

We know what we are,
but we know not what we may be.
William Shakespeare

(con't list; children of Jane Benajah & Nicholas Gentry II)

...Benajah Brown Gentry – b. ca. 1733, Albemarle, VA – d. 3 January 1831,
Charlottesville, VA - *Rev'l War, Civil Service* – VA.

md Miss Austin – md Miss Jones

Named after Benajah Brown, witness to Nicholas Gentry II's will.

Benajah Gentry was born in Hanover Co., VA, in 1733, and his will was proved in Albemarle Co., VA, January, 1831. He lived for a few years in Louisa Co., but finally bought a home on Biscuit Run, three miles south of Charlottesville, VA, in Albemarle Co., VA in the year 1764. He married first, a Miss Austin; second, a Miss Jones of Culpepper Co. He was a successful planter and owned a number of negro slaves. He was a man of fine character, well beloved by his neighbors, a leading member of the Baptist Church, and very active and zealous in religious work. He could read his Bible from memory, and always led the singing in church. In 1817 he transferred all his property to his son Robert, although his death did not occur until 1831, at the great age of 98. He had six children by his first wife.

Children of Austin & Benajah Gentry:

...Kate Gentry – b. ca. 1782, Albemarle Co., VA –

md John P. Gentry - *Her 1st cousin - s/o Mary (Timberlake) & Martin Gentry, Kate & John moved to Madison Co., KY.*

...Thomas P. Gentry – b. 4 April 1782, Albemarle Co., VA –

1 February 1849, Dickson Co., TN Buried: Stuart Cemetery

...James Gentry – b. 15 October 1785/6, Culpepper, VA –

d. 15 January 1861, Charlottesville, Albemarle Co., VA –

Born in Albemarle Co., VA, October 15, 1786; married Elizabeth Tooley in Virginia, August 4, 1808. He served as a soldier in the War of 1812, before leaving Virginia. After the war he settled in Monroe Co., KY on Meshach Creek, and became a wealthy land and slave owner. He died January 15, 1861.

md Elizabeth Tooley and moved to KY.

...Robert Gentry – b. ca. 1788, Culpepper, VA – d. ca. 1797

...John Gentry – b. ca. 1790, Albemarle Co., VA – d. ca. 1845 –

Born in Albemarle Co., VA about 1790; married a Miss Thurman and settled on a farm near Crozet in the western part of the county, where he lived until he died in 1845. His descendants still own and live on this farm. He was a soldier in the War of 1812.

md Miss Thurman

...Katherine "Kate" Gentry – b. ca. 1791, Charlottesville, Albemarle, VA

...Patsey Gentry – b. ca. 1794, Charlottesville, Albemarle, VA – md Elijah Dawson of Nelson Co., VA; *their children were Robert, Elizabeth, Martin, & James Dawson, the family settled in Callaway Co., MO.*

...Susan Gentry – b. ca. 1797, Charlottesville, Albemarle, VA – *died single.*

...Frances Gentry – b. ca. 1790/1800, Charlottesville, Albemarle, VA –

md William Dunkum;

Their daughter Susan Dunkum married Ralls Abell of

Albermarle Co., VA and his daughter Julia Abell married Fred G. Adams,

Several times treasurer and collector of Jackson Co., MO.

Children of Austin & Benajah Gentry:

...Mary Gentry – b. ca. 1750/55, Albemarle, VA – md Jeremiah Cleveland,
d. ca. 1778, Charlottesville, Albemarle, VA

Mary, married Jeremiah Cleveland, a brother of Col. Benjamin Cleveland, a hero of the Battle of King's Mountain, and who was such a terror to the North Carolina Tories during the Revolution. Jeremiah & Mary's children were: Benajah, William, Martha who md Archibald Lingo, Sarah who md Mr. Watson, Elizabeth who md 1st Gilliam, 2nd Mr. Sowell & Ann Cleveland who md Mr. Billups.

...Elizabeth Gentry – b. ca. 1750/60, Hanover, VA – md William Goodwin.
d. ca. 1780, Charlottesville, Albemarle, VA

...Annie Gentry – b. ca. 1760/1770, Hanover, VA – md Benjamin Sowell,
d. ca. 1782, Charlottesville, Albemarle, VA

...Sallie Gentry – b. 1760/70, Charlottesville, Albemarle, VA –
md George Hardin - b. ca. 1784, Charlottesville, Albemarle, VA

...Jane Gentry – b. ca. 1760/70, Charlottesville, Albemarle, VA –
md Thomas Fulture - b. ca. 1786, Charlottesville, Albemarle, VA –
They settled in Kentucky.

...William Gentry – b. ca. 1770, Charlottesville, Albemarle, VA –
md ca. 1790, Charlottesville, Albemarle, VA, Carr - *Settled in Dickson Co., TN.*

Gentry, Robert I

b. ca. 1730, Pamunkey Neck, St. Paul's Parish, Hanover Co., VA

d. 29 June 1814, Jefferson, TN or d. after 9 May 1811, Jefferson Co., TN

s/o Nicholas Gentry II & Mary Jane Albert Brooks - * See *Will of Robert Gentry Revolutionary War Veteran – First Families of Tennessee – Source:*

*1778 Washington County NC/TN Tax list md 1st ca. 1752/1753, Albemarle Co., VA, **Judith Joyner** – b. ca. 1734, Albemarle Co., VA – d. ca. 1803, Franklin, TN d/o Philip Joyner of Albemarle, VA – d. *Will dated, 19 February 1761**

Philip willed 200 acres to each grandson, Charles & Jesse Gentry which the land is now the site of University of VA in Charlottesville, VA.

md 2nd 13 November 1804, Jefferson Co., TN, **Rachel West – b. ca. 1776 - she md 1st 18 March 1794, David Bayless - d/o Thomas West – b. ca. 1730, England.**

Robert born in Hanover Co., VA about 1730; married Judith Joyner, daughter of Philip Joyner of Albemarle C., VA. In 1776 Robert Gentry conveyed 234 acres of land on which he lived in Albemarle, VA to John Woodson, in which his wife Judith joined. He is described as a planter of the parish. The Will of Philip Joyner dated February 19, 1761, names, among other legatees, his grandsons Charles and Jesse Gentry, giving each of them 200 acres of land, and names his granddaughters, Elizabeth, Sarah and Mary. The land on which the Virginia University stands is a part of this legacy. He moved to Tennessee and settled on the north side of the French Broad River, 4 miles east of Dandridge, Jefferson Co., Tennessee, in 1783. He married second wife Rachel West, in Tennessee, November 13, 1804. She had no children. "Ramsey's History of Tennessee," page 277, mentions Robert Gentry among the first settlers in Jefferson Co., Tennessee in 1783. Robert Gentry, four miles above Dandridge, Tennessee.

Robert Gentry is listed in the book "First Families of Tennessee" by the East Tennessee Society on page, 155: Robert Gentry, born c. 1730, Hanover Co., VA; died c. 1812, Jefferson Co., TN; married Judith Joyner; county settled: Washington, 1778; proof: tax list. Washington County is located in East Tennessee, one of the state's three "grand divisions." Washington County, TN, was formed in 1796 from portions of Washington County, NC.

**See Land Deeds of Jefferson Co., TN & History of Jefferson Co., TN.*

**See Albemarle County in Virginia by Rev. Edgar Woods – pg. 205 & 206.*

Children of Judith Joyner & Robert Gentry I

- ...**Barlett Gentry** – b. ca. 1761, Albemarle, VA – d. ca. 1830, Belfant, AL
md 1 February 1790, **Elizabeth Whitman**
- ...**Tabitha Gentry** – b. ca. 1776, VA
- ...**Elizabeth Gentry** – b. ca. 1765, Albemarle Co., VA - md ca. 1785, Albermarle Co., VA, Murror/Murror/Murrell/Morrow – b. ca. 1763, Albemarle Co., VA
- ...**Sarah Gentry** – b. ca. 1760, Albemarle Co., VA – d. ca. 1795 -
md 1st ca. 1777, Albemarle Co., VA, James Randolph – b. 1758, Chesterfield, Chesterfield Co., VA – d. 1794 Jefferson City, Jefferson Co., TN - md 2nd John McGork – b. ca. 1756 - *See Family Sheet Robert Gentry & Judith Joyner (Will: James Randolph)
- ...**Henry Randolph** – b. 4 July 1778, Culpeper, VA –
d. 8 February 1848, Sevier, TN – *Baptist preacher, "Primitive Baptist".*
Buried: Friendship Cemetery, White Pine, Jefferson Co., TN
- ...**Lucy Randolph** – b. ca. 1780, Albemarle Co., VA – md 6 October 1797,
Jefferson Co., TN, Henry Hazelrigg Haggard – b. 1769, Albermarle, VA –
d. 1 July 1829, Jefferson Co., TN
s/o Henry Hazelrigg Haggard & Dorothy Dolly Randolph
- ...**John Randolph** – b. ca. 1782, Albemarle Co., VA – d. 1851, TX
- ...**Robert Randolph** – b. ca. 1785, Albemarle Co., VA – d. 1810, TX
- ...**Elizabeth Randolph** – b. ca. 1786, Jefferson Co., TN – d. 1810
- ...**Mary M. Randolph** – b. 15 January 1792, Jefferson Co., TN
d. 20 Jan 1860, Polk, TN – md Rev. Isaac Hunter Kimbrough (1788-1868),
s/o Rev. Marmaduke "Duke" Kimbrough & Mary Gentry
- ...**Sarah Randolph** – b. ca. 1788/90, Jefferson Co., TN – d. 1868, AL
- ...**Susannah Randolph** – b. 22 May 1795, Jefferson, TN – d. 20 January 1860
Moody, McLennan Co., TX – Buried: Perry Cemetery, Moody, TX.
- ...**Charles Gentry** – b. ca. 1755, Albemarle Co., VA – *Rev'l War soldier.*
md Elizabeth Joyner – b. ca. 1777, Albemarle Co., VA –

Born in Albemarle Co., VA about 1755; he probably moved with his father to Tennessee in 1783. His father settled in Jefferson Co., Tennessee. There is a record of a deed for land in Clark Co., KY bought by Charles Gentry of Benjamin McFarland of Tennessee in 1805. He is mentioned as one of the legatees in his father's will in 1811, of record in Dandridge, Jefferson Co., Tennessee. He sold the land in Virginia he inherited from Philip Joyner in 1875. There is a persistent tradition in the family that a Charles Gentry was stolen by the Indians, married a Cherokee Indian and lived with the tribe in Tennessee before 1800. He may be the ancestor of some prominent wealthy Indians of the name Gentry, living in the

state of Oklahoma. Charles probably married Rhoda Carson, d/o Samuel Carson & Anna Jarnagin – needs more research.

...Jesse Gentry – b. ca. 1757, Albemarle Co., VA – d. ca. 1805
md 1st ca. 1778/85, Albemarle Co., VA, Elizabeth Betsey Young
md 2nd ca. 1793/96, Washington Co., VA, Sarah Eve Miller – b. ca. 1761, Albemarle Co., VA

Jesse and his brother Charles inherited by will from their grandfather, Philip Joyner of Albemarle Co., VA, 200 areas of land each, being the same land on which the University now stands. Jesse sold his part of this land in 1783, and went to Tennessee. He is mentioned as a legatee in his father's will in 1811. It is probable that he finally settled in Southern Kentucky.

...Silas Gentry – b. ca. 1782 NC

...Mary Gentry – b. ca. 1784, NC

...John Gentry – b. ca. 1789, NC

...William Gentry – b. ca. 1780/90, NC – ca. 1839

...Elizabeth Betsey Gentry – b. ca. 1792, NC

...Martin Gentry II – b. 26 April 1794, NC

...Mary Gentry – b. ca. 1762, Albemarle, VA – d. ca. 1784, TN – md Mr. Drake
md 1st ca. 1783, Dandridge, Jefferson, TN, - Marmaduke Kimbrough
"Rev. Duke" – b. 19 November 1762, Rowan Co., NC – d. 21 September 1849, Jefferson Co., TN – s/o Bradley Kimbrough & Sarah Thompson
Buried: Family graveyard, Mossy Creek Iron Works, about two miles from Jefferson City, Jefferson, TN - *See *Story of Marmaduke Kimbrough – Gentry*.

...Mary Kimbrough – b. 26 November 1783, Dandridge, Jefferson Co., TN
md William Chilton - *See *Descendants of Samuel Carson*.

...Bradley Kimbrough – b. 3 November 1799 – d. 30 June 1874 –
md 3 December 1833, Fidelia Carson – son of Rev. Duke and Eunice Carlock.

...Martin Gentry - b. ca. 1760, Albemarle Co., VA – d. 1823, Jefferson Co., TN
Veteran of War of 1812, Service Location, VA – md ca. 1785, Dandridge, Jefferson Co., TN, Sarah or Ann Gentry – b. ca. 1767, Dandridge Co., TN -
d. 9 September 1833, Jefferson Co., TN.

Moved to Tennessee with his father in 1782. In his father's will he was given the home place near Dandridge in addition to other property, and his descendants still own the old homestead, which was situated on the north side of the French River, four miles east of Dandridge. Soldier, War of 1812.

...John Gentry – b. ca. 1792/3, Dandridge, Jefferson Co., TN –
d. After 1848, Carroll Co., AR – md 1 October 1812, Priscilla Graham –
b. ca. 1794, Jefferson Co., TN – d. after 1860, Carroll Co., AR –
d/o George Graham & Elizabeth Turnley

...Martin Gentry – b. ca. 1795/6, Dandridge, Jefferson Co., TN –
md Betsie Rhinehart – b. 6 September 1832

...Mary Gentry – b. ca. 1797- d. 1800, Dandridge, Jefferson Co., TN

...Elizabeth Gentry – b. ca. 1799, Dandridge, Jefferson Co., TN

...Martha Gentry – b. ca. 1801, Dandridge, Jefferson Co., TN

...Charles Gentry – b. ca. 1803, Dandridge, Jefferson Co., TN

Tabitha Gentry - b. ca. 1772/76, VA – d. ca. 1805

Gentry, Robert II

b. ca. 1786, White Co., TN – d., after 1840 before 1850, Mine Lick, Baxter, TN
s/o Bartlett Gentry & Elizabeth Whitman - **md** About 1808, **Nancy Harris**

b. ca. 1790, Fredrick Co., VA – d. after 1862, Jackson Co., TN

1850 census, Jackson Co., TN – Dist. 12 – 60 yrs. old.

Married and reared his family in Jackson Co., TN – From the book

“The Gentry Family in America” by Richard Gentry

...Silas Whitney or William Gentry - b. 20 March 1810, Jackson Co., TN –

d. September 1884, Baxter, Putnam Co., TN

md 1st 8 August 1833, Jackson Co., TN, Mary Jane Kerr Lindsey –

b. 22 February 1809, NC – d. Jan. 1886, buried at Allison, Window Cliff, Putnam, TN

d/o Robert Lawrence Lindsey & Margaret “Peggy” Allison -

md 2nd Irena Asenath Allison – d/o Minelick Joe & Aseneth Stone Allison

Silas W. shown living in the 12th Dist., Jackson Co., TN, in 1850 US census.

Children of Silas Whitney Gentry & Mary Jane Kerr Lindsey:

...Robert Lindsey Gentry – b. 8 June 1834, Jackson Co., TN -

d. 27 April 1906, Putnam Co., TN – Civil War, *Union Army, Pvt. Co. B, 1st TN Mtd Inf.*

Buried: Allison Cemetery, Ensor Bottom, Baxter, TN

md 1st 22 April 1855, Putnam Co., TN, Irena “Rena” Asenath Allison -

b. 12 June 1838, White Co., TN – d. before 1870, TN

d/o Joseph “Mine Lick” Allison & Cynthia Stone

md 2nd 7 October 1866, Putnam Co., TN, Jane Bryant -

md 3rd Lucinda S. Cole

Children of Robert Lindsey Gentry & Irena “Rena” Asenath Allison.

...Joseph Clayton “Joe” Gentry Sr. – b. 8 March 1854, TN – d. 6 May 1928,

Baxter, TN – md 8 November 1877, Eliza Jane Thomas - b. 26 February

1858, TN – d. 28 April 1895 - Eliza, Buried: +Harris Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

d/o Joseph B. & Elizabeth “Besty” Barr Thomas

...John Byrd Gentry – b. 2 August 1878, Bloomington Springs, TN –

md 10 June 1910, Agnes Lee Jernigan - **See Chapter 9.*

...Robert R. Gentry – b. ca. 1883, Bloomington Springs, TN

md 15 June 1899, TN, Opal “Opie” Jernigan – **See Chapter 9.*

...Joseph Clayton Gentry Jr. – b. 13 May 1893 – d. 19 January 1912

Buried: +Harris Cemetery, Putnam Co, TN

...Silas C. Gentry – b. about 1858, Putnam Co., TN –

d. before 1870, Putnam Co., TN

...William C. “Bill” Gentry – b. 20 January 1860, Putnam Co., TN –

d. 3 September 1883 – Buried: +Gentry Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

...Robert Byrd “Burt” Gentry – b. 25 September 1863. Putnam Co., TN –

d. 25 October 1944, Lawton Comanche, OK –

Super. of Schools in Lawton, OK.

md 1st about 1884, Baxter, Putnam Co., TN, Mary Lowe –

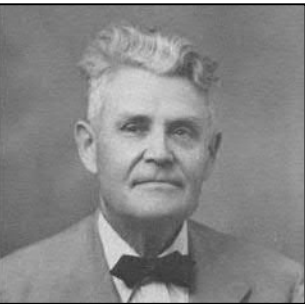
b. 11 May 1867, Baxter, Putnam Co., TN – d. 23 March 1887, d/o

I. Alfred Lowe & Mary Clark –

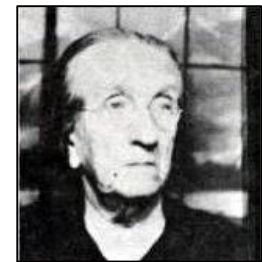
md 2nd 13 November 1887, Putnam Co., TN, Ruth Frances Ensor-

b. 19 April 1873, Putnam Co., TN – d. 10 September 1930, OK

d/o Jonathan Lasley Ensor & Sarah Frances Evans



Mr. Lawrence Grace,
Treasurer, Baxter Seminary,
Board of Treasurer.
Tennessee



Mary Robertson
(Maxwell) Gentry



William Newton Gentry
& Elizabeth "Eliza" Ann
Taylor. Picture
courtesy of Azilee
Wilkerson. Siftings
from Putnam County,
Tennessee by Mary
Hopson, pg. 188.

To see a bigger
version of this picture
and more information
see the Family Sheet
of Robert Gentry and
Nancy Harris.

Children of Robert Byrd Gentry & Ruth Frances Ensor:

- ...Vinnie Gentry – b. 12 October 1888, Putnam Co., TN –
d. 26 August 1942, Baxter, Putnam Co., TN –
md 7 May 1917, Lawton, Comanche, OK, Lawrence Grace –
b. 14 February 1883, Christian, KY – d. 11 September 1962,
Putnam Co., TN – md 2nd Vada Catherine (Swallows) Pope
All buried: +Odd Fellows, Baxter, Putnam Co., TN *See Robert Grace Obt.
- ...Ora Gentry – b. 29 March 1891, Putnam Co., TN
- ...William Dow Gentry – b. 24 February 1894, Baxter, Putnam Co., TN –
d. December 1981, Dallas, TX
- ...Pachal Monroe Gentry – b. 25 August 1896, Putnam Co., TN
- ...Eugene McClelland Gentry – b. 24 June 1899, Baxter, Putnam Co., TN
d. January 1974, Houston, TX
- ...Irene Frances Gentry – b. 15 December 1901, Putnam Co., TN
- ...Hurbert Cordell Gentry – b. 14 January 1905, Baxter, Putnam, TN –
d. October 1981, Garland, TX
- ...Howard Evans Gentry – b. 24 May 1908, Baxter, Putnam Co., TN –
d. 10 October 1992, Denton, Denton, TX
- ...Virginia Ruth Gentry – b. 5 May 1912, Corwell, TX
- ...Robert Byrd Gentry – b. 21 November 1914, Lawton, Comanche, OK –
d. 31 January 1995, TX

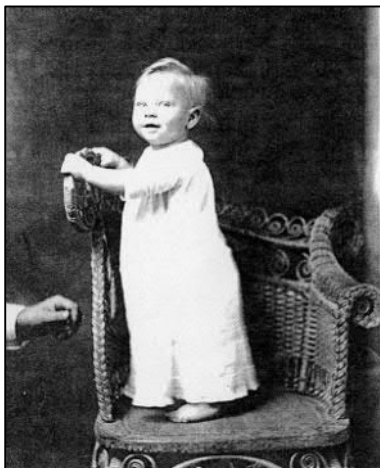
- ...William Newton "Esq. Bill" Gentry – b. 11 November 1832, Jackson Co.,
TN – d. 20 September 1917, TN – md 16 November 1854, Elizabeth "Eliza"
Ann Taylor - b. 31 May 1837, VA – d. 2 February 1902 – d/o Silas Taylor &
Mary Adeline Walker - Both Buried: +Maxwell Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN -
md Sarah "Settie" (Carr) Goolsby Maynard-b. 9 Sept 1863 – d. 19 Feb 1925,
Buried: +Cookeville City Cemetery. Sarah also md J. S. Maynard.

Children of William Newton & Elizabeth Ann (Taylor) Gentry:

- ...Mary Jane Gentry – b. 8 December 1855, TN – d. 22 July 1951- md 19
August 1875, John Green Duke – b. 18 July 1848 – d. 15 January 1928 –
s/o William Duke & Sarah McGuffrey – *Mercantile Business & Postmaster*.
Both Buried: +Cookeville City Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN
- ...Silas Henry "Si" Gentry – b. 30 October 1857, TN – d. 11 January 1932 –
md 3 April 1887, Mary Robertson Maxwell – b. 7 Sept. 1859, TN
d. 18 January 1947 – d/o Granville C. Maxwell & Sarah Medlin
Both Buried: +Maxwell Cemetery, Baxter, Putnam Co., TN
- ...Lucillous Constantine Gentry – md ca. 1910, Sallie Elizabeth Burch



Lucillous Constantine Gentry Sr.
& his wife Sallie Elizabeth Burch



Lucillous Constantine Gentry
Jr., s/o L.C. Gentry Sr. & Sallie
Elizabeth Burch.

Photos courtesy of Penelope "Penny" Giacoletti. She writes of her family history: "Sallie" Elizabeth Burch was the younger sister to my great grandmother, Emma Burch Medley, w/o Ruben Medley. Lucillous Constantine Gentry Sr. took his wife and child L. C. Gentry Jr. to Texas and then to Prague/Paden, OK by 1930. Sallie and Emma's older brother, John Armstrong Burch arrived in Oklahoma about 1905. He was a school teacher and died in 1929. His wife, Eura Helen Farmer, d/o Dr. William Farmer, Putnam Co., TN lived until 1972. Lucillous Constantine Gentry signed a paper for Lovuina Jones Tucker when she applied for a widow's pension for Creed Haskins Tucker's service in the War of 1812."

*See Chapter 10: <http://www.ajlambert.com>

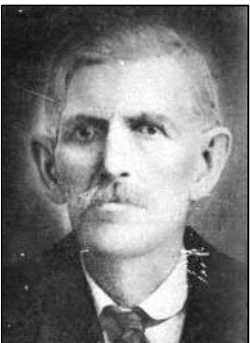
*See Family Sheet of Robert Gentry & Nancy Harris
family photos courtesy of Penelope "Penny" Giacoletti
of Hurley, NM.



Silas Henry "Si" Gentry

- ...John Whitley Gentry – b. 29 May 1860, Putnam Co., TN –
d. 25 November 1948, Chestnut Mound, Putnam Co., TN –
md 28 November 1878, TN, Laura Josephine Maxwell –
b. 18 August 1862, TN – d. 28 March 1933 –
Both Buried: +Maxwell Cemetery, Baxter, Putnam Co., TN –
d/o David Wood Maxwell (1822-1869) & Mary Elizabeth Shanks (1826 – 1888).
- ...Robert "Bob" Oscar Gentry – b. 20 June 1864, TN – d. 11 August 1951,
TN – md 4th 12 April 1917, TN, Amanda Jane Gentry – b. 3 May 1885 –
d. 31 October 1932 – d/o Robert Simon Gentry & Calantha Bockman -
Both Buried: +Judd Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN – md 13 October 1881, 1st Nancy A.
Waller - md 2nd Ollie Frances Maxwell – b. 14 January 1879, TN -
d. 11 October 1948, Boiling Springs Lyons, GA – d/o James Thomas
Maxwell & Martha A. Harris - md 3rd 19 May 1898, TN, Eliza Arilla Carr –
b. 1 July 1874, KY – d. 22 January 1917 - d/o Elijah W. Carr & Elizabeth
F. Harrison – Eliza Arilla Carr Gentry buried: +Cookeville City Cemetery, TN. –
Mother of Eugene, Ralph, Rupert, Charlie, Kate & Hurbert Gentry. **Kate Gentry md
Everette T. Lee**, they are both buried in +West Cemetery, 15th Dist., Putnam Co., TN.
- ...Martha "Mattie" Albina Gentry – b. 3 September 1866, Putnam Co., TN –
d. 14 May 1941 md 10 September 1882, William Hickerson "Hick" Maxwell
- b. 30 April 1857, Putnam Co., TN – d. 4 February 1933 –
s/o Granville C. Maxwell & Sarah Medlin -
Both Buried: +Maxwell Cemetery, So. of I-40 Hwy., Putnam Co., TN
- ...Eliza Alice Gentry – b. 7 September 1868, TN – d. 23 March 1954 –
md Joel Alfred "Joe" Leftwich – b. 17 May 1857 – d. 27 June 1936 –
s/o Louis Temple Leftwich & Mary Elizabeth Cross
Both Buried: +Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN
- ...William Sterling Gentry – b. 26 December 1870, TN – md ca. 1895, Lucy
Butler – b. February 1879, TN – Children: Henry, Maisie, Edwin & Frederick Gentry.
13th Dist. Putnam Co., TN, 1910 census. Children: Henry Eston & Maisie Gentry.
- ...Alvis Gentry – b. 1871
- ...Joseph A. "Little Joe" Gentry – b. 1 April 1873, Putnam Co., TN –
d. 22 February 1940 – md ca. 1895, Amanda Angeline Allison – b. 7
November 1872 – d. 25 February 1950 – d/o John J. Allison & Lee Ann Maxwell
Both Buried: Shallowater, TX
- ...Minnie L. Gentry – b. ca. 1877, TN - md 15 July 1899, Putnam Co., TN -
James Madison Slagle – *No children.*
- ...Elmore Gentry – b. 1 March 1880, TN – d. 2 December 1964 – md
1 September 1900, TN – md 1st Elzvie Ledford – b. 22 May 1885 –
d. 9 July 1956 – md 2nd Della (Dyer) Gibson, widow of Julius Leander Gibson.
Both Buried: Welch Memorial Cemetery, Monterey, TN
- ...Margaret C. Gentry – b. 10 December 1837, Jackson, TN – d. before 1860
md Robert Walker Taylor – b. 23 March 1835 – s/o Silas & Mary Adeline
Smith Walker – *Robert married later Mary Catherine Ray. Chapter 14.*
- ...Nancy Polina Gentry - b. 3 March 1840, Jackson, TN – d. 27 September
1876 - md John Washington Thomas – b. 17 September 1839, TN -
d. 14 August 1904 – s/o Joseph B. Thomas & Elizabeth "Besty" Barr

- Both Buried: Allison Cemetery, Ensor Bottom Putnam Co., TN
- ...Sarah Lucinda Gentry – b. 15 October 1841, Jackson Co., TN –
md Pleasant M. Conway, b. ca. 1841, TN, s/o Lewis P. & Cynthia Conway.
- ...Margaret Ellen Conway: b. 30 July 1861, Putnam Co., TN – d. 28
December 1939 – md 23 October 1881, TN, Jasper Davis Lowe –
b. 17 September 1862, Baxter, TN – d. 19 December 1950, Boma, TN
Both Buried: +New Home Baptist Church Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN
- ...Ellenor Jane Gentry – b. 24 September 1843, Jackson Co., TN –
d. 22 September 1888 - md 16 August 1864, Asa Young Gibson –
b. 8 September 1846 – d. 29 October 1910 – Asa md 2nd Martha Harris
Both Buried: +Bloomington Springs Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN
- ...Joseph L. Bartlett Gentry – b. 11 November 1845, Jackson Co., TN
- ...Phylander/Philander Campbell “Cam” Gentry – b. 25 November 1846,
Jackson, TN – md November 1869, Putnam Co., TN, Malissa Bussell –
b. ca. 1846, Algood, TN - d/o Presley Bussell & Elizabeth Howell
- ...Mary Ellen Gentry – b. 18 August 1876 – d. ca. 1952
md 24 September 1883, TN - Joseph “Joe” Thomas – b. June 1874,
Putnam Co., TN – s/o John Washington Thomas & Nancy Polina Gentry
- ...Nevada Gentry – b. ca. 1878 – md Robert Mott
- ...Cornelia Gentry – b. ca. 1879 – md Thomas Jonathan Jared
- ...Nora Gentry – b. ca. 1893
- ...Annie Caroline Gentry – b. ca. 1886 – md Charles Moab Roberson
- ...Byrd Everette Gentry – b. ca. 1890
- ...Bazzie Gentry – b. ca. 1891
- ...Silas Pittman “Pitt” Gentry – b. 2 October 1849, Jackson Co., TN –
d. 1 November 1924 - md 11 October 1866, Amanda Frances Taylor
b. 3 April 1851, TN – d. 30 December 1929, TN
Both Buried: Allison Cemetery, Baxter, TN
- ...Emmitt Clifton Gentry – b. 27 Dec. 1885, TN - d. 16 Dec. 1935, Triune, KS
md 4 March 1905, Lillie G. Johnson, d. KS.
- ...Tennessee Gentry – b. ca. 1851, Jackson Co., TN
- ...Matilda Gentry – b. ca. 1853, Jackson Co., TN
- ...William Henry “Billy” Gentry – b. 5 March 1812, Jackson, TN – d. 26 January
1893 - md Lucinda Conway – b. 12 December 1814, TN – d. 20 March 1893,
d/o Thomas & Elizabeth Conway. Both Buried: +Gentry Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN -nr. Gentry’s Chapel
- ...Lewis P. Gentry – b. 4 Dec. 1837, White Co., TN – d. 6 April 1916, TN – md
22 February 1859, Martha Washington Buck – b. 3 Nov. 1836, TN – d. 1 March 1919
d/o Abraham Buck & Margaret Simmerley (*See *Lewis P. Gentry Story – Gentry files*)
Both Buried: +Gentry Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN
- ...Sarah Francis Gentry – b. 28 December 1846, TN – d. 7 January 1904 –
md William Wade Woodfork Maxwell – b. 8 August 1835, Jackson
Co., TN – d. 30 June 1919 - Both Buried: +Woodfork Maxwell Cemetery,
Baxter, Putnam Co., TN –*Located 1 mile n. of the railroad crossing at Baxter on the
east side of First Avenue. *See Family Sheet of Robert Gentry & Nancy Harris for Wm. Wade Maxwell’s family.*
- ...Robert Gentry
- ...Francis Marion Gentry – b. 28 June 1849, TN – d. 3 August 1926, TN -
md 1st Mary C. Dyer – b. ca. 1854 – d. 11 April 1879 -
Both Buried: +Gentry Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN



William Wade
Woodfork Maxwell
was the s/o Amos D.
Maxwell, 1803-1863 &
Mary C. Patton
Maxwell, 1798-1875/76
He married
Sarah Francis “Sally”
Gentry.
Picture courtesy of Ann
Sullivan Jared
Pg. 216: Siftings from
Putnam Co., TN by
Mary Hopson.



Edward Preston "Eddie"
Franklin & 1st wife Nancy
Anna "Nan" Gentry.
Picture from the book,
Ray Connection, pg. 74B
by Della Pat Franklin

md 2nd ca. 1867, Eliza M. Allison - b. 1 May 1848, TN – d. 12 July 1873

Buried: +Gentry Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

md 3rd 16 September 1879, Putnam Co., TN, Martha Thomas

b. 3 June 1853, TN – d. 27 May 1909

Buried: +Gentry Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

d/o Joseph B. Thomas – b. May 1820, Jackson Co., TN –

s/o William "Billy" & Sarah "Sallie" (Green) Thomas

& Elizabeth "Betsy" Barr – b. April 1818, Burton/Nash, White, TN –

d/o Jonathan W. "John" & Elizabeth Reaves (Cronk) Barr

Child of Francis Marion Gentry & Mary C. Dyer

...Nancy Anna "Nan" Gentry – b. April 1875/7, TN – d. ca. 1901, TN

md 30 December 1893, Putnam Co., TN, Edward P. "Eddie" Franklin

b. 1 February 1871, Putnam Co., TN – d. 17 September 1960,

s/o David Edward L. Franklin & Laura Ann Stewart, both buried in the Stewart Cem., TN.

Both Buried: +Gentry Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN – Tombstone states Nancy b. 1875.

Edward P. "Eddie" Franklin later md Vina Stoglin, d/o Sid Stoglin & Effie Maggart.

Child of Francis Marion Gentry & Martha Thomas

...Idella R. "Della" "Ila" Gentry – b. January 1873, Putnam, TN – d. October 1903

Idella Buried: Gentry Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN - md John Franklin

Children of Francis Marion Gentry & Eliza M. Allison

...Sarah Loucinda Gentry – b. 9 September 1868, Putnam Co., TN –

d. 26 January 1944, Tullahoma, Coffee, TN – md about 1887, William

Stokes Thomas – b. 27 Nov. 1866, Putnam Co., TN – d. 7 Jan. 1947

Ooltewah, Hamilton Co., TN, s/o John Washington & Nancy Polina

(Gentry) Thomas. Sarah & Wm Thomas buried in +Maplewood Cem,

Tullahoma, Coffee Co., TN.

...Mary A. "Mish" Gentry – b. ca. 1870, Putnam Co., TN –

md before 1888, Francis Marion Thomas

...Beatrice Thomas

...Carlos Thomas

...Betsy Gentry – md William Ellis

...Creasy June Gentry – b. 26 June 1852, TN – d. 30 October 1930

md John Mills. Creasy Gentry Mill: DC#23699, 16th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN

...Silas Gentry -

...Nancy "Hannah" Martelia Gentry – b. 5 December 1842, Jackson Co., TN –

d. 11 March 1911 – md Bird Cantrell Maxwell – b. 15 December 1838, TN –

d. 1 October 1905, *Civil War, Union* -Both Buried: +Maxwell Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

...W.R.A. Gentry – b. 3 September 1854, TN - d. 27 July 1922 – md Julia J.

b. 18 January 1855 – Both Buried: +Maxwell Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

...Julia Gentry–b. ca. 1814, Jackson Co., TN-md William "Buck" Roland/Rowland

b. ca. 1818, TN – *Listed as living in the 12th Civil Dist., Jackson Co., TN – 1850 census.*

...America "Merica" Roland – b. ca. 1847 – md 1st Rufus Bruce – md 2nd Ephraim Dunavin.

...Lee Dora Dunavin – b. 27 April 1885, Putnam Co., TN – d. 5 May 1958, Nashville, TN –

md James Lowe Boyd, b. 22 October 1883, Putnam Co., TN – d. 11 April 1940, TN.

...Elizabeth Jane Gentry – *Folk Doctor* - b. 14 December 1817, Jackson Co., TN

d. 29 January 1897, Putnam Co., TN – **md** 18 June 1835, Hebron Baptist

Church of Christ, TN **Aden (Aiden) Smith Henley (Hendley)**

*See Aden (Aiden) Smith Henley (Hendley)– Chapter 7 for complete family listing.

- ...Mary Gentry – b. ca. 1819 – d. before 1880, Jackson Co., TN –
md Joseph A. Lindsey – b. 5 November 1817, s/o Robert Lawrence Lindsey
& Margaret “Peggy” Allison, *brother of: Mary Jane Kerr (Lindsey) Gentry*.
- ...Green Washington Gentry – b. 5 Sep. 1814, Jackson Co., TN – d. 24 June
1893, Blanket, Brown, Comanche Co., TX md 15 Jan. 1840, Emiline Conway/Conaway -
b. 17 January 1824, Jackson Co., TN – d. 24 June 1906, Blanket, Brown, TX
d/o Thomas & Elizabeth Conway -*Green lived in Comanche Co., TX from 1882 until his death in 1892.*
Both Buried: +Rock Church/Logan Valley Cemetery 3 miles north of Blanket, Brown Co., TX.
- ...Melissa Josephine Gentry – b. 31 March 1861, Desark, Prairie, AR – d. 20 November 1927, OK –
md 28 March 1877, Blanco City, Blanco, TX, Jacob Phelps “Fleps” Hicks – b. 8 August 1858, Miller
Creek, Blanco, TX – d. 8 February 1941, Pryor, Mayes, OK –
great grandparents of Lynn (Hicks) Emery. *See Family Sheet of Robert & Nancy (Harris) Gentry.
- ...Meredith Jurdan Gentry – b. 2 October 1823, Jackson Co., TN - d. 8 January
1897, TN - md 25 April 1848, 1st Frances Ann Shanks – b. 20 February 1828,
VA-d. 29 April 1890–Both Buried: +Bloomington Springs Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN
d/o William Simon & Margaret “Peggy” (Maddux) Shanks
md 2nd Josephine Maxwell Shanks – b. 28 July 1824, Fauquier Co., VA –
d. 23 May 1906, TN - d/o William Simon & Margaret “Peggy” (Maddux) Shanks
Josephine Buried: +Gordon Maxwell Graveyard, Putnam Co., TN
Meredith was in the Union Army during the Civil War, Co. B, 1st TN Mtd. Inf., Union Army.
**Sisters Josephine M. Shanks & Frances A. Shanks md the same man.*
**See William Simon Shanks Family Story for complete family listing.*
**See Gentry Family Bible & 1870 census, 11th Dist. & 1880 7th Dist., Putnam Co., TN.*
- ...Robert Simon “Bob” Gentry – b. 15 April 1849, TN – d. 19 September 1924
md 1st 21 November 1878, TN, Maudie Carlantha “Clantha” Bockman –
b. 18 March 1858, TN – d. 18 December 1893 - md 2nd 9 September 1894,
Putnam Co., TN, Lucinda M. “Lucy” Franklin – b. 13 July 1875 -
d. 18 August 1907 – d/o David Edward L. “Edd” Franklin -
Robert: Buried: Bloomington Springs Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN
- ...Amanda Jane Gentry – b. 3 May 1885 – d. 31 October 1932 –
md 12 April 1917, TN, Robert “Bob” Oscar Gentry – b. 20 June 1864, TN
d. 11 August 1951, TN, s/o Meredith Jurdan Gentry & Frances Ann Shanks.
Both Buried: +Judd Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN
- ...Nancy Jane Gentry – b. 15 April 1852, TN – d. 16 November 1926 md
William Cull Vaughn – b. 30 July 1855, TN – d. 15 November 1944
Both Buried: +Bloomington Springs Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN
- ...Julia V. Gentry – b. ca. 1854, TN
- ...Bolivar S. Gentry – b. 18 December 1861 – d. 2 May 1925 - md Julia Gibson
Buried: Bloomington Springs Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN
- ...William V. Gentry – b. ca. 1862, TN
- ...Alvin G. Gentry – b. ca. 1865, TN
- ...Parnelia J. Gentry – b. ca. 1867, TN
- ...Eliza F. Gentry – b. ca. 1869, TN
- ...Annie L. Gentry – b. 18 June 1826, Jackson Co., TN – d. 29 July 1908, TN -
md Larkin/Larken F. Harris – b. 13 February 1824, TN – d. 25 June 1913 –
Both Buried: +Harris Cemetery, *located off Ditty Rd. on Solon Maxwell farm, Putnam Co., TN.*
- ...Nancy Elizabeth Harris – b. 6 May 1851, TN – d. 1 September 1925, Baxter, TN –
DC # 366, State of Tennessee - md Joseph Marion Bradford –
b. 22 February 1851, TN - d. 13 September 1944 –
s/o Giles, b. ca. 1813, TN & Caroline Bradford, b. ca. 1812, TN
Both Buried: +Odd Fellows Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN
- ...Mary Ellen Harris – b. 29 July 1861, TN – d. 6 January 1944 md 11 Dec. 1879, Joseph



Robert Simon
“Bob” Gentry.



Margaret Ann Ellis, d/o
Joseph Allison Ellis &
Mary Ellen Harris.
She md Walter Leslie
Gentry.

*See Gentry stories.

Allison Ellis, b. 11 Jan. 1860, TN - 11 Jan. 1919, TN, s/o Elijah Ellis Jr. (1815-1899) & Margaret Jane McCaleb (1815-1900). Buried: Harris Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN
 ...Sherman Brownlow Harris - b. 29 July 1867, TN - d. 18 Oct. 1940 md Missouri Harris Maxwell
 Buried: +Odd Fellows Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN *See *Susie (Harris) Stone Obt.*

...Robert Gentry Jr. - b. 11 February 1830, Jackson Co., TN -
 d. 27 December 1905 - *Union Army Pvt. B Company 1st TN Mounted Infantry.*
 md Martha Jane "Jannie" Shanks - b. 24 January 1830, Fauquier Co., VA -
 d. 18 April 1905, Putnam Co., TN - 1870 census - Dist. 11, Putnam Co., TN
 d/o William Simon Shanks & Margaret "Peggy" Maddux
 Both Buried: +Odd Fellows Cemetery, Baxter, Putnam Co., TN

...Herald Gentry - b. ca. 1835, Jackson Co., TN - md Elizabeth Henley
 15 yrs. old - 1850 census, Jackson Co., TN, Dist. 12 living with widowed mother.

...Thomas Gentry - b. 22 March 1849 - d. 23 March 1923 -
 Buried: Dobbs Cemetery, TN

...Wiley H. Gentry - b. ca. 1838/39, Jackson Co., TN - d. 4 February 1863 -
*Battle of Murfreesboro, TN during the Civil War. *See Chapter 14.*
 12 yrs. old - 1850 census, Jackson Co., TN, Dist. 12 living with widowed mother.

Buried: +Nashville Nat'l Cemetery, Nashville, TN - md 19 March 1856/58

Minerva Evaline "Nevie" McCaleb - b. 6 January 1841, TN -
 d. 19 May 1927, TN - d/o Capt. Samuel Vanransalear Asiel Silo Moore
 McCaleb & Eleanor "Nellie" Rhea Ray. *she later md Thomas Denton Stone (1844-1899),
 they had five children & they got divorced. Home was on Cane Creek Rd., Putnam Co., TN.*
 Minerva McCaleb Gentry Stone, Buried: +West Graveyard, TN, Putnam Co., TN.

...Frances Eleanor "Fannie" Gentry - b. 21 November 1858, Putnam Co., TN -
 d. 30 March 1942 - md ca. 1874, John M. Bray - b. 30 July 1853 - d. 1 March 1927,
 s/o Joseph Bray & Scinthia Mills

Both Buried: +West Graveyard, approx. 1 & ½ miles east of Burgess Falls
 Road, 1st Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN. *See picture of John & Fannie (Gentry) Bray.

...Cordelia Bray - b. 5 October 1890 - d. 11 January 1985 - md Herbert
 Gentry - b. 25 August 1889 - d. 26 February 1969 - Both Buried:
 Cookeville City Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN. *See Gentry Obts.

...Rev. Wiley Blackburn Gentry Jr. - b. 30 January 1863, Putnam Co., TN -
 d. 26 Oct. 1940 - md 25 September 1880, Nancy Elizabeth "Lizzie" Myers -
 b. 1 Jun. 1865, TN - d. 24 April 1939, both buried in the +West Graveyard, Putnam Co., TN.
 ...Es (?) Gentry - b. ca. 1897, TN - 1st Dist. of Putnam Co., 1920 census.

Children of Minerva Elizabeth McCaleb & Thomas Stone were:

...Rev. Joseph Windfield M. Stone - +(1869-1949), md ca. 1889, Cynthia L. Bray

...Rev. Elihu Whitley Stone - b. 5 July 1871, Putnam Co., TN - d. 17 April
 1951 - md ca. 1889, Susan F. "Susie" Harris - b. 12 April 1872 -
 d. 12 October 1963 - d/o Larkin F. Gentry & Nancy Harris.

Both Buried: +Odd Fellow Cemetery - *See Gentry Obts.

...Dillard Bloomfield Stone - b. 26 June 1873, Putnam Co., TN - d. 9 August 1942
 md Esther Mary Eason. Both Buried: Greenlawn Cem., Checotah, McIntosh Co, OK

...Olive Ann "Ollie" Stone - b. Feb. 1875, Putnam Co., TN - d. 28 Mar. 1950, md
 Henry F. Sparks, b. 26 Feb. 1869, TN - d. 3 Mar. 1959, TN. +CrestLawn Cem.

...George Washington "Washie" Stone - b. March 1877, Putnam Co., TN - d. 17
 July 1951, md 9 Dec. 1899 - Della Jones - b. 19 Nov. 1881 - d. 16 Nov. 1950.
He lived near Peeled Chestnut, TN. +Buried in Boiling Springs Cem., TN.

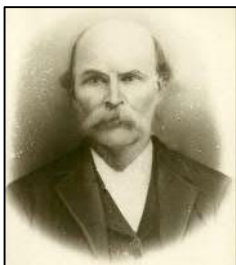
Gerrard, Thomas
 s/o Sir Thomas Gerrard
 ... **Thomas Jarret Sr.**



Above at left is Minerva Elizabeth "Nevie" McCaleb Gentry
 Stone and her friend Adeline Stultz.
 Picture courtesy of John Winfield Lee



J. Winfield Stone 1869-1949 and
 wife Cynthia Bray Stone 1865-1945.
 He was the s/o Thomas L. Stone
 and Minerva McCaleb Gentry Stone.
 J. Winfield Stone, a Baptist minister,
 began preaching and pasturing
 Missionary Baptist Churches in
 1897 at the age of 28. Lifelong
 member of the Cane Creek Baptist
 Church.



Thomas Denton
 Stone

Gerrard, Thomas Sir
...Thomas Gerrard

Gill, Thomas Jefferson

b. October 1834, NC – d. 16 November 1880, DeKalb Co., TN –
md Melissa M. “Aunt Puss” Exum –b. December 1842, TN –
d. ca. 1913, DeKalb Co. TN – Both Buried: Exum Cemetery, DeKalb Co., TN,
d/o William Exum – b. ca. 1784, NC and Elizabeth Marshal – b. ca. 1806, VA
...Houston Stewart Gill – b. 6 January 1858, Wolf Creek, DeKalb Co., TN –
d. 18 September 1910, at home, DeKalb Co., TN nr. Silver Point, TN
md 22 September 1878, DeKalb Co., TN, Frances “Trant” Rosentrant Smith –
b. 3 October 1862, Wolf Creek, DeKalb Co., TN –
d. 1 July 1941, Wolf Creek, TN – d/o Felix H. Smith & Sarah A. Terry.
...Preston Stewart Gill - b. 14 May 1901, Holems Creek, nr. Caney Fork
River, TN - d. 6 May 1967, Cookeville, TN – *Heart Attack* –
md 28 July 1920, nr. Silver Point, TN, Addie Anderson -
b. 27 November 1902, Boma, Putnam Co., TN -
d. 23 February 1976, Cookeville, TN – *Addie Anderson:*
Both Buried: +Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN
Sister of Audra Camilla Anderson who is the grandmother of Audrey June Denny Lambert.
d/o Lewis Monroe Anderson & Matilda Isabelle Wallace

**See Chapter 2, Preston Stewart Gill for complete family listing.*

Frances Rosentrant Smith's parents were: Felix H. Smith – b. 30 March 1838, Wolf Creek, TN – d. 8 August 1913, DeKalb Co., TN. Felix H. Smith's parents were: Wiley B. Smith – b. 1810/20, VA – d. 1841/50, TN, he married before 1834, Martha B. - b. 14 December 1810, NC – d. 30 October 1883. Felix H. Smith married Sarah A. Terry – b. 11 March 1840 – d. 10 July 1901. Her parents were: James G. Terry and Martha Welch – b. 1 May 1811, NC – d. 20 May 1881, DeKalb Co., TN.

Goodlett, Elvira
md - Job Loftis

Hamilton, Martha

b. 1733, Antrim, Ireland, d. 1838, Orange Co, NC. b. ca. 1731 –
d. About 1830 - md 1749/50, **John Allison**
...Jane (Jennet) Allison – md James Ray

Harris, Nancy

b. ca. 1790, VA – d. after 1850, Jackson Co., TN – *possibly d/o Robert Harris.*
md About 1808, Robert Gentry II

Hendley (Henley), Thomas Aden “Ade” (Andrew “Adin” M.) Smith/Sutton –
Civil War Veteran – Aden couldn't read or write and was a good farmer.
b. *Bible* – 14 July 1812, GA - d. 6 October 1890, Putnam Co., TN
s/o Joel Hendley & Mary Horne

Lived with his family on a farm that was located in Boma, TN, the farm is now Smellage Cemetery. Hendley spelled: Henley, Handley, Henly, Herslee. Aden was 57 yrs. old at the time of the 1870 Monroe Co., KY census taken on 9 August 1870. He and his family were living in Tompkinsville at the time. Moved to TN. Aden is listed in the 9th District of Putnam Co., TN, 1850



Houston Stewart
Gill

census. Listed in the 13th District of Putnam Co., TN in the 1860 census. Volunteered to go fight in the Civil War in place of his son, William; which was allowed in KY but not in TN to be a substitute in the Civil War. Co. B Kentucky's Green River Battalion - U.S.A Army 1864-1865. Union Army of the Commonwealth of KY – Adjutant General of the State of KY Muster Roll, Vol. 2, 1861-66, Frankfort, KY, pg. 801 #11 Hendley, Andrew M. Hendley enrolled on 6 November 1864. Mustered in 28 February 1865, Calhoon, KY for one year. Out on 23 August 1865, Cloverport, KY. Moved to Jackson Co., TN – ca. 1830 - *See Story of Aden Hendley- Civil War.

md 18 June 1835, Hebron United Baptist Church of Christ – later known as Spring Creek & Twelve Corners, Jackson Co., TN – *probably by his father, Joel.*

Elizabeth Jane “Betsy” Gentry - b. 14 December 1817, nr. Baxter, TN – Mine Lick - d. 29 January 1897, near Boma, TN

d/o Robert Gentry (b. ca. 1788, NC) & Nancy Harris (b. ca. 1790, VA)

Both Buried: + Smellage Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN - *Elizabeth*

Gentry's parents brought his family to Mine Lick now known as Baxter, TN.

...**Nancy Catherine Henley** – b. 9 March 1834, TN – d. 6 July 1877

Named after her maternal grandmother, Nancy (Harris) Gentry.

md 17 May 1854, Craven Michael Shanks – b. 2 January 1834

d. 23 September 1899 - s/o William Simon & Margaret (Maddux) Shanks

f/o Robert Fain Shanks who married Anna Anderson - Both Buried:

+Shanks Cemetery, Buffalo Valley, TN - *See Shanks Family History.

“In God’s own morn, Her orb will rise, Once more a star in paradise”

Children: Margaret Lucretia.; Elizabeth “Betty” J. ; William “Bill”; Robert Fain

“Bob”; Frank & Joe Y. Shanks who md Tennie Julian Rainwater, whose son Joe Sid

Shanks md Mary Lou Anderson – Listed in the 1880 census living in the 11th

*Civil Dist. of Putnam Co., TN. *See Simon Shanks Story for family listing.*

**See Chapter 1 – Children: James Wade & Sarah (Goodwin) Anderson.*

Craven married 2nd after Nancy’s death, Elizabeth Burgess Lindsey, Oct. 1880.

...**Elizabeth “Betty” Jane Shanks** – b. 8 December 1859 – d. 30 December

1935 **md** James Jasper “Jim” Sullins – b. 27 Aug. 1861 – d. 27 May 1935

Both Buried: +Smellage Cemetery, Putnam Co., Boma, TN - *Nine Children:*

**See John Marlie Watts – Gunsmith – Story. Children: Dolph, Robert S.*

“Bob”, Martha C., Charlie Cleveland and Sam Denton Sullins.

...**Martha Catherine Sullins** – b. 15 March 1883, TN – d. 19 June 1925 –

Martha buried: +Smellage Cemetery, Boma, TN - md Washington “Doss”

Medley – b. 27 March 1883, TN – d. 20 June 1971

Washington “Doss” Medley buried: +Carlen Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

Located on Clemmons Rd. on Doss Medley Ridge, Silver Point, TN.

Robert L. Alcorn is living in the 9th Civil Dist. of Putnam Co., TN in 1900.

...**Wilma Medley** – **md** Aft. 1930, Clayton E. Alcorn – b. 1 August 1893,

TN -d. 17 July 1951- **md** ca. 1915, 1st Katie Medley – b. ca. 1898, TN

Clayton E. Alcorn - Buried: Alcorn Family Cemetery, Putnam Co.,

TN - s/o Robert Lee Alcorn & Josephine “Josie” Jones -

Josie is the d/o Capt. Prettyman Jones & Angeline Anderson &

Angeline Anderson, d/o Thomas Shirley Anderson Jr.

*& Louisa Alexander. *See Chapter 1, 3, 5 & 10 for these families.*

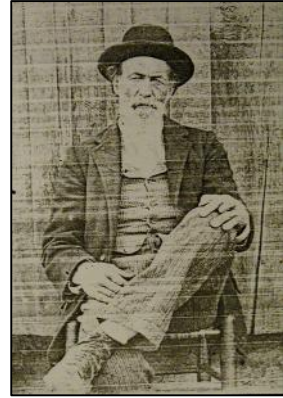
...**Josephine Alcorn** – **md** Mr. Huddleston

...**Sam Denton Sullins** – b. 6 November 1894, Putnam Co., TN –

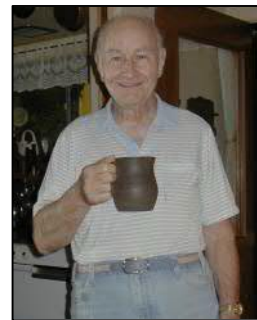
d. 4 October 1984, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN - **md** August 3, 1919,

Hattie Mae Russell - b. 23 June 1900, TN – d. 20 December 1985, TN

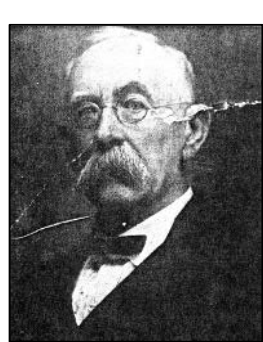
Both Buried: +Smellage Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN



Craven Michael Shanks



May 30, 1981 – My mother, Addie Anderson told me, Louis H. Gill that before she was old enough to attend school, ca. 1906, she went down thru the woods to the house of her Great-Aunt Lucretia Hendley & her husband, Byrd Wells, into Buffalo Valley, TN. They raised my Grand-ma, Matilda Wallace & her sister & so were loved as Grand-parents. Addie saw & admired this little brown clay pitcher, so they gave it to her & I obtained it from my mother's estate, March 1976. I have no idea how old it is. This story was told to me, my sisters & brother many times by my mother.



James Jasper “Jim” Sullins



Sam Denton Sullins & his wife, Hattie Mae Russell

...Jasper B. Sullins – b. 7 April 1920, TN – d. 8 April 1920

...**Juliann “Julian” Ann Henley** – Named after her maternal

Aunt Julia Gentry - b. 8 November 1837, nr. Boma, Putnam Co., TN, according to the Henley family Bible but her tombstone is engraved b. 8 November 1838, TN – d. 15 February 1872, TN – Reference: Aden Henley family Bible.

md 1st Mr. Lucas – Juliann had a couple of children by Mr. Lucas and they all died in an epidemic.

md ca. 1865, McDonald Wallace – b. 2 January 1826, Silver Point, TN d. 8 April 1876, Silver Point, TN - s/o Hugh & Nancy (Jared) Wallace Buried: +Hugh Wallace Cemetery, Silver Pt., TN

...**Lucretia Matelia “Creese” Henley** – b. 13 September 1839, TN –

d. 7 June 1915, TN – Naomi B. (Jared) Thompson died the same day.

*See Obituary for Lucretia (Henley) Wells & Naomi B. (Jared) Thompson.

md 30 April 1868, Monroe Co., KY, William Byrd Wells – b. 21 February 1844, Monroe Co., KY – d. 31 January 1914, TN – Died of Heart Dropsy s/o Gideon Wells (1805, KY – 12 June 1868) & Elizabeth Kinchelow (4 October 1812, KY – 13 March 1881). They were md 10 November 1831.

Lucretia was a seamstress and William Byrd was a teacher. They had no children of their own but raised three orphan children two daughters of McDonald Wallace & Juliann “Julia” Ann Henley; Malitda Isabelle Wallace, w/o Lewis Monroe Anderson; & Nancy Josephine “Josie” Wallace who md Silas Foster “Sil” Maddux; & nephew, William Garfield Gentry Sr., s/o Matilda Hendley who md Louis L. William Gentry. William Byrd Wells came to Putnam Co., TN in ca. 1872, where he purchased a farm from Craven Shanks, Nancy (Shanks) Hendley’s husband. *See Story of William Byrd Wells – Wells Bible.

*See Obt. for Lucretia (Henley) Wells.

Both Buried: + Smellage Cemetery, Boma, TN

...**Mary Jane Henley** – b. 24 October 1841, TN –

d. 31 January 1914 – md 30 April 1868, Mr. Vaughan

...**America “Marius” Frances Henley** – b. 30 June 1844,

Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN - d. 2 May 1906, Warren Co., KY – md ca. 1865, Tompkinsville, KY, James Walker Tinsley - b. 20 October 1844, Barren Co., KY – d. 19 August 1929, Warren Co., KY s/o John Thomas & Elizabeth Tinsley, both born in KY.

Both Buried: +Berea Christian Church Cemetery, Polkville, Family of America Frances Henley Tinsley Hwy. 1297, Warren Co., KY - # Census: 1850/60/70/80 Barren Co., KY

Census: 1900/10 Warren Co., KY. #America Tinsley DC#9177, Hopkinsville, Christian Co., KY

...**William Barlow/Barrow Tinsley** – b. 19 Aug. 1866, Barren Co., KY –

d. 8 June 1931, Bowling Green, KY – md 2nd Fannie Herald/Herrell –

b. January 1872, KY or 12 April 1872 - Buried: +Bowling Green, KY Children: T. J.; Ida; Bryan; Lizzie; Claude; Garland Tinsley all born in KY.

...**Thomas Aden Tinsley** – b. 23 September 1868, Barren Co., KY

d. 18 November 1936, Warren Co., KY – md ca. 1893, KY, Lucinda Elizabeth McGuire – b. 27 January 1872, KY

...**Margarite “Margaret” Elizabeth Tinsley** – b. 27 Jan. 1871,

Monroe Co., KY – d. 10 March 1959, Monroe Co., KY

md ca. 1894, Warren Co., KY, William Thomas Meeks –

b. 19 December 1873 – d. 1916 – Both Buried:



Josephine Alcorn
Huddleston



Imogene Simpson of KY.
She is showing a lock of hair of
her grandmother’s, America
Frances Henley. Imogene
retired librarian of
Bowling Green, KY.



James Walker & America Frances (Henley) Tinsley.



Hollis Nell Meeks
& husband
Charles Milton Herald.
1993

Martinsville Missionary Baptist Church, Warren Co., KY

... Henry Garland Meeks - md Alma Hendrick

...*Hollis Nell Meeks of Rt. 1, Oakland, KY 42159 married Charles Milton Herald. Hollis works for Fruit of the Loom Co., Bowling Green, KY & has two children. Hollis was an only child.*

...Sarah Ann America "Sallie" Tinsley – b. ca. 1875, KY –
md Clarence W. Hayes

...Elijah Harper Tinsley – *Farmer* - b. 24 April 1882, KY –
d. 7 April 1957, Bowling Green, KY – md Minnie Jane L. oafman- b. 13 Jan 1903
d. 5 April 1874 - *+Buried: Burton Memorial Baptist Cemetery, Warren Co., KY*

Other children: Franklin M.; James Robert: J. Schyler; George Leslie; Chesley Tinsley

...William Meredith "Billy" Hendley – b. 26 January 1847, Buffalo Valley, TN –

d. 18 August 1921, Monroe Co., KY - *Farmer*

md 17 February 1870, Tompkinsville, KY, Sarah Jane Wells –

b. 3 August 1854, KY - d. 10 September 1934, Barren Co., KY –
d/o Gideon Wells & Elizabeth (Kinchelow/Kinslow), b. ca. 1812) – *both born: KY, sis/o William Byrd Wells who married Lucretia Matelia "Creese" Henley.*

...Mary Elizabeth Hendley – b. 28 December 1871, TN –
d. 11 September 1939, Monroe, KY - md 10 January 1892,
Monroe County, KY, Riley W. Carter

...Lucrecia Byrdie Hendley – b. 26 December 1872, TN –
d. 4 May 1959 - md John Wesley Huskisson – b. 21 July 1870,
Barren Co., KY - d. 17 August 1942, Thatcher, AZ

...Martha A. Hendley – b. ca. 1876 – d. 28 Mar. 1878, Monroe Co., KY

...James William Hendley – b. 31 December 1878, Monroe Co.,
KY - d. 11 September 1975, St. Joseph Hospital, Lexington,
Fayette Co., KY - *Electrocuted by accident. Carpenter* –
md 1st Maude Fisher – b. ca. 1883, Barren Co., KY – d. ca. 1941,
Barren Co., KY – md 2nd Frances – b. 11 March 1844 – d. 3 March 1963
Frances tombstone says wife of James W. Hendley –
md 3rd Eunice Griffith of Lexington, KY

Buried: with Maude Fisher: Glasgow Municipal Cemetery, Glasgow, KY

Children of James William Hendley & Maude Fisher are:

...Noran/Nora Byrd Hendley – b. 16 August 1901, Monroe Co., KY –
md Louis Beard

...Virgie Hendley – b. 11 Feb 1903 – d. 25 July 1919, Barren Co., KY

...Sarah Hazel Hendley – b. 8 February 1910, Monroe Co., KY –
d. 23 January 1940, Indianapolis, Marion Co., IN – md Fabian William
Maurer – b. 19 February, Indianapolis, Marion Co., IN – d. May 1987,
Indianapolis, Marion Co., IN – *Buried: Crown Hill Cemetery, Indianapolis, IN*

...Leslie Holmes Hendley – b. 11 August 1912, Fountain Run,
Monroe Co., KY – d. February 1984, Indianapolis, IN

...Ethel Byrd Hendley – b. 19 April 1917, Barren Co., KY –
d. March 1974, West VA - md Carl Roach

...Seay Smith Hendley Sr. – b. 27 January 1887, Fountain Run, KY - d. 6 Dec
1977, Marion Co., FL - md Loula Mae (Dixon) Vandine (1890-1969) md Joe Vandine

Seay buried: +Restland Memorial Park, Dallas, Dallas Co, TX, plot Mt. Vernon

...Seay Smith Hendley Jr. - b. 3 July 1912, Barren Co. KY –



L to R: Miriam (Shanks)
Gwaltney, Hollis Nell (Meeks)
Herald & Carolyn (Shanks)
Huddleston.



William Meredith Hendley & wife
Sarah (Wells) Hendley.

d. 13 April 1987, Louisville, KY – md 17 Sept 1936, Louisville, KY
 Eunice Lindsey – b. 5 May 1912 – d. 23 Oct 1962, Jefferson Co., KY, d/o Eliaf Lindsey & Jennie Parker

Buried: +Resthaven Memorial Park, Louisville, KY

Children: Mary Judith – b. ca. 1942 – md Mr. Hunnicut & Janice Marion Henley – b. ca. 1943 – md Mr. Brown.

...Evelyn H. Henley – b. 28 September 1914, Upton, KY – d. 6 December 1992, KY – md Mr. Blackwell

Buried: Resthaven Memorial Park, Louisville, KY

...Francis "Frank" Marion Hendley II – b. 24 Feb. 1917, Birmingham, AL

d. 15 November 1986, Ocala, Marion Co., FL – md Martha Elizabeth Edmonson – Francis buried: +Forest Lawn, Ocala, Marion Co, FL. *BM2 US Coast Guard WWII.*

Children of Frances Marion Hendley & Martha Elizabeth Edmonson:

Patty md Mr. Kitching; Joyce md Mr. Todd; Ginger md Mr. Lanier;

Daniel Dixon - b. 11 June 1967, Ocala, Marion Co, FL & Rev. George Meredith Hendley – b. ca. 1951, Nashville, TN – resides in Dallas, TX.

...Mary Louise Hendley - b. 18 March 1920, Birmingham, AL –

d. 15 April 1979, Ocala, Marion Co., FL

...Berlin Holmes Hendley – b. 9 May 1896, Fountain Run, KY– *WWI Army.*

d. 22 October 1975, Indianapolis, IN – md 1st 25 December 1913, Monroe Co., KY, Florence Thompson – b. 9 September 1898, KY – d. 16 November 1920, Fountain Run, KY - d/o John Thompson & Lucy Burgess md 2nd

21 May 1921, Monroe Co., KY - Lettie Delmas Claspell – b. 13 Oct. 1901, Glasgow, Barren Co., KY – d. 6 January 1980, Indpls. IN -

d/o Jeremiah "Jerry" Claud Calspell & Alice Jane Burke
 Buried: +Hendley Cemetery, Fountain Run, KY – *Lebanon Church Rd.*

Children of Berlin Hendley & Lettie Claspell had 13 children:

**See Descendants of Joel Henley by Linda Havens Hendley for complete family listing. * See Descendants of William Meredith Hendley.*

...Donald Edwin Hendley – b. 17 June 1935, Plainefield, IN – md 1st

ca. 1954, Fortville, IN, Judith Anne Hines – b. 1 October 1937, Indianapolis, IN – d. 22 January 1998, Seattle, WA - d/o Ernest Hines & Ruth - md 2nd

1 December 1968, Winterhaven, CA, Linda Bess Havens – b. 8 April 1947, Fullerton, CA - *Genealogist* d/o Paul Townsend Havens (1914 – 1973) & Minnie Ellen Miller

Child of Donald Hendley and Judith Hines

...Marci Anne Hendley – b. 19 June 1962 -(*Adopted child*).

No children by the marriage of Donald Hendley & Linda Bess Havens.

...Martha L. Henley – b. 23 April 1849, TN – d. 19 October 1890, TN

Buried: +Smellage Cemetery, Boma, TN - md William Taylor "Bill" Maxwell

b. 17 May 1849, TN – d. 8 February 1925, Jackson Co., AL.

s/o Gordon C. Maxwell & Josephine M. Shanks

Children: Linda F.; Mary M.; Gordon L.; Rutherford & Florence Maxwell.

William is listed in the 1880 US census as living in the 11th Civil District of Putnam Co., TN. *William sold the farm to his brother Robert Filmore Maxwell and in 1920 he sold it to Virgil Timothy Denny & Audra Camilla Anderson. Audra C. Anderson's grandmother, Matilda Isabelle Wallace who md Lewis Monroe Anderson used to stay with Wm. & Martha Maxwell in the winter and attend school across the road at Denny's Seminary, Silver Pt., TN. *See History of Denny Houses & *See Descendants of Samuel Maxwell*

...Francis Marion "Frank" Hendley – b. 13 March 1851, Bloomington, TN



Francis "Frank" M. Hendley,
 1st National President of the Hendley Family Association.
 Picture courtesy of William "Bill" Haydon Hendley



Berlin Holmes Hendley
 1962
 Picture courtesy of Linda Bess Havens Hendley



Donald Edwin Hendley
 June 17, 1935 - January 10, 2012



William Kenneth Hendley
 Sr., USAF
 b. 15 Oct. 1931,
 Indianapolis, IN
 d. 3 Feb. 2011,
 Carmel, IN
 s/o
 Berlin H. Hendley &
 Lettie D. Claspell.



Paul Townsend Havens
 & Minnie Ellen Miller
 Havens.
 Paul was b., 13 January 1914 in Omaha, NB and d. 23 June 1973 in Orange, CA. He md Minnie, 16 October 1937 in Long Beach, CA. She was the d/o Francis Henry Miller & Wilhemina Philip. Paul was the s/o Paul Anson Havens & Bessie Hart Townsend.
 Courtesy of Linda Bess (Havens) Hendley -
<http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Lane/2214/index.html>

d. 11 August 1930, Warren Co., KY – *Farmer – Peddler – Optometrist* - md 29 October 1872, Savannah Josephine “Josie” Glover– b. 15 September 1851, GA - d. 12 November 1910 – Josie buried: +Neal Cemetery, Flippin KY. *Her father was Willis Jones Glover (1800-1885) & mother Sarah Ann King (1820-1912), md 23 June 1842, Monroe, GA. Lived nr. Bloomington, TN *See Descendants of Francis Marion Hendley for complete family listing.* Francis M. Henley is buried: County Home Cemetery, Woodburn, Warren Co., KY. *There is no stone that we can find because all the stones have been moved and are all piled together.*

...William “Willie” Byrd Hendley – b. 17 August 1873, TN – d. 4 February 1947, Warren Co., KY - md 25 November 1894, Sarah “Sallie” Hayes Clancy – b. 6 Oct. 1879, TN - d. 8 March 1943, Warren Co., KY, d/o James Turner Clancy (1842-1927) & Elizabeth Pannington (1839-1914).

Both Buried: +Pleasant Hill Christian Church Cemetery, Bowling Green, Warren Co., KY

...Willis Aden “Adie” Hendley – b. 14 Feb. 1875, Cookeville, TN -d. 16 July 1940, Hartsville, TN - md 10 January 1911, KY, Mary Daisy Lancaster of Monroe Co., KY, – b. 17 October 1891 - d. 5 September 1933, Hartsville, TN
Both Buried: +Pleasant Valley Cemetery, Macon Co., TN (+marker in Greenlawn Cem., IN).

...Wilbur J. Hendley Sr. – b. 17 February 1911, Lafayette, Macon Co., KY – d. 30 Sept. 1983, Franklin, Johnson Co., IN, md Ida Mae Taylor (1913-1992).

...Marjory Henley – d. 23 July 2008 – md Jerry Ward of Franklin, IN

...George Omnie Hendley – b. 1 August 1915, Gamaliel, KY – d. 17 August 1915, Gamaliel, KY – *Died from Infantile Jaundice.*
Buried: Keal Cemetery, Moss, KY

...Jewell Katherine Hendley– b. 30 May 1923 – d. 2 February 1999
md 1st Elijah Prophet Taylor – md 2nd Arthur E. Fulmer, *divorced* -
md 3rd William E. Medley - **See Story of Jewell Hendley*

...John Hayden “Aden” Hendley – b. 28 May 1926, Trousdale, TN – d. 21 Dec. 2010, IN, md 17 July 1950, Johnson Co., IN, Opal Mae McWhorter – b. 14 Oct. 1928, Albany, KY - d. 4 Dec. 2004, IN - **See John H. Hendley.*
Both buried: +Greenlawn Cemetery, Franklin, IN

...Wm “Bill” Hayden Hendley, b. 9 Jun 1951 – d. 5 Aug 2023, md Julie Joann Tappan

...Sarah Elizabeth Henley – b. 24 Oct. 1878, Putnam Co., TN– d. 6 Mar 1976, La Place, Piatt Co., IL - md William Mathias Hale (1877-1953).
Children: Dewey S. Hale; Orval/Orville Hale; Cleo (Hale) Sibert, md Jim Sibert.



John Hayden
Hendley



Willis Aden
“Adie”
Henley
with his
wife Daisy
Lancaster,
child
possibly
their oldest
son,
Wilbur.



Right: James William Hendley, s/o William Meredith “Billy” Hendley & Sarah Jane Wells. Walking with his son Leslie Hendley. Leslie is the soldier. Looks to be during WWII.
Courtesy of Courtesy of Bill & Julie Hendley.



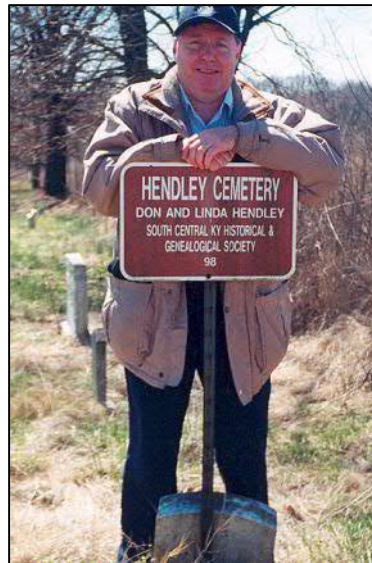
Willis Aden “Adie” Henley,
s/o Francis Marion “Frank” Henley &
Savannah Josephine Glover



William "Willie" Byrd Henley,
s/o
Francis Marion "Frank" Henley
&
Savannah Josephine Glover
with his wife,
Sarah "Sallie" E. Hayes Clancy,
Pictures courtesy of
William & Julie Hendley.



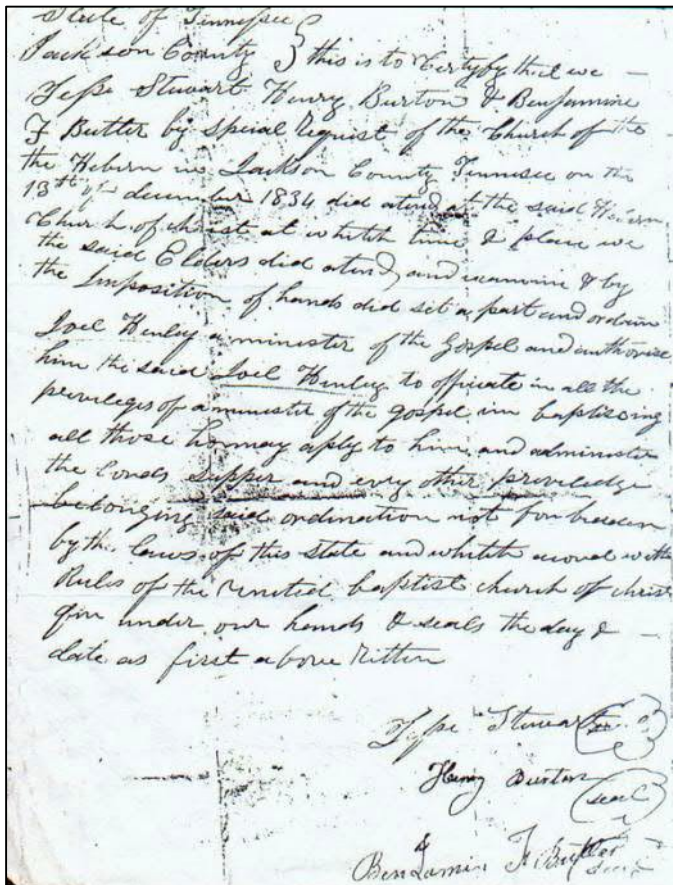
John Hayden Hendley & his wife,
Opal Mae
McWhorter's wedding photo taken
near Trafalgar, IN where they were
married on the 17th of July 1950.
Courtesy of Bill & Julie Hendley.



William "Bill" Haydon Hendley
At the Hendley Cemetery
Fountain Run, KY – Lebanon Church Rd.
March 2004
Picture courtesy of Bill & Julie Hendley.



Fred Allan & Cathy Hendley
Fred has been a member of
the Hendley Family
Association Board of Directors
since 1976.
Picture courtesy of
William "Bill" Haydon Hendley



Joel Henley
Ordained Baptist Minister
Dec. 13, 1834
Jackson County, Tennessee

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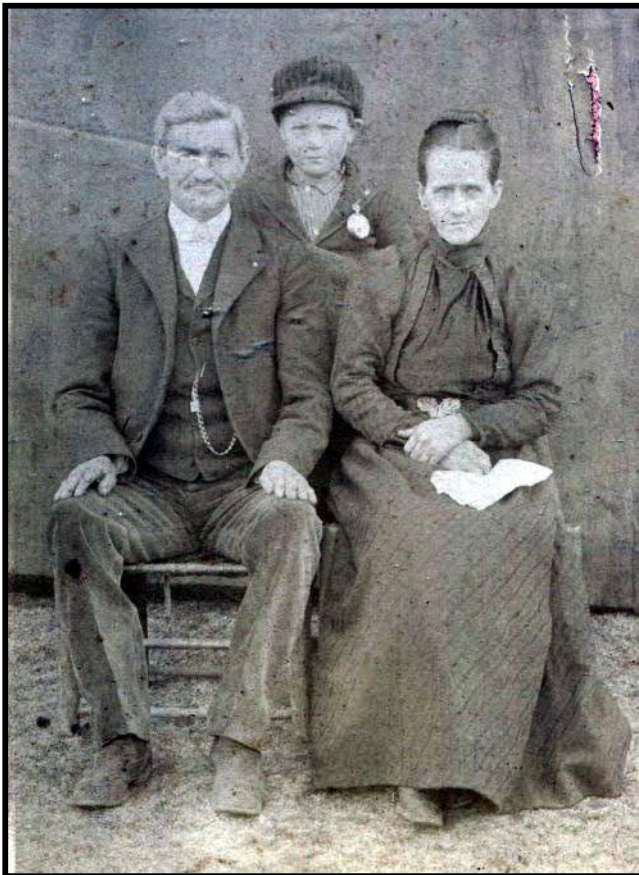
This is to certify that we - B.K Stewart, Henry Burton & Benjamine F. Butler by special request of the Church of the Hebron in Jackson County, Tennessee on this 13th day of December 1834, did attend at the said Hebron Church of Christ at which time & place we, the said Elders, did attend and concurred by the imposition of hands did set apart and ordain **Joel Henley** as minister of the Gospel and authorize him, the said **Joel Henley**, to officiate in all the privileges of a minister of the gospel in baptising all those who may apply to him and administer the Lord's Supper and every other privilege belonging said ordination not forbidden by the laws of this state and which accord with rules of the United Baptist Church of Christ, given under our hands & seals the day and date as first above written.



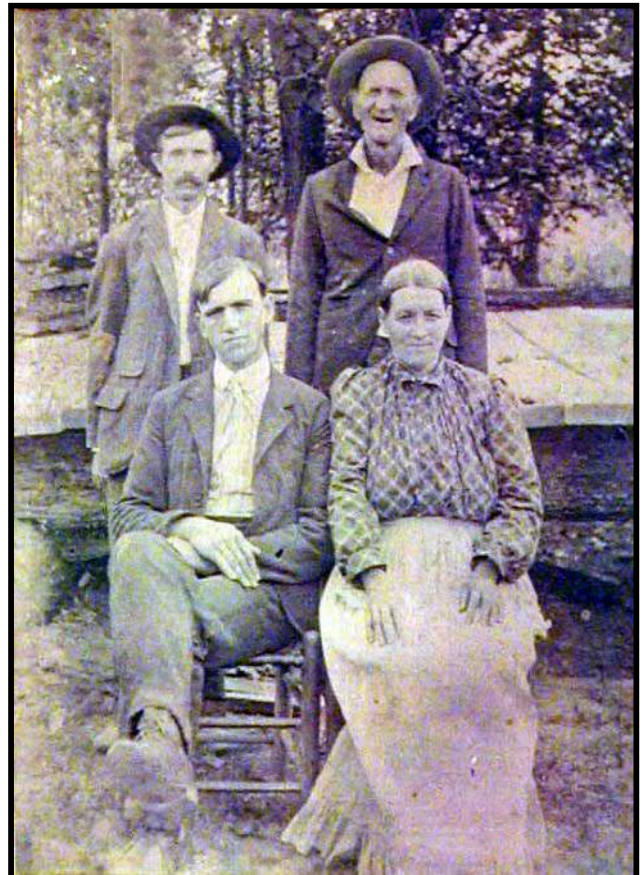
L to R: Top: Cindy & Robert Hale.
L to R: Bottom: Sarah Elizabeth (Hendley) Hale Margaret & Orval Hale.
Courtesy of Bill & Julie Hendley.



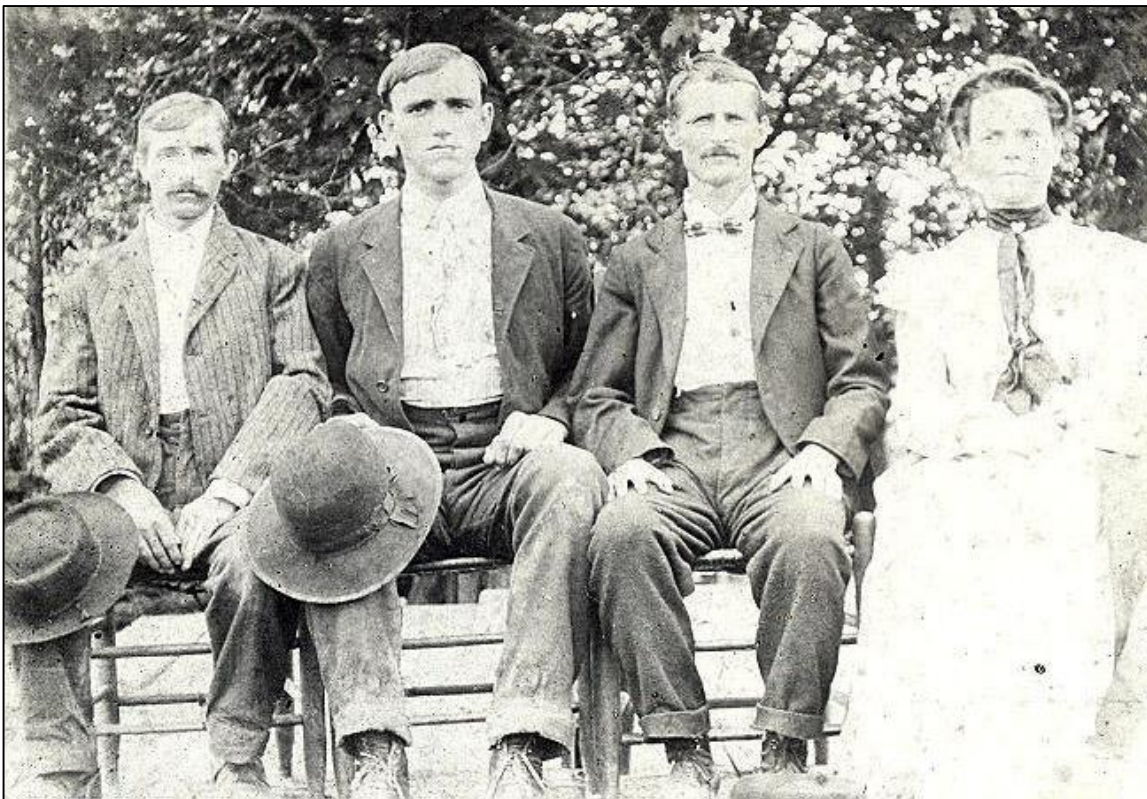
Children of John Hayden Hendley & Opal Mae McWhorter:
L to R: Freddie Allan Hendley, Sheila K. Hendley, Patricia Ann
Hendley-Botts, (seated on floor), Sharon Elizabeth Hendley-Hagan
& William Hayden Hendley. Picture: 1981.
Courtesy of Bill & Julie Hendley.



William Meredith "Billy" Henley & his wife Sarah (Wells) Henley,
the young boy is their son Berlin Holmes Henley.

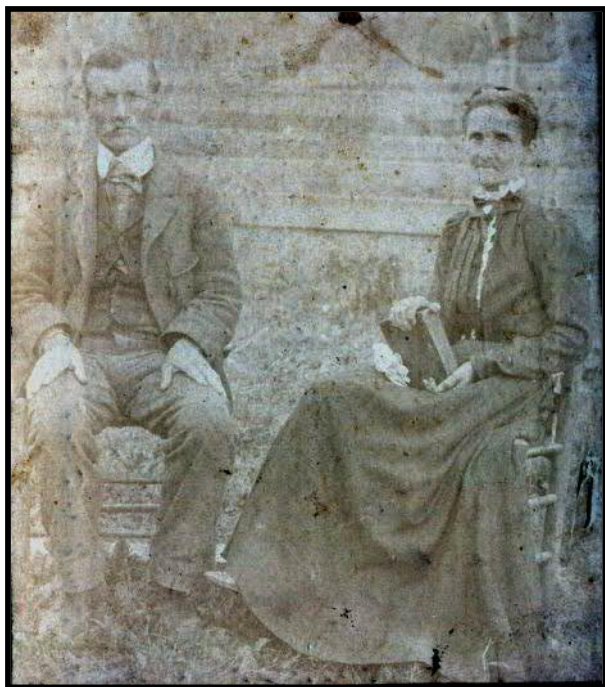


Seated L to R: Elijah Harper Tinsley and Sarah Elizabeth
(Hendley) Jones.
Standing L to R: Willis Aden Henley & James Smith Jones.
Picture courtesy of Bill & Julie Hendley.
From the Sarah Hendley Hale collection



L to R: Willis Aden, s/o Francis Marion "Frank" & Savannah Josephine (Glover) Hendley; Elijah Harper Tinsley, s/o James Walker & America Frances (Henley) Tinsley; William "Willie" Byrd Henley, s/o Francis Marion "Frank" & Savannah Josephine (Glover) Henley; & Sallie Hayes (Clancy) Hendley, w/o William "Willie" Byrd Henley & d/o James Turner Clancy (1842-1927) & Elizabeth Pannington (1839-1914).

Courtesy of Bill & Julie Hendley.



Francis Marion & Josephine (Glover) Hendley.
Picture stamped – W. M. Hale – Outdoor Artist.



L to R: William Mathias Hale, William "Willie" Byrd Hendley, Sarah Elizabeth Hendley Hale, unknown, unknown and John Hayden "Aden" Hendley.

William "Willie" Byrd Henley
s/o Francis Marion "Frank" Henley & Savannah Josephine Glover
md Sarah "Sallie" E. Hayes Clancy

John Hayden "Aden" Hendley
s/o Willis Aden "Adie" Henley & Mary Daisy Lancaster
md Opal Mae McWhorter

Sarah Elizabeth Henley
d/o Francis Marion "Frank" Henley & Savannah Josephine Glover
md William Mathias Hale

Picture courtesy of Courtesy of Linda Bess (Havens) Hendley.



William "Bill" Haydon Hendley,
National President
The Hendley Family Association, Inc.
&
his wife, Julie Tappan Hendley.



Warren Co., KY 1929
L to R: Reba Hale, d/o Dewey S. Hale;
Dewey S. Hale; William "Willie" Byrd Hendley & seated, Frances Marion Hendley.



L to R: William "Bill" Haydon Hendley & his wife, Julie Tappan.
Bill is a genealogist for The Hendley Family Association & a descendant
of Francis Marion "Frank" Hendley & Savannah Josephine Glover =
Willis Aden "Adie" Hendley & Mary Daisy Lancaster =
John Hayden "Aden" Hendley & Opal Mae McWhorter =
William "Bill" Haydon Hendley md Julie Tappan
They are standing by the tombstones of Aden Hendley ,(in front of tree)
& (to the far left) the tombstone of Elizabeth Gentry, w/o Aden Hendley.
Aiden & Elizabeth are the parents of Francis Marion Hendley.

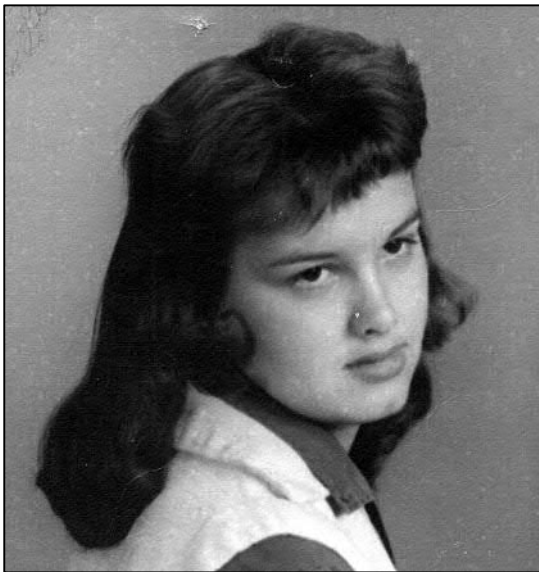
Frisco, Pontotoc, OK – Pictured right:
L to R: Mary Nell (Turner) Speiser w/o Gordon Dale Speiser,
Paralee "Parlie" Emiline (Henley) Herion w/o Timothy Sisk Herion,
& Cecil (Herion) Turner w/o Charles Oakley Turner.
Picture courtesy of
Bobbie Joyce (Herion) Phillips
*See Descendents of Joel Henley – Old Version





Family of William Robert Herion Sr. & Bertie Jay (Chapman) Herion
 Back row: L to R: Glen Flutz h/o Dolly Herion; John Clinton Herion, Clee Herion; William Robert Herion Jr., Bill Herion s/o Clee Herion; & Charles Oakley Turner h/o Cecile Herion.
 Front row: L to R: Bertie Jay (Chapman) Herion w/o William Robert Herion Sr.; Florence Nora Malinda (Medley) Herion w/o John Clinton Herion; Dolly (Herion) Fultz w/o Glen Flutz; Mary Nell Turner d/o Charles & Cecile Herion Turner; Cecile Herion Turner & the dog, Wiggles belonged to Mary. Picture taken in Clovis, CA – 1943.

Picture courtesy of Bobbye Joyce (Herion) Phillips.



Bobbye Joyce Herion md Richard Alvin Phillips.
 She is the d/o Robert Herion Jr. & Dorothy Lorene McDaniel. Bobbye is a descendant of Aiden Hendley & Elizabeth Gentry.



Dorothy Lorene "Rene" McDaniel, w/o Robert Herion Jr.



Lou Avery Bell Herion & William Robert Herion Sr.
 Picture courtesy of Bobbye Joyce Herion Phillips



Robert Herion Jr. md Lorene McDaniel.
 He is the s/o Robert Herion Sr. & Allie Duncan.

(con't children of Aden Sutton Henley and Elizabeth Jane "Betsy" Gentry)

...**Sarah A. Henley** – b. 14 October 1853, Buffalo Valley, TN – d. 18 November 1930, TN
Buried: Cane Creek Cemetery, nr. Baxter, TN - md John or James Jones, (1860-1911)
DC: #25999, 16th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN. Informant: L. A. Gentry, Cookeville, TN
Undertaker: Jere Whitson & Co., Cookeville, TN. Registrar: Oliver Bussell.
DC states buried in Gentry Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN on 19 Oct. 1930.

...**Paralee "Parlie" Emiline Henley** – b. 16 July 1856, Putnam Co., TN
d. 16 March 1949, Stonewall, Pontotoc Co., OK –
md 21 November 1872, Jackson Co., TN -
Timothy Sisk Herion – b. 18 December 1852, Jackson Co., TN -
d. 10 November 1932, Oklahoma City, OK –
Both Buried: +Frisco Cemetery, Pontotoc, OK

*Family lived in TX for awhile. *See Herion Family Stories.*

...Elizabeth Jane "Betty" Herion – b. 18 December 1873, TN
d. 1919, Bokchito, Bryan Co., OK - Buried: Davis, Murray Co., OK
md 10 December 1889, George Coleman Copeland – b. 8 April
1862, TN - d. 12 September 1913, Doyle, Hempstead Co., AR

...John T. Copeland – b. 3 October 1890, Indian Territory - d. Spring
Valley, CA - md 1 July 1914, OK, Edna Elizabeth Lacy – b. 21 May 1896

...Sarah Francis Herion – b. ca. 1875 – md Silas Peter Taylor

...Timothy Sisk Herion Jr. – b. ca. 1877, DeKalb – d. ca. 1878

...Martin M. Herion – b. ca. 1879 – d. ca. 1879 – *Died an infant.*

...William Robert Herion Sr. – b. 26 July 1880, Putnam Co., TN –
d. 25 December 1974, CA – md 1st 29 December 1898, OK

Allie Duncan – md 2nd 28 September 1902, OK, Bertie Jay Chapman
**See Descendants of Aden Henley/Hendley File.*

...Lou Avery Bell Herion – b. 13 March 1881, Grayson, TX -
d. 16 March 1965, Sacramento, CA – md Robert Weaver Warlaw

...Flora Ellen Herion – b. 10 November 1884, TX –

d. 4 July 1970, Upton, TX -
md ca. 1902, Ada, OK, Chas Walter Dotson

...Samuel Nelson Herion – b. 11 November 1886, TX –
d. 5 November 1966, Norman, TX – md Artie Duncan

...Silas Herion – b. 1 July 1889 – d. 25 December 1955, Ada, OK
md Gertude Cox

...Paul Herion – b. 20 June 1891 – md Nora Whitener

...Homer Byrd Herion – b. 10 December 1893 – d. 15 January 1966,
Davis Co., OK - md 21 March 1920, Lurene Parks – b. 29 July
1904, West Plains, MO – d. 28 December 1989, Ada, OK

...Cora Vesta Herion – b. 10 November 1896, Davis Co., OK
md Bernie Price

...**Matilda Elizabeth "Bett" Henley** – b. 29 December 1858, TN –
d. ca. 1885, Putnam Co., TN - md 31 August 1879, Putnam Co., TN
Louis L. William Gentry – b. ca. 1856/7 -

Official: J. A. Myers, MG – Bondsman, W.S. Gentry.

...William Garfield Gentry Sr. – b. 17 September 1880 –*Raised by Wm. Byrd Wells.*
md Naina "Naomi" "Oma" Thompson – b. October 1882 – **See Chapter 15.*

...**Margaret Elizabeth Henley** – b. 6 March 1861, TN – d. 3 July 1864,



Timothy Sisk Herion with his wife, Paralee
"Parlie" (Henley) Herion and two of their
children; possibly
Elizabeth Jane & Sarah Francis Herion.



Timothy Sisk Herion &
Paralee "Parlie" Henley Herion
Picture courtesy of Bobbye Joyce
Herion Phillips



L to R: Bessie Lee Herion Mizer (gd);
Lurene Parks Herion (?); Paralee
Henley Herion; Homer(?); Timothy
Sisk Herion and we believe the baby
to be Maurice Herion's grandson.



Paralee "Parlie" Emiline
(Henley) Herion



William Robert
Herion Sr.
Picture courtesy of
Bobbye Joyce
Herion Phillips



William Robert Herion
Sr. & Bertie Jay
Chapman Herion
50th Wedding
Anniversary

Boma, Putnam Co., TN - *child was retarded and died at age 4.*
 Buried: + Smellage Cemetery, Boma, TN - (Marked First Grave in Cemetery)
 A tombstone was 1st installed for a "Little Ade" till it was discovered from a family Bible that the tombstone should be for a girl child named Margaret Elizabeth Henley. Margaret was the first grave in Smellage Cemetery. Aden Hendley and Elizabeth Gentry her parents owned this property and when she died they buried her on their homestead. In 1865 the Smellage family owned this land and gave some property to the public for a cemetery, and it was called Smellage Cemetery.



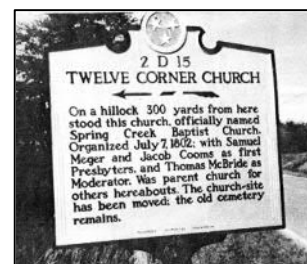
Be ye ready for in such hour as
 ye think not the son of man
 cometh.

William Byrd Wells & Lucrecia "Creese" (Henley) Wells. She was the daughter of Aden Henley who lived in the Hopewell Community, Tennessee.



Hendley, (Henley), Julia Ann - Named after her maternal Aunt Julia Gentry.

b. 8 November 1838, Boma, TN
 d. 15 February 1872, Silver Point, TN
 d/o Aden (Andrew M.) Sutton Hendley & Elizabeth Jane "Besty" Gentry
md ca. 1865 **McDonald Wallace**
 b. 2 January 1826, Silver Point, TN – near Buffalo Valley.
 d. 8 April 1876, Silver Point, TN
 s/o Hugh Wallace & Nancy Jared



Henley, (Hendley), Joel – Farmer

Minister of Hebrurn (Hebron) Baptist Church of Christ - 1834

b. ca. 1787, NC - d. 15 March 1874, Jackson Co., TN
 s/o John Hendley – b. ca. 1751, NC – d. after 1840, TN -

Revolutionary War Veteran – Listed in the 1840 census 13th Dist., Jackson Co., TN – Pensioners for Revolutionary or Military services
 John Henley is 89 years old in the 1840 census.

md **Mary Horne** – b. ca. 1788, NC – d. ca. 1850

Joel Hendly was ordained 13 December 1834: signed Jesse Stewart; Henry Burton & Benjamin Butner at Hebrurn Church of Christ or later known as Spring Creek & Twelve Corners Joel Hendley & family came to TN probably from SC between 1809 – 1812. 1850 census, Jackson Co., TN – 9th Dist. 1850 Census-- Jackson Co., TN - 278-355 Joel Henley, 63, Mary 62, John 21, Elizabeth 11, Frelinghisen 5, NC NC

*See Joel Henley- Ordained Baptist Minister

...Capel "Cassel" Henley – Civil War, Co. H - 1st TN Mounted Infantry

Twelve Corner Church Marker
 Marker located about six to eight miles north of Cookeville, TN on State Hwy. 135, generally known as Dodson's Branch Rd.
 Joel Henley was a ordained minister of this church and he is listed in the Minutes of the Spring Creek Baptist Church of Jackson and Overton Counties. This church was later known as Spring Creek Baptist Church.
 *See story of Spring Creek Baptist Church .

b. ca. 1807, GA - d. 22 October 1879, Putnam Co., TN
 Buried: +Thomas Cemetery on Waterplant Rd. in Baxter, TN.
 md 8 January 1840, DeKalb Co., TN, Elizabeth Medley – b. ca. 1815, TN –
*1860 US Census, living in the 13th Dist. of Putnam Co., TN - * Family Sheet Joel Hendley.*
 ...Catherine "Patsy" Henley – b. 8 August 1838, DeKalb Co., TN
 ...Charlotta Henley – b. 25 June 1840, Putnam Co., TN – md Waymon
 Maynard & md William Perry Vickers - **See Family Tree of Vicky Henley.*
 ...Parzada "Parsade" Henley – b. 8 August 1843, Putnam Co., TN -
 md 20 March 20 1863, DeKalb Co., TN, William P. Vicus- md Gabriel Herron
 ...Mary Jane Henley – b. 15 November 1845/46, Putnam Co., TN –
 md 25 June 1869, DeKalb Co., TN, Andrew W. Riggsby – b. ca. 1847, TN
 Buried: Dobbs Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN – Co. C 37th KY Inf., Civil War.
 ...Owen P. Riggsby – b. April 1870, TN – d. ca. 1946 – md TN
 "Tennie" LaFever – b. May 1863, TN
 ...Amanda "Manda" E. Riggsby – b. ca. 1872, TN
 ...Enoch F. Riggsby – b. ca. 1875, TN – md Daisy Dobbs
 ...Martha E. Riggsby – b. ca. 1877, TN
 ...Bethel Riggsby – b. 24 November 1882 – d. 28 February 1935
 md Martha Dunn – b. 29 July 1873 – d. 27 October 1949
 Both Buried: Dobbs Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN
 ...Marion Henley – b. ca. 1886 – d. ca. 1938 – md Mary Dunn
 ...Nancy E. Henley – b. ca. 1847, Putnam Co., TN – md Joe Pack
 ...Amando "Ammon" Pasada Henley - b. 28 April 1852, Putnam Co.,
 TN - d. 17 April 1925, *male 1860 census, Putnam Co., TN; name written*
Amanda, corrected on the census. Amon - 1880 census, 8th Dist. Jackson Co., TN.
 md Malinda Angeline "Linda" Herron – b. 22 December 1850, TN
 d. 27 April 1931, d/o Gabriel Herron & Jane Virginia Hunter
 Both Buried: +Henley Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN
 ...John L. Henley – b. 2 May 1870, Putnam Co., TN – d. 2 November 1943
 Buried: +Henley Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN: cerebral hemorrhage. DC # 23468.
 ...William "Bill" Jasper Henley – b. 21 April 1873, TN – d. 10 August 1917
 Buried: +Henley Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN – md Vone F. Hutchens
 ...Farris Whitson Henley – 5 Aug 1875, TN – d. 14 May 1966, TN – md 1st
 Mary Hayes – md 3rd Mary Elitha Allison, b. 28 February 1872 – d. 23 August 1962, d/o
 Joseph Harra "Joe" Allison & Elvira Clementine Ellis - She md 1st Lum Henley/Herren:
 Buried: +Judd Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN – No children: *Farris was a Baptist Deacon.*
 md 2nd on the 3rd of Nov 1906, DeKalb Co., TN to +Nettie Florence Pack
 b. 15 Mar 1880, TN – d. 2 Sept 1917, TN – *Nettie & Farris Henley are*
buried: Henley Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN – Located abt. 9 miles south of
the Baxter I-40 overpass just off the Baxter Smithville Hwy. Turn right at Nash's
store& go about ½ mil on Henley Road.
 ...Teddie Roosevelt Henley – b. 24 Aug 1907 – d. 21 May 1970 –
 md Ovella Goolsby – b. 2 June 1910 – d. 5 February 1992 –
 Buried: +Henley Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN
 ...Kenneth Earl Henley – md Barbara Sue Lawson – b. 22 July 1945 –
 d. 17 April 1978 – +Buried: Henley Cemetery, TN **See Family Tree of Vicky Henley.*
 ...Vicky Sue Henley – *Lives in Putnam Co., TN.*
 ...Martha Henley – b. 14 Jun 1910, TN – d. 7 Nov 1937 – md 15 May 1923,

A. H. Henley

b. 11 Nov 1851, TN
 d. 17 Apr 1925
 Likew Henley
 TN
 Bettie Henley
 TN (Born 1815) -----
 Henley Cemetery Putnam
 DC#291

William Jasper Henley

b. 21 Apr 1872, TN
 d. 31 Aug 1917
 Father: Amon Henley
 TN
 Mother: Linda Herrin
 TN -----
 Henley Cemetery Putnam
 DC#512

Nettie Henley

b. 15 Mar 1879, TN
 d. 17 Sep 1917
 Father: Thomas Pack
 TN
 Mother: Martha Patison
 TN -----
 Henley Cemetery Putnam
 DC#529

Martha Allison

b. -----, Putnam Co., TN
 d. 7 Nov 1937
 Age: 27y 4m 23d
 Father: F. W. Henley
 Putnam County
 Mother: Nettie Pack
 TN
 Husband: Byrd Allison
 Silver Point, Putnam Co., TN
 DC#25928

Nola Allison

b. 9 Mar 1927, Putnam Co., TN
 d. 27 Apr 1927, Putnam Co., TN
 Father: Byrd Allison
 Putnam County
 Mother: Martha Henley
 Putnam County -----
 Henley Graveyard Putnam
 DC#8548



Farris Whitson Henley
 (1875-1966)
 Courtesy of Andrew Adkins.
 Farris is his 2nd great
 grandfather.

Putnam Co., TN, Byrd F. Allison – b. 9 Aug 1896 – d. 19 Feb 1962
 s/o James R. “Jim” Allison & Perlinda “Lina” Herren. - Byrd F. md 2nd 9 April 1938,
 Mandy Lois Bussell - b. 1921 – d. 1979: All Buried: +Henley Cem., Putnam Co., TN

...Kitty A. Henley – b. ca. 1877, TN

...Robert Lawn Henley – b. ca. 1880, TN
*Joe, Math & Lawn Henley were also children of Amon & Malinda Henley.
 Amon/Amando Henley/Hendley is listed as living in the 8th Civil Dist. of
 Putnam Co., TN in the 1870 & 1880 US Census.*

...William Henley – b. ca. 1854, TN - md Sarah Medley

...James Whitley Henley – b. 26 June 1856, Putnam Co., TN –
 d. 11 April 1909, DeKalb Co., TN - md 8 February 1881, Emiline/
 Emlia “Emily” Thomas – Putnam Co., TN marriages: 1878 – 1892.

...Will Henley –b. 15 March 1880, TN – d. 4 April 1969, Cookeville, TN – md 1st Martha
 Ann Green, b. 14 Aug. 1881, TN – d. 15 Dec. 1959, d/o Hickman Green & Phebe Frances
 Bozarth. Buried in Maynard Cemetery, DeKalb Co., TN *See *Will Henley Obt.* – md 2nd Vernie
 Lou Harris, b. 16 Jan. 1884 – d. 18 Feb. 1980, Buried: Dobbs Cemetery,
 DeKalb Co., TN. Vernie Lou Harris was md 1st to James R. Allison (1864-1937).

...Stokes Henley – b. 20 June 1882, TN – d. 25 May 1971 - md Addie Pendergrass,
 b. 2 June 1884, TN – d. 17 August 1961 Both Buried: +Holly-Palmer Cemetery, nr Boma,
 Putnam Co., TN. Son: **Malcolm Henley**, b. 8 April 1924 – d. 26 November 1987, +Palmer Cem.
 Son: **Everett Stokes Henley** (1921-2006) md **Mary Flossie Roberts** (1920-2001), Roberts Graveyard, TN

...**Uriah Henley** – b. ca. 1809, SC – *Farmer* – md ca. 1834, Julian?
 md ca. 1841, Katherine ? – b. ca. 1815, TN
Children of Uriah Henley and Julian.

...Thomas Henley – b. ca. 1834, TN

...William Henley – b. ca. 1836, TN - *twins*

...Silas G. Henley – b. ca. 1836, TN – *twins*
Children of Uriah Henley and Katherine.

...Elizabeth Henley – b. ca. 1841, TN

...John Henley – b. ca. 1845, TN

...Nancy Henley – b. ca. 1847, TN

...Ardela Henley – b. ca. 1849, TN

Uriah Henley family listed in the 1850, Jackson Co., TN, census in the 9th Dist.

...**Aden (Aiden) S. Henley (Hendley)** –
Listed in 1850 census living in the 9th District of Jackson Co., TN
 b. 14 July 1812, GA - d. 6 October 1890, Putnam Co., TN -
md 18 June 1835, Elizabeth Jane “Betsy” Gentry
 b. 14 December 1817, near Baxter, Mine Lick ,TN -
 d. 29 January 1897, Putnam Co., TN – +Smellage Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN
Civil War–Co. B Green River Battalion Union Army of the Commonwealth of KY

...**Nimrod Henley** – b. About 1816, GA – d. About 1869
 md 1st about 1836, Elizabeth Pettie Jackson – b. ca. 1800, Burke Co., NC –
 d/o Elias Jackson & Edith Stanley - *See *Chapter 8, Elias Jackson.*
 md 2nd Fanny – b. ca. 1830, TN -*Nimrod Henley baptized, 17 September 1860,*
Spring Creek Baptist Church. Source: pg. 59 Spring Creek Church Minutes.
Civil War – 13th TN Cavalry – C.S.A.

...Sally “Sallie” Ann Henley – b. 17 April 1838, TN –
 d. 16 January 1919 – *mother, Elizabeth Jackson.*
 Buried: +West Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN
 Row 34, TN – Ref: UCGA, Vol. 6 – 1981, pg. 23.

...Elizabeth Henley – b. ca. 1840, TN, *mother, Elizabeth Jackson.*

US Census 1850 – Dist. 9, Jackson Co., TN
 Dwl: 280 – Real estate value \$150
 Handley, Uriah 41 M W farming SC
 Katharine 35 F W TN
 Thomas 16 M W farming TN
 William 14 M W TN
 Silas G. 14 M W TN
 Elizabeth J 9 MF W TN
 John 5 M W TN
 Nancy 3 F W TN
 Ardela 1 F W TN

1870 census,
 Putnam Co., TN, Dist. 11
 Joel Henley 24 M W Farmer TN
 Harriet P. Henley 27 F W TN
 Cicero Henley 5 M W TN
 Nathaniel B. M W 7/12 Oct. TN

Possible md Herald Gentry, s/o Robert Gentry & Nancy Harris.

...Jane Henley – b. ca. 1842, TN - *mother, Elizabeth Jackson.*

...Joel Henley – b. 16 October 1846, TN – *mother, Elizabeth Jackson*

md ca. 1868, Putnam Co., TN - Harriet Plesila Judd, b. 1843, TN

Children: Cicero – b. ca. 1865, TN & Nathaniel B. – b. ca. 1870, TN

...Mary Henley – b. ca. 1850, TN – *1860 census, Jackson Co., TN Dist. 9.*

...Martha Henley – b. ca. 1859, TN - *1860 census, Jackson Co., TN Dist. 9.*

...Joseph Henley – b. ca. 1818, NC – md 1st Susan Patridge – b. ca. 1838
– md 2nd 24 Feb 1839, Hardeman, TN, Nancy (Brunnington ?) – b. NC

...Mary Henley - b. ca. 1862, Hardeman, TN

...Joseph Henley - b. ca. 1863, Hardeman, TN

...Joel Thomas Henley - b. ca. 1865, Hardeman, TN

...John Henley - b. ca. 1867, Hardeman, TN

...Ofelia Henley – b. ca. 1870, Hardeman, TN

...Willouby Henley – b. ca. 1876, Hardeman, TN

...William Henley - b. ca. 1824/5, TN – d. after 1880 –

Store owner - md Mahalia Jane Fuguay – b. ca. 1830/1

*d. ca. 1872 - ½ Cherokee Indian - d/o William Fuguay – Shoemaker
in Gainesboro, TN & his mother was a Cherokee Indian with 20
children, with connections in east TN & NC. -*

1870 census, Dist. 9, Jackson Co., TN.

**See Story of Stewart Family, "Dispatch" * See Story of Fuquay Family
Cookeville, TN, 19 August 1984, pg. 3.*

...Mahalia Fuguay Henley – b. ca. 1828

...Harriett Henley – b. 24 July 1849, Jackson Co., TN –

d. 31 January 1930, Jackson Co., TN –

md 22 January 1867, Jackson Co., TN, by Rev. Joel Henley

Levi "Ben" Murphy Stewart - b. 26 June 1844, Overton Co.,

TN – d. 10 Jan 1927 – s/o John Stewart & Cynthia Byrd

Iron worker - Civil War - Union Army Pvt. C Co., 1st Regiment/TN

Mtd. Infantry, his brother Edward "Ned" was a confederate soldier.

Both Buried: +Dodson's Branch Cemetery, Jackson Co., TN

**See Bible of Harriett Henley: Children: Alice, b. ca.*

1884, TN & Waymon Lowery, b. ca. 1889, TN & Noah....

...Noah Stewart – b. 18 October 1878 –

md 18 October 1897, Ozina Smith

...Lee Stewart - md 1 October 1922, Violet Davis

...James W. Henley/Hendley – b. November 1846, TN –

d. 1926, TN, md 22 September 1873, DeKalb Co., TN, Nancy E.

Fouch - b. 1854, DeKalb Co., TN – d. 1891, DeKalb Co., TN

+Both Buried: Vanatta Cemetery, DeKalb Co., TN

...Minnie F. Henley – b. ca. 1874, DeKalb Co., TN

...Aldridge "Alf" M. Henley – b. May 1876, DeKalb Co., TN – d. 1960

...Nellie B. Henley – b. +May 1878, DeKalb Co., TN – d. 1954

...Dibrell W. Henley – +b. Mar 1881, DeKalb Co., TN – d. 1950

...Willie Henley – b. February 1886, DeKalb Co., TN

John C. Henley - b. 27 December 1829, TN -

d. 23 October 1895 – Buried: *the family farm now*

owned by Nathan & Juanita (Mayberry) Judd on the Dodson Branch Rd.,

Cookeville, TN 38501-9108. md 1st 1 October 1850,

Martha Jane Stewart – b. 25 January 1833, TN -

d. 30 November 1891 *Cherokee Indian* – Buried: +Old Dodson's



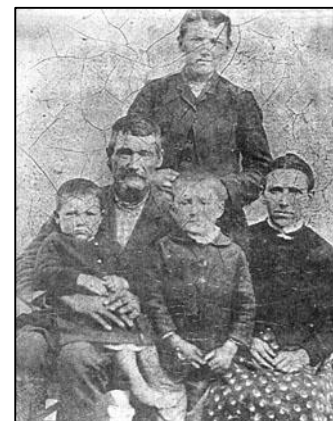
In this picture taken in 1919, Livi "Ben" Murphy Stewart and Harriett (Henley) Stewart some of the early descendants of the Stewart family, are standing near a woodpile at their home in Jackson Co., TN. Their descendants, who later changed their name to Stewart, moved to numerous parts of TN and to other states.

Picture taken from a newspaper article in the "Dispatch", Cookeville, TN, 19 August 1984.



Noah Stewart & his wife Ozina (Smith) Stewart are among the early descendants of the Stewart family. The picture was taken around 1920 at their Overton Co. home.

Picture taken from a newspaper article in the "Dispatch", Cookeville, TN, 19 August 1984.



John C. Henley pictured with children & his wife (?). The boy standing behind his father is their son Samuel H. Henley. The other children could be Joel J. & Austin H. Henley..

Martha Jane
(Stewart) Henley
She was a
full blooded
Cherokee Indian.



John C. Henley,
picture from a tintype.



Ambros Perry Warren
& his wife
Susannah Maxwell

Branch Freewill Baptist Church, Jackson Co. TN - md 2nd 9 May 1885,
Annie Judd- b. 2 February 1847, Buffalo Valley, TN – d. 26 June 1937,
Coleman, TX, d/o Jackson Judd & Mary Ann Bartlett. Annie's 1st husband was James
Harrison Alcorn (1842-1879). John C. Henely possibly md a 3rd time, name unknown.
1860 census 9th Dist. Jackson Co., TN listed as md to Martha – children: Dasley,
William & Mary Hanley/Henley. John: listed in the 1880 census living in the
9th Dist., Jackson Co., TN.

John: buried: +Pine Grove, Dawson Branch Cemetery, Jackson Co., TN,
Also called: John Hendly Graveyard Old Dodson Branch Road. John Henley
served in the 8th TN Conf. Cavalry a Parson Ranger Group of Col. Mounce Gore's Div.
Children of John C. Henley & Martha Jane Stewart were:

...Darley/ Darel Henley – b. October 1851/2, Jackson Co., TN - md
ca. 1876, Edith B. Allen – b. Sept. 1852, Jackson Co., TN – d. 12 Aug. 1934, TN
d/o Daniel Allen & Mariah Keeling - *See Samuel H. & Francis (Allen) Henley.

...Perlie H. Henley – b. April 1878, TN – md James Maxwell –
Both died in Crossville, TN. Children: Katy Maxwell md Lloyd Hill, Mattie,
Veda Maxwell, Estel Maxwell md Dow Harp & Clarence Maxwell.

...Robert "Bob" Austin Henley – b. 5 June 1880, Cookeville, TN –
d. 1960, buried in the West Cemetery, TN
md 1st Florence Johnson – md 2nd Pluma Maxwell – md 3rd Minnie Pendergrass
Children with Pluma Maxwell: Etta Henley, b. 6 March 1918, Putnam Co., TN -
md September 1938, Cookeville, TN, Howard Choate; Howard Henley, b. 1921 -
d. 1930; Lillie Henley, b. 30 March 1917, Putnam Co., TN – md Otto Abner.
Children with Minnie Pendergrass: Reba Henley, b. 19 Sept. 1922, Cookeville, TN md
Eller; Ruby Henley, b. 1924, TN; Odell Henley, b. 1927; Paschal Henley, b. 1931; John
Ridley Henley, b. 1932 & Helen Henley, b. 1934.

...Radford Tad Henley – b. 8 April 1882, TN – d. 11 November 1957
md 14 July 1907, Viola Warren – b. 8 January 1875, TN –
d. 22 February 1930, d/o Ambros Perry Warren & Susannah Maxwell, buried Warren Cem., TN.
Radford Tad Henley, Buried: +West Cem, 15th Dist., near peeks Mill Creek, Putnam Co., TN
Viola (Warren) Henley, Buried: +Warren Cemetery, past Bear Creek Rd., Putnam Co., TN.

...Herbert Hendley – 7 October 1908 – d. 24 October 1910
Buried: +Warren Cemetery, 15th Dist. past Bear Creek Rd., Putnam Co., TN.

...Dayton Hendley – b. 2 July 1912 – d. 20 July 1913

Buried: +Warren Cemetery, 15th Dist. past Bear Creek Rd., Putnam Co., TN.

...Avert P. Henley – b. 21 September 1910, TN – d. 17 March 1989

WWII Vet. Buried: +Warren Cemetery, 15th Dist. past Bear Creek Rd., Putnam Co., TN.

...Ada Earlene Henley – b. 30 March 1914, TN – d. 9 January 1996

md Davis "Dave" William Bartlett – b. 29 May 1896 – d. 23 July 1971

Both Buried: +Smith Chapel Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

s/o Joseph Perry Bartlett (1869 – 1937) & Sabrina Mayberry (1876 – 1939).

...3 still living children & 1 child died an infant, b. 22 January 1935
d. 26 January 1935 – Buried: Warren Cemetery, Malone Lane, Putnam Co., TN.

...Leona Henley – b. January 1886, TN - md Chess Allen

Children: Minnie Allen md Mr. Harp; John, Martin, Marson & Earl Allen.

...Napoleon B. Henley – b. ca. 1853, Jackson Co., TN

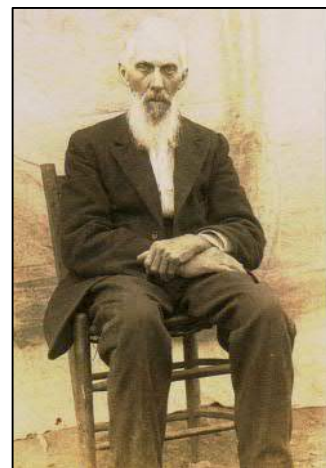
...John Henley – b. ca. 1855, Jackson Co., TN

...William Henley – b. ca. 1856/7, Jackson Co., TN

...Mary Henley – b. ca. 1858, Jackson Co., TN

...Palina Henley – b. ca. 1859, Jackson Co., TN

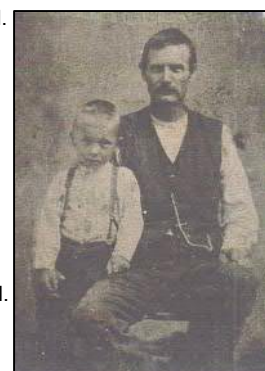
...Julia A. Henley – b. ca. 1863, Jackson Co., TN – d. ca. 1894



Ambros Perry Warren
b. 14 June 1835
d. 5 December 1919
md Susannah Maxwell
b. 25 August 1839
d. 21 May 1900
Picture courtesy
of Janet Larkin



Avert P. Henley & his sister
Ada Earlene Henley



Darel Henley
& his son,
Radford Tad Henley
Picture courtesy of Janet Larkin



Edith Allen Henley,
w/o Darel Henley
Picture courtesy
of Janet Larkin



Samuel H. Henley



Viola Warren,
w/o Radford Tad Henley

md Robert Haney – b. ca. 1861, TN – Robert md 2nd Sarah Rector.

...Hattie A. Haney – b. ca. 1894 - md Ossie C. Allen

...Dimple D. Allen -md Odos Coffman

...Molly Olean Coffman – md Paul E. Hall

...Samuel H. Henley – b. 20 April 1865, Jackson Co., TN – *Farmer*

d. 5 May 1927 - md 7 April 1883, Francis Aprile Allen,

b. 30 August 1864, TN - d. 12 August 1946, Lebanon, TN –

d/o Daniel "Dank" Allen (b. 1825, Jackson Co., TN – d. ca. 1865/70) & Mariah Keeling.

Owned the Henley Bible. Both Buried: Smith +Chapel Cemetery, Jackson Co., TN

1 mile n. of Spring Creek Baptist Church, Jackson Co., TN

Samuel listed in the 1900 US Census in the 15th Civil Dist. of Putnam Co., TN

* See Bible of Samuel H. Henley.

...Joseph Joshua Henley – b. 30 September 1885, TN – d. 24 July 1920

md 19 May 1908, Etter Lee Gentry – b. 7 August 1892 – d. 10 January

1986 – Both Buried: +Smith Chapel Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN

...James Monroe Henley – b. 2 February 1887, TN – d. 27 April 1936

md 11 Aug. 1911, Luna Ann Gentry – b. February 1893, TN – d. 9 Mar. 1922, d/o Wm.

Andrew Gentry, b. 27 Dec. 1869 – d. 7 Jan. 1947 & Modella "Modelia" Johnson, b. 1 Feb.

1871 – d. 14 May 1919 - All Buried: +West Chapel Cemetery, 15th Dist., Putnam Co., TN

md after 1910, Mary Jane Phillips, d/o Tom Phillips & Verna Lou Warren.

*See Emma Lou (Henley) McBroom Obt.

...Alice Jane Henley – b. 30 June 1891, TN – d. 2 April 1972 -

md 18 February 1934, Albert William Stone (1884-1968).

...Beckey "Becca" Lueveny Henley –b. 29 June

1895,TN - md 11 August 1911, Luther H. Gentry

...Mertice "Merto" Henley – b. 2 July 1899, TN – d.

12 Dec. 1978 - md 23 Dec. 1934, Robert Taylor Choate

...William Marson Henley – b. 5 May 1902, TN

md 28 February 1923, Maggie Warren

...Sam Ezra Henley – b. 2 June 1906, TN

md 5 November 1932, Nell Pharris

...Clyde Estel Henley – b. 12 October 1914, TN

...Alvin M. Henley – b. May 1867, Jackson Co., TN

md 12 June 1887, Fannie Sutton – b. January 1872, TN –

1900 census, Dist. 9, Jackson Co., TN.

Source: Jackson County Court Clerk Marriages:

Roll: #26 Volume: #3; October 1886 - December 1887 –

*See Joel Hendley Family Sheet.

Children: Lee, Ammon, Martha, Sam & John Henley/Henly

...Joel Joshua Henley – b. ca. 1872, Jackson Co., TN

...Austin H. Henley – b. ca. 1873, Jackson Co., TN

Children of John C. Henley/Hendley & Annie Judd were:

...Hattie Belle Henley – b. 20 February 1884, Buffalo Valley, TN –

d. 30 December 1964, Pecos, Reeves, TX – md 1st 29 November 1903,

Robert Alexander Copeland - b. 19 September 1882, Chico, Wise, TX –

d. 4 May 1913, OK. Hattie md 2nd 27 December 1915, Edgar Tilden Strange.

...Robert Delmer Copeland Sr.– b. 1 September 1905, Chico, Wise, TX –

d. 20 September 1986, Pecos, Reeves, TX – md Beulah Mae Beeman

...Bobby Jean Copeland

...Nancy Nadine Copeland



Samuel H. Henley



James Monroe Henley

Picture courtesy of

Emma Lou McBroom

Pictured on pg. 139 of the book,

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American Bank of Cookeville,

TN.



Trader Tom Phillips & wife Verna Lou Warren Phillips & their children. Thomas Phillips, Allison Phillips, Ellison "Doc" Phillips, Tommy Phillips & girl standing Mary Jane Phillips Henley who md James Monroe Henley. Baby unidentified.

Picture courtesy of Emma Lou McBroom.

Pictured on pg. 97 of the book, "Pictorial History of Putnam

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...Robert Delmer Copeland Jr.
 ...Helen Louise Copeland
 ...Naomi Jewell Copeland – md Lawrence Leland Baxter – b. 13 September 1901, TX – d. 16 October 1981, Palm Springs, Riverside, CA
 ...Edna Beatrice Copeland – b. 1 November 1909, Coleman, TX – d. 1 September 1910, Coleman, TX
 ...Ruby Lee Copeland – md William Bryan Laws
 ...Bobby Alexander Copeland – b. 13 July 1913, Coleman, TX – d. 28 January 1990, Provo, UT – md Jimmie Sylvester Hamilton – b. 28 December 1909, May, Brown, TX – d. 31 August 1989, Provo, UT
 ...Jim Vernon Hamilton md Margaret Alice Froyd
 Children: Cynthia, Jim Vernon & Emily Hamilton
 ...Bobby Ruth Hamilton –
 ...Annie Belle Hamilton
 ...Barbara Jo Hamilton – md Max Suel Lamb
 Children: Michael Max, Gloria, Stephen Suel & Brenda Lamb
 ...Peggy Sue Hamilton – md Richard Frank Follett – b. 3 February 1936, Logan, Cache, UT – d. 1 July 1997, Santa Rosa, SC
 ...Jackie Lynne Follett – md Blaine Arnold Brady
 Children: Matthew Follett, Steven Richard & Alex Christopher Brady
 ...Jay Curtis Follett – md Marie Neville
 Children: Melissa Marie, Spencer Curtis, Stuart James & Christopher Bailey Follett.
 ...Suzanne Follett – md Jeffrey Hales Cannon
 Children: Benjamin, Amelia Sue, Melinda Michelle & Curtis James Cannon
 ...Kenneth Mark Follett – md Jane Elizabeth Mele
 Children: Kelsi Jane, Ashley Noel, Nicholas Tait, Jackson Niles & Emma Elizabeth Follett.
 ...Mary Elizabeth Hamilton – md Keith McWoodhouse
 Children: Keith Jr., Christopher Drew & Elizabeth Ann Woodhouse.
 ...Sharon Kay Hamilton – md Keith Wayne Wilde
 Children: Sheryl & Alex Wilde
 ...Ardyth June Hamilton – md Claytor Melvin Larsen
 Children: Corrie, Shauna, Lee Melvin & Jacob Larsen.
 ...Linda Gene Hamilton – md 1st Robert Charles Huddleston
 Children: Jason, Jared, Shannon, Katherine, Devin, Kelli & Robin Huddleston. md 2nd Edgar Tilden Strange –
 Children: Jimmie Myrle & Edgar Tilden Strange
 ...Silas Monroe Henley – b. 29 May 1888, Buffalo Valley, TN – d. 8 September 1965, Brady, Coleman, TX - md 25 Dec. 1906, Lillie Estell Martin – md 8 Feb. 1913, Cora Bell Fletcher – b. 20 Jan. 1896, GA – d. 28 Mar. 1983, Brady, McCulloch Co., TX, buried: +Rest Haven Cemetery, Brady, TX
 ...Pha Tima Henley – b. 24 September 1889, Buffalo Valley, TN – d. 13 April 1890, Buffalo Valley, TN

Census Place: 1880 District 9, Jackson Co. Tennessee
Source: FHL Film 1255264 National Archives Film T9-1264 Page 204A

Relation	Sex	Marr	Race	Age	Birthplace
John HENLY	Self	M	M	W	52 TN
Occ:	Farmer	Fa: NC	Mo: NC		
Martha J. HENLY	Wife	F	M	W	49 TN
Occ:	Keeping House	Fa: TN	Mo: TN		
Samuel HENLY	Son	M	S	W	15 TN
Occ:	Works On Farm	Fa: TN	Mo: TN		
Alvin M. HENLY	Son	M	S	W	12 TN
Occ:	Works On Farm	Fa: TN	Mo: TN		
Joel J. HENLY	Son	M	S	W	8 TN
		Fa: TN	Mo: TN		
Austin H. HENLY	Son	M	S	W	7 TN
		Fa: TN	Mo: TN		
Robert HANEY	SonL	M	M	W	19 TN
Occ:	Farmer	Fa: TN	Mo: TN		
Julia A. HANEY	Dau	F	M	W	17 TN
Occ:	At Home	Fa: TN	Mo: TN		

Census Place: 1880 District 9, Jackson Co. Tennessee
Source: FHL Film 1255264 National Archives Film T9-1264 Page 204A

Relation	Sex	Marr	Race	Age	Birthplace
Wm. HENLEY	Self	M	M	W	55 TN
Occ:	Farmer	Fa: NC	Mo: NC		
Jane HENLEY	Wife	F	M	W	49 TN
Occ:	Keeping House	Fa: TN	Mo: TN		
Filena HENLEY	Niece	F	S	W	19 TN
Occ:	At Home	Fa: TN	Mo: TN		

Census Place: 1880 District 8, Putnam Co., Tennessee
Source: FHL Film 1255275 National Archives Film T9-1275 Page 197A

Relation	Sex	Marr	Race	Age	Birthplace
Amon D. HENDLEY	Self	M	M	W	28 TN
Occ:	Farming	Fa: GA	Mo: TN		
Malinda HENDLEY	Wife	F	M	W	30 TN
Occ:	Keeping House	Fa: NC	Mo: TN		
John L. HENDLEY	Son	M	S	W	9 TN
		Fa: TN	Mo: TN		
William J. HENDLEY	Son	M	S	W	7 TN
		Fa: TN	Mo: TN		
Parris W. HENDLEY	Son	M	S	W	5 TN
		Fa: TN	Mo: TN		
Kiddy A. HENDLEY	Dau	F	S	W	3 TN
		Fa: TN	Mo: TN		
Robert L. HENDLEY	Son	M	S	W	1M TN
		Fa: TN	Mo: TN		

Census Place: 1880 District 13, Hardeman, Tennessee
Source: FHL Film 1255259 National Archives Film T9-1259 Page 350A

Relation	Sex	Marr	Race	Age	Birthplace
Joseph HENLY	Self	M	M	W	62 NC
Occ:	Farmer	Fa: NC	Mo: NC		
J. Nancy HENLY	Wife	F	M	W	42 TN
Occ:	Keeping House	Fa: SC	Mo: NC		
Mary HENLY	Dau	F	S	W	18 TN
Occ:	At Home	Fa: NC	Mo: SC		
Joel HENLY	Son	M	S	W	15 TN
Occ:	At Home	Fa: NC	Mo: SC		
John HENLY	Son	M	S	W	13 TN
Occ:	At Home	Fa: NC	Mo: SC		
Feally HENLY	Dau	F	S	W	10 TN
Occ:	At Home	Fa: NC	Mo: SC		
Willouby HENLY	Son	M	S	W	4 TN
Occ:	At Home	Fa: NC	Mo: SC		

Hendley/Henley, John D. – Revolutionary War Veteran – Vet. of War 1812.

b. ca. 1751- d. after 1840, Jackson Co., TN – District 13 - Rev'l Veteran – NC
'D' inserted into his name to mean "Dam the King".

Shown on 1840 Pension List of Rev'l Veterans living in TN and 89 yrs. old.

Lived in NC where his son Joel Hendley was born in 1787.

John Henly/Henley/Hendley was listed in the Jackson County census of 1840 as being eighty-nine years old. A veteran of the Revolutionary War, he was wounded at Redding, Pennsylvania and was discharged from service on April 4, 1778 in Virginia. His participation in that war is verified by a compilation of Revolutionary War veterans receiving pensions which was written by Ernest Boyd, Attorney at Law of Putnam County, Tennessee.

Born in 1751, John Henley came to Dodson Branch from North Carolina in the late 1700's. He was given a land grant of six hundred forty acres for his service during the Revolutionary War; the land was in the Dodson Branch area on what is now known as the Old Dodson Branch Road – Listed on ancestry.com: John Wood Henley.

...**Joel Hendley** – b. ca. 1787, NC - d. 15 March 1874, Jackson Co., TN

md **Mary Horne** - b. ca. 1788, NC – d. ca. 1850 -

Joel Henly/Hendley was born in NC and moved with his family to Dodson Branch in the late 1700's. A minister as well as a farmer, he was the Moderator of Spring Creek Baptist Church in Dodson Branch, Jackson Co., TN.

Hensley, Kessiah

b. ca. 1780, Caswell, NC – d. About 1848

d/o John Hensley, Sr.

md 24 October 1798, Caswell Co., NC, **Joseph Ray**

b. About 1780, Orange Co., NC

d. 21 September 1840, Jackson Co., TN

s/o Capt. James Ray & Jennet "Jane" Allison

Hepburn, Alexander

b. About 1545, Lived Beyond The Sea, England

md About 1545, Lived Beyond the Sea, England , **Janet Napier**

...**Jean Hepburn** –

md About 1567, **Sir William Ruthven I**

Hepburn, Jean

b. ca. 1546, Lived Beyond The Sea, England

d/o Alexander Hepburn

md About 1567, **Sir William Ruthven I**

Hickman, Sarah

md 23 September 1797, **John Dowell**

Hodgkinson, Alice

b. About 1582, England

d/o George Hodgkinson

md About 1603, **Thomas Bansater**

Hodgkinson, George

b. About 1552, England

md ? –b. About 1556, England

... Alice Hodgkinson – About 1582, England

md About 1603, **Thomas Bansater**

Holcombe, Elizabeth

b. About 1769/70, MD

d. 29 December 1859, Jackson Co., TN

md About 1790, **Laban Loftis**

Horne, Mary

b. ca. 1788, NC

d. ca. 1850 or After 1870, Jackson Co., TN

md Joel Henley (Hendley)

b. ca. 1787, NC

d. ca. 1850/60 Jackson Co., TN

Hulme, George Jr.

b. ca. 1684 – 1689/90, Grundleton, York Co./ Tilston Cheshire, England

d. 10 June 1729, Bucks Co., PA

s/o Ellen & George Hulme Sr.

md 10 October 1708, Buck Co., PA, **Naomi Palmer**

married at Falls Monthly Meeting of the Quaker Church, Bucks Co., PA

George Hulme Jr. was christened on 16 January 1683 in Didsbury, Lancasater, England. He was born about 1684 in Tilston, Cheshire, England.

He died on 8 January 1729 in Middleton Twp, Bucks Co, PA.

George married sister Naomi & Ruth Palmer.

*He was married to **Naomi Palmer** on 10 October 1708 in Bucks Co, PA –*

proposed to at the Middletown Monthly Meeting of the Quaker Church. Naomi survived the marriage one year, and George proposed intentions of marriage

*with her sister, **Ruth Palmer**, in August 1710, a year and eight months later.*

Ruth, the sister of Naomi, was dismissed from the Quaker faith for marrying

contrary to discipline, her sister's husband on 7 January 1711. Marriage to a

deceased wife's sister was considered incest, and "against the good order

maintained among Friends." *See story of the Hulme Family

Naomi Palmer – b. 30 June 1688, Makefield Twp, Bucks, PA –

d. 1709/1710, Bucks, PA

d/o John & Christian (Josés) Palmer Jr.

md 7 January 1711, Falls Mm, Bucks, PA, **Ruth Palmer-**

b. 18 July 1693 – d. ca. 1768

d/o John & Christian (Josés) Palmer Jr.

Children of George Jr. & Ruth Palmer:

...**Naomi Hulme** – b. 1713 in Middleton Twp, Bucks Co, PA -

d. 1789 in Goose Creek, Loudon Co, VA.

md 24 June 1734, Christ Church, Philadelphia, PA,

John Whitacre Jr. – b. 14 May 1704 – d. 1783/1786, Loudoun, VA

s/o Joshua & Jane Bannister (Parker) Whitacre/Whitaker

...**Hannah Whitacre** - b. 21 September 1739, Falls,

Bucks, PA - 8 November 1765, Fairfax, VA -

md 8 August 1757 -Falls, Wyoming, PA, **John Jared**, *the wagonmaker of Loudoun, VA. Her children were raised by Rachel Palmer 2nd wife of John Jared.*

md unknown Garret

...**Ruth Hulme** – b. in PA - md 7 January 1711, **John Whitacre Jr.** –

b. 14 May 1704 – d. 1783/1786, Loudoun, VA

s/o Joshua & Jane Bannister (Parker) Whitacre/Whitaker

John Whitacre Jr. married sisters – Naomi & Ruth Hulme

...**James Hulme** – b. 1709 in Middleton Twp, Bucks Co, PA-

d. 1709, Fallsington, Bucks Co., PA

...**Hannah Hulme** – b. 1711, Middleton Twp, Bucks Co, PA-

md ca. 1731, PA, John Merrick

...**Eleanor Hulme** – b. 1714, Middleton Twp, Bucks Co, PA

...**Margaret Hulme** – b. ca. 1718, Kingswood, NJ

...**John Hulme** - b. 1722 , Middleton Twp, Bucks Co, PA -

d. September 1796, Fallsington,

Bucks CO,- Buried in Friends Cemetery, Fallsington, Bucks, PA

md Mary Pearson – md Elizabeth Cutler

Children of John & Mary (Pearson) Hulme:

...Rachel Hulme - b. 11 April 1745, Buckingham, Bucks, PA –

md William Pearson

...John Hulme – b. 3 June 1747, Wrightstown Twp, Bucks, PA –

d. 27 Dec 1817, Bucks, PA -

md 23 May 1770, Rebecca Milnor

...Mary Hulme – b. 31 August 1748, Middleton, Bucks, PA – md Isaiah Haines

...George Hulme - b. 25 February 1750, Bucks, PA –

md Ann Butler & Jennet Neale

...Margaret Hulme - b. 25 August 1757, Wrightstown Twp, Bucks, PA –

md 13 May 1778 Falls Mm, Bucks, PA, James Nelson

Children of John & Elizabeth (Cutler) Hulme

...Benjamin Hulme – b. ca. 1778, Middleton Twp., Bucks County, PA

Children of George & Naomi (Palmer) Hulme:

...James Hulme - b. ca. 1709, Falls Mm, Bucks, PA

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Family of John M. & Fannie (Gentry) Bray

John M. Bray, b. 30 July 1853 – d. 1 March 1927, was the s/o Joseph Bray and Scinthia Mills Bray. He was the grandson of Richard Bray one of the earliest settlers of the 2nd and 16th Districts of Putnam County, then White County. He was married to Frances Eleanor “Fannie” Gentry, b. 21 November 1858, Putnam Co., TN - d. 30 March 1942, d/o Wiley Gentry & Minerva Evaline “Nevie” McCaleb. They are shown here with their children and spouses. Seated, left to right is: Robert “Bob” Montgomery, and wife Florence Bray; John Bray and wife Frances Eleanor “Fannie” Gentry; Lizzy Bray, and Levester Bray. Back row: Andrew Roberts and wife Martelia Bray; Alonzo Randolph and wife Lois Bray; Ritchie Bray and wife Gautie Sullivan; Herbert Gentry and wife Cordelia Bray; Wade Bray and wife Daisy Pendergrass. This Bray family is related to the following families: The Jeremiah Whitson family, the Joseph Mills family, Gentry, Pendergrass, Lindsey, Sullivan, Randolph, and Montgomery families. Most of these people are buried in the Lovelady and the West Cemeteries, Putnam Co., TN.

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Picture in the book *Siftings from Putnam County Tennessee* by Mary Hopson, pg. 84.



John M. Bray & Fannie (Gentry) Bray with their grandchildren

L to R: (back row): Norman Lee Roberts, Frances Louisa Randolph Roberts; wife of Norman Roberts, Jesse Montgomery, Jessie Roberts, John A. Roberts, holding Lawrence Roberts, Fowler Montgomery, Ruby Randolph, Ether Montgomery, Ridley Burgess, Velma Randolph Burgess; wife of Ridley Burgess, Clara Bean Montgomery; wife of Everett Montgomery & Everett Montgomery.

In front are: Etta Randolph, in dark coat is Rozelle Montgomery, in checked dress is Gladys Gentry, the small child standing at left of John Bray is Alma Randolph, John Bray is holding Irene Gentry, between John & Fannie is Louise Bray, the child being held by Fannie is unidentified, at right of Fannie is Cleo Randolph, Nellie Roberts, Esto Bray, Alpheus Gentry, Cloyd Roberts & Clara Montgomery, who is the Bray's first grandchild.

Picture from the book, *Ray Connection*, pg. 186B - Picture courtesy of Mildred (Bray) Grimes.