

JOHN POTTER WINCHESTER

John Potter Winchester, b. 29 December 1849, TN – d. 16 September 1903, TN md May 1871 **Licitia “Ligiti” Johnson Evans**, b. 24 March 1839- d. 30 December 1915, both buried in the Evans – Winchester Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

- ...William Levi Winchester (1872 – 1878)
- ...Anthony N. Winchester (1874 – 1967) md May 1895 Rilda Haseltine Burch, d/o Barnett “Barney” Burch (1839 – 1921), s/o Christopher Burch, NC & Piety Cash, VA & Martha Elizabeth Jones (1840 – 1925), d/o Arrias “Aries” & Susan Jones.
 - ...William Valentine Winchester (1897 – 1945) md May 1925 Alice Harriet Garbers (1894 – 1934)
 - ...Warren William Winchester (1931) md July 1956 Clara Marie Hand (1936)
 - ...Virginia Alice Winchester (1899 – 1995) md January 1917 Earl Edward Schlarb (1892 – 1971)
 - ...William Earl Schlarb (1919 – 2002)
 - ...Grace Nell Winchester (1901 – 1975) md June 1929 Alpheus William Thomas (1904 – 1978)
 - ...Stanley Ray Thomas (1931)
 - ...James “Jack” Toi Winchester (1905 – 1951)
(never married, Toi was badly burned in a fire while working at the Standard Oil refinery. He Died in 1951, at age 45, of complications from the burns).
 - ...Martha Elizabeth “Tookie” Winchester (1912 – 1999) md July 1935 John Dixon McLaren (1912 – 1982)
 - ...David John McLaren (1939)
 - ...James Earl McLaren (1944)
- ...Virginia Alice “Virgie” Winchester (1876 – 1895) md 21 December 1893, Buffalo Valley, TN Daniel Mangium “Mang” Draper (1869 - 1938). He md 2nd 15 October 1896, Buffalo Valley, TN Mary Frances Bates & md 3rd 5 November 1913, Leeville, TN, Mattie Eliza McDole.
 - ...Winnie Myrtle Draper (1894-1981) md Thomas Isaac Holland (1882)
 - ...George Winchester Holland (1925, Wilson Co., TN)
 - ...Mildred Kathryn Holland (1928, Martha, TN)
- ...Rufus Toi Winchester (1878 – 1959) md May 1900 Donna “Dona” Fletcher (1880 - ?)
 - ...Johnnie Mae Winchester (1903 – 1959)
 - ...Anthony Winchester (1905 – 1930)
 - ...Luke Winchester (1909 – 1930)
 - ...Georgia Winchester (1911 - ?)
 - ...Virginia Louise Winchester (1913 - ?)
 - ...Frank D. Winchester (1914 – 1945)
 - ...Ralph Winchester (1917 - ?)
 - ...Margaret Winchester (1918 - ?)
- ...Janie Ruth Winchester, b. 20 June 1922 – d. 18 March 1924, buried in the Evans – Winchester Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

1870 census 9th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN

Burch, Barnett 29 M W (value of personal estate, 500) Blacksmith GA
(Barnett “Barney” Burch, s/o Christopher Burch, NC & Piety Cash, VA)

Burch, Martha 27 F W Keeps House GA
(Martha Elizabeth (Jones) Burch, d/o Arrias “Aries” & Susan Jones)

Burch, John L. 7 M W TN
(John L. Burch, b. 13 November 1864, TN – d. 31 December 1878)

Burch, Catherine E. 3 F W TN
(Catherine “Kate” Elizabeth Burch md Jesse Pullum & J. M. Lovelady)

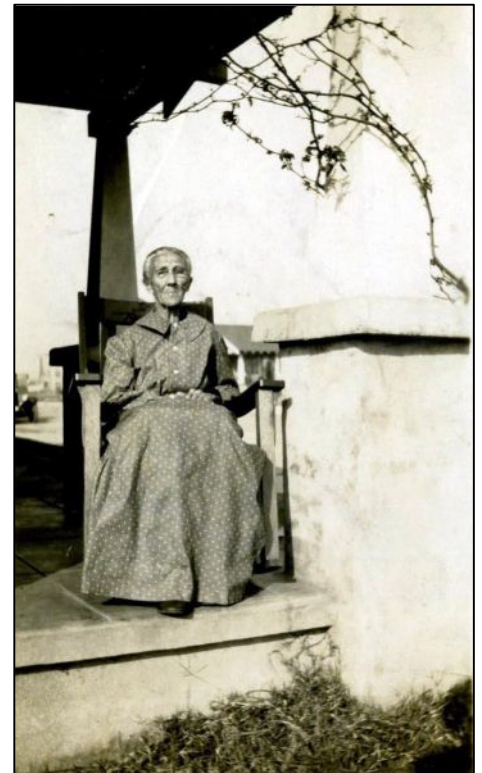
Burch, Susan A. 2 F W TN

Census Place: 1880 District 11, Putnam Co., Tennessee

Dwl: 82 Family: 89

Source: FHL Film 1255275 National Archives Film T9-1275
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Relation	Sex	Marr	Race	Age	Birthplace
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Martha Elizabeth (Jones) Burch, d/o Arrias “Aries” & Susan Jones. She married Barnett “Barney” Burch, May 1861.

Barney BIRDCH Self M M W 40 GA
 Occ: Blacksmith Fa: VA Mo: VA
(Barnett "Barney" Burch, s/o Christopher Burch, NC & Piety Cash, VA)
Martha BIRDCH Wife F M W 38 SC
 Occ: Tailor Fa: SC Mo: SC
(Martha Elizabeth Jones, d/o Arrias "Aries" & Susan Jones)
Betty BIRDCH Dau F S W 14 TN
 Occ: At Home Fa: GA Mo: SC
(Catherine "Kate" Elizabeth "Bettie" Burch md 1st Jesse Pullum – md 2nd J. M. Lovelady)
Susa BIRDCH Dau F S W 12 TN
 Occ: At Home Fa: GA Mo: SC
Nettie BIRDCH Dau F S W 9 TN
 Fa: GA Mo: SC
Alice BIRDCH Dau F S W 6 TN
 Fa: GA Mo: SC
Rilda BIRDCH Dau F S W 4 TN
 Fa: GA Mo: SC
(Rilda Haseltine Burch md Anthony N. Winchester, s/o John Potter Winchester & Licitia Johnson Evans)
James BIRDCH Son M S W 2 TN
 Fa: GA Mo: SC
William BIRDCH Son M S W 3M TN
 Fa: GA Mo: SC
(William "Willie" Burch, b. 20 March 1881, TN - d. 19 February 1882)
Ervin CANTREL Nephew M S W 21 TN
 Fa: SC Mo: SC

DC Certificate Number: 25963,
 Putnam Co., TN
 Deceased Name: **Kate Elizabeth Lovelady**
 Date of Birth: 25 Dec 1865
 Place of Birth: Putnam County
 Date of Death: 25 Nov 1940
 Father: **Barney Burch**
 Place of Birth: NC
 Mother: **Martha Jones**
 Place of Birth: GA
 Spouse: **J. M. Lovelady**
 Cemetery: Maddux Cemetery

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	Relation	Sex	Marr	Race	Age	Birthplace
John P. WINCHESTER	Self	M	M	W	28	TN
Occ: Farmer Fa: NC Mo: NC <i>(John Potter Winchester md Licitia Johnson Evans)</i>						
Liciddy WINCHESTER	Wife	F	M	W	40	TN
Occ: Keeping House Fa: MD Mo: VA <i>(Licitia Johnson Evans)</i>						
Antny WINCHESTER	Son	M	S	W	5	TN
Fa: TN Mo: TN <i>(Anthony Winchester md Rilda Haseltine Burch, d/o Barnett "Barney" Burch & Martha Elizabeth Jones)</i>						
Orrgy WINCHESTER	Dau	F	S	W	4	TN
Fa: TN Mo: TN <i>(Virginia Alice Winchester md Daniel Mangium "Mang" Draper)</i>						
Tay WINCHESTER	Son	M	S	W	1	TN
Fa: TN Mo: TN <i>(Rufus Toi Winchester md Donna Fletcher)</i>						

1900 census 9th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 171 Family: 171

Burch, Barnett Head 59 M W August 1840 Married (38 yrs. md) Farmer GA SC SC
Burch, Martha E. Wife 57 F W b. August 1842 Married (38 yrs. md) (12 children born, 10 children living) SC SC SC
 Burch, Alice Dau 25 F W October 1874 Single TN GA SC
 Burch, James T. Son 22 M W February 1878 Single Farm Laborer TN GA SC
 Burch, Charley Son 18 M W December 1881 Single Farm Laborer TN GA SC
 Burch, Cleveland Son 13 M W December 1886 Single Farm Laborer TN GA SC

(Grover Cleveland "Cleve" Burch md Georgia Kerr Boyd, d/o George Washington Boyd & Naomi Tennessee "Tennie" Kerr/Carr)

Burch, Dora Dau 12 F W February 1888 Single Farm Laborer TN GA SC

Burch, Callie Dau 10 F W January 1890 TN TN TN

1900 census 11th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 90 Family: 90

Winchester, John P. Head 50 M W b. December 1849 Married (29 yrs. md) Farmer TN NC NC

Winchester, Licity Wife 61 F W b. March 1839 Married (29 yrs. md)

(4 children born, 2 children living) TN MD VA

Winchester, Rufus T. Son 21 M W December 1878 Married 1/12 Farm Laborer TN TN TN

(Rufus Toi Winchester md Donna Fletcher)

Winchester, Winnie M. Granddaughter 5 F W October 1894 Single TN TN TN

1900 census 11th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 91 Family: 91

Winchester, Anthony Head 25 M W b. December 1874 Married (4 yrs. md) Farmer TN TN TN

Winchester, Pella A. Wife 23 F W b. December 1876 Married (4 yrs. md)

(2 children born, 2 children living) TN TN TN

Winchester, William V. Son 3 M W b. April 1897 Single TN TN TN

(William Valentine Winchester md Alice Harriet Garbers)

Winchester, Vergie Dau. 1 F W b. May 1899 Single TN TN TN

(Virginia "Virgie" Winchester md Earl Edward Schlarb)

Winchester, Maggie Sister-in-Law 19 F W August 1880 Married (0 yrs. md) Farm Laborer TN TN TN

Winchester, Thomas Boarder 23 M W August 1876 Single TN TN TN

1910 census 9th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 14 Family: 16

Burch, B. Head 76 M W M1 (49 yrs. md) Farmer General Farm GA SC SC

Burch, Martha E. Wife 68 F W M1 (49 yrs. md) SC SC SC

Burch, Charlie Son 28 M W Single Bookkeeper On Boat TN GA SC

Burch, Grover C. Son 25 M W Single Farm Laborer Home Farm TN GA SC

(Grover Cleveland "Cleve" Burch md Georgia Kerr Boyd, d/o George Washington Boyd & Naomi Tennessee "Tennie" Kerr/Carr)

Burch, Dora L. Dau 23 F W Single TN GA SC

Burch, Velma C. Dau 20 F W Single TN GA SC

1910 census 11th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 150 Family: 150

Winchester, Ruffus T. Head 31 M W Married (10 yrs. md) Farmer General Farm TN TN TN

(Rufus Toi Winchester md Donna Fletcher)

Winchester, Maggie Wife 29 F W Married (10 yrs. md) (3 children born, 3 children living) TN TN TN

Winchester, Johnie M. Dau 6 F W Student Single TN TN TN

Winchester, James A. Son 4 M W Single TN TN TN

Winchester, Luke F. Son 1 8/12 M W Single TN TN TN

Winchester, Licity T. Mother 71 F W Widow TN TN TN

(Licitia Johnson (Evans) Winchester md John Potter Winchester)

Winchester, Winie M. Niece 15 F W Student Single TN TN TN

1910 census Wilmington Twp., Precinct 226, Los Angeles, CA

Dwl: 50 Family: 50

Winchester, Anthony Head 35 M W M1 (14 yrs. md) Carpenter House TN NC NC

Winchester, Rilda Wife 34 M1 F W (14 yrs. md) (4 children born, 4 children living) TN TN TN

Winchester, Willie Son 13 M W Single TN NC GA

(William Valentine Winchester md Alice Harriet Garbers)

Winchester, Virgie Dau 11 F W Single TN TN TN

(Virginia "Virgie" Winchester md Earl Edward Schlarb)
Winchester, Gracie Dau 9 F W Single TN TN TN
(Gracie Nell Winchester md Alpheus William Thomas)
Winchester, Toi Son 5 M W Single TN TN TN
(James Toi "Jack" Winchester (1905 – 1951))

1920 census 9th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 10 Family: 11

Burch, Barney Head 79 M W Married GA NC NC

Burch, Martha Wife 78 F W Married SC SC SC

1920 census 11th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 96 Family: 97

Burch, Cleveland Head 35 M W Married Miller Mill TN GA GA

(Grover Cleveland "Cleve" Burch, s/o Barnett "Barney" Burch & Martha Elizabeth Jones)

Burch, Georgia Wife 25 F W Married TN TN TN

(Georgia Kerr Boyd, d/o George Washington Boyd & Naomi Tennessee "Tennie" Kerr/Carr)

Burch, Kathleen Dau 3 F W Single TN TN TN

(Kathleen Burch md Bill Craun)

1920 census 11th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 115 Family: 116

Winchester, Rufus Toi Head 41 M W Married Farmer General Farm TN TN TN

Winchester, Margaret Wife 39 F W Married

Winchester, Johnnie Mae Dau 16 F W Single TN TN TN

Winchester, Anthony Son 14 M W Single TN TN TN

Winchester, Luke Son 11 M W Single TN TN TN

Winchester, Georgia Dau 9 F W Single TN TN TN

Winchester, Frank D. Son 6 M W Single TN TN TN

Winchester, Virgie Dau 4 3/12 F W Single TN TN TN

Winchester, Ralph Son 3 1/12 M W Single TN TN TN

Winchester, Margaret Dau 1 12/12 F W Single TN TN TN

1920 census Los Angeles City, Precinct 644, Los Angeles, CA

Dwl: 1046 Family: 469 – 490

Winchester, Anthony Head 45 M W Married Carpenter Oil Co. TN TN TN

Winchester, Rilda Wife 44 M1 F W Married TN NC SC

Winchester, William V. Son 22 M W Single Engineer Oil Co. TN TN TN

Schlarb, Virgie Dau 20 F W Married TN TN TN

(Virginia "Virgie" Winchester md Earl Edward Schlarb)

Winchester, Grace N. Dau 18 F W Single Operator Telephone Co. TN TN TN

(Gracie Nell Winchester md Alpheus William Thomas)

Winchester, James T. Son 14 M W Single TN TN TN

(James Toi "Jack" Winchester (1905 – 1951))

Winchester, Martha E. Dau 7 F W Single TN TN TN

(Martha Elizabeth Winchester md John Dixon McLaren)

Schlarb, Earl E. Son-in-Law 26 M W Married Laborer Lumber Co. IA Germany MN

Schlarb, William E. Grandson 1/12 M W Single CA IA TN

1930 census Los Angeles County, District 579 Los Angeles, CA

(Wilmington) Sheet 22A 1046 McDonald Ave. DWL 439 Family 431

Winchester, Anthony N. Head M W 55 Married 21yrs TN Carpenter/Building Contractor

House is owned, worth \$7500, and they have a radio!

Winchester, Rilda H. Wife of Head F W 54 Married 20yrs TN

Winchester, James T. Son M W 25 Single TN

(James Toi "Jack" Winchester (1905 – 1951))

Winchester, Martha Daughter F W 18 Single CA
(*Martha Elizabeth Winchester md John Dixon McLaren*)

Source: Draper Families in America by Mrs. Ethel Nichols Anderson, Mrs. Willie Howard Draper Huddleston, Mrs. Christine Spivey Jones, Mrs. Eleanor Drake Mitchell & Mrs. Mildred Draper Summers. Pages 250 – 254.

WILLIAM DRAPER, born September 1, 1834, Chestnut Mound, TN – died June 16, 1901; buried Backwith, TN; (farmer; residence, Chestnut Mound, TN); married December 14, 1865, Chestnut Mound, TN; **MARY FERGUSON**, born August 24, 1849, Putnam Co., TN – died July 13, 1932.

Children of William Draper & Mary Ferguson:

1. **Jasper Draper**, died May 23, 1867; buried Smith Co., TN

Married 2nd December 30, 1868, near Chestnut Mound, TN; **MARY JANE APPLE**, born August 24, 1849, Putnam Co., TN – died July 13, 1932.

Children of William Draper & Mary Jane Apple:

1. **Daniel Mangium “Mang” Draper**, born October 12, 1869, near Chestnut Mound, TN – died February 21, 1938, Wilson Co., TN; (farmer; Martha, TN, Rt.2); married 1st December 21, 1893, Buffalo Valley, TN; **Virginia Winchester**, born October 23, 1875, Buffalo Valley; died December 20, 1895; buried Buffalo Valley in the Evans-Winchester Cemetery.
(**Note:** Putnam County Cemeteries by Maurine Ensor Patton, pgs. 284, 285 has Virgie Draper, b. 23 October 1876 – d. 20 December 1895.)

Children of Daniel Mangium “Mang” Draper & Virginia Winchester:

1. **Winnie Myrtle Draper**, born November 20, 1894, Buffalo Valley, TN; married June 21, 1924, Nashville, TN; **Thomas Isaac Holland**, born February 28, 1882, Gladeville, TN, Wilson Co.

Children of Thomas Isaac Holland & Winnie Myrtle Draper:

1. **George Winchester Holland**, born July 4, 1925, Wilson Co., TN
2. **Mildred Kathryn Holland**, b. April 4, 1928, Martha, TN

Married 2nd, October 15, 1896, Buffalo Valley, TN; **Mary “Mollie” Frances Bates**, born May 13, 1878, Buffalo Valley, TN – died February 23, 1908, Silver Springs, TN.

Children of Thomas Isaac Holland & Mary “Mollie” Frances Bates:

1. **Edna Lee Draper**, born July 24, 1897, Buffalo Valley, TN; married November 7, 1920, Leeville, TN; **Hugh Robertson**, born January 6, 1896, Temperance Hall, TN; (ice manufacturer, Chicago, IL).

Children of Hugh Robertson & Edna Lee Draper:

1. **Margaret Draper Robertson**, born January 1, 1922, Lebanon, TN
2. **James Hugh Robertson**, born March 23, 1924, Lebanon, TN
3. **Thomas Gerald Robertson**, born August 22, 1925, Evanston, IL
4. **Charles Morgan Robertson**, born April 12, 1927, Evanston, IL
2. **Mary Lucile Draper**, born May 15, 1899, Buffalo Valley, TN – died July 8, 1928
Silver Springs, TN
3. **Daniel Thomas Draper**, born June 20, 1906, Silver Springs, TN; (farmer)

Married 3rd, November 5, 1913, Leeville, TN; **Mattie Eliza McDole**, born October 14, 1889, Sparta, TN – died October 20, 1919, Silver Springs.

Children of Thomas Isaac Holland & Mattie Eliza McDole:

1. **Virginia Ruth Draper**, born June 8, 1915, Silver Springs, TN
2. **Meredith Eugene Draper**, born August 23, 1916, Silver Springs, TN
3. **Daniel Mang Draper, Jr.**, born August 26, 1917, Silver Springs, TN

Record given October 11, 1929 by E. W. and D. M. Draper, Martha, TN.

Note: Siblings of Daniel Mangium “Mang” Draper are:

1. **Thomas Luther Draper**, born July 9, 1872, Dillard's Creek, near Chestnut Mound, TN – died April 13, 1941, Washington Co., MS, Buried Greenville, MS; (cotton farmer, Winterville, MS); married December 29, 1906, Leeville, TN; Ida Pearl Sullivan, born Leeville, TN.
2. **Linus F. Draper**, born July 17, 1873, near Chestnut Mound, TN – died September 21, 1873; buried Chestnut Mound.
3. **John Alvin Draper**, born September 8, 1874, near Chestnut Mound, TN (farmer, Martha, TN, Rt.2) married December 6, 1905, Leeville, TN; **Nora Davis**, born July 23, 1882, Beckwith, Wilson Co., TN – died January 4, 1952.
4. **Calla Dona Draper**, born June 21, 1876 – died July 22, 1880; buried Smith Co., TN.
5. **James Warren Draper**, born September 15, 1877, near Chestnut Mound, TN; (went to MT. In his last letter, he told he was to be married soon. Afterwards, no word).
6. **William Estell Draper**, born February 23, 1879, Chestnut Mound, TN – died February 5, 1957; Buried Lebanon Cemetery; (building contractor, Mt. Juliet, TN) married September 5, 1904, Wilson Co., TN; **Lena D. Eatherly**, born March 8, 1883, Wilson Co., TN – died April 16, 1955; Buried next to her husband.
7. **Edgar Wheeler Draper**, born March 6, 1883, near Chestnut Mound, TN; (farmer, Martha, TN, Rt. 2); married January 17, 1906, Martha, Wilson Co., TN; **Annie Elizabeth Frakes**, born December 4, 1885 near Gallatin, TN.
8. **Ruby Gray Draper**, born November 25, 1885, near Chestnut Mound, TN; (Residence: Mr. Juliet, TN); married January 4, 1905, Mr. Juliet, TN; **Bethel Bates**, born April 3, 1882, Putnam Co., TN.

Source: **Putnam County Cemeteries by Maurine Ensor Patton**, pg.285:

EVANS-WINCHESTER CEMETERY, Putnam Co., TN located in the Rock Springs community at the old Jared place.

John Potter Winchester, b. 29 December 1849, TN – d. 16 September 1903 (*a Mason*)

(*John Potter Winchester, h/o Licitia “Ligiti” Johnson Evans*)

Licitia “Ligiti” Johnson (Evans) Winchester, b. 24 March 1839, TN – d. 30 December 1915 (*w/o John Potter Winchester*)

Janie Ruth Winchester, b. 20 June 1922 – d. 18 March 1924

(*d/o Rufus Toi Winchester & Donna “Dona” Fletcher*)

Virgie Draper, b. 23 October 1876 – d. 20 December 1895

(*Virginia Alice “Virgie” Winchester, w/o Daniel Mangium “Mang” Draper*)

John D. Evans, b. 2 October 1823 – d. 15 September 1902 (*a Mason*)

Levi F. Elder Evans, b. 16 March 1831 – d. 11 May 1916

Martha J. Evans, b. 10 November 1842 – d. 31 January 1925



Grover Cleveland “Cleve” Burch



Georgia Kerr (Boyd) Burch,
w/o Grover Cleveland “Cleve” Burch

Grover Cleveland “Cleve” Burch Obt.

Rites for G. C. Burch held here today. Funeral services for G. C. Burch, 61 year old Buffalo Valley man who had been a guard at the Tennessee State Penitentiary for several years, who died of a heart attack while on duty Sunday were held Tuesday morning at the Carver Funeral Home here. Rev. Alonzo Harris and Rev. Dow A. Ensor officiated at the services. Burial was in Cookeville City Cemetery. A native of Buffalo Valley, Mr. Burch was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Barney Burch.

Before becoming connected with the state, Mr. Burch ran a General Merchandise Store at Buffalo Valley. He was married in 1914 to the former, Miss Georgia Boyd, who died in April of last year. Survivors include a daughter, Miss Kathleen Burch.

Herald, Cookeville, TN: 4 July 1946, pg. 8.

Georgia Kerr (Boyd) Burch Obt.

Mrs. Cleveland Burch Dies in Nashville on Sunday

Mrs. Georgia Boyd, 51, wife of Cleveland Burch, died Sunday morning in Nashville after an extended illness. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Washington Boyd of Buffalo Valley, and during most of her life she was a resident of Buffalo Valley but for the past few months, the family had resided in Nashville.

Mrs. Burch had been ill for more than 2 years. Funeral services were conducted at 10:00 Monday morning in the chapel of Carver Funeral Home in Cookeville, by Rev. Forrest Garman of Nashville, a former pastor of the Buffalo Valley Presbyterian Church, and Rev. J. A. Harris of Baxter. Burial was in Cookeville City Cemetery.

For several years, she was a teacher in the public schools of this county. She was a active and devoted member of the Buffalo Valley Presbyterian Church from her childhood. Survivors are G. C. Burch, a daughter, Miss Kathleen Burch, both of Nashville, and 4 sisters, Mrs. Luke Alexander Shanks of Buffalo Valley, Mrs. William Mervin Denny of Mt. Juliet, Mrs. Charles Harris of Carthage, and Mrs. Walter Payne of Detroit, MI, and many other relatives in this county.

Herald, Cookeville, TN: 19 April 1945.

George Washington Boyd Obt.

b. 22 January 1859, Putnam Co., TN

d. 23 September 1924, TN

s/o Bransford Boyd & Elizabeth “Liza” Jane Jared

md Naomi Tennessee “Tennie” Kerr/Carr

b. 20 September 1855, Putnam Co., TN

d. 18 May 1928, TN –

Both Buried: + Boyd – Russell – Young Cemetery,

Luke Shanks Homeplace, Putnam Co., TN

*See Chapter 8 – ajlambert.com

Putnam County Herald, 23 September 1924

A well known and highly respected farmer of this county died Tuesday of heart failure at his home near Buffalo Valley in the Eleventh District of TN. He was stricken with an acute attack of heart trouble and lived only a few hours. He was 65 years old and had lived all of his life in the Eleventh Civil District. He was a man of the strictest integrity and enjoyed the confidence and esteem of all who knew him. He was a member of the Methodist Church and a Mason. He is survived by his wife and five grown daughters, Mrs. Hattie Denny of Lebanon, Mrs. Cleveland Burch of Buffalo Valley, Mrs. Walter Payne of Cookeville, and

Misses Dona Boyd and Gertrude Boyd of Gentry, the two latter being teachers in the public schools of this county. Funeral services were conducted at the home on Wednesday afternoon, followed by the interment of the remains in the family burial lot. The deceased leaves many relatives and a host of friends in this county who mourn his death. His influence was always exerted for the right and he was indeed a good man and a useful citizen.

Naomi Tennessee "Tennie" Kerr/Carr Boyd Obt.

Putnam County Herald Newspaper, Cookeville, TN – May 24, 1928 pg. 6

Estimable Woman Passed Away on Friday May, 18.

Mrs. G. W. Boyd died at her home in Buffalo Valley on Friday May 18. She was 72 years of age and was a faithful member of the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Boyd was a member of one of the prominent families of the county. Her grandfather Joseph Jared was a soldier in the Revolutionary War. She is survived by 5 daughters; Mrs. Walter Payne of Cookeville, Mrs. Mervin Denny of Lebanon, Mrs. Dona Shanks, and Miss Gertrude Boyd of Buffalo Valley, and Mrs. Cleveland Burch of Petres and a number of grandchildren, two sisters, Mrs. Mary Wyatt of Chestnut Mound, and Mrs. Jane Elrod of Texas.

Funeral services were conducted at the home of Rev. J. A. Harris and she was buried by the side of her husband with appropriate rites attended by a large concourse of friends and relatives.

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