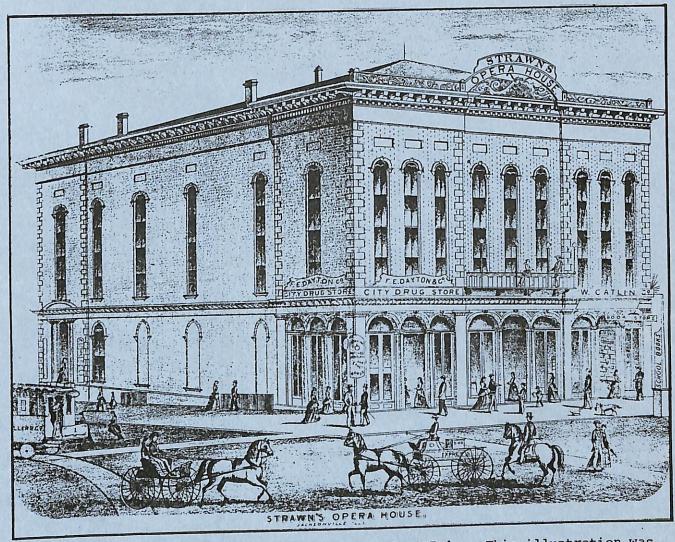
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STRAWN'S OPERA HOUSE looked this way in the early 1870's. This illustration was taken from the 1872 Atlas of Morgan County, Illinois. Construction of the building began in 1859 and was completed in 1861. The building served as home for scores of businesses during the past 127 years, including its major tenant -- Kline's Department Store which recently moved to the Lincoln SHopping Plaza on West Morton.

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one hurt in downtown building collapse

Strawn building slipped Officials believe mooring

One of Jacksonville's oldest buildgs collapsed Friday afternoon in a nower of bricks which flattened three vehicles but did not harm

The south and east walls of the Strawn Building gave way about

Police Chief John Keenan. The omi-nous sounds persisted and Boston turned around and left through the front door with an employee of the im Boston, the owner of the building and operator of the store Baby Makes Three, said he heard a rumbling sound" and started upstairs, according to Assistant

from the Fire Department's aerial mg they believe the the roof of the 127-year-old building collapsed and knocked the south and east walls Fire Chief Tom Spradlin and Bob Fitzsimmons, director of the Morgan County Emergency Services, said after inspecting the wreckage out. They believe one of the wooden

building shake. They ran to the ront door but the dust and debris were so dense they could not see. They used the rear exit but still ould not see down the alley to South Main Street in the wake of the colrusses supporting the arched roof slipped from its mooring. Richard Turner and Bob Basham vere in Goodtime Doc's, a bar cross the street, when they heard a remendous sound and felt the

pe's, said "It sounded like some-ing blew up." She called the police report what she believed was an Kim Genseal, the barmaid at

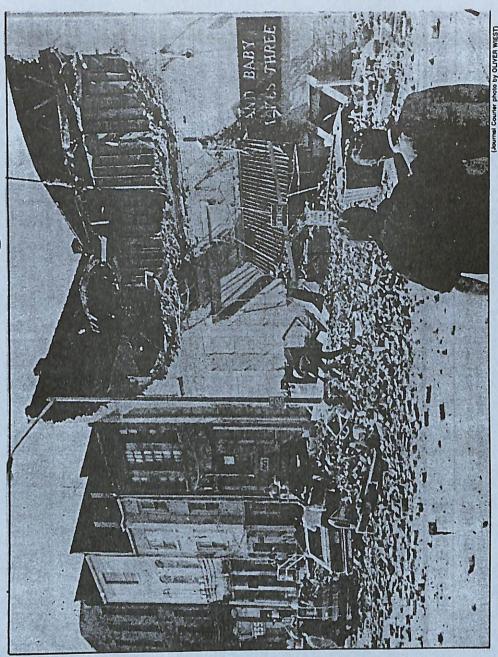
car, a pickup truck and a van parked in the municipal lot behind the building on the south side of Central Park Plaza to determine whether anyone was inside the vehicles. All three vehicles were flat-Wright's men were assisted by a crane crew from K.E. Vas Co., which arrived within 30 minutes of called in to search for victims be-fore Streets Superintendent Harold Wright and his men began clearing he bricks with endloaders. tened by the rubble.
As an additional precaution Jacksonville Patrolman Chri /alentine and his dog Lobo wer

adjacent businesses, Kick's and the Book Mart, closed Saturday as a safety measure. No damage to other buildings on the block was lapse so emergency workers could safely approach the building. Fire Chief Spradlin ordered two the collapse. They demolished parts of the wall which survived the col

one crossing the police lines is sub-ject to arrest. Officials believe other parts of the building could fall The area surrounding the build-ing was cordoned off by the Police Department and Keenan said any-

of structural engineers to inspect all the older brick buildings on an near Central Park Plaza and determine pradlin and Griffin said they now to get the building demolished Griffin said he will call in a team to meet with City Attorney

gathered minutes after the building fell and small groups of the curious, many with cameras, watched the cleanup operations three hours after the collapse.



FIREMEN SIFT THROUGH rubble engulfing three vehicles after the collapse of the Strawn Building on Central Park Plaza Friday afternoon. Standing in the foreground are Robert Fitzsimmons,

director of the Morgan County Emergency Services and Disaster Agency, and Terry Airsman, owner of the Williamson Funeral Home, who assisted city workers.

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Well, "I'll be switched!" Were we	witching, dowsing, or divining?

Believe it — or not! One of our most exciting developments here in Jacksonville concerns grave circumstances. We can now locate old burials, without stone markers, by using the ancient art of dowsing. But, why is it that some people can successfully use the "witching fork" and others cannot get the same reaction? Some researchers hold that "it has to do with the nature of electromagnetic radiation" which is probably true. The ancient Scythians, Medes, Persians, Greeks and Romans used divining rods. Marco Polo found them used for divination throughout the orient in the late 13th and early 14th centuries. So why can't we peacefully engage in the practice without people staring at us as we trod over unmarked gravesites and determine their underground presence?

The best evidence seems to point to Georgius Agricola's "De re metallica" (1556) as the first printed description of the modern rod and its applications. Wouldn't it be interesting to find a copy of this book and read what he had to say about it?

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Dear GENEAL Members and Friends:

From your Editor, June 20, 1988

This is my 39th birth date - believe it, or not. And you probably won't believe it, but take your choice. The only time I like to admit I am a Senior Citizen is when I get a discount for some reason or another.

Trying to span the continent with ancestral helps and related historical data is a duty owed to our many faithful followers. Because of its time-consuming nature to do adequate research for some of our genealogical hunters, and to find common topics of interest for a quarterly every three months, some of our correspondence goes unanswered for a time.

We try to answer those letters which include donations for our volunteer efforts as soon as possible, but sometimes we find a letter laid aside for some hard-to-find research, and it is eventually covered up. So, if you are one who sent money along, and do not receive an answer in about 2 months, please write a letter of reminder, restating what it was that you wanted in the first place. [Always keep a copy of your letters of request.] With the large volume of mail that we in our society handle each month, it is not possible to keep it all properly filed and right at hand when we want to see it.

The above paragraph, I feel sure, applies to many other genealogical researchers and "buzzing-cousins" in the State of Illinois. So let the responsibility rest with the requester for a proper follow-up letter -- which should be a copy of the first request.

Since, for lack of space in our 40 pages of our quarterly, I include indexes of many records and then offer to send more information upon request should a family historian find an ancestral name of importance — please state date and page references of that quarterly so that we can refer back to that specific published issue. We have indexed so many records in the past it is difficult to keep up with their location in our crowded files that have accumulated over the past 16 years.

Individual family historians fail to realize that their one important request from their home to ours is "E Pluribus Unum", or one among many for the researcher. The simpler the request is made, the easier it is to get it answered. Some requesters ask for too many things at one time.

But don't give up -- just keep trying new creative tactics to get what you want. "Nothing ventured, nothing gained". If you never send any ships out to sail the unknown seas, how can you expect then to come sailing back to you in due time?



Did you know that 211 years ago on June 14th 1777 a certain lady flagmaker was a very happy woman? That was the date when the Continental Congress officially adopted the flag of 13 red and white stripes with "a constellation of thirteen stars white on a blue field". Her deceased husband's uncle, Colonel George Ross, was in Congress that day and voted "aye" on the proposition proposed by John Adams. Next day he gave Mrs. Elizabeth (Griscom) Ross away in marriage to Captain Joseph Ashburn at Old Swede's Church in Philadelphia.

She and her second husband moved two doors away from what is now known as the Betsy Ross Memorial Home at 239 Arch Street. That is when historians lost sight of her upholstery business and didn't follow up on her 56 years of flagmaking activities from 1776 until she retired from the business at age 80 in 1832. She was totally blind the last two years of her life which ended as Mrs. John Claypoole on January 30th, 1836 at age 84. Her oldest daughter, grand-daughters and nieces carried on as a Mariner's Flag Shop on 74 South Front Street until 1857.

Vexillologically and editorially yours,
- iv - Florence Futchison

Page 1: THE OLD STRAWN OPERA HOUSE IS DAMAGED, BUT NOT DESTROYED -- AS YET.

The old Strawn Opera House, so long an imposing landmark on the southwest quarter of the Jacksonville Square will never be the same again, but it appears that a diminished structure will still be a place of business for years to come.

After the first shock of seeing a portion of the roof cave in and fill the surrounding street and alley with debris, the various inspection engineers have decided that the lower half of the building could be saved and reconstructed. Undoubtedly the present store called "And Baby Makes Three" will continue business as usual in the near future.

The Strawn Building was constructed by Jacob Strawn, Morgan County's prime cattle baron of the mid-1800s. He purchased the old commercial buildings and vacant lots on the west portion of the south side of the square in the late 1850s and started construction on his building in 1859, just before the Civil War.

The building, then called The Strawn Opera House, was completed in 1861, and the first entertainment was given in it March 12, 1861. The building was one of the most substantial and elegant in the state. Strawn was credited with "adorning the city with its most ornate, commodious and imposing public structure, with which his name will be perpetually associated."

The building was put to myriad uses in the last 127 years. When it was an opera house it hosted traveling shows, speakers and performers of every description. Such notables as Buffalo Bill, Tom Thumb, Horace Greeley, Wendell Phillips, Mark Twain, Frederick Douglass, Oscar Wilde and countless politicians appeared at Strawn Opera House during the years. Many school commencements were held there, as well as the famous trial for a convicted murderer who was hanged in Jacksonville. We think his name was David Grimmitt. Can anyone confirm this?

The first floor was used for commercial enterprises. When Kline's first opened up there it had to share the building, according to Charlie Harmon, of Beardstown, who worked at the Jacksonville Kline's Store, and who managed the Beardstown store for many years. He said the store finally got a chance to take over the portion of the building occupied by Gilbert's Pharmacy in 1940, and was then remodeled.

Harmon said the island window, which used to be a popular appurtenance of many major department stores, was finally removed. He recounted what a headache it was for the store's employees to clean up the island's interior each morning after some of the square minions had loitered overnight in the area.

"Kline's always tried to get the best first, and we were one of the first stores in Jacksonville to install air-conditioning," Harmon said. "The Second floor of the building was built as a completely open area, and there's not a single post on the second floor holding up the ceiling. Even more amazing is that the building is constructed entirely of wood and brick; there's not a piece of steel or iron in the original." This is probably what has finally caused the arched roof supports to collapse after 127 years have passed.

In the picture on the cover of our quarterly one notices the trolley car coming from the south. At that time this was St. Louis street, now South Main.

At his death - which occurred August 23, 1865, Jacob Strawn left an estate estimated in value at about \$1.000,000, acquired by industry and business enterprise. The building is now owned by the Strawn Trust, which is handled by Elliott State Bank. Beneficiaries of the trust are Passavant Hospital, the Jacksonville Y.M.C.A., Park College in Missouri and the American Bible Society.

Among Strawn's maxims for a successful life we find:

"When you wake up do not roll over, but roll out. It will give you time to ditch all your sloughs, break them up, harrow them, and sow them with timothy and

"Be sure to get your hands to bed by seven o'clock; they will rise early by force of circumstance."

MIRACLES DO HAPPEN! (Excerpted from a letter of happiness happening).

Mrs. Florence Hutchison: 6½ years ago is quite a while, but I ran across some correspondence we shared 5 Nov 1981. Your opening statement ... "I am afraid that you can't expect a miracle on finding a Sarah Smith who may have been in this area prior to the 1850 census." (She had also asked for parentage).

I'm writing to tell you Miracles do happen! One of our daughters and I went to Jerseyville and into Mo. - 4 days is all we had but BINGO! We had help from "the other side." We found Wm. Lewis and Sarah (E) Smith mentioned by name and relationship on her mother's will - filed in Jerseyville. I had spotted the name - Susannah Smith on the 1850 Mortality Schedule (died 1849) from NY, and went after that. Her will was MISFILED in the wrong packet, but we found it - also William Lewis' parents and family. . . . Enjoyed visiting with some lovely people in Jerseyville and Mo. Those 4 days were Heaven.

Other miracles that happen is when an index card from a sexton's cemetery record book has the name spelled in some odd way. Then I try to verify it from the death certificates on file (from 1878) in the County Clerk's office.

One of them (a state hospital patient) was William "Cooney". It turned out to be William Curry. If I had not checked, the numbered concrete stone being replaced by a stone with name and years of birth and death in Diamond Grove cemetery would have been incorrect and that person not properly identified.

And then there are the genealogical inquirers who abbreviate and use numbers instead of month names. Like this one that came to a busy county clerk's deputy:
"I need to verify that ______ b.d 8/15/05 was married to ______ b.d
1/18/26 on 7/13/62 at Jacksonville."

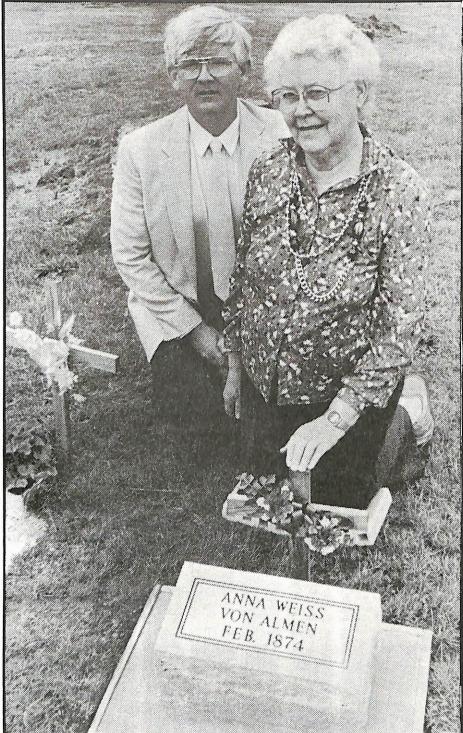
The busy clerk did not know whether it was in the 1800's or 1900's, and had to handle 3 big heavy books in order to search both centuries, 1800 and 1900. The inquirer did not send the usual \$5.00 fee which requires further correspondence probably in the future. Of course the 18 and 13 represented the day of the month, but the year 1 ? 26.

Please, family historians, write out the name of the month, and full numbers for the centuries so that busy clerks and volunteer researchers do not have to spend useless time trying to figure out what you mean! * * * * * * * *

And then there are the family searchers who think that everything should be free of cost, and in convenient index form so that they can hurriedly pick up what they want from a library or volunteer researcher, and be happily on their way to the next stop. They usually object to paying 15 or 20 cents for photocopies. Little do they realize the tremendous cost to the organization for purcase, upkeep, paper and toner supplies!

Genealogist uncovers unmarked JSH graves

May 29, 1988



(Journal Courier photo)

FLORENCE HUTCHISON and Michael Hurt, head of the Jackson-ville Developmental Center, kneel beside the grave of a Jacksonville State Hospital patient only recently discovered and marked with a stone at Diamond Grove Cemetery. Mrs. Hutchison found an entire section of unmarked graves of Jacksonville State Hospital patients who died in the 19th century.

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An entire section of unmarked graves of Jacksonville State Hospital patients has been discovered in the original 40-acre plat of Diamond Grove Cemetery

of Diamond Grove Cemetery.

Florence Hutchison, a
genealogist who has extensively
researched local cemetery records, found the section depicted
in an old Diamond Grove lot record book.

The section, located in the southwest corner of the cemetery, adjoins the original Potter's Field.

Mrs. Hutchison said the existence of the graves had apparently been forgotten over the years and the Cemetery Board planned to sell lots in the area, in the belief the area had never been used.

About the time she made her discovery, Mrs. Hutchison was contacted by the Rev. Gary L. Moore of Newark, Del., who was looking for information about his great-grandmother, Anna Weiss Von Almen. Moore knew she died at the Jacksonville State Hospital and Mrs. Hutchison was able to locate her grave from the burial date, Feb. 15, 1874.

Last week a gravestone provided by Moore was placed on the grave.

Mrs. Hutchison located two other grave markers in the section but the rest are apparently unmarked.

Cemetery workers, to confirm Mrs. Hutchison's discovery, dug into several sites in the section and found human bones in five of them.

Mrs. Hutchison is working with Chairman Dale Crowcroft and the Cemetery Board to have the section named Immanuel South. Another old Jacksonville State Hospital burial ground, Immanuel North, is located on the State Hospital grounds.

Michael Hurt, head of the Jacksonville Developmental Center, has supported Mrs. Hutchison's efforts to preserve and care for the graves of the State Hospital patients.

"They weren't even regarded as people back then," Mrs. Hutchison said sadly as she looked over the expanse of unmarked graves last week.

Page 2: GENEALOGIST UNCOVERS UNMARKED JACKSONVILLE STATE HOSPITAL GRAVES

The foregoing article, with picture, which was written by Oliver Wiest for the Jacksonville Journal Courier of Sunday, May 29, 1988, pretty well tells a very important development in our cemetery preservation efforts, not only in Jacksonville, but in some other important areas of Morgan County.

Our first published account for these unrecorded grave sites was on page 48 Jacksonville Geneal Journal, Vol. III Issues #2 and #3 combined, for June and August 1975. [Note: This front cover had an error--listed as 1974 instead of 1975.]

"State Hospital Burials In Diamond Grove Cemetery, Morgan County"

"Your Editor, on one of her tours of Diamond Grove Cemetery, found rows and rows of small square concrete stones in the northwest corner. All they have is a number. Where were the names that went with the numbers?

"We accidentally found many later ones on loose pages in a Cemetery Board book in the City Clerk's office. We have copied them, mostly by hand, and arranged them chronologically. Now we are going through the death certificates at the Courthouse in order to pull out additional information.

"When we finish this project, we can identify the resting place of 1100 State Hospital patients buried in Jacksonville beginning with stone #273 of Elizabeth Smith, buried November 1930, up to stone #1330 of Alice Osborn buried 2 November 1954. To find the rest of hundreds more of these burials from 1878 to 1930 will require going through the death certificates. We are working on it 'and thought you'd like to know'.

"We offer here some 1878-80 burials, with date of death, but there is no record as to stone number. We have not found this information, as yet.

Name	Cert.	Death Date	Age	Nativity	Marital
	#	da mon year	129		Status
ROHAHAN, Henry	10	26 Jan 1878	50	Germany	Married
SANQUIST,	44	12 Feb 1878	25	Sweden	Single
McCANN, Josiah	54	13 Mar 1878	22	Illinois	
DENTON, Robert	59	19 Mar 1878	34	Ireland	"
FORESTAL, James	60	5 Apr 1878	35	Ireland	
WEMS, Robert S.	61	1 Apr 1878	38	Kentucky	Married
TRAILOR, Thomas	96	19 May 1878	38	Unknown	Single
LEACH, Frank	248	19 Oct 1878	54	Unknown	Married
SCOTT, Washington	275	19 Nov 1878	50	Tennessee	Widower
SIEBERT, Henry	347	3 Mar 1879	35	Germany	Married

"This is a sample as to the information to be gleaned from death certificates. This record does not give County of origin, as does the original Admissions Record Books at the State Hospital." [All of these record books are now, in 1988, at the State Archives but are not available for public use.]

Then this leads us to another phase of our endeavors along these lines. Our Society has been given permission to make indexes of these records, and we now have 15,500 alphabetized from one record, and have 3 or 4000 cards in the process of making further lists for the main purpose of determining the patient's county of origin as of June 1988.

In the meantime we have discovered the records for patients who are buried in three previously unrecorded burial sites during these intervening 13 years since our first published record quoted, in part, above.

We listed the names of the deceased in burial plot #1 1854-1870, which we will eventually identify as Immanuel North, in our Journal Vol. XIII #3, September 1985, pages 9 through 14.

The list of known burial records of deceased patients of the "Illinois Central State Hospital", as it was then known, was published in our <u>Geneal Journal</u> Vol. XIV #4 December 1986, pages 25-31. It appeared from a note in the back of the book in which this list was found, by J. M. Stout, Sexton, that "there are several graves that the names are not known, and no record kept of them. The record is correct, however, after May 1st 1871." This has proved to be the case from recent work done on this plot in Section D, as the space used evidently contains many more bodies that the record indicated, and published — as stated above.

The question is -- where will this elusive record be found? These burials are too early for death certificate information, and there are no known records existing. The third unmarked plot of ground is in Section H, Diamond Grove, in the northwest corner of the cemetery. There is a big open space with one tree, and 4 family stones on our list of 468 recorded deaths from 10 April 1883 to 5 December 1911.

The second plot with stones numbered from 1 to 242, burials from 20 Dec 1911 to 10 August 1918 is now being given a new look with 40 individual stones being placed at each grave site with the name of the person, birth and death years. See following newspaper account in the *Jacksonville Journal Courier* Thursday, December 17, 1987. This burial ground is now known as <u>Immanuel West</u>.

JDC projects focus attention on dignity of deceased patients

The Jacksonville Developmental Center tries to give attention to the dignity of its deceased patients through three developments, largely through the efforts of JDC superintendent Michael Hurt and Chaplain Fred Hammond, with much assistance from local genealogist Florence Hutchison.

One development focuses on improving the cemeteries. The monument project was initiated by a survey of the facility staff on design. The feedback produced a tall, slender, three-sided pyramid, set on a square base. The epitaph is "Peace, joy, and esteem surround the memory of the beloved resting here."

Another project in the Immanuel West Cemetery (used 1883-1954, located in the northwest corner of Jacksonville's Diamond Grove Cemetery) is to change the 18" tall, 4"x4" concrete spindles, each bearing an impersonal number rather than a name, to personalized headstones similar to the ones in Immanuel East—the current cemetery used by the JDC (located across Lincoln Avenue, east of Immanuel West).

The burial records of those in Immanuel West being incomplete, the expertise of Mrs. Hutchison was sought. She spent many hours finding the names of the deceased which correspond with the numerical numbers on the spindle markers. She has done the same for the many unmarked gravesites (in the past, those with mental problems were viewed as "non-persons," and their death records were not as complete as were those of the general public). Mrs. Hutchison has done the research, and local resident Warren Haley has placed much of the information into computer files.

As far as unmarked graves go, Mrs. Hutchison knew that the State Hospital burials from 1870 to 1883 were made in Section D of Diamond Grove Cemetery, but she didn't know exactly where. On June 20 of this year, however, her husband happened to stumble upon two grave markers in the far southwest corner of Diamond Grove. That day was Mrs. Hutchison's birthday, and she says she couldn't have hoped for a better birthday

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present. She now has all the names for those buried in

The oldest State Hospital cemetery, used from 1854 to 1870, has yet to be located, though many think it is behind Gillett building in the southern part of the JDC grounds. Mrs. Hutchison said people noticed bones being dug up when telephone poles along Michigan Avenue were being installed a few years ago, which led researchers to believe that the gravesites might be nearby.

The preceding development focused on restoring dignity to the funeral service for a deceased buried in the JDC's cemetery (Immanuel East). The brief graveside service was discontinued and replaced with a full service conducted in a funeral home. The deceased is dressed in appropriate clothing of his own or purchased by the facility, and a floral casket piece is provided. Staff, relatives, and friends are invited to the funeral and graveside services. Pallbearers are employees usually from the deceased's living area.

The last development highlights the remembrance of the deceased, through an annual Memorial Day service. Public officials, relatives and friends, employees and community clergy are at times participants in the 20-minute services. The greetings are followed by a hymn, words of remembrance and the placing of a wreath by the superintendent and one by the president of the Jacksonville Developmental Center Friends. The U.S. flag is placed by a member of one of the veterans' organizations.

Page 4: "GENEALOGIST UNCOVERS UNMARKED JACKSONVILLE STATE HOSPITAL GRAVES

The following picture accompanied the news article as shown on previous page:

People/lifestyles/ideas

December 17, 1987

Jacksonville .



CHAPLAIN FRED HAMMOND of the Jacksonville Developmental Center and local genealogist Florence Hutchison examine a grave marker which is part of the JDC's efforts to restore dignity to the deceased residents of the State Hospital. Many of the residents buried in Immanuel West Cemetery, located in the northwest corner of Diamond Grove

(Journal Courter photo by PAMELA MILLER)
Cemetery, had grave markers which were numbered (seen in the background), but had no names inscribed on them. Through Mrs. Hutchison's research, the names of the deceased have been identified, and the JDC plans to eventually replace each numbered marker with a named marker.

The stone shown above is that of #242 John Rasmussen, 1862-10 Aug 1918. Others so marked in this part of A-2 old part, so far this year, are those following:

#223	Ostendorf, Theresa	#237	BERGSTRON, Charles	#210	TOWN, George
224	WENIGER, Joseph	238	NEELEY, Mattie	211	HART, Joseph
225	STAINS, Emily (bl)	239	O'DONNEL, Katie	212	SAUER, Sebastian
226	MIHALEK, Thomas	240	ALLEN, William	213	CHALTON, Ellis
227	ANDREWS, Benjamin	241	McCRACKIN, Robert N.	214	MOORE, James Louis
228	The same of the sa	242		215	COLLINS, Edward
229	MASON, Thomas N.	202	CURRY, William	216	*YOUNG, Andrew H.
	BROBESKI, Alex	203	KARKOSKIE, Mike		(soldier)
230		204		217	ROSEMEYER, Fred
231	The state of the s	205	MASON, George W.	218	DAVIS, David
232	MUNAZ, Ygnocia	206	WARD, Lizzie	219	NEFF, Jacob
233	JAEGER, Charles		RAGAN, John (bl)	220	Kinney, Hardin
234	PARKER, Margaret	207		221	LANE, Dora
235	PETRINO, Peter	208	BAKER, James, Jr.		MARSHALL, Alice
236	PROSSER, Maggie	209	MILLER, Stella	22.2	MARSHALL, ALICE

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Page 5: "GENEALOGIST UNCOVERS UNMARKED JACKSONVILLE STATE HOSPITAL GRAVES"

Unfortunately, it will be a long time before all burial sites can be thusly marked properly with a name-plate stone since there are at least 2000 yet to go. Each row of 20 stones is costing \$1000.00, and funds per row can only be acquired four times a year. At least it is a brave start of proper identification. Maybe some day an unexpected miracle will happen!

Along with all this research comes a very interesting set of circumstances. One of our members, whose brother has been a well-known water dowser, decided to try the same techniques for finding grave sites. And his instrument made with a bailing wire fork tipped with a chicken bone is quite successful in determining where a body is buried. This is an ancient art applied to modern times. The system evolves around electro-magnetic radiation, and when applied becomes a scientific study with many persons who are successful dowsers, with predictable results from certain calculations that have been handed down from generation to generation.

Mrs. Hutchison tried it, without success. But when her fellow member laid his hands on hers, there was a definite reaction to the fork. They spent an afternoon going over the various sites both known and totally unmarked with the same results. As he passed over burial sites there was that certain reaction. She led him into spots where she knew there were no burials, without informing him. In those areas he had no response.

There are many books available for study that involves the use of the dowsing fork. "Water Divining and Other Dowsing, A Practical Guide" by Ralph Whitlock reads in part: "Writing about dowsing is a tricky exercise. I do not know what some of my readers, . . . will make of this book. Opinions about dowsing are as numerous as the persons who hold them. I meet them all — the unprejudiced, the scornful, the doubters, the believers, the experts, the beginners. . . . Some will find the detailed instructions helpful. . . . Some will be inspired to employ those same techniques for more original research, of which plenty remains to be done. There is more scope for pioneering by the amateur in dowsing than in almost any other branch of the pursuit of knowledge."

And in our opinion, that is what has happened here in Jacksonville -- a new avenue of approach to pinpointing unmarked burial sites. Our motto: "A dead man's bones will tell the tale".

As to all those unmarked grave sites in Section D on the south side of Diamond Grove: Mr. Murray, before his death, had laid out a large area 315 feet long by about 45 feet wide into lots for the City Cemetery Board. A road had been laid down along the outer lane. In March Mrs. Hutchison went before the Cemetery Board and informed them of the numerous burials throughout this space, and that she had the names and other data pertaining to these State Hospital burials from 1870, at least, to 1883.

No lots had been sold, so they put a "hold order" on them. Their sexton dug up several gravesites and proved the burials, even in the roadway, along with one other buried tombstone. The result: the road has been blocked off from travel over this area, the gravel will be removed and the present roadway will be resolded into grass. The Director of the Jacksonville Developmental Center, Mike Hurt, is going to have the three buried tombstones reset, and a pyramidal monument will be eventually placed marking this "Immanuel South" for Joy, Peace and Rest.

The first burial site is a grassy lawn behind Gillette Building on the JDC grounds, we firmly believe. Our dowser got a regular reaction across the area. We hope to secure a State archaeologist to assist us in proving this as a burial site of an unmarked cemetery. Should this be proved it will be marked as "Immanuel North". If and when all of this comes to pass, then we will have forever marked the resting places of those people who lived out the last years of their life, however short or long the duration, in Jacksonville, even though they came from all of the 102 counties in Illinois. We have already helped several family historians in locating their loved ones.

Page 6: "GENEALOGIST UNCOVERS UNMARKED JACKSONVILLE STATE HOSPITAL GRAVES"

Mrs. Florence Hutchison and Mr. Warren Haley have been volunteers on the Cemetery Board of the Jacksonville Developmental Center for two or three years while in the process of compiling and computerizing records of this nature. On May 28, 1988, Michael A. Hurt, Facility Director, wrote them the following letter:

"I'd like to invite you and your spouse, as appropriate, to attend the Annual Recognition Service for the volunteers of the Jacksonville Developmental Center. The contributions you have made to our residents are greatly appreciated by residents, employees and the administration of the Center and the Dempartment of Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities.

"The Recognition Service will begin promptly at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday April 19, 1988 with a buffet meal at the Blackhawk Restaurant. . . . Certificates will be given volunteers, and two Distinguished Service Awards will be presented.

Volunteers receive special awards

Friday, April 22, 1988



(Journal Courier photo by JOHN B. MARTIN)

SPECIAL RECOGNITION for volunteer service at Jacksonville Developmental Center were presented during ceremonies Tuesday evening at the Blackhawk Restaurant. Genealogist Florence Hutchison was honored for her work in searching out the names and dates of the deaths and burials in Immanuel Cemetery, and computer operator Walter W. Haley was honored for his efforts to place

all of the information on computers. Shown from left: Rev. Fred Hammond, director of volunteer services; Mrs. Hutchison; Haley; and Mike Hurt, facilities director. A large number of volunteer workers and organizations were honored during the presentation ceremonies held Tuesday evening for their work at the Developmental Center during the past year.

Page 1: INDEX TO: A LIST OF REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION BY THE ASSESSOR OF MORGAN COUNTY, ILLINOIS FOR THE YEAR 1841.

A notation of the page preceeding #1 reads: A list of Real and Personal Property Subject to Taxation together with their Value as made out and Returned by the Assessor of Morgan County State of Ill for the Year 1841. James L. Martin

Index prepared by Florence Hutchison from old dilapidated book in attic of courthouse when old records were being removed and many destroyed which were considered to be of no value. Names only of the taxpapers are being given here, because it would be too time-consuming and space-using to reproduce other important factors.

On next two pages of this record will be found a sample of the first page with name and other data, and across the page with the rest of the data columnized as the following titles indicated.

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There are 223 pages in the book, but the tax records for those not in towns or villages take up 187 pages. Jacksonville occupies to page 205. Meredosia, Morgan City, Appalonia, Trenton, Bethel, New Lexington [later Arcadia], Princeton, Waverly and Lynnville records occupy the rest of the pages. In my opinion, this is an exciting new discovery to assist family historians in picturing the status and happenings of their beloved ancestors and collateral relatives "in the early days of long ago."

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Page 53: ENGLAND, Thomas
" Vardamon
EDWARDS, Joseph B.
EMMERSON, Joseph
EATON, Mathew
EADES, Washington
ELLIOT, Robert
Evans, John W.
ELLISTON, Hiram
ETHEL, John W. EAMES, T. D.
ENGLISH, N.
ENGLISH & MUNROE
ENNIS, William
EWING, James
EASTMAN, George
ELLISON, John
Page 54:
FOX, Elisha
FLINN, Z. W.
[He has 733 acres]
FITZHUGH, Robert
FINNEY, David
FRYE, George
FAFER?, William
FLINN Royal
FLINN, Royal FOX, Thomas
" Jonas
Page 55:
FERRIGO, George
FLETCHER, Edward
FANNING, Robert
boini (escace)
ADIAHAM
Salipson
" John K.
" G. W.
FULLER, A.
FANNING, Henry
FINLY, R.
FARTHING?, William
FILA, George
FRYE, Chas. H.
FOSTER, Caleb
FORSEE, Geo. W.
FANNING, E.
FARMER, B. J.
Page 56:
FISK, Nathan
FISK, Nathan FOX, John
FILSON, William
FOSTER, Mary
LODIER, Hary

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Page 56 continued:
  FRYE, Milton
  [828 acres]
  FRYE, Joseph
  FANNING, George
  Page 57:
  FRYE, William (heirs)
  ["Isaac R. Barrows,
   quardian"]
 FANNING, John .
          Joseph
          Levi
 FEATHERKILE, George
 FUNK, Nimrod
 FILSON, John
 Page 58:
 FELLOWS, Thomas
 FRENCH, Samuel
 FISHER, T? A.
         Martin
 FINSON, John D.
 FINCH, G. W.
 FOREMAN, Anderson
 FLATFORD, Nathaniel
 FAIRBANK, John B.
 FUNK, Martin
 FOSTER, James
 FAYERWEATHER, R.
 FRENCH, William
 FORD,
         Thomas
 FILSON, Leander
 FLIGG, John
 FITZHUGH, Calhound
) FISK,
         N.
 FIKE,
         J.
 FOWL,
         N.
 FRAUGHLY, John
 FRIZZLE, J. S.
 FANNING, Jacob
 Page 59:
 GATTEN, Z. W.
 GARD, Moses
         Ephraim
         Jno. L.
 GREEN, John Jr.
 GILLAM, Stark
 GOODALL, William
 GODDARD, William
 GILPIN, Barnett
- GUINN,
          Evan
 GUNN, Alexander
 GOODPASTER, William
 GILTNER, Samuel
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GILBERT, Henry	GRAVES, Wm. H.	GRAVES, G. W. (heirs)	
Page 60:	GROVES, James	GREEN, Charles	HAYDEN, W. H.
GIBBINS, Johnathan	GUNNELS, Nathan	GISH, A.	HULL, Isaac
GOODPASTER, Hamilton	GIVANS, William T.	GRAY, James	HEUSTED, W. M.& S.
GRAY, John	GUNN, William Jr.	GRAYHAM, Z. W.	HENDERSON, Silas
GEST, Ruben	ouncs	GILTNER, C.	" Stephen
GRAYHAM, William	GILLMORE, William	Page 68:	14.
GOODPASTER, John	GIBERSON, Lewis	HOAGLAND, Martin	" Elias
GRAYHAM, John M.	GILL, William	MITITIAN	" Aron
GOLD, Henry S.	GILLILAND, W. P.	George W.	HAMAKER, David
GARDENIRE, Mathew	GUNN, A. S.	HOPKINS, Robert	HENDERSON, Samuel
GUNN, William	GADDIS, W. F.	HAMILTON, Robert	" G. W.
" James M.	GRAYHAM, C. W.	HINTCHEY, Wm. H.	" David E.
GADDIS, Adam	GREENUP, William	HODGESON, Christopher	
GOODPASTER, Abraham	GENTRY, James	HUDSPETH, Ralph	Page 73:
GILLETT, Bezilele	GORDON, Nancy	HAYS, William	HAM, Willis C.
GRAYHAM, L. D.	GROSSMAN, Nelson	Page 69:	" Wm. R.
Page 61 & 62:	Page 66:	HARDING, Martin	HOUSTON, Isaac
GRIGG, J.	GORHAM, Stephen	" Payton	HANCOCK, John W.
[He had total of	GORDAN, James	" Pacal	HOUSTON, Nicholas
13004 acres on	GRAY, George	HOAGLAND, John	HACKMAN, Elizabeth
which he paid	GREEN, Thomas	HAYNES, Sarah	HARRIS, Samuel
\$234.07. The land's	GORHAM, John	HODGSON, William	HODGES, David
value was \$39,012.00]	" Mathew	HALL, Patterson	HUDDLESTON, William
GREEN, William	GIBERSON, Samuel	" Nancy	HANCOCK, Elizabeth
GREVE, Christian	GROSSMAN, G. W.	Page 70:	HODGES, David L.
GUNNELS, Daniel	GEST, N.H.	HALL, Equila	HOBBS, Thomas
GOEDEKING, Henry	[John Hurst (Exec)	[559½ acres.	HARNEY, Wm. M.
GRIFFIN, David	GOWDY, Ensley	Tax \$27.77.]	HINES, Jonas
GLEDHILL, Joseph	GOODPASTER, Jefferson	nHOLMES, Jacob	HOLMES, John
GOUCHER, John L.	GARMAN, John	" Isaac	HAGGARD, Edward
Page 63:	GARMAN, George	HEARD,	HITCHCOCK, Asa
GREEN, Stephen	GOLTRA M. C.	"delinquent"	HAMNER, John
John Sr.	GASS, B. H.	HUCKSTEP, Thomas C.	" Henry
GLOVER, John	GALBRAITH, John	HENDERSON, Ira	HOLMES, S. (heirs)
GIPSON, Joshua	GEARS, William (heirs	HUDSON, Samuel	HART, Henry
GRIDER, Ency?	GEARS, Mary	" Isaac	Page 74:
GRAFF, David	GOODRICK, Joel	HOLIDAY, James B.	HOPKINS, B. G.
GREEN, Joseph	GREGORY, John	Hiram	HARRIS, Thos. R.
GEST, Isaiah	GRAVES, James A.	HYDE, John	HUGHES, John
GALLAHER, Wm. G.	GOLTRA, Cornelias	HENDERSON, D. W.	HART, Anderson
GILMORE, Henry	Galbraith, Samuel	Page 71:	" Solomon
Page 64:	GRAY, Milo.	HALL, Henry H.	" Charles
GRIDER, Avy	Page 67:	[2000 acres valued	Page 75:
GIBSON, John M.	GILHAM, William	&6800. Tax: \$44.80]	HART, Solomon G.
GUNN, John	" Charles	HENDERSON, D. G.	" David
GRIMSLEY, Fielding	GOLTRA, John M.	" William	" Joseph W.
or Fleming	GRAY, Morton	" Jeremiah	Hughes, John A.
	GIBBINS, Zachariah	HENRY, John	HUNTER, Edward
GREEN, James	GRAVES, Joseph Jr.	Page 72:	HULL, Daniel
GIBSON, Isham	Joseph Sr.	HATFIELD, Mathias	" Isaac
" James	GILLETT, Dr. B.	HUNTER, Elizabeth	HARRIS, John B.
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Page 79 continued: HURST, Johnathan HAYS, Lewis HART, Josiah HARLAN, Jones & Co. HOWARD, Tilton Jourdan E. HARNEY, R. D. Page 80: HARNEY, Cabell HURST, Johnathan HARP, Conrad HAYNES, John Green HAMLIN, H. N. HAM, John Roland HART, Meletant? HOOK, C. HARNEY, B.& A.G. Page 81: HARDING, John J. "1632 acres, value 12713. Tax \$76.28\$" HARDING, Martinett "1034 acres, value 7283. Tax \$43.70¢" HEDDINGBURG, Reva "\$2.04¢ tax" Page 82: "795 acres, value 5405. Tax \$32.43¢" HOWELL, William HOUSTON, S.& J. HOWELL, J. C. HUMPHREY, John HANY, Adam William HENRY, Hugh Greenup HUTCHENS, Isaac HOWELL, John S. HORTON, HUMPHREY, B. N. HENRY, George HARNEY & A.W. SWEET James HATCHER, Richard HADEN, Thomas Page 83: HILLS, J.& G. HALL, William

Page 83 continued: HALL, Richard HOLLIDAY, Joseph James HEMBROUGH, John HENRY, Joseph David HAMNER, John HUMBLE, Lewis HOAGLAND, Cornelias HARRIS, William C. HANLY, G. W. HAYES, Henry HENRICHSEN, E.S.& H. HUEY, O. D. HEFFINGTON, J.L. HOYT, Harvey HOLDREDGE, Peleg HARRIS, J. D. Page 84: HUTCHISON, James HARRIS, Joseph HAGGARD & REYNOLDS HALIGAS, Benjamin HURST, W. S. HARBISON, George HITT, Jacky HUMPHREY, W. D. HENDERSON, S. H. D. Pat. HEYER, W. G. HESLEP, Joseph HOLLAND, John HAMILTON, William HOYT, Lumas T. HART, John HILL, John M. HEDENBERG, Peter HALLOCK, Loyd HACKETT, George HEDDINGTON, Joel Page 85: HARRISON & FLATFORD William Isaac S. HIX, HUNT, Samuel HARKNESS, James HENRY, George HESLEP, A. M. HATFIELD, Lewis HOLMES & BATTY James HOLME, Robert HILLS,

HICKMAN, D.S.& Co.

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Page 85 continued: HERRING, Lewis & S. HODGERSON, J. William HOWARD, R. HART, Thomas "Scott County" HITT, Samuel (heirs) HOUSTED, S. & J. HENDERSON & RUBERT? HELLHOUSE, W. Page 86: HAMILTON, William HEIRS of Wm. Irwin HESLEP & McHENRY (2) HELLHOUSE & HASTUEL? [At this point in the book there is an added page of "Daniel Huey's Lands in Morgan County, Illinois" for a total of 2891 acres. Value 8673. "State Tax \$26.01½ "County Tax \$26.011 "Total Tax 52.03 Then it lists "Lands charged to D. Huey, Belonging to Others, HENRY, SCOTT & NEELY Colonization Society, Porter Clay Agent." [other lands were in charge of John Gross, Agent for D. Huey in Sangamon County. Notations indicated some of the land sold to B. White, Jno. Mullens, and G. Reems.] HENDERSON, Wm. (heirs) HUNTLEY, William Page 87: JOHNSON, Zachariah JOURDON, Wm. S. JONES, Abram John T. Henry JEWETT, John JAY, John P. ISREAL, Isaac G. "Insolvent" JOHNSON, Rubin A.

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	John
IDE, C	liver C.
JACKSON,	
Page 88:	
JACKSON,	William
JOHNSON,	
JOURDON,	
JONES,	Samuel
"	John
11	Titus
11	Chas. L.
11	James
**	Robert
11	Brice
n	Watterman
JANNEY,	Elisha
JOHNSON,	
*IVERSON,	
JEWSBURY	
	John
UACIDON,	John A.
TENUTNO (Christopher
	Elisha
JOLLY,	EIISHa
Page 89:	Honor T
JOHNSON,	
	James
u Table	Benjamin
	Nancy
	Richard
JENNINGS,	Lewis W.
JONES,	
"	Joel
	Thomas
	Samuel B.
"	Joshua
JAMES,	Robert
JANUARY,	т. т.
n	P. W.
*ILIARUS?	, J. W.
[*Research	ners
should no	
in early	records
I and J	were writ-
ten very	much alike.
There was	s no Record
Book labe	eled as <u>I</u> .
All were	labeled J,
and both	I and J
indexed t	together.]
Page 90:	
JONES, I	
JACKSON,	
JOHNSON,	Isaac
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OF MORGAN COUNTY, IL	I
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JOHNSON, W. G. *INGLES, D[arius]	1
*INGLES, D[arius]	
[see previous note]	
Page 91:	
Page 91: KELTNER, Henry	
KENDLE, Woffendel? KETNER, Henry	
KETNER, Henry	
KEENER, Francis	
KITE, Jacob	
KERSHAS, Robert	
KIRKPATRICK, J. L.	
KIMBLE, William	
KNAPP, Joshua	
KEPLINGER, John	
Peter Samuel	
KIRKMAN, Thomas " Elijah	
KING, John	
Page 92: KEPLINGER, Isaac	
KERR, J.	
KNIGHT, F.	
KING, S.	
KIRKPATRICK, Polly	
KENNETT, Joseph	
KIRKMAN, Elijah	3
" George	
KENNEDY, Wm. S.	
KIMBLE, Ira	
KIRCHER, Joseph	
KERR, James	
" Jennett	
Page 93:	
KING, William	
" Ј. О.	
" Ј. W.	
KENNER, Rebecca	7
KRIGH, George	
KARR, John	
KEENER, Henry	
KENNEDAY, William	
KINKADE, Joseph KIRKMAN, William	
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KILLAM, Samuel John	20102
" William	1
John Sr.	
Page 94:	
KOSCIALOWSHI, Napoli	ā
[owned 140 acres.	-
Tales 1240	7

Page 94 continued:
KERR, J.
" Mary Ann
KING, Henry
" Fred
Page 95:
LAYTON, James
LEE, Martin
LITTEN, Burton
LIONS, Martin
LINDSEY, N. W.
LORANCE, Alfred
" Jacinth
" Jonathan
LEMON, James
LIGHTER, Andrew
bacob
Page 96:
LINDSEY, A. Q
LAMBERT, E.
LIGHTER, John LAYCOCK, Thomas LAURIE, John
LAYCOCK, Thomas
LAURIE, John
LARAMORE, T. J.
LOAR, George
LUMSDOM, W. G.
LIDSTER, John
" William
LEEDS, Absolam
LINKENS, James
LAYTON, Wm. M.
LOUTHIA, Arthur
LONG, Sterling
CHANGE TO THE CONTRACT OF THE
Page 97:
LONG, George
LORANCE, Jacob
MITITAII
LOW, Mary
LUTTERAL, Hiram
" John
LEONARD, Abraham
LONG, Henry, Jr.
" Henry, Sr.
L George
Page 98:
LONG, Nicholas
LAKE, Lindsey
LIGHTER, Samuel
LINDSEY, Wm. K.
LUTTRELL, Lot
LANKTON, J. C.
LONDON, James
LONG, Elias
LUTTRELL, John
TOTTIGHT, COM
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.841.
Page 98 continued: LOCK, Eli LAMBERT, Richard LARGE, Thomas Adam LONG, George John LOVEKAMP, Fredk. Page 99: LEEPARD, Henry LAYTON, Wm. K. LANGLY, James LONG, Henry Henry C. Henry [They didn't have
land. They paid,
72¢, 25¢ and 29¢.]
LEMMON, Wm. C.
LAMB, J. L.
LUCK, J. H.
LEFLER, S.
" J.
LONG, William
LARD, T.
Page 100:
LESLIE, M.
[He had 2600 acres.
Value 7800.
Tax \$46.80¢]
LUCK, Edward
LORANCE, Samuel
LEWIS, Samuel
" David
LEACH, John
Page 101:
LEE, George
LAZENBY, John
LAMBERT, Edward
LIGHTER, Abraham
LAMB, Benjamin
LINK, A. G.
LONG, Owen
" Wm. H.
LATHROP, John W.
LITTON, James
LAUDNUM, Cornelias
LUCAS, J. M.
LOCKWOOD, (Judge)
LOCKWOOD, (Sudge)
" Alexander
" Polly
LAKIN, Wm. LAWSON, John
LAWSON, JOHN

Value 1340.

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Page 106 continued: MILLEN, Archabold MATHEWS, Richard MARKOE, Samuel Page 107: MENKEE, Jacob MILSTED, James McDONALD, Alexander "1258 acres Value 6290. Tax \$37.74¢" MASTERS, Wm. J.(I)? McCLAIN, William John MANSFIELD, Elizabeth MILLER, Robert C. Alfred William McDONALD, John Hellen John H. MITCHEL, MILAM, C. K. MANNEL, George Page 109: McHENRY, Jacob James William McCLURE, Samuel McINTIRE, Benjamin MATHEWS, Isreal MAJORS, John MATHEWS, William K. McMUNCY, William MARTINY, John McCARLEY, Moses MANSFIELD, James McALISTER, John Page 110: MATHEWS, Samuel T. Richard McCLUNG, H. Eliza McROBERTS, Michael MOORE, Edward Page 108: *----skipped a page McGEE, James MARTIN, Thomas MORRISON, William Robert MASTERSON, Charles (heirs) MASTERS, John MASON, Samuel

Page 108 continued: MOORE, Elizabeth MIDDLEBUSHER, Henry MASTERSON, Jeremiah MITCHEL, J. E. MANARY, James McPHERSON, B. G. Henry MYRE, MILLER, William C. Page 111: MCINTIRE, A. Z. MUSTLEMAN, John McCLAIN, Samuel McCULLY, Jackson MELLABARGER, John McGOWEN, William MOORE, Samuel MANSON, Johanan MELVILL, William McCONAUGHY, William MILTON, John MASTERS, Martin MILLION, Marcus MANN, John McCONAGUHY, Samuel McCORMICK, James W. McFALL, James McCORMICK, John B. "Removed" McCORMICK, B. B. McCarley, Joseph Morton, William MARTIN, James L. McCORMICK, R. MAGILL, Samuel James Page 112: MORTON, Joseph "1283 acres. Value 11573. Tax \$69.44¢ " MILLER, Henry MELVILL, Robert (est) McCORMICK, Walter MILLION, E. F. Page 113: MILLION, S. B. McWILLIAMS, William McKEAN, John McCORMICK, James V. S. MILLER, Jacob McCARLEY, Ezekiel

Page 113 continued: MANSFIELD, Albert MASSEY, William McCORMICK, Jane W. MAYFIELD E. Page 114: MINER, Amos F. MINER & HUNTLEY MURREY, Michael McCORMICK, Milton McKAY, Lewis MURPHEY, Dudley MCNEELY, J. T. MULLEN, Richard MOORE, Alfred MULLENS, Isaac McCORMICK, E. MASTICK, Willard MAGINIS, H. A. MONROE, Jessee MALONE, Alexander McDANNEL, James Eli MERRILL, A. B. MCKEE, Joseph MONROE, Thomas McALASTER, Robert MURREY, John McDONALD, William MASTERS, James M. Page 115: MASTERS, Thomas S. D. MURREY, Samuel MURPHEY, Stephen MASSIE, Silas "625 acres. Value 7215. Tax \$43.29¢ MOORE, David MARSHALL, Robert MASSESY, H. H. Page 116: MEGGISON, Ralph MASSIE, S. S. MOORE, Catharine MICKELWAIT, Williby MARSHALL, William MORTON, Greenbury MAPES, Ira John MASTERS, H. MAGINIS, John S.

G. F.

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THE ASSESSOR	. 0
Page 116 continued:	Pa
MORRELL, C. W.	NE
MAYFIELD, Manning	NE
MATHEWS, Cyrus	NE
Page 117:	NE
MILLER, Ebinezar	NE
MATHERS, John	NI
MELENDY, T. W.	NI
McKEE, D. D.	NI
MEARS, Edwin A.	NU
MARTIN, Preston	NO
	NE
McHENRY, George	II
MATHEWS, Wesly	11
McFarland, James	11
McKENNY, James	
McCLEWER, H. B.	NI
MAYBERRY, Gillam	NE
WATKINS,	NI
McCLOSKY, John	Pa
McLOOGAL,	NE
MILLER, E. T.	NE
McALLISTER, James	NC
MAKIN, Richard	NE
MONTGOMERY, Alexander	NE
McCULLY, John	"
MORGAN, O.	17
MILLS, C. L.	NE
MARKHAM, OR	NC
MEASHAM, Jos. R.	NA
Page 118:	NO
McDONNEL, M.	NE
FRY, C. F?	Pa
MORRIS, A.	OF
MASON, Henry	"1
MARCH, O.	V
MCKENNY,	Т
MAGILL, George	Re
James (heirs)	T
Page 119:	OD
MILLER, A.	OE
MARSHALL, J. W.	00
	OS
MILNER,	05
MALONE, A.	Pa
MEEK & CARTER	OF
MUSICK, J.	00
MOORE, R.	05
MATHIAS, J. G.	11
MOODY, D. I/J	
MAYFIELD & MOORE	OI/
и Р.	OL
MILBURN, N.	OF
McKEE & HENDERSON	OF
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NORTHCUT, Hezakiah	17
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ge 120 continued: WLAND, Josiah EWMAN, James EIGHBOURS, Thomas Charles , NAMW Joseph CHOLAS, Agripha Ezekiel GHT, SBITT, James Thomas JNNS, DRRIS. James D. Wingate , NAMW S. P. Benjamin Luranah CHOLS, George W. A. S. EIL, SBIT, William age 121: Geo. (heirs) WMAN, Thomas ELSON, ORTHCUT, John (heirs) John EWBY, R. H. ELSON, David J. EWLIN, J. DRTHCUT C. ASH & SPENCER Thomas P. DRRIS, Thomas O. EAL, age 122: REM, William .021 acres, alue 5677. ax \$19.20¢, educed by court to Tax \$17.52¢" OLE, Stephen BANION, Garrett GLE, William SBURN, Silas SGOOD, H. D. age 123: RR, Patrick GLE, Absolam SBURN, Samuel H. W. Thomas VEAL, William DLE, John RR, RTON, James David

Page 123 continued: OFFICER, William OKEEFFE, Thomas Hugh Page 124: PARROT, John Tyra Robert D. John PARR, PATTEN, Asa PADGETT, G. W. PREWITT, D. D. PERLIER, William PENCE, Joseph PETERS, Aron Henry M. PARK, POLLARD, William H. John J. PARK, PITNER. William PERKETT, George P. POTTER, Betsey POINTER, James POPLAR, Isaac POTTS, Joel POWELL, John PIERSON, Payton PHILLIPS, A. G. J. D. PILCHER, Samuel R. PRATT, Page 125: PARKER, Thomas Catharine PRATT. Susannah Charles (Est.) PRICE, Adam PATEN, Andrew PIERSON, John PATTERSON, David William M. Page 126: PETERFISH, George PHILLIPS, Spencer PETERFISH, Jacob POWELL, H. R. PRICE, Henry John S. PARK, Thomas Page 127: PITNER, Catharine Alexander POWELL, G. W. PREVOST, A. J. F. PURVINE, John POST, William

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REAM, Samuel	ROLING
ROBERTSON, Wm. H.	REAM,
ROSSON, Stanton	ROBERT
"delinquent"	ROBERT
RODGERS, Uriah	
REED, William	ROBINS
RYMAN, Joseph	ROWEN,
ROBERTSON, Samuel	RAY,
RAGAN, William REDDING, J. N.	RUSSEL
	ROSS,
" Eli W.	RAWSON
ROSENBURGER, John	ROUSEY
RAY, F. G.	RECTOR
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ROBERTSON, Samuel	REEVES
Isaac	ROSS,
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RAY, Elijah	Page 13
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REAM, Louise	REEVE,
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ROBERTS, George
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" Daniel ROBINSON, James P.
ROWEN, James
RAY, Christopher
RUSSELL, William
ROSS, Green
RAWSON, Jessee
ROUSEY, Margaret
RECTOR, James S.
RANSDEL, Eli
REEVES, Wiett
ROSS, Thomas
RITCHEY, John
Page 136:
RUSSEL, Agnes
"2748 acres,
Value 12429.
Tax \$74.57¢"
ROSS, John
"160 acres,
Value 800.
Tax \$4.80¢"
Page 137:
ROUT, Harry
"625½ acres,
Value 4060.
Tax \$24.36¢"
RENTCHLER, George "530 acres,
Value 2410.
Tax \$14.46¢"
RUBLE, Jessee
Page 138: RICHARDS, James H.
ROBINSON, Martha
" Chas. M.L.
" Alexander
ROACH, N.
REEVE, Isaac B.
REDDING Jacob
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" Isaac
RUNNELLS, Ann
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ROSE, William
RICHARDSON, V. S.
RAFFETY, Thomas
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" Jonathan
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RODGERS, Joseph
" James RHEA, James
RHEA, James
" Lewis
RAY, James
ROBERTS, Peter
" William H.
RUTH, Solomon
ROACH, John
RUSSELL, Henry
ROUSE, David
REAUGH, Charles
REYNOLDS, David A.
REAUGH, Samuel Q.
" Robert
RANSON, James
RUTTER, John W.
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RICHARDSON, John
"653 acres,
Value 6716, Tax \$40.29¢"
Tax \$40.29¢"
RICHARDSON P. D.
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RAWLINGS. Isaac T.
REARICK, George RADICAN, William RANSON, Robert ROSS, William N.
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RANSON, Robert
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	HARP, Martin SEAMOUR, Peter		SOOY, Adney
SLATTEN, James	SPENCE, William	SEAMOUR, Burg?	STURGES, John R.
STOUT, Theadore	STADLAER, Jacob	STURGES, James B.	STEEL, John W.
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SHARP, William	SMITH, Henry	SAUNDERSON, Henry	SMITH, J. O.
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SAXTON, William	SWAN, Riley	STONE, Francis	SUMMERS, Henry
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SPENCER, John D.	SINCLAIR, Watson	SAPPINGTON, John	SCOTT, Wm. N.
SMITH, Joseph	SHANKLIN, Richard	" Milton	SEEMORE, Edward
SAMMONS, John	(heirs)	SCOTT, Thomas	" Richardson
SHIELDS, Sarah	STEWART, Joel	SAMPLES, Washington	" John
SAMPLES, John	SIBERT, J.& G.	SMITH, Jacob	" William
Page 149:	" Absolam	SAMPLE, Aron	SHEPPARD, Stephen
STANLEY, Noble	SPRINGER, Jobe	STICE, Andrew	" L. J.
SMITH, Isaac	SMITH, James	SIMMS, Austin	SHIRTLIFF, Edward
SEYMOUR, E. & R.	" R.R.& J.M.	SPOTSWOOD, G. W.	Sprague, Joshua
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STEWART, Jane A.	SHUFF, John	STALIMUS & JANUARY	SPENCER, Hannah
SMITH, Isaac	Page 152:	SCHOOLY, Charles	STRODE, Malon
" John	SMEDLY, Daniel	SPEARMAN, J. D.	SMITH, Wm. R.
" James	"1200 acres,	SMITH, Larkin	" Wilson
" Anderson	Value 8060.	" Franklin	SWAILS, Thomas
" Peter	Tax \$48.36¢"	" M. D.	SCOTT, Elizabeth
" Thomas	STEPHENSON, Elliot	" John	STOUT, Ezra
" Samuel	" W. C. Jr.	" Levi	SARGENT, Wm. L.
STEWART, M.	" ј. н.	" William	SMART, Josiah
SWADER, James	SKINNER, Freeman	" William	STURTIVANT, J. M.
STOUT, George	Page 153:	" Albert	Page 160:
SHULTZ, Elizabeth	STEPHENSON, Wm. C.	" James P.	STARR & CARTER
SUTTON, Benjamin	"705 acres,	SISK, A. M.	SMITH, Archimedes
SIMMS, William C.	Value 6345.	SIPS, John H.	" William
SEEVERS, Jeremiah	Tax \$38.07¢"	SHARP, David	" A.
SHORT, Daniel	SCOTT, William	STORY, Vincin	" George
SHERRER, John	SAMPLES, Jacob	SIBERT, Jeremiah	SAMUELS, J.
SALLEE, James E.	SHELTON, Johnson	" Gideon	STONE, John L.
SLATTEN, Moses	STONE, B. W.	STEPHENSON, William	STACY, Mathew
SELF, James H.	STAGNER, Jeremiah	SCOBEY, John	SHEPHERD, John O.
SPATES, Samuel	SPARKS, Mathew	SHELTON, Joseph	STICE, R. V.
SHOTTON, Christopher	SWEET, Joel	STORY, Porter	SNYLES, H. L.
		SPRINGER, George	SNIDER, Gilbert
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D 0		STRIBLING, Wm. C.	SHACLEFORD, John
" Ashford	SHEPPARD, Thornton		SMITH, Wm. B.
John	STORY, Parris	Page 158: SUTHERLAND, Lazarus	SCOTT, Josiah
" David (heirs)	STAPLETON, Benjamin	SHUMATE, William	The state of the s
SPENCER, James	SPIRES, John	97.0	SARGENT, John
SHAW, Joseph	SEAMOUR, James	SAYER, Jeremiah	STOUT, T. F.
SALMONS, Edmon	" John	Danaci	STEWART, Wm.
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"	M.
	A.
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SCHNEIDE	
	Benjamin
SNELLEN,	
	, John S.
SANDUSKY	
STRICKLA	ND, Seldon
SELLONS,	William
STINES.	Geo. & Co.
SMITH,	William
SNIDER,	John
	ON, Jas.Jr.
STEWART,	
SHIVLEY?	
STEPHENS	
SMITH,	
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SIMMONS,	
SHAW,	
SEYMOUR,	
SEIMOUR,	E. D.
SCOTT,	Wm. C. Ignatious R;
SIMMS,	David A.
SIMPSON,	Stafford
SMITH STARK,	Stariord
SPALDING	
STEPHENS	
STACY & I	RAPP
SUTTON,	Stephen
STARR,	Thomas J.
SWAILES,	Thomas Jr.
STRAWN,	
"2303 acr	
value 20	
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STRAWN, J	Tacob
"3842 acr	es (total)
Value 27	
Tax \$162	
SALTER, C	
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SALTER, C	
"3367 acr	
Value 18	
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TROTTER, Samuel
" Milton
" John
TILFORD, James
THOMPSON, Thos.R.
TAYLOR, William
TUCKER, William
TANDY, Willis
TURLEY, John
Page 166:
THOMPSON, J.B.&R.L.
" S.B.
" Samuel(heirs)
TURNER, E. W.
THOMPSON, Oswell
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THOMPSON, John M.
" Phillip
" G. W.
TALOE, Ellis
TANNYHILL, D. S.
TROTTER, David
TAYLOE, John
TUNNEL, Perry
TOLBERT, Doctor
TAYLOR, Orren
THOMPSON, Phillip
" G. W.
TURLEY, Cornelias
TURNHAM, Mary
TAYLOR, Jonathan
THORNLY, Ralph
TICKNER, Olney
TAYLOR, Thomas O.
TURNHAM, J. B.
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TROY, Daniel
TAYLOR, James
" Peter
" William
TREDWAY, G. A.
TODD, James
TINDALL, Isaac N.
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THORNTON, Francis
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TAYLOR, Benjamin
George
THOMPSON, Bernard

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TALKAMIRE, William
TONGATE, John
TUNNEL, Stephen
TINDALL, Jacob
TURNER, Charles
" Isaac
THOMAS, Joseph
THOMPSON, Samuel
" Andrew
TALKINGTON, Joseph
TUNNEL, N. M.
TITUS, Martin & Co.
II Noah
TUGGLE, John
THOMPSON, A. J.
TAYLOR, J. B.
" William
THOMPSON, J. B.
TONGE, R. R.
THOMAS, Samuel W.
TIFF, Willis
TODD, Colmoun
TUCKER, M. A.
TOLLAR?, Andrew
TERRY, Silas TOLFREY, John
TOLEAT, Asa TAINTER, P. W.
THOMAS, William
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THRASHER, J. M.
TALKINGTON, John
" Alfred
TURNER, Thomas G.
" Israel J. B.
" John
" Andrew J.
TALKINGTON, William
THOMPSON, John
TUNNELL, Mary
David
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THOMPSON, J.C.& S.P.
TURNER, J. A.
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TANNER, Jos.A. (heirs)
TAYLOR, George
TEEPLE, Harvey
TENNISON, R.
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		Henry
		AKE, C.L.
Page	5 T/	2: James L.
TILL	NER,	James L.
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		, J.& G.
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		CLE, T. J.
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VANC		Isaac
		Henry
		N, Ranson
		Wm. C.
		E. C.
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WOLF,	Elizabeth	WILHOIT & ORR	WEDDING, James	WILSON, Joseph
WAY,	Ruth	WATERS, Joseph	WRIGHT, Wm. L.	WATSON, William
WYATT,	James	WALLACE, James	WADDLE, Mathew	WHITE, S.
"	Walter	WEBSTER, Thomas	WADE, Akin. B.	WHITE, S.
WILMOT,	Charles R.	" Levi	WALTER, George	WOODS, M.
WOODARD	, Bradly V.	Page 180:	WISWELL, W. M.	WHITE, James
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WELCH,	John	" Jos. M.	WOOD, James	Page 187:
WELLS,	Peter	WILLIAMSON, Abram	WATERS, John	WARREN, Wm. B.
WHITE,	Thomas	WRIGHT, Geo. W.	WILLIAMS, James	WILLARD, Alexander
Page 17	7:	WORTH, Joel	WOODS, M F.	WILLIAMS, L.
WILSON,	James	WRIGHT, Henry C.	WEATHERFORD, J. H.	WAGGONER, Wesly
11	Daniel	WATKINS, Daniel	" William	WARD, Emmerson
WILLARD	, William	WARNER, Samuel	WALLER, Geo. B.	WHITE, George
"	James M.	WHORTON, John	WEATHERFORD, Hillery	
WEATHER:	BY, Sety	WEATHERLING, H.	WYATT, Benjm. H.	WELCH, H.
	, A. V.	WILLIAMS, James	WHITLOCK, William	WATSON, Lewis
	ON, Richard	WOOD, Samuel	WILSON, Wm. C.	WARD, Elijah
	William	WYETT, Thomas	WISER, Geo.	WISE, Daniel
	, James	WATERS, Zachariah	WILSON, Richard	WATSON, A. M.
	R, Daniel	" Joseph	WRIGHT, John W.	WILKINSON, O.
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	Washington	WATERS, Nathan	Page 184:	WATSON, Richard
WARD,	Mary	WILSON, Joseph	WALCOT, Elihu	YOUNGERMAN, Wm.
	William	WADHAM, Orlands	"2874 acres,	YOUNG, John
WIAII,	John Jr.	WHITLOCK, Luther	Value 19516.	YEARICK, George
	J. B.	WING, Jacob	Tax \$117.09¢"	YECK, Phillip
	Starling	WEATHERFORD, Wm.	WILSON, Edward	YAPLE, Jacob
WOOD,		"733 acres,	Page 185:	YATES, Richard
	Richard William C.	value 4538.	WYATT, John	YORK, A.
			"785 acres,	ZIRSKA?, John
WRIGHT,		Tax \$27.22¢"	Value 7500	ZABISKIL, Jas.C.
Page 17		WHITLOCK, Thomas		at Arenzvill"
WRIGHT,		WRIGHT, William	Tax \$45.00¢"	* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
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-	William	WEATHERFORD, Jonas		This unique 1841
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Page 190: COFFMAN, Philip CASSELL, Henry COLLINS, Morris Michael COOPER, John CHAMBERS, G. M. "450 acres, Value 6850. Tax \$41.10¢" CLARKE, Edward CHAPMAN, Abram CORKINS, Nehemiah CORRINGTON, Elijah Eliza CONN, COLLEDGE, Illinois CHANDLES, Isaac Page 192: DUNCAN, Joseph "900 acres Value 37350. Tax \$224.10¢" DUNLAP, A. DOREMUS, J. C. DUSENBERRY, H. DUNEVAN, Jessee DEWEESE, Nimrod DAVENPORT & MATHEWS Page 191: CAMPBELL, W. CROKER, J. COLLINS, Charles DELPH. W. H. Stephen DUSTAN, DEVORE, U. J. Martin L. DAULTON, Jane DAVENPORT, Ira DENNY, John DUNCAN, T. O. DANIELS, Varian DULANY, Sophia DYSON, D. S. Page 193: EWING, James ENGLISH, Nathan ENNIS, William EDMONSON, Alfred EAMES, T. D. EASLY, Martin FLATFORD, & HARRISON FORMAN, Anderson

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McCONNEL, M.

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CEMETERY ASSOCIATION PETITION REED FAMILY CEMETERY ASSOCIATION

Secretary of State Corporation Department Centennial Building, Third Floor East Springfield, Illinois 62756

We, the following named persons:

(Not less than six)

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| Iorine Spires | R.R. 2 | Franklin | IL | 62638 |
| Frank Spires | R.R. 2 | Franklin | IL | 62638 |
| Florence Hutchison | 629 South Diamond | , Jacksonville | IL | 62650 |
| Bernice Rolston | 310 Prairie | Franklin | IL | 62638 |
| Evelyn Seymour | 115 Main | Franklin | IL | 62638 |
| Sherry R. Austin | 401 West Tremont | Waverly | IL | 62692 |
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Page 1: CEMETERY ASSOCIATION INCORPORATION, RESTORATION AND PRESERVATION PROJECTS IN MORGAN COUNTY, ILLINOIS

In 1980 Greenwood Cemetery north of Jacksonville and near the Cass County line was vandalized. The cemetery was affiliated with the old Union Church which once stood nearby, but was no longer in existence. Fortunately Robert Dalton had read the tombstones in October 1979 so we had a good record of the burials there. For further information, see pages 1-11 Jacksonville IL Geneal Journal Vol.VIII #1 March 1980.

Robert and Florence Hutchison went out to assess the damage, and in so doing she found a buried stone and pulled away the sod with her bare hands and eventually had a severe case of poison ivy affliction. About six years later a medical doctor in California became a member of our society and in mentioning his ancestors we found that Florence had found his great-grandmother's grave site. The good doctor said:
"My relative must have put a curse on you, but many thanks for finding her."

Our first step in trying to protect such abandoned cemeteries was to find people who would band together and form a cemetery association. Our first step was to ask the County Commissioners to appoint a Morgan County Cemetery Advisory Board, which was done, and the following letter appeared in our March 1980 quarterly page 30.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Morgan County, Illinois

County Courthouse, Jacksonville, Illinois

January 18, 1980

The Morgan County Board of Commissioners hereby appoint the following named to serve at the pleasure of the Board as the Morgan County Cemetery Advisory Board:

- 1. Myra Martin 359 East Tremont, Waverly, Ill.
- 2. Robert Dalton 334 East Beecher, Jacksonville, Ill.
- 3. Virginia Gordon 11 Sunnydale, Jacksonville, Ill.
- 4. Mary Frances Alkire 10 Westgate Circle, Jacksonville, Ill.
- 5. Florence Hutchison 629 South Diamond, Jacksonville, Ill.

For the Board of Commissioners,

Don Blimling

Chairman

"How to organize a Cemetery Association" was then published in our quarterly Vol. VIII #3 September 1980 pages 24-31. Since then, Florence Hutchison, as Corresponding Secretary of the Morgan County Advisory Board, has helped several groups of interested persons to organize cemetery associations which then gave the group power to receive donations, and to enter the cemetery legally, and to restore and preserve its unity to the best of their ability.

But there are some other legal ramifications that must be considered, among them making a proper report to the Illinois State Cemetery Board so that this abandoned and unused cemetery will not be under the strict laws of the Cemetery Care Act which applies only to cemeteries currently receiving burials. All of these things were

discussed in our March 1980 quarterly.

Cemetery board discusses sites

The Morgan County Cemetery Advisory Board met March 31 in the Jacksonville Municipal Building with Myra Martin, chairman, of Waverly presiding. Also attending were board members Florence Hutchison and Robert W. Dalton, and guest Ruth Ann Stewart.

Gunn Cemetery Association has recently completed its official organization process. Members of the association are Pauline Peak, Myra Lee Peak, Anne G. Gothro, Charles M. Peak, Irene K. Spencer, Helen K. Coats and C. Clement Coats. Donations for maintenance of Gunn Cemetry may be sent to Pauline Peak, Route 3, Box 214, Roodhouse, Ill. 62082.

Gunn Cemetery, also known as Rimbey Cemetery, is south of Murrayvine and about one-half mile north of the Morgan County-Greene County line. Last cleaned by Raymond Phillips and William Dale Story in 1987, Gunn Cemetery contains 211 known graves, dating from 1844 to 1942.

Association papers are now being prepared for filing by persons interested in Reed Cemetery. Lo-

cated about one-half mile southwest of Providence Cemetery or four miles southwest of Rees, the badly-overgrown Reed Cemetery is little known even to the residents of the area. Frank Spires and Junior Neal, both of rural Franklin, are curently preparing Reed Cemetery for a general cleanup.

Reed Cemetery contains 76 known burials. The earliest known burial is that of James Gibson who died Dec. 14, 1830. The most recent marked burial is that of Phebe C. Reed who died in 1916.

Donations for maintenance of Reed Cemetery may be sent to Franklin State Bank where an account has been set up for that purpose.

Conlee Cemetery was recently prepared for cleaning by Arthur Turner of rural Waverly. Located in the southeastern corner of Morgan County, Conlee Cemetery is about three miles south of Waverly and one-half mile north of Rohrer. A Baptist church was formerly adjacent to the cemetery and known as Head Of Apple Creek Church. A

flagpole was erected at Conlee Cemetery in 1976 by the sincedisbanded Waverly Bicentennial Committee.

Sixty identified burials are in the neglected Conlee Cemetery. The earliest known burial in Conlee Cemetery is that of Elizabeth, wife of Henry Prather. She died Sept. 13, 1835, at the age of 29. The most recent known burial is believed to be that of Sallie P. Conlee, wife of Allen Conlee. She was born in Lincoln Co., Ky., July 18, 1830, and died Oct. 24, 1906.

Ruth Ann Stewart reported that a spaghetti supper will be held to benefit St. Sebastian Cemetery at Waverly. Serving will be from 4 to 7 p.m. Saturday, April 16, at the Waverly Grade School. Adult tickets are \$4, ages 6-12 are \$2 and anyone under age six years will be admitted free.

Plans have been completed to erect 28 new tombstones in Rogers Cemetery near Waverly during 1988, continuing a project of the past several years. The annual meeting of Rogers Cemetery Foundation will be held at 2:30 p.m. April 17 at the Waverly City Council room.

The problem of cemetery vandalism and theft was discussed, a problem seemingly widespread.

Journal Courier, Jacksonville, Illinois Monday, April 4, 1988

The assistance of our members and readers for donations to the two old cemeteries now being restored, having now been incorporated, would be very much appreciated by the hard-working few who have been in on the clean-up, and those who want to restore stones and order military stones for those soldiers whose bodies lie in the previously tangled mess of trees, sprouts, poison ivy, ground hog holes, snakes and other usual inhabitants of abandoned rural cemeteries.

There are some "generous donors" who think that their \$5.00 contribution will keep the cemetery going forever, without realizing the costs to hire some one who is willing to mow the place occasionally.

The cemetery Board's officers, elected once a year, have put the money in interest-bearing checking accounts so that the secretary-treasurer can pay any necessary expenses, yet be drawing interest while lying in the bank.

Send your donations, if you please for Reed Family Cemetery Association to the Franklin Bank, Franklin IL 62638.

Send your donations, if you please for Gunn Family Cemetery Association to Mrs. Charles M. Peak, Route 3 Box 214, Roodhouse IL 62082. Members and officers of Gunn cemetery are Pauline Peak, Myra Lee Peak, Anne G. Gothro, Charles M. Peak, Irene K. Spencer, Helen K. Coats, and C. Clement Coats.

Gunn cemetery, south of Murrayville and about one-half mile north of the Greene-Morgan line, contains more than 200 known graves dating from 1840 to 1948. The following families have relatives buried there: Ash, Barnett, Blakeman, Bradley, Brown, Bruce, Burrill, Bush, Dickerson, Dikis, Downs, Duncan, Fanning, Gil(1)more, Goacher,

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Gorden, Grigsby, Grossman, Gunn, Hill, Hughes, Hull, Kelley/Kelly, Kennedy, Kile Million, Morrison, Neighbors, Osburn, Parker, Pennell, Petree, Phillips, Poland, Preston, Ragan, Rimbey, Rousey, Shares, Sink, Smith, Spencer, Spotts, Story, Vertrees, Westrope, Wilcox and Wright. As time goes on and probing is done, other buried stones may be located. A number of the pioneers of Murrayville area were interred in this early cemetery.

Labor, tools and machinery have been donated by David Suttles, Richard Lawson, Myra N. Martin, Reuben Bates, Jr., Charles and Pauline Peak, Clement and Hellen K. Coats, Raymond Phillips and Floyd Phillips.

Our latest report is that the cemetery is now in fine shape.

The REED CEMETERY, about four miles south of Rees Station, has been Plans include a new heavy fence and gate, a flag pole and a dedication ceremony in the near future. The earliest known burial is that of James Gibson 14 December 1840, the latest being Phebe C. Reed in 1916.

Families buried there include Alford, Baptist, Conlee, Daugherty, Gibson, Hill, Parks Reed, Sooy, Seymour, Spires and Staples.

Frank Spires gave the first money towards cleaning the cemetery, and Junior Neal has been cutting trees and brush. Other contributors are: Myra N. Martin, Ruth Ann Stewart, Shirley Ann Stewart Aleguas, Loraine Pitman, Sherry Austin, Murrell Wheeler, Donald Spires, Catherine Boston, Velma Bland Paluch, William Rees, Geraldine A. Mies, Reuben Bates, Robert Whitlock, Edna Moffet Herr, Terry Shaw, William and June Thompson.

As has been noted by a reproduction of the Reed Cemetery corporate papers on page 26 of this quarterly the officers of the Association will continue monitoring the condition of the cemetery for years to come. This paper will be filed in the Morgan County Clerk's office, and the Tax Assessor's office. . The officer who keeps plat maps up to date will be informed of this acquisition so that it will show on future maps that are reproduced, as are all of the cemetery associations we have sponsored in Morgan County.

Legal and other records to be discussed at meeting of local G & H Society

"Supplementing Cemetery Records and Tombstone Inscriptions with Legal and Other Records for Family Research and Public Use" will be discussed by Florence Hutchison at the Thursday, Feb. 25, meeting of the Jacksonville Area Genealogical and Historical Society.

The 7:30 p.m. meeting will be held at the Salvation Army, 331 W. Douglas. Doors will be open at 7 p.m., and

visitors are welcome.

At the Jan. 28 business meeting the nominating committee, com-posed of Barbara Henderson, Clara Wiese and Jack Thomas, chairman, presented the following slate of officers which was unanimously elected: Florence Hutchison, president; Janet Coble, vice president; Mary Frances Alkire, vice president; Virginia Gordon, secretary; Lucille V. Crawford, financial secretary; Marshall Robinson, treasurer.

Directors elected were Earl L. Jones of Jacksonville, Janice Fox of Virginia and Myra Martin of Waverly.

New members for January include Mr. and Mrs. Milton A. Powell, 768 W. Railroad, Jacksonville 62650 (Powell, Boston); Mr. and Mrs. Larry M. Rolfe, 86 Stone Mountain Drive, Conroe, Texas 77302 (Lohr/Loar, Filson, True); Cynthia Vogel, 5615 Alameda Ave., Richmond, CA 94804 (Rush, McDow); Mary Waack, 3715 Sternberg Ave., Schofield, WI 54476 (Baker, Sprout, McKenzie).

Journal Courier, Sunday, February 21, 1988

inquiries for information on early residents of the Jacksonville area continue to be received. Louise C. Holubec of 4706 Willow, Bellaire. TX 77401, is researching George Styans, born 1816 in England, and married Christiana Riggs Feb. 11. 1841, in Morgan County. He died July 17, 1847, and is buried in Kincaid Cemetery in Scott County. His wife died Jan. 10, 1885, in Lynnville. He had three children, Mary Ann, William and Hannah.

Guy Kinnison, 2008 Main St., Lexington, MO 64067, is looking for Wilmer W. Dickerson, who lived around Concord. He served in the 27th Illinois volunteers, 1861-64.

Linda Young Nebring, 1154 Prigge, St. Louis, MO 63138, wonders who were heirs of Solomon Patterson, Revolutionary War veteran, who moved to Scott County and lived with his daughter, Mrs. McCracken, and died in 1840, His wife was Mary Melick. Was there a daughter, Mary Melvina, born in

Mrs. James R. Saunders, 108 Brown Cove Road, Windham, ME 04062, is searching for relatives of John C. and Martha D. Cownover/ Conover in the 1830 Cass County census.

Pagel: CHURCHES THAT HAVE BEEN A PART OF SANDY CREEK BAPTIST ASSOCIATION.

The dates, according to Annual Minutes) reflect their affiliation with Sandy Creek Baptist Association. - equals "to present date"

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| Apple Creek, near Jacksonville 1883-84 Antioch | Good Hope |
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| Bethel (Adams County 1867-70 Beth-el (House of God) Baptist Church, Jacksonville 1981- | Mt. Zion, Macoupin County, south-
west of Scottville 1858-1952
Mauvaisterre, between Chapin and |
| Bethel (Mason County, north of | Riggston, on Mauvaisterre Creek1877-1917 |
| Chandlerville 1924-27 | Meredosia 1941- |
| Bloomfield 1921- | Milton, Pike County, now part of |
| Bluffs, located in Bluffs 1912-17 | Bay Creek Association 1873-82 |
| Bluffs 1939- | Montezuma, little river town |
| Brushy, Greene County, southwest | south of Florence 1881-94 |
| of Carrollton 1901-17 | Murrayville 1914- |
| Calvary, Hardin 1964-66 | New Hope, Greenfield area 1861-85 |
| Calvary, Northeast Jacksonville 1963- | New Hope, Menard County, north of |
| Calvary, White Hall 1945- | Petersburg, now in Capital City |
| Carrollton Ridge, southwest of | Association 1946-56 New Hope, Morgan County, in vil- |
| Nebo. It later became a part | lage of Centerville 1919- |
| of Bay Creek Association, since | New Testament, Meredosia 1959-70 |
| disbanded 1914-50 Central, Jacksonville 1945-58 | Oak Dale, north or Roodhouse 1900-34 |
| Chandlerville 1913- | and 1944-57 |
| Chapin 1958–59 | Oakland, southeast of Roodhouse 1860 to |
| Charity 1960- | 1972 |
| Cooperstown, east of Mt. Ster- | Oak Grove 1885-1936, 1941- |
| ling about 10 miles 1921-74 | Pacific Union 1864-66 |
| Cross Roads, 3 miles north of | Old Bethel, southeast of Green |
| Versailles, Brown County 1875-88 | field 1862-1979 |
| East Union 1885- | Panther Creek, northeast of |
| Emmanuel 1950- | Scottville 1889-1963 |
| Fairbanks, south of Hillview on | Pearl 1926-1935 |
| the Fairbanks Ranch 1925-34 | Pegram, Greene County 1900-1905 |
| Faith, Beardstown 1957457 | Pleasant Dale, southwest of |
| Faith, Carrollton 1958- | Hillview 1866-1937, 1944-1957 |
| Faith, Winchester 1985- | Pleasant Hill 1878 ? |
| Fayette, now a part of Macoupin | Pleasant Hill 1887-pres |
| Association 1862-63 | Pleasant Point, north of |
| Fellowship, Virginia 1962-64 | Greenfield 1858-1904 |
| Forest Oak | Pleasant Valley 1869-1875 |
| Franklin 1915- | Providence 1878-pres Richland in Cooperstown area 1910-22 |
| Friendship 1956- | Richland, in Cooperstown area 1910-22 Richwoods |
| Glasgow 1895–1915, 1977– | KICHWOOGS 1003-Pies |
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| ROCKBRIDGE (formerly Sheffield) 1876-1973 |
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| ROCK SPRINGS (no information) 1883-1887 |
| RUSHVILLE £962-pres |
| SALEM (no information) 1874-1880 |
| SANDRIDGE 1913-pres |
| SANDY CREEK (nr Jacksonville). 1858-1870 |
| SANDY CREEK 1916-77, 1983-pres |
| SANDY UNION (no information) . 1888-1890 |
| SCOTTVILLE, FBC (no ") . 1884-1889 |
| SHERMAN (no information) 1878-1883 |
| STRAUT (Pike County .1902-17. 1921-1955 |
| TABERNACLE 1909-pres |
| UNION (Adams Co. no. info) 1871-1874 |
| UNION (Brown Co. no info) 1876-1890 |
| UNION (Pike Co. no info) 1866-1870 |
| UNION (Scott Co. no info) 1867-1870 |
| UNION CHAPEL (no info) 18 -1890 |
| UNION GROVE "Possom Trot" on |
| Greene-Morgan county line 1879-1958 |
| [Our Society has these records] |
| UPPER SANDRIDGE (Hoskins) 5 miles |
| Northwest of Hillview 1915-36 1942-67 |
| VERSAILLES, FBC (no info) 1955-pres |
| VIRGINIA 1915-22 . 1935-pres |
| WALKERVILLE 1886-pres |
| WALNUT GROVE (no info) 1867-70 |
| WEST UNION (Brown Co. no info . 1882-99 |
| WEST UNION (Scott Co. west of |
| Murrayville 1887-1972 |
| WEST UNION (Hancock Co. no info |
| 1891-1900,1904-1911 |
| WILLMINGTON 1859-pres |
| WOODSON 1985 PIES |
| WRIGHTSVILLE, FBC in Wrights, 1882-89 |
| WRIGHIBVIELD, 120 III HE STORY |
| Greene Co., now in Macoupin Assn. |

REMINISCENCES

History is not merely what is found on the printed pages of our Annual Minutes. It is the lives of men and women who have been faithful to their calling. We are enriched as we see them as people like us. Only as we do that can we get the "feel" of our history and be inspired by it.

YOUNGBLOOD (Nortonville) . . . 1913-pres

The booklet from which this record of early Baptist Churches came is "SANDY CREEK ROOTS -- A BRIEF HISTORY OF THE CHURCHES OF THE SANDY CREEK BAPTIST ASSOCIATION IN WEST CENTRAL ILLINOIS", compiled by Miss Lucille Dawdy and Rev. Milton Powell, Historical Committee, 1986, 8½x5½ inches, 230 pages.

This booklet was published by the Sandy Creek Baptist Association, P.O. Box 38, Murrayville IL 62668. Copies are available, by mail, for a donation of \$5.00.

It has some interesting history of early preaching days, along with the list of the churches as given here. There are many pictures of various churches, and histories of many of them.

"On the 4th Saturday in August, 1863, a group of faithful came together for the purpose of organizing a church. Eight people present signed the Covenant, and the church was named New Hope Church. William P. Hart was pastor, and Josephus Deatherage was clerk." This on-going church is now pastored by Rev. Milton Powell.

"On January 4, 1865 Bro. Josephus Deatherage was excluded from the meetings for dancing."

The Church and nearby cemetery are frequently referred to now as "Old Muddy".

"In 1918 Ed Curry was our pastor, and we had a wonderful basket dinner at Robert Reed's grove. Our insurance was taken out at a cost of \$13 per year. (My how things have changed from 1918!)"

"The history of Baptists in West Central Illinois is long and blessed of the Lord. The first record is the founding of Providence Baptist Church in 1820 -- 166 years ago."

"We are what we are because of those who have gone before us. To understand ourselves, we must know those who paved the way. We are blessed as we discover our heritage. Oh, that we could know it all!" This book touches merely "the tip of the iceberg!"

"The minutes of one church states:
"Bro. Don set a time to catch the woodpecker." To what does it refer?" He
must have been pecking a hole in their
roof!

The Meredosia Baptists finally moved the old Methodist McKendree Chapel church, located about 7 miles east, to the center of Meredosia.

Does anyone know where we can find the old McKendree Chapel records for our Society? Page 1: IMPORTANT TID-BITS FROM HERE AND THERE:

The Railroad Retirement Board is located at 844 Rush St., Chicago IL 60611. If your ancestor had a social security number of 700 to 728, he worked for the railroad at some time, probably between 1937-1943. The R.R. Retirement Pension was set up at the same time as Social Security, and railroaders received their own SS numerical prefix. The RR Pension Records are probably available from the address given above. From: Gleanings, the Lee County Gen. Soc. of Iowa, April 1988.

From the same newsletter: "Adult adoptees, parents who gave up children for adoption, and siblings who are trying to find their biological relatives have a new publication that may help. "People Searching News" is a bi-monthly newsletter that includes articles of importance including legislative updates, etc. For sample copy send \$2.50. to J. E. Carlson and Assoc., Publisher, P.O. Box 22611, Fort Lauderdale FIA 33335.

FEBRUARY 17, 1988

Jacksonville Area Genealogical & Historical Society News

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"The world is round so that friendship may encircle it".

The Sharp Family Association will hold its annual reunion on Aug. 8-9 beginning at 9 a.m. each day at the American Legion Hall on Ramey Street in Carlinville. Descendants of George and Catherine Sharp and connecting families who lived in Morgan, Macoupin, Montgomery, Christian and surrounding counties are invited. For more information, write Sharpe Family Association, c/o Edith Poole, 10000 Grammercy Drive, Oklahoma City, Okla. 73139.

Inquiries for information on early residents of the Jacksonville Area continue to be received. Louise C. Holubec of 4706 Willow, Bellaire, TX 77401, is researching George Styans born 1816 in England, married Christiana Riggs 11 Feb. 1841 in Morgan Co., Ill., died 17 July 1847, buried in Kincaid Cemetery, Scott Co., Ill. Christiana died 10 Jan. 1885 in Lynnville, Ill. Children: Mary Ann, William and Hannah.

Guy Kinnison, 2008 Main St., Lexington, MO 64067, is looking for Wilmer W. Dickerson who lived around Concord, Ill. Wilmer served in the 27th Illinois Volunteers, 1861-64.

Linda Young Nebring, 1154 Prigge, St. Louis, MO 63138, wonders who were heirs of Solomon Patterson, Rev. War veteran, moved to Scott Co., Ill., lived with daughter, Mrs. Mc-Cracken, died in 1840. Wife was Mary Melick. Was there a daughter, Mary Melvina, born 1812?

Mrs. James R. Saunders, 108 Brown Cove Rd., Windham, ME 04062, is searching for relatives of John C. and Martha D. Cownover/Conover,, in 1830 Cass Co. census.

Conestoga Wagon 1800s

Our Society wants to do a program on the Orphan Train that went across country from east to west letting some of the children off at various stations to be adopted.

The "Vital Records of Immanuel Lutheran Church", Route 1, Box 52, Arenzville IL 62611 is \$5.00, or \$6.50 if mailed.

The "Cemetery Directory of Immanuel" costs \$2.00, or \$2.50 if mailed. Surnames listed are Boehs, Buescher, Burlage, Fricke, Helmkamp, Hoffmeier, Knippenberg, Korsmeyer, Kuhlman, Lovekamp, Maschmeier, Moeller, Roegge, Schnake, Staake, Streuter, Tegeder, Tholen, Weber, Wellenkamp and Westerfeldt.

Contact Roberta Staake, 217:584-1469, or Leona Lovekamp 217:584-1195 by phone, if desired. * * * * * * * * * * *

A cemetery isn't just a bunch of stones that have been set aside. They are tangible reminders that these people were here, they did walk among us and played a significant part in our lives in the community which we now call home. We as genealogists should find ways to help others take a more active interest in their care, and appreciation for the past events.

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We end with this inspirational poem by Helen Steiner Rice:

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