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The Ark-La-Tex Genealogical Association, Inc., is a non-profit, non-sectarian, non-political, educational organization, dedicated solely to the cause of Genealogy, which includes the following purposes:

To collect, preserve and make available genealogical materials, documents and records. To encourage an interest in Genealogy and to sponsor educational programs for its development.

To promote and publicize the City of Shreveport, Louisiana as a major Genealogical Research Center for genealogists and historians interested in records of the entire State of Louisiana and the Ark-La-Tex area. To cooperate with and assist all other genealogical, historical and patriotic societies and libraries in the furtherance of these purposes for the mutual benefit of all.

To compile and publish a regular quarterly Genealogical magazine, THE GENIE, and to publish large collections of specific data of the Ark-La-Tex area.

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Our term of office will end December 1972, when the new officers for the years 1973 and 1974, (2 year terms) will be elected and installed. However, as the junior Past President, I will serve as ex-officio member of the Board of Directors, and will continue as printer of "The Genie", and will assist the Editor, as well as working to support the new officers of this association in every way possible.

Members are urged to attend our next regular meeting, "Second Saturday", 9 December 1972 to help elect the officers of your choice

Don't forget to pay your dues for 1973, still only \$5.00 per calendar year.

Please use the regular membership and dues form enclosed.

a report of the years activities will be in the January 1973 GENIE.

Best wishes for a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year..

Your outgoing President,

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P. S.

Mrs Mary B. Warren of Daniellsville, Georgia will be lecturer for our Seventh Annual Workshop, 11 August 1973. Details will be announced later.

SIXTH ANNUAL WORKSHOP

Our Sixth Annual Workshop was held 12 August 1972 at the Holiday Inn in Bossier City, Louisiana. Mr. Charles E. Roemer II, Commissioner of Administration for the State of Louisiana, welcomed the group to Bossier City. Mrs. Virginia Pope Livingston of Chester Virginia, lectured on Research in Virginia and North Carolina. Mr. Roemer's impressive welcome, Mrs. Livingston's brilliant and informative lectures, the hospitality of Holiday Inn and an audience of highly intelligent experienced genealogists, all combined to make this our most successful workshop to date.

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On the 19th August 1972, the second Annual Conference of Genealogical Societies was held in Ft. Worth, Texas. A permanent organization, known as The Southwest Conference of Genealogical and Historical Societies was formed. The annual meeting of this Conference will be held in July 1973, at Ft. Worth, Texas.

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GENAEOLOGICAL HISTORY LECTURES HELD

The Caddo Council on Aging, Inc. scheduled a series of six weekly lectures on 21 separate subjects of special interest to people over 60 years of age. The lectures were held in Jackson Hall on the Centenary College Campus of Shreveport, Louisiana. Lectures of major interest to Genealogists were "Louisiana History" by Dr. Walter Lowery and "Genealogy" by Mr. Billy R. Randolph, who was assisted by Ennis M. Tipton. Both of these lecture courses were well attended to further and continue to improve the Genealogical Historical Climate in this section of Louisiana.

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GENEALOGY COURSE TO BE OFFERED AT NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY

At our Workshop on 12 August, we were told of tentative plans for a full 15 week, 3 hour course in Genealogy to begin at Northwestern State University in Natchitoches, La. at the next school term. These plans are now completed.

Mrs. Fern Christensen, Assistant Professor in Education, will be teaching Library Science 406, Applied Research--Genealogy, in the Spring semester at Northwestern State University, Natchitoches, La. The class begins Monday, January 22, 1973, and continues every Monday for fifteen weeks.

The fee will be \$47.00, the usual fee for a university class on the Natchitoches Campus. The credit earned will be 3 semester hours. If credit is not wanted for a specific curriculum, one can enroll for audit or as a special student. Enrollment entitles one to a University ID (Identification card) which is also the University Library Card.

The course is a basis research course to help one begin genealogy searching. Fundamental sources will be investigated and various recording practices will be identified. If one is somewhat experienced in genealogy work, deeper examination of materials will be guided.

Essential materials pertinent to this course will be applicable not only to personal genealogy, but also to the researcher of vital records for various uses --either fact or fiction.

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SPECIAL NOTICE

Due to the illness of the Editor, this issue of "The Genie" was prepared by Mrs. Sarah Lee Hamiter, Mrs. Willie Mae Weaver, Mr. John A. Manry and E. M. Tipton. Some book reviews, all ads, and some other material scheduled for publication have been postponed until the January issue.

The following is reprinted from The Shreveport Times, Sunday, October 1, 1972

GOVERNOR'S LIBRARY MEET IS SCHEDULED

Louisiana's first Governor's Conference is scheduled to be held February 9, 1973 in Baton Rouge, according to Governor Edwin Edwards.

"As education is the keynote of society, a healthy library system is the corner stone of education," the Governor said. He added that the purpose of the conference will be to focus attention on the services and needs of La. Libraries and to enlist lay and official cooperation in meeting the needs.

Area appointees to serve on the conference steering committee include: from Northwest Louisiana: John C. Bright, AFL-CIO, Northwest District and president, Central Trades and Labor Council; and Mrs. Laura Seals, Assistant Librarian, Shreve Memorial Library, Shreveport, Louisiana.

From Southwest Louisiana: Mrs. Robert Christman of Lake Charles; L. H. Coltharp, Jr. DeRidder Attorney and Chairman of Library Development Committee of Louisiana; and Mrs. Weldon Lynch, Oakdale member of the Allen Parish Library Board.

From Central Louisiana: Robert Bays, Pineville, Vice-President and General Manager of Union Federal Savings and Loan; Mrs. H. Lamar Boese, Republican Committee Woman from Alexandria; and John B. Richard, Librarian LSU Alexandria.

From Northeast Louisiana: State Senator James H. Brown, Ferriday; Sam A. Dyson, Ruston, Head Librarian Louisiana Tech University; Mrs. Dan Moore, Jr., of Monroe; Mrs. Katherine Pichoff of Oak Grove, Chairman Trustees Section Louisiana Library Association and member West Carroll Parish Library Board. Robert C. Snyder of Ruston, Director of Language Department, Louisiana Tech University and Chairman Louisiana State Library Board."

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Now, read this news release again and let it soak in. When the Governor of any State takes time to investigate and recognize the need for more and better libraries, this is an expression of his sincere desire and determination to meet the needs of all his people.

The Honorable Edwin W. Edwards, Governor of the State of Louisiana, has only been in office six months and surely broken all records by setting up this conference on Libraries. Please note, this will be the very first such conference held in Louisiana.

Every member of the Ark-La-Tex Genealogical Association and the Genie - pledges their active and wholehearted support to Governor Edwards in his effort to meet the need for improved library facilities in Louisiana, in any and every area of the State.

We urge every Genealogical and Historical Organization in Louisiana to join with us in this pledge --To let Governor Edwards know that you will support this program and appreciate his interest in it.

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THE SIXTEENTH ANNUAL GENEALOGICAL INSTITUTE

The following announcement comes from Harold Prejean, Jr. of Lafayette, La.

The Sixteenth Annual Genealogical Institute will be held on the Campus of the University of Southwestern Louisiana in Lafayette on March 31, 1973. It is sponsored by the Louisiana Genealogical and Historical Society.

Details of this Annual Institute and other Genealogical Workshops and Seminars will be published in the January issue of The Genie. All Societies of the Ark-La-Tex area are urged to send their announcements at once.

ANTONIO, MAXAMILLIAN
4/26/1852 - 3/28/1918

ARMSTRONG, AMADELLA LOTT
10/27/1867 - 6/26/1935
(wife of William J. Armstrong)

ARMSTRONG, DORA LUCENDA "Aunt Cena"
10/26/1886 - 9/3/1959

ARMSTRONG, MARY
1899 - 1938

ARMSTRONG, WILLIAM J.
10/18/1862 - 9/18/1945
(husband of Amadella A. Armstrong)

AYRES, LUTHER (A child; no dates)

BALDWIN, CHARLEY EDWARD
12/28/1887 - 6/3/1957

BALDWIN, EUNICE
dau. of Charlie & Laura Baldwin
3/7/1912 - 4/29/1912

BALDWIN, LAURA MAXEY
1880 - 1929

BALDWIN, MARIE
2/2/1922 - 6/25/1922

BARNETT, DOROTHY ISABELL
5/31/1886 -
(wife of William Jessie Barnett)

BARNETT, WILLIAM JESSIE
9/1/1883 - 4/18/1936
(husband of Dorothy Isabell Barnett)

BASS, GEORGE
Louisiana Pvt 156 Inf 39 Div
1/2/1918

BASS, LENA
2/18/1889 - 3/29/1963
(wife of Robert E. Bass)

BASS, MARGUERITE L.
2/17/1924 - 11/7/1928

BASS, ROBERT E.
8/20/1888 -
(husband of Lena Bass)

BASS, S. J.
1862 - 12/11/1916

BASS, SARAH P.
wife of S. J. Bass
8/19/1861 - 6/3/1914

BELL, PEARL
4/7/1908 - 4/1/1918

BERRY, LELAN DAVIS
7/8/1908 - 2/26/1918

BERRY, LEONA
9/5/1903 - 2/25/1918

BERRY, S. D.
12/12/1874 - 6/5/1938

BERRY, MRS. S. D.
1/7/1879 - 12/10/1955

BRAY, BARBARA E.
2/9/1938 - 8/29/1944
"Gone so Soon"

BRAY, DAVID MARTIN "Father" (a Mason)
9/15/1896 - 3/3/1967
(husband of Sudie Minter Bray)

BRAY, E. C. (a Mason)
1870 - 1927 "Father"

BRAY, EDWARD C. (a Mason)
10/1/1919 - 9/17/1963
Husband of Vandene Wedgeworth,
Father of Kay, Sandra and Judy

BRAY, EDWARD MICHAEL
10/28/1946 - 11/11/1946
son of Edward C. & Vandene Bray

BRAY, J. C.
son of Mr. & Mrs. E. C. Bray
4/14/1906 - 10/7/1934
"Father let thy grace be given
That we may meet in heaven"

BRAY, JAMES MARLIN
8/9/1936 - 8/10/1936
"Gone so soon"

BRAY, JUANITA EDNA
1/14/1927 - 6/28/1929

BRAY, MARK
1/6/1957 Infant son of
Edward C. & Vandene Bray

BRAY, MARY BELL MARTIN
wife of E. C. Bray
1/20/1875 - 6/11/1898

BRAY, NATHAN H.
son of Mr. & Mrs. E. C. Bray
6/1/1913 - 9/28/1926

BRAY, SUDIE MINTER "Mother"
12/6/1897 -
(wife of David Martin Bray)

BRAY, SYBLER
1/6/1946 - 1/6/1946
"Just passed by"
(On same stone with Barbara E. Bray)

BRAY, VERTIS OBRA
son of Mr. & Mrs. E. C. Bray
7/13/1903 - 5/31/1904

BRITT, JOHN HARMON "Father"
3/16/1873 - 8/26/1926
husband of Sally Britt

BRITT, JOHN HENRY "Brother"
11/17/1918 - 6/18/1966

BRITT, SALLY "Mother" 3/28/1888 -
(wife of John Harmon Britt)

BRITT, WILLIE B.
Louisiana Pvt Med Dept WW II
10/19/1920 - 5/5/1967

CARTER, B. B.
1/27/1860 - 3/20/1906

CARTER, ANNIE VIOLA
dau. of B. B. & Mary A. Carter
8/15/1896 - 12/27/1899

CARTER, WILLIE TRAVIS
6/3/1895 - 1/16/1910

CARTINEZ, BELANDA J.
d. Feb. 15 (?), 1964
aged 1 yr. 15 days
(Warren Fun. Home, Many, La. marker)

CHAMBERS, B. F.
2/2/1876 - 10/20/1954

CHAMBERS, BERNICE "Mother"
8/27/1922 - 8/3/1961

CHAMBERS, DEVELIA P.
9/29/1904 -
(wife of Lawrence H. Chambers)

CHAMBERS, J. M.
12/17/1880 - 3/19/1961
"We remember him"

CHAMBERS, LAWRENCE H.
9/26/1899 - 4/27/1961
(husband of Develia P. Chambers)

CHAMBERS, MINNOW V. "Mother"
10/24/1880 - 12/1/1962
"No more farewells, flights of
angels sing thee to thy rest"

CHOWNS, MARTHA JANE "Mother"
2/21/1897 - 1/1/1962
(wife of William S. Chowns)
"Sheltered and safe from sorrow"

CHOWNS, RACHEL HORTON
12/21/1858 - 8/5/1929

CHOWNS, THOMAS
10/22/1942 - 6/17/1913

CHOWNS, WILLIAM S. "Father"
3/19/1888 - 9/5/1962
(husband of Martha Jane Chowns)
"Sheltered and safe from sorrow"

CHOWNS, WILLIAM SPENCER
1/12/1920 - 12/17/1920

CROW, LOU ELLEN
12/23/1862 - 11/20/1920

CROW, WILLIAM RILEY
1/30/1856 - 2/17/1932

DOWNS, ROBERT LEE
4/6/1870 - 6/24/1951

DORR, CLARENCE H.
9/22/1891 - 3/25/1969
Louisiana Pvt U. S. Army WW II

DORR, EPIE
1875 - 1940

FALCON, ISABEL
10/11/1914 - 7/15/1964

FRANKLIN, BETTIE
12/5/1894 - 2/9/1926
"A tender mother and faithful friend"

FUSSELL, HETTIE E.
2/24/1866 - 12/23/1954
"Blessed are the dead which die in
the Lord"

FUSSELL, T. J.
3/22/1847 - 11/22/1914
"After serving in the Confederate
War a true soldier, he then surr-
endered all to God"

GALLUP, ZONNIE
wife of L. C. Gallup
10/14/1901 - 7/26/1931

GARZA, C. G.
1889 - 1944

GIBSON, CATHERINE DUGGAN
1835 - 1910
"Mother, Grandmother, Confederate
widow"

GIBSON, MARY E.
(see Mary E. Gibson Nabours)

GOUR, OPEAL
6/14/1904 - 3/14/1907
"Gone to be an angel"

GREEN, J. M.
5/27/1852 - 11/14/1921
"Christ loved him and took him
home"

HUNDT, GERHARD (no marker)
d. March, 1972, aged 66 years
born near Berlin, Germany

LAFITTE, ADDIE L.
2/9/1891 -
wife of Dave L. Lafitte

LAFITTE, DAVE L.
9/8/1894 - 10/23/1923

LAFITTE, LOYD HEFLIN
Sgt U.S. Air Force WW II BSM
2/11/1919 - 6/29/1957

LOTT, AMADELLA
(see Amadella Lott Armstrong)

LOVELADY, CORBIT
6/1/1912 - 3/10/1913
"At rest in Heaven"

LOVELADY, ELIGAH
6/27/1858 - 1/8/1942
(husband of Mahala Lovelady)

LOVELADY, MAHALA
10/7/1861 - 12/31/1920

LOVELADY, ROBERT
5/6/1916 - 4/5/1917
"Our trust is in God"

MARTIN, MARY BELL
(see Mary B. Martin Bray)

MAXEY, Infant
son of Mr. & Mrs. Louis Maxey
1/30/1947

MAXEY, ANNA F. "Mother", "Mama"
11/21/1888 -
(wife of
MAXEY, "Father", "Papa"
9/15/1878 - 6/2/1963

MAXEY, IDA "Mother"
wife of T. J. Maxey
6/30/1871 - 12/29/1932

MAXEY, JOHN WESLEY
6/14/1892 - 1/7/1963
(husband of Vessie M. Maxey)

MAXEY, LOUIS
2/20/1912 -
(hasband of Tabitha Maxey)

MAXEY, MATTIE
9/4/1857 - 2/19/1942

MAXEY, NELDA FAYE
4/14/1937 - 3/1/1939

MAXEY, RICHARD
7/28/1926 - 7/21/1970

MAXEY, RICHARD M. "Our father"
3/21/1851 - 5/23/1921

MAXEY, TABITHA
7/24/1913 - 3/6/1969
(wife of Louis Maxey)

MAXEY, VESSIE M.
12/2/1896 - 11/2/1964
(wife of John Wesley Maxey)

MAXIE, BETTY ELIZABETH
1/12/1860 - 1/28/1905

MAXIE, EMMITT LEON
1881 - 1910

MAXIE, NORMAN W.
Louisiana Pvt Co G 5 Inf WW I
4/25/1886 - 8/31/1964

McLENDON, JAMES EDWARD
1/11/1940 - 3/19/1940

MESHELL, BLANCH
9/12/1899 - 8/30/1949
"The peace of God which passeth
all understanding"

MESHELL, DORSEY B.
1/2/1924 - 9/6/1924

MESHELL, EUGENE
son of Emmett & Blanch Meshell
11/10/1932 - 9/12/1948
"Only sleeping"

MESHELL, JOHN
1881 - 1959

MESHELL, RACHEL 'CRYER'
1888 - 1923

MESHELL, WILLIAM A.
8/15/1889 - 4/9/1971

MILLER, HERBERT LONNIE
12/27/1924 - 2/5/1955

MINTER, SUDIE
(see Suddie Minter Bray)

NABOURS, ED. Q.
d. 5/30/1910, aged 26 years
"Husband and father"

NABOURS, GEORGE M. "Father"
12/15/1851 - 3/29/1932
(husband of Mary E. Gibson Nabours)
"Friend of the friendless"

NABOURS, J. A.
son of G. M. & M. E. Nabours
7/7/1881 - 11/30/1912

NABOURS, M. LULAR
7/7/1879 - 4/19/1898

NABOURS, MARY E. GIBSON "Mother"
4/3/1854 - 7/17/1931
(wife of George M. Nabours)
"Friend of the friendless"

NABOURS, MAY
1890 - 1953

OLIVER, R. C.
3/15/1885 - 11/29/1954

PARKER, CHAPLEY D.
1877 - 1925

PARKER, W. I.
10/26/1879 - 3/12/1918

PARKER, WILLIE EDWARD
11/4/1917 - 12/12/1934

PARROT, Infant - 1922
dau. of Mr. & Mrs. G. C. Parrot

PARROT, Infant - 1925
dau. of Mr. & Mrs. G. C. Parrot

PARROT, Infant - 1927
dau. of Mr. & Mrs. G. C. Parrot

PATTERSON, OSCAR J.
Texas Pvt 1 Cl 142 Inf 36 Div
3/19/1935

PILCHER, FLORA
(see Flora Pilcher Wedgeworth)

PILCHER, SAMUEL E.
7/27/1901 - 1/3/1931

RIVERS, CLARENCE
1912 - 1959

ROGERS, Baby
d. 1937

ROGERS, MARTHA ARMSTRONG
12/27/1919 - 9/19/1968

SANDERS, MARGRETTE S.
(see Margrette S. Sanders Thomas)

SHARBENO, ERNEST J.
12/15/1904 - 2/2/1969
(husband of Pearl Sharbeno)

SHARBENO, PEARL
12/18/1910 -
(wife of Ernest J. Sharbeno)

SMITH, ELIZABETH MAXEY "Mother"
10/18/1883 - 2/3/1966

SPRINGER, REBBIE B.
2/26/1915 - 6/16/1920

STROUD, MRS. ANN
1873 - 1905

TABOR, SALLIE
wife of B. K. Tabor
1/17/1811 - 11/16/1907
"She died as she lived,
trusting in God"

THOMAS, CARRIE JAMES
5/30/1899 - 11/23/1919
"The closing years of his life
were marked by an abiding faith
in the Saviour"

THOMAS, CHARLIE C.
6/20/1875 - 8/28/1949
(husband of Fannie S. Thomas)

THOMAS, FANNIE S.
5/28/1876 - 9/10/1906
(wife of Charlie C. Thomas)

THOMAS, KERRY E.
3/28/1897 - 1/28/1917

THOMAS, LEONARD B.
1/11/1859 - 6/10/1938

THOMAS, MARGRETTE S. SANDERS
wife of S. P. Thomas
8/13/1873 - 4/23/1928
"She is waiting for us in the
Eden land beyond the sunset
of life"

THOMAS, S. P.
7/26/1859 - 1/8/1935
"His deeds yet live"

THOMPSON, W. A.
son of M. L. & M. A. Thompson
3/17/1879 - 8/3/1905

TOBA, DORA
4/17/1892 - 7/19/1962

WAGLEY, LINNIE CROW
5/6/1904 - 4/29/1971

WEDGEWORTH, ANNIE COOK
3/17/1864 - 5/21/1904

WEDGEWORTH, ARCH P. "Father"
3/14/1884 - 8/17/1966
(husband of Sirena Wedgeworth)

WEDGEWORTH, ARTHUR A.
9/26/1860 - 12/13/1928

WEDGEWORTH, ASA CURTIS
6/14/1898 - 6/9/1904

WEDGEWORTH, CORA P. "Mother"
2/4/1892 - 2/4/1965
(wife of Henry Wedgeworth)

WEDGEWORTH, ELLEN
wife of T. B. Wedgeworth
8/26/1867 - 4/16/1925

WEDGEWORTH, FANNIE MARY
5/10/1895 - 7/21/1912

WEDGEWORTH, FLORA PILCHER "Mother"
2/4/1893 - 8/8/1971

WEDGEWORTH, HENRY "Daddy"
10/16/1886 - 1/2/1972
(husband of Cora P. Wedgeworth)

WEDGEWORTH, HORACE COLEMAN
12/24/1901 - 11/27/1929

WEDGEWORTH, ISABELLE ADAMS
12/16/1860 - 10/27/1929

WEDGEWORTH, MAGGIE MAY
1/14/1889 - 5/10/1904

WEDGEWORTH, MARTHA ELIZABETH
3/24/1892 - 11/14/1908

WEDGEWORTH, ROBERT
son of T. B. & Ellen Wedgeworth
8/22/1898 - 12/6/1917
"A member of the Missionary Baptist
Church, kind and abedient to his
parents, and loved by all who knew
him. Gone but not forgotten."

WEDGEWORTH, SAMANTHA E.
7/4/1863 - 1/21/1949
(wife of Stanley V. Wedgeworth)

WEDGEWORTH, SIRENA "Mother"
12/22/1887 - 12/18/1955
(wife of Arch P. Wedgeworth)

WEDGEWORTH, STANLEY V.
6/8/1860 - 2/6/1896
(husband of Samantha E. Wedgeworth)

WEDGEWORTH, T. B.
1/28/1854 - 1/31/1931

WEDGEWORTH, VAN ARTHUR "Father"
1/23/1889 - 10/11/1960
husband of Flora Pilcher Wedgeworth

WEST, EMMER
3/8/1870 - 5/15/1945
"Dying is but going home"

WEST, VERNON
4/24/1929 - 2/8/1930

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- 7 BABERS, Elizabeth, husband John W. Snelling. 25 October 1865
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- 33 BODIE, Larina, 6 Jan 1866, Adm Simon Day. Page 37. Security Andrew J Bodie & A. Powell. To be advertised in Bienville Messinger.
- 41 BOYLSTON, John R., tutorship, father if natural minor children-George W, Emma, Merissee, Wife Leonora Brown, Dec'd 20 Oct 1864.
- 43 BALIFF, John, d Feb 1855, Filed 17 Nov 1865. Petitioner, Thomas J Hightower.
- 51 Tutorship of children of Larina Bodie. Martha and Eliza, 15 Jan 1866. Gilbert McCoy; A Powell; and Andrew Bodie, relatives.
- 55 JACKSON, Hardy, 27 Dec 1865, Son, R. L. Jackson, DeSoto Parish.
- 61 Tutorship of Alston, Benjamin W, 28 May 1866; Martha Jane, William Larkin and Layfayette (Vobrey) ?
- 65 CAWTHON, Ashly T. ? 17, 1866, Petitioner William H. Prior
- 68 CRICHTON, Peter, wife Marion Ann Crichton, Nov 20 1865; minor children Thomas, Sarah, Agness, Adam, Henry, James, Ervin and Mary S; Grandmother Sarah Guieve.
- 71 DAVIS, Daniel N.-4 Jan. 1866. Father of minor children, William L, Sarah C, Samuel, Cynthia and James. Wife Lucinda Lawhorn dec'd.
- 76 GOFF, Green M. - 11 March 1865, Petitioner John Q. Goff.
- 82 GODWIN, Mary (dec'd) and Nathan; - 2 March 1866- Petitioner Benjiman F. Stephenson grandfather of minor children, Christina V, Charles M, Mary C, of Natchitoches. Mother dec'd, father consents.
- 87 HUCKABAY, J J -wife Nancy J-18 Sept 18 Sept 1865, Adm. Amos J. Huckbay. Minor children, Franklin J, William A, Pinckney M, George F, Naomi L, Roxie Ann and Amanda M.
- 97 HOLSTEIN, Pearce & Caroline, Tutorship-14 May 1866, petitioner John Chandler for children with his wife Mary E, Candler.
- 111 HOLDER, John P -17 Jan 1866. Wife dec'd Rachael Jane Teylor. Minors John W. and Henry S.
- 116 HALL, Isaac - 11 Dec 1865, Mother Mariah M Hall, Father Dempsey Hall. Minor children, John D, and Mary and Mariah R. - John Allums Asa Allums, relatives. Dr. A. P. Jones, H N Brinson and Joseph Benning, friends & neighbors. B. S. Allums, Notary Public, Friends of John Hall, Mary Ann Hall and M M Hall issue with wife Mary F Allums. (page 117) Surviving widow of Dempsey Hall, Mary Hall grandmother to sell land $W\frac{1}{2}$ of Sec 3; $NW\frac{1}{4}$ of $NE\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec 3; $SE\frac{1}{4}$ of $S\frac{1}{2}$ of $SW\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec 4; $SW\frac{1}{4}$ of $SE\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec 10; Range 10, Twnshp 15.
- 120 KEY, W. G. -5 Jan 1866; Petitioner Preston J. Key.
- 124 LASITER, Wesley B- 12 Dec 1865; Petitioner Sarah J. Lasiter; two minor children, Elijah B and William Thomas Lasiter.
- 131 LAIRD, Elizabeth - 9 Jan 1866-Petitioner son-in-law Charles B Heflin. Appraisers- Thomas Reeve and Henry Knighton.
- 138 LEWIS, James - 23 Sept 1865; Petitioner George W Lewis.
- 165 MULLINS, B. C.-Tutorship of minors -5 Jan 1865;Petition Jane Mullins p. 167, Mosley, William and Elizabeth. 10 Nov 1865, Petition Zacheus Nicholas, a creditor of Ouchita Parish-C H Murphey, Deputy Clerk.
- 172 MALONE, G W-Tutorship 11 Dec 1865- Petition Elizabeth Malone. Minor children: (Hey)?, Tipton Malone and Madison Gage Malone. Tipton Vaughn, under tutor.

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- 185 MOSLEY, James A.-Suc 11 Jan 1866-Petitioner Wife Evaline Lockett.
- 192 Tutorship J. A. Mosley minors, J. C. and William Mosley.
- 193 McBRIDE, William C - 24 Nov 1865 - Petition Mary Youngblood McBride.
- 198 LEWIS, F. E. -Suc 14 Dec 1865-Petitioner Daniel Sheppard Curator.
- 205 WHITE, Andrew -10 Nov 1865 -Wife petition, Lucretia Rochell. Andrew J,
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- 210 WHITTED, R. C. - Suc.-Petition Robert W. Campbell
- 215 WIMBERLY, Hugh - Suc - 15 Jan 1866-Petition Bro. Charles P. Wimberly.
- 221 Tutorship - Williams, Martin and Martha-25 Nov 1865.
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- 231 ROBERTS, Sydney & Calvin- 15 Aug 1865, Petitioner Thomas E Paxton.
- 240 TAYLOR, Thomas C & dec'd wife Mary Elizabeth A Knotts. Children:
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- 185 BROWN, David & Jese - Elizabeth Brown dec'd. Minor children: Henry Davis,
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- 186 Petition-David E. Brown and Jese M. Brown.
- 289 BROWER, Jonas L.-1 Dec 1866; Petitioner Nicholas J. Sandlin, Claiborne
Par.-no lineal decendants but collateral heirs, Margaret
E Jones, Eliza Reams, Bossier Par. Brother in New York.
- 298 BURK, Louisiana A - tutor for a minor of John Burk & Sarah Mobley Burk,
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- BRICE, Susan E - tutorship 12 Nov 1867 - Petition William Brice. Minor chil-
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- BAVIN, Joseph A - Killed near Atlanta Ga. in war between Confederate States
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- 316 Tutorship of Lucy L Brown & James G Brown - Petition Edward J Kennon.
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- 322 BOYETT, Terrell W.-Petition Brother George T. Boyett; 5 July 1866.
- 324 CHESTNUT, Curtis A - Petition Seth Mabry - 9 July 1866.
- 329 CHAPPIL, John Thomas-Tutor son of William G. Chappil dec'd & Hulda A
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- 334 Tutor of Greer, Isaac L - Petition Eliza Harriet Lofton, surviving
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- 339 GOFF, John Q - Succession-no heirs-Petition Robert T Goff, bro.10 May 1867
- 348 DAWKINS, Minor - 3 Dec 1866 - Tutor of Children; Petition Mary Martin
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- 353 ROUSSEAU, H H and James- 30 Sept 1869;Petition Wm Lacy Yarborough.
- 361 MORGAN, Eli - Suc 25 May 1869; Petition Emily Taylor; One child, Martha.
- 365 COLDWELL, Isaac A - died 26 Aug 1867; Petition Martha S Lawson
- 370 NOLES, John G - Tutor of minor heirs, 28 May 1869. Wife M Jane Noles.
Children: William , J L, Noles, E J B, Noles.
- 375 NIX, Washington, 9 Oct 1869; Petition Jasper Nix & Tabitha Garrett.

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- 377 CANDLER, William L - Succession 3 Feb 1869 - John K Candler.
- 379 DENNARD, John-Suc 24 Mar 1870 - Executor W W Colbert
- 382 , Thomas J - 23 Feb 1864 - Petition W W Colbert
- 383 GOFF, Green M - Suc 1 Nov 1863 - Petition Robert F Goff.
- 386 ANDERSON, James W.- 5 July 1866-Petition Martha Anderson; 5 Minors
- 388 EDINS, Mary Ann - dec'd 19 Dec 1869. Petition Wm K D Edins.
Attorney - J D Watkins.
- 404 FORT, Sarah Jane - Petition for tutor of minor children. Wilson (M?)
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19 July 1870.
- 408 ALDEN, Isaac - Petition Sarah E Alden, 16 June 1870.
- 414 BURNETT, Sarah M - Petition Luke E Burnett 21 Dec 1869; 2 minor
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1852; died 1867 nee Buys.
- 424 BRACKIN, Andrew - petition Alfred Brackin 29 Dec 1869.
- 430 , Robert - Petition Arranithie 18 Apr 1870; husband died 1869.
Minor children: George W & James A Brackin.
- 433 BOWEN, J W S - 1 Feb 1866. Andrew J Body died 1868-administrator of
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- 436 COLBERT, Ann M - Died 25 June 1870; Petition Benjamin F Colbert-4 minors.
- 440 CARTER, Jesse A - Petition Tebitha Carter, widow - 6 June 1870.
- 444 BRYAN, Miles - Petition Sarah Bryan 26 October 1871.
- 462 CARR, William-26 Sept 1868; Petition Daniel M Dorkins & Melissa (Dockins?)
BIVEN, J A - 6 July 1869; Administrator E S Pentecost.
- 463 CAMPBELL, Jasper - Petition Wm Campbell 28 June 1870.
- 466 BAILIFF, John - Petition Thos J Hightower 20 Nov 1869.
- 470 DAVIS, S J, Widow Emma L Davis; Petition John C Davis 19 Oct 1868.
- 480 DRAPER, Henderson-6 Jan 1870; Petition John L Draper & Elizabeth D.
- 483 FORD, Norman-Tutor, boy of color, 8 or 10 yrs of age. Petitioner
Nicholas J Sandlin 7 Mar 1870.
- 486 COLBERT, John R - Petition Wm B Colbert, 11 October 1870.
- 498 GOFF, John Q - Petition Robert T Goff.
- 500 GREER, Isaac - 2 June 1869-Petition Eliza H Loftus, widow of Washington
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- 504 HARRIS, Wm Hanibal-22 Dec 1870; Thadcoas A Walker, half brother, John
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- 507 HARRIS, Ptolmey Tinsley - 9 Mar 1869- tutor of minor child of P T
Harris and M F Harris.
- 509 LAWHORN, James B and other minors; Petition Mary Lawhorn & Bright Lawhorn.
- 514 KING, A P ; Alfred King - late of Texas. Petition L Berry Wardlaw of
Natchitoches - probated 8 Aug 1870.
- 517 HIMPILL (Hemphill) Tilman, dec'd wife Martha Owens 22 Oct 1870.
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- 520 Many peoples names that were paid.

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- 522 JORDAN, Wyatt - died 1862 - Tutorship of minors - Petition Martha M. Jordan - 6 minor children, 29 October 1869.
- 529 SCARBOROUGH, M S JACKSON, Tutorship of children, 24 Feb 1870. Petitioner Ester R Scarborough. 3 minors.
- 533 GAHAGAN, Abanntha (Aborintha) Succession, Wife of Petitioner Lawrence M. Gahagan, Jackson Parish, Feb 1870.
- 540 PROTHRO, Edward, Tutorship; Petitioners Meldere I Manning, wife of T. C. Bryan. First husband Hartwell M. Prothro. 22 March 1870. House lot in Ringgold to be sold. T (F?) Prothro; U S Row, George Wheam, Benj M Manning and Wm Row, nearest male relatives.
- 544 TULLIS, Moses, Succession: Petition Mariah Tullis and T J Hightower, 5 January 1870.
- 548 JOSEPH, Ramir; Petition Nancy Joseph, 12 August 1870.
- 551 WALL, Michael, Succession, died 1860 Madison Parish, Petition Laura A Wall. 18 June 1870
- 556 RATCLIFF, James, died 1865, and Mary. Petition Wm Ratcliff, son. 6 May 1870
- 564 PRATT, Andrew J & Wm E Pratt minors. Petition Messori C Blackwood, widow of A J Pratt and now wife of E W Easley. 6 Nov 1869.
- 571 THOMPSON, Cyrus R, Succession, of Texas, also property in Sabine Parish Petition Lewallen G Barrin, son-in-law, 27 Apr 1867.
- 584 JONES, Adolphus F-Tutorship-Petition Patience Goodwin. 14 Mar 1871.
- 588 MADDEN, Berry, Succession, died Apr 9 1862; Petition John W. Madden. 18 March 1870
- 597 STEWART, Louie, Tutorship of heirs; Petition Mary Daniels, now wife of John G Smith, 21 Sept 1871. Children Fannie & George .
- 602 MALONE, Martha, Suc - Petition Larance J Readheimer. 3 minors; Jasin, Jefferson, Mirah. Cornelious Shively-tutor. A W Bishop under tutor.
- 611 MADDIN, Reed R, Succession, Samantha Manden, widow, 10 Aug 1870. Petition John W. Maddin.
- 625 HILL, George, Tutorship, age 8, Petition James Drayton Holstine. 7 March 1871
- 627 WYNN, Martha, Suc. died 24 Mar 1869; Petition Jefferson J Sprawls. 29 September 1869.
- 638 WILLIAMS, James M - Tutorship of heirs. Petition James Malone Williams. Six minors.
- 641 WEBB, Isaac Hill, Succession: Petition Isaac P Webb 3 Jan 1870.
- 645 MARKHAM, Andrew James-died in Miss. or Ala. Petition J Sprawls, 2 Feb 1870.
- 650 UNDERWOOD, I H, Petition E H Underwood, 26 August 1869.
- 653 GIBBS, Hiram, Property in Bienville, Winn and Grant Parishes. Petition Edward N. Hartwell, 21 March 1871.
- 675 STILES, John and Sarah; Petition George W Lewis, Claiborne Parish, Purchasers pages 687-89.
- 690 TAYLOR, J D - Succession, Petition Rebecca Ruff, 18 Nov 1871.
- 692 BRACKIN, Andrew, Petition Alfred Brackin 17 June 1871.
- 695 BREWER, John A, died 19 Feb 1871; Petition Delilah Brewer, 4 minors.
- 698 BOYLE, Henry, Petition Emily M G Truly? Claiborne Par. 6 Feb 1871.
- 704 DAWKINS, Tutorship of Louisa, Jenny and Georgiana Dawkins. Petition Soloman Dooly, 30 May 1872.

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- 708 DYESS, J P, Petition Henry Dyess, uncle of minors, John P Jashua,
C & Benjamin F Dyess. Wife Mira J. Burke. 11 Feb 1871.
- FROMBURGER, Morris, Petition Martha J Graham. Minors George D and
Charles H. Second husband Wm C Graham, 12 Sept 1871.
- 718 COOPER, Martin, Petition James Campbell-wife of petition Elizabeth
Cooper. 12 November 1871.
- 727 HEMPHILL, Laura G, (father Tillman Hemphill) Petition Edgar R
Powell, brother-in-law. 11 Dec 1871.
- 730 GRESHAM, Edward, Petition wife Elizabeth Gresham, 24 July 1872.
Four minors.
- 734 HENDERSON, James & Sarah E; Petition Joseph Henderson. 4 minors.
- 736 HENDERSON, Robert - Adm & petition John Stephens, Red River Parish.
11 November 1871
- 740 TAYLOR, John D, Petition Rebecca Ruff, husband Thomas F. Ruff.
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- 745 TAYLOR, W J & Mary E; Tutorship of minor children. Two minors
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- 749 HOLDER, Seal Isabelle; Emancipation. She states she is 19 years old
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- 750 WHITE, Marietta Lucretia, Emancipation. She is 18 yrs old and able to care
for herself. 14 November 1876.
- 751 WHITE, Andrew, late of Texas. Petition Joseph J McConathy, son-in-law
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Note: A weekly newspaper published in Bienville Parish called Rural Times
in 1874

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ESTATE SETTLEMENTS

Don't despair if the old will states, "I leave to my wife and six minor children all my property, etc. My older children by my first three marriages have already received all they are entitled to," - then fails to name any of the fur wives or 21 children. Complete estate settlement records will usually reveal most of the data you need, but you may have to search through all or more of the following records for a period of 25 to 30 years or more in every county where the deceased lived: Will Books, Successions, Guardians Returns, Estate Files, Mortgages, Deeds, Sheriffs Sales, Civil Court Minutes, Probate Records, Orphan Court Minutes, Tax Records, et al. Titles of these books will vary from state to state.

If the deceased owned so much as one small city lot, one acre of land, or one old blind mule, there will usually be some kind of title transfer, especially if there were minor children or children by a former marriage. The courts tried to protect the rights of minor heirs and older children tried to prevent their step-mother from grabbing off everything that was left.

Never rely wholly upon the index of any record book. Court clerks of long ago were people just like us. They made mistakes. Sometimes there will be no index at all, sometimes an entry will be omitted from the index, sometimes the entry was posted in the wrong book, and sometimes never posted at all. However most records were entered in chronological order, so it is fairly easy to check all records for any given period of time. The secret is to just keep looking until you find what you need.

THE NEW ORLEANS CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE
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VOL. V, The New Orleans Christian Advocate, Marriages & Obituaries:
Issue No. 22, 7 July 1855, P. 3, Col. 1

Mrs. Jane Lamb, wife of Wm. Lamb, died 23 May in the triumph of her living life. She was born in Georgia in 1801. She moved to Mississippi. During her illness she called her children around her bed. T. W. Castle

From the Port Gibson Herald, Mississippi, of the 29th, Ult., gives this account. Mr. Robert Whitmore, overseer on the plantation of Dr. W. A. Patterson, about seven miles from this place, was brutally murdered by a runaway Negro, on the 28th of May.

No. 23, 14 July 1855, P. 2, Col. 1

Death of Judge Guion - The Hon. John T. Guion, long a resident of Jackson, Mississippi, died at Vicksburg, on Tuesday, the 26th Ult., after a lingering illness. At the time of his death he filled the post of Judge of the Third Judicial District of the State of Mississippi. He was engaged in the discharge of his duties in a county district from his home, when the disease with which he had long been afflicted, assumed a fatal form, and only recovered sufficiently to reach Vicksburg.

From an article in the "Whig", we extracted the following; Judge Guion was one of several sons of Major Isaac Guion, an officer in the regular army, and was born in this state in the city of Natches in the year 1801. After learning the law profession he removed to this city.

Here he identified himself with one who is so honorable identified with the judicial history of the state, Chief Justice Sharkey, and another who was of national fame, the late S. S. Prentis. While he resided in Warren Co. he repeatedly represented it in both branches of the legislature. While in the Senate he had the unusual honor conferred upon him by the Senate of this State in the session of 1850, of their making him, by unanous vote its presiding officer.

In the year 1846 Judge Guion moved to the seat of Government. He was once more called to the councils of the state. It was while Senator from Hinds County that he was made President of the Senate; and as such, upon the resignation of General Quilman of his office as Governor of the State, Judge Guion succeeded to the unexpired term. Less than two years ago he was elected by a large majority to the office which he filled at the time of his death.

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Marriages--On the 19th June, by Rev. John G. Rush, Rev. Francis Walker, of the Alabama Conference, to Miss Eliza Ann Simison of Mt. Vernon, Alabama.

Died in Bossier Parish, La., 9 June, Rev. John H. Busby, in the sixty-first year of his life. He was born in Fairfield District, S. C., in 1794, lived in Alabama and Mississippi respectively, and removed from the latter state to Louisiana in 1851.

In his 28th year he professed religion at Hopewell camp ground, Mississippi. He soon felt himself constrained to preach the gospel of the grace of God. It appears that he labored with zeal and success both in Alabama and Mississippi, and surely his labors have not fallen to the ground in this state. What may have been his distinguishing summit in former life as a minister, we cannot say. With pleasurable emotions we remember the time of his visit to the church at Cross-roads.

When he died he had his house in order, designated the place of burial, the person to preach his funeral, paid the quarterage, and thus calmly waited the time.

B. J. Hamilton.

Died in Greene County, (near Clinton), Ala., 20 June, Eliza M. Ward, wife of John _____ Richardson. She was a native of North Carolina, though for some ten years she had lived in Alabama. For more than twenty years she was sconsistant member of the M. E. Church.

Died-Mrs. Margaret Clement, daughter of John and Rosa Montgomery, was born 8 November 1779, in the State of Pennsylvania, and died in Green County Alabama, 13 June 1855, aged nearly 76 years.

In early life, with her parents, she moved to Spartanburg District, S. C., where she was principally raised. December 22, 1800, she was united in marriage to Capt. Edward Clement, whom she survived about fifteen years. September 5, 1805, they both joined the M. E. Church. In 1818 she emigrated with her husband and family to Alabama, and settled in Bibb County. From thence, in 1820, to Greensboro, Greene County, Ala., where her home (there being no church in the village) was used for divine worship.

Mother, fare thee well! Thy children beyond the flood have already hailed thee blessed on the other shore -- May it be to all thy family one to everlasting life. J.A.C.

Died on the 20th June, near the town of Bastrop, La., Mrs. Sallie J. Hall, daughter of Nathan and Lucinda Mansfield, and wife of Dixon Hall, Jr.

She was born in Yazoo County, Mississippi on the 27th of October 1836. She joined the M. E. Church in the last of October, 1854.

The day before she died she said to her sister-in-law, "Fannie", it seems to me that angels are here", all is well. D.S.W.
Yazoo City papers please copy.

Mortuary -- The following is the report of the city cemeteries for the week ending on Sunday morning at 6 O'clock.

Protestant, Girod Street	10	Greenwood	4
Odd Fellows' Rest	1	Charity Hospital.....	25
Cypress Grove, No. 1	9	Cypress Grove, No. 2	16
St. Patrick's	28	Catholic No. 1	3
Catholic No. 2	6	St. Vincent de Paul	19
Lafayett	23	St. Joseph's Asylum	7
TOTAL.....			160

Showing a good state of health for the season, and a considerable falling off from last week.

EXPLOSION of the STEAMBOAT LEXINGTON

Reported by the Louisville Democrat, in an extra, on Saturday night, 30 June 1855, at 10:00 O'clock. By the steamer J. C. Fremont, just arrived in port. The explosion of the steamer Lexington on her way from St. Louis to this port. The accident occured at about 3 or 4 O'clock in the morning, about five miles above Stephensport.

The steamers D. A. Givings and the J. C. Fremont which were close by, gave assistance in saving lives and baggage. How many were killed or lost by drowning is not known, but some say not less than 25. Captain Throop was Captain of the Lexington.

The following list contains all the names known at present;

Killed: Henry Lewis, Samuel Lowry, (colored), two brothers, (names unknown), got on board at Smithland, supposed to be from Georgia, one killed and the other missing.

Missing: James Miller, Nashville, Tenn., Willis, Mr. Fairchilds, Haines, (carpenter), Phillips, (Liberty, Mo.), John Taylor, (colored), Baldwin, (colored - New Albany), Harrison, (New Albany, Ga.)

Wounded: Col. Bayles, Louisville; Thos. Payne, Cincinnati; E. G. Davidson, Nashville; J. B. Johnson, M. Twigg, Thos. F. Gibson, Switzerland; S. W. Anderson, D. Harriss, Cincinnati; Hary, New Albany; J. M. Gardner, King's Landing, Ky.; P. Flinn, Auburn, N. Y.; J. H. Freeman, (colored) New Albany; L. B. Johnson, St. Louis; A. Badger, Pilot, St. Louis; W. P. Johnson, Madison; T. Ryan, St. Louis; Capt. Thos. White, Louisville; Capt. J. Throop, Mr. McElroy, Lebanon, Ky.; J. Hall, Liberty, Mo.; Charles Squires.

Issue No. 24, 21 July 1855, P. 3, Col. 1

Married on Sunday morning, 1 July, by Rev. S. Armstrong, at the residence of Prof. John Darby, Mr. W. H. C. Price, formerly of the Auburn Gazette, to Miss Julia A. Darby, all of Auburn, Ala.

Died--Mary Rebecca, wife of Felix Grundy ---ley, died in Aberdeen, Miss., 29 May 1855, aged 23 years. Greenville, S. C. papers please copy. J. H. Brooks

Sister Jannett Hardy, wife of Wm. Hardy, died in ???, June 19.

B. J. Hamilton

Died of cholera, on 27th June, in the town of Natchitoches, La., Hez. T. Brown, in the 25th year of his age.

T. D. B.

Died the 24th June in East Baton Rouge Parish, Mrs. Melvina F. Nettles, wife of Dr. Joseph A. Nettles, in the 22d. year of her age. She was the daughter of S. W. Newport and was a member of the Baptist Church.

Issue No. 25, 28 July 1855, P. 3, Col. 1

Married on the 11th July, at the residence of J. B. Thompson, Caddo Parish, La., by Rev. T. J. --acy, J. C. Birch of said parish, to Miss Mariah T. McClelland, of Tennessee.

Married by Rev. J. T. Heard, in Dallas County, Ala., --n'y 12, Dr. A. A. J. Riddel to Mrs. Florid- West.

Married 17 July, by Rev. Wm. G. Dorris, Mr. Albert Menefee, of Oak Bowery, Ala., to Miss Sallie Rivers, daughter of Rev. R. H. Rivers of Florence, Ala.

Died--John S. Goodman was born in Charleston, S. C., February 20, 1826. He was raised in this city, Mobile, Ala., having been brought here by his parents when only about five years old. He joined the Methodist Church, 16 December 1839. His father and one young brother died in 1841 or 1842. Being the oldest son he cared for his widowed mother and her orphan children. In 1851 he married to Miss Lavinia Mason, of Sumter County, Alabama. In 1847 he was licensed to exhort. On Monday, 9 July 1855, at about 6 A.M. John S. Goodman died in the faith.

Thomas W. Dorman

Southern Christian Advocate please copy.

Died in the town of Bastrop, La., on the 9th July 1855, Mary Evans, consort of the Rev. G. W. Evans, of the Louisiana Conference, and daughter of Jonathan and Mahala Clower, in the 17th year of her age. The deceased has left an infant son without a mother. The deceased had been married but a little over one short year.

Died in Gainsville, Miss., 11th July, Charles Harvey Crosby, son of Rev. G. L. Crosby, aged 11 years. C.

NEW ORLEANS CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE, VOL. V.
Issue No. 25, 28 July 1855, P. 3, Col. 1 - Cont'd.

Died at his residence in Galveston, 29 June, John Klein, a native of Nova Scotia, and lately a resident of New Orleans, aged 50 years. He was a good husband and an affectionate parent. John Klein, Jun.
Zion's Herald and St. Paul, Minn. papers please copy.

Issue No. 26, 4 Aug 1855, P. 3, Col. 1

Married at the residence of Capt. Farrand, in the Pensacola Navy Yard, on Wednesday morning, the 25th inst., by Rev. J. B. Cottrell, Mr. Gordon M. Newton to Miss Emma R. Farrand, only daughter of Capt. Farrand, of the U. S. Navy.

Died in New Orleans, 2 August, Dr. Franklin Shaw, of Yellow fever.

Died, 21 June 1855, Rev. Eli Higgins. He was a plain old fashioned Methodist preacher, of ordinary talent. He was a native of South Carolina, born 27 Aug 1800. Emigrated to Jasper County, Ga., early in the year 1826, and on the 25th of October, in the same year he married to Miss Julietta Davis. Some eight or nine years afterward they moved to Sumter County, Ala. E. M. Means.

Died--Mrs. Amelia Glover, daughter of Col. Wm. Walton, and wife of Williamson A. Glover, Esq., was born in South Carolina, 2 December 1808, and died at her home in Greene County, Ala., 15 July 1855. She leaves a husband and nine children and many servants. E. Wadsworth

Issue No. 27, 11 August 1855, P. 3, Col. 1

Jessie, daughter of Col. S. H. and Mrs. S. A. M. Taylor, of Pontotoc County, Miss., departed this life on Sunday, 15 July 1855. R. Adams
The Marion, of Alabama, please copy.

Issue No. 28, 18 August 1855, P. 3, Col. 1.

Died 19 June, in Harrison County, Texas, Mrs. M. Alice Poole, second daughter of Langsdan East, Esq., St. Helena, La. in the 18th year of her age. Less that one year ago the deceased left us, a blooming and Joyous bride. M.

Died, 7 July, Sarah Jane, wife of R. D. ---ster, Esquire. She was born March 8, 1827, in Greene County, Ga. In the fall of 1843 she embraced religion, and attached herself to the M. E. Church at a camp meeting near Columbia, Miss. W. W. Bell
Mansfield, La.

Died at Ocean Springs, Miss., 9th inst., of pneumonia, Thomas Porter Austin, infant son of Martha E. Porter and Dr. W. G. Austin.
Baltimore and Washington papers please copy.

Issue No. 29, 25 August 1855, P. 3, Col. 1

Married by Rev. B. F. Alexander, 6 Aug 1855, at the residence of George White, New Iberia, La., Dr. Clarence B. Ward to Miss Agnes -- White.

Married by Rev. W. B. Hines, at the residence of Mrs. McCready, in Wilkinson County, Miss., Mr. Parker H. Boan to Miss Martha J. McCready.

Married by Rev. B. F. Larrabee, 4th inst., at Summerfield, Ala., Rev. N. M. Skipper, of the Alabama Conference, to Miss Cornelia E. Bowdon on Shelby.

He also married Mr. Wm. H. Perkins, of Mobile, to Miss Clara T. Curtiss, of Summerfield.

Married by Rev. W. W. Bell, Mr. A. H. Thomas, to Miss Emma A. E. Thweatt, at the residence of Louis Phillips, all of Mansfield, La.

Married by Rev. A. C. Ramsey, 1st Inst., Hon. Jesse G. Cole, of Perry, to Mrs. Sallie McReynolds, daughter of Rev. William McCrackin, of Wilcox Co., Ala.

Issue No. 30, 1 September 1855, P. 3, Col. 1

Died of Typhoid fever, in Covich County, Miss., 9 August, James J. Cecell. He leaves a widow and six little children. J. J. Wheat
Castor. La.

Died near Mobile, 14 July 1855, Mrs. _____ Stienbach, in the 33rd year of her life. She was born in Claiborne, Ala., reared and educated in Virginia, at about fourteen years of age, confessed religion.
Richmond Christian Advocate please copy.

Died at Bolton's Depot, Hinds County, Miss., 10 August, Sidney E. Thomas, aged ___ less 8 days. The deceased was the son of David C. and _____ Thomas of this county. James A. Godfrey
Miss., 16 August 1855

Died at the residence of her father, in _____ersonville, on the 23rd Ult. Mrs. Margaret A. Baker, aged 27 years. N. A. Cravens

Issue No. 31, 8 September 1855, P. 3, Col. 1

Married in Bridgewater, 2 Aug, by Rev. D. Field, Rev. T. P. Hatch, Prof. of Natural Science in Lagrange College, Ala., and Miss Mary E. White, of Bridgewater Co.

Died in Columbiana, Ala., on the 9th of August 1855, Ella Nancy, daughter of Samuel and Margaret S. Brasher. Born on the 9th August 1854. L. B. McDonald
Near Columbiana, Ala.

Died near Forkland, Greene County, Ala., Mrs. Elizabeth C. Bullock, in her 56th year. She was born in Edgefield District, South Carolina. She earnestly requested her children to meet her in heaven. T. Moody
14 August 1855

A FRIGHTFUL ACCIDENT ON THE CAMDEN AND AMBOY RAILROAD.

From the Philadelphia Sun, of the 30th untim.

This wreck was caused by a carriage with two horses driven by a Dr. Hannigan, of Columbus, N. J. The major part of the passengers in all five of the cars were instantly killed or seriously injured. This accident happened at Burlington. Following on the next page is a list of the killed and wounded.

List of those killed in the Camden and Amboy Railroad accident:

Edward B. Bacon, Philadelphia, Pa.
Alex. Kelly, Philadelphia, Pa.
Mrs. Mary Prescott, Salem, N. J.
Mrs. Clement Barclay, of Philadelphia, Pa.
Jane Pringle, of Ellicott Mills, Md.
Charles Bottom of Trenton, N. J.
Thos. J. Meredith, of Baltimore, Md.
Wilson Kent, of Philadelphia, Pa.
John Daliam, of Baltimore, Md.
George Ingersoll, of Philadelphia, Pa.
Catherine Brown, (colored) Washington, D. C.
John M. Connell, of Wilmington, Del.
Jacob Fisher, of Fisherville, N. J.
Jacob Howard, of Levanon, Tenn.
Baron De. St. Andre, Frence Counsul, Philadelphia, Pa.
Mrs. Jane Linsoln
Wm. Ridgway, of New York City
Major Wm. Boyce of Washington, D. C.
Geo. W. Ridgway, of Philadelphia, Pa.
Harry Rush, of Geirgetiwb College
Miss. Boyce, daughter of Major Boyce

List of Injured

Mrs. Pringle, New York
Charles Oldenburg
Mr. Dennis O'Kane, of Georgetown College, D. C.
Commodore Smith and wife, U. S. Navy
Hon. Wm. McClay, member of Congress
Elizabeth Saunders, of Wilmington, Del.
Mr. George H. Harlan, of Cecil County, Md.
Mr. Benj. Harry, Conshohocken, Pa.
Mrs. Elizabeth W. Saunders, Wilmington, Del.
Thomas Morgan, Philadelphia, Pa.
Henry Rush, Georgetown, D. C.
James Wheden, New Hope, Pa.
Dr. Whelan, U. S. Navy
J. McKeown, Ohio
Mr. W. W. Wheeler, this city
Mr. Jas C. Wheeler, this city
Judge Reeves, of Chilicothe, Ohio
Wm. D. C. Howard, of Charleston, S. C., fatally injured.
John Dallam, of Baltimore, was instantly killed.
Mr. Lichtenstein, of Richmond, Va.
Mrs. Rebecca Phillips and daughter, of New York
Mr. John Pugh, of St. Clair, Schuylkill County.
Mr. Frider
Caroline Heyman, a colored woman
Mrs. A. H. L. Phelps, Md. and daughter
Mr. H. L. Bennett, of Natchez, Miss.
Mrs. Hulseman, New York
Rev. Mr. J. Parvin, of Pittsfield, Mass.
Miss Emma Boyce, Georgetown, D. C.
Lewis A. Lukens, Philadelphia, Pa.
Thomas Findlay, Philadelphia, Pa.
Charles Dix, Richmond

List of injured in the Camden and Amboy Railroad Accident - Cont'd

Isaac M. Kay, Haddonfield, N. J.

J. M. Little, Pittsburg, Pa.

Dr. Andrew Porter, of Harrisburg, Pa.

Mr. John Kelly, agent for a railroad

Daniel Sourbeck, of Alliance, Ohio

Mr. Carroll of Wilmington, Del.

George F. Harlan, of Elkton, Md.

Samuel Lahm, of Canton, Ohio

James M. Petton, Philadelphia, Pa.

Died -- The Rev. T. H. Foster died at the home of Hon. J. Elam in Baton Rouge, La. at half-past 4 P.M., on Monday, 3rd September. He died of yellow fever. He graduated from Transylvania University under President Bascom, joined the Alabama Conference at Montgomery in January, 1848.

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Rev. W. H. Turnley died at his home on Little River, Catahoula Parish, La. August 23rd at the age of fifty-eight years. He left a wife and seven children.

Issue No. 32, 15 September 1855, P. 1, Col. 1 and P. 3, Col. 1

Died at the residence of James M. Elam, Esq. in Baton Rouge, on Monday, September 3, 1855, at 6 O'clock P. M., Rev. Thos H. Foster, a native of Monroe County, Ala. in the 31st year of his age, and the eight of his ministry. His funeral was conducted by the Odd Fellows' Lodge, of which he was a member and the Episcopal Church.

Baton Rouge, 6 September 1855

Died near Eutaw, Alabama, Aug. 19th, Dr. Alfred Clements, in the 48th year of his age. He joined the M. E. Church in 1844. He was a loving husband and a kind father.

August 1855

Died in Demopolis, Ala., 15th August, James T. Gilbert, son of Mrs. E. Fisher, now the consort of Rev. J. D. Fisher, of the Alabama Conference. He was born in Perry County, 1834, professed religion at the age of 13, and died when he was 21.

S. C. Advocate please copy.

Died at his residence in Brewerville, Ala., 14 August 1855, Wayne C. Patton, in his 29th year. He has left two little boys and a heartbroken wife.

J. W. Laney

Died on 15 August 1855, in Benton County, Ala., Mrs. Martha Dews, wife of George W. Dews, formerly of Lincolnton, N. C. She leaves two little children, a husband and her parents.

Eastaboga, Alabama

J. E. G.

Died in Lauderdale County, Mississippi, July the 12th, 1855, Mrs. Lucinda Bell, consort of Abraham Bell. She bid her aged and widowed mother and brothers and sisters, husband and children all farewell. She joined the Presbyterian Church in 1845. In 1851, she, with her husband joined the M.E. Church.

E. M'Means

Died in Clarke County, Ala., on the 27th inst., of typhoid fever, Mrs. Emily A. Files, wife of Dr. G. W. Files, and daughter of the late Joel Cannon, of Wilcox County, in the 27th year of her age. W. K. Norton
30 August 1855

Died at the residence of her son-in-law, Capt. George P. Weaver, in Conecuh County, Ala., 12th July 1855, Mrs. Mary McCillan, aged seventy five years. She was born in North Carolina, and in the spring of 1828 she, with her family, consisting of her husband and twelve children, emigrated to West Florida, and settled on the Escambia River. For about thirty years she had been a member of the Presbyterian Church, but a few years after she came to Florida, she joined the M. E. Church. L. Sowling

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Death of Ministers.

Rev. A. Dibrell, pastor of the Granby St. Methodist Church in Norfolk, died of yellow fever on the 1st inst. Thomas, a son has since died.

Rev. D. P. Wells (Wills) his colleague, is also among the dead, reported the following week.

The Florida Conference has just lost an able minister, Rev. Wm. Choice. He died on the 18th of August, away from home.

Issue No. 33, 22 September 1855, P. 3, Col. 1

Married in Carthage, Leake Co., Miss. by the Rev. B. J. Woodward, Col. John Hanson to Miss J. E. S. Coates, daughter of the late Samuel Coates of Philadelphia, Pa.

Married, 24 August, by the Rev. F. M. _____, Charles H. Morse, Esq., of Columbus, Miss., and Miss Laura F. Compton of Marengo Co., Ala.

Married on the 5th inst., by Rev. T. _____, Rev. D. C. B. Connerly, of the Alabama Conference, and Miss Ellen T., daughter of Dr. J. C. and Mrs. M. R. Taylor of Forkland.

Died, 27 July 1855, in Auburn, Alabama, Mrs. Cornelia S. McCarty, wife of Rev. ___ A. McCarty, of the Alabama Conference and daughter of Rev. John B. Glenn. As a step-mother to her husbands children she gave them the warmth of a mothers love.

Died, at his residence, in Caddo Parish, Mr. Joseph Wells, in the 26th year of his life.

Died, of consumption, in Jackson, La., June the 11th, 1855, Alexander Covington Magruder, aged 27 years. He was born in Adams County, Miss., on the 17th April 1828. He went to Centenary College, where in 1845 he graduated with high honor, when but little more than seventeen years old. W. H. N. M.

Issue No. 34, 29 September 1855, P. 3, Col. 1

Died, Aug. 10, after a brief illness, at Harpers Wells, Hinds County, Miss., Hon. _____ Anderson, of Carroll Parish, La., in the 59th year of his age. He was sincere when presiding as a Judge, when practicing at the bar or serving in out State Constitutional Convention of 1852. Boaz

Died, in Claiborne Parish, La., 3 Aug., _____ Jane, eldest daughter of Anderson and Mary Ann Orr. /A Friend

Died of consumption, in Carroll County, Martha Maria Glancil, daughter of Alex and Martha P. Gray, formerly of Lounds County, Miss. She died on the 25th August, leaving her parents, brothers and sisters. B. F. A. Lilly

Died, two lovely daughters of Rev. T. O. Rayner, in Holmes County, Miss., Elizabeth, the 17th July in her 20th year, five months after marriage. Her sister, Nancy Ann, died August 1, in her ___ year. While in school she committed to memory 1700 verses of scripture, and could repeat twenty-one chapters.

Died, August the 27th 1855, Ann Elizabeth Smith, aged twenty years, having been married only six months. L. Landrum

Died, in Milton, Fla., on the 2nd of August, Lewis Frater, a native of Germany. L. P. Golson

Died, on the 27th of July, of typhoid fever, in Jonesboro, Ala., Nancy Elizabeth Parson, eldest daughter of Joseph K. and Sarah Parson in the 32nd year of her age. She was born in Lawrence District, S. C. N. B. Hall

We much regret to learn that Judge Cushman, of Alexandria, died of the fever on Thursday last.

Issue No. 35, 6 October 1855, P. 3, Col. 1

Died in Monroe City, Miss., 11 Aug 1855, Miss Mary Jane Davis, aged 14 years and 8 months. The deceased was the daughter of Sherwood and Martha Davis. She joined the M. E. Church in Sept. 1853. N. P. Riggan

Died on June 16th in Marion County, Ala., Mrs. _____ Ann Dunkin, daughter of Rev. S. G. _____, in the 28th year of her age. Three of her children had died before her.

Married, by Rev. J. C. McDaniel, Rev. J. M. _____, of Ala. Conference, to Miss M. E. Lockheart, daughter of Rev. David Lockheart, of Russel County, Ala.

Married, by Rev. James L. Wright, on the ___ Sept 1855, in the town of Belvue, Mr. _____art W. Spurlin to Miss Isabella Elder, of Bossier Parish, La.

Issue No. 36, 13 October 1855, P. 3, Col. 1 and P. 4, Col. 1

Died, in Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 22nd., of consumption, Margaretta Hill, eldest daughter of the late C. Connor, of this city.

Died, in Pattersonville, La., on Sunday, the 23rd ult., William Larkin, son of the Rev. R. H. and Corinna A. Read, aged 3 years, 1 month and 14 days.

Died, in Pattersonville, La., on Saturday, the 29th ult., of yellow fever, the Hon. D. D. Richardson, late Representative from that parish in our State Legislature, aged 35 years.

Married on the 2nd. instant, by the Rev. James A. Peebles, Richard Spencer, of Mobile County, to Mrs. Margaret Ann -----ot, of the city of Mobile.

(Der Deutsche Christliche Apologete, number 2) This is a German Christian Advocate, published by the M. E. Church, South, in Galveston, Texas, P. Moeling, Editor. Send \$1.00 to the editor or Rev. C. C. Gillespie, Galveston, and it comes for one long year.

A note from George J. Dicks, Esq., dated, Natchez, Miss., 3rd Oct., says; Out beloved pastor, Rev. A. T. M. Fly, breathed his last, on Monday 1st Oct., at 11 O'clock, of the prevailing epidemic.

Issue No. 37, 20 October 1855

A storm came through Terrebonne Parish on Friday, the 5th inst. blowing down the sugar house of Mrs. Pierce, and killing the child of Dr. Jennings, severely wounding Mrs. Pierce, her eldest son, and a servant girl. This storm also hit on Little Caillou blowing down the house of Mr. Joseph Toups, killing instantly three of his children and severely injuring him and Mrs. Toups. Mrs. Toups later died.

Died at the residence of her son, C. __. Bancroft, Esq., near the city of Mobile, Sept. __, 1855, Mrs. Elizabeth Bancroft. (no age) The deceased was born near Boston, Mass., and for the last twenty years or more, resided in this community. Mobile, Ala. Thos. W. Dorman
Christian Advocate and Journal will please copy.

Died in the town of Bastrop, La., 3rd Oct. 1855, William Henry, infant son of Rev. G. W. Evans, aged 2 months and 26 days.

Died, 6 August 1855, in Sparta, Bienville Parish, La., Sarah Love, wife of R. B. Love, in the 34th year of her age. She joined the M. E. Church in 1846. She gave her two children to the care of those she wanted to raise them, and told where she would be buried and chose the funeral preacher. R.

Died--Mrs. Ursula Jane Hughes was born in Lauderdale County, Alabama, 15 Feb. 1828. She joined the M. E. Church at a camp meeting held at Union Chapel, in Pickens County, Ala., in the fall of 1845. A few months before her death, she suffered the loss of her husband. She departed this life on the 26th of July last, at the house of her brother, John W. Manning, in Choctaw County, Ala. George Shaeffer

Died at his residence, in Bastrop, La., 16 Sept 1855 in the 45th year of his age, Jonathan S. Clower. He has left a bereaved widow and a large family to mourn his loss. E.

Died near Forkland, Greene Co., Ala., 19 Sept 1855, Mrs. Mary Ann Glover, the wife of Allen Glover, and eldest daughter of Dr. A. and Mrs. E. Clements, in the 22nd year of her age. She was the sixth death in her father's family within the short space of five weeks. She was converted to God, at Summerfield, Alabama, while at school, in 1852. T. Moody

Died near Old Town, Miss, Sept. 10, Mrs. M. J. Eaves. She was born in Pittsboro, N. C., reared in Marengo County, Alabama. She professed religion near her 18th year, and was a member of the M. E. Church until 1852, when she married to a member of the Baptist Church, to which she also attached herself. She has left a kind husband, and aged father, who still preaches for Christ, and two brothers who are ministers. G. F. E.

Deaths from The Fever. Reported in the Alexandria (La.) Republican, 13th. In the country, out from Pineville, La. this week. R. R. Caldwell, died at Henderson's Vacherie on last Sunday. Mr. N. Villain has lost his daughter Virginia. Mrs. J. T. Flint lost her eldest son.

Death of Ministers. Among the latest victims of the fever at Norfolk, was the Rev. Wm. Jackson, Pastor of the Protestant Episcopal Church. Rev. B. H. Williams, Presbyterian, and Rev. M. Courjault, Roman Catholic minister, died lately in Vicksburg of yellow fever.

Issue No. 38, 27 October 1855

Died in Macon, Miss., on the 11th inst., Mrs. Annie Hortentia Hopkins, wife of T. A. Hopkins, Esq., of that place, and daughter of Mrs. Eliza Purnell, formerly of Green County, Alabama, aged 18 years. She had been married but one short month. A. R. C.

Died near Vicksburg, Miss., on the 13th., John Massilon Lane, of yellow fever, in the 24th year of his age. Cypress

Died--Dear Bro. McTyire, Our dearly beloved sister, Elizabeth Ann Turner is gone. She was the wife of E. H. Turner, born in Jefferson County, Miss., on the 19th September, A. D., 1812, and born again at Camp Meeting in Natchitoches Parish, La., 1844. She died on the 26th August 1855 after a short illness. She left eight children. She gave directions for her funeral to be preached by the writer. W. A. Smith
Soldiers Springs, 3 Oct 1855

The Vicksburg Sentinel of the 20th inst., says; "We have to announce the death of the Rev. A. D. Corbyn, Rector of St. Andrew Church, at Jackson, (Episcopal). He leaves a widow and six children."

By Rev. J. J. Wheat, Clinton, La., Oct. 17th.
Our Brother Rev. W. R. Millsaps died on Saturday morning, 3rd. Oct. 1855, from yellow fever. We were on our way to the O'Topasaw camp ground when he was taken. Only a year ago he joined the Mississippi Conference, on trial.

(These records to be continued)

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

"Abstracts of Obituaries and Death Notices" from The Texas Baptist Herald are being published in FOOTPRINTS, quarterly of the Fort Worth Genealogical Society, P.O. Box 864, Fort Worth, Texas 76101. The September issue of FOOTPRINTS carries ten pages of these records dated 1872-1873 as a continuing feature.

Application for membership in the Fort Worth Society is available on request to the above address.

We had hoped to publish a list of all the many fine quarterlies published by the Genealogical Societies of Arkansas and Texas, as well as our other exchanges, and will try to do this just as soon as possible. A list of Louisiana publications will be found in the January 1972 issue of The Genie.

Our special feature WHAT OTHERS ARE DOING will be resumed in January 1973, so please send in your announcements as soon as possible.

BOOK REVIEWS

INDEX TO AMERICAN GENELOGIES, 453 pages, hardback, \$18.00. Order from Gale Research Co., Book Tower, Detroit, Mich. 48226. This book contains an index by surname to American Genealogies and Genealogical Material contained in all works such as town, county, and local histories, historical society publications, historical periodicals and related works. All sources of data found are listed with each surname, with supplement for 1900 to 1908. In most cases the references contain data which covers at least three or four generations. The supplement is indexed separately. A copy of this Index to American Genealogies should be in every library. Searchers could save a great deal of time by referring to it for every surname on their lists. 50,000 references.

GASTINGS FROM THE FOUNDRY MOLD, A history of Foundry Church, Washington, D.C. 1814-1964, 377 pages, indexed, illustrated, hardback, \$6.25 p.p. Order from the author, Homer L. Calkin, 3830 Columbia Pike, Arlington, Va. 22204. This is a profile of a downtown Methodist Church in the Nation's capitol during the first 150 years of its existence, referred to variously as "The Foundry", "Foundry Chapel", "Foundry Methodist Church", etc. The book is well indexed and divided in to five areas of data: (1) The beginnings of the church, 1814-1848; (2) The Foundry Comes of Age, 1849-1876; (3) At the Turn of the Century, 1877-1900; (4) Between Two Wars, 1910-1945; and (5) Foundry at the Space Age, 1945-1964. The appendix contains List of Ministers, Diagrams of Church membership growth, Sunday School Enrollment, Notes on Sources of data, Bibliography, Index over 12 pages. Preface is followed by Table of Contents, List of Illustrations, List of Tables and Introduction.

FLASHES OF DUPLIN'S HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT (Duplin Co., N.C.), 609 pages, hardback, \$9.62, includes Tax & Postage. Order from authors, Mr. & Mrs. F. W. McGowen, P.O. Box 446-A, Kennansville, N.C. 28349. Duplin County was the 17th county established in North Carolina in 1749, and was one of the older counties of the state, playing an important role in the beginnings of our country and in the Revolutionary War. A finely detailed Table of Contents takes the place of an index, and is easy to follow. This book will be of great value to anyone interested in the Duplin Co. area of North Carolina, but of greatest value to genealogists are: Historical Glimpses-Colonial and Early Americans, Glimpses of Early Churches, 1790 Federal Census, Glimpses of Public Schools, Early Academies and Schools, Grove Academy, St. Johns Lodge No. 13, A.F. & A.M., Glimpses of the Great War 1861-1865, and Profiles of Some of Duplin's Outstanding Citizens.

LISBON, WEST OF THE TRINITY, 145 pages, hardback, \$6.95 postpaid. Order from the author, Helen B. Anthony, Box 3855, Dallas, Texas 75208. The Lisbon community was established six miles south of the Dallas County Courthouse sometime before 1845, and was annexed to Dallas, Texas in 1929. The book is illustrated with plats of the area, showing lands of early settlers, reproductions of early letters and documents and photographs. Chapter 1 deals with the Sloan Family who settled here in 1846 and includes data on other early settlers. This is followed by chapters on various phases of the community life and development, churches, schools, and government. Appendix A contains family histories of 39 early families:

Arrington-Loftin-	Cruse-Peck	Gracey	Simpson
Griffin	Dennan	Greer-Taylor-	Sims
Beard-Shook	Douglas	Mathis	Sims-Harris
Belt	Durham	Hopkins	Spivey
Brownlee	Gill-McDoniel-	McDoniel-Harmon-	Walker-Young-
Bryant	Brown	McLain	Hammers
Bullock	Givens	Murray	Wray
Burden-Goad	Gilmore	Sheffield	

A DREAM COME TRUE, 376 pages, hardback, \$6.95. Order from James Record, Chairman Madison County Commission, Madison County Courthouse, Huntsville, Ala. 35801. The first section of this book is devoted to the history of Alabama and the colonization of the South, 1492-1865, especially of what is now the State of Alabama. The second section deals with the County Government of Madison Co. Alabama -, its formation and leaders, listing all office-holders from 1809 to the present, State and Federal Government offices in Madison County. The formation of counties and their dates, formation of States and date formed, and all counties named Madison in the U.S.A. are shown. Some of the old record books of Madison Co., Ala. are listed with years covered and where located. Madison Countians of Distinction, a special chapter, lists many prominent men and women. Basically a history of Madison County, this well written book contains much information of value to the genealogist interested in this area. A carefully detailed Table of Contents takes the place of an index.

400 CENTRAL ILLINOIS MARRIAGE RECORDS, VOL. I & III (in one book), 8½x11", paper back, indexed. Order from Walter R. Sanders, Box 126, Litchfield, Ill. 62056. VOL. I: Montgomery Co. 1821-1834, Fayette Co. 1827-1833, Bond Co. 1817-1828. VOL. III: Wayne Co. 1819-1824, Clay Co. 1825-1834, Edwards Co. 1815 & 1816, Lawrence Co. 1821-1824, White Co. 1816-1819, Union Co. 1818-1826, and Macon Co. 1829-1832. Some entries show parents or guardian of bride, first husband if a widow, or if groom was Rev. War veteran.

INDEX TO NORTH CAROLINA GENEALOGY MAGAZINES EDITED BY W. P. JOHNSON, Index for 1970, Spring & Summer and Fall & Winter, VOL. XVI, No. 1 & 2. Index for 1971, Spring & Summer and Fall & Winter, VOL. XVII, No. 1 & 2. Each Index \$1.50. Order from Mrs. A. W. King, 613 Shady Lawn Road, Chapel Hill, N.C. 27514. These indexes make the valuable data in the North Carolina Magazines for 1970 & 1971 much easier to find and use, particularly in libraries, where time does not permit reading the entire magazine to find data it may contain.

CULPEPPER COUNTY VIRGINIA, 8½x11", softback, 194 pages, \$10.00. Order from the author, Mrs. Dorothy Ford Wulfeck, 51 Park Ave., Naugatuck, Conn. 06770. This book contains abstracts from Will Books B & C, 1770-1783 & 1783-1791; Index to Will Book G, 1813-1817; Old Miscellaneous Papers of bonds, estate settlements, lawsuits, inventories, etc., from late 1700's to 1900, and early tombstone inscriptions from Culpepper Co., Va. cemeteries, giving name and location of each cemetery where found.

KINGSTON PARISH REGISTER, GLOUCESTER AND MATHEWS COUNTIES, VIRGINIA, 1749-1827, 8½x11", Softback, \$10.00 postpaid. Order from Mrs. Emma R. Matheny, 1718 Glenview Road, Richmond, Va. 23222. The first order in the Kingston Parish Vestry Book, dated 15th November 1679, reveals the existence of a church bldg, called North River Chapel. Almost all colonial records of Gloucester Co., Va. were destroyed by a fire in 1820 and the burning of the county clerk's office in 1865. The register of Kingston Parish is one of the few extant colonial church records, dating from 1749, the last entry was made in 1827. Carefully copied from photostat copies of the original register, this book contains 530 marriages, 1750 births and 120 deaths, with a complete index.

A SUPPLEMENT TO THE 1810 CENSUS OF VIRGINIA, 320 pages, hardback, \$15.00. Order from the author Netti Schreiner-Yantis, 6818 Lois Drive, Springfield, Va. 22150. Census enumerations of eighteen Virginia counties were destroyed when the British burned the state Capitol during the War of 1812. Tax lists from the following counties are included: Louisa, Halifax, Tazewell, Pittsylvania, Greenbrier, Henry, Grayson, Hardy, James City, King William,

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Cabell, Mecklenburg, Northampton, Orange, Patrick, Russell, Nansemond. The 1810 Census for Middlesex County shows many names not included on the original census and is followed by the tax list for this county. This book is completely indexed, contains a map of each county preceding the tax list and a map of Virginia in the front and back of the book, showing location of counties referred to. An important and easy to use reference work for anyone interested in Virginia records.

FORT FETTERMAN'S CEMETERY, 32 pages, 8½x11", spiral cover, \$3.00. Order from the compiler, Sharon Lass Field, 5005 Greybull, Cheyenne, Wyoming 82011. Fort Fetterman was established July 1867 near where the Bozeman Trail crossed the North Platte River, as an outpost to help combat Indian hostilities, and after 1870 began to decline in importance. By 1882, military abandonment was started. Both soldiers and civilian pioneers were buried in the cemetery, and about 1882, the military dead were re-interred at Fort McPherson, Nebraska.

GOOCHLAND COUNTY, VIRGINIA MARRIAGE BONDS AND MINISTERS' RETURNS, 1816-1854, 130 pages, 8½x11", Cardstock cover, indexed, \$12.50. Order from Hughes and Standefer, compilers, 727 Goodlet St., Memphis, Tenn. 38111. The Foreward gives details on how these records are compiled: Grooms listed alphabetically on left side of page, brides opposite, with names of minister, date, securities and relationships where shown, compiled as found in the original records. A list of ministers who performed marriages in Goochland Co., Va. 1816-1853 is included. Marriage records of Goochland Co., Va. for 1733-1815 were compiled and published by Kathleen Booth Williams in 1960. This continuation by Thomas F. Hughes and Jewel B. Standefer will be of great value to anyone doing research in Goochland Co.

1850 CENSUS OF MERCER COUNTY, VIRGINIA (Now West Virginia), 52 pages, softback, \$6.00. Order from the compiler, Netti Schreiner-Yantis, 6818 Lois Drive, Springfield, Va. 22150. Any indexed printed census schedule for 1850 can be of great help to anyone interested in that particular census, even where the microfilm records of the original schedule is available. This book includes all genealogical data contained in the original, plus statistics from slave schedules which relate to owners living in Mercer Co. Two maps show origin of Mercer Co., West Virginia with explanation of abbreviations used for occupations.

WEST POINT AND THE SOCIETY OF THE CINCINNATI, 32 pages, 6½x8½", softback, no price given, Limited Edition. For price and other information write to the Author, William Raiford, 12011 Old Bridge, Rockville, Md. 20852. Includes a history of the Society of the Cincinnati, geographical data on many members 1812-1966, with members listed alphabetically, showing West Point Class, year admitted to Society, state of residence and eligibility for membership.

ALDRIDGE RECORDS, VOL. I, 186 pages, 8½x11", cardstock cover, fully indexed, \$10.00 postpaid. Order from the compiler, Franklin R. Aldridge, 139 Ewing Drive, Nashville, Tenn. 37207. Contains mostly census and marriage records of several southern states, Indiana and Illinois, on Aldridges and various spellings of this name - Aldredge, Aldred, Alred, Aldrich, etc. The author invites anyone interested in Aldridge family research to write to him and to exchange information with him. Approximately 900 surnames indexed, Census records from 19 states, marriages from 10 states, plus wills and other data on all variants of the Aldridge name found by the compiler.

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THE ANCESTRY OF ONE ATWOOD FAMILY, 64 pages, 6x9", softback, indexed, \$1.50. Order from the author, Charles A. Atwood, 210 East Grand Avenue, Fox Lake, Ill. 60020. Separate chapters include early records from England, Scotland, France, Normandy, Flanders, Ireland and Spain, plus immigrants and descendants in America on Atwood, Pritchard, Hathaway, Olney, Goodspeed, Irish, Davis, Reynolds, Leonard, Rogers, Walker, Richmond, Pond, Frisbie, Munson, Churchill, Bradford, Lucas, Shaw, Adams, Barlett, Morey, Brewster, Mullens, Aiden, Warren. There is an amazing amount of information packed into this little book, including marriages, deaths, wills, land records, etc., plus the Atwood Coat of Arms and other illustrations....

PERPETUAL CALENDAR, History of Calendars, Hebrew Calendar and other data, softback, 75c. Order from compiler, Charles A. Atwood, 210 East Grand Ave., Fox Lake, Ill. 60020. If ordered with THE ANCESTRY OF ONE ATWOOD FAMILY, the price is \$2.00 for both books.

THE BOYDSTON-BOYDSTON FAMILY, 423 pages, 6½ x 9½", hardback, general index, \$8.50. Order from the author, Mrs. Arthur B. Domonske, 207 East 8th St., Davis, Calif. 95616. Well documented records of family groups, wills, deeds, census records, land and military records, marriages, deaths, also traditions, conclusions of the author and other unproved information. Early Boylston-Boydston are included, and this family history begins with William Boylstone who leased 100 acres of land in Prince William Co., Va. in 1732, and traces descendants through south, central and southwestern states. Some allied lines are Avery, Box, Evans, Hopkins, Johnson, Neely, Polk, Presley, Pruitt, Prescott, Smith, Thompson, Vaulx and Yokum.

BUTTON FAMILIES IN AMERICA, 941 pages, hardback, complete index, \$16.50. Order from compiler, R. Glen Nye, 9369 Loren Drive, La Mesa, Calif. 92041. Compiled from material collected by The Button Genealogy Committee and others, gives records of Matthias Button, Sr., who came to America with Governor John Endicott, landing at Salem, Mass. 6 Sept. 1628 and of his descendants. Many other Button immigrants are included in a special section entitled "Groups". There are approximately 3,000 surnames and 4,000 given names in the index. Illustrations include Coat of Arms and photos of family members. Carefully researched and documented, the book includes twelve generations of descendants of several Buttons, all arranged for easy reference.

THE HISTORY OF FIVE SOUTHERN FAMILIES, 250 pages, hardback, indexed, \$10.00, Order from the author, Ethel Evans Albert, 2217 Cypress Street, Kingsport, Tenn. 37664. The five southern families are Evans, Kelly, Nash, Hendricks and Blankenship. The book begins with the marriage of William Evans to Mattie Ferrell 17 Jan 1783 in Washington Co., Va. and brings us up to 1970 with the Evans family and related lines. Sources of information are given in the text, making it easy, unencumbered reading. Some material is included which Mrs. Albert admits has not been proven, but she leaves it in because it may still have connections with the family. It is very exciting book to read, relates several personal tales and experiences, including an attack by Indians in 1777 and the religious conversion of Elexious Evans: 'He was baptized "to arise from the watery grave" to become one of the greatest preachers and crusaders for Jesus Christ that West Virginia, Virginia, Kentucky and parts of Tennessee and Ohio has ever known.'

THE BURNS FAMILY AND ALLIED LINES OF NORTH CAROLINA, ALABAMA AND TEXAS, 55 pages, 8½'11", heavy composition cover, indexed, \$10.00. Order from the author, Mrs. Malvin Stewart, Rt. 4, Box 414, Huntsville, Texas 77340. This history begins with five Burns brothers who left Ayrshire, Ayr County, Scotland about 1724 and settled in Chatam Co., N. C., some later going to Wilcox Co.,

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Alabama and on to Texas. Included are records of related families of Brantley, Brewer, Bryan, Longmire, Marsh, Maxwell, Reener, Riddle, Scurlock, Stewart, Tomlinson, Welch and Winchester, et al. Included are proven records and family traditions, and records from middle Tennessee as well as other states in the title. NOTE: It is known that some members of some of these families settled in north Louisiana, and this book should be of interest to many descendants of all families included in this book.

DREIBELBIS FAMILY, 1732-1966, over 1,000 pages, approx. 9x11", hardback, \$11.50 postpaid. Order from Harvey C. Dreibelbis, Mercer Rd., Colts Neck, N. J. 07722. Excerpts from the Dreibelbis Genealogies and Biographies of the John Jacob Dreibelbis Cousins of America, compiled by the late Charles Benjamin Dreibelbis, Philadelphia, Pa. Carefully documented records of many descendants of John Jacob Dreibelbis who came to America in 1732 from Holland and settled in Philadelphia, Pa. This well documented book compiled after more than 40 years of research and record collecting by many members of this family organization has no index, but includes over 600 surnames, 7,138 direct descendants of John J. Dreibelbis, many of whom still live in Pennsylvania, with some scattered throughout the mid-west and southwest. Biographical data from The History of Berks Co., Pa., with many illustrations and a map of 'Dreibelbis Country' in Penn. are included. Written and published especially for the Members and Friends of the Dreibelbis Family, the book will be of interest to many searchers interested in the Berks Co. area of Pennsylvania.

A LETTER TO OUR RELATIVES AND STORY OF FAMILY HISTORY OF OUR DUNNAGAN'S - DUNAGAN'S, 42 pages, 8½x11", hardback, illustrated and indexed, \$12.50 p.p. Order from the co-author Wilburn E. DeVaughan, Box 191, Binger, Okla. 73009. Historical data and family records of Dunnagans-Dunagans, Engles, McWilliams, Gray, DeVaughan and Bryan families, tracing migrations from Virginia, North Carolina, to Georgia, Tenn., Missouri, Arkansas, Texas and Oklahoma Territory. Contains Bible Records, old letters, wills, deeds, leagues and surveys, old affidavits, documents, etc.

FREEZE FAMILIES IN AMERICA, 69 pages, 8½x11", softback, indexed. Order from the author, Mary M. Freeze Warrell, 398 National Road, Wheeling, West Virginia 26003. Documented records of many early families in America, sometimes spelled Frees, Freas, Fries, Fyes, Freeze and other variants of the name collected during research on the author's own branch of the family. The index lists 360 surnames of related families, the most numerous being Beavers, Bittenbender, DeForest, Frace, Heater, Hoffman, Skinner, with all variants of the Freeze name. The records are compiled from marriages, wills, immigrations, military and pension lists, etc., from many states, and go back to 1633. Mrs. Warrell publishes THE WEST VIRGINIA ECHOER, a Bi-Monthly magazine, to help you solve your West Virginia problems. Subscription in \$4.00 per year.

THE DESCENDANTS OF JAMES HUSTON with Related Families of deBERARD, JOHNSON, TROWBRIDGE, RUGG, CASE, BRIGHAM, FISKE, NEWTON and McKITRICK, 124 pages, soft back, indexed, \$5.00 p.p. Order from author, Mrs. Edith Hurlbutt Sanderson, 411 East 6th St., Northfield, Minn., 55057. Each of the major families is discussed in a separate chapter, beginning with an illustration of the Coat of Arms, country of origin, immigration to America and descendants, with family photos at the close of the chapter. The Huston data begins with Robert House Son, born 5 July 1450 in Dublin, Ireland, and are brought down to the present generation, tracing the family from Jamestown, Va. in 1612 and 1616 through North Carolina, Pennsylvania, Missouri, Kentucky, Tennessee, Iowa and westward. The chapter, Pioneer Experiences in Keokuk County (Iowa) 1858-1874, is an interesting account of the history of that area of Iowa and the Newton family.

LEAVES OF THE JERNIGAN TREE, 63 pages, softback, indexed, \$3.00 postpaid. Order from the author, Mrs. V. H. Jernigan, Box 366, Manchester, Tenn. 37355. Thomas Jernigan and three sons, Thomas, John and Henry, came to Nansemond Co. Va., from Sommerly England before 1716. Thomas (Jr.) migrated to New England, John and Henry to North Carolina. Some of their children settled in middle Tennessee very early. Well documented records from 1716 on down through the years, including wills, deeds, estate settlements, marriages, combined with history and family tradition make this another very interesting and well written book on early settlers of Middle Tennessee. NOTE: Anyone interested in Jernigan family records will find much of value in this book. Anyone who has ever done research in middle Tennessee will find it a charming account of the times and people who built their sturdy log houses and rock fences, helped drive out the savage Indians, and left many descendants who still live there. All books on this particular section of Tennessee seem to have a special charm all their own - We recommend that you read this book and if you have not already done so, try to find at least one pioneer ancestor who settled in this area, so you will have a reason to do research there.

A BRANCH OF THE LOGAN FAMILY TREE, 152 pages, 8½x11", softback, indexed, \$10.00. Order from the compiler, D. M. Logan, Box 1241, Okmulgee, Oklahoma 74447. This is primarily a record of the descendants of David Manuel Logan who lived in middle Tennessee shortly after the Revolutionary War. A brief summary of other Logans in England and Pennsylvania, New England, the Carolinas and Kentucky is included, with reference to where records can be found on many of them. Descendants of David Manuel Logan moved to Mississippi, Louisiana, Oklahoma and Texas, with many remaining in Tennessee. Many military records, marriages, deeds, family groups, descendant charts, with photo and Coat of Arms are included. The index lists over 200 surnames of related families.

THE JOY GENEALOGY, 619 pages, hardbound, well indexed, order from the author, Helen Joy Lee, 114 Avondale Road, Westerly, R. I. 02891. This genealogy starts in 1635 with Thomas Joy (Joye, Jay), the English immigrant who settled in Massachusetts and bring the family down to the present generation, following the author's own lines with a few collateral lines included. The book contains much documentation from court records, etc., and an unusual number of family letters. Since this family was a New England seafaring family in the early days, these letters from the sailors back to their family are very interesting. The last part of the book is a collection of "adventures" of various members of the family. There are 58 pages of photographs beginning with the early settlers. Major allied families mentioned are Bates, Bourne, Carter, Clark, Crowell, Davis, Gannett, Morton, Nichols, Read, Scaal and Smith.

WILLIS GREGORY FAMILY HISTORY, 1785-1968, 315 pages, hardback, indexed. For price and other information write to Lewis J. Gregory 1937 Gregory Lane, Cincinnati, Ohio 45206. Ella V. (Gregory) Mayfield is co-author. The preface gives data of interest and value to anyone doing research in America as well as on the Gregory and related lines. Chapter 1 begins with Willis Gregory, Sr. (5/23/1785-12/21/1851) and his wife Martha Twitty (3/5/1787-7/7/1880) listing their children and spouses. Willis Gregory, Sr. believed to be from North Carolina, is listed on the 1820 census of Marlboro Co., S. C. and is said to have married there. Each of the 44 chapters on Willis Gregory, Sr. and his direct descendants follow the same easy to read and correlate pattern. The appendix gives data on closely related families of Baskin, Bolton, Clack, Cook, Wynne and Twitty plus plates and description of three Gregory coats of arms and one for the Macgregor family. Over 609 surnames are listed in the index. Areas covered include Marlboro, Chesterfield and Lancaster Co., S. C.; Marengo Green and Sumpter Co., Ala., Florida, Mississippi, Northeast and Central Texas,

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with current addresses scattered all over the U.S. Almost every surname in the index will be found in the Ark-La-Tex Assoc. membership roster and of special interest to us is the husband of the co-author, Mark Hanna Mayfield, who descends from the Mayfield-Carter families. NOTE: Please contact the author regarding a new book, TWITTY FAMILY HISTORY to be published this year.

OUR McDONALD FAMILY, by Willie McDonald Arensen. The preface gives brief history of Clan McDonald of Glencoe, Argyllshire, Scotland with picture of the Coat of Arms. Proven progenitors of the author begin with James William Owen who married Jane Wynn. Their daughter, Dortia Theodoritia Owen b. 1 Mar 1767 in S. C. married ca 1783 Willis McDonald b. 1760 in S. C., moved to Burke Co. Ga. in 1790 and settled in Jefferson Co., Miss. in 1799. Families of direct descendants are discussed separately to include spouses and children, places of residence, occupations, etc. Wills, Bible, church, cemetery, military and land records, with obituaries and many photos are included. A map of Northern Ireland and of Scotland showing where McDonalds lived and a chart entitled "Makers of the Reformation" precedes the index of almost 300 surnames, mostly from South Carolina, Mississippi, Louisiana and Texas. Hardback, 105 pages, reduced print, \$10.00. Order from American Reference Publishing Co., 3327 Winthrop St., Fort Worth, Texas 76116.

THE CLAN McBRYDE, 153 pages, 8½x11", Coat of Arms, Index, \$6.00. Order from the author, Rear Adm. A. M. Patterson, USN (Ret.), 4135 Camelot Drive, Apt. C-2, Raleigh, N. C. 27609. Included is a brief history of the Scotch Highlanders and their migration of North Carolina, among them John and Mary McBryde who appear in North Carolina records about 1804. Nine of their children lived to adulthood, and descendants of each of these nine are traced as completely as possible by the author. The mail allied families are Patterson, Russ, Clark, McKenzie and Leach. Early generations of the family are carefully documented with much family tradition added and identified as such to add color and interest to this book.

GENEALOGY OF REV. W. H. VAN DEUSEN by Cherry Laura Van Deusen Pratt. Published by Rockford Press, Rockford, Ohio in 1969. Hardbound, 81 pages, well indexed. The first page of book gives a list of abbreviations used by the author in the book and a list of the Dutch names common to this family with the English equivalent of these names. For instance, Tryntje is the Dutch name for Catherine. Teeuvis is the Dutch name for Matthew. Mrs. Pratt starts her genealogy in 1325 in Holland. This is very brief and sketchy, but it does give a background for the emigration of the family to New Amsterdam in 1658. Ten generations from the emigrant are covered briefly with no coverage of any part of the family except the author's direct line. Only two allied lines are covered in the book: The Hendricksons and the Beltons.

FAMILY HISTORY WITH NAME ORIGIN AND LINEAGE LINES: PARKER. Published by Heraldry, P. O. Box 365, Carpinteria, Calif. 93013. Soft bound, 55 pages, \$6.75. This book is not a genealogy, but instead a helpful source book for those working on the Parker family. No attempt has been made to tie the information together, but had collected Parker information for several sources. All Parker entries in the 1790 census, of all states, 1820 census of Georgia, Illinois, Alabama; the 1850 Census of California are given. Names of early Parker settlers of Virginia, Wisc., Calif., Ore., Ky., Mass., and Missouri have been gathered and indexed. Parkers who served in the Revolutionary War and/or received a pension are also given. The coat of arms and an explanation of the arms has been included. The coat of arms is included in such a manner that it could be removed from the book and framed.

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THE WETHERED BOOK. Order from William L. Bauahn Publishers, Peterborough, N. H. 03458, price \$15.00. This book traces the descendants of Richard Wethered (1690-1744) from Hertfordshire England to America in the early 1700's where Richard Wethered settled on the Sassafras River in Kent County, Maryland. Some of his descendants still own and occupy some of the lands that he acquired. This book is divided into three parts. The first part deals with the original family. The second part is in six chapters. Each chapter given to the six children of John Wethered, son of Richard Wethered. The third part contains sources and some miscellaneous information. The Pedigree Chart is well arranged and the form of the book would be very helpful to anyone contemplating writing their own family history. The author quotes Lord Macauley's opinion, "That a people which take no pride in the achievements of remote ancestors, will never achieve anything worthy to be remembered with pride by remote descendants."

URIAH SUTHERLAND FAMILY by James Logan Sutherland. Order from the author James Logan Sutherland, 308 E. Benton Street, Windsor, Missouri 65360. Price \$5.50 postpaid. The biography of the Sutherland Family begins with Uriah Sutherland, who married Rebecca Bently in Frederick County, Virginia in 1787. It traces the movements of the family from Virginia to Kentucky, Missouri and Oklahoma. Some excellent old maps of the regions they traveled through are included. The author includes some very interesting family correspondence. One letter, #9, p 192, is headed Shreveport, La. June 4, 1865, is from Sam Sutherland to his brother, telling that he is waiting here for his parole from the U. S. Government. He was a soldier in the War Between the States and plans to go to Pittsburg, Texas where a Dr. Cox lives and probably on to Sherman, Texas, where his Uncle Roof Hall lives. The book is very interesting and the author notes "We must think backward if we are to travel Forward, because the root of the present lie deep in the past."

TO OUR BOOK DONORS

Some book reviews scheduled for publication in this issue of The Genie and ads for all books received since July will appear in the January issue.

We sincerely regret this delay and hope all of you will understand our position. We feel that delay is far better than just throwing things together hit or miss in order to maintain a strict time schedule. Our time schedule is wrecked for the time being by my long illness, but we are beginning to get things going again with the help of a few very efficient and devoted members of our Association, and will begin work on the January Genie next week.

The Genealogy Department of Shreve Memorial Library joins us in thanking you for each and every book received. That does not adequately express our gratitude, but all of us wish each of you a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

It is impossible for me to write to each of you individually, so please accept this as a substitute for my very warm and personal appreciation.

Sincerely and cordially yours,

Ema Lee Tipton

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INFORMATION PLEASE

PEYTON

John W Peyton of Wilson Co. Tenn. Who were his parents? He settled at Round Lick, near Lebanon Tenn prior to 1800. Married Lina Phillips in Davidson Co. Tenn in 1800. She must have died shortly thereafter, for he soon married Fannie Kelly, dau of Elizabeth Thompson & Dennis Kelley, a Revolutionary soldier. John W Peyton lived with her in Wilson Co. until his death in 1836. No connection seems to exist between him & John Peyton of the adjoining Co Sumner, this John being a twin to Ephraim Peyton. Where did the parents of John W Peyton come?

Mrs. Scott Dunlop, 604 Huron St., Shreveport La. 71106

BELLEVUE, BELLUEX, BELL

Joseph Egypt Bellevue - desire any information. He was born Va. Plantation, hotel New Orleans, La. Said to have been killed in the invasion of Cuba 1852. Married Hannah May ca 1842 in New Orleans. Hannah b Belfast Ireland ca 1822. Father stationed in Scotland transferred to Belfast and came to this country 1839. Lived in New Orleans, plantation. Related some way to Gen May/May's Drug Store. After Bell died, she married Wylie McGraw and lived near Sabine Pass Tex in 1860. Died in Galveston Tex ca 1895. One son Joseph (Bud) McGraw. There were several Bell children.

Edna S Miller, 2529 S Lamar, #4, Austin Texas 78704

ANDERSON, GILBERT, ROGERS, ALLRED, CADE, GRIGGS

1. John Anderson - need parents, b & place, date & p of death; shown in Henry Co Ala in 1850 census. Married Jeanette Armstrong 23 Apr 1849 of Henry Co. Ala. What happened to John? Did he die before the 1860 census?
2. Annie Gilbert - need parents, b & place, date & p of death? She was the first wife of Wm Henry Harrison Griggs. Probably married in Jackson Par La. 1870.
3. John C (Cloud) Rogers - need parents. John D and wife Elizabeth were murdered 6 Mar 1884 in his home in Ward 5, Ouchita Par La. He, his wife and several children are listed in Crawford Co Ga in 1850 census. Who were the parents of Elizabeth A --- Rogers? Where was she born and when? When & where did she marry John C Rogers? I will exchange information.
4. Steven Middleton Cade - need parents? Born 1818 in Miss. Where? Married first wife, Catherine Hickingbottom, 17 Oct 1839 in Wilkinson co Miss. She d 1848 and is buried in Franklin Co Miss besides John & Rhoda H Cade. Where John & Rhoda the parents of Steven Middleton Cade? Children of S M & Catherine were: John Willie - m Martha (Patty) Lowry in 1865 at Bellevue, La.; Elias M.; Mary Ann, 1st m Stephen Cuny Irving in 1861, 2nd m Edmond Randle Guyton in 1870; Steven M m Margaret Allred 27 Dec in Copiah Co Miss. Who were the parents of Margaret? Known children of A M & Margaret Cade were: Catherine (1858-1892) m 1st Chapple H Rogers & had 3 children, John d as infant; Dora Margaret m Charles Lee Griggs; & Emma m a Mr. Jones and disappeared. Emma could still be living near Shreveport, if so, I would like to get in touch with her. The 3rd wife of S M Cade was Elizabeth McGurkey, known as "Miss Lizzie" with whom he was living at the time of his death in 1895 in Ouchita Par La.
5. Lewis Griggs - need parents? Born 1806 in N C & d 1876 in Jackson Par La. Where in N C was Lewis born? He m Dorothy Ann Bryan in 1831 in Lowndes Co Ala. She was the dau of Wade & Sarah ? Bryan who later moved to Jackson Par La. Where in Ga was Dorothy A born and when? Who were the parents of Wade A & Sarah ? Bryan? Was Sarah's father a Cherokee Indian Chief? Will exchange information that I have on this family.

Mrs. Jimmie Anderson Carruth, 212 Westwood Dr. San Angelo, Tex 76901

TUCHER

I seek William Tucker, wife Pauline; children: Thomas, Elmira, Narcissue, James, etc. who lived in Louisiana about 1850.

Mr. Robert G Harless, 1258 Cabrillo Ave. Burlingame, Cal. 94010

WALLER, GILMORE, RHODES McCOY

Elbert Waller - need parents & place of birth? He was b 1822 in Ga. - d 1897 Columbia Co Ark & m Mary Gilmore in 1845 in Chambers Co Ala.

Were his bros James -b 1808 Ga & d 1883 Columbia Co Ark m Susan McCoy. Almon D Waller m Harriett Thornton Feb 1841 in Chambers Co Ala. ?

Elbert Waller may be a descendant of John Waller - b 1749 Maryland & d 1807 Hancock Co Ga. who m Elizabeth Rhodes. Their children were: Handy, James, Daniel, John, William, Charles R, Elizabeth & Nathaniel. I need place of d of Daniel - Daniel b 1772 - William b 1777 - Charles R b 1780 ? Putnam Co Ga. census shows Daniel living there in 1830.

Will exchange any Waller information that I have.

Mrs. Virginia H McConnell, 120 Hortman Dr. Springhill La. 71075

TURNER, TALTON, DALTON, WIMPEY, REDD, REED, DOWELL, DEANS, MCGINNIS

1. Old Terisha Turner - Interested in hearing from all descendants. Does any one know where I can locate a Turner Bible left with John E Turner of Gallatin, Tenn in 1833 when his father James Turner moved to Texas with his daughter Mary A Tinsley?
2. John D Talton of Johnston Co N C d 1870. Who was his 1st wife? 2nd wife was Tamsy Narrow.
3. Rachel Dalton - who were her parents? She m Sumpter Turner in Sumner Co Tenn 7 January 1824.
4. Wimpey: Anyone working on this line, please contact me.
5. Redd: Compiling material on this name. Anyone having any material please contact me.
6. William Reed: Would like to hear from descendants of Wm Reed & his wife Mary (Polly) Turner Reed. They were m in Sumner Co Tenn 11 Feb 1803.
7. Dr. Greensville Dowell - of Va. who lived in Galveston Texas in 1871. Would like to contact descendants of Dr. Dowell.
8. Deans - I am interested in the Dean families of Johnston Co N Carolina.
9. McGinnis - Who were the parents of Rebecca McGinnis? Married 1st William Ervin. 2nd M Rudolph Buckius of Philadelphia Pa. She had a sister who m a Duffield - all of Philadelphia Pennsylvania.

Mrs. V. T. Harris, # 4505 Caroline Ave. Portsmouth Va. 23707

PARKER, NEELY, WILLIAMS, WHITLOCK

1. Parker - would like to contact descendants of the early Parkers in Sabine or Vernon Par? These parkers supposed to be related to Cynthia Parker, who was stolen by Indians in Texas in 1836. Cynthia Ann Parker's father was Silas Mercer Parker, Sr. Did he have a sister who m Samuel Williams?
2. Feming R Neely b ca 1820 in Ala. & m Eliza Williams 21 Dec 1843. Where? Lived in Sabine Par in La un 1860. He died in the Civil War 1864. Eliza & children moved to Leon Co Texas. Fleming had a bro in Tenn, John. Who were their parents?
3. W R Neely & wife Charolotta lived near Fleming Neely in Sabine Parish. Children were: Francis, Susan, Malinda A, John R, Charles. What was the relationship of Fleming R and W R Neely?
4. Cynthia A Williams - b ca 1830 in Miss. She m M J or W J Langton or Langston. Children were: Benjamin, Eliza, Nancy, Amandy and maybe others. They lived in Sabine Par in 1860. Would like to contact any descendants of this family?
5. William Asa (Acy) Whitlock - b 8 Mar 1830 in Ala. First m Elizabeth Dunbar. Where? She died before 1870 in Miss or Ala. Where is she buried? He m 2nd Mary Williams in Angelina Co Texas in March 1870. He died 1923 near Mansfield, La. Who were his parents? brothers & sisters? He has descendants around Mansfield today. Will exchange information..

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BYRD, (BIRD) (BURD), BASS, PERKINS

I am stuck on my Byrd-Bass-Perkins lines. My Birds are originally from Va and went to S C after the Revolution and then into Miss. Wm Bird applied for a patent in section 47 of Amite Co and moved with his wife and 4 children in 1803. Catherine Bird was born in 1805 (my gr. gr. grandmother). They lived in Miss. but the census record says she was born in La. Mr. Cupit, of Rosepine La. says that early grants on Beaver Creek where he obtained the patent were said to be partly in La. Wm Bird m Nancy Bass, some of the records show it Ann Bass. I found her will in Wilkerson Co. naming her daughter Catherine Bird (who m Charles Hageweed). Catherine died in Point Coupee Parish in 1869.

1. Who were the parents of William Bird (Byrd) who married Nancy Ann Bass.
2. Who were the parents of Nancy Ann Bass?
3. John Perkins - Who were his parents? The Perkins were originally from N C. He m Eliza Jane Rutledge, dau of Dudley Rutledge and Rachel Glass. He owned a plantation 12 miles from Opeleusas Court House. He married in La. 6-27-1839 and died in 1852.

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SMITH, HARDEMAN, STANTON, HARRIS, RAIN, BRADY, PICKETT

1. Edward Smith - b 8 Mar 1791, Isle of Wight Va. Died 1 July 1867 Ga. He m ca 1827 Dorothy Owen Hardeman, who was b 27 Feb 1810 & d 3 Sept 1873 in Morgan Co. Ga. I need the parents of Edward Smith. Can anyone help?
2. Mittie Stanton - need help in locating parents, brothers, sisters. She was b ca 1843 Newton Co Ga. d 1865/1870 Morgan Co Ga. She was first wife of Benjamin Franklin Crawley. Family tradition says she is related to Georgia Poet Laureate, Frank Lobby Stanton. No proof. She might possibly be the dau of John L and Louisa Stanton. No proof.
3. Emily Dewitt Harris b S C. 11 Nov 1811, d Harrison Co Texas 1878 & m John Rain 15 Nov 1831 in Washington Co Ala. They had 7 children, all born in Ala before moving to Harrison C. Texas in 1848. They had one more son b in Texas. I need any information at all about Emily Dewitt Harris. Her parents, brothers, sisters, and how she got to Alabama?
4. Louisa Kinsey Brady - b 1805 Randolph Co Ga. m 20 Apr 1827 Jones Co Ga. & was the second wife of James Pickett (1785-1850). They appear in the 1850 census of Ouchita Co Ark but not in the 1860 census. After death of her husband, she & family moved to near McKinney in Collin Co Texas. Two sons enlisted in Confederate Army. She died 3 July 1864 in Collin Co. Texas or Calhoun Co Ark. Would like to locate place of death and burial of Louisa. Will exchange and answer all letters.

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McELHENNY, BEST

1. Robert W McElhenny - Who were his parents? He was b 6 Jan 1801 S C. He d 6 Sept 1863 in Mansfield, La. He m Nancy Bell Best who was b 5 Sept 1806 in S C & d 25 May 1863 in Mansfield, La. Their children were: Sarah Jane b 19 May 1832; d 2 June 1841 of Scarlet fever. Martha Louisa b 7 Oct 1833 & d 5 Apr 1860, m John Wemple 15 Feb 1854. Margaret Rocinda b 10 Apr 1835 d 27 May 1841 of Scarlet fever. Robert Alexander, b 8 Jan 1837, d 1 June 1841 of Scarlett fever. Frances Elizabeth b 12 Oct 1838 in Ala - d 13 Dec 1881. Married 2 Dec 1861 to John Wemple (Same John who m her sister.) James Thomas, b 30 Jan 1840 in Ala - d 5 June 1841 of Scarlett fever. Mary Crawford - b 21 Aug 1842 in Ala- d 22 June 1911. Married James Thomas Wiley 11 July 1860. Amanda Olivia - b 5 Feb 1844 in Talladego Ala- m Richard Andrew Fraser 13 May 1867. (She had a twin who d 24 Feb 1844). Robert Walker - b 19 Sept 1845 in Ala - d 7 Sept 1864 - killed in The War between The States. Nancy Caroline - b 5 July 1847 in Ala - d November 1916. Married Oscar Phillips on 3 July 1870.
2. Nancy Bell Best had brothers - Humphrey, Benedict, Joshua, Thomas L & Eli. Who were her parents? Will exchange information.

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HALL

Dempsey Hall - Who are his children? The 1790 census, page 135, of Newbern Dist, Dobbs Co. N C lists one male over 16, 2 females over 16. A husband & wife and one dau, I presume. Is this the father of Dempsey Hall of Jefferson Co Ga. - b 1801 of 1840 census? He was in Bienville Par La in 1850 census.

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KIRKLAND, HANCOCK, GLADDEN, FRAZIER

Almedia Kirkland, dau of Aaron & Jane (Gladden) Kirkland of Ouchita Par La m James Marion Hancock ca 1833. They lived in Claiborne Par in 1840. In 1850 Almedia Hancock lived in Bienville Par with her brother Jesse Kirkland. Where were these families in 1860-70-80 ?

The children of James M & Almedia were: John; Mary Elizabeth m John Gladden; Nancy Jane m Jacob Leroy Frazier.

James Marion Hancock m 2nd Mrs. Eleanor McFee & had one know child, James M Hancock, Jr. I need further information on John Hancock & Mary Elizabeth Hancock Gladden?

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BLOOMER, VAN HOOK, SMITH, SILCOTT, HEATON, BOSWELL, ELLIOTT

1. Please, any information on Samuel Bloomer & wife Elizabeth Frances Van Hook?

They were probably from Kentucky. Dau Elizabeth Frances b 1825 Madison Ind.

2. Looking for printed articles on 9 sons of Levi Smith of Maine? 3 sons were Martin, Silas & Wright. Ca 1810.

3. Want ancestors of Jacob Silcott, b 1770. First found in Frederick Co Va. in 1802 and Jane Heaton, his first wife.

4. Information on William and Barbara Boswell? They are the parents of Priscilia, born 1805 in Frederick Maryland.

5. Information on John & Margaret Elliott? They are the parents of Harriett b 1815 Sullivan's Island or Baltimore Maryland.

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COBB, DAVENPORT

Alexander Cobb - b 1772 in S C. Died 1856 in Chilton Co (formerly Bibb Co. Ala). What was the name of his first wife? Their children married into the Davenport, Honeycutt & Campbell families of Bibb & Shelby Co's Ala and some moved to La. His second wife was Marion Campbell.

Alexander Cobb's son Levi Banks Cobb, b 17 Feb 1819 in Bibb Co Ala m Amanda M. Davenport, who was b 7 Nov 1823 in Ala and was dau of James & Elizabeth Davenport.

James Davenport, b 1786 in S C and Elizabeth b 1787 in S C were neighbors of Cobbs. I would like any information on any of these families?

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COLLINS, HUDSON

1. Joseph Collins of Spotsylvania Co Va. Who was his father? Joseph d 1757. James Collins, son of Joseph, moved to N. C. Who did he Marry? What are the names of his children?

2. Phoebe Hudson - Who were her parents? She m John W Collins in Elberto Co. Ga., 7 June 1831. The Hudsons (b in England) came ca 1675 to New Kent Co. Va. Moved to Hanover Co Va and Louisa Co Va and then to Prince Edward Co. Va. and Elbert Co. Georgia.

3. William Hudson, son of David Hudson, Jr. & Mary Cobb Booker. (David Jr. b 1762 in Prince Edward Co. Va) m in Charlotte Co. Va. 23 Nov 1788 Ann Oliver. What are the names of William & Ann Oliver Hudson's children?

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GARRETT, WHITLEY, JAMES, WHITE

1. Uriah D Garrett, m ca 1848 in White Co Tenn. to Letitia Whitley. She died of T B in 1860. Two known children: Sophronia and Sharp. Will exchange information.
2. John M Whitley family shown in 1850 census of Craig Twnshp, Van Buren Co. Ark. His wife was Nancy W and children: Isabella, Sharp R, John H & Lucy J. I believe that Nancy W Whitley & son George Allen Whitley d in Arkansas ca 1850/53. John M Whitley remarried in White Co. Tenn. Any information appreciated.
3. John L James - b ca 1819 in N C m ca 1836 in White Co. Tenn to Cynthia or (Synthia) Whitley, who was b 1819. Children: Elizabeth, William, John R. Tabithia, Barney, Mary Ann. He was a blacksmith and lived briefly in Mo., but back in White Co. Tenn 1850.
4. Henry James - b ca 1817, killed in Mexico City 1848 during the war with Mexico. He m Elizabeth Whitley of White Co Tenn. She was a sister of Cynthia, wife of John James. Children: Martha Jane, Minerva C, James, Elizabeth Ann, Mary Elizabeth & John Henry. All help appreciated and will exchange information.
5. Woodson P White - b ca 1839 Tenn. m Sophronia Whitley in 1859 in White Co. Tenn. Who were his parents and when and where did he die? Their children were: Virginia, Barsheba, George and others?
6. Sophronia Whitley White m 2nd time to John C Clark. Children were: Whitley, & Evaline Clark. Sophronia's mother was Trythena (Fiske) widow of -----? Kemp. She married Sharp R Whitley ca 1836 in Tenn. Trythena b ca 1800 in Mass. Will exchange information on any of the above names.

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WHITE, SIBLEY

Mary White, - Who were her parents? She was the 2nd wife of Dr. John Sibley (son of Timothy and Ann Waite Sibley of Sutton, Mass.) Mary White was the widow of Edward Winslow. She m Dr. Sibley 10 Nov 1791 in Fayetteville N C. She died in Fayetteville the 25 Oct 1811. They had two children born in Fayetteville N C. 1. Dr. Robert Henry Sibley b 20 Aug 1792 m 17 Dec 1820 Mary Wells in Alexandria, La. 2. Anne Eliza Sibley b 16 Aug 1796 & m 1st U S Senator Josiah Stoddard Johnston. Her 2nd h was Henry D Gilpin, who was Attorney General of the United States in Van Burens Cabinet.

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CODY, EAST, McCORMACK, ROBERTS, WILTSHIRE

1. W. E. Cody was among the first, if not the first, County Clerk of Stephenville, Texas. Need all the information available.
2. Tarlton East - When was he born? and where in Feleciana Par is he buried? He d 18 Apr 1815 and was the h of Zelphy Priscella Walker.
3. Sarah McCormack - b 17 Nov 1837 & d 12 Nov 1923. I need all the information available.
4. John Henry Roberts - b 10 Sept 1838 and d 20 July 1920 and is buried in Valley Grove Cemetery, 3 miles of Stephenville, Texas.
5. Martin Anderson Wiltshire - m Rebecca Caroline Monk from Caroline - Mississippi.

Mrs. Clara E Cody, P O Box 9597, Centreville, Miss. 39631

EDGARS

Nicholas Edgar, b ca 1785 in Penn. m 1814 in La. to Ann-----? b ca 1795 in La. Lived in Sabine Co Texas. Need birth dates, death dates, marriage date and parents of both? Collecting and indexing all Edgars of U S, Scotland, Ireland or anywhere.

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WHEELER, SANDERSON

My grandparents are supposed to be buried in a small Cemetery near Minden, La. They are: William B Wheeler, b 22 Apr 1822, d 14 Aug 1865. Hannah Aurora Sanderson, wife of Wm B Wheeler, b 20 Sept 1834, d 11 June 1865. The location is near Minden but in Bossier Parish.

Mr. Raymond McLaren, Rte 1, Box 70, Anson Texas 79501

BEECH HILL, ARKANSAS

We are trying to find Beech Hill or where it was located and if there is a cemetery there? I have been told that Beech Hill was on the Ouchita River above Calion. My wife's grandfather, Ananias George Norris, lived at Champanolle, Union Co Ark. He had a son named James Alvin Norris, who married Leonora Ann Stuart 17 Jan 1855 in Ark and they lived at Beech Hill. They have two sons buried at Beech Hill. We would appreciate any information about the location of this town and cemetery.

Mr. N H Ratcliff, 614 Windsor Place, Tyler Texas 75701

COURTNEY, CURTIS, HILL

Would like to correspond with any descendent of Ezra Courtney, a Baptist Minister, (1771-1855). Born in S C & d in East Feliciana Par La. 22 Feb 1855. Was his father John Courtney? and was Rachel Courtney-who married Peter Hill- his sister? Were there any other brothers and sisters? Will answer all correspondence concerning these families and will exchange information.

Mrs. John Pinckney, Jr. -610 E 48th St., Austin Texas 78751

ILES, THOMPSON

I am searching for the decendants of William Iles, Jr. (1787-1850) b Halifax Co. N C and his wife Nancy Thompson (1787-1864) b in Ga. They were m in Marion Co. Miss. in 1815. They lived in St Landry Par for awhile and finally settled in Caddo Par in 1823. Children: George m Mary Bickman; Demcy m Susan Bickman; Mary m Shilmon N Daniel; Howell m 1st Martha McCain, 2nd Sarah R Stevens; Wm m ?----; Elijah m Margaret Ann Russell; Elizabeth m James B McCain; Benjamin m ?. Nancy m George P McCain 1st & 2nd ----? Compton.

Marie Iles, 2325 Lee St. Alexandria, Louisiana 71301

McGUIRE, RICE, WYATT

William McGuire b ca 1823 in Ala. Where? Married ca 1846 Elizabeth Jane Dulaney. According to place of birth of children, the census of 1870-1880 shows Bienville Par. He came to La between 1851-1853. When & Where did he die?

James Joseph Rice, b 1844 in N C or Tenn. Died 1918 in Okla. Married 2nd ca 1882 to Margaret (Molly) Lewis. Where? Where in La did he live when he was not in Arkansas or Oklahoma?

James Henry Wyatt, b 1879 - m Mary Belle Rice ca 1901. Does anyone know what Par in La they were married? They lived in Concordia Par in 1903 and More-house Parish in 1907.

Mrs. J. W. McGuire, Box 474, Lovington, New Mexico 88260

HOLLOWAY

I am doing research on the surname Holloway in Ark, La & Texas. Is there some way that you can help me?

Mrs. Cecil P Holloway, 5926 Beach Blvd. Jacksonville, Fla. 32207

STATE OF TEXAS
WILLIAMSON COUNTY

Know all men that I, Lucinda Dykes of said County, for the affection that I bear to my children and descendants do hereby give and donate to Nancy fish, Mary Strong, Jerusha McFadden, Isiah Dykes, and Rebecca Eaves, and the heirs of William C. Dykes, John M. Dykes, and Harriet Dykes my Headright Certificate of one league and labor of land except that part of said Certificate heretofore bargained to William Armstrong which Certificate was issued by the board of Land Commissioned of Jefferson County. The said Certificate and land for which it calls, except the part bargained by me as aforesaid, to be divided into eight equal parts. Nancy Fish taking one part, Mary Strong taking one part, Jerusha McFadden taking one part, Isiah Dykes taking one part, Rebecca Eaves taking one part, the heirs of William Dykes taking one part, the heirs of John M. Dykes taking one part, and the heirs of Harriet Dykes taking one part. To have and to hold the said land aforesaid to the said donees forever.

My Scrawl and seal this 29 of Oct. 1834, signed by Lucinda Dykes

ATTEST:

Isaac B Low (Law)?

James Armstrong

Querie: Information wanted on the descendants of any persons mentioned in the above donation. Also information on Joseph Dykes, said to be the late husband of Lucinda Dykes. When did he die? Where buried? Did Lucinda Dykes die in Williamson County? When? Where is she buried?

Querie: Joseph Fish married Ann Dykes, St Tammany Parish (Index to St Tammany Par 1812-1890). Is this the same as NANCY FISH mentioned in the above papers?

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