



Picture made ca. 1896 at the old Dr. Luther M. Freeman House by a traveling photographer from Blacksburg, SC. Originally known as the Maddux home, was referred to as the Freeman home after Ethel Maddux married Dr. Luther M. Freeman and they made their home here.

People in the pictures are: R to L: Man in chair, Robert Fain Maddux, s/o Thomas Jefferson Maddux & Elizabeth James Garrett; 1st child, Lucille Gleason, a niece of Martha (Stanton) Maddux; woman in chair, Martha (Stanton) Maddux, d/o Milton & Rebecca Stanton; girl sitting on ground, Ethel Maddux, d/o Robert Fain & Martha (Stanton) Maddux, Ethel Maddux later md Dr. Luther M. Freeman; woman standing by tree, Alta Maddux, , d/o Robert Fain & Martha (Stanton) Maddux, Alta Frances Maddux later md Dr. Charles McClain of Carthage, Smith Co., TN; colored lady by chimney was a house servant named Emily and that is her child Mattie on the back steps. Robert Fain Maddux was a 1st cousin of Craven Shanks

Source: Putnam County Tennessee Cemeteries by Maurine Ensor Patton & Doris Garrison Gilbert, pg. 341:

MADDUX GRAVEYARD, Putnam Co., TN located on Martin's Creek between Dr. Luther M. Freeman homeplace and Thomas Jefferson Maddux homeplace. A story is told that a Mrs. Hogan, who once owned this property had many slaves. She would kill them for disobeying her. They are buried in the area west of the graveyard. Liza Freeman Thompson said there were many unmarked graves in this area. Recorded by Maurine Ensor Patton on March 1981.

*Thomas Jefferson Maddux, b. 12 August 1878, Putnam Co., TN – d. 12 March 1956,
s/o Robert Fain Maddux (1852-1898) & Martha Stanton (1852-1924). He married 13 August 1899, Margaret M. Burton.

*Margaret Medora “Maggie” (Burton) Maddux, b. 27 May 1878, Elmwood TN – d. 23 October 1975,
Granville, TN, d/o John Terry Burton & Vianna Beasley Bomar.
She md Thomas Jefferson Maddux.

Paul Martin Thompson, b. 15 December 1941 – d. 18 December 1974, TN
s/o Paul Lillian Thompson & Eliza Maddux.

Robert “Bob” Breeding, b. 9 June 1911 – d. 30 September 1972



Thomas
Jefferson
Maddux
(1878-1956)

s/o Rubin Breeding & Cynthia Ann Mills.
h/o Martha Beasley Maddux, b. 14 March 1910 – d. 5 December 1991. No Issue.
d/o Thomas Jefferson Maddux & Martha Stanton.

Robert Stanton Freeman, b. 12 December 1916, TN – d. 9 February 1968, Nashville, Davidson Co., TN, s/o Dr. Luther Martin Freeman & Ethel Fredona Maddux.
Robert Stanton Freeman md Geraldine McDonald.

***Dr. Luther Martin Freeman M. D.**, b. 13 January 1879, TN –
d. 5 November 1973, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN
(*physician since 1906*) s/o Thomas & Eliza Freeman.

***Ethel Fredonia (Maddux) Freeman**, b. 14 October 1886, TN – d. 16 March 1970, Granville, TN
d/o Robert Fain Maddux & Martha Stanton

(**Source:** Marriage record: L. M. Freeman md 9 June 1907, Putnam Co., TN Ethel Maddux:
Vol. ?, pg. 402, certificate 2, Putnam Co., TN)



Geraldine (McDonald) Freeman
1945 Baxter Seminary Senior
“Seldom she speaks,
but well she...listens”

Robert T. Lee Jr., b. 15 January 1913? – d. 15 January 1913?

*John M. Lee, b. 28 October 1875 – d. 8 March 1938
*Mary E. Lee, b. 27 February 1877 – d. 8 November 1932

*Thomas Jefferson Lee, b. 17 October 1834 – d. 27 October 1923, Putnam Co., TN, md 15 May 1866 to
Tennessee Stanton.

*Tennessee (Stanton) Lee, b. 16 August 1851 – d. 3 January 1906
See Thomas Jefferson Lee Obt.

*Milton Stanton, b. 8 February 1818, TN – d. 11 December 1899
*Rebecca (Crook) Stanton, b. 6 October 1831, TN – d. 30 January 1887
Parents of Martha (Stanton) Maddux.

Lucille Gleason, b. 28 December 1891, TN – d. 14 December 1901,
d/o Sally Stanton Gleason, granddaughter of Milton & Rebecca Stanton.

Robert Dowell Maddux, b. 13 August 1900 – d. 27 March 1902
s/o Thomas Jefferson Maddux & Margaret Medora “Maggie” Burton.

Fannie, a dog.

Frances (Maddux) Ulmer, b. 24 December 1902, Putnam Co., TN – d. 18 March 1974,
Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN – md Carter Patterson Ulmer. No issue.

*Robert Fain Maddux, b. 25 December 1852, TN – d. 16 April 1898
s/o Thomas Jefferson Maddux (1814-1871) & Elizabeth James Garrett (1814-1896).
*Martha (Stanton) Maddux, b. 28 March 1852, Stanton Branch, Jackson Co., TN – d. 23 February 1924, at
home near Granville, TN. Martha was buried in a separate row from her husband, Robert Fain Maddux
because they had to blast the rock to open his grave. Martha (Stanton) Maddux, d/o Milton Stanton &
Rebecca Crook.

Charles A. Ragland, b. 10 September 1891 – d. 10 September 1891
s/o J. B. & Ella Ragland

Ella (Stanton) Ragland, b. 28 January 1868 – d. 4 March 1892
w/o J. B. Ragland

W. A. Montgomery, b. 25 December 1822 – d. 14 August 1910
Uncle of Myrtle Jared

*Ralph Jennings Maddux, b. 5 September 1918, Putnam Co., TN – d. 16 August 2002, Cookeville, TN
s/o Thomas Jefferson Maddux (1878-1956) & Margaret Medora “Maggie” Burton (1879-1975).

*Nannie Jo (Miller) Maddux, b. 24 February 1923, Pleasant Hill, Cumberland Co., TN –
d. 12 September 1995, d/o Bryce Miller & Maggie Wilson.

1850 census, 10th Dist., Jackson Co., TN

Dwl: 98

Maddux, Thomas J. 36 M W Farming VA (*Thomas Jefferson Maddux*)

Maddux, Elizabeth 36 F W VA (*Elizabeth Jane Garrett md Thomas Jefferson Maddux*)

Maddux, Mary 12 F W TN

Maddux, Elizabeth 10 F W TN

Maddux, Frances 9 F W TN

Maddux, James 7 M W TN

Maddux, Martha 6 F W TN

Maddux, Tennessee 5 F W TN

Maddux, Virginia 4 F W TN

Maddux, Margaret 3 F W TN

1860 census 10th Civil Dist., post office, Byrne, Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 1100

Stanton, Milton 39 M W Farmer (value of real estate, 1,000) (value of personal estate, 1,600)

Stanton, Rebecca 31 F W TN

Stanton, Tennessee 10 F W TN

Stanton, Martha 8 F W TN (*Martha Stanton md Robert Fain Maddux*)

Stanton, Thomas J. 5 M W TN

Stanton, Garland 2 M W TN

1860 census 11th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 1258

Maddux, T. J. 45 M W Farmer (value of real estate, 4,000) (value of personal estate, 5,000) VA

Maddux, Elizabeth J. 45 F W TN

Maddux, Sarah F. 17 F W Single TN

Maddux, Martha 14 F W Single TN

Maddux, Tennessee 12 F W Single TN

Maddux, Virginia T. 11 F W Single TN

Maddux, Thomas D. 8 M W Single TN (*Thomas D. Maddux – (1851 – 1874)*)

Maddux, Robert F. 7 M W Single TN (*Robert Fain Maddux md Martha Stanton*)

Maddux, Hugh B. 6 M W Single TN (*Hugh Bradley Maddux md Mary McClarin*)

Maddux, Fredonia M. 3 F W Single TN

Maddux, John B. 1 M W Single TN

1870 census 11th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 61

Maddux, Thomas Jefferson Head 54 M W (value of real estate, 5,000)

(value of personal estate, 2, 200) Farmer VA

Maddux, Elizabeth Wife 54 F W Keeping House VA

Maddux, Thomas 18 M W TN (*Thomas D. Maddux – (1851 – 1874)*)

Maddux, Robert 17 M W TN (*Robert Fain Maddux md Martha Stanton*)

Maddux, H. B. 16 M W TN (*Hugh Bradley Maddux md Mary McClarin*)

Maddux, Fredonia M. 13 F W TN

Amonett, F. M. 29 M W (value of personal estate, 500) MD Physician TN

Amonett, V. T. 21 F W Keeping House TN

Amonett, M. L. 0 b. 3/12 Feb. F W TN

1870 census 11th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 62

Maddux, S. H. 56 M W Farmer (value of real estate, 5,000) (value of personal estate, 2, 200) Farmer VA

Maddux, Lucy A. 57 F W Keeping House VA

Maddux, Frances 26 F W TN

Maddux, James 17 M W TN

Maddux, S. D. 15 M W TN

Thaxton, B. B. 29 M W (value of personal estate, 500) TN

Thaxton, Mary 21 F W Keeping House TN

Thaxton, A. W 0 b. 8/12 Sept. M W TN

Fain, Mary 14 F B TN

Census Place: 1880 District 12, Putnam Co, Tennessee

Dwl: 133

Source: FHL Film 1255275 National Archives Film T9-1275 Page 157B

	Relation	Sex	Marr	Race	Age	Birthplace
Robert MADDUX	Self	M	M	W	27	TN (<i>Robert Fain Maddux</i>)
Occ:	Farmer	Fa: VA	Mo: VA			
Martha MADDUX	Wife	F	M	W	27	TN (<i>Martha Stanton</i>)
	Fa: TN	Mo: TN				
Alta F. MADDUX	Dau	F	S	W	6	TN
	Fa: TN	Mo: TN				
<i>(Alta F. "Altie" Maddux, b. 20 February 1874 – d. 30 July 1965 md Charles R. McClarin, b. 9 March 1871 d. 22 September 1933. They had one son named Will Maddux McClarin).</i>						
Thomas MADDUX	Son	M	S	W	1	TN
	Fa: TN	Mo: TN				
<i>(Thomas Jefferson Maddux, b. 12 August 1878 – d. 12 March 1956 md Margaret "Maggie" Medora Burton, b. 27 May 1879 – d. 23 October 1975)</i>						
James DYE	Other	M		W	14	TN
Occ:	Works On Farm	Fa: ---	Mo: ---			

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

Source: FHL Film 1255275 National Archives Film T9-1275 Page 169A

Dwl: 150 Family: 164

	Relation	Sex	Marr	Race	Age	Birthplace
Hugh B. MADDUX	Self	M	W	W	25	TN
Occ:	Farmer	Fa: VA	Mo: VA			<i>(Hugh Bradley Maddux)</i>
Elizabeth MADDUX	Mother	F	W	W	65	VA
Occ:	Keeping House	Fa: VA	Mo: VA			
<i>(Elizabeth Jane. (Garrett) Maddux, w/o Thomas Jefferson. Maddux)</i>						
Id LAMBERSON	Other	M	S	B	18	TN
Occ:	Laborer	Fa: TN	Mo: TN			
Sintha APPLE	Other	F	S	B	16	TN
Occ:	Servant	Fa: TN	Mo: TN			
Tennessee MCKINDLEY	Other	F	S	B	11	TN
Occ:	Servant	Fa: TN	Mo: TN			

Census Place: 1880 E.D. 69, Macon Co., Tennessee

Source: FHL Film 1255270 National Archives Film T9-1270 Page 20C

Dwl: 353 Family: 358

	Relation	Sex	Marr	Race	Age	Birthplace
Thomas FREEMAN	Self	M	M	W	25	TN
Occ:	Farming	Fa: TN	Mo: TN			
Eliza FREEMAN	Wife	F	M	W	22	TN
Occ:	House Keeping	Fa: VA	Mo: TN			
Dudley R. H. FREEMAN	Son	M	S	W	3	TN
	Fa: TN	Mo: TN				

Luther M. FREEMAN Son M S W 1 TN
Fa: TN Mo: TN

1900 census 1st Civil Dist. Macon Co., TN

Dwl: 93 Family: 94

Freeman, Thomas E. Head 43 M W b. November 1854 Married (24 yrs. md) Farmer TN TN TN
Freeman, Eliza Wife 42 F W b. April 1858 Married (24 yrs. md) (5 children born, 5 children living) TN TN TN
Freeman, Luther Son 21 M W b. January 1879 Single TN TN TN
Freeman, Garfield Son 18 M W b. September 1881 Single TN TN TN
Freeman, Chester H. Son 12 M W b. March 1888 Single TN TN TN
Freeman, Arta Dau 15 F W b. May 1895 Single TN TN TN

1900 census 12th Civil Dist. Macon Co., TN

Dwl: 108 Family: 108

Maddux, Martha Head 48 F W b. March 1852 Widow (4 children born, 3 children living) TN TN TN
(*Martha (Stanton) Maddux, w/o Robert Fain Maddux*)
Maddux, Thomas Son 21 M W b. August 1878 Married 10/12 Farmer TN TN TN
(*Thomas Jefferson Maddux md Margaret Medora "Maggie" Burton*)
Maddux, Maggie Daughter-in-Law 21 F W b. May 1879 Married 10/12 (no children) TN TN TN
Maddux, Ethel Dau 16 F W b. October 1883 Single TN TN TN
(*Ethel Fredonia Maddux, b. 14 October 1886 – d. 16 March 1970 md 9 June 1907, Dr. Luther M. Freeman, b. 13 January 1879 – d. 5 November 1973*)
Maddux, Lucile Niece 8 F W b. December 1891 Single TN TN TN
Hogan, Henry Lodger 18 M W b. January 1882 Single Farm Laborer TN TN TN

1910 census 10th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 149

Maddux, Thomas Jefferson Head 31 M W M1 (10 yrs. md) Farmer General Farm TN TN TN
Maddux, Maggie M. Wife 31 F W M1 (10 yrs. md) (5 children born, 4 children living) TN TN TN
(*Margaret Medora "Maggie" Burton*)
Maddux, Alta F. Dau 8 F W Single TN TN TN (*Alta Frances Maddux md Carter Patterson Ulmer*)
Maddux, Nodora M. 6 F W Single TN TN TN
(*Medora Maddux md 1st Frank C. Corder – md 2nd Robert Gordon Hurst*)
Maddux, Elenore O. 3 F W Single TN TN TN (*Eleanor O. Maddux never married*)
Maddux, Denis Son 1/12 M W Single TN TN TN

1910 census 10th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 150

Freeman, Luther M. Head 31 M W M1 (3 yrs. md) Physician General Doctor TN TN TN
(*Luther Martin Freeman, s/o Thomas E. & Eliza Freeman*)
Freeman, Ethel F. Wife 26 F W M1 (3 yrs. md) (1 child born, 1 child living) TN TN TN
Freeman, Eliza Dau 10/12 F W Single TN TN TN
Maddux, Martha Mother-in-Law 58 F W Widow TN TN TN
(*Martha (Stanton) Maddux, w/o Robert Fain Maddux*)
Terry, Alice Lodger 14 F W Single TN US US

1920 census 10th Civil Dist., Martin's Creek, Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 1

Freeman, Luther M. Head 45 M W Married Farmer General Farm TN TN TN
Freeman, Ethel F. Wife 40 F W Married TN TN TN *age incorrect.*
Freeman, Eliza Dau 8 F W Single TN TN TN
(*Eliza Maddux Freeman md Paul Lillard Thompson, s/o James Bolivar Thompson & Mary Jane Sherrell*)
Freeman, Robert Son 6 M W Single TN TN TN (*Robert Stanton Freeman md Geraldine McDonald*)
Maddux, Martha Mother-in-Law 58 F W Widow TN TN TN *age incorrect.*
(*Martha (Stanton) Maddux, w/o Robert Fain Maddux*)

1920 census 10th Civil Dist., Martin's Creek, Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 4

Maddux, Thomas Jefferson Head 41 M W Married Farmer General Farm TN TN TN

Maddux, Maggie M. Wife 40 F W Married TN TN TN

Maddux, Frances Dau 18 F W Single TN TN TN (*Alta Frances Maddux md Carter Patterson Ulmer*)

Maddux, Medora M. Dau 15 F W Single TN TN TN

(*Medora Maddux md 1st Frank C. Corder – md 2nd Robert Gordon Hurst*)

Maddux, Eleanor O. Dau 13 F W Single TN TN TN (*Eleanor O. Maddux never married*)

Maddux, Martha Dau 9 F W Single TN TN TN (*Martha Beasley Maddux md Robert "Bob" Breeding*)

Maddux, Mary Dau 6 F W Single TN TN TN (*Mary Freeman Maddux Morrell*)

Maddux, Thomas Son 3 9/12 M W Single TN TN TN

(*Thomas Burton Maddux md 1st Ida Elizabeth Carter, md 2nd Nell Brown Cole, md 3rd Gladys Martin Steele, md 4th Elizabeth Carter Stout*).

Maddux, Ralph Son 1+ M W Single TN TN TN (*Ralph Jennings Maddux md Nannie Jo Miller*)

1930 census 10th Civil Dist., Martin's Creek, Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 35

Freeman, Luther M. Head 49 M W Married (26 yrs. old 1st marriage) Doctor Medical TN TN TN

Freeman, Ethel F. Wife 44 F W Married (21 yrs. old 1st marriage) TN TN TN

Freeman, Eliza Dau 20 F W Single TN TN TN

Freeman, Robert S. Son 13 M W Single TN TN TN

1930 census 10th Civil Dist., Martin's Creek, Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 37

Maddux, Tom Head 50 M W Married Farmer General Farm TN TN TN

Maddux, Maggie Wife 50 F W Married TN TN TN

Maddux, Elen Dau 26 F W Teaching School Single TN TN TN (*Eleanor O. Maddux never married*)

Maddux, Mary Dau 16 F W Single TN TN TN (*Mary Freeman (Maddux) Morrell*)

Maddux, James T. Son 14 M W Single Laborer General Farm TN TN TN

(*Thomas Burton Maddux md 1st Ida Elizabeth Carter, md 2nd Nell Brown Cole, md 3rd Gladys Martin Steele, md 4th Elizabeth Carter Stout*).

Maddux, Ralph Son 11 M W Single Laborer General Farm TN TN TN

(*Ralph Jennings Maddux md Nannie Jo Miller*)

Medora "Dodie" (Maddux) Corder Hurst Obt.

NORTH CAROLINA -- Memorial services for **Medora (Dodie) Maddux Corder Hurst**, of Carol Woods, N.C., will be held Thursday, Jan. 19, at Carol Woods Assembly Hall in Chapel Hill, N.C. Private graveside services will be at Maddux Family Cemetery at Locust Hill Farm in Martins Creek Community of Putnam County at a later date.

Mrs. Hurst died Thursday, Jan. 12, 2006, in Carol Woods Retirement Community.

She was born May 30, 1904, in Granville to the late **Thomas Jefferson Maddux and Margaret Medora Burton Maddux**.

Mrs. Hurst attended Tennessee Polytechnic Institute in Cookeville and George Peabody College in Nashville.

While in Fayetteville with her **first husband, Frank C. Corder**, Mrs. Hurst actively served both her church and community. She served in numerous offices in the Women of the Church. In recognition of her dedicated service, she was awarded an honorary Life Membership in the Women of the Church in 1969. She was an active member of the Cape Fear Valley Hospital Auxiliary, which she helped organize. She also served on the Salvation Army Board and the Fayetteville Woman's Program, a civic beautification project.

In 1975 Mrs. Hurst married her **second husband, Robert Gordon Hurst**. In 1980 the couple became residents of Carol Woods.

Her family includes two sisters, Mary Freeman Maddux Morrell and Eleanor Maddux; a stepson, Grant Hurst; numerous nieces including Martha Sue Williford and Nancy Lefever; a number of nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews; a great-great-nephew; and a great-great-niece.

In addition to her parents and her husbands, Mrs. Hurst was preceded in death by two sisters, Frances Maddux Ulmer and Martha Beasley Maddux Breeding, and two brothers, Thomas Burton Maddux and Ralph Maddux.

Information was provided by Hooper-Huddleston and Horner Funeral Home.

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Sgt. Thomas Jefferson Lee Obt.

b. 17 October 1834 - d. 27 October 1923, Putnam Co., TN, (Co. K, 17th Tennessee Infantry (CSA), md on the 15th of May 1866 to **Tennessee Stanton**, b. 16 August 1851 – d. 3 January 1906. Their daughter **Lillian Lee** (1889-1925) md on the 22nd of July 1915, Putnam Co., TN to **William Grover Anderson** (1889-1970), s/o **Lewis Monroe Anderson** (1867-1935) & **Matilda Isabelle Wallace** (1872-1956). Lillian and Wm. G. Anderson are both buried in Cookeville City Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

Thomas Jefferson Lee, Confederate veteran, and one of the most prominent and highly respected citizen of this section of the state, died at his home in the Tenth civil district of this county last Thursday, Nov. 1. He was 88 years old and had been prominently identified with the public life of Putnam county almost from the organization of the county.



He was gallant Confederate soldier, and having been wounded and captured by the Federals, he was confined for fourteen months as a prisoner of war in the Federal prison, Fort Delaware, from which he was pardoned by President Lincoln later in the afternoon of the same day in which President Lincoln was assassinated. Facts relative to the issuance of his pardon by President Lincoln, known to the deceased and his friends at the time, convinced them that the granting of the pardon was the last official act of President Lincoln on that fateful day in the evening of which he suffered martyrdom.

The deceased was, for many years, a successful merchant and owned one of the best farms in this section of the state.

He was for many years active and influential in the political life of this county and section.

His wife died several years ago. He is survived by three sons and five daughters, as follows: John M. Lee, and T. J. Lee, Jr., of this county, Robert T. Lee of Nashville, Mrs. John E. Oliver and Mrs. Charles A. Reagan of this city, Mrs. William Grover Anderson of Baxter and Mrs. Mollie Whitley and Mrs. Mattie Gwaltney of Gordonsville. Also by one brother, Hop T. Lee, of this county.

Putnam County Herald, Cookeville, TN: Monday, 5 November 1923.

Source: Granville Museum, Granville, TN <http://www.granvillemuseum.com/index.htm>:

The Civil War experiences of Granville, an important Cumberland River port in the nineteenth century, were similar to many rural Upper Cumberland communities. When Tennessee seceded in 1861, most residents backed the Confederacy.

Granville was a contested area for both Confederate and Union cavalry from 1863 to 1865. In the spring and summer of 1863, the 8th Texas Cavalry (SCA) was stationed in Granville while preparing to attack Union-occupied Carthage in neighboring Smith County. In the fall of 1864, the 1st Tennessee Mounted Infantry (USA) used Granville as a base and also camped across the Cumberland River from the town.

Several Granville residents served in the Confederate army. Sidney Smith Stanton, a prominent Granville attorney and state senator at age 30, strongly encouraged secession. He enlisted as a private in Co. F, 25th Tennessee Infantry (CSA), in July 1861. Stanton recruited more than, 1,000 men from neighboring counties. Promoted to colonel, he organized the 84th Tennessee Infantry in 1862. After surviving several battles, Stanton was killed during the Atlanta Campaign.

Sgt. Thomas Jefferson Lee, Co. K, 17th Tennessee Infantry (CSA), was captured here in 1864 while recruiting volunteers in Granville. Lee was one of a group of Confederate soldiers pardoned by President Lincoln on April 14, 1865, just one day before the president's death. Lee later returned to Granville to marry Col. Stanton's relative **Tennessee Stanton**, whom he had promised to marry when she was just a baby. Lee is buried in the family cemetery on Martins Creek Road.

On October 24, 1885, 5,000 Confederate veterans reunited at Granville to pay tribute to Col. Stanton's memory. Thomas Jefferson Lee's Co. K, 17th Tennessee Infantry, held reunions in Granville with both Confederate and Union veterans from 1885 to 1920.

Eleanor O. Maddux Obt.

COOKEVILLE -- Funeral services for **Eleanor O. Maddux**, 98, of Cookeville, will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 28, at Granville United Methodist Church. Private graveside services will be in Maddux Family Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from noon until time of services Saturday at the church.

Mrs. Maddux died Friday, Jan. 20, 2006, in NHC Health Care.

She was born May 8, 1907, in Granville to the late **Thomas Jefferson and Margaret Burton Maddux**.

Mrs. Maddux retired from the Civil Service with the Federal Court in Nashville in 1970. She taught in Putnam and Jackson counties for a few years. She also attended Tennessee Polytechnic Institute in Cookeville and Middle Tennessee State Teacher College in Murfreesboro. Mrs. Maddux was a member of Granville United Methodist Church.

Her family includes a sister, Mary Freeman Maddux Morrell of Pulaski; two nieces, Nancy Lafever and Martha Williford; two great-nephews; two great-nieces; a great-great-nephew; a great-great-niece; and a special caregiver, Evangeline O'Kain of Cookeville.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by three sisters, Frances Maddux Ulmer, Medora Maddux Corder Hurst and Martha Beasley Maddux Breeding, and two brothers, Thomas Burton Maddux and Ralph Maddux. Memorial contributions may be made to Granville United Methodist Church or the Humane Society.

Bro. Ernest Blair will officiate the services.

(*See Granville School 1915 picture in the Schoolyard section: <http://www.ajlambert.com>)

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Martha “Maggie” Medora (Burton) Maddux Obt.

GRANVILLE, TN – Funeral services for **Maggie Burton Maddux**, 96, were held Saturday at Granville Presbyterian Church with Andrew Albert officiating. Burial was in Maddux Family Cemetery.

Mrs. Maddux died October 23 at her home in Granville following an extended illness. She was a native of Elwood, TN and the **daughter of John Terry Burton and Vianna Beasley Bomar**.

Survivors are 4 daughters, Eleanor Maddux of Nashville, Martha Beasley Breeding of Granville, Mary Freeman Morrell of Pulaski, and Medora Corder of Fayetteville, NC; 2 sons, Thomas B. Maddux and Ralph Maddux both of Granville.

Two grandchildren, Nancy Maddux Lafever of Cookeville and Martha Maddux Slatten of Sparta, and 2 great-grandchildren, Leigh Ann Lafever and Jeff Lafever of Cookeville.

Note: Martha “Maggie” Medora (Burton) Maddux, w/o Thomas Jefferson Maddux, s/o Robert Fain Maddux & Martha Stanton.

Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN: 27 October 1975.

(Carthage Courier newspaper, Carthage, Smith Co., TN: Gordonsville High School will open August 31. Elementary school teachers, **Miss Medora Maddux**, 1st and 2nd grades; Miss Frances James, music).

Martha (Stanton) Maddux Obt.

Mrs. **Martha Stanton Maddux** died at her home near Granville last Saturday. She was the widow of the late Robert Maddux who died many years ago.

Since childhood Mrs. Maddux has been a consecrated Christian being a member of the Methodist Church. She always went about doing good kindness to the needy and sick and it seemed to give her pleasure.

Surviving are her 2 daughters, Mesdames Charles McClain of Carthage, & Mrs. Luther M. Freeman of Granville, and 1 son, Thomas J. Maddux of Granville, Mrs. John Oliver, Mrs. Charles Reagan, and Mrs. Oakley Massa of this city are her nieces.

Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN: 28 February 1924, front page.

Martha (Stanton) Maddux Obt.

Carthage Courier newspaper, 24 February 1924.

Mother of Mrs. Charles McClarin Passes Away: After a brief illness of a week’s duration, Mrs. Robert Maddux, one of Putnam and Jackson Counties passed away at her home near Granville on Saturday night at ten o’clock February 23rd, 1924.

Martha Stanton was born March 28, 1852 in Putnam County at Stanton Branch. In early childhood she united with the Union Hill Methodist Church existing at that time near her home. On December 25th 1872 she was **married to Robert Maddux**. To them were born three children.

Her surviving relatives are: her three children: Mrs. Charles McClarin, Carthage, TN; Mrs. Luther M. Freeman and Thomas J. Maddux of Putnam County, near Granville; one brother, Garland

Stanton of Nashville and her ten grandchildren. (*See Charles B. McClarin Obt. & *See Alta "Altie" (Maddux) McClarin Obt.)

Funeral services were held at the home conducted by Rev. J. D. Judkin, pastor of the Methodist Church of Granville. Mrs. Maddux was laid to rest in the family burial ground situated on the brow of the hill on the homeplace.

Mrs. Maddux or "Miss Martha" as she was affectingly called by many, was a woman of noble characteristics and of a most lovable and charming personality and attractive appearance. A woman whose Christianity was no cold superficial varnish of mere creeds and doctrines to be displayed only while within the portals of church buildings, or on Sundays alone; but a vital breathing principle following, day by day, and hour by hour in the daily grind of life— that rule of all rules, the Golden Rule. It flourished and flowered and shone on those about her because it was very warp and woof of her being. Here religion and ideals manifested themselves not in chill austerity and fault-finding of others chosen conduct, but in cheeriness, kindness and justice; nor did it rob her of her gentle sense of humor.

Though an interesting and most intelligent conversationalist with a rich sparkle of humor, yet her converse was never smirched by unkind or critical comments on others. Nor was friend, conscience, nor justice ever sacrificed on the altar of unfair and unjust material gain.

And such attributes and characteristics are the very essence of spiritual food. Such characters and such lives are the threads from which have been woven the stability and purity of our America. Were the whole world made up of such as she, there would be little need for endless peace plan discussions.

What greater tribute could be extended to one, who while leaving behind her in her community, the richness of her influence to live forever, has passed on to the Great beyond, bearing her golden sheaves of righteousness and useful living to lay at the feet of the Creator of all things.

The shrines of such women are their homes. And there was no exception to this rule. Here fidelity to home and family was awarded by love and courtesy from her children and her children's children. In that home of all those years of her married life, gracious hospitality has for all those years, warmed the hearts of the many guests, in the traditional southern style, assembled around its ample fireside in winter, and in summer in the shadow of its long-porch which looks out across road, fields and fringed stream to the hills beyond.

And thus we know her – we, who are not even of blood ties. And thus also, her children and grandchildren, her sisters and brother have known her. The world needs more of such as she.

F. F. Jackson

Note: "Warp and woof" as a figure of speech is very old and is indeed drawn from the weaving of cloth. The "warp" of a fabric is the threads running lengthwise that form the background or framework for the cloth. "Warp" in this sense comes from the Old English word "wearp," meaning "to cast a net," and is separate from our modern verb sense of "warp" meaning "to twist out of shape." The "woof" of a woven fabric is the threads running across the "warp," and was originally "oof," from the Old English "owef," meaning "to weave." "Oof" became "woof" around 1540 simply because "warp and woof" is so much easier to say than "warp and oof."

Put together, "warp and woof" makes a nice metaphor for any tight interweaving of disparate elements, as in this quotation from 1882: "The woof of self-interest is so cunningly interwoven with the warp of righteous feeling that very few of us can tell where the threads cross." One might also speak of the "warp and woof" of daily life, meaning all the experiences from which our existence is woven.

And, since someone out there is bound to ask, the Fido sort of "woof" is unrelated to any of this and simply represents an oppressive humano-centric attempt to imitate the sound of a dog's bark.

Nannie Jo (Miller) Maddux Obt.

COOKEVILLE -- Funeral services for **Nannie Jo Maddux**, 72, of Granville will be held Thursday, September 14, at 2 p.m. in the chapel of Hooper and Huddleston Funeral Home. Burial will be in the Maddux Family Cemetery.

Mrs. Maddux died Tuesday, September 12, 1995 at her home in Granville.

A native of Cumberland County, **she was born February 24, 1923 to the late Bryce and Maggie Wilson Miller.**

Mrs. Maddux was a retired school teacher with the Putnam County School System for over 38 years. She was a member of the Granville Methodist Church and a volunteer at Cookeville General Hospital.

Her family includes **her husband, Ralph Jennings Maddux** of Granville; two daughters and sons-in-law, Martha and Tom Williford and Nancy and Glynn Lafever, all of Cookeville; three sisters, Dorothy Tays and Ernestine Stanley, both of Crossville, and Betty Benedict of Columbus, OH; four grandchildren, Leigh and Brian Bowling; three step grandchildren, Elichia, Michelle, and Lacy Williford.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by one sister, Johnnie Hinch.

Active pallbearers will be grandsons and nephews. Honorary pallbearers will be Cookeville General Hospital Auxiliary Volunteers.

The family will receive friends today, September 13, and 5 p.m.

Rev. John Arnold will officiate at the services.

Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN: 13 September 1995

Ralph Jennings Maddux Obt.

COOKEVILLE -- Funeral services for **Ralph Jennings Maddux**, 83, of Granville, Tenn., will be held at 11 a.m. on Monday, Aug. 19, from the Cookeville Chapel of Hooper-Huddleston & Horner Funeral Home. Burial will be in the Maddux Family Cemetery in the Martins Creek Community of Putnam County.



The family will receive friends from 4-8 p.m. tonight and from 9 a.m. until the time of the service on Monday at the funeral home.

(Pictured: Staff Sergeant Ralph Maddux, WWII).

Mr. Maddux died on Fri., Aug. 16, 2002, at Bethesda Health Care Center in Cookeville.

He was born Sept. 5, 1918, in Putnam County to the late **Thomas Jefferson and Maggie Burton Maddux**. Mr. Maddux was a resident of the Martins Creek Community in western Putnam County. He served in the US Army during WW2 in the 181st Field Artillery Battalion. For a brief period, he was a foreman at the Delman Company. From 1956 to 1974, he

owned and operated Cookeville's Maddux Harley-Davidson Sales and Service on Spring Street. In later retirement years, he was a farmer. He was a member of the Granville Methodist Church.

His family includes two daughters and sons-in-law, Nancy and Glynn Lafever and Martha and Tom Williford, all of Cookeville; four grandchildren, Jeff Lafever, Leigh Lafever-Ayer, Holly Slatten Wallace and Brian Bowling; three step-grandchildren, Elichia Williford, Michelle Williford and Lacy Williford; three sisters, Medora "Dodie" Hurst of Chapel Hill, N.C., Eleanor Maddux of Cookeville and Mary Freeman Morrell of Pulaski, Tenn.; and a brother, Thomas Burton Maddux of Baxter.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Maddux was preceded in death by **his wife of 51 years, Nannie Jo Miller Maddux**, who died on Sept. 12, 1995; two sisters, Frances Maddux Ulmer and Martha Beasley Maddux Breeding; and an infant brother, Robert Dowell Maddux.

Pallbearers will be family and friends.

Memorial donations may be made to the charity of your choice.

Rev. John Arnold and Rev. Ernest Blair will officiate at the services.

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Ralph & Nannie Jo Miller Maddux celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at the Granville Community Center in 1994. They had two daughters, Martha Maddux Williford and Nancy Maddux Lafever. Ralph owned and operated the first Harley-Davidson dealership in Cookeville for 18 years. Jo was a schoolteacher in Putnam County, TN.

Picture from the book: Images of America Granville, TN by The Granville Museum, Inc., pg. 107.

Thomas Burton Maddux Obt.

b. 12 March 1916, Putnam Co., TN – d. 26 January 2005, TN, md on the 6th of August 1977, Putnam Co., TN to Margaret Nell (Brown) Cole, b. 16 February 1919, Putnam Co., TN – d. 17 December 2000, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **Alvin G. Brown** (1881-1964) & **Ida L. Elrod** (1885-1971). Thomas Burton Maddux, s/o **Thomas Jefferson Maddux** (1878-1956) & **Margaret Medora Burton** (1879-1975).
*See Margaret Nell (Brown) Cole Obt. buried in Crest Lawn Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 157 – Thomas Burton Maddux married 6 August 1977, Putnam Co., TN, age 61, b. 17 March 1916, address: Star Rt. Baxter, TN to Margaret Nell Cole, age 58, b. 16 February 1919, address: Rt. 1, Baxter, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Carolyn Shanks, daughter, Kingston, TN).

BAXTER -- Funeral services for **Thomas Burton (Mule Man) Maddux**, 88, of the Martin's Creek Community will be held at 11 a.m. on Fri., Jan. 28, at Granville United Methodist Church. Burial will follow in Maddux Family Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 5-9 p.m. today, Thurs., Jan. 27, at the Baxter Chapel of Hooper-Huddleston & Horner Funeral Home; and from 10 a.m. until time of services on Friday, at the church.

Mr. Maddux died on Wed., Jan. 26, 2005, in Bethesda Health Care Center.

He was born on March 17, 1916, in Putnam County to the late **Thomas Jefferson and Maggie Burton Maddux**.

He was a farmer and horse and mule enthusiast and was a member of Bethany United Methodist Church.

His family includes three sisters, Medora Hurst of Chapel Hill, N.C., Eleanor Maddux of Cookeville and Mary Morrell of Pulaski; two nieces, Nancy Lafever and Martha Williford, both of Cookeville; a special friend and care giver, Mable Stout Maddux of Baxter; and a step granddaughter, Elizabeth Coll of Michigan.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his **wife, Elizabeth Carter Maddux**; a brother, Ralph Maddux; and two sisters, Frances Maddux Ulmer and Martha Beasley Maddux Breeding.

Pallbearers will be family and friends.

Revs. Vince Baker and Ernest Blair will officiate at the services.

Published January 27, 2005 10:32 AM CST: Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN

Thomas Jefferson Maddux Obt.

DC#6253: Thomas Jefferson Maddux, b. 20 August 1878, Putnam Co., TN – d. 12 March 1956. Residence: Granville, TN Star Route. Age: 77. Occupation: Farmer. Cause of Death: Carcinoma of prostate. Attended by: L. M. Freeman M. D., Granville, TN. Father: Bob Maddux. Mother: Martha Stanton. Wife: Maggie Burton Maddux. Informant: Tommy Maddux, Granville, TN. Undertaker; Whitson Funeral Home, Cookeville, TN. Burial: Maddux family cemetery, Putnam Co., TN on the 13th of March 1956.

COOKEVILLE – Funeral services for **Thomas Jefferson Maddux**, 77, retired farmer, were to be held today at Granville Methodist Church. Burial was to be in Maddux Cemetery.

Mr. Maddux died Monday at his home in the Granville community after a long illness.

He was a **son of the late Bob (Robert Fain) and Martha Stanton Maddux**.

Survivors include **his wife, Mrs. Maggie Burton Maddux**; 2 sons, Tommy and Ralph Maddux of Granville; 5 daughters, Mrs. Frances Lumer, Mobile, AL, Mrs. Medora Corder, Fayetteville, NC, Miss Eleanor Maddux, Nashville, Mrs. Martha Freeman Morell, Pulaski, and 2 sisters, Mrs. Charles McClarin, Carthage, and Mrs. Luther M. Freeman, Granville.

Nashville Banner, TN: Tuesday, 13 March 1956, pg. 7.

Note: Children of Thomas Jefferson Maddux & Maggie Burton: Robert Dowell, b. 13 Aug. 1900 – d. 27 Mar. 1902; Frances, b. 24 Dec. 1902 – d. 18 Mar. 1974 md Carter Patterson Ulmer; Eleanor O., b. 8 May 1907 – d. 20 Jan. 2006, never md; Medora md Frank Corder; Mary Freeman md Morrell; Martha Beasley, b. 14 Mar. 1910- d. 5 Dec. 1991 md Robert “Bob” Breeding; Thomas Burton, b. 17 Mar. 1916 – d. 26 Jan.

2005 md 1st Ida Elizabeth Carter, md 2nd Nell Brown Cole, md 3rd Gladys Martin Steele & md 4th Mable Cater Stout; and Ralph Maddux, b. 5 Sept. 1918- d. 16 Aug. 2002 md Jo Miller).

Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN: Wednesday, 20 March 1974.

Mary Freeman (Maddux) Morrell Obt.

Father: Thomas Jefferson Maddux (1878-1956)

Mother: Margaret Medora "Maggie" Burton (1879-1975)

PULASKI -- Funeral services for **Mary "Anne" Freeman Maddux Morrell**, 94, of Pulaski, and formerly of the Martins Creek Community of Putnam County, will be held Monday, Jan. 21, at 11 a.m. at Bennett-May-Giles County Funeral Home.

Burial will be in Maddux Family Cemetery in the Martins Creek Community.

Mrs. Morrell will lie in state at the Cookeville chapel of Hooper-Huddleston & Horner Funeral Home Sunday, Jan. 20, from 4-6 p.m. Family will receive friends Monday, Jan. 21, from 9 a.m. until time of services at Bennett-May-Giles County Funeral Home.

Mrs. Morrell died Wednesday, Jan. 16, 2008, at NHC of Cookeville.

She was born Aug. 27, 1913, in Martins Creek Community to the late Thomas Jefferson and Margaret (Maggie) Medora Burton Maddux.

Mrs. Morrell graduated from the Jackson County school system and attended Tennessee Polytechnic Institute, where she was elected May Queen. She was unable to enjoy this honor because she contracted scarlet fever and was confined to her home. She later received her degree from Middle Tennessee State College in Murfreesboro. She was a retired elementary school teacher. Her teaching career spanned 38 years, mostly in Giles County where she taught first grade and kindergarten.

She had a great love for dogs and horses and owned several pets over the years. She enjoyed her home and antiques, and for a short time was a part-owner of an antique shop. She was a member of the Pulaski First United Methodist Church and former member of the Pulaski Garden Club and Hill Crest Country Club.

Her family includes two nieces, Martha Williford and husband Tom and Nancy Lafever and husband Glynn, all of Cookeville; two step-nieces, Elichia Brown and Michell Williford; a step-nephew, Lacy Williford; two great-nieces, Leigh Lafever-Ayer and Holly Slatten Wallace; two great-nephews, Jeff Lafever and Brian Bowling; two great-great-nieces, Maggie Wallace and Alexandria Ayer; a great-great-nephew, Trip Wallace; and a devoted dog, Justice.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death **by her husband, Logan Morrell (whom she married in 1936 and who died in 1997)**; four sisters, Frances Ulmer, Medora Hurst, Martha Breeding and Eleanor Maddux; and two brothers, Thomas B. and Ralph Maddux.

Memorial donations may be made to Pulaski First United Methodist Church, 200 W. Jefferson St., Pulaski, TN 38478, or to the Granville Museum, c/o Randall Clemons, PO Box 26, Granville, TN 38564.

Rev. Wayne Davis will officiate the services.

Friday, Jan 18, 2008: Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN

Frances (Maddux) Ulmer Obt.

GRANVILLE, TN – Funeral services for **Frances Maddux Ulmer**, of the Martin’s Creek community near Granville, were to have been held today at 2:00 at Granville Methodist with Rev. Andrew Albert and Rev. Comer McGuire officiating. Burial was to be in Maddux Cemetery.

Mrs. Ulmer died Monday in Cookeville General Hospital after an extended illness.

She was a native Putnam Countian, the **daughter of Mrs. Thomas Jefferson Maddux** of Granville and the late **Mr. Maddux**, and a member of the Methodist Church.

In addition to her mother, survivors are 4 sisters, Mrs. Frank Corder of Fayetteville, NC, Miss Eleanor Maddux and Mrs. Robert Breeding of Granville, and Mrs. Logan Morrell of Pulaski, TN, and 2 brothers, Ralph J. and Thomas B. Maddux of Granville.

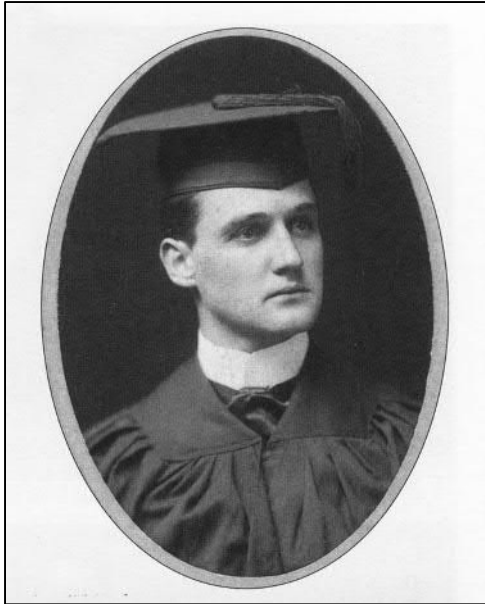
Whitson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN: 20 March 1974.



The home of Thomas Jefferson and Maggie Burton Maddux on Martins Creek in Putnam County will receive Granville’s first Century Home and Farm Award at Heritage Day. Located in the west end of Putnam County on Martin’s Creek built prior to 1796. When this house was built Tennessee was still part of North Carolina.





In 1905 Dr. Luther M. Freeman graduated from the University of Tennessee Medical School in Nashville. He came to Granville on horseback in 1906 to set up his practice. He married local girl Ethel Maddux and settled into the community. Dr. Freeman practiced medicine until shortly before his death at the age of 94. he performed dual roles in the community, as he was also Granville's longest-serving postmaster.

Picture from the book: Images of America Granville, TN by The Granville Museum, Inc., pg. 75.

LUTHER M. FREEMAN SERVICES HELD

Nashville Banner, TN

6 November 1973

COOKEVILLE: Dr. L. M. Freeman, 94, a practicing physician in Granville for 67 years, died Monday in a Cookeville hospital.

Services will be at 2 Wednesday at Hooper-Huddleston Funeral Home with burial in Maddux Cemetery.

Dr. Freeman began his practice in 1906.

A member of the Church of Christ, Freeman was secretary-treasurer of the Upper Cumberland Medical Association, a member of the American Medical Association's 50-Year Club, the Putnam County, 5 County and the Tennessee Medical Association.

His wife, Mrs. Ethel Maddux Freeman, died in 1970.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Eliza Freeman Thompson, Granville; a grandson and 2 great grandchildren.

MRS. FREEMAN SERVICES SET AT 2 WEDNESDAY

Nashville Banner, TN

17 March 1970, pg. 27

COOKEVILLE: Services for **Mrs. Ethel Maddux Freeman**, 84, will be at 2 Wednesday at the Granville Methodist Church with burial in Maddux Cemetery, Smith County. The body is at Hooper-Huddleston Funeral Home, Cookeville.

The Rev. James Reed Cox and the Rev. Weldon H. Harris will officiate.

Mrs. Freeman died Monday at her home in Granville following a long illness.

Her husband Dr. L. M. Freeman is a well-known Middle Tennessee physician.

A native of Tennessee, she was a daughter of the late Robert and Martha Stanton Maddux.

Survivors in addition to her husband include a daughter, Mrs. Paul Thompson, Cookeville; 1 grandson and 2 grandchildren.

ROBERT STANTON FREEMAN OBT.

Herald Citizen, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN
Tuesday, 12 February 1968

Funeral services for **Robert Stanton Freeman**, 51, were held Saturday at the Granville Methodist Church at 1:30 with Rev. James Reed Cox and Rev. Weldon Harris officiating. Burial was in the Maddux Cemetery in Putnam County.

Mr. Freeman, **son of Dr. and Mrs. Luther M. Freeman**, who survive, was a native of Putnam County and was a resident of the Granville community. He was a farmer and attended Tennessee Tech.

His death occurred Friday in a Nashville hospital following a long illness.

Beside his parents, he is survived by **his widow, Mrs. Geraldine McDonald Freeman**; sister, Mrs. Paul Thompson, Cookeville.

Hooper-Huddleston Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

ELIZA MADDUX FREEMAN THOMPSON OBT.

Herald Citizen, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN
9 April 1984

COOKEVILLE: Funeral services for **Mrs. Eliza Maddux Freeman Thompson**, 74, will be conducted at the Granville Methodist Church Monday at 2:00 with the Rev. Maurice Moore, Rev. Lexie Freeman, and Rev. Andrew Albert officiating.

Mrs. Thompson, a resident of the Granville community, died April 7, 1984 following an extended illness.

She was a native of Putnam County, **daughter of the late Dr. Luther M. and Ethel Maddux Freeman**, and was a retired teacher and homemaker.

Her family includes **her husband, Paul Lillard Thompson** of Granville, a daughter-in-law, Sue Thompson of Cookeville and 2 grandchildren, Annette and Robert Thompson of Cookeville.

Burial will be in the Maddux Cemetery.

Active pallbearers are Tommy Maddux, Ralph Maddux, James Lee Wrights, Odell Huddleston, Jeff Reagan, and Dr. Jack Johnson.

Hooper-Huddleston Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.



Dr. Luther M. Freeman House in Granville, TN
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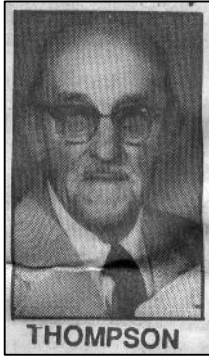


Inside the Dr. Luther M. Freeman House in Granville, TN you can see the original part made from logs.

Miriam (Shanks) Gwaltney is shown looking at the construction of the wall.

PAUL LILLARD THOMPSON
By Mary Jo Denton, Herald Citizen Staff
Herald Citizen, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN

Services Set For Law Enforcement Veteran:



Paul Lillard Thompson, who served Cookeville as police chief in the early 1960's and who was for many years before that the only Tennessee Highway Patrol officer in this district, died Tuesday, March 19, at his home in Granville. He was 83.

Funeral services will be held Friday, March 22, 1991, at 10:30 a.m. in the chapel of Hooper & Huddleston Funeral Home with Rev. R. L. Freeman and Rev. Tom Smith officiating. Burial will be in the Maddux Cemetery in Putnam County. The family will receive friends at the funeral home today from 3 to 5 p.m. and from 7 to 9 p.m.

A native of Putnam County, Mr. Thompson was the son of the late James B. and Mary Sherrell Thompson.

Thompson is remembered by retired Cookeville Police Chief Bill Bilyeu as a "very dedicated officer of the law" who wanted very much to rid Cookeville of pinball machine gambling.

"He was police chief in the early 1960's when I was the sheriff, and we worked together, and I was always impressed by him," Bilyeu said. "He always looked so neat and professional in his uniform – he was a proud officer.

Bilyeu also remembers Thompson's days as the whole Upper Cumberland Area's only Highway Patrol officer, back in the 1930's when Bilyeu was just a teenager.

"He rode a motorcycle and patrolled the whole region by himself – he'd go in and check the beer joints all by himself," Bilyeu said. "There was no Highway Patrol headquarters here then. Later on they finally got Paul a car to use in his patrolling."

"I remember that he was tough on criminals," Bilyeu said.

When Thompson was police chief, the city had a police force of about five or six men, Bilyeu said.

Thompson's career in law enforcement also included work as an investigator for the State Alcoholic Beverage Commission.

His family includes his daughter-in-law, Sue S. Thompson of Cookeville; two grandchildren, Annette and Robert Martin Thompson, both of Cookeville; five sisters, Lucille Thompson of Murfreesboro, Hazel Patton of Cookeville, Virginia, Velma Thompson of Cookeville, and Betty Rose West of Roanoke, VA; and one brother, James Thompson of Manchester, CA.

Mr. Thompson was preceded in death by his wife, Liza Freeman Thompson, his son, Paul Martin Thompson, and his sister, Anna Ruth Tigie.

Active pallbearers will be Ralph Maddux, Harold Carter, James Lee Wright, Robert Harris, Freeman Neal, Kenneth Turner, and Thomas Burton Maddux.

Hooper & Huddleston Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

PAUL MARTIN THOMPSON OBT.
Herald Citizen, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN
20 December 1974

COOKEVILLE: Funeral services for **Paul Martin Thompson**, 32, of Jere Whitson Road in Cookeville, are to be held at 1:00 tomorrow in the chapel of Hooper-Huddleston Funeral Home.

Burial will take place in the Maddux Cemetery on the Freeman farm near Granville which is the home of Thompson's parents.

Officiating at tomorrow's service will be Rev. Ron West, pastor of First United Methodist Church and Rev. Andrew Albert.

Thompson died early Wednesday as the result of injuries suffered when he was struck by an automobile in Memphis Saturday night.

Survivors include **his parents, Paul M. Thompson and Liza Freeman Thompson, his wife, the former Sue Seehorn**, originally of Newport, TN and 2 children, Annette, 10, and Robert, 5.

RIDGEWOOD CEMETERY

East 3rd Ave Carthage, Smith Co., TN

The Ridgewood Cemetery is located in Carthage four blocks east of Courthouse on Third Ave. E. It is large active perpetual care cemetery. Located adjoining and east of this cemetery is Smith County Memorial Garden.

***Charles R. McClarin**, b. 9 March 1871, Carthage, Smith Co., TN – d. 22 September 1933, Bristol, TN, s/o James & Virginia "Jennie" McClarin.

***Alta F. (Maddux) McClain**, b. 20 February 1874, Granville, TN – d. 30 July 1965, Carthage, Smith Co., TN, d/o Robert Fain Maddux & Martha Stanton.

#108 OLD CARTHAGE CEMETERY, West Third AV. Carthage, TN

SMITH COUNTY CEMETERIES NORTH OF THE CUMBERLAND RIVER – Section 100, Carthage.

McCLARIN, James, 1825, IR – 1904

McCLARIN, Jennie, 1836, TN – 1896

McCLARIN, Belle, 1832, IR - 3 Apr 1902

McCLARIN, Hugh, d. 24 Nov 1872 - Natives of Tyrone Co. Ireland

McCLARIN, Mary, d. 28 Feb 1864

McCLARIN, Charles, d. May 1852 age 31 - Native of Ireland

ALTIE F. (MADDUX) MCCLARIN OBT.

Courier newspaper, Carthage, Smith Co., TN: 5 August 1965

Last Rites Conducted For **Mrs. "Alta" Altie McClarin**: Funeral services for Mrs. Altie Maddux McClarin, 91, were conducted at the Sanderson Funeral Home Saturday afternoon by the Rev. Paul Williams. Burial was in Ridgewood Cemetery.

Mrs. McClarin died Thursday night in Gregory Convalescent Home after a long illness.

She was the **widow of Charles McClarin** who was express agent for the Tennessee Central Railroad here for many years. Mr. McClarin died in 1933.

Mrs. McClarin was a **daughter of the late Robert Fain and Martha Stanton Maddux**. She was born and reared in the Granville community of Jackson County.

Survivors are a sister, Mrs. L. M. Freeman, Granville; a grandson, W. M. McClarin of TX; 6 nieces and 3 nephews.

CHARLES R. MCCLARIN OBT.

Courier newspaper, Carthage, Smith Co., TN: 28 September 1933, front page

Remains of C. R. McClarin Laid To Rest Saturday: **Charles B. McClarin** died at Bristol, TN, Friday September 15, 1933 at 3 in the afternoon after a 3-day illness of uremic poisoning.

Funeral conducted Saturday at 2:30 by Rev. B. F. Isom of Methodist Church with burial in the Ridgewood Cemetery.

He was the **son of Jim and Virginia McKinley McClarin.**

He was born and reared in Carthage. He **married Miss Alta Maddux** on September 6, 1897. He was 62 years of age.

He was messenger for Southern Express Co., foreman of Smith Co. Grand Jury for 12 years and served 10 years as mayor of Carthage.

His son Dr. Will Maddux McClarin of Louisville, KY.

Note: Before the advancement of [modern medicine](#) acute renal failure might be referred to as uremic poisoning. [Uremia](#) was the term used to describe the contamination of the [blood](#) with [urine](#). Starting around [1847](#) this term was used to describe reduced urine output, now known as [oliguria](#), that was thought to be caused by the urine mixing with the blood instead of being voided through the [urethra](#).

Acute renal failure due to [acute tubular necrosis](#) (ATN) was recognized in the [1940s](#) in the United Kingdom, where crush victims during the [Battle of Britain](#) developed patchy necrosis of renal tubules, leading to a sudden decrease in renal function.^[3] During the Korean and Vietnam wars, the incidence of ARF decreased due to better acute management and intravenous infusion of fluids.^[4]

JUNE VOWS TO UNITE COUPLE

Mrs. Paul M. Thompson of Cookeville announces the engagement of her daughter, Annette Freeman Thompson, to David McGregor Parkes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Parkes, all of Nashville.

The bride-elect is also the daughter of the late Paul M. Thompson and the granddaughter of Mrs. Charles Seehorn of Newport and the late Mr. Seehorn and the late Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Thompson.

A graduate of Cookeville High School, she received a degree in psychology from Tennessee Tech and is employed by Cornerstone Management.

The future groom is the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Parkes and Mrs. Garold Stotzer of Lawrenceburg and the late Mr. Stotzer.

He was graduated from Battle Ground Academy and received his degree in civil engineering from TTU. Mr. Parkes is employed by R. P. Industries.

A June wedding is being planned.

Herald Citizen, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN: 16 May 1993.



Marriage vows unite Miss Thompson, Mr. Parkes

The boxwood garden at Belle Meade Mansion in Nashville provided the setting for the **June 26 wedding of Annette Freeman Thompson and David McGregor Parkes.**

Rev. Sam Parkes, cousin of the groom, officiated at the 6:30 p.m. service.

The bride is daughter of Mrs. Paul M. Thompson of Cookeville and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Parkes Sr. of Nashville.

The garden was decorated for the ceremony with two large urns filled with Queen Anne's lace, liatris, delphinium, solidaster, hydrangeas, roses, and fresh wildflowers. Ivory bows and flowers marked the section of chairs reserved for the families of the bride and groom.

Music for the ceremony was performed with a bass guitar, saxophone, and keyboard. The bride entered to "Natural Women" by Aretha Franklin, and the recessional song was "Dock of the Bay" by Otis Redding. Other selections included music made popular by Frank Sinatra, Kenny G. Harry Connick Jr., as well as other rhythm and blues selections.

The bride, given in marriage by **her brother, Robert M. Thompson**, chose an ivory silk shantung gown with a Sabrina neckline. The midriff was overlaid with Alencon lace, and insets of the lace sewn in horizontal rows encircled the full skirt of the gown, which descended into a cathedral-length train.

The bride's headpiece and shoes were beaded with seed pearls. Flowing from the headpiece was a detachable, fingertip-length veil that completed the bride's attire.

Her bouquet was a European cascade of gardenias and an assortment of imported roses that included Maaki, Porcelana, Anna, and Vivaldi, mixed with ivy trailers and calcynia.

The bride was attended by Elizabeth Coogan of Nashville, Anita Moulds of Brentwood, and Tia Maria Phillips of Knoxville. Each bridesmaid wore a snow pink raw silk ensemble with a fitted jacket and full ballerina skirt. The jackets were adorned with pearl-trimmed organza collars and gold and pearl buttons.

The bridesmaids carried posies of lilies, roses, larkspur and delphinium gathered in natural bouquets and accented with ivy trailers.

Richard Hammond stood as best man, and groomsmen were James A. Jackson of Nashville and Marty Flatt of Orlando, FL. Ushers were Pat May of Smyrna and Darryl Nelson of Fayetteville.

The bride's mother celebrated the occasion by wearing a pale rose-colored brocade suit with a tea-length skirt. The peplum jacket featured a lace insert, and the elbow-length sleeves were edged with lace.

The groom's mother chose a royal blue classic suit with a brightly-colored, embroidered pattern on the yoke of the jacket. A full skirt with a silk organza overlay completed her attire.

Both mothers wore white gardenia corsages.

A reception was given in the Belle Meade Carriage House by the bride's mother immediately after the ceremony.

After enjoying a honeymoon in St. Lucia, West Indies, the couple returned to Nashville, where they reside.



(Granddaughter of Dr. Luther M. Freeman)

Herald Citizen, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN: 12 September 1993.

Slatten – Wallace Engagement:

Holly Wade Slatten and Randel Eugene Wallace II announce their engagement.

The future bride is the **daughter of Tom and Martha Williford** of Cookeville and the late **William Wade Slatten III**. Her **grandparents are Ralph Jennings Maddux** of Granville, the late **Nannie Jo Maddux** and the late **William Wade and Mildred Boyd Slatten**.

The future groom is the **son of Randel Wallace and Mary Wallace**, both of Nashville. His **grandparents are Pete and Ruth Wallace** of Clarksville, the late **Jewell Nash Wallace** and the late **Richard "Dick" and Ella Wallace**.

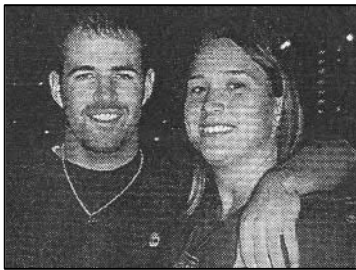
Slatten is a 1994 graduate of Cookeville High School and a 1999 graduate of Tennessee Tech University, where she earned a bachelor of science degree in human ecology. She is an insurance agent with Farmer's Insurance Group.

Wallace is a graduate of Hunter's Lane High School and TTU. He is working toward becoming a certified public accountant.

The wedding is planned for October 14 at Cedarvine Manor.

Herald Citizen, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN: 2 July 2000.

Papi – Bowling Engagement



Jamie Lynn Papi and Brian Maddux Bowling, both of Cookeville, announce their engagement. The bride-elect is the **daughter of Dave and Jane Fronheiser** of Wilmington, DE, and the late James Papi. The groom-elect is the **son of Tom and Martha Williford** of Cookeville and the late **William T. "Bill" Bowling**.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Clarence and Miriam Standhardt, Louise Papi, the late LaVerne Fronheiser and the late Parisi Papi.

She is a graduate of Monterey High School, and she is an accounting student at Tennessee Tech University who will graduate in May 2006. She is a member of Alpha Kappa Psi, a co-ed business fraternity, the Accounting Club, is on the TTU cross country team, where she is the track manager, and she is on the Dean's list. She is employed at Companion CPA Group in Cookeville.

The groom-elect is the grandson of the late Mildred Bowling and the late Ralph and Jo Maddux.

He is a 1997 Cookeville High School Graduate, and he is employed at SunTrust Bank call center in Cookeville.

The couple will wed August 13 in Boyertown, PA.

Herald Citizen newspaper, Cookeville, TN: 3 July 2005.

1870 census 1st District, Smith Co., TN

James McClarin 45 M W
(value of real estate, 3,000) (value of personal estate, 6,000)
Farmer, Ireland

Jennie McClarin 34 F W Keeping House TN
Mary McClarin 14 F W no occupation TN
William McClarin 12 M W At Home TN
Huella McClarin 8 F W At Home TN
Mattie P. McClarin 4 F W TN
James T. McClarin 11/12 M W TN



Brian Maddux Bowling, Veterans Day 2000 in his grandfather's WWII uniform.

Picture courtesy of Granville History Museum.

Census Place: 1880 Carthage, Smith Co., Tennessee

Dwl: 46 Family: 48

Source: FHL Film 1255280 National Archives Film T9-1280 Page 3B

	Relation	Sex	Marr	Race	Age	Birthplace
James MCCLARIN	Self	M	M	W	54	IRELAND
Occ:	Farmer	Fa: IRELAND	Mo: IRELAND			
Jennie MCCLARIN	Wife	F	M	W	44	TN
Occ:	Keeping House	Fa: TN	Mo: TN			
Mary MCCLARIN	Dau	F	S	W	24	TN
Occ:	At Home	Fa: IRELAND	Mo: TN			
W. K. MCCLARIN	Son	M	S	W	21	TN
Occ:	Druggist	Fa: IRELAND	Mo: TN			
M. P. MCCLARIN	Dau	F	S	W	13	TN
Occ:	Student	Fa: IRELAND	Mo: TN			
Thomas MCCLARIN	Son	M	S	W	9	TN
		Fa: IRELAND	Mo: TN			
Charles MCCLARIN	Son	M	S	W	8	TN
		Fa: IRELAND	Mo: TN			

(Charles B. McClain md Alta F. "Altie" Maddux, d/o Robert Fain Maddux & Martha Stanton)

1900 census 1st District, Smith Co., TN

Dwl: 147 Family: 148

James McClarin Head 75 M W b. April 1825 Widow Capitalist IRELAND IRELAND IRELAND

Year of Immigration: 1842, 58 yrs. in the United States.

Charles R. McClarin Son 29 M W March 1871 (2 yrs. md) Express Messenger TN IRELAND TN

Altie F. McClarin Daughter-in-Law 26 F W b, February 1874 (2 yrs. md) TN TN TN

William M. McClarin Grandson 1 M W November 1899 TN TN TN

Belle McClarin Sister 66 F W b. May 1834 IRELAND IRELAND IRELAND

Year of Immigration: 1842, 58 yrs. in the United States.

May Smith 13 F W August 1887 Single At School TN TN TN

1910 census 1st Civil Dist., Main Street, Smith Co., TN

Line: 36 Dwl: 110 Family: 112

Charles McClarin Head 39 M W Married (12 yrs. md) Express Messenger TN IR TN

Alta McClarin Wife 36 F W Married (12 yrs. md) TN TN TN

William M. McClarin Son 11 M W Single TN TN TN

1920 census 1st Civil Dist., Carthage Town, Smith Co., TN

Line: 46 Dwl: 151 Family: 154

Charles McClarin Head 48 M W Married Express Messenger Railroad TN IR TN

Alta F. McClarin Wife 45 F W Married TN TN TN

(Alta F. "Altie" Maddux, d/o Robert Fain Maddux & Martha Stanton)

Will Maddux McClarin Son 21 M W Single TN TN TN

Census Place: 1880 District 1, Putnam Co., Tennessee

Source: FHL Film 1255275 National Archives Film T9-1275 Page 88C

	Relation	Sex	Marr	Race	Age	Birthplace
J.F. THOMPSON	Self	M	M	W	38	TN
Occ:	Farmer	Fa: TN	Mo: NC			

(James Franklin Thompson, s/o Esquire Looney Thompson Sr. & Arena "Irena" Sarah Davis)

P.A. THOMPSON Wife F M W 28 TN

Occ: Keeping House Fa: TN Mo: TN

(Permelia Ann Carr md James Franklin Thompson)

J.B. THOMPSON	Son	M	S	W	8	TN
		Fa: TN	Mo: TN			



(James Bolivar Thompson md Mary Jane Sherrill, d/o Jessie Sherrill & Lucy Brown)

M.C. THOMPSON	Dau	F	S	W	6	TN
	Fa:	TN	Mo:	TN		
D.F. THOMPSON	Dau	F	S	W	5	TN
	Fa:	TN	Mo:	TN		
J.C. THOMPSON	Son	M	S	W	2	TN
	Fa:	TN	Mo:	TN		

1910 census 1st Civil Dist.,

Dwl: 62 Family: 65

James B. Thompson Head 36 M W M1 (6 yrs. md) Lawyer General Practice TN TN TN

Mary Thompson Wife 24 F W M1 (6 yrs. md) (3 children born, 3 children living) TN TN TN

Mary L. Thompson Dau 4 F W Single TN TN TN

Paul L. Thompson Son 2 M W Single TN TN TN (Paul Lillard Thompson, b. 23 February 1908 – d. 19 March 1991 md 23 February 1908, Eliza Maddux Freeman, d/o Dr. Luther M. Freeman & Ethel Fredonia Maddux)

Minnie Thompson Dau 2/12 Single TN TN TN

1920 census 1st Civil Dist. Spring Street, Putnam Co., TN

Dwl: 274 Family: 333

James B. Thompson Head 47 M W Married Lawyer General Practice TN TN TN

Mary Thompson Wife 34 F W Married TN TN TN

Lucile Thompson Dau 14 F W Single TN TN TN

Paul Thompson Son 12 M W Single TN TN TN

Hazel Thompson Dau 10 F W Single TN TN TN

Virginia Thompson Dau 8 F W Single TN TN TN

Veluca Thompson (sp) Dau 6 F W Single TN TN TN

James B. Thompson Jr. Son 3 + M W Single TN TN TN

Ruth Thompson Dau 0/12 F W Single TN TN TN



Children of James Bolivar & Mary Jane (Sherrill) Thompson. L to R, front row: Hazel Callie, John Homer, Virginia Pearl. Back row, L to R Paul Lillard & Mary Lucille Thompson.

Paul Lillard Thompson md Eliza Maddux Freeman.

GRANVILLE, TN UNVEILS CIVIL WAR TRAIL MARKERS.

Herald-Citizen, Cookeville, TN: Monday, 26 October 2009, pg. 7.

GRANVILLE – The Tennessee Department of Tourist Development is currently developing Civil War Trails for Tennessee which is part of a multi-state program that identifies, interprets and creates driving tours of both the great campaigns and the lesser-known Civil War sites.

Noell Rembert, Civil War heritage from the Department of Tourist Development, was present for the



dedication and stated that there are now 108 Civil War Trail sites in Tennessee with a goal of having 300 by 2012. A statewide map guide will be available in December of this year so driving tours can begin in Tennessee.

(Pictured: The families of Col. Sidney S. Stanton and Sgt. Thomas Jefferson Lee unveil the Civil War Trail marker titled “The Civil War in Granville” at Granville Museum as part of the Granville Fall Celebration.

Pictured are Annessa Wright, Joe Huddleston, James Lee Wright, Bonnie Stanton Moody, Pam Stanton Copenhagen, Jolene Stanton Niblack, Julia Wiggins, Sidney S. Stanton III and Garland Stanton).

The Granville marker titled “The Civil War In Granville” states Granville was a contested area for both Confederate and Union cavalries from 1863-1865.

In the spring and summer of 1863, the 8th Texas Cavalry (SCA) was stationed in Granville while preparing to attack Union-occupied Carthage. In the fall of 1864, the 1st Tennessee Mounted Infantry (USA) used Granville as a base and also camped across the Cumberland River from Granville. The marker honors Granville resident Col. Sidney Stanton, a prominent Granville attorney and state senator at age 30 who strongly encouraged secession. He enlisted as a private in Co. F, 25th Tennessee Infantry (CSA), in July 1861.

Stanton recruited more than 1,000 men from neighboring counties.

Promoted to colonel, he organized the 84th Tennessee Infantry in 1862.

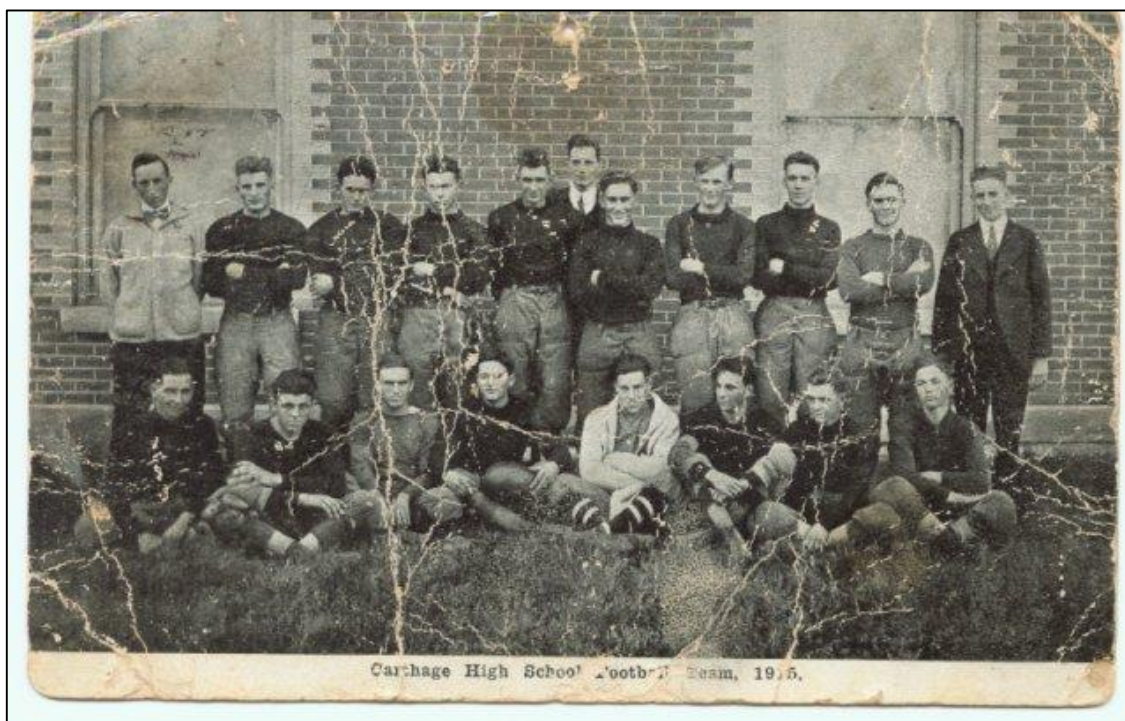
After surviving several battles, Stanton was killed during the Atlanta Campaign.

The marker also honors Sgt. Thomas Jefferson Lee, Co. K, 17th Tennessee Infantry (CSA), who was captured in Granville while recruiting volunteers in his hometown. Lee was one of a group of Confederate soldiers pardoned by President Abraham Lincoln on April 14, 1865, just one day before the president’s death. Lee later returned to Granville to marry Col. Stanton’s relative, Tennessee Stanton, whom he had promised to marry when she was just a baby.

On Oct. 24, 185, 5,000 Confederate veterans reunited at Granville to pay tribute to Col. Stanton's memory. Thomas J. Lee's Co. K, 17th Tennessee Infantry, held reunions in Granville with both Confederate and union veterans from 1885 to 1920.

"We are honored to have this marker in Granville and to be part of the great Civil War Trail," said Randall Clemons, president of Granville Museum.

"Both of these men deserve honoring as well as many other men of Granville that served. Granville will hold a special event in October 2010 to memorialize the 125th anniversary of the Oct. 24, 1885, grand event. Granville Museum is in process of completing a special exhibit in the museum on Stanton and Lee."



The Carthage High School Football Team 1915

Standing L to R, Mgr. Will Maddux McClarin, Charles Williamson, Henry Clay Smith, Drury Taylor, Byran Reasonover, Principal Albert Williams, Bob Lawhorn, Bryan Key, Will Allen, Hub Lawhorn, and coach Hubert Turner. Seated Front: Bob Kittrell, Marcellus Kemp, Fred Lawhorn, Savage Hackett, Ed Reynolds, Holland Alexander, C.S. Baker, and Benton Hackett.

Picture courtesy of John Waggoner Jr. of Smith Co., TN



Pictured: Martha Sue Maddux, shown with Dr. L. M. Freeman getting ready for her wedding to William Wade Slatten III. She is wearing the wedding dress worn by Dr. Freeman's wife, Ethel Maddux, for their wedding. Picture courtesy of Granville History Museum, Granville, TN.

Martha Sue Maddux md on the 19th of October 1973, Putnam Co., TN to William Wade Slatten III, s/o William Wade Slatten Jr. (1916-1968) & Mildred Boyd (1920-1997).

Martha Sue Maddux, d/o Ralph Jennings Maddux (1918-2002) & Nannie Jo Miller (1923-1995). She later md Tom Williford.

William Wade Slatten III, b. 11 July 1950 – d. 6 May 1976, buried in Highland Cemetery, Sparta, White Co., TN.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 63 - William Wade Slatten III married 19 October 1973, Putnam Co., TN, age 23, b. 11 July 1950, address; P. O. Box 119, Sparta, TN to Martha Sue Maddux, age 22, b. 18 September 1951, address: B-4 Putnam House, Shanks Ave. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Mr. & Mrs. Ralph Maddux, Star Route, Baxter, TN)



This early 1940s photo from **Sadler School** on Martin's Creek shows first through fourth graders, from left to right, (front row) **teacher Mary Freeman Maddux**, Joe Carter, unidentified, Peggy Keith, unidentified, Mamie Loftis, Ella May Keith, and Ruby Bryant; (middle row) Joe Stout, Ralph Manier, Ernest Lloyd Burgess, Estell Boyd, unidentified, Harold Carter, Kenneth "Turtle" Bryant, Henry Phillips, and Frank Jared; (back row) unidentified, Charles Carter, Ernest "Cowboy" Manier, Jessie Hargis, and Earl Stout.

Picture from the book: *Images of America, Granville, TN* by the Granville Museum, Inc., pg. 51.



The "big" room of the **Sadler School** contained fifth through eighth grades. This photo from the 1940s shows, from left to right, (front row) **teacher Eliza Freeman**, Mattie Franklyn Rogers, Magdalene Pulley, Emorne Burgess, Bernice Bryant, Ruth Phillips, Elton McBroom, and Ernest Sadler; (middle row) Ralph Bandy, Robert Halfacre, Dewey Stout, Eldon Carter, A. V. Manier, Margaret Halfacre, Bobbie Sue Carter, Douglas Bryant, and William Stout; (back row) Robert Sadler and Junior Johnson.

Picture from the book: *Images of America, Granville, TN* by the Granville Museum, Inc., pg. 51

Source: Marriage Record: L.M. Freeman md Ethel Maddux 9 Jun 1907 Vol. , Page 402, Certificate 2, Putnam Co., TN.

Cookeville Press Newspaper, Cookeville, TN

April 26, 1894 from Smith County – April 13.

Mrs. Mary Maddux and child who have been visiting relatives in Carthage for the past 10 days, returned to her home in Rock Springs Valley accompanied by her mother, Mrs. James McClarin yesterday.

Cookeville Press Newspaper, Cookeville, TN

June 21, 1894, Thursday, Pekin

Last Friday Bradley Maddux's baby died.

Cookeville Press Newspaper, Cookeville, TN

June 28, 1894 – Smith County Times of June 22:

The six month old boy of Mrs. Mary Maddux of Buffalo Valley, reported to us last week as being better, died last Friday of pneumonia. Mrs. Maddux is the daughter of James McClain of Carthage.

Courier Newspaper, TN

July 1, 1926, front page.

Family Reunion and Birthday Celebration: On Sunday July 11 at the Rock Spring Church near Buffalo Valley, a birthday dinner will be given in celebration of the 72nd birthday of Hugh Bradley (H.B.) Maddux, father of Mrs. J. C. McKinley. All the relatives and descendants of T. J. and Elizabeth (Jared) Maddux are invited to be present and bring lunch with them.

Mrs. Maddux before her marriage was Miss Mary McClarin of this town, a sister of our Mayor Charles R. McClarin.

Carthage Press Newspaper, Carthage, TN

December 19, 1929 – Brad Maddux Dies At Age of 75 years.

Bradley Maddux, one of the good citizens of the Rock Springs Valley community, near the Smith and Putnam county line, died at his home on December 6 after an illness of many years.

Mr. Maddux was 75 years of age and was one of the Upper Cumberland section's most successful farmers. He numbered his friends by the score. He was one of the leading members of the Methodist church for years and years, and was a good and influential citizen.

He was married in Carthage 40 years ago, his bride being Miss Mary McClarin, a sister of Mayor C. R. McClain. Besides his wife, he is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Clemmie McKinley and one step-son, Joe Maddux.

The funeral services were conducted at the Rock Springs church on December 7 by his old friend and former pastor, Rev. J. L. Smotherman, and burial was made in the family lot.

Mr. Maddux was known for his numerous deeds of charity. He was successful in business and was always found willing to aid and assist others. He will be greatly missed in his community.

(*See Mrs. Mary Maddux, April 25, 1935).

Carthage Courier Newspaper, Carthage, TN

April 25, 1935, front page

Mrs. Mary Maddux, 73, Dies in Cookeville. Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Maddux who died at her home in Cookeville Tuesday morning April 23, were held at Rock Springs Methodist Church near Buffalo Valley, Wednesday afternoon with Rev. J. L. Smotherman and Rev. Reid in charge. Burial was made in the family lot at Rock Springs.

Mrs. Maddux, 73 years of age, was the widow of the late Bradley Maddux, who was one of the prominent farmers and citizen's of the Buffalo Valley section of Putnam County. She removed to Cookeville to make her home a few years ago. Mrs. Maddux was born and reared in Carthage, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie McClarin and was a sister of the late Chas. R. McClarin. She is survived by 2 children, Mrs. Clemmie McKinley of Cookeville and Joe Maddux of Buffalo Valley, 1 grandchild, Robert McKinley of Carthage, TN.

DOCTORS OF GRANVILLE

From: "Peggy Clemons"
Subject: Doctors of Granville
Date: Fri, 6 Apr 2007 10:49:23 -0500

Granville is located two miles from the Putnam County line so all of our doctors have practiced in Putnam County.

Dr. Luther Martin Freeman- Graduated from University Tennessee Medical School and immediately started his practice in Granville in 1906. In 1907 **he married Ethel Maddux** and they lived in her family home which is in Putnam County two miles from Granville. His doctor's office is still in Granville beside the Granville Museum. He was the longest serving postmaster of Granville as well. He practiced until his death in 1973 at age 94. His office has been preserved with a monument and the bridge in Granville is named in his honor.

The other doctors who have practiced in Granville are **Dr. William B. Holmes** in the early 1800's and then his two son in laws practiced by the name of **Dr. William Burchett Page** and **Dr. Benjamin Lewis Simmons Jr.** Dr. Page practiced in Granville all his life and Dr. Simmons later went to Nashville to practice. **Dr. Albert Allison Ferrell** practiced in Granville from the late 1800s until his death in 1905. His home still stands behind the museum. **Dr. Hugh Brown Smith** practiced in Granville in the early 1900's and moved to Nashville in 1918.

You can see for a small community that we have a strong medical history. We don't have a copy of Dr. Dudney report that we can send to you. We would be honored to have you in Granville for our big fall events on the first Saturday of October where we will have Jazz on the Cumberland, Granville Quilt Festival and our fall Storytelling Festival. I will put you on our mailing list. We are open at the museum on Friday and Saturday from 12:00 to 3:00.

Thanks for your interest
Randall Clemons

Note: Children of Dr. Luther Martin Freeman M. D & Ethel Fredonia Maddux: Eliza Maddux Freeman, b. 3 July 1909 – d. 7 April 1984 md Paul Lillard Thompson, b. 23 February 1908 – d. 19 March 1991, they had a son named Paul Martin Thompson, b. 15 Dec. 1941 – d. 18 Dec. 1974 md Sue; and Robert Stanton Freeman, b. 12 December 1916 – d. 9 February 1968 md Geraldine McDonald, no issue.

Source: DC #6253, Dist. 10, Putnam Co., TN:

THOMAS JEFFERSON MADDUX

b. 20 August 1878

d. 12 March 1956, age 77

Cause of Death: Carcinoma of prostate

Attended by: L. M. Freeman, M. D., Granville, TN

Residence: Granville, Star Route

Occupation: Farmer

Father: Bob Maddux

Mother: Martha Stanton

Wife: Maggie Burton Maddux

Informant: Tommy Maddux, Granville, TN

Burial: Maddux Family Graveyard, Putnam Co., TN on the 13th of March 1956
Undertaker: Whitson Funeral Home, Cookeville

Charles B. McClarin Obt.

b. 9 March 1871 – d. 22 September 1933 md **Alta F. (Maddux) McClarin**, b. 20 February 1874 – d. 30 July 1965, d/o **Robert Fain Maddux & Martha Stanton**.

Charles B. McClarin died at Bristol, TN, Friday September 15, 1933 at 3 in the afternoon after a 3-day illness of uremic poisoning. His is survived by his son, Dr. Will Maddux McClarin of Louisville, KY.

Funeral conducted Saturday at 2:30 by Rev. B. F. Isom of Methodist Church. **Burial was in Ridgewood Cemetery, Carthage, TN.**

He was the son of Jim and Virginia McKinley McClarin. He was born and reared in Carthage, TN. He married Miss Alta Maddux September 6, 1897. He was 62 years of age. Was messenger for Southern Express Co, foreman of Smith County Grand Jury for 12 years and served 10 years as Mayor of Carthage, TN.

Courier, TN: 28 September 1933, front page.

Alta “Altie” (Maddux) McClarin Obt.

*See Charles B. McClain Obt.

Funeral services for Mrs. Altie Maddux McClarin, 91, were conducted at the Sanderson Funeral Home Saturday afternoon by the Rev. Paul Williams. **Burial was in Ridgewood Cemetery, TN.**

Mrs. McClarin died Thursday night in Gregory Convalescent Home after a long illness.

She was the widow of Charles McClarin who was express agent for the Tennessee Central Railroad here for many years. Mr. McClain died in 1933.

Mrs. McClarin was a daughter of the late Robert and Martha Stanton Maddux. She was born and reared in Granville community of Jackson County.

Survivors are a sister, Mrs. L. M. Freeman, Granville; a grandson, W. M. McCarin of Texas; 6 nieces and 3 nephews.

Courier, TN: 5 August 1965.

Mary Freeman “Anne” (Maddux) Morrell Obt.

b. 27 August 1913, Martins Creek Community, Jackson Co., TN – d. 16 January 2008, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md in 1936 to Logan Morrell. Mary Freeman “Anne” (Maddux) Morrell, d/o Thomas Jefferson Maddux (1878-1956) & Margaret Medora “Maggie” Burton (1879-1975).

PULASKI – Funeral services for Mary Freeman Maddux Morrell, 94, of Pulaski, and formerly of the Martins Creek Community of Putnam County, will be held Monday, Jan. 21, at 11 a.m. at Bennett-May-Giles Funeral Home.

Burial will be in Maddux Family Cemetery in the Martins Creek Community.

Mrs. Morrell will lie in state at the Cookeville chapel of Hooper-Huddleston & Horner Funeral Home Sunday, Jan. 20, from 4-6 p.m. Family will receive friends Monday, Jan. 21, from 9 a.m. until time of service at Bennett-May-Giles County Funeral Home.

Mrs. Morrell graduated from the Jackson County school system and attended Tennessee Polytechnic Institute, where she was elected May Queen. She was unable to enjoy this honor because she contracted

scarlet fever and was confined to her home. She later received her degree from Middle Tennessee College in Murfreesboro. She was a retired elementary school teacher. Her teaching career spanned 38 years, mostly in Giles County where she taught first grade and kindergarten.

She had a great love for dogs and horses and owned several pets over the years. She enjoyed her home and antiques, and for a short time was a part-owner of an antique shop. She was member of the Pulaski First United Methodist Church and former member of the Pulaski garden Club and Hill Crest Country Club.

Her family includes two nieces, Martha Williford and husband Tom and Nancy Lafever and husband Glynn, all of Cookeville; two step-nieces, Elichia Brown and Michell Williford; a step-nephew, Lacy Williford; two great-nieces, Leigh Lafever-Ayer and Holly Slatten Wallace; two great nephews, Jeff Lafever and Brian Bowling; two great-great-nieces, Maggie Wallace and Alexandria Ayer; a great-great-nephew, Trip Wallace; and a devoted dog, Justice.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Logan Morrell (whom she married in 1936 and who died in 1997); four sisters, Frances Ulmer, Medora Hurst, Martha Breeding and Eleanor Maddux; and two brothers, Thomas B. and Ralph Maddux.

Memorial donations may be made to Pulaski First United Methodist Church, St. Pulaski, TN, or to the Grandville Museum, c/o Randall Clemons, P. O. Box 26, Granville, TN 38564.

Rev. Wayne Davis will officiate the services.

Martha Beasley (Maddux) Breeding Obt.

b. 10 March 1910 Putnam Co., TN – d. 5 December 1991, Nashville, Davidson Co., TN, md **Joe Robert Breeding**, b. 9 June 1911 – d. 30 September 1972. Martha Beasley (Maddux) Breeding, d/o Thomas Jefferson Maddux (1878-1956) & Margaret Medora “Maggie” Burton (1879-1975).

COOKEVILLE – Funeral services for Martha Beasley Maddux Breeding of Cookeville will be Sunday, Dec. 8, at 2 p.m. at Granville Methodist Church.

Mrs. Breeding died Thursday, Dec. 5, 1991, at Parkview Hospital in Nashville.

A native of Putnam County, she was the daughter of the late Thomas Jefferson and Margaret Burton Maddux.

Mrs. Breeding was a retired school teacher with the Putnam and Jackson County school systems and retired from the State of Michigan Employment Security.

Her husband was the late Joe Robert Breeding.

Mrs. Breeding’s family includes three sisters, Mrs. Robert Hurst of Chapel Hill, NC, Eleanor Maddux of Cookeville and Mrs. Logan Morrell of Pulaski; two brothers, Thomas B. Maddux of Baxter and Ralph Maddux of Granville.

The family will receive friends at Granville Methodist Church Sunday, Dec. 8, from 1-2 p.m.

Memorial contributions may be made to Granville Methodist Church.

Brother John Arnold will officiate.

Whitson Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Thomas Jefferson Maddux Obt. #2

Last Maddux Rites Held at Granville:

Funeral services for Thomas Jefferson Maddux, 77, were held Tuesday of last week at the Granville Methodist church with the Rev. I. B. Pennington and the Rev. B. L. Flowers officiating. The services conducted at two o'clock were followed by burial in the Maddux family cemetery.

Mr. Maddux's death occurred at his home in the Martin Creek's community of Putnam county following an illness of many weeks.

An outstanding citizen of not only his community but throughout this area of Tennessee, he was the son of the late Bob and Martha Stanton Maddux and a member of two influential and pioneer families.

A prosperous and prominent farmer, Mr. Maddux, had spent his entire life on his Martin Creek farm, living in the same house as built by his forefathers. It was the homeplace of his mother, and the farm had been owned and operated by four generations of his family. It was a land grant to his Stanton ancestors and at the time the house was erected it was in North Carolina. He was married to the former Miss Maggie Burton and they reared their family in the house which is a landmark of historic note in Putnam County.

Mr. Maddux was a member of the Methodist Church and was acclaimed as a leader in community, county and state interests.

Survivors include his wife, two sons, Tommy and Ralph Maddux, of the Martins Creek Community, five daughters, Mrs. Frances Elmer, Mobile, AL, Medora Corder, Fayetteville, NC, Miss Eleanor Maddux, Nashville, Mrs. Martha Beasley Breeding, Detroit, Mrs. Mary Freeman Morell, Pulaski, two sisters, Mrs. Charles McCarin, Carthage and Mrs. L. M. Freeman, Granville, two grandchildren, Nancy Lee and Martha Maddux of Martin's Creek.

Whitson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Robert Herbert Fike Obt.

b. 4 April 1927 – d. 9 April 2011, md **Dorothy Ann (Shanks) Fite**, b. 18 September 1928, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **Walter Robinson Shanks** (1883-1967) & **Euda Elizabeth Warren** (1902-1985). Robert Herbert Fike, s/o **Hugh Franklin Fike** (1886-1957) & **Wrenner McKee** (1893-1961), both buried in Oak Hill Cemetery, Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL.

MADISON -- Funeral services for Ralph Herbert Fike, 83, of Madison, will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, April 12, in the chapel of Madison Funeral Home. Interment will follow at 3 p.m. in Maddux Cemetery in Buffalo Valley.



Family will receive friends from 4-8 p.m. today, Monday, April 11, at the funeral home.

Mr. Fike passed away Saturday, April 9, 2011.

He was a graduate of Baxter Seminary and a student at UT Knoxville. Mr. Fike served in the Navy during World War II and retired from the Army Corps of Engineers in 1986, after 30+ years of service. He was an active member of Madison First Baptist Church for 33 years, where memorial contributions may be made.

His family includes his loving wife of 60 years, Dorothy Ann Shanks Fike; three daughters and sons-in-law, Carolyn and Bob Vermilye, Nancy and Alton Roark and Linda and Barry Moran; a son and daughter-in-law, Ralph David and Christy Fike; eight grandchildren, Gretchen Roark Whaley and husband Ron Joe, Josh Roark and wife Amanda, Victoria Vermilye, Sarah Moran, Matthew Moran, Emily Fike, Erynn Fike and Haydynn Fike; and two great-grandchildren, Micah and Nate Whaley.

Pallbearers will be Ron Joe Whaley, Ken Ferdon, Larry Kenny, David Mistakovitch, Joe Perryman and Rich Powell.

Honorary pallbearers will be Josh Roark, Haydynn Fike, Matthew Moran, Micah and Nate Whaley, Robert Shanks, Reggie Shanks, Barry Moran, Alton Roark and Robert Vermilye.

Online tributes may be made to www.madisonfuneralhome.net.

Madison Funeral Home (219 Old Hickory Blvd. East, Madison, TN) is in charge of arrangements.

Herald-Citizen, Cookeville, TN: 11 April 2011, pg. A-4

HERITAGE DAY TO INCLUDE MOTORCYCLE SHOW

Tuesday, April 2009

GRANVILLE – the 11th annual Granville Heritage Day on May 23 will have the first annual Ralph Maddux Memorial Motorcycle Show as part of its day of celebration. This show will consist of 18 classes of competition with three place trophies in each class with a \$10 entry fee. The show will be sponsored by Boswell's Motorcycles who is the Harley Davidson dealer in Cookeville. The show will be held on the vacant lot next to Granville Market.

Ralph Maddux was born in 1918 in the Granville Community in the edge of Putnam County on Martins Creek. He was the youngest of seven children and was small in size with a great love of animals, but didn't have the love of farming that his brother and father had. His interest centered on motorbikes, one of which he had seen in a Sears and Roebuck catalog. After many months of collecting and selling scrap iron, he earned enough money to order it. This machine was his pride and joy and his cousin wrecked it.

One family story said he was sent to the neighbors about a mile away to borrow some extra hoes for the work hands to hoe the tobacco. He went on the motorcycle that now had only one handlebar. When he returned to the tobacco patch carrying the hoes, he lost control and took down several rows of tobacco. His brother told their father that he thought an airplane had landed. Needless to say, his father was not pleased.

Maddux joined the National Guard and volunteered for active duty before the Cookeville unit was called during WWII where he served as a supply sergeant. While in France he discovered a motorcycle the Germans had left behind in a grease pit. After it was inspected for "booby traps," he pulled it out and was able to fix it. He carried it in the supply truck and rode it at every opportunity.



A few months before his death in 2002, his granddaughter asked him what he did with the motorcycle before leaving to come home. He said he couldn't remember exactly, but he thought that he gave it to another GI.

(Pictured: Ralph Maddux (no left) with the motorcycle he pulled from a grease pit somewhere in Europe during WWII).

During his overseas duty with the 269th Field Artillery Unit he received the Bronze Star for climbing to the top of a building where a 5-caliber machine gun was mounted and successfully engaged with a German fighter aircraft.

After the war he returned to the farm and raised cattle and baled hay in the community of Granville. In 1956 he secured a Harley-Davidson dealership and opened the first Harley store in Cookeville at 39 West

Spring Street across the street from the Cookeville Pure Milk Company and the Dairy Queen. He owned and operated this store until 1974 and was the only dealership between Nashville and Knoxville.

His last project before selling his shop in 1974 was to rebuild two Harleys, a 1930 and a 1934. The 1934 was completed but the 1930 was never finished to his satisfaction. These antique Harleys will be on display in Granville on Heritage Day. For more information contact Roy Bennett at Boswells at (931) 526-3139.

ONE MADDUX FAMILY'S JOURNEY

By Nancy Maddux Lafever
Courtesy of Granville History Museum, Granville, TN

Alexander Mattock arrived in America in October 1635 on the "Abraham of London". He was born in Wales in 1613 and died in North Hampton County, Virginia in 1659. There were fifty-one passengers on the "Abraham of London". Alexander's presence on that ship is documented in "The Original List of People of Quality" by John Camden Hotten (1874). He was twenty-two years old at the time of the voyage.

Records tell us that Alexander's descendants migrated to Somerset County, Maryland and then back to Virginia before coming to Tennessee and other areas. We do not know the reason for this migration, probably in search of more land that had not been worn out by so much tobacco farming.

Alexander's great-great grandson, William Maddux, also of Virginia, served in the Continental Army as a sergeant. William's son, Craven, was the first of our ancestors to move to Tennessee. Craven most assuredly came to Tennessee by horseback or wagon. We don't know why he left Bedford County, Virginia, but he settled on land in Buffalo Valley, Tennessee, which at the time was part of Jackson County. He was a farmer and also helped survey the boundaries for Putnam County. Evidence of his grist mill can still be seen in a creek on the Shanks Farm. Craven and his wife, Betsy Davis, have monuments in the Maddux Cemetery on the same farm.

Craven had ten children one of which was Thomas Jefferson Maddux who was born in 1814. He settled in the Rock Springs Community near Buffalo Valley. He and his wife Elizabeth Garrett, had fourteen children. Thomas and Elizabeth are buried in another family cemetery located on the Medley Farm.

Robert Fain Maddux, Thomas's eleventh child and my great grandfather, married Martha Stanton and made their home a few miles away in the Martin Creek Community near Granville. They built a beautiful southern home which now is known as the Dr. Freeman Home. Robert or Bob, as he was called, is credited, along with two others, with capturing the bandits of the last stagecoach robbery in October 1882.

Martha Stanton and Bob Maddux had three children, one of which was Thomas Jefferson Maddux. He married Maggie Burton of Granville and they also made their home on Martin Creek. They had eight children one of which was Ralph, whose daughters still own the Martin Creek property today.

Alexander Maddox who came to American in 1635 had many descendants. This is only one of many Journey Stories that could be written.

T. J. MADDUX CEMETERY, PUTNAM CO., TN

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Source: Putnam County Tennessee Cemeteries by Maurine Ensor Patton & Doris Garrison Gilbert, pgs. 339 & 340.

T. J. Cemetery located on the Amonett – Medley Road, near Rock Springs Church Putnam County
Recorded by Maurine E. Patton on 29 March 1981.

***(Thomas Jefferson) "T. J." Maddux**, b. 7 May 1814, VA – d. 21 November 1871 - (*mason*)
(Thomas Jefferson Maddux was the 4th child of Craven Maddux and Betsy Davis Maddux. His sister was Margaret (Maddux) Shanks the oldest of the 10 children. She md Simon Shanks).

**See Shanks family story.*

***Elizabeth James (Garrett) Maddux**, b. 2 March 1814, Buckingham Co., VA – d. 12 July 1896, Putnam Co., TN, d/o William D. Garrett (1782-1860) & Sally Amanda (1790-1873).
(Elizabeth is the w/o Thomas Jefferson Maddux).

*Read more about virtual cemeteries of Putnam Co., TN & surrounding areas at:
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