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HISTORY OF THE WOOD FAMILY - 1764-1929

Obadiah Wood was born in South Carolina about the year 1788; was twice married. By the first marriage he became the father of three children, Mary, Martha and Edmund. Mary and Martha married brothers, named Garrison, and a large number of their descendants still live in South Carolina, Georgia and other Southern states. After the death of his first wife, Obadiah Wood was married to Mrs. Mary Tarrant, who was the mother of several children by her first husband. Before her marriage to Obadiah Wood, her daughter, Stella Tarrant, had already become the wife of Edmund Wood, the son of Obadiah. Edmund Wood was born in Greenville District, South Carolina, on January 8, 1791. Stella Tarrant was born near the same place on February 25, 1794. They were married to each other on July 29, 1812. In 1824, with their five children and their father and mother, they moved to Jefferson County, Alabama, and settled in Jones Valley, in what is now known as Huffman, about ten miles northeast of Birmingham. There they resided permanently. The valley was an almost unbroken wilderness of virgin forest and contained but one storehouse and church. They and their children became members of this church and did much toward building it up. Edmund Wood was a man of the highest type of manhood, embodying all those traits of character that make a man successful in life and a blessing to the community in which he lives. He strove to inculcate into the minds and hearts of his children principles of integrity, frugality, energy and faithfulness.

He was a very successful farmer and soon became the owner of large landed property as well as a number of slaves. He and his first wife, Stella, became the parents of twelve children - eleven sons and one daughter. The children were Larkin Marlan, Obadiah Washington, Edmund Harvey, Thomas Carter, William Henry, Richard Harrison, James Bothwell, Morgan Greene, Erasmus Perry, John Hamilton, Mary Frances, and Felix Mercer. Stella Tarrant Wood died on August 31, 1835.

Edmund Wood's second marriage was to Mrs. Mary Allen Jordan on June 3, 1845. Mary Jordan Wood died on May 1, 1856. Edmund Wood's third marriage was to Mrs. Martha Briggs Hewitt on November 7, 1859. Martha Hewitt Wood died on October 31, 1862.

Edmund Wood died on March 28, 1865, just at the close of the war between the states, and during Wilson's famous raid into Alabama. Owing to the excitement then prevalent, and lest the body might be molested by the Federal soldiers, it was thought best to bury him at night. For this reason only a few persons were present at the interment. Dying when he did, he was spared the pain of seeing the property for which he had toiled so faithfully and honestly, taken from him. The slaves were freed, stock taken away and other property destroyed.

HISTORY OF THE WOOD CEMETERY ASSOCIATION

The Wood Cemetery Association was organized in November 1906, for the purpose of improving the family cemetery, which is located in Woodlawn, Jefferson County, Alabama. It fronts on 57th Street between 1st and 2nd Avenues, North, and it is said to contain an acre more or less. The ground was entered from the Government in 1822 by James Murray; was conveyed by James Murray and wife to Ballard D. Matthews; by Ballard D. Matthews and wife to Matthew H. Gillespie, 1824, trustee for Malinda Tarrant, wife of Thomas Tarrant. It was bought from Malinda Tarrant by Edmund Wood, 1838, and given to his son, O. W. Wood. It was deed by O. W. Wood to the Wood family to be used as a burying ground. The trustees appointed were as follows: Felix M. Wood, Edmund J. Wood, James H. M. Wood, John E. Wood and J. Bestor Wood. On the death of Bestor Wood, his brother, O. W. Wood, Jr. succeeded him. Edmund J. Wood was succeeded by his brother, W. H. Wood.

Since the organization of the association the grounds have been much improved. A sexton has been employed to keep it in order. A substantial stone wall has been built on the front side. The women of the association have monthly meetings at the residence of one of their members in Woodlawn or Eastlake. Each one is expected to pay twenty-five cents per month, which amount, together with the special contributions of the male members, go to defray the expenses incurred.

December 16, 1924 Fannie Wood Beck Family Historian

It is presently referred to as Forest Hill Cemetery Assoc. Letter July 1981.

The above two items were contributed by one of our newest members.

KATHRYN L. STINE

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Paul Revere is one of the best-remembered heroes of the American Revolution. Besides his famous ride to warn the colonists that the British were coming, he also set up a mill to produce gunpowder for the Continental army. Later he repaired the guns which the British had destroyed when they left the town. He was the leading silversmith in Boston and one of the best in America. His father was born Apollis Riviere in France and emigrated to America in 1716. To make his name easier to pronounce, he changed it to "Revere".

ALL SAINTS, FULLEIGH

LAWRENCE WASHINGTON
RECTOR 1633 - 1643

4 July 1776

100th Anniversary Souvenir

4 July 1976

THE FULLEIGH CONNECTION

If George Washington had not become the first President of the United States of America in 1789 his great great grandfather's Rectorship of Fulleigh from 1633-1643 would not have been noteworthy. However, because of this one significant fact, the Rev. Lawrence Washington is of more than parochial consequence. At the time of the War of American Independence General Washington's ancestral connection with the former Rector, who had then been dead 124 years, was not realised and only in the 1890s, when the relationship was proved conclusively, did it become a matter for local pride.

Born in 1602 at Sulgrave Manor, Northants., Lawrence Washington entered Brasenose College, Oxford in 1619 and was granted a Fellowship in 1623. Before Bishop Laud of London on 14th March 1633 he wrote the following (in Latin):-

"I Lawrence Washington clerk Master of Arts being now admitted and instituted to and into the rectory and parish church of Fulleigh in the County of Essex repeating the three articles and agreeing with them do subscribe thereto freely and conscientiously.
Lawrence Washington"

An Induction mandate was then addressed to the Archdeacon of Essex and almost certainly this took place on the 4th April, the date he gave Brasenose for the year of grace to commence before he had to resign his Fellowship.

The date and place of his marriage to Amphilis Twigden of Tring, Herts, has not been discovered although three younger children born during the Fulleigh years were baptised at Tring, one of the parishes whose register for these years has survived; but as it contains no record of the wedding nor of the baptism of their eldest son, John, born in 1634(?) it is possible that Fulleigh church witnessed these ceremonies. The question has been well asked, "Why should an Essex parson bring at least three children to Tring, about fifty miles away, to be baptised?" and it has been answered by the suggestion that perhaps they were born there. If this were so and their eldest brother's birthplace was elsewhere then it would seem likely that John, the great grandparent of the illustrious George, was born at Fulleigh Rectory but proof of this is not forthcoming.

General George Washington, the rebel colonists' Commander-in-chief, did not sign the Declaration of Independence passed by Congress on 4th July 1776. Compared with such a momentous document the Certificate signed by "Lawrence Washington, Rector" and eleven other parishoners denying "an annoyance of the highways by inclosing some grounds" is of no historic importance but it is appropriate if not prophetic that this petition, his only recorded entry into village life, should be dated 4th July 1640.

"The First Century of Scandalous and Malignant Priests"

When, in 1642, Charles I had to abandon London as the long-standing conflict between King and Commons moved towards rebellion Essex and the Eastern Counties unhesitatingly supported the Parliamentarians. In the memorable phrases of the Puritan propaganda published in 1643:-

The King's War, 1642 - 49. Little Braxted seems to have offered him and his family some sort of sanctuary and refuge during the Civil War otherwise nothing is known of them in their remaining Essex years except for the outcome of Mrs. Washington's appearance in 1649 before the Committee of Plundered Ministers at Chelmsford, "fifth part of the Fulleigh living ordered to the Plundered Rector's wife." From her letter dated 28th January and probably written soon after the entry in All Saints, Maldon, parish register, "Mr. Lawrence Washington was buried January 21st 1652". It would appear that Amphilis returned with her children to Tring where she was buried on January 19th 1654. Possibly in 1656 their son, John, emigrated to Virginia, "that transatlantic haven for defeated Royalists".

From "The Sufferings of the Clergy" (1714) In less hostile times Gentlemen of his acquaintance are said to agree with Henry Ayloffe J.P. who, "took him to be a very Worthy, Pious man . . . a very Moderate, Sober person . . . he was a Loyal Person, and had one of the best Benefices in these Parts; and this was the Only cause of his Expulsion, as I verily believe".

Around Fame Legend Gathers. The Commemorative Magazine of July 1938 perpetuated the belief that the present Communion Rails were installed during Washington's time. The closeness of the upright bars was supposed to be in accordance with Archbishop Laud's known wishes for keeping dogs out of the Sanctuary but the Rev. Henry Bettenson's recent Guide confounds the antiquarians quoted by Canon Macdonald and gives a date nearer to 1700.

"The Benefice of Lawrence Washington is sequestered, for that he is a common frequenter of Ale-houses, not only himself sitting daily tipping there, but also encouraging others in

that beastly vice, and hath been oft drunk, and hath said . . . the Parliaments Articles did more hurt than the Cavaliers, and that they did none at all . . ."

The Intruded Minister

The first local pain to be much exercised by this event and the idle ale-house talk it aroused was that of Isaac Aleyn, the magistrate from Hazeleigh Hall. In 1645 it records that, "speaking of Mr. Washington . . . and of those which had caused the said sequestration he the said John Saffold bid a poxe on them and wished his knife in their throats." In 1646 it writes, "The information of Lewis Martin of Purlie, husbandman upon his oath . . . that his master Mr. Andrews, Parson of Purlie, hearing . . . there had been a drunken dog-banging feast at the said Robert Bigges's house in Purlie on the Sabbath day, very shortly after did send this said informant to the goodwife Turroddge to inquire of it." The report arising out of these wedding jollifications concludes, "And the said Robert Bigges in the hearing of Richard Pake, Constable of Purlie . . . did . . . use these words that he would give ten shillings to have Mr. Andrews gone out of Purlie, and that they were few in Purlie but would give something for that purpose." Apparently Purleigh had not appreciated the Puritan succession.

The Washington coat of arms can be seen in the church on a genealogical chart which traces a distant relationship between Winston Spencer-Churchill and George Washington. This distinctive family device, carried through centuries of English chivalry, crossed from the Old World to the New with Parson Washington's sons until, in the line of myth and battle, it underwent the transformation of a florid re-birth as the flag-embellished Stars and Stripes of an INDEPENDENT AND FREE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

His Bell - Resounding Heritage

From its central, view-commanding hilltop the half-tree-hidden church looks out over a hamlet - scattered parish and is probably the only landmark its sometime Rector would recognize today. It is difficult to visualize the Purleigh Lawrence Washington knew but far easier for those of us who live there now to hear it because in 1636 he cast his own memorial's sound and we can be thankful that the bells he had hung in the tower - reputedly to proclaim his Royalist allegiance - survived the Puritan displeasure responsible for his rude departure. They, as much as the descent of any Presidential destiny overseas, keep the name of Washington ringing through Purleigh's Essex countryside.

HIS FAMILY AND HIS TIMES

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|------|--|------|--|
| 1600 | Charles I (1625-49) born L.W. born 1602 | 1646 | Col. Henry Washington, a nephew, defends Worcester. "the first of the cities that declared for the Crown and the last which held out in defence thereof" |
| 1622 | and 1623 L.W.'s two elder brothers knighted. His younger brother, Page to Prince Charles, dies at Madrid. | 1649 | January 30th. Whitehall. Public execution of King Charles I |
| 1633 | L.W. comes to Purleigh. Marries. His children:- John 1634(?), Lawrence 1635, Elizabeth 1636, Margaret, Martha, William 1641. | 1652 | January 21st. L.W. buried at Maldon, Essex |
| 1641 | Strafford executed | 1653 | Oliver Cromwell installed as Lord Protector |
| 1643 | L.W. leaves Purleigh | 1656 | John Washington emigrated to Virginia. Dies 1677. |
| 1645 | Archbishop Laud executed | | |

Lawrence Washington

John Washington, of Virginia: d. 1677

Lawrence Washington: d. 1696

Augustine Washington: d. 1743

w. Mary Ball in 1730

GEORGE WASHINGTON

born 11 Feb. 1732; died 14 Dec. 1799

Submitted by Genda W. Colburn

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The United States came into existence at a very auspicious period. Any if their citizens should not be completely free and happy, the fault will be entirely their own.

GEORGE WASHINGTON, June 8, 1793

On 14 May 1787 a convention met in Philadelphia, with George Washington presiding, to amend the Articles of Confederation, but instead produced, without authority to do so, a new constitution for the United States. Believing that in a short time the whole document might have to be scrapped, the framers allowed practical means of amendment.

The data from our root searching can be compiled in many different ways and each has its place and usefulness in our pursuits. This particular book tells the story of a home -- of its Victorian grandeur through the transition into apartments and then as a Fraternity House. The understanding of a family and its background goes right back to upbringing, education, friends, occupations, social graces, and therefore, the home and the mode of living.

This is the story of a Victorian home and its occupants with pictures, floor-plans, and Family group charts for that visual excursion into the past. The following are excerpts from

#### BOOK REVIEW

#### THE EDWARD SNOYER BREIDENBAUGH HOME

The Alpha Chi Rho House  
Gettysburg, Pennsylvania

By David Clark Burnite

#### BOOK REVIEW

THE PARLOR was reserved for only the most formal occasions. Its heavy double doors were always kept shut to preserve the air of sanctity. The Victorian horsehair furniture was upholstered in red velvet. A baby grand piano was at the end of the room in the bay of windows.

I can well remember when the parlor was used as the "viewing room" for the body of Professor Breidenbaugh after his death in 1926. The immediate family believed that none of the children should be allowed to see the Professor after death. But I recall my father secretly taking me into the parlor when no one was around, for one last look at my Grandfather. He was dressed in his full academic robe and hood, lying on a couch (not in a casket) at the far end of the room with baskets of flowers banked around.

In later years after the home had been converted into apartments the parlor became a combination living room, dining room and kitchen for my Aunt Edna. A stairway leading to her original second floor bedroom directly above the parlor was built at the end of the room. It never lost its original charm and still became a trip into the past elegant history to sit on the original red velvet mahogany furniture in front of a blazing fireplace drinking tea.

THE MAIN HALL was magnificently furnished and an excellent introduction to meeting the atmosphere of grandeur. THE SITTING ROOM was where the family gathered for warm, congenial evenings. The horse-hair furniture was upholstered in gold velvet, and a custom-made Boston rocker whose cane seat was only 13" from the floor for my Grandmother. THE KITCHEN AREA still bears the indication of an open-hearth oven and the plastered over outline can still be seen on the outside wall. THE CUPOLA remains the only mysterious legend in this home because it is claimed that many years ago Edna went up there to burn her love letters.

ADDITIONAL PERSONAL REMEMBRANCES BY THE AUTHOR. The big front doors were always hard to maneuver when I wasn't much taller than the door knob and those screen doors would invariably slip from my hand, slamming shut to announce my arrival in a most unacceptable manner.

There was a certain "smell" about the house. There was a basic musty smell about the house; but not unpleasant. Due to the size and construction of the house, air did not circulate too freely. In the Spring and Summer this smell was overcome by the fragrance of the ever-present flowers from the garden. I can recall the distinct unpleasant musty odor from the basement because of its unfinished dirt floor. But, on the other hand, there was the pleasant aroma from the pipe my grandfather enjoyed smoking. Then, remember the pungent aroma from the many exotic spices in the pantry.

Children's activities were very limited inside the home -- the architecture was Victorian and so was the code of behaviour. No running, sliding on polished floors or down bannisters, slamming doors, rowdy noises, ill-mannered conduct, or acting up at the table. There were many "don'ts" but few "do's".

There have been innumerable changes since 1875. No one can catalog them all nor fully appreciate that which existed. But one can never deny that the Breidenbaugh home has certainly been the most notable resident in Gettysburg, with a history and grandeur and atmosphere to be captured today only by the memory and the imagination.

David Burnite's book is filled with the history of a home -- from the purchase of land, through architects and building -- its many social functions, and even as a favorite visiting place of Dwight D. Eisenhower, the future President and First Lady of the Nation.

To obtain this book, contact David C. Burnite  
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Orlando, Florida 32806

#### DID YOU KNOW?

The world's first "submarine" was built during the Revolutionary War when the British fleet was blockading New York Harbor. The Turtle, a wooden barrel-like contraption, was built by David Bushnell to attack British ships from beneath the surface of the water. Though the first submarine attack proved unsuccessful, the British were alarmed by such a novel weapon and hastily moved their blockading warships further out from shore.



# AGED LADY LEAVES MANY DESCENDENTS

Charleston, Illinois, Wednesday Evening, September 24, 1913  
The Charleston Plaindealer

Mrs. Jane Dulaney died at her home in Livingston, Clark County, Ill., Thursday last, and was buried in the cemetery in that place by the side of her husband who preceded her in the autumn of 1908. She was about 80 years old at the time of her death. Benjamin Dulaney came to Clark County from Ohio in 1853. He bought and cleared 60 acres of land while his wife spun wool and knitted all the wearing apparel for the family, and this was all taken from the backs of the sheep they raised. Sixteen children were born to them - eleven living to maturity, seven boys and four girls all now married and having families. She died leaving forty-seven living grandchildren, and thirty-eight great grandchildren. Their children are scattered over as wide a range of territory, perhaps, as any family in the state. Three live in Illinois, two in Nebraska, one in Wisconsin, one in Indiana, one in Canada, one in Arkansas, and one in Montana.

## JANE DULANEY'S LINEAGE

SMITH, JOHN, son of Nathaniel & Nancy Smith  
b. 18 May 1811 -- Green Co. PA  
m. 20 Jan 1830 -- Catherine Griffith  
d. 7777

GRIFFITH, CATHERINE, dau of Benjamin & Jane Griffith  
b. 21 May 1810 -- Belmont Co. OH  
d. 5 March 1893  
ISSUE: Jane

SMITH, JANE  
b. 1 July 1834  
m. 6 June 1850 -- Benjamin Dulaney  
d. 20 Sept 1913

DULANEY, BENJAMIN  
b. 15 Aug 1829  
d. 10 Nov 1908  
ISSUES: Elijah  
John  
Nancy  
Isacretia  
Lavina  
Louisa  
Catharine  
William  
Francis  
Norman  
Elysses  
Harve  
Belle  
Freeman  
\* Archibald  
William

DULANEY, ARCHIBALD EDEN  
b. 4 Aug 1875  
d. 18 May 1959  
m. 1903 -- Cecile Handy

HANDY, CECILE  
b. 30 Apr 1887  
d. 23 Apr 1952  
ISSUES: William Harvey  
\* Millie Jane  
Fred Ishmal  
Dorothy Dell  
Walter Isaac  
Jessie Ida Mae  
Harriett LaDonna  
Virginia Ruth  
Benjamin Samuel  
Russell James  
Edith Norma

DULANEY, MILLIE JANE  
b. 21 July 1905  
m. 5 Dec. 1925 -- Charles R. Adkins

ADKINS, CHARLES RUSSELL  
b. 30 Apr 1903  
d. 13 Mar 1967  
ISSUES: Margret Louise  
Charles Allen  
Kenneth Eugene

Submitted by Margret Louise Adkins Brinsfield

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## BOUSTEAD

The earliest inhabitants of Britain are supposed to have been a branch of that great family known in history by the designation of Celts. Cambria, which is a frequent name for Wales, is thought to be derived from Cymri, the name which the Welsh traditions apply to an immigrant people who entered the island from the adjacent continent. This name is thought to be identical with those of Cimmerians and Cimbr, under which the Greek and Roman historians describe a barbarous people, who spread themselves from the north of the Euxine over the whole of Northwestern Europe.

The poem of Aneirin, entitled the "Gododin", bears very strong marks of authenticity. Aneurin was one of the northern Britons of Strath-Clyde, who have left to that part of the district they inhabited the name of Cumberland, or land of the Cymri.

The Boustead family background is Cambrian; they are border people and, therefore, slightly Celtic, with a liking for simple agriculture and the open air. In English terms they are yeoman stock, tenant farmers, with all their self reliance. Yeoman is just below the peers of England.

Thank you, Mary Warner Muth

# BOSTON TEA PARTY PARTICIPANTS

From: The Boston Globe

(List may not be complete)

NATHANIEL BARBER, 45, merchant. Died 1787  
SAMUEL BARNARD, 36, Major, Rev. Army. Died 1782  
HENRY BASS, 34, cousin of Samuel Adams. Died 1811  
EDWARD BATES.  
THOMAS BOLTER, 38, housewright. Died 1811.  
DAVID BRADLEE, 31, Captain. Died 1811  
JOSIAH BRADLEE, 19. Died 1798  
NATHANIEL BRADLEE, 27. Died 1813  
THOMAS BRADLEE, 29. Died 1805  
JAMES BREWER, pump and blockmaker. Died 1805  
SETH INGERSOLL BROWN, 25, carpenter. Tavern keeper. Died 1809  
STEPHEN BRUCE, merchant. Died 1801  
BENJAMIN BURTON, 34, carpenter. Colonel, Rev. Army. Died 1835  
NICHOLAS CAMPBELL, 41, sailor. Died 1829  
GEORGE CARLETON  
THOMAS CHASE, distiller.  
BENJAMIN CLARKE, cooper. Died 1840  
JOHN COCHRAN, 24, farmer, Belfast, Me. Died 1839  
GILBERT COLTSWORTHY, 29, ship carpenter. Died 1818.  
GERSHOM COLLIER. Died about 1825.  
ADAM COLLSON, 35, leather dresser. Died 1798  
JAMES FOSTER CONDY, bookseller. Died 1809  
S. COOLIDGE  
SAMUEL COOPER, 18. Died 1840  
THOMAS CRAFTS, JR., 33, painter, japanner and carpenter. Died 1799  
JOHN CRANE, 29, carpenter, judge. Died 1805.  
THOMAS DANA, JR.  
ROBERT DAVIS, 26, importer. Died 1798  
EDWARD DOLBEAR, apprentice cooper, cooper. Died 1798  
JOSEPH EATON, hatter  
JOSEPH EAYRES, housewright  
ECKLEY, barber  
BENJAMIN EDES, 41, printer, editor Boston Gazette. Died 1803  
WILLIAM ETHERIDGE, masonry business  
SAMUEL FENNO, 38, housewright. Died 1806  
SAMUEL FOSTER  
NATHANIEL FROTHINGHAM, 27. Died 1825  
JOHN FULTON, 40.  
JOHN GAMMELL, 24, carpenter. Died 1827  
THOMAS GERRISH.  
SAMUEL GORE, 22, painter. Died 1831 (?).  
MOSES GRANT, 30, upholsterer. Died 1817  
NATHANIEL GREENE  
SAMUEL HAMMOND, 24, farmer. Died 1842  
WILLIAM HENDLEY, 25. Died 1830  
GEORGE ROBERT TWELVES HENES, 31, farmer, fisherman, shoemaker. Died 1840  
JOHN HICKS, 48  
SAMUEL HOBBS, 23, tanner and currier. Died 1823  
JOHN HOOTON, apprentice oarmaker, wood-wharfinger  
SAMUEL HOWARD, 21, shipwright. Died 1797  
EDWARD C. HOWE, 31, ropemaker. Died 1821  
JONATHAN HUNNEWELL, 14. Died 1842  
RICHARD HUNNEWELL, father of Jonathan and Richard, Jr. Died 1805  
RICHARD HUNNEWELL, JR., 16  
THOMAS HUNSTABLE, 20  
ABRAHAM HUNT, 25, wine merchant. Died 1793  
DANIEL INGERSOLL, 23, housewright. Died 1829  
DANIEL INGOLDSON  
DAVID KINNISON, 37, farmer. Died at Chicago in 1852, age 113.  
JOSEPH LEE, 28, merchant. Died 1831  
AMOS LINCOLN, 20, housewright apprentice. Died 1820  
MATTHEW LORING, 23, cordwainer. Died 1829  
JOSEPH LOVERING, 15, apprentice tallow chandler. Died 1848  
THOMAS MACHIN, 29, engineer. Died 1816  
EBENEZER MacINTOSH, 36, shoemaker. Died in 1816



ARCHIBALD MacNEIL, 23. Died 1840  
 MARTIN  
 THOMPSON MAXWELL, 31, teamster. Died 1835  
 JOHN MAY, 25. Died 1812  
 MEAD  
 THOMAS MELVILL, 22, merchant. Died 1832  
 WILLIAM MOLINBUX, 57, merchant. Died 1774  
 THOMAS MOORE, 20, wharfinger. Died 1813  
 ANTHONY MORSE  
 JOSEPH MOUNTFORD, 23, cooper. Died 1838  
 ELIPHALET NEWELL, 38  
 JOSEPH PEARSE PALMER, MERCHANT  
 JONATHAN PARKER, farmer  
 JOSEPH PAYSON, 30, housewright  
 SAMUEL PECK, cooper  
 JOHN PETERS, 41. Died 1812  
 WILLIAM PIERCE, 29, barber. Died 1840  
 LENDALL PITTS, 26, merchant. Died 1787  
 SAMUEL PITTS, 28, merchant, brother of Lendl. Pitts  
 THOMAS PORTER, merchant. Died 1800  
 HENRY PRENTISS, 24, merchant. Died 1823  
 JOHN PRINCE, 12, pewterer apprentice, minister. Died 1836  
 EDWARD PROCTOR, 40, importer. Died 1811  
 HENRY PURKITT, 18, cooper's apprentice. Died 1846  
 JOHN RANDALL, 23.  
 PAUL REVERE, 38, engraver, goldsmith. Express rider for patriots. Died 1818  
 BENJAMIN RICE  
 JOSEPH ROBY, living in Hanover, N.H. 1817  
 JOHN RUSSELL. Died 1778  
 WILLIAM RUSSELL, 25, teacher. Died 1784  
 ROBERT SESSIONS, 21, laborer, justice of the peace. Died 1836  
 JOSEPH SHED, 41, carpenter, grocer. Died 1812  
 BENJAMIN SIMPSON, 19, bricklayer's apprentice. Died 1849  
 PETER SLATER, 14. Died 1831  
 SAMUEL SLOPER  
 THOMAS SPEAR  
 SAMUEL SPRAGUE, 19. Died 1844  
 JOHN SPURR, 25. Died 1812  
 JAMES STARR, 32, cooper. Died 1831  
 PHINEAS STEARNS, 37, farmer, blacksmith. Died 1798  
 EBENEZER STEVENS, 21, carpenter. Died in 1823  
 ELISHA STORY, 30, doctor. Died 1805  
 JAMES SWAN, 19, countinghouse clerk. Died 1831  
 JOHN TRUMAN  
 ABRAHAM TOWER  
 THOMAS URRANN, ship-joiner. Died 1791 (Sarah Duty married 1746, John Urran).  
 JOSIAH WHEELER, 30, housewright. Died 1817  
 DAVID WILLIAMS  
 ISAAC WILLIAMS  
 JEREMIAH WILLIAMS, blacksmith  
 THOMAS WILLIAMS, 19. Died 1817  
 NATHANIEL WILLIS, 18, printer. Died 1831  
 JOSHUA WYETH, 16, journeyman blacksmith. Living Cincinnati, Ohio in 1827  
 THOMAS YOUNG, 41, doctor. Died 1777

By 1770, the only real symbol of power of the British Parliament was a trifling tax on tea, and by 1771, prosperity had returned to the American colonies. However, there was a smoldering discontent among the poorer people everywhere in America, and men in the lower scale were beginning to look for leadership in their own ranks. Patrick Henry rode to political power with the backing of the poorer electors. Samuel Adams, in Boston, was a consummate manipulator of public opinion among the masses, and it was his followers in Boston who raided the tea ship and threw \$50,000 worth of tea into the harbor. This act infuriated King George III and the British Parliament, and Massachusetts was placed under the immediate control of the Crown. Thus, the tea party on 16 December 1773 polarized opinion, on both sides of the Atlantic, and war was inevitable.

(Reference: "The Causes of the American Revolution", edited by John C. Wahlke,  
 D. C. Heath & Company, 1967. Owned by the author of this article.)

The foregoing list of participants in the Boston Tea Party furnished to me by Mrs. C. R. (Peggy) Sewell, descendant of Captain Thomas Hale. The reprint from the Boston Globe contains much more information on many of the men in the list, and is available from

Clifton O. Duty  
2711 Seabreeze Court  
Orlando, Florida 32805  
(305) 423-4105

Thank you, Cliff!

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52

### SONGS OF THE TIMES

"I wrote these old timers for Nancy at her request. See that she gets them.  
Grampa Muth 1948"

The following songs have been copied exactly as they were written for his granddaughter.

#### Days of 49

You see before you old Tom Moore  
a relic of former days  
folks call me a bum now  
but what care I for praise  
My heart is filled with days of yore  
and often do I opine  
for those days of old those days of Gold  
those Days of 49

I had comrades then who loved me well  
A Sassy jovial crew  
there was some hard cases I must confess  
but they were staunch and true  
They'd never flinch what'ere the pinch  
and they'd never fume nor while  
but like good old brinks  
they stood their kicks  
in those days of 49

There was New York JAKE the Butcher Boy  
So fond of getting right  
and when ever Jake got on a spree  
he was ready for a fight  
one day he ran against a knife  
in the hands of old BOB CLINE  
and over MAKE we held a Wake in  
those Days of 49

There was Monte PETE I never shall forget  
the luck he always had  
he'd deal for you both nite and day  
So long as you had a SCAD  
He'd deal you a draw or ANTE a SLUG  
Or go the WAY FELL BLIND  
but in the game with DEATH  
PETE lost his breath in the  
Days of 49

There was BUFFALO BILL who could outroar  
a Buffalo Bull you bet  
he Roared all day and he roared all nite  
and I guess he is roaring yet  
He FELL into a prospect HOLE  
with aroaring bad DESIGN in that HOLE  
Bill Roared out his Soul in the  
Days of 49

There was OLD LANE JESS a hard ole cuss  
who Never Would REPENT, he was never  
known to miss a deal or over pay a cent  
but poor old JESS like all the rest  
had to lay out in his time  
for in his Blame he went up the FLIME  
in those Days of 49

Of All the comrades I had then there's  
not one left to boast they've left me  
in my misery like some poor  
Wandering ghost, that's why my heart  
is filled with yore and often  
do I opine for those days of old  
Those Days of Gold  
those days of 49

#### THE BONNY BLUE FLAG

War a band of Southern gentlemen  
United to the soil  
Fighting for the country  
We gained by honest toil  
Jeff Davis was our president  
LEE was in command  
When led by Northern treachery  
We boldly took the stand

chorus

Burrah Burrah for our Southern rights HURRAH  
Burrah for the Bonny blue flag  
that bears the Single STAR

Jeff Davis was our president  
So what had we to fear  
With LONGSTREET in the middle  
and OLD STONE WALL in the rear  
We beat them at Manassas  
We beat them at Bull Run  
We beat them at the Seven day fight  
Lord how the Yankees Run

#### When McGinnis gets a job

Last Winter was a hard one  
Mrs. Reilly did you say  
Tis myself that knows it  
This many long day  
Your Husband was 'ent the only man  
that sat behind the wall sure  
My old man McGinnis  
got nary a job at all

Now cheer up Mrs. Reilly  
dont give way to the Blues  
You and I will cut a shine  
With new Bonnets and new Shoes  
We'll keep up a Stout heart  
We'll never sigh nor Sob but  
We'll wait til times get better  
and McGinnis gets a job

Thank you Grampa Muth and Mary Muth for these songs.



# PAT MURPHY REPORTS QUERIES PAY OFF

I have finally found out something about my great-great grandfather's family. I only knew one set of great-grandparents and that was on my KNOX line. My great-grandfather, George Stubblefield Knox, died in Orlando in 1941. His father (and many other relatives) moved to Orlando in December 1880 from Carroll County, Tennessee (that is William Washington Knox, b. 25 March 1810, d. Orlando 30 Jan. 1884). My great-grandfather, George Stubblefield Knox, is buried at Greenwood Cemetery in Orlando, with his father, William Washington Knox.

Until this month, I never knew of any siblings of William Washington Knox. In 1979 I ran a Query in the Tennessee Genealogical Quarterly ANSEARCHIN' NEWS about him, stating our family Bible said "Robert Knox, father of W(illiam) W(ashington) Knox, died March 10, 1860 - 92 years old the day he died." Now, I have had an answer from William "Glenn" Knox of Plant City, FL (b. 1908 Plant City) who had a letter from his ancestor Ephraim Pinkney Knox naming all the children of Robert Knox and his wife Martha Brawley!!!!

Copy of letter transcribed by William "Glenn" Knox, P. O. Box 964, Plant City, Florida, grandson of Ramsey William Knox of Eclectic, Elmore County, Alabama. This letter was written to Ramsey William Knox by his father, Ephraim Pinkney Knox (b. ca. 1815 prob. Rutherford Co., Tennessee).

Star Texas  
April 8, 1988

Dear son,

I will tell you all I know about our relations. They are of Irish descent. My father was born in North Carolina. His father was killed in the Revolutionary War by one of his own men. He was Captain of a company and going through a cane brake in front of his men. The hammer of one of his men's gun was pulled back, and his gun was discharged and killed my grandpa. My father was the only boy he had. He was small but took care of his mother and sisters.

He married my mother, Martha Brawley, at the age of 40. They had six boys and two girls: William Washington, John Brawley, Ephraim Pinkney, James Robinson, Milton Huston, Andrew Jackson, Margaret Allen, and Mary Eaty.

Father had no brothers. I do not know how many sisters. I never saw but one of them. I called her Aunt Peggy. I suppose her name was Polly. She married a Mr. Read. They lived in Middle Tennessee. I have seen 4 of her boys: William, James, Andrew, and John.

Outside of that, father had no nearer relatives than Cousins. You were acquainted with Dr. Abraham Knox. Father and he were Cousins. James E. Polk and he were about third Cousins. Polk's mother was a Knox, a Cousin of father.

My understanding is that we were relatives to the Knox, the great reformer of Ireland. He was Scotch-Irish. There was but one Knox family in Ireland.

My father's relations came from North Carolina to Middle Tennessee. They went from there through West Tennessee where we lived. From there they went on West. I find a great many Knox's in Texas. Claim to be if they can trace their relationship to James E. Polk.

That is all I know about our relatives of the Knox family.

Your father,  
E. P. Knox

## "Marriages of Rutherford County, Tennessee 1804 - 1872" Compiled by Edythe Rucker Whitley - Copyright 1981

p. 41 Knox, Robert to Martha Brawley, May 20, 1809. Surety, Thomas Brawley.

"Weakley County Tenn, 1850 Census"  
Transcribed by Deane Porch  
Miran Pub., Ft Worth, TX 76116  
(pub. date not shown, probably  
pub. for Martin, TN Centennial  
in 1973)

| Book | Census | House (?) | P. Knox | 35 M Merchant | 500  | Tenn |
|------|--------|-----------|---------|---------------|------|------|
| Page | Page   | Dist      | No      | Sarah         | 27 F | Tenn |
| 147  | 425    | 14        | 84      | William       | 12 M | Tenn |
|      |        |           |         | Robert        | 8 M  | Tenn |
|      |        |           |         | Ann           | 6 F  | Tenn |
|      |        |           |         | Andrew        | 2 M  | Tenn |

(Is this Ephraim Pinkney Knox who married Sarah Henderson?)

(Marriage records of Weakley  
County, TN prior to 1843 have  
been lost.)

|     |     |   |    |            |               |      |      |
|-----|-----|---|----|------------|---------------|------|------|
| 157 | 430 | 3 | 57 | W. W. Knox | 40 M Merchant | 3000 | Tenn |
|     |     |   |    | Nancy      | 22 F          |      | Tenn |
|     |     |   |    | Benjamin   | 11 M          |      | Tenn |
|     |     |   |    | Virginia   | 9 F           |      | Tenn |
|     |     |   |    | Martha     | 7 F           |      | Tenn |
|     |     |   |    | Robert     | 79? M         |      | N.C. |
|     |     |   |    | Mary       | 23 F          |      | N.C. |

(This is Wm. Washington Knox and his 2nd wife, Nancy Cinthelia BOYD,  
and the children of his 1st marriage to Louisa Claiborn BONDURANT.)

Thank you, Pat!

WILL OF WILLIAM D. DONOHO

The following will was probated in Princess Anne, Somerset County, Maryland Courthouse in 1865. William D. Donoho, great grandfather to Betty Brinsfield Hughson, was by tradition a blockade runner for the South during the War between the States. The story is that the ship "Vanquish" of which he was half owner was painted black, had black sails and was only used when there was no moon.

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In the name of God Amen I William D. Donoho of Somerset County, Maryland being of sound & disposing mind memory and understanding though somewhat feeble in health do make ordain publish and declair this to be my last will and Testament in terms following, to wit:

- Item. I direct my Executors herein after named to sell my half of the schooner "Vanquish," all the goods in my store and my large wain cart and with the proceeds to pay all my just ohines(?)
- Item. I give & bequeath to my oldest male heir at the time of my death my gun and all the appurtances thereunto belonging.
- Item. I give & bequeath to my beloved wife Sarah Priscilla Donoho all the rest and residue of my estate real and personal to be hers during her natural life time or widowhood, she to take care of and provide for my children.
- Item. In case my wife should marry again then I direct that she take her legal thirds of my estate and the balance go immediately into the hands of her brother Levin M. Wilson, who in that case I appoint guardian to my children or in case my wife should not marry again I will that my estate at her death be equally divided between all my children.
- Item. I hereby constitute and appoint my wife Sarah P. Donoho & my brother-in-law Levin M. Wilson Co-executors to this my Last Will and Testament.

Witness my hand issue (?) this fourth day of August in the year of our Lord Eighteen Hundred and sixty five.

s/ William D. Donoho

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BBH. As you can see, no mention is made of the children by name, or of their ages. When the 1860 census of Maryland was checked, at least one child that I had heard of was missing. Not being sure where to look next, I put the will to one side, but not out of my mind.

Approximately two years later, while visiting in Maryland again, I had a chance to visit the Salisbury, Wicomico County, Courthouse. After checking the index for the name Donoho, I found the following document, which will prove that all courthouses should be searched. Wicomico County was formed from a part of Somerset County in 1867, but it had not occurred to me to look for the type of record that follows:

To the Honorable, the Judges of the Circuit Court of Wicomico County:

The Bill of Complaint of Phillip T. Donoho of Wicomico County, in the State of Maryland, respectfully represents to your honors that a certain William D. Donoho of said county and state, died on or about the fifth day of August in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-five leaving a will duly executed and recorded in the Register of Wills office at Princess Anne, Somerset County, Maryland as the last will and testament of the said William D. Donoho, in which are the following items: "I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Sarah Priscilla Donoho all the rest and residue of my estate, real and personal, to be hers during her natural lifetime or widowhood - she to take care of and provide for my children; Item - In case my wife should marry again then I direct that she take her legal thirds of my estate and the balance go immediately



WILL OF WILLIAM D. DONOHO - continued

into the hands of her brother Levin M. Wilson who in that case I appoint Guardian to my children, or in case my wife should not marry again I will that my estate at her death be equally divided between all my children." And a certified copy of said will is hereby filed as part of this bill and marked "Exhibit A." And your complaint further shows that the said Sarah Priscilla Donoho, wife of Wm. D. Donoho is still living and unmarried and that the said William D. Donoho died leaving the following children, Philip T. Donoho, Wm. F. Donoho, Octavia P. Donoho, John F. Donoho, Levin D. Donoho and Sarah V. Donoho, his children and heirs at law to certain real estate situated in Barren Creek District, Wicomico County, Maryland, described in the exhibit herewith filed as part of this bill and marked "Exhibit B."

And your orator further shows that all of the heirs aforesaid are of age and reside in Wicomico County, Maryland, except John F. and Sarah V. Donoho who are minors and under twenty-one years of age.

And your orator further shows that the real estate herein before is depreciating in value on account of the way in which said real estate is held; and that it is not susceptible of division, and that no division could be made, except by greatly injuring and depreciating the value of the said real estate.

To the end therefor that the said Sally Priscilla Donoho, William F. Donoho, Octavia P. Donoho, John F. Donoho, Levin D. Donoho and Sarah V. Donoho may answer the several matters and things hereinbefore stated and that the said real estate may be sold and that your orators may have such other and further relief as their case may require.

May it please your honors to grant unto your orator the writ of subpoena directed to the said Sally Priscilla Donoho, William F. Donoho, Octavia P. Donoho, John F. Donoho, Levin P. Donoho, Sarah V. Donoho to be and appear in this Court on some day to be named therein to answer the premises and to abide by and perform such decree as may be passed therein. And as in duty bound

E. Stanley Toadvin  
Solicitor for Complainant

BBH. In this document, I found the names of all the children and also got some idea of their ages. The young ones that were not on the census, had to be born in 1865 or 1866. The children listed on the 1860 census were, of course, no problem. Attached to this document was "Exhibit B."

1. One farm in Barren Creek District, Wicomico County, Maryland, adjoining lands of John Budd, William Seabrease and others, containing one hundred and sixteen acres; being the same farm where Wm. D. Donoho resided at the time of his death.
2. One house and lot, house being one story and lot containing one acre of ground situated in said county and adjoining the above mentioned farm.

Philip T. Donoho

vs

Sally P. Donoho et al

In the Circuit Court for Wicomico  
County, Md.

July Term 1900

BBH. I have not yet found any other documents referring to this property, but my great grandmother evidently lost her rights in the property, as she moved to Baltimore and died there in 1909.

# GENEALOGICAL QUERY COLUMNS

The following is a final listing of U.S. Newspapers and Periodicals which carry a Genealogical Query Column to which you may write:

|                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                        |
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| "The Augustan"<br>The Augustan<br>1617 W. 261 Street<br>Harbor City, CA 90701                                             | "Trails of Long Ago"<br>Austin-Crothersville News<br>c/o Rosemary Gardner<br>158 Armstrong St.<br>Crothersville, IN 47170 | "On Finding Your Ancestor"<br>Collector News<br>Box 156<br>Grundy Center, IA 50638                                | "Genealogy"<br>Empire Building<br>c/o Ida Watch<br>Box 3457<br>Coos Bay, OR 97420                                      |
| "The Irish Herald"<br>Irish Herald<br>2123 Market Street<br>San Francisco, CA 94114                                       | "Up Your Family Tree"<br>Elkhart Truth<br>c/o Mrs. McDaniel<br>321 N. R. West Blvd.<br>Elkhart, IN 46514                  | "Ancestor Queries"<br>Adair County Free Press<br>410 N. First Street<br>Greenfield, IA 50849                      | "Genealogy"<br>PA Traveller Post<br>c/o R. T. Williams<br>P. O. Box 307<br>Danboro, PA 18916                           |
| "Idaho Family Trees"<br>Boise Statesman<br>c/o Joyce W. Owens<br>Box 236<br>Pollack, ID 83347                             | "Indiana Ancestors"<br>Indianapolis Star<br>c/o Rebecca McCay Roth<br>Indianapolis, IN 46202                              | "The Mail Box"<br>Ozark Mountaineer<br>Branson, MO 65616                                                          | "Our Keystone Families"<br>Lebanon Daily News<br>c/o Schuyler Grossman<br>Box 43<br>Rehersburg, PA 19950               |
| "Is Your Name Here"<br>Casey Daily Reporter<br>c/o Mary Holt<br>Casey, IL 62420                                           | "Genealogy"<br>Tri-State Trader<br>w/o Willard Weiss<br>P. O. Box 90 MB<br>Knightstown, IN 46148                          | "Wissin Kin"<br>Ozark Graphic<br>Box 56<br>Doniphan, MO 63935                                                     | "Upon Your Family Tree"<br>Color County Spectrum<br>c/o Marguerite Robinson<br>Box 564<br>Leeds, UT 84746              |
| "Genealogy"<br>DeWitt County Observer<br>Box 320<br>Clinton, IL 61727                                                     | "Chasing Kin & Connecting Cousins"<br>Martinsville Gazette<br>c/o Judge N. K. Little<br>Box 228<br>Martinsville, IN 46150 | "Shaking The Family Tree"<br>Ozark Beacon<br>c/o Mrs. Hanks<br>Rt. 7, Box 215<br>Poplar Bluff, MO 63901           | Genealogical Helper<br>(Fee Required)<br>Everton Publishers<br>Box 368<br>Logan, UT 84321                              |
| "Illiana Ancestors"<br>Danville Commercial News<br>c/o Mrs. Joan Griffiths<br>105 Poland Road<br>Danville, IL 61832       | "Kinfolks"<br>Washington Press<br>c/o Helen Burgess<br>Box 32<br>Salem, IN 47167                                          | "Ozark Genealogy"<br>Leader and Press<br>c/o Mrs. Lena Bills<br>635 E. Bennett<br>Springfield, MO 65807           | "Query Corner"<br>Genealogy Club of<br>America Magazine<br>Box 15784<br>Salt Lake City, UT 84115                       |
| "At The Sign of the Cross"<br>Hobbies Magazine<br>c/o Hazel Eilers<br>2522 Thayer<br>Evanston, IL 60201                   | "Scott County Ancestors"<br>County Herald & Chronicle<br>c/o Mrs. B. Shirley<br>P. O. Box 159<br>Scottsburg, IN 47170     | "Trailing"<br>c/o Sileen Attenberger<br>Box 614<br>Tumacacari, NM 88401                                           | "Hunting for Ancestors"<br>Charlotte Gazette<br>c/o Mildred Steltzner<br>4037 Tanglewood Trail<br>Chesapeake, VA 23320 |
| "Is Your Name Here"<br>Toledo Democrat<br>c/o Mary Holt<br>Toledo, IL 62468                                               | "Owen County Ancestors"<br>The Evening World<br>c/o Dixie Kline<br>114 E. Franklin<br>Spencer, IN 47468                   | "County Seat Mirror"<br>Harrison News Herald<br>c/o John Campbell<br>Box 164<br>Cadiz, OH 43907                   | "Climbing Your Family Tree"<br>Daily News<br>c/o Hugh Watson, Jr.<br>7505 Warwick Blvd.<br>Newport News, VA 23607      |
| "Ancestors, Yours & Mine"<br>Lexington Library<br>c/o Verda Gornich<br>Lexington, IL 61753                                | "Lawrence County Ancestors"<br>Daily Times Call<br>c/o Mary Stipp<br>815 E. 16th Street<br>Bedford, IN 47421              | "Grass Roots"<br>Republican Courier<br>c/o Joan Price<br>Findlay, OH 45940                                        | "Wisconsin Helper"<br>c/o Walter Van Brocklin<br>2911 S. 56th Street<br>Milwaukee, WI 53219                            |
| "Family Tree Leaves"<br>Bloomington Sunday Herald<br>c/o Mrs. John G. Robinson<br>1900 S. Walnut<br>Bloomington, IN 47401 | "Michigan Roots"<br>South Bend Tribune<br>c/o Mrs. Carol Collins<br>225 Colfax Avenue<br>South Bend, IN 46626             | "Find Your Ancestors"<br>Columbus Dispatch<br>c/o Joy W. Moulton<br>1305 London Drive<br>Columbus, OH 43221       | Prepared by<br>Mary Higdon Swakoff                                                                                     |
| "Ancestors-Genealogy"<br>Journal & Courier<br>c/o Merlin Fennell<br>Box 294<br>Monticello, IN 47960                       | "Tales of Our Past"<br>Carmelton News<br>c/o Agnes Sutton<br>Tobinsport, IN 47587                                         | "The Family Researching"<br>The Spirit of Democracy<br>c/o Catherine Pedorchak<br>Box 470<br>Woodsfield, OH 45793 | NOTE: This column is<br>not included in the<br>Surname Index or the<br>Geographical Index.                             |
| "Genealogy"<br>Osgood Journal<br>c/o Mrs. R. Mathew<br>Rt. 1, Cross Plains, IN 46150                                      | "Dear Genie"<br>Cedar Rapids Gazette<br>Linn County Heritage Soc.<br>Box 175<br>Cedar Rapids, IA 52408                    | "Off The Tombstone"<br>Daily Record<br>c/o Eppie Taft<br>Wooster, OH 44691                                        |                                                                                                                        |
|                                                                                                                           | "Quad-City Genealogy"<br>Davenport Times Democrat<br>c/o R. Tracy<br>Davenport, IA 52802                                  | "Genealogy"<br>c/o Billie Webb<br>2572 Brussels<br>North Bend, OH 97457                                           |                                                                                                                        |



FURGET-ME-NOT

(printed in Germany - no date)

The following is in possession of Emily Pfeffer (Mrs. August F. Hartman) originally of Kenney, Austin Co., Texas, now living in Fort Worth, Texas.

|                        |          |          |                     |        |          |                      |         |          |
|------------------------|----------|----------|---------------------|--------|----------|----------------------|---------|----------|
| Lina Gross             | January  | 1, 1850  | Johnny Henske       | April  | 20, 1902 | Henrietta Stern      | Oct.    | 2, 1885  |
| Estelle May            |          | 1, 1900  | Hattie Sens         |        | 21, 1886 | Frieda Meier         |         | 4, 1886  |
| Lillie Dahse           |          | 2, 1905  | Willis Worden       |        | 30, 1888 | Lillian May Navratil |         | 11, 1896 |
| Clara Meier            |          | 6, 1891  | Annie Karger        | May    | 5, ?     | Willie C. Sander     |         | 11, 1886 |
| Marvel May             |          | 11, 1898 | Erich F. Dahse      |        | 9, 1894  | Richard Bolton       |         | 13, ?    |
| Henry Hering           |          | 1895     | Bennie Ueckert      |        | 10, 1884 | Mrs. Mary E. Gruener |         | 15, 1886 |
| Nora Kaechele          |          | 1893     | Selma Schwenker     |        | 17, 1905 | Lizzie Daernbrach    |         | 16, ?    |
| Hattie Stern           |          | 1890     | Mr. P. Mundelins    |        | 17, 1882 | Charles Jahnke       | 21/22,  | 1895     |
| Otto Lehmann           |          | 15, 1907 | Mary Pfeffer        |        | 23, 1866 | Lillie Gross         |         | 28, 1888 |
| Selma Dahse            |          | 16, 1889 | Erna Finck          |        | 31, 1884 | Leo Sens             |         | 28, 1890 |
| Emily Stahl            |          | 17, 1882 | Annie Streb         | June   | 1, 1907  | Ernest A. Dahse      |         | 31, 1892 |
| Bertha Lehmann         |          | 18, 1884 | Wm. B. Luedke       |        | 5, 1895  | Alma Meyer           |         | 31, 1896 |
| Mrs. R. F. Windt       |          | 18, 1888 | Arthur Mundelins    |        | 7, 1904  |                      | or Nov. | 1, 1896  |
| W. F. Finck            |          | 20, 1877 | Alexa Pless         |        | 7, ?     | Helena Streb         | Nov.    | 2, 1878  |
| Leona Schwenker        |          | 21, 1903 | Olga Karger         |        | 12, ?    | Emma Apfelbach       |         | 2, 1875  |
| Emma Sander            |          | 23, 1890 | Lillie Neumann      |        | 17, 1903 | Mr. Wm. Pfeffer      |         | 3, 1844  |
| Augustie Kunkel        |          | 25, 1885 | Nathan McNutt       |        | 17, 1892 | Mrs. Fanny Jahnke    |         | 4, 1893  |
| Bertha Ueckert         |          | 27, 1884 | Mr. Charles Gruener |        | 21, 1949 | Elsie Kunkel         |         | 7, 1907  |
| Walter Hering          |          | 27, 1888 | Olin Doleshal       |        | 23, 1905 | Wilma Apfelbach      |         | 7, 1903  |
| Annie Freitag          |          | 28, 1895 | Paul Rudloff        |        | 30, 1890 | Nora Uhlig           |         | 9, 1893  |
| Millie Hassler         |          | 29, 1876 | John Pfeffer        |        | 30, 1879 | Ella Hartman         |         | 10, 1892 |
| Angelina M. Suhr       | February | 1, 1887  | Louise Glaser       | July   | 1, 1898  | Alice Weindt         |         | 14, 1918 |
| Lena Ladig             |          | 3, ?     | Charlie Gruener     |        | 3, 1895  | Mrs. A. Braesecke    |         | 19, 1852 |
| Edward Mittanck        |          | 4, 1906  | Gustav Apfelbach    |        | 4, 1896  | Clara Mundelins      |         | 21, 1896 |
| Harold Rudloff         |          | 5, 1912  | Walter Pfeffer      |        | 11, 1891 | Emily Schmid         |         | 22, 1896 |
| Clara A. Fritz         |          | 7, 1894  | Dora Pfeffer        |        | 15, 1888 | Sam Hilboldt         |         | 24, 1897 |
| H. Braesecke           |          | 8, 1876  | Hettie Braesecke    |        | 16, 1890 | Johnnie Streb        |         | 26, 1900 |
| Mrs. Paul Beckman      |          | 8, 1869? | Carrie Finck        |        | 17, 1906 | Lydia Ueckert        |         | 26, 1882 |
| Annie Hering           |          | 13, 1891 | Norma Kaechele      |        | 19, 1889 | Agnes Eber           |         | 27, 1878 |
| Hilda Stahl            |          | 18, 1907 | Fritz Sens          |        | 21, 1878 | Fred Hoverkamp       |         | 30, 1886 |
| Ernest Stern           |          | 20, 1892 | Nellie Reichardt    |        | 23, 1897 | Mrs. W. J. Kaechele  |         | 30, 1886 |
| Annie Roehr            |          | 21, 1889 | Herman Pfeffer      |        | 24, 1886 | Carrie Schlechte     | Dec.    | 7, 1898  |
| Elenore Schlechte      |          | 21, 1902 | Aug. Eber           |        | 24, 1870 | Mrs. Mary C. Gruener |         | 7, 1863  |
| Marguerite Eliz. Lauer |          | 22, 1878 | Lydia Tegeler       |        | 25, 1903 | Elmore Mittanck      |         | 4, 1900  |
| Otto C. Bollmann       |          | 21, ?    | Mrs. Paul Beckmann  |        | 26, ?    | Arnold Glaser        |         | 4, 1900  |
| Charles Stern          |          | 24, 1894 | Mrs. E. Mundelins   |        | 27, 1866 | Olga Ueckert         |         | 4, 1896  |
| Paul Sens              |          | 27, 1880 | Marvin J. McNutt    |        | 28, 1890 | Annie Dahse          |         | 5, 1878  |
| Ruby Ueckert           | March    | 1, 1908  | Julius Doleshal     | August | 8, 1885  | Alma Neumann         |         | 5, 1887  |
| Herbert Schulze        |          | 2, 1915  | Mr. A. Braesecke    |        | 4, 1837  | Jesse James Jousan   |         | 6, 1894  |
| Louise Hartman         |          | 3, 1888  | Gruener             |        | 11, 1883 | Henry Kasting        |         | 8, 1888  |
| Walter Glaser          |          | 10, 1895 | Elma Reinicke       |        | 12, 1877 | Emma Schwenker       |         | 9, 1874  |
| Flora Kollatschny      |          | 11, ?    | Olga Roehr          |        | 17, 1891 | Annie Jahnke         |         | 10, 1891 |
| Bennie Pfeffer         |          | 16, 1887 | Marie Mittanck      |        | 24, 1872 | Elenore Beckmann     |         | 13, 1907 |
| Pastor F. Apfelbach    |          | 19, 1865 | Henry Sens          | Sept.  | 7, 1884  | Erna Luedke          |         | 14, 1897 |
| Grover Kaechele        |          | 20, 1893 | Lillian Streb       |        | 4, 1904  | Viola Weige          |         | 15, 1903 |
| August F. Hartman      |          | 23, 1884 | Hattie M. Dahse     |        | 9, 1896  | Minnie Braesecke     |         | 16, 1887 |
| August Jahnke          |          | 25, 1888 | Bertha Weinast      |        | 12, 1887 | Gertrude Braesecke   |         | 17, ?    |
| Lillie Sander          |          | 28, 1893 | Maggie Reinicke     |        | 14, 1889 | Marie Koepfen        |         | 17, 1846 |
| Clara Pfeffer          |          | 28, 1882 | Emilie Pfeffer      |        | 15, 1856 | Annie Pfeffer        |         | 20, 1895 |
| Emily Freitag          |          | 29, 1893 | Emma Braesecke      |        | 18, ?    | Charles F. Meier     |         | 21, 1887 |
| John W. Ewald          |          | 31, 1893 | Minnie Pfeffer      |        | 18, 1888 | Alma Hartman         |         | 21, 1896 |
| Gus Schneider          |          | 31, 1893 | Caroline Tegeler    |        | 19, 1898 | August Peschel       |         | 22, 1893 |
| August Hoverkamp       | April    | 2, 1888  | Marie F. Pfeffer    |        | 19, 1843 | Elsie Doleshal       |         | 23, 1885 |
| Henry Dahse            |          | 3, 1884  | Minnie Tegeler      |        | 21, 1900 | Edwin Schlechte      |         | 24, 1900 |
| Emilie Henske          |          | 5, 1891  | Muse Joly           |        | 21, 1882 | Laura Glaser         |         | 26, 1896 |
| Gussie Ladig           |          | 5, ?     | Auguste W. Ewald    |        | 21, 1896 | Gertrude Mundelins   |         | 27, 1891 |
| Walter P. Ranft        |          | 5, 1892  | Gussie E. Gruener   |        | 22, 1907 | Nannie Meyer         |         | 27, 1894 |
| Olga Luedke            |          | 9, 1900  | Ella Schlechte      |        | 25, 1895 | Helen Stasny         |         | 27, 1897 |
| Selma Tegeler          |          | 11, 1894 | Willie Streb        |        | 26, 1902 | Ella Hering          |         | 20, 1899 |
| Hugo Ueckert           |          | 15, 1882 | Lessie A. Meyer     |        | 27, 1888 |                      |         |          |
| Baby Klopstock         |          | 19, 1892 | Alma Dahse          |        | 29, 1900 |                      |         |          |

Copied by  
Verna Hartman McDowell  
April 1981

This 300-page book is packed with family anecdotes, pictures of people and places, lineage charts, maps, historical markers, and facts which shed light and insight into the family occupations and migrations. Other major ancestral surnames given are: Davis, Ghent, Horning, Atkman, Showers, Spring, Odell, Carter, Mitchell, Rooks, Bar, Riley, Wright, Swing, Blair, White, Peerenboom and Green plus over 600 more.

As I thumbed the pages, stopping at various pictures or maps to read the interesting details, I found a map of Royal Oak, Michigan drawn about 1817. We lived there for many years and from this old map I can follow the trails which have now become major roads and know exactly where the golf course and our home were located.

From the Preface: "Twelve Families — An American Experience was written... to demonstrate to our children and others to follow that their forebears were great people, although none ever achieved true national prominence. But they were great because many were pioneers who endured hardships rarely experienced in today's world."

Mr. O'Dell stated that he wanted to present his ancestors as humans — not just statistics. He has done this admirably. Even without an ancestor in these lines, you will have a desire to read his book in its entirety. A copy has been contributed to our Society to be placed in our genealogical library. Should you wish a personal copy, write: William F. O'Dell, Shell Point Village, 5707 Junonia, Fort Myers, Florida 33908. The cost is \$27.50 and well worth every penny for this hard bound book.

#### PARISH INDENTURES

Know all men that we John Parish, Thomas Minor, and Linchfield Burbridge are held and firmly bound unto Joseph Brock, Edward Herndon, Thomas Colson, and Nicholas Payne, Gentlemen Justices of the Court of Spotsylvania County now sitting, in the sum of three thousand pounds to be made to the said Justices, We bound ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators jointly sealed with our seal and dated 6 Dec., 1791 in the 16th year of our Commonwealth.

THE condition of this obligation is that the above John Parish, executor of the last will and testament of Joel Parish, make and inventory of the goods, Chattle and credits of the dec'd and truly administrator according to law, truly pay and deliver all the legacies specified in the testament.

Sealed and Delivered in the Presents of:

John Parish      seal  
Thomas Minor      seal  
Linchfield Burbridge

Pursuant to an Order of the Worshipful Court of Spotsylvania Co. we being first sworn have inventoried and appraised the estate of Joel Parish as follows:

Negros: Punch, Ben, Rose, Dinah, Billy, James, Jenny, Dick, Daniel, Moses, Brena, Polly, Hannah

1 horse, a yoke of Oxen, east, cattle, 15 hogs, 12 sheep, 2 geese, 550 gross pork, 80 barrels corn, 67 ft. tops with shucks, 3 featherbeds & furniture, a safe with the pewter, earthenware, 2 hh & cests & tubs, coffe pot & tallow therein, a case & bottles, 2 gins, 8 chairs, 3 jugs, 3 chests and a brush, 2 tables & table cloths with the knives & forks, 100 lb seed cotton, 25th wool, plantation utensils & iron spandils, 1 spinning wheel & 7 cards, kitchen furniture & spice mortar, 50 gallons cyder, (sic) a saddle & a bridle, a looking glass, a gun, 3 old books & a pair sheep shares, fire tongs & shovel & 3 hammers, 2 candle sticks, 1 candle molds & 3 Vials, 2 mugs, 2 bowls, 2 bottles, 1/4 bushels wheat, a pair stillards, alson & spray, a reel & remnant of leather, 2 cyths, hand saw a flower tub & old bell.

Jn<sup>d</sup> Weller      404.11.2  
John Woolfolk Sen.  
John Woolfolk Jr.

Submitted by Leona Sanders Parrish

THE VOICES OF THE PAST ARE LIKE LEAVES THAT SETTLE TO THE GROUND  
... THEY MAKE THE EARTH RICH AND THICK, SO THAT NEW FRUIT WILL  
COME FORTH EVERY SUMMER.      CHIEF DAN GEORGE



## SEARCHING FOR ANCESTERS IN FLORIDA'S OLD LAND RECORDS

A Study in Five Parts: I. First Spanish Occupation 1513 to 1763. II. British Occupation 1763-1783. III. Second Spanish Occupation, 1783-1821. IV. U.S. Territory 1821-1845. V. Florida Statehood.

By Robert C. Fraunberger, Genealogist & Surveyor, 1982

### Part I. From Discovery 1513 to British Takeover in 1763

Hunting for ancestors who might have lived in Florida during the first period of Spanish ownership may yield pay dirt by researching the old Spanish Land Grants. This can be done by checking the records of Spanish Land Claims presented to the United States Supreme Court shortly after Florida became a Territory of the United States in 1821. There are at least two lists of Claimants, see Bibliography given below. The first was published in 1842 giving a descriptive list of Spanish and British Land Claims that were delivered as confirmed from the Registrar and Receiver of the General Land Office, Acting as Commissioner, Jacksonville to the Keeper of the Public Archives. An easier list to find is in the Genealogy Department of the Orlando Public Library. It consists of five volumes (Vol. I Unconfirmed Claims; Vols. II-V Confirmed Claims), published in 1940 and 1941. There are several thousand surnames listed in the indexes of each volume and many hundred place names. Finding an ancestor listing in these claims fixes him at a time and place in Florida. The claims vary from a few acres to over one million acres each.

Compiling the lists and Claims was a most difficult task as many were in Spanish and the original "metes and bounds" description were very vague and roughly defined. For example, one which later made its way into the Orange County records in Deed Book "D", a Sheriff's sale for back taxes in 1846 from Sheriff Simpson to Grantee Robert Mekler sold for \$6.42 for about 600 acres (about a penny an acre) described as "along Big Spring Creek running from the west and entering the River, St. Johns about 26 miles south of Lake George, being a part of the Pedro Miranda Grant of 17 Sept. 1817 made by the Spanish Government and later sold to Andrew Burive 14 July 1821 and bordered by other lands of Pedro Miranda and other vacant lands." Surveyors had to mark out these boundary lines and title had to be proven to the satisfaction of the Supreme Court before being confirmed. This "Big Spring Creek" was probably what we now call the Wekiwa River running out of Wekiwa Springs. The next time the reader travels along Interstate Highway 4 toward Daytona approaching Lake Monroe look to the left or northwest toward this piece of land and the Miranda Claim. Can one imagine the Spaniards sailing down the St. Johns to Lake Monroe?

It would be helpful for the researcher to learn something about Florida's history. A list of excellent histories is given in the Bibliography. To give a thumbnail sketch, Florida abounds with "firsts". First permanent settlement in what is now the U.S.A.; first church; first store; first factory, etc. etc. -- even the first non-Christian U.S. Senator in the United States, David Yulee (Levy, son of Moses Elias Levy who held more than 36,000 acres in Spanish Land Grants). Readers from New England and Virginia might be disappointed to learn that the Spanish were in Florida about a century before the British settled at Plymouth Rock or Jamestown. The Spanish were not only in Florida but also in Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, California, and Oregon at the same time. They established the University of Mexico long before any one of the Puritan Ministers founded Harvard or the Virginians established William & Mary College. Florida got its name by Ponce de Leon who landed about Easter time and called it La Florida in 1513. He was really searching mostly for gold, not eternal youth, but probably wanted both.

It was the Italians taught by the Portuguese Prince Henry, The Navigator, who were the first explorers to sight Florida. John Cabot (Giovanni Caboto of Venice) sailing for the British; Giovanni Verrazano, an Italian sailing for France, who finally was acknowledged as exploring Florida and what is now New York Harbor with the Narrows Bridge named for him. Actually it was the French Huguenots (Calvinists) under Ribault, who first established Ft. Caroline at Mayport near Jacksonville, who settled first but were driven out by the Spanish Adelantado (Conqueror-Entrepreneur) Menéndez de Aviles. Menéndez founded St. Augustine in 1565 as the first permanent town. Spanish Land Grants started with him, as part of his reward from King Philip of Spain was vast land grants which he was given in perpetuity for him and his heirs. He in turn gave some of his holdings to his loyal followers. His estate descended to a nephew's line and was in litigation in Spain for about 50 years before the final distribution to heirs was made.

The Huguenots came to Florida to escape France's Roman Catholic persecution, as in later years the Puritans were escaping persecution from the Church of England, an offshoot of Catholicism.

The Spanish land grants were awarded along the Atlantic, the Gulf of Mexico, and rivers flowing into them making for easy transportation. Genealogists in Central Florida might be interested in knowing that Spanish Land Grants extended down the St. Johns River to Lake Monroe but not into Orange County as it exists today.

The Spanish had a more difficult time in converting the Indians in Florida to Christianity than they did elsewhere in the New World. Possibly because of the cruelty of the first Spanish conquerors who enslaved them, mutilated their bodies, and never accepted them as being human beings like themselves. Also probably because the riches they sought were not to be found in Florida. They brought cattle and horses, as well as other livestock and were the first ranchers doing much as some of them did on their large estates in Spain, preferring cattle raising to farming. St. Augustine and other forts helped to protect

the Spanish shipping lanes from Spain's other colonies from pirates and other enemy countries.

They were slow to develop Florida and had troubles with their neighboring countries in Europe. It was relatively easy for the British to take over in 1763 but before this time there were many large land grants awarded. These can be seen in the lists already mentioned.

#### Part II. British Occupation of Florida from 1763 to 1783

Florida is often called the Fourteenth Colony of Britain in America. The British always coveted Florida. Sir Francis Drake with two Men of War, 2,300 troops, and 19 merchant vessels defeated the Spaniards at St. Augustine and completely destroyed it. However, the Spaniards rebuilt it. For almost a century the Spanish were threatened by France and England but held on to St. Augustine and Florida. Finally through diplomacy England gained control of what some refer to as the 14th and 15th Colonies of Britain -- East Florida and West Florida. Almost all of the Spaniards left Florida for the islands and Homeland. The British set up two Governors, one at St. Augustine and the other at Pensacola. The King of England made land grants to Dukes, Earls, and Generals who established plantations and led the good life with many slaves and lavish goods from England earned through their crops of cotton, indigo, rice, sugar, cattle, plus timber and naval stores. Florida's Live Oaks for ships knees, pines for masts, and cypress for its durability in construction were prized.

At New Smyrna, Dr. Andrew Turnbull, who was a British Consul in Asia Minor married a Greek woman and in partnership with Sir William Duncan, established New Smyrna with Roman Catholics from the Eastern Mediterranean, Italy, and Spain. These were farm laborers, some of whom were indentured, worked for a reward of land grants. Trouble between the English Protestants and the newcomers at times had to be settled with British Troops.

Then came the American Revolution with the English defeat at Yorktown when the British became disenchanted with Florida and the retrocession to Spain was made. Some British stayed but many loyalists chose to take free land in the Bahamas and left. The Spanish returned and lived much as they did during their first occupation. However, during the British occupation many settlers from Georgia and the Carolinas in addition to emigrants from England, Scotland, and Ireland took up land grants in Florida. Looking over the names in the Spanish and British Land Claims mentioned above one finds many English surnames, they probably outnumber the Spanish with a few French, Italian, Greek, and Minorcan names.

Perhaps the first subdivision in Florida was established during this period at Hester's Bluff on the St. Johns Bluff. Over 300 houses and shops were built.

About 600 British Floridians remained with the permission of Spain. The rest took up living in the islands.

The Treaty of Paris, ending the American Revolution returned Florida to Spain but the strong British and American influence remained. In Part III, The Second Spanish Era of 1784 to 1821 will be considered as it relates to genealogy.

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## QUERIES

- #82-2-24 STIRK - Where did George Stirk come from? Wife - Mary (1776-1858), son - Hetzel (1795-1866)  
Both buried at St. Paul's Methodist Church, Terre Hill, PA. George isn't there.
- #82-2-25 SHIRK - Is Jacob Shirk (1803-1888) the son of Henry Shirk (1764-1844) as said in Biographical  
History of Lancaster Co. or is Jacob the son of Henry Shirk (1750-1836) buried in Bangor  
Episcopal Church, Churchtown, PA - where Jacob's daughters were married???
- Reply to: Kathryn L. Stirk, 2840 Euston Road, Winter Park, FL 32789
- #82-2-26 BURGIN/BURGAN/BURGEN - Caroline Burgen m. James Johnson in Mobile, AL in 1870. She d. 1878.  
Was she the daughter of Jacob Burgen who m. Elizabeth Stauder in 1844? Did she have brothers  
and sisters? Any information gratefully appreciated.
- Reply to: Geraldine M. Lavinghouse, 636 W. Yale Street, Orlando, FL 32804
- #82-2-27 LAVINGHOUSEZ/LAVINGHOUZE/LAVINGHOUSE - Furney Laughinghouse left NC after 1850. The spelling  
of the name changed to Lavinghouse. His descendants live in AL, MS, LA, TX, CA and MN. Would  
appreciate any information on this family.
- Reply to: William E. Lavinghouse, 636 W. Yale Street, Orlando, FL 32804
- #82-2-28 KNOX - Seeking info. on descendants of Martha (BRAWLEY) and Robert Knox who m. May 20, 1809 in  
Rutherford Co., TN. Children are William Washington (1810-1884), John Brawley, Ephraim  
Pinkney, James Robinson, Milton Huston, Andrew Jackson, Margaret Allen, and Mary Batey Knox.  
By 1850 Census living in Weakley Co., TN. Robert Knox (Bible says "died March 10, 1850 - 92  
years old the day he died") prob. son of Margaret (ALLEN) and William Knox (1736-1776) of  
Rowan Co., NC.
- Reply to: Patricia L. Murphy, 721 W. Minnehaha Avenue, Clermont, FL 32711

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