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### FRIENDS OF GENEALOGY, INC.

The purpose of FRIENDS OF GENEALOGY, INC. is to foster an interest in and to promote and encourage the development of genealogy. Our objectives are:

- 1. To share and assist any individual or organization with a common interest in genealogy and history.
- 2. To promote and encourage the preservation of genealogical and historical materials.
- 3. To teach the principles of correct documentation.

Membership is open to all individuals and organizations interested in accepting our purpose and objectives. Annual membership dues are:

Individual \$15.00 Family \$20.00 Sustaining \$25.00 Life Memberships: Individual \$125.00 Family \$175.00

Our monthly meetings are normally held the first Saturday of each month at 1:00 p.m. in the Eaves Room at Shreve Memorial Library, 424 Texas Avenue, Shreveport, Louisiana. Program topics and other meeting information are published in local newspapers. Following many of our meetings, we have informal round-table discussions for the purpose of assisting individuals with their research.

Our quarterly publication, <u>THE JOURNAL</u>, welcomes unpublished material pertaining to genealogy and history, particularly in North Louisiana. Other information includes pedigree charts, family group sheets, and reviews of books, publications, and other genealogical material donated to our organization. Queries are free of charge; they will be edited and published as space is available. Friends of Genealogy, Inc. is not responsible for the accuracy of contributed material.

We welcome exchanges of quarterlies and other publications. We also accept donations of books, publications, and other genealogical material for review in our quarterly. All materials are deposited in the Genealogy Department of Shreve Memorial Library in Shreveport, Louisiana.

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There have been some changes in *THE JOURNAL* over the last several issues; we hope you like them. This quarter we have added *Bits & Bytes*, a column dealing with some of the latest "goings-on" in the computer world. Miss Ima G\* Bugg is always ready to help, so send her your questions and helpful hints. And, don't forget those queries; you'll never know if you don't ask. Many of you have indicated on your membership forms that you have pedigree charts, family stories, and other information that can be used in *THE JOURNAL*. Please contact me about what you have so we can figure out the best way to prepare it for publication. Our quarterly tells the world who we are and what we are about, so let's all get involved!

## THE PRESIDENT'S PAGE

Dear Friends,

Thank you to everyone that attended and worked to make the Seminar and Book Fair a success. Desmond Walls Allen gave the most informative workshop on Genealogical Writing. Learning is always fun and enlightening when Desmond is the presenter. Γm finally ready to retire my shoe box system (or lack of system) for research reports on each ancestor. Never pass up an opportunity to hear Desmond on any topic. The next chance in our area will be August 9th when she will be the speaker for Ark-La-Tex Genealogical Society. We have included a brochure to make it easier for you to register.

Due to so many Family Reunions planned for the fourth of July weekend we have canceled the July 5th meeting. I hope you will be able to visit with your families and further your research. LaJuana Goldsby will be speaking on beginning Genealogy at our August meeting, make plans to bring a friend interested in getting started right. In September Jane Newberry will speak on Greenwood Cemetery.

I am the GenWeb Hostess for Franklin Parish Louisiana Genealogy the page can be viewed at http://www.prysm.net/~lhduffy/ if you would like to contribute to this project please contact me. If you have a query please include your address(snail-mail) if you are not on the internet. We will be including more information about the GenWeb and other research on the internet in future Journal's

Thank you for being a Friend of Genealogy.

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Your Friend,

Laura Hair Duffy

## Ark-La-Tex Genealogical Association, Inc.

#### ANNUAL GENEALOGICAL SEMINAR & BOOKFAIR

**AUGUST 9, 1997** 

## **Desmond Walls Allen**

on

## Arkansas Research

Mrs. Desmond Walls Allen is owner of Arkansas Research, a publishing company; past president, life member and member of the board of directors of Arkansas Genealogical Society. She is editor of the Arkansas Historical and Genealogical Magazine, weekly genealogy columnist for The Shreveport Times; Member of Arkansas Historical Association and National Genealogical Society; co-founder and secretary-treasurer of Professional Genealogists of Arkansas and an author/compiler of 163 books and many articles about Arkansas historical materials.

Various vendors will have genealogical books and materials available. Interested vendors may write or call Victor Rose before July 1, 1997. A full lunch can be ordered on registration. Registration begins at 8:00 a.m. and the Program is 9:00 a.m to 3:30 p.m. Location the Ramada Inn Shreveport - 5116 Monkhouse Dr.-Shreveport, LA. 71109

Seating is limited so early registration is recommended. If you have any questions or need directions, call Ethel Krause at (318) 746-3125 and vendors call Victor Rose at (318) 687-3673.

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### MARK YOUR CALENDAR



Programs tentatively scheduled for 1997 by Friends of Genealogy, Inc.:

June 7, 1997 - History of the Caddo-Adai Indians -- Chief Rufus Davis

July 5, 1997 - No Meeting Scheduled - (The Shreve Memorial Library will be open)

August 2, 1997 - Introduction to Genealogy -- Member LaJuana Butler Goldsby

September 6, 1997 - Greenwood Cemetery, Shreveport, LA -- Member Jane Leslie Newberry

October 4, 1997 - Computers & Genealogy -- Member Reed Mathews

November 1, 1997 - Handwriting Analysis -- Miriam Ewing

December 6, 1997 - Annual Christmas Luncheon

Unless otherwise noted, all meetings are held at 1:00 p.m. in the Eaves Room, Shreve Memorial Library, on the first Saturday of each month. However, times, locations, and topics are subject to change. Check local newspapers prior to each meeting, or call Elsie Jones at 318-459-3565 (work) or 318-742-3471 (home) or Laura Duffy 318-424-7648 for up-to-date program information.

Monthly Board Meetings are generally held the Monday evening prior to the regular Saturday meeting. Our Board Meetings are open and all members are encouraged to attend at least one meeting during the year. Remember, this is your organization; please present your thoughts and ideas. Contact any Board Member for the time and location of any meeting you wish to attend.

The Caddo Adai Indian Tribe of Louisiana 7th Annual Indian Pow Wow will be held July 5, 1997 at the Saint Anne's Church Hall in the Caddo Adai Indian Community, north of Robeline, LA. For more information, call the Tribal Office at 318-472-8680.

The Annual RHODES-JOHNSON Family Reunion will be held July 18-20, 1997, at Lake Bistineau State Park #1. Descendants of the Rhodes and Johnson families settling in Northwest Louisiana are invited to attend. Contact the Reunion Committee at 1665 Hwy 792, Heflin, LA 71039.

The Ark-La-Tex Genealogical Association, Inc. will hold its 1997 Seminar and Book Fair on August 9, 1997 at the Ramada Inn, Airport in Shreveport, LA. Desmond Walls Allen will present the program, "Arkansas Research." Registration form is on page 53.

The Federation of Genealogical Societies & The Dallas Genealogical Society will present "Unlock Your Heritage; A Conference for the Nation's Genealogists" on September 3-6, 1997, in Dallas, Texas. Write to P. O. Box 830220, Richardson, TX 75083-0220.

The Gregg County (TX) Genealogy Society has announced its Fall Seminar to be held September 27, 1997 at the St. Andrews Presbyterian Church in Longview, TX. Richard L. Hooverson will speak on "Lowlands to Uplands" (a saga of the Scots-Irish) and "Fractured Laws of Genealogy." Contact the Society at P. O. Box 2985, Longview, TX 75606-2985.

## RESEARCHING AT THE ALLEN COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

The genealogy collection of the Allen County Public Library, fondly known to genealogists as "Ft. Wayne," is one of the most extensive in the world.

Since the library is "closed shelf," the most important areas are the three catalogues:

- 1. The main card catalogue, which indexes every book by subject, title, and author
- 2. The Microtext Catalogue, which indexes the microfilm and fiche
- 3. PERSI, which indexes all periodicals

Check through the catalogues, fill in the little call slips that are found near all of the catalogues, and place them in an orange plastic tray in the main catalogue room. Call numbers will be found in the upper left hand corner of the cards.

The reference librarians welcome questions and are more than willing to help with problems. Do notify them if a requested book takes longer than a half hour to arrive.

A bank of computers offer the Social Security Death Index, a phone disk for the United States, General Land Office records, and the Automated Archives series plus the Family History Library catalogue and the Family File.

Several months ago, ACPL became the Family History Center for their area, thus making available all the microfilmed resources at Salt Lake City. The rules are the same as elsewhere: look up the number in the FHL catalogue (on computer or on fiche), place the order, return when it comes in to read it. Patrons may read any FHL film that is currently in the library.

Patrons are invited to bring their own laptop computers, scanners, or anything that will help them in their research. Each table has a set of electric plugs.

The hours of ACPL are: Monday-Thursday, 9 to 9: Friday and Saturday 9 to 6; Sunday 1 to 6. Their catalogue may be accessed by modem:

http://www.acpl.lib.in.us/

Please note, however, that only about 80% of the genealogy collection is in the computer catalogue.

The library, located at 900 Webster Street, may be contacted at: (219) 424-7241, ext. 3315.

By: Carol Collins, South Bend Indiana

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## ASK

#### Miss Ima G\* Bugg





Miss Ima G\* Bugg, our own unique, lighthearted research associate, has agreed to try to answer our questions and give us some research clues. If you are confused and in need of help, drop her a line. If she can't help you, maybe some of our readers can. Send your questions/comments to: Miss Ima G\* Bugg, Friends of Genealogy, Inc., P. O. Box 17835, Shreveport, LA 71138-0835.

Dear Ima G\* Bugg: I'm a great fan of Desmond Walls Allen and I hear she's returning to Shreveport later this year. Can you give me the details?

Dear Fan: Yes! She's coming back August 9, 1997, to present "Arkansas Research," sponsored by the Ark-La-Tex Genealogical Society, Inc. Her topics include Research in Arkansas, Creative Problem Solving, and Map Resources for Genealogists. There's a registration form on page 53; if it's missing, just write to me in care of *THE JOURNAL* and I'll send you one. Also, you can call Mrs. Ethel Krause at (318) 746-3125 for further information.



Dear Ima G\*: This computer age has left me in the dark ages! Now, it seems everyone is talking about the World Wide Web. Got any hints about how I can get "in the know?"

Dear Dark Ages: Welcome to the computer age. Most of us are a little backward when it comes to understanding computers, and the internet seems totally out of our grasp. But, there's help on the way. We've started a new column this quarter, *Bits & Bytes*. Look for it on page 80.



Dear Ima G\* Bugg: I've been told that the regional archives branches of the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) may be closing soon. What now?

Dear Researcher: Calm down. According to John W. Carlin, Archivist of the United States, this is <u>absolutely not true!</u> NARA is in the midst of making many changes in the way it operates; under consideration is the possible consolidation or relocation of some of our regional archives. However, the microfilm collections heavily used by genealogists are to remain accessible in the locations where the records are now.



Dear Miss Bugg: Other than John Quincy Adams, I can't think of anyone having a middle name prior to the Revolutionary War. What caused this sudden popularity of middle names?

Dear Middle: English common law forbade commoners to have middle names. As we were under English common law until the Revolution, it was unusual for persons of British Isles origins in America to have middle names. However, the Germans brought a double or triple given-name custom with them as part of their cultural tradition from Europe. John Quincy Adams (born 1767) was the sixth President of the US and son of the second President. This shows where his parents stood on the matter of English rule; giving him a middle name was a small act of rebellion. (Ida Skarson McCormick, KYROOTS@LSV.UKY.EDU)



Dear Miss Ima G\*: Many genealogical charts have a separate line for the death date and location and the burial date and location. Seems like a lot of double work to me.

Dear Double Worked: Not really, if you think about it. Many times, people went to live with relatives in another area and, upon their deaths, were returned to their home towns for burial. You need the place of death to obtain the death certificate, which usually will provide funeral home and burial information. The place of burial will help you locate many more records relating to their lives and also help you locate possible descendants.



Dear Miss Bugg: Several of my ancestors were born in Virginia, but I cannot seem to find any information about them. Can you help?

Dear Virginia: Perhaps. Any person born in Virginia as early as 1728 or as late as 1863 could indicate that this person was really born in another of today's states. Each of the states listed below were a part of Virginia until their own statehood was declared: (Good Luck)

Illinois, from 1781 until 1818 Kentucky, from 1775 until 1792 North Carolina, from 1728 until 1779 Pennsylvania, from 1752 until 1786 West Virginia, from 1769 until 1816 Indiana, from 1786 until 1816 Maryland, from 1775 until 1792 Ohio, from 1778 until 1803 Tennessee, from 1760 until 1763



Dear Miss Bugg: What were the "Juries of Matrons"?

Dear Matron: The first female jurors used in this country were the "Juries of Matrons" used in witchcraft proceedings to inspect the alleged witch's body for suspicious signs or marks. (East Ascension Genealogical & Historical Society Newsletter, Feb, 1996)



I've made out a list of things to do - but I can't get the things to do done until I get the things that I have to be done done!

#### **DESOTO PARISH MARRIAGE LICENSES 1887-1896**

Marriage Licenses Issued by W. R. Sutherlin, Clerk of Court (Continued from Volume VIII, No. 4)

Date 2 Jan 1892 4 Jan 1892 4 Jan 1892 5 Jan 1892 6 Jan 1892 6 Jan 1892 7 Jan 1892 7 Jan 1892 7 Jan 1892 11 Jan 1892 14 Jan 1892 14 Jan 1892	Groom WASHINGTON, Vizel ALFRED, Oscar PRUDHOMME, Henry CHIRINE, Freeman WHITE, Edgar MOUND, Simon SIMMS, Ben WILLIAMS, Moses HENDERSON, Jno CASE, L K PORTER, Wm J. LANDON, Coesor	Bride TAYLOR, Emma ALEXANDER, Mollie WILLIAMS, Ellen COX, Eliza TAYLOR, Sallie LANE, Liza J. SCROGGINS, Dinah BRISTER, Nancy McBRYDE, Malissa PATRICK, Annie HORN, Lizzie ALLEN, Lizzie
15 Jan 1892 16 Jan 1892 16 Jan 1892 16 Jan 1892 19 Jan 1892 22 Jan 1892 26 Jan 1892 27 Jan 1892 28 Jan 1892	WRIGHT, Simon HEWITT, A. M. SALTER, Westly WHITE, Willie DuBOSE, Add, Jr. WALTHEN, William M. TABBS, Abram JEFFERSON, Linus (?) JOHNSON, William WILSON, S	LEWIS, Lizzie PITTS, Annie MOSELEY, Mattie BELL, Kesiah THOMPSON, Corrie OXLEY, Mamie BUGG, Sarah CATO, Annie PEGUES, Bettie GORDON, Jane
1 Feb 1892 1 Feb 1892 3 Feb 1892 3 Feb 1892 4 Feb 1892 6 Feb 1892 10 Feb 1892 10 Feb 1892 11 Feb 1892 13 Feb 1892 13 Feb 1892 16 Feb 1892 16 Feb 1892 17 Feb 1892 24 Feb 1892 25 Feb 1892	NASH, Jno R. PHILLIPS, Walter G. OLIVER, Dennis IVEY, Dee JACKSON, Alex, Jr. ALEXANDER, Anthony, Jr. JOHNSON, Isaac CLINTON, John JACKSON, Frank TRACY, Lewis ANDERSON, Quick WALTON, Alick ROGERS, Wm, II COOPER, Jas SHAW, Tom HOLMES, Hardy KING, Wm.	CLARK, Sallie WALKER, Effie C. GAUNT, Liza Ann CARR, Martha Ann WILLIAMS, Rilla A. TAYLOR, Dailiar SNOWDEN, Caroline BAILOR, Elizabeth MOSS, Carrie STILL, Lurina WALTON, Kittie SIMS, Mary Ann MAGNUS, Alpha ROE, Cylla CRUMP, Lillie YOUNG, Missouri (?) GREEN, Lucy

Date	Groom	Bride
27 Feb 1892	ALEXANDER, Peter	FLOURNOY, Anna
27 Feb 1892	AUSTIN, Wilson	THOMAS, Martha
5 Mar 1892	WILSON, Jno	ALLEN, Violet
5 Mar 1892	HOPKINS, Wilton	DAVIS, Lula
7 Mar 1892	FLORES, Meroc (?)	SLAWSON, Rosalia
8 Mar 1892	BURTON, Tom	SAMUELS, Elonoro
10 Mar 1892	MITCHELL, Henry	WILLIAMS, Mattie
11 Mar 1892	WOODS, Mose	MURRAY, Harriett
12 Mar 1892	KENNEY, Lee	MOORE, Ella
14 Mar 1892	WASHINGTON, George	GREEN, Texanna
16 Mar 1892	FILLYAW, Jackson	LEWIS, Lula
17 Mar 1892	MUSTIFER, Willie	BONEY, Leona
22 Mar 1892	JACKSON, Haywood	THOMAS, Della
23 Mar 1892	LAVIGNE, M. E.	FORTSON, Ada
23 Mar 1892	BUTLER, Geo.	RICE, Susan
26 Mar 1892	ALLEN, Sam.	TURNER, Eliza
1 Apr 1892	BLOW, Columbus	DAVIS, Julia
8 Apr 1892	McMILLEN, Matthew	WALTON, Willie
9 Apr 1892	ELLSWORTH, Jno C.	GREENING, Willie
13 Apr 1892	HALL, Willie	SKIPPER, Anna
13 Apr 1892	SMITH, William	JACKSON, Martha
14 Apr 1892	HILL, Ellent	WASHINGTON, Louis
15 Apr 1892	LEE, J. Y.	LAFFITTE, Mrs. C.
16 Apr 1892	GORDON, Albert T.	RENCHER, Ellen
16 Apr 1892	KIMBLE, Wm	DRAIN, Malissa
18 Apr 1892	DAVIS, Henry	PRATT, Julia
20 Apr 1892	SIMS, Henry	SULLIVAN, Mollie
22 Apr 1892	WHITE, Terrell	FORD, Henrietta
30 Apr 1892	CALDWELL, Hardy	MAHONEY, Corinne
5 May 1902	VAULLIANC Dobt LI	JONES, Sallie
5 May 1892	WILLIAMS, Robt H.	GAUNT, Martha
7 May 1892 9 May 1892	BIRD, Doug PIERSON, Jas L	WINDHAM, Alice A.
11 May 1892	•	MARYE, Lena
13 May 1892	HUNGERFORD, Wm C ROBBINS, Jno	JORDAN, J
18 May 1892	RHODES, Willie	LINDSAY, Eliza
18 May 1892	WALMSLEY, A. B.	STEWART, Susie
19 May 1892	FUSILIER, Peyton, Jr.	EDWARDS, Susan
26 May 1892	SIMMS, Frank	POE, Phronie
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1 Aug 1892 3 Aug 1892 6 Aug 1892 16 Aug 1892 18 Aug 1892 22 Aug 1892 24 Aug 1892 25 Aug 1892 26 Aug 1892 27 Aug 1892 29 Aug 1892 31 Aug 1892	WHITE, Jno JOHNSON, James YARBROUGH, Henry SPENCER, M BEARD, George R. PHELPS, John PERRY, Wm TURNER, Elidah ROBERTSON, Rochell POE, E. V. EDWARDS, Wilson WALMSLEY, Henry	HOUSTON, Mary LANE, Harriet POWELL, Annie MILES, Mandy PORIER (?), Sudie PIPKENS, Jane EDWARDS, Lucy SAMUEL, Julia BLUMER, Anna COOPER, Dora JACKSON, Lucy CLARK, Ellen
1 Sep 1892 1 Sep 1892 1 Sep 1892 2 Sep 1892 2 Sep 1892 5 Sep 1892 5 Sep 1892 6 Sep 1892 7 Sep 1892	PLATER, Richard DeWITT, Wm M. EDWARDS, Stephen THOMAS, Parker SAMUELS, Will WOODS, Frank JOHNSON, Manuel SCOTT, James E. GAUNT, Wm	GRANT, Cora Ann SKINNER, Mrs. Virgini TAYLOR, Jennie BOYKEN, Jane ALLEN, Frances WILLIAMS, Lethe EVANS, Betsy HOWELL, Ama MORGAN, Milissa

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1 Oct 1892 6 Oct 1892 6 Oct 1892 7 Oct 1892 8 Oct 1892 12 Oct 1892 18 Oct 1892 24 Oct 1892 24 Oct 1892 24 Oct 1892 26 Oct 1892 26 Oct 1892 29 Oct 1892	HOWELL, F. P. JACKSON, Jno GUY, S. A. MORGAN, Travis FORD, Wm ROACH, Allen R. ENGLISH, Edward CRAWFORD, James JONES, William THIGPEN, W. S. SALTER, Anderson BENNEFIELD, Julius JOHNS, Jno B	WHEELER, Mary WILSON, Mary Ann WAKERMAN, S. P. PERRY, Frances WILLIAMS, Lizzie MEANS, Mary SMITH, Martha LASSITER, Caroline HILL, Lizzie HAYNES, Mary L. IVEY, Bettie PENNA (?), Susanah ROGERS, Annie L.
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Date	Groom	Bride
1 Dec 1892	HARRISON, Symon	JACKSON, Alice
1 Dec 1892	BOWDERY, James	CLARK, Rosa
1 Dec 1892	WILLIAMS, Jake	HARDY, Mary
6 Dec 1892	HALL, Willie	CATRON, Mattie
6 Dec 1892	SMITH, T. F.	BOWDEN, Fannie P.
8 Dec 1892	MENEFEE, Jno	HALL, Mahala
10 Dec 1892	BROWN, Wm	HAGAN, Leonah
12 Dec 1892	SANDIFORD, Benj	BARRON, Mary
12 Dec 1892	ADAMS, Willie	HUDSON, Sarah
12 Dec 1892	STEPHENSON, Silvester	LEWIS, Mary
14 Dec 1892	CALDWELL, Andrew J.	BLUNT, Cornelia J.
14 Dec 1892	BARFIELD, Ernest W.	BRENCKER, Frankie
14 Dec 1892	ALEXANDER, Anthony	CARTER, Susan
14 Dec 1892	GAUNT, Jno	GAUNT, Emma
14 Dec 1892	BROWN, N	PARROTT, Sallie
15 Dec 1892	JACKSON, Aaron	McKINNEY, Susan
16 Dec 1892	SIMPSON, Joshua	FULLER, Sarah
16 Dec 1892	RICHARDSON, Peter	JACOBS, Sallie
17 Dec 1892	McKINNIE, Moses	PITTS, Adeline
17 Dec 1892	ROBERTS, Wm L.	PARKER, Mary L.
20 Dec 1892	JAMES, Davis, Jr.	GAUNT, Paralee
20 Dec 1892	THOMAS, Henry	WILLIAMS, Bettie
21 Dec 1892	WHITAKER, Thomas	WILLIAMS, Mary
21 Dec 1892	RICHARDSON, Watt	SMITH, Lula
21 Dec 1892	BAILEY, Wm	WASHINGTON, Susa
21 Dec 1892	WILLIS, Lary	GUYTEN, Alice
21 Dec 1892	JOYCE, Talbert	ROBERT, Arie
22 Dec 1892	WILLIAMS, Jno	RICHARDSON, Bettie
23 Dec 1892	WOODSON, Ed	WASHINGTON, Anna
24 Dec 1892	COPELAND, Jno	RUTLEDGE, Ella
26 Dec 1892	HOWARD, John W.	BURTON, Mary Jane
26 Dec 1892	OLIN (?), Isaac C.	WILEY, Corrine
28 Dec 1892	VARNER, Charlie	BLEDSOE, Eva
28 Dec 1892	SMITH, George	WILLIAMS, Eliza
28 Dec 1892	JEFFERSON, Kyle	GREENING, Lydia
28 Dec 1892	DENNIS, Chas	McMANNIS, Winnie
28 Dec 1892	MUNDY, Isaac R.	ROBINSON, Mathilda
28 Dec 1892	HUNT, John	WILLIAMS, Luanna
29 Dec 1892	RUSSELL, John	HOWARD, Fannie
29 Dec 1892	BONDS, James	THOMAS, Sarah
30 Dec 1892	PERSONS, Judge	JACKSON, Polly
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April 2, 1862 Camp Wigfall My Dear Sister,

I have just received your welcome letter in which you state that Galveston is not to be abandoned, which I am very glad to hear. We left Camp Quantico on the 8th of March and arrived at this camp on the 12th, which is one mile from the City of Fredricksburg on the west bank of the Reppehanook River. The whole army of the Potomac has fallen back in order to make a better stand. The lines which we formerly occupied were thirty miles from any railroad and all provisions had to be transported by wagons. During the winter the roads became so bad that it was impossible for them to bring enough provisions for so large an army and we many a time had to go on half rations, but for all that we were all happy and contented.

Three days after we left our camp the Yankees came over the river in large numbers, but they did not remain any length of time. We have 17 men out scouting from this Regiment. They bring in some Yankees every day. They have already taken 17. A few days ago five of our scouts went into their lines and were surrounded by 400 cavalry. Three of them escaped and the other two were tied and carried off. If they kill those two we will kill those 17 for retaliation. When we were in winter quarters, Tom Blessing in our company had some ???? fixings sent to him and he went to work taking pictures. We had a picture taken of the mess. You can see it by calling on Mr. Waters or F. Hitchcock. Either of them will let you have one to take a copy of if you want it.

The Settle boys send best respects to you. Mrs. McKeon is in Richmond. She is well. We are very well satisfied with Capt. McKeon. They keep us very strict and drill us hard. I expect we will leave here before long and go into active service. I thank Lula very kindly for the valentine. I am very glad to see young folks with old notions. While writing I received your letter dated March the 12th in which you state that the people feel awful about the enemy getting the upper hand of us. It is very true we have had some very sad reverses lately, but for all that we do not feel the advantage of bringing on over-powering army and navy upon us, which we could not resist. We can whip them every day if they come on equal footing.

I am glad to hear that Texas turns out so many men. Remember me to all my friends. Myself and Charles are both well.

Your affectionate brother, William

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April 6, 1862 Camp Wigfall Dear Sister,

Since William wrote the above we had another march in pursuit of the Yankees at Stafford Court House, but when we got within 2 miles of them they broke and ran in Bull Run style. We got back here yesterday all well.

Enclose please find a draft on Dr. I. L. McKeen for \$10.00 from me and William. I will soon write you again. Your truly affectionate brother, Charles, in haste.

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May 17, 1862 Camp near Richmond Dear Sister,

I take this present and only opportunity I have had to write to you and inform you of the death of dear brother Charley, who fell gallantly fighting for our glorious cause on the 7th of this month. Dear Sister, I have been so oppressed by grief at the loss of our only and dear brother that I could not nerve myself to write you the intelligence of his death any sooner, but thank God he has nerved me with the spirit of revenge and woe be to the hated Yankee foe that ever I meet. Dear Sister, I pray to God to nerve you in this hour of our affliction and trouble as he is the only one to comfort us in our hardest trials. Sister, do try and pray to God that he may give you courage to stand the blow that has fallen so suddenly upon you, as God is the only one we can put our trust in. He is the only comfort that we can receive. Dear Sister, Charley was decently and respectfully buried. He was laid under a large apple tree and his name and age and also the cause he fell under inscribed upon the tree. Dear Sister, we attacked the enemy and drove them in confusion before us. We killed and wounded 300 and took some prisoners. Our loss was 15 killed and 23 wounded. The loss to our company was Charley and Joe Brown killed and 3 wounded. was shot in the head and instantly killed. The fight was near Williamsburg and called the Battle of West Point. Dear Sister, I received your welcome letter by Lieutenant Bedell. Goodby dear sister. I am well and will write soon again. Trust in God and you will be alright. Your affectionate brother, William

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July 17, 1862 Camp near Richmond Dear Sister,

I have just received your welcome letter of the 18 of May and hasten to answer. Since the death of our dear brother Charley I have written you four or five letters. In one of them I enclosed 20 dollars which I hope you will receive. I have received no answer to any of them as of yet. Dear sister, I am enjoying good health and hoping to see you before long. Dear sister, I have been in three battles and thank God I have always come out unhurt. The first was at West Point in which dear Charley was killed, the second was at Seven Pines before Richmond, the third was at Gaines Mill or Cold Harbor, in which McClellan was badly defeated and compelled to retreat under the cover of his gunboats, where he now remains. The fight lasted six days. We captured a large supply of army stores and provisions, besides 104 cannon and 8,000 prisoners. They left all their sick, dead and wounded in our possession. McClellan's loss is estimated at least from 35 to 40 thousand. They burnt a great amount of goods to prevent us from getting them. This last fight has caused a great excitement in the North. The following is a list of the killed and wounded in our company: Pufraw killed, Townsend killed, George Hawkins wounded in the hand, H. Shultz wounded in the arm, Iakoolef wounded in the head, Swarting wounded in the head, Capt. Bedell wounded in the leg and hand, Millard wounded in the arm.

Ham and Charley Settle send kindest regards to you. They are both well. George Delesandri was killed in the last fight, also Cut Clute. The loss of our regiment is 107 men. Please give my kind regards to Mrs. Crane and family and all those who inquire for me. Please write soon, I remain

Your affectionate brother, William Schadt

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July 26, 1862 Camp near Richmond Dear Sister,

I take this present opportunity to let you know that I am well and hope that these few lines will find you the same. Mr. Chas. Sorley has been in camp and the boys were all glad to see him and hear from home. We have very easy times now. We have nothing to do but drill twice a day and that early in the morning and late in the evening on account of the weather being so hot. It is just as hot here as in Texas. Fruit is plentiful, but no watermelons, which I think are better than all the fruit. We do not expect any fight for some time. There is a great deal of sickness in the Yankee army. Our army is in good health and spirits. The Yankees have got sick and tired of fighting. They begin to see that it is no use to try to conquer the south. The Settle boys are well and send their kind regards to you. Capt. Bedell has recovered from his wounds and is now with the company. All the balance of the wounded are getting along very well. A good many of them have taken furloughs to go to South Carolina and Georgia. Please give my best respects to all the folks. Please write soon. I remain your affectionate brother, William

Sept. 23, 1862 Camp near Martinsburg, Va. Dear Sister,

I have received your welcome letters of the 6th and 22nd of July. I was very glad to hear that you are well. I am in good health and fine spirits and I hope these few lines will find you the same. Since my last letter we have been in two battles, one was fought on the Old Manassas battleground and the other at Sharpsburg in Maryland. went into Maryland and captured several cities and destroyed all the railroad bridges and canals within our reach and then captured Harpers Ferry and 8,000 prisoners and millions of dollars worth of property, besides 5,000 negroes which they had stolen from citizens. In the battle of Manassas our loss was slight, only 4 wounded, but in the last fight our loss was very heavy. We had 3 killed and 18 wounded. List of the killed is as follows: Lieut. I.C.T. Thompson, I. Frank and W. Zimer. The Settle boys are well. told me they had a letter from home saying you were well and going back to Galveston. It is no use for me to state the particulars about the fight, for Chas. Vidor has sent a letter giving a full account which will be published.

Dear Sister, please give my best respects to all. Write

Your affectionate brother, William.

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November 12, 1862 Camp near Cullpepper My Dear Sister,

I take this present opportunity to write you these few lines to let you know that I am well and hoping these few lines will find you the same. I have just received your welcome letter dated October 16 in which you speak about me not getting a furlough. It is not so easy done as you might suppose as they only grant furloughs to those that are sick or wounded. Lee Thompson and Mr. Rogers were both sick at Richmond when they got their furloughs and I did not know anything about their going to Texas. You speak about sending me a bundle of clothes for which I will be very thankful to you for the weather is getting very cold. We have had several snow storms. We have just received a suit of winter clothes from the government. I hear that Galveston is in the hands of the Yankees. I hope they will not let them get on the mainland. John Delesandri, who got wounded at Manassas has since died of his wounds. All of our boys that were wounded at Sharpsburg and fell into the hands of the Yankees are getting exchanged as fast as they can bear transportation. I hear that John Hanson and Austin Jones are going to Texas on a furlough. We have just received a letter from Capt. Bedell. He was wounded in the cheek and in the shoulder. He is now in Fort Deleware. He says as soon as he gets exchanged he will get a furlough. The boys all say that the Yankees treated them very kindly. Ham and Charley Settle are both well and send their kindest regards. Please give my kind regards to Mrs. Crane and family and all my friends. Write Soon. I remain, your affectionate brother, William

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December 18, 1862 Camp near Fredricksburg Dear Sister,

I take this present opportunity to let you know that I am well and hope these few lines will find you the same. I have received your two letters dated 18 November and 1st December. I will send this letter by William Young, who is going home on furlough. We have had a large fight here and whipped the Yankees badly. We repulsed the Yankees nine times with very heavy loss. Our loss was very light. The battle lasted five days. On the night of the 16th the Yankees recrossed the river where they now remain. company did not lose a man. All the boys are well and hearty. The Settle boys are well. Ham is in Richmond and Charley is with his regiment. I have not received the bundle of clothes yet, but I hope I soon will. The weather is very cold and I hope we will go into winter quarters I must close now. It is getting too cold. I will write soon. Give my regards to all.

I remain your affectionate brother, William

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#### TRIBUTE TO MY ANCESTORS

I want to know you all by name, And when and where you lived. It matters not if you won fame; Because of you, I live.

The dreams you cherished in your heart
Are alive and well in mine.
Years that divide cannot pull apart
That bond untouched by time.

Your blood flows in my veins, Your spirit keeps me strong; Your gift to me, with your name, So I know where I belong.

By: Sylvia David Morel

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Friends of Genealogy, Inc. exchanges publications with more than 80 other genealogical and historical organizations. These publications provide excellent information, aiding in research in many areas of our country. They are placed in the Genealogy Collection of the Shreve Memorial Library in Shreveport, Louisiana. Here are a few examples of articles and other information contained in these publications.

ARKANSAS CIVIL WAR PENSIONS, 1911 -- Listing from the Crawford County area includes vital statistics of the veteran and his spouse, as well as the names and places of residence of their children.

Panning for Nuggets of Old, Vol. 17, No 2 (Fall, 1996), Alma, AR

FRENCH AND BELGIAN IMMIGRANTS TO WOONSOCKET, RI -- Continuing series listing including birth and death dates and places, marriage information, and other items. *Je Me Souviens*, Vol. 19, No 2 (Autumn, 1996), Woonsocket, RI

MINA MILLER EDISON -- Story of the wife of Thomas A. Edison.

Daughters of the American Revolution Magazine, October 1996, Washington, DC

**DEATHS REPORTED IN ABERDEEN DAILY NEWS, 1890** -- These deaths are not recorded in the Courthouse.

The Tree Climber, Vol. 22, No 3 (October 1996), Aberdeen, SD

WALLING BEND CEMETERY -- Named for Jesse Walling, buried in Bosque County, TX in 1867. Article gives information about his life and provides a listing of the graves. *Hill County Crossroads*, Vol. XV, No 4 (October 1996), Hillsboro, TX

**CONFEDERATE RECORDS, LEON CO RESEARCH CENTER** -- Transcriptions of some of the records located in this research center.

The Leon Hunters, Vol. XVII, No 3 (Spring 1996), Centerville, TX

**POST OFFICES, JOHNSON CO AR** - A portion of this issue is devoted to the post offices and postmasters in this county.

Johnson County Historical Society Journal, Vol. XXII, No1 (October 1996), Clarksville, AR

PHYSICIANS OF SABINE PARISH (1921) -- Information taken from the American Medical Directory, 1921: A Register of Legally Qualified Physicians of the United States. *The Natchitoches Genealogist*, Vol. XXI, No 2 (October 1996), Natchitoches, LA

LIMESTONE CO TX FIRST 13 FAMILIES -- This article provides some information on the pioneer families of L. A. STOUD, Elisha ANGLIN, Moses ANGLIN, John ANGLIN, Forest PHIFER, William BURNS, Silas BATES, Samuel NELSON, George COX, J. D. SMITH, and a man named BAKER.

The Humble Genealogist, Vol. XIII, No 1 (January, 1997), Humble, TX

**FAMILY SKETCHES** -- This issue contains several family sketches, including Coffee, Rushing, Wiregrass, Windham, Grimes, and Brunson. *Pea River Trails*, Vol. 21, No 4 (Winter 1996), Enterprise, AL

JOHN IREDELL TATE FAMILY OF NORTH GA — Descendants of John Iredell Tate born 4 May 1758 in Londonderry, Ireland, by Evylene Anderson Canup. Family Tree Quarterly, Vol. 6, No 4 (1996), Marietta, Cobb Co, GA

1911 LASALLE PARISH CENSUS -- This is an enumeration of Ex-Confederate Soldiers containing the name of the soldier or his widow, age, state enlisted, regiment, company, property owned and the value, occupation, physical infirmities, and for widows, the date of marriage.

Central Louisiana Genealogical Society Quarterly, Vol 11, No 1 (Jan, 1997), Alexandria LA

EARLY SETTLERS FROM MS TO WOOD CO TX -- After the Civil War, 30 wagons left Leake and Attala Counties in MS and settled in Wood Co in early 1867.

Wood County Genealogical Society, Vol. 1997, No. 45 (Jan. 1997), Quitman, TX

THE NEW SPANISH ROAD FROM THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER TO GALVEZTOWN (1779) -- Well documented article on the early settlers of Galveztown, at the juncture of Bayou Manchac and the Amite River and the events surrounding the formation of this road. *Ascension Roots*, Vol. XVI, No 4 (December, 1996), Gonzales, LA

**DeSOTO PARISH (LA) POST OFFICES** -- Listing includes name of post office, dates established and discontinued, and first postmaster. Map included. *DeSoto Plume*, Vol. XXXII, No. 1 (Winter, 1997), Mansfield, LA

**PROBATE & ESTATE RECORDS, JACKSON CO, OK** — This continuing list contains the name of the estate and the probate case number.

Western Trails Newsletter, Vol. X, No 1 (January, 1997), Altus, OK

ST. LANDRY PARISH VOTER REGISTRATION BOOK OF 1898 -- This listing contains a lot of valuable information, such as Name, Age, Color, Nativity, Residence Information, Occupation, Naturalization Information, Name of Grandfather who was Registered and Information about him, and so on.

Imperial St. Landry Gen & Hist Society, Vol. IV, No 3 (Fall, 1996), Opelousas, LA

CANAL STREET CONFEDERATES -- Listing of 157 Confederate Prisoners who died while at the St. Louis Hotel (used as a Union field hospital) in New Orleans.

Mississippi River Routes, Vol. 4, No 2 (Winter, 1996), Vicksburg, MS

BONNIE AND CLYDE IN OKLAHOMA -- An interesting account of Clyde Barrow and Bonnie Parker and how the Barrow Gang was formed in the early 1930s.

Bryan County Heritage Quarterly, (February, 1997), Calera, OK

#### RED RIVER PARISH SUCCESSION RECORD INDEX

This is a transcription of the Red River Parish, LA, Succession Record Index, Volume A - O, for the years 1871 - 1958. The succession records were filed in the court house in Coushatta, LA. This series began in First Quarter, 1996 (Vol. VIII, No. 1) issue of *THE JOURNAL*.

Type of Record: S = Succession; T = Tudorship; TM = Tudorship of Minor; E = Emancipation
J = Judgement; IN = Interdiction; W = Will; A = Adoption; ES = Estate

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EARLY LAKE CHARLES, LA. NEWSPAPERS have been donated to the McNeese State University in Lake Charles, LA. As soon as the collection is microfilmed, copies of the film with be made available to the Southwest Louisiana Genealogical & Historical Library and to the Lake Charles American Press. The collection begins with the Feb. 15, 1868 edition of The Weekly Echo, the first newspaper published in Calcasieu Parish after the Civil War. There are many issues of various Lake Charles papers plus other communities such as Jennings, Kinder, DeQuincy, Oberlin, and Vinton in Louisiana. The latest dates are 1914/1917.

Victoria Crossroads of South Texas, Vol. 17, No 4 (Winter, 1996)

## **QUERIES**

#### **THOMPSON**

Do you have ancestors in Macon (County or City), GA who has a THOMPSON girl living with them 1840 - 1860? She and her brother, Doctor Peola THOMPSON were orphaned about 1840. The family story is that the sister was taken in by a GA family.

Violet McElhinney, 4848 FM 2204, Longview, TX 75603-9641

#### KING, WALKER

Seeking parents and siblings of Velar KING, born 27 Feb 1887 in Hope, AR; married Robert Lee WALKER 24 Jan 1902 in Caddo Par, LA; and died 23 Dec 1944 in Shreveport, Caddo, LA. Her father was John KING, born in KY.

Debra Walker Dame, 6891 Hwy. 527, Doyline, LA 71023

#### WALKER

Seeking parents of Robert WALKER, born 1817 or 1819 in AL, and any information on his second (or third) wife, Laura Emily \_\_\_\_\_, born 7 Feb 1855 in LA, died 30 Nov 1895 in Caddo Parish, LA. They had four sons born in Caddo Parish, LA: Arthur, born 1878 and died Jan 1955 in Caddo Parish; Montfort, born 1880, died 1896; Robert Lee, born Jan 1883 and died Apr 1971; and Raymond, born Dec 1888.

Debra Walker Dame, 6891 Hwy. 527, Doyline, LA 71023

#### **EVANS, PEDDY**

Roscoe PEDDY, born 1914 in Winn Parish, LA, was the son of William Archie "Bill" PEDDY and Theodor Hilda EVANS PEDDY. Would like to know who he married and the names of his descendants for a family history.

Glen Peddy, RR1, Box 30B, Sullivan, IL 61951-9801

#### BROWN, BRYANT, MURPHY

Need information about Elizabeth BRYANT who married (1) John BROWN and (2) James MURPHY, born 28 July 1847. James was the father of Columbus, whose daughter married Charley BRYANT, Ashley Co, AR about 1910. Also, what is death date of Columbus (Lum) MURPHY, born Ouachita Par LA 1867?

Florence Herring, 496 Lake Road, Waskom, TX 75692-4042

#### CAPPS, MOSES, STEVENS, STRACENER

Looking for the parents of: George Washington STRACENER (AL), Lydia CAPPS (AL), Eli A. STEVENS (GA), and Mary MOSES (GA or MS).

Mary Akin, P. O. Box 427, Waskom, TX 75692

#### CONNELL

Need information on anyone with the surname CONNELL in DeSoto or Caddo Parishes, LA during the period 1830 - 1920. Especially interested in the Chambliss B. CONNELL family of DeSoto Parish.

Randall W. Connell, 810 Voyager, Houston, TX 77062-5619

#### WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

- Mary AKIN, P. O. Box 427, Waskom, TX 75692
  Vianna Victoria BARNES (16 Jan 1866 MS), William H. DAVIS (1825 NC),
  Mary A ECHELB (1842-1919), John ELKINS (1832 AL),
  Drayton Bennett McCOY (1801 NC), William RUTLEDGE (1806 NC)
- Patricia BARRON, 939 Idlewilde Lane, Lake Charles, LA 70605-2639 MOTES (before 1870, AL), George W. WILLIAMS (Bienville Par, LA, Civil War Record)
- Noah J. BURNS, 3360 Roy Road, Shreveport, LA 71107
- Domenica CARRIERE, 1608 Shady Lane, Shreveport, LA 71118 BENIGNO, CARRIERE, D'ARCY, TODARO
- Debra Walker DAME, 6891 Hwy. 527, Doyline, LA 71023 CAUSEY (Claiborne & Lincoln Par, LA, 1880s) KING (Hempstead Co, AR, 1890s) WALKER (Caddo Parish, LA, 1860s and forward)
- Johnnie Blair DEEN, 12801 Roydon Drive #819, Houston, TX 77034-4875
- Willie R. and Patricia GRIFFIN, 3884 Winterpark Drive, Shreveport, LA 71119-7011 GILBERT, GRIFFIN, GRISSOM (all LA) FORTE, WAGNOR, WILLLAMS (all AL)
- F. Max HARDBERGER, 1706 Lynn Avenue, Thibodaux, LA 70301-4421 BAILEY, BROCK, GAVIN, HARDBERGER, HILBUN, MILLS, ROBERSON
- Ladye McCaa HARVESTON, 1001 Carole, Jonesboro, LA 71251-3521 FLENNIKEN (E. Feleciana Par LA, 1850+) McCAA (E. Baton Rouge 1824+ and Shreveport) MOORE, MORGAN, VINING (all TX)
- Roy L. HENDERSON, 334 Yolanda Lane, Shreveport, LA 71105
- Rose JACKSON, 5005 Longstreet Place #80, Bossier City, LA 71112 Samuel Jenkins HOWARD (AL, 1820-1890) Benjamin Richard HOLMES (AL, 1820-1890) William L. WORRELL (GA, 1800-1885)
- Barbara S. JOHNSTON, 7203 Beaufort Way, Shreveport, LA 71129-3412 McBRIDE, STINSON

- Heather H. LEE, 252 Clover Avenue, Cookeville, TN 38501 CASTELLANOS (Orleans Parish & Spain, 1700s, 1800s), SANCHEZ & SALLAS (Orleans Parish, 1800s), HOGAN & WAINWRIGHT (Tangipahoa Parish, 1800s, 1900s)
- Reed C. MATHEWS, 625 McCormick, Shreveport, LA 71105-4905 KIRTLEY (VA, USA), MATHEWS (VA, TN, USA) ROGERS (New Orleans, LA), SASSEEN (VA, KY, AR, USA)
- Penelope (Penny) Edwards McCANN, 215 Virginia Ave, Minden, LA 71055 CHILES (1850 LA), HEFLIN (1820 AL), McCANN (1800 GA), POSEY (1850 AR, LA), ROBERTSON (1850 LA), THOMAS (1810 Wilkinson Co MS)
- C. R. and Betty Jo MINER, 500 Laurel Lane, Marshall, TX 75672-7536 BERRY (Lincoln Par LA), BUTTS (Monroe Co GA), KING (GA,LA) KIRBORN (Jackson Par LA & GA)
- Rebecca S. PARKER, 729 Woodmont, Shreveport, LA 71108 GANDY, LAUDERDALE, SHAW, SULLIVAN

Sally PRIMEAUX, P. O. Box 681, Benton, LA 71006-8662

Jim & Dorothy ROSSEN, 814 Cardinal Street, Shreveport, LA 71105-2110 AVRITT, LANIER, ORR, ROSSON, SCOTT, SPENCER, TABOR, VAUGHAN

Clara C. WOODS, 11 Davidson Drive, Bossier City, LA 71112-9874



#### HARRIS, SMITH

John Floyd SMITH (J. Floyd SMITH) was born 11 Dec 1827 in AL and died 3 Feb 1898. He married Rebecca HARRIS (born 1831, died 1927) on 10 Dec 1846 in Randolph, AL and had at least four children. They settled in south central Bienville Parish, LA As it is believed that he is of Choctaw descent, he may have received a Choctaw land grant. He and his wife are buried in Old Castor Cemetery. Any information on him and his Native American ancestry would be helpful.

Rebecca S. Parker, 729 Woodmont, Shreveport, LA 71108 E-mail: rsparker@juno.com

#### UPCHURCH

Seeking information on Mary Parish UPCHURCH who left Jackson Parish, LA about 1900 and lived the rest of her life in Caddo Parish, LA.

Randy DeCuir, P. O. Box 383, Marksville, LA 71351

E-mail: decuir@popalex1.linknet.net

#### SHREVEPORT TIMES OBITUARIES

JANUARY, 1882 - FEBRUARY, 1883

Obituaries in the early newspapers were limited and placed in various locations in the copy. Therefore, it is most difficult to locate this data. Furthermore, very seldom were family members mentioned. Frequently, much more emphasis was placed on obituaries from out of the city than local residents. The following obituaries begins a series of 1880s and 1890s obituaries which have been extracted from the *Shreveport Daily Times*, Shreveport, Louisiana. [Note that if the date of death is listed as *about* - date of newspaper is given.] The microfilm is located on the third floor of the Shreve Memorial Library, Genealogy Department, Shreveport, Louisiana.

- Robertson, Mable Forrest Died 15 Jan 1882 age 10 years 8 months
  Only child of late J. N. and E. C. Robertson [Times 17 Jan 1882]
- Williamson, George Died 29 Jan 1882 age 52
  Died aboard Steamer Jesse Bell near Baton Rouge, LA [Times 1 Feb 1882]
- Johnson, Mrs. E. S. Died 31 Jan 1882 age 51

  Spouse Ben Johnson. Funeral at home on Milam Street [Times 1 Feb 1882]
- Crawford, Mrs. Parmelia Died before 2 Feb 1882 age 65 [Times 2 Feb 1882] Residence Dardinelle, Ark. Spouse Rev. W. W. Crawford no children
- Dodez, Daniel E. Died 4 Feb 1882 age 49 [Times 5 Feb 1882]

  Born in Pennsylvania; occupation butcher; Civil War Veteran [CSA]
- Tenny, Mrs. Emma Died before 25 Feb 1882 age unknown

  Residence Bayou Sara no other family information [Times 25 Feb 1882]
- Nutt, Capt. L. M. Died 22 Mar 1882 age unknown
  Residence of Caddo Parish; born Virginia; Survivors included wife and three
  daughters. Senator member of Louisiana State Legislature [Times 28 Mar 1882]
- Powell, D. Died before 28 Mar 1882 age 33
  Residence, Mooringsport, LA; occupation Justice of Peace
  Survivors included son-in-law Calvin S. Croom [Times 28 Mary 1882]
- Byrd, Mrs. Francis Elizabeth Died 3 April 1882 age 52 years, 10 months She was born in Amite Ct., MS; married in 1846. Her father was Walter Cates. She died at the home of her son-in-law. Daughter listed; Mrs. E. D. Tucker. [Times 4 Apr 1882]
- Howell, Major W. C. Died before 6 April 1882 age unknown [Times 6 Apr 1882] "Major W. C. Howell, United States Engineer died this morning of consumption. He had been stationed in Shreveport for 12 years and was in charge of harbor improvements. Remains have been sent to Gaschein, Indiana by the Jackson Route for interment."

#### SHREVEPORT TIMES OBITUARIES (continued):

Moore, N. S. Died 3 April 1882 age unknown

Died at Keachi, LA President of the Police Jury [Times 6 Apr 1882]

Woodward, Thomas Died before 7 April 1882 age unknown

Died in Minden, LA - "Rode 12 miles to post office - died when about to receive mail." [Times 7 Apr 1882]

Howard, Ivers Jr. Died before 8 April 1882 age 41

Born in Alexandria, LA; Died Caddo Parish; occupation - cotton broker; survivors included wife and four children; 2 brothers [ none named] [Times 8 Apr 1882]

Buckner, Dr. Preston E. Died before 6 May 1882 age unknown
Residence - Vicksburg, MS; Born in Greensville, MS - "Killed by a man named
Wentworth when he entered a darkened room."

[Times 6 May 1882]

Marvin, Theophilis R. Died before 17 May 1882 age 86

Residence - Boston, MA; Oldest printer in Boston [Times 17 May 1882]

Kaufman, Gustave Died before 30 May 1882 age unknown

Died at Ft. Scott, Kansas - "Former businessman in Shreveport - member LOOF Lodge #21. [Times 30 May 1882]

Swearingen, Robert I. B. Died 2 June 1882 at 5am. age unknown

Residence- Shreveport - praised as a good man; survivors included a son, Charles Swearingen of DeSoto Parish and Miss Nannie Swearingen. [Times 3 June 1882]

This ends the 1882 Obituaries.

#### 1883

Burkett, J. Died 4 Jan 1883 at 7:45 am. age 65 [Times 6 Jan 1883]

Residence - New Orleans - Mercantil e business - Funeral services held in New Orleans. Former resident of Shreveport under the name of Burkett and Sons.

Lewis, J. Died 5 Jan 1883, Asbury Park, New Jersey age 28 Committerd suicide at his residence. His wife died at 5 o'clock this morning in childbirth. When informed of the death, he seized a razor and cut his throat from ear to ear.

[Times 6 Jan 1883]

Martin, General John J. Died first week of Jan. 1883 in New York.

Ex-Confederate officer. [Times 5 Jan 1883]

Robson, William Eugenis Died 3 Jan 1883 at 2 pm.in Shreveport, LA age 7 years, 1 month, and 5 days. Funeral at the residence of James W. Ratcliff on Marshall Street, 5 Jan 1883. Son of William V. Robson and Eugenia F. Robson. [Times 5 Jan 1883]

#### SHREVEPORT TIMES OBITUARIES (continued):

Arnold, Charles Died before 5 Jan 1883 in New Orleans, the result of lockjaw caused by a wound inflicted on hand with a toy pistol on Christmas Day. Resident of New Orleans. Age 14 [Times 5 Jan 1883]

Boone, Jimmie R. Died 10 Dec 1882 near Alto, Texas. age 9 years 1 month, 6 days. Son of James R. Boone and Emma R. Boone, formerly of Shreveport, LA [Times 16 Jan 1883]

**Evans, Mrs. A. D.** Died Saturday 13 Jan 1883 in Shreveport. age 34 years, 11 months. Wife of G. V. Evans. Funeral services at family residence on Fairfield - burial in family burial ground at. Dr. D. L. Rhodes, 20 miles from Shreveport. [Times 14 Jan 1883]

Thomas, James Died 19 Jan 1883 in Shreveport. age 40.

Funeral services at 3 o'clock at the residence of Mr. Ben L. High. "An inquest was held by Coroner Turner on the body of James Thomas on the levee yesterday morning. The verdict was that the deceased died of congestion. Mr. Thomas had been getting out timber for Mr. Trezevant at Sullivan's Bayou near the upper end of Soda Lake. He was taken sick and starting for Shreveport in a skiff exposed to the weather, died before making the landing."

Inglin, Mrs. Died 17 Jan 1883 in Mansfield, LA, the result of an explosion of a locomotive at the Mansfield depot. Night telegraph operator. She was killed instantly. Mr. Shackelford was the engineer, Tom Mayo a fireman, and Jerry Hardy, brakeman. The explosion took place at five o'clock in the evening at the Mansfield depot. [Times 19 Jan 1883]

Hardy, Jerry Died 17 Jan 1883 as the result of a locomotive explosion in Mansfield, LA. He was a brakeman. No age given. [Times 19 Jan 1993]

Mayo, Tom
Died 17 Jan 1883 as the result of a locomotive explosion in
Mansfield, LA. He was a fireman for the railroad. The body was blown fifty yards and
through a plank fence.
No age given.
[Times 19 Jan 1883]

Lehman, Mrs. Mary B. Died Sunday morning at 2 o'clock, 21 Jan 1883. She died of lockjaw. Husband - J. B. Lehman; brother - Col. W. S. Hayes. Funeral services held at the Catholic Church." She had been suffering from a cold or rising in the head and had the gum lanced over the rising or abcess from which we learn that tetanus of the lower jaw or lockjaw resulted in her death."

**Justice, John** Died Saturday, 20 Jan 1883, in Fillmore. Shot by Williamson as the result of a cattle deal from Texas. [Times 23 Jan 1883]

Vance, Mrs. Mary M. Died Monday Morning 22 Jan 1883 at the residence of W. C. Vance in Bossier Parish. Married to Allen Vance of South Carolina. Suvivors included a son, Senator John C. Vance of Bossier Parish. Funeral Services held 24 Jan 1883 with burial at the Shreveport City Cemetery [Oakland]. [Times 24 Jan 1883]

#### SHREVEPORT TIMES OBITUARIES (continued):

Roach, Miss Florence E. Roach Died Wednesday 24 Jan 1883 three miles from Shreveport at W. Lucian Volentine's. Age 87 Funeral Services held at Stonewell, DeSoto Parish, Friday 26 Jan 1883 at 10 o'clock.

McRady, Mrs. Virginia D. Died 23 Jan 1883 at the residence of her son, Edward C. McRady. Age 75 Married to James A. McRady. Funeral held at residence of son 26 Jan 1883 at 9 o'clock - conducted by the Rev. Dr. Dalzell. Burial at Wildwood, the old family residence. [Times 25 Jan 1883]

Dapplemeyer, James Died Wednesday 24 Jan 1883 in Cincinnati, Ohio where he was attending school. age 16 Son of Daniel Dapplemeyer Burial at Marshall, TX [Times 26 Jan 1883]

**Hughes, John B.** Died 29 Jan 1883 at Pittsburg, Texas. Funeral services 29 Jan 1883 with burial at Daingerfield, TX [Times 30 Jan 1883]

Poland, Thomas

Died before 6 Feb 1883. Funeral services conducted at the family residence Sunday, 4 Feb 1883 at 3 o'clock by the Rev. Dr. Dalzell. Member of the Improved Order of the Red Men who also conducted part of the service. "The closing ceremonies were conducted according to the beautiful and impressive ritual of the Order by M. S. Crain, sochem of Osceola Tribe and Mr. C. W. Crane, acting prophet. The last sad farewell was spoken and the tribles withdrew to their wigwams and disbanded." [9 Feb 1883 - Mrs. Mattie A. Poland applied for the appointment as administrator of the succession of Thomas Poland.]

Woods, E. W. Died Sunday 4 Feb 1883 in Shreveport, of pneumonia. Leaves a wife and several children. Funeral services at the family residence on Travis Street 5 Feb 1883 in the afternoon. He was a merchant, formerly of Lancaster, Mississippi. [Times 6 Feb 1883]

To Be Continued . . . .

#### NATIVE AMERICAN RECORDS ON FILM

The Kansas State Historical Society in Topeka has added two microfilm sets for Native Americans to its collection: "The Enrollment Cards of the Five Civilized Tribes" and selected "Indian Census rolls, 1885-1940." The 93 microfilm reels of "Enrollment Cards" were prepared for the Choctaw, Cherokee, Creek, Seminole, and Chickasaw tribes, including freedmen of each tribal member. The census rolls comprise of 72 microfilm reels for tribes with Kansas connections, including the Potawatomi, Kickapoo, Sac and Fox, Comanche, Kiowa, Osage, Kaw, Pawnee and Shawnee. The original material of the microfilm collections are in the National Archives. The microfilm may be borred via interlibrary loan through libraries across the nation.

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Those who forget the past are condemned to repeat it.

# BITS & BYTES

#### What is the World Wide Web?

The Internet is a global network of computers, all connected together. It communicates using a common language. It's similar to the international telephone system -- no one owns or controls the whole thing, but it is connected in a way that makes it work like one big network.

The World Wide Web (the web or WWW) gives you a graphical, easy-to-navigate interface for looking at documents on the Internet. These documents, as well as the links between them, comprise a "web" of information.

You can think of the World Wide Web as a big library on the Internet. Web "sites" are like the books in the library and web "pages" are like specific pages in the books. A collection of web pages is known as a web site. You start your journey through the web from a particular web site. The web lets you jump or "hyperlink" from one web page to other pages on the web. You can think of the web as a big library. Pages can contain news, images, movies, sounds, 3D worlds -- just about anything. These pages can be located on computers anywhere in the world. When you are connected to the web, you have equal access

to information worldwide; there are no additional long-distance charges or restrictions.

A "home page" is the starting point for a web site. It is something like the cover page or the Table of Contents of a book.

Each web page, including a web site's home page, has a unique address called a Universal Resource Locator (URL). Most of this information was taken from a page of Microsoft's web site with the URL address of:

## http://www.msn.com/tutorial/surfing1.html

A "browser" is a software tool that you use to look at web pages. Most commercial internet providers, like Prodigy, have





a browser incorporated into their software. These providers charge a fee usually by the hour or a flat rate for unlimited service. At Microsoft's web site you can download Microsoft Internet Explorer for free. It can be used in place of the browser that comes with your internet service. Netscape Navigator is another browser that

is popular and can be purchased at any software retailer.

Pages on the web are interconnected. You connect to other pages by clicking text or graphics that are called hyperlinks. Hyperlinks are usually underlined or bordered words and graphics that have web addresses (also know as a URL -- Universal Resource Locator) embedded in them. When you move the mouse pointer to a hyperlink you will see an address pop up somewhere on your browser's window. By clicking a hyperlink, you jump to a particular page in a particular web site. You can easily identify a hyperlink. Hyperlink text is a different color from the rest of the text in a web site.

Graphics can also be hyperlinks. All you do is simply point to the hyperlink word or graphics, click the mouse button and off you go to another web page.

The World Wide Web is changing the way people communicate all over the globe. This new global medium is gaining popular acceptance faster than any other communications medium in history. Over the last two years, the web has grown to include a vast array of information -- everything from stock quotes to job opportunities, bulletin boards to news, previews of movies, literary reviews,



genealogy information and games. The type of information ranges from the most obscure to the most globally important. People often talk about "surfing" the web and visiting new sites. "Surfing" means following hyperlinks to pages and subjects you may never have heard about, meeting new people, visiting new places, and learning about things from all over the world.

Remember, the Internet is not just about corporate information. Because it is very easy to publish on the web, many individuals have set up personal "home pages," pages about themselves and their interests, pictures of themselves, and more. We'll talk about many web sites of genealogy interest in future articles.

Have fun surfing the web and learning about subjects you are interested in while visiting new sites all over the world.



## Elvis Presley: A Southerner's Ancestry

For someone about whom so much has been written, Elvis Presley's genealogical heritage remains rather murky. Much of this ahnentafel chart had to be pieced together from (often conflicting) bits of information found in several different popular biographies of Elivs.

We are indebted to Edwin C. Dunn of Albuquerque, NM, for information on the Presley line itself. It differs at some points from the Presley lineage as presented by other writers. Mr. Dunn seems to have done the best work on the subject, and so we have adopted his version of the Presley descent.

Mr. Dunn's major contribution has been to show persuasively that Elvis Presley is descended not from an Irish immigrant named Pressly (or Pressley) as everyone had concluded, but from a German immigrant named John Valentine Pressler who was born in 1669. John Valentine Pressler is the grandfather (through his son Andries Preslar/Presley) of the Andrew Presley, Jr. shown in Generation 9 of this chart. (He has also been able to discover links that make Elvis a cousin to Jimmy Carter and Jesse Helms.)

Note that the Presley name was carried to Elvis by his great-grandmother, Rosella Presley. Rosella never married, nor did she ever reveal the name of the father of any of her children.

Note also that Elvis's grandparents, Robert Lee Smith and Octavia Lavinia Mansell, were first cousins. This accounts for the duplication of names higher up (that is, earlier) in the chart.

One Elvis ancestor, Morning Dove White, was a Cherokee Indian. There is reportedly and Elvis biographer who tries to make the case that the King inherited his looks and his musical ability from her.

#### **GENERATION 1**

1. Elvis Aron PRESLEY, born 8 Jan 1935, Tupelo, Lee Co, MS; died 16 Aug 1977, Memphis, Shelby Co, TN; married Priscilla Ann BEAULEU on 1 May 1967, Las Vegas, Clark Co, NV, divorced 9 Oct 1973; one child, Lisa Marie PRESLEY, born 1968.

#### **GENERATION 2**

- Vernon Elvis PRESLEY, born 19 Apr 1916, Clay Co, MS; died 26 Jun 1979, Memphis, Shelby Co, TN; married 17 Jun 1933, Pontotoc Co, MS.
- 3. Gladys Love SMITH, born 12 Apr 1912 in MS; died 4 Aug 1958, Memphis, Shelby Co, TN.

#### **GENERATION 3**

- 4. Jessie D. "J.D." McClowell PRESLEY, born 1896, Itawamba Co, MS; died 19 Mar 1973, Louisville, KY?; married 1913 and divorced 1947, MS.
- 5. Minnie Mae "Dodger" HOOD, born 17 Jun 1893, Fulton, MS; died 8 May 1980, Memphis, Shelby Co, TN.
- 6. Robert Lee "Bob" SMITH, born MS; died 1932.
- 7. Octavia Lavinia "Doll" MANSELL, born 1876; died 1935, MS.

#### **GENERATION 4**

- 8. ???
- Rosella "Rosie" PRESLEY, born 1863; died 1924, MS. Never married, but had 9 or 10 children.
- 10. ??? HOOD (?).
- 12. Milege "Obe" SMITH, born 1837; died 1907; married 1874.
- 13. Anna MANSELL, born 1854.
- 14. White MANSELL, born 1849.
- Martha TACKET, born 1852, died 1887.

#### **GENERATION 5**

- 18. Dunnan PRESLEY III, born 1828 Boncombe (?) Co, NC; died 10 Mar 1900, Barry Co, MO; married 1861 Itawamba Co, MS.
- 19. Martha "Millie" Jane WESSON, born 1821, SC
- 24. John SMITH (Note: he appears on the 1850 census of Atlanta, GA).
- 26. John MANSELL, born 1828.
- 27. Elizabeth GILMORE.
- 28. John MANSELL, born 1828.
- 29. Elizabeth GILMORE.
- Abner TACKET.
- 31. Nancy J. BURDINE.

#### **GENERATION 6**

- 36. Dunnan PRESLEY, Jr., born 1804 to 10,SC; died before 1850.
- 37. Mary ???, died after 1850.
- 52. William MANSELL, born 1795; died 1842.
- 53. Morning Dove WHITE, died 1835.
- 56. William MANSELL, born 1795; died 1842.
- 57. Morning Dove WHITE, died 1835.

#### **GENERATION 7**

- 72. Dunnan PRESLEY, born 1780, Kershaw (?) Co, SC; died after 1860.
- 104. Richard MANSELL.
- 112. Richard MANSELL

#### **GENERATION 8**

144. John PRESLEY, born 1758; died after 1833.

#### **GENERATION 9**

288. Andrew PRESLEY, Jr., born 1732; died 1790.

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#### OSBORNE FUNERAL HOME RECORDS - INDEX

Book III -- May 16, 1914 to Nov. 30, 1915

This is an index of the burial records of the Osborne Funeral Home in Shreveport, LA. The information is taken from microfilmed copies of the individual record sheets; these sheets contain a wealth of information including name, date of death, residence, occupation, age, physician, funeral data, cemetery, clergyman, cause of death, parents, marital status, etc. These records were filmed by members of Friends of Genealogy, Inc. and copies of the microfilm are located in the Shreve Memorial Library Genealogy Collection, Shreveport, LA.

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Glasscock, Mrs. R. G.		206	Kennedy, Mrs. J. E.	37	300
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