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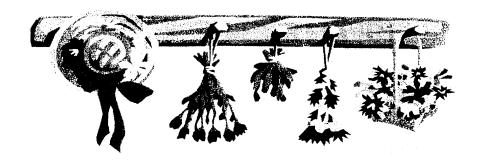
A Note from the Editor

Nancy G. Parmley

For the past four years, Anna Griswold Goforth has been the Editor of The Pathfinder. During that time, she has selflessly given many hours of her time and energy to The Pathfinder and the Root Cellar. Her dedication and perseverance to these projects has been limitless. As the new Editor, I would like to say- Thank You, Anna Goforth, for a job well done! I am so proud of you and only hope that I can do so well.

I would also like to thank all of those who have made donations to the Root Cellar. Our research material is growing by leaps and bounds. I encourage everyone to stop by the Root Cellar and use these resources or just stop in to say "Hello" and see our new area.

I have added a few new things in this issue, which I hope that you will enjoy. Please sit back, rest a spell and see what you think. If you see something that you like, or something that you don't like, please let me know. I will appreciate any tips, ideas or comments that you have.



President's Message

Catherine Flury

The Root Cellar Library is taking shape. We are enjoying having more room and being able to add more books. Thanks to all of you who have joined our Historical Society and also to those who continue to be members. This and other contributions have made it possible for us to bring the Pathfinder to you and also to help you with your research in other ways. We have people from all over the country that have come by to do research and are very pleased with our Library. Thank you for your support.

Memorials

In memory of James Houston Meeks
Michael & Leslie Coppinger
Anna G. Goforth
Maude R. Melton

A Reminder:
Please submit
Membership dues by
June 1, 2000

History Tidbits

- 1901- Eastman Kodak introduced the \$1 Box Brownie camera
- 1902- You could buy these items: toaster .25 cents, coffee grinder .47 cents, sweeper .39cents, China (100 pc. dinner set) \$14.50
- 1908- Henry Ford produced his first Model T. You could buy one for \$850.00
- 1926- The television was invented by a Scot named Logie Baird



Acquisitions

Grundy Co. Senior Class 1929
Group picture at old Monteagle School
Group pictures (2) 1929- Grundy County
Diploma 1929- Anna Mary Parker
Certificate from Purdue University- Anna Mary Parker
Grundy County Diploma 1934- Anna Mary Parker
Monteagle School Certificate 1930- Anna Mary Parker
Monteagle School Diploma 1925- Anna Mary Parker
Mountain Laurel 1925 and 1929
Assortment- newspaper clippings and report cards
F.C.E. Grundy County Extension Office- Jan., 1993
Graduation Book- Eloise Partin
Grade Roster 1906 and 1907
The Girl Graduate 1930 of Eloise Partin

All of the above were donated by:

Mountain Laurel 1949 and 1950 Marriage Records- Warren Co., TN. 1852-1900

Warren Co., TN- Cemetery Records Group picture of Railroad workers

Picture of Nancy Perry Tennessee Convicts Tennessee in Court Class of 1947 Reunion Clippings for Scrapbook

Years of Work, Genealogy of Robert Pedigo

Wilders of Pelham- 1 page
Wilson Family- 5 pages
Sanders Family- 5 pages
Picture of Robert Lee Vaughn
Robert Lee Vaughn Family- 2 pages

The following were purchased by G.C.H.S.: Warren County TN Cemetery Records Vol. I, II, III Franklin County TN Cemetery Records Warren County TN Will Books Vol. I, II, III Anna Mary Parker

Anna G. Goforth Anna G. Goforth Betty M. Majors Linda Levan Roy Linda Levan Roy Charles Sherrill Charles Sherrill

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Dola Tylor Dola Tylor Dola Tylor

Elizabeth Vaughn Avila Elizabeth Vaughn Avila

Women of Grundy County: Mary Elizabeth "Mollie" Brown Conry By Mona G. Moreland





Mollie and Lyster Bernard Conry

Mollie and John Conry's 50th Wedding Anniversary

Mary Elizabeth "Mollie" Brown was born to Rev. Aaron Norris B. and Martha Josephine Johnson Brown on the 4th of October, 1871 in Grundy County, Tennessee. On the 16th of August, 1891 she was united in marriage to John Conry by her Grandfather, Rev. William Sanford Brown. John Conry was born April 1870 in Tennessee to Daniel and Francis Keeling Conry. After their marriage, John and his father-in-law Norris B., built a log cabin on Hobbs Hill where they lived all their lives. To this marriage were born four children: an infant born and died 1891; Hester born 25th July 1892 and died 9th November 1898; an infant son born 3rd February 1896 and died 4th February 1896 and Lyster Bernard born 23 September 1899 and died in 1953.

John and Mollie were with the Fairmount Female College in Monteagle, Grundy County, Tennessee, until 1917. The school closed then with the onset of World War I.

Mollie died on the 7^{th} of March 1960 and John died in 1950 and they are both buried in the Hobbs Hill Cemetery.

Mollie Brown Conry was an accomplished writer of poetry and artist. She was loved by all who knew her.

References: <u>The History of Beersheba</u> by Margaret Brown Coppinger; Warren and Grundy County Census Records; <u>1888-1904 Grundy County Marriage Records</u> by Charles Sherrill; Family information from John and Mollie Conry's grandson, Les Conry 1993: Brown Family research by Mona G. Moreland; <u>Hobbs Hill Cemetery</u> by Mona Griswold Sweeton Moreland September 1996.

Collins River

I was born near your banks, waded in your shallows, fished in your deep holes, took canoe rides on your surface and waded or walked the stepping stones daily to and from school.

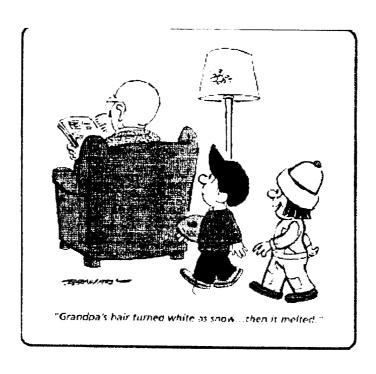
I don't know when you started your journey from near the foot of Cumberland Mountain, below Beersheba Springs, but your life has been useful- you have carried millions of logs made into rafts to the saw mills to be cut into lumber- you furnished fish to everyone who cared to dig the worms for bait, without fear of an officer popping out of nowhere to inspect our license- you amble along for miles between high stone cliffs on one side and fertile fields on the other- you, in times past, furnished the water for weekly washings, where the wash pot and bathing bench set on your grassy, shaded banks.

The swimming hole was in many places along your route, also the Baptismal font for many people starting out in the religious life.

But you were not always in this quiet placid mood- sometimes you would get into a rampageous tantrum and take everything within your reach into your muddy, turbulent embrace. As you receded you would leave your ill-gotten possessions in tops of bushes or against drifts out on land.

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Mollie Brown Conry



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Neighbors in Grundy County, 1880 By Dola S. Tylor

Civil District 4, H. W. Brown, Enumerator.

- 1/1 Wm. B. SYTZ, 76, farm laborer, born KY; Malinda, 53, born NC. (Much of the info on this family is from family researcher, Helen MEWBOURNE, of Birmingham. William B. was born 1802, Lincoln County, NC, and died 17 Mar 1872, Grundy County, TN, buried Fall Creek Cemetery. His 1st wife, Elender B. , 1802, KY/15 Jan 1866, Grundy County, TN, was mother of these children: Mary, born c1822, married Silas LANKFORD; Elizabeth, born c1826, married Joseph LANE; Frances, 4 Jul 1828/15 Mar 1900, married 28 Nov 1850, as 2nd wife of Jazeal TATE; Cosby, born c1831; Sarah, born c1833; married 21 Aug 1853 (or 6 Nov 1851), John VANDERGRIFF; Faithie, 12 Apr 1834/ 1 Jan 1913, married 12 Apr 1849, William Preston LOWE; Nancy Caroline, 4 Sep 1836/31 Mar 1920, Wright, Missouri, married 10 Dec 1857, Andrew J. COGGIN; George Washington, 1840/1918, married 8 Feb 1858, Margaret LAYNE; Levi J., born 1841, married 16 Apr 1859, Elizabeth SCOTT; William J., Aug 1845/3 Feb 1918, married 27 Apr 1867, Elizabeth Ann DISHEROON; Cornelia Ran, 2 Aug 1846/25 Feb 1921, Birmingham, married 12 Apr 1863, John Timothy DISHEROON. William B., the father, married 2nd Mrs. Malinda CAMPBELL, 18 Jul 1869. He died 17 Mar 1872, buried Fall Creek Cemetery. Elender died 15 Jan 1866 and buried Fall Creek Cemetery.)
- 2/2 W. Paterson LOWE, 57, born AL; Faithy, 48; Fannie B., 31; Levi, 15; J. Nelson, 13; Causby, 9; John Wesley, 4; Mattie, 6; Mary A., (William P. married Faithy SITZE, 12 Apr 1849. Children in census records are a bit confusing: in 1860, they are Fannie, Delphia, Martha and Sarah; in 1870, they are Fannie, Ellender, Levi, and Elizabeth. Ellender married 26 Jun 1870, Theodore DISHEROON, son of Ervin and Frances DISHEROON. In Grundy Death Records, Ellender died 15 May 1921, of TB, buried Oak Grove Cemetery. John Wesley married Sallie WILKINSON, 1 Oct 1898, and in 1920, children are Carl, Nelson, and Barney. In Tracy City Cemetery, Wm. P. LOWE, 1823?-1880?. In Grundy County Death Records, Mrs. Faith LOWE, died 2 Jan 1913, age 87, surviving are sons, John and Jim, of Grundy County, and son, C. A., of Crump, TX.)
- 3/3 Irvin B. HILL, 35, farmer; Jane, 27; Martha, 10; Lafayett, 8; Marion, 6; Henry, 4; Benjimin, 2. (In "Beersheba Springs - A History": Ervin Bowen HILL, born 1845, son of Ervin Lafayette and Susannah BROCK HILL, married Jane STEPP. Their children: Martha, born 1870, married ____ CHRISTIAN; Lafayette, born 1872, married Melissa WATSON; Francis Marion, born 1873, married Susan CEENDENON; James Henry, born 1876, married _____ CHRISTIAN; Benjamin Jefferson, born 1878, married 1st Lou SMITH, 2nd Minnie CLENDENON; Virginia, born 1880, married John BESS. In Shiloh Methodist Church Cemetery,

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- Warren County: Irving B. HILL, 19 Mar 1845/14 Mar 1933; Jane HILL, 17 Mar 1854/5 Jan 1926, daughter of Richard M. and Easter MILLER STEPP, wife of Irving B. HILL, married in Dunlap, 15 Dec 1870. Also in this cemetery is son, Francis Marion, 26 Dec 1873/20 Oct 1958, husband of (1) Susan CLENDENON, and (2) Amanda McGREGOR.
- Jeff ROBERTS, 24, works on farm; Elisabeth, 22; Willie, 6 mos. 4/4 (Jeff ROBERTS not found in other Grundy County records until the 1920 census: Thomas J., 63, wife Dialphia, 59, and daughter, Jeffie, 23. In Grundy County Death Records: Annie ROBERTS, age 21 years, 11 months, single, died 4 Dec 1919, father, Jeff ROBERTS, mother, Lizzie DAVIS, parents born Warren County. Annie was buried Mt. Olive Cemetery. Also in Death Records: Thomas Jefferson ROBERTS, age 65 yrs, 1 mo, 23 days, married, died 21 Apr 1921, father, William ROBERTS, mother, Sarah Cynthia JOHNSON. In Philadelphis Church Cemetery: J. ROBERTS, 28 Feb 1856/22 Apr 1921.)
- Jas. McCARVER, 23, works on farm; Martha, 26; Nancy, 4; Laura, 2. 5/5 ("Beersheba Springs - A History": James was the only child of Elias and Cynthia McGILL McCARVER to reach adulthood. He married Martha KING. Their children: Nancy married John SCISSOM; Laura married George TATE; Prudie married Marion KING; James Lafayette married Minnie ROBERTS; Nora married Tom WALKER; Lawson married JOHNSON; BARRETT. From Grundy County marriage records add: Edna married Nancy-John SCISSOM, 3 Jul 1896; Laura-George C. TATE, 30 Sep 1900; Prudie-Marion KING, 20 Oct 1910; James Lafayette-Leathy ROBERTS, 28 Jan 1911; Nora-Thomas WALKER, 25 Dec 1907; Losson-Myrtle JOHNSON, 24 Mar 1912; Edna-Charles BARRETT, 27 Sep 1914. The parents marriage: James R. McCARVER-Martha KING, 25 Dec 1872, Sequatchie County. are buried Philadelphia Church Cemetery: James R., 1857-1923; Martha, 1854-1931.)
- W. Taylor DUGAN, 38, works on farm; Francis, 24; J. Russell, 7; 6/6 Prudy L., 2. ("Beersheba Springs - A History": Taylor was son of John and Louisa WALKER DUGAN and married Frances BROWN, daughter of Russell and Mary DYKES BROWN. Marriage on 11 Aug 1870. Children: Prudence married Ben HOBBS, 28 Jan 1900; Ira married Beulah HENLEY; Walter never married; Frank got license to marry Ida TATE, 12 Aug 1910. In Morton Church Cemetery: Frances, wife of W. T. DUGAN, 25 Dec 1855/8 Jul 1898; Ben S. HOBBS, 1874-1928; Prudy E. HOBBS, 1877-(blank). Tracy City Cemetery: Ira T. DUGGAN, 1893-1963; Beulah HENLEY DUGGAN, 1895-1960. Is Prudy E. HOBBS buried in Hunerwadell Cemetery as Prudie E. DUGAN, 1 Sep 1877/4 Feb 1974?)
- John A. GROSS, 37, farm laborer; Elisabeth, 32; J. Taylor, 14; 7/7 L. Francis, 12; Celia Arkansas, 6; M. L. Elizabeth, 7; M. Hanner, 5;

- 7/7 cont'd M. Ann, 2; Cordelia, 1 mos. (The census taker first wrote the name as J. A. GROSS and later added the "ohn" to make the first name John but all other records show this man to be James A. GROSS, the son of Losson Henry and Hannah WALKER GROSS. His middle initial "A." probably stood for the name Asa. In 1870, Asa GROSS, 27; Elizabeth, 22; Taylor, 3; Losson, 1. By 1900, these children are added: Bell F., born Nov 1882; John C., born Jun 1885; Prudie E., born Jul 1888; Elijah H., born Feb 1891. Daughter M. Ann may be the Mary who married Ambrose SAVAGE, 24 Feb 1895. In 1910, he is called Jacob A., 35; Mary, 34; Lewis H., 11; Alice, 9; Nellie, 3; Alma, 1. Perhaps the J. Taylor who is 14 in 1880, is the James T., 43 in 1910, with wife, Druciler and children: Lassie, Minnie, Ettie, Albert, Johnie, Bessie and Sarah who is wife of Albert TATE. Prudie married Floyd A. WANNAMAKER, 24 Dec 1907 and in 1910 they have Selva, 5 months old. In Philadelphia Church Cemetery: James A. GROSS. 7 Aug 1842/1 Apr 1930; Elizabeth, 15 Jun 1848/22 Nov 1927.)
- 8/8 Losson Henry GROSS, 61, work in B Smith Shop; Hanner, 55; J. Breckenridge, 21. ("Beersheba Springs - A History" says Lawson Henry was son of John T. and Sarah KILLIAN GROSS, married Hannah Tucker WALKER, daughter of James and Polly CAMPBELL WALKER. Children: James A., 1843; Sarah E., 1845; Margaret, 1847; Mary, 1849; Martha, 1851; John Samuel, 1853. Possible marriages: Mary - Warren KNIGHT, 13 Feb 1878; Martha - J. H. KILLIAN, 20 Feb 1873. Losson Henry, 25 Dec 1817/ 5 Sep 1894, Philadelphia Church Cemetery. Also John S. buried there, 1 Aug 1858/1 Dec 1933.)
- 9/9 Assa GROSS, 57, farmer; Sarah L., 46; William, 25; Carline, 20; Jefferson, 18; Barbary, 16; Emma Francis, 14; Adam, 12; Floyd, 10; Rutha, 8; Frank, 6; Albert TATE, 19, no relation. ("Beersheba Springs - A History": Asa was son of John T. and Sarah KILLIAN GROSS, married Sarah Louise BOST and had 13 children: Nancy Elizabeth, 1851; William, 1853; Sarah Jane, 1856; John W., 1858; Jefferson D., 1861; Winnie Caroline, 1863; Belzora, 1864; Emily Francis, 1865; Adam Daniel Lafayette, 1868; Lawson Floyd, 1870; Mary Ann, Frank, Della. From other records: Adam D., 30 Nov 1867/27 Jul 1951; wife, Elizabeth MANSFIELD GROSS, 5 Nov 1869/16 Jan 1948, Hebron Cemetery, Warren County. Jefferson married 1st Mary STIPE, 2nd Nora PATTON. Nancy married Thomas BROWN, 15 Aug 1869. Sarah J. married James RANSOM, 19 Nov 1872. John W. married Susan BOND, 21 Aug 1877. Floyd married Lillie SMITH, 25 Dec 1891. Frank married Emma BROWN, 18 Feb 1900, and in that census his mother, Sarah L., born Feb 1833, widow, lives with him. Lawson married Laura BOYD, 22 Sep 1889. Ruthie Idell, called Della, married W. T. SAVAGE, 22 Nov 1889. In Grundy County Death Records, Floyd, 31 Jan 1869/4 Mar 1919, was "killed by train" and buried Tracy City. In Philadelphia Church Cemetery: Asa GROSS, 25 Jul 1821/30 Oct 1885; Sarah Louisa BOST GROSS, 8 Feb 1833/8 Feb 1918.)

- 10/10 John W. GROSS, 21, farm laborer; Susan L., 18; Harris B., 1. (John W., son of Asa and Sarah Louise BOST GROSS, married Susan BOND, 21 Aug 1877. "Beersheba Springs - A History" gives their children: Harley married Fannie SIMONS; Harris Bradford married Ada Lee HUGHES; Lela married George McGEE; Hallie Francis married Burl F. KILLIAN; Haskell; Inez. Children in census records: Hallie F., born Mar 1887; Lelia M., born May 1891; Roy H., born Nov 1896; Harley J., born Jan 1900. 1910 census adds Inez, born c1905. Lela married George McGEE, 1 Apr 1911, and they had Wilda married Lyndon HILLIS and G. W. married Nelma Dean WANNAMAKER. Members of this GROSS family in Philadelphia Church Cemetery: J. W., 21 Dec 1857/7 Jan 1929; Susan L., 2 Jan 1860/ 4 Jun 1920; Hassie E., 21 Jul 1881/2 Jan 1882; James B., 12 Jul 1885/7 Dec 1885; Mattie H., 6 Jan 1890/27 May 1890; Inez, 4 May 1904/5 Mar 1932; Hascel, 15 Nov 1896/5 Jun 1914.)
- 11/11 J. J. WALKER, 56, farmer; Julia A., 38; William S., 2; Rebecca L., 5 mos. (In 1850, John WALKER, Jr., 26, Clerk of County Court, is in the family of John J., Sr., and Elizabeth WALKER. In 1860, John J., 36, is head of the household in which Elijah W. WALKER, 23, is only other occupant. In 1850, Elijah, 13, was son of Elijah and Rebecca WALKER. J. J. married Julia A. CAIN, 6 Dec 1876, in Sequatchie County, daughter of George W. and Rebecca CAIN. Son, William S. married Grace CAIN, 23 Dec 1897, and daughter, Rebecca, married Enoch WOODLEY, 25 Apr 1897. In 1900 census, William S., born Mar 1878, 22; Gracie L., born Jun 1881, 18; John J., born Nov 1898, 1; Julia A., mother, born Mar 1843, 57, widow; Emma C., sister, born Sep 1881, 18. In Philadelphia Church Cemetery: John J., 18 Sep 1823/19 Oct 1892; Julia A., 29 Mar 1840/ 30 Jan 1912; William S., 21 Mar 1878/26 Apr 1950; Grace CAIN WALKER, 14 Jun 1881/18 Jan 1974.)
- 12/12 John S. BOST, 35, farm laborer; Elisabeth, 25; John, 11; Osha Ann, 9; Mary A., 7. (John S. 1st married Martha SAVAGE, 26 Jan 1868.

 Martha died and is buried Philadelphia Church Cemetery: 6 Jun 1849/
 17 Feb 1877. She was daughter of Simeon and Elvira WALKER SAVAGE.

 On 19 Dec 1877, John S. married Elizabeth SAVAGE.)
- 13/13 Virgel HILL, 29, farmer; Rebecca E., 28; Losson, 6. (In 1860, Virgil, 9, with parents and siblings: H. L. W., 50; Virginia, 37; Susan, 7; Franklin, 4; Eliza, 2; Attala, 6 mos. Virgil married Emma CAIN, 11 Dec 1872, Sequatchie County. In 1900, Virgil, born Mar 1850, 50; Rebeca E., born Apr 1850, 50; Rebeca M., born Aug 1889; Jessie L., born Apr 1893. Rebeca E. said she had 5 children with 3 living. There's Rebeca M. and Jessie at home. Did son Losson use the given name, George L.? In 1900, near the parents: George L., born Sep 1873, 26; Icie F., born Dec 1876,

- 23; Mary R., born Oct 1899, 7 mos; Anderson T. ASHBURN, 13/13 cont'd brother/law, born Dec 1881; Floyd B. WILLIAMS, inmate, born Dec 1882, 17. The other two children of Virgil and Rebeca E. are Mary, 3 Nov 1883/10 Feb 1885 and Hester V., 11 Jun 1887/12 Jan 1888. They are buried Hill Creek Cemetery, Warren County, as are the parents: Virgil, 2 Mar 1851/15 Jan 1933, son of Hugh Lawson White HILL and Virginia DEARING HILL; Emma CAIN HILL, 18 Mar 1851/ 28 Feb 1933, daughter of George and Rebecca STONE CAIN.)
- Charles SECRET, 24, farm laborer, born Europe; Mary, 18; Minnie, 14/14 5 mos, born Feb.)
- Mrs. Esther STEPP, 56, widow. (In 1850, Ester, 25, is wife of Richard 15/15 STEPP, and mother of John, 9; Adeline, 7; Mary, 6; Sally, 2, and Tennessee, 5 mos. 1860 added children: William, 8; Jane, 6; Martha Ann, 3; Catherine, 8 mos. In Grundy County Wills & Estates, Richard M. STEPP, dec'd 1861. F. M. WALKER, guardian of minor heir, John A. STEPP. Cpt. John MILLER is guardian of minor heirs, Terresa, William and Jane STEPP. In 1880, Esther has the same Dwelling and Family Number as son William C.)
- William C. STEPP, 28, farm laborer; Cintha, 25; Martha Ann, 8; 15/15 John C., 6; Sarrah E., 4; Ader, 1; Ider, 1; Emma, 14, niece, Robert Lee, 11, nephew. (Marriages are found for these children: Sarah E. - Morgan CORDELL, 8 Jun 1889; Ada - J. P. COLDWELL, 12 Oct 1893; Ida - Harve WALKER, 31 Mar 1895. Several members of the STEPP family are buried in Shiloh Methodist Church Cemetery, Warren County, including the parents of William C.: Richard McDonald STEPP, 21 A--1816/20 Nov 1860, son of Frederick and Mary CLINKENBEARD STEPP, husband of Ester MILLER; Ester STEPP, died 9 Sep 1885, daughter of John and Catherine CARSON MILLER, 2nd wife of Richard McDonald STEPP; William C. STEPP, 31 Oct 1851/16 Oct 1883, husband of Cynthia NUNLEY. Two daughters of Richard and Ester are buried here: Mary, 7 Oct 1843/7 Sep 1857; Martha, 3 Dec 1856/1 Jan 1861. In Vickers Cemetery, Warren County: Johnathan VICKERS, 1824-1907, whose 2nd wife was Cynthia NUNLEY STEPP.)
- James M. WATSON, 25, farm laborer; Catherine, 20; Wallace, 1. 16/16 (James M. married Catherine STEPP, 22 Nov 1874, daughter of Richard M. and Ester MILLER STEPP.)
- Francis WALKER, 41, farmer; Martha H., 39; Ema, 18; Sarah, 16; 17/17 Albert S., 10; Martha E., 7; Mary, 4; Rutha, 1. (In 1850, Francis M., 11, in family of Jeremiah Sr., and Polly WALKER. He married Martha SMITH, 19 Mar 1861. In 1860, Martha E., 19, is in In Grundy County Death Records, the family of Martha SMITH, widow. Selected Newspaper Obituaries: F. M. WALKER died 22 Sep 1913, born

- 17/17 cont'd in Grundy County, 10 Mar 1839. His children: Albert S., Henley, TX; Mrs. J. S. WHITE, Hamilton, TX; Mrs. R. T. DAVIS, Lees, TX; Mrs. E. S. CRABB, Fairland, TX; Mrs. W. B. BURNS, Big Springs, TX; Ruthe WALKER, Garden City, TX. F. M. WALKER was a preacher for 40 years in the Missionary Baptist Church. Also in Newspaper Obituaries: Mrs. F. M. WALKER, died 4 Aug 1913, born in Grundy County, 24 Jan 1841.)
- 18/18 Robin OREAR, 27, works on farm; Francis B., 24; Martha S., 5; William C., 1.
- 19/19 Elijah BOND, 40, farm laborer; Elisabeth, 37; Emma, 14; Celia, 12; James Robert, 9; Ider J., 2. (E. W. BOND married Elizabeth Ann JONES, 8 Mar 1860. In 1860 census, Elijah, 20, and Elizabeth, 17, are living with his parents and siblings: James BOND, 56; Naomi, 52; Martha P., 22; James W., 18; Lydia N., 13.)
- 20/20 Alvin OREAR, 24, works on farm; Martha, 21; Emma, 4; Mary, 2; William, 9 mos, born July. (A. L. OREAR married Martha BOST, 19 Oct 1875. He may be the Alvin, 19, in 1870, son of Daniel and Emeline McCORKLE OREAR and she may be Martha, 4, in 1860, daughter of Jacob and Sarah BOST.)
- 21/21 Emeline OREAR, 40; James, 20; John, 18; Mary, 14; Robert A., 10. (In Warren County, 29? Mar 1856, Daniel OREAR married Emeline McCORKLE. In the 1860 census, under the surname REAR, Daniel O., 25; Emeline, 30; Alvin L., 1; James H., 5 mos, in Sequatchie County.)
- Ambrose KILLIAN, 66, works in B Smith Shop; Nancy, 74; Polly, 56, 22/22 ("Beersheba Springs - A History": Ambrose was 3rd child of Daniel Jr. and Mary KILLIAN. He moved to Grundy County before 1840. Married 1st Hannah WALKER and had Jerry and Martha. Hannah died and buried Philadelphia Church Cemetery: 30 Sep 1814/ 28 Oct 1839. Ambrose married 2nd Nancy WALKER BOST and had J. Ambrose, John L. C., Nancy and Telitha D. In 1850, Ambrose, 37, born NC; Nancy, 44, born KY; Martha, 17; J. D., 14; Sally, 11; Nancy, 9; Elias, 7; John, 6; Telitha, 4; James A., 1. In "Tate Families of The Southern States": Nancy Ann WALKER, daughter of Jeremiah and Sarah CAMPBELL WALKER, and widow of John BOST. Children of Nancy and Ambrose: Nancy, born 1841, married William C. NUNLEY, 31 Jan 1856; John L. C., 29 Feb 1844/10 Jan 1869, married Sarah GROSS, 17 Mar 1865; Elias, 10 Jun 1842/18 Jun 1868?, married Mary DYKES, 11 Nov 1859; Talitha, born 1846/died 11 Dec 1932, married Sterling SAVAGE, 3 May 1869. Philadelphia Church Cemetery: A. H. KILLIAN, 4 Apr 1814/10 Mar 1891; Ann Hannah, 30 Sep 1814/

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- Sterlin SAVAGE, 31, works on farm; Telitha, 35; William, 13; 23/23 Nancy A., 11; Mary, 8; James, 7; Johnathan, 3; John, 5 mos, born Feby. (James S. married Talitha D. KILLYON, 3 May 1867, daughter of Ambrose and Nancy WALKER BOST KILLIAN. In 1860, James S., 12, is son of Simeon and Eveline or Elvira SAVAGE. Son William married Della GROSS, 22 Nov 1889, daughter of Asa and Louisa BOST GROSS. Daughter Mary married James HOBBS, 26 Oct 1889 and in 1910 they have Henry, Nannie, Nettie and Irene. Is Johnathan M. the Marion SAVAGE who married Britannia SMARTT, 24 Dec 1907? Miss M. B., possibly Martha B., married Jasper SMARTT, 19 Mar 1907. Eddie F., born Jan 1884, may be the E. F. SAVAGE married Nora SCOTT 11 Feb 1911. In 1920 census, James S., 71; Teletha, 72; Annie N., 51; Eddie F., 36, divorced; Noah J., 34. Oldest son, William T. buried Philadelphia Church Cemetery, 1866-1938, as is his wife Ruthie Idell, 1872-1940. In same cemetery: J. S. SAVAGE, 20 Sep 1847/28 Mar 1924; Telitha, 15 Feb 1848/11 Dec 1932; Annie, 24 Dec 1869/17 Sep 1934; Francis Marion, 10 Nov 1876/19 May 1959; Brittania, died 2 Feb 1976, age 95 yrs 8 mo 6 da; Noah J., 15 May 1887/27 Mar 1969; Eddie F., 15 Feb 1886/1 May 1960.)
- James WALKER, 44, farmer; Martha B., 34; Isham J., 21; Mary F. A., 24/24 19; Savannah E., 14; William Jackson, 1. (James S. L., son of James H. WALKER, married 1st Elizabeth Sarah WALKER, 13 Nov 1856, daughter of James and Polly CAMPBELL WALKER. Known children listed above: Isham, Mary and Savannah. In Philadelphia Church Cemetery: E. S., consort of J.S.L. WALKER, 24 Jan 1832/10 Aug 1874. Before the 1880 census, J. S. L. married Martha B. STOKES, daughter of Young and Barbara GROSS STOKES. In 1900, Martha B. said she'd had two children/l living. Possibly they were William Jackson, born c1879/died before 1900, and Henry Bradford buried Mt. View Cemetery, Warren County, 10 Nov 1880/5 Dec 1966, son of James S. L. and Martha STOKES WALKER, husband of 1) Georgia Iola HODGES and 2) Virginia MULLICAN STEELE. Nearby is Martha B. WALKER, 15 Dec 1845/3 Apr 1923, daughter of Young and Barbara GROSS STOKES.) In 1880 and 1900, Eliza TURNER, born Jan 1831, no relation, lives in the J. S. L. WALKER family. She is buried Philadelphia Church Cemetery: Eliza TURNER, died Oct 23, 1921, aged about 90 years.
- Warren KNIGHT, 24, farm laborer; Mary, 27; Sarah, 2; William H., 1. 25/24 (Warren married Mary GROSS, 13 Feb 1878, daughter of Losson and Hannah GROSS. In Philadelphia Church Cemetery, Mary A. KNIGHT, 9 Jan 1851/ 11 May 1898, buried next to Losson GROSS. J. Warren married 2nd Elizabeth HOBBS, 4 Sep 1898. Warren and Mary may have had children Sarah, William H., John L., and Martha E. In 1910, Warren and Ester E. have daughter, Mary. In Philadelphia Church Cemetery: Warren

- KNIGHT, 14 Dec 1855/6 Mar 1931; Elizebeth, 11 Jun 1861/ 15 Apr 1937.)
- Calvin KNIGHT, 21, laborer on farm; Margaret M., 22. (Calvin 26/25 married M. A. GROSS, 17 Jan 1880. In 1870, Calvin, 9, is son of Dolphin and Sarah OREAR KNIGHT, and brother of Warren, 25/24. In 1900, James KNIGHT, born Apr 1860, 40; Margaret A., born Aug 1849, 50, no children. In 1920, James C. is 61 and Margaret is 71. They are in Philadelphia Church Cemetery: J. Calvin, 1858-1929; Peggy Ann, 1850?-1929.)
- Martin DYKES, 41, farmer and laborer; Sallie Ann, 36; Almona, 19; 26/26 Martha, 17; Elizza, 14; Albert, 12; Julia Ann, 9; Effalee, 7; Nancy, 3; Saunders, 5; Olley, 5 mos. (Martin V. married Sarah TATE, 29 Jan 1860. In 1850, Martin, 5, with parents, Martin and Mary. Sally Ann, 5, in 1850, enumerated with John and Sally GROSS.)
- Emery NUNLEY, 34, farmer & laborer; Mary C., 33; Sarah, 9; Adam, 8; 27/27 Andrew J., 5; John M., 5; Nancy, 4; Mary C., 1.
- William COPPINGER, 36, farmer & laborer; Eveline, 32; Robert, 15; 28/28 William, 12; Francis, 10; Fannie, 5. (William married 1st Abbie MOFFITT BOST, 10 Jan 1863. In 1870, William, 26; Abigile, 33; Manda, 6; Robert, 4; William, 2; Franciss, 1 yr. buried as A. G. COPPINGER, wife of W. M., 5 Mar 1835/4 Oct 1873. William married Evaline NUNLEY, 2 Mar 1874. Possible marriages: William, Jr. - A. L. GREEN or SCOTT, 5 Dec 1900; Fannie - E. A. WALKER, 3 Dec 1899; Francis Marion - Lucy NUNLEY, daughter of Lawson, 7 Oct 1891; Amanda - Leck CARTER, 20 Feb 1880. In Grundy County Death Records: Hester PUE, age 28, died 9 Jan 1925, daughter of Robert & Lizzie MYERS COPPINGER, buried Philadelphia Church Cemetery. Same cemetery: Gilbert COPPINGER, 15 Aug 1882/ 17 Apr 1968; Martha, 27 Apr 1871/28 Aug 1953; F. M., 27 Aug 1869/ 10 Sep 1957; Lucy, 26 Oct 1870/27 Jul 1936; William, 17 Sep 1844/ 11 Aug 1917; M. E., 6 Apr 1850/ 1932.)
- Volentine WALKER, 22, black, both columns "single" and "married" were 29/29 checked, works on farm; Elvina, 50, black, both columns "married" and "widow" were checked and then marked out; Janie, 20, black; Nancy, 18, black.
- Cannon SMARATT, 24, works on farm; Bettie, 20; Marion, 2. 30/30 (Canady SMARTT married Elizabeth FULTS, 23 Feb 1877. In 1860, Candy, male, 6, was son of John Sr., and Rachel NUNLEY SMARTT. In 1870, Elizabeth, 10, was daughter of Daniel and Sarah FULTS.)

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- John SCOTT, 36, widower, farmer and laborer; Sarah L., 15;
 Levi, 14; John Houston, 12; Leander, 8; Copper, 4. (Is this
 the John SCOTT married Sarah SMARTT, 18 Nov 1862? In 1870,
 John E., 21; Sarah E., 20; Sarah, 6; Levi, 4; John, 2. Info
 on Levi is found in Mt. View Cemetery, Warren County: Levi SCOTT,
 15 Jan 1867/4 Mar 1936, son of John and Mary MARTIN SCOTT; wife
 Nannie, 17 Mar 1873/15 Nov 1941, was Nancy Frances, daughter of
 Holman and Nancy HUNTER LOCKHART, of Beersheba Springs. Son John
 Houston married Etta J.

 C1891. In 1900, John H., born
 Dec 1868, 31, md 9 yrs; Etta J., born Mar 1871, 29; Lonorha,
 born Nov 1892, 7; John A., born Dec 1896, 3; Laura E., born
 Nov 1899, 7 mos. In 1910, John Houston is widower, with Lenorah,
 17; John B. A., 13; Laura E., 10.)
- Jerry KILLIAN, 44, farmer & L.; Polly Ann, 28; Amanda, 18; 32/32 Clayborn, 15; Kelly, 13; Jessie, 8; Minnie, 6; William, 4; Emma, 1. (Jerry probably was son of Ambrose and Hannah WALKER "Beersheba Springs - A History" says Jeremiah KILLIAN, 22/22. married Mary Ann "Polly" COPPINGER, 1st wife of Adam MOFFITT and daughter of Jesse and Rachel NUNLEY COPPINGER. In 1870, Jerry, 33; Polly A., 25; Lona, 11; Manda, 8; Clabern, 5; William, 3; Hannah, 1, died 1 Jul 1870; John SCOTT, 23. Is Lona, 11 in 1870, the same as Leona MOFFITT who married William WANNAMAKER, 3 Apr 1974? Wife and mother, Polly Ann, Philadelphia Church Cemetery: 19 Oct 1841/ 2 Dec 1881. In 1900, Jeremiah D., born May 1836, 64, md 5 yrs; Linnie L., wife, born Aug 1868, 31, 4 children/4 living; William A., born Mar 1876, 24; Henry M., born Jun 1880, 19; Lillie R., born Mar 1884, 16; Lula G., born Jan 1896, 4; Jeremiah W., born Jun 1897, 2; Katie L., born Dec 1898, 1; Lon WARE, uncle, born Nov 1829, 70. Marriages: Jessie married Lou TATE, 10 Oct 1897. They are in Altamont Cemetery: Jesse, 3 Dec 1871/20 Aug 1947; Lou 4 Jul 1876/14 Jan 1941. Henry M. married Savannah SMARTT, 13 Dec 1903 and are buried Philadelphia Church Cemetery: Henry M., 7 Jun 1880/19 Feb 1942; Savannah, 17 Oct 1888/18 Dec 1965. Same cemetery, monument to J. D. KILLIAN, 16 Tenn Inf. Co. E, CSA, no dates.)
- Lacks CARTER, 23, md within year, works on farm; Amanda, 17.
 (Leck CARTER married Amanda COPPINGER, 20 Feb 1880, daughter of William and Abigail MOFFITT BOST COPPINGER. In 1900, Lex, born Feb 1852, 48; Amanda, born Aug 1862, 37; Ann H. born Feb 1885, 15; Willie P., born Dec 1887, 12; George S., born Apr 1890, 10; Lillin M., born Sep 1893, 6; Etha E., born Nov 1894, 5; William J., born Jul 1897, 2. 1910 census adds: Lofton, 9; Bradford, 6; Offie, 1. In Hebron Cemetery, Warren County: A. L. CARTER, 28 Apr 1857/8 Apr 1927; Amanda, Aug 1862-1932; Offie C., 11 May 1909/7 Sep 1916.)

- Jacop WANNAMAKER, 70, widower, farmer and laborer. (Census enumerator indicates that Jacop, daughter Susan and sons William and James and their families are "one dwelling, one family". Past censuses show Jacob and wife, Nancy TURNER, had children: Margaret, James, Mary, Susannah, and William. Nancy is buried Shiloh Methodist Church Cemetery: Oct 1820/24 Sep 1856, daughter of William and Margaret TURNER. Family has her birth date as 28 Nov 1819. Jacob, same cemetery: 5 Mar 1793/23 Dec 1893.)
- Reuben FULTZ, 30, works on farm; Susan, 27; Sarah F., 8; Hardilery, 4; John J., 2. (In 1870, Reuben, 21, is son of John and Jane FULTS. He married Susan WANNAMAKER. She is buried Shiloh Methodist Church Cemetery, Warren County, 1851-1898.)
- William WANNAMAKER, 25, works on farm; Leona, 18; Francis, 5; Elza, 4; Nancy Ann, 1. (William married Leona MOFFITT, daughter of Adam and Mary Ann "Polly" COPPINGER MOFFITT, 3 Apr 1874. Children added in 1900: Oscar, Beecher, and Hilda. Daughter Nancy Ann married James WANAMAKER, son of James and Lydia BOND WANAMAKER, 6 Jul 1899. In Shiloh Methodist Church Cemetery: daughter, Amanda J., 9 Apr 1884/24 Feb 1963, wife of Frank P. HILLIS; daughter, Frankie Edna, 30 Apr1875/27 Nov 1954, wife of Lawson Cooper SCOTT; daughter, Nancy Ann, 26Jan 1879/23 Dec 1950, wife of James WANAMAKER. In Philadelphia Church Cemetery, Grundy County: William WANAMAKER, 27 May 1854/17 Dec 1937; Leona, 3 Dec 1859/15 Jun 1933.)
- James WANNAMAKER, 39, works on farm; Lyddia, 31; Mary, 13; 34/34 Nannie, 7; James, 4; Oma, 3. (James married Lydia N. BOND, daughter of James and Naomi WRIGHT BOND, 4 Jan 1866. in 1900: Nancy E., born Mar 1873, 27; Ruth, born Jun 1880, 19; Delia, born Mar 1886, 14; Charity, born Jan 1890, 10. By 1910, Lidy N., 62, widow, Nannie, 38, widow; Ruthia E., 28; Delia B., 22; Charity F., 20; and granddaughter, Stellar, 6. Marriages: James married Nancy WANAMAKER, 6 Jul 1899; Mary married Jessee MADEWELL, 27 May 1891; Oma married Jefferson COPPINGER, 4 Mar 1894; Delia married Elsey STONER, 24 May 1914. From Shiloh Methodist Church Cemetery: daughter Charity, 25 Jan 1890/ 24 May 1930, wife of Willie E. WOODLEY; daughter Martha, 27 Jan 1869/20 Oct 1869; son Jacob, 27 Aug 1870/22 Oct 1874; son Howard, 13 Dec 1879/14 Jan 1880; daughter Lassie, 9 Dec 1889/ 30 Aug 1896; mother Lydia N., 31 Aug 1846/29 Jan 1918; father James, Cpl. Co. B 5th TN Vol. Inf. CSA, 29 Jun 1845/27 Jul 1906.)

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- Eli SMITH, 42, farm laborer; Annie, 38; Jacop, 14; John J., 35/35 12; Eddie, 10; Jasper, 7; Noah, 5; Washington, 3; Mattie, 2. (In 1850, Ely, 11, son of Nancy SMITH, with sisters, Mary and Betsy. Eli married Cinda OREYRAN, 16 May 1858. Surname OREYRAN is not found in any records so could it be O'RYAN or OREAR? In 1860, Eli, 22; Lucinda, 19. In 1870, Eli J., 32; Ann C., 27; Elizabeth, 10; Susan, 7; Jacob, 3; John J., 2; Nancy, 60.)
- Holman LOCKHART, 55, farm laborer; Nancy, 46; Squire, 22; 36/36 Betsy, 14; Prudy, 12; Lucy, 12; Lizza, 7; Nancy, 6; Buck WILLIAMS, 23, works on farm; Burton, 18, wife. (In 1850, Holman, 24, and Nancy, 18, live with his parents: James, 66, In 1860, children are: George W., and Mary, 65, LOCKHART. 6; Squire, 4; Belzora A., 3; Sarah J., 1. 1870 adds: Richard, 15, who may be sometimes called Squire; and Mary B., 9; Bettie, 8; Prude, 6; Lucy A., 2. Marriages: Is George W. the G. W. LOCKHART married S. A. CAIN, 15 Sep 1872, Sequatchie County? Belzora married James B. NUNLEY, 9 Sep 1878; Nancy married Levi V. SCOTT, see 31/31; Mary Burton married Lawson Buchanan WILLIAMS, 27 Jan 1879; Lucy may have been 2nd wife of Nathaniel BARNES, of Warren County. In Mt. View Cemetery, Warren County, Nancy Frances LOCKHART SCOTT is daughter of Holman and Nancy HUNTER LOCKHART. In Grundy County Death Records, Holman died 2 Apr 1914, age 90, living Tatesville, survived by daughters: Mrs. J. L. WHITE and Jennie BROWN.)
- Augustus WOODLEE, 25, farmer; Emily, 17. (A. H. married Emily C. 37/37 WALKER, 1 Jan 1879. In 1860, Augustus H., 5, son of Enoch and Mary WOODLEE. In 1870, Emily, 8, daughter of F. M. and Martha WALKER. Philadelphia Church Cemetery: Emily C., 11 Jun 1862/ 7 Oct 1885; infants of A. H. and E. C. WOODLEE, daughter born/died 3 Feb 1880; daughter born/died 19 Dec 1881; daughter born/died 20 Jul 1883. Date unknown for marriage of Augustus to Metta E. BURGER, daughter of Dr. John M. and Ellen HUGGINS BERGER. In 1900 census: Augustus, born Mar 1855, 45; Metta E., born Jun 1864, 35; Hallie, born Sep 1885, 14; Lena, born Dec 1888, 11; Elmer, born Mar 1890, 10. Riverside Cemetery, Warren County: Metta BURGER WOODLEE, 1864/13 Jun 1910.)
- Mary WOODLEE, 48, widow; Levi, 18, works on farm; Victoria, 16; 38/38 Jefferson, 12. (1870 census: Enoch WOODLEE, 44, marked thru "died 16 Apr 1870"; Mary, 39; Savana M., 18; Augustus H., 15; James B., 14; Levi V., 9; Mary V., 7; Jeff Davis, 2. "Beersheba Springs - A History": Rev. Enoch was son of Jacob and Mary ROGERS WOODLEE, and married Mary REED. Savannah married F. E. CATHCART, 28 Dec 1873, and Patrick BARNES, see 42/42;

- 38/38 cont'd Mary Victoria married James A. CATHCART, 23 Dec 1880. In Grundy County Death Records, Mary Victoria CATHCART, age 52, 24 Jan 1863/2 or 8 Oct 1914, died near Tarleton, buried Armstrong Cemetery. Augustus Henry, see 37/37. James B., see 39/39. Levi married Bettie WILLIS, 25 Apr 1889, and their children were: Mary Sue, Ida Blanche, Levi V., Sallie Jean, Gladis, Mildred, Glen Willis. Armstrong Cemetery, Warren County: Levi Vernon WOODLEE, 8 Feb 1861/15 Nov 1941; Bettie WILLIS, 25 Jul 1863/3 Sep 1938; also buried here are daughters Sally Jean, Ida Blanche, Gladys MYERS, Mary Sue HENNINGER. Is son, Jeff Davis, 2 yrs old in 1870, and Jefferson, 12 yrs old in 1880, the same as Milton J., born Jun 1868, 31, single, in 1900, living with mother, Mary WOODLEE, born Mar 1831, 69, widow? Milton married Maggie STEAKLEY, c1902, and in 1910, children are Enoch, 6; Jeff, 2; Frank, 11 mos. Mary A., mother, 78, widow, is with them. In Grundy Death Records, Mary died 9 Apr 1914, age 83, born Mar 1831, died near Tarleton on Collins River.)
- (J. B. WOODLEE, 24, farmer and laborer; Mollie; Lucy, 8 mos.
 (J. B. WOODLEE married Mollie THOMPSON, 28 Dec 1876. James B., son of Enoch and Mary REED WOODLEE, was 14 years old in 1870.

 Mollie THOMPSON, 10, is living with Robert and Nancy SANDERS, 1870. The family of James B. and Mollie are not found in later censuses. Insolvent Estate Settlements, 7 Nov 1881, J. B. WOODLEE, deceased, N. B. BROWN, admr. In Altamont Cemetery, on a broken tombstone:
 J. B. WOODLEE died 15 Jan 1881. Next stone: Nannie, dau of J.B. and Mollie WOODLEE, Oct 10, 1877/May 25, 1879.)
- 40/40 Frank RODDY, 37, no occupation; Sallie, 26; Anna, 5; James H., 4; Eddy F., 1. (This seems to be the family of Benjamin Franklin: 1850, Coffee County, Daniel M. RODDY, 59, born VA; Mary, 59, born VA; Martha, 19; Rebecca, 17; Mary, 14; Joseph, 12; Albert, 10; Franklin, 8. In 1860, they are in Franklin County: Daniel M. and Mary are 70; Albert, 19; Ben F., 17. Two marriages are found for B. F. 1st to Sarah STEPHENS, 19 Nov 1863, Coffee County, and 2nd Sarah E. WALKER, 19 Feb 1874, Grundy County. Brother Albert D. has two marriages in Grundy County: 1st to Louisa McFADDEN, 1 Oct 1863, and 2nd to Parlee BAILEY, 1 Jan 1879. In 1900, Albert D. and Paralee are in Grundy County with sons Thomas and Franklin. In Tracy City Cemetery: A. D. RODDY, 15 Jul 1840/31 Mar 1914; Louisa C. RODDY, 7 Jul 1838/19 Jun 1869.)
- Thomas BROWN, 40, farmer laborer; Nancy, 44; Losson, 20; John, 18; Levicy, 12; Mary, 7; Nancy, 6; James, 4. ("Beersheba Springs A History" says Thomas J. was son of Russell and Mary DYKES BROWN. He married Nancy GROSS, 15 Aug 1869.)

- 42/42 Savannah CATHCART, 26, widow; Enoch, 4; Nerva, 2. (Savanah WOODLEE married F. E. CATHCART, 28 Dec 1873. She probably was the Savana M., 18, daughter of Enoch and Mary REED WOODLEE, 38/38. In 1900, son Enoch, born Sep 1875, 24, single, is living with William and Martha HUDGENS. Enoch married Jannie A. HOBBS, 14 Jun 1902, In 1900, Jennie A., born Aug 1880, 19, is daughter of James and Sarah HOBBS. By 1910, Enoch and Jennie have Annie, 3. Daughter, Manervia married John KEESEY, 22 Aug 1897.)
- 43/43 Samule BROWN, 24, farmer & laborer; Sarah, 25. (Nothing more is found on this couple except possibly this, in 1900: Sam B. BROWN, born Jul 1849, 50, married 28 years; Sarah E., born Mar 1855, 45, had 4 children/none living. They are near the CATHCART families.)
- 44/44 Aaron TATE, 72, keeping house; Cintha, 80, no relation, keeping house. (Aaron V. was son of Robert Hood TATE and 1st wife, Susannah. The father's will, dated 8 Apr 1864, named 2nd wife, Scinthy, and also son, Aaron V. and left land to the two of them. In 1900, Aaron, born Aug 1818, 81, single, lives alone.)
- 45/45 Susie KING, 50, widow; Sarah, 35; Rhoda, 20; Thomas, 18; Henry, 15; Leroy, 8. ("Beersheba Springs - A History" says John KING married Susan RUSSELL and had children: Merrill, Jasper, Stokes, In Sequatchie John Russell, Thomas M., Henry, Rhoda and Sarah. County, 1860, John, 37; Susan, 35; Sarah, 9; John R., 6; Jasper, 2. Marriages: Rhoda married Henry KING, 10 Oct 1888 and by 1910 children: Willie, 19; Ange, 19; Harlie, 17; Jasper, 12; E. J., 7. Jasper married Lucinda SLAUGHTER, 19 Dec 1879. In Philadelphia Church Cemetery: Lucinda KING, 14 Feb 1866/11 Mar 1907. In 1910, Jasper P. is 49, widower, with children: Sarah, 24; Pearl, 21; Venus, 18; R. G., 12. Jasper buried beside Lucinda: 26 May 1858/ 3 Apr 1926. Henry married Mary TATE c1888 and in 1900, children are: Laura, 11; Lillie M., 10; Flora, 7; Flueller, 5; Hassie, 3; Susie J., 9 mos. Leroy married Eva MORTON, 4 Jul 1897, and in 1910 they have Obra, 11; Virginia, 7; Gracey, 4; Willie, 2. For son Stokes, see 46/46.)
- 46/46 Stokes KING, 35, hires out; Mary, 33; Jeffa, 10; Margaret, 8; Sarah, 6. ("Beersheba Springs A History" says Stokes was son of John and Susan RUSSELL KING and married Mary MANSFIELD, daughter of Jess. No Jess MANSFIELD is found 1850-1870 records but a Norman and Jane MANSFIELD, with daughter Mary, 11, are in Sequatchie County in 1860. Stokes KING, 26, also in Sequatchie County, that census, lives with family of Frankey KING, 68. In Sequatchie County marriages, Mary E. MANSFIELD W. L. KING, 10 Jul 1870.)

- Norris BROWN, 30, farmer and laborer; Jossie, 29; Mollie, 9; 47/47 Willie, 7; Augustus, 5; Ider, 2; John, 7 mos (Nov). married Josaphine JOHNSON, 14 Aug 1870. In 1860, Norris B. 10, son of William S. and Nancy Brown. Josafine may be the 11 year old dau of W. H. and Mary JOHNSON, Coffee County. Mollie married John CONRY, 16 Aug 1891 and are buried Hobbs Hill Cemetery: John, 1869-1950; Mollie E., 1871- no date. Augustus married Ida SWEETON, 13 Aug 1893 and they are buried Hobbs Hill: Augustus S., 1876-1964; Ada or Ida S. 1879-1971. Daughter Ida married Burr WINTON, 6 Aug 1899. Son John Beecher married Etta SWEETON, 23 May 1900. This family in 1900: Norris, Nov 1849, 50 yrs old; Josie, Dec 1850, 50, 13 children/9 living; Oscar V., Nov 1883, 16; Allice, Jan 1890, 10; Herbert, Jun 1892, 7; Pauline, Mar 1895, 5; Beacher, Nov 1879, 20, married; Etta, dau/law, May 1884, 16. Beecher and Etta are buried Hobbs Hill: J. B., 1 Nov 1879/8 Apr 1962; Etta, 21 May 1885/ 11 Nov 1958. Also in Hobbs Hill: Rev. Norris B. BROWN, 17 Nov 1849/ 26 Jan 1941; Martha Josephine JOHNSON BROWN, 31 Dec 1850/16 Jan 1923.)
- Robert TATE, 35, shoemaker; Polly, 28; William, 13; Isaac, 11; Andrew J., 9; Fannie, 7; John, 5; Kattie, 2. (In "Tates of The 48/48 Southern States" by Updike: Robert is son of William Holeman and Prudence LOCKHART TATE. He married Mary LOCKHART, 26 Jul 1866.)
- Zedekiah WALKER, 64, farmer, in "not well" health; Annie, 54; John, 28; Barbary, 33; Losson, 24; Catherine, 22; Jackson, 14; Bartice, 49/49 (f), 12; William, 8. (From "Beersheba Springs-A History": John T. and Sarah KILLIAN GROSS had dau Anna married Zeb WALKER. Their 14 children are given: Sarah md Frank RODDY; Mary Evelyn md Thomas ABERNATHY: Barbara md Emory NUNLEY; Winnie md John SCRUGGS; John A.; SCOTT; James md THOMPSON; Margaret; Martha; Louisa md D. W. Dock WILLIAMS; Catherine md Isham WALKER; Phrona md Worth McCOLLUM; Barsha md Willie Nord McGREGOR; Venus md Annie MYERS. records: Mary Eveline - Thomas ABERNATHY, 28 Dec 1867; Winnie Jane - John SCRUGGS, 24 Jan 1867; Louisa F. - D. W. WILLIAMS, 21 Aug 1879; Phrona - Worth McCOLLUM, 12 Dec 1875.)
- Isham DYKES, 48, farmer & labr; Elisabeth, 39, health:sick; Prudy, 14; Mary, 12; Julia, 10, health: sick; Isham, 7; Etter, 5; 50/50 James, 2. (Isham, son of Isham and Prudence CHOATE DYKES, married Elizabeth TATE, dau of John Goolman and Permelia BROWN TATE, 31 Oct 1865. In 1900, Isham, Mar 1832, 68; Elizabeth, Dec 1840, 59, 8 children/7 living; Prudie, Jan 1867, 33; Julia B., Sep 1869, 30; Isham M., Dec 1872, 27; Enock E., May 1874, 26; James C., Nov 1877, 22; William E., Aug 1881, 18. In Morton Cemetery: Isham, 1 Mar 1832/7 May 1924; Elizabeth, 24 Dec 1841/15 Apr 1911; Etter, 25 Oct 1873/22 Apr 1923; Isham, 14 Dec 1872/25 Sep 1954; Nannie

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- John TATE, 30, works on farm; Prudy, 30; marked thru: Mary, 51/51 dau, 6, "dead". (John L. TATE married Prudy WALKER, 3 Jul 1872.)
- James NUNLEY, 22, farmer & labr.; Bell, 23. (James, son of William 52/52 & Nancy KILLIAN NUNLEY married Belzora A. LOCKHART, 9 Sep 1878. was dau of Holman LOCKHART and grdau of James and Mary LOCKHART LOCKHART.)
- Thomas ABERNATHY, 44, farmer; Mary, 36; Sary Ann, 12; James, 10; 53/53 Della, 8; Zedikiah, 6; Leler J., 4; William, 2; Annis, 3 mos. (Thomas C. ABERNATHY married Mary E. WALKER, 28 Dec 1865. Mary was dau of Zedekiah and Anna GROSS WALKER. Son James md Clara JOHNSON, 21 Dec 1899; Lenah J. md J. T. BRANNAN, 19 Aug 1897; Zedikiah is believed to have married Dixie BRAZIER, 17 May 1896. In 1900, Thomas, Dec 1835, 64; Mary E., Apr 1845, 55, 9 children/9 living; William C., Jun 1878, 22; Margaret E., Feb 1880, 20; Tennessee F., Aug 1882, 15; Mary B., Apr 1885, 15. In Hobbs Hill Cemetery: Thomas C. ABERNATHY, 4 Dec 1835/30 Jul 1902; Mary E., 5 Apr 1845/ 5 May 1930; Lenah BRANNAN, 17 Aug 1876/7 Apr 1904. In Tracy City Cemetery: Margaret Emma ABERNATHY, 1880-1950.)
- John MORTON, 51, farmer; Adeline, 50; Carrel, 26; William, 23; 54/54 Monroe, 21; Washington, 17; Nancy, 14; Eli, 10; Mary, 5. (John, son of William and Temperance DYKES WALKER MORTON, md Adaline SMITH, 29 Oct 1851. "Beersheba Springs - A History" gives their children: John Carroll, born 1853, md Charity WOODLEE; William, born 1856, md Elmira DYKES; Monroe, born 1859, md Pindie Susie BROWN; George Washington md Prudy DYKES; Nancy md John W. DYKES; E. J. md Rosa BESS; Mary md George CLENDENON. In 1900: William and Elmira have Eugena, son, Bessie and Melisa; James C. and Charity have John H. and Addie M.; Eli J., single, nursery man, lives alone; John W. DYKES and Nancy have Addie B., Rosie E., and Dasie G. The parents: John J., born Jan 1829, 71, and Mary A., born Feb 1831, 69, have been married 45 years.)
- Thomas BROWN, 35, farmer, health: sick; Nancy, 27; Isham, 10; 55/55 Mary, 2. (Thomas, son of Russell and Mary DYKES BROWN, married Nancy GROSS, 15 Aug 1869. She may have been dau of Asa and Sarah BOST GROSS. In 1900, Thomas J., Jun 1847, 53; Nancy E., Jul 1850, 49, 4 children/2 living. By 1920, Nancy, 68, widow, is living with Harris and Mary Bell NUNLEY as "mother-in-law".
- Polk BROWN, 24, works on farm; Elizabeth, 20. (J. K. P. married 56/56 Elizabeth SMITH, 22 Dec 1875. She probably was the Elizabeth, 10, in 1870, dau of Eli J. and Ann C. SMITH. He was son of Russell and Mary DYKES BROWN and brother of Thomas in 55/55. In 1900

- 56/56 cont'd James K., Dec 1854, 45; Elizabeth, Jun 1860, 39, 4 children/ 4 living; Lula L., Jul 1887, 12; Ashley W., Jul 1891, 8; Eli J., Sep 1895, 4; Francis R., Aug 1899, 9 mos.)
- Joe TATE, 23, works on farm; Susan, 18. (Is this Joseph S., born 28 July 1858, son of John J. and Martha HICKS TATE, and twin of Elijah M.? He married Susan SMITH, 24 Oct 1878. 1900 census had Joe S. and Susan with children: Hilda, Albert, Morton, Elijah, Emma E., and Nancy H. Susan died in Madison County, Alabama and Joseph married 2nd Minerva GREEN. He died 30 Jul 1935, and buried Kimberly, Idaho.)
- 58/58 Elias TATE, 36, farmer & labr; Jane, 36; Martha, 7. (Elias was son of James W. and Lucinda SAVAGE TATE. He married Jane THOMPSON, 22 May 1866. Family historian adds son Louie Walter, born 1880, to this family.)
- James ECHOLS, 34, farmer; Louisa E., 24; Robert R., 8; Albert, 6; Morris, 1. (James V. married Louisa E. COUNTISS, 5 Jan 1871. She may have been Louisa, 6, in 1860, dau of Pleasant H. and Susanah COUNTESS. In 1900, James V., Oct 1845, 54; Louisa, Aug 1853, 46, 6 children/3 living; Martin, Apr 1879, 21; Creed F. B., Mar 1889, 11. Creed married Bessie SARTAIN, 24 Nov 1912. In Old Baptist Graveyard, Pelham, J. V. ECHOLS, 19 Oct 1845/28 Nov 1923. In Bethel Cemetery, Louisa E. ECHOLS, 1 Aug 1853/11 Sep 1948; Creed F., 18 Mar 1889/29 Jan 1950; Bessie Ann, 4 May 1892/4 Dec 1924.)
- 60/60 John MANSFIELD, 57, blacksmith; Celia, 48; Gemimia, 28; John, 17; Franky, 11; Martha, 9; Johney, 7; Robert, 3; Thomas, 1. (Son John married May E. THOMPSON, 31 Mar 1892. Celia is buried in Schild Cemetery, no dates.)
- 61/61 William NUNLEY, 43, farmer; Nancy, 40; Bettie, 70, mother; Robert, 17. (William C. NUNLEY married Nancy KILLIAN, 31 Jan 1856. ("Beersheba Springs-A History" says William C. was son of Jesse and Elizabeth DUGAN NUNLEY. He married 1st Nancy Killian, dau of Ambrose and Nancy WALKER BOST KILLIAN, and 2nd Louisa, dau of Andrew LOCKHART. In 1860, William and Nancy have James B. and by 1870, have Robert. In 1900, William C., born May 1837, 63, widower, Robt L., born Apr 1863, 37, single; Nannie NUNLEY, grdau, born Apr 1884, 16. In Grundy County Death Records, W. C. died 5 Feb 1909, age 72, of general debility; born Tarleton.)
- James MORTON, 21; Susan, 21; Joseph, 4 mos. (In Marriage Records, J. M. MORTON married Susan BROWN, 14 Mar 1879. In "Beersheba Spring-A History": John J. and Adline SMITH MORTON had son, Monroe, born 1859, married Prudie Susie BROWN. They had children: Joe died at age 19; Gertrude married Bill PALMER; Mary married Barney KOLIFF: George W. married Edna FERGUSON; John Sanford married Bessie SALESBY.)

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- Tarrel ROGERS, 70, farmer; Pleas, son, 22, works on farm; 63/63 Fannie, 60, wife; Bettie, 25; Mary, 23; Maggie, 2. (Terrell ROGERS, 50, is in Grundy County, 1850, with wife, Frances, 23; Jemima, 5; Cyntha, 4; John, 1. By 1860, these children are added: Rachel, 8; Elizabeth, 6; Mary N., 5; Pleas H., 2. Cintha married Washington RANSOM, 9 Dec 1860; John married Mary Ann DUGAN, 19 Feb 1875. In 1900, Pleas h., born Aug 1857, 42, widower, is head of household; Elizabeth, sister, born Apr 1853, 47, single; Mag, niece, born Jun 1877, 22, single. In Altamont Cemetery: Maggie ROGERS, 1 Jul 1878/21 Mar 1966, "Mother"; Mamie Lee ROGERS, 10 Feb 1909/ (blank), "Daughter".)
- 64/64 Wash RANSOM, 65, no occupation; Cintha, 37, wife; Fannie, 15; William, 14; Robert, 13; John, 12; Louisa, 10; Lafayett, 8; George, 6; Olly, 2. (Washington married Cintha RODGERS, 9 Dec 1860, daughter of Terrell ROGERS. In 1850, George W., 28, is in the family of Katherine RANSOM, 60; Zilla, 32; Amanda, 14; Winney, 85. George W. was born in SC. The only RANSOM in Grundy County, 1900, is Amanda, born Dec 1835, 64, single, 1 child/none living.)
- John ROGERS, 31, no occupation; Mary, 26; William, 4; Robert, 65/65 4 mos. (John married Mary Ann DUGAN, 19 Feb 1875. In 1860, Mary A. was daughter of John and Louisa DUGAN; John, 11, was son of Terril and Frances RODGERS.)
- Robert DYKES, 38, farmer; Nellie, 63, mother; John, 12; Prudy, 66/66 10; Isham, 8; Tennie, 7. (In 1860, Robert, 18, is in family of John DYKS, Sr., 47; Nelly, 42; Sarah, 14; Virginia A., 5; Prudence, 4. In "Beersheba Springs-A History": Robert, son of John and Nellie DUGAN DYKES, married 1st Mary McCORKLE and had Isham, Tim, Prudence, and John Carroll; He married 2nd Mary Frances WALKER and had Robert, Jr., Myrtle, Morris, *Herman, Willie, Lewis, Grace, and Herbert. In Grace Chapel Cemetery, Beersheba Springs: Robert Tyler DYKES, Sr., 19 Nov 1841/24 Jul 1917; Mary Frances, 28 Feb 1861/15 Aug 1934; Robert T. Jr., 18 Aug 1881/28 Nov 1962; Harris L., 1 Apr 1887/5 Apr 1888; J. Morris, 16 Feb 1885/ 8 Sep 1959, and wife, Ethel M., 3 Dec 1904/ (blank). * Son Harris here.)
- William MORTON, 24, farm laborer; Alminie, 20. (William was son of 67/67 John J. and Adline SMITH MORTON and Elmira was daughter of John and Nellie DUGAN DYKES. They married 25 Oct 1877. In 1900, William, born Feb 1856, 45; Elmira, born Sep 1860, 39; Eugena F., born Sep 1881, 18; Bessie B., born Apr 1888, 12; Melisa B., born Apr 1892, 8. Eugenia married Gordon TEETERS, 14 Apr 1924.)

- George THOMPSON, 32, works on farm; Mary, 40; John, 10; James K., 8; Lenar, 5; Mary, 3 mos. (George married Mary DYKES KILLYON, 3 Feb 1870. "Beersheba Springs-A History" says Mary was daughter of John and Nellie DUGAN DYKES. She married 1st Charles KILLIAN, 2nd George THOMPSON, 3rd Mr. MANSFIELD. Perhaps George is the George M. D., 13, in 1860, in the family of Thomas and Elizabeth THOMPSON. In marriage records: Elias KILLIAN married Mary DYKS, 13 Nov 1859. In 1900, Mary MANSFIELD, born Sep 1839, 60, widow, 10 children/5 living; John THOMPSON, son, born Nov 1870, 29, widower; Jack D. THOMPSON, son, born Sep 1883, 16, single. In Morton Church Cemetery: Mary E. DIKES, wife of George THOMPSON, 20 Sep 1839/28 Mar 1919.)
- 69/69 Isaac BOST, 26, no occupation; Leona, 20. (Isaac married Leona BARKER, 8 Sep 1877. She probably is Leona, 9, in 1860, Sequatchie County, in family of Rutha BARKER.)
- James HOBBS, 38, farmer and lab.; Sarah, 32; -Burton; -17; Emma, 14; James, 7; Bennie, 5; Adron, 3. (James is son of Richard and Esther HOBBS, 18 years old in 1860. He married Sarah DYKS, 7 Feb 1863. Daughter, Emma, married William M. TATE, 6 Dec 1890. In 1900: James HOBBS, born Dec 1841, 58; Sarah L., born July 1845, 54, 11 children/6 living; Jennie, born Aug 1880, 19; Claude, born Feb 1883, 17; Willie M., born May 1888, 12; William M. TATE, son/law, born Nov 1869, 30, widower; Nellie B. TATE, born Sep 1891, 8; Annie B., born Mar 1894, 6; Wiley G., born Apr 1896, 4. In Morton Church Cemetery: Emma F. TATE, 1866-1899. Same cemetery is James HOBBS, Co. A, 5 TN INF, CSA, 11 Dec 1841/5 Mar 1926; Sarah, 28 Jul 1845/5 Apr 1937.
- Peter THOMPSON, 21, no occupation; Burton, 17. (In 1860 and 1870, there is a Marion THOMPSON, son of Thomas and Elizabeth and it is in marriage records that Marion THOMPSON married Louisa Burton HOBBS, 5 Apr 1879. On 22 Jun 1890, Nellie B. THOMPSON married Geo. W. WATLEY and in 1900: George WATLEY, born Aug 1866, 34; Burton, born Feb 1864, 36, 6 children/4 living; Georgie E., born Mar 1891, 9; Walter D., born Jan 1893, 7; Roy C., born Jul 1899, 10 mos; William J. THOMPSON, st/son, born Apr 1880, 20, md; Virginia C., st/dau/law, born Nov 1881, 18.)
- John HOBBS, 40, insane; Prudy, 39. (John married Prudy BROWN, 12 Mar 1860. He probably was son of Richard & Esther HOBBS and she was daughter of Russell and Mary DYKES BROWN.)

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- Wesley MORTON, 49, farmer & labr; Bettie, 44; Wm. CREIGHTON, 72/72 nepew, works on farm; John CREIGHTON, nepew, works on farm. (Isaiah Wesley probably was son of William and Temperance DYKES WALKER MORTON. He married Elizabeth SMITH, 14 Feb 1858. In 1900: Isaiah, born Apr 1833, 67; Bettie E., born Jan 1838, 62, no children; Mary E., sister, born Mar 1879, 21, single. Morton Cemetery: I. W., 10 Apr 1831/3 Mar 1903; Elizabeth, 28 Feb 1835/ 7 Jul 1910. In "Beersheba Springs-A History": Joseph Hunter CREIGHTON md Polly Ann MORTON and had two sons, William and John. William, born 1860, married Susan KILLIAN, dau of Elias and Mary DYKES KILLIAN, and had Joe married Nancy SWEETON, 1 Jan 1916; Kate married William CURTIS; Robert married Ethleen BROWN, 26 Dec 1921; Pauline married T. H. ALEXANDER, 14 Jun 1921; David died young; Paul married Helen ; Willie Sue married Arthur Roy CURTIS. John, born 1862, married Mary Victoria TATE, dau of John J. and Their children: Jenny md W. M. BROWN; Morgan Martha HICKS TATE. md Eliza PERRY; Martha md Claud HOBBS; Lycurgus md Mary E. ROBERTS; Joe md Zada PRATER; Vernie md 1st Willie HOBBS and 2nd W. B. MITHCELL; Frank md Myrtle BROWN; Johnny md Mabel HOBBS; Louisa never married; Elizabeth md Melvin HAMPTON.)
- Manda RANSOM, 44, single; Zilley, 65, mother. (In 1860, George W. 73/73 RANSOM, 37, born SC; Zilla, 45, born SC; Amanda, 24, born SC. By 1870, Manda, 30, is head of household, with Zilly, 70, and Virginia 8. In 1900, Amanda RANSOM, born Dec 1835, 64, single, 1 child/ none living.)
- Calvin OREAR, 64, farm laborer; Ada, 60; Cansadia, 11, grdau. 74/74 (In 1850, Calvin OREAR, 40, born GA, is in Warren County with wife Edy, 34, and children: Sarah J., 15; William, 13; Lucinda, 11; John L., 9; Eliza, 6; Elizabeth, 2; Emaline, 4 mos; Frances M., 25. In 1860, Van Buren County: Calvin ORARE, 48; Eda, 40; Elizabeth, 12; Mahala E., 10; Robert, 9; Beersheba E., 4. Daughter, Eliza, married A. H. DUGGAN, 16 Feb 1862, Sequatchie County. Daughter, Mahala E. married Starling KNIGHT, 5 Aug 1877, Grundy County, and is buried Orange Hill Cemetery: Mahalia O'REAR KNIGHT, 10 Oct 1851/ 5 Jan 1922.)
- Elizza DUGAN, 38, widow; John, 14; Bethal, 7; Nancy, 5. 75/75 (A. H. DUGGAN married Eliza OREAR, 16 Feb 1862, Sequatchie County. Was he the Andrew H., 15, in 1860, son of William and Sarah DUGAN, Sequatchie County? Eliza was daughter of Calvin and Edy OREAR, 1850, Warren County.)

- 76/76 Dolphin KNIGHT, 51, widower, no occupation; Sarah, dau, 22; Starling, 20; Martha, 18; Annie, 15; Jefferson, 11; Levander, 13; Mary, 11; George, 9. (Dolphin married Sarah Jane OREAR, 17 Jan 1854, Warren County. He probably was son of William and Martha SAVAGE KNIGHT; Sarah Jane was daughter of Calvin and Edy OREAR. In 1860, Sequatchie County: Dolphin, 29; Sarah, 24; Joseph W., 4; Sarah L., 2; James C., 1. By 1870, this family is in Grundy County. Joseph W. is called Warren and James C. is now Calvin. Other children are Starling, Martha, Vander and Lucretia. Marriages of children: Sarah md Jim DISHEROON, 28 Jun 1890; Starling md Louiza HOBBS; Annie md Bob VAUGHN, 16 Mar 1889; Jefferson never md; Levander md 1st Mary HOBBS, 2nd Phoebe JAMES; Mary md John CALDWELL; George md Ella DISHEROON, 2 Apr 1896.)
- 77/77 Starling KNIGHT, 42, no occupation; Haley, wf, 27; Harris, 11. (Starling is believed to be a brother to Dolphin, 76/76. In 1850, Martha NIGHT, 40, has son D. L., 20, who could be Dolphin, and son, S., 13, who could be Starling. He married 1st Manervy HOBBS, 10 Jul 1863, and 2nd Mahala OREAR, 4 Aug 1877. In 1900, Mahaly, born Oct 1857, 48, widow; Sarah E., born Jun 1889, 11. Sarah E. married Amos HARGIS, 7 Apr 1917, and in 1920, they have sons, James and William and Hailey KNIGHT, 69, widow, lives with them. In Grundy County Death Records, Mrs. Haley KNIGHT, died 4 Jan 1922, age 70, of paralysis, buried Orange Hill.)
- 78/78 Samule SAVAGE, 66, widower, farmer & labr; Angaline, 22, dau; Decatur, 20; Samule, 17. (In "Beersheba Springs-A History", Samuel Pope SAVAGE, born c1816, married his first cousin, Beersheba SAVAGE, and had children: Angeline md John KING; Decatur md Fannie TATE; Samuel Pope, Jr., md Lou Vernie TATE. Samuel, Sr. married Beersheba SAVAGE, 29 Oct 1854, daughter of Jessee and Beersheba B. SAVAGE. Family historian, Dennis A. TATE: Samuel Pope SAVAGE, Jr., born 9 Dec 1869, died 9 Sep 1900, in Beersheba Springs. His wife, Lou Vernie TATE SAVAGE, born 29 Mar 1869, Beersheba Springs, died 30 Mar 1938, Kimberly, Idaho.)
- 79/79 Silas LANKFORD, 68, farmer, has consumption; Polly, 56; Nancy, 17; John, 13; Cinda, 9. ("Beersheba Springs-A History": Silas, born c1813, married Mary "Polly" SITZ and had 8 children. This family moved away from Beersheba by 1900. In 1870, Silas and Polly have William, 21; Thomas, 16; Vach, 13; Levi, 10; Jacob, 8; Nancy, 7; John, 5. William md Rachel McCORKLE, 30 Nov 1871; Thomas md Barsha THOMPSON, 29 Jul 1877; Jacob md Martha Canzada DUGAN, 8 Dec 1888; Cinda md John P. TATE, 19 Oct 1888. In Tracy City Cemetery: Jacob LANKFORD, 19 Mar 1861/5 Dec 1933; Martha C., 14 Mar 1871/6 Oct 1929. In Grundy Death Records: Nanna LANKFORD died 27 Oct 1910, of lung trouble, in Shorte Crick, AL.)

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- Patsy KNIGHT, 70, widow; Sally, dau, 45, single. (Patsy seems to 80/80 be same as Martha NIGHT, 40, in 1850, with children: Dolphin, Sally, Martha, and Sterling. In 76/76, the parents of these children are William and Martha SAVAGE KNIGHT. Martha's parents: Sterling and Martha POPE SAVAGE. Dolphin had a daughter, Sarah, who married Jim DISHEROON, 1890. In 1900, Sarah KNIGHT, aunt, born Dec 1824, 75, widow, no children, is living with James and Sarah DISHROON. Is this Patsy's daughter, Sarah?)
- John TATE, 55, farmer; Martha, 50; Elijah, 22; John, 18; Robert, 81/81 16, Victor, 13; Mary, 13; Willie, 10. (Leonard TATE gave this family history of children in this family: Elizabeth M. md COPPINGER?; James D., 14 Jul 18 1849/12 Aug 1849; Sarah S. md Polk NORTHCUTT; Francis M., md Minerva TATE; Robert D. H. md America S. DUTTON; Elijah M. md Mary Ann LOCKHART; Joseph S. md 1st Susan SMITH and 2nd Minerva GREEN; John A. md Hattie TATE; Albert C. md Eva ____; Victor L. md Carrie COPPINGER; Mary V. md John CREIGHTON; William M. md 1st Emma Frances HOBBS and 2nd Martha Belle SMITH. Buried in Cemetery near Assembly Grounds, Beersheba Springs: John J. TATE, 25 Mar 1824/23 Mar 1898; Martha P., 1 Dec 1829/13 Dec 1890.)
- Jessie THOMPSON, 26, Farmer & lab; Elisabeth, 57, mother, widow; 82/82 Albert, 20, brother. (In 1860, these three are a part of this large family: Thomas THOMPSON, 51; Elizabeth, 37; Philadelphia, 17; Jane, 15; Geo. M. D., 13; Jas. K. P., 11; Sarah, 10; Mary, 8; <u>Jesse</u> T., 6; Marion, 4; Elizabeth, 2; <u>Albert</u> A., 4 mos. "Beersheba Springs-A History" says Tommy THOMPSON, born 1808, LA, md Elizabeth FULTS and children were: Philadelphia, b. 1843, md Isaac BROWN and Simeon SAVAGE; Jane, b. 1846; George, b. 1848, md Mary E. DYKES; James K. P., b. 1849; Sarah C., b. 1850, md James SCRUGGS; Mary, b. 1852, md Elias McCARVER; Jesse T., b. 1854; Marion, b. 1856; Elizabeth, b. 1858; Albert, b. 1860, md Rachel DALTON; Beersheba, b. 1863. In Gregg Cemetery: Albert H. THOMPSON, 16 Jan 1860/6 Aug 1949; Rachel, 15 Oct 1868/26 Apr 1947.)
- Elias McCARVER, 46, farm laborer; Mary, wf, 28. (Elias married 83/83 Mary THOMPSON, 7 Sep 1876. "Beersheba Springs-A History" says Elias was son of Campbell McCARVER. He md 1st Cynthia McGILL and had Mary, Matilda and James. The two daughters died while Elias was in the Civil War. He md 2nd Mary THOMPSON and had William, Etta and John. Son James md Martha KING, 25 Dec 1872, Sequatchie County and they are buried Philadelphia Cemetery: James R. THOMSPON, 1857-1923; Martha, 1854-1931. In King Cemetery, Mary THOMPSON, wife of Elias McCARVER, 17 Dec 1851/29 Aug 1936.)

- William BROWN, 33, farm laborer; Nepp, 32; Santford, 8; John, 7; Mathew, 5; Eddy, 1. (William is son of William S. and Nancy DYKES BROWN, 85/85. In 1900, William, b. May 1847, 53; Nepp J., b. Nov. 1848, 51; Eddie H., b. Jun 1879, 20; Marvin, b. Oct 1881, 18; Hendrix, b. May 1884, 16; Elnora J., b. Aug 1884?, 14; George F., b. Nov 1894, 5; Nancy, mother, b. Aug 1819, 80, widow. Son, John W. md Hattie WALKER, 24 Sep 1897 and in 1900 they have vivian H., 3 mos. Son Santford md Maggie NUNLEY, 12 Sep 1897, and in 1900 they have Ethline G., 1, and Mathew, brother, 23, is living with them.
- William S. BROWN, 59, farmer and lab; Nancy, 58, sick; Leander, 18; Annie, 15. ("Beersheba Springs-A History": Rev. William Sanford BROWN md Nancy DYKES, dau of Isham and Prudence CHOATE DYKES. Their children: Jack V. md Abbie WILLIAMS; Russell md Elizabeth TATE; James K. P. md Barsha COPPINGER; William A. md Penelope "Neppie" SAINT; Norris B. md Josephine JOHNSON; Mary A. md 1st Noah STOKES and 2nd Claud HILLIS; H. Wesley md Fannie SMITH; Prudence md Monroe MORTON; Leander md Malvina CORNELISON. In Shiloh Methodist Church Cemetery, Warren County: William S. BROWN, 17 Nov 1820/1 Nov 1898, son of Absolem and Mary Jane GREEN BROWN, grandson of Abednego GREEN Sr.; Nancy BROWN, 15 Aug 1821/29 Apr 1908, daughter of Isham and Prudence CHOATE DYKES.)
- James DUGAN, 29, works on farm; Rutha, 25; Zebedee, 3; William G., 1. (James married Ruth J. TATE, 2 Dec 1874. His parents were John Louisa WALKER DUGAN and hers were John Goolman and Permelia BROWN TATE. James and Ruth had two more children: Iva Cleo, born 1883, md Martin Bruce SCOTT; Mattie Jane, born 1888, md Guss T. OLD. Ruth died 1923 in Delaware, Oklahoma and James died in 1936. Both buried Lenapah Cemetery, Oklahoma.)
 - John G. TATE, 60, farm laborer; Permelia, 60. (John Goolman was son of Maj. James and Ruth DAVIDSON TATE, from Virginia. He married Permelia BROWN, daughter of Absolem BROWN from South Carolina. The children: Mary E., b. 1841, md William BROWN, 3 Sep 1854; Elizabeth, born 1842, md Isham DYKES, 3 Oct 1865; James B., born 1844, md F. P. AKENS, 28 Dec 1874; Russell Brown, born 1848; John Hoxie, born 1854, md Sarah SMITH, 2 Sep 1878; Ruth, born 1856, md James Monroe DUGAN, 2 Dec 1877; Julia, born 1857, md Thomas LOCKHART, 15 Dec 1877; Martha A., born 1859, md William E. NUNLEY, 18 Feb 1875; Nancy J. md George W. ROGERS, 2 May 1883. Thomas and Julia LOCKHART moved to Oklahoma. Father, John G., died in Muskogee, Oklahoma, 18 Sep 1908, buried in Elm Grove Cemetery, McLain, OK.)

- Thomas KING, 41, farmer labr; Rachel, 40; Reed, 24; Lisabeth, 88/88 18. (There must be some error in parents' ages. In 1860, they are 35 and 42; in 1870, they are 45 and 52. "Beersheba Springs-A History" says Thomas H. was son of Stokes and Frances BROWN KING and married Rachel PERRY, daughter of Benjamin. In 1860, Thomas, 35; Rachel, 42; John L., 17; Jacob, Sequatchie County: 15; Celia E., 14; William C., 12; Henry, 9; James R., 7; Marion, 4. Son, James Reed, married Elizabeth J. BOYD, 15 Mar 1874, Sequatchie County.)
- Martin WALKER, 37, no occupation; Puss, 37; Orphy, 9; Hattie, 8; 88/88 Elejah A., 6; Maggie, 1. (Martin was son of Elijah and Rebecca DYKES WALKER and married Lucinda FULTS, 6 Jan 1866. In 1900, Martin is County Surveyor, born Feb 1843, 57; Lucinda, born Dec 1843, 56; Orphia M., born Nov 1870, 30; Maggie, born Nov 1880, 19; Thomas J., born May 1882, 18; Francis E., born Oct 1885, 14. Next door is son, Elijah, born Apr 1877, 23, who had married Fannie COPPINGER, 3 Dec 1899. Daughter, Hattie, married John W. BROWN, 24 Sep 1897; Maggie became 2nd wife of Eldridge WHITMAN, 6 Mar 1905; Orphy married Arnold KISSLING, 15 Sep 1907. In Walker Cemetery: M. J. WALKER, 15 Feb 1843/25 Jun 1915; Lucinda FULTS WALKER, 27 Dec 1843/5 Feb 1923; E. A. WALKER, 15 Apr 1877/8 Jul 1942; Fannie C., 27 Dec 1874/_____; Hattie D. BROWN, 9 Mar 1872/ 19 Mar 1938; John W. BROWN, 28 Oct 1873/26 Feb 1963.)
- Holeman TATE, 54, farm laborer; Prudence, 55. (William Holeman, 89/89 born 20 Oct 1824, son of Robert H. and Sarah LOCKHART TATE, md Prudence LOCKHART, 23 Jan 1845. Their children: Robert Wooley, born 1845, md Mary LOCKHART, 26 Jul 1866; William K., born 1846, died young; Humphrey Pleasant, born 1854, md Lucinda LATHAM; James Buckingham, born 1857, md Sarah LANKFORD; Sarah; Mary Minerva, born 1860, md Francis Marion TATE. In 1910, Humphrey P. and Lucinda have William B.; Noah; James O.; Nannie M.; Minnie; Next door to Jake and Cannie LANKFORD is Harrey T.; Orbra. Sarah TATE, 40, and son Oliver.)
- Marion TATE, 27, works on farm; Mary, 20; George W., 1 (Marion, 90/90 son of John J. and Martha HICKS TATE, md Mary Minerva TATE, dau of Holeman, 27 Dec 1877. Known children: George W., Mar 1879, md Bessie BROWN; Charles E., Jul 1881, md Othelia TATE; Lassie B., Nov 1883, md Noah PARSONS, 16 Mar 1903; Agnes, 1885, died young; William Victor, Mar 1888, md Nancy Della SMITH, 26 Nov 1911; Walter H., Feb 1891, md Nannie WATTS; Delia M., Nov 1893, md Scott STARLING, 26 Jun 1918; Mamie L., Apr 1897, md Elijah GLISSON, 10 Nov 1917; Carrie, born c1901, md John CLINE. In 1920 census: John CLINE, 50; Carrie, 20.)

Neighbors in Grundy County, 1880 By Dola S. Tylor

- 91/91 Pony WOODLEE, 42, works on farm; Almira, 39; Paddy, 17; Thomas, 13; Nancy, 11; Fred, 7; Bettie, 5; Henry, 1. ("Beersheba Springs-A History": James Jr. "Pone" was son of James and Nancy ARMSTRONG WOODLEE. James J. married Almira DYKES, 23 Dec 1862.

 About 1883, he married 2nd Jane ______. In 1910, James Jefferson is 67, md 2nd, 27 years; Jane, 64, md 1st. Same year, Paddy is 45, wife Froney, 50, and children are Leler, Douglas, Rosey, Mandy and Liler. Fred is 38 with wife Mollie, 30, and children: Clara, Victor, Eart, and Nancy RHEA, mother/law, lives with them. Son Henry, who married Lena F. SCHWOON, 5 Jun 1900, has children: Clara, Fredie and Henry Jr. In Grundy County Death Records, J. J. WOODLEE, died 25 Sep 1913, at Tarlton, age 73, known as Uncle Pone, buried Altamont.)
- Anderson GRISWOLD, 47, farm laborer; Martha, 36; James R., 22; 92/92 Thomas, 21; Norman, 19; Isaac, 18; Dewitt, 15; Lenard, 14; Frank, 11; George, 8; David, 7; Charley, 5; Claud, 4; Nancy, 1; Lilly, 1; James WALKER, 20 or 28, no relation, clerk in store. (William A. GRISWOLD md Martha WARREN, 9 Apr 1857. In 1850, William, 15, son of James and Nancy WOODLIE, Warren County; Martha, 12, daughter of John and Sarah WARREN, Grundy County. Known marriages of children: L. Dewitt - Corah GREEN, 10 Jan 1894 and 2nd Jennie PACK, 3 Feb 1898; George - Janie SMITH, 22 Apr 1895; David - Mary BRALEY, 10 Jan 1894; Claud - Nora THAXTON, 28 Dec 1899. About 1898, William Anderson married Nancy Jane SMITH, daughter of John and Teresa TAYLOR SMITH. She is buried Viola Cemetery: Nan SMITH GRISWOLD, wife of Anderson, 6 Nov 1857/7 Jan 1940. In Wesley Chapel Cemetery, Coffee County: William Anderson GRISWOLD, 30 Jan 1832/27 Sep 1920; Martha J., 8 May 1838/3 Sep 1897; Nancy GRISWOLD THAXTON, 29 May 1879/17 Feb 1954; Claude G. GRISWOLD, 16 Jan 1875/13 May 1943; Nora T. GRISWOLD, 30 Aug 1877/14 Sep 1959.)

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Name	License Issued	Married by Date
W.E. Fults Arena Anderson	Aug. 19, 1877	Not Filled Out.
Warren Knight Mary Gross	Feb. 12, 1878	J.J. Morton, M.G. Fcb. 13, 1878
John Patterson Margaret Smith	Sept. 19, 1878	G.D. Guinn, M.G. Sept. 20, 1878
James B. Nunley Belzora Ann Lockhart	Sept. 9, 1878	F.M. Walker, M.G. Scpt. 9, 1878
L.D. Smith Mary Ragsdale	July 15, 1878	Not Filled Out
W.H. Hargis Mary M. Walker	Aug. 1, 1878	Not Filled Out
Lawson Nunley Mary Nunley	Nov. 29, 1876	R. Smartt, J.P. Nov. 29, 1876
John Jackson Margaret Henley	Apr. 30, 1878	W.L. Parks, J.P May 1, 1878
James D. Meeks Sarah L. Sanders	Feb. 28, 1878	John Burnett, J.P. Feb. 28, 1878
Edward S. Brazzelton Alice Colyar	Feb. 9, 1876	W.W. Estill, J.P. Fcb. 10, 1876
William Brazeel Suruh Hamby	Feb. 5, 1876	W.L. Parks, J.P. Feb. 6, 1876
J.P. Meeks Arenia A. Sartain	Sept. 14, 1878	Not Filled Out
Sol Dickerson Amanda Limmons	Mar. 5, 1876	P.H. Roberts, J.P. Mar. 30, 1876
David Allison Sarah Hamby	Mar. 17, 1876	James Sartain, J.P. Fcb. 6, 1876
William Smith Amanda Levan	Feb. 11, 1876	P.H. Roberts Feb. 16, 1876

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Pat Moran Mary Manning	Mar. 15, 1876	C.C. Williams, J.P. Mar. 15, 1876
Stephen Smith Jane Adams	Dec. 30, 1875	S.R. Rosboro, M.G. Dec. 30, 1875
James Armstrong Malinda Hargis	Mar. 16, 1876	P.H. Roberts, J.P Mar. 16, 1876
William Lee Harrict Austil	Apr. 14, 1876	C.C. Williams, J.P. Arp. 14, 1876
Albert Granicher Milly Mccks	Mar. 21, 1879	Albert Adams, J.P. Mar, 21, 1879
Overton Cade Mary Tolly Smedes	July 7, 1879	C.T. Trintard Bishop of Tennessee July 8, 1879
D.W. Williams L. H. Walker	Aug. 18, 1879	T.M. Walker, M.G. Aug. 21, 1879
William A. Killgore Margarett Killgore	Mar. 26, 1879	S.M. Tate, M.G. Mar. 27, 1879
James Higginbottom Ada McKnight	July 26, 1879	John Dugan, M.G. July 27, 1879
Benjamin Bolton Ellen Graves	Jan. 31, 1879	C.C. Williams, J.P. Feb. 2, 1879
Adam Bonc Sarah Media Nunley	Mar. 29, 1879	Jacob Tucker, J.P. Mar. 30, 1879
Coleman Slaughter Jamie Durham	Mar. 15, 1879	C.C. Williams, J.P. Mar. 15, 1879
L.B. Williams Mary B. Lockhart	Jan, 27, 1879	John Barnes, J.P. Jan. 27, 1879
A.D. Roddy Parlee Bailey	Dec. 31, 1878	J.L. Knight, J.P. Jan. 1, 1879

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J.D. Wiley Ellen Ferrill	Jan. 20, 1879	C.C. Williams, J.P. Jan. 26, 1879
M.C. White Clara Law	Jan. 13, 1879	Jan. 16, 1879 W.P. Du Bosc, M.G.
W.L. Simmons Sarah Jane McBride	July 16, 1879	W.L. Parks, J.P. July 17, 1879
C.T.L. Barnes Lucy A. Nunlcy	Dec. 14, 1878	R. Smartt, J.P. Dec. 19, 1878
James Oneil Emma Shell	Mar. 29, 1879	R.J. Onley, M.G. Mar. 30, 1879
J.M. Morton Susan Brown	Mar. 13, 1879	John G. Tate, M.G. Mar. 14, 1879
Calvin Knight M.A. Gross	Jan. 17, 1880	F.M. Walker, M.G Jan. 17, 1880
W.L.C. Cunningham Susanna Hawk	Mar. 10, 1879	Wm. S. Brown, M.G. Mar. 10, 1879
Albert Campbell Sarah Fults	Dec. 19, 1878	Returned. Not Executed.
R.T. Dykes A.M. Corneliason	July 6, 1879	Returned. Not Executed.
H.W. Brown L.H. Smith	Oct. 30, 1879	John G. Tate. J.P. Oct. 30, 1879
W.P. Du Bose M.L. Zerger	Dec. 18, 1878	J.A. Dudley, Bishop Dec. 18, 1878
John Alman Fannie Parker	Nov. 8, 1879	C.C. Williams, J.P. Nov. 9, 1879
Charles Seigert Mary Mzcrs	Feb. 18, 1879	John Northcut, J.P. Feb. 23, 1879
Benjamin Meeks Mauic Davis	May 6, 1879	R.J. Onley, M.G. May 6, 1879

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W.E. Northcut Lizzie McGovern	Nov. 1, 1879	C.C. Williams, J.P. Nov. 2, 1879
T.H. Hall Mary Wooten	Nov. 1, 1879	C.C. Williams, J.P. Nov. 1, 1879
Lafayett Grimes Sarah McKinney	Feb. 6, 1879	Jack, J.P. Blunk
E.R. McDonald Ann Killgore	Oct. 2, 1879	J.F. Savis Oct. 2, 1879
Russ Argo Martha Hobbs	Nov. 30, 1878	R. Smartt, J.P. Dec. 1, 1878
George W. McKinney Callic Jenkins	Dec. 6, 1879	C.C. Williams, J.P. Dec. 6, 1879
Thomas N. Fox Sallie V. Willis	May 3, 1879	James Wagner May 4, 1879
John Sewel Biddy McGovern	Dec. 24, 1878	C.C. Williams, J.P. Dec. 26, 1878
John w. Overton Lizzie Boulton	Sept. 20, 1879	C.C. Williams, J.P. Sept. 21, 1879
J.P. Payne H.M. Campbell	Aug. 29, 1878	John Burnett, J.P. Aug. 29, 1878
Charles Ramsey Anna Layne	Nov. 6, 1879	C.C. Williams, J.P. Nov. 9, 1879
James Campbell Sarah Ann Scott	Jan. 5, 1880	W.L. Parks, J.P. Jan. 5, 1879
Martin Shetters Eliza Allen	Jan. 15, 1880	C.L. Kieth, J.P. Jan. 15, 1880
W.A. Killgore Margarett Ann Killgore	Mar. 26, 1879	S.M. Tate Mar. 27, 1879
J.W. Wooten Julia A. Bynum	Jan. 2, 1879	John Northcut, J.P. Jan. 2, 1879

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Thomas D. Sweeton Sarah S. Irvin	Jan. 3, 1879	G.C. Sanders, J.P. Feb. 2, 1879
G.M. Killgore Julia Campbell	Feb. 22, 1879	G.C. Sanders, J.P. Feb. 23, 1879
J.P. Troy Mary A. Brinner	Aug. 10, 1878	G.W. Summers, J.P. Aug. 11, 1878
John Partin Nancy Patterson	Dec. 10, 1879	J.H. Gunn, J.P. Dec. 11, 1879
G.G. Griswold Susan Meeks	Dec. 20, 1878	W.L. Parks, J.P. Dec. 22, 1878
J.C. Gughs Nannie Countiss	Jan. 19, 1880	John Bennett Jan. 21, 1880
William Big Anna Bone	Oct. 9, 1880	Not Filled Out
Edward Von Bergen Julia L. Roth	Sept. 15, 1879	C.C. Williams, J.P. Sept. 28, 1879
George Smartt Sarah Myers	Sept. 17, 1879	R. Smartt, J.P. Sept. 21, 1879
Jm. B. Bennett, Jr. Mary C. Haynes	Nov. 30, 1880	G.W. Summers, J.P. Dec. 2, 1880
R.E. Hall Maud Payne	Dec. 4, 1879	C.C. Williams, J.P. Dec. 4, 1879
R.J. Killgore Nancy Russell	Dec. 20, 1879	J.H. Gunn, J.P. Dec. 21, 1879
G. Scharer S.H. Long	July 20, 1880	C.L. Kieth, J.P. July 22, 1880
J.F. Onley Savannah Tipton	Dec. 24, 1885	M. Nearn Dec. 24, 1885
Jas. Summers L.R. Stephens	June 10, 1880	C.L. Kieth, J.P. June 12, 1880

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Queries

Charles H. Sain- I am trying to locate ancestors and any relatives of John Charles who married Ann Sain. They lived in Tracy City where Ann is buried. Also, any information on Roddy family, particularly on the wife shot and killed in 1930's or 1940's. Respond to Charles H. Sain, 3316 Burning Tree Drive, Birmingham, AL. 35226-2602. Or call toll free 1-800-288-6420 Ext. 2102





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President's Message

Catherine Flury

Greetings from the Root Cellar. We are looking forward to seeing the many visitors during the summer. We have received lots of new material through purchases and donations for doing research. Nita Henderson sent several volumes of books on Native Americans that we are pleased to have.

There is a sad note here at the Historical Society, Anna Goforth will be moving to Nashville and she will be greatly missed. Anna is the former Editor and founder of the Pathfinder and a tireless worker that has helped make the Historical Society and Root Cellar so successful. Best wishes Anna and "Thank You" from all of us.

Acquisitions

Rebels, Saints, and Sinners
Native American Volumes
Not Enough Whiskers To Line A Birds Nest- Civil War
3-hole punch, stapler and staples

Dennis A. Tate Nita Henderson Escoe Henley E.H. Gross

Research Price Schedule

Effective 5/10/00

If you need assistance researching your family tree, please send us your information. Our members will search for you. The following fees apply:

\$10.00 Research Fee

- -50% refund if no info found
- -if excessive amount of info found we will contact you concerning additional cost.
- \$.25 per copy plus postage

A Note from the Editor

Nancy G. Parmley

First and foremost, I must apologize for the lateness of this issue. Due to many different reasons, with the most serious being computer malfunction, I am seriously late! For that reason, I have combined Volume V No. 2 & 3. I sincerely hope that this delay has not caused anyone any problems. In the future, I will do my utmost not to allow this to happen again.

On a brighter note, we have had several new members to join. We have also had several nice donations to the Root Cellar this time. Please continue to send in your queries. We only have one for this issue. If you have any interesting tidbits, stories or other items you think would be of interest, please send them to the Historical Society and we will publish them.

Women of Grundy County: Nancy Dee Nunley By Ruth Ann Savage Fults (Great-granddaughter)

Nancy Dee Nunley was born the eldest child of Frances and Janie Campbell Nunley on the 10th day of December 1879 in Grundy Co., Tennessee. She married William Eli "Jesse" James on the 8th of August 1898. She gave birth to 9 children. Oda Rebecca Jane born November 19, 1899, died July 4, 1893 married Henry Roberts; Minnie Caldona born June 11, 1901, died December 14, 1975 married Rose Burr Sanders; Albert Malery born January 18, 1904, died November 5, 1973 married Ruby Anderson; William Emmett born July 31, 1906, died March 23, 1962 married Corie Patton; Hasey Ann born April 12, 1909, died February 10, 1910; Marvin Dee born April 12, 1909, died January 24, 1977 married Vinnie Crabtree; Beatrice Lucy born January 18, 1911 married Lawrence Nunley; Laden Columbus born March 27, 1913, died February 8, 1997 married Willie Mae Roberts; and Oma Louise born July 23, 1917 married Jonathan David Higgins and Marion "Soap" McNabb.

Nancy died November 20, 1918, from the flu she contracted while helping take care of those who needed her help and is buried in the Bonny Oaks Cemetery in Coalmont, Tennessee not far from where she lived. She was a very loving mother and dear friend and sister to all who knew her.



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Pelham to her parents with her baby son to await the arrival of her new baby, because she could not care for herself and her baby. My father had to work. My Aunt Edna was not married and she quit school to help care for Mother and my brother. Eleven months after my brothers birth, I made my entrance in the world. Everyone thought my mother would be all right after my birth, but it didn't happen. Doctors were baffled as to what had happened. When I was 3 wks & 4 days old, Mother was sent to St. Thomas Hospital in Nashville by train. The doctors there were unable to determine her problem. She remained unable to walk. My other grandparents, Dr. L.A. and Mrs. Mattie Crouch Carden, took my brother to care for. My father remained in Chattanooga.

Billy was brought often for Mother to see, but she could not care for either of us. But from her bed she taught us nursery rhymes and Bible stories. By the time I was three, Mother was some better. She was in a wheel chair most of the time but could walk some with help. She began to teach a Sunday School class. Although money was scarce, she had little special things for the children. Her faith in God was her strength all through the years.

When I was 4 years old, my father came from Chattanooga and asked Mother to get a divorce. He had found someone else and was moving to Philadelphia, PA. In later years, she told me that was such a wonderful time. She loved him so much that being with him, even under the circumstances, was a happy time for her.

Through the years, Mother had many friends, both male and female. Even though she was an invalid, she continued to have many friends. I can remember her old boy friends and girl friends visiting and the happy conversations they had.

One of her former boy friends was her dentist. My Aunt took us to Decherd for my mother to have a tooth pulled and my aunt went on to Winchester. When the dentist pulled her tooth, the root went up into the sinus cavity. He immediately got on the phone to Nashville, put her on a train to a specialist. She couldn't walk without help, but he had someone meet the train and after the root was removed, they put her on the bus with instructions to take her to Pelham and help her onto her aunts house. The bus driver would ask about her health on other trips through Pelham. It seemed she made an impression on everyone she came in contact with.

When I was in high school, Mother fell and broke her hip. She was bed ridden for the remainder of her life, but this did not stop her beautiful smile and sunny attitude.

One morning she called me and said, "My head itches so bad, I think I must have lice." I laughed and told her that was impossible, but the next morning she woke me crying and when I looked at her head, I too was sure she had lice, even though I had never seen them before. It took some doing to rid her of the nasty insects, but after a few days the ordeal was over.

After many days of pondering, we finally figured out how this had happened. She had been teaching a small boy to tell time, and he would lean over on the bed as she taught him.

My grandfather died a few months before my husband, Lewie Winton and I were married. We lived in Cleveland, Ohio for a seventeen months period and then came to Tennessee for the birth of our first daughter, Patricia Adalyn. Lewie took over the duties of the farm and I of a farm wife. We had no electricity or running water. I carried water from the spring for daily laundry and all the other things.

Women of Grundy County: Gladys Alma Conry By Inez C. Winton

My mother, Gladys Alma conry, was the first child born to Edd and Octavia Henson Conry. She was born in Grundy County, on October 28, 1897. Although she did not live to see her 50th birthday (died July 28, 19446), she left an impact on many lives.

Her father Edd was the youngest survivor of the 12 children born to Daniel and Frances Keeling Conry. Daniel was born in RossCommon, Ireland, and migrated to the U.S. in 1849 on the ship "Nestoria".

Gladys was a very pretty girl with jet black hair and bright blue eyes. She had two sisters, Marjorie and Edna and a brother, Billy Henson, 20 years her junior. Octavia's ability to do fancy sewing kept her daughters well dressed.

Gladys was a good student and although she lived in Pelham Valley, she attended James K. Shook school and finished in 1915. She was good friends with Naomi Marler, Mary Ellen Hembree, Abbie Metcalf and Katie Goforth.

Gladys first taught school in Cullman, Alabama. She was 18 years old. She rode the train to Cullman and two young men met her. They took her off in a buggy through a cotton field. She said she was scared to death but they deposited her and her luggage at the place she was supposed to board. The peoples names were Uselton and they had a country store.

One afternoon, mother went for a buggy ride with a young man. When they neared home, he said, "I'd like some sugar." Mother replied, "I'm sure the store is closed, but if you need sugar, Mr. Uselton will open it up for you."

Another time when she was going home for Christmas, a young man helped her on the train and then leaned down and kissed her. She was very embarrassed but to save face she said, "Take care of the kids while I am gone."

She taught several places in Grundy County. Hobbs Hill and Pelham are two that I remember. Alton Geary said he went to school to her on Hobbs Hill, but it was hard for him to study. He thought she was so pretty he just wanted to look at her. She was teaching in Pelham when she and my father Lynn Abbott Carden were married. She said when she told the children she would no longer be teaching, some of them cried, even the boys.

After marriage, my parents moved to Murfreesboro, TN., so my father could finish his education at MTSU. They boarded with a family, Favor and Ada Jennings and their three children. Mr. Jennings was a local mortician. Some of his people still have the funeral home in Murfreesboro. Mrs. Jennings was a life long friend of my mother. I remember spending a week there when I was a small child. Mrs. Jennings even visited me after Mother died.

My brother, Billy Abbott, was born while they lived in Murfreesboro. When Daddy graduated, they moved to Chattanooga for him to teach.

Things began to go downhill from here. Mother became pregnant very soon after my brothers birth and then she began having trouble walking. She had to go back to

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We were a happy hard working family with a big garden and lots of caring. My grandmother and aunt were always busy too.

My aunt had developed a brain tumor, so lots of the time, I had 2 patients and a baby to care for.

On July 17, 1946, my aunt died of an aneurysm. She was only 39 years old. Eleven days later my mother died. It was a very sad time in my life, but my mothers example and outlook on life was very helpful and the faith in God she taught has sustained me through the years. I wish I could be an example to others as she was

Inez C. Winton

Genealogy

What is genealogy, but digging for roots
Like you would at an old bent tree.
They meander this way and that
And some of them we never see.

The main roots are large and easily found
But small ones twist and turn.
You may easily find just what you need
But some things we can never learn.

Oh! How very happy we are When we find the ones we need, But we continue to dig and dig. I, guess, you'd call it greed.

Whatever we find connects today
With those that have already gone.
We fill our BOOKS with all these things
And we fill our HEARTS with a song.

Inez Winton



Sister Carrie

She'd done a thousand "birthings"
Or even more, I guess
So this would be no different....
A day's work, more or less.

Now Effie Mae would do her best To fill her home with joy, Yes, seven girls was quite enough, This just had to be a boy!

'Twas sometime after midnight When she nudged her man awake: "Now go fetch Sister Carrie, Ed, A fore its much too late."

He jumped into his overalls
And cautioned her, with fear:
"Don't you dare have that young'un
Until Sister Carries' here!"

So off he goes astride old Maude
A- loping in the dark,
But that old mule knew where to go....
Every step by heart.

Now all went well and Sister Carrie Could tell by timed contractions There might just be a slight delay Of any further action.

But Sister Carrie knew her charge As if it were anointed And placed beside a happy Mom Just what they all had wanted.

And then to further ease their mind
She prayed a fervent prayer:
"O Lord, please keep this new-born son
Forever in your care."

Was about right here that Ed would say;
"I ain't got much to spend
But take this ho'-made sausage
And this dominecker hen."

Now Sister Carrie takes her leave,
A smile upon her face,
That chick held closely to her breast
And sings "Amazing Grace."

Then one sad day the Lord takes count
Of Saints around His Throne
And says, "I'm short one Angel, so
Call Sister Carrie Home!"

C. Newell Coppinger

"Sister Carrie," referred to us in the poem was the daughter of 'little' Davey Coppinger and Mary 'Molly' Coppinger. She was born in 1875 and died in 1951. She was married to Vick Tate and they had twelve children. She was a sister to Claude Coppinger, the long-time postmaster of Beersheba Springs, Tennessee.

The Author of the poem is a nephew of "Sister Carrie" and a son of the late Claude Coppinger. He is a native of Grundy County and now lives on Signal Mountain.

Submitted by Mr. E. H. Barker, California.



If you don't know history,
you don't know anything. You're
a leaf that doesn't know it's part
of a tree.

-Michael Crichton, Timeline (Knopf)

The Call of Spring

by Mrs. Virginia Fisher Shelbyville, Tennessee

When spring comes skipping over the hills
Her arms filled with sunshine and flowers,
Violets, cowslips and daffodils,
Vines, moss, fern, to crown this land of ours,
She laughs with the rippling mountain rills,
Bringing fairies to wreathe the bowers;
Every flower with nectar she fills,
Music, birds and warm April showers.

Standing on the brow to the mountain, on the old Cumberland plateau, at the very brink of Lone Point, on a bright April morn, behold. I saw coming Springtime in all its tints and glow. I watched it climb the rugged steeps, ledge after ledge, with the clear mountain streams pouring down their rocky sides, bearing on the bosoms the last traces of Wintertime.

Enchanted, I stood on the cool earth "still damp from the melted snow," with a sting in the air that chills you to the bone but with the radiant glory and beauty of the sunshine and the landscape below and beyond, it has started the warm blood surging in my veins and I feel the "call of Spring" in my soul. The fragrant little arbutus trailing at my feet, dear pink and white things from somewhere in the shadows, like a sunbeam you have come to welcome the new born Spring.

All nature has awakened from her long deep slumber, and is heralding a greeting of good cheer to earth and all mankind. The sweet scented breath that flooded the scene beyond has flooded the mountain, vale and dell. A message is being wafted up from the wild things below. I catch it on the breezes just so-- "We will reach you later and crown your noble brow with wreaths and laurel, vine and azalea." From over my hear, swinging to the branch of a Sycamore tree, the whip-poor-will was officially announcing the Spring was near. The robin, the cardinal, the bluebird and the wren were al whistling their favorite love songs, for nesting time had come. Across the wide, fertile valley in the distance lies a beautiful chain of mountains, so grim, bold and grand, with their irregular lines looming up like a crayon mark against the pale blue sky, robed in their somber gray mantles, softening their rugged and seemingly bare outlines; standing in the background silently, cold and beautiful, they harmonize with the wonderful landscape below.

With the aid of a field glass, one can see miles away, the little cabin boats as they ply their way on the bosom of the old Tennessee River (Kallamuchee) as she surges on to make the big bend. There are numbers of smaller green bordered steams winding their way throughout this tranquil valley. Long stretches of woodland are dotted here and there. Green pastures make a playground for the frolicsome colts and unruly steers. Young calves were bleating and romping in the barnyards while their mothers leisurely nipped the fresh grown grass. The lambs and kids, like soft fleecy balls of white, were

playing leap-frog in the meadows below with an eye single to the wicked old ram. The red rooster flapped his wings on top of the rail fence and crowed with all his might. The hens were cackling from every crevice and corner of the old log barn while the farm wives were busy making new nests of fresh clean straw, for the "Call of Spring" had come. The geese and ducks were floating down Battle Creek chattering to each other, like tiny white specks on the gleam of silver they drifted on and on. The noisy guineas were hallooing, "Potrack, potrack," at the top of their voices. The neighing of horses could be heard from farm to farm. From somewhere up in the valley came the bugle note of the donkey as he reminded his master that it was again hay time. The peacock lifted his gorgeous plumage and lit on the comb of the housetop and strutted in all his pomp and glory. The farmer boy sliced the black soil with his plow, furrow after furrow, thus leaving it turned up to the sum, while he merrily whistled, "Maggie, the cows are coming home," never faltering in his work until his land was finished, when he loosened his traces and left his mules to rest a while.

Across the fence two youngsters were chopping corn stalks, making ready for the plough, at the same time casting sheeps eyes toward the house to see if the coast was clear; with a tomato can they bounded over the fence and scampering over the fresh turned land, they eagerly picked up the long angleworms, and placing them in the tin can with a little earth sprinkled over, armed with a cane pole, a homespun line with a piece of lead for a sinker, barefoot, frecklefaced, hale and hearty, they stealthily made their way to the creekbank--'twas the "Call of Spring." The old mule dozed in the harness while the plow-boy laid in the fence corner with his head pillowed on his coat, his broad brimmed hat pulled over his eyes, basking in the warm sunshine, dreaming of fine crops and a sweet-heart up the creek who he would visit next Sunday.

Fat feather beds and patchwork quilts were hanging on the yard fence that ran around the old farmhouses, more than a century old. The yellow-poplar logs were now brown and dim with age with now and then a modern frame painted snowy white. The housewife came out on the end of the long verandah and placing to her lips the old 'konk shell' she blew long and loud, thus announcing to the farm hands that the hog-jowl, turnip greens, corn pone, scrambled eggs, and cold sweet milk was now waiting; 'twas the "Call of Spring." The soft baby leaves with their crinkled little palms were beckoning the new spring on. Ferns and grasses were shooting up slender blades and unfurling their curious little fronds. The sarvis, the maple, the red bud and the dogwood were splashing against the dark green. Across this landscape I heard the noise and the buzz of wings; like a dark cloud against the clear sky came sweeping over a flock of wild geese, coming home in answer to the "Call of Spring." The fairies were busy from morn till night while the master artist wields his brush with ease and skill and the colors are heaped in stacks by his side. Growing weary of sketching, he cleans his brushes and pallette and draws the curtain for the night.

Just as the sun was fading from gold to orange, with a rim of soft red and a tinge of purple, with ribbons of mauve and gray drawn across the primrose sky, he slowly sank behind the hills, and the day was done. With the outlines on the canvas, the willow, the tanglewood and the marshes, the wild flowers, the grape vine, the love vine, the laurel,

butterflies, bees, katydids, fireflies and crickets, sunshine and shadow, must all be woven in between. As the silent hush spreads her long veil of mist over this sleeping valley, the glimmering landscape fades to gloom, a dewdrop nestled close to the heart of the violet as she tenderly folded her blue velvet robes around its quivering form and the two fell asleep, swayed by the cool night breezes.

George Thomas Brown, Jr.

Son of Thomas Brown, Sr. and Mary (Mortonrandson of Absolom Brown.

Born: 1839

Died: 73 yrs. 1 mo. 16 days

Married to Nancy (Bond) Thompson on Feb. 22, 1866 by L. Brown, M.G. in Grundy County, Tennessee.

Born: Feb. 21, 1836 Died: Dec. 18, 1907

He was the brother of Rev. Ledden who married Arrena Louisa Crossland.

From Warren Co. Times, Oct. 18, 1912

-With a sad heart we note the death of Mr. Thos. Brown, which occured at the home of his daughter, near Lexington, Tenn., on the 4th inst. He was about 73 years of age and was born in Warren County, where he grew to manhood and lived for many years. Out of a family of fourteen only one survives, Mrs. Mary Madewell, his sister, who lives at this place. Mr. Brown was an old ex-Confederate soldier and a member of the Methodist Church and died as he had lived, with full assurance of eternal life hereafter. Another good man has gone to his reward. The remains were laid to rest in Scotts's Hill cemetery, near his home.



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Name	License Issued	Married by Date
Milton Smartt Mary Fults	Aug. 2, 1880	R. Smartt, J.P. Aug. 4, 1880
William Meeks Laura Parsons	July 26, 1880	E.H. Bennett, M.G. July 26, 1880
George Nunley Mollie Phipps	Sept. 25, 1880	W.S. Brown, Rev. Sept. 26, 1880
Wm. Ichard Elizabeth Bell	July 13, 1880	G.D. Guinn July 16, 1880
William Meeks Mandy Yell	Mar. 21, 1880	M. Gilliam, J.P. Mar. 21, 1880
Jim Manning Josna Marlow	Sept. 3, 1880	C.C. Williams, J.P. Sept. 5, 1880
George Smith Denady Parmley	Dec. 10, 1880	C.C. Williams Dec. 12, 1880
Samuel Brown Mary Jane Ross	Oct. 21, 1880	Jas. M. Lockhart, J.P. Oct. 24, 1880
John G. Lathnem Rebecca Tate	Oct. 4, 1880	J.M. Lockhart, J.P. Oct. 4, 1880
R.G. Garner Jenie Du Bose	Nov. 4, 1880	W.J. Thomas, J.P. Nov. 4, 1880
Haris B. Thompson Maggie Terrill	Nov. 4, 1880	C.C. Williams, J.P. Nov. 4, 1880
Samuel Bailey Helan Collins	Nov. 30, 1880	C.C. Williams, J.P. Dec. 23, 1880
T.M. Allen Sarah Patterson	Mar. 10, 1880	C.C. Williams, J.P. Mar. 12, 1880
John Kelley Amelia Bailey	Jan. 19, 1880	T. Hodgeson, M.G. Jan. 20, 1880
Heuston Sanders Lucy Payne	Feb. 23, 1880	G.C. Sanders, J.P. Feb. 26, 1880
Marion Sides Mollie Flyn	July 10, 1880	C.C. Williams, J.P. July 11, 1880

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Tillman Killgore Martha Harris	Apr. 18, 1880	C.C. Williams, J.P. Apr. 18, 1880
B.H. Hernden (Col) Emma Thomas	Jan. 12, 1881	W.J. Thomas, J.P. Jan. 12, 1881
Richard Lewis Lina Travis	Apr. 15, 1880	C.C. Williams, J.P. Apr. 15, 1880
Thomas Campbell Vina Johnson	Apr. 23, 1880	C.C. Williams, J.P. Apr. 25, 1880
William Banks Emer Arney	July 19, 1880	C.C. Williams, J.P. July 20, 1880
James Street Mary Killgore	Apr. 15, 1880	C.C. Williams, J.P. Apr. 16, 1880
E.H. Bennett Ruda Wright	Jan. 13, 1881	John C. Bays, Min. Jan. 16, 1881
J.H. Northcut Sallie Grantham	Jan. 23, 1881	C.C. Williams, J.P. Jan. 23, 1881
J.C. Johnson Annie Killgore	Jan. 22, 1881	C.C. Williams, J.P. Jan. 23, 1881
A. P. Roberts Nancy E. Payne	May 8, 1881	John Bennett, J.P. May 8, 1881
Phillip Finegan Martha McCay Dane, 40		C.C. Williams, J.P. May 25, 1881
William Tolly, 21 (Col) Mary Farmer, 18		W.J. Thomas, J.P. June 7, 1881
James M. Feral, 35 (Col) Mary Ann Newton, 24		C.C. Williams, J.P. June 14, 1881
John Olesby, 22 Caroline Bailey, 28		C.C. Williams June 17, 1881
Thomas Weaver, 23 Florence Bunrl, 24		C.C. Williams June 12, 1881
George Meeks, 25 Mary Elezabeth Crabtree, 19		John Bennett, J.P. June 5, 1881

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Name	License Issued	Married by Date
Henry Sanders Abbie Dykes, 18		C.C. Williams, J.P. Sept. 8, 1881
Michael Conry, 23 Eliza Henley, 20		John W. Gavin Sept. 25, 1881
David Nunley, 65 Anna Lowell Cunningham, 45		C.C. Williams, J.P. Oct. 2, 1881
Jess M. Givens, 35 Edith C. Smith, 43		Wm. Brown, M.G. Oct. 2, 1881
William H. Nunley, 19 Parlee Bell Bivins, 16		C.C. Williams, J.P. Oct. 9, 1881
M.H. Summers, 24 M.E. Stevenson, 34		C.C. Williams, J.P. Oct. 16, 1881
Edward Phillips, 20 Annie Hawk, 20		C.C. Williams, J.P. Oct. 25, 1881
William Cathrin, 27 Annie Vaughn, 21		C.C. Williams, J.P. Oct. 30, 1881
Jack Bulinger, 27 Josephine Tric, 18		J. Bullenbacker, M.G. Dec. 31, 1881
J.H. McBride, 24 Fannie Womack		J.H. Gunn, J.P. Oct. 9, 1881
S.P. Patterson, 33 Sarah Patterson		J.H. Gunn, J.P. Nov. 10, 1881
G.G. Griswold, 33 Martha Bennett, 24		John Bennett Nov. 11, 1881
W.A. Smith, 22 Laura Price Mullens, 19		W.L. Parks, J.P. Feb. 25, 1881
Edward L. Countiss, 23 Pheba H. Admas, 21		John C. Beshear, M.G. Jan. 1, 1881
A.J. Meeks, 25 Sarah Sanders, 20		C.H. Bennett, J.P. Nov. 14, 1881
John McCann, 40 Mollie Dicon, 32		E.H. Bennett, J.P. June 9, 1882

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George Meeks, 25 Janis Hillis, 15		John Bennett, J.P. June 5, 1881
R.E. Dotson, 35 Vellissa Almond, 22		C.C. Williams, J.P. June26, 1881
James Marlow, 20 Martha Smith, 23		C.C. Williams, J.P. July 10, 1881
William Iley Crabtree, 45 Martha Jane Burnett, 27		C. Bennett, M.G. June 24, 1881
W.B. White, 19 Lyncha Ann Allison, 22		C.H. Bennett, M.G. July 5, 1881
Larry Thompson, 30 Martha Meeks, 18		C.H. Bennett, M.G. July 12, 1881
James Crabtree, 22 Flora A. Thomas, 15		July 17, 1881 W.J. Thomas, J.P.
Hearis Patrick, 20 Evaline Fults, 23		R. Smartt, J.P. July 23, 1881
James N. Reid, 29 Isabella Patton, 22		C.C. Williams, J.P. July 7, 1881
James C. Henley, 34 Elizabeth Gilliam, 26		C.C. Williams, J.P. Aug. 9, 1881
Joseph Hart, 29 Jennie Vaughn		C.C. Williams, J.P. Aug. 23, 1881
Anthony Jenkins, 22 Ellen Roberts, 20		C.C. Williams, J.P. Aug. 28, 1881
J.B. Payne, 22 Ellen Meeks, 22		Aug. 16, 1881 E.H. Bennett, M.G.
Taylor Killyen, 20 Tennessee Adams, 17		W.J. Thomas, J.P. Sept. 9, 1881
Thomas Condry, 22 Ellen Duncan, 22		W.L. Parks, J.P. Aug. 25, 1881

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Map of Grundy and Marion County, 1874 Line change in Grundy and Coffee County, 1873-1880

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Date	Name	Office
1858	J.K. Warren	Constable 8th Dis.
1856	Carter Scruggs	Tax Assessor
1856	Phillip Roberts	Judge
1859	James Lusk	Tax Assessor
1860	J.K. Warren	Deputy Sheriff
1860	J.K. Warren	Deputy Court Clerk
1860	R.B. Roberts	Deputy Court Clerk
1860	Stephen B. Tipton	County Court Clerk
1866	Jesse Grimes & Josiah Argo	Register
1888	H. Overturf	Tax Assessor (4 yrs)
1889	J.J. Woodlee	County Trustee
1890	W.A. Spencer	Trustee Co. Tax
1891	Wm. Nunley	Board of Equalizers
1891	E.W. Henley	Board of Equalizers
1891	F.M.C. White	Board of Equalizers
1891	H.B. Northcutt	Board of Equalizers
1891	W.A. Spencer	Trustee
1891	John W. Gross	Constable
1892	John F. Haynes	Tax Assessor
1892	A.H. Sanders	Sheriff
1892	S.P. Graham	Constable
1892	John F. Haynes	Tax Assessor
1892	J.B. Bouldin	Constable
1892	Emile Serquist	Constable

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Date	Name	Offic	<u>e</u>	
1892	A.P. Robert	s Sheri	ff	
1893	W.A. Spenc	er Trust	ee	
1893	Emile Segris	st Cons	table	
1893	W.A. Spenc	er Trust	tee-Co. & School	
1893	S.A. Henley	Road	l Commissioner	
1893	J.J. Martin	Boar	d of Education	
1893	J.T. Kelton	Depu	ity Sheriff	
1893	W.A. Spenc	er Clerk	& Master	
1893	M.L. Nearn	Trust	tee	
1893	J.M. Givens	Cour	nty Ranger	
1893	S.A. Henley	Cour	nty Coroner	
1893	W.A. Spend	er Trus	tee	
1893	John Tidma	n Trus	tee	
1897	Virgil Hill	Reve	enue Commissioner	r
1898	John Scrugg	gs Cour	nty Court Clerk	
1903	W.C. Lockl	nart Tax.	Assessor	
1903	John Scrugg	gs Cour	nty Court Clerk	
1903	J.N. Shook	Oil I	nspector	
1910	F.R. Nessba	num Tax	Collector	
1911	John Gallag	her Cou	nty Court Clerk	
1911	C.D. Hillis	Tax	Assessor	

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Barrell & Monroe	to	Hoffiman, L.
Grundy County	to	Clark, C.E.
Grundy County	to	Leyson, A.H.
Fults, Daniel	to	A division Plat map
Hughs, J.C.	to	Adams, C.R.
Rogers, William	to	Dreher, C.F.
Nunley, William & Wife	to	Stepp, W.C.
Shrum, M.J.	to	Myers, J.R.
Smith, E.D.	to	Brock, L.

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CIVIL DISTRICT 5 - Carl Moritz, Enumerator (Dwelling/Family Numbers follow District 2, same enumerator)

- Jacob SCHONEMANN, 57, farmer, born Switzerland; Anna, 56, born Switzer-48/48 land; Jacob, 16, born Switzerland; Anna BALL, 25, dau, born Switzerland; Enst BALL. grson, 5; Julius BALL, grson, 3; Louisa BALL, grdau, 2; Henry MARKER, 24, boarder, barber, born NY. (In Gruetli Community Records, Jacob and Anna are listed among the early settlers. Daughter Anna married Jules BAL, 24 Sep 1874, and had children: Ernst, born 18 Aug 1875, with christening sponsors Moritz BAL and Johanna MAEDER; Jules, born 6 Jan 1877, with christening sponsors Jacob and Elise SCHOENEMANN; Clemence Louise, born 30 Jan 1878, was sponsored by grandfather, Jacob SCHOENEMANN, and Louise SCHOENEMANN. Another daughter of Jacob and Anna was Elisabeth who married Leonard VONRHOR, 7 Feb 1871. Born to them, in Gruetli: Anna, 13 Jan 1873, with christening sponsors of Jacob SCHOENEMANN and Anna nee MUELLER; Walter, born 13 Jan 1874; Rosa, born 25 Mar 1876; Emma, born 20 Dec 1877; Bertha, born 13 Nov 1879; Jacob, born 14 Mar 1883; Lina, born 30 Jun 1884.)
- J. M. LOCKHART, 32, farmer, born GA; Jane, 19; Lucyntion, 54, mother, 49/49 widow. (In 1850, Marion County, James M., 2, is son of John C. and Synthia LOCKHART who have other children: Andrew J., George W., Nancy, and Mary. In 1860, Sequatchie County, are added children: Henry T. B. and Sarah M. "Beersheba Springs - A History" says John C. married 1st Sallie or Martha WALKER and she is mother of these children. George W. went to Arkansas; Mary married Archibald DYKES; Thomas married Julia TATE and went to Oklahoma; Nancy married J. W. ORANGE. James M. married Jane LOCKHART, 30 Jun 1878. In 1900 Grundy County, they are living next door to the SCHONEMANN/VOH RHOR families and have seven daughters: S. B. md Brown HICKS, 2 Sep 1900; M. V.; L. A.; S. W.; Maud md R. L. KING, 21 Nov 1912; Pearly md Frank BREWER, 20 Aug 1913; Lassie B.; Winnie md Isaac ROSS, 8 Apr 1917. James M. is buried in Brown's Chapel Cemetery: 25 Jul 1848/20 May 1902. On 19 Nov 1907, Jane md Russell BROWN. Sarah Jannie BROWN is buried Brown's Chapel Cemetery: 1860-1953.)
- Howel BARKER, 74, farmer, born NC; Elisabeth, 64; G., son, 30; Ruth, 24, wife of G.; F., son, 11. (In 1850, Marion County, Howell, 46; Elizabeth, 37; Francis, 14; Mary, 11; John, 9; Rebecca, 6; Elijah, 3; Gillum, 6 mos. From "Sequatchie Valley Bible Records", Howell was son of Gilliam. In Brown's Chapel Cemetery: Howell, 25 Dec 1805/22 Jun 1886; Elizabeth, 5 Nov 1814/1 Jul 1891; son F. M., 20 Oct 1835/19 Sep 1884. In 1900, son Gilliam and wife, Ruth, have children: John, Sarah Elizabeth, Henry, Manda, Ada, Howell, and Rebecca. Brown's Chapel Cemetery: G(illiam) B., 16 May 1850/29 Apr 1932; wife Ruth, 16 Jun 1854/4 Jul 1909; son Elijah, 6 Oct 1877/29 Mar 1880; son Charlie, 6 Jun 1879/5 Apr 1880; dau Amanda, 2 Jul 1888/6 Aug 1967.)

- 51/51 W. E. WRIGHT, 60, farmer, born SC; Tennessee, 45; E. J., son, 20, born AL; Ruth, 15; William E., 5.
- William WYMELIN, 50, farmer; Mary, 50; Lidia, 14; Temly, 10. 52/52 (All of this family give TN as birthplace but the name WYMELIN is not found in any previous TN censuses. Perhaps this is a misspelling of WIMBERLY. In 1850, Marion County: William, 22; Mary, 19; Eliza, 6 months. There also are probably William's parents: Lynchfield, 52, Cancy, 43, with children: Milly, Claibourn, Nancy, Pearl. In 1870, these families are in Sequatchie County: William, 43, and Mary, 40, have Rhoda, Nancy, Martha, Susan, Flora, Lidda, and Elizabeth. Next door are Linchfield, 80, who married Matilda LAND, 8 Oct 1868, and son Perl who married Elizabeth LAND, 7 Jul 1859, and has children: James, William, Ellen, John and Andrew. Daughters of William and Mary: Flora married William H. HEARD, 6 Aug 1881, Sequatchie County; Lydia married Lewis BREWER, 9 Dec 1889, Grundy County. In Brown's Chapel Cemetery: Lydia WIMBERLY BREWER, 29 Feb 1878/ 1 May 1918. Lydia's birth year may be an error.)
- Jesse PICKET, 28, farmer; Martha, 24, born GA; Mary E., 4; Abner J., 2; E. F. BROWN, 14, cousin. (Jesse may be the son born c1849 to John A. PICKET(T), of Marion County. Jesse and Martha had 12 children: Abner, born Feb 1878, married Buleah MORGAN, 5 Apr 1905; Mary A., born May 1876; Katie, born Jan 1880, married David SCHOLER, 2 Jan 1910; Julia, born Jan 1882, married Rudolph LUCHSINGER, 15 May 1907; Jesse, Jr. born 1883, died 1885; James, born Mar 1885; John, born Mar 1887; Lector, born Mar 1889, married Lula DAVIS, 9 May 1909; Claude, born Jan 1891, married Frances FULTS, 19 Dec 1911; Robert, born Dec 1896; Odus, born Jul 1895; Mattie, born May 1898. In 1910, Jesse is 59 and a widower and has added daughter Cora. In Fall Creek Cemetery: Martha, 1854-1901; Jesse, 1850-1924; Julia LUCHSINGER, 14 Jan 1882/4 May 1908.)
- John ORANGE, 40, farmer, born Prussia; Nancy, 34; Lee, 16; John, 14; Standon, 10; James, 8; Fred, 6; Alice, 4; Hester, 2. (John married Nancy LOCKHART, daughter of John C. and Syntha LOCKHART. Children's marriages: Fred Delilah PARMLEY, 6 Jan 1896, 6 Jan 1896; Alice married Will KING, 27 Feb 1895; Hester married Frank P. HOBBS, 1 May 1898. Monument in Orange Hill Cemetery: "In memory of John W. ORANGE for whom our cemetery is named. Born in Hannover, Germany, Apr 1839, died in Birmingham, Ala., Dec 1903." John William ORANGE, 1839-1903, 8th Cavalry CSA; Nancy J., 27 Sep 1844/23 Apr 1896; Fred G., 25 May 1873/13 Sep 1934; Delilah M., 25 Jun 1878/29 Aug 1931.)
- Henry OVERTURF, 45, farmer; Nancy, 40; J. H., 17 (m); F. T., 14 (m); E. F., 11 (m); W. R., 7 (m); H. B., 6 (m); M. L., 4 (f); L. E., 2 (m). (Henry married Nancy SCRUGGS, 1 Jan 1857, daughter of Carter and Lucinda KILGORE SCRUGGS. In 1860, Henry and Nancy have Luticia who married William STUMP, 8 May 1877. Other children: John H., born 1863, buried Fall Creek Cemetery with wife, Malissa J; Fred D., born Dec 1866, died 28 Sep 1947, buried Fall Creek with wife, Mary B.;

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- 55/55 cont'd Edward F., born c1869, married Florence FULTS, 4 Jul 1892; William R., born Dec 1872, is shown in 1920 as a widower, 46 yrs old and Nancy, mother, 77, widow, lives with him; Henry Bascom, born Mar 1874, married Amanda TATE, 6 Mar 1898, daughter of Ladden Farrell and Loucetta COLSTON TATE; M. L., dau, born Jul 1876; L. E., son, born c1878; Nancy Edna, born Sep 1880, married E. J. CARPENTER, 17 Dec 1905; Surrah Della, born Feb 1884, married Emit H. MOSLEY, about 1905, and are living with Henry and Nancy in 1910.)
- 56/56 W. BRYAN, 26, farmer; Anna, 27; H. M., 8, son; Sally, 6; Luther, 2.
- 57/57 Isaac MILLER, 41, farmer, born Indiana; Florence, 32, born IN; Frank, 19, born IN; Laura, 17, born IN; William, 16, born IN; Susan, 12, born IN; Jane, 6, born IN; Mary, 1, born TN.
- 58/58 Wm. HUDSON, 21, farmer; Nancy, 21.
- Burk. LAAGER, 29, farmer, born Switzerland; Regula, 21, born Sw. Burkhardt married Rugeile LAAGER, 19 Feb 1878, in Gruetli. They were among the early Swiss settlers in Gruetli. Regula, born Dec 1859, immigrated in 1869; Burkhardt, born Apr 1851, immigrated 1873. Both took part in the Holy Last Supper, in Gruetli, 3 Feb 1898. Burkhardt us buried in the Swiss Colony Cemetery: 27 Apr 1851/13 Jan 1907.)
- Jacob RUCH, Sr., 45, farmer, born Switzerland; Afra, 41, born SW; Jacob, 16, born SW; Catharina, 14, born SW; Afra, 13, born SW; Anna, 5, born TN. (This family was among the early settlers of the Swiss Colony. From Gruetli Community Records: Son, Jacob, was born 2 Mar 1865; daughter Catharina was born 16 Sep 1866; daughter Anna was born 17 Oct 1875. Maiden name of Afra, the mother, was SCHOEN-BERGER. In 1910, Afra who immigrated 1873, was 67, widowed, had 4 children/3 living, is living alone. In Swiss Colony Cemetery: Jacob, Sr., 14 Apr 1835/7 Oct 1895; Anna, 5 Dec 1875/17 Apr 1883.)
- 61/61 J. McCULLOM, 35, farmer; M., 22; Urisa, 7; Nancy, 5; V. A., 4; Robert, 3.
- James ROSS, 26, farmer; Nancy, 25; Anna, 5; Jane, 3. (This is probably James M. ROSS, born Jun 1854, married, in Grundy County, Martha Jane RAMSEY. Their children: Annie, born c1875, married John PRESNELL; Janie, born c1877, married Sam COLSON; Henry M., born Jan 1883, married Octa MYERS; John Cleveland, born Nov 1884; Charles Frank, born Feb 1887, had low mental ability and died in the county home; Martha E. (Bess), born Jun 1891, married Herbert CALDWELL; Robert, born Jun 1893; Emer Lee, born Feb 1896, married Frank SEALS; Freida May, born Feb 1898, married John I. ECKLES; possibly daughter Julia Etta married George LAMONS.)
- 63/63 Davidson TATE, 77, farmer, born VA; Dorcares, 75, born KY; James, 50, widower; Joe, 11, grson. (Davidson, born 27 Dec 1802, Russell

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- 63/63 cont'd County, Virginia, son of Major James and Ruth DAVIDSON TATE, married Dorcas MYERS, born c1805, KY. Known children: Elisha, born c1824, married Frances Matilda WOOD; Jazeal, 3 Oct 1828/5 Jun 1914, married 1st Rebecca BRYANT, 2nd, Fanny SITZE, 28 Dec 1850, and 3rd, married Mattie LAYNE, Aug 1907; Pleasant H., born Aug 1837, DeKalb County, AL, married, Grundy County, Sarah DYKES, 11 Jan 1855; Ladden Farrell, born c1838, DeKalb County, AL, married Grundy County, TN, Loucetta COLSTON; Martha, born c1841; James born c1832. Davidson died 23 Feb 1885, buried Fall Creek Cemetery, Grundy County; Dorcas d. 7 Apr 1891, buried Layne Cemetery, Sequatchie County.)
- 64/64 L. F. TATE, 45, farmer; Lucinty, 43; Lucyntie, 24; Jackson, 22; Rebecca, 19; Timothy, 18; Catharina, 15; Ludilia, 13; Mallisa, 11; Amanda, 9; Laura, 6; Alexander, 3; Elisabeth, grdau, 1; Jane TATE, 20, wife of Jackson. (Ladden Farrell, born c1836, was son of Davidson and Dorcas MYERS TATE, married c1855, Lousetta Missouri COLSTON. children: Drusilla, 16 Aug 1856/19 Aug 1948, md 1st Adrain FULTS and 2nd Wesley PIRTLE, 2 Oct 1920; Andrew Jackson, 14 Mar 1858/26 Dec 1928, married Jane E. GRIMES, 11 Dec 1879; Rebecca, 13 Jul 1860/12 Jul 1898, married John C. LATHRUM, 4 Oct 1880; Timothy, 14 Jun 1862/5 Oct 1938, married Nancy Delaware ROSS; Catherine E., 20 Nov 1865/15 Dec 1924, married Eahart FLURY, 14 Jun 1900; Lou Tella, 17 May 1867/4 Jul 1936, married 1st George William GOLSTON and 2nd 19 Apr 1908, married John S. SWEETON; Malissa Bell, 14 Oct 1869/26 Aug 1948, married David D. DYKES; Amanda, 6 Jan 1872/1946, married Henry Bascom OVERTURF, 6 Mar 1898; Laura, 22 Sep 1874/31 Aug 1903, married John KNIES, 7 Jun 1892; Alexander, 1878/1948, married Beulah PIERSON.)
- Jacob FEHR, 35, farmer, born Switzerland; Elisabeth, 34, born SW; John, 6 Amalia, 2. (Jacob married Elisabeth BOLINGER, 9 Dec 1871, probably daughter of Jacob and Elizabeth BOLLINGER, early settlers of Gruetli. Jacob FEHR immigrated 1867 and Elisabeth 1869. From 1871 through 1887, Jacob was witness/administrator of wills of Swiss residents, HUNZIKER, BIG, VON RHOR and SWARTZ. In Tracy City Cemetery, next to Jacob and Elizabeth BOLLINGER: Jacob FEHR, 1843-1925; Elizabeth 1845-1925.)
- 66/66 Jessee TURNER, 45, farmer; Liddea, 46; James, 21; Jackson, 18; Sally, 15; Julia, 11; Isaac, 8; John, 6. (Probably son Isaac married Dollie BREWER, 29 Oct 1893 and they are buried Griffiths Creek Cemetery, Marion County: Isaac, 1872-1939, Dollie, 1871-1948. In Fall Creek Cemetery: Jessie TURNER, 30 Aug 1833/3 Jan 1909; Lidy, 15 Jul 1832/19 Apr 1903.)
- 67/67 John SCHOLLER, 46, farmer, born Switzerland; Mary, 33; born SW; Rosina, 7; Daniel, 5; Heinrich, 4; Noah, 1. (Later records say Mary was born Ohio of Swiss parents. John immigrated 1855. Rosina married Richard NUSSBAUM, 21 Jul 1895. In 1900, Richard, born in Austria, immigrated 1880, is adopted son of Julia NUSSBAUM; Rosina born Jun 1873, is 26. John and Mary have added son Jacob, born Aug 1884. Son Daniel married Katie PICKETT, 2 Jan 1910. Son Henry

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- 67/67 cont'd married Carolina RUCH, 24 Jun 1903; son Noah married Margaret SCHILD, 9 Sep 1914. In Swiss Colony Cemetery, Mary Ann SCHOLER, 21 Sep 1846/24 Sep 1913; John SCHOLER, 31 Jan 1832/11 Jul 1921; Rosina NUSSBAUM, 3 Jun 1873/25 May 1932; Noah SCHOLER, 10 Feb 1880/16 May 1960; Margaret E. SCHOLER, 29 Aug 1892/17 Aug 1953; Jacob SCHOLER, 6 Aug 1884/12 Jun 1967; Henry SCHOLER, 31 Aug 1877/13 Mar 1963; Caroline SCHOLER, 6 Apr 1882/20 May 1956. In Fall Creek Cemetery, Daniel SCHOLER, 22 Nov 1875/24 Mar 1940; Katie P. SCHOLER, 18 Jan 1880/17 Aug 1968.)
- Joseph STOCKER, 37, farmer, born Switzerland; Maria, 38, born SW; Joseph, 10; Maria, 8; Josepha, 6; Elisabeth, 4; John, 2. (In 1900, Joseph, born Mar 1843, is a widower, immigrated to US in 1869; Josephina, born Mar 1876, 24; Albert, born Apr 1880, 20; Bertha, Feb 1882, 18. Son Joseph married Katie ANDEREGG, 23 Jul 1898 and in 1900 they have son, Joseph, born Apr 1899. In Swiss Colony Cemetery, Joseph, 19 Mar 1843/18 Nov 1908; Mary, wife of Joseph, 15 Aug 1844/31 Apr 1883.)
- 69/69 Mrs. ROSS, 54, widow; Willi, 16; Mary, 18; Nancy, 12; Anna, 8; George, 6; Timothy, 4. (From family history: Mrs. ROSS was Nancy BROWN ROSS, widow of Civil War veteran, John ROSS, Jr., son of John and Nancy TABOR ROSS. The name of John, Jr., was John Edward and he usually was called Ed. The children of Ed and Nancy ROSS: Jobe, b. 1853, md Delisha SPEEGLE; James M., b. Jun 1854, md Martha Jane RAMSEY; Sarah, b. May 1856, md George W. PICKETT; John Harrison, b. 1858, md Malinda MASSENGALE; Mary Jane, b. Oct 1860, md Sammy BROWN; Nancy Delaware, b. Sep 1865 md Timothy TATE; William Leroy, b. May 1863, md Samantha CHAMBERS; Gemima, born Oct 1868, md John VANHOOSER; George, b. c1874, md Kizzie LAYNE; Sam, b. Jan 1875, md Gertrude NUNLEY.)
- 70/70 Jessel TATE, 25, farmer; Anna, 23; Preston, 5; George, 3. (In "Tate Families of the Southern States", this family is identified as Jazile born c1853, son of Elisha and Frances Matilda WOOD TATE. He married Almira BOND c1874. In 1900, Sequatchie County, children are: James M. born Jan 1877; Lou M., born Oct 1884; Marion W., born Mar 1886; Laura B., b. Apr 1888; Edgar, born Feb 1890; William F., born Oct. 1892; Robert M., born Oct 1898. Per family researcher, Karen PICKETT, of Chattanooga, Robert M. was electrocuted 5 Nov 1925 for murder of Ed Condra. Jazile or Jezial is buried Cookston Cemetery, Sequatchie County: 15 Nov 1853/21 Nov 1930. Almira Anna, daughter of John and Martha DYKES BOND, buried in Cookston Cemetery: 13 Jun 1856/22 Apr 1945.)
- 71/71 Leo STOCKER, 45, farmer, born Switzerland; Philamina, wife, 36, born SW; Philamina, dau, 11; Anna, 9; Leo, 7; Joe, 5; Rosa, 2; Elisa, 1. (Leo, the father, is buried in the Swiss Colony Cemetery: Leon STOCKER, Sr., 2 Oct 1832/9 Mar 1887. In 1900, Philoma, born

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- 71/71 cont'd Jun 1845, 54, widow, 6 children/6 living, born SW; Philoma, dau, born Jul 1869, 30; Leo, born May 1874, 26; Joseph, born Aug 1877, 22; Lizzie, born Apr 1881, 19. Lizzie married Henry FLURY, 21 Jul 1907, and in 1920, they have children: Rosa Lee, Henry Stoker, Sammie, and baby son. In Tracy City Cemetery, Henry, 1878/1956; Elizabeth S., 1881/1954; child, born/died 22 Feb 1909. In 1920, son Leon STOCKER, is head of household, 47, single; Joe, brother, 45, single; Philima, sister, 49, single. In Swiss Colony Cemetery: Leon, 15 May 1873/14 Aug 1933; Philamina, 15 Jul 1869/26 Apr 1948; Joe, Aug 1875/9 Nov 1952.)
- Jessel TATE, 27, farmer; Fany, 29; Mallisa, 9; Elisa, 7; Norman, 6; Fallard, 1. (Jeseal was son of Elisha and Frances Matilda WOOD TATE. He received a license, in Grundy County, to marry Fanny LAYNE, 23 Apr 1879. Sequatchie Valley Bible Records say Fanny, or Frances, was daughter of Isaac LAYNE "who was married five times". Mallisa married Henry BRITTON, 31 Jan 1897 and is buried Sequatchie County, 9 Aug 1871/24 Mar 1918. In 1900, Sequatchie County, Jazeal, born Nov 1849, 50; Fannie, born Apr 1849, 51; Dillard, born Apr 1880, 20, married 1 yr. Fallard in the 1880 census was really named Dillard. He married Beulah CONDRA and also Carrie THURMAN CONDRA. In 1910, he and Beulah have Rufus, Theodore, Ira and Velma. In 1910, Jazeal and Fannie are living in the family of Robert and Mary HACKWORTH. They are buried Condra Cemetery: Jeseal, 23 Nov 1850/15 Feb 1930; Fanny, 22 Apr 1849/5 Aug 1919.)
- 73/73 Adam BORN, 30, farmer, born Ohio, of Swiss parents; Sarah, 29; Samuel, 1; Anna, mother, 53, widow, born SW. (On 30 Mar 1879, Adam married Sarah Media NUNLEY, probably daughter of Willis and Nancy NUNLEY. In addition to son Sam, census records show William K., born c1883, and Frank P., born c1885, who may have been their sons. In 1900, Adam, born May 1852, 48, married 8 years to Lizzie N., born Aug 1860, 39, 7 children/ 6 living; Jessey, born Dec 1892, 7; Lorenz, born Jun 1893, 6; Eddy, born Mar 1895, 5; George W., born Jul 1897, 2; Allimike, born Nov 1898, 1; Mabel, born May 1900. By 1910, Lizzie's name is shown as Lethie, 48, widow, with children Jessie, Lawrence, Edd, George, and Ollie Mike. Death certificate #31992 says Adam died of slow fever, 18 Jan 1910. In 1900, Marion County, son Sam BOAN, 20, is head of the household with brother, William K., born Mar 1883; sister, Easter E., born Dec 1884; and aunt, Easter NUNLEY, born Apr 1862. There is a marriage license for Sam BOONE and Maggie LAYNE, 23 Apr 1901 and one for Sam BONE and Alice MEEKS, Oct 18, 1903. In 1910, Marion County, Sam, 30, married 2nd; Allie, 22, married 1st; Ernest A., 5; Anthur A., 3; Martin L., 1; Millie NUNLEY, aunt, 61.)
- 74/74 Jac HUNDSICKER, 37, farmer, born Switzerland; Anna, 35, born SW; Fried, 9; Albert, 6; Lina, 4; Roth?, 2; Anna, 51, mother, widow, born SW; Casp. VON ALMON, 30, brother/law, farmer, born SW; Rosa, 25, born SW; son, 2. (In Gruetli Community Records, Jacob HUNZIKER, from Moolerau,

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- 74/74 cont'd Aargau, Switzerland, and wife, Elizabeth, nee HESS, had children: Albert, born 5 Oct 1874; Edward, born 21 Oct 1878, confirmed by Chas. August NUSSBAUM, 10 Apr 1892; Rosa Lina, born 28 Oct 1876; Emma, born 13 May 1880; Rosa, born 12 Aug 1882. In 1900, Jacob, born Nov 1840, immigrated 1870, 59; Elizabeth, born Jun 1842, immigrated 1870, 57, 7 children/4 living; Lina, 23; Edward, 21; Emma, 20; Rosa, 17. In Swiss Colony Cemetery: Jacob, died 1914; Elisabeth, died 1924; Fred, died Jul 1882; Albert, died Aug 1888; Edward, died Jun 1913. In Gruetli Community Records: Caspar VON ALMAN, born 28 May 1879, was christened 30 Nov 1879, parents were Caspar and Rosemarie, nee HUNZIKER, VON ALMAN.)
- 75/75 Mrs. HUNZIKER, 60, widow, born Switzerland. (Buried in Swiss Colony Cemetery: Maria, wife of T. N. D. HINZIKER, 1820-20 Sep 1885.)

END OF CIVIL DISTRICT 5

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CIVIL DISTRICT 6 - W. P. Barnes, Enumerator, 19 June 1880. (There are no dwelling/family visitation numbers. For purposes of this report, I have used CD 6-1, CD 6-2, etcetera to identify each family.)

- Richard SANDERS, 59, farmer, widower; Cansada, 27, dau; John M., 18; CD 6-1 Louisa V., 16; Martha, 12. (The given name Richard is confusing. All other records indicate this man to be G. C. SANDERS. In 1870, G. C. is 49; Lizzie E., 39; Malinda C., probably Cansadia, 18; Lukedy must be Leusetta, 13; Rufus L., 11; John H. or M., 8; Louisa V., 6; Martha, 3; Dick, 4 mos. Wife Lizzie and baby Dick probably are deceased by 1880. Leusetta married Albert ADAMS, 30 May 1875; Martha married Giles MORRIS, 9 Dec 1893; John M. may be the J. M. who married Renia SANDERS, 24 Dec 1897. From "Death Records of Grundy County" in Selected Newspaper Obituaries: G. C. SANDERS, died 1 June 1911. Old and well-known citizen of county, died last Sun. at home of son J. M. SANDERS, at Huntsville, Ala. Age 90. Buried near Tracy City at Sanders School House, a building he erected 30-40 years ago. Children: Cansadia PHIPPS, of Texas; Martha MORRIS, of Pelham; Louisa RODGERS, of Penna; Leusetta ADAMS, of Tracy; J. M. of Huntsville and R. L. of Dunlap. Brothers John R. and Porter SANDERS mentioned elsewhere in paper.)
- Greenberry SWEETON, 53, farmer; Minerva, 51, born SC; Joseph, 24; CD 6-2Hessa, 21. (Family researcher, John SWEETON, says parents of Greenberry are Robert and Margaret MYERS SWEETON. In 1860, Robert and Margaret are 61 and 54 years old and live near Greenberry. In that same year, the family of Green B., 35, and Molsey M., 33, are: Wm., 11; Francis, 11; Darcus C. A., 9; Cintha J., 7; Joseph T., 5; David, 3; Hessia E., 4 months. William married Cynthia T. NUNLEY, 11 Sep 1877; in 1880, they have children Charles and Lilly J. Cynthia Tampico SWEETON and inf. son are buried Hobbs Hill Cemetery: 1858-1900. William married 2nd Annie NUNLEY, 5 Apr 1903. Francis married M. A. E. BASWELL or BOSWELL, 2 Sep 1877. In 1910, Francis, 60, born GA; Eliza, 49, 10 children/6 living; William, 21; Mamie, 15; Frank, 12. Darcas married P. A. GRANTHUM, 3 May 1874. In 1880, Darcus, dau/law, is living with John and Cyntha GRANTHUM and has children: Charles, Lula, Callie, and Nannie. In 1910, Pleas A. GRANTHUM, 64, widower, is a boarder with Cynthia CALDWELL. Did Joseph marry Rutha SWEETON, 1 Sep 1890? David married Bette Ann DAVIS, 6 Jun 1878. In 1900, David, born Mar 1858, and Bettie A., born Apr 1858, have James, Frank, Myrtle, Nancy D., and Lillie May. Betty died 2 Oct 1929 and Dave W., 17 Jun 1934, buried Bonnie Oaks Cemetery.)
- CD 6-3 Carroll NUNNELY, 52, farmer; Mary, 49; W. H., 18; John R., 16; Lewis L., 14; Florenc, 11; Mary E., 8; Robert D., 5; Margaret, 1. (Carroll C. married Mary SWEETON, 6 Mar 1859. In 1860, C. C., 29, and Mary, 25, have Francis M., 5 months old, and living with them are Jerry, Sr., 88, born VA, and Jane, 70, born SC, parents of C. C.

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- CD 6-3 cont'd In 1900, son Francis, born Dec 1859, widower, with children Della, 18; Minnie, 15; William H., 10; Ida May, 6. From Death Records, we learn that son, William H. married Belle BIVENS. In 1900, William, born Dec 1861, 38; Belle, born Oct 1865, 34, 9 children/6 living; Joseph, 12; Alexandra (male), 8; Ovey, 6; Robert D., 4; Charles, 1. William H., age 48, died 15 Feb 1910, a miner, buried Tracy City, Death Certificate #31977. Nothing found on son, John R. unless he is the John NUNLEY, buried Hobbs Hill, 1 Aug 1867/18 Dec 1891. Daughter Florena married E. A. ADAMS, 24 Jan 1892 and in 1900: Ed, born Mar 1869, 31; Florena, born Dec 1875, 24; children are Marlin, 3, and Minnie, 1. In 1900, father Carol, born Nov. 1832, 67, married 41 years; mother Mary, born Oct 1833, 66, 9 children/6 living.)
- John SWEETON, 32, farmer; Margaret, 28; Rosetta B., 13; Greenberry, 11; David, 7; Ruth, 5; Cyntha A., 3; Robert, 1. (John married Margaret MEEKS, 17 May 1868, daughter of David and Ester MEEKS. In 1870, John, 29; Peggie, 21; Rose B., 3; Green B., 1; Ester MEEKS, 57. In 1900, John born Jun 1848, is a widower, with sons, William F., born Feb 1886, and George A., born Jun 1888. William F. married Minnie FULTS, 14 Jan 1906, daughter of Adrain and Drucilla TATE FULTS. William F. and Minnie had Lilly, Ernest and Walter before divorcing. George married Josi PENDER-GRASS, 13 Sep 1908, and in 1910 they have Bobby, age 3. Son David married Sarah YARWORTH, 19 Jul 1896. Family researcher, John SWEETON, says their children were: Andrew, Anthony E. Yant, Toy, Lucell, John Henry, Lilly Bell, and Mildred. Daughter Rosetta, 22 Sep 1866/30 Jul 1933, Bonnie Oaks Cemetery, seems to have had children: Martha J., May 1890; Robert Grant and Clarence A., Jul 1895; William J., c1900. Son Robert married Bettie MYERS, 27 May 1901, and in 1910, they have children: Eddy, Harland, Lenor, and Theola.)
- CD 6-5 Esther MEEKS, 70, widow. (In 1860, David MEEKS, 37; Ester, 47; daughter Peggy married John SWEETON, 17 May 1868.)
- CD 6-6 Judah GARNER, 68, widow. (Adam GARNER married Juda LOW, 19 Mar 1869. In 1860, Eranklin County: Adam GARNER, 67; Delitha, 67. In 1870, Grundy County: Adam, 77; Julia, 40, both born NC.)
- CD 6-7 Robert PHIPPS, 23; Rachael, 25; Martha, 7; John, brother, 22. (Robert married Rachel D. CAMPBELL, 9 Aug 1878. Robert may have been the 16 year old son of David and Eliza FIPPS, in 1870. He was witness to the will of Margaret SWEETON, Jan 1880. In 1900, Robert, born Aug 1858, 48; Rachel D., born Dec 1858, 48. Living with Robert and Rachel in 1910, is Biscena PARMLEY, sis/law, 34, widow. Brother John is a two-year old in 1860, son of David and Elizabeth. In 1920, John is 60 and single and living with him is brother Jack, 45, single.)
- CD 6-8 Jesse PARSONS, 55, farmer; Mary, 54; Joel, 21; Letha A., 17; America E., 16; Laura A., 14; Mattie, 12; Netty, 10; Jesse, 8. (1870 shows these earlier children in this family: Jonathan, 23; Minerva, 20; Liddie, 17; Thomas, 15; Carroll, 13. Jesse's wife

- CD 6-8 cont'd in censuses of 1850 thru 1870 is named Arminda or Amanda.

 Known marriages of children: Jonathan married Amanda NUNLEY,
 10 Aug 1871; Minerva married Hiram NUNLEY, 6 Nov 1870; Liddie, or
 Lyda married William NUNLEY, 13 Oct 1872; Thomas married Josephine
 NUNLEY, 29 Sep 1872; Letha A. married, as 2nd wife, Adam BORN,
 14 Jan 1892; Laura A. married William R. MEEKS, July 1880. In
 Grundy County Death Records: Minerva NUNLEY, age 72, died 6 Feb 1921,
 buried Parsons Cemetery, parents: Jesse PARSONS and Mandy SANDERS,
 Certificate # 343; Elizabeth SWEETON, age 59, died 3 May 1922,
 parents: Jesse PARSONS and Mandy SANDERS, Certificate #361;
 Mrs Mandy PARSONS, wife of Jonathan, age 72, died 28 Jun 1923,
 parents: Hiram NUNLEY and Annie SWEETON, Certificate # 190.)
- CD 6-9

 J. W. LOCKHART, 40, farmer; Caroline, 45; Henry P., 10. (John W. married Caroline SPRING, 12 Apr 1860, Warren County. In 1870, John W., 32; Eliza C., 36. In 1900, John A., born Feb 1838, 62; Elizabeth, born May 1834, 66; Henry, born Apr 1871, 29, single. By 1910, Henry, 38; Cleo, 33; Luceil, 9; Henry, Jr., 1. In Death Records, Caroline LOCKHART, age 82 yrs 11 mos, died 11 June 1916, born near Coalmont, father: Henry SPING?, born Penna, mother: Julia YOUNG, burial in Armstrong Cemetery, Warren Co., Certificate # 453. In Tracy City Cemetery: Henry LOCKHART, M. D., 5 Apr 1871/22 Jun 1928; daughter Beryl, 19 Mar 1904/2 Dec 1915; Altamont Cemetery: John W. LOCKHART, 4 Feb 1837/5 Nov 1931; Armstrong Cemetery: Elizabeth C. LOCKHART, 29 May 1834/11 Jun 1916.)
- CD 6-10 Max HINSINGER, 35, born Baden; Grossman, 30, born Baden; Anna, 10, born Baden; Lulla, 8, born Baden; Maxmillion, 6, born Baden; Herman, 4, born Baden; Mina, 2, born Baden; Egan, 3 mos, born Baden. (From Gruetli Community Records, Max HEINSINGER, from Konstanz, and wife, Lina nee GROSSMAN, had these children: Lulla, born 16 Sep 1873, christened 22 Mar 1875; Max, born 21 Jun 1874, christened 22 Mar 1875; Herman, born 1 Aug 1876, christened 28 Sep 1878; Mina, born 22 Apr 1878, christened 28 Sep 1878; Eugin, born 19 Mar 1880, christened 16 Jul 1882.)
- CD 6-11 Henry LEIZINGER, 43, farmer, born Switzerland; Margret, 43, born SW; Gabriel, 17, born SW. (In 1900, Henry, born May 1836, 62, md 34 yrs, immigrated 1869; Maggie, born Jun 1837, 62, 2 children/1 living, immigrated 1869; Gabe, born Sep 1863, 36, single, boarder in family of William and Dola SMITH. Gabriel married Margaret Lyda SMITH, 20 Jan 1901, and in 1910, they have Willliam, 8; Herman, 6; Gabe E., 2. Living with them is mother, Margarett LEITZINGER, 73, widow. In Swiss Colony Cemetery: Henry LEITSINGER, 2 May 1836/22 Feb 1906; Margaret KUBLI LEITSINGER, 20 Nov 1836/7 Dec 1913; Gabriel, Sep 1862/Jul 1943; Lydia M., Feb 1887/Jul 1932.)
- CD 6-12 Smith FULTZ, 57, farmer; Time C., 45; Thomas B., 21; Smith J., 16; Tennessee, 13; Delpha A., 12; Christina, 8; Jefferson, 5; Mary F., 3. (Smith married Timy SANDERS, 21 Feb 1856. In 1860, they have

- CD 6-12 cont'd children: James D., 9; Sarah A., 8; John L., 6; Thomas Buck, 1. John L. died 1866 and Thomas Buck died 1891. Delpha A. died 1887. Did daughter Tennessee marry William JOHNSON, c1886? In 1900, they live near Smith and Time and have a son named Smith and a daughter named Christine which seems to tie them to the Smith FULTS family. In 1900, Smith, born Aug 1822, 77; Tine E., born May 1839, 61; Christine, born Feb 1873, 27; Jeff Davis, born Jun 1874, 25. Jeff D. married Ann WILLIAMS, 18 Jul 1909, and in 1920, they have children: Annie C., Dorothy, Alma, and sister, Christine, 47, lives with them. In Tombstone Inscriptions of Grundy County by Charles A. SHERRILL: "Fults Cemetery #2 is about 1/2 mile south of Gruetli Station, on top of a hill entirely surrounded by strip-mined land." On a single FULTS stone: Smith, 28 Aug 1822/26 Sep 1908; his wife, Timia E., 1 May 1838/6 Oct 1912; John L., 27 Feb 1854/ Jun 1866; Thomas B., 10 Jan 1859/19 Aug 1891; Ferbia Virginia, 24 May 1861/11 Oct 1863; Philadelphia A., 11 Dec 1867/8 Nov 1887.)
- CD 6-13 Thos. CAMPBELL, 23, farmer; Vina, 18. (Thomas married Vina JOHNSON, 25 Apr 1880. By 1910, Thos. J. is 58 and Vinie is 49 and they have no children.)
- CD 6-14 Tenn LOCKHART, 40, widow; Joseph, 19; Anjan, 15; Lee Ann, 12; James, 7; Della, 5; Luella, 3. (James LOCKHART married Tennessee MASSANGALE, 4 Feb 1860. In 1870, James has occupation of County Register. Son James married Caroline SMARTT, 15 Jun 1893 and they are divorced by 1900. Della married Dock FULTS, 24 Aug 1893 and in 1900, they have children: Claud, Willie, Mary, and Sarah FULTS, mother, 58, divorced, lives with them. In Death Notices, Tennessee LOCKHART, 86, died of heart disease on 20 Nov 1923, buried Altamont, parents: Joseph and Mary MASSENGALE.)
- CD 6-15 Manna NUNNELY, 53, farmer; Mary, 42; Laura, 6; Albert, 5; Eudora, 2; Catharn NUNNELY, 80, widow, born NC. (In 1870, Emanuel, 43, and Mary, 32, live near Emanuel, 70, born NC, and Catharine, 70, born NC. Did daughter Laura Belle marry A. J. SANDERS, 22 Jul 1889? Son Albert married Adar NULY?, 17 Jul 1891, and in 1910 they have children: Ollie, Charles, Ider, Fannie, Henry, and Nellie. Eudora is probably the Dorie who married William DAVIS, 8 Jun 1899, and in 1900, William, born Mar 1865, 35; Dora, born Apr 1878, 22; Levana, born Jul 1880, 9; Sallie, born Jun 1882, 7; Mary A. NUNLEY, mo/law, born Aug 1837, 62, widow.)
- CD 6-16 Hu CAMPBELL, 42, farmer; Elizabeth, 48; Andrew J., 14; Mary, 11; Patrick, 9; Elizabeth, 6. (Can this possibly be William CAMPBELL who married Elizabeth LAWSON, 9 Dec 1858? In 1860, they had son, William H., 6 mos. Son Andrew J. W. married Della CAMPBELL, 20 Jun 1889. Her maiden name was STEPP, as proven by the will of W. C. STEPP, of Tracy City, dated 27 Apr 1899, in which he mentions his daughter, Dellia, wife of Andy CAMPBELL. Children of Andrew J. and Della seem to be John C., Hassie, Lester W., Bessie, and Andrew J.

- CD 6-16 cont'd In Death Records of Grundy County, From Selected Newspaper Obituaries: Andy CAMPBELL died Oct 1903. Daughter of Hugh and Elizabeth, Mary, may have married W. J. JONES, 21 Jul 1900. Son Patrick Claiborn married Sarah Jane SCOTT, 24 Mar 1892. In 1900, children are Dovie, Nellie, Martha. In 1910, Jane CAMPBELL, 38, widow, is living with Steve and Ellen SCOTT and has children, Dovie, Patrick and Cora. Elizabeth, daughter of Hugh and Elizabeth, may have married W. R. GIVENS, 15 Aug 1891. In 1900, Hugh, born May 1837, and Elizabeth, born Apr 1832, have living with them, grandchildren: Lillie M. E., 9; Nancy M. C., 7; Andrew J., 6. In 1910, Hugh, 72, widower, has grandchildren: Lillie, Andrew and Marthe living with him.)
- CD 6-17 Brit SWEETON, 45, farmer; Caroline, 39; Lutitia, 17; Mary, 15; Martha, 13; John, 6; Brit, 1. (Thomas B. married Caroline DAVIS, 20 Aug 1857. In 1860, they have son named James and 1870 adds Emeline, Mary and Martha. The child called Emeline in 1870 must be the Lutitia, 17, in 1880, who married Jackson FULTS, 22 Jul 1892. In 1900, Jack, born Jun 1863, 36; Louticia, born Aur 1863, 36; Henry B., born Nov 1892, 7; Alice H., born May 1895, 5; Thomas B., born Jan 1896, 4; Baby (Willie?), born Aug 1900, 7 mos. Death Certificate # 481, Luticia FULTS, age 54, died of bowel trouble, 9 Nov 1917, Coalmont, parents: Britton and Caroline DAVIS SWEETON. Daughter Martha is buried in Salem Cemetery, Warren County: Martha Jannie POTTER, wife of Zollie POTTER, daughter of Britton and Caroline DAVIS SWEETON, 22 Aug 1866/ 18 Jun 1945. Did son John marry Polly Ann SCOTT, 7 Jun 1893? In 1900 John, born Jul 1874, 25; Mary L., born 1880, 20; Harris B., born Jun 1894, 5; Ralf K., born Jun 1896, 3; May S., born May 1899, 1. Parents, Thomas Brit and Caroline are not found in Grundy County censuses after 1880.)
- Lafayette SWEETON, 21, coal digger; Mary, 25; Peyton, 1. CD 6-18 married Mary IRVIN, 17 Mar 1878, daughter of William and Jane IRVIN. Peyton married Ida WOMACK, 2 Jul 1896, and in 1910, they have son Floyd and daughter Edwin. Other children of Lafayette and Mary, as given in 1900: William E., 18; Matilda, 17; Savannah, 16; Frances, 14; Leticia, 11; Sidney, 9; Arthur Lea, 6; Carrie, 5; Anna, 2. Some marriages: William E. married Annie NUNLEY, 5 Apr 1903; Matilda married Lonzo GREEN, 11 Nov 1900; Savannah married Oscar BROWN, 4 Jan 1902. Death certificate # 169: Mary Ellen SWEETON, age 69, died of TB, 16 Jun 1924, buried Oak Grove, father Mr. IRVING.)
- Dave SWEETON, 24, coal digger; Elizabeth, 22; James, 11 mos (Jul). CD 6-19 (David, son of Greenbury and Manervia SWEETON, married Bettie Ann DAVIS, 6 Jun 1878. In 1900, David, born Mar 1858, 42; Bettie A., born Apr 1858, 42; James, born Jul 1879, 20; Frank, born Jul 1887, 12; Myrtle, born Mar 1889, 10; Nancy D., born Apr 1890, 10; Lillie May, born Dec 1897, 3. By 1910, they have added son, Livingston, In Bonnie Oaks Cemetery, Dave SWEETON, 20 Mar 1859/17 Jun 1934; Betty, 7 Apr 1859/2 Oct 1929; Frank, 1886-1918.)

- CD 6-20 Wm. SWEETON, 32, coal digger; Cintha T., 20; Charles, 4; Lilly J., 1. (William, son of Greenberry and Minerva SWEETON, CD 6-2, married Cyntha T. NUNLEY, 11 Sep 1877. Cyntha Tampico was daughter of David and Sarah NUNNELY, CD 6-24. In 1900, William, born Oct 1849, 50; Tampico, born 1863, 37; Ferby, born May 1883, 17; Nora B., born Nov 1894, 5. Cynthia Tampico SWEETON and inf. son are buried Hobbs Hill Cemetery: 1858-1900. William married 2nd Annie NUNLEY, 5 Apr 1903. In 1910, William, 62, md 2nd 7 yrs; Mary A., 50, md 1st, no children. Son Charles married Abbie BROWN, 20 Dec 1899, and in 1910, have children, Douglas, Marshall and Lyle. In 1920, added are Libbie and Carl. Daughter Libby J. married I. R. BROWN, 25 Dec 1895. In 1920, Isham R., 48; Lillie, 39; and children are Robert, Harvey and Gladys. In Hobbs Hill Cemetery: Charles P. SWEETON, 1875-1942; Abbie D. SWEETON, 10 Mar 1881/15 Jul 1957.)
- Frances SWEETON, 32, coal digger; Eliza, 19; Ida, 1. (Frances M., CD 6-21 son of Greenberry and Minerva SWEETON, married M. A. E. BASWELL OR BOSWELL, 2 Sep 1877. In 1900, Frances M., born Oct 1848, 51; Eliza, born Sep 1860, 39, 8 children/5 living; Susie, born Sep 1882, 17; Emma J., born Nov 1886, 13; Wm. A., born Mar 1889, 11; Mamie, born Sep 1894, 5; Franklin, born Sep 1897, 2. Daughter Ida married Augustus S. BROWN, 13 Aug 1893. By 1920, Augustus and Ida had children Clarence E., Lou, Efie, Eda M., Joe, Waland, Irene, Cora, Lillard, and Ida Grace. Susie, daughter of Frances and Eliza, married Arthur ARGO, 2 Jul 1900. In 1910, they have Melvin, Ruby, Carl, and Cebert. Death Certificate #473, Arther ARGO, 36 yrs 9 mos 20 das, died of TB 22 Aug 1916, parents: Russ? ARGO and Marthy HOBBS, buried Coalmont. Death Certificate # 137, Francis SWEETON, 69, died of dropsy, 6 Nov 1918, buried Parsons Cemetery, father: Green SWEETON and SULLIVAN.)
- CD 6-22 S. W. ADAMS, 55, farmer, born PA?; Susannah, 49, born PA; Phebe A. 19, born PA; Matilda, 13, born PA; Edwin R., 11, born PA. (Later records give place of birth for S. W., Susannah, Edwin, and Albert as Ind. On the Death Record of Albert ADAMS, CD 6-23, his parents are given as Solomon and Susan ROLETTE ADAMS, both of Ind. Son Edwin R. married Florance NUNLEY, 24 Jun 1894. In 1900, they have Martin, 3, and Minnie, 1. Edwin died 9 Mar 1908, "found dead" supposed suicide", buried Bonnie Oaks Cemetery. Florence married Lewis WARD, 29 Jul 1909, and in 1910, Lewis WARD, 40; Florence, 34; and these ADAMS children: Martin, 13; Minnie, 11; Cris, 8; Andrew, 4; Henry, 2.)
- CD 6-23 Albert ADAMS, 24, farmer, born PA?; Lucetta, 23, Charles, 4; William P., 9 mos. (Albert married Luzetta SANDERS, 30 May 1875, daughter of George C. and Malissa E. SANDERS. Son Charles married Dollie TATE, 30 Jul 1895, daughter of Calvin G. S. and Frances CHRISTIAN TATE. In 1900, Charles F., born Mar 1876, 24; Dollie, born Jul 1875, 24; Charles, born Apr 1896, 4; Joseph H., born

- CD 6-23 cont'd Joseph H., born Nov 1898, 1. Another child, Lena, 4 Aug 1897/6 Mar 1899, Hobbs Hill Cemetery. In 1900, Will, born Sep 1879, 20, lives in family of Jesse M. and Bell GIVENS. Also in 1900, Albert, born Oct 1855 in Indiana, 44; Lucetta, born Dec 1856, 43; Maggie, born Oct 1886, 14; Martha Matilda, born Apr 1889, 10. Martha M. married George W. SCHILD, 1 Sep 1913. In 1920, Albert, 64, divorced, lives alone. Leucetta, 62, divorced, has children: William P., 39, and Maggie, 34. In Death Records, Albert, 68, died of heart disease, 3 Oct 1923, born Ind., died at Freemont, buried Sanders Cemetery. Daughter Maggie buried Tracy City Cemetery: 3 Oct 1885/11 Dec 1970. Son Charles F., buried Fall Creek Cemetery: 6 Mar 1876/28 Oct 1963; wife Dorothy, Hobbs Hill Cemetery: 28 Jul 1876/17 Jun 1952.)
- Dave NUNNELY, 64, farmer; Sarah, 65; Mary J., 12, grdau. CD 6-24 David, 30; Sarah, 33; Jeremiah, 11; Cely, 9; M. A., 8; (In 1850 6; Pheriba, 6; John L., 4; Delhiha, 3; Fry C., 2; Tennessee, 5 mos. Additional children listed thru 1870: Sarah T., Davis, George, Ester, and Tampico. Some marriages: Jeremiah married Letty JOHNSON, 9 Jan 1859; Sealey married William NYERS, 27 Aug 1857, and in 1860, they have Telitha, 2, and Casper, 3 mos. No marriage is found for Pheriba, but in Death Records, Ferby ADAMS, age about 73, died 19 Oct 1917, of cancer of the womb, father was Dave NUNLEY and mother was Sarah BROWN, buried Hobbs Hill, Certificate #477. Delphy married Joel DOTSON, 4 Jul 1872; Tennessee married Adam WILCOX or WILCOXEN, 14 Mar 1868; Davis, called David, Jr. married Letha A. WILCOX, 2 Sep 1872; George married Mollie PHIPPS, 26 Sep 1880.)
- CD 6-25 Dave PHIPPS, 68, farmer; Elizabeth, 45; Mary A., 22; Molly, 16; Louisa, 13; David, 11; Jack, 7; Charles, 5; John, 20. (In 1850, David, 35; Elizabeth, 19; Margaret, 8 mos; Mary PHIPS, 80, born NC. By 1870, children added are Robert, Mary A., Mollie, Louisa, and James D. Some marriages: Molly married George NUNLEY, 26 Sep 1880; Louisa married Alexander CAMPBELL, 22 Feb 1896, and in 1920, Louisa CAMPBELL, 54, widow, with brother, Jack PHIPPS, 46. Robert married Rachel CAMPBELL, 9 Aug 1878, and in 1920, Robert, 56, and Rachel, 58, 3 children/2 living. David married Maggie NUNLEY, 7 May 1901. In 1900, Margret E. PHIPPS, born Oct 1850, 49, 2 children/ 2 living; John L., born Aug 1886, 13; Robert L., born Aug 1887, 12; brother John, born Aug 1859, 41, lives with her, and also aunt, Mary J. SWEETON, born Oct 1847, 52, widow, 11 children/7 living. Mary A., 22 years old in 1880, died of paralysis, 23 Mar 1918, age about 60, single, born Coalmont, parents: David and Elizabeth SWEETON PHIPPS, buried Parsons Graveyard, Death Certificate # 25.)
- CD 6-26

 Hiram NUNNELY, 58, cooper; Minerva, 30; Russel, 9; Kelly, 18; Riley NUNNELY, 72, widower. (In 1850, Hiram, 21, lives in Marion County, near Amanuel NUNNELY. Wife is named Mary, 18, and son is William, 9 mos. In 1860, Hiram, 37, is in Grundy County, with wife

- CD 6-29 cont'd 1 Nov 1919, born Ind., father: Jas CURTIS, mother: Mary PRIEST, born Penna, informant: Arthur CURTIS, Coalmont. In 1920, Phebe Ann CURTIS, 59, widow, has daughter, Burtha, 32, living with her. In same census: Arthur R. CURTIS, 34; Minnie, 30; Willi Mae, 11; Margaret, 9; Arthur Roy, 6; Aleene, 4; Edwene, 2; John D., 11 mos. Death Certificate #476: Aleen CURTIS age 5, died 15 Feb 1920, father: Arthur CURTIS, mother: Miss LOVELACE.)
- CD 6-30 Z. NUNNELY, 54, farmer; M. E., 52; S. E., dau, 24; C. C., dau, 22; Mary, 18; Jane, 16; Wm., 14; Nancy, 12; Jerry, 10; Jesse, 8; Minerva, 6. (The enumerator gave this head of the household a 2nd initial, which could be "M." He is believed to be Alexander or Zander son of William NUNLEY. He married Elizabeth HOBBS, daughter of Richard, Sr., in the 1840s. They are in Grundy County censuses beginning in 1850 when their children are Jessee, 5, and John, 1. Elizabeth was bearing children for almost 30 years, about 1845 to 1874. Some children's names are confusing. There was a Jessee born c1845 and a Jesse born c1872; A William born c1856 and another William born c1866. Daughter Sarah, born Aug 1852, married Reuben SMARTT, 13 Mar 1869 and, in 1900, Elizabeth NUNLEY, mo/law, born Mar 1823, 77, widow, is living with Sarah and Reuben. Son John, born 4 Mar 1850, married Mary L. TATE, 30 Apr 1873, daughter of Francis Marion and Polly BOST TATE. John died 11 Jun 1887 and widow Mary married Russell BROWN. In the 1900 census, Russell and Mary have these NUNLEY children in their household: Alexandra, 24; Della, 21; Leonard B., 16. Other children of John and Mary TATE NUNLEY were William F., Maggie, and Burton. Zander's son, William, 4 years old in 1860, married, 18 Feb 1875, Martha Ada TATE, sister of Mary L. TATE NUNLEY.)
- CD 6-31 Robert COUNTESS, 35, farmer; R. C., 34, wife; Wm., 8; Virginia, 3. (In 1860, Robert, 12, is son of Pleasant Henderson and Susanah COUNTESS. He married 1st Elizabeth A. SARTAIN, 2 Feb 1868. Only living child is William, born c1872. Elizabeth A. COUNTESS, 12 Feb 1849/27 May 1874, Bethel Cemetery. Also two infant daughters buried there. Robert married Arminda C. SARTAIN, 12 Nov 1874. In Grundy County Wills and Estates, 6 Sep 1887, Robert COUNTESS is admr. of L. D. SARTAIN, heirs are Clementine, wife of Benj. BRAZEEL and minor son of the admr. In Payne's Church Cemetery, Franklin County: Robert COUNTESS, 8 Sep 1847/
 _____; Abrinda C. COUNTESS, 23 Dec 1845/8 Jan 1916.)
- CD 6-32 Silas BRAZILE, 25, born AL; Martha, 20; John, 4 mos. (In 1870, Silas York, 15, is son of Lunas and Matilda BRAZZEL. In 1900, Silas, born May 1850, 50, born AL; Martha, born Jan 1858, 42, 2 children/ l living; Norris, born Jan 1880, 20. On 22 Sep 1904, Norris married Mary NATE. In 1910, Norris and Mary have daughter, Dorothy A., 5, and mother, Martha, 54, widow, lives with them. Death Certificate No. 31828, Mary M. BRASEEL, age 23, died 15 Nov 1910, born and died in Pelham.)

- named Anna, 28. Children are: William C.; Amanda, Christ C.; CD 6-26 cont'd Henderson M; Margarett C. By 1870, Hiram, 46, is a widower, Henderson is called Monroe, and added child is Green, 8. Hiram married Minerva PARSONS, 6 Nov 1870. In 1900, Hiram, born Nov 1822, 77; Minerva J., born May 1849, 51, 6 children/6 living. Son Russell, born Mar 1872, married Nancy WARD, 1 May 1892. In 1900, Russell is 28; Nancy, born Apr 1875, 25; Ada, born 1892, 7; Emanuel, born 1895, 5; Charles, born 1896, 4; Vester Lee, born 1898, 1. From Death Records we learn that son, Kelly, married Neva HASKINS. In 1900, Kelly, born Nov 1861, 38; Nervy, born Oct 1866, 33; Joe, born Aug 1883, 16; Savannah, born Feb 1886, 14; Kate, born Apr 1892, 8; Carol, born Apr 1892, 7; Henry, born Aug 1895, 4; Bessie, born Oct 1898, 1. Death Certificate # 457: Joe Nunley, age 35, died 7 Mar 1917, of TB, father: Kelly NUNLEY, mother: Nerva HASKINS. In 1850, William R. NUNLEY, 42, born NC, and wife, Nancy, 41, born VA, had Delila TURNER, 19, living with them. In 1860, W. R. and Nancy are in Warren County and have these nine children living with them: Mary LOW, 15; Taylor LOW, 14; Lucinda LOW, 11; Robert LOW, 9; Jane NUNNELLY, 13; Madison NUNNELLY, 10; Cyntha NUNNELLY, 8; Adaline NUNNELLY, 7; James PARSONS, 12. "Beersheba Springs - A History" says William Riley NUNLEY married 1st Nancy STEPP, and 2nd Susan BOULDIN.)
- Delila PEARSON, 47, widow; Wm. R., 25; James, 20; Miles H., 18; Isaac W., 12; George W., 8. (Info on this family is scant and confusing. Delila seems to be the Delila TURNER, 19, living with William Riley and Nancy NUNLEY, in 1850. She married James MEEKS, 14 Jul 1853 and in 1860 they have children: William R., 5; Nancy E., 3; Britton, 5 mos. Son William R. NUNLEY, 5, in 1860 could be the William R. PEARSON, 25, in 1880. There is a marriage for George PEARSON to Nancy McCOY, 25 Jul 1891, Grundy County. George Douglas PEARSON is buried in Hebron Cemetery, in Warren County: 19 Jun 1872/20 Sep 1942, son of James & Delila TURNER PEARSON, husband of Nancy McCORKLE.)
- CD 6-28 H. GEISSLER, 53, single, farmer, born Saxony.
- Jarius CURTIS, 57, stone mason, born Mass; Mary, 55, born CAN; Edward, 21, born CAN; Emma, 19, born CAN. (In 1870, Jirus, 47, born Mass, Mary E., 45, born Conn; D. P.(m), 22, born Mass; Edward, 11, born Ind; Emma E., 9, born Ind. In Grundy County Wills & Estates, Will of Jarius CURTIS, dtd 10 Aut 1894: estate to be divided equally between son Edward and daughter Emma E. ROGERS. Heirs of son Dennis P. already have their inheritance. Emma married P. H. RODGERS, 29 Jan 1893, and in 1900, Pleas H., born Aug 1857, is a widower. Son Edward married Phebe A. ____, in the 1880s, and in 1900, Edward, born Aug 1858, 41; Phoeby A., born Oct 1860, 39, 4 children/4 living; Caroline, born Aug 1883, 16; Arthur, born Dec 1885, 14; Willie B., born Nov 1890, 9. Did Arthur marry Minnie LOVELACE, daughter of George and Margaret LOVELACE? In 1910, Arthur, 24; Minnie, 21; Willie, 1; William, brother, 18. In Death Records: Edward Lewis CURTIS, age 61, died

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By Dola S. Tylor

- John PATTON, 44, single; Margaret PHIPPS, 28, single, housekeeper; CD 6-33 Marion SWEETON, 17; R. B. HILL, 13; F. M. SWEETON, 10; Jemima SWEETON, 7. (In 1870, there is a John PATTON, 32, son of Alex and Mary PATTON, of Pelham. That's all that is found on anyone of this In 1860, in the family of David and Elizabeth PHIPPS is: Margarett E., 10; Robert, 8; Mary Ann, 5; John, 2. In 1900, brother John, born Aug 1859, 41, lives with Margret E. Nearby are: sister Mary PHIPPS, born May 1856, 44, widow, 1 child/1 living; mother Elizabeth PHIPPS, born May 1833, 67, widow, 9 children/ 8 living and her son, Jack, born Aug 1873, 27, single; brother Robert, born Aug 1858, 48, married 20 years to Rachel CAMPBELL, born Dec 1858, 48. In 1870, Marion B., 7, and R.B., 3, are living with a Margaret SWEDEN, 62. Since nothing is found on the name R. B. HILL 13 in 1880, perhaps he is R. B. SWEDEN, 3, in 1870. In Bonnie Oaks Cemetery: Marion Britton SWEETON, 11 Apr 1863/1 Oct 1926. Perhaps F. M. SWEETON, 10 in 1880, is the No Name Infant, male, 3 mos old in 1870, in family of Joseph and Mary SWEETON. See CD 6-25.)
- CD 6-34 R. B. ROBERTS, 47, single, farmer, born AL. (R. B. ROBERTS can be found in 2 previous census records but ages are questionable. In 1860, he is 37, born AL, living with Philip ROBERTS, 53, born NC. In 1870, R. B. is 48, born AL, and living with him are: J. T. ROBERTS, 30, born AL; Almita J., 24, born AL; Richard KILGORE, 25, farmer, born TN.)

I certify that I have this day completed my enumeration of the District assigned me and that the returns have been duly and truthfully made in accordance with law and my oath of office, this 30th day of June 1880.

W. P. Barnes, Enumerator

P.S. in looking over my work I find more names than I have reported—I find 1342.

W. P. Barnes
Enumerator

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President's Message Catherine Flury

This year is almost at an end and the year 2000 has been a fruitful one for the Root Cellar. We have moved into our new library and have so much more room. We have added a number of useful research books and several people have donated their family history books. We are in the process of housing the Grundy County Court's Loose Papers. The microfilm is on file at the court house. As we do not have a reader-printer, the loose papers will be a great benefit to our library. We also had a large number of Native American research and history books donated to our library by Nita Henderson. We have recently had a Pow Wow organization started here by James Meeks who recently died but the work is being carried on by his son Tim Meeks. These books will be very helpful to those searching for their Native American heritage.

We have had a lot of visitors to the Root Cellar this year from many states. They have been pleased with what they were able to find in their research. A number of those who came to the library have joined our Society. It is nice meeting people that have their roots in Grundy County.

We are looking forward to the Holiday Season. We will join the Tracy City Library for Open House in December. Wishing all of you a Merry Christmas and a Happy 2001 with many genealogical successes.

Acquisitions

Thomas Brown History & Picture
Coulson Book of Coffee County
Descendants of William M. Harris & Martha Roddy
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Cherokee Book
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Loose Papers 1840-1940

Jacine Denton
Dola S. Tylor
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Bob Douglas
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Queries

Janice Mullally-- I am looking for parents or other siblings of Martha Louiza (or Louise) PHILLIPS born May 15, 1870, supposedly in Tracy City, TN. Married Oct. 7, 1988, in either Tracy City or Beersheba Springs, TN. She married Melchoir SCHILD, son of Peter and Anna Fuchs Schild formerly of Breinz but resided in Beersheba Springs, TN. E-mail: bedofroses4@webtv.net

Joseph E. Schild, Jr.-- Posting info on the Peter SCHILD and Anna Fuchs family and descendants. If you need information, contact me. I am searching for info on where they first settled ie. Swiss Colony or other? They are buried at Beersheba Springs and lived at the Otey Cottage for some time, but just where did they first live after arriving in the U.S.? E-mail: rhodojoe@mindspring.com

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A Note from the Editor Nancy G. Parmley

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all of our members. The past year has been a big success and I hope it will be continued in 2001.

My personal wish for the coming year is that interest in the Historical Society will continue to grow. I want to encourage participation in submitting material for the Root Cellar and the Pathfinder. Many people have contributed in the past and I hope this will continue. Without your participation, our organization would flounder. I also encourage everyone who reads the pathfinder to share it with friends. There are many others who have a wealth of information to share. If anyone has any new ideas please share them with me. E-mail me at: CParmley@blomand.net. I look forward to hearing from you.

Best of luck to you all in the coming year!

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Grundy County Historical Society meets the 2nd Wednesday of each month at the Tracy City Library at 2:00 P.M. Dues are \$10.00 for each calendar year. Each calendar year begins June 1st.

Everyone is welcome! Come join us!

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According to records of the Post Office Department now in our custody, a post office was established in Tracy City, Grundy County, on September 14,1858. It was discontinued on May 25, 1868 and reestablished on September 11,1868. Names of postmasters and dates of their appointments were:

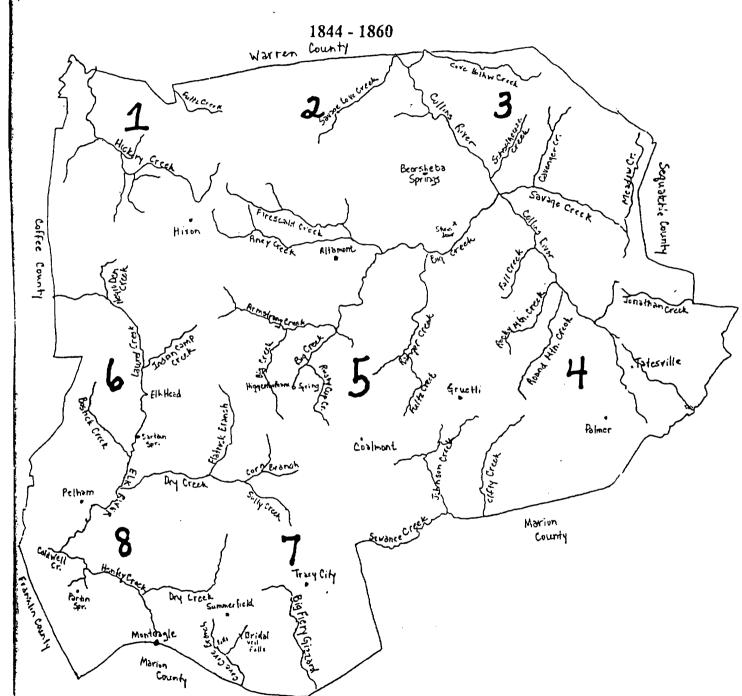
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APPROXIMATE CIVIL DISTRICT BOUNDARIES



District 9 was formed in 1854 out of District 2

The waterways in this diagram are based on the Grundy County map which appears in the Tennessee Atlas & Gazetteer published in 1992 by DeLorme Mapping of Freeport, Maine

The Civil District boundaries in this diagram are based on a study of landmarks and waterways mentioned in the deeds abstracted in the following pages, and were estimated by the author.

They show only approximate boundary locations.

4-B-THE GRUNDY COUNTY HEPALD, Thursday, January 30, 1986

Beersheba & Grundy County Grew Together Records Show

To celebrate Grundy County's beginnings in this statewide Homecoming year, many residents are searching court records for historical information and little-known facts that will add to their community's observance of "who we are and how we got to be that way."

Margaret Coppinger of Beersheba Springs was one of the first Grundy Countians involved with Homecoming '86. Her community began making plans for the event shortly after Gov. Lamar Alexander issued his inaugural invitation for Tennesseans to search their roots, community by community, and find out what each town has that we never want to lose...and take steps to see that we don't."

As long-time historian for the Beersheba Springs area, Margaret already had spent countless hours researching the people and places that make her area unique. She is a member of the historical society which, several years ago, published a Beersheba Springs history.

Mrs. Coppinger and members of the historial society recently began tracking down former residents, like descendants of the family that once owned Savage Gulf, to invite them abome for this year's big doings.

She says new street signs have been erected in the town, several mini-parks established, and walking trails through the historic district restored. Residents also are planming a town parade, home tours, and a huge July 4 celebration.

Some of these efforts will remain when the year is past, and could become traditions themselves. One such project is the Beersheba Cain ball planned to honor the town's founder. Mrs. Cain is credited with the discovery, in 1833, of the Chalybeate spring that gave the community a reason for being.

Within a year, her husband had purchased land on the mountain, and erected several log cabins near the bluff. Others followed, and the area was on its way to becoming a boom-ing health resort.

During its early years, Beersheba Springs was part of Warren County. Grundy came into being in May 1844 when surveyors took parts of Warren and Coffee counties (which included land that had been part of Franklin County) to make the new mountain domain. A portion of Marion was added later.

Many residents from Grundy's first communities, those that once were part of other counties, are listed in court records as those instrumental in laying out and providing guidance for the fledgling county. Mrs. Coppinger noticed them recently while researching another matter at the courthouse in Altamont, and thought early court news might be of interest to HERALD readers during this homecoming year. The first installment contains information from January meetings held 1840-1864. Tidbits from February bessions will be printed in Februar-

JANUARY 1845—The first January meeting of the Grundy County Court was held five months after the county was established, on Jan. 6, 1845. The group met at the home of Jesse Wootten on Cumberland Mountain where they continued to meet for several years. John Burrows was chairman.

The court appointed one man from each of the eight districts to bring

lists of taxable property in their respective districts to the April term of court. A road was laid out in Pelham with James Harrison appointed as overseer. James Meeks was appointed for a road from for the end of Thomas Sanders' lane to the top of the mountain at Isaac Meeks' property. He would oversee "all the hands in the Sixth and Seventh Districts that are subject to work on the public roads."

Isaac Roberts, A.M. Blair, Daniel Fults, Noah Bost, William Killon and Jesse Wootten were appointed commissioners to lay off the County of Grundy into common school districts. The court ordered that a tax be levied for county purposes for the year 1845, to wit: 37½ cents on each \$100 worth of property; 10 cents on each jack or stud horse; \$4 on each

merchants license; \$2.50 on each hawkers or peddlers license; \$1 on lawsuits; \$1 on indictments; 10 cents on pleasure carriages; and 10 cents ad valorem on watches and jewelry. Philip Roberts was appointed revenue collector for 1845. David Burrows was elected coroner for two years; Silas J. Roberts, surveyor of Grundy for four years; Barney Burrows, entry taker for four years; and Richard Bradford, ranger.

JANUARY 1846—Very little was done at this meeting except to raise the tax levy to 45 cents per \$100. The high sheriff, Philip Roberts, was allowed \$15.50 for all his services from the first Monday in August 1844 to the first Monday in January 1846.

JANUARY 4, 1847—The tax was

JANUARY 4, 1847—The tax was changed to 50 cents per \$100, and the ad valorem on watches and jewelry went up to 20 cents.

Acting on a petition from citizens of Collins River, the court ordered a committee be appointed to lay off and mark a road from the Warren County line to intersect the turnpike road at Middle Peak. A large number of workers, both free men and slaves, were assigned to the overseer, Noah Bost.

JANUARY 3, 1848—Trustee John Burrows was allowed \$1 for a book to "keep the record of paying out the school fund." John Wilson was given \$5.39, and Samuel Tate, \$7, for helping with the burial of paupers.

A road was planned for the foot of the mountain in Burroughs Cove to Pelham with William H. Tate as overseer. Elijah Walker was appointed overseer of the Middle Ridge Road "from the foot of the mountain to where it intersects with the road leading from Beersheba to Hunters" Mill."

JANUARY 1, 1849—This meeting was held at the new courthouse in Altamont. Justices appointed Revenue Commissioners for 1849 were Alford Braley of District 1; Richard Stepp, Dist. 2; John Fults, Dist. 3; William P. Barnes, Dist. 4; William McCraw, Dist. 5; James Sartain, Dict. 6; A.M. Blair, Dist. 7; and David Morley, Dist. 8. Marshall

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Fults was bound to John Fults "uhtil he answers to the age of 21." It was ordered by the court that tax on Squire Hunters' land be reduced to 6834 cents.

JANUARY 7, 1850—Joseph Vickers and Richard Stepp were elected coroner and ranger, respectively. Both men made bond and took oath. The county tax collector, James Coulson, returned a list of delinquents amounting to \$8.60.

JANUARY 6, 1851—Attending this session were Richard Bradford, William McCraw, Harris Gilliam,

Alfred Braley, John Fults, Carter Scruggs, Richard Stepp, Thomas Warren, Anderson Goodman, Samuel Christian, David Moseley, James E. Reilly, William P. Barnes, Benjamin Roberts and John Dugan.

A road was laid out from the Warren County line, to William P. Barnes' gate. Sanders Dykes was appointed overseer "of a road called Middle Ridge in room and stead of John Dykes.

JANUARY 5, 1852—Justices of the quoram who served in 1851 were allowed \$1 for each day served, and for each day they may serve in 1852." A report was ordered on the possibility of changing the stage road near John Dugan's home.

JANUARY 3, 1853—T.D. Smith asked that \$9 be appropriated to compensate him for furnishing coffins for poor people. A committee was appointed to set apart a year's support for the minor children of B.B. Cunningham, deceased.

JANUARY 1854—The tax for peddling, either in a vehicle or on horseback, was raised to \$10; for exhibiting a slave, \$10; keeping a stallion, \$75; retailing spirits, \$25. Court ordered that \$15 be paid to both Alfred Norris and John Smith, paupers.

JANUARY 1, 1855-New taxes included 25 cents for school purposes and 55 cents for the county on each \$100 worth of property; 2 cents for relief of paupers; \$25 for the privi-lege of tippling; and \$25 on each hawker or peddler. Samuel Perry, a pauper, was placed in the care of the lowest bidder, Jonathan Scott. Filey Ann, 11, was bound to Elizabeth

Walker until age 18. I.K. Mullins was allowed \$179 for repairing a bridge across the Elk River between Pelham and the mountain. The court ordered that Hills' Turnpike Road be changed to a public road.

JANUARY 7, 1856—No increase in taxes. John J. Crossland and Elisha Crossland were fined \$2 each.

JANUARY 5, 1857-Carter, Scruggs was allowed \$52.50 for serving as tax assessor. John Dykes) proved in court the killing of a wildcat and was given a certificate. William S. Brown and John G. Tate were allowed \$1.90 "in the way of a release of poll tax as ministers of the gospel to be paid out of any marrying (in the county.'

JANUARY 4, 1858-Sheriff Samuel Christian was allowed \$93.35 for services rendered. Moses Patrick was named guardian of Wesly Nunley, minor orphan of John Nunley, William S. Brown proved in court the killing of a wildcat and received a certificate.

 JANUARY 1859—James Knight was appointed keeper of weights and measures. H.B. Northcut was named guardian of Beersheba Scott, a minor heir. Stephen Perry made bond for the safekeeping of Samuel Perry, a pauper

JANUARY 1860—The deputy sheriff, John Hobbs, was ordered to purchase a lock for the courthouse door and "get up all the courthouse chairs and water buckets and keep them locked securely so that no person can carry them away from the Altamont courthouse. William C. Hill was allowed \$33.25 to finish paying for the bridge across Big Creek

on the Tracy City road. JANUARY 1861—F. Marion Walker was appointed guardian for John Stepp.Attending this meeting were Justices, William Winton, H.A. Campbell, A. Northcutt, E.H. Smith, Leden Brown, Silas Lankford, Jazeal Tate, Carter Scruggs, A.E. Colston, I.W. Bryant, Elijah Walker, Sanders Dykes, John Winton, S.P. Cope, John W. Hale and G.W. Parks.

JANUARY 1862-Jonathan Scott, administrator of Huel Scott, deceased, appointed a committee to lay out a year's provisions for the widow, Sarah Scott. A.R. Layne was allowed \$3 for making a coffin for William Fults. Jesse Coppinger and Joseph Tate each proved in court th killing of a wildcat.

An oath was prepared as follows: "I do solemnly swear that I will support the constitution of the Confederated States of America. So help me God."

JANUARY 1863-A. Northcutt was appointed guardian of Caldona Bost, Jefferson Bost, Rachel Bost and William Whitman, minor heirs of Noah Bost

JANUARY 1864—Minutes taken at this meeting were the last until July 1865. The skirmish between federals and confederates took place in Tracy City on Jan. 20, 1864. JANUARY 1866 A committee named to lay off a year's supply for Elizabeth Bryant and family of nine suggested: 75 bushels of corn, 20 bushels of wheat, 1,000 pounds of pork, \$30 worth of cotton, \$30 for coffee, 100 pounds of sugar, 300 pounds of lard, and \$20 for shoe leather. It totaled \$395 for the

John J. Walker, who was responsible for three colored children bound to him some years earlier, was released from his obligation as "said free colored children had run away from him during the rebellion.

William C. Smith, H.B. Northcutt, J.M. Bouldin, John Scruggs and Robert Sanders were elected trustees for Altamont Academy. A number of other men were appointed guardians of widows or minor children, and overseers of local roads as the county court got back in full swing following the war.

In the early 1830's some Franklin County resignated to be cut off and made into another county which was to be named Jones County. It was to be created from Ween & Franklin Counties only and was to include the headwaters of the (Elk River Valley) petitioned to become a part of Coffee County in Oct. 1837, giving reasons of being remotely situated dinary business there. They proposed this territory to be annexed into Coffee County: Beginning at the Southeast corner of Mountain to the Marion County line - thence with the Marion County line to the Coffee County line - thence with the Ines of said Coffee County to the Beginning embracing the settlements on the head of Elk River - for which as in duty bound we will ever pray. (original spellings used)

W. S. Mooney John Wilson Joh Morfow David Willis John B. Graham R. T. Roberts Joseph Willis Jesse Cornelison McClellan McDaniel Moses Phips John Burry John, McKelvey Richard Person Thomas Sanders Eles Person Jesse Larson Henry Jourden A. E. Patton Taswell Spain James Meek isaac Meeks Jourden Sanders David Bowleri Elijah McDaniel William Keith Charles Green David Tate A. E. Conn Wm. W. Crabtree S. P. Goodman Richard Bradshaw Sutha Sanders John W. Bell John G. Burrus - Wm. Hicks Morgan Price John Jones Samuel Paine? N. Turner William W. Sims William Harper o James Harper Henry Martin James Petv John Price Wm. C. Graham Anthony Burrows, Jur. Pleasant Nevill

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Samuel Burrows Jesse Spain Anthony Burrows Sen. James R. Sartain S. P. ? Cope? John H. T. Bell A. S. Goodman Samuel Austell John Crockett, Sen. John G. Bostick, Jun. William C. Crockett John T. Crockett Wiley Harp William B. Miles Henry M. Ballard Robert Taylor Jas. Howard James M. Sheid B. F. Payne R. L. Singelton Charles Rowland Philip Roberts D. G. Goodman Joseph Crawford John King Bengaman Morow Wm. Ward Thomas L. Gunn Chastelton Ward Bergis Wals (or z) Daniel Wals (or z) James W. Stamps William Perkins Wm. Dunaway Signor Thomas H. Cowan Nickerson Pulley John Cate Samuel Thompson Joseph T. Mileham Harison Cornelisan George W. Loveless Lawson Wileman William McCowan John Harker Allen Mason Robertson Nevill Stewart Cowan Wm. Harris Daniel Ivey James Gorden Levi Craddock Arthur Grayham

Silbourn Jones Joseph Jackson David Cox Nathan Cox James Mayo David Muckleroy Wm. H. Burrows Jesse M. Gotcher George W. Payne Ephriam Phillips Wm. Spayn David Burrows James Roberts Benjamin Todd Sen. David Parish Benjamin Todd Jun. Robt. Lackety, Sr. Wm. Riley Wm. Ballard Samuel Tate John Cate, Jur. John M. Caylor? Smith Blanton Miles Taylor George Miller Zacharihar Burgess Joseph E. Burroughs William M. Hopkins Ranker Tate Wilis McEvow? Beni. Taylor James P. Walker Andrew McGowen James (X his mark) Reed Elijah Cates Jacob D. Stephenson William Stroud, Jun. Thomas Wileman James Wileman James Wilkinson John Hunter Elias Smith Lovel D. Sartain Wiley Malom James Sartain J. W. Ikard Harris Gillam Jas. Thomas David McGown John W. Morrow Samuel McGown

Larkin Bethel Wm W. Thompson G. N. Pully Roland Davis John Smith W. B. Wilson Charles Cooper William Warran Allen Bratcher Jesse Eskinds Hosey Rinals (covered by fold) George W. Thompson (torn) Tucker Elijah Cornelison T. P. Stephenson G. W. Chapman James R. Harris Isham Womack Henry Gotcher William Stephenson Andrew J. Harris Thomas McGown Spencer Glasscock John Harp Wiley Harp Washington Riley William Rankin Benton C. Stonestreet John Rankin Andrew Gillum John Cagil William Harp John Forsythe Josiah Wilkins John A. Smith Lever Rowland Cyrus Warren Robi. Lackey, Jr. Brisan Willis Charles Sawyers? Isaac M. Wilkinson George Milliken John Hilton John Wileman Eliisha Stonestreet Harrison Wilson John Mileham Coleman Mileham Luther O. Goodman Davis J. Pattie Thomas B. Loveless

George Roberts

James Jackson, Jun. Thomas Burraws Geo. W. Thomas, Jun.

Charles Rowland (dup.) Philip Roberts (dup.) James N. (Y.?) Moore

John B. Webb Jonas Webb John Burrows

Bans Tomas Peter Vibert William Thompson

BELL'S COVE

The name Bell's Cove comes from an early settler, Harriss Bell, whose son built and operated a water powered grist-mill on Elk River near where Elston and Shelby (Henley) Clay now live. The 1850 census of Grundy County shows Harriss, age 27; his wife, Rachel, 24; William O., 5; Margaret J., 2. By 1860, to his family had been added Robert L., 10; John, 8; and Mary M., 1. Living with the family was Jesse Laxon, 65.

According to Jim Scott, who is 105 years old, Frank Bell built Bell's Mill. Jim tells of Frank Bell, the miller, and of his boys, Charles and Sumner Bell, both of whom were fine singers who led church congregations respectively at Chapman's Chapel and at Pelham Methodist Church in their Sunday morning praises to the Lord. Sumner became a second generation miller. From time to time others were hired to run the mill. Among them were Willie Partin and Henderson Bennett. Mr. Scott related that the mill burned twice, but that it had been rebuilt each time.

The old mill finally closed in the mid 1930's when Sumner Bell was killed in a tractor accident. Over the years, piece by piece, the mill was torn away and now there is only the concrete base and the name, "Bell's Mill", to remind us of the once thriving business and of the Bell family.

Harriss Bell and his family lived in a house near present day Partin Spring which was subsequently purchased by Columbus Partin, then passed on down to Bryan and Emma (Bramblett) Partin who lived in it until it burned in the late 1970's. The house was said to have been built by a man whose name has long since been forgotten. Taylor Partin tells of a cave which goes straight down into the ground near the entrance of Trussell Cave. On the wall at the very back of that cave is inscribed the house builder's name and the date, 1831.

On the farm of Alice (Gilliam) Womack near the home of Homer & Arlene Layne is the old Harriss Bell Cemetery.

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TENNESSEE LAWS ESTABLISHING AND CHANGING THE BOUNDARIES OF GRUNDY COUNTY

As Found In:

The Land Laws of Tennessee ... by Henry D. Whitney (Cincinnati: W.H. Anderson & Co., 1893).

1844 - Chapter 204. An ACT to establish the county of Grundy. - Passed Jan. 29.

Section 1. Be it enacted, etc., That a new county be, and the same is hereby established, by taking a part of the counties of Warren and Coffee, to be known and designated by the name of Grundy, in honor of the Honorable Felix Grundy, deceased.

Sec. 2. That the beginning corner of the county of Grundy shall commence in the center of the stage road leading from McMinnville, where the Coffee County line crosses the same; thence a southwardly direction, so as not to approach Manchester nearer than twelve miles, until near Benjamin Donglass'; thence eastwardly up the mountain to the top; thence with the meanders of the bluffs to the line of District No. 13, in Coffee County; thence with said line to the line of Franklin County; thence east with said line to James Petty's, near the foot of Cumberland Mountain; thence with the said line to the line of Warren County; thence with the line of Warren County, to the line of Van Buren County; thence west with said line to the corner of Jesse Savage's; thence round the bluffs of Hill's Creek, so as not to approach nearer the town of McMinnville than twelve miles, to a point on the road leading to the Beersheba Springs, twelve miles southeast of McMinnville; thence westwardly crossing the mountains, so as to keep twelve miles from McMinnville, to a point near Jesse Fults; thence westwardly passing between John Brown, Esq., and William Roton's; thence a direct line to the beginning; said lines in no case to approach nearer than twelve miles of the town of McMinnville and Manchester.

1854 - Chapter 134. An ACT to attach a portion of Coffee County to the county of Grundy. - Passed Jan. 30.

Section 1. Be it enacted, etc., That so much of the county of Coffee as is hereinafter designated, be and the same is hereby attached to the county of Grundy, viz: Beginning on the top of the Cumberland Mountain, on the Grundy County line; thence west down the old Bush Gap Ridge to the old Coffee County line; thence with the old Coffee line to Street's old place; thence to the mouth of Bradley's Creek; thence up Elk River to a stake on the south side of said river; thence to the Grundy County line; so as to include the territory taken off the county of Franklin, in the year 1837, and annexed to the county of Coffee, , and the line that divided Franklin County and Coffee County now be the dividing line between Coffee County and Grundy County, and that all officers both military and civil, hold their offices until others are elected.

1850 - Chapter 70. AN ACT to change the line between the counties of Grundy and Warren, and for other purposes. - Passed Feb. 2.

Section 1. Be it enacted, etc., That William Kelton, Wilson S. Kelton, Ely Hanby [sic] and Jacob Wagoner, be and they are hereby detached from the county of Grundy, and attached to the county of Warren, with their lands and tenements, with all the rights and privileges of other citizens of the county of

- Sec. 2. That the line of Coffee and Grundy be and is so altered as to include the lands of William C. Williamson, in the county of Coffee.
- Sec. 4. That the county line between the counties of Warren and Grundy be so changed and altered as to include the lands of Elizabeth Tate, wife of the late James Tate, deceased, Peter Countis and Jacob Warmamaker [sic], in Grundy County, with all the rights and privileges of other citizens of the county of Grundy, thence to the line known as Robert's line, and the said line is hereby established between the counties of Warren and Grundy.
 - Sec. 5. That Thomas Johnson be, and he is hereby attached to the county of Grundy.

1852 - Chapter 262. An ACT to alter and change the line between the counties of Smith and DeKalb, and for other purposes. - Passed Feb. 2.

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- Sec. 2. That the line between the counties of Grundy and Sequatchie be changed as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stake in the line between said counties at a point south of the Brener place, at the head of the east prong of Collin's River, running thence a direct line to said Brener place, including the same in said county of Sequatchie; thence down with the said east prong of said river to James W. Tate's place, including the same in said county of Sequatchie; thence with the base of the ridge west of said river northwardly around to the Widow Wright's residence; thence a direct line to the Little Jake Cagle old place, now occupied by James Cagle, including the same in Sequatchie County; thence with said road in the direction of Hill's Creek to where the Grundy and Warren County lines cross the same; thence with the Grundy County line eastwardly to the Grundy and Sequatchie County corner.
- 1858 Chapter 83. AN ACT requiring survey to be made before any change shall hereafter be made in any county line, and for other purposes. Passed March 20.
- Sec. 4. ... And be it further enacted, that the line between the counties of Warren and Grundy, be so changed or altered as to include the whole of the farm and residence of Wyatt M. Humble in Warren County, and that he be entitled to all the rights and privileges of other citizens of Warren County.
- 1873 Chapter 73. An ACT to change the county line between the counties of Grundy and Coffee. Passed March 21; approved Dec. 24.

Section 1. Be it enacted, etc., That the boundary line between the counties of Grundy and Coffee be so changed as to run as follows: Commencing at the north-west corner of Grundy County, on the stage road leading from McMinnville to Hillsboro, near Michael Hoover's house, running eastwardly with the Warren County line so as to take in M. Hoover's Martin tract of land, and the lands upon which Henry Meadows, J.C. Garritson, T.J. and William Garritson, James Parks, E. Rives, T.E. Rives, T.E. Mabery, G. Brawley, T.G. England, James Rhea, John Rhea, James Hoover, Andrew Stalls, A. Anthony, Wm. H. Garritson, W.H.H. Meadows, E.H. Rives, James Parks, J.W. Walker, J.B. Thaxton and Jos. Brawley, and that all of said persons and lands are hereby detached from the county of Grundy and attached to the county of Coffee; and it shall be the duty of the County Court of Grundy County to order an election to be holden in said portion of Grundy County, said election to be held and governed according to law, as other elections are held, but it shall require a two-thirds vote of said qualified voters before this act shall take effect; Provided, further, that nothing in this act shall be so construed as to reduce Grundy County below its constitutional limits, nor bring the line thus designated nearer the court house of Grundy County than eleven miles.

1877 - Chapter 131. An ACT to change the line between the counties of Coffee and Grundy. - Passed March 26; approved March 26.

Section 1. Be it enacted, etc., That the line between the counties of Coffee and Grundy be so changed as to include the lands of Ewell Smith, in the county of Coffee, beginning on a rock on the Coffee and Grundy line, thence south 84°, east with W.H. Willis' line to James H. Patton's line, thence with said line south 6° east, to a rock pile, James H. Patton's corner, thence south 83 1/2° west to Coffee County line.

1879 - Chapter 235. AN ACT to change the lines between the counties of Franklin, Coffee and Grundy. - Passed March 28, approved March 31.

Section 1. Be it enacted, etc., That the lines between the counties of Franklin, Coffee and Grundy, at their intersection on Elk River, be changed as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stake in the line between Coffee and Grundy, twenty yards north of Elk River, and running thence west to the north end of the bridge crossing Elk River; thence with the center of said bridge to the south end of said bridge; thence to a stake in the old line, fifteen yards south of said river, so as to place the said bridge on the lines between said counties of Coffee, Franklin and Grundy.

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1891 - Chapter 143. An ACT to be entitled an act to change the line between the counties of Franklin, Marion and Grundy. - Passed March 13; approved March 18.

Section 1. Be it enacted, etc., That the line between the counties of Franklin, Marion and Grundy be changed to run as follows, to-wit: Beginning at what is known as Drip Spring, south of the railroad on the line between Franklin and Marion, and running east to Fred. Myers' spring, thence northeastward across the railroad to Bazil Summers' chalybeate spring in Grundy County, thence west along the north bluff of the mountain to the line between Franklin and Grundy Counties, north of the railroad.

1891 - Chapter 214. An ACT to change the line between Grundy and Franklin Counties. - Passed March 30; approved March 30.

Section 1. Be it enacted, etc., That the line between Grundy and Franklin Counties be so changed as to include the lands on which J.F. Laxson now lives in the county of Grundy.

Coffee County approved the annexation of this area of Franklin County, and an election was held in Pelham on 3 Fe 1838. A list of the voters follows;

John G. Bostick James Jones Ellis Pearson Walter Mileham Isaac M. Wilkinson B. F. Payne Joseph Willis **Amos Smith** William B. Clark Samuel Parks David T. Willis Isaac Meeks William Warren John Moore Allen Mason William H. Floyd Nathan Cox John Mullins John Price

John Warren Allen Morse Jethro Goodman Erasmus R. Tucker John Burrows Thomas Burnyne? Walter Crabtree Henry Kilburn John Meeks Taswell Spain William C. Wilkinson Joseph Bradshaw Jesse Evans . John W. Ikard Archibald E. Conn A. E. Patton Washington Mullins James Roberts Isaac H. Roberts William Bostick

Richard T. King Thomas Saunders Moses Phips James Wilkinson William Hicks James H. Cornelison John Rankin Thomas Harrison John McKelvey Jesse McBride Eli Moore Thomas Murphy Thomas Myers Benjamin A. Burks . John Turner Charles Cooper John W. Bell Richard T. Roberts David Parrish

Levi Cradock

James D. Pattie Richard Pierson William Pierson James Mayo David G. Goodmar John Bradshaw Samuel Sullinder W. S. Mooney Uriah Sherrell Sedborn Jones James 1. Summers Middleton McDanie Daniel Heifner Gor. W. Cowan Samuel Davidson David Cox Benjamin Todd, Sei Thompson Evans

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Seventy-seven people voted in this election. Seventy-six approved of joining Coffee County, only one dissented. The I River Valley joined Coffee County where it remained until Grundy County was formed in 1844.

Coffee County 1844

Beach Grove
Manchester
Hillsboro Pelham

By 1879, R. J. Only of Moffat (now the area around Monteagle) sought to create a new county made up of portions Coffee, Franklin, Grundy, and Marion Counties. The new county was to be named Lea and would include the domain the University of the South & Sewanee. This county, too, died shortly after its conception.

(Source: Coffee County Historical Society)

Grundy County Marriages 1874-1894

Compiled by John E. Sweeton

Name	License Issued	Married by Date
T.J. Adams,26 Vinnie Lindsay, 16		G.D.Guinn,MG. Nov. 8, 1881
Samuel H. Henley, 31 H.E. Sanders, 31		E.H. Bennett, M.G. Feb. 28, 1882
Lee Nunley, 17 Ida Menders, 15		E.H. Bennett, M.G. Feb. 15, 1882
William Weff, 30 Mary Werner, 18		J. Bullenbacker, M.G. Mar. 6, 1882
Bradford Sweeton, 21 America Parsons, 20		C.C. Williams, J.P. Mar. 5, 1882
Louis Heill, 28 Belle Flemming, 20		D. Wadkins Mar. 12, 1882
George Wooren Maey A.E. Coupland		D.J. Powell Mar. 19, 1882
Casper Myers, 23 Tennessee McBride, 23		C.C. Williams, J.P. Mar. 26, 1882
Eckfrd Green, 25 Maggie Rust, 22		J.H. Gunn, J.P. Mar. 18, 1882
James Banks, 23 Fannie Jones, 18		C.C. Williams, J.P. May 12, 1882
Thomas Ward, 23 Lanova Drake, 18		C.C. Williams, J.P. May 13, 1882
James Ward, 24 (Col) Ellen Foster, 27		Hena Tisrois May 3, 1882
Frank King, 21 (Col) Ida French, 16		J.A. Bildenback, M.G. May 17, 1882
William Madewell, 42 Emma Stepp, 16		F.M. Walker, M.G. May 25, 1882
Rufus Sanders, 22 Mary Fipps, 25		J. Countiss, J.P. June 8, 1882
Benjamin Finch, 24 Ellen Leverton, 15		E.C. Dotson June 18, 1882

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Name	License Issued	Married by Date
Amos J. Tipton,. 27 Maggie A. Armstrong, 24		E.H. Bennett, M.G. Nov. 15, 1882
N.B. Barns Sarah E. Walker		W.M. Jones, M.G. Oct. 7, 1882
Miles Harrison Meeks, 21 Margaret Davis, 15		Joseph Clay, J.P. Oct. 26, 1882
William Cheek, 34 Frances E. Lowe, 34		Wm. S. Brown, Eld. Oct. 28, 1882
Peter Conry, 23 Lou Goodman, 19		Abner L. Coner, M.G. Nov. 2, 1882
William Brown, 20 Mary E. Fults, 30		T.B. Fults, J.P. Nov. 22, 1882
William Waltery, 20 Franklin Cheek, 15		T.C. Abnerthy, J.P. Nov. 2, 1882
John Crunk, 25 (Col) Jennie Guie, 20		W.B. Pattie Oct. 27, 1882
John Hawk, 50 Susan Lusk, 29		John Bennett, J.P. Nov. 2, 1882
Robert Mathews, 19 Laura Sloen		W. B. Pattie, J.P. Nov. 30, 1882
Christpher Nate, 26 Hettie Lee Woodlee, 24		W.B. Pattie, J.P. Dec. 2, 1882
John H. Kirkpatrick, 19 (Col) Hester Debery		W.J. Thomas, J.P. Dec. 7, 1882
Samuel King, 26 Nannie Pearson, 17		W.B. Pattie, J.P. Dec. 30, 1882
W.L. Petty, 21 T.G. Crisco, 17		W.B. Pattie, J.P. Dec. 30, 1882
A.J. Thompson, 26 Mary E. Renshaw, 17		W.B. Pattie, J.P. Jan. 1, 1883
Morgan Sanders, 22 Nety Parsons, 19		E.H. Bennett, M.G. Jan. 12, 1883

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Name	License Issued	Married by Date
D. Woods, 48 (Col) Ivda Stateman, 35		W.J. Thomas, J.P. Apr. 13, 1883
Sidney G. Owen, 19 Martha Brown, 19		H.B. Fults, J.P. Apr. 4, 1883
Henry Noah, 29 (Col) Ida Whitteker, 23		W.J. Thomas, J.P. May 11, 1883
Dan Wise, 23 Bitha Meeks, 23		W.B. Pattie, J.P. May 12, 1883
P.P. Sanders, 22 Fannie Smartt, 20		W.B. Pattie, J.P. May 17, 1883
Huston Maley Jennie Winton		Blank May 20, 1883
Aleck Ocen, 22 (Col) Sarah Kirkpatrick, 19		W.J. Thomas, J.P. May 20, 1883
E.C. Collins, 24 Eugenia Dishroom, 19		W.B. Pattie, J.P. May 23, 1883
Lim Johnson, 27 (Col) Mollie Melch, 30		W.J. Thomas, J.P. May 30, 1883
Benedict Studer, 24 Barbara Rollings, 23		J. Bollenbacker, M.G. June 17, 1883
James Lusk, 27 Ferby Winton, 22		Joseph Clay, J.P. June 30, 1883
John Carson, 40 Amanda Hobbs, 44		R. Smartt, J.P. June 27, 1883
David Thomas Julia Ann McFarland		C.L. Kieth, J.P. June 19, 1883
G.W. Ward Mollie Almond, 22		E.H. Bennett, J.P. June 23, 1883
Dyer Roberts, 22 Hessie Sweeton, 23		John E. Bashear, M.G. Aug. 5, 1883
Edward Shaw, 24 (Col) Jane Calhone, 30		W.J. Thomas, J.P. July 26, 1883

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Name	License Issued	Married by Date
B.F. Phelleps, 21 Mollie Nunley, 15		C.C. Williams, J.P. June 22, 1882
John A. Tate, 22 Mattie S. Tate, 17		C.C. Williams, J.P. June 28, 1882
Charlie Jacobs, 21 Eliza Condry, 18		Joseph Clay July 5, 1882
William Brown, 28 Marlinza Townseld, 26		C. Riggins July 5, 1882
John Harris, 21 Lizzie Northcut, 24		C.C. Williams, J.P. July 15, 1882
E.L. Bumpes, 21 Parlee Laine, 21		C.C. Williams, J.P. July 16, 1882
Nathan King (Col) Etter Wooten		D.J. Powell, M.G. Mar. 22, 1882
Joseph Jwdain, 43 (Col) Lauri Jones, 25		C.C. Williams, J.P. Aug. 7, 1882
Mat Beckton, 22 (Col) Lovendy Durham, 15		W.J. Thomas, J.P. Sept. 7, 1882
Will Williams, 21 (Col) Susan Maham, 16		W.J. Thomas, J.P. Sept. 7, 1882
William Anderson, 26 (BLK) Ellen Maham, 19		W.B. Pattie, J.P. Sept. 16, 1882
Herston Cannon, 23 Lina Payne, 26		W.B. Pattie, J.P. Sept. 17, 1882
Thomas Heanson, 60 Mary Jane Cand, 42		W.J. Thomas, J.P. Sept. 17, 1882
Alexander A. Owst, 23 Tennessee Nunley, 33		E.H. Bennett, J.P. Oct. 15, 1882
Joseph Parker, 32 (BLK) Jennie Noah		H. Riggins, M.G. Oct. 20, 1882
Lewis Arenton, 26 (BLK) Asa McMurry, 36		W.J. Thomas, J.P. Oct. 26, 1882

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Name	License Issued	Married by Date
M.P. Sanders, 46 Tennessee Childers, 23		E.H. Bennett, M.G. Jan. 7, 1883
G.C. Payne, 31 Almita Sanders, 18		E.H. Bennett, M.G. Jan. 8, 1883
James J. Woodlee, 40 Mary J. Nunley, 37		Joseph Clay, J.P. Jan. 14, 1883
W.A. Smith, 23 Rosanna Emiline Smith, 18		W.B. Pattie, J.P. Jan. 20, 1883
James B. Nunley, 25 Louisa E Lockhart, 21		M.J. Walker, J.P. Jan. 24, 1883
J.H. Walker, 24 Millie Woodlee, 22		J.K. Walling, M.G. Feb. 1, 1883
John Wilder, 20 Virginia Patterson, 32		J.H. Gunn, J.P. Feb. 1, 1883
David Wiley, 28 Elizabeth Penyman, 22		W.B. Pattie, J.P. Feb. 12, 1883
John W. Berry, 24 Alice Eller, 25		W.B. Pattie Feb. 16, 1883
W.B. Grace, 26 M.A. Morgan, 18		W.B. Pattie, J.P. Feb. 18, 1883
Bob McKisse, 25 Nannie Jen King, 18		W.B. Pattie, J.P. Feb. 24, 1883
Phillip Roberts, 23 Mattie Lee Dishroom, 15		W.B. Pattie, J.P. Feb. 25, 1883
W.J. Fletcher, 22 Marneva Chinsco, 16		W.B. Pattie, J.P. Mar. 1, 1883
George Lynn, 27 Nancy Fults, 30		T.B. Fults, J.P. Jan. 23, 1883
William Meeks, 25 Susan Graham, 17		E.H. Bennett, M.G. Mar. 1, 1883
Jim Jones, 28 (Col) Bettie Johnson, 35		Homer Riggins, M.G. Mar, 24, 1883

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CIVIL DISTRICT NO. 7 - W. P. Barnes, Enumerator, 15 June 1880

- 1/1 R. L. BELL, 28, farmer; Sarah M., 22. (In 1870, Robert L, 20, son of Harrison and Rachel BELL. R. L. BELL and John PATTERSON were witnesses to the will of Mary PATTERSON, 16 April 1891. This family must have left Grundy County before the 1900 census. Robert L. is buried in Ikard Cemetery, Franklin County, 1 Mar 1850/26 Apr 1917.)
- 2/2 Franklin THOMAS, 19, farmer; Margaret, 17; B. F. ADAMS, 20, laborer. (William Franklin THOMAS received a license to marry Ellen CRABTREE, 17 Aug 1879. Was Ellen the same person as Margaret E., 15, in 1870, daughter of Iley and Mary CRABTREE? In 1860, Franklin, 3, son of James and Mary THOMAS. In 1850, James THOMAS, the father, was 36, born GA, and had wife named Marinda, 36, born GA. On 4 Feb 1855, James married Mary TUCKER and they had son, Franklin, born c1857. For more on family of James and Mary, see 21/21, this CD. In 1860, Benjamin ADAMS, 4, is with his father, John ADAMS, 39, widower. On 11 Mar 1862, John married Nancy THOMAS and Benjamin is 13, in 1870. On 9 Feb 1878, John ADAMS married Sarah McNALLY, with Harris BELL, bondsman. In 1880, this family is in Civil District 9.)
- James McFARLAND, 55, farmer, born SC; Sarah A., 51, born SC; Sarah M., 28, 3/3 born SC; Julia A., 21, born SC; Dorcas, 16, born SC; Adaline, 13, born SC; Robert T., 11, born SC; John A., 27, born SC; J. N?. JOHNSON, 77, born SC. (In 1860, this family is in Marion County. By 1870, they are in Grundy County and places of birth are given: parents through daughter Sarah were born in GA and rest of children, including infant born Apr 1870 were born in AL. There surely are errors in those places of births. The oldestachild of James and Sarah was William, born Mar 1849, who married 2 Jan 1873, Casanna CRABTREE. She was daughter of John and Malinda (TUCKER) CRABTREE, born July 1855. In the 1860 census, she has the given name of Rue Corrander. In 1900, her given name is Lou C. and she and Will have children: James, Harvey E. and Thomas E. Second oldest child of James and Sarah was George, born c1851, and not found in later records. Daughter Martha is found in Grundy County Death Certificate No. 296: Martha Caroline TRUSSELL, age 65, died 8 Mar 1925, of "chronic nephritis", buried Summerfield, parents: James and Sara Ann JOHNSON McFARLAND. Daughter Dorcas married Henry NORWOOD, 13 Oct 1895. Son Robert L., born Mar 1872, married and, in 1900, they have sons, Lee L, age 5, and Clarence A., age 8 months. Daughter Adeline married James DYER, 23 Sep 1894, and in 1900, they have daughter Mattie B., 1.)
- John WATLEY, 57, carpenter, born TN; Nancy J., 25, wife. (Is this the same John WATLEY: Warren County, 1850, John, 39, born GA; Mary, 28; Sally, 13; William, 11; Nancy, 1; Catherine, 3 mos. In Warren County, 1860, John, 52; Mary, 38; John, 13; Nancy, 10; Calhoun, 8; Benjamin, 2. In Grundy County, 4 Aug 1878, John married Nancy TUCKER, probably daughter of Alexander and Martha TUCKER. Son, Calhoun, married Caroline

- 4/4 cont'd BURLISON, 4 Aug 1872 and they are buried Shellsford Cemetery, Warren County: Calhoun, 22 Apr1850/20 Dec 1928, son of John, Sr. and Mary Elizabeth HILL WATLEY; Caroline, 24 Aug 1849/18 Jun 1925, dau of Aaron and Lucinda FORREST BURLISON.)
- William GILLIAM, 35, farmer; Josaphene, 23, born AL; Nancy E., 5, born 5/5 AL; John B., 3, born AL; Adley M. (f), 1, born AL. (William married Josaphine PATTON, 1 Oct 1873, with T. B. PATTON, bondsman. In 1870, William, 22, born SC, son of Harris and Nancy GILLAM. In 1900, William, born Nov 1844, 55; Josephine, born Aug 1856 AL, 43, 10 children/ 10 living; Nancy E., born Dec 1874, 25; John B., born Oct 1876, 23; William N., born Mar 1880, 20; Hugh, born Sep 1883, 16; Harris, born Dec 1885, 14; Martin, born Aug 1888, 11; Mattie L., born Feb 1891, 9; Eugenia, born Feb 1896, 4; Alice R., born Jun 1899, 11 mos. Grundy Death Certificate No. 105: Hugh GILLIAM died 16 Oct 1918 of flu and pneu, buried Pelham, parents: William and Josephine PATTON GILLIAM. Hugh had married Samanthie SHETTER, 11 Jun 1905. In Warren Cemetery, Hugh GILLIAM, 16 Sep 1883/ 16 Oct 1918. On 4 May 1919, Samantha married Harris GILLIAM. Daughter Eugenia married J. W. TRUSSELL, Jr., 24 Dec 1911. In Warren Cemetery, Grundy County: William GILLIAM, 27 Nov 1844/ 6 Dec 1927; Josephine, 1856/1946; Nancy E. GILLIAM FASS, 1874/1939; John B. GILLIAM, 28 Dec 1876/28 Apr 1948; Martin C. GILLIAM, 1888/1933; Martha L. R. GILLIAM, 27 Feb 1891/8 Apr 1932.)
- Isabella PATTON, 21, born AL; Minerva PATTON, 17, born AL. (Nothing is found on Isabella. Is this Minerva: in Warren Cemetery, Minerva E. PATTON PATTERSON GOODMAN, 1864-1932. Nothing is found on the PATTON-PATTERSON marriage. On 23 Sep 1889, Minerva PATTERSON married Henry N. GOODMAN. In 1900, Henry, born May 1834, 66; Minerva, born Feb 1866, AL, 34, 5 children/5 living; Batavia, 8; Elbert, 6; Allie, 1. Minerva had 5 children, so there must have been 2 named PATTERSON. In 1910, Minerva is a widow. Elbert married Bettie TURNER, 2 Nov 1913, daughter of Thomas and Mary TURNER. Allie married Amille PARTIN, 27 May 1914.)
- Harr GILLIAM, 74, farmer, born SC; Nancy, 67; Elizabeth, 23. (In 1850, Harris, 44; Nancy, 38; B. F., 19; Martin, 17; Allen, 15; Mary H., 13; Eliza, 11; Samuel, 9; William, 7; Sarah, 3; Margaret, 7 mos. Children added by 1860 are Elizabeth, 5, and Malinda, 2. Daughter Eliza married John W. GOODMAN, 22 Oct 1865, and in 1870, they have sons, Wm. T. and S. P. Did John marry Elizabeth GILLIAM about 1894? In 1900, John GOODMAN, born Aug 1838, 61, married 6 years; Elizabeth, born May 1875, 25; Robert C. A., born Sep 1896, 3; Novella, born May 1899, 1. Other marriages of the children of Harris and Nancy: B. F. Catherine GOODMAN, 7 Oct 1858; Martin Emaline G. PATTON, 27 Sep 1859; Samuel Mary A. BUCKNER, 7 Jan 1869; Sarah Wm. L. JONES, 2 Oct 1873; Malinda Peter MORAN, 24 Mar 1874; Mary H. G. W. GARNER, 16 Feb 1867.)
- 8/8 Sam GILLIAM, 37, farmer; Mary A., 37; Samuel, 2; Albert, 12; Sally WOODS, 26, laborer; Lee WILDERSON, 16, black, laborer. (Sam married

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- 8/8 cont'd Mary A. BUCKNER, 7 Jan 1869, Franklin County. In 1870, Sam and Mary A. have son Edwin, 2 mos. In 1900, Samuel, born Nov 1842, 57, married 30 years; Mollie, born Sep 1842, 57, 3 children/1 living; Roy, born Dec 1877, 22. This probably is son Samuel: Pelham Church of Christ Cemetery, S. R. GILLIAM, 9 Dec 1877/27 Aug 1948. Death Certificate No. 165, Samuel GILLIAM, age 81, born 30 Dec 1842, died 11 Mar 1923, Pelham, parents: Harris and Nancy _____ GILLIAM. Heart disease. Buried Bostick Place?)
- 9/9 George DYER, 31, farmer; Rhoda, 25; James, 8. (In 1860, George W., 12, son of Abner and Julia DYER. He married Rhoda, daughter of James and Marinda THOMAS. Son James married Adaline McFARLAND, 23 Sep 1894. In 1900 James, born Apr 1873, 27; Adeline, born May 1870, 30; Mattie B., born Dec 1898, 1.)
- 10/10 Isaac LAYNE, 35, farmer; Elizabeth, 31; William, 18; T. A., (f), 15; Ester, 13; Abraham, 9; M. J., (f), 6; Elizabeth, 4; Nancy, 1. (In 1860, Isaac, 21, son of John Sr. and Ester LANE. He married S. E. THOMAS, 15 Dec 1860, daughter of James and Marinda THOMAS. Son, William, in 1900: Will T., born Feb 1862, 38; Mary J., born Jun 1868, 31; Esther, born Jun 1886, 13; Della, born Jul 1890, 9; Annie, born Dec 1894, 7; Taylor, born Mar 1894, 6; Rushy, born Mar 1896, 4; Samantha, born Mar 1897, 3; James A., born May 1900, 1 mo. In 1900, the mother of this family, called Elizabeth in 1880, is called Samantha, born 1842, 58, widow, is living with son, Abraham, 28; his wife, Odor, and children, Grace and Leora. Also living in this family is Abraham's sister, Lizzie, 22. Next door to Abraham is his sister, Martha Jane who married Eliga C. SHETTERS, 24 Aug 1893. By 1920, Eliga and Martha Jane, 48 and 42, have no children. There is a marriage for Esther LAYNE and Charley GILLIAM, 23 Sep 1906.)
- 11/11 W. LEVAN, 33, farmer; Susan, 32; Martha T., 11; B. H. (male), 8;
 Joseph E., 5; Elizabeth, 3; Thomas, 4 mos. (William married Susan LAYNE,
 28 Aug 1863. Is he the William, 6 years old in 1850, son of Henderson and
 Elizabeth LEVAN? Is she the Susan, 17 years old in 1860, daughter of John,
 Sr. and Ester LANE? In 1870, William is 27, Susan, 24, and Eliza is 1.
 In Summerfield Cemetery: William, 5 Jul 1844/6 Oct 1887; Susan, 14 Jun 1845/
 20 Mar 1900. After death of parents, son Thomas is only child found in
 Grundy County records. In 1900, Thomas is 19, born Dec 1880, and living
 with cousins Abraham and Oder LAYNE. He married Rebecca PARKS, 5 Sep 1902.
 In 1910, Thomas and Rebecca have children: Clara, Raymond and William.
 Thomas died 1942, buried Summerfield Cemetery.)
- 12/12 John LAYNE, 72, Blacksmith; Esther, 72. (In 1850, John and Esther have
 children: William, 17; Preston, 15; David, 13; Isaac, 11; Barbara, 9;
 Susannah, 7; Mary A., 5; Daniel, 3; Nancy, 1. By 1860, bhey had added
 daughter, Tennessee, born c1853. Possible marriages of their children:
 William Elizabeth COX, 27 Oct 1853; Preston Martha THOMAS, 2 May 1859;
 Isaac Samantha Elizabeth THOMAS, 15 Dec 1860; Susan William LEVAN,
 28 Aug 1863; Barbary Franklin COX, 2 Apr 1857; Mary Ann Alexander
 JOHNSTONE, 23 Aug 1868; Daniel Sarah M. TRUSSELL, 12 Jun 1870; Martha
 Tennessee James TATE, 28 Aug 1872.)

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- 13/13 F. M. MEEKS, 30, house carpenter; Nancy R., 26; R. B. (male), 8; John, 6; Priest, 4; Polly A., 2. (Is this the Francis M., 1 year old, in 1850, son of Meril and Nancy SUMMERS MEEKS? There is confusion with given names in this family. Is this the Frank MEEKS married Rutela LAYNE, 3 Nov 1870? In 1900, Frank, born Oct 1847, 52; Rutelia, born Mar 1849, 51; John, born Oct 1875, 24; Nancy, dau/law, born Jun 1879, 20; Taylor, born May 1883, 17; Harvey, born Mar 1886, 14; Houston, born Dec 1889, 10. Son John married Nancy MEEKS, 31 Dec 1899. Son Priest married Ellen LAYNE, 2 Feb 1896, and in 1900, they have son Ernest, 3. Is daughter, Polly A., the Angeline who married Wm. E. PAYNE, 30 Jun 1895? In 1900, William E., born 1870, 30; Angeline, born Mar 1879, 21; Jerome H., born Mar 1895, 5; William W., born Dec 1897, 2; Emma, born Dec 1899, 6 mos; Robert L. PAYNE, bro, born Jul 1867, 32, In Payne's Cove Cemetery: William Elson PAYNE, 3 Jul 1868/22 Apr 1933; Angeline MEKKS PAYNE, 15 Apr 1879/13 Jun 1919.)
- 14/14 James TATE, 25, farmer; Martha T., 25; Sarah E., 8; Fanny E., 6;
 Mary E. 1. (James married Martha Tennessee LAIN, 28 Aug 1872, probably
 Tennessee, 7, in family of John Sr. and Ester LANE, 1860. James was son
 of Jazeal and Fanny SITZ TATE.)
- 15/15 William PARKS, 60, farmer; Sarah, 46, born VA; John, 21, born VA; George, 18, born VA; Lurah, 10, born VA; Viola, 8, born VA; Thomas, 7; born VA; Elizabet, 4, born VA. (Other records show Sarah, born VA, but children seem to have been born Tennessee. William married 1st Nancy Ann PATTIE, 31 Oct 1855. In 1860, William L, 40, Nancy A., 32; Agness E. BRADAWAY, 13; Mary E. PATTIE, 7; John F. PARKS, 3; Ada C. PARKS, 9 mos. 20 Dec 1867, William married Sarah L. SOUTHERLAND. Is she the Sarah, 26, born VA, wife of Garrison SUTHERLAND, in 1860? In 1870, children in the family of William and Sarah are: John, 13; Nancy, 12; George, 7, who must be children of 1st wife, Nancy Ann; and Lura S., 1 year old, child of William and Sarah. Son John married Anna Abigail COX, 24 Feb 1893 and in 1900, they have Rosa, 7; Horace, 4; May B., 2; Irene, 1. In Red Hill Cemetery: J. F. PARKS, 23 Aug 1857/2 Sep 1933; Abbie, 13 Aug 1866/ 16 Aug 1936. In Warren Cemetery: William L. PARKS, 15 May 1820/26 Jun 1911; Sarah A., 6 Jul 1834/15 May 1910; Lizzie PARKS JACKSON, 1876-1963; J. F. PARKS, 23 Aug 1857/2 Sep 1933; Abbie, 13 Aug 1866/16 Aug 1936; Viola PARKS AYLOR, 21 Oct 1870/2 Sep 1959; Wm. H. AYLOR, 3 Oct 1857/ 29 Aug 1942.)
- 16/16 P. B. LAYNE, 46, farmer; Martha, 42; Martha, 16. (Preston B. married Martha THÔMAS, 2 May 1859. In 1850, Preston, 15, son of John and Ester LAYNE; Martha, 10, daughter of James and Marinda THOMAS. In 1870, Preston and Martha have Henderson, 5, in their family. Did they also have daughter Martha, about 6 years old? In 1900, Henderson and Texann have children: Nora, Martha, Viola, Erie, and Roy. In Pelham Church of Christ Cemetery: Henderson LAYNE, 10 Oct 1864/13 Jan 1958; Texana MEEKS LAYNE, 1869-1911.)

- 17/17 S. T. PARTIN, 31, farmer; Sarah, 33; George C., 8; James, 6; Mary, 2. (Samuel married Sarah PARKS, 1 Aug 1870. She probably was Sarah, 14 in 1860, daughter of Samuel and Jemimah PARKS. Is Samuel, 2 years old in 1850, son of Carney and Margaret PARTON, in Franklin County? Son James W. married Alice LAXSON, 23 May 1896, and in 1910, they have Agnes E., 11. Son George, born Sep 1871, 28, single, is a boarder in household of James and Anna NORMON, in 1900. In Warren Cemetery: Samuel P. PARTIN, 10 Nov 1848/20 Jul 1909; Sarah, 1855/19 Jan 1907.)
- Jemima PARKS, 59, widow, born Via; Oliver, 31, liver disease, born Via; 18/18 Malinda, 26, born Via; Robert, 24, born Via; Peter MORAN, 25, farmer: Malinda, 22, wife; Nancy, 3; Margaret, 1. (In 1850, Samuel PARKS, 53, born NC; Jemima, 31, born VA; Elizabeth, 23; Mary, 20; Abagail, 19; Benjamin F., 14; John H., 6; Sarah S., 4; Oliver P., 1. Is Elizabeth the Eliza who married Seborn IKARD, 22 Oct 1850? Mary married James D. PRIEST, 22 Oct 1850; Abagail married William LAWSON, 16 Jan 1851; Benjamin F. married Angelina HENLY, 24 Nov 1866; Sarah S. married Samuel PARTIN, 1 Aug 1870. In 1870, Samuel and Jemimah have added Malinda and Robert. In 1900, son Oliver, 65, single, is boarder with David and Cordelia LASATER. Peter MORAN married Malinda GILLIAM, 24 Mar 1874, probably daughter of Harris and Nancy GILLIAM. In Pelham Church of Christ Cemetery: P. MORAN, 8 Jul 1853/13 Jul 1917; Malinda, 28 Jul 1858/15 Dec 1929; Katie, dau, 21 Mar 1888/30 Mar 1911; Edwin, 2 Jul 1893/14 Jul 1939; Wiley, 25 Mar 1900/31 Jul 1950.)
- Peter MORAN, 64, farmer, born Ireland; Bridget, 58, born Ireland; 19/19 Daniel, 23, born Ireland; Thomas, 21, born Ireland; James, 16, born Ireland. (In 1870, Peter and Bridget say born Ireland but their four children: John, 17; Daniel, 15; Thomas, 13; James, 11; say born TN. In 1880, son John, 25, a smith's helper, is living with the family of Jane CANNON, widow. On 12 Jun 1880, John married Manurva CANNON, dau of Jane. In 1900, John A., born May 1867, GA, 42; Manerva, born Jun 1851, 48; Bridget, 19; Mary R., 16; Loveling, 14. In Tracy City Cemetery: John A. MORAN, 9 May 1855/2 Nov 1924; M. E., wife, 1 Jun 1851/ 13 Jul 1919. Grundy County Death Certificate No.185 confirms John's birth year as 1855. He died of "stomach cancer, 4 mos". Peter's son and they had children: Jessie, Edgar. Daniel married Marthy E. Joseph and Samuel. Son Thomas married Rutealia , in mid-1880s, and they had children: Lilly married Henry REIDER, 8 Sep 1912; Estella married Isaac SHETTERS, 22 Dec 1908; Alfred died 9 Oct 1910, of typhoid; Mark: Pearlie: Theresa. In Warren Cemetery: Peter MORAN, native of Cahirciveen, Kerry, Ireland, 29 Jun 1815/16 Mar 1894; Bridget, wife, born Ireland, 2 Feb 1822/21 Oct 1882; Thomas, 30 Nov 1858/2 Apr 1934; Rutealia, 27 Jan 1867/28 Mar 1941; Estelle M. SHETTER, 29 Jun 1880/ ; Isaac C. SHETTER, 15 Feb 1890/24 Feb 1966.)
- 20/20 William ADAMS, 51, farmer, born TN; Talitha, 30, born Ala; Jasper K., 15, born Ala; Martha A., 12, born Ala; Nancy L., 8, born Ala; Talitha J., 4, born Ala; Rhoda F., 4 born Ala; Malinda, 1, born Ala?; Marinda, 1, born Ala?. (William married Talitha THOMAS, 13 Aug 1866.)

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- James THOMAS, 72, farmer; Mary, wife, 42; David, 17; Alzora, 15; George, 12; Margaret, 9; Mary, 7; John, 5; Fanny, 2; James, 18; Julia A. DYER, 73, widow; George, 13; James WILKERSON, 14, black. (In 1850, James THOMAS, 36, born GA, has wife named Marinda, 36, born GA, and children: Sarah, 14; Nancy, 12; Martha, 10; Meredith, 8; *Tellithe, 5; Eliza, 3. Another daughter, Rhoda, was born c1849. James married Mary TUCKER, 4 Feb 1855, and their first child, Franklin, was born c1857. Possible marriages of these children: Sarah A. C. SMITH, 3 Apr 1853; Nancy John ADAMS, 11 Mar 1862; Martha Preston LAIN, 2 May 1859; Samantha Isaac LAYNE, 15 Dec 1860; Tellithe William ADAMS, 13 Aug 1866; Rhoda George W. DYRE, 6 May 1870. In 1860, Franklin County, Julia A. DYER, 54, wife of Abner DYER, with children: Sarah, James, Daniel, Susannah and George. In 1870, George and Mary WILKINSON, black, have son Nelson, age 3.) *Add daughter Samantha, 7.
- 22/22 David THOMAS, 52, wagon maker; Elizabeth, 40; William, 9; Nancy, 7; Archibald, 5; Arthur, 2; Malissa, 18. (In 1850, David, 23, is son of Jonathan and Nancy THOMAS, both 53, born SC, living next door to James and Marinda THOMAS, 21/21 above. David married Elizabeth DYRE, 8 May 1870. Is this the same family in the 1870 census: David THOMAS, 45; Eliza, 35; William, 1 month old; Malissa DYER, 11? Nancy, David's mother, says she was born GA but in 1870 she says born SC and she and son Robert, 38, are living with Archibald and Eliza THOMAS TUCKER. David's son, William, married Lizzie McFARLAND, 18 Jan 1891, and, in 1920, they have children: George, Laura, Archie, Elmer, Alfred, Nora, Jack, and Roy. In Summerfield Cemetery: William M., 12 Mar 1869/5 Aug 1945; Elizabeth, 10 Aug 1875/11 May 1962. Is son, Archibald, the A. C. THOMAS who married Mary SHERRILL, 4 Aug 1897? Son, Arthur, married Willie E. COX, 15 Nov 1901. In 1920, Arthur C., 44; Willie C., 33; Elizabeth, 15; Taylor, 6; Minnie, 5.)
- 23/23 F. M. COX, 45, farmer; Barbara, 39; Martha, 20; Mary J., 17; Rebecca, 15; Luteta, 14; Abigal, 12; James, 9; William, 7; John, 5; Robert, 3. (Francis Marion COX married Barbara LANE, 2 Apr 1857. In 1870, Franklin and Barbara have Mary, 12; Jane, 10; Rebecca, 8; Nancy, 6; Abigail, 4; and James 1 month. In 1910, Francis M. is 75 and Ellen B. is 70 and they have been married 53 years. Ellen B. or Barbara has had 14 children with 10 living. In that census, Martha E., 52 and single, and John T., 35 and single, are still with their parents. Catherine LAYNE, sister, 60 and widow, lives with them. Son, Robert Bill married Lula JACOBS, 14 Feb 1904, and in 1910 have daughters, Mamie, 3, and Tressie. 1. Grundy Death Certificate No. 180, Barber A. COX, 83, born 20 Mar 1839, died 6 May 1923, father John LANE, mother unknown, buried Warren Cemetery. Death Certificate No. 337, Francis Marion COX, age 91-0-22, widower, died 26 Oct 1925, parents Nathan and Rebecca WHEELER COX, buried Red Hill, Pelham. Death Certificate No. 458, Pearl ROLLINGS, wife of J. L. ROLLINGS, age 35, died 4 Mar 1917, daughter of Francis M. and Barbara LANE COX.)

- 24/24 Eliza SANDERS, 43, widow; Mary, 20; Martha, 15; Elizabeth, 5. (Can this possibly be the Elizabeth MORRIS married Jacob B. SANDERS/ SAUNDERS, 23 Aug 1859, Franklin County? In 1860, Grundy County, Jacob, Jr., 30, and Elizabeth, 24. Daughter Mattie married 2nd Benjamin PEARSON, 8 Jul 1898. In 1900, Eliza SANDERS, born Sep 1839, 60, widow, had 9 children/3 living, is mother-in-law in family of Benjamin and Mattie PEARSON, who have children: William, 10; Carrol, 3; Harrol, 3; Pearl, 10 months. In 1910, Ben and Mattie have also Ben, 5, and Cora, 4. Daughter Pearl married Rob HAMBY, 9 Feb 1918. Death Certificate No. 115, Mrs. Pearl HAMBY, age 19, died 24 Oct 1918, parents: Ben PEARSON and Mattie SANDERS.)
- J. W. HARGISS, 47, farmer; Elizabeth, 41; Margaret, 19; Mary C., 13; Nancy, 10; Malvina, 8; Campbell, 5; William A., 2. (In 1860, Marion County, John W. HARGIS, 28; Elizabeth, 21. Nearby are Abraham, 79, and Rebecca, 70, with this family in the same household: William L., 33; Kisey M., 34; Mary C., 8; James G., 6; Rutha Ann, 2. In 1900 and 1910, John W., born Jun 1832, is a widower and living with him are these single sons: Campbell, born Jan 1875; Dallas, born Jan 1878; Samuel, born Mar 1882. Campbell married Emma GOODMAN, 20 Oct 1912, daughter of Hehderson and Amanda GOODMAN. In Hargis Cemetery, Grundy County: John W., no dates, 44th TN Inf CSA; Samuel, 1882-1953; Dallas, 1878-1934. In Red Hill Cemetery: Cambell HARGIS, 1875-1946; Emma, 1879-1962.)
- 26/26 James ARMSTRONG, 23, farmer; Malinda J., 22; Margaret, 2; Elizabeth, 2 months. (James married Malinda HARGIS, 16 Mar 1876. Is he the James, 12 years old in 1870, with Mary ARMSTRONG, 36, and Flora, 8? In 1900, Mary, born Sep 1838, 61, widow; Flora, born Feb 1865, 35, single; Georga Ann, grdau, born Jan 1886, 14; Nora, grdau, born Mar 1891, 9; Lorine, grdau, born Apr 1898, 2. Flora married Henry PHIPPS, 7 Nov 1909, and their son, Edward C., 4 months old, died 17 Jul 1914. Henry married Lelia PARSONS, 3 Jul 1915, and Flora married Tom HENLEY, 2 Dec 1917. Georga Ann and Taylor HENLEY applied for a marriage license, 24 Dec 1901. Lorene married Will Sanders, 21 May 1919. In 1900, James ARMSTRONG, head of this household, born Dec 1856, is 43, widower; Bettie, born Feb 1882, 18, single; Bertha, born Dec 1886, 13; Jefferson, born Dec 1891, 8; Allie, born Jul 1884, 15, has married Lee PHIPPS, 23 Dec 1899, and they are living with her parents. Daughter Bettie married H. W. JACOBS, 15 Jan 1905. These daughters and their husbands are buried Warren Cemetery: Bettie JACOBS, 1882-1955; Henry JACOBS, 1883-1961; Allie PHIPPS, 20 Jul 1884/_____; Lee Jackson PHIPPS, 15 Oct 1880/8 Nov 1917.)
- 27/27 Elija HARRISON, 27, blacksmith; E. J. T., 28; J. A., son, 9; Jeremiah, 7; Thomas, 5; William P., 2. T. J. ADAMS, 22. (Is Elija sometimes called T. J. or Thomas J.? In 1870, T. J., 18, son of Jeremiah and Jane HARRISON. Thomas J. married Elizabeth J. DORAN, 9 Jan 1871, daughter of James J. and Margaret DORAN. This probably is son Thomas, 5, in 1880: Death Certificate No. 456, Thos. J. HARRISON, 42, died 5 Mar 1919, father Lige HARRISON, mother Jane DORAN, buried Harrison Cemetery.)

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- James ODOM, 24, farmer; Sarah, 23; Hattie, 4; William, 2; James DOREN, 63, widower, school teacher. (In 1850, James DOREN, 29, born AL, school teacher, has wife named Margaret P., 17. By 1860, they have children: Elizabeth, Persander, Sarah L, and James A. Daughter Sarah L. married James ODOM, 5 May 1878. James ODOM must have died before 1900, as Sarah J., mother, born AL Dec 1853, widow, is living with sons, James, born Feb 1872, AL, single, and John, born May 1878, 22, single. James married Annie PAYNE, 4 Jan 1914. The only ODOM in Grundy County, in 1920, is Annie, 48, divorced, living with her father, Benjamin PAYNE, 76, widower.)
- Hence GOODMAN, 32, farmer; Amanda K., 32; S. T., son, 7; James C., 3; Emma M., 1. (Is Hence the same as Henderson W., 2 years old in 1850, son of Solomon and July GOODMAN? He married Kizah or Thursa SOUTHERLAND, 12 Sep 1866, probably daughter of Joshua and Mary SUTHERLAND. By 1900, Henderson and Amanda K. have added children: Emma, born Mar 1880, and William, born Aug 1881. Emma married Campbell HARGIS, 20 Oct 1912. In Red Hill Cemetery: Kizzie GOODMAN, 21 Dec 1847/22 Feb 1905; Henderson W., 3 Mar 1848/30 Aug 1908; Emma HARGIS, 1879-1962; Cambell, 1875-1946; William Henderson GOODMAN, 4 Aug 1881/15 May 1956; Myrtle Eliza GOODMAN, 25 Feb 1882/16 Apr 1961.)
- 30/30 William MEEKS, 19, farmer; Amanda J., 22; William T., 10 months, born Oct. (Is William the 10 year old son of Thomas and Permelia MEEKS, in 1870? He married Mandy YELL, 21 Mar 1880.)
- 31/31 The enumerator reversed the order of this family name making them the WALTON family. They are correctly the WATLEY family and are so listed here.

Walton WATLEY, 52, farmer; Mary, 44; Elizabeth, 22; James, 17; George, 13; Thomas, 12; Susan, 8; Samuel, 3. (In 1860, Marion County, Walton WATLEY, 26; Mary, 24; Sarah E., 4; Mary, 2; Margaret MARTIN, 11, insane. With the same dwelling/family number: Walton WATLEY, 82: Loucinda, 22. Son James married Mary BROWN, 13 Jan 1901. In 1900, they say "married c1886". In 1900, their children: Willie, 9; Lillie, 5; Elbert, 3; Laura, 1. Son George married Nellie B. THOMPSON, 22 Jun 1890. Is she the Louisa Burton HOBBS married Marion THOMPSON, 5 Apr 1879? In 1880, she is Burton, 17, and he is Peter THOMPSON, 21, and they have son, Willie, 2 months old. In 1900, George WATLEY, 34; Burton, 36; Georgie E., 9; Walter D., 7; Roy C., 10 months; William J. THOMPSON, 20, stson; Virginia C. THOMPSON, 18, stdau-in-law. Thomas W., son of Walton and Mary, married Lillie PANFF, 20 Aug 1890. In 1900, Thomas W., 27; Lillie, 28; Mayme, 5; Allie, 2; William, 6 months; Mary, mother, born Jan 1837, 63, widow, lives with them. In 1910, Lillie is head of this household and 15 Aug 1915, she married Ed HAMILTON. Daughter Susan married Charles P. BUTNER, 18 Nov 1895. In 1900, their family: Charles, 30; Susie, 28; Ambrous, 8; Ines, 8; Marion 6; Emma, 2; Pink, 6 mos; Laura WATLEY, inmate, 19.)

- Daniel CONDRE, 54, stone mason, born Ireland; -Frances-; Michael, 21; 32/32 Thomas, 20; Peter, 19; Daniel, 17; Eliza J., 15; John, 14; William, 12; Margaret, 10; Edmund, 8. (In 1860, Marion County: Daniel CONRID, 35; Frances, 22; Jesse, 4; Michael, 3; Thomas, 1; Peter, 2 months. Frances, Warren Cemetery: 1837-1875. In 1900, son Michael, born July 1858, 41; wife Nannie, 41; Daniel E., 17; Florence L., 12; Eliza B., 10; James M., 8; Joseph E., 5; Frances, 1. In Hargis Cemetery, Eliza CONRY, wife of Mike CONRY, 1 Jan 1861/22 Oct 1883, married 25 Sept 1881. Eliza probably was mother of Daniel E., born Jun 1882. In 1900, son Thomas, born Oct 1859, 40; wife Etta, 40; Leon, 17; Leonard, twin of Leon, 17; Fannie, 16; William, 14; Jennie, 11; Martin, 9; Rosa, 7; Roy, 5; Eugene, 6 months; Mary DUNCAN, mo/law, born Mar 1841, 59, divorced. In 1900, son Peter, born Mar 1860, 40: wife Clara, 35; Lillard, 11; Mona, 9; Lillie, 7; Jennie H., dau, 16. In Warren Cemetery: Pete CONRY, 1860-1945; Mrs. Pete CONRY, 30 Aug 1863/ 17 Aug 1947. A marriage is found for son Daniel to Sallie OBENFIELD, 16 Jan 1889 and another to Mattie COX, 20 Feb 1898. In 1900, Daniel says has been married 3 times, born Aug 1862, 37; Mattie, 29; Oscar, 12; Luther, 9; Willie, 8; Maybel, 6; Beulah, 1. Son John married Mollie BROWN, 16 Aug 1891, and in 1900, Jöhn, born Apr 1870, 30; Mollie, 28; Lyster, 8 months. Son William died 20 Jul 1891, born 19 Aug 1870, buried Warren Cemetery. Daughter Margaret married George CLAY, 22 Aug 1895, and in 1900: George L. CLAY, 31; Maggie, born Jun 1871, 28; Garnett, 3; Otis D., 1; Hassie, 9 months; Luella CLAY, sister, 18; Henry CLAY, brother, 16; Susie CLAY, sister, 14. In Warren Cemetery: Maggie B. CLAY, 16 Jun 1871/26 Jun 1951; George L. CLAY, 28 Jun 1868/18 Nov 1949. Son Edmund married Octavie HENSON, 29 Nov 1896, and in 1900: Edward, born Dec 1872, 27; Tava, 22; Gladys, 2; Elizabeth CONVELLY, aunt, born Aug 1837, VA, 62; widow. In Warren Cemetery: Edd CONRY, 16 Dec 1872/ 29 Nov 1943; Octava, 15 Dec 1876/10 Jun 1963. Father Daniel is buried in Warren Cemetery, besides wife Frances: 1827-1894.)
- 33/33 Thomas LEVAN, 62, farmer; Sally, 58; Amanda, 28, widow; Virgil, 3. (In 1860, T. T., 46; Sarah, 40; James, 21; Samuel K., 14; Lawson H., 12; Martha J., 10; Jackson, 8; Manda, 7; Fanny A., 6; Orpha, 4; Beersha, 4; Austin, 3 mos. Son James married Alvirey LAYNE, 24 May 1863, and they seem to be the J. L. and Malvina, in District 11 of 1880 census, with children: Fannie, Virginia, Rosella, Eddie, James L. and Marietta. They are buried in Tracy City Cemetery: James L. LEVAN, died 22 Jan 1896, age 55; Melvina, died 9 Jun 1888, age 44. Son Samuel K. married Calma ROBERTS, 18 Apr 1867, see 34/34 below. Lawson H. married Martha H. CORNELISON, 30 Oct 1873. They are buried Summerfield Cemetery: Lawson H. LEVAN, 23 Jun 1846/24 Aug 1896; Martha H., 12 Jul 1850/21 Apr 1921. Daughter Martha J. married A? J. MORTON, 14 Nov 1867. Are they the H. J. MORTON, 22, born Missouri, with wife Martha and daughter Eliza, 1, in 1870? Daughter Amanda married William SMITH, 16 Feb 1876. Their son, Virgil, born Mar 1878, married Maggie PHIPPS, 25 Dec 1895. There is a marriage for Fanny A., dau of Thomas and Sally, to James MCCULLOUGH, 17 Aug 1872. Child of Thomas and Sally who is called Beersha, 4 years old in 1860, is called Marshall, 14 years old in 1870.)

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34/34 S. C. LEVAN, 34, farmer; Calma, 34; Samuel, 11; Isham, 5. (This is Samuel K., son of Thomas and Sally LEVAN, 33/33. He married Calma ROBERTS, 18 Apr 1867. In 1900, their children are: Isham, 24; Clinton, 21; Bettie, 18; Annie, 15; Nora, 13. Isham married Lula SUMMERS, Nov 30, 1902. In 1920, mother Calma with Samuel, 51, single; Clint, 40, single; Nora, 33, single, live next door to Isham and Lula. Daughter Anna Bell married John FARRIS, 23 May 1907. Death Certificate No. 46: Anna Bell FARRIS, age 33-3-11, died 20 Apr 1917, parents: S.C. and Calma ROBERTS LEVAN, buried Pelham. In Pelham Church of Christ Cemetery, Samuel LEVAN, 16 Sep 1868/8 Nov 1926.)

No Dwelling or Family Number: James EDWARDS, 55, farmer; Rebecca, 31. (There is a marriage for James A. EDWARDS to Rebekah J. WEAVER, 26 Sep 1872.)

