and rocking chair. Bring your Grandmothers, cousins, friends, and old pictures.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS CONCERNING OUR 1980 REUNION CONTACT:
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TERRY BENNETT

Robert Mike Terry, 1432 E. Maple, Enid, OK 73701 - Since my 1st communication I have received more inf. on my ancestors as follows: 1850 census does not list any of the following TERRYS. However the 1860 census of Arkansas does: Ellen Terry, 49, b. SC, P.O. New London, Union AR; Green TERRY, 21, b. GA;Martha TERRY, 20, b. GA; George TERRY, 19, b. GA; John TERRY, 16, b. GA; Sarah TERRY. H.M. TERRY, 28, b. GA, 1 Mar 1832 to 2 Jan 1919 married Dec. 1855 to Mary BENNETT, age 22, b. Ala., 3 June 1838 to 25 Oct. 1875; Berry TERRY, 4, b. AR 13 Sept 1856 to 1 July 1874.

H. M. TERRY was my great great grandfather who fought with the 9th Arkansas volunteers (C.S.A.) Co. "G" from Bradley County.

The children of Ellen TERRY are my great great grandfather's brothers & sisters. But who was Ellen TERRY'S husband and where are she and her husband buried? Ellen TERRY does not appear in 1870 or 1880 Arkansas census.

H.M. TERRY was still living in New London area in 1870, however, Green TERRY and George TERRY are shown living in Prescott, Nevada Co., AR (city) in 1880. Would like to correspond with anyone with connections with any of the above people.

In 1914 George W. TERRY was living in Milam Co., TX and signed an affadvit for H. M. TERRY'S Confederate Pension from the state of Texas. H. M. (Hugh McClure) TERRY died 2 Jan. 1919 at Blossom, Lamar Co., TX.

My great great grandfather, son of H. M. TERRY was born 13 August 1866 at Pigeon Hill, Union Co., AR. His name was George William TERRY also. He kept a diary and many birth, death, & marriage dates are recorded for the STEEL Family of Lamar Co., TX. It begins before 1900 and ends about 1944.

Also need to know where TERRY'S above may have originated from in Georgia? Hugh McClure TERRY moved to TEXAS in 1873 and appears in the 1880 Texas census, precinct #1 (Milton), Lamar County.

CAMPBELL HOWARD — Margaret Shearer, 335 South Flower, Brea, CA 92621 - Need help with my Campbell line. James CAMPBELL, b. 1786 TN died 1850 Searcy Co., AR., married to Lucy HOWARD, 1804, Grainger Co.,TN Moved from McNairy Co., TN in 1836 to Searcy Co., AR. Children: John married Ann BLASSINGAME; Elizabeth married Granville HODGES; Alexander married to Camelia WOLF; James married Clarissa BLASSINGAME; Zachariah married to Sarah BULL; David Harris married Sarah TURNEY; Jane married Samuel MARTIN; Emily married John BRADSHAW; George Washington married Milbra MARTIN; Camila married Nathaniel SUTTERFIELD; and Sarah married Andrew BLASSENGAME. Will appreciate any help and will gladly share additional data with others working on these lines.

BRADSHAW CAMPBELL — Need help with my BRADSHAW line. John BRADSHAW, b. 1817, TN died 1864 Searcy Co., AR, married Emily CAMPBELL 1842. Children were: Sarah; James; John W.; Jane; Elizabeth; Martha; Mary Ellen STEPP; and Frances. Were Henry BRADSHAW, age 85 and Sarah, age 81 listed in 1850, Searcy Co., Arkansas census, the parents of John BRADSHAW? in 1860 Census...Wylies Cove, Searcy Co., AR, Henry and Sarah BRADSHAW are listed in the same dwelling with the KING HATCHETT Family and the B. M. JACKSON Family. What relation existed here? Will answer all correspondence on this family.

MITCHELL — Mary Helen Waldridge, Rt 5, Trenton, MO 64683 - I would like to contact anyone with knowledge of (Eliza) Elijah MITCHELL & Mary Jane Dicke-son MITCHELL, both of whom were born in Tenn. around 1831/2 and moved to Franklin Co., Arkansas (Limestone Township). Would especially like to know the date of marriage, date of death, also names of children & place of death, just a tiny bit of inf. will be appreciated.

HARRISON — Kent Harrison, Rt 12 Box 396, Oklahoma City, OK 73115 - Malachi B. HARRISON, b. 9 Dec. 1805, Sumner Co., TN., died 13 Jan 1888 Franklin Co., AR. I am attempting to learn the identity of his parents who were originally from S.Carolina. His was buried at Vista, Franklin Co., AR along with Malachi B. HARRISON, Jr., who was an early day lawman in Ft. Smith, Sebastain Co., AR.

I am also interested in the marriage record of George W. HARRISON, b. Nov. 1848, Benton Co., Tn., and married to Nancy (maiden name unknown) in Franklin Co., AR.; 1874/5.

Also need inf. concerning Francis (Frank) B. HARRISON, b. July 1876, in Franklin Co., AR, and who is reported to have served as a U.S. Marshall out of Ft. Smith in the late 1800s and early 1900s.

CAUGHRON — Ernie Horton, 16660 Rachet Ct., Oregon City, OR 97045 - Seeking any inf. on James C. CAUGHRON, b. 30 April 1846 in Ala. Served in Company D 2nd Cherokee Reg. Arkansas Confederate, during Civil War.

Married 1st to Eliza J. GRAMMER, 1868. 2nd marriage to Aby Alda Zera WILLIAMS, 1888 in Benton Co., AR. Would like any inf. on James C. CAUGHRONS past and present relatives. Related surnames: McCOY; HOLT; AMES; BROWERS;& GRAMMER.

YATES — Also any inf. on John G. YATES, b. ca 1826 TN., married to Claronia DURNELL or DONALD, b. ca 1829 in Kent. They lived in Conway Co., AR in 1850-1860s. What was her maiden name? Who were their parents? where were they from? Did they have only these three children? Anderson D (or P.) b. 1851, AR; James M. b. 1857, AR; & Amanda M., b. 8 Mar. 1858, and married Will SWAFFAR. Two other children have been named but never found (Earnest and Alfred). Any information on any of these people will be welome!

NOTE: "Thank you for the Arkansas Family Historian publication". E. Horton

RHEA WOLF/ WOLFE — Marie K. Olson, 35 Chadwick Dr., Charleston, SC 29407 - I am seeking inf. on a daughter of Andrew M. RHEA, b. about 1875, Washington Co., AR. She married a man named WOLF or WOLFE before 1900, and they lived in northeast Oklahoma. Any inf. will be appreciated and I will gladly share with others researching this line.

NABORS — Steven Maxwell, 39-61 50th St., Woodside, N.Y. 11377 - My great grandmother, Florence NABORS was born in New Edinburg, Cleveland Co., AR 31 March 1861, daughter of Allen Nabors & Julia Ann BROWN. They were both born in Mississippi (all this information came from a copy of her death certificate, which I obtained. Florence's husband was born in England. They had 9 children, all of them were born in Texas. I believe the 1st child was born in 1877 in Palestine, TX. Children were: Arthur; John; Fannie; Walter; Julia, Archie; Fred, James, & Edwin. Any inf. will be appreciated, and I will gladly share with others working on these people.

BRANNUM
HENSON
TEROR/ TIRANT

Mrs. Mary J. Carter, 5701 East Glenn No. 62, Tucson, AZ 85712 - Michael BRANNUM, b. ca. 1770 S.C. came into New Madrid Co., MO ca 1795, where early census records indicate he married Angeline TEROR (or some publishers spell it TIRANT) and had several children. At the same time of the earthquakes in 1811-12 they lived in the area of what is now Caruthersville, MO. History of Southeast Missouri relates that Michael and family left immediately - "he being on foot and leading the horse with his wife on it" to safety. Evidently they settled in what is now Dunklin Co., MO on the MO-ARK state line. They settled down there in a settlement named BRANNUM, and Michael remained there until his death sometime between 1860 & 1870. His 1st wife Angeline TEROR, preceded him in death ca 1840 and is believed to have been buried in the old Catholic Cemetery in Caruthersville. (This cemetery is no longer there). One of their daughters, Julia Ann BRANNUM married James Hadley HENSON ca 1858 and had two children: Mary Jane, b. 13 Dec. 1858 and Annabel, b. 1859. He was born 31 Aug. 1828 in Illinois and that is all the definite inf. I have found. Mary Jane married John Riley MEREDITH and they are my maternal grandparents. Her sister married Eson HOLT and had two sons named George and Fred, but I don't have any inf. at all about what happened to them. Mary Jane HENSON MEREDITH died in Dunklin Co., MO in 1918; her husband John Riley MEREDITH died there in 1916. I will sincerely appreciate any information.

EDMONSON
DROPE
MEREDITH
WILLIFORD

The 1850 Greene Co., Arkansas Census listed William MEREDITH, 31, b. TN; wife Nancy, 26, b. TN and three children: Mary, 6; Samuel, 4, and John, 1, all born in AR. I knew from listening to family stories that Nancy was an EDMONDSON before she married William, and that the baby John was really John Riley MEREDITH who later moved into Dunklin Co., MO and married Mary Jane HENSON as they are my maternal grandparents. In the same census record there were several MEREDITH and EDMONSON families whom I presumed to be relatives of William and Nancy. Early tax records indicated some EDMONSONS and MEREDITHS had come to Northeast Arkansas about 1837. The census listed a James EDMONSON and wife Mary and several Drope children as well as EDMONSON children. James EDMONSON and wife Martha were supposed to have been my great great grandparents, and the early tax records listed a George DROPE in that part of Arkansas in 1840. Matilda probly died ca 1840 and so did George DROPE as the 1850 census shows James and Mary DROPE married. David MEREDITH and wife Malinda are also listed in the same census, with two daughters, Julia and Carolina. I had cousins named both names of these girls so that family is presumed to be my great great grandparents, the parents of William MEREDITH. Later in 1870 census of Greene Co., AR I found Julia had married a Charles EDMONSON from KY, and from family stories I remembered that Aunt Caroline never married but lived with Aunt Julia and was a school teacher there in Arkansas.

There were also WILLIFORDS listed in early census records who were supposed to be close relatives, and all these families intermarried frequently. Some of them also moved into Dunklin Co., MO with the Edmonsons and Merediths. Will appreciate any help anyone can offer, and will gladly share data with others working on these lines.

TITSWORTH

Marian M. Dingman, #12 New Dawn Circle, Chico, CA 95926 - My 3rd greatfrandfather, John TITSWORTH, b. approx. 1790, died 1872, Washington Co., AR. I was given a copy from an Ark. Paper about a book "Century Old Digest of State Laws" dated 1837 and given to Ark. Polytech to be placed in the college museum or library. It states this book belonged to a Col. John Titsworth of McLeans Bottom, Ark.

I believe this Col. John TITSWORTH could be the same man I have traced to my 3rd greatgrandfather. Also the book "Pioneers and Makers of Ark." by Joshia H. Shinn. In Chapter XXIX page 237 they write about a plantation owner in Logan Co., AR who owned between 100-200 slaves, the year was 1830. No 1st name was given, just the name TITSWORTH. I know the author of the above mentioned book must have had some source for his information, but do not know where to go from here. Can anyone please help!

EDITOR'S NOTE: Logan Co., AR was not formed until 22 March 1871, and was named for James Logan. There was a John TITSWORTH listed in Crawford County, Arkansas, as head of household in 1830 and Logan Co. was formed from Crawford Co., (also Washington Co. is adjoining Washington Co., AR

ALWAYS INCLUDE A SELF ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE...WHEN YOU HOPE FOR AN ANSWER TO ANY GENEALOGICAL QUESTION... A LEGAL SIZE ENVELOPE IS ALSO SUGGESTED!!!!!!