Albert Overton Birdwell Obt.

Albert Birdwell died at the home of his son, Wm. Birdwell, in Nashville on March 26, 1925, following a lingering illness. Age 69 years. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary Ann Birdwell and 7 children: Mrs. T. D. West of near Gainesboro, Mrs. Morgan Lock of the 12th district, Mrs. Frank Haile of Dry Fork, Mrs. Martha Brown, Albany, KY; and Mrs. Laura Wright, Nashville; Lawrence Birdwell of Detroit; and Johnnie Birdwell whose whereabouts are unknown. Also a brother, T. E. Birdwell of the 12th district and two sisters, Mrs. Sarah Jackson of Putnam County and Mrs. Tom Anderson of the 12th district.

Mr. Birdwell was born in Jackson County in the year 1856 and obeyed the gospel when 20 years old under the preaching of Rev. Cooper at Antioch Church and lived a faithful member until the end. In 1876, he was married to Miss Mary Ann Wheeler and to them ten children were born and all are living but three. All the children attended the funeral which was held at the Byers Cemetery, conducted by Elder John W. Fox.

Mary Ann Wheeler was born October 8, 1851 and was the daughter of Wm. Wade Wheeler and Mary Elizabeth (Brown) Wheeler.

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*See Birdwell files & Chapter 4 at: http://www.ajlambert.com

Albert Overton Birdwell – b. 17 March 1856, Webster Co., MO – d. 25 March 1925, Davidson Co., TN, s/o John Harvey Birdwell Sr. & Martha Chaffin. md 20 June 1875, Jackson Co., TN, Mary Ann Wheeler – b. 2 October 1851, Jackson Co. TN– d. 12 August 1938, Jackson Co., TN – d/o Wm. Wade "Billie" Wheeler & Mary Edith Brown.

Both Buried: +F. D. Byers Cemetery, Flynn's Creek Road, Jackson Co., TN *Listed living in the 12th Civil Dist., Jackson Co., TN in the US 1880 census.*