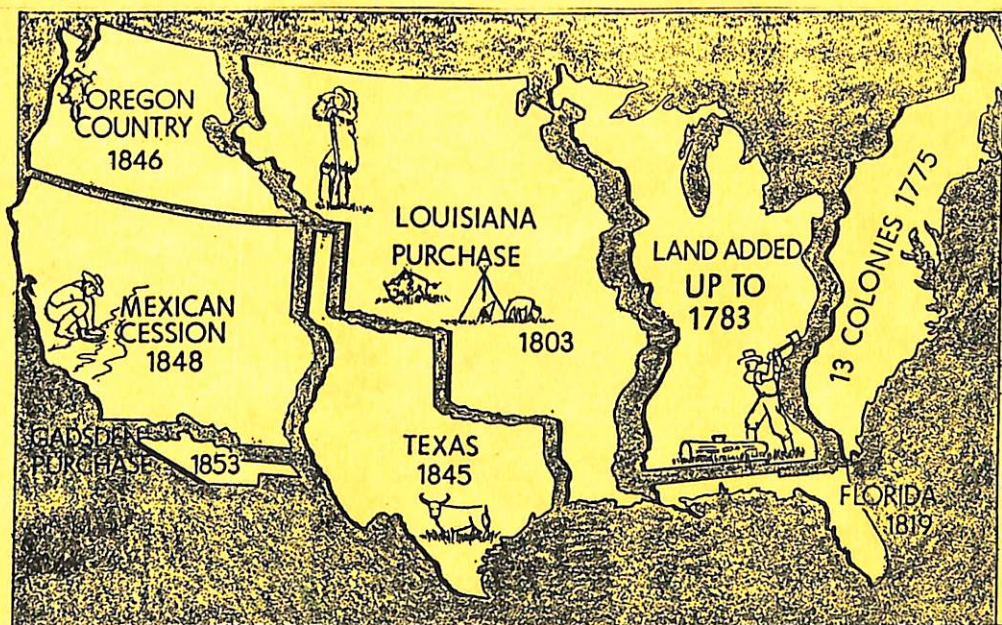


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The Map Story Of Our Country--how it grew as frontiers moved westward, ocean to ocean.

Cemetery work planned in Franklin

BY NANCY LONG

Franklin Correspondent

Restoration of monuments and stones in the old section of Franklin Cemetery will begin in June.

Ravaged by vandals and weather, many monuments will need resetting and foundations rebuilt. Cost of the restoration of damaged stones will be high and the cemetery board is making an appeal for assistance from people with ancestors buried in the old section, as well as those interested in the project.

Contributions should be made to the Franklin Bank or be given to any member of the board. Checks should be made to the Franklin Cemetery Restoration Fund. All money received will be used solely for restoring the damaged stones in the old section.

Current board members are Leroy Sweet, president; Nancy Wood, secretary-treasurer; William Rees Sr., John Roach, Wayne Rolston and Harvey Smith.

On Oct. 18, 1831, John W. Burch and his wife, Peggy, conveyed a piece of land, 23 rods by 13 rods, between the old burying ground on the west and Reinbach Street on the east to the trustees of Franklin Methodist Church.

A log cabin first stood on this ground, and about 1840, a brick church was built near the south side of the lot. This church was destroyed in 1860 by a storm, with the members then erecting a church on the north side of

Franklin Village Park where the new church now stands.

On Aug. 18, 1908, the Franklin Cemetery Association was incorporated under the general cemetery act of Illinois.

Lewis Roberts, president; M.B. Keplinger, secretary-treasurer; J.P. Woods, John Votsmier, A.J. Tranbarger and Fred Burch were elected the first trustees and officers.

This first board secured title to the old cemetery and purchased an additional 5.129 acres from Alexander Van Winkle, J.M. Hart and W.J. Wyatt. The entire cemetery was surveyed and platted by John L. Smetters under the supervision of Charles W. Brown, civil engineer from Jacksonville. The cemetery was mowed free of charge to lot owners once a year in the month of May. Any lot owner could have this lot mowed during the rest of the year for \$2.

Perpetual care was provided by the association for any lot owner who invested \$100, with the income from the investment used for that purpose.

Today, the cemetery is mowed each month, from April through September. Cost of perpetual care has tripled. Several lot owners continue to pay yearly for grave maintenance. Income from perpetual care, grave opening fees, sale of grave spaces and donations from caring people keep the association solvent, but expenses above normal operation of the cemetery must now come from other sources.

12 Journal Courier, Jacksonville, Ill., Sunday, May 24, 1987

Cemetery problems to be discussed at G&H meeting

A discussion of gravediggers and other problems of cemeteries, a continuation of the April discussion, will be the topic of the Thursday, May 28, meeting of the Jacksonville Area Genealogical and Historical Society. The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. at the Northminster Presbyterian Church at the corner of West Court and Fayette streets.

New members continue to join. Their names and the surnames they are researching include: Sandra "Sue" Collins, 8532 N. Kedvale, Skokie, IL 60076 (Collins, Lyle, Decker, Hamilton); Maurice Canaday, 407 N. Warren, Bunker Hill, IL 62014 (Fernandes, Vaughn, Canaday); Alice Christen, 2020 Plum, Jacksonville, IL 62650 (Christen, Awalt, Bimore, Hutchison, Mau, Shepherd, Shelton).

Warren Deatherage, R.R. 5, Box 339, Pittsburg, KS 66762 (Deatherage, Criswell, White); Mrs. Herbert Elkington, 133 N. E. 52nd, Seattle, WA 98105 (Wilson, Rutherford, Murray); Robert O. Fay, 4303 Oxford

Way, Norman, OK 73072; Lena E. Fite, 9 Southvale Drive, Jacksonville, IL 62650 (McLamar/McNamara, Edward, Hettick).

Joyce Lee Fitzgerald, 3416 W. 55th St., Chicago, IL 60632 (Angelo, Bush, Beck, Dodson, Farmer, Caulk, Puryear/Pruyear); Pamela Gaines, Box 35, Concord, IL 62631 (Gaines, Hill, Stout, DeGroot, Deaton, Flynn); Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hettick, 1432 W. Lafayette, Jacksonville, IL 62650 (Hettick, Powell, Roach); Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Klamfoth, 647 Smoke Tree, LaVerne, CA 91750 (Gehrman, Klamfoth).

David L. Herbert, 3933 Shelter Grove Drive, Claremont, CA 91711, is doing research on his ancestor John M. Letton who lived in Jacksonville in 1859-60.

June I. Wilson, 2309 W. Overland, Scottsbluff, NE 69361, is searching for the death date and burial place of Thomas Murphy, who was born in 1872 and was said to be the Jacksonville postmaster at some time.

Visitors are welcome to attend the society meetings.

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Learn from yesterday--live for today--hope for a better tomorrow.

PLEASE--send us your changes of address as soon as possible so that we can correct our records before mailing vital genealogical materials or quarterlies to you.

PLEASE--carefully write your address on the membership sheets. We have to waste a lot of postage for returned mail because even a mis-spelled street address will be the excuse for the postoffice to return it. Especially is this true of the street and town names in the west such as Arizona, New Mexico, California and Hawaii, which are Spanish in origin.

PLEASE--make use of our yellow membership sheets. They are the means to keeping our many bookkeeping duties straight, not for just the current year, but for reference in years of the past when we want to recall some person's correspondence.

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Our sincere thanks to those few members who responded with a donation to our Library Fund. We will appreciate a continuance of donations from those genealogical researchers who can help us to expand our library space and services.

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Dear *Geneal* Members and Friends: Did you know that every person now living under the United States 50-star flag was born 200 years ago on May 25, 1787?

That day and the succeeding days to September 17, 1787 were the most important days of your early life! It makes no difference as to the origin of your ancestors in reference to race, color, creed, religion, wealthy land owner, indentured servant, slave, office holder, judge, farmer, or any other occupation. It makes no difference whether your ancestors were born in our United States, or came more recently to our country. All of these are quite dependent on the deliberations that transpired between the delegates of 12 states from May 25, 1787 to the finalization of a constitution on September 17, 1787. As Ben Franklin is quoted, "We have set up a Republic . . ." There was a question as to whether it would rise or fall.

But 200 years later it is a thriving republic filled with our collective ancestors from all parts of our earthly globe. Had it not been for this drafting of our Constitution you may never have realized personhood on this planet. For it was your ancestors, and mine, who flocked to a country where freedom of various natures was supposed to be secured. It was a marriage meeting ground for men and women who would otherwise never have met!

Too many of these rainbowed family members have not realized it was their responsibility also to help this Republic, with its many and ever-growing problems, to keep it a haven of freedom's refuge for their descendants. After 200 years it still depends upon our citizens as to whether this Republic shall rise or fall in the ages yet to come. Let's not let Ben Franklin and George Washington down in this respect!

As a result of that birthday 200 years ago, we set up an organization in 1972 to assist interested persons to search for their ancestral ties. In these 15 years of society-hood we have been quite successful, as it appears from the records. Of our 99 charter members, we still have 47. Our membership is probably over the 650 mark we have been quoting, now, but the figure of 40 states and Canada still holds. In this June quarterly we have listed, in our Fourth Directory of Membership for 1986-1987, 40 new members, many of whom have ordered some of our back issues of the quarterly.

Libraries are beginning to want our first issues 1972-1978, which are now out-of-print, for permanent binding of all our issues to date.

Some of our past members have donated their quarterlies to local libraries, or friends or relatives who became interested in family researching in west central Illinois. One of our local members has donated her back issues to us so that we could fulfill the request of the St. Louis Library.

Every issue of our quarterlies has been filled with information not ordinarily available to the public, since much of the research came from remote storaged books, and unknown or unidentified cemeteries, etc. Therefore, when you have finished with them, will you please loan or donate them to some person or library who can, or will, make good use of them -- we hope.

Our own library is quickly expanding to its "upper rooms", in order to make more room for more currently used records in our small library room on the first floor at the corner of Morgan and Fayette. Mrs. Mary Frances Alkire is librarian volunteer. We wish to publicly thank those of our members who have made contributions to our "Library Fund", as having to pay \$150.00 per month, now instead of \$50.00, is going to present financial problems in our future. Our dues are too low, we know. But we feel it is important to maintain a rate to benefit those among us who are on low budgets, and to attract new members who say "but I already belong to a lot of societies".

They are persuaded then to join at the lower price in order to have their name, address and surnames being researched sent out in our monthly news items to about 7 newspapers in the area, and to have their names published in our quarterly's Directory of Membership. All new members who want to know who all are searching in our area should purchase our 1986 quarterlies @ \$10.00 per set, if they haven't already done so. Happy 200th birth anniversary to all of you. Love, your Editor,

By Florence Hutchison, a vexillological lecturer on "The History of the Flags of the United States, and The Truth About Flagmaker Betsy Ross."

This historical article on the evolutionary procedures of statehood is written for the benefit of genealogical researchers so that they may better understand the progressions of their ancestors' migrations to new lands secured by treaty, and opened up to new settlers as they spread from East to West, from the Atlantic to the Pacific Ocean.

The map and flag illustrations were taken from The Flag of the United States: Its History and Symbolism by James A. Moss, Colonel, United States Army (Retired), published by The United States Flag Association, Washington D.C., second edition 1933, pages 6-12.

Col. Moss, a West Point graduate, veteran of three wars, and a noted military author was "Originator and President General of The United States Flag Association". His DEDICATION p. vii is as follows:

Since boyhood a soldier and having fought on the battlefields of three wars in defense of my own, my native land, I salute our youth of today, "Old Glory's" greatest glory, in whose hands will be the American of tomorrow, and I dedicate to them this book in the earnest hope that it will give to those who may read it a finer understanding, a deeper appreciation, of American ideals and institutions symbolized by the Flag [of the United States] which will inspire them with a determination to do their bit to leave America a greater and better America than they found.

Washington D.C., February 12, 1930.

Colonel, U.S. Army (Retired)

It is in the numbers of stars in the flag of the United States that we can read the growth of our nation. As the nation grew in size by additional lands secured and given territorial then statehood rights, so have the stars in the flag increased in number, a star being added for each new State admitted into the Union.

Beginning as of a new flag law of April 18, 1818 Flaghood Day is the 4th of July following the Statehood Day, which can be a confusing factor to researchers. since the year-date is not always the same. The statehood day is usually referred to as "date of admission" to the United States legal governmental controls with state sovereignty. Flaghood day is when that state's star is officially added to the national flag with ceremonies in the new state capitol, in Washington D.C. and at Philadelphia, the site of the first national government, which always occurs the "Fourth of July following the date of admission."

At this point Mrs. Hutchison wants to clarify the common mistake of calling our national flag "The American Flag". There is no flag in our hemisphere entitled to that designation. There are about 38 national flags of equal importance in North and South America, including flags of several European nations flying over their territories and departments in our hemisphere.

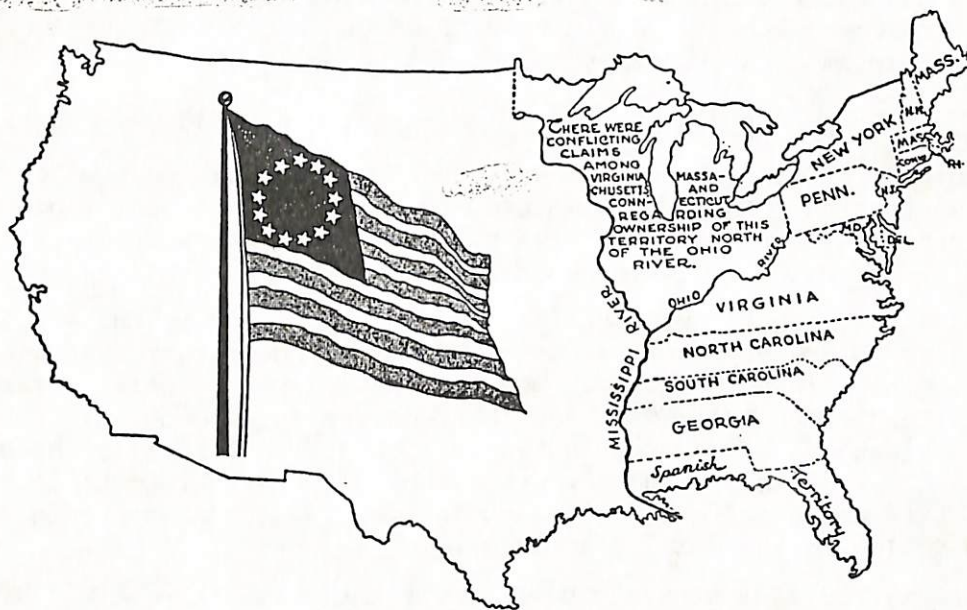
Our national flag should always be referred to as "the flag of the United States", or the United Statesian flag, which is just as proper as Canadian, Brazilian, or Cuban flag designations. Won't you, our readers, take this revelation to heart and remember to call our beautiful stars and stripes by its rightful title?

While the first stars and stripes evolved in the latter part of May, 1776, and was in production and usage by the signing of the Declaration of Independence, it was not officially on the records of Continental Congress until June 14, 1777, with this entry:

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1777 June 14. Saturday June 14 1777
- Resolved That the Flag of the ~~United States~~ ^{be 15 stripes}
by 13 stripes alternate red and white, that the
Union be 13 stars white in a blue field represent
ing a new confederation. —

The above is a facsimile of the original resolution passed by the Continental Congress, Saturday, June 14, 1777, adopting the Flag of the United States which had been in evidence for more than a year previously.. The handwriting is that of Charles Thomson, Secretary of the Congress since its institution in 1774. Please note that the designation is "the Flag of the United States."



Above is a map indicating the claims of the thirteen United States after the Treaty of Paris was signed September 3, 1783, when our independence from Great Britain was finally acknowledged. By the end of 1783 the last British soldiers had left the country.

The State of Vermont was admitted into the Union March 4, 1791, with Kentucky entering the Union June 1, 1792. While flags with the appropriate number of stars, 14 and then 15, were undoubtedly flown to celebrate, history has lost sight of these unrecorded events. The Representatives of these two States in Congress wanted their States to be recognized on the national flag, so on January 13, 1794, Congress enacted the following law:

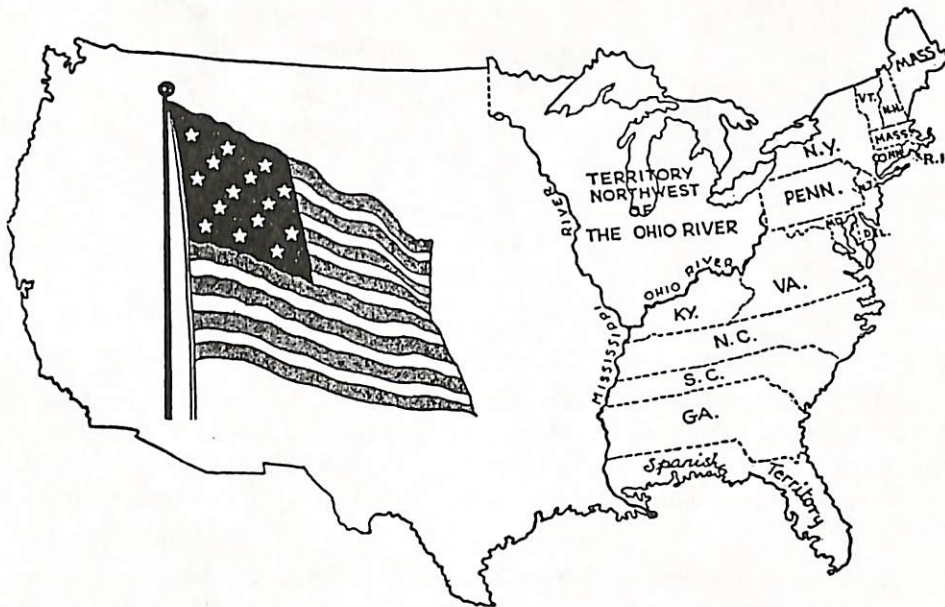
That from and after the first day of May, 1795, the Flag of the United States be fifteen stripes, alternate red and white; and that the union be fifteen stars, white, in a blue field.

The flag of fifteen stars and fifteen stripes was the national standard and ensign from 1795 to 1818, a total of twenty-three years. The valors of our ancestors in the War of 1812, who fought to preserve our nation, are well-known and will not be related here. "The Star Spangled Banner" written by Francis Scott Key the night of September 13-14, 1814 says it all:

*And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air
Gave proof through the night that our Flag was still there!*

May no legislation by Congress ever be carried into law to change our national anthem from this descriptive song about an event that indeed preserved us a nation!

THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES FROM 1795 TO 1818 (23 YEARS)



In some Flags the stars were staggered, which traditionally became the Navy ensign. The national standards usually were arranged with the stars in square formation, when possible. Each star, or stars, addition required the ingenuity of the head of State responsible for the new design as states were added.

From the passage of the Act January 13, 1794 increasing the number of stars in the Flag to fifteen, until 1817, the following five States were admitted into the Union: Tennessee--June 1, 1796; Ohio--March 1, 1803; Louisiana--April 30, 1812; Indiana--December 11, 1816, and Mississippi--December 10, 1817.

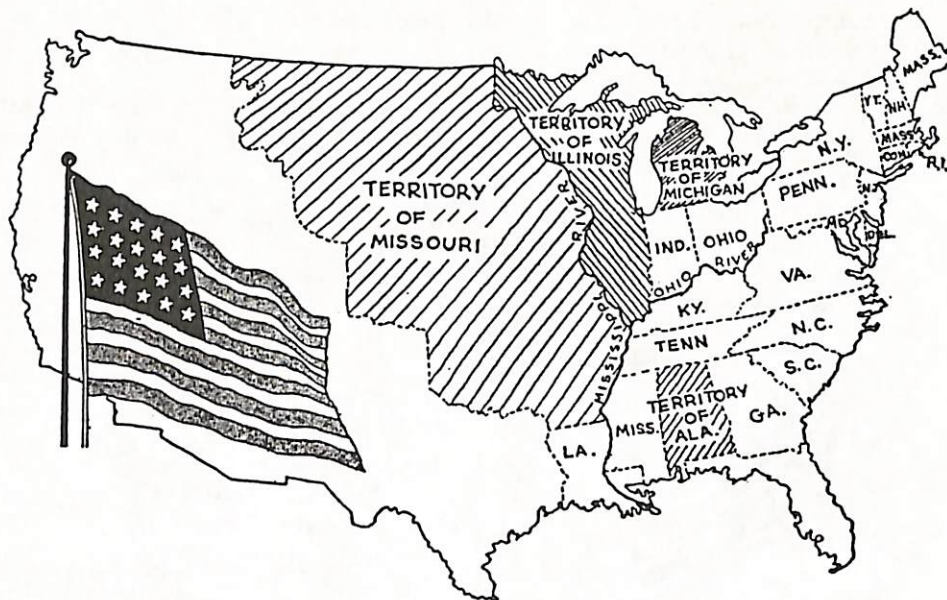
These dates of statehood are important to ancestor-hunters, as it gives them the dates when state records and some of the earliest county land, marriage and probate records were started. By locating early county maps, one can determine in which parent county to search for their earliest records.

In order to give the five new States representation in the Flag, Congress on April 4, 1818, enacted the following law:

SECTION 1. That from and after the fourth day of July next, the Flag of the United States be thirteen horizontal stripes, alternate red and white;

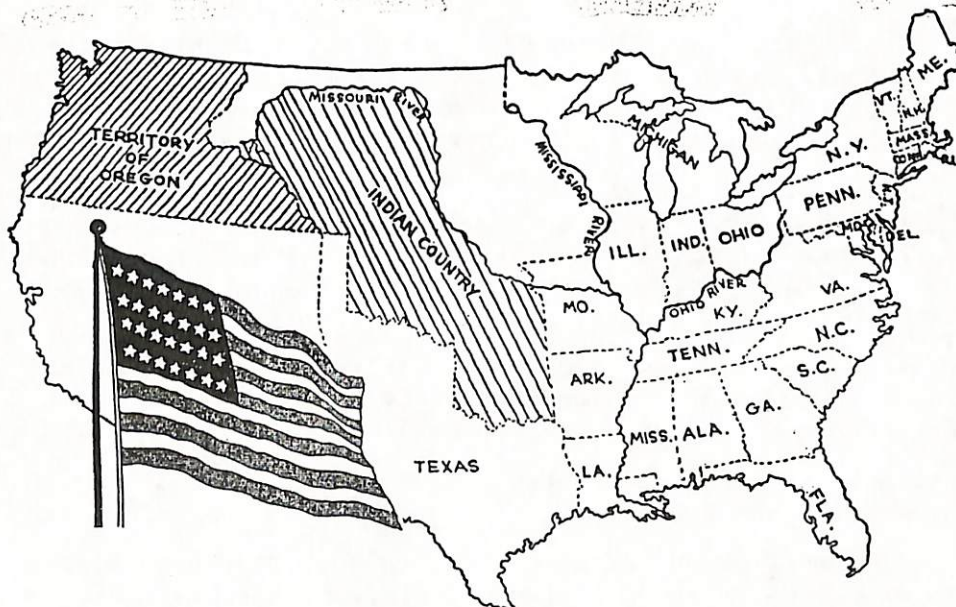
that the union have twenty stars, white in a blue field.

SECTION 2. That on the admission of every State into the Union, one star be added to the union of the Flag; and that such addition shall take effect on the Fourth of July next succeeding admission.



The above is a map of the United States in 1818, when the stars in the national flag were increased to twenty. Following those five states, were Illinois--December 3, 1818; Alabama--December 14, 1819; Maine--March 15, 1820; Missouri--August 10, 1821; Arkansas--June 15, 1836; Michigan--January 26, 1837; Florida--March 3, 1845 and Texas--December 29, 1845.

In 1846 war with Mexico followed a dispute over the Texas boundary, with terms of peace being negotiated two years later, in 1848. Our flag then had 28 stars.

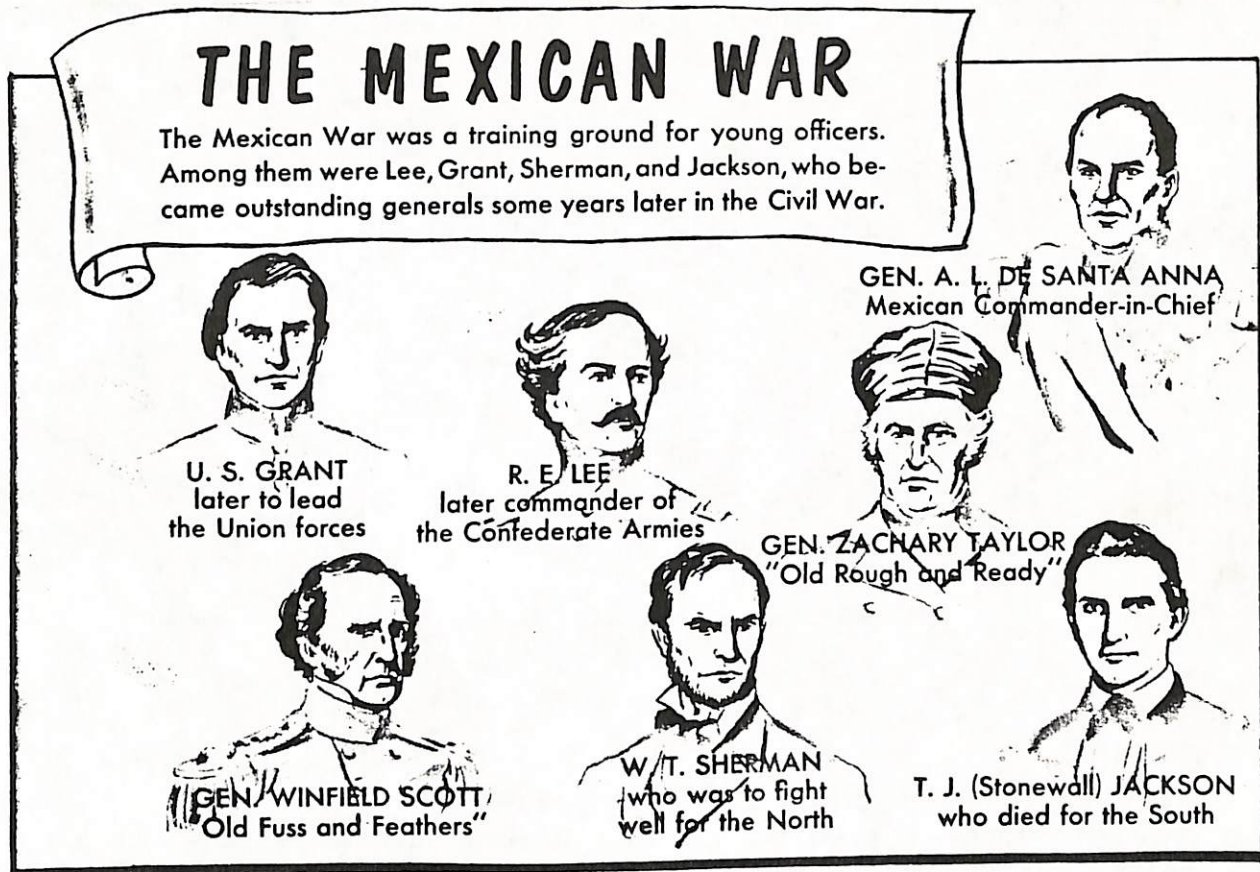


The above is a map of the United states at the beginning of the Mexican War.

By the time Nicholas Trist, appointed by President James K. Polk, met with representatives of Mexico to sign the treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo on February 2, 1848, another state had been added to the Union which was Iowa--December 28, 1846.

This poses an interesting flag question. What flag was representing the United States at the signing? Did it have 28, or 29 stars? According to law, however, it should have been 28 stars since the 29th star did not go on the flag officially until July 4, 1847.

All of the Mexican War references agree on one topic: besides winning the entire Southwest for the United States, the Mexican War was a training ground for many young officers who later won distinction in the upcoming Civil War.



This graphic illustration is from an old history textbook "The Making Of Our Nation" by Don Sharkey and others, published by William H. Sadler, Inc., Chicago, 1955.

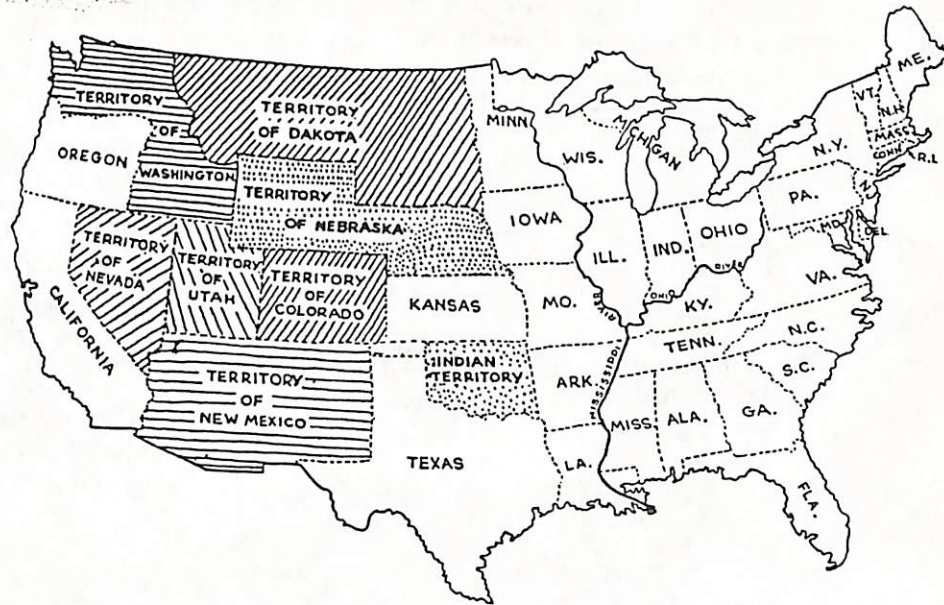
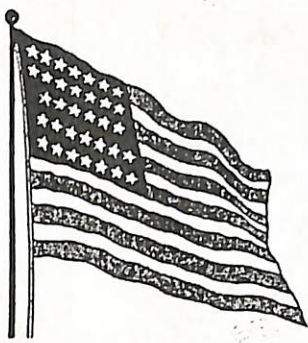
Your editor has a suggestion to make to family historians at this point. In compiling your family history, study the older history books for events that influenced what your ancestors did at any given period of time. The Goodwill Industries and many other establishments which gather and put up for sale these old books are good sources of illustrative historical materials with which to enhance your ancestral records and trails across the country. Library book sales are another source of from which to secure old history books at a cheap price.

Before the beginning of the Civil War five more states were added to the Union. They were Wisconsin--May 29, 1848; California--September 9, 1850; Minnesota--May 11 1858; Oregon--February 14, 1859, and Kansas January 29, 1861. Our historian whose book has provided the map and flag pictures said: "... when the Civil War started

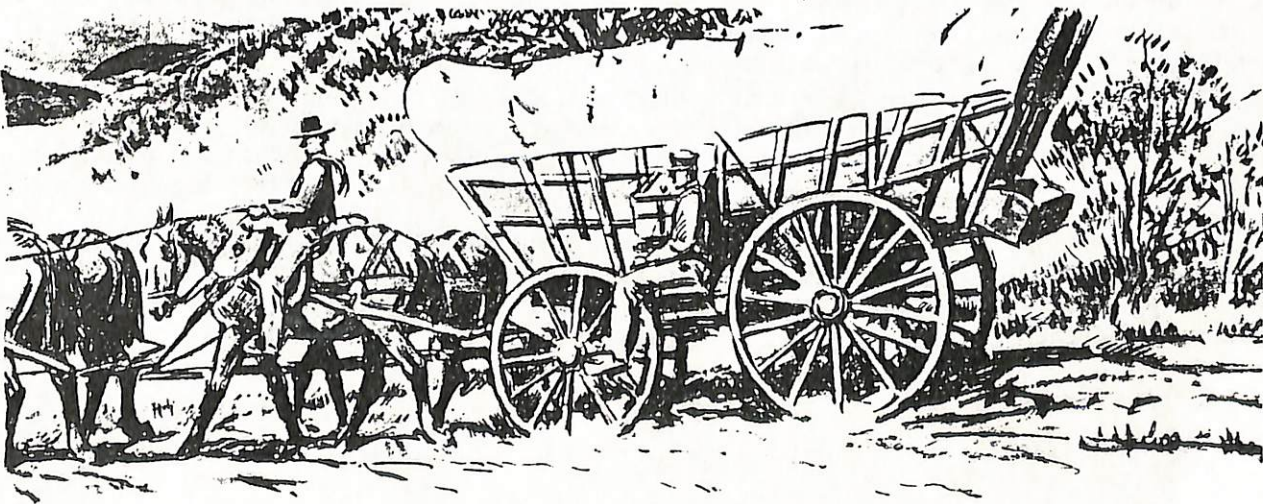


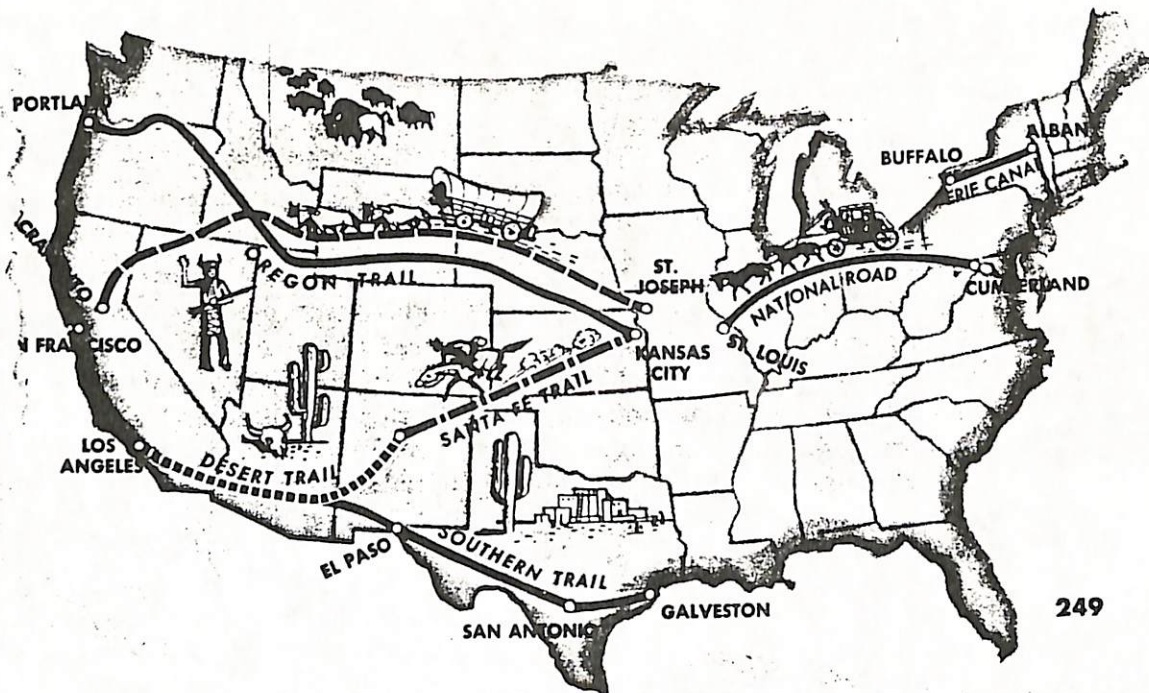
the stars in the Flag numbered thirty-four" This is not an accurate statement, because the 34th star for Kansas was not officially added to the union until July 4, 1861. Fort Sumter was fired upon and surrendered by Major Anderson on April 14, 1861.

Because of the scarcity of materials and official flags no doubt many of the Union's officers continued carrying the flag of 33 stars in to battle with them for the first few years of the war, or until they were shot down or captured by the opposing side.



The smaller map indicates the various cessions, annexations and territory gained for the United States prior to the Civil War. The larger map indicates how these acquisitions were divided in to new states and territories, and how wars and governmental laws affected the land that became settled by our ancestors. There were many trails established to the West by the ever on-going wagon trains.





This map from page 249 of Don Sharkey's school history book indicates how the trails wound their way "over hill and dale", many of them having been established during the gold rush years beginning in 1849.

During the Civil War two more states were added to the Union. West Virginia--June 20, 1863, and Nevada--October 31, 1864. General Robert E. Lee surrendered at Appomattox April 9, 1865, three months before the 36th star was added to our national flag on July 4, 1865. Therefore the flag displayed by the United States at the surrender had 35 stars in its union.

From the end of the Civil War to the outbreak of war with Spain April 9, 1898, nine more States were admitted into the Union. This indicates a tremendous increase in population and travels of our ancestors during this period of time. However, family historians now have the advantage of being able to read the census records which started in 1850 whereby they can locate their chosen family along with name of wife, children, their ages and state of birth.

A word of caution is given here pertaining to the 1850 census. If a person were aged 5 or more years, and the state is given as IA, that means Indiana, not Iowa since Iowa did not become a state until December 28, 1846. Also in reading the "sometimes poor" handwriting on the original census microfilm, Penn and Tenn can be mis-read by the transcribers and typists.

From the Civil War to the Spanish-American War eight more states were admitted to the Union, with the number of stars increasing by the same number. Nebraska--March 1, 1867 and Colorado--August 1, 1876 were the first two. But Colorado's 38th star was not added until all the 100th anniversary of the United States was over, because the 38th star became official July 4, 1877.

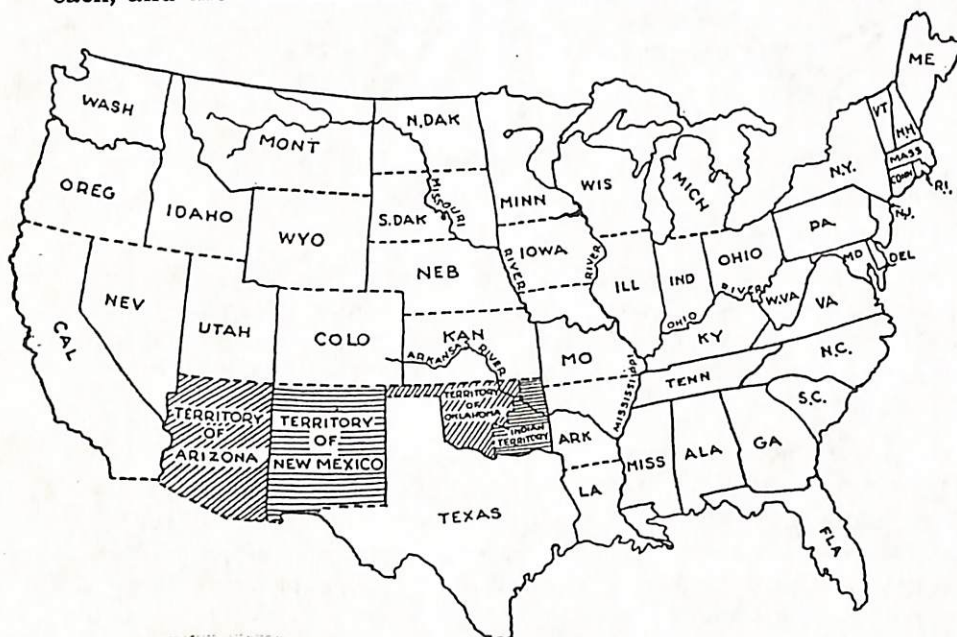
North Dakota--November 2, 1889 and Montana--November 8, 1889 were celebrated on July 4, 1890 by the 40-starred flag. No doubt each state capitol raised its own flag on that day. Has any history been written on this dual project? South Dakota also shared in the flag-raising since their statehood date was November 2, 1889.

Washington became a state on November 11, 1889, with Idaho joining July 3, 1890 in time to have five more stars added to the national flag on the same day--July 4, 1890, to become the 21st Flag of the United States with its 43 stars.

AT BEGINNING OF SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR



in six horizontal rows, the odd numbered rows having eight stars each, and the even-numbered rows seven stars each.



From the surrender of Lee at Appomattox, April 9, 1865, to the declaration of war against Spain in 1898, nine more States were admitted into the Union: Nebraska, Colorado, North Dakota, South Dakota, Montana, Washington, Idaho, Wyoming, and Utah, making the number of stars in the Flag forty-five, arranged

Before the Spanish-American War began states added were Wyoming--July 10, 1890 and Utah--January 4, 1896 to create the 45-star flag flying from the masts of the ships involved in that war.

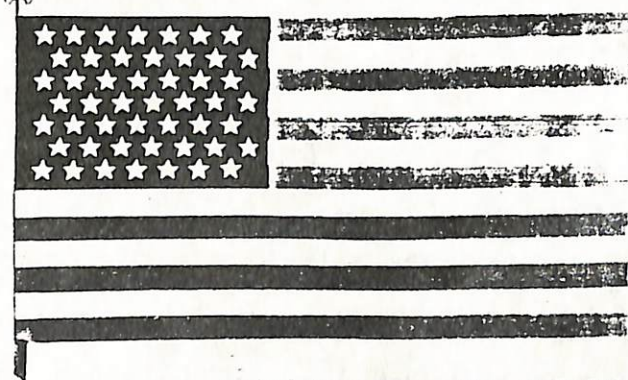
Should any of our genealogical researchers have had ancestors or collateral relatives in that war, then they can know what flag they proudly served under.

Oklahoma came in as the 46th state November 16, 1907, with New Mexico entering on January 6, 1912 followed by Arizona on February 14, of the same year to create the 48th star flag on July 4 1912. This flag served our nation and its military and naval forces for a total of 47 years.

The incoming of Alaska on January 3, 1959 created the 26th legal national flag of 49 stars on July 4, 1959.

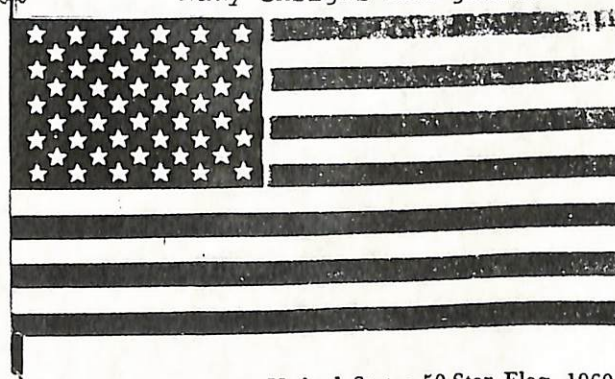
But this flag had a short history since Hawaii entered the union on August 21, 1959 and created the 50-star flag on July 4, 1960.

Thus our 50 United States have had 27 national flags. Navy ensigns and jacks.



United States 49-Star Flag. 1959-1960

These two similarly-designed flags are shown here so that flag-lookers may detect which is the 49-star flag, which the 50-star flag.



United States 50-Star Flag, 1960

This old Day Book probably can be further identified on page 430 by this entry:
"1869--Money collected by W. H. Leib" On page 431 by: "1869--Money collected by
J. H. Stewart."

The 1870 Census, Bethel Township, family 67/68 lists John H. Stewart, age 24,
Physician, wife Kate T., age 23 b. Ct.

William H. Leib, age 26, Physician, b. Il as was John H. Stewart.
For the purposes of our quarterly publication, we will list the names of the persons
who purchased medicine, had teeth extracted, or used services of these good rural
doctors in many other ways.

Should any reader want to procure a page for their records, please list page
desired. The book is in bad shape, and brittle because it is way over 100 years
old, but we believe that, for an anticipated donation for our copying service, that
we can supply wanted pages. These names indicate persons who lived in the area.

Pg. Name of Customer	Pg. Name of Customer	Pg. Name of Customer
1 William Brown (N.V.)	29. O. B. Hale, p. 126	55. Robert Williams
2 Thomas Vertrees	30. Peter Hyer	55. Malinda Tippet
3 Dennis Quigley	31. John Hite	56. John McCarty
3 Riley Berry	32. James Anderson	57. G. Y. Gardiner
4 John Lamb	33. Alex Anderson	58. Mantin Cox
4 Lewis Maddox	34. Abner Armstrong	58. Barber Sessions
5 John Weaver (Chapin)	35. John Bobbett	59. D. C. Callon
5 William Knowles	36. Thomas Brownlow	60. Robert Jones
6 Thomas Finch	37. Albert Duckett	60. Oliver Duckett
7 Elizabeth Fisher	38. John Evans	61. John Parks
7 Jason Johnson	also pp. 129,128	61. John Malone
8 William Ratliff	39. James Manary	62. George Henderson
9 Jefferson Mundle	39. John Fitzgerald	62. Patrick Dailey
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10 William Dickens	39. William Brewer	64. Johnathan Hobson
11 Thomas Jones	40. Ira Malott	65. Mrs. Lucy Welch
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12 Newton Antrobus	42. Thomas Nash	67. John W. Ethel
13 Charles Osgood	43. Allen Thompson	67. Thomas Whalen
14 Widow Maria Rogers	also p. 81	68. Mrs. Susan Wolf
also p. 100	44. A. J. Thompson	68. John Pasley
15 James Ash	45. William Newman	69. Ashton Watkins
15 Mrs. Maggie Right	also p. 117	69. Warren Wallace
16 William Anderson	46. Henry Pultz	70. John Webb
17 John Sargent	47. Richard Nolley	70. Lafayette Green
18 James Ganan	48. Samuel Poole	71. Widow Sizemore
19 Alfred Williams	49. Ezra Fox	72. Henry Cline
20 H. W. Swearinger	50. Thomas Sheath	72. Thomas Blair
21 Henry Swettart	50. Railroad Hand at	also page 83
22 Henry Overcutter	Chapin Hotel	73. Alertis Hale
22 John Nutt	50. H. Swearinger	74. Widow Sullins
23 James Moody	50. S.B. Wilder	75. Bates Sargent
24 Edward Hogan, N.V.(?)	50. Mrs Adam. Walker	75. Jacob Richards
25 Michael Mackey	51. Elijah Winters	The end of accounts was on
26 Berry Sargent	51. William Willard	December 27, 1869 with a visit
also pp. 87	51. Mrs Nellie Woods	to, or from Jacob Richards.
27 Solomon Potter (1 entry)	52. Charles Holiday	1870 to end of year pages 76-
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This old Exeter cemetery is just outside of the town about one-half mile northwest, in Section 23 Township 13 North, Range 15 West 3rd Principal Meridian.

This reading is a composite of one copied August 26, 1928 by Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. English, of Jacksonville, Illinois, and Mrs. and Mrs. Chester Funk in more recent years. Also incorporated is the information from the "Honor Roll of Scott County, Illinois" published by the Illinois Veterans Commission in 1956.

Should any person have knowledge of date changes, name discrepancies, or any other data, please write it down and send to Mrs. Florence Hutchison, 629 South Diamond, Jacksonville, Illinois who has produced this reading from the three references given above. If there is a difference in dates between the English and Funk tombstone readings, both are given.

Since there were stones read in 1928 no longer present in later readings, and since there were soldiers in the "Honor Roll" not on either reading, all of these names will be listed alphabetically at the end of the revised Funk reading which was evidently done by recording names as they came to them in the cemetery.

Name of Decedent	Birth	Death	ys	ms	ds	Information
COLLIER, J. N.	10 Apr 1859					
" Maggie R.	30 May 1857	14 Sep 1911				Wif/J. N. Collier
BEAN, Henry	1870	1958				
" Kate	2 Feb 1872	29 Aug 1913				Wif/Henry Bean
HART, Edna Elvira Bean	1896	1929				wif/Ercil Hart
BEAN, Ray L.	1 Sep 1893	1 May 1911				
TAYLOR, William N.	1878	1963				"father"
" Lula Bean	1883	1947				"mother" wif/Wm. N.
CLARK, William						
SIMPSON, Amanda	14 Feb 1858	25 Aug 1928				
HILDERBRAND, Joseph A.	1867	1945				
" Luella Chance	1873	1963				Wif/J.A.Hilderbrand
MADDEN, Andrew J.	1854	1917				
" Martha J.	1866	1926				Wif/A.J. Madden
LITTLE, Mary S.	1887	1925				
BRACKETT, Claud A.	1893	1936				
" Albert N.	1921	1928				
MERRIS, Evelyn Hilderbrand	1904	1926				
" Clarence E.	28 Oct 1894	10 Oct 1901				
" Earl J.	10 Jan 1901	10 Mar 1901				
*KREMS, Homer Samuel E.	20 June 1889	14 May 1956	W-1	Pvt	564 SVC Bn Engr	
" Fern D.	1893	1970				Wif/Homer S.Krems
" Wanda Mae	1912	1933				Dau/H.E.& Fern "
" Mary Denton	1865	1929				
HALPIN, Thomas	1862	1928				
" Katherine	1854	1937				
BRIDGES, John	26 Apr 1833	19 Aug 1899				
" Margaret	6 Jul 1833	15 Nov 1901				Wif/John Bridger
BUCHANAN, Clayton	1868	1954				
" Nellie M.	1874	1954				Wif/Clayton Buchanan
TAYLOR, Albert	6 Aug 1883	16 Mar 1906				
*" Jasper	1844	26 Feb 1926	Civ	Cpl	Co. F 33rd Ill Inf	
" Margaret	1850	1916				Wif/Jasper Taylor
ARMITAGE, Mary Etta	13 Jan 1874	20 June 1956				"Mother"
TAYLOR, Charles	1870	1938				
LITTLE, Chloe	18 Aug 1892	11 June 1910				Wif/G. Little
SIMPSON, Wyatt	1869	1948				

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SIMPSON, Henry K.	29 Nov 1898	11 Sep 1909		
" Isabelle	1874	1947		
ARMITAGE, Walker	1869	1953		
" Stewart	1822	1947		
SIX, Edward L.	1870	1944		
" Judith Armitate	1877	1915		Wi/Edward L. Six
" Jack F.	1922	1971		
MORRIS, John A.	1873	1960		
" Helen G.	1971	1942		Wi/John Morris
*FRY, Jonas		20 May 1923	Civ Pvt Co I 49 KY Inf	
WHIPPLE, Charles G.	1863	1938		
" Louise D.	1879	1968		Wi/Chas. Whipple
SIX, Manuel	1855	1941		
" Harriet L.	1859	1952		Wi/Manuel Six
SULLINS, James W.	1856	1919		
" Eva	1868	1941		Wi/Jas. W. Sullins
BEAVERS, Logan	1866	19		
" Mamie	1866	1930		Wi/Logan Beavers
" Earl	29 May 1907	10 Oct 1907		So/L. & M. "
RATIGAN, Harry	1866	1956		
" Anna M.	1844	1922		Wi/Harry Ratigan
" Martine		13 Sep 1906	23y11m29d	
*CLARK, Oscar		26 Dec 1921	Civ Pvt/Corp Co F 61 Ill Inf	
" Sarah D.	1858	1938		
*BROWN, Albert Edward	1 Oct 1918	30 Dec 1965	Korea BSM Sgt 549 Engr Base SVC	
GILLIS, Ellen	1871	1931	"Mother"	
BROWN, Thomas W.	7 Mar 18	11 Aug 1939		
" Daisy Lawson	25 Jan 1887	— — —		Wi/Thos. W. Brown
KUND, Gustav	1861	— — —		
" Rosalie	1863	1939		Wi/Gustav Kund
ANTHONY, Bert F.	1876	1957		
SCHOLZ, Walter A.	1890	1960		
" Yetta	1897	19		
*HYLER, Normal		27 Dec 1928	W-1 Pvt Co. E 139 Inf 35 Div	
RANKINS, William D.	1857	1929		
*LAWSON, Everett	14 Apr 1897	19 Aug/Sep 1946	W-1 Pvt Co. G 138 Inf 35 Div	
" John H.	1857	192 ?		
" Melissa M.	1863	1929		Wi/John H. Lawson
MORRIS, Charles F.	1860	1930		
" Fannie S.	1863	1937		Wi/Chas. Morris
" Clarence	1896	1913		
*BERRY, Patrick	13 Oct 1831	9 Oct 1913	Civ Pvt Co B 27 Ill Inf	
" Anne	20 Nov 1838	27 Dec 1900		Wi/Pat. Berry
" Terrence		1 Mar 1873	3y10m	Son/P. & A. "
" Julia	26 June 1867	25 Jul 1908		
" Mary A.	1859	1926		
*" J. Roy	1887	22 Apr 1935	W-1 Pvt Med. Dept 54 TransCorp	
" Marie C.	1897	19		
" Ma	1874	13 Oct 1969		
BUCHANAN, Thomas	1858	1936		
" Virginia	1865	1960		Wi/Thos. Buchanan
" Mary B.	11 Feb 1842	23 Feb 1932		
*DeBush/DeBusk, Hardie Benjamin		21 Jul 1943	W-1 Pvt Co C 331 Ill Inf	

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HAMILTON, Jessie DeBush	1902	1959		
WHITLOCK, Brintha B.	10 Dec 1867	14 Mar 1900		Wi/Luke Whitlock
" Leatha	6 Dec 1895	25 Dec 1895		Da/L. & B.B. "
MORRIS, John W.	2 Mar 1831	18 Feb 1902		
" Mary J.	6 Oct 1837	19 Sep 1902		Wi/John W. Morris
" Rufus	10 Apr 1864	17 Aug 1885	21y4m7d	So/J.W. & M.J. "
" Clara		15 Oct 1877	15y7m7d	Da/" " " "
" Katie		30 Nov 1877	1y6m29d	Da/" " " "
" Edwin	1873	1911		
" Martha E.	1868	1958		Wi/Edwin Morris
ENGLISH, Tommy		19 Apr 1874	13ys	
WHITLOCK, Abel	21 Oct 1826	6 Nov 1892		
" Eliza	14 Dec 1833			Wi/Abel Whitlock
" Alice	3 Feb 1852	21 Oct 1874		Da/A. & E. "
" Mary L.	6 June 1857	31 Jul 1877		Da/" " " "
" Orville	28 Jan 1871	19 Sep 1874		So/" " " "
MICHAEL/Micheal, Margaret		18 Sep 1859	36y7m29d	Wi/John Michael
" " Cordelia		12 Sep 1859	3y	da/J. & M. "
*PITMAN, Santafee		14/15 Dec 1863	24y Civ Pvt Co K 14 Ill Inf	
*JACKSON, Andrew W.			Civ Pvt Co K 14 Ill Inf	
*COMBS, M. L.	Mar 1831	5 Feb 1873	Civ Pvt Co F & K 14 Ill Inf	
		11 May 1861	enlisted Co K " " "	
		7 Dec 1863	veteran Co F " " "	
		30 May 1865	mustered out	
COMBS, Sarah	26 Oct 1853	Nov 1876		Da/M.L. & J. Combs
" Ellen		27 Jul 1856	38H10m24d	Wi/A.J. "
LONG, Infant. Son	18 May 1872	6 June 1872		So/Andrew & Ada
DUTCH, Lillie M.		17 Feb 1878	3ys	Da/L.H. & A. Dutch
SMITH, Josephine	22 Nov 1893	18 Dec 1969		
ORCHARD, David D.	1886	1953		
*FULLER, Oscar B.	26 Jul 1839	5 Jan 1930	Civ Pvt Co I 49 KY Inf	
" Mary	1 Dec 1844	14 Apr 1923		Wi/O.B. Fuller
ROBERTS, Elizabeth		22 Dec 1839	33y6m	
CLARK, Alpha	20 Jul 1818	29 June 1884		Wi/Wm. Clark
" Ida	14 Nov 1849	18 June 1882		Da/Wm. & A. Clark
MORONEY, Margaret Allen		28 Jul 1890	58y	Wi/M. Moroney
McCANN, Phillip		9 Dec 1866	34y	
BURBANK, Daniel		27 Oct 1882		
DUNN, Henry	1834	1912		
" Cindie	1841	1922		Wi/Henry Dunn
" William				
COMBS, Mary	age 52ys 11ms 10ds	31 Jan 1857/1867		Wi/M. Combs
*MURRAY, Patrick (not on IVC list)			Civ Pvt Co. D 14 Ill Inf	
ASH, Ellen		1 Mar 1860	26y6m14d	Wi/James Ash
SWIFT, Sarah Campbell		1834	24ys	1st Wi/Nathan W. Swift
McDANIEL, John	1860	1932		
BURBANK, Lucy		17 Apr 1855	21ds	Da/S. & M. Burbank
" Louisa		7 Jul 1864	1m17d	
" Joseph		16 Nov 1856	25y7m6d	
MURRELL, Sarah		17 Feb 1879	44ys	
GAMBLE, Eliza Finney	1832	1919		
POLLOCK, Robert	23 Mar 1823	5 Sep 1890		"Father"
" Miriam	16 Feb 1835	24 Dec 1907	"Mother"	Wi/Robt. Pollock

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BOLLES, M. W.		10 Oct 1896	30y7m6s	
" H. D.		1 Dec 1854	49ys	
VORTMAN, Mary A.		13 Dec 1869	1y27ds	Da/D.& M.Vortman
PEIRCE, Stephen		6 Sep 1847	56y2m19d	b. Vermont
FINNEY, Willie		24 Jan 1870	8y10m11d	So/W.S.&E.B.Finney
*HULET, Joseph				Civ Sgt Co F 129 Ill Inf
" Agnes	19 May 1820	16 Mar 1883	(Funk reading)	
	19 May 1830	16 Mar 1893	(English reading 1928)	
HERMEN, _____		3 Feb 1864	38?y3ds	
*BLOYD, Emerson		2 Aug 1915	Civ Pvt Co I 129 Ill Inf	
" Nora		15 Oct 1868	1y2m16ds	
" Deborah	1809	1897	"A Noble Woman"	
*" Elijah		31 Aug 1914	Civ Pvt Co. K 14 Ill Inf	
*" Alfred L.	1836	7 Apr 1914	Civ Pvt Co. I 129 Ill Inf	
" Margaret	1836	19	Wi/Alfred Bloyd	
"	3 Jul 1865	3 Feb 1891	Da/A.& M.	"
" Nellie	21 Dec 1874	31 Mar 1895	Da/"	" "
*FINNEY, William S.		9 Jan 1863	29ys Civ Cpl Co I 129 Regt	
		"died at Fountain Head Tenn."	Ill Inf	
MILLS, Charles M.		3 Sep 1853	10m25ds	So/J.& J.Mills
BEAVERS, William I.	11 Apr 1820	6 Jan 1865		
" Julia Ann	17 Jan 1821	4 Aug 1868		
COMBS, Edwin				So/L.P.&S.P.Combs
SIX, Laura McLaughlin	1873	1954		
McLAUGHLIN, R. T.	24 Dec 1840	19	(living 1928)	
" Mary P.	27 Nov 1837	24 Oct 1910		Wi/R.T.McLaughlin
" B. F.	1841	1932		
ABBOTT, Willie G.		31 May 1870		So/D.G.&M.E.
McCLURE, John A.		6 Aug 1873	38ys	
" Catherine		23 Sep 1908	76y2m2ds	Wi/J.A.McClure
BRACKETT, Infant				So/R.T.&A.Brackett
*" John H.	2 Apr 1825	15 Feb 1890	Mex Pvt Co H 1 Regt	
" John		4 June 1877	24y6m19d	So/J.H.&C. "
" Viosa E.	29 May 1863	22 Jul 1883	20y1m23ds	
" Nicholas		9 Mar 1863	2y2m7d	So/J.H.&C. "
" Johnnie		18 Aug 1881	1y7m16ds	So/D.&S. "
WHITLOCK, Thomas	1869	1941		
" Nellie	1875	1951		Wi/Thos.Whitlock
JONES, Thomas L.	1 Oct 1888	18 Jan 1895		
SAPPINGTON, Charlie		24 Mar 1873	1day	So/E.&J.M.
" Eva		20 Feb 1872	5ms2ds	Da/" " "
ARNOLD, C. Francis		18 Feb 1872	16days	So/F.S.&B.A.Arnold
*" Francis Suddeth	(IVC)	10 Mar 1912	Civ Pvt Co F 129 Ill Inf	
	(Funk reading)	1838	1913	Civ Pvt Co D " " "
ARNOLD, Maggie E.	1841		(Living 1928)	
HODNADEL, Mary F.	1846	1917		
BURCKHOLTER, Ada B. Morris	10 May 1858	17 Jul 1895		Wi/G.W.Burckholter
GILLILAND, _____				Lot, no markers
BELL, Etta	20 June 1881	16 Apr 1895?		(English reading 1928 is 1905)
*BELL, John (Jno)				Cil Pvt Co. I 28 Ill Inf,
				and Co. K 10 Ill Cav
BELL, Elizabeth	25 Dec 1833	6 Feb 1902		Wi/Jno Bell
LAUGHARY, Hattie	1892	1932		
" Grover	1891	19		

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BEAVERS, Jasper	10 Dec 1829	23 Apr 1886		b. Roan Co. TN
" Eliza	1835	1920		
" Henry C.	13 Jul 1859	20 Jan 1887		So/J. & F. Beavers
" Francis M.	4 Nov 1861	21 Apr 1887		So/" " " "
GORMAN, Mary		15 Jun 1886	25y3m12d	Da/James & Margaret
" Kate		7 Apr 1888	19y3m2d	Da/" " " "
LYONS, Thomas H.		30 Mar 1845	14y6m	
" Daniel W.		27 Dec 1854	18y24ds	
" Hannah		3 Nov 1862	56y1m12d	Wi/Benjamin Lyon
GORMAN, James		12 Aug 1890	66ys	
" Maggie		27 Feb 1850	29ys	Da/J. & M. Gorman
" Mary		15 Jan 1883	3ms12ds	Da/" " " "
" Margaret		1 Mar 1900	76ys	Da/" " " "
" Michael		11 Aug 1890	37ys	So/" " " "
" William	1862	1889		
" James	1858	1927		
COLLEPS, William B.		19 Feb 1850	2ms17ds	So/W. & J. Colleps
WOOD, Willard W.	9 Jun 1811	2 Feb 1882		
" Elizabeth A.	6 Jun 1827	23 Jan 1901		
" Mary D.		6 Feb 1876	15y5m4d	Da/W.W. & E.A. Wood
" Henry C.	1856	1926		
TUNGATE, John H.			2y8m1lds	So/J.H. & Mae Tungate
ROBERTSON, Mary		22 Apr 1867	39ys	Wi/S. Robertson
DUNHAM, Isabela	15 May 1845	30 Sep 1883		Wi/E.M. Dunham
*" Ephriam M.		1884	Civ Pvt Co F 129 Ill Inf	
" Martha/Matilda?		21 Oct 1869	67y	Wi/A. Dunham
" Amanda	20 Aug 1841	30 May 1873		Wi/F.M. Dunham
" M. Lee	7 Aug 1873	16 Jan 1891		
*" Francis M.	1840	24 Jul 1911	Civ Pvt Co F 129 Ill Inf	
" Elzada	1856	1943		Wi/F.M. Dunham
HASKELL, Fritz	1874	1970		Brother to Dovey Haskell
" Dovie	1876	1977		Sister to Fritz "
" Anna E.	1884	1940		Wi/Fritz Haskell
" Daniel Mills	1924	1926		So/F. & A.E. "
*" Daniel W.	1840	23 Nov 1912	Civ Sgt Co K 14 Ill Inf	
" Ella M.	1843	1912		Wi/Dan.W. Haskell
" Benjamin		21 Apr 1852	52y11m12ds	
" Sarah	26 Sep 1801	18 Mar 1883	81y5m22d	Wi/Benjamin "
" Bede M.		19 Sep 1844	1y9m2lds	Da/B. & S. "
" Infant	28 Dec 1841			So/B. & S. "
Mills, Daniel W.	1848	1918		
" Ellen Funk	1855	1917		Wi/Daniel Mills
" Clifford F.	1886	1955		
" Lily V.	1887	1943		Wi/Cliff. F. Mills
*" James		1835	1812	Drummer, Churchhill's --
" Alfred D.		19 May 1896	87y11m8d	Regt. NY Mil
*" James G.		6 Dec 1862	25y9m13d	Civ Pvt Co L
	(died at Michelsville TN			Ill Inf
MILLS, Bedy		6 Feb 1894	86y10ms9ds	
" Eliza Ann		4 Sep 1850	19y6ms24ds	
*BROWN, Henry P.	21 Nov 1884	25 Feb 1947	PI Mus 45 Co Coast Art Corps	
SNOWDEN, Malinda I.		6 Sep 1851	19ys	
DRAPER, Rhoda A.		21 Oct 1861	62ys	

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*LOW, Aquilla, Jr.		1837	1812 2 Mtd	East TN Vols
BECKMAN, James A.	1881	1968		
" Tressie	1886	1955		
" Clarence	1904	1912		So/J.E. & D.E.
" Libbie		2 Aug 1860		Da/" " "
" William	1859	1903		
" Mary	1861			Wi/Wm. Beckman
*FUNK, Nimrod	10 Jul 1856	28 Jan 1916	S Pvt Co. A	154 Ill Inf
" Rhoda B. Mills	25 Oct 1845	24 Nov 1906		Wi/Nimrod Funk
" Carl A.	6 Dec 1874	17 Mar 1916		
" Lola M.	1 Mar 1876	2 Dec 1969		Wi/Carl A. Funk
*MAINS, James M.		25 Aug 1919	Civ Pvt Co H	133 IND Inf
" Samuel V.		9 Feb 1888	34ys10ms	
GUNDIFF, Samuel		20 Dec 1872	24ys	
FOSTER, Daniel		6 Jul 1867	52ys	
RATIGAN, Minnie		9 Sep 1865	2ys6ms	
CARTER, Julia A. Otis	10 May 1836	15 Jul 1911		Wi/Cyrus C. Carter
" Cyrus C.	12 Aug 1824	10 Apr 1911		
" Curtis C.		1868		1947
" Cora		1881		1964
" Jesse B.		1869		1948
ALDERSON, George				No dates on stone
PERSON, Mariah		17 Feb 1853	5ys7ms	Da/R. & E. Person
PALMER, William E.		11 Feb 1853	9ms	So/G.H. & E.F. Palmer
LILES, Mary V.		14 Nov 1856	9ms	Da/J.W. & H.M. Liles
REYNOLDS, Frederick		6 Oct 1867		So/H.J. & K.R. Reynolds
ALDERSON, Henrietta		7 Mar 1855	3ys	Da/J. & M.A. Alderson
COVINGTON, James B.		14 Oct 1839	48ys	
" Hannah		7 Aug 1873	75y	Wi/Jas. B. Covington
*" James W.			Civ Cpl Co K	14 Ill Inf
TUTTLE, Alexander		10 Oct 1864	1yr	
MAINS, Susan		25 Jan 1902	67ys	Da/James Main
ECKERT, Susanna		31 Oct 1871	24ys	Wi/F.M. Eckert
FLEMING, Celia M.		1 Nov 1881	62y6ml2d	Wi/Thos. Fleming
" Thomas		8 May 1888	74y2ml5ds	
" William		18 Sep 1854	64y3ml8ds	
" Sarah		5 Oct 1858	66ys4ms	
McKIRMAN, John		18 Feb 1875	85ys	
LEVIS, M.	1843	1921		
*MARSH, Capt. Waldo		6 Apr 1864	43ys2ms13ds	"To The Memory Of"
Civil War, Captain of the River Boat				"Bell of Peoria". IVC date:15 Aug 1864
" Joseph H.		29 Apr 1854	34ys11ms12ds	
" Josiah		26 Apr 1855	25ys	
" Ed				(all but name gone in 1928)
" Samuel W.	27 Jul 1836		45ys3ms9ds	
" Mary		24 Aug 1845	57ys2ms23ds	Wi/Sam. W. Marsh
*BURBANK, Jesse W.	27 Aug 1818	17 Feb 1904	Civ Cpl Co K	14 Ill Inf
" Julia	7 Apr 1831	2 Jul 1908		Wi/Jesse Burbank
" Nancy Jane		10 Sep 1845	22ys10ms	Wi/" "
" Eliza Ann		22 Oct 1851	19y8mld	Wi/" "
LIONS, David				So/B. & H. Lions
" Thomas			14ys	So/B. & H. "
LYON, Hannah		3 Nov 1862		Wi/Benj. Lyon

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MARDEN, James		8 Aug 1843	64ys	
" Rachel B.		18 Oct 1853	70ys4m22d	Wi/James Marden
CARTER, Julia Emma	22 Aug 1887	13 Dec 1888		
" Bessie	13 May 1885	29 Dec 1886		
BERRY, Valentine	14 Feb 1834	7 Nov 1889		
" Margaret A.	17 Aug 1847	21 Feb 1918		Wi/Valentine Berry
*" Charles	1832	1881/1887	Civ Pvt Co B 27 Ill Inf	
" Catherine	1845	1907		Wi/Chas. Berry
" Theresa	1888	1909		Da/C. & C. "
*HULET, Joseph			Civ Sgt Co F 129 Ill Inf	
" Agnes	19 May 1820	16 Mar 1883		Wi/Joseph Hulet
SCHONE/SHONE, Lucy E.		14 Aug 1846	63ys3ms4ds	Wi/Deadrick Schone
" J. Deadrich		4 Apr 1866	60ys	
HILDERBRAND, Joseph A., Sr.	25 Jul 1825	4 Oct 1897		
" Caroline	19 Oct 1842	22 June 1913		Wi/Jos. Hilderbrand
" Magelene				Da/J. & C. "
" Fannie				Da/" " " "
" Frank				So/" " " "
BUCHANAN, Jeremiah	13 Sep 1832	8 Oct 1889		
*" J. M.		9 Apr 1863	29y8d26m	Pvt Co F 129 Il Vols
*" Jeremiah		4 Aug 1832	32ys	War 1812
" Jeremiah		24 Jul 1861	11ys2ms	So/J.M. & I.A.
" Mary E.				Da/" " " "
" Elizabeth		2 Jul 1870	67ys	Wi/J.
" George W.				So/J. & E. Buchanan
BURBANK, Daniel		27 Oct 1832	62ys7ms2lds	
" Margaret		14 Jul 1826		Wi/Daniel
DUNN, William	1868	1949		
" Henry	1834	1912		"Father"
" Ciendie	1841	1922		
JONES, Caleb				
" Robert	1825	1881		
" Louisa	1833	1910		Wi/Robert Jones
LONG, Andrew, M.D.	1828	1877		
" Ada	1838	1921		Wi/Andrew Long
BROWN, Catherine		25 Dec 1857	42ys2ds	Wi/L.D. Brown
" Robert L.	25 Jul 1880	29 Jun 1946		
" Margaret A.	5 Aug 1881	31 Jul 1924		Wi/Robert "
ORCHARD, S. O.	1860	1940		
" Annie	1 Mar 1861	22 June 1927		Wi/S.O. Orchard
FAWGETT, Dick		27 Apr 1853	10ys	So/N. & M. Fawgett
EDWARDS, Sarah		2 May 1853	6ys3ms	Da/J. & G. Edwards
" Jacob		3 Jan 1859	73ys	
STEWART, Clarinda B.	29 Dec 1812	16 Jul 1887		
MOSHER, Carlos				So/S. & E. Mosher
" Infant Daughter				Da/" " " "
McLAUGHLIN, Rebecca	1858	1931		
COLLISON, Susan		1 Oct 1855	18ys4ms22ds	Wi/J.N. Collison
DUNSMORE, Lucinda		26 Jan 1852	28ys7ms	Wi/H.V. Dunsmore
HITE, Nichlous		27 Sep 1872	32ys1d	
McCLOSKEY, Rosanna		26 Jan 1883	70ys	Wi/Pat. McClosky
*" Patrick		18 Jan 1889	72y	Pvt Co F 129 Ill Inf
NORTHROP, Harry	31 Mar 1896	4 Mar 1897		

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CRAFTON, Mattie Bell		25 Nov 1874	16y7ms	Da/David L. & M. Crafton
" Martha Morris		8 Aug 1876	43y7ms	Wi/David L. "
[David L. Crafton m. 2nd Mrs. Celia A. Wills 18 Mar 1877.]				
BUTLER, Levi W.	6 Mar 1851	3 Apr 1886	35yslmo	So/E.L. & W.A. Butler
MARSHALL, Margaret		27 Feb 1884	55yslms	Wi/J.H. Marshall
MCCORMICK, Dora		13 Jun 1881	10ysl3ms	Da/R.I. & L.E. McCormick
MILLER, Zora B.		1 Jun 1890	28ys8ms	Wi/Robt. S. Miller
BERNARD, Charles B.	11 Oct 1790	6 Apr 1847	57ys5ms25ds	
ARMITAGE, Elihu	18 Aug 1818	11 Sep 1901		
" Elizabeth	22 Aug 1820	26 Apr 1839		Wi/Elihu Armitage
" Kathleen Judith	5 Nov 1861	13 Mar 1930		
" Mary Ann		20 Aug 1865	1yr10ms	Da/J. & E.L. "
" Willie		26 Jun 1876	5ms22ds	So/L.D. & I. "
" Isaac N.	27 Jan 1854	1 Aug 1876		
" Albert	2 Jun 1856	23 Aug 1877		
" Willie		18 Oct 1853	1yr6ms	So/B. & E.L. "
" Walter	1869	1951		
JONES, Rachel		1 Sep 1848		
" Catherine			19ys6ms	
BERRY, George Edward	16 Sep 1894	17 Sep 1958	W-1 Cpl Co F 346 Inf	
" Edward	1857	1919		
" Mary	1864	1919		Wi/Edward Berry
MERRIMAN, Robert	1919	1921		So/Archie & Nina
RICHARDSON, Cecil	23 Aug 1886	20 Aug 1904		Da/L. & N.B. Richardson
KORTY, Ethel L.	29 Jan 1892	19		Wi/John G. Korty
" John G.	9 Jan 1891	18 Dec 1971		
RANFT, George				
" Donald				So/George Ranft
PEAK, Henry Scott	1843	1920		
" Ada Armitage	1845	1940		Wi/H.S. Peak
*" Luke T.	14 Nov 1898	20y10d	Co I 19 US Inf	
"Departed this life in Ponce, Porto Rico."				
MORRIS, Mary Kate	13 Apr 1854	16 Feb 1916		Da/J.F. & C. Morris
*" James F.	16 Aug 1832	13 Jan 1905	Civ Sgt Co F 129 Ill Inf	
" Caroline	19 Jul 1832	29 Aug 1904		Wi/Jas. F. Morris
" Alice		13 Feb 1886	19ysl0ms	Da/J.F. & C. "
" Infant Daughter		14 Feb 1885		Da/" " " "
MENSINGER, "Mollie" Mary Wood	1885	1967		
FRYE, Roger	1854	1964		
SIX, Charles M.	1878	1966		
" Cecil L.	1885	1965		Wi/Charles M. Six
LEIB, Estell F.	1893	19		
" Nellie	1891	13 Apr 1970		Wi/Estlell F. "
HUFKER, George W.	1855	1925		
" Anna L.	1860	1931		Sister/Geo.W. Hufker
" Dietrick	17 Sep 1826	13 Aug 1903		
" Margaret	14 Mar 1818	29 Dec 1916		Wi/Dietrick Hufker
" William	1852	1934		
" Mary	1851	1932		Wi/William "
VORTMAN, Lewis	1863	1940		
" Elva	1864	1929		Wi/Lewis Vortman
BALLARD, M. Kizzie	14 Oct 1901	15 Aug 1904		Da/E. & B. Ballard
*COLLISON, John H.		15 Jun 1901	Civ Pvt Cos F&K 129 Ill Inf	

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NORTHRUP, Herman F.	1857	1933		
" Emily A.	1857	1934		Wi/H.F.Northrup
" Della M.	1893	1945		Da/H.F.& E.A. "
SANDMAN, Diedrick W.	27 Aug 1858	20 Jan 1921		
" Bell Tendick	22 Jul 1858	25 Nov 1927		Wi/D.W.Sandman
" Dick E.	1894	1935		
LEIB, Richard E.	1923	1943		
MORRIS, William F.	1850			
" Matilda J.	1852	1928		Wi/WM.F.Morris
MADDEN, Edward L.	1892	1970		
" Matilda A. Jane		8 Mar 1919		Wi/Edw.L.Madden
ARMITAGE, Fred W.	1885	1971		
" Kate Bean	1887	1971		Wi/F.W.Armitage
BEAN, George W.	1844	1921		
" Carrie R.	1853	1936		
" Inf. Bonnie Nell	1853			Da/Talbert& Ada
McKAMY, Isabelle	1856	1939		
BARLOW, Andrew W.	1854			
" Nina	1864	1922		Wi/A.W.Barlow
VORTMAN, George	1834	1912		
" Mary	1837	1920		Wi/Geo.Vortman
RATIGAN, Charles		14 Sep 1882		Infant
JENKINS, T. "b.Breckentown, Southweals"		9 Oct 1865	63y	
PEARSON, George T.		26 Jul 1864	10ys	So/E.D.& A.Pearson
" Mary Ann "died of cholera"		5 Aug 1873	55yslml7ds	
McCUEN, Georgiana	9 Oct 1844	30 May 1880		Wi/James McCuen
ARMITAGE, Israel	27 Nov 1838	2 Oct 1905		
" Elmira J.	19 Jan 1843	25 Jan 1901		Wi/I.Armitage
*SWEENEY, W. H.		29 Mar 1862	Civ Pvt Co K 14 Ill Inf	
BROWN, Clinton		1 Sep 1878	15ys24ds	So/J.M.&E.W.Brown
FUNK, Keith M.	4 Sep 1916	16 Sep 1917	Twin	So/Chas.&Ruth Funk
" Kathryn M.	4 Sep 1916	5 Sep 1918	"	Da/" " " "
CLARK, Farrell	1898	19		
" Mary M.	1898	19		Wi/Farrell Clark
MEYERS, Valentine	1875	1957		
" Leone	1889	1950		Wi/V. Meyers
RATIGAN, George	1869	1938		
" Bridget	1872	1927		Wi/Geo.Ratigan
" Marten Lawrence	11 Mar 1900	5 June 1900		So/G.M.& H. "
" Frank	1873	1950		
" Lucy	1872	1948		Wi/Frank "
TEANEY, Henry	1850	1936		
MUSSAR, John	1882	1964		
FINNERN, Fredrick I.	1877	1964		
"	1876	1949		Wi/F.Finnern
*HUNTER, Lawrence E.	17 Jan 1913	4 Feb 1952	W-2 Pvt Co F 130 Inf	
" William F., Rev.	1878	1947		
" Ruby Jane	1886			Wi/Rev.W.F.Hunter
FUNK, Charles N.	1869	1953		
" Ruth	1877	1957		Wi/Chas.N. Funk
MORRIS, James I.	1882	1964		
" Frances	1891			

The following additions to the original readings by Mr. and Mrs. Chester Funk were made from the 1928 tombstone readings by Sara John English, and the "Honor Roll of Scott County, Illinois" listing of soldiers, published by the Illinois Veterans Commission (IVC), 1956. A star * indicates war veterans.

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*ARMITAGE, Felix		25 May 1865	Civ Pvt Co F 24 Ill Inf	
" Richard		19 Mar 1858	30y1mo	
*BEALL, Alexander D.	31 May 1795	25 Dec 1862	Blackhawk War, Major army	
			in Capt. Nathan Winter's Co 3 Ill	
" Sarah D.	22 Oct 1799	15 Apr 1889		
*BELL, Alex. W.			Blackhawk War, Capt in	
			I.C.Pough's Whitesides Brig 5 Regt	
*BELL, Jack			Civ Pvt Co B 27 Ill Inf	
*" Jesse	1812	Pvt Capt. James B. Moore's	Mtd Cav Ill Terr Troops	
*BERRY, Thomas	1812	Ensign " Hargraves	Mtd Vol Ill Terr Troops	
*CHANCE, William			Civ Pvt Co F 61 Ill Inf	
COLE, Ellen		27 Jul 1856	38y10m24d Wi/A.J.Cole	
CRUDDEN, Mary		9 Jul 1864	[stone broken 1928]	
DETERDING, Herman		3 Feb 1864	31ys3ds	
GRADY, Elizabeth	b. July	"looked like 1829	- rest of stone gone 1928"	
HOLDEN, Mary F.	1846	1917		
*MONDAY, James L.		9 Mar 1864	Civ Pvt Co H 129 Ill Inf	
*MORRIS, Clarence F.		2 Oct 1918	W-1 Pvt 4 Ord Sup Co.	
*" Daniel			Civ Pvt Confederate	
*OVERSTREET, Greenbury			Civ Pvt Co F 14 Ill Inf	
SMITH, Catherine		22 Sep 1863	63y9m24d Wi/S.S.Smith	
*STOVER, John			Civ Pvt Confederate	
TRIBET, Nathaniel G.	21 Sep 1838	4 Jan 1858	* * * * *	
UPTON, John		6 Jun 1851	38y1m9ds * Any additions or	
UNKNOWN SOLDIER (IVC)		30 Mar 1856	* corrections?	
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EXCERPTS FROM JUDGE HENDERSON'S HISTORY.

. . . The first grave in this part of the Sangamon country [Scott County], was that of Mrs. Spencer and her child. Spencer and Cornelius Brown made an improvement where the old tannery used to be, in the south part of the present site of Winchester, in the spring of 1821. During the same year Mrs. Spencer died in childbirth, and she and her baby were buried in the "old burying-ground" south of Winchester. The second grave was that of a man by the name of Lapham, who was called "Deacon." He was buried in the Gillham burying-ground.

The first school was taught in a little log cabin that stood just southeast of where Exeter now is. The school-ma'am was Miss Jennette Wheeler, who afterward married Phineas Bronson. They had no churches in those days, but meetings were held at the houses of the settlers. The preacher enjoyed but few privileges over the laymen. He had no pulpit, but was allowed to stand behind an old-fashioned split-bottomed chair, while his congregation sat on poles or rails.

The preachers, in those days, were mostly backwoodsmen, who had no manuscript sermons, with "Firstlies", "Secondlies", and "Thirdlies", but spoke as they used their rifle -- off-hand.

Gov. Reynolds related that in the southern part of this state the girls would go barefooted until they got near the meetings, and then put on their shoes and stockings, which they had carried with them in their hands to keep them from being soiled. They had no "seconds" to use otherwise.

#GB:1=page # in "Guardians' Bonds" book. b=birthdate; d=death date; nd=no date. This early GUARDIANS' BONDS record book was found stored in the attic of the Morgan County Courthouse. Florence Hutchison has abstracted some vital statistics of importance to our family history seekers, indexed its contents for easier reference, and is hereby publishing the results in this June quarterly. This is a revised reprint of the same information published in June 1978. Since those issues are out of print at the present time, most of our members do not have access to this important estate history. Florence has searched the courthouse archives in many places looking for the original Guardianship Case Files, and cannot find any prior to 1892.

Many of these guardianships involve their heirship to deceased relatives who lived in other counties, or states. Therefore, there are no estate files on these decedents in Morgan County IL. But since the county and state is usually given, family historians then have another area in which to search for their ancestors.

It was a delight to find many birthdays listed for some of the minor heirs. The page listing heirs etc. can be purchased from the Morgan County Circuit Court Clerk, Jacksonville IL 62650 @ \$1.00 per page.

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151	ADAMS, James, Randolph Co. MO		29	BEAUCHAMP, Samuel	no est. adm.
No	"Children of Joseph Adams"		No	" Margaret W.	n.d.
Est.	(not named)			Thomas Burrus, Gdn.	
Adm.	Samuel T. Mathews, Gdn.		87*	BENJAMIN, Charles	d.16 Jan 1855
91*	ALBIN, Nancy J.	d.14 Sep 1853		John, George, Elizabeth	
	Nancy Ellen Tippet	b. 4 Oct 1840		& Mary Benjamin	n.d.
	Wm. Lovel "	b. 2 Sep 1842		Thomas C. Dinwiddie, Gdn.	
	Sarah E. "	b.25 Dec 1844	147*	BIBB, Richard	d.14 Oct 1855
	Wm. Tippit, J.W.Ethel &		"	George R.	b.28 Junel842
	A.J.Bozarth, Gdns.		"	Henry	19 Oct 1845
63	ALVES, John & Mary	no est. admin.		David A. Smith, Gdn.	
No	" Antonio	age 16	82*	BODDY, Michael	d.17 Oct 1852
"	" John	" 13		Ann, Wm. Edward, Mary Jane,	
"	" Mary	" 11		Charles & Elizabeth	no dates
"	" David	" 8		Jane Boddy, Gdn.	
"	" Daniel	" 6	129*	BRENICK, Barney	d.28 Dec 1853
	John & Joaquin Vasconcellos, Gdns.			Minor heirs of Harmen Hemmy:	
157*	ANTLE, Michael	d. 8 Sep 1853		Henry Hemmy	b.15 Mar 1843
also	" Henry	b.13 Apr 1857		Mary "	12 Jan 1845
138	Minor heirs of Whitfield Conlee			William Post, Gdn.	
	Conlee, Anderson A.	b.15 Nov 1836		[an error on record: death was in	
"	Harrison	24 Aug 1838		1854.]	
"	Mary Jane	20 Oct 1840	74*	BROWN, James	d.24 Oct 1852
"	Roxy Ann	28 Aug 1847	"	Mary Elizabeth	b 7 Nov 1842
"	Thomas	24 Sep 1849	"	Zerilda	b.20 Dec 1845
"	Lu ?	30 Aug 1852		Lucinda Brown, Gdn.	
	Francis P. Antle, Gdn.		79*	BURNETT, James &	d. Sep 1847
128*	BEAUCHAMP, Richard	d. 8 Mar 1854*		Thurzy	d. 1 Dec 1847
	Turnham, George	b.19 Apr 1848		" Isham, Jr.	no date
	James Pointer, Gdn.			Martin S. Burnett, Gdn.	

Note: *asterisk indicates death date probably from estate administration files.

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47	BUTCHER, John, "Late of Pike Co.OH"	
No	" Joseph b. 9 Nov 1834	
	" Adam, Guardian	
50	CANNIN KY 1853	
No	" Adaliza, minor 16ys old	
	James Waddell, Gdn.	
	Philip Boulware, Bondsman	
105 *	CHALLENGE, John d. 7 Jul 1851	
	" Joseph H. b.20 Jul 1841	
	" Lucy A. 21 Aug 1845	
	" Mary J. Gdn.	
127 *	COBB, John C. d.27 Jul 1854	
	" Melinda Jane b.18 Sep 1845	
	" Jane H., Gdn	
19	COONEY, Archibald 1852	
	" Sophronia J. b. 5 Nov 1840	
	" Charles A. Jul 1843	
	" George W., Gdn.	
69	COOPER, (no decedent) 1854	
No	" William M. b. 7 May 1837	
	" Martha E. 28 Feb 1840	
	" Hester Ann 19 Mar 1843	
	" John D., father, Gdn.	
89 *	CRAIG, Hugh G. d. 7 Sep 1844	
	" John Rice b.11 Feb 1838	
	" Mary Emily 10 Jul 1841	
	" Martha Ann 21 Sep 1843	
	" Elizabeth A. Craig, mother &	
	" James Craig, Jr.	
13 *	CRAIG, John B. d. 3 Mar 1851	
	" Mary Jane B. b.29 Sep 1851	
	Eli Whilwhite, Gdn.	
	Sarah E. Craig, widow (pregnant)	
98 *	CROOKS, Robert 1855*	
	" William Henry b.30 May 1843	
	" James Robert 3 Nov 1844	
	" George W. 10 Oct 1846	
	" Harriet Bell 16 Aug 1849	
	Matthew Stacy, Gdn.	
8	CURTIS, Laura 1851	
No	" Laura b.12 Oct 1844	
	" Augustine A., Gdn.	

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121*	DEATON, James, Sr. d.23 Apr 1854	
	Martha Bridgeman b.10 Mar 1851	
	Eliza " 14 Apr 1853	
	Hezekiah Bridgeman, Gdn.	
122*	DEATON, James (grfa)	
	" Elizabeth b.13 Nov 1837	
	" Abraham B. 22 Nov 1839	
	" James 3 May 1842	
	" Thomas 3 May 1842	
	John J. Goodpasture, Gdn.	
60	DICKERSON, John 1854	
No	" Wilmer W. b. n.d.	
	" Columbia Ann "	
	" Elizabeth, Gdn.	
26	DINWIDDIE, David &	
	Elizabeth	
No	" Eleanor b. n.d.	
	" David, Gdn.	
7	DINWIDDIE, Robert C. d.Chicot Co. ARK	
No	" Caroline age 7 in 1851	
	" Robert C. " 5	
	" Elizabeth J. " 2	
	David A. Smith, Gdn.	
23*	DODD, James, Sr.	
	Nancy Luttrell b.24 Oct 1837	
	James Dodd, Gdn.	
61	EDMONDSON, Joseph 1854	
No	" Wilbur F. b. n.d.	
	" Eliza Minerva "	
	William H. Mitchell, Gdn.	
43	ENNIS, Rebecca C(?) 1853	
No	" Mariah Elizabeth 6 Mar 1848	
	" Henry M., Gdn.	
12	FANNING, Joseph (prob. Greene Co IL	
No	" George William b.16 May 1840	
	" Delila Jane 19 Jul 1843	
	" Samuel Moses 9 Feb 1846	
	Theophilus Sheppard, Gdn.	
	"Not Executio - but Letters of Guardian-	
	ship issued by the Greene County Court."	
54	FANNING, Joseph D.	
No	" George W. b. n.d.	
	" Samuel "	
	" Henry, Guardian	

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44* FILEY, George W.	1845	146 HAISLEY, Mary Jane	
" William 14 yrs of age		also " Charles Edward b.13 Jan 1851	
" Benjamin F. b. n.d.		158 " Sarah Jane 21 Nov 1852	
" Francis M., about 10 yrs		No " Mary Elizabeth 1 Apr 1855	
John McConnel, Gdn.		" John, Father & Gdn.	
20 FISHER, Mrs. Martha		153 HAMILTON, Wells N.	
No Martha Ann Richardson, minor child		Terrehaute, Vigo Co. Ind.	
of Mrs. M. Fisher b. 7 Jan 1845		No " Eli B. b.11 May 1844	
Wm. Hamilton, Jr., Gdn.		" Rosalie Melissa 13 Oct 1846	
135* FLIGG/FLEGG, John d.18 Jan 1853*		Joseph W. King, Gdn.	
" George b.13 Oct 1847		36* HART, Aaron d.23 Sep 1852*	
" Martha Jane 8 Feb 1850		" Hannah Jane b. 5 Jan 1851	
John Groves, Gdn.		" Sarah Frances 25 Jan 1853	
46* FUNK, Martin 1845*		John Swain, Gdn.	
" Milton P, Susan & Martin nd		64 HART, James L. Macoupin Co. IL	
Kemp, Mary Ann		No " James L. n.d.	
" Murphy, Gdn.		William Austin, Gdn.	
125 GELTNER/Gettner?, Samuel		1* HAWK(S), William *	
No " Mary Jane, Abraham,		" Frances Ann n.d.	
" Sarah & Elizabeth n.d.		Samuel F. Campbell, Gdn.	
John Prunty, Gdn.		96 HEFFINGTON, John L.	
18* GLEDHILL, Joseph		No " Margaret C. n.d.	
" Ruth Ann b. 4 Nov 1837		" Leanah M. "	
" Robert 1 Apr 1839		" John N. "	
" Emma 17 Sep 1841		Joseph P. Woods, Gdn.	
" Benjamin 4 Mar 1843		111* HENRY, John W. d. 8 Jul 1854*	
" John 1 Feb 1845		" Rebecca b.18 Feb 1846	
" Harriet 3 Nov 1848		" Benjamin 26 Sep 1847	
William James, Gdn.		" Elizabeth 17 Feb 1850	
88 GORHAM (no decedent)		" John 21 Jan?1852	
No " McHenry b.10 Dec 1849		" Samuel 20 Apr 1854	
" Josiah, Father, Gdn.		John Swigert, Gdn.	
90 GRAHAM (no decedent)		132 HESSER, George	
No " Mary Margaret b.30 Dec 1840		No " Marvin Eugene b.12 Feb 1850	
" Nancy Jane 4 Jul 1843		" Ann Fruna? 3 Junel845	
" John Fletcher 7 Jan 1846		" James W., Gdn.	
" William, Father, Gdn.		136* HOBSON, John J. *	
78 GRAVES, William H. d.27 Jul 1854		" Riley b. 2 Junel839	
No " Edward Peyton b. ___ Feb 1847		" Maria Jane 22 Dec 1840	
" Jeremiah, Gdn.		" Malinda 27 Dec 1842	
103* GREEN, John		John A. Crain, Gdn.	
" Irwin W. n.d.		118 HOCKENHULL, Nathaniel, Scott Co IL	
George O'Rear, Gdn.		No " Martha b.26 Feb 1845	
		" Betsey 21 Jan 1849	
		" Harriet 5 May 1850	
		" Eliza Ellen 28 Feb 1853	
		William Coultas, Gdn.	

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16* HUDSPETH, Ralph d.23 Oct 1851
" Lucy Ann b. 7 Mar 1839
" John 17 Sep 1840
" Elizabeth 17 Mar 1842
" Ralph 20 Apr 1844
" Giles 26 May 1846
" Lydia 2 Apr 1851
" George, Gdn.

11* HUTCHISON, James d.17 Aug 1851
also " Joseph A. age 17 2 Aug 1851
32& " Mary Ann b.25 Sep 1838
77 " David B. 25 Nov 1844
" Malinda J. 1 Sep 1848
" Samuel H. 11 May 1850
" William A., Gdn.

97 JACOBS, Benjamin, Christian Co. KY
No TENERY, Catharine & Sylvester W.
" Sylvester T., Gdn.

42 JONES, John J., Greene Co. IL
No " Manoah b.10 Aug 1836
" Martha Ann 18 Aug 1838
James L. Martin, Gdn.

67* KAYSER, Frederick A.
" Charles Wm. b.15 Oct 1851
" Frederick 15 Dec 1853
" Adolphus 15 Dec 1853
Matthew Stacy, Gdn.

73 Kenneday, William B.
No " William B. b.29 Aug 1848
" Elizabeth A., Gdn.

133 KENNEY, Mary, Fayette Co. KY
No Mary Buckingham b.27 Junel844
Margaret " 13 May 1842
William " Gdn.

17* KILLAM, William H. d.20 Mar 1850
" Samuel b. 7 Jul 1835
" John Letsom 23 Junel839
" Ann Elizabeth Feb 1844
James E. Taylor, Gdn.

81* KILLAM, William d.11 Apr 1853
" George b.18 Mar 1848
" Samuel, Gdn.

75 ? KINKEAD, Andrew d.23 Dec 1853
No " Albert A. b.11 Junel850
" Mary A., Gdn.

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83* KIRBY, William d.20 Dec 1851
" William A. b. 6 Aug 1837
" Frances C. 25 Jan 1840
" Catharine W. 8 Jul 1842
" Helen M. 12 Jan 1845
" Bessie P. 1 Apr 1850
" Hannah M. Kirby, Gdn., and
Elihu Wolcott, Gdn.

57 KOSCIALOWSKI (not deceased)
No " Paul Casimer n.d.
" Sarah Sophia "
" Edward Mlodzianowski n.d.
" Napolian, Father, Gdn. &
Samuel N. Hitt, Gdn.

101 KRUISE/KRUSE, Henry d.St.Louis MO
No " Loise b. n.d.
" Fredrick, Gdn.

4 LAKE, Lawrence d.?
No " Julia Ann b.13 Mar 1845
" John C. 13 Aug 1849
Levi Hodges, Gdn.

115* LANKTON, Joel C.
" Andrew J. b. 4 Jul 1843
" Matilda Ann 2 Feb 1846
Stephen Kenneday, Gdn.

23 LITTON, Caleb d.Bourbon Co.KY
No Gr-gr-grandfather of:
GOLTRA, Mary Ann b. 3 Oct 1843
" Catherine C. 27 Apr 1845
"children/Moore C. Goltra & late
wife, Martha V. Becraft"
Moore C. Goltra, Gdn.

39* LONG, Sterling d.12 May 1851
" Selina b.28 Sep 1844
" Margaret 20 Jan 1849
John M. Thompson, Guardian

110* LONG, William H. d.10 May 1853
" John D., Thomas J.,
& Harriet Ellen b. n.d.
Sarah Long, Gdn.

22* LURTON, William
" Amanda F. abt. 12 yrs
" Mary E. " 10 "
Children of John T. Lurton, dec'd.
Charles B. Epler, Gdn.

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109 McCOY, Lewis
No " Ellen n.d.
John Allison, Gdn.
10 McDONALD, Daniel alias McDonato
d. 14 Mar 1850
No " Geo. Washington age 19 (1851)
" DeMarquis Lafayette 16 "
" James, Gdn.
113 McGOWEN, William
" John Hardin b. July 1848
and Samuel P. Bingham, Gdn.
124 McGowen, William T. b. 15 Mar 1841
No Josiah Gorham, Gdn.
65 McMILLEN, Wm. H. (not deceased) Gdn.
No " Wm. G., James Thomas &
" John Allen no dates
95 MAGILL, Brunett
No Cox, Harriet b. 23 Oct 1840
" Nero 13 May 1847
" Augustus 19 Dec 1842
" Leartus W., father, Gdn.
5 MAGILL, George
No NEIGHBORS, Elizabeth b. 6 Junel 1835
" William Thomas 21 Jan 1837
" Samuel 20 Dec 1838
" Sarah 10 Nov 1840
" Josiah 4 Mar 1843
" John 10 Junel 1845
Children of Thos. & Mary Neighbours
Matthew Stacy, Gdn.
130* MARCH, Edward
" Louisa M. b. 17 Nov 1838
" Sarah E. 15 Feb 1841
" Edward 12 Dec 1843
" James E. 9 Apr 1846
" Emily J/I? 6 Jan 1850
Wesley Mathers, Gdn.
131 MARTIN, Sarah A.P(J)? 14 Aug 1850
No " Anna M. b. 22 Apr 1836
" James C. 14 Nov 1839
" Amanda G. 6 Dec 1842
Wm. E. Johnson, Gdn.
154 MASTICK, Willard M. Mason Co. IL
No " Seabury F. n.d.
Jonathan Atherton, Gdn.

49 MILLS, Granville R., Ralls Co. MO
No " James G.
John C. Hamilton, Gdn.
117 MONCE, Thomas, Warren Co. Ohio
No JOHNSON, Martha C. b. 4 Mar 1843
" Sarah E. 22 Aug 1846
" Elizabeth F. 20 Mar 1850
" Alice 10 Aug 1852
" John D. 16 Mar 1855
" Mary Ann 17 Junel 1848
" Uriah, Gdn.
53* NALL, Russell d. 12 Dec 1851
" Susanah, Franklin, Eliza,
" Nancy Jane, Tabitha, Hannah &
" Elizabeth E. n.d.
John H. Austin, Gdn.
45 O'DENNEL/ O'Donnell of
"London Dary in Ireland"
No " William
Jesse W. Galbreath, Gdn.
85* OSTOFF, Frederick
" George b. 8 Jan 1848
" Joseph 11 Oct 1849
Uriah J. Devon, Gdn.
[Ostoff old spelling for Austiff]
107 OWSLEY, Bryan Y., Lincoln Co. KY
No " William A., Amelia B. &
" Louisa T. n.d.
" John E., Gdn.
52* PALMER, William H. d. 26 Jul 1852
" Moses G., Benjamin R.,
" John R. & Mary E. n.d.
Samuel Kennedy, Gdn.
51* PARK, John S.
" Mary Jane, Elvira Ann,
" George W., Caroline S. &
" John Sophine n.d.
" Mary Ann, mother, Gdn.
25* PHELPS, Anna
BARKER, Frederick H. b. 30 Apr 1835
" Charlotte L. 11 Feb 1837
" George H. 9 Mar 1839
" Charles S. 15 Dec 1841
Isaac H. Brown, Gdn.
106 PHILLIPS, Thomas &
Margaret E. Wallace
No " Jehu n.d.
" Thomas, Gdn

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145 * PITNER, Montgomery d.17 Apr 1855
 " Levi M. b.27 Apr 1843
 " Alexander W. 8 Jan 1846
 " Charles M. 8 Jan 1849
 " Jane W., Gdn.

33 PIRES, Manuel
 No " Manuel, about age 15 (1853)
 " Joseph " " 7 "
 Gdn.

27 * POST, Stephen
 KIMBALL, Mary Elizabeth 18 Aug 1846
 " David B., Gdn

114 * RAWLINGS, William W. d.10 Nov 1853
 " William Thomas b.22 Feb 1852
 " Marietta 30 Sep 1853
 Adam Allinson, Gdn.

155 RECTOR, Vincent, Pike Co. MO
 No BUTLER, Susan Vilet b. 2 Aug 1848
 " Artemissio Jane 16 Sep 1846
 " Edward Francis 25 Sep 1852
 " Elizabeth Matilda 5 Sep 1855
 " John J., Gdn.

99 * REDDING, Jacob
 " Nancy b. 1 Nov 1842
 " Jane 8 Sep 1845
 Stephen Green, Gdn.

58 * REESE, John H. d.4 Jan 1853
 " Elizabeth, Thomas, Margaret,
 " Nancy & Matilda n.d.
 George B. Waller, Gdn.

3 * REID, George W. d.29 May 1850
 " William Thomas b. 8 Nov 1842
 " John Edwin 14 Jan 1845
 " Newton William 8 Aug 1848
 " George Milton 16 Nov 1850
 Edwin Henderson, Gdn.

143 RENFRO, William, Madison Co. IL
 No ARMSTRONG, Lucinda C. b.26 Aug 1841
 " Andrew J. 4 Aug 1843
 " William Bluford 10 Feb 1845
 " Julia Maria 1 Apr 1847
 " Mary Elizabeth 9 Jan 1849
 " Ellen Ann 27 May 1851
 " Ewing, Gdn.

72 RHEA, Thomas, Pike Co., Ohio
 No " William b. 1 June 1838
 " Samuel, Gdn.

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141 RIGGS, Erasmus, Nicholas Co., KY
 No COUCHMAN, George Alex (son of
 Benjamin Couchman, grandson of
 E. Riggs.
 Caleb Luther Couchman, Gdn.

41 ROSE, Alexander
 No " Andrew Thomas b.20 Sep 1843
 Anthony N. Martin, Gdn.

134 ROSS, George, Sr., Cass Co. IL
 McELFRESH, Cornelia A., n.d.
 dau/Aquilla B. McElfresh
 James Buckingham, Gdn.

59 RUSSELL (no decedent names)
 No " Mary Ellen, orphan age 14ys
 Matthew Stacy, Gdn.

40 * SAMMONS, John d.10 Feb 1853
 " James H. age 14 ys.
 &p. Robert Metcalf, Gdn.
 128 Elias Metcalf, "

38 SAPPINGTON, Hartley, Franklin Co. MO
 No BURCH, James R. b. 9 Mar 1836
 " Henry C. 5 Aug 1859
 " Lydia D. 5 Aug 1839
 " John S. 12 May 1843
 " Francis M., Gdn.

92 * SCOTT, William
 " Nancy Ellen b.14 Jan 1841
 " John, Gdn.

14 * SHARP, Houston d.26 Aug 1850
 " Martha Ellen b. 8 Jan 1851
 " Theodore, Gdn.

68 * SHEPPARD, Lewis J. &
 Nancy
 " Milton R. age 18ys (1854)
 " John B. " 16" "
 " William F., Gdn.

35 * SHRADER, John d.17 Mar 1851
 " George b. 1 Mar 1850
 " Conrad, Gdn.

76 * SINCLAIR, John
 PHILLIPS, Samuel, Joan, James,
 " Sinclair & Hannah, children
 of Hannah Sinclair Phillips.
 Nathaniel W. Lindsey, Gdn.

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28* SMITH, Samuel W.
" Nancy Emily b. 3 Junel849
Peter Loar, Gdn.
66 SMITH, Thomas J. age 20 Jan 1854
Jephtha D. Pilcher Gdn.
86* SNYDER, Gilbert
" Wesley L. b.26 Aug 1837
" John M. 11 Jan 1840
" Mary G. 25 Feb 1842
" Eliza, Gdn.
142 SPARKS, Matthew Brooks, Macoupin Co.
No " Mary Elizabeth b.24 Nov 1844
" John Bland 14 Jan 1847
George B. Waller, Gdn.
84* STALEY, Joseph d. Mar 1853
" Joseph H. b. 7 Mar 1836
" John M. 1 Mar 1839
" Rebecca, Gdn.
152 Margaret Staley, Apptd Gdn.
148* SURVANCE, Preston
" James E. n.d.
Isaac L. Morrison, Gdn.
104 SWETT, William C.
No " Adalaide b.28 Oct 1837
" Charles 10 Junel840
" Julia 11 Aug 1844
" Albert 11 Apr 1848
Andrew J. Fox, Gdn.
160 TALBOTT, Wm. L/S?, Baltimore MD
No " Noah Moore b.13 Oct 1847
" Andrew Moore 1 Dec 1849
John H. Dickson, Gdn.
119 TALKINGTON, Polly Ann
No " Daniel Brian B. 5 Oct 1837
" John Vanburen 27 Oct 1840
" Jas. Jacob Blackburn 7Feb1842
" Wm. Jackson 5 Mar 1844
" Joseph Foiman 12 Mar 1846
" Francis Marion 20 Nov 1848
" Mary Jane 8 Dec 1850
" William, Gdn.
139 TAYLOR, William
" David H, & Andrew n.d.
James W. Strong, Gdn.

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116 TERRY, John, Madison Co. IL
No " John Howard b.20 Aug 1853
Hiram K. Jones, Gdn.
80 TODD, Andrew b.26 Dec 1854
George M. Chambers, Gdn.
62* TURNER, Israel &
" Catherine d.18 Mar 1854
" David b.29 Feb 1836
" James D. 23 Mar 1838
" Harvey B. 4 Jul 1840
" Lavinia Elizabeth 29 Sep 1842
William W. Hilton, Gdn.
93* TURNER, Thomas R. G.
" Mary Catharine b.29 Jan 1839
" Geo. Washington 19 May 1841
" Isaac Newton 22 Jan 1843
and Isaac H. Brown, Gdn.
102 TURNER, Mahala E. b. 2 Mar 1846
" Lovica 15 Mar 1848
" Thomas T. 27 Apr 1851
" Mary, Gdn.
94 VAN SLYCK, John, Pike Co. (IL?)
No " " Samuel b. 8 Nov 1842
Robert Williamson, Gdn.
120 VANHOOFEN, Valentine, Madison Co. IL
No SAMPLE, Andrew b. 1 Oct 1838
" Martha 21 Jul 1840
" Mary 26 Aug 1842
" Lydia 14 Aug 1844
" Washington 18 Sep 1846
" Lucinda 4 Nov 1849
" Jacob, Gdn.
149 VANWINKLE, Thomas S.
No " Benoni, & Samuel n.d.
John S/L?, Gdn.
48 WEATHERFORD, James H.
No " Frances E. n.d.
" Mary A., Gdn.
Wm. B. Warren, resigned Gdn.
30* WELCH, Hamlin d.13 Apr 1850
" Linea? A. b. 2 Apr 1839
" Van Buren 27 Jan 1841
" Elizabeth A. 25 Nov 1847
Edem D. Meacham, Gdn.

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131 WHEATON, Jared, Fulton Co. IL
No WILLSON, Ellen Amanda b.12 Junel840
" Mary Louisa 29 Dec 1842
" Albert Alonzo 6 Mar 1847
" Andrew F., Gdn.

15* WHITLOCK, Hugh d.28 Sep 1851
" Emily Caroline b. 6 Nov 1845
" Ira Herbert 12 Jan 1850
" Rosann, Gdn.

21 WILKINSON, William, Macoupin Co. IL
No " Josephine, age 16ys 1852
Edwin Shumway, Gdn.

71* WILLARD, William
" Newton C. b.24 Junel837
John D. Cooper, Gdn.

70* WILLARD, James M.
" Vassalonia M. b. 7 Feb 1840
" James P. 8 May 1844
" Hester A., Gdn.

56 WILLIAMSON, John, Lancashire Eng.
No " William Taylor n.d.
Horace Spaulding, Gdn.

112* WILLOUGHBY, John d.18 Sep 1854
" Richard, Skelton & James n.d.
William Coultas, Gdn.

34 WILSON, John
" George about 17 ys (1853)
" John, Gdn.

126* WISWALL, Thomas d.14 Feb 1856
" Henry E. b.28 Aug 1843
David A. Smith, Gdn.

100* WOOD, Thomas d. 1 Feb 1852
" John Milton b.24 Junel840
" Joseph Franklin 8 Jul 1843
" Sarah Ann 20 Apr 1846
" Lucretia, Gdn.

108 WOODS, Frances, state of Missouri
No " Marcus L. n.d.
William C. Clayton, Gdn.

159* WOODWARD, James B.
" Emma C. b.26 Nov 1846
" Mary C. 5 Jan 1850
William C. Carter, Gdn.

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31 YOUNGEMAN, Jacob
No " Catharine b.22 Mar 1836
Thomas H. Hobbs, Gdn

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While relatives may disagree with some of these spellings, they are given as they appear in the record, and decipherable from the hand-writing of this 130-year-old (plus) book which is still in excellent condition.

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Guardianship records do not always indicate that estate administration papers have been filed. There appears to be -- in these early days -- three types of legal concerns:

1. Orphan(s) in a community
2. Minor children or grandchildren whose ancestor died elsewhere
3. Children and other minor relatives whose ancestor died with an estate in Morgan County.

In the first two instances, the word No is written below the page# in the Guardians' Bonds Book 1 (GB:1).

This indicates that no further papers are available than the page number given.

These are guardianships 1851 to 1857, and we can find no file of guardianship papers in the courthouse attic prior to 1892.

As to point 3, when there is an estate administration in Morgan County, we indicated this by an asterisk following the page# in the Guardians' Bonds Book 1 (GB:1)

Therefore, for the benefit of our family historians, following this is a listing of the decedents who do have estate administrations in Morgan County by giving the name of the Decedent, Case # and name of Administrator or Executor of a Will.

Genealogists may then write to our Circuit Court Clerk for the Petition for Letters of Administration by giving the Case Number, and sending \$1.00 for each one.

If there is a Will administration, the Circuit Court Clerk will make a photocopy for \$2.00.

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Intestate--probate of a person's estate who deceased having made no known valid Will.

Most of the decedents listed in the Guardians' Bonds Book 1 (GB:1) died intestate, so there is no Will on file for them.

Usually there is a Petition for Letters of Administration in Case Files of both in-
testate decedents, and for those whose Will was filed.

Family historians may secure a copy of the Petition for Letters from the Circuit
Court Clerk, Morgan County Courthouse, Jacksonville IL 62650 for \$1.00.

Where a Will is involved, a copy of the original Will from the state Case File will
be sent for \$2.00, plus \$1.00 for the Petition for Letters.

Name of Decedent	Case#	Administrator(s)	Name of Decedent	Case#	Administrator(s)
ALBIN, Nancy J.	28	W.. J. Albin	LONG, Sterling	481	J.J.Goodpasture
ANTLE, Michael	16	F. P. Antle	" William H.	486	Mason Beagle
BEAUCHAMP, Richard	76	Edward Beauchamp	McCOY, Lewis	542	Lucinda Allison
BENJAMIN, Charles	115	J.M.Daugherty	McDONALD, Daniel	586	Matthew Stacy
BIBB, Richard	88	I. D. Rawlings	MARCH, Edward	647	John Withers
BODDY, Michael	82	Jane Boddy	NALL, Russell	2171?	Wm. Evans
BRENICK, Barney	1116	Wm. Post	OSTOFF, Frederick	509	C.C.Foster
BROWN, James	99	J. M. Murphy	PALMER, Wm. H.	550	John B. Duncan
BURNETT, James H.	74	H. VanWinkle	PARK, John S.	548	H.M. Park
" Thurza	75	H. VanWinkle	PHELPS, Anna	2898?	Isaac Phelps
CHALLENGE, John	185	J. H. Challen	[Hers is a Will Administration]		
COBB, John C.	152	James H. Cobb	PITNER, Montgomery	526	J. Pitner
CRAIG, Hugh G.	165	Eliz. A. Craig	POST, Stephen	573	George Post
" John B.	164	Moses H. Craig	[His is a Will Administration]		
CROOKS, Robert	172	Matthew Stacy, Ex.	RAWLINGS, Wm. W.	671	Mary Rawlings
[His is a Will Administration]			REDDING, Jacob	676	Joseph Morton
DEATON, James	121	R.H.& L. Deaton	REES, John	683	John H. Rees
DODD, James, Dr.	239	James Dodd, Ex.	REID, George W.	688	Stephen H. Reid
[His is a Will Administration]			SAMMONS, John	836	Jeremiah Cox
FILEY, George W.	267	John Whorton	SCOTT, William	818?	John Scott, Ex.
FLEGG/FLEGG, John	273	Wm. Groves	[His is a Will Administration]		
FUNK, Martin	288	Nimrod Funk	SHARP, Houston	323	Benj. Berry
GLEDHILL, Joseph	295	R. Bibb	SHEPPARD, Lewis J.	821	Nancy Sheppard
GREEN, John	319	Stephen Green, Ex.	" Nancy	820	
[His is a Will Administration]			[Hers is a Will Administration]		
HART, Aaron	377	Alice Hart	SHRADER, John	822	Conrad Shrader
HAWKS, William	388	Loving Wheeler	SINCLAIR, John	802	Watson Sinclair
HENRY, John W.	359	John S. True	[His is a Will Administration]		
HOBSON, John J.	343	Elam Brown	SMITH, Samuel W.	844	J.D.Pilcher, Ex.
HUDSPETH, Ralph	405	Geo. Hudspeth	[His is a Will Administration]		
HUTCHISON, James	395	Wm.A.Hutchison	SNYDER, Gilbert	778	Edward Marsh
[Usually spelled Hutchinson on the			STALEY, Joseph	794	Wm.C.Stevenson
records, but proved that it should			SURVANCE, Preston	776	J.L.McConnell
be without the "n" in it.]			TODD, Andrew	756	G.M.Chambers, Ex.
			[His is a Will Administration]		
KAYSER, Frederick A.	429	Matthew Stacy	TURNER, Israel	768	I. Connelly, Ex.
KILLAM, Wm. H.	447	George Killam	[His is a Will Administration]		
" William	1871	Wm. Hall	TURNER, Catherine	770	I. Connelly
KINKEAD, Andrew	1881	Mary A. Kinkead	TURNER, Thomas R.G.	766	Evan Turner, Ex.
KIRBY, William	442	E. B. Kirby	[His is a Will Administration]		
LANKTON, Joel C.	115	S. Kennedy, Ex.	WELCH, Hamlin	897	E.D.Meacham
[His is a Will Administration]			WHITLOCK, Hugh	911	John Whitlock
			WILKINSON, Wm.	860	T.Fearneyhough
			[His is a Will Administration]		

Name of Decedent	Case#	Admin or Exec	Name of Decedent	Case#	Admin or Exec
WILLARD, William	867	James M. Willard	WILSON, John m.	2761	Chas. Higold, Ex.
[His is a Will Administration]			[His is a Will Administration]		
WILLARD, James M.	866	Wm. L. Sargent	WISWALL, Thomas	868	S. Wiswall, et al
[His is a Will Administration]			WOOD, Thomas 890 J. Headington		
WILLOUGHBY, John	874	Wm. Jefferson	WOODWARD, James B.	882	Ebenezer Carter
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GOD'S KEY TO LIFE

Longing boy,
 One sweet girl,
 Virile love-making,
 Eventual marriage.
 Instinctive manhood,
 Stately womanhood,
 God-given babies,
 Older age of parents.
 Dreamy childhood,
 Sincere boyhood,
 Keen-eyed girlhood,
 Eternal love renews,
 Youthful marriage ensues.
 Thoughtful manhood,
 Ornate womanhood,
 Lovely babies,
 Involved grandparents,
 For such is life ---
 Eternal assurance of
 God's love.
 "Love ye one another",
 Obey His marital laws,
 Venture to do His Will,
 Enjoy your family ties.
 Love is God's key to Life!
 --Florence Hutchison.

Petition for Letters of Administration:

State of Illinois, Morgan County, } ss.
COURT OF PROBATE,

IN THE MATTER OF *Granting Letters of Administration upon the Estate of Thurgood Burnett*

TO *Matthew Stacy* — PROBATE JUSTICE IN AND FOR SAID COUNTY.
 The petition of *Horam Vanwinkle* — Respectfully sheweth that, *Thurgood Burnett* is dead, that said deceased departed this life at *his residence* on or about the *1st* day of *December*. *Just without making or leaving any last will and testament to the knowledge of Petitioner*

That said deceased died possessed of certain personal property in the State of Illinois, the value whereof does not exceed the sum of about, *Seven hundred* Dollars, as your petitioner has been informed and believes, that said deceased has left his surviving *Eight Children, being*
To wit, Martin J. Burnett, Mary Ann Burnett, John Burnett, Abraham Burnett, John Burnett, Silas Burnett, Nancy Malmar, Burnett & Calvary Burnett all of whom are minors — and who

WHO are the only next of kin, that said deceased was *at the time of his death* an inhabitant of the County, of Morgan, by means whereof, as your petitioner has been informed and believes the ORDERING and GRANTING Administration of all and singular the goods, chattles and credits, whereof said deceased died possessed in said State, and also the auditing, allowing and final discharging the Accounts thereof, doth belong unto the Court of Probate of said County: Your petitioner therefore prays that you will *appoint him to be and your petitioner*
Admin of the Estate of said decd

Horam Vanwinkle

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MORGAN COUNTY,

I, *Horam Vanwinkle* the above named petitioner being duly sworn and examined before Probate Justice of Morgan County, do depose and say that I have heard the foregoing petition read, to which I have subscribed my name, and that I know the contents thereof, and that the same are of my own knowledge, except as to those matters therein stated to be on information or belief and as to the matters I believe the same to be true.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME, THIS

4 DAY OF *Sept* 1847.
Matthew Stacy Probate Justice.

Horam Vanwinkle

In the interim, between quarterlies, there are so very many thinks that I want to print in this section. But when it comes time to hurry up and finish the quarterly, those thinks and thoughts have disappeared.

Anna Vasconcelles told me another hint about Portuguese names--Vieria is also listed as Grass in some of the records. Joseph Ferrari came out as Smith, Joseph Defrates - Reis. Dias - Day; Escorse - Scorse; Decrastos - Decastro. Defrates, also King at times.

Verna Morris and Joyce Mullens are editing a newsletter titled "Your Lot O' Lines Researchers". Their first issue, of 4 sheets (8 pages) will soon be out, and will be published 6 times a year for only \$10.00 per year. "This is your chance to discover the information you couldn't find, or have time to find for yourself. Since you are the only one who knows your family line, it will be up to you to pick out your line. If you will send us your lineage chart we will try to print it in one of our newsletters in hopes that someone else of your line is also a subscriber. Our #1 issue is a collection of TAYLOR items.

"If you are interested in subscribing to this "Lots O'Lines" newsletter, please send your name and address along with your remittance to:
GENEALOGICAL NEWSLETTER, %Verna R. Morris, R.R.#1 Box 89, Jacksonville IL 62650."

Verna and Joyce Mullens will do research in this area for \$5.00 per hour. Joyce's address is Joyce Mullens R.R.#1 Box 5, Jacksonville IL 62650. (217)245-5219.

Verna's phone number is (217)245-2778.

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If anybody is looking for early Antle family history, write to our member Edward L. Flynn, 714 Sherwood St., Ottawa IL 61350.

Your editor is delighted to have as a new member, today, another descendant of General Thomas Posey. He is John T. Posey, 154 South Buffalo Grove Rd., Apt. 1B, Buffalo Grove IL 60089. Perhaps he can go to Virginia next fall to do the research that we are needing on the Posey ancestral data.

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In the March quarterly I listed the signers of the Constitution. Bill Benson found he was related to Nathaniel Gorham, but as a fifth cousin, not a descendant.

Our Canadian member, Clifford H. Watt, has a new address: E1607-8820 Jasper Avenue, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada T5H 4EB, in case any of our readers want to contact him. Our quarterlies had not been reaching him at the Post Office box number he had.

Your editor was also delighted to have a letter from a relative of Sara John English - a daughter-in-law. "We tramped thru pastures, timbers and hog lots together looking for old cemeteries and copying the tombstones. Since that time many of the cemeteries [we discovered] have been destroyed."

Their Revolutionary War soldier was William Shannon Gillespie. He was buried near Chesterfield out in a timber. But no stones were later found there, except one broken one. Her mother, Nellie Driver, joined the D.A.R. of Jacksonville through him. If anyone is interested in this soldier, write to Lucille Shaffner, 6389 N.W. 63rd #351, Oklahoma City OK 73132.

We here in Jacksonville are sorry to say that one or two of Sara John English's history books full of local material made its way to the library in Lexington KY. Maybe some day we can find a way to photocopy the material in it. There is one book in our Jacksonville Public Library, and another in the Illinois State Historical Society library in Springfield IL. They were loaded with cemetery and Bible readings, and other records of genealogical interest.

A THANK YOU FROM OUR SECRETARY -- to those thoughtful members who enclose a business-size self addressed stamped envelope (SASE) for us to use when we send your membership card, receipt, and other material we hope will be useful to you.

IMPORTANT NOTE TO BEGINNING FAMILY HISTORIANS: Please, always enclose a long, or business size envelope (SASE) when making inquiries of another genealogist. You may deserve 4 or more pages of good stuff to be sent back to you, which should not be folded so many times, as a small envelope requires.

The Meredosia Area Historical and Genealogical Society is making great progress. They are being donated a large brick building to renovate as a meeting place and for other purposes. The whole community is cooperating in some very interesting historical events to take place this summer, too numerous to mention here.

Lynn Boyd Reener, Editor of the Newsletter for the Illinois State Genealogical Society, has this reunion to report for a SHARP FAMILY REUNION: The Sharp Family Association will hold their annual reunion on August 8,9 at the American Legion Hall on Ramey Street in Carlinville IL. Descendants of George & Catherine Sharp and connecting families of Berry, Kirk, Lynch, Hettick, Redfern, Mansfield, Long, Massa, Van Bebber, King and Sims who lived in Morgan, Macoupin, Montgomery, Christian, and other surrounding counties are invited. Even if you don't know if you are a descendant, join the gathering and find out! Bring genealogical material to exchange, bring your own lunch, and make your own lodging arrangements. For more information about this nation-wide reunion, write Sharpe Family Association, c/o Edith Poole, 10000 Gramercy Dr., Oklahoma City OK 73139.

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We have received a copy of "The Berry Tree in Craven's Country" -- The James Grimes Berry--Lucinda Craven Family of Kentucky, Illinois and Missouri by Russell L. Berry, and "Westward Wending: The Migrations of the James T. Berry Family" by Ray M. Berry of about 64 pages, complete with many pictures and family charts.

Russ didn't state the price of the book. Write Russell L. Berry, Ph.S, 1218 Third Street, Brookings SD 57006. Phone 605:592-6556.

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DO YOU REMEMBER. . . cranking up the car before the self-starter came into use?
" " " . . . using the hand operated windshield wiper?
" " " . . . fixing flat tire tubes with a patch?

If so, you are getting old, but thank the Lord that you are still able to remember!

We want to thank Mrs. Phyllis J. Bauer, Genealogical Research, 3312 West Fairway Drive, McHenry IL 60050 for her indexes for the 1850 Calhoun County Census, and the 1981 issue of the Calhoun Cemetery Record publication.

If you would like to purchase copies write to her for costs. These indexes are certainly a big help in locating the family members that one wants.

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There are four roles that each of us plays during the creative process, especially when it comes to genealogical research. These ideas are skimmed from "A Kick In The Seat Of The Pants" by Roger von Oech:

Explorer...Be an efficient explorer when you're searching for new information.

Artist.....Be an artist when you're turning your resources into new ideas. Just as the glass in a kaleidoscope forms many patterns, your ideas may need to be twisted to see different perspectives, and new ways to attack your research problem.

Judge.....Be a judge when you're evaluating the merits of an idea, or the material that you have collected, to decide what is correct, or needs changing, or discarded.

Warrior....Be a determined warrior when you're carrying your ideas into action, research, writing or publishing. You are the only one who will make sure it is carried out. Commit yourself fully to the objectives you dream of fulfilling. No other person is so well qualified to do the job than the warrior that is in yourself!

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JACKSONVILLE AREA GENEALOGICAL AND HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Organized 1972

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JACKSONVILLE, ILLINOIS 62651

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Back issues of the 1986 quarterlies are \$10.00 per set of four, incase new members want to secure a complete set of the names of our 650 members in 40 states and Canada, with surnames they are researching. This is a popular way for kindred souls to fine each other and exchange collected family research.

By using a numbering system for each person, we now have a complete computerized index of surnames being researched. This is a help in putting people together.

- B62 BAUER, Mrs. Phyllis J..... 3312 West Fairway Dr...McHenry..... IL 60050
Ash, Barkley, Beeman, Gibham, Chapple, Dougharty, Gracey, Hicks, Hill,
Lynn, Maupin, McClain, McGahey, Noble, Tunnell.
- B63 BAXTER, John W., M.D..... 12585 Mira Loma Way....Los Altos Hills.... CA 94022
Liter, Crum, Skiles, Buchanan, Thompson, Henderson, Crow, Mitchell.
- B64 BERBAUM, Mrs. Harriet..... #2 Third Dr., South Shores.....Decatur.... IL 62521
Brown, Springer, Runyon, Scroggin, Wood, Fry(e), Barlow.
- B65 BOOK, Susan..... 13195 S.W. Oakwood.....Beaverton..... OR 97005
Book, Becker, Gilleland, Mabb, Mallicoat, Lizenby, Troutt, Dober.
- B66 BOYD, Mrs. Bernice F..... 1018 North Guad.....Carlsbad..... NM 88220
Fanning (George Wesley), (Martin Wesley), McDonald, Axley.
- B67 BRADSHAW, Mrs. Betty..... 318 Liberty Street.....Dundee..... IL 60118
Woodall, Davis, Harney, Wyatt
- B68 BRITENSTINE, Mrs. Pauline. Route 2 Box 82..... Franklin..... IL 62638
Brittenstine, Rochester, Shephard, Kinnett
- C34 CANADAY, Mr. Maurice..... 407 West Warren..... Bunker Hill..... IL 62014
Fernandes, Vaughn, Canaday
- C35 CHRISTEN, Mrs. Alice..... 2020 Plum..... Jacksonville..... IL 62650
Christen, Awalt, Binmore, Ebey, Hutchinson, Mau, Shepherd, Shelton,
Withee/Withey, Gourley, Tracy, Traviss, Wilson
- C36 CLINE, Mr. Loren..... 321 Finley..... Jacksonville..... IL 62650
Cline, Patterson, Finch, Albaugh
- C37 COFFMAN, Mr. Lloyd E..... 338 East Palm..... Roodhouse..... IL 62082
Thompson, Taylor
- C38 COLLINS, Ms. Sandra..... 8532 North Kedvale.... Skokie..... IL 60076
Collins, Lyle, Decker, Hamilton
- C39 COOPER, Mrs. Rose..... Box 62..... Versailles..... IL 62378
Cooper, Wilson, Moulton, Diebold, Ennis, Birline
- D34 DEATHERAGE, Mr. Warren.... Route 5 Box 339..... Pittsburg..... KS 66762
Deatherage, Criswell, White
- D35 DREIBELBIS, Mr. Harvey C.. 118 B. Lowens Strasse. Freehold..... NJ 07728
Dreibelbis, Rothermel, Rentschler/Rensher, Rengler
- E19 ELKINGTON, Mrs. Herbert... 133 North East 52nd St. Seattle..... WA 98105
Wilson, Rutherford, Murray
- F21 FITE, Mrs. Lena E..... 9 Southvale Drive..... Jacksonville..... IL 62650
McLamar, McNamara, Edwards, Hettick
- F22 FITZGERALD, Mrs. Joyce L.. 3416 West 55th Street. Chicago..... IL 60632
Angelo, Bush, Beck, Dodson, Donaldson, Farmer, Puryear/Preyear/Pryor,
Caulk, Storey/Story, Jackson, Pope, Walker

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G34 GAINES, Mrs. Pamela..... Box 35..... Concord..... IL 62631
Gaines, Hill, Stout, DeGroot, Deaton, Flynn, Self, Rittenhouse,
Young, Taylor, Bollinger

G35 GRIFFIN, Mr. Darrel..... 1014 Johnson..... Carlinville..... IL 62626
Posey, Washington, Street, Gatewood, Rannells

H60 HAPER, Mrs. Margaret..... 1116 Bedford Rd..... Springfield..... IL 62704
Elkins, Nance, Lucas, Witty

H61 HETTICK, Mr. & Mrs. Ralph.. 1432 West Lafayette... Jacksonville..... IL 62650
McLama/McNamara, Calhoun, Wood, Sharp, Hettick, Powell, Roach,
Dugger, Mansfield, Pettyjohn, Worrall, McCollum

H62 HORTON, Mrs. Virginia..... 1333 Hilltop Dr..... Milan..... IL 61264
Horton, Lemon, Cade, Hawkins, Davis, Shepler/Sheplar,
Boyd, Butterfield, Antrobus

H63 HUGGINS, Mrs. Sarah Jane.. 3211 30th F-38..... Des Moines..... IA 50310
Vance, Stevenson, Bomberger, Rankin, Osborn, Luark/Lewark, Russell

K20 KENNEY, Mrs. Charles W.... 22314 DeKalb Drive.... Woodland Hills..... CA 91364
Spencer, McAllister, Kelly, Humphries

K21 KLAMFOTH, Mr. & Mrs. Wm. J. 647 Smoke Tree..... LaVerne..... CA 91750
Gehrman, Klamfoth

K22 KREIS, Mrs. Maxine C..... Route 4 Box 30..... Williamsburg..... KY 40769
Clinton, Doyle, Smallen, Caudle

L24 LONG, Mrs. Helen R..... 2609 Millstead Circle. Manhattan..... KS 66502
Hobrock, Thron/Trone, McLain, Sharp, Horton

M48 McKEAN, Miss Elizabeth.... 220 Clipper Drive..... Newport News..... VA 23602
Mason, Spencer, Clarkson, Judd

M49 McMILLEN, Mrs. Clara L.... 3556 Evening Light.... Bartlett..... TN 38134
Posey, Hall, Linton, Gilham, Ward, Rannells

M50 MURPHY, Mrs. Margaret D... 1001 Smithland..... Jacksonville..... IL 62650
Dorson, Evans, Hunley, McGinnis, Dillingham, Hundley, McEvers

O08 ORMAN, Mrs. Joseph E..... 202 North Weller..... Ottumwa..... IA 52501
Large, Tipton, Orman, Dinnel

P34 PATTERSON, Mrs. Josephine L. 1011 Monroe..... Beardstown..... IL 62618
Fuelling, Russwinkel, Werries, Patterson, Rutledge, Lane

S90 SCARBROUGH, Nancy..... 18 Arthur Drive..... Rochester..... IL 62563
Scarborough, Hutchison

S91 SCHOFIELD, Mrs. Sally..... 2010 Plum..... Jacksonville..... IL 62650
Gourley, Tracy, Traviss, Wilson, Schofield, Bettis

S92 SHEPPARD CEMETERY, Inc. R.R.#5
Care of Lloyd M. Sheppard, Secy., R.R.#5..... Jacksonville..... IL 62650
This cemetery needs donations to help with the upkeep costs. Lloyd will send
a copy of the cemetery reading, with other family history in it, for a donation
of \$25.00.

S93 STORY, Mr. Jack E..... 315 Scottswood Road... Riverside..... IL 60546
Story

W47 WICKMAN, Mrs. Mary Lou.... Route 2..... Warsaw..... IL 62379
York, Howe, Hamilton, Harrison

W48 WOODWARD, Mr. R. O..... 1604 Winston..... Florence..... ALAB 35630
Arnet, Woodward, Haycraft, Crosson

W49 WRIGHT, Miss Susan..... P.O. Box 143..... Rochester..... IL 62563
Wright, Franklin, Fox, Rapp, Schrader, Weger

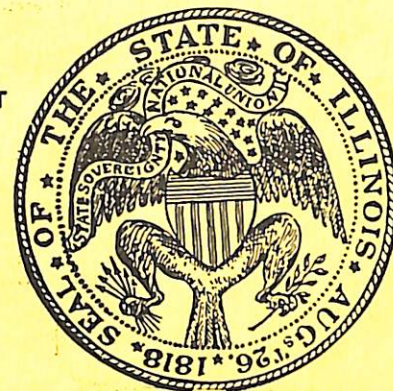
H64 HANSON, Mrs. Donna L..... 5569 Hwy 10..... Stevens Point..... WI 54481
Albin, Anderson, Batchelder, Bjelland, Blake, Connor, Dearborn, Erickson, Evans.



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REGISTERED OFFICE: 629 South Diamond
CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE: Jacksonville, Illinois 62650 Morgan County

The above corporation organized under the laws of the State of ILLINOIS pursuant to provisions of "The General Not for Profit Corporation Act" of the State of Illinois hereby makes the following report:

The names and respective addresses of its officers and directors are:

NAME	OFFICE	NUMBER & STREET	CITY	ZIP
Mrs. Florence Hutchison	President	629 South Diamond	Jacksonville	62650
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Mrs. Mary Frances Alkire	Vice-president	10 Westgate Circle	"	"
Mrs. Barbara J. Henderson	Secretary	510 North Diamond	"	"
Miss Lucille V. Crawford	Financial Secy.	1038 West State #4	"	"
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Mr. Earl L. Jones	Director	206 Massey Lane	"	"
Mrs. A. Eileen Cunningham	Director	R.R. 2, Box 8	Carrollton	62016
Mrs. Myra Nichols Martin	Director	359 East Tremont	Waverly	62692

The following is a brief statement of the character of the affairs which the corporation is actually conducting:

To preserve and perpetuate ancestral records of members and to assist each other in genealogical research for educational, patriotic and historical purposes; to discover, collect and preserve any materials which may help to establish or illustrate the history of west central Illinois counties; to encourage preservation and safe-guarding of municipal, township, county and state public governmental records, and to promote publication of related materials for public use.



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Dated this 27th February 1987

Florence Hutchison
PRESIDENT



—Present Great Seal