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PCAHS MEETING TIME

The Pike County Archives and History Society meets the first Thursday night of each month from 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. at the PCAHS archives in the Pike County Annex Building, 112 N. Washington Ave., Suite B, Murfreesboro, Arkansas. The 6:30 p.m. time period is set aside for members and guests to discuss and exchange ideas on history, genealogy and effective ways to do research. Business meeting is held from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Annual membership dues are $10.00. Lifetime membership dues are $100.00. The Pike County Archives and History Society was founded in 1986 and is a non-profit organization. Helpful telephone numbers: Pike County Clerk's Office (870) 285-2231; County Judge Courthouse (870) 285-2414.

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IN REMEMBRANCE
LINDA KAY WILSON

The Pike County Archives and History Society lost a special person since our last issue. Linda Kay Wilson has served the society in many ways. She was the first Treasurer for the society and served in that position continuously until her death. This editor only knew Linda by reputation having never had the pleasure to meet her personally but I know she will be missed.

DELIGHT – Funeral services for Linda Kay Wilson, 63, of Delight were held at 11 a.m. Saturday, July 18 in First United Methodist Church. Bro. Freeman Henderson officiated. Burial was in the Delight Cemetery under the direction of Latimer Funeral Home.

Mrs. Wilson was born May 20, 1940, the daughter of the late Edward LeRoy and Audrey Frances (Crabtree) Catron. She died Tuesday, July 15, 2003, in a Little Rock hospital.

She was a member of First United Methodist Church in Delight, and was a founding member of both the Delight Area Chamber of Commerce and the Pike County Archives and Historical Society. She was also a member of the Lions Club and S.A.R.A.

Mrs. Wilson was employed by the state of Arkansas as the assistant manager of Williams Tavern Restaurant at Old Washington State Park.

She is survived by her husband, Thomas W. Wilson of Delight; a sister, Karen Ralston of Leavenworth, Kan.; a brother, Edward A. Catron of St. Joseph, Mo.; her stepmother, Gladys Catron of St. Joseph, Mo.; six grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to the Pike County Archives and Historical Society, P.O. box 875, Murfreesboro, AR 71958.

Nashville Leader, First Issue, July 23, 2003

REUNIONS
ALFORD

The Alford American Family Association will hold the 16th Annual Meeting and Family Reunion on October 10-12 at the Radisson Hotel, 617 South Broadway, Little Rock, Arkansas.

Information, including a registration form can be found on the Alford American Family Association web site:
http://www.alfordassociation.org/.

If you do not have internet access the please contact Morris Myers at 501-321-2019 for details.

BRANCH

We will be having the Branch Family Reunion - Descendants of Edward King and Tabitha Branch - on October 11, 2003 at the home of John Gould (three miles east of
Branch Family Census Records

[Editor's Note: We will do a more thorough study of the Branch Family and Pike County Descendants in a future issue. If you have information on any of these family members please send it to the editor -- either via e-mail (preferred) or regular mail. Addresses are on the second page of the quarterly].

1850 Cumberland County, North Carolina
Northern Division, Page 126A, Dwelling 370

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Old Newspaper Articles

The Arkansas Independent.  
Dardanelle, Arkansas  
July 4, 1875

Ambrose H. White, desperado was killed in Pike County one day last week. White was charged with murder; he has escaped custody and set the law at defiance. He was captured by two men named Cox, after which he tried to escape, which cost his life.

The Independent Arkansian  
Dardanelle, Arkansas  
November 30, 1877

Married in Pike County, on the 21st Inst. Mr. George A. Obaugh, of Arkadelphia, and Miss M. C. Hangley, of Pike.

Yell County, Arkansas Newspaper Abstracts 1875-1879 by Faye Greenwood Sandy.

W.L. Howard Family Genealogy

The following genealogy was provided by Darcy Howard.
She is interested in corresponding with any of our readers who might be related to this family.

She also asks the question: “Is W. L. Howard related to James H. Howard, the former county clerk for Pike County? Both were born in Tennessee. You can contact Darcy via e-mail:
darcyhoward@mindspring.com

[Editor’s Note: W.L. Howard was shown in the 1850 Lafayette County, Arkansas Census in Clarke Township, page 183, Dwelling 247.
W.L. Howard was first found in Pike County records in 1860. He and his family are listed in Dwelling 41 in Thompson Township in the 1860 Pike County Census.
Descendants of the family are shown in the 1870 and subsequent census records.]

Descendants of W. L. Howard

1 W. L. Howard b: Abt. 1820 in TN d: Bef. 1870
   . + Percilla or Luvisia _____ b: in TN
   . 2 Andrew J. Howard b: June 1847 in MS or TN
   .   .. + America A. _____ b: Abt. 1847 in TN d: Bef. 1900
   . 3 Cordelia Howard b: Abt. 1868 in Arkansas
   . 3 Martha Ann Howard b: March 1870 in AR
   .   ..+ Charles Martin Cooley m: Abt. 1893 in Pike County, Arkansas
   .   .. 4 Charles Martin Cooley b: May 31, 1899 in Mine Creek Township, Hempstead County, AR
   .   . 3 Joseph M. Howard b: July 1875 in AR
   .   .   .. + Seara or Lena M. _____ b: February 1878 in AR
   .   . 4 Margie O. Howard b: December 1894
   .   . 4 Elthy C. Howard b: April 1899
   .   . 4 Clyde G. Howard b: Abt. 1905
   .   . 4 Millard N. Howard b: Abt. 1905
   .   . 4 Mattie A. Howard b: Abt. 1908
   .   . 3 Ardela R. Howard b: Abt. 1878 in Arkansas
   . 2 Melinda Jane Howard b: Abt. 1849 in Arkansas
   .   .. + Stephen Daniel Stueart m: 1866
   . 2 George W. Howard b: November 1850 in Arkansas
   .   .. + Sarah E. Hutson b: November 1846 m: Abt. 1876 in Pike County, Arkansas
   .   .. 3 Mary F. Howard b: Abt. 1867
   .   .. 3 Malina R. Howard b: Abt. 1868
   .   .. 3 Reksey A. Howard b: April 1879 in Arkansas
   . 2 M. A. Howard b: Abt. 1853 in Arkansas
   . 2 Henry Conway Howard b: April 1858 in Murfreesboro, Pike County, Arkansas d: 1941 in Mansfield, Tarrant County, Texas
   .   .. + Mary Elizabeth "Betty" Bradley b: January 20, 1860 in Hempstead County, Arkansas m: January 09, 1879 in Hempstead County, Arkansas d: Abt. 1893 in Hempstead County, Arkansas
   .   . 3 John William Howard b: June 20, 1880 in Murfreesboro, Pike County, Arkansas d: March 1968 in Burleson Nursing Home, Texas
   .   .   ..+ Sara Lula Stone b: May 15, 1885 in Hempstead County, Arkansas m: September 28, 1902 in Washington, Hempstead County, Arkansas d: February 21, 1969 in Forth Worth Hospital, Forth Worth, Texas
   .   .   . 4 Arthur Howard b: August 28, 1903 in AR d: 1905 in Redland Township, AR
   .   .   .   .. + Ollie Cantrell
   .   .   .   . 5 Johnnie Ruth Cantrell
   .   .   .   . 5 Billy Jo Cantrell
   .   .   .   . 5 Betty Sue Cantrell
   .   .   .   . 5 Raymond Cantrell
   .   .   .   . 4 Clara Bell Howard b: August 14, 1907 d: April 05, 1995
   .   .   .   .   .. + C. M. Maxwell, Sr.
   .   .   .   .   . 5 C. M. Maxwell, Jr.
   .   .   .   .   . 5 Wanda Marlene Maxwell
   .   .   .   .   . 4 Earl Washington Howard b: January 15, 1909 d: October 10, 1936
...4 Horace William Howard b: August 19, 1913 in Belton, AR d: October 03, 1989
...+ Mattie Geneva Whitten b: December 25, 1914 in Mansfield, Tarrant County, Texas m: November 05, 1932 in Mansfield, Tarrant County, Texas

...5 Jesse Wayne Howard b: November 12, 1934 in Mansfield, Tarrant County, Texas
...+ Kathryn Carol Turner b: October 25, 1933 m: March 20, 1951 in Mansfield, Tarrant County, Texas (Friendship Community)

...6 Fredda Kay Howard b: January 22, 1957
...+ Michael Wesley Cook b: June 25, 1957 m: November 08, 1974 in Mansfield, Tarrant County, Texas

...7 Michael Paul Cook b: February 02, 1975 in Fort Worth, TX
...7 Randall Wayne Cook b: March 03, 1977 in Fort Worth, TX

...3 James Albert "Abb" Howard b: September 1883 d: 1963
...+ Ella M. _____ b: May 11, 1887 d: October 11, 1918

...4 Lillie Howard
...+ _____ Goode

...4 Clifford Howard b: March 25, 1911 d: May 09, 1912

...4 Winnie May Howard b: July 25, 1915 d: July 25, 1915

...4 Clarice "Tency" Howard b: January 14, 1916 d: December 17, 1978

...+ _____ Kruse

3 Jess Daniel Howard b: September 30, 1886 in Bingen, Hempstead County, Arkansas d: August 29, 1931 in San Angelo, Texas

...+ Rosa Serdeania "Mama Rose" Wingo b: July 29, 1894 in Atlanta, Fulton County, Georgia m: September 1907 in Mansfield, Dallas County, Texas d:

November 26, 1980 in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas

...4 Leola Mae "Lee or Sis" Howard b: April 03, 1909 in Scurray County, Texas (near Snyder)
...+ Willie Price Fletcher m: January 06, 1927 in San Angelo, Tom Green County, Texas

...5 Dorothymae Lorene "Dottie" Fletcher b: October 09, 1927 in Seattle, King County, Washington

...+ Elmer W. Mahler b: March 18, 1924 in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas m: August 30, 1952 in Presbyterian Church, San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas d: December 14, 1988 in Marion, Guadalupe County, Texas

...6 Karen Elaine Mahler b: January 15, 1954 in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas

...+ Michael Jay Davis b: December 10, 1946 in ID m: October 10, 1981 in Dallas, TX

...7 Sarah Sooh-Young Davis b: April 07, 1985 in Seoul, Korea

...7 Kelsey Jin-Young Davis b: April 07, 1985 in Seoul, Korea

...*2nd Husband of Karen Elaine Mahler:

...+ Frederick Santa Maria b: July 21, 1953 in Houston, Harris County, Texas m: June 25, 1994 in Plano, Texas

...6 Gail Ann Mahler b: June 29, 1955 in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas

...7 Steven William Abaray b: August 10, 1983 in Cleburne, Johnson County, Texas

...7 Russell Louis Abaray b: July 22, 1988 in Cleburne, Johnson County, Texas
Peggy Suzanne Mahler b: March 18, 1958 in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas

Dorothy Leona "Dot" Howard b: January 07, 1911 in San Angelo, Tom Green County, Texas d: January 18, 1977 in San Antonio, Tom Green County, Texas

Oscar William "O.W." Wilkirson b: March 17, 1907 in Winters, Runnel County, Texas m: August 13, 1927 in San Angelo, Texas (Tom Green County) d: November 16, 1972 in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas

Oscar Jess "Son or O.J." Wilkirson b: December 10, 1928 in San Angelo, Bexar County, Texas d: June 03, 1993 in Pittsburg, Camp County, Texas

Nellie Marie Tomlinson b: September 10, 1933 in Winters, Runnels County, Texas m: October 09, 1948 in Brady, McCulloch County, Texas

Cheryl Ann Wilkirson b: August 17, 1955 in Baptist Hospital, San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas

Billy Ray "Bill" Turner b: January 24, 1950 in Blackwell Clinic, Gorman, Eastland County, Texas m: March 13, 1976 in Melwood Baptist Church, Brownwood, Brown County, Texas

Heather Renee Turner b: April 14, 1977 in Mother Francis Hospital, Tyler, Smith County, Texas

Ross French m: December 19, 1998 in Emmanuel Baptist Church, Pittsburg, TX

Shauna Ann Turner b: February 17, 1980 in Mt. Pleasant, Titus County, Texas

Julie Marie Wilkirson b: December 01, 1957 in Baptist Memorial Hospital, San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas

+ James Ray "Jim" Gresham b: February 10, 1956 in Greenville, Hunt County, Texas m: April 19, 1982 in Brownwood, Brown County, Texas

Jessica Marie "Jess or Jessie" Gresham b: July 09, 1982 in Regional Hospital, Brownwood, Brown County, Texas

James Darrell "Boo-Boo" Gresham b: July 12, 1988 in Brownwood Regional Hospital, Brownwood, Brown County, Texas

+ Todd Dean Cutler b: March 23, 1963 in Dallas, Dallas County, Texas m: August 13, 1982 in Dellwood Baptist Church, Mt. Pleasant, Titus County, Texas

+ Matthew Todd "Matt" Cutler b: February 15, 1985 in Titus County Memorial Hospital, Mt. Pleasant, Titus County, Texas

+ Laurie Lynn Cutler b: March 11, 1986 in Titus County Memorial Hospital, Mt. Pleasant, Titus County, Texas

+ Ross French m: December 19, 1998 in Emmanuel Baptist Church, Pittsburg, TX

Janice Marie Wilkirson b: December 10, 1960 in Spring Branch Hospital, Houston, Harris County, Texas

+ Laura Marie Boeselt b: November 18, 1930 in Westphalia, Falls County, Texas m: September 26, 1953 in Catholic Church, San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas

+ Janice Marie Wilkirson b: December 10, 1960 in Spring Branch Hospital, Houston, Harris County, Texas

+ Thomas William Pope, Jr. b: October 16, 1959 in Houston, Texas
... 7 Thomas William Pope II b: September 21, 1984 in The Medical Center, Conroe, Montgomery County, Texas
... 7 Nathan Matthew Forester b: August 27, 1979 in Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas
... 7* 14-52

*2nd Husband of Janice Marie Wilkirson:
... + Arthur Hilbert "Bubbie Brandt" Brandt III b: June 11, 1961 in Weimar, Texas m: August 24, 1991 in Montgomery, Montgomery County, Texas
... 7. 14-52

2nd Husband of Elaine Wilkirson:
... + W.D. "Rusty" McMillan b: March 06, 1954 m: May 15, 1984
... 7. 14-52

6 Milea Wilkirson b: November 13, 1957 in Bowie Hospital, Bowie, Montague County, Texas
... + James Michael "Mike Cuba" Cuba b: November 18, 1965 in Baylor County Hospital, Seymour, Baylor County, Texas m: July 21, 1979 in Flora Heights United Methodist Church, Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas
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6 Lynn Earl Wilkirson, Jr. b: October 05, 1966 in Houston, Harris County, Texas
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6 Elaine Wilkirson b: February 18, 1955 in Philadelphia, PA
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6 Karen Lea Wilkirson b: December 03, 1961 in Wichita General Hospital, Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas
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7 Adriana Rose Wilkirson b: April 17, 1994 in San Diego, CA
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5 Kenneth Lee Wilkirson b: June 13, 1933 in San Angelo, Tom Green County, Texas
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5 Karen Lea Wilkirson b: December 03, 1961 in Wichita General Hospital, Wichita Falls, Wichita County, Texas
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5 Marguarite Odean Wilkirson b: February 13, 1936 in Tankersley, Tom Green County, Texas (born at home)
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7 Marguarite Odean Wilkirson b: February 13, 1936 in Tankersley, Tom Green County, Texas (born at home)
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8 Matthew Dale Cooper b: January 24, 1998
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... + Daniel Matthew Markgraf b:
... + Daniel Matthew Markgraf b: November 21, 1927 in
Concrete, Texas (at home) m: May 23, 1953 in Seguin, Texas
d: June 19, 1981 in Sayers, Harris County, Texas

6 Danny Lee Markgraf b: September 27, 1954 in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
+ Peggy Jean Coughenour b: July 16, 1959 m: September 11, 1976 in Aldersgate United Methodist Church, San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas

7 Danny Lee Markgraf, Jr. b: January 21, 1977 in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
+ Elizabeth Ann "Liz" Bailey m: December 07, 1996 in Aldersgate United Methodist Church, San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas

8 Taylor Leann Markgraf b: March 25, 1997 in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
7 Dwayne Matthew Markgraf b: December 04, 1978 in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
7 Samuel Adam Markgraf b: June 15, 1985 in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
6 Donna Lyne Markgraf b: June 28, 1956 in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
+ Gene Allen Patterson b: February 17, 1955 in Corpus Christi, Texas m: October 12, 1974 in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
7 Gene Allen Patterson, Jr. b: January 20, 1975 in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
+ Jaime Samstra b: December 07, 1976 m: March 1997
8 Jeremy Gene Patterson b: January 13, 1996 in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
7 Dean Carl Patterson b: January 20, 1975 in Baptist Hospital, San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
d: June 09, 1975 in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas

7 Dawn Marie Patterson b: November 05, 1978 in Austin, Travis County, Texas
+ Angel Gonzales

8 Christopher Angel Patterson b: October 20, 1996
+ Christopher Lee Gutierrez
8 Joseph Lee Gutierrez b: August 18, 1999 in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas

*2nd Husband of Donna Lyne Markgraf:
8 Jeremy Gene Patterson b: January 13, 1996 in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas

7 Ashley Danielle Steubing b: April 30, 1989 in Humana Women's Hospital, San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
6 Lanelle Rose Markgraf b: December 03, 1968 in Baptist Hospital, San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
*2nd Husband of Marguarite Odean Wilkirson:

6 Darlene Markgraf b: December 06, 1959 in Santa Rosa Hospital, San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
6 Teri Lynn Cogburn
6 Phillip Nathan Cogburn
+ Jack Harrison Cogburn m: July 14, 1986 in Stanton, Martin County, Texas
6 Michael Wayne Cogburn
6 Virginia Elizabeth Cogburn
6 James Ray Cogburn
5 Roma Mae Wilkirson b: March 09, 1938 in Tankersley, Tom Green County, Texas (at home)
+ Donald Joseph Geesing b: April 29, 1941 in Charleston, Franklin

+ Friend of Dawn Marie Patterson:
8 Christopher Angel Patterson b: October 22, 1953 m: 1992 d: September 07, 1993
6 Darlene Markgraf b: December 06, 1959 in Santa Rosa Hospital, San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
+ Lawrence Jay "Larry" Steubing b: January 17, 1955 in San Antonio, Texas m: July 25, 1981 in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
7 Ashley Danielle Steubing b: April 30, 1989 in Humana Women's Hospital, San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
6 Lanelle Rose Markgraf b: December 03, 1968 in Baptist Hospital, San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
+ Jack Harrison Cogburn b: June 30, 1930 in Wetmore, Texas (at home) m: July 14, 1986 in Stanton, Martin County, Texas

+ 2nd Husband of Donna Lyne Markgraf:
6 Gene Allen Patterson, Jr. b: January 20, 1975 in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
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7 Dean Carl Patterson b: January 20, 1975 in Baptist Hospital, San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
d: June 09, 1975 in San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
+ Donald Joseph Geesing b: April 29, 1941 in Charleston, Franklin
6 Russell Joseph "Ronnie" Geesing b: December 14, 1963 in Heights Hospital, Houston, Harris County, Texas
+ Beth Anne Spencer b: June 05, 1968 in Port Arthur, Jefferson County, Texas m: April 30, 1988 in First Christian Church, Port Arthur, Jefferson County, Texas
7 Jessica Anne Geesing b: April 02, 1990 in Humana Clear Lake Hospital, Webster, Harris County, Texas
7 Sarah Jane Geesing b: November 17, 1993 in Humana Spring Branch Hospital, Harris County, Texas
6 Ronald William "Ronnie" Geesing b: June 08, 1965 in Heights Hospital, Houston, Harris County, Texas
+ Julie Lynn Stellhorn b: March 11, 1967 in Red Bud, Randolph County, IL m: August 23, 1986 in Arcadia, Galveston County, Texas
7 Stephen Joseph Geesing b: September 25, 1991 in Reynosa, Tamaulipas, Mexico
6 James Matthew "Jimmy" Geesing b: November 26, 1966 in Heights Hospital, Houston, Harris County, Texas
+ Tracy Darlene Hoff b: September 07, 1968 in Houston, Harris County, Texas m: May 20, 1989 in Arcadia Christian Church, Arcadia, Galveston County, Texas
7 Kayla Michelle Geesing b: May 08, 1991 in Humana Clear Lake Hospital, Webster, Harris County, Texas
7 Kevin Matthew Geesing b: March 01, 1994 in Humana Hospital, Webster, Harris County, Texas
5 Linda Rose Wilkirson b: September 28, 1949 in Santa Rosa Medical Center, San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
+ John Milton McIntire b: October 07, 1943 in Haskell Community Hospital, Haskell, Haskell County, Texas m: June 21, 1969 in Melwood Baptist Church, Brownwood, Brown County, Texas
6 Kelli Lee McIntire b: November 06, 1972 in Brownwood Community Hospital, Brownwood, Brown County, Texas
+ Richard Lee Diggins b: December 17, 1973 in Vel Priso, IN m: February 18, 1994 in Webster, Harris County, Texas
*2nd Husband of Kelli Lee McIntire:
+ William Raymond Bradshaw m: March 13, 1999 in Nicholstone on the Bayou, Dickinson, Galveston, TX
6 Jonathan Cory "Cory" McIntire b: August 27, 1976 in Brownwood Regional Hospital, Brownwood, Brown County, Texas
4 Leon Gibbs "Sonny" Howard b: April 11, 1912 in San Angelo, Tom Green County, Texas d: January 05, 1992 in Good Samaritan Hospital, Los Angeles, Los Angeles County, California
+ Roberta Gertrude "Birdie" Tolles b: October 01, 1919 in Portland, Multnomah County, OR m: in Seattle, King County, Washington
5 Gary Jess Howard b: December 28 in Seattle, King County, Washington d: September 20, 1997 in Byron, Contra Costa County, California
+ Jan ______
6 Steve Howard
5 Kay Lorene Howard b: March 19, 1943 in Seattle, King County, Washington
+ Paul George Berg b: October 18, 1938 m: November 06, 1965
6 Michael Paul Berg b: October 21, 1970 in Seattle, King County, Washington
6 Pamela Kay Berg b: April 05, 1972 in Bellevue, King County, Washington
+ John Payson b: October 18, 1968 m: 1997 in HI
5 Dennis Leon "Denny" Howard b:
   September 04, 1944 in Seattle,
   King County, Washington
+ Linda Lee Orwig b: September 03, 1945 in Renton, King County,
   Washington m: September 09, 1961 in Holy Family Catholic
   Church, Auburn, King County, Washington
6 Daniel Lawrence "Dan" Howard b:
   March 23, 1962 in Seattle, King County, Washington
+ Laura Marie "Lori" Tharp b: May 10, 1960 in Woodland, Yolo
   County, California m: March 25, 1989 in Paso Robles,
   California
7 Haley Marlene Howard b: January 18, 1995 in Kaiser Medical
   Center, Walnut Creek, Contra Costa County, California
7 John Bolden "Jake" Howard b:
   October 19, 1996 in Kaiser Medical Center, Walnut Creek,
   Contra Costa County, California
6 Lisa Diane Howard b: December 28, 1964 in Auburn General
   Hospital, Auburn, King County, Washington
7 Chase Garrett Howard b: 2000 in
   John Muir Hospital, Walnut Creek, Contra Costa County,
   California
6 Darcy LeAnne Howard b: July 26, 1967 in Auburn General
   Hospital, Auburn, King County, Washington
+ Rick Allen Opp b: May 24, 1967 in
   Rapid City, SD m: September 30, 2000 in Rocklin, Placer
   County, California
7 Joshua Ryan Howard-Opp b: May 09, 1996 in Valley Medical
   Center, Pleasanton, Alameda County, California
7 Nicole Corrine Howard-Opp b:
   June 06, 1999 in Howard-Opp Home, Fremont, Alameda
   County, California
*2nd Wife of Dennis Leon Howard:
+ Teresa Roslyn LaBarbera b:
   December 05, 1951 in O'Connor Hospital, San Jose,
   Santa Clara County, California m: 1992 in Howard Home,
   Danville, Contra Costa County, California
6 Mark Joseph McCunney b:
   December 11, 1975 in Ellsworth Air Force Base
   Hospital, Ellsworth AFB, SD
6 Christopher Ryan McCunney b:
   October 10, 1977 in Castle Air Force Base Hospital, Castle
   AFB, CA
6 Timothy William McCunney b: May 19, 1983 in Southwest
   Memorial Hospital, Houston, TX
5 April Marie Howard b: April 01, 1946 in
   Providence Hospital, Seattle, King County, Washington
+ Don Irvin b: July 07, 1944 in Gilmer,
   Texas m: April 11, 1968 in Seattle, King County,
   Washington
6 Dawn Marie Irvin b: May 23, 1973 in
   Rosewood Hospital, Houston, Harris County, Texas
... + James Jackson m: November 25, 2000 in Ocala National Forest, FL
... 6 Christy Rene Irvin b: October 11, 1976 in Rosewood Hospital, Houston, Harris County, Texas
... 4 Jesse Dean "Babe or Jean or Janie" Howard b: June 29, 1918 in San Angelo, Tom Green County, Texas d: August 03, 1965 in Houston, Harris County, Texas
... + William J. "Bill" Wood b: 1924 m: 1940 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles County, California
... 5 William Jerry "Billy or Bill" Wood b: November 14, 1944
... + Beverly _____ m: August 1968 in Houston, Harris County, Texas
... 6 William Jerry Wood b: March 1968 in Houston, Harris County, Texas
... 6 Michael Wood b: February 1972 in Houston, Harris County, Texas
... *2nd Wife of William Jerry Wood:
... + Linda Kay Pennington b: August 20, 1950 in Dayton, OH m: December 20, 1972 in Houston, Harris County, Texas
... 6 Stacey Keith Wood b: February 02, 1973 in Houston, Harris County, Texas
... + Mary Davis b: April 30, 1974 m: December 03, 1994
... 7 William Brandon Wood b: 1996
... 7 Cameron Wood b: 1999
... 6 Kelly Annette Wood b: June 21, 1974 in Kentucky
... + William Patrick Biszmaier b: October 29, 1971 m: July 01, 1995
... 7 Jacob Biszmaier
... 7 Abegail Biszmaier
... 7 Anthony Marc b: August 06, 1990
... 6 William Marc "Marc" Wood b: November 04, 1977 d: July 28, 1986
... 6 Shannon Michelle Wood b: October 23, 1979
... 7 _____ Wood b: April 1998
... 3 Robert M. "Rob" Howard b: October 06, 1889 in Hempstead County, Arkansas d: January 30, 1918 in Mansfield, Texas
... 3 May Howard b: 1893 in Hempstead County, Arkansas d: 1893 in Hempstead County, Arkansas
... 3 Lilly Howard b: 1893 in Hempstead County, Arkansas d: 1893 in Hempstead County, Arkansas
... *2nd Wife of Henry Conway Howard:
... + Emma Hutson b: February 06, 1869 in Hempstead County, Arkansas m: 1894 in Hempstead County, Arkansas d: 1961 in Mansfield, Tarrant County, Texas
... 3 Myrtle Elizabeth Howard b: August 28, 1895 in Hope, AR d: February 02, 1970 in Mansfield, TX
... 3 Frank Howard b: March 1898 d: December 1978
... + Leona Griffith
... 3 Nancy Odessa "Dess" Howard b: 1901
... + Virgil Seeton
... 4 LaVerne Seeton
... 4 Henry Pat Seeton d: Abt. 1996
... 4 Raymond Seeton
... 3 Mattie Adelle "Adell" Howard b: May 08, 1903
... + Albert Seeton b: March 09, 1901 d: October 02, 1986
... 3 Ella Faye "Fay" Howard b: Abt. 1905 in Hope, AR d: July 22
... + Lee Walker d: 1982
... 4 Harold L. Walker
... 4 Mary Lou Walker
... + _____ Thomas
... 3 Henry Charles G. "Charlie" Howard b: May 05, 1906 in Hempstead County, Arkansas d: April 13, 1984 in Mansfield, Texas
... + Dorothy Marie Thompson b: June 08, 1910 d: April 17, 1981
... 4 Linda Howard
... 4 Charles "Buddy" Howard, Jr.
... 3 Willie Ruth Howard b: September 14, 1908 in Mansfield, Tarrant
James Little was born in 1801 in Georgia and as a "young man" came to Clark County, Arkansas where he married Nancy Gentry about 1822. She was born in 1802 in Nashville, Tennessee and "with her parents" also came to Clark County. They eventually moved to Washington County. Arkansas where Nancy Little died in 1840 survived by four sons and three daughters: John Little, Malinda Catherine Little, Martha Caroline Little, James Little Jr., William G. Little, Nancy Angeline Little, and Samuel Rector Little.

James Little second married Elizabeth Franklin in 1842. They had two sons: Ewing M. Little and Ambrose H. Sevier Little.

James Little was one of the first settlers of Illinois, now Price Township in northwest Washington County at Summers. His death on September 22, 1845 occurred on a trip with other men of his community to sell their apple crops. He became sick and died and was buried by the road side and his burial place remains unknown. Nancy Gentry Little was buried on the family farm near Summers, Arkansas on the Ross Little Place. Traditional family history says she was of Cherokee Indian blood.

Elizabeth Franklin was born on December 27, 1824 in Tennessee and died March 14, 1890. She is buried in Ganderville Cemetery at Summers, Arkansas. She married second P. F. A. Babb on December 15, 1850 in Washington County, Arkansas. They had two children before separating. The children of James Little and his first wife Nancy Gentry were:

John Little born about 1823 in Clark County, Arkansas married Permelia, maiden name unknown, died in 1852 in Washington County, Arkansas.

Malinda Catherine Little born October 10, 1825 in Clark County, Arkansas married first Alexander A. Steward (Stewart) on February 27, 1848 in Washington County, Arkansas; he was born in 1820 and died in 1853; married second Luther N. Hollis in 1854; he was born in 1826 and died in 1877; she died March 2, 1896 at Van Buren, Arkansas.

Martha Caroline Little born November 10, 1826 in Clark County, Arkansas married first Tristram E. Babb; he was supposedly killed in an ambush at a "salt lick" in 1861 or 1862 during the Civil War; married second Reuben Stewart (Stuart) Hamilton; he was born February 10, 1817 and died March 14, 1872; she died May 24, 1902 and is buried at Stroud, Lincoln County, Oklahoma.

James Little Jr. born about 1829 in Clark County, Arkansas died after January 1853.

William G. Little born about 1831 in Clark County, Arkansas died prior January 1853.

Nancy Angeline Little born about 1834 in Washington County, Arkansas married Nester Fort of Crawford County, Arkansas on June 12, 1851 in Washington County, Arkansas.

Samuel Rector Little born February 25, 1836 in Washington County, Arkansas married first Judy Ann Robertson on February 5, 1859 in Washington County, Arkansas; she was born in 1832 and died May 24, 1868; married second Nancy Elizabeth Dunlap in 1870; she was born February 11, 1855 and died June 3, 936; he died June 10, 1908 and is buried in...
The children of James Little and his second wife Elizabeth Franklin were:

Ewing M. Little born June 5, 1843 in Washington County, Arkansas married Sarah E. Beatty daughter of Thomas and Nancy Beatty, on June 18, 1869; she was born December 3, 1847 and died September 6, 1934; he died January 12, 1903.

Ambrose Harrison Sevier Little born April 22, 1845 in Washington County, Arkansas married Sarah Jane Graham on June 10, 1866; she was born December 2, 1839 and died May 4, 1917; he died March 3, 1919.

James Little, deceased, was born in Georgia in 1801, when a young man he immigrated to Clark County, Arkansas and there married Nancy Gentry a native of Nashville, Tennessee born in 1802 who came with her parents to Clark County. After his marriage, Mr. Little moved to Washington, County in 1828 and engaged in farming and stock raising. He was left a widower in 1840 with four sons and three daughters. He then married Elizabeth Franklin who bore him two sons. He was a Democrat, and in religion a Primitive Baptist as was his first wife. Mrs. Little is still living and is a Methodist. The death of Mr. Little occurred in 1845 and was much mourned by his friends and acquaintances. Catherine, the fourth child, one of his first wife's children, and the widow of the highly esteemed Luther N. Hollis was born October 10, 1825 in Clark County, Arkansas. She united in marriage in 1848 to Alex A. Steward who was born in Indiana in 1820. Mr. Steward came to Arkansas when a boy and had been previously wedded to Esther Hinds who lived but a short time. Mr. Steward was a shrewd business man and second lieutenant in the Mexican War, and a Democrat. He died in 1853. The following year his widow married Luther N. Hollis who was born in Indiana in 1826. Having learned the tanner's trade when a boy he worked at that business in Cincinnati, Ohio and Cassville, Missouri and Fayetteville, Arkansas. Later in life he turned his attention to farming. He also served in the first Confederate Company, Capt. Carroll’s, which left Crawford County, serving as first lieutenant until the close of the war. He was twice taken prisoner and twice released. He died in 1877, lamented as a kind-hearted neighbor, and loving father and faithful friend. Mrs. Hollis has but one living child, Miss Maud Lee Hollis, but has cared for an orphan boy, Dick Hollis.

Mrs. Elizabeth Little, relict of James Little was born in Tenn., Dec. 27, 1824, and died in her home in Price Township, Mar. 14, 1890. She was taken with the prevailing influenza, followed by pneumonia and lived only eight days. She seemed to have several weeks beforehand premonition of her early dissolution. She attended the burial of Jonathan Elms more than a month ago and told some of her intimate friends she would be the next one to be buried in that place. Then afterward, though in good health, she talked quietly, calmly, assuredly about her blessed hopes of future rest and joy, selected a place to be buried, and gave minute directions about all her affairs. She professed faith in Christ many years ago, and was received into the Church, near Cincinnati, in 1852. Her father, John Franklin, settled on War Eagle in Madison County, but her husband was one of the first settlers of what is now Price Township. She married at eighteen and leaves three sons and several step children to mourn her loss.

Preemption Proof
Land Office at Fayetteville
May 23, 1836

Territory of Arkansas,
County of Washington.

Be it remembered, that, on this day personally appeared before me, an acting
Justice of the Peace, in and for the County, aforesaid, in the presence of the register and receiver at the district of lands subject to sale at Fayetteville, James Little, who being duly sworn according to law, deposeth and says: that he cultivated in the year 1833 the Southwest quarter of Section No. Twenty one, in Township No. fifteen, North of Range thirty three, West, and that he was in the actual possession of the same land on the 19th day of June, 1834, and that he knows of no existing claim as a preemption to the same land.

JAMES LITTLE

Sworn to and subscribed before me (this) 25th day of May, 1836.

B.H. SMITHSON, J.P.

Affidavit

John Cole being duly sworn according to law deposeth and says: that he is well acquainted with James Little and that he cultivated in the year 1833 the Southwest quarter of Section No. Twenty one, in Township No. fifteen, North of Range thirty three, West, and that he cultivated in that year about twelve or fifteen acres in com and that he was in the actual possession of the same land on the 19th day of June, 1834.

JOHN COLE

Sworn to and subscribed before me (this) 25th day of May, 1836.

B.H. SMITHSON

I do certify that the above testimony is creditable.

B.H. SMITHSON

We certify that the foregoing are creditable.

WILLIAM M. Y. BALL, Reg.
MA THEW LUPER, Rec.

RECEIVER’S OFFICE AT FAYETTEVILLE

No. 1168
May 25, 1836

Received from James Little of Washington County, Arkansas the sum of one hundred dollars being in full payment for the East half of the Southwest quarter of Section No. twenty one in Township No. fifteen, North of Range No. thirty three, West, containing eighty acres at $1.25 per acre.

MATIHEW LUPER, Receiver.

LAND OFFICE

No. 1168
Fayetteville,
May 25th, 1836

It is hereby certified, That, in pursuance of Law, James Little of Washington County, Territory of Arkansas, on this day purchased of the Register of this Office, the lot or East half of the Southwest quarter of Section number twenty one in Township number fifteen, North of Range number thirty three, containing eighty acres, at the rate of one dollar and twenty five cents per acre, amounting to one hundred dollars, for which the said James Little has made payment in full as required by law.

Now therefore, Be it known, That, on presentation of this certificate to the Commissioner of the General Land Office, the said James Little shall be entitled to receive a patent for the lot above described.

WILLIAM M.Y. BALL, Register.

PROBATE COURT

County of Washington,
The State of Arkansas.

To All Persons To Whom These Presents Shall Come, Greetings:

Know Ye, that whereas James Little of the county of Washington died intestate as it is said on or about the 22nd day of Sept. A.D. 1845, having at the time of his death, personal property in the state which may be lost, destroyed, or diminished in value if speedy care be not taken of the same to the end thereof, that the said property may be
collected, presented, and disposed of according to law. We do hereby appoint T.E. Babb of the county of Washington, administrator, of all and singular, the goods and chattels, rights and credits, which were of the said James Little at the time of his death. With full power and authority to secure and dispose of said property according to law, and collect, secure, and dispose of said property according to law and collect all moneys due said dec'd, in general to do and perform all other acts and things which are or hereafter may be required of him by law.

In testimony whereof, I, T.C. Pittiman, Clerk of the Circuit (Court) and Exofficio Clerk of the Court of Probate and for the County of Washington, afore- said, hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of said Court, at office, this 3rd day of October, A.D. 1845.

T.C. PITTIMAN, Clerk.


CLARK COUNTY ARKANSAS MARRIAGES
PART 3 OF BOOK A: 1832-1835

(Oldham) & Colbath

Territory of Arkansas,
County of Clark.

I, Isaac Ward, an acting Justice of the Peace in and for the County aforesaid, do hereby Certify that Greenlee Oldham and Sally Colbath was by me duly and legally married to each other on the 8th day of January A.D. 1832. Witness my hand this 13th day of January 1832.

ISAAC WARD, J.P.

Territory of Arkansas,
Sct.
County of Clark,

I hereby Certify that the foregoing Certificate of marriage was this day produced to me in my office and ordered to be Recorded which is duly done. Witness my hand as Clerk and Exofficio recorder for said county this 13th day of January 1832 and of the American Independence the 56th.

ISAAC WARD,
Clk. & exofficio recorder.

Linville & Davis

Territory of Arkansas,
County of Clark.

I hereby certify that the bonds of matrimony was Solemnised (Solemnized) according to law between Richard Linville and Stacy Davis at the County of Clark on the 29th day of January A.D. 1832 by me.

ISAAC WHITE, J.P.

Mosley & Mosley

Arkansas Territory,
Clark County.

I, William Kelley, an acting Justice of the Peace in and for the Territory and County aforesaid, do certify that the marriage Serrimony (Ceremony) was performed by me between Ma(r)vil H. Mosly (Mosley) and Rebeckah Mosly (Rebecca Mosley) on this the 5th day of March A.D. 1832.

WILLIAM KELLEY, J.P.

Territory of Arkansas,
Sct.
County of Clark,

I hereby Certify that the foregoing Certificate of Marriage was this day produced to me in my office and ordered to be recorded which is duly done. Witness my hand as Clerk and Exofficio recorder for said County this 26th day of March A.D. 1832 and of the American Independence the fifty Sixth.

ISAAC WARD,
Clerk & Exofficio recorder.

McLaughlin & Bittick

Arkansas Territory,
Clark County.

I, William Kelley, an acting Justice of the Peace in the County and Territory aforesaid, do Certify that the marriage Serrimony (Ceremony) was performed by me between Walter C. McLaughlin and Rebecca Bittick on this the 2d day of February A.D. 1832.

WILLIAM KELLEY, J.P.

Territory of Arkansas,
Sct.
County of Clark,

I hereby Certify that the foregoing Certificate of Marriage was this day produced to me in my office and Ordered to be Recorded which is duly done. Witness my hand as Clerk and Exofficio recorder for said County this 20th day of May 1832 and of the American independence the 56th.

ISAAC WARD,
Clerk & exofficio recorder.

Huckelberry & Gilman

Territory of Arkansas,
County of Clark.

I hereby Certify that John Hoofman (Hoffman or Huffman) and Martha Gentry was duly and legally married to each Other on the 15th day of March A.D. 1832 by me. Given under my hand this 28th day of May 1832.

JOHN ROSE, J.P.

Territory of Arkansas,
Sct.
County of Clark,

I hereby Certify that the foregoing Certificate of marriage was this day Produced to me in my Office and Ordered to be recorded which (is) duly done. Witness my hand as Clerk and Exofficio recorder for said County this 29th day of May 1832 and of the independence of the United States the fifty Sixth.

ISAAC WARD,
Clk. & Exofficio recorder.

Crumstack & Gibbins

Territory of Arkansas,
County of Clark.

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I hereby Certify that Thomas Crumstack and Loucinda Gibbins was duly and Legally married to each Other on the 5th day of April A.D. 1832 by me, the said Thomas Crumstack having Obtained a certificate from the Parents of Loucinda Gibbins according to Law. Given under my hand this 28th day of May 1832.

JOHN ROSE, J.P.

Territory of Arkansas,
Sct.
County of Clark,

I hereby Certify that the foregoing Certificate was this day Produced to me in my Office and Ordered to be recorded which is duly done. Witness my hand as Clerk and Exofficio recorder for said County this 29th day of May 1832 and of the American Independence the 56th.

ISAAC WARD, J.P.

Crow & Wells
Territory of Arkansas,
County of Clark.

I, Isaac Ward, an acting Justice of the Peace in and for the County aforesaid, do hereby Certify that James H. Crow and Emily Wells were duly and Legally married to each Other on the 7th day of June 1832. Witness my hand this 21st day of June 1832.

ISAAC WARD, J.P.

Talbott & Huddleston
Territory of Arkansas,
County of Clark.

I, Isaac Ward, an acting Justice of the Peace in and for the County aforesaid, do hereby Certify that Jesse W. Talbott and Rachel Hud(d)leston were duly and Legally married to each Other by me on the 21st day of June A.D. 1832. Witness my hand this 22nd June 1832.

ISAAC WARD, J.P.

Bare & Allen
Territory of Arkansas,
County of Clark.

I, Isaac Ward, an acting Justice of the Peace in and for the County aforesaid, do hereby Certify that Peter Bare (Bear) and Elizabeth Allen were by me duly & legally married to each Other on the 12th day of July 1832 by me. Witness my hand this 15th day July 1832.

ISAAC WARD, J.P.
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Exofficio recorder for said County this 25th day of July 1832 and of the Independence of the United States the fifty Seventh.

ISAAC WARD, Clerk & Exofficio recorder.

Stroud & Hud(d)leston
Territory of Arkansas,
County of Clark.

I do hereby Certify that Elisha A. Stroud and Delilah Hud(d)leston were duly and legally married to each other on the 16th day of August A.D. 1832. In witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 14th day of September 1832.

ISAAC WARD, J.P.

Territory of Arkansas,
Sct.
County of Clark,

I hereby Certify that the foregoing Certificate of Marriage was this day produced to me in my Office and Ordered to be recorded which is duly done. Witness my hand (as) clerk (and) Exofficio recorder for said County this 14th day of Sept. 1832.

ISAAC WARD, Clerk & Exofficio recorder.

Collier & Dickson
Territory of Arkansas,
Clark County (&)
Township of Missouri.

I, Isaac White, acting Justice of the Peace, did solemnize the marriage (ceremony) between Nathaniel Colyer (Collier) and Alisebeth (Elizabeth) Dickson on the second day of August 1832.

ISAAC WHITE, J.P.

Territory of Arkansas,
County of Clark.

I hereby Certify that the foregoing Certificate of Marriage was this day produced (to) me in my office and ordered to be Recorded which is duly done. Witness my hand as Clerk and Exofficio (recorder for said County) this 25th day of Sep(tember 1832).

ISAAC WARD, Clerk & Exofficio recorder.

Frier & Corthron
Territory of Arkansas,
County of Clark.

I do Certify the marriage of Ambrose Frier and Rachel Corthron on the 24th day of September A.D. 1832, By me.

MOSES MOORE, J.P.

Territory of Arkansas,
County of Clark.

I hereby Certify that the foregoing Certificate of Marriage was this day produced to me in my office and ordered to be recorded which is duly done. Witness my hand as Clerk and Exofficio recorder for said County this 8th (October 1832).

ISAAC WARD, Clerk & Exofficio recorder.

Hardin & Sorrels
Territory of Arkansas,
County of Clark.

I, Benjamin Lewis, an acting Justice of the Peace in and for the County aforesaid, do hereby Certify that Benjamin Hardin and Mary Sorrels was duly and legally married to each other by me on the 7th day of September A.D. 1832. Witness my hand this 14th day of November 1832.

BENJAMIN LEWIS, J.P.

Territory of Arkansas,
Set.
County of Clark,

I hereby Certify that the foregoing Certificate of Marriage of Benjamin Hardin and Mary Sorrels was this day produced to me in my office and Ordered to be Recorded which is
duly done. Witness my hand as clerk and Exofficio recorder for said County this 4th day of November A.D. 1832 and of the Independence of the United States the (57th).

ISAAC WARD,
Clerk & Exofficio recorder.

Blair & Brewer

I, Washington Sorrels, an acting Justice of the Peace, do Certify that on the 6th of December 1832, I Solemnized the rights (rites) of matrimony between Silas C. Blair and Elizabeth Brewer. Given under my hand this 7(th) February 1833.

W. SORRELS, J.P.

Territory of Arkansas,
Sct. County of Clark,

I, Isaac Ward, do hereby Certify that the foregoing Certificate of Marriage was this day Produced to me in my Office and ordered to be Recorded which is duly done. Witness my hand as clerk and Exofficio Recorder for the County aforesaid, this (26)th day of January (February) 1833 and of the Independence of the United States the 57th.

ISAAC WARD,
Clerk & exofficio Recorder.

Self & Brown
(Erroneous)

Territory of Arkansas,
County of Clark.

I, William Kelley, an acting Justice of the Peace within and for the County and Territory aforesaid, do certify that the marriage ceremony was performed by me between David Self and Catharine Brown on this the 24th day of March A.D. 1833.

WILLIAM KELLEY, J.P.

Robinson & Edmiston

Arkansas Territory,
Clark County.

I, William Kelley, an acting Justice of the Peace in the County and Territory aforesaid, do Certify that the marriage ceremony (Ceremony) was performed by me between John B. Robinson and Nancy Edmiston (widow of Zebulon Edmiston) on this the 18th day of November 1832.

WILLIAM KELLEY, J.P.

Territory of Arkansas,
County of Clark.

I hereby Certify that the foregoing Certificate of Marriage was this day produced to me in my Office and Ordered to be Recorded which is duly done. Witness my hand as clerk and Exofficio Recorder for said County this 31st day of January A.D 1833 and of the independence of the United States the 57.

ISAAC WARD,
Clerk & exofficio Recorder.

Wilson & Stewart

Justice's Office

I hereby Certify that the rites of Matrimony between Berry Wilson and Narcissa J. Stewart on the 3rd day of the present instant. January 15th 1833.

ISAAC WARD, J.P.

Territory of Arkansas,
County of Clark.

I hereby Certify that the foregoing Certificate of marriage was this day produced to me in my office and ordered to be recorded which is duly done. Witness my hand as Clerk and Exofficio recorder of Said County this 15th
day of January 1833.  

ISAAC WARD,  
Clerk & Exofficio recorder.  

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Banks & Stroope  
Territory of Arkansas,  
County of Clark.  

I do hereby Certify that Tunstall Banks and Nancy Stroope was duly and Legally married to each Other on the 29th day of January 1833 by me. Given Under my hand this 9th day of February 1833.  
ISAAC WARD, J.P.  

Territory of Arkansas,  
County of Clark,  

I hereby Certify that the foregoing Certificate of marriage was this day produced to me in my office and Ordered to be recorded which is duly done. Witness my hand as Clerk and Exofficio Recorder for said County this 9th day of February A.D. 1833 and of the American Independence the 57th.  
ISAAC WARD,  
Clk. & Exofficio Recorder.  

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Coker & Hopkins  
Territory of Arkansas,  
County of Clark.  

I, Henry Cornelius, a preacher of the Gospel of the Methodist Episcopal Church in the County aforesaid, do hereby Certify that John C. Coker and Susanna Hopkins was duly and Legally married to each other on the 21st day of January A.D. 1833 by me. Witness my hand this 11th day of February 1833.  
HENRY CORNELIUS, P.G  

Territory of Arkansas,  
S(c)t.  
County of Clark,  

I hereby Certify that the foregoing Certificate of marriage was this day produced to me in my office and Ordered to be recorded which is duly done. Witness my hand as clerk and Exofficio Recorder for said County this 21st day of February A.D. 1833 and of the Independence of the United States the 57th.  
ISAAC WARD,  
Clk. & exofficio Recorder.  

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Laramore & Elkins  
Territory of Arkansas,  
County of Clark.  

I hereby Certify that John Laramore and Loureta Elkins were duly and Legally married to each Other on the 2nd day of December 1832 by me. Witness (my) hand this 20th day of February A.D. 1833.  
BENJAMIN LEWIS, J.P.  

Territory of Arkansas,  
County of Clark,
I hereby Certify that the foregoing Certificate of marriage was this day produced to me in my office and Ordered to be recorded which is duly done. Witness my hand as Clerk and Exofficio recorder for said County this 22nd day of (February) 1833 and of the Independence of the United States the 57th.

ISAAC WARD, 
Clk. & exofficio Recorder.

Self & Brown

Territory of Arkansas,  
County of Clark.

I, William Kelley, an acting Justice of the Peace within and for the County and Territory aforesaid, do certify that the marriage ceremony was performed by me between David Self and Catharine Brown on this the 24th day of March A.D. 1833.

WILLIAM KELLEY, J.P.

Territory of Arkansas,  
County of Clark.

I hereby certify that the foregoing certificate of marriage was this day produced to me in my office and ordered to be recorded which is duly done. Witness my hand as deputy clerk and Exofficio recorder for said County this 20th day of April A.D. 1833 and of the American Independence the 57th.

J.S. WARD, 
Dep. clerk & Exofficio recorder.

Wingfield & Ward

Territory of Arkansas,  
County of Clark.

I do hereby certify that the rites of Matrimony was Solemnized by me between William M. Wingfield and Eliza Caroline Ward according to the Statute in such cases made and provided. Given under my hand as a Justice of the Peace Within and for the County of Clark and Territory of Arkansas, February 21st 1833.

MOSES MOORE, J.P.

Territory of Arkansas,  
County of Clark.

I hereby Certify that the foregoing Certificate of marriage was this day produced to me in my Office and Ordered to be recorded which is duly done. Witness my hand as Clerk and Exofficio recorder for said County this 22nd day of April 1833 and of the independence of the United States the 57th.

ISAAC WARD, J.P.

 Territory of Arkansas,  
County of Clark.

I hereby Certify that Lewis Latham and Alsa Large was duly and legally married to each Other on the 10th day of March A.D. 1833 by me. Witness my hand this 11th day of April 1833.

ISAAC WARD, J.P.

 Territory of Arkansas,  
Sct.  
County of Clark,

I hereby Certify that the foregoing Certificate of marriage was this day produced to me in my Office and Ordered to be recorded which is duly done. Witness my hand as Clerk and Exofficio recorder for said County this 22nd day of April 1833 and of the independence of the United States the 57th.

ISAAC WARD, J.P.

 Territory of Arkansas,  
County of Clark.

These are (to) Certify that I solemnized the rights (rites) of matrimony between James S. (Brewer) and Serilda White on the 3rd day of March 1833.

W. SORRELS, J.P.
Territory of Arkansas, County of Clark.

I hereby Certify that the foregoing Certificate of marriage was this day Produced to me in my Office and Ordered to be recorded which is duly done. Witness my hand as Clerk and Exofficio recorder for said County this 4th day of June A.D. 1833 and of the independence of the United States the 57th.

ISAAC WARD, Clk. & Exofficio recorder.

Baxter & Wood

Arkansas Territory, Clark County.

These are to Sertify (Certify) that I solemnized the rights (rites) of matrimony between Joel B. Baxter and Elizabeth Wood on the 24th day of March 1833.

W. SORRELS, J.P.

Territory of Arkansas, Sct. County of Clark,

I hereby Certify that the foregoing Certificate of marriage was this day Produced to me in my Office and Ordered to be recorded which is duly done. Witness my hand as Clerk and Exofficio recorder for said County this 4th day of June A.D. 1833 and of the independence of the United States the 57th.

ISAAC WARD, Clk. & Exofficio recorder.

Smith and Wingfield

Territory of Arkansas, County of Clark.

I hereby certify that James Smith and Temperance Wingfield was duly and legally married to each other by me on the 13th day of June A.D. 1833. Witness my hand this 20th day of June 1833.

ISAAC WARD, J.P.
ISAAC WARD, J.P.

Territory of Arkansas,
County of Clark.

I do hereby Certify that the foregoing
Certificate of marriage was this day
Produced to me in my office & ordered to be
recorded which is duly done. Witness my
hand as Clerk and Exofficio recorder for said
County this 10th day of August A.D. 1833
and of the independence of the United States
the 58th.

ISAAC WARD,
Clk. & exofficio recorder.

Pettit & Stroope

Territory of Arkansas,
County of Clark.

I hereby certify that James Pettit and Eliza
Stroope were duly married to each other on
the 12th day of September 1833.

ISAAC WARD, J.P.

Territory of Arkansas,
County of Clark.

I hereby certify that the foregoing certificate
of marriage was this day produced …

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Davis & Burk

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Allen & Golliher

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McLaughlin & Caruthers

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NOTICE - NOTICE - NOTICE

If you have friends that haven’t received the GEMS recently and they are members of the PCAHS it is likely we don’t have their correct address. Please ask them to send us their address.

QUERIES

Does anyone know a John and Francis Moore who were in Pike County from 1871 to 1880? They had seven children born in Pike County: John, Henry, Mary, Gibson, Callie, Tennessee and Ritter.

Thanks,
Ted Moore
13715 Hwy 32
Success, MO 65570
e-mail: tmoore@train.missouri.org

[Editor’s note: The family is shown in the 1880 Pike County Census in White Township, Dwelling 125 on page 478. The census record shows an additional child, Henry P., who is 6 months old.]

I would like to make connections with any East family who have ancestors from South Carolina and Tennessee. The East family from the Amity and Delight areas, where were your ancestors before they came to the Clark and Pike County, Arkansas areas?
e-mail: jjboyd@alltel.net
Judy Boyd
47 Palestine Road
Amity, Arkansas.

OBITUARY

[Abilene Reporter News on September 5, 2003 - sent by Tim Hughes; Hughes@bitstreet.com; Sun 9/14/2003 2:00 PM]

Gilmer Edward Hughes was born September 24, 1919 in Woodson, Texas. He graduated from Abilene Christian College in May of 1942. He entered the Army Air Corps in 1942 and served in Guatemala and Panama as a weather observer. He married Leitress Ann Ray in Austin Texas April, 18, 1944. He left the Army in 1946. He moved to Baird Texas in 1947 to become a Veterans Administration school instructor, teaching auto mechanics, auto bodywork and accounting. In 1954 he began operating an independent auto body shop and auto dealership. In 1957 He entered on duty with the Federal Aviation Administration in Midland Texas. After returning to Baird in
1959 he maintained the Abilene FAA VORTAC until his retirement in 1984. He also worked for a period of time as an installer for Claydesta Communications. In 1960 he was installed as an Elder for the Baird Church of Christ and served for 42 years.

He died September 4, in Abilene at the age of 83. He was preceded in death by his parents, James Edward Hughes and Etta Leota Gregg Hughes of Woodson, one brother and four sisters. Survivors include his wife, Leitress, three sons, Brent Hughes of Lubbock, Ron Hughes of Aledo and Timothy Hughes of Baird, six grandchildren, several nieces and nephews and a host friends.

[Editor's note: Information about the ancestors of Gilmer Edward Hughes was published in the Winter 1999 Edition of the GEMS, page 10-10.]

Pike County Tax Book For The Year 1850
A List of Persons Assessed for Taxation in Pike County
in the State of Arkansas.

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Rec[eive]d [at] Murfreesboro, 10th Oct. 1850, of W.H. Preston, Clerk of the Circuit Court and Ex officio Clerk of the County Court of the County of Pike in the State of Arkansas, the Tax Book for the Year A.D. 1850, the amt. of the State Tax on said Book being Two Hundred and Eighty-six Dollars and Twenty-nine cents and the amt. of the County tax being four Hundred and thirty-seven Dollars and thirty-eight cents, which amt. I promise to collect and account for according to law.

Lewis Huddleston, Sheriff
of Pike County, Arks.

Pike county Tax Books for the year 1850 received and filed in the auditor's office August 17, 1850 and the sum of 297.29 charged to the sheriff, page 216

C.C. Danley, Auditor
of Arkansas

Amounts receipted for the sheriff.........$297.29
Correct amount of Tax Book.................$287.56
Difference placed to sheriffs credit........$9.73

Condensed Statement

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