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Seated, Left to Right: Mary Slimer, Margueritte Nation and Mary Jewell Moore. Standing: Ben Achee, Ema Lee Tipton, Ennis M. Tipton and Dr. T. V. Holmes, Jr.

All Officers and Trustees of the Ark-La-Tex Genealogical Association join me in wishing you a most SUCCESSFUL HAPPY NEW YEAR. We repeat our pledges to carry out the duties of our offices to the very best of our combined abilities - always, of course, with the assistance and cooperation of all Members of the Association and the Ever Watchful Care and Guidance of Our Heavenly Father.

Our New Year begins on a high note. Mary Slimer, Program Chairman, has planned a full year of intensive educational programs for our regular meetings, with the series of lectures for January, February and March on 'Materials Available in the Shreve Memorial Library Genealogy Room and Reference Room and How to Use Them" to be conducted by Margery Wright and Ben Achee. Lectures will be first on agenda of the meetings, with business kept to a minimum for the closing period each meeting.

Material is being prepared for publication of the First Volume of CADDO PARISH CEMETERY RECORDS and it should be off the press in the very near future.

And last, but not least, our FIFTH ANNUAL WORKSHOP is set for 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., May 15, 1971 in the Banquet Room of Holiday Inn - Downtown, at the intersection of Interstate 20 and Hamilton Road in Bossier City, La., just across Red River from Shreveport. Registration form on last page of this issue. Complete program and details in April issue of The Genie. Make plans now to attend on May 15 and hear a nationally known genealogist lecture on "Pitfalls in Genealogical Research."

MILTON RUBINCAM, F.A.S.G. - Book Review Editor, National Genealogical Society Quarterly; Editor, Genealogical Research: Methods and Sources; Author, Genealogy: A Basic Bibliography; Author of numerous genealogical articles; Faculty, Institute of Genealogy, Samford University since 1962 - will conduct our Workshop this year. No one seriously interested in Genealogy can afford to miss hearing this famous genealogist tell us how to stay out of trouble in our research.

Best wishes to all of you,

Ennis M. Tipton, President Ark-La-Tex Genealogical Assoc.

REVIEW

October Meeting: Billy R. Randolph presiding in absence of E. M. Tipton. Preliminary plans for 1971 Workshop discussed; Cemetery Committee reported great progress in compiling Caddo Parish Cemetery records; other business matters discussed.

November Meeting: E. M. Tipton presiding, expressed regrets that we were unable to attend Louisiana Historical and Genealogy Society meeting held in Natchitoches, La. on same day as this meeting. Letter read from Mr. Milton Rubincam stating he would be available for Workshop 15 May 1971 to lecture on "Pitfalls in Genealogical Research." Members voted to donate \$200 toward purchase of microfilm census records for Genealogy Room after 1 Jan 1971. Appointed Margery Wright, Louise Barnett and Billy R. Randolph as Nominating Committee for 1971 & 1972 Officers.

December Meeting: E. M. Tipton presiding. Nominating Committee reported and all officers elected by unanimous vote from this report. Installed in short but impressive ceremony by E. M. Tipton. Standing ovation to Billy R. Randolph and Mrs. Willie Farley, out-going Vice-President-Treasurerand Recording Secretary, respectively, who have done an excellent job in these offices. Billy Rnadolph reported that records for 1st Volume of Caddo Parish Cemetery Records would soon be ready to publish. Mrs. Tipton discussed policies of The Genie and stated that only original, unpublished material should be submitted for publication. Board meeting set for 27 December and eight members of Board of Directors attended, with much work accomplished on plans for coming year. Complete list of Officers and Trustees on Page 2 of this issue of The Genie.

PREVIEW

MARY SLIMER, PROGRAM CHAIRMAN, ANNOUNCES PROGRAMS FOR JANUARY, FEBRUARY & MARCH:

9 January 1971 Regular Meeting: Margery Wright will explain general lay-out of the Genealogy Room of Shreve Memorial Library and use of the card catalogue. Ben Achee will discuss basic reference books and explain their location and usefulness in research.

13 February 1971 Regular Meeting: Mrs. Wright and Mr. Achee will conclude their lectures on books in the Genealogy Room, and discuss Use of Vertical Files, material available in the Larkin Edwards Room, in the Reference Room, and the Biography Section of Shreve Memorial Library.

13 March 1971 Regular Meeting: Mrs. Wright and Mr. Achee will discuss the microfilm collection and expalin how to use it to the best advantage.

Please Note: These important educational programs of the Ark-La-Tex Genealogical Association will be open to all genealogists and researchers in the Ark-La-Tex area and they are cordially invited to attend them. No fee will be charged and membership in the Association is not required, but invitation to join Assoc. is extended.

LOUISE BARNETT, CLASS DIRECTOR, ANNOUNCES BEGINNER CLASSES IN GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH:

Anyone interested in attending classes for Beginners in Genealogical Research, call Mrs. H. N. Barnett, Tele. 746-1737, mailing address Box 237, Benton, La. 71006, or contact Mrs. Margery Wright, Tele. 423-2614, mailing address Apt. J-103, Villa Del Lago, 3500 Milam Street, Shreveport, La. 71109.

These classes are tentatively scheduled to begin in March or April 1971. Details will be announced in local newspapers and in April issue of The Genie.

SEE PAGE 3 FOR WORKSHOP ANNOUNCEMENT AND OTHER COMING EVENTS. WE PLAN A BIG YEAR.

VERTICAL FILES IN GENEALOGY ROOM OF SHREVE MEMORIAL LIBRARY Margery Wright

Since you first started collecting your family records, how many times have you been told, "You know, your great-aunt Susie did a lot of work on the family history before she died, but I guess it was lost after her death." Isn't that heartbreaking to hear? Especially since she had a 50-year headstart on you, and probably found who old John's wife was, or copied records from Family Bibles now lost forever. All the time, effort and money she put into her research, just down the drain, and the family records, too! Why, oh why, didn't great-aunt Susie make a better provision for caring for this material?

What provisions have you made for your records? What will happen to your material if something happens to you? You insure your home, car, furniture and other property, but how many of you have any insurance or assurance that your precious family records will be taken care of or saved? You can replace your home and other possessions, but could you ever replace your records?

Mrs. Jinks McGee's car was stolen and the thieves threw away her genealogy notes while looking for something of value to them. Would you have the courage to start over as she has done? Rehoeing an old row takes time, effort and money. Some of the lost material may never be replaced. Do you have only one copy of your family records?

One patron of the Genealogy Room suffered a long illness and hospitalization. A kind, thoughtful daughter-in-law gave the house a good cleaning during that time. Two shoe boxes full of scraps of papers were burned. Lack of health and poor eyesight now make it impossible to start over. How frustrated that lady must feel. What condition is your genealogy in? Would an outsider, or even a member of your own family recognize its worth, or would it be just scraps of paper?

A metal file cabinet at home may seem safe enough to you, but in case of fire it could be destroyed. A cardboard box on a closet shelf may hold the records, but it certainly is not a safe place to keep them. Mr. Tipton's uncle had two old boxes of family records going back to the mid-1700's, safely stored in a cabinet. The uncle and his wife died suddenly and their children, finding nothing they considered of value, dumped the boxes in the trask pile and burned them.

A written genealogy is fragile - as fragile as tissue paper. It can be lost, it can be burned, or it can be watersoaked. The only precaution you can take in guarding your family records is to place as many copies in as many places as you can, to be sure at least one copy will be preserved.

Shreve Memorial Library has a metal filing cabinet set aside for the sole purpose of housing unpublished, manuscript copies of your genealogies. We will supply you with as many legal size manila folders as you need to file copies of your records here.

Wouldn't you feel more secure about your genealogy records if you knew that there was an extra copy of them on file at the library?

Listed on the next page are the surnames of the genealogies we have on file at the present time. How soon can we expect to add your names to our list?

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MARRIAGES AND OBITUARIES FROM THE NEW ORLEANS CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE Copied By

Billy Randolph

Vol. I, Issue No. 3, 22 Feb 1851, page 4, Col. 7:

FRANCIS A. ELAM, dau. of James M. Elam and Rebecca Chambers, b. 12 April 1827, d. 13 Feb 1851. Written by W. H. Crenshaw.

Issue No. 4, Page 4, Col. 7, 2 Mar 1851:

In Mobile, on Friday 21, ---, Deburris. ISAAC PHILLIPS died in Lafayette, La., born in Amsterdam, Holland in 1782, a Jew by birth, joined M. E. Church.

Issue No. 6, Page 4, Col. 1, 15 Mar 1851:

Married on Monday 10th instant by Rev. Z. Harman, Mr. EDWARD BOOTH to Miss HELEN HALLERAM, all of this city.

Married 2nd Feb last by Rev. J. F. Roper, REV. ROBT. S. RABB of the Alabama Conference to Miss M. M. KIRKPATRICK, dau. of J. D. and Caroline Kirkpatrick of Montgomery Co., Ala.

A. H. RYLAND NEELY, infant son of Rev. P. O. and J. Alice Neely died 16 Feb 1851, aged 2 yrs., 5 mos., 6 days.

Issue No. 7, Page 4, Col. 7, 23 Mar 1851:

Miss MATILDA SIMPSON, dau. of Matthew and Mary Simpson, b. 13 Feb 1832, d. 6th inst. in her 19th year. Reported by C. T. French, Covington, La.

Issue No. 9, Page 3, Col. 1, 5 Apr 1851:

Married in Vienna, Ala., 9 Feb by Rev. T. Moody, Mr. E. SADLER of Macon, Miss. and Miss MARY E. MURRAY of Vienna.

Married on 2 Apr by Rev. H. N. McTyeire of Warren Co., Miss., ----? ----- and Miss MARIA LOUISE CRAIG of this city.

Married 18 March by Rev. O. R. Blue at the residence of Mr. J. McTyeire in Russell Co., Ala., WILLIAM C. HURT and Miss JANE HARRIET McTYEIRE, all of said county.

Married near Shreveport, La. on 13 Mar by Rev. W. E. Doty, Mr. WESLEY WINANS to Miss JANE HARPER, dau. of N. N. Harper of Caddo Parish.

Issue No. 10, Page 3, Col. 1, 12 Apr 1851:

Married by Rev. A. M. Box on 25 Feb JAMES WATTS of DeKalb to Miss ELEANOR BELL of Kemper Co., Miss.

Married in DeKalb, Miss. by same, 16 Mar, HENRY BELL to Miss MARY PAGE.

Died in Camden, Ark. on Friday 21 Mar 1851, at 9 o'clock, Rev. BLANTON POWELL BOX, in the 49th year of his age. He was born 19 Aug 1802 in Abbeville Dist. S.C. At the age of 23 he left his native State for Indiana. Converted and started preaching under the Cumberland (Presbyterian) persuasion, then joined the M. E. Church, travelled one year under Elder's charge and then joined the Alabama Conference. In August 1830 he married Mrs. Eliza Greening of Conecuh Co., Ala. He migrated to Ouchita Co., Ark. in 1845, where he lived up to his death. Signed: A. A.

Departed this life on the 24th at Blantonia in the residence of his father in Washington Co., Miss. of pulmonary consumption, ELISHA W. THEOBALD, M.D., late of Baltimore, Md., in the 33rd year of his age. R. H. Herbert, Greenville, Miss., 1 Apr 1851.



Issue No. 11, Page 4, Col. 7, 19 Apr 1851:

Married by Rev. Leroy Massengale on the evening of 3 April, Dr. Wm. L. Gholson to Miss Martha P. Richardson, all of Noxubee Co., Miss.

Died in this city on last Thursday evening, HENRY A. BULLARD, Member of Congress, age 62. (Place of death not given.)

Died near Perry's Bridge, Vermilion Parish, La., 20 Mar 1851, Mrs. ANN McMULLEN, aged 70 years. A Methodist for last 20 years. Rept'd H. A. Morse, 15 Apr 1851.

Issue No. 15, Page 3, Col. 2, 17 May 1851:

Married on the 1st of May in Troup Co., Ga., Rev. R. H. JONES of Chambers Co., Ala. to Miss L. E. COTTON, dau. of Mr. W. Cotton of the former place.

Married in Galveston, Texas, 5 May by Rev. Geo. Rottenstein, FRANK ST. J. ROTTEN-STEIN and Miss HARRIET J. MEEKES of Galveston.

Married in Walker Co., Texas by Rev. Geo. Rottenstein at the residence of the Hon. Sam Houston, WILLIAM HARKINGS to Miss CATHERINE HOFFMAN of Huntsville, Texas.

Issue No. 18, Page 3, Col. 1, 7 June 1851:

Departed this life in Aberdeen, Miss., at the residence of his father, Bishop R. Paine, on Sunday last, May 18th, Dr. JOHN E. BECK PAINE. He was born in Nashville, Tenn., 25 June 1827, etc. Rept'd 21 May 1851.

Issue No. 19, Page 4, Col. 7, 14 June 1851:

Married on 15 May Mr. JOHN R. BOSLEY to Miss MARY JANE JONES.

Also, on 22nd May, Mr. JAMES C. PICKETT to Miss ROSA ETTRIDGE, all of Nathcitches Parish, La., by Rev. Wm. A. Smith. (These marriages reported again Issue 20, p.2)

AMERICA JANE ETTRIDGE died of Asiatic Cholera on 12 May last at her residence in Natchitoches Parish, La., leaves husband and children.

Issue No. 20, Page 4, Col. 7, 21 June 1851:

Died on 3rd June at the residence of her son, H. VAN BIBBER, in Shreveport, La., Mrs. ANN LITTLE, a native of Charlestown Dist., S.C., a Baptist for 54 years.

Issue No. 21, Page 3, Col. 1, 28 June 1851:

Died of dropsy of the heart in Windsor, Mass., 8th instant, EMILY J. WALDRON, dau. of Wm. DALTON of Lafayette, La., member of M. E. Church. Signed: Her Pastor.

Issue No. 22, Page 3, Col. 1, 5 July 1851:

Married on the evening of 12 June 1851 by Rev. J. F. Roper, Rev. JOHN M. LOCKEY of the Alabama Conference to Miss ANN J. OLIVER, dau. of Wm. Oliver of Montgomery, Als.

Issue No. 23, Page 3, Col. 1, 12 July 1851:

Married by the Rev. A. H. Powell on the 26th of June, Dr. W. A. JONES and Miss CAROLINE JOHNSTON, both of Greensboro, Ala.

Married by the same, 20th June, PEARSON MYERS and Miss ELIZABETH FOWLER, Greensboro.

Issue No. 24, Page 4, Col. 7, 19 July 1851:

Married 8 July, 7:00 A.M., by Rev. James McClanahan, Rev. W. R. GOBER of Louisiana Conference and Miss N. P. BEAZLEY of Jackson, Miss.

NEW ORLEANS CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE
Issue 24, Page 4, Col. 7, 19 July 1851- cont'd:

Mrs. LOUISA HUFF, born 7 November 1827 in Wake Co., N. C., died 30 June 1851 in Eutaw, Ala., of consumption. Rept'd 1 July 1851 by Thos. H. Foster.

Died at Marion, Ala., 4th instant, Rev. JAMES G. RUSSELL of M. E. Church, South. He was ordained Deacon by Bishop Paine in January 1849. Died of tuberculosis. Leaves wife and children.

Died of cholera in Natchitoches Parish, La. on 16 June last, J. W. WIGGINS, farmer, husband, father and master. Rept'd by W. A. Smyth.

Issue No. 25, Page 2, Col. 7, 27 July 1851: Same marriages & deaths as Issue 24.

Issue No. 26, Page 3, Col. 1, 2 Aug 1851:

Our beloved brother, JOSEPH A. THOMAS and his wife, sister MARY A. THOMAS, are no more. Brother Thomas born 7 Nov 1807, Sister Thomas born 9 Oct 1809. They were married 5 January 1826. Both professed religion in 1826. Brother Thomas was ill. Sister Thomas died of stroke of apoplexy about 12:00 p.m. 10 May, and Bro. Thomas died about 11:00 p.m., Tuesday 14 May. They were buried side by side. Clinton, Miss., July 1851, Orsamus L. Nash. Nashville Christian Advocate, please copy.

Issue No. 27, Page 3, Col. 1, 9 Aug 1851:

WILLIAM GARRETT died in peace, 26 July. He embraced religion at Pisgah Camp Ground in Giles Co., Tenn., in 1818; was instructed by Philip Bruce and Thos. L. Douglas; and served the M.E. Church as steward for more than 30 years, first in Franklin Circuit, North Alabama and then in Caddo Parish, La. He leaves a wife and nine children, six of whom are small. His friend, Rev. John G. Burruss who was with him when he was converted, was with him when he died. Caddo Parish, La. 28 July 1851, W. E. Doty. Nashville Christian Advocate, please copy.

Vol. I, No. 28, Page 3, Col. 1, 16 Aug 1851:

Died near Fayette Courthouse, 15 June 1851, Miss LAVINIA MURRAY in the 19th year of her age. Pickensville, Ala., Aug 1851, W. Murrah. Southern C.A., Please copy.

Died in the Lord, Miss SAMIR LOUISA ALLBRIGHT on 4 July 1851, in Natchitoches Parish, La., age 33. Joined M. E. Church 8 years ago on a visit to her brother in Texas. Wm. H. Turnley, Haw Creek Circuit, La., 24 July 1851.

Issue No. 29, Page 4, Col. 7, 23 Aug 1851:

Married at Memphis, Tenn. on ____, by Rev. J. H. Gray, T. H. JACKSON, Esq., of New Orleans to Miss SERAPHINA FRIERSON, dau. of Gardiner Frierson, of former place.

Issue No. 30, Page 3, Col. 1, 30 Aug 1851:

Married in Carrollton, La. at residence of Jesse Fulton, Esq., on Thursday, 21st instant, by Rev. James D. Parker, Mr. LEMUEL P. DAY of Bayou Sara and Miss EMILY ALEXANDER of the former place.

Died in Montgomery, Ala. on 31st instant, Mr. WM. M. BUSBY. Member of M.E. Church since February.

Issue No. 32, Page 3, Col. 1, 13 Sep 1851: (No deaths or marriages in No. 31.)
Married by Rev. A. M. Box, 19 August, JEREMIAH A. TUCKER, aged 71 years, to Miss ELIZABETH NEAL, aged 28, all of Kemper Co., Miss.

Issue No. 33, Page 4, Col. 7, 20 Sep 1851:

AMANDA MALVINA VAN RENSSELEAR, born in Bourbon Co., Ky., dau. of Sam'l J. and Penelope DAWSON. She first married to J. TEMPLETON, Esq. of Vicksburg, Miss.

Issue No. 33, Page 4, Col. 7, 20 Sep 1851 - Amanda Malvina Van Rensselear - Cont'd:

Left a widow, she married A. S. VAN RENSSELEAR of New York. Wife and mother, she died 20 Aug on Bayou Macon, Carroll Parish, La.

Mrs. SALLIE GUIER, died Saturday, 9 August, aged 43 years, Bayou Macon Hill, La. She was born in S.C., dau. of Joiel and Susan WILSON, moved to Kentucky when young and married PHILIP GUIER, Esq., in 1829. Rept'd by Charles J. Halberg, Monticello, Carroll Parish, La. 12 Aug 1851.

(Editorial, Col. 1): REV. L. HARMON, died after a brief illness 16th instant. He had but a few days before reached The Tilsit Plantation near Ft. Adama, Miss., and expected to employ the rest of his days there as a missionary to the slaves. Letter from overseer to his son is mentioned.

Issue No. 34, Page 3, Col. 1, 27 Sep 1851:

Married on the evening of the 14th at the residence of ISAAC COLLINS, by the Rev. John N. Hamil, Presiding Elder of the District, Mr. ISAIAH HUEY to Miss ELIZABETH FRANCES COLLINS, all of Jackson Parish, La.

Issue No. 35, Page 3, Col. 1, 4 Oct 1851:

Mrs. RHODA JANE McVEA, late wife of JOHN McVEA, was born 19 May 1822 and died at the residence of her mother, Mrs. RHODA SCOTT, near Jackson, La. on 14 Aug 1851. She joined M. E. Church shortly after her marriage in Nov 1840, and leave a husband and five small children. Rept'd by John C. Miller, Jackson, La., 5 Sep 1851.

Issue No. 36, 11 Oct 1851: No marriages or deaths reported.

Issue No. 37, Page 3, Col. 1, 18 Oct 1851:

(Partly covered by piece of paper when microfilmed. All of the name that can be read follows): _____OLSON, died Tuskegee, Ala., in 68th year of his life. Sent in by T. J. Koger, Tuskegee, Ala., 9 Oct 1851.

Issue No. 38, Page 3, Col. 1, 25 Oct 1851:

SARAH DAMERON, aged 2 years and 7 days, youngest daughter of Rev. JOHN C. & MARY ANNA KEENER. (no place given)

Issue No. 39, Page 3, Col. 1, 1 Nov 1851:

MAJOR JOHN W. PAUPIN, aged 56, died at his residence in Hempstead Co., Ark., on 20 Sep 1851. Born in Brunswick Co., Va., moved to Hempstead Co., Ark. about 16 years ago. Member of Masonic Fraternity. By H. C. Tweatt. Richamond C.A., please copy.

Issue No. 40, Page 3, Col. 2, 8 Nov 1851:

WALTER BRASHEAR GARDNER, died in Carrollton, Saturday, 25th instant, aged 1 year and 9 days, only son of M. B. and ELIZABETH GARDNER.

NATHAN GILBERT, died Friday, aged 9 yrs., 8 mos. & 9 days, son of NATHAN & CAROLINE A. GILBERT. New Haven papers please copy.

Issue No. 41, Page 3, Col. 1, 15 Nov 1851:

Captail SAMUEL CHILDS died 17 Oct 1851 in this Port, a native of Maine, 37 years old, died of typhoid fever. A Congregationalist, orphaned young, went to sea when 12 years old.

BENJ. B. FOUNTAIN, aged 56, died in Mobile 31 Oct. Born in Warren Co., Ga., moved to Tuscaloosa, Ala. in 1822, in mercantile business until 1834, and moved to Mobile in 1834. Joined M.E. Church about 1829. Signed: J. H., Mobile, Ala., 1851.

Issue No. 42, Page 3, Col. 2, 22 Nov 1851:

Married 28 Oct in vicinity of Sharon, Madison Co., Miss., by Rev. P. J. Eckles, President of Sharon Female College, Dr. THOS. J. CATCHING of Copiah Co., Miss. to Miss ELVINA J. FLY, youngest dau. of Col. Wm. Fly.

Married on 11 Oct by Rev. J. B. Rabb, Mr. RICHARD RIVERS to Mrs. CAROLINE EZELL, all of Clarke Co., Ala.

Married on 21 Oct by Rev. A. S. Dickson, Rev. J. B. RABB of the Alabama Conference to Miss HENRIETTA GODBOLD of Conecuh Co., Ala.

Another and perhaps last Revolutionary Soldier in St.Helena Parish, La. has fallen. JOEL FOSTER died 11 Aug 1851, 89 years of age, born 15 Aug 1762 in Gloucester Co., of a patriotic family. It is said his grandfather took up arms in defense of his country at 90 years of age. After the Revolution, Mr. Foster moved to N.C., lived a few years in Georgia, then to St. Helena Parish, La., with his third wife who survives him and lives on the place where he died. Member of the M.E. Church. Sent in by John Matthews, St. Helena, La., 18 Oct 1851. Southern C. A. please copy.

Issue No. 43, Page 3, Col. 1, 29 Nov 1851:

Married in the M. E. Church, Mansfield, La. 12 Nov by Rev. F. M. Cary, the REV. A. E. GOODWYN of the Louisiana Conference to Miss LAURA A. LUCAS of DeSoto Parish.

Mrs. CATHARINE McMAHAN, 72, died in this city on 10 Oct. A native of Kentucky, she had spent half a century in Natchez. A member of M. E. Church. Signed: H., Natchez, Miss., 8 Nov 1851.

Issue No. 44, Page 4, Col. 7, 6 Dec 1851:

Married in Summerfield, Dallas Co., Ala., 20 Nov by Rev. Josha T. Heard, Dr. C. H. W. HUNTER of Louisville, Ga. to Miss SUSAN A. HEARD of Summerfield, Ala.

Married in Troup Co., Ga. on 25 Nov by Rev. Joshua T. Heard, Col. PETER A. HEARD to Miss MARY C. E. ALFORD, all of Troup Co., Ga.

Issue No. 45, Page 4, Col. 7, 13 Dec 1851:

Married at Lima, St. Tammany Parish, La., 15 Nov by Rev. E. D. Pitts, JOHN W. GAUSE to Miss JOHANNA F. VAN HEMSKIRK, all of Lima.

Married at Clifton Plantation, Hancock Co., Miss., 4 Dec. by Rev. E. D. Pitts, Mr. W. T. D. GAY of Jacksonville, Texas to Miss MARY E. DANIELL of former place.

Miss ELEONORA PEASE, 18, died of consumption at Eutaw, Ala. 7 Oct last. Her father Capt. B. C. PEASE, died 10 days after she did. By: T. H. Foster, Eutaw, Ala.

Issue No. 46, Page 3, Col. 1, 20 Dec 1851:

ELEANORE ELIZABETH DAVIES died 27 Oct 1851 in Bossier Parish, La., child of Rev. STEPHEN F. & JULIA A. DAVIES, of Louisiana Conference. She was 2 years old.

Issue No. 47, Page 3, Col. 1, 27 Dec 1851:

Married in New Orleans, Monday, 22nd instant by Rev. James D. Parker, the Rev. CHARLES J. HALLBERG of the Louisiana Conference to Miss ELIZA LIMBERT.

Married 16 Dec by Rev. H. J. Hunter of Alabama Conference, DR. JOHN W. WILKERSON to Miss LAURA A. GAMBLE, all of Marengo Co., Ala.

Married 23 Dec by Rev. R. J. Harp of Baton Rouge, Mr. THOMAS ECCLES and Mrs. SARAH WATSON. (NOTE: A Rev. R. J. Harp listed in Keachie College Records, DeSoto Parish La., 1886-1891. See April 1971 GENIE for more details on Harp family.)

Issue No. 48, Page 3, Col. 1, 3 Jan 1852:

Married by Rev. C. D. Oliver on 2 Dec near Auburn, Mr. RICHARD DAVIS to Miss MARTHA PADGETT.

Married by same in Auburn, 14 Dec., Mr. JOSEPH FLETCHER to Mrs. COTTERO.

By the same, 25th, near Auburn, Mr. WESLEY HARPER to Miss MARTHA HARVEY.

By the same, 25 Dec near Auburn, Mr. H. STEPHENS to Miss POULEDGE.

WILBUR FISKE JAMES, age 12 years, 4 mos., 7 days, oldest son of the Rev. J. A. and SARAH JAMES died at his father's residence 7 Nov 1851. Six lovely children have been called to belssedness from this family, three of them at the self same hour, sleep in the same grave. Rept'd by Henry T. Lewis, Princeton, Miss., Nov 1851.

Issue No. 49, Page 3, Col. 3, 10 Jan 1852:

Married Thursday instant by Rev. Reynolds Trippett, Mr. STEPHEN ROPPOLO to Miss MARIA FREENY, all of New Orleans.

Issue No. 50, Page 4, Col. 6, 17 Jan 1852:

REV. ZEBULON HARMON, ordained a Deacon in M. E. Church, South, as a local preacher in Jan 1851. Worked in New Orleans and Baton Rouge in the Hospitals and Penitentiary; was missionary on Plantation of Wm. St. John Elliott last summer, where he died in the 68th year of his age.

Issue No. 51, 21 Jan 1852: DEATH OF DISTINGUISHED MEN(and Women):

Rev. MOSES STUART, Andover Theological Seminary for 40 years, is dead at age 71.
Rev. WALTER BALFOUR, distinguished Universalist Preacher, died recently at Charlestown, Mass, age 70.

Capt. JOHN COOK, a distinguished soldier of the Revolution and last survivor of the Battle of Lexington and Bunker Hill, died on 19th instant at his residence on Long Island, in his 91st year.

Mrs. JANE POLK, widow of Sam'l Polk, Esq., and mother of the late President Polk, died at her residence in Columbia, Tenn. on Sunday night, the 11th instant. A member of the Presbyterian Church.

Issue No. 52, Page 3, Col. 1, 31 Jan 1852:

Married 31 Dec 1851 by Rev. Wm. Seat (?), MARCUS C. ZUNTS of New Orleans, La. to Miss MARGARET C. MAGRUDER, eldest dau. of Maj. JOHN H. MAGRUDER of Madison Co., Miss.

Records from The New Orleans Christian Advocate will be continued in THE GENIE as they are copied from microfilm and as space permits. Mr. Billy Randolph is doing the copying at this time, and we are very proud to offer these records to our readers, not only as a service to genealogists, but to the Methodist Church.

To be able to publish these records is the happy realization of a long-time dream of your Editor, who in spite of her slightly "slap-happy" approach, is dedicated to the location and publication of such valuable rare data. We extend our thanks to Centenary College Library for the priveledge of making these transcripts, and to the Rev. K. G. Rorie, Pastor of 1st Methodist Church, Bossier City, La. for telling us where to find them.

BOSSIER PARISH LOUISIANA By Mrs. Sam J. Nation

Prior to 1828, when Claiborne Parish was formed, all this territory belonged to Natchitoches Parish. From 1828 to 1843, Bossier Parish was a part of Claiborne Parish. Claiborne Parish Courthouse burned in 1848, with all records destroyed.

Bossier Parish was formed 25 February 1843, with Fredonia as the first Parish seat, then changed to Society Hill, which soon adopted the name of Bellevue. At this time the inhabitants numbered only a few hundred persons, most coming from Mississippi, Alabama, the Carolinas and Georgia. In the early 1900's the Parish seat was removed to Benton, after a long and warmly contested law-suit.

Bossier Parish Marriage Records consist of Bonds, Licenses, Marriage Certificates, Ministers' and Officials' returns. Dates of marriage certificate are shown unless otherwise stated.

BOSSIER PARISH MARRIAGE RECORDS, BOOK 1, 1843 - 1851 Copied by Mrs. James T. Evans & Mrs S. J. Nation

GROOM	BRIDE	DATE	PAGE
Anderson, Lindsay W.	Sarah J. Morgan	8 Aug 1844	13
Anderson, E. R.	Ascenath Morgan	12 Aug 1846	22
Anderson, W. P.	Rutha Moore	2 Aug 1848	61
Atkins, E. C.	Mary P. McCullen	4 Mar 1849	92
Allen, R. P.	Eva Coates	14 Oct 1851	268
Barry, John C.	Margaret A. Lewis	9 Dec 1847	46
Bryant, Henry F.	Letassey Domingus	9 Dec 1847	49
Boon, Curtis A.	Martha A. Blessing	31 May 1849	234
Byas, Nathaniel W.	Sarah Delafield	20 Jan 1848	53
Cash, Patrick B.	Elizabeth Gamble	10 Dec 1843	2
Curry, Peter	Jane P. Engram	16 Sep 1846	24
Covington, Wm.	Sarah Adaline Chisoline	22 Dec 1847	55
Coates, Martin, Jr.	Amanda Hamilton	5 Apr 1848	68
Crownover, Wm.	Elizabeth Crowley	25 May 1848	72
Coates, John	Martha Winham	2 Nov 1848	78
Coyle, Wm.	Ann Delafield	18 Mar 1849	96
Crownover, Willis W.	Elizabeth D. Byas	27 Jun 1849	112
Campbell, John B.	R. Cavett	28 Oct 1849	228
Collins, Eli V.	Mariah F. Cavett	29 Sep 1849	230
Carrington, E. C.	C. C. Cockrell	18 Dec 1851	279
Crowley, Joseph L.	Margaret Emerline Alden	1 Apr 1849	100
Dunn, Geo. W.	M. R. Alexander	1 Apr 1849	236
Delafield, I. W.	Martha C. Bayas	2 Sep 1847	41
Dodson, Jesse	Amanda Walker	5 Mar 1849	102
Dickinson, W. P.	Susan C. Davis	17 Jan 1850	225
Ellison, George	Susan B. Million	2 Nov 1848	87
Frith, John M.	Amanda J. Jones	18 Dec 1849	117
Furniss, Samuel M.	Caroline B. Hargis	14 May 1850	258
Graham, R. B.	Eliz McClelion	4 Nov 1849	121
Graham, Archibald	Sarah Kimble	13 May 1844	7
Gatlin, Charles	Martha Strayhan	13 Jun 1844	11
Gamble, J. M.	Eliza Cox	6 Nov 1851	265
Glap (Glass?), Reason H.	Clarissa Clements	16 Oct 1848	80
Gentry, J. J.	Mary Ann Strayhan	7 Dec 1848	85
Hews, Henry	Serene Ann Pharis	8 Jun 1844	9
Hollingsworth, H. P.	Sarah L Bonner	12 Dec 1846	26
Hobdy, Robert	Caroline Dick	12 Oct 1846	29
Hughes, R. B.	Julia Ann Kirkland	1 Apr 1847	37
Harris, Geo. W.	Prudence Lay	26 Aug 1847	39

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Hooper, Issac M.	Jane Amanda Platt	6 Apr 1848	64
Hillman, A. L.	Sarah Jane Dickerson	2 Aug 1848	88
Hearn, A. H.	Mrs. Martha Morris (Lewis)	12 Apr 1849	116
Hearn, George W.	Frances C. Hearn	8 Feb 1849	108
Jones, James	Elizabeth Coyle	26 Mar 1849	59
Lafitte, Swan	Tellifore Valiocin (Vacocus)	11 Nov 1843	3
Lay, Benjamin	Prudence Flore	10 Apr 1844	5
Lay, Benjamin	Julia Ann West	4 Sep 1846	20
Lawson, Andrew	Mary E. Shotwell	14 Sep 1846	44
Lowery, R. I. B.	Mahala Magee	7 Oct 1847	43
Lewis, Joshua	Elizabeth Yarborough	5 Jan 1848	57
Lawrence, Andrew	Molcey Applewhite	25 Jan 1849	90
Lewis, Joshua	Nancy Yarborough	3 Jan 1850	241
Leonard, Wm.	Mary Slack	27 Dec 1849	223
Lipsacomb, Aderson	Catherine E. Dixon	22 Aug 1850	253
McDade, Wm. C.	Caroline E. McDade	5 Jul 1847	39
McMullen, L. B.	E. J. Bates	17 Aug 1848	76
Moores, Simon D.	Julia Ann Slack	12 Jan 1844	1
Martin, Martin	Matilda Allen	17 Jan 1847	33
Martin, Augustus	Mary F. Allen	12 Sep 1850	274
Morris, John	Franics R. West	4 Feb 1851	282
Moore, James H.	Susan A. Logan	22 Aug 1850	285
Mitchell, Robt. A.	Sarah C. Kirkland	9 Feb 1848	66
Million, James	Mary Ann Moore	30 Nov 1848	84
Merrett, Geo. B.		7 Dec 1848	107
Martin, Godfrey	Sarah Doyle	11 Jan 1849	237
Martin, H. P.	Sophelde DeSoto	6 Jun 1850	248
Nowell, Chas. C.	Prudence Harris	26 Apr 1851	287
O'Neal, Wm. K.	Elizabeth Delafield	27 Jun 1849	112
Palmer, P. A.	Mary E. Kirkland	13 Aug 1846	19
Porrer, Louis	Cantine Lattier	27 Apr 1848	70
Pool, Joseph M.	Eliza Coates	7 Feb 1849	110
Pittman, Jesse R.	Mary Ann Dorman	20 Feb 1845	240
Rymes, Alexander	Mary Ann O'Neal	25 Jul 1844	13
Ruf (Reef ?), Joseph	Malinda Cisco	13 Mar 1847	35
Rounsevall, Isaac E.	Martha E. Cook	4 Aug 1851	260
Spyker, L. P.	Sarah Gilmer	19 Sep 1844	15
Simpson, Wm. B.	Mary Coates	14 Dec 1848	82
Snider, T. A.	Mary J. Connell	31 Jan 1849	94
Smith, James	Highland Mary McCullen	10 Mar 1849	103
Stevenson, James R.	Mrs. Mary Dyas	19 Apr 1845	288
Sadler, Samuel	Eliza Rodger	5 Jun 1850	246
Springfield, Wm. Green	Isabel C. B. Dickinson	10 Nov 1849	120
Spurlin, James H.	Louisa C. Inabet	6 Dec 1849	232
Stinson, John A.	Sarah Davis	28 Dec 1848	239
Sweet, Wm.	Henrietta Morris	13 Feb 1851	276
Tyre, John M. (BOND ONLY)	Francis Eliz Lightsecyarm	1 Jul 1850	250
Ticer, Samuel	Mary Ann Bryand	28 Jul 1850	256
Teutsch, Philip	Mary Ann Fisher	17 Aug 1848	74
Thompson, Nathaniel	Frances Mitchell	19 Feb 1850	243
Valentine, Victor	Wren Poireau	25 Jan 1844	4
Webb, James	D. Evans	23 Dec 1847	51
Wynn, Wm.	M. H. Gilmer	28 Sep 1851	267
Westbrook, V. S.	Mrs. Mary Blount	30 Nov 1851	272
Williams, Sylvester P.	Amanda Hollingsworth	30 Sep 1844	17

END OF MARRIAGE BOOK 1, 94 Marriages. Marriage Book 2 begins in April GENIE. Each Complete record \$1 from Miss Wilna Mabry, Clerk of Court, Benton, La. 71006

FILING FAMILY RECORDS Ems Lee Tipton

Filing, according to Webster's Dictionary, means "To set in order; to lay away (papers, etc.) arranged in a methodical manner." This is an over-simplified definition of a very complicated science, and you will note Mr. Webster says nothing at all about "finding."

Special courses in schools and colleges give detailed instruction on analysing, classifying, grouping, labeling, indexing and filing. There are alphabetical, numerical, coded, and combination systems, each absolutely fool-proof for specific types of material, and some are easily adapted for general use. Libraries, government agencies and many large companies have carefully worked-out special systems, with printed guide books to follow. However, none of these even mention family records. Almost all books of instruction on genealogical research discuss filing briefly, but I can assure you, none of my ancestors ever read any of these books and they stubbornly refuse to fit into any filing system in common use today.

As an office worker, I consider orderly filing an essential part of any "paper work", so began filing my family records when I began collecting them - each family group in strict alphabetical order, general data by type and locations, all carefully indexed on 3x5 cards. This worked fine for a while, then my Vaught married a Bryan, my Turner a Carr, my Etheredge a Walker, and I had a great stack of notes with as many as five different surnames on one page. My nice little filing system failed. Lines became broken and separated, cross-references became uncrossed, and after some of my ancestors married two or three times, having children by each marriage, I was ready to climb a tree - just a plain old tree, not a family tree!

I wrote to every experienced genealogist I knew for advice on filing family records, and received practically the same reply from all of them, "This is my big problem, too. If you ever find a good system, let me know."

As nearly as possible, I divided the families, with my paternal ancestors in one drawer, maternal ancestors in another, and general data in still another. I kept cramming material in file folders, sticking it in the file cabinet, and when I wanted something, just started with the first folder in whatever drawer I hoped it would be in, and searched, folder by folder, drawer by drawer, until I found it. I called these my "Idiot Files" and the file cabinet began to look like a great monster I must struggle with all the rest of my life, unless I could get it under control. The harder I tried to untangle the mess, the worse it got, because more material was being added almost daily and I could not stop the correspondence or research. I was simply trapped in a confusion of my own making.

At last, I obtained a little book on filing and finding family records. This system is based on your pedigree chart, with data filed numerically and indexed alphabetically on 3x5 cards. It is so simple, a child could follow it, and should work for any set of family records, since it can be expanded and adapted to suit almost any circumstance. If you start with as much mixed up material as I, it won't work too fast, but every hour's work shows results, and doesn't have to be done over. I still have a long way to go to get all my files in order, but the file cabinet doesn't look like a monster any more, and I'm even thinking of buying another one just like it.

The little book, WHO'S WHERE IN YOUR GENEALOGICAL RECORDS - "A Filing and Finding System", by the late J. R. Gobble, may now be out of print. If anyone knows where copies may be obtained, please let me know, so I can advise our readers. I saw it listed in some magazine recently, but didn't make a note of it, and now can't find it.

Many ametuer genealogists spend great amounts for reference books, microfilm rental, photo copies of records, research trips, record forms, stationery, postage, long distance telephone calls, etc., plus countless hours of dedicated work, then store their costly data in the most haphazard, ridiculous, outrageous manner imagineable: In brown paper bags on closet shelves, grocery cartons in pantries, in shoe boxes, hat boxes, suit boxes, apple crates, and boxes of all kinds, stack it on shelves, chairs, tables, desks, and even on the floor - any flat surface available. What are you laughing about? It is not the least bit funny!

With space so limited in modern homes and apartments, the safest, best solution for storing family records is a file cabinet. In the Shreveport area, large chain stores sell 2-drawer and 3-drawer letter size metal file cabinets for less than \$25. I prefer the 3-drawer type, but that is a matter of choice and space available for it. Both are 15 inches wide. The 3-drawer is 18 inches deep and 40 in. tall. The 2-drawer is 24 inches deep and 30 inches tall.

A cardboard 3x5 card file box to hold up to 2,000 cards runs about \$2, and a similar size metal file box, about \$7.50. The 3x5 cards are about 50c per 100, and 3x5 index guides about 50c per set. The little plastic or metal boxes for up to 150 cards and a set of guides are about 50c. Good manilla file folders are about \$5 per 100, and letter size index guides, either plain or alphabetical, about \$3 in sets of 25, with eyelets at the bottom to keep them in place in the file drawer.

For less than \$50 you can obtain all the equipment and supplies necessary to set up a compact, efficient filing section, near your desk, with all your precious records in one place, easy to find, easy to use, and not always subject to damage or loss by careless hands or loss of memory. You have already spent from ten to a hundred times that much in collecting your records. They deserve something better than a tattered old cardboard box, and you deserve something better, too. Then, in case you suddenly become ill, everyone will think twice before destroying the work you have done. Most people - except burglars - won't touch the contents of a file cabinet without permission of the owner. Even in case of death, your heirs or administrators would be very reluctant to dispose of the contents until they could do so properly. Certainly, you should file a copy of your data with the library, and in other places, to be sure it will not all be lost in case of fire or other disaster, but for all you keep at home - original documents, research notes, and other material - nothing beats a good file cabinet, and it doesn't even need a lock.

In addition to what Margery Wright has told you in her article about filing a copy of your data with the library, let me suggest this: Be very sure that all members of your family know the value of the records you have collected. Make a note of them in your will, and advise your family attorney about them. If you don't have a husband, wife, children, or other close kin, explain their value to your cousins, other relatives, or possible heirs. Don't be bashful about what a wonderful job you have done. Your house, furniture, silver, jewels and money can usually be replaced, but your family records can never be rewritten once they are destroyed. Scream your head off, if necessary, but make everyone understand and respect the years of work and worry you have put into gathering this material, and make them want to preserve it when you are gone.

My own heirs may dispose of all the family heirlooms when I die, but everyone of them will stand in awe of the family records and see that they are preserved to the best of their combined abilities, although none of them is particularly interested in genealogy and they all think I'm just plain "nuts" to spend so much time on it.

Many lost collections of family records would never have been lost, if the one who collected them had only taken the time and trouble to explain their value.

of New York to J. PHILLIPPE BREDA, M. D.

Mary Jewell Moore, great-granddaughter of Dr. Breda, submitted photo copy of the original document in possession of J. P. Breda, Sr., Shreveport, Louisiana.

"This agreement made this twenty-second day of April in the year of our Lord One Thousand eight hundred and thirty three between The South Sea Trading Company of New York, by the firm of Patten & Co., their agents, duly constituted and authorised, of the first part, and J. Philippe Breda, M.D., of Baltimore in the State of Maryland, of the second part, witnesseth: That whereas, the said parties of the first part are about fitting out a certain expedition from the Port of New York, for a trading voyage to the South Pacific Ocean and India, and on which expedition the Barque Silas E. Burrows, under the command of Capt. Benjamin Morrell, is expected to sail from this port of New York on or about the first day of June next on such voyage to the South Pacific Ocean and India, and afterwards to return to this port of New York, where the voyage is to terminate: Now it is hereby witnessed and agreed by and between the said parties to this instrument, that the said part of the second part shall go out in the said vessel on the voyage afcresaid, and shall continue in the service of the said company in the capacity and perform the duties of physcian, surgeon and Naturalist, connected with such expedition. It shall be his duty, and be hereby engaged to employ himself faithfully during said voyage, so far as shall be in his power, and to the best of his professional skill, in collecting curiosities and specimens of every kind, in every department of natural sciences as opportunity shall present, such as birds, animals, shells, plants, minerals, etc., and in stuffing, preparing and preserving the same, as shall be needed; and that he shall devote his while time and professional science and skill to such objects and pursuits during the aforesaid voyage; and therein shall do all in his power for the benefit of the said company, under the control and direction at all times of the supercargoes of said vessell during the voyage.

And the said company on their part agree to and with the said party of the second part, that in consideration of such services by him to be performed, they will pay to him therefor the sum of Twenty Dollars per month during the continuance of such voyage until its termination in New York; that in addition thereto he shall be entitled to receive on the termination of the voyage, one twentieth of the nett proceeds or profits of all such collections of curiosities in Natural Science as shall be procured on said voyage, and which shall be sold on their return to New York, and the same proportion, viz one twentieth, of such part of those collections as shall not be sold, and also he shall be entitled to one specimen of each variety of species of said curiosities where there shall be duplicates or more thereof, provided that such specimens be not in themselves of peculiar intrinsic value. The payment of his said salary is to commence with the commencement of the said voyage.

Signed in the B. M. Morrell
Presence of - Algernon S. Jarvis

Patten & Co. J. P. Breda

Dr. Jean Phillippe Breda, born April 1808 in France, soon after this voyage, settled in Natchitoches, Louisiana, bringing many of the specimens and mememtos he had collected with him. There he married Marie Helmina Dranguet 17 Mar 1837, and died in Natchitoches 1 May 1882. Their son, Joseph Ernest Breda, married 29 Dec 1873 Marie Elcey Hertzog, daughter of Bernardin Theophile Henry and Laura (Lecompte) Hertzog of Natchitoches, Louisiana. Mary Edmee Breda, born 1 Jul 1881, married 6 Jan 1920 Kemuel Edward Merren. These are the parents of Mary Jewel Moore. Her father died in 1962, but her mother resides with her at 349 Lister, Shreveport, La.

KEACHIE BAPTIST COLLEGE 1856 - 1911

Keachie Baptist College was founded in 1856, built on land donated by T. M. Gatlin, Sr., at Keachie, DeSoto Parish, La. It's importance as one of the very early colleges of northwest Louisians can not be over emphisized, and few original records are available. Last summer, on a tour of historic homes of DeSoto Parish, we discovered the original registration book for 1886 through 1911, displayed at Fairview Plantation, and owned by John T. Moseley, III, who also owns Fairview.

Mr. Mosely graciously agreed for us to copy these important records and to publish them as soon as possible. Since zeroxing was not practical, the entire book has been hand-copied into a similar type ledger by Mrs. Willie Farley. When Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lush of LUSH CUSTOM MICROFILM SERVICE, Dallas, Texas, stopped by for a visit recently, they microfilmed the complete original records. The copy of the ledger and microfilm will soon be available in the Genealogy Reom of Shreve Memorial Library, and we hope to publish the complete index in the April GENIE.

A search for additional data on this old college will continue, and if anyone has any information which would help us complete the records, please contact us at once. Many residents of DeSoto and Caddo Parish attended this college, and we are hoping some of them can help us compile an accurate history of the school.

FAIRVIEW PLANTATION CEMETERY

Located at Left of Entrance Gate to Fairview Manor Residence of Mr. & Mrs. John T. Mosely, III Copied by E. M. Tipton

Double Stone - Square & Compass - Father & Mother

Thomas M. Gatlin, b. 12 Jan 1818, d. 4 Apr 1875

Martha W. Gatlin, b. 26 Feb 1820, d. 17 Mar 1905

Single Stone: Lillian Leonide Gatlin, b. 15 August 1856, d. 14 March 1902

Small Twin Stone: Our Baby, died Jan 1854 - Stone broken and mended at dates J. E. Gatlin, son of T. M. & M. W. Gatlin, b. 5 January 1859, d. 30 August 1860

F. F. Gatlin, b. 19 November 1848, d. 18 June 1889

Infant son of W. B. & A. E. Foster, died 3 August 1876.

J. J. Chaffin, b. 8 January 1823 (date of death missing from notes)

Susan A. Chaffin, b. 3 November 1833, d. 20 February 1862

Nannie S. Chaffin, b. 22 May 1861, 17 March 1875

Wm. Miller, son of J. J. & S. A. Chaffin, d. 11 Dec 1859, age 5 yrs,3 mos,13 days

The following all on one Four-Foot pyramid Stone:

Elizabethr, wife of A. G. Rich, b. 23 May 1830, d. 25 November 1862 - South side W. B. Rich, b. 30 January, d. 25 March 1873 - West side - - - - - Unable to read East side due to glare of sun.

Willie Murdock, daughter of Dr. W. G. & L. J. Daniel - No dates

Very Large Stone with Square & Compass

Yvonne McAlpin 28 January 1917 2 June 1968 John T. Moseley, II 16 August 1910 7 December 1966

NOTE: John T., II and Yvonne (McAlpin) Moseley are parents of John T. Moseley III. Fairview Manor, built 1840 by T. M. Getlin, his gr.gr.grandfather, is open by appointment. Call Ac 318, 933-5368, or write to him at Kearchia, La. 71046

MACEDONIA CEMETERY

Claiborne Parish, Louisiana - North of Arcadia, Louisiana

The land was deeded by Crotia Madden, widow of Harrison L. Madden, to the Macedonia Church, for a Church building site and a cemetery. Deed recorded in 1892.

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Mr. & Mrs. Paul Madden

AVERETT: W. W., husband of M. A. Averett, b. 16 Aug 1850, d. 9 Sep 1927

Mary T. Averett, b. 4 May 1850, d. 17 May 1949

BAKER: Elder G. T. R. Baker, b. 28 Mar 1849, d. 30 Nov 1939

Victoria A. wife of G. T. R. Baker, dau. of L. P. Crossland, Sr.

b. 21 June 1842, d. 9 Feb 1900.

Corporal R. W. Baker, Co. K 38 Tenn. Inf. C.S.A. - No dates

Grandma, M. A. F. Baker, 1838-1919

Four Sons of R. R. & M. A. F. Baker one lot: Markers for Frankie & Harmie

Joseph R., son of J. J. and Janie Baker, b. 4 Jan 1892, d. 25 Oct 1921

BEARD: Ivan Drayton Beard, 21 Oct 1892, 6 Dep 1899

BECKHAM: James W., 14 Jun 1846, 27 June 1898 Brezil O., 24 Aug 1849, 1 Feb 1897

Oby W., brother, b. 24 Mar 1884, d 31 July 1892

BOATNER: Ethel E., b. 9 Sep 1883, d. 10 Jan 1919

James M., 1867-1939

Exher Eugenia, 21 Sep 1879, 22 Jun 1906

Infant son of J. M. & Exher Boatner, b. 30 May 1906, d. 3 Jul 1906

Pearlie I., dau. of J. M. & E. E. Boatner, b. 7 Jan 1908, d. 31 Oct 1908

BREWER: M. Brewer, wife of J. J. Brewer, b. 27 Mar 1840, d. 26 Oct 1885

John J. Brewer, Co. E, 31st Ala. Inf., C.S.A. - No dates

COON: Susan P. Coon, 1832-1880

COX: C. C. Cox, b. 25 Jul 1859, d. 24 Apr 1910

Burty, daughter of C. C. & D. F. Cox, b. 14 Aug 1889, d. 14 Aug 1889

Ida May, b. 22 Jul 1868, d. 1 May 1913

A. T. Cox, 1861-1934 In Memory by Mrs. A. T. Cox

Lena, b. 4 Jan 1892, d. 25 Oct 1921

CROSSLAND: Mary Ann Bevils, wife of L.P. Crossland, Sr., b. 10 Aug 1810, d. 9 Feb 1888

DAVIDSON: Joe Davidson, b. 25 Nov 1873, d. 19 Apr 1954

Minnie M. G. Davidson, b. 7 May 1880, d. 17 Sep 1955

James A. Davidson, 1860-1911 E. Jane Davidson, 1855-1918

DAVIS: Carrie V. Davis, 1894-1895

Dee Davis 1892-1898
Mom, S. C. Davis,1869-1946
Dad, W. R. Davis,1865-1956
Rush Davis 1890-1962
Lester Davis 1908-1965

MACEDONIA CEMETERY, Claiborne Parish, La., Cont'd -

Infant Daughter of J. D. & A. C. Dobbins, b. 11 Sep 1903, d. 13 Feb 1903 DOBBINS: Frankie A., dau. of J.D. & A.C. Drubbins, b. 18 Sep 1894, d. 12 Aug 1898

Dr. T. P., b. 22 Nov 1869, d. 8 Feb 1915 GAINES: Mother: C. M. Gaines, b. 8 Jun 1844, d. 22 Nov 1936 M. M. Gaines, b. 15 Sep 1839, d. 22 Dec 1914 - Member of Masonic Fraternity Lottie Lee Gaines, wife of Joe Davidson, b. 8 Jan 1875, d. 20 Aug 1902

Addie Maud Cox, wife of B. F. Gantt, b. 10 Sep 1893, d. 19 Jun 1917 GANTT:

HARRELL: Father, John J. Harrell, 18 Oct 1854, 22 Mar 1933 M. E., dau of Steward & M. E. Owens, wife of J. J. Harrell, b. 10 June 1855, d. 8 Jan 1922 Elbert Marvin, son of J.J. & M. E. Harrell, 23 Mar 1893, 14 Jan 1909

HENRY: J. D. Henry, 10 May 1828, 22 Jan 1891 Margaret A. Sanders, wife of J. D. Henry, 2 Jan 1840, 22 Jan 1910 Annie Luretta, dau of J.D. & M.A. Henry, b. 20 Nov 1871, d. 12 Jan 1886 The Initials A.S.H and A.L.H. are on fourth side of this monument

HOOD: Infant Son of Claud & Alberta Hood, born & died 22 Jan 1930 Baby Girl of Fred & Elvie Hood, 29 Jan 1919

Elder Hiram B. Howard, d. 26 Sep 1889, age 72 yrs, 7 mos, 25 days HOWARD: Margaret, wife of Hiram B. Howard, d. 9 Nov 1884, age 66 yrs, 5 mos, 11 d. "Erected by their son, H. Z. Howard" (Tall monument broken at base)

Anzly, son of J. W. & M. B. Jacks, b. 5 Sep 1898, d. 29 April 1908 JACKS: John W. Jacks, 1 Feb 1874 - 13 Apr 1937 Mattie B., 14 Nov 1878 - 17 May 1955

JOHNSON: T. M. Johnson, b. 13 Jun 1860, d. 18 Oct 1884 N. L. C., wife of J.D.M. Johnson, b. 18 Sep 1865, d. 17 Nov 1898

Infant Baba of C. H. & R. E. Keen, 17 May 1917 KEEN: Alton, son of C. H. & R. E. Keen, 24 Dec 1898, 7 Jan 1919 Charlie, 25 Oct 1875 - 19 Oct 1961 Becca, wife, 22 July 1879, 23 Mar 1947

KELLEY: George A., son of O. A. & Catherine, 16 Apr 1873 - 7 May 1893 Lada May, daughter of O. A. & I. R. Kelley, 8 Oct 1869 - 28 Mar 1873

KNIGHTEN: Carey - No dates

Maudie, daughter of R. E. & M. F. Lee, b. 5 Feb 1891, d. 17 Feb. 1892 LEE: Rama, daughter of R. E. & M. F. Lee, b. 19 Jan 1900, d. 25 Feb 1901 Olon, son of R. E. & M. F. Lee, b. 16 Feb 1906, d. 24 Aug 1906

OWENS: Father, T. A. Owens, b. 1855, d. 1917 Mother, C. S. Crossland (His wife) b. 1851, d. 1919 Sarah Emma Hooten, wife of G. H. Owens, 15 Mar 1859, 13 Oct 1933 G. H. Owens, 2 Oct 1858, 18 Nov 1928 Samuel Aldon Owens, 1893-1933 Brother, William Carl Owens, b. 16 Jun 1886, d. 30 Jan 1945

Louiza Harrell, wife of T. J. Owens, b. 22 Oct 1857, d. 20 Apr 1933 T. J. Owens, b. 13 Apr 1848, d. 13 Oct 1911

James Thomas Owens, b. 3 Feb 1882, d. 22 Jul 1883

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Sarah M. Caskey, wife of Stewart Owens, b. 27 Oct 1821, Married 10 Mar 1844, d. 14 Aug 1877

Easter Ann, daughter of Stewart & Sarah M. Owens, wife of George W. Sims,

b. 5 Apr 1853, Married 14 Dec 1876, d. 12 Aug 1877 Steward Owens, b. 8 June 1813, d. 31 Mar 1893

George T., son of M. W. & A. J. Owens, b. 5 Nov 1897, d. 3 Jul 1899 M. W. Owens, b. 8 Nov 1859, d. 3 Oct 1924. He was a member of W.O.W.

Allie J. Owens, b. 14 Dec 1869, d. 19 Dec 1934

PATE: Family of J. J. Pate - John Thomas - No Dates (No other markers)
Georgia - No Dates

PIERCE: Frances Cross Pierce, 12 Nove 1820 - 15 May 1870

W. M. Pierce, 1825-1911

Bertha E., 2 Jul 1893 - 19 Dec 1921

Maude, wife of W. A., b. 18 Aug 1868, d. 1 June 1919

W. A., b. 4 Jun 1862, d 3 Jul 1946

PENIX: G. L., 1851 - 1914

Double (John W. Penix, b. 24 Feb 1887, d. 20 Oct, 1965, La.Co.G,43 Inf.Regt., WW1

Stone (Pattie O., b. 22 Feb 1891 ----

P. C., b. 24 Nov 1880, d. 15 Mar 1921 Minnie M., b. 9 Mar 1882, d. 10 Feb 1962

SANDERS: Aurora C. Sanders, b. 4 Mar 1847, d. 25 Dec 1929

J. W. Sanders, b. 27 Mar 1845, d. 10 Feb 1913 Robert Wiley, b. 22 Dec 1869, d. 25 Sep 1955 Donie Cook Sanders, b. 21 May 1880, - - - -

Aunt: Mary Frances Sanders, b. 28 Oct 1866, d. 15 Jun 1942 Brother: Delos Carlton Sanders, b. 2 May 1915, d. 20 May 1932

Father: William Perry, b. 8 Feb 1874, d. 3 Apr 1927 Mother: Delia Sanders, b. 21 Aug 1874, d. 22 Apr 1958

Perry Lester, son of W.P. & D. E. Sanders, b. 11 Aug 1911, d 26 Jun 1908

Infant son of B. W. & F. G., b. 3 Aug 1906, d. 9 Sep 1906

Margery Sanders, b. 8 July 1902, d. 19 July 1906 John A., b. 21 Aug 1876, d. 16 Feb 1957 - Father

Vanna H., b. 2 Jan 1884, d. 2 Jan 1949

Our Father: Wiley Sanders, b. 8 Oct 1817, d. 6 Jan 1894

Catherine Carlisle, wife of Wiley Sanders, 19 Jul 1822, 16 May 1897

SHERARD: Infant Son of A. R. & J. W. Sherard, 1888

SIMS: Mother: Ursula, wife of G. W. Sims, b. 13 Dec 1852, d. 26 Aug 1928

G. W. Sims, b. 2 May 1854, d. 21 Sep 1915

Rebecca J., wife of J. M. Sims and daughter of Steward & S. M. Owens,

B. 9 Mar 1846, d. 23 Aug 1884

Jane, wife of Alfred Sims, 1830 - 1890

Alfred, husband of Jane Sims, b. 27 June 1828, d. 6 May 1899
Infant Daughter of Philip & Nancy Sims, 8 Jul 1890, 25 Jul 1890
Mandy Bell, dau of Philip & Nannie E. Sims, 14 Nov 1883, 8 Oct 1884

SIMPSON: Joseph A., son of Mattie & Joseph Simpson, b. 27 Jun 1902, d. 27 Jul 1902

Myrtle E., dau. of Fred W.& Nannie M. Simpson, 18 Oct 1912, 21 Oct 1912

STEWARD: Father: James I., b. 15 Sep 1804, d. 13 Sep 1876, A Mason

Mother: Elizabeth Steward, b. 8 Jun 1810, d. 14 Sep 1876

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Jesse R. Taylor, b. 10 Oct 1856, d. 8 Jan 1886

Frances, Died 29 October 1919 (No birth date shown) WAGNER:

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WOOD: James A., huband of Lovicey T. Wood, b. 23 Jul 1834, d. 6 Jan 1900

Lovicey T., wife of James W. Wood, b. 1 Sept 1835, d. 5 Jun 1896

ROGERS CEMETERY (Scott Cemetery on Topographical Map)

On Quail Lane off FM 968, south of Hallsville, Harrison Co., Texas. This old cemetery in good condition and still in use. Copied 19 July 1970 by B. R. Randolph.

NOTE: If descendants of the Etheridge and Johnson families listed in these records will contact the Editor of THE GENIE, they may be able to obtain some very old and important information on these families.

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Joseph Cleveland, b. 10 Aug 1884, d. 14 Jan 1968) One Stone ALLEN:

Ora Freda, b. 19 Jan 1888, d. 3 Feb 1958

ALTON: Oma - No Dates

BROWN: Thomas A., b. 9 Mar 1827, d. 8 Oct 1884

C. C., b. 1 Jan 1817, d. 12 Oct 1888 CHILCOAT:

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Lonnie Lee, son of N. J. & Ida Cooper, b. 12 Dec 1895, d. 13 Dec 1917 COOPER:

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Jessie E. Rogers, 15 Dec 1859, 17 Nov 1938) One Stone Luther, b. 8 Jen 1882 d 200

Luther, b. 8 Jan 1882, d. 28 Jun 1941

ETHERIDGE: Willis D., 24 Aug 1852 - 7 Oct 1855) One Stone : "Children of James E. E. Etheridge" "Children of James & Elizabeth A. C., wife of T. H. Etheridge, 17 Sep 1828 - 7 Aug 1858

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John, b. 13 Dec 1847, d. 17 Mar 1939 2 One Stone FLOOD:

Mollie, b. 22 Nov 1861, d. 18 Feb 1935)

Mary Las, b. 13 Aug 1881, d. 30 Sep 1941 FORREST:

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Charles S., b. 4 Dec 1890, d. 25 Aug 1948 (UM)

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Frances L. Gardner
Emma V. Gardner
Amanda A. Gardner
Frederick Gardner
Mattie B. Gardner
William A. Gardner
Sallie Lou and Nancy Lou
Minnie A. Gardner

May 15, 1834
August 15, 1853
September 23, 1854
December 21, 1855
September 10, 1857
February 2, 1860
January 2, 1862
December 19, 1863
February 18, 1868
May 12, 1866
October 17, 1869

MARRIAGES

James Miles Barfoot to F. L. Gardner S. B. Barfoot to Ola Wilson Ludie Barfoot to J. J. Hayes E. M. Barfoot to Roscoe Russell Ray Barfoot to Addie Stamper Ruth Barfoot to Lester Russell Leon Barfoot to Ollie Gordon Otto Barfoot to Nettie Vance Edwin Barfoot to Ethel Speight

November 13, 1872 December 5, 1895 April 10, 1904 September 16, 1906 November 4, 1906 December 19, 1908 No Date March 8, 1917 No Date

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J. M. Barfoot F. L. Barfoot T. W. Barfoot S. B. Barfoot M. E. Barfoot M. W. Barfoot J. W. Barfoot F. L. Barfoot Fredrick L. Barfoot M. O. Barfoot M. R. Barfoot T. L. Barfoot E. W. Barfoot Infant Penelope Oxford M. R. Gardner T. F. Gardner

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DEATHS

T. W. Barfoot
M. W. Barfoot
J. W. Barfoot
Infant
M. R. Gardner
T. F. Gardner
Penelope Ozborn
Fannie L. Barfoot
Mattie Eunice Barfoot
Fedric Leroy Barfoot
J. M. Barfoot
S. Baxter Barfoot
Walter Barfoot

July 30, 1875
August 15, 1882
September 24, 1884
April 13, 1905
November 5, 1903
May 5, 1907
April 6, 1895
January 3, 1913
July 8, 1920
November 22, 1922
June 9, 1932
January 26, 1929
July 31, 1875

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Thomas Frederic Gardner and Martha Hartzfield Gardner were married January 20, 1853.

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B. W. Sansing and M. E. Sansing were married November 14, 1872.

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VERNON VIGNETTES Special December 1970 Anniversary Issue

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The Alabama Genealogical Society Magazine, published quarterly: January, April, July and October, contains data of great importance to many genealogists in the Ark-La-Tex area. This quarterly is on the exchange list of THE GENIE and is on the Alabama shelf of the Genealogy Room, Shreve Memorial Library. Mrs. Charles E. Norton, Editor, and her staff are doing a fine job of publishing valuable, much meeded records. The names of the Society's Officers, Committee Members and the District Directors comprise a list of 'Who's Who in Alabama Genealogical Circles." Membership and subscription details may be obtained from Mrs. Henry Neil Segrest, President of Alabama Genealogical Society, P. O. Box 569, Tuskegee, Ala. 36083. A self-addressed stamped envelope should be enclosed with any request for information.

The October 1970 issue of the Alabama Genealogical Society Magazine contains much important data, two records being outstanding.

First, the 1830 Census of Butler County Alabama, copied from a new roll of microfilm of the now almost illegible schedules by Mr. & Mrs. Rufus Watson. Mr. Watson states that he can guarantee there are errors in this transcript. However, it can save many of you many hours of tedious searching, and the errors are certainly minimal. Our own Mark Franklin is missing but all five of our Burketts are included, and that's almost perfect. We missed Mark the first three times we checked this census, and we were looking for him just as hard as we could. "Almost Illegible" is not adequate to describe the 1830 census of Butler County Alabama. Everyone interested in Butler County at this period should stand up and give three loud cheers for the Rufus Watsons.

Second, and most important to many of you, the first installment of Records from Old Town Cemetery in Dallas County Alabama, near the Lowndes County line, submitted by Miss Alice Lee. Some of the tombstone inscriptions are the answer to a genealogist's prayers, giving place of birth, parents, date of marriage, name of husband or wife, church membership, and other valuable details. We visited this ancient cemetery several years ago and ever since have fervently hoped someone would have the time and courage to copy these records. Time, because it is a rather large cemetery with much detail on the old weather-worn tombstones; and Courage, because many graves are closely spaced, some are eroded underground and to step on one of those could mean disaster, and the entire area looks like a refuge for snakes. Miss Alice Lee must be a very brave and dedicated person.

TO ALL OTHER GENEALOGICAL ORGANIZATIONS: If you would like your announcements published in THE GENIE, let us hear from you. The mext issue due out April 1.

Now about us: This Issue of THE GENIE is a few days late. The Editor has been slowed down with arthritis - sometimes to a full stop - material was late getting in, and we have spent considerable time trying to reorganize and improve our GENIE. Additional help from new committees will make things much easier in the future. Our very sincere thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Roland Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Slimer for helping collate the first half of this edition, and preparing the mailing envelopes.

I would also like to express my appreciation to the many editors of others quarterlies, and to the countless individuals who have either published some favorable comment about our own little GENIE, or have sent me such kind notes and letters. Thank you very much, and Happy New Year! Ena Lee Jipton

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INFORMATION, PLEASE

HALL-HALL: George F. Hall pension application field 11 Oct 1890, gave residence as Basin Springs, Grayson Co., Texas, witnessed by James E. Anderson and Frank Hodges. George Hall d. 1907, but unable to locate Basin Springs, Texas or his place of death and burial. Dempsey (John?) Hall, no kin to George, lived in Bienville Parish, La. and died ca 1861. Does anyone know where he is buried? I need location of all old cemeteries in Alabama Bend-Lake Bisteaneau area Bienville Parish, La. Mrs. Vernon Honley, 612 W. 73rd St., Shreveport, La. 71106.

PORTER-ADKINS: James Patterson Porter, b. 1777-78 in W.C. His wife Wary Adkins b. 1788 in Virginia d. 15 Dec 1862 at Bayou DeSied, Madison Parish, La. This family lived in Tennessee 1810-12, listed on 1830 census Warren Co., Miss. Did James P. die in Mississippi or did he move to Madison Parish, La.? Need his parents, date and place of death and burial. Children of James P. and Mary (Adkins) Porter who grew to adulthood were: William Adkins, John Carson, James Patterson Jr., George Washington, Samuel Harrison and Sarah Sophronia Porter. James Patterson Jr. m. Catherine Jane Barefield and moved to Crystal Springs, Miss. Sarah Sophronia m. Jefferson Zuber and lived in Madison Parish, La. Samuel Harrison d. 1847 and may have descendants living in Louisiana, but no record of his marriage. Will exchange data. All help appreciated. Mrs. B. W. Goss, Box 734, Mansfield, La. 71052.

(NOTE: Mrs. Goss send her 5-generation pedigree chart to be published in April GENIE. Families include Cottingham, Flewellen, Floyd, McClure, McIntosh, Rowe & Thompson.)

HOLMES-POPE: Robert Holmes b. 18 Feb 1757, d. 28 Sep 1812. His son Robert Holmes b. 12 Nov 1775, d. 27 Aug 1820, m. Sarah Pope 12 Feb 1806 (dau of Burwell Pope.) Need parents, place of birth, residence & death, brothers, sisters and other children of Robert Holmes Sr. and his wife. Will exchange information. Dr. T. V. Holmes, Jr., 826 Gladstone Blvd., Shreveport, La. 71104.

COOK-HARGROVE: William (Crawford?) Cook b. 11 Feb 1803, d. 1840 near Selma, Ala., married a widow Mrs. John (Louisa A. Hargrove, who after Wm. Cook's death m. a non-relative Richard Cook of Dallas Co., Ala. Need parents and birthplace of William Cook and wife, brother & sisters of both, where William Cook is buried. Dr. T. V. Holmes, Jr., 826 Gladstone Blvd., Shreveport, La. 71104.

HALL-TUBBS: George Hall b. in N.C. or S.G., d. ca 1890 Summerfield, Claiborne Parish, La., married Elizabeth Tubbs 10 Sep 1844 in Perry Co., Ala. Need parents, birthplace, brothers & sisters, other data on George Hall and Elizabeth Tubbs. Dr. T. V. Holmes, Jr., 826 Gladstone Blvd., Shreveport, La. 71104.

LANGSTON-WALKER: Lafayette Langston, b. S.C., m. Emeline Walker b. ca 1830 in S.C. Need parents, dates and places of birth and death, other data on both. Dr. T. V. Holmes, Jr., 826 Gladstone Blvd., Shreveport, La. 71104.

The following 14 queries submitted by Bill Redditt are published as written to illustrate how to write good queries. Note his offer to exchange information.

(1) REDDITT, BARROQUE, PRICE, IRBY, SLEDGE, CROSS, ESTIS, REYNOLDS, MITCHELL, MESSILL: William Caradine Reddit Sr., married Frances Edenfield Warburton in No. Carolina ca 1800. Had 12 children, moved to Carroll Co., Miss. ac 1833. The sons married girls whose surnames were: Barroque, Redditt, Irby, Sledge, Ryenolds, Mitchell and Missell. The daughters married men whose names were: Price, Irby, Cross & Estis. Will correspond and exchange information with anyone interested in these families. W. M. Redditt Jr., P. O. Box 1222, Shreveport, La. 71102.

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(2) REDDITT, MOORE, GREER, ROBERTS, BARMORE, DOTTERY, FINNELL, MARTIN:

David Redditt and wife Mildred J. Moore (dau of Elijah and Susan (Mitchell) Moore) moved to Yalobusha Co., Miss. ca 1830 where they lived until ca 1843. Their dau. Harriet Adeline married Dr. Thomas Jefferson Greer and remained in Webster Co., Miss. Their daughters married as follows: Mary to F. M. Roberts, Susan to W. L. Dottery, Jane to J. C. Finnell and Sarah to J. W. Martin. Their one son John R. Greer married Julia Barmore. Have good records on these descendants and will be happy to correspond and exchange. W. M. Redditt, Box 1222, Shreveport, Ls. 71102.

(3) MISSISSIPPI FAMILIES:

Have information of the following listed Mississippi families that I would be happy to exchange with anyone also interested in them. REDDITT, JOHNSTON, GILBERT, YONGUE, GREER, ROBERTS, BARMORE, DOTTERY, FINNELL, MARTIN, HARVEY, FRICE, IRBY, SLEDGE, CROSS, ESTIS, REYNOLDS, CARSON, WHITEHEAD, BLANKS, NYE, SAUNDERS, WEED.

W. M. Redditt, Jr., P.O. Box 1222, Shreveport, La. 71102.

(4) DAVIS, GEREN, SAUNDERS, RIVES:

John H. Davis, b. in North Carolina, son of General Hamilton Davis, married Hettie E. Geren, daughter of Abraham and Sarah Geren, moved to Choctaw Co., Miss. in 1834, and later in Carroll Co., Miss. Daughter Sarah Rebecca married Dr. James F. Saunders. Son Sim C. married Emma E. Rives. Would like to correspond and exchange information on these families. W. M. Redditt Jr., Box 1222, Shreveport, La. 71102.

(5) REDDITT:

Thomas Henry Redditt, b. 1821 in North Carolina and wife Mary B., b. 1834 in Ark. had three sons, Muller, Tommie H. & Ralph. Believe Thomas Henry was a physcian as was his son Ralph. This family lived in Yazoo and Holmes Counties, Miss. Thomas Henry and sons Muller and Tommie buried in Rocky Springs Baptist Church Cemetery in Yazoo Co., Miss. Would like to correspond with any descendants of this family. W. M. Redditt Jr., P.O. Box 1222, Shreveport, La. 71102.

(6) JOHNSTON, GILBERT:

Gideon Johnston, b. 1801 in Laurens Dist., So. Carl, and Beulah Gilbert, b. 1800 in Newberry Dist., S.C., mar. 1823 in Claiborne Co., Miss. where they reared nine sons. I have records on these sons, but would like to know names of parents and more about Gideon Johnston and Beulah Gilbert. Would be happy to exchange with anyone knowing more about these two families. W. M. Redditt Jr., P.O. Box 1222, Shreveport, La. 71102.

(7) SAUNDERS, DAVIS:

Dr. James F. Saunders, b. ca 1825, possibly No. Car., graduated from Rush Medical College in Chicago in 1846. Married in Carroll Co., Miss. in 1852 Sarah Rebecca Davis, dau of John H. and Hettie E. (Geren) Davis. Dr. Saunders supposedly went off to Civil War where he was killed and buried in North Carolina. Would like to correspond and exchange data with anyone knowing anything about this Saunders family. I have the Davis records. W. M. Redditt Jr., Box 1222, Shreveport, La. 71102.

(8) REDDITT:

Can anyone tell me anything about the following Redditt men who all married in Dorchester County, Maryland: James Redditt mar. Harriet Vickars, 17 May 1838.

Govane Redditt mar. Elizabeth C. Wingate, 13 Jan 1857. James Redditt mar. Mary North, 27 Oct 1859. W. M. Redditt Jr., Box 1222, Shreveport, La. 71102.

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(9) REDDITT, RIDDETT, RIDDITT, REDIATT:

Pioneers of Massachusetts by Pope states, "John Rediatt, age 26 came to America in the ship Confidence in 1633, from Sutton, Mandifield, Wilts, and settled in Sudbury, Mass. Later removed to Marlboro, Mass., where he reared a family. The New England Gen and Hist Quarterly states, "John Riddet came from Southampton, England in 1638 in the ship Confidence of London." Same publication states, "Susanna Rediate mar. Jacob Farrer in 1692, lived in Middlesex County, Mass." Jacob Farrar, their son was killed in battle around Concord, Mass. in 1725. Also mentioned Josiah Jones, son of Nathaniel and Mary(Reddit) Jones, was born in Concord, Mass. in 1701. Would like to correspond with anyone knowing anything about these families. W. M. Redditt Jr., P.O. Box 1222, Shreveport, La. 71102.

(10) REDDITT:

Thomas Redditt, b. ca 1794, d. 1855 in Bertie Co., N.C. Had children Thomas W., Margaret E., Henry B., and Harriet Martha who married John A. Burn in 1855 and was living in Covington, St. Tammany Parish, La. Tomas W. Redditt mar. Sarah (Sally) F. Ward in 1852 in N.C. and had children Thomas, Pattie, Robert and Henry. Thomas W. died in Bertie Co., N.C. in 1877. Will exchange information on this family. W. M. Redditt Jr., P.O. Box 1222, Shreveport, La. 71102.

(11) REDDITT:

Constantine, Lodowick and Job Redditt, said to be brothers, came from England in mid 1700's landing in North Carolina. Does anyone know where in England they came from, or anything about their families after landing in Wilmington. There was a John B. Redditt, b. in So. Carolina, living in Volusia Co., Florida in 1860, and in Orange Co., Florida in 1880. Would like to have data on this family. Will gladly exchange. W. M. Redditt, P. O. Box 1222, Shreveport, La. 71102.

(12) SAYERS, MILLER:

William M. Miller and Martha Sayers mar. in DeSoto Parish, La. in 1858, where they reared a large family. Martha A. Sayers was born 25 Feb 1839 in Dahlonega, Lumpkin Co., Georgia and din in Louisiana in 1898. Both her parents were born in Georgia. She had brothers James William and John F. Who were parents of these Sayers children? I have the Miller records, but would like to correspond and exchange data with anyone having knowledge of Sayers family. W. M. Redditt Jr., P.O. Box 1222, Shreveport, La. 71102.

(13) PEARCE, WILLIAMS, MOORE, CARADINE, WARBURTON:

These women all in North Carolina late 1700's or early 1800's, all married Redditt men. Mary Pearce m. Lodowick; Sarah Williams m. Josiah Sr.; Elizabeth Williams m. Aquilla; Mildred J. Moore m. David; Elizabeth Cardine m. Peter; Frances E. Warburton m. William C. Will exchange information with anyone interested in above families. W. M. Redditt Jr., P.O. Box 1222, Shreveport, La. 71102.

(14) CRATCH, TEUTON, McCABE, FLEETWOOD, FLATT, OUTLAW, RESPASS, GAYLORD:
These men all in North Carolina in late 1700's or early 1800's, and all married
Redditt women. John Cratch m. Sallay Anne; Major Teuton m. Nancy; Daniel H. McCabe
m. Peggy M.; Hardy Fleetwood m. Sarah; J. V. Flatt m. Cynthia; J. C. Outlaw m.
Cyntia M.; Thomas Respass m. Prudence; Langley Respass m. Elizabeth and Hosea
Gaylord m. Rhoda. Would like to correspond and exchange data with anyone interested in the above families. W. M. Redditt, P.O. Box 1222, Shreveport, La. 71102.

INFORMATION, PLEASE

We regret to inform you that Information, Please is suffering from malnutrition and parental neglect. After all, it's your column, too, so what else can you call what ails it? Please note that only four members out of 138 sent in queries for publication in this issue. That's a disgrace to the jay birds!

Queries are published free. Perhaps if we charged a fee, searchers would consider it more important, but we will postpone that for a while. The President of the Ark-La-Tex Genealogical Association and his wife, Editor of THE GENIE, could fill several pages of the "Information, Please" section with their own personal queries each issue, but we aren't sure this would be exactly ethical, so we will postpone that also for a while. After a year of begging you to send in your queries, I give up. No more begging. I'm just not the "begging" type. From now on it's strictly up to you. Now, I'm just plain pleading with you all to help keep this poor starving child of ours alive until it can stand on its own two feet.

There should be some kind of rules for submitting queries, but they would be too difficult to set up, and many members couldn't follow them without a lot of trouble.

JUST WRITE THEM UP THE BEST WAY YOU CAN AND SEND THEM IN, THAT'S WHAT COUNTS.

It would be nice to have them typed, but if you can't type, just write as plainly as you can, especially names and dates. I'll figure out most of it somehow.

Include all the dates, places, spouses, children, and other data on each person you need information on, so the reader will know what you want, and be able to identify the individual or family you are searching for. I suggest working from a family group sheet when you write your query, so you will include the data you have and be specific about what you don't have and what you want. I've found this is the best way to get it all down in a logical manner.

It would certainly help to receive all queries by March 1 for the April issue, by June 1 for the July issue, and by September 1 for the October Issue. This section will be held open until the last possible minute, but it surely does make things rough to have to wait until the day THE GENIE is due to be mailed, then have to add an extra page, or leave one out somewhere else. Our printer, who doesn't charge a dime for his work, gets pretty discomboomerated with me when I make him wait until I type up two extra pages. I'm a very slow typist.

Let's make this Real Honest-to-Goodness Happy New Year! Let's not let our little Information, Please die as dead as a door knob! It's real low sick! Only your help can save it, and I'm counting on you to do your part soon.

Again, HAPPY NEW YEAR, EVERYBODY! And thanks for the cooperation and assistance you have given me in the past year.

Ema Lee Tipton Editor THE GENIE