

**JARRATT FITZGERALD CEMETERY**  
**FLYNN'S CREEK, JACKSON CO. TN**

Civil District 11. From Gainesboro take Hwy 53 toward Granville. Turn right on Fort Blount Ferry Road and first right after crossing bridge over Flynn's Creek on Ray Hix Lane. Beside the barn in the pasture at Ray and Margaret Hix's home is a cemetery. Not much is left of it now, but it shows signs of huge slabs of stone which made up box graves, and huge mummy shaped stones which were stacked one on top of the other and two child size coffin mummy shaped gave stones. This farm many years ago was owned by Dudley Brown Haile who owned slaves. Ray pointed out that there was a cook house between the cemetery and the main road. Also several hundred feet from this cemetery was a colored cemetery. There is no sign of it now. On past the colored cemetery is some caves and was called Dud's Bluff. Dudley Brown Haile was the great grandfather of Margaret Hix and her father was James Amon Haile. This lot is covered with busted lime stone rocks. Copied 10 April 1999. Source: Jackson County Cemetery Inscriptions 1801-2003 by Larry Earl Mabry & Reda Knight Bilbrey.

**JARRATT FITZGERALD**

b. 1755 – d. May 1798

[North Carolina Troops Revolutionary War](#), May 1798. DAR records show born 1755 died 1798. He actually died between 1803-1810. [Children confirmed: Agnes, Patrick, Jabez, Garrett, John, Katherine S., Mary, and Rachel.](#)

**J. B. F.**

This could be the stone of Jarratt Fitzgerald before the DAR placed the military marker there. [He married Jane Moore](#) – Jackson County Sentinel, TN (23 September 1943) has the story of the dedication for Garrett Fitzgerald. He served at the Jonesboro Convention of 1784.

Jackson County Sentinel, TN: 23 September 1943

Dedication of Soldier's Grave, Sunday September 26<sup>th</sup>.

Dedication of Revolutionary soldier's grave, Garrett Fitzgerald, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Flynn's Lick on the Tom Haile farm.

Program:

1. Assembly
2. Presenting of Colors
3. To The Colors
4. Allegiance To The Flag
5. Song: "America"
6. Reading of Ritual
7. Prayer
8. "Why the DAR marks the graves of Revolutionary Soldiers."
9. Unveiling of Marker
10. Placing of Wreath
11. Poem
12. Introduction of Speaker
13. Address "Early History and Settlers of Jackson County" by Mrs. Rutledge Smith
14. Dedication of Marker
15. Acceptance of Marker

16. Retiring of Colors  
The public is cordially invited to attend.  
Mrs. Alvis Johnson, Regent

**SARAH J. COX**

b. 18 September 1840 – d. 20 September 1859, md ROBERT ALEXANDER COX. This stone is standing up against a tree.

Five names are on the next memorial marker:

**JAMES ‘SQUIRE JIMMY’ DRAPER**

b. 8 May 1790 – d. 1 February 1873, s/o Thomas Draper Jr. & Salley Lyles.

**JANE (MOORE) DRAPER**

b. 30 January 1798 – d. 1868, d/o John Fitzgerald & Sarah Bullard.

**MARY JANE (DRAPER) MONTGOMERY**

b. 1831 – d. 12 December 1852, d/o James Draper & Jane M. Fitzgerald.

**CORA ELIZABETH CRAIG**

b. 1835 – d. 18 August 1871, d/o James Draper & Jane M. Fitzgerald.

**SARAH (BULLARD) DRAPER**

b. 1823 – d. 6 October 1876, d/o James Draper & Jane M. Fitzgerald.

\*Draper Families in America has Jane died 9 September 1869 and d/o Garrett Fitzgerald.  
Note: The Draper Families in America gives full dates. It has Mary Jane, b. 12 February 1830. Family Bible of Robert Montgomery has, b. 12 February 1831. Draper book has Cora E., b. 12 April 1838. James Draper married 2 February 1819 to Jane Moore Fitzgerald.

\*From Family Records of Mrs. Eleanor Drake Mitchell:

SARAH FITZGERALD, b. 1777-79 – d. 1830-34, d/o Joseph & Martha Bullard. She md on the 14<sup>th</sup> of February 1797 to JOHN FITZGERALD, s/o Jarratt “Garratt” Fitzgerald.

\*From Draper Families of America:

**TABITHA (BRECKENRIDGE) DRAPER**, b. 7 September 1856 – d. 1859, d/o Thomas Jeff Draper & Anna Eliza Goodall. She is the granddaughter of Garrett Fitzgerald & Sarah Bullard.

\*Read more information about Putnam and Jackson Counties of Tennessee at:

<http://www.ajlambert.com>

**FITZGERALD, GARRETT**

Service:

NORTH CAROLINA Rank: PRIVATE

Birth:

(CIRCA) 1755 NORTH CAROLINA

Death:

P 5- -1798 JEFFERSON CO TENNESSEE

Service Source:

REV WAR PAY VOUCHERS #68.23 SEIMES VOUCHER #3157 NC REV WAR  
ARMY ACCTS VOL 1 P 171

Service Description:

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Residence

WASHINGTON CO - State: NORTH CAROLINA

Spouse: X BULLARD