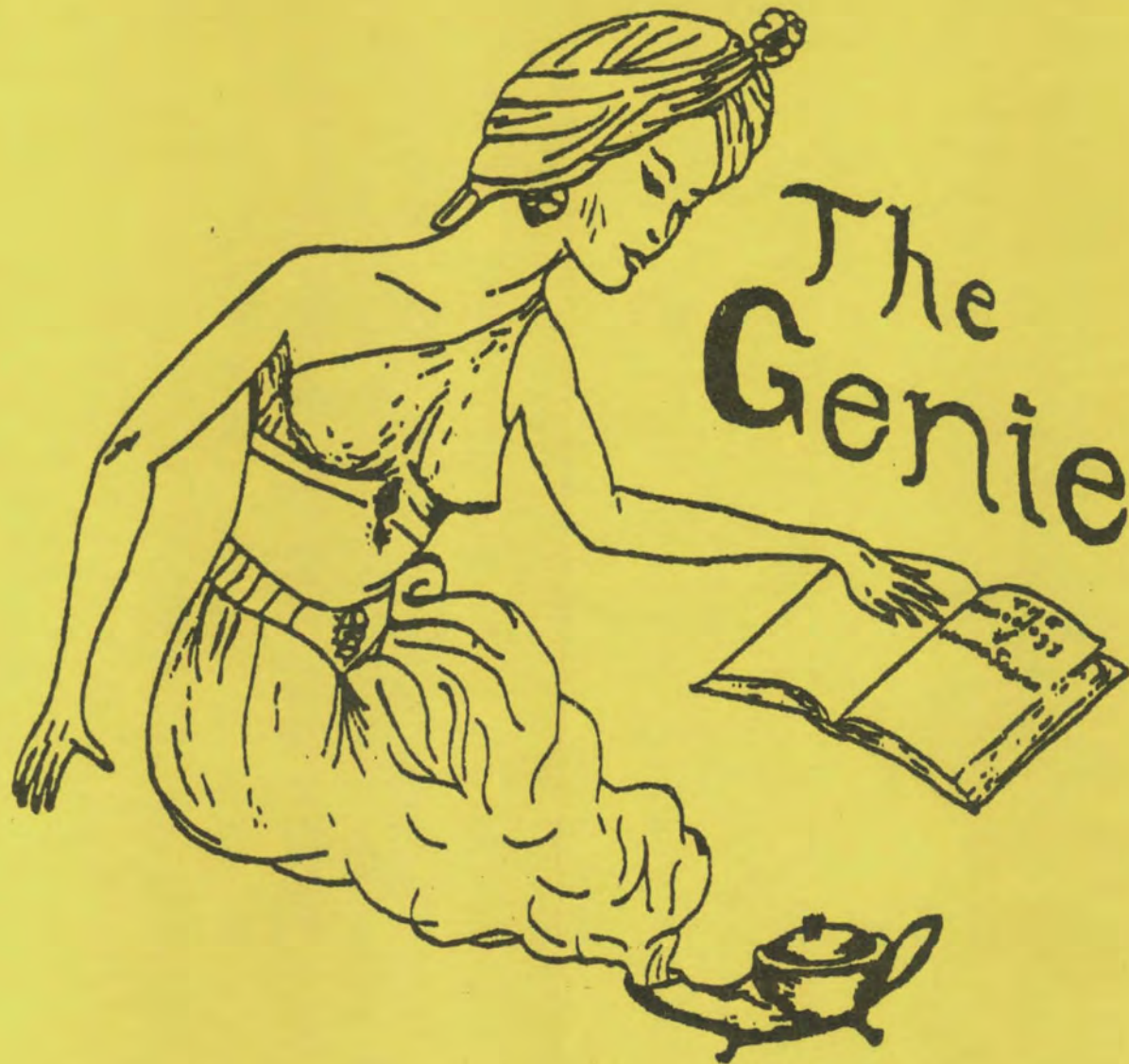


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THE WESTWARD TREK OF THE FORREST FAMILY

(Recorded by Thomas Fisher Forrest and submitted by Jimmy Oliphant)

Shadrack Forrest was born in Orange County, North Carolina, the son of William and Louvinia Gresham Forrester and the grandson of James and Anne Forrester. Shadrack moved from North Carolina to Tennessee after 1810, with his family. He was on the 1810 Census in Orange County, N.C., and he and two of his sons, Shadrack, Jr., and Nathan, appeared on the 1812 Tax List for Bedford County, Tennessee. Nathan married Nancy Baugh in 1799 and their oldest son, William, was the father of General Nathan Bedford Forrest. Shadrack's son, Elisha, married Sarah Vincent, daughter of Ozias Vincent, in Tennessee, and they had four sons: Calvin J., Orren P., Richard O., and Elisha King. Elisha and Sarah moved with their family from Bedford County, Tennessee to Harrison County, Texas around 1846. They stopped in Arkansas for a year or maybe longer. Elisha's son, Orren, joined Col. Jack Hays' 1st Mounted Texas Infantry and fought in the Mexican War for a year. Elisha's son, Elisha King, married Fannie Smith and they moved West to Gatesville, Texas around 1873, with their first two children, John Ozias and Annie. When John Ozias was a boy, they lived near Turnersville, then moved to Parmer County and spent most of 1873 to 1900 around or near Parmer. John Ozias married Beulah Leola Pollard around 1891, and they moved to Abilene County, Texas with their first two children, Thomas Fisher and Mary Agnes, in 1897. Fisher Forrest (Thomas Fisher) wrote the following account of his life in West Texas:

"I remember very well the trip from Gatesville to Abilene in 1897. Especially at Brownwood, where we put up at the wagonyard. A little before dark I wandered off up the street to look the town over and I got 'lost' as the little boy says. The sheriff or someone got me back to the wagonyard later in the evening. Another thing I remember well was when we came to the 'Quarantine Line' where cattle were halted if they did not have a certificate to certify they were 'tick free'. We had two milk cows leading behind the wagon and as they were not 'tick free', we couldn't go any further. So the old so-and-so there beside the road bought them for about one-third regular price. We had to go on without them. After we reached Abilene country, I picked up a prairie dog and got bit through the hand, and that is how I got introduced to West Texas.

We started a cotton and corn crop on Uncle Bob Pollard's place twelve miles south of Abilene in the spring of 1898, but along about June of 1898 Dad John O., got a job with Jules E. Chandler's ranch in the southwest corner of Taylor County, which later on became Shep, Texas (Post Office) named for a very old storekeeper named Sheppard, on a place adjoining the ranch. Papa worked for Mr. Chandler off and on for about six years. In 1900, we bought the Davenport farm joining the ranch on the southeast, and it was to this farm that Dad moved Grandpa Elisha King Forrest and family in 1900, from Gatesville. The ones who came out there in 1900 were Grandma and Grandpa with their children Perry, Jack, Cora, and two grandchildren, Grand and Fannie Tinnin, who they were keeping for Uncle Bill Tinnin, after his wife, Annie Forrest, had died about 1896 or 1897.

Mr. Chandler sold his ranch to W. G. Severson of Anson, Texas about 1905 and Papa and Ed Hunter bought most of his cattle, most of which they shipped to market. In 1901, we traded the Davenport Place for two sections of land on Elm Creek, 13 miles west of Buffalo Gap. This is a rough mountainous country. This land joined some land that Chandler had leased on

the northeast.

In 1905, we bought 200 acres of the old Chandler ranchland from Swenson (it was about 3/4 of a mile from the post office at Shep). We built a new six room house on this land in 1906, and bought the store at Shep. Papa took over the post office and I ran it. For about a year and a half, Papa ran the cotton gin for Mr. E. T. Jones of Ballinger, Texas. We bought cotton for Jones and I issued the checks for the cotton, sometimes as many as a half dozen checks on one bale of cotton. We had no bank handy, so I had to do the farmer's banking business for them.

About November 15, 1908, we sold out at Shep and moved to Reagan County near where Big Lake, Texas is now. That was a real dry country. One year in Reagan County was enough. Too dry.

Papa worked some on the T. S. Ranch, and Pat and I freighted with the mules and wagons (12 Mules and 3 wagons). It was too tough on Mama and the little girls because Pat and I and Papa had to be away most of the time. In 1909, we handled freight wagons out of San Angelo, Midland, and Big Spring (sometimes as many as ten mules in the team).

There was a small school on our place, but it only ran about four months in the year. In October of 1909, we traded the Reagan County property for a small farm outside the city limits of Stephenville, Texas. We traded 16 old saddle horses that Papa bought off the T. S. Ranch, for a house and lot in Stephenville. So, we never lived on the small farm. We traded it for a meat market in Stephenville about November 15, 1909. I started to school in Stephenville, along with Agnes and Pat and maybe Jewel. After two and a half months, I left school and Jean McLaury and I opened the 'Eagle Cafe' just off the northeast corner of the Square in Stephenville. About December of 1910, Papa traded out in Stephenville for a place between Dublin and Carlton, Texas. It was known as the old Palmer Place. I believe it was just about on the county line of Erath and Hamilton Counties. I sold out the restaurant to Jean McLaury and went home to the family to get a little more schooling. For about four years-1907 to 1911-I had about five months of school, so I thought of finishing my degree. So I did in one and a half years at Carlton, and left Carlton in October 1913 for big Dallas.

After 43 years in the Dallas Post Office (including two and a half years in the Navy in World War I) I took out in 1956 for a life of leisure.

I think what I have enjoyed most during the years was the life of a cowboy, which all told was probably seven or eight years. I began the cowboying at the age of five on a white pony named 'Fritz' from the Turkey Track Ranch in the Panhandle. Pat and I as small boys played together, learned to swim in the creek at the same time on the old ranch that had been Chandler's. We rode our ponies over many a mile together after cattle and worked the fields together."

November 9, 1966....Thomas Fisher Forrest

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LETTERS FROM OUR SOLDIER BOYS

(This article about World War I was found among the papers of Jimmy Oliphant's mother. It possibly was clipped from the Marshall News Messenger of Marshall, Texas. Lt. N. B. Forrest was the son of Orren Perry and Cordelia Ann Murphey Forrest of Hallsville, Texas. Orren Forrest was a cousin to General Nathan Bedford Forrest of Civil War fame (great-grandfather to Jimmy Oliphant) and named his oldest son after the General.)

FROM LIEUT. N. B. FORREST

Lt. Forrest is a brother of Mrs. B. W. Baker, wife of our most recently acquired attorney, Mr. Baker being a partner of T. T. Garrard, Jr. Mrs. Baker's mother is visiting her from Barstow now and it is a pleasure to publish the following excerpts from a letter recently received from her son:

France, Sept. 19, 1918

Dearest Mother, Sisters and All:

I am seated at a desk now, which a few days ago was occupied by a German officer, and all day I have been using a German pen and German ink. How I should love to describe to you the place I am in. It would certainly make an interesting chapter in any Fairy Tale; but it's not allowed, so that will make one more tale to tell when I return. Of course the papers over there have been full of the drive we made on the 12th. I was in the thick of it, and so was Perry. It's something I shall never forget. A thousand Ringling Brothers' circuses combined couldn't compare with it. How I should love to send you some souvenirs, but there is very little that can be put in a letter. However, I will see when I have finished this if I can't enclose a shoulder strap, Boche cigarette, or a button or two that the Prussian Guards wear on their caps. We are permitted to send helmets, and there are hundreds of them lying around, but I don't know how to manage it, and even now I don't know when this letter will be mailed. We captured everything, railroad, trains complete, rolling kitchens, horses, wagons, and even beer gardens, some of them with the glasses half full. He certainly left in a hurry and it looked mighty good to see the prisoners go back in long columns.

Tonight I am located more comfortably than I have been in days, and I hope to get my shoes and clothes off tonight and grab a bunch of sleep, out of the mud and rain. I also had a pretty good meal tonight, consisting of salmon, potatoes, jam, bread and coffee; so the war don't seem to be so awful bad, after all. Well, I wouldn't hardly say that, but it's worth all the hell to see the Huns get the licking of their lives. Nothing could stop our boys, and I never have and never expect again to see such barbed wire entanglements in my life. There are enough tales to tell to fill a book and it's too bad I can't write like I want to; but it's all for the best and will keep. One of the corporals in my old company captured 65 Germans, among them a captain, and made them string wire.

I received a letter from you several days ago, dated August 7, from Dallas, and needless to say was glad, indeed to hear. Mail is so irregular you should not worry if you don't hear, because there is absolutely no dependence to be put in the service and failure to hear means nothing. You speak of hot weather in Texas. Gee, I don't know what hot weather is any more, but some of it would be welcome. And dry weather, also. I'd like to hand you some of the rain we get every day of the world.

You speak to me of aeroplanes overhead-say, it's all right if they are friendly ones, but I dislike the name of aeroplanes, despite the great work they do. I firmly believe that I hate them worse than anything else, it's such an uncanny feeling to hear them over you with their blamed machine guns and bombs and never know where the next missile is going to fall. We can tell the Boche ones, though, by the sound as far as we can hear them. We call them ZuZus, on account of the peculiar sound they make. You can hear the big shells coming for quite a while and can judge approximately where they are going to hit, but most of the planes, always at night, are out of sight. An air battle is a spectacular sight, provided you can watch it from a safe place. Don't you worry about either Perry or me. I almost hate to write anything about the war for fear you will start worrying.

When we have finished the Boche, and believe me we have his goat right now (he don't understand all this pep and fearlessness of the Americans) I expect to take a thousand year vacation and I'll come to see you and we'll sit around the fireplace and I'll say, "Now back in 1918 in the battle of Frogtown I went into a dugout with a machine gun trained on me and brought out 98 Germans, including 4 generals," etc. Even so I can tell things right now that are hard to believe, and I myself was skeptical before I saw them.

Well, folks, I guess I have said about all I can, and perhaps I have stepped a little over the limit, but I hope not because orders are orders in the army.

Oh, yes, I forgot to tell you I was sent to an army school for four weeks. Every officer in the A.E.F. has to go to it, and she was some tough proposition, too. Had me worried for fear I wouldn't pass the supreme test, but on the final exams I came out with a general average of 92, of which I am quite proud. Funny thing about promotions over here. It isn't being done much. Seem to get all the vacancies filled from replacement divisions. Guess they have 'em back in the S. O. S. cooling their heels until something turns up, then shoot them in.

Love to all,
Bedford

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EQUESTRIAN STATUES

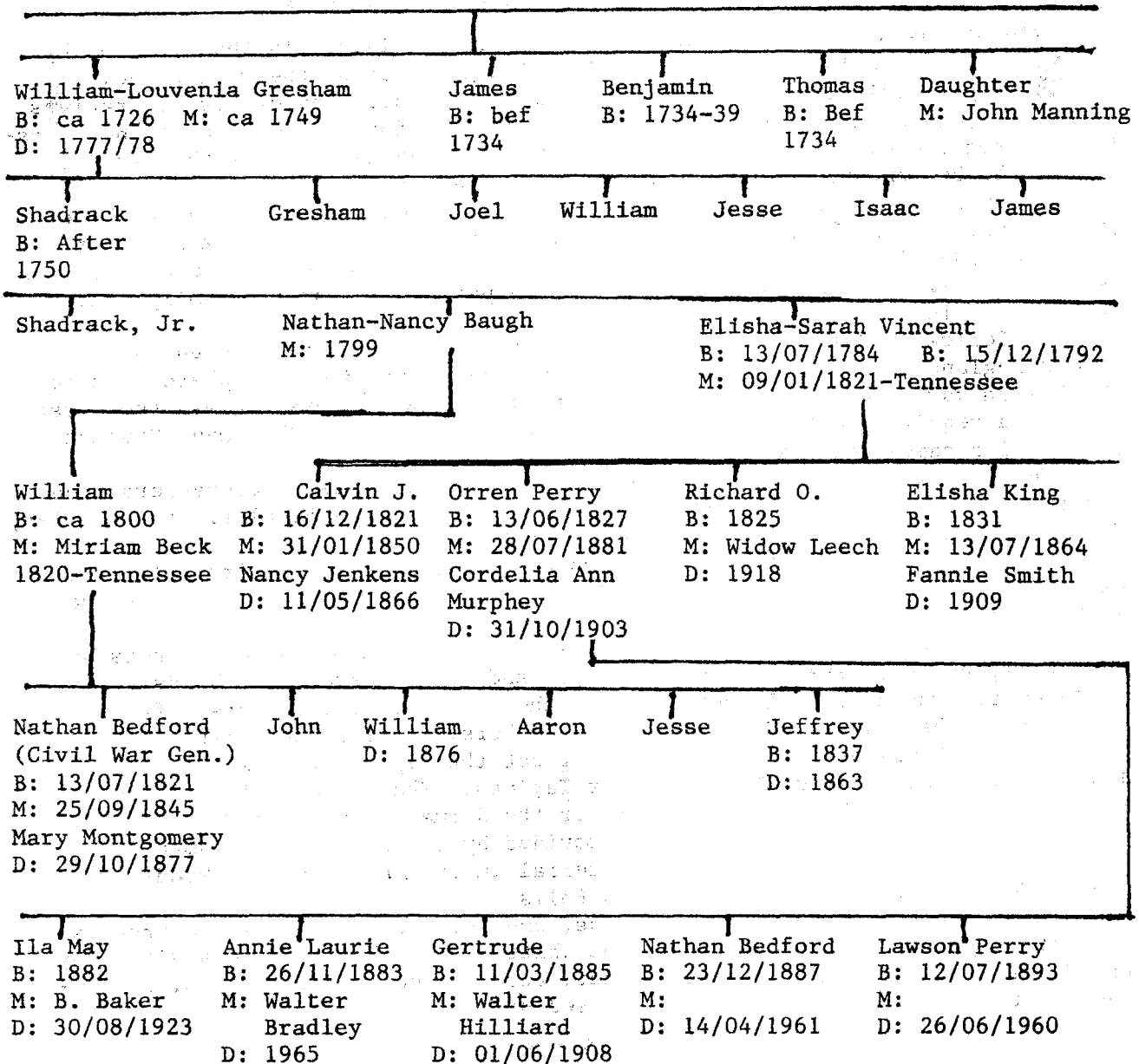
The position of the horse's feet indicate the following: All four feet on the ground indicates that the rider died a natural death. A horse with one hoof raised means that the rider died of wounds sustained in battle. If two hooves are raised it means the rider was killed in battle. This is an international code followed by all sculptors.

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THE FORRESTER/FORREST FAMILY

James Forrester of Orange County, N.C. Born in 1700. Married Ann (Maiden name unknown). He died in 1755 and his will was probated in the December 1755 Court. This family is believed to have emigrated to America from England and may have moved to North Carolina from Virginia.



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THE WOOL CONNECTION

(Extracted from Southwest Arkansas quarterly, SO-WE-AR, Volume XVI,

Do you know what Philology is? It is the science of language. A gentleman named Bardsley was an authority on this subject in the early 1800's. He wrote the following article, which was abstracted from his papers by Prof. D. R. McAnally and published in The Popular Science Monthly, 1889.

"WOOL TRADE IN MIDDLE AGES GAVE RISE TO MANY SURNAMES"

One of the most curious pages of philological history is that written by Bardsley in recounting the proper names which grew out of the wool trade.

For ages wool was the staple in England, and thousands of busy operatives were employed in the various processes necessary before the wool could be transferred from the back of the sheep to the back of the man; before the raw product could be converted into the finished manufacture.

At every step, proper names indicative of the calling of those who bore them sprang up, so that, were we ignorant of the fact that the Saxons dealt in wool and made cloth, we might draw perfectly correct and legitimate conclusions as to the business, its extent and various departments from the family names still surviving.

To follow Bardsley in this quaint pilgrimage through the woolen-factories of Old England; the sheep were cared for by the Shepherd or Sheepherd, a name which with variations of spelling is extremely common. Shearing was the first operation requiring either delicacy or skill, and Shearer, Shearman, Shurman and similar names bespeak their own ancestry.

The wool was then placed in bags, made by the Sackers or Canvassers, and was ready for the merchant, and individual often known as Stapler, Wool, Wooler, Woolman, Woolsey, or in French as Lanier or Lanier.

He consigned it to the care of persons who transported it from place to place on the backs of pack-horses or in vehicles, and were thus known as the Packers, the Carters, or the Carriers.

The wool was then handed over to the Carders and Combers, or Kempers and Kempsters, as they were variously called, and passed from their hands to those of Spinners, who used implements made by the Spindlers and Slayers, afterward going on to the Weavers, Weevers, Webbs, Webbers, or feminine Websters.

The cloth was next "teased" to bring out the nap, a process done by the Teasers, Tosers, Tousers, Teazelers, or Taylors. When it was finished and ready for the Dyer, Litter, or Lister, or the Norman Taintor or Taintur.

Woad, the common dye-stuff, was provided by the Woader or Woadman, while there is some indication of another material in the names Madder, Madderer, and Madderman occurring in the Hundred Rolls.

The Fullers, Fullertons, Fullersons, and Fullmans undertook the process of whitening the cloth, if it was to be white, in which they were assisted by the Walkers, who trod it with their feet, accompanied by the Beaters, Beatermans, Bates, Batts, and Battmans, who used sticks instead of heels.

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OLIPHANT FAMILY BIBLE

(Submitted by James Oliphant)

The following is an exact copy of the title page of the family Bible that belonged to Dr. James Albert Oliphant born in Marshall County, Mississippi, January 18, 1858. This Bible is presently in the possession of Dr. Albert Oliphant's daughters, Martha (Lynn) Oliphant Williams and Margaret (Peg) Oliphant of Vivian, Louisiana.

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Richard Oliphant - May 30, 1814

Mary Lee Oliphant - May 2, 1807

Children of Richard and Mary:

Nancy Alban Oliphant - June 12, 1832

Robert Jackson Oliphant - August 6, 1836

Isaac M. Oliphant - April 30, 1834

Richard N. Oliphant - November 30, 1838

William Lee Oliphant - April 9, 1841 (Died 1844)

Mary Lee Oliphant - March 16, 1843 (Died at birth with her Mother)

James M. Oliphant - April 30, 1834

Martha S. Bell Oliphant - March 13, 1836

Children of James M. and Martha Bell:

James Albert Oliphant - January 18, 1858

Bonnie Lee Oliphant - October 24, 1865

Thadius W. Oliphant - October 17, 1867

Clara Bell Oliphant - December 27, 1871

James M. Oliphant, Jr. - March 6, 1873

Richard E. Oliphant - August 15, 1876

Robert and _____ Lynch Oliphant (Richard's Parents)

Their Children:

Richard Oliphant - May 30, 1814

James A. Oliphant - April 5, 1816

Rosanna Oliphant - June 1, 1818 (Died December 13, 1820)

Margaret E. Oliphant - September 16, 1820 (Died November 28, 1823)
Elizabeth Oliphant - February 28, 1823
Charolot A. Oliphant - January 28, 1825 (Died January 28, 1826)
Jane F. Oliphant - June 10, 1827
Robert S. Oliphant - July 5, 1830
Thomas W. Oliphant - October 15, 1832

Thomas Bell - October 12, 1796
Elizabeth Rusell Bell - October 12, 1798
Martha Susan Bell - March 13, 1836
Winford S. Bell - December 10, 1838
Henry Losee - August 4, 1838

Margaret Malone Williams (Meg) - Lynn Oliphant Williams (Daughter)

Harlin Treeves and Maudie Stosberg Oliphant's Children:

Laura Jean Oliphant - December 8, 1928
Jerry Don Oliphant - December 9, 1932
Nancy Jane Oliphant - October 30, 1934

Galen Malone Oliphant Sharp's son:

Joe Gale Sharp - September 30, 1929
Phillip Wayne Oliphant - June 8, 1940
Mary Francis Oliphant - June 9, 1941

DEATHS

Richard Oliphant - September 6, 1860
Mary Lee Oliphant - March 16, 1843
Nancy Oliphant Bankhead - October 16, 1868
Robert J. Oliphant - June 21, 1923
Bonnie Lee Oliphant Sharp - June 24, 1923
Dr. J. A. Oliphant - October 11, 1934
Joe W. Sharp - January 15, 1934
Thadius W. Oliphant - September 22, 1935
Richard E. Oliphant - October 18, 1938
James M. Oliphant, Jr. (Mat) - September 10, 1940
Galen Oliphant Sharp - October 17, 1942
Martha Sue Bell Oliphant - October 1, 1887
Infant son of J. M. and Martha S. Oliphant - October 20, 1869
M. Oliphant - March 29, 1898 (James Matison, called Matt)
Albert M. Oliphant - September 28, 1900 (Infant son of Dr. Albert Oliphant)
Mrs. Sonie E. Cox - December 23, 1922
Joe Gale Sharp - September 30, 1930 (Infant son of Galen & Joe Sharp)
Jerry Don Oliphant - December 9, 1932 (Infant son of Harlin & Maudie Oliphant)
Janie Owen Oliphant - October 26, 1948 (4:00 P.M.)

MARRIAGES

J. M. Oliphant and Martha S. Bell - January 3, 1856
I. F. Hearn and Clara Bell Oliphant - February 19, 1890
J. M. Oliphant and L. E. Bankhead (2nd wife) - June 11, 1890
Bonnie L. Oliphant and Joe W. Sharp - November 12, 1890
Thad Oliphant and Adda Carry - (Yankee) - March 11, 1891
J. A. Oliphant and Janie Leak Owen - January 30, 1896
R. E. Oliphant and Sonie Ball - January 27, 1897
Thomas Bell and Elizabeth Russell - January 13, 1820

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POLICE JURY, UNION PARISH, LA

By Carroll H. Goyne, Jr.

Union Parish, Louisiana was formed in 1839, from original Ouachita Parish. The first actions of the governing body of the parish, the Police Jury, were to: (1) appoint a Clerk; (2) appoint a President; and (3) designate the location of the seat of Justice. Those actions were taken on May 13, 1839, and are shown in the photocopy of page 1 of the Police Jury's Record. Thomas Van Hook was appointed President, and the seat of Justice was to be located within five miles of the center of the Parish.

The second session of the Police Jury convened on May 16, 1839, and accepted the offer of Mathew Wood for a donation of land for the seat of Justice. The legal description of the land on which the court house was to be built is shown on page 1 of the Police Jury Record.

On May 17, 1839, the Police Jury approved the name of Farmerville for the parish seat of Justice. This is seen on page 1 of the Record.

On June 3, 1839, the Police Jury approved the initial sale of lots in the Town of Farmerville. This is recorded on page 8 of the Police Jury Record. On the same page is the description of the Public Square. Also on page 8 is the approval of the plat of the town. A photocopy of the plat and of the list of initial buyers follows. The terms of sale heads the buyer's list.

The name of J. Honeycutt can be seen written vertically opposite M Wood on lots 112-117 on page 2 of the buyer's list. By traditions a John Honeycutt is said to have been the first white man to settle in what is now Union Parish. In due time it is said the Indians informed him that another white family had moved into the area. John trekked the distance to meet his new neighbors. On arrival John informed his host that he needed a wife. The father of several girls lined them up and said "pick one". Thus began the numerous Honeycutt family of today. True or not, this story is part of the history of Union Parish.

RECORDS OF THE POLICE JURY REVISED

Section 1 On motion and adopted Be it ordained by the Police Jury in & for the Parish of Union that Thos Van Hook be appointed Clerk of the Police Jury for the present Session.

Section 2 On motion & adopted Be it ordained by the Police Jury in & for the Parish of Union that Mathew Wood be & he is hereby appointed President of the Police Jury.

Section 3 Be ordained & C that a Seat of Justice be located at or within five miles of the Centre of the aforesaid Parish.

Seat of Justice Approved May 13th 1839

Thos Van Hook	M Wood
Clerk	President

Be it Ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Union LA that Mathew Wood be the (?) is hereby appointed to enter the quarter Section of Land on which the Seat of Justice is to be located and that he be allowed the Amount of Money he Expends in making the aforesaid Entry.

Be it further ordained & C That the Court House in & for the Parish of Union Shall be permanently located on the East half of the South

West quarter and the west half of the South East quarter of Section thirty Township twenty one Range one East.

Approved May 16th 1839

Thos Van Hook
Clerk

M Wood
Prest

Be it Ordained by the Police Jury in & for the Parish of Union that the seat of Justice Shall be called by the name of Farmerville.

Approved May 17th 1839

Thos Van Hook
Clerk

M Wood
Prest

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POLICE JURY 1839

Order 2

On Motion and adopted

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Union that the sale of the Lots in the Town of Farmerville Shall be on the following Conditions (vis) one-third of the purchas money or nominal Pamos (sic) to be Due on the first day of January Eighteen forty and the remaining two thirds to be Due the first Day of January Eighteen forty one Baring Inters at the Rate of Ten per Cent per annum from the first day of January Eighteen forty until paid. Purchasers to give notes accordinly with approved Security, and Bond to be given by the President of the Bord for titles when the Last pay Ment is made for the Lots.

M. Wood, President

Sold the Following Lots

No.	South Block		East Block fronting p.s.	
77	James Ramsey	\$75		
65	D.P.A. Cook	35	35	Thompson Wood \$78
76	D.P.A. Cook	65	46	Thompson Wood 41
66	D.P.A. Cook	33	36	David Wood 72
75	M. Hannah	65	45	David Wood 30
67	D.P.A. Cook	45	37	J. Buttes 64
74	John H. Guice	70	44	D.P.A. Cook 40
68	John H. Guice	36	38	B. Harrison 75
73	M. Stuart	60	43	Thos W. Johnson 25
69	D. H. Dysen	35	39	Thos W. Johnson 51
72	Thos Van Hook	92	42	Benj F. Boark 28
71	Thos Van Hook	41	40	Daniel Calvin 106
	North Block fronting p. square		41	Daniel Calvin 45
1	Jas H. Seal	81		South East Corner Block
7	Jas H. Seal	53	51	M. Stuart 101
2	Jas B. Slawson	75	52	Isaac Roberts 80
8	Jas B. Slawson	41	54	Robert Hannah 80
3	Wilks Ramsey	70	53	Robert Hannah 60
9	Wilks Ramsey	40		West Block fronting p.s.
4	N. M. Bryan	93	88	Isaac Roberts 83
10	N. M. Bryan	36	99	Philip Feazle 41
5	B. Harrison	75	89	Thos. J. Seal 61
11	B. Harrison	32	98	John Raley 20
6	B. Harrison	125	90	John Raley 60
12	B. Harrison	32	97	John Raley 20

<i>North</i>						
	142	141	<i>Street</i>	137	136	15
	143	140		138	139	13
	<i>100ft square</i>			<i>100ft by 75</i>	<i>100ft square</i>	
<i>Jackson Street</i>						
<i>West</i>	112	109	<i>Street</i>	107	108	7
				106	107	7
				105	104	7
	111	110		103	103	10
	<i>100ft by 83 - 44</i>			101	102	4
<i>Bay Street</i>						
	113	114	<i>Street</i>	94	93	<i>Public Square containing 200 feet</i>
				95	92	
				96	91	
				97	90	
	116	115		98	89	
	<i>100ft by 83 - 44</i>			97	88	
<i>Water Street</i>						
	117	118	<i>Street</i>	87	78	<i>Warren</i>
				86	79	
				83	80	
	120	119		84	81	
	<i>100 feet by 83 feet 4</i>			83	82	77 76 75 68
<i>Charter Street</i>						
	121	120		128	127	127
	124	123		125	126	130
	<i>100ft square</i>			<i>100ft by 75</i>	<i>100 feet</i>	

S. South

16	17	18	21	22	
14	19	20	23	24	
	<i>100ft by 75ft</i>		<i>100ft square</i>		
<i>Jackson Street</i>					
11	12	30	29	173	171
		31	28		
5	6	32	27	173	167
		33	26		
		34	25	<i>100ft by 83.2</i>	
<i>Bayou Street</i>					
		35	46		
		36	45	47	48
		37	44		
		38	43		
		39	42	49	50
		40	41	<i>100ft square</i>	
<i>Water Street</i>					
76	77	52	53	63	64
		54	53		
		55	56		
		56	57	61	62
		57	60	<i>100ft by 83.2</i>	
<i>Charter Street</i>					
130	133	134	222	223	
131	136	135	221	224	
	<i>100 feet by 75</i>		<i>South</i>		

91	(illegible)		87	M. Stuart	\$21
96	M. Woods	\$24	79	John H. Guice	41
92	M. Woods	72	86	M. Stuart	18
95	M. Woods	22	80	Samuel Moses	36
93	Jas H. Stevens	89	85	Samuel Moses	20
94	Jas H. Stevens	36	81	Thos Van Hook	50
North West Corner Block			84	Samuel Moses	19
100	Allen Carr	100	82	Thos Van Hook	67
109	Allen Carr	41	83	D. P. A. Cook	25
117	Willis Wood	65	North East Block f.p.s.		
110	Willis Wood	41	34	Ransom Seals	76
112	Matthew Wood	51	25	R. Seals	31
113	M. Wood	20	33	R. Seals	41
115	M. Wood	37	26	R. Seals	20
114	M. Wood	36	32	J. N. Ternes (sic)	21
116	M. Wood	76	27	J. N. Ternes	10
117	M. Wood	41	31	J. N. Ternes	33
South West Block			28	J. N. Ternes	10
78	John H. Guice	53	30	J. N. Ternes	34
			29	J. N. Ternes	14

On Motion and adopted

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Union that the Police Jury adjourn until tomorrow 9 O'clock, to meet at the house of Matthew Wood
 July 16th 1839 M Wood President

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TIME OF THE SALE OF TOWN LOTS

Sec 1 Be it Ordained By the Police Jury in & for the Parish of Union LA That the Sale of the Town Lots of the Town of Farmerville in the Parish of Union will take place on Monday the fifteenth day of July Next.

Be it further ordained that the Clerk of the Police Jury be authorized to cause the same to be incerted in the Ouachita Standard for at least four incertions previous to the day of Sale.

Be it further ordained & C that the Police Jury adjourn for the Present Session & and that they meet on Monday the 15th day of July Next.

Approved June 3 1839

Thos Van Hook
 Clk

Signed Mathew Wood
 Prst

Town Lot & Public Square of Louisiana. Be it Ordained by the Police Jury in & for the Parish of Union That the following described lot or parsel of ground Shall be Knowen as the Public Square of the Town of Farmerville in the Parish of Union & State of Louisiana. Public Square 300 Feet Running North South East and West. North East Corner of the Square to meet A Red Oak 10 links North of the Corner marked thus X (or ex) South Corner a tree. A sweet gum five links North a half signer (sic) West Marked thus X (or ex) South West Corner. A tree a Pine Eight links North half signer (sic) West marked thus X (or ex) North West Corner twelve links to the South East a Post Oak marked thus X (or ex) And the following Plot shall be the Plot of the town of Farmerville and that the Public Square streets

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DO YOU KNOW THE NICKNAME?

Do you sometimes find your ancestor listed as "Mary" and other times as "Polly"? Following is a list of female names and their corresponding nicknames, which will help you in your research.

The proper names will appear first, followed by the nickname or nicknames used for that name:

Abiah...Biah	Esther, Hester...Essie, Hessie
Abigail...Abie, Nabby	Fidelia...Delia
Adelaide... Addie	Frances...Frank, Frankie
Agnes...Aggie	Genevieve...Jenny, Jane
Alice...Alsa, Elsie	Hannah...Anna
Almena...Mena	Harriet...Hattie, Haddie
Amanda...Manda	Helen...Nellie, Nell, Lena
Amelia...Millie	Henrietta...Etta, Hetty
Ann, Anna...Nancy, Nan, Annie	Hepsibah...Hepsy
Antoinette...Nettie	Irene...Rena
Augusta...Gussie	Isabel, Isabella...Belle
Barbara,, Bab, Babbie	Jane or Janet...Jennie
Bethia...Betty (see Elizabeth)	Jemima...Mima
Caroline...Carrie, Caddie	Joan...Nonie
Cassandra...Cassie	Judith...Judy, Judah
Catherine, Katherine...Kate	Lavina, Lavinia...Viney
Kitty, Kittie	Loretta...Retta
Cecily, Cecilia...Sissie	Lorraine...Rana
Charlotte...Lottie, Lollie	Madeleine...Maida, Magda, Lena
Christina...Kersty	Margaret...Maggie, Peggy, Peg
Clarissa, Clarinda...Clara	Marguerite...Rita
Cordelia...Delia	Margery...Madge
Concurrence...Currence	Martha...Mattie, Patty
Damaris...Dimmis	Mary...Molly, Polly, Mamie, Mimi
Deborah...Debby	Minnie, Mate
Dorothy...Dolly, Dotty, Dot, Dotha	Melissa...Lissa, Liza
Edith...Edie, Edah	Mildred...Millie
Eleanor...Ellen, Nellie	Patience...Patty
Electa...Lecta	Sarah...Sally, Sadie
Eliphal...Fally	Susan or Susanna...Sukey
Elizabeth...Betsy, Betty, Beth	Tryphena...Pheney
Bessuem Bess, Lizzie, Lysbet	Wilhelmina...Mina, Minnie
Libbie, Liza, Eliza, Elsbeth	

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& all lots shall be established according to said Plot.

Thos Van Hook
Clk

Signed Mathew Wood
Prest

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FILLMORE CEMETERY

(Contributed by Mrs. Ben Sour. Continued from Volume 27, First Quarter, #1)

Row 17

<p>WALKER, Emma Lawrence 24 Mar 1875-14 Jul 1964 Edward E. 1871-1943 HAUGHTON, Mollie J. w/o Dr. Paul LAWRENCE 11 Sep 1848-24 Sep 1909 LAWRENCE, Dr. Paul, b Ar- tesia, Lowndes Co MS 10 May 1839-3 Nov 1934 95 yrs 5 mos 23 da On back of marker: Came to LA 1852 Member Co B LA Inf Sou Conf Wounded Chickamauga 23 Sep 1863 Lost leg New Hope 24 May 1864-Tulane Med Grad 1867 Horseback practitioner half century-Stewart 1862 & member of Method. Church 82 yrs. LAWRENCE, Mary A. 10 Feb 1841-25 Jul 1914 WALKER, Milus Haughton 9 Jun 1902-29 Dec 1962 PRINCE, Katie Lawrence w/o Alonzo W. PRINCE 13 Nov 1877-26 Jan 1901 JENSEN, Amanda Sue 27 Aug 1890-11 Jan 1976 Jens Peter 24 Oct 1893-2 Aug 1975 McDADE, Eva Lawrence w/o Loye McDADE 11 Jul 1876-1 Jan 1965 BURCH, William M. 9 Feb 1870-22 Apr 1914 J. E. "His wife was Anna Lucretia SCOTT 6 Oct 1831-13 Jan 1913 Anna Lucretia SCOTT 14 Feb 1842-14 Dec 1915 (Double grave, but no indication that she is buried there except that she is named) HOLLINGSWORTH, Jacob James, Jr. 2 Feb 1899-20 Aug 1903</p>	<p>WINNINGHAM, Inf dau 17 May 1929-18 May 1929 STATON, Paul E. 20 Jul 1949-23 Oct 1965 Harry 1919-1921 2 yrs 8 mo Joseph Samuel 26 Mar 1880-8 Apr 1952 Bell Byas 15 Aug 1883-26 Feb 1970 ALBRITTON, Henry H. LA TM2 USNavy, WW I 12 Apr 1902-20 Jan 1955 MOORE, Flora M. 1 Feb 1893-2 Feb 1983 Alpha H. 26 Aug 1891-26 Jan 1955 Kirk s/o A.H. & Flora MOORE 10 Oct 1919-13 Feb 1923 McMATH, Julia R. w/o J.H. McMATH 21 Dec 1870-23 Jun 1908 Jack H. 24 Jan 1868-20 Aug 1911 Joseph W. LA Pvt HQ 56 Armd Eng Bn WW II 20 Aug 1902-20 Dec 1953 TUCKER, Susan McMATH 28 Jan 1897-26 Jan 1975 Frank M. 21 Jul 1895-28 Jan 1931 Frank Milton, Jr. s/o Frank Milton & Sun- shine TUCKER 6 Jun 1922-3 Mar 1927 KELLY, Alma McMATH 4 Apr 1891-17 Feb 1967 TUCKER, Justine, TEC 3 US Army WW II 14 Mar 1913-29 Oct 1980 Shirley 13 Oct 1918-21 Mar 1978 Clarence Milton M.D. 20 Jan 1872-20 Sep 1960 Clara Betts 10 Jan 1873-22 Sep 1951</p>	<p>TUCKER, Clarence Lynn 1 Dec 1900-7 Jun 1948 MOORE, Frankie L. 6 Jun 1864-13 Jun 1953 James M. 24 Feb 1849-6 Sep 1926 JOHNSON, Henry Holcomb 1867-1935 Anna Neill 1871-1937 GOLDEN, Lizzie Britt (No dates) BRITT, George, Sr 1865-1918 REID, Laura Duschel 12 Jan 1882-2 Aug 1948 Row 18 FRANKLIN, inf son of M/M N.L. FRANKLIN D 1938 TAYLOR, Mason Jelks 13 May 1902-23 Oct 1945 ABRAHAMSON, Mary Elizabeth Bell 15 May 1899-25 Mar 1936 Albert LA pvt Co D 147 Eng. WWI 4 Nov 1892-24 Dec 1968 ROADMAN, John W. Cpl USAF Korea 19 Jul 1927-24 Oct 1978 MILNER, Emma S. 1873-1936 John E. 1865-1936 Hollis F. 2 Aug 1901-16 Apr 1942 HARMON, Mrs. E.E. 15 Dec 1861-9 Jan 1938 E. E. 13 Aug 1860-16 Nov 1933</p>
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YOUNG, Clarence Leigh

18 Jun 1930-13 Jul 1947
Carrie Mae

29 Jul 1867-21 Oct 1942
G. T.

17 Dec 1925-21 Aug 1935

ROACH, Sarah C.
1876-1930

Jessie M.
1875-1933

DIFFEY, John R.
22 Feb 1900-2 Feb 1970

Stephen W.
1868-1953

Rosa Lee
1872-1953

BURRAGE, John O.
22 Feb 1903-8 Oct 1982

Mary Alice w/o
J. O. BURRAGE
1909-1928

BLAND, Inf d/o Geo &
Allien Hall BLAND
D 21 May 1910

McPHERSON, Ruby
8 Dec 1915-4 Nov 1916

DORMAN, A. L.
1 Mar 1874-13 Jan 1941

WATERS, Walter
18 Feb 1875-4 Sep 1937

Beulah
10 Jul 1887-29 Oct 1935

DORMAN, Mrs. Callie
mother of Beulah WATERS
Apr 1852-Nov 1936

BATEMAN, Inf. d/o R.M. &
N.A. BATEMAN
27 Jan 1906-24 Mar 1906

DAVIS, Pliney
22 Mar 1886-21 Jul 1965

NEAL, Elizabeth Bailey
1858-(no date)

Jesse L.
1869-1939

MADDEN, James R.
2 May 1889-7 Dec 1915

HUTCHINSON, John Oliver
21 Aug 1849-7 Mar 1935

BLEDSON, H. H.

1 Jun 1883-11 Aug 1908
Thomas W.

1 Sep 1877-1 Oct 1919
Matt Colquitt

26 Jan 1872-1 May 1946
Mary Raines

16 Jan 1871-11 Mar 1951
Johnnie T.

1 Feb 1903-12 Oct 1928
Marion S.

7 May 1910-23 Jan 1927
William Raines

8 Dec 1898-26 Oct 1969

STRANGE, Woodrow W.
Pvt US Army WW II

17 Mar 1919-17 Sep 1975

McCLENDON, W. E. (Billie)

21 Mar 1914-22 Oct 1971

STRANGE, Leona Tyler

15 Nov 1880-22 Oct 1962

Bessie Mae
24 Jul 1912-13 Jun 1937

BENTON, Clifton V. (Shorty)

19 Mar 1915-4 Oct 1968

Clarence Edwards

24 Oct 1944-21 Oct 1944

KERNS, Mamie L.

27 Dec 1914-16 Dec 1982

LYNCH, Lottie

1891-1966

Michael J.

16 Feb 1866-29 Dec 1941

SMITH, James M.

19 Jan 1924-20 Sep 1964

BRYANT, Preston O'Neal

17 Dec 1949-26 Jun 1950

HARRISON, Stella

20 Mar 1876-14 Aug 1944

Woodrow LA Tec 5

Co C 335 Inf, 84 Inf Div

WW II BSM

4 Mar 1917-13 Aug 1953

HOLLAND, W. G. Cpl US

Army WW II

12 May 1918-14 Oct 1975

Maggie w/o

W. O. HOLLAND

22 Nov 1889-26 Sep 1937

William O.

11 Apr 1882-11 Oct 1943

HOLLAND, W. D.

31 May 1920-6 Aug 1937

McCARTY, Wesley h/o

Minnie Lee McCARTY

1903-1931

DEPRIEST, W. H. h/o H.P

De PREIST

D 1 Jun 1929

DANIEL, Mrs. Hattie

D 27 Apr 1954 62 yrs

DEPRIEST, Hubert D.

15 Aug 1919-19 Nov 1980

MALONE, J. B.

D 17 Dec 1934 @ 70

BUSBY, Luther E.

5 Oct 1870-13 Jun 1916

Ida J. w/o

L. E. BUSBY

17 Apr 1880-14 Aug 1914

FARMER, Carrie L.

14 Apr 1920-7 Jan 1921

MILLER, Mettie Age 5

BUSBY, Bernetta w/o

A. J. BUSBEY

20 Dec 1842-7 Mar 1909

BERRY, Charles W.

8 Aug 1859-9 Feb 1916

GRIFFIN, Zack T.

D 27 Jun 1908

MITCHELL, Susan Gossine

16 Dec 1880-6 Oct 1919

FURR, Maude Mitchell

25 Apr 1910-13 Jun 1969

BOWLING, James W.

1886-1960

WEAVER, Cecil Howard

9 Feb 1934-1 Nov 1982

Henry Vincin

1892-1936

YARBROUGH, Charles S.

Pvt LA Co A 156 Inf 39 Div

WW I

26 Nov 1896-29 Sep 1952

Carrie H.

17 Aug 1865-5 Apr 1940

N. S.

7 May 1861-16 Oct 1900

ROUNSAVALL, Sebron S.

21 Oct 1847-15 May 1922

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BELCH FAMILY BIBLE

This Bible belonged to Mrs. C. T. "Jeanie" Belch of Waskom, Texas. It is now in the possession of Mr. Prentis Hay of Waskom, Texas. Submitted to Ark-La-Tex Genealogical Association by Billy R. Randolph of Waskom, Texas.

William Joseph Belch
born in N.C. Dec 15, 1840
died June 3, 1919

His wife

Sarah Francis Robbins
born Gibson Co, Tenn
Dec 15, 1847
died Sept 14, 1932

William Joseph Belch
and

Sarah Francis Robbins
married Jan 21, 1864. Near Salem Church by
David James Esq. Witness: R. J. Williams
J. R. Phillips

Too that Union were born Ten Children

Robert Lee Belch
Sept 19, 1866
John Lewis Belch
Sept 3, 1868
Lucy Evilena Belch
born Sept 17, 1870
Lula May Belch
born Jan 29, 1872
George Edgar Belch
born April 10, 1874
Centennial Theophilus Belch
born Thursday noon July 4, 1876
Eugene Belch
born June 21, 1879
Joseph Richard Belch
born Aug 3, 1881
Sarah Francis Belch
born Jan 29, 1884
Ernest Belch
born Aug 19, 1886
Thomas Edward Belch
born March 27, 1912
(son of C. T. Belch)

MARRIAGES

James A. Taylor to Lucy E. Belch on Jan 19, 1888. Too this Union were born:
Lois, born May 16, 1889-died 2½ later. Homer Grundy born Aug 26, 1891

John Lewis Belch to Eller Smith
July 17, 1892

Lula May Belch to Hollie Smith
April 7, 1892

George Edgar Belch to Effie Sanders
Dec 18, 1899

Centennial T. Belch to Idabelle McKay
Dec 25, 1904

Second marriage to Genie Powers Oct 12 19?

Eugene Belch to Fannie Anderson
Aug ---

Joseph R. Belch to Bertie Campbell
Mch 7, 1907

Thomas Edward Belch to Ethel Alice
Craig-December 7, 1946

George Eugene Belch to Virginia Sue
Carson-October 6, 1950

George Eugene Belch born Sept 14, 1925
George Eugene Belch 2d born Aug 14, 1951
Dr. Herbert H. Vaughan died Feb 16, 1947

The following obituary was included, but the name of the paper was omitted. Date written.

Oct. 8, 1934

WASKOM YOUTH ENLISTS IN U. S. MARINE CORPS

Thomas E. Belch of Waskom was one of 10 men selected for service at monthly examinations at United States Marine headquarters in New Orleans this week, according to a message received here Wednesday.

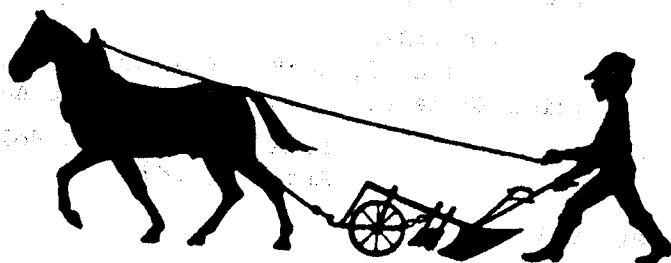
Belch was transferred immediately to Parris Island, S. C., for a few weeks preliminary training before assignment to some school, ship, marine barracks or foreign station for duty. A son of C. T. Belch of Waskom, young Belch was graduated from the Waskom high school in 1933.

GERMAN - AMERICAN ANCESTORS?

In the ENCYCLOPEDIA OF GERMAN - AMERICAN GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH by Clifford Neal Smith and Anna Piszcan-Czaja Smith (R.R. Bowker Co., New York & London, 1976) there is a list of German to American surnames. They Are:

<u>In Germany</u>	<u>In America</u>	<u>In Germany</u>	<u>In America</u>
Zimmerman	Carpenter	Jaeger	Hunter
Schaefer	Shepherd	Vogel	Bird
Koenig	King	Gerber	Tanner
Weiss	White	Schreiner	Joiner
Suess	Sweet	Fuchs	Fox
Freitag	Friday	Schwartz	Black
Durr	Dry	Roth	Red
Grunbaum	Greentree		

....Trails West, Parker Co., Gen. Soc., Jan. 1993



LETTERS FROM THREE CONFEDERATE SOLDIER BROTHERS

EDITED WITH NOTES BY WESLEY THURMAN LEEPER

A continuation of letters from the Park brothers from Paraclifta, Arkansas, written during the Civil War. These letters noted and typed by the late Col. Wesley Thurman Leeper, are being printed with the permission of his widow Leah Martin Leeper.

Chattanooga, Tennessee (1)
July 13, 1863

Dear Sister:

I seat myself this morning to write you a few lines to let you know that I am well, and I hope when these lines come to hand that they may find you well.

I recieved a letter from Brother James (2) the other day. James and Newton (3) was both well.

Well, Sis, we have had hard times for the last two weeks. We have fallen back to this place. It is raining all the time. We was in line of battle several times, but we did not fight any (4).

All the boys are well but Floyd Coker (5). Merit and James Stovall (6) are at Dalton, Georgia (7). James (Stovall) has got a discharge. He said he would come to the Regiment (8) before he went home. If he does, I will send a letter by him. Direct your letters to Chattanooga, 19th Arkansas Regiment, Churchill's Brigade, Company "K".

I must come to a close. I will send this letter by Mr. Tucker (9), so nothing more, but remain your affectionate brother.

(Signed) B. J. Park

NOTES

This letter was written by Burrell Josephus Park to his sister, Harriett Narcissus Park, at Paraclifta, Arkansas. It was written soon after General Bragg had been flanked out of Tullahoma, Tennessee, and retreated to Chattanooga, Tennessee.

In the early summer of 1863, the Confederate grand line extended a thousand miles from Virginia southwest through Tennessee to the Mississippi. Tennessee was the center of the grand line.

There had been no major movements in Tennessee since the great battle of Murfreesboro, December 31, 1862 to January 2, 1863 (see note #5 in Newton Park's letter of January 18, 1863, about this battle). By this time Buckner was in East Tennessee with about 16,000 men, and Bragg, with about 50,000, was holding the southern half of Middle Tennessee, covering the vital rail center of Chattanooga.

Against these forces could be brought Rosecrans' 85,000 men based on Nashville, and nearly 40,000 more under Burnside, facing Buckner in upper East Tennessee.

On June 23, 1863, Rosecrans and the Army of the Cumberland, started the brilliant advance of the Tullahoma Campaign against Bragg, who had his headquarters at Tullahoma, on the Highland Rim of Middle Tennessee, some 69 miles by rail from Nashville.

At this time Burrel Park was at Wartrace, Tennessee (see his letter of June 10, 1863, written from that place), where General Hardee, commanding the right corps, was holding Wartrace on the railroad and the gaps in the range of hills north of that place.

The two armies had been facing each other across a narrow strip of neutral territory for half a year, most of the time in winter quarters. May and June saw a great revival of religion in the Confederate Army in Middle Tennessee. General Bragg himself was baptised on June 2, 1863, in the church at Shelbyville, Tennessee by Bishop Elliott.

Bragg had weakened his military position when he sent some of his troops to Mississippi for use against Grant, by order of General Joseph E. Johnston. The Park brothers, James and Newton, and the 2nd Arkansas Mounted Riflemen, were among the number transferred to Mississippi.

Rosecrans with about 80,000 men started the Tullahoma Campaign on June 23, 1863. To oppose him, Bragg had a strength of about 47,000, of whom nearly 14,000 were cavalry.

On June 27, 1863, Hardee, with his infantry (including Burrel Park), had fallen back along the railroad to Tullahoma, a distance of 14.1 miles, to meet the Federal threat from the right flank.

On the morning of June 28th, Bragg had all his infantry in position at Tullahoma, facing north and west. On June 29th, Bragg was flanked out of his position, this time to abandon his headquarters for half a year, and to retire eighty miles through the Cumberland Mountains and across the broad Tennessee River.

From Chattanooga, Bragg and his army had moved out on August 28, 1862, to carry the Confederacy to the Ohio River in "the Kentucky Campaign" (see note E3 in James Park's letter of November 7, 1862, written from Loudon, Tennessee).

To Chattanooga, Bragg and his army returned on the afternoon of July 3, 1863—the same afternoon that the Confederate Army of Northern Virginia was making its last charge against Cemetery Hill, at Gettysburg, and the same afternoon that General Pemberton stood and discussed with General Grant the terms of the surrender of Vicksburg.

July 3, 1863, was a sad day for the Confederacy!

(1) Chattanooga was of great importance to the Confederacy, largely because it was a vital railway center.

(2) James Monroe Park, an older brother.

(3) Newton Alexander Park, another brother, in the same company with James.

(4) The retreat from Tullahoma was largely a flanking action, with many skirmishes, but no real battles.

(5) Floyd Coker, a close friend.

(6) Merit and James Stovall were apparently brothers, and close friends to Burrel. In his letter of June 10, 1863, Burrel stated that James Stovall was trying to get a discharge.

(7) Dalton, Georgia, is (1950) on the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railway, 95.9 miles from Atlanta, Georgia, and 37.8 miles from Chattanooga, Tennessee.

(8) James Stovall had promised to visit his old "mess-mates" in the 19th Arkansas Regiment before returning home.

(9) Mr. Tucker was apparently a courier, or possibly a fellow soldier returning home. The Park boys were very polite at times. Frequently they referred to a fellow soldier as "mister" possibly because of a difference in ages.

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Camp at Tyner's Station (1)
August 3, 1863

Dear Sister:

I seat myself this evening to write you a few lines to let you know that I am well, and hope these few lines may find you well.

I received a letter from Brother James (2) yesterday. They (3) are at Morton (4), 20 miles east of Brandon, Mississippi (5).

Well, Sis, I never knew how much I loved you until I was captured (6). It seemed as if the last time had come for me to hear from home, but I trusted in our Great Creator, and he has allowed me that privilege once more.

I will send you and Mother nine combs by Jim and I (7). You are to give Pop (8) one, and George Williams one if he wants it, and keep the balance. I will send Martha (9) a breast pin (10). Tell her I could not finish it. One of the combs is Lieutenant Woods' (11).

I want you to write to me and write all about the girls (12), so I close for I have to do my own writing.

Andy Balos and John Young arrived here last night.

Nothing more, so I remain your affectionate brother until death.

(Signed) B. J. Park

P. S. I will send you a piece of poetry, and I want you to show it to the girls and tell them that is just the way with me (13), so nothing more.

(Signed) B. Park

NOTES

This letter was written by Burrel Josephus Park to his sister, Harriett Narcissus Park, of Paraclifta, Arkansas.

(1) I am not sure as to the location of this point. Apparently it was near Chattanooga, Tennessee.

(2) James Monroe Park, an older brother.

(3) Here he refers to James Monroe Park and Newton Alexander Park, another brother. James and Newton were serving in the same company.

(4) Morton, Mississippi, is located (1950) on the Illinois Central Railway, between Jackson and Meridian, 20.6 miles east of Brandon.

(5) Notice how accurate Burrel was with the location of the various towns mentioned in his letters.

(6) Here he refers to his capture following the surrender of Arkansas Post, Arkansas, after it's fall, January 11, 1863.

(7) I believe this refers to his friend James Stovall who had received a discharge and was enroute home. See his reference to this in his letter of July 13, 1863.

(8) I think this refers to "Pop" Turner, one of his close friends back home.

(9) Martha Ann Park, a younger sister.

(10) This was a little hand-made ornament which Burrel apparently was unable to complete before the courier departed for Arkansas.

(11) Lieutenant Woods was an officer in Company "K", 19th Arkansas Regiment. He was apparently a close friend of Burrel. Lt. Wood was later wounded in the battle of Lovejoy, Georgia, September 6, 1864.

(12) Burrel was still a very young man. Naturally he would be interested in the fair sex.

(13) The little devil!

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Camp near Morton, Mississippi (1)
August 5, 1863

Dear Sister:

I received your letter by Mr. Palmer (2), which I was glad to hear that you was all well.

I have no news to write, only what you have already heard, so I cannot promise you an interesting letter this time, and I have no time to write as Joe Brooks (3) will leave in the morning, and it is now night.

You spoke of my sending some rings and song ballads. I cannot get a chance to get any, but as soon as I can get any I will send you some.

I saw a great many of the Mississippi boys (4) while I was at Jackson (5). Among them was James Conner, Gramse Boyd, Mr. Cobb, Mr. Goar, and James Griffin. All were well except James Griffin; he had a spell of the colic. Tell Mr. I. F. Turner that I saw some of the Port Hudson (6) boys, but none of his relatives or acquaintances.

Brother James (7) will send you a breast pin in this letter, so that will answer in my place. He says he has not time to write this time. Tell Sister Martha (8) and Brother William (9) I cannot write to them all in different letters for it would take all the paper I could get in the Confederacy (10).

I wrote Pa (11) a letter by Mr. Black, giving him all the news, so I have no more. I will close as it is dark and Joe Brooks is waiting for the letters to fix them up (12).

Give my love to all the family and friends, and tell them to write to me by Joe, giving me all the news. So good bye.

I remain as ever until death.

(Signed) Newton A. Park

NOTES

This letter was written by Newton Alexander Park to his sister, Harriett Narcissus Park, of Paraclifta, Arkansas. It was apparently written while the Confederate army was preparing for the campaign which led to the battle of Chickamauga, Georgia. See notes on Newton Park's letter of October 3, 1863, regarding this battle.

(1) For location of Morton, Mississippi, see note #4 in Burrell Park's letter of August 3, 1863.

(2) A courier. Possibly a soldier returning home on furlough.

(3) Joe Brooks was a close friend. He was last mentioned in James Park's letter of June 12, 1863. At that time Joe had just rejoined his command, following his exchange in Virginia, after having been captured at the battle of Murfreesboro, Tennessee.

(4) He was possibly referring to some of the Arkansas boys with whom he had served in Mississippi.

(5) James had evidently passed through Jackson enroute to Morton from Yazoo City, from which point he had written on June 12, 1863. Confederates gave up Jackson second time July 16, 1863.

(6) Port Hudson, a small village in Louisiana, which had been strongly fortified by the Confederates, was captured by Federal forces on July 9, 1863, after a six weeks siege of an army under General Banks and a fleet under Admiral Farragut. With the earlier fall of Vicksburg, July 4, 1863, the capture of Port Hudson secured full control of the Mississippi River for the Federal forces.

(7) James Monroe Park, an older brother, in his same company.

(8) Martha Ann Park, a younger sister.

(9) William Columbus Park, a younger brother, usually called "Lum".

(10) Writing paper was already getting extremely short. At times the boys became so desperate for writing paper that they took it out of the knapsacks of dead and wounded Federal soldiers.

(11) His father, James Alexander Park.

(12) That is, tie them up, preparatory to the trip home.

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Camp near Meridian, Mississippi (1)

October 3, 1863

Dear Father:

It is with the greatest pleasure that I drop you a few lines to let you know that I am well at this time, and hope that these few lines will find you enjoying the same blessing.

Brother James (2) is at the hospital, wounded but not dangerous. He was wounded at the late battle of Chickamauga, in the State of Georgia (3). It was one of the greatest battles that ever was fought in the Confederate States.

It commenced on the 18th of September and ended on the 21st.

Well, I saw Brother Burrell (4). He was enjoying very good health. I found him after the battle was over. He was not in the battle-he was on detached duty.

Well, I will tell you who was killed out of our camp. Killed: Mr. George Y. Anderson, David Griffin, and Berry J. Davis, and 18 wounded, which is too tedious to mention. I will give you some of their names first: Mr. Joseph G. Sullivan, G. M. Moren, E. H. Shults, and Brother (5) is the worst, and the slightly wounded are Mr. J. C. Holman, Joseph W. Brooks (6), M. A. Reed, J. E. Shepard, Joel C. Moren, James Story, and some others that I cannot remember.

Well, we took a great many prisoners, and some artillery and wagons and mules. Well, this came very near ruining our regiment (7). We lost a great many of our regiment. I dread to tell you of the death of our brave boys (8). We will miss them. We will need somebody to fill their places, but they will be hard to find-some one to fill their places as well as themselves. Oh yes, our Captain James W. Coughran was slightly wounded, but he is on his feet again.

Well, I hope that you have heard from us all. I expect Mr. J. J. Brooks (9) has told you all that has been behind us, so you can not expect that I will write you anything new.

We are looking for J. J. Brooks back, but he is so long about coming in that we have almost given him out. If he has not started back when this comes to hand, tell him to come on, that we all want to come home (10).

We are living very well at this time. We are eating stock peas and now have got a pot of pumpkin-this will be very good. This is what we get out of farmer's fields (11).

We left this place (12) on the 6th of September and got to the battle place (13) and fought the battle, and got back to this place on the 30th-only 23 days, and traveled about 700 miles. (Note: nearer 900). If this is not quick work, I will give you leave to come to see me if you want to, but this is out of the question as much as for me to come to see you. But if I get a chance to come home, I will try to come (14).

I forgot to tell you where Brother James was wounded. He was wounded in the arm-one bone broken (15). He was left in Georgia. He said that he would go or get a furlough and go to see Grandfather (16). If he does, he can give you some news about them and this will satisfy (17) you some.

Papa (18), there was some boys that left our camp the night that we left for the battle field (19), and we expect that they told some wonderful tales concerning the Captain (20), but you need not listen to them for it is not so (21). They had no cause for leaving in the world. Will say no more about them (22).

Give my respects to all inquiring friends and relatives. You must excuse this short and simple letter, so good bye.

(Signed) N. A. Park

NOTES

This letter was written by Newton Alexander Park to his father, James Alexander Park, of Paraclyfta, Arkansas. In this letter Newton tells about the battle of Chickamauga, Georgia, fought September 18-21, 1863. The Confederates won the battle, but at tremendous cost. Nearly 16,000 Confederates were dead on the field, or wounded, 2,000 more missing, nearly one-third of all the troops with which General Bragg had gone into battle. Federal losses, in killed and wounded, had been more than 11,000; in prisoners, nearly 5,000. The percentage of loss was not far from one-third on each side. Some divisions and corps lost nearly half their strength, the Tenth Tennessee Regiment, for example, lost more than two-thirds of it's roll.

(1) Meridian is on the main line of the Illinois Central Railway (1950), 96.1 miles due east of Jackson.

(2) His brother, James Monroe Park. This was the second time James had been wounded in battle, the first wound being incurred in the battle of Murfreesboro, Tennessee, December 31, 1862-January 2, 1863.

(3) Chickamauga lies in the State of Georgia, only about eleven miles from Chattanooga, Tennessee (1950), on the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railway.

(3A) Official record shows September 19-20, 1863.

(4) Another brother, Burrell Josephus Park. Burrell had been captured at the fall of Arkansas Post, Arkansas, January 11, 1863; exchanged in Virginia and only recently been returned to the Army of Tennessee.

(5) James Monroe Park.

(6) Possibly a brother of J. J. Brooks.

(7) Second Arkansas Mounted Riflemen.

(8) Newton, himself, was later to die, in the last battle of the Civil War, at Bentonville, North Carolina, March 19, 1865, three years to the day after he left home to enlist in the Confederate Army.

(9) Joseph J. Brooks had left the Regiment at Morton, Mississippi, on August 6, 1863, for home, and no doubt all the home folks had "pumped" him for news about their soldier boys. See Newton's letter of August 5, 1863.

(10) Newton had been away from home-possibly for the first time in his life-for more than 18 months. Naturally he wanted to visit his home and loved ones. Unfortunately, he never had the opportunity.

(11) Food was undoubtedly the first concern of the Southern soldier. Everywhere in the South, except in sections drained by invading or occupying armies and infertile areas peopled largely by less privileged whites, Negro workers grew bountiful crops in every year of the war. Production, with the possible exception of meat, was always more than ample for civilians and soldiers. The failure was not one of production but distribution. Transportation was the biggest handicap. The growth of cotton was sharply curtailed during the war, and the land diverted to growth of foodstuffs. Salt and other preservatives were scarce, resulting in the loss of much food.

Being in the battle area, Newton's food was scarce, so the boys frequently visited farmer's fields, a practice generally called "foraging" but there are, of course, other names for it!

(12) That is, Meridian, Mississippi.

(13) Chickamauga, Georgia.

(14) See note #10.

(15) In the battle of Murfreesboro, Tennessee, December 31 1862-January 1, 1863, one of James' fingers had been shot off. This was his second wound received in battle.

(16) Early in the war the custom prevailed of permitting convalescents to go home as soon as they were able to travel, but consequent relapses from hemorrhages and from improper care, plus increasing reluctance of those on furlough to return to camp, finally caused an abatement of this practice. Arkansas was too far away for James to go home, so he decided to visit his Grandfather, then living near Oxford, Mississippi.

(17) Relieve would probably be a better word.

(18) Note that Newton, then about 20½ years old, spoke of his father as when a child. The Park boys were apparently quite devoted to their parents.

(19) September 6, 1863.

(20) Captain Coughran, their company commander.

(21) Note how loyal Newton was to his company commander. Lieutenant Levi C. French, another company officer, was his bosom friend.

(22) He did, however. In his letter of November 7, 1863, he actually called the names of some men whom he considered as plain deserters.

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Camp near Chattanooga, Tennessee
October 15, 1863 (1)

Dear Father and Mother:

I embrace this opportunity of addressing you a few lines to let you know that I am well. I hope you are similarly blessed.

I have nothing of interest to write to you. It has been raining steady for the last three days. I wrote to you a few days ago (2).

I have not heard from James (3) and Newton (4) since I wrote to you last. When I last heard from James he was doing very well (5). Their Regiment on the 3rd inst. was at Meridian, Mississippi (6).

Floyd Coker (7) is here. He had a chill yesterday. Merit Stovall is still at the hospital and in very bad health. I don't expect he will ever be able for service any more (8).

I want you to write to me immediately on receipt of these few lines, and address it through Shreveport, Louisiana, in care of _____ (9), and he will bring it to me.

We are still behind our breastworks, and the Yanks are in plain view in front of us. I hope to survive the war, and get home to see you all (10).

(Signed) B. J. Park

P. S. Me and Burrel send our letters together. Please forward my letter immediately.

(Signed) J. T. Wood (11)

NOTES

This letter was written by Burrel Josephus Park to his father and mother, Mr. & Mrs. James Alexander Park, of Paraclifta, Arkansas. It was written not long after the battle of Chickamauga, Georgia, September 18-21, 1863. Burrel had not actually participated in the battle, having been on detached service at the time.

(1) Chattanooga was an important railway center, very vital to the cause of the Confederacy.

(2) Am not sure that this letter actually reached his family.

(3) James Monroe Park, an older brother.

(4) Newton Alexander Park, another brother, in the same company with James.

(5) Apparently he had learned of James' wound, incurred in the late battle of Chickamauga, Georgia.

(6) This was confirmed in Newton's letter of October 3, 1863.

(7) An old friend, frequently mentioned in these letters.

(8) In another letter we later learn that Merit Stovall died on November 19, 1863.

(9) Name is not clear.

(10) After seeing so much death, it is no wonder that he wondered if he would survive. He did, and lived to the ripe old age of 88!

(11) This postscript was signed by Lieutenant J. T. Wood, a close friend. Burrel had last mentioned him in his letter of August 3, 1863.

(To Be Continued)

CHILDREN OF JAMES ALEXANDER PARK AND EDNA (EDITH) BASS

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|---|--|
| 1. Joseph Jasper Park
B: 17 Jan 1840 D: ?
M: Polly Ann Murphree (1 child) | 9. Martha Ann Park
B: 5 Feb 1850 D: 4 Jul 1929
M: Joseph Hopkins Denson (12 Children) |
| 2. James Monroe Park
B: 8 Jan 1841 D: 5 Jan 1895
M: Clarrissa Katherine Poole | 10. Wallis Thompson Park
B: 4 Oct 1851 D: 29 Oct 1933
M: Florence Caldwell (1 child) |
| 3. Mary Marret Park
B: 1 Mar 1842 D: 1 Nov 1842 | 11. Eliza Caroline Park
B: 13 Apr 1853 D: 19 Jul 1914
M: Henry Garnett Weems (5 children) |
| 4. Nuton (Newton) Alexander Park
B: 17 Mar 1843 D: 4 Oct 1865
(Battle of Bentonville, NC) | 12. Elizabeth Colen Park
B: 13 Jan 1855 D: 25 Jan 1925
M: James Robert Hopson I (11 children) |
| 5. Burrel (Burrell) Josephus Park
B: 26 Apr 1844 D: 4 Oct 1932
M: Amanda M. Falls (6 children) | 13. Samuel Pinkney Park
B: 28 Mar 1858
M: Stella Hicks |
| 6. Harret (Harriett Narcissus Park
B: 19 Aug 1845 D: 28 Jun 1931
M: John Wesley Leeper (8 children) | 14. George Washington Park
B: 28 Mar 1858 D: 19 Jun 1938
M: Alice Davis Stuart |
| 7. Andrew Calvin Park
B: 17 Feb 1847 D: 28 May 1848 | 15. John Louis Falls Park
B: 2 Dec 1860 D: 27 Jan 1905
M: Florence Emmeret Hayes (4 children) |
| 8. William Columbus Park (Lum)
B: 3 Jan 1848 D: 29 Jan 1922
M: Martha Alice Stell (6 children) | 16. Charles Hudson Park
B: 30 Sep 1865 D: 23 Oct 1942
M: (1) Nannie Adelia Nunneley (1 child)
M: (2) Rosa Lee Nunneley (2 children) |

(Wesley Thurman Leeper was the grandson of Harriett Narcissus Park and John Wesley Leeper. His father was John Edward Leeper and mother, Lilly May Cox.)

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FROM THE TALES OF UNCLE MERRILL

(This article was submitted by our member Merrill C. Williams, 23750 Highland Valley Rd., Apt. 110, Diamond Bar, CA 91765. He enclosed a copy of this painting, but unfortunately it is too dark to reproduce.)

When Willa Lombardi was very young, her Grandpa Williams told her the story of how he once rode a panther to school, using rattlesnakes for whips. In her early years in school, Willa wrote an essay on her grandpa's adventure.

Her father was so enthralled by the story that when a few years later he found a 15 x 20 framed picture of a mustachioed cowpoke, in a slouched cowboy hat, mounted on a bucking cougar, with a live rattlesnake whip in his hand, that he purchased the print. It was colorful, so he brought it home and hung it on the wall. It made a great conversation piece.

One day her dad decided to take the picture apart. On doing so, the painting description was found folded behind. The story of the "bucking panther-boy" declared this to be Pecos Bill, the mythical character of the "Old West".

Uncle Merrill was a horse-breaking Mississippi cowboy in his teen years. He probably heard the story from his dad, J. C., who was a pioneer on the last frontier of Texas. Arriving there about 1870, he became a rancher and made cattle drives along the Western Trail to the railroad towns in Kansas. It is likely that he was the source of this mythical tale. But it is one of the colorful adventures that has lingered with us until Pecos Bill was captured in the centerfold of an early Esquire Magazine, a spot usually reserved for Petty Girls.

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In the Prairie Days they wedded without much preliminary preludes. There were cases of ceremonies like the following:

"Have her?"

"Yis"

"Have him?"

"Yaw"

"Hitched. Two dollars."

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NOTE OF INTEREST

We know our back issues of THE GENIE are being read, because we have a letter from by Lynn N. Lewis, 6397 Spring Grove Rd., Adams Run, SC 29426. She verified the correction with a copy of a marriage certificate. This correction is to be made in the October 1982, Vol. 16, #4 issue in the St. Joseph's Cemetery Record as follows:

Leonie Maignaud (not Maiquand) Hoffmann
 B: 23 Sep 1878 D: 21 Mar 1963
 John Hoffmann (not Hoffman)
 B: 1 Jan 1876 D: 20 Dec 1926

We stand corrected! Editor

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Matt Oliphant and Kate Dietrich - June 6, 1901
 Harlin Oliphant and Maudie Stosberg - June 15, _____
 Galen M. Oliphant and Joe W. Sharp - June 1928
 Martha (Lynn) Oliphant and Rex Williams - December 25, 1935

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ROUNSAVALL, Mary E. 25 Nov 1855-12 Apr 1915 Minnie Olie 24 Jan 1890-16 Jan 1914	ROUNSAVALL, James Melton 10 Nov 1887-7 Nov 1911	O'NEAL, Laura Bailey 1 Jul 1851-1 Jun 1866 Omitted from Row 6 Mrs. Tyre MATHES 22 Apr 1920-10 Apr 1976
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QUERIES

By Trenkins McClain

- BRYANT
BROWN
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HAMILTON
- Compiling oral history and family memoirs and need assistance on Pierson Simpson BRYANT who missed being born a slave by one day in Minden, LA. He was the s/o Beriah BRYANT, a slave who married an unknown white woman. Beriah's siblings: Johnnie, Ada, Josephine, and Anna BROWN. Pierson m Eula Hastings COLLINS (d/o Moses and Elizabeth COLLINS, slaves) b ca 1867 Magnolia, AR. Moses COLLINS' siblings were Ben, Charlie, Ola and Julia. Pierson and Eula moved in 1900 from AR to OK. They were country school teachers and had five children. Also wish to know what life was like for black people during that time in Minden, LA, Camden and Magnolia, AR. Write: Cheri BRYANT HAMILTON, 903 Southwestern Parkway, Louisville, KY 40211. Ph (502) 778-0344.
- GOOLSBY
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- Anyone who has shown an interest in the GOOLSBY/GOLDSBY genealogy in the past, or wish to do so now please contact the main researcher: Mrs. Margarette GOOLSBY GAISSERT, 510 Boland St., Sparta, GA 31087 now! or Phone (706) 444-9077.
- PIERCE
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- Appreciate correspondence with anyone researching the following families: James Andrew PIERCE b 1827 NC, m Susan Helen LUMPKIN 1858 AL. John C. WARD b 1853, where? m Arabella (Belle) STEPHENS. William TAPP b 1795/6 SC, m (1) Margaret (Peggy) 1815 SC, m (2) Sarah M. CARTER 1872. Write: Mrs. Jamie KOACH, 20240 Juniper Rd., Apple Valley, CA 92308.
- TWEEDY
HOLLYFIELD
BRODBECK
KIENER
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UHLY
- Wish to exchange info with anyone doing research on the TWEEDY Family. Robert TWEEDY b 18 Nov 1812 IL, d 1899 El Monte, Los Angeles, CA, m 1836 in AR Mary Elizabeth HOLLYFIELD b 26 May 1820 SC, d 4 Jan 1910 in Florence, Los Angeles, CA. Other connecting families: BRODBECK and KIENER from Germany to St. Louis, MO, GENTRY and HERYFORD of Calloway, MO, and UHLY from Aurora, IN. Have b & d certificates, newspaper articles and pictures of tombstones in CA cemetery to share. Contact: Linda TWEEDY, 2210 Calle Bellota, Camarillo, CA 93010. PH (805) 482-4791.
- JAMES
- Need info on Tom JAMES, lived as child in Groveton, TX, later moved to Des Arc or Desha, AR, had sons Will, Client, Elbert (Albert) Bo and Sam, some were in CSA. Write: Brenda JAMES, 1504 Lois Dr., Kennett, MO (no zip).
- HAZLETT
HASLETT
SALLEY
- Family tradition says Samuel HAZLETT b 1764, d 1846 had a brother who went to TX. Could this be Joseph HASLETT, who lived in Red River Co., TX when it was formed in 1836? Wish to correspond with anyone researching this family. Write: Evelyn SALLEY, 209 San Pablo, Panama City Beach, FL 32413.

BAILEY Wish info about the John M. and Adaline (BAILEY) CUMMINGS family between 1865-1875. In MS after Civil War, on 1880 TX census Coryell Co. When and where did daughter, Lucy A. m Thomas H. STOCKS, between 1865-1869? In LA? Other CUMMINGS ch in this family were Caroline, James, Thomas, Luvenia, John, Virginia and Winford, all b MS. Any info appreciated, will gladly share info. Contact: Tressie STOCKS BOSTICK, 308 Mae Dr., Marshall, TX 75670-2347.

WATERS Need parents, birth place and siblings of Sarah Monroe WATERS m Merida CROW ca 1850 GA? Ch: George Washington who m Nancy Ella CROW WALDROP, Martha Jane, James Madison, Mary Jane, Infant?, C., BOSTICK, SR. Minnie Ida, Ruth. G. W. CROW family in TX, others Clayton Co, GA. Merida, Sr., and Sarah buried Tanner's Churchyard Cemetery, Clayton, GA. All WATERS info needed, appreciated, will share. Write: James D. BOSTICK, Sr., 308 Mae Dr., Marshall, TX 75670-2347.

PELEGRIN Wish to correspond with anyone working the PELEGRIN surname. In-PALEWONSKY III-terested in Aristede De PELIGRIN from New Orleans, LA. Write: PELIGRIN Louis PALEWONSKY III, P. O. Box 3571, Christiansted, Saint Croix, U. S. Virgin Islands 00822-3571.

CANTELON Looking for info on Peter L. CANTELON b 1815 Augusta, GA (s/o COGBURN Louis Crymes CANTELON & Rebecca LESTER) m Ann L. COGBURN of Edgefield, SC and moved to LA ca 1839-40. In Ouachita Parish, LA 1840 and Jackson Parish, LA 1850 and 60 census. 1860 census lists eight children. Eldest son, William Frazier CANTELON in Co F, Gray's McLEOD 28th LA Inf CSA. After the war Peter L. CANTELON moved his family LESTER to TX. Where? Name can be spelled CANTALOU, CANTALOW, CANTELON, etc. Contact: Stephen McLEOD, 602 N. Lakeshore Dr., Tallahassee, FL 32312.

HENSON Seeking info on William J. "Bill" HENSON, s/o James and Sarah COSTON HENSON, b Forsyth Co., GA ca 1842/43, may have died in Scott BRUCE Co., AR, m ca 1867 Sarah BRUCE b 1857/58 GA. In 1880 census of JONES Choctaw Co., MS with six ch: Julia b 1869 GA, Lulu b ca 1870 GA, Charles b ca 1873 MS, son J. H. b ca 1875 MS, son, W., b ca 1876 MS and daughter, E., b ca 1878 MS. Family moved to AR shortly after 1880 census. Julia visited MS relatives in 1919 and 1920 stating she married a Mr. JONES, who owned a hardware store in Tulsa, OK and had two sons, one named Jack. Info on this family appreciated. Contact: Thomas Lyn HENSON, 23653 Lexington Ct., Laguna Niguel, CA 92677-2072.

HUFFMAN Ninety families are sharing info on the name HUFFMAN, HOFFMAN, HOFFMAN, HOOFFMAN, HOFMANN, HOFFMANN, and are in contact with some 2700 other families. They estimate there are 1,000,000 living descendants of German immigrants that came to America with these names and wish to contact anyone interested in sharing info. Write: Leonard HUFFMAN, P. O. Box 231, Rocky Ford, CO 81067. Ph (719) 254-4433 FAX (719) 254-7663.

NIX Wish to locate info from old family Bibles of the following families of Catahoula Parish, LA: Joel Ross NIX, John SMITH and John PRITCHARD. Write: Nadyne FAULKENBERRY LYNN, 201 Morton, Dumas, FAULKENBERRY TX 79029 LYNN

DYKE Need info on Emanuel DYKE/DYCHE b 31 Nov 1789 VA, d ca 1831 in
DYCHE Green Co., TN, m Fannie WILSON (?). Did they have a son Andrew
WILSON JACKSON DYKE b 17 Apr 1825? Was Caterince DECK b ca 1765 in
JACKSON Rockingham Co., VA the mother of Emanuel. Will appreciate any
DECK info on these names or parents of Andrew JACKSON DYKE. Contact:
BAUGH Ella Jean DYKE BAUGH, 257 Burt Lane, West Monroe, LA 71291-7486.
Ph (318) 396-3862.

DYKE Help! Need death and burial place of W. Shay DYKE, s/o Andrew
HARPER JACKSON DYKE and Drucilla E. HARPER, who came to LA from Shelby
BURNS Co., AL ca 1850, b Dykesville, Claiborne Parish, LA, m 21 Dec
WHITSON 1884 Synthia BURNS, d/o John A. BURNS & Lucinda WHITSON of Shong-
MARSHALL aloo, Webster Parish, LA. Shay was killed while working for the
BURTON railroad near LA or AR ca 1885-1888. Brothers: James H. b 1854,
BUTLER Lee b 1856, A.P. b 1859 and Craten Louis b 1869, all living in
BAUGH Hope, AR ca 1880. Sisters: Mary Louisa MARSHALL b 1849, Orlean
b 1856, and Berrie Carnelia BURTON b Mar 1863. (The remainder of
this query does not identify the person, but reads as follows:)
Also need her death and place of burial. She m James Edward
BURTON, Webster Parish, LA 9 Apr 1882. Ch: James Lee b 1883,
John Oliver b 1886, Lacy C. b 1887 and Ruby b 1890, m Jim Wor-
ley BUTLER Webster Par., LA. Desperate! Will greatly appre-
ciate any info. Contact: Ella Jean DYKE BAUGH, 257 Burt Lane,
West Monroe, LA 71291-7486. (Note by Mrs. McClain: A man killed
on the railroad should be written up in a newspaper.)

WILLIAMS Would like any info on James L. WILLIAMS b ca 1820 GA or NC m
BRANTLEY George (sic) W. BRANTLEY 1 Jun 1854 Lafayette, AL. Ch: Mary
HOLIFIELD "Molly", Kate, Charlie and Lonnie. The WILLIAMS were living in
PRATHER Pine Ridge, Winn Parish, LA in 1860 next to her mother, Eliza-
GRAHAM beth HOLIFIELD BRANTLEY and in 1870 in Commerce, Hunt Co., TX.
WELCH Was this James WILLIAMS in the Civil War? The BRANTLEYS and
MOJAC WILLIAMS also were listed as living in Jackson Parish on an
application for obtaining bounty land 16 May 1857. He lived in
the home of John L. & Nancy PRATHER in Lafayette, LA in 1850
census. Write: Molly GRAHAM WELCH, MOJAC Farm, Rt. 1, Box
113AA, Hartman, AR 72840.

GRAHAM Does anyone know where any of the GRAHAMS, who were living in
WELCH Bossier Parish, LA in 1840s and 50s came from? Write: Molly
MOJAC GRAHAM WELCH, MOJAC Farm, Rt. 1, Box 113AA, Hartman, AR 72840.

HARDEN Searching for ancestors of John William HARDEN b 1883 in Indian
BROOKS Territory, OK, s/o John HARDEN, who d when J. W. was 2 or 3 and
STEWART Velma, Thelma, or Maxine. Mother m 2nd Henry BROOKS and she
BARKER died when J. W. was ca 7-10, when he went to live with an uncle
HEWGLEY who may have lived in OK or TX. J. W. was on his own at 14 af-
ter his uncle died. While working on a farm in Bradley, AR,
J. W. met Jessie Emma STEWART. He traveled to LA with a man
named Jewel BARKER and m Jessie Emma STEWART Aug 1918 in Jackson
Parish, LA when he was 33. He may possibly have been married
before. In 1921, while living in Ruston, LA, J.W. disappeared
and never returned. Jessie moved to San Antonio, TX in 1922
and obtained a divorce in 1923. They had two daughters: Billie
Maurice b 1919, and Anna Beth b 1920. Will pay all postage
and info. Write: Anna Beth HEWGLEY, 744 W. William Cannon Dr.

#1002, Austin, TX 78745. Ph (512) 441-4538.

BOGARD Wish info on Cornelius BOGARD b Dec 1812 IN killed (why?) 27
BURLESON Oct 1861 Buena Vista, Shelby Co., TX, m Caroline Malinda BURLESON
THOMPSON d/o James BURLESON, Jr., b 17 Mar 1791 NC, was TX legislator who
GOSLOW retired in St. Francis Co., AR, where he d 1868. Need burial
BURLESON, Jr place. After death of husband, Caroline moved to father in AR
and after his death moved back to TX where son James THOMPSON
BOGARD became TX legislator. Contact: Marie GOSLOW, 6706 Lums-
den St., McLean, VA 22101. (State Archives and Libraries have
biographical sketches of their legislators. TM).

MOTT Seeking any info on MOTT family in LA 1850-1880. Have recently
WILSON learned surname of my grandmother, Harriet WILSON b 1860, may
WEEKS have really been MOTT. New info relates she was in a wagon tr-
FREEMAN ain that passed near New Era in Concordia Parish, LA, and was
left there at about age 10. In the area she lived with and
worked for a WILSON family, whose name she took. Contact:
Ethel FREEMAN WEEKS, Rt 2, Box 55C, Quitman, LA 71268.

FREEMAN Seeking any info on FREEMAN in LA 1839 to date. Martha FREEMAN
McNEELY was a widow in Catahoula Parish, LA in 1839 with four children:
WILSON William b 1825; Mary Elizabeth b 1826; Henderson b 1827; and
MOTT Elvira C. b 1830. Henderson m Mary McNEELY in Catahoula Parish
CLOUD and had one son, Andrew F., b 1860, who m Harriet WILSON (MOTT?)
MEEK 1878 Concordia Parish. Andrew's sons were Leonard, Arthur and
CLARK Oscar. Daughters were Lou FREEMAN CLOUD, Clara FREEMAN MEEK,
CROCKER Annie FREEMAN CLARK, Ida FREEMAN CROCKER. Children of Andrew
WEEKS all born 1879-1898, married and had families in area of Campti,
Natchitoches Parish, LA. Contact: Ethel FREEMAN WEEKS, Rt. 2
Box 55C, Quitman, LA 71268.

BAKER Requesting info on BAKER family from VA to Christian or Caldwell
Co., KY, AL, Union Co., MS, to Columbia Co., AR, and some to
Holly Grove in Claiborne Parish, LA by 1912. Especially need
burial place of Davidson Ring BAKER. Would appreciate exchang-
ing info. Contact: Claude D. BAKER PhD, Professor of Biology,
Indiana University SE, 4201 Grantline Rd., New Albany, IN 47150.
Ph (812) 941-2251.

GUNN Need info on James Nathaniel GUNN b 8 Sep 1840 AL, d Dec 1910
BARBER Canton, TX, s/o James M. GUNN b 1812 and Sara Elizabeth BARBER
TUCKER b 1817, m 18 Aug 1865 his cousin Nellie Zeal GUNN b 1846, d 1887,
WILLIAMS daughter of Andrew Jackson GUNN b 1812, d 1875 and Sara Louisa
HOWELL TUCKER b 1819, d 1899. Ch: Lou b 1866 m Alex WILLIAMS; Rilla
HAMPTON b 15 Jun 1870 m Sam T. HOWELL; Virginia b 28 Jul 1872 Batesville,
HAMBRIC Independence Co., AR, d 20 May 1970 El Dorado, AR m 25 Aug 1892
PHARR Pike Co., AR, Elijah W. HAMPTON; Lizzie b 1874 m D. HAMBRIC;
MILLS Lonnie C., b 1876, d 1957 Waco, TX m Ida PHARR; Nettie b 1879 m
WALTERS Jim MILLS; Ollie Melissa b 1881; Carrie b 1883 m Lee WALTERS;
DEAN Blanch b 1885 m John DEAN. Would appreciate exchanging info.
BAKER Contact Claude D. BAKER PhD, Professor of Biology, Indiana Univ-
ersity SE, 4201 Grantline Rd., New Albany, IN 47150. Ph (812)
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| AL | Alabama History & Genealogy | North Central Alabama Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 13, Cullman, AL 35056-0013 |
| AL | Quarterly | Limestone County Historical Society, Houston Memorial Library, 101 North Houston St., Athens, AL 35611 |
| AL | The Traveler | Natchez Trace Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 420, Florence, AL 35631 |
| AL | N.E. AL Settlers | N. E. Alabama Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 674, Gadsden, AL 35902 |
| AL | Quarterly | Central Alabama Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 125, Selma, AL 36702-0125 |
| AR | Quarterly | Yell County Historical Association, P. O. Box 622, Dardanelle, AR 72834 |
| AR | SO-WE-AR | Southwest Arkansas Genealogy Society, 528 Union St., Magnolia, AR 71453 |
| AR | Quarterly | Frontier Researchers, Box 2123, Ft. Smith, AR 72902 |
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| AR | | Melting Pot Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 936, Hot Springs, AR 71902 |
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| CA | Leaves & Saplings | San Diego Genealogy Society, 2925 Kalmia, San Diego, CA 92104 |
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| CA | Golden Roots | Tuolumne County Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 3956, Sonora, CA 95370 |
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| GA | West Georgia Register | Carroll County Genealogy Society, 576 Rome St., Carrollton, GA 30117 |
| GA | Ancestor Update | Genealogy Society of Henry & Clayton Counties, P. O. Box 1296, McDonough, GA 30253 |

GA Magazine Coweta County Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 1014, Newnan, GA 30264

ID Quarterly Idaho Genealogy Society, Room 4620 Overland, Boise, ID 83705

IL The Illuminator Zion Genealogy Society, 2400 Gabriel, Zion, IL 60099

IL Quarterly Champaign County Genealogy Society, 201 S. Race St., Urbana, IL 71801-3283

IN Quarterly The Hoosier Genealogist, 315 W. Ohio St., Indianapolis, IN 46202

KS The Pioneer Douglas County Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 3664, Lawrence, KS 66046

KS Johnson Co. Genealogist Johnson County Genealogy Society & Library, P. O. Box 8057, Shawnee Mission, KS 66208-0057

KS Register, Inc Midwest Historical & Genealogical Society, Box 1121, Wichita, KS 67201

KS Kansas Kin Riley County Genealogy Society, 2005 Claflin, Manhattan, KS 66502

KS Quarterly Topeka Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 4048, Topeka, KS 66604-0048

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KY Bluegrass Roots Kentucky Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 153, Frankfurt, KY 40602

KY The Long Hunters Southern Kentucky Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 1782, Bowling Green, KY 42105-1782

LA L'Heritage St. Bernard Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 271, Chalmette, LA 70044-0271

LA La Voix Des Prairies Evangeline Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 644, Ville Platte, LA 70586

LA Kinfolks Southwest Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 5652, Lake Charles, LA 70606-5652

LA Register Louisiana Genealogy & Historical Society, P. O. Box 3454, Baton Rouge, LA 70821

LA La Raconteur Le Comite', P. O. Box 44370, Capitol Station, Baton Rouge, LA 70804

MA Massog Massachusetts Society of Genealogy, P. O. Box 215, Ashland, MA 01721

MD Bulletin Maryland Genealogy Society, 201 W. Monument, Baltimore, MD 21201

MO Quarterly St. Louis Genealogy Society, 9011 Manchester St., Suite 3, St. Louis, MO 73144-2643

MO The Prairie Gleaner West Central Missouri Genealogy Society, 795 Broad, Warrenburg, MO 64093

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MS Quarterly N. E. Mississippi Historical & Genealogical Society, P. O. Box 434, Tupelo, MS 38802

MS Quarterly Mississippi Records, L. W. Anderson Library, P. O. Box 1647, Gulfport, MS 39502

MS Journal Jackson County Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 984, Pascagoula, MS 39567

NC Bulletin Genealogy Society of Old Tyron County, P. O. Box 938,
Forest City, NC 28043

NE Nebraska Ancestry Nebraska State Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 5608, Lincoln,
NE 68505

OK The Tree Tracers Southwest Oklahoma Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 148, Law-
ton, OK 73502

OK Quarterly Pontotoc County Historical & Genealogical Society, 221 W.
16th St., Ada, OK 74820

OR Bulletin Genealogy Forum of Oregon, #81-140 SW, Portland, OR 97205

OR Beaver Briefs Willamette Valley Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 2083, Salem,
OR 97308

OR Trees from the Grove Cottage Grove Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 388, Cottage
Grove, OR 97424

OR Quarterly Oregon Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 1030, Eugene, OR 97440-
2306

SC The Bulletin Chester County Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 336, Richburg,
SC 29729

TN Watauga Association of Genealogy, P. O. Box 117, Johnston
City, TN 37605-0117

TN East Tennessee Historical Society, 500V Church Ave., Knox-
ville, TN 37902-2505

TN Ansearchin News Tennessee Genealogy Association, P. O. Box 111249, Memphis,
TN 38111-1249

TN Family Findings Mid-West Tennessee Genealogy Society, Murray Station, P. O.
Box 3343, Jackson, TN 38303-0343

TX Our Heritage Van Zandt County Genealogy Society, P. O. Drawer 716, Canton,
TX 75103-0716

TX Searchers & Researchers Ellis County Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 479, Waxahachie,
TX 75165

TX The Mesquite Tree Mesquite Historical & Genealogical Society, P. O. Box 8501,
Mesquite, TX 75185-0165

TX Hopkins Co. Heritage Hopkins County Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 4624, Sulphur
Springs, TX 75483-0624

TX Quarterly Texarkana USA, P. O. Box 2323, Texarkana, AR-TX 75504-2323

TX Quarterly The New Bostonian, P. O. Box 104, New Boston, TX 75570

TX East Texas Families East Texas Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 6967, Tyler, TX
75711

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ville, TX 75766

TX Footprints Fort Worth Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 9767, Fort Worth,
TX 76147-2767

TX Heart of Texas Central Texas Genealogy Society, 1717 Austin, Waco, TX
76701

TX Stalkin' Kin San Angelo Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 3453, San Angelo,
TX 76902

TX The Genealogy Record Houston Genealogy Forum, P. O. Box 2714, Houston, TX 77277-
1466

TX The Herald Montgomery County Genealogy & Historical Society, P. O. Box
751, Conroe, TX 77305-0678

TX Oak Leaves Matagorda County Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 264, Bay City,
TX 77404-0164

TX Yellowed Pages SE Texas Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 3827, Beaumont, TX
77704-3827

- TX Brazos Genealogist Brazos Genealogy Advertiser, P. O. Box 5493, Bryan, TX 77805
- TX Victoria Crossroads Victoria County Genealogy Society, 302 N. Main, Victoria, TX 77901
- TX Quarterly Austin Genealogy Society, Texas State Library, Tech, Services, Box 1507, Austin, TX 78767-1507
- TX White Buffalo Tales Scurry County Genealogy Society, Box 195, Snyder, TX 79550
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- WA Bulletin Seattle Genealogy Society, P. O. Box 1708, Seattle, WA 98111-1708
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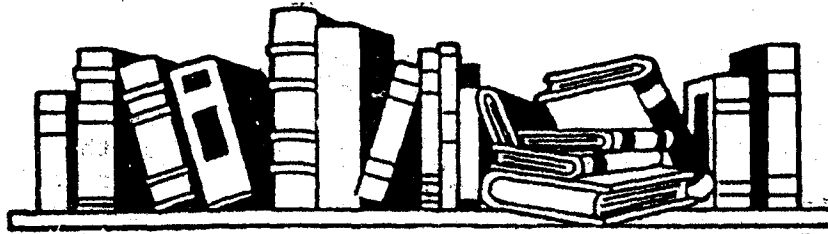
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By Trenkins McClain

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Chapter one gives a short history of the Clan MacGregor in Scotland of which the Grier family is a sept, or division. Then begins the genealogy of James Grier born 1818 in Northern Ireland. He migrated in the 1830's to what later became Ontario, Canada, where he was a carriage and sleighmaker. In 1844, he married Eliza Ann Patterson. Their life is discussed in detail. Eliza died in 1884 and two years later James married Susannah Allan Weatherhead. In 1892, James died in Toronto at age 72 and was buried beside Eliza in Iroquois. Susannah died in 1909 and was buried in Montreal.

James and Eliza had 10 children and the next section takes up the 6 children who remained in Canada. Then, family by family, the story takes up the 4 children who emigrated to the United States. Anne married A. Gilbert Fell and moved to Ogden, Utah. Thomas Johnston and William John settled in Denver, Colorado, while Albert Ephraim moved first to Dakota Territory, before also settling in Denver. The family of each child is followed section by section. Their lives are detailed in narrative form. Thomas Johnston was involved in early mining operations. William John worked in land management, development and sales and ended up supervising the 225 acre fruit ranch of George Hearst in Palermo, CA. Albert Ephraim became a lawyer in Denver.

After each family, the many allied families are discussed. They include Patterson, Allan, Ferril, Havens, Banning and Hopper. Lastly there is a section on other Griers in North America. Many maps, charts, and many, many photographs make this a most interesting family genealogy. An extensive bibliography plus the location of the author's documents makes this a most valuable work for researchers on this family. The cross-referencing index is a valuable asset to this book. Size 6 x 9½. Hardbound. 413 pages. Subject index and cross-referenced full-name index.

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p.b. Place of Birth
m. Date of Marriage
c. Date of Death
p.d. Place of Death

4 W. Shay Dyke
(Father of No. 2)
b. 1865
p.b. Dykesville, Claiborne Par, LA
m. 21 Dec 1884
d. 1887
p.d. CA

2 James Andy Duke
(Father of No. 1)
b. 8 Oct 1885/87
p.b. Shongaloo, Webster Par, LA
m. 10 Mar 1922
d. 4 Jan 1944
p.d. West Monroe, Ouachita Par, LA

5 Synthia Burns
(Mother of No. 2)
b. 9 Jan 1866
p.b. Shongaloo, Webster Par, LA
d. 27 Oct 1887
p.d. Shongaloo, LA

1 Ella Jean Dyke
b. 17 Nov 1937
p.b. West Monroe, LA
m. 27 Apr 1971
dx to Clifford Baugh
p.d. b 7 Sep 1947 West Monroe, LA

6 Edward Pitts Harris
(Father of No. 3)
b. 6 Nov 1874
p.b. AR
m. 5 Dec 1901
d. 27 Oct 1944
p.d. West Monroe, LA

3 Bertha Mae Harris
(Mother of No. 1)
b. 9 Aug 1907
p.b. Calvin, Winn Par, LA
d. 4 Nov 1981
p.d. West Monroe, LA

7 Laura M. Carpenter
(Mother of No. 3)
b. 5 Oct 1885
p.b. Wattsville, Winn Par, LA
d. 10 Mar 1970
p.d. West Monroe, LA

8 Andrew Jackson Dyke
(Father of No. 4)

b. 17 Apr 1825
p.b. AL
m. 1848 CA
d. 18 Feb 1869
p.d. Dykesville, LA
9 Drucilla E. Harper
(Mother of No. 4)

b. 25 Mar 1830
p.b. AL
d. 6 Jun 1887
p.d. Dykesville, LA

10 John A. Burns
(Father of No. 5)

b. 19 Feb 1820
p.b. AL
m.
d. 3 Oct 1910
p.d. Shongaloo, LA

11 Lucinda Whitson?
(Mother of No. 5)

b. 6 Oct 1827
p.b. TN
d. 16 Dec 1885
p.d. Shongaloo, LA

12 Edward T. Harris
(Father of No. 6)

b. 7 Apr 1830
p.b. AL
m.
d. 16 Sep 1905
p.d. Natchitoches Par., LA

13 Francis Jane Emerson
(Mother of No. 6)

b. 4 Jan 1843
p.b. AR
d. 4 Nov 1897 Goldonna,
p.d. Natchitoches Par, LA

14 Joshua C. Carpenter
(Father of No. 7)

b. 12 Feb 1845
p.b. Tishomingo Co., MS
m. 9 Nov 1871
d. 5 Jun 1919
p.d. Winn Par., LA

15 Mahalie Ann Queen
(Mother of No. 7)

b. 7 Oct 1851
p.b. MS
d. 28 Jul 1926
p.d. Winn Par., LA

16 _____
b. _____ (Father of No. 8,
Cont. on chart No. _____)
m.
d.

17 _____
b. _____ (Mother of No. 8,
Cont. on chart No. _____)
d.

18 James Washington Harper
b. 20 Nov 1790 (Father of No. 9,
Cont. on chart No. _____)
m.

d. Prior 1849
19 Rebecca Morgan
(Mother of No. 9,
Cont. on chart No. _____)

b. 24 Apr 1800
d. 26 Sep 1865

20 Andrew Burns
b. ca 1800 (Father of No. 10,
Cont. on chart No. _____)
m. ca 1818

d. 27 Sep 1849
21 Elizabeth Watson
(Mother of No. 10,
Cont. on chart No. _____)

b. 12 Nov 1797
d. 12 Sep 1885

22 Joseph Whitson?
b. _____ (Father of No. 11,
Cont. on chart No. _____)
m.

d.
23 Lucinda
(Mother of No. 11,
Cont. on chart No. _____)

b.
d.

24 _____
b. _____ (Father of No. 12,
Cont. on chart No. _____)
m.

d.
25 _____
b. _____ (Mother of No. 12,
Cont. on chart No. _____)
d.

26 _____
b. _____ (Father of No. 13,
Cont. on chart No. _____)
m.

d.
27 _____
(Mother of No. 13,
Cont. on chart No. _____)

b.
d.

28 William Carpenter
b. 1805 (Father of No. 14,
Cont. on chart No. _____)
m. 19 Nov 1826

d. ca 1875
29 Elizabeth Marler
(Mother of No. 14,
Cont. on chart No. _____)

b. ca 1810
d.

30 _____
b. _____ (Father of No. 15,
Cont. on chart No. _____)
m.

d.
31 _____
(Mother of No. 15,
Cont. on chart No. _____)

b.
d.

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Mr. Ennis M. Tipton
Assistant Fire Chief of
Bossier City, Retired

BOSSIER CITY, LA - Services will be conducted at Hill Crest Memorial Funeral Home Chapel, Hwy 80 East, Bossier City/Haughton, for Mr. Ennis M. Tipton, a retired Assistant Fire Chief of Bossier City, Wednesday, April 21, 1993 at 2 p.m. Officiating will be the Rev. Sonny DePrang of Willow Point Baptist Church and the Rev. Austin Smith of the First United Methodist Church in Bossier City. Interment services will follow in Hill Crest Memorial Park. Visitation will be Tuesday 4 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the funeral home.

Mr. Tipton entered into rest Sunday after a lengthy illness. He was born in Blenville Parish and was a Bossier City resident since 1918.

Mr. Tipton retired from the Bossier City Fire Dept. as Assistant Fire Chief in 1961 and he later opened his own printing business. He was the oldest living member, in years of membership, of the First United Methodist Church in Bossier City and also a member of the Rocky Mount Methodist Church in Ringgold.



Mr. Tipton was a Past President of the Ark-La-Tex Genealogical Assn., Past Master of the Martin McClanahan #384, Past High Priest Giblem Chapter #99, Past Illustrious Master Ish Spd Council #46, Past Commander of Shreveport Knights Templar, Past President of the High 12 Club #310, Past Patron of the Bossier City Order of the Eastern Star, a member of the Knight York Cross of Honor, a member of the Scottish Rites Bodies, Mithra Grotto, Royal Order of Scotland, and a longtime member of the El Karubah Shrine.

Mr. Tipton was preceded in death by his wife of 50 years Ema Lee Tipton and his parents, Ennis Wilbon Tipton and Regina Victoria Tipton.

Mr. Tipton is survived by his sister, Elizabeth Fain of Orlando, Fl., nieces, Zonnetta Lee of Orlando, Fl. and LaDell Drescher of Lilburn, Ga.; sister-in-law, Dorothy Leonardos of Uncertain, Tx.; brother-in-law, George Etheredge of Las Vegas; nephew, Steve Leonardos of Blanchard, and will be dearly missed by Kathy Wallace and her daughters.

Honorary pallbearers are: L. G. Campbell, A. J. Lewis, Johnny Denmon, Charlie Wren, J. T. Wallace, Sr., George Chambers, George Chambers, Jr. and T. G. Green.

Active pallbearers are members of the S.C.V. Group.