

OLD HOLLADAY CEMETERY

Putnam Co., TN

Located across the road and creek west of Rock Springs Church on the hill top. The markers are down, weather beaten and in poor condition. There are many graves marked only with native lime stones. Only one marker remains standing along side a cedar.

Located across the road from the Rock Springs Church on Medley-Amonette Road in Buffalo Valley. There were a few headstones still existing on the hilltop, but most have been lost.

Elizabeth Ann (Holladay) Carlen

b. 28 October 1821 – d. 6 June 1857, TN, md on the 25th of March 1841, Rock Springs Creek, TN to **James Thomas Carlen Sr.**, b. 1820, TN – d. 1901, Putnam Co., TN, s/o **Hugh Webb Carlen** (1799-1851) & **Martha Patsy Pemberton** (1798-1883). Elizabeth Ann (Holladay) Carlen, d/o **Stephen Holladay** (1791-1842) & **Henrietta Draper** (1795-1851). James Thomas Carlen Sr. also md **Sarah Elizabeth “Sallie” (Boyd) Carlen** (1841-1904), both buried in Carlen Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

*See James A. Carlen buried in Old Holladay Cemetery.

*See Virginia S. Carlen buried in Old Holladay Cemetery.

(1850 census 13th Civil Dist., Jackson Co., TN: Dwl: 177 - **James Carlen** is head of household, 28 yrs. old, TN, md to **Elizabeth**, 28 yrs. old, TN. Children: Harret, 8 yrs. old; Virginia, 7 yrs. old; Brice, 5 yrs. old & Martha Carlen, 2 yrs. old. All born in TN).

(1860 census 11th Civil Dist., Perkin, Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 1354 – **James Carlen** is head of household, 38 yrs. old, TN. Children: Harriett A. Carlen, 18 yrs. old; Virginia S. Carlen, 16 yrs. old; Brice M. Carlen, 14 yrs. old; Martha M. Carlen, 12 yrs. old; James T. Carlen, 5 yrs. old; **Martha Carlen, 62 yrs. old** & Sarah A. Carlen, 40 yrs. old. All born in TN. Also living in the household: J. Whitefield, 80 yrs. old, NC).

(1870 census 11th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 12 – **James Carlen** is head of household, 50 yrs. old, TN, md to **Mary**, 30 yrs. old, TN. Children: James T., 16 yrs. old; Elizabeth, 7 yrs. old; Tennessee, 5 yrs. old; Emmer, 3 yrs. old & Hoody Carlen, 1 yr. old. All born in TN).

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

Source: FHL Film 1255275 National Archives Film T9-1275 Page 165A

	Relation	Sex	Marr	Race	Age	Birthplace
James CARLIN	Self	M	M	W	58	TN
	Occ: Farmer	Fa: VAMo: TN				
Salley E. CARLIN	Wife	F	M	W	37	TN
	Occ: Keeping House	Fa: TNMo: VA				
James T. CARLIN	Son	M	S	W	25	TN
	Occ: Carpenter	Fa: TNMo: TN				
Elizabeth CARLIN	Dau	F	S	W	16	TN
	Occ: At Home	Fa: TNMo: TN				

Virginia T. CARLIN	Dau	F	S	W	15	TN
	Occ: At Home	Fa: TN Mo: TN				
Emer CARLIN	Dau	F	S	W	12	TN
	Occ: At Home	Fa: TN Mo: TN				
Nancy CARLIN	Dau	F	S	W	11	TN
	Occ: At Home	Fa: TN Mo: TN				
Hugh W. CARLIN	Son	M	S	W	8	TN
		Fa: TN Mo: TN				
Sarena CARLIN	Dau	F	S	W	7	TN
		Fa: TN Mo: TN				
Bell CARLIN	Dau	F	S	W	5	TN
		Fa: TN Mo: TN				
Mania CARLIN	Dau	F	S	W	3	TN
		Fa: TN Mo: TN				
Ider CARLIN	Dau	F	S	W	1	TN
		Fa: TN Mo: TN				

(1900 census 13th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 41 - **James Carlen** is head of household, 78 yrs. old, b. February 1822, TN, md 36 yrs. to **Sarah E.**, 56 yrs. old, b. March 1844, TN, 10 children born, 10 children living. Children: Hugh W., 28 yrs. old, b. July 1871, son, md 2 yrs. to Cathrine, 20 yrs old, b. February 1880, dau-in-law, 1 child born, 1 child living, Virgie M. Carlen, 1 yr. old, b. September 1898, granddaughter & Sam Y., 19 yrs. old, b. June 1880, son. All born in TN).

Virginia S. Carlen

b. 29 April 1854 – d. 29 May 1936, d/o **James Thomas Carlen Sr.** (1820-1901) & **Elizabeth Ann Holladay** (1821-1857).

*See Elizabeth Ann (Holladay) Carlen buried in Old Holladay Cemetery.

(1860 census 11th Civil Dist., Perkin, Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 1354 – **James Carlen** is head of household, 38 yrs. old, TN. Children: Harriett A. Carlen, 18 yrs. old; **Virginia S. Carlen**, 16 yrs. old; Brice M. Carlen, 14 yrs. old; Martha M. Carlen, 12 yrs. old; James T. Carlen, 5 yrs. old; **Martha Carlen, 62 yrs. old** & Sarah A. Carlen, 40 yrs. old. All born in TN. Also living in the household: J. Whitefield, 80 yrs. old, NC).

Lenard Colby

b. & d. ?

Mary Jane Colby

b. 27 March?

Amy Collins

b. age 72 – d. 23 January 1886.

J. B. Coatney/Cooney Collins

b. 2 June 1811 – d. 25 September 1875 md **J. Collins**.

Shady Crook

No dates.

Stephen Holladay

b. 29 March 1791 – d. 2 January 1842, md on the 20 January 1820 to **Henrietta (Draper) Holladay**, b. 28 February 1795 – d. 10 April 1851. Henrietta (Draper) Holladay, d/o **Thomas Draper** (1768-1840) & **Sally Lyles** (1766-1844). Stephen Holladay, s/o **John Holladay** (1740-1812) & **Elizabeth Pulliam** (1741-1832), md 9 August 1787.

(**Source:** Chapter IV, pg. 72, *Draper Families in America*: Thomas Draper Jr.: When he was 13 or 14 years old, Thomas Draper served in a Regiment composed of volunteers from South Carolina and Georgia and was elected a Major about the year 1783. He was a pioneer settler of Jackson County, Tennessee soon after the Revolution. He engaged in farming and was a livestock dealer).

(**Source:** pg. 200, *Draper Families in America*: Henrietta (Draper) Holladay (1795-1851) md Stephen Holladay (1791-1842).

(**Source:** pg. 104, *Bible Records – Tombstone Inscriptions and Marriage Bonds* by Jeannette Tillotson Acklen: Marriages: Henrietta Draper to Stephen Holladay, Jan. 20, 1820. pg. 103: Draper Records (John Sevier Chapter DAR), Copied 19- by Mrs. J. A. Drake, of Cookeville, Tenn., from the old Draper Bible in the possession of Mrs. Geneva Draper Anderson, Gallatin, Tenn. Copied 16 March 1932, from Mrs. Drake's copy by Mrs. Lula Holladay, Cookeville, Tenn.

(1850 census 13th Dist., Jackson Co., TN: Dwl: 206 **Henrietta Holaday** is head of household 55 yrs. old, SC. Adaline, 25 yrs. old, TN; Amanda, 21 yrs. old, TN; Louisa, 19 yrs. old, TN & Thomas Holaday, 15 yrs. old, TN).

McDaniel?

b. 29 March 1791 – d. 2 January 1842

Richard “Rich” Rittenberry

b. January 1874, Putnam Co., TN – d. 14 November 1927, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 18th of July 1899, Putnam Co., TN to **Mollie May (Winchester) Rittenberry**, b. 17 May 1884, Putnam Co., TN – d. 25 February 1944, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **John Winchester**. Richard “Rich” Rittenberry, s/o **John Lucas Rittenberry** (1838-1914) & **Permelia A. “Polly” Rittenberry** (1842-1920). John L. Rittenberry is buried in Davis Cemetery, White Co., TN, (Pvt Co H 1 Tenn Mtd Inf).

*See William Deward “Jack” Rittenberry buried in Leftwich Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

Hazel Bates stated that her parents, grandparents and great grandparents are buried here.

Buffalo Valley- We are sorry to report the death of a faithful servant, Richard Rittenberry, which occurred Monday night. Richard lived from early boyhood on the farm of Josiah and J. H. Jared.

(**Source:** Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 6 – Richard Rittenberry married 18 July 1899, Putnam Co., TN to Mollie Winchester. By whom married: J. A. Holladay).

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Dwl: 91

	Relation	Sex	Marr	Race	Age	Birthplace
Polly RITTENBERRY	Self	F	S	W	33	TN
	Occ: Keeping House	Fa: VAMo: VA				
Mary RITTENBERRY	Dau	F	S	W	11	TN
	Occ: At Home	Fa: TNMo: TN				
Margaret RITTENBERRY	Dau	F	S	W	8	TN
	Fa: TNMo: TN					
Richard RITTENBERRY	Son	M	S	W	6	TN
	Fa: TNMo: TN					
Louisa J. RITTENBERRY	Dau	F	S	W	2	TN
	Fa: TNMo: TN					
Martha RITTENBERRY	Sister	F	S	W	43	TN
	Fa: VAMo: VA					

(1910 census 11th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 125 – **Richard Rittenberry** is head of household, 36 yrs. old, TN, md to **Mollie**, 26 yrs. old, TN, (5 children born, 5 children living). Children: Grady, 7 yrs. old; Lelar, 5 yrs. old; Deward, 4 yrs. old; Carrie, 2 yrs. old & Cara Rittenberry, 2/12 yrs. old. All born in TN).

(1920 census 11th Civil Dist., Putnam Co., TN: Dwl: 184 - **Richard Rittenberry** is head of household, 50 yrs. old, TN, md to **Mollie**, 34 yrs. old, TN. Children: Grady, 17 yrs. old; Lela, 15 yrs. old; Bula, 13 yrs. old; Carrie, 10 yrs. old; Malcolm, 9 yrs. old; Alexander, 7 yrs. old & Douglas Rittenberry, 3 4/12 yrs. old. All born in TN).

Tennessee Death Record

Richard Rittenberry

Gender Male
 Birth Date abt 1877
 Birth Place Tennessee
 Age 50
 Death Date 14 Nov 1927
 Death Place Putnam, Tennessee

Father's Birth Place Tennessee

Mother's Birth Place Tennessee

Certificate Number 27695

Wills and Probates Richard Rittenberry - 1927

Tennessee Death Record

Mollie May Rittenberry

[Mollie May
Winchester]

Gender:	Female
Birth Date:	17 May 1887
Birth Place:	Putnam, Tennessee
Age:	56
Death Date:	25 Feb 1944
Death Place:	Cookeville, Putnam, Tennessee
Father's name:	John Winchester
Certificate Number:	6351

M. Sutton

No dates

Desty M. Sutton

No dates

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