

Jackson County CHRONICLES

NEWSLETTER NO. THIRTY-TWO

JANUARY 7, 1983

ANNUAL MEETING - JANUARY 20, 1983 - 6:30 p.m. - Scottsboro, Alabama -
Holiday Inn Gold Room - Buffet Dutch Dinner

The Jackson County Historical Association will meet Thursday, January 20, 1983, 6:30 p.m. in Scottsboro, Alabama, at the Holiday Inn Gold Room. This will be the first night meeting in the Association's seven year tenure. The first item on the agenda is a Dutch-treat buffet dinner (Cost is \$7.50 which includes tax and tip.) Please make your reservations by calling 259-3141 (Anna Ruth Campbell) or 574-1299 (Rubilee Smith) by January 14, 1983. Officers for 1983 will be elected. Program Vice President, Anna Ruth Campbell, will present Walter Sumner of Mentone, Alabama, who will turn back the pages of North Alabama and Jackson County history. This is one program you will not want to miss!

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

I want to thank all of the members of our Historical Association for their cooperation and support during the past year.

I especially want to thank Mrs. Elizabeth Bennett and her membership committee for attaining and going over our goal of 200 members in 1982.

I also want to thank Mrs. Anna Ruth Campbell and the program committee for our good programs; Mrs. Harrison Smith, our secretary; and Mrs. William Thomas, our treasurer for their untiring efforts. Last, but not least, many thanks to Mrs. Ann Chambless for our JACKSON CHRONICLES.

It is our newsletter which unifies, stimulates, and helps perpetuate the work of our Association.

It is my desire that, in 1983, each of us will dedicate ourselves toward a more active and stronger Historical Association. Our annual meeting will be a Dutch affair at the Holiday Inn in Scottsboro on THURSDAY EVENING, January 20, at 6:30 p.m. We are looking forward to a good program which will feature our own Walter Sumner of Mentone. I hope to see all of you there.

Harry Campbell, President

1982 MAJOR EVENTS WHICH INVOLVED JACKSON COUNTY HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION

1. Stevenson Depot Museum opened to the public in June
2. Railroad caboose placed on Stevenson Depot Museum property in December
3. THE STEVENSON STORY authored by Eliza B. Woodall published by Stevenson Historical Society. Autograph parties for Mrs. Woodall in Stevenson and Scottsboro in December.
4. City of Stevenson applied to Tennessee Valley Authority for possession of Fort Harker site in Stevenson and made plans to recreate Fort Harker, a well preserved Civil War fort site.
5. Scottsboro Public Square added to the National Register of Historic Places
6. Brown-Proctor House added to the National Register of Historic Places
7. Exterior and grounds of Brown-Proctor House restored and reclaimed by Scottsboro-Jackson Heritage Center Board of Directors
8. Second Annual Fourth of July Heritage Day at Scottsboro-Jackson Heritage Center with tour of Brown-Proctor House and first annual "No Run Run". This unique "Run" received national and international publicity and was acclaimed most sensational marathon ever held in North Alabama. "Run" was idea of J.C.H.A past president, Walter Hammer.
9. First Annual Cherokee Fall Festival held on ground of Scottsboro-Jackson Heritage Center in cooperation with Cherokee, Creek, Seminole, Choctaw, and Miccasuki Indians from Oklahoma, Florida, North Carolina, Mississippi, Tennessee, and Alabama. Attendance around 5000 people.
10. Work toward restoration and development of the Bob Jones Community Center in Woodville in progress
11. Thirty member Cemetery Committee began inventorying and identifying all cemeteries in Jackson County. More than 300 cemeteries located and plotted by section, township, and range.
12. Mr. Nelson Varnell completed his compilation: FIRST ONE HUNDRED YEARS OF THE BAPTISTS IN JACKSON COUNTY, ALABAMA and presented copies to J. C. H. A., Scottsboro Public Library, and others.

ANNUAL DUES ARE NOW DUE AND PAYABLE and are TAX DEDUCTIBLE

REGULAR MEMBERSHIP	\$7.50	Memorials and Honorariums
LIFE MEMBERSHIP	\$100.00	are welcomed!

Make your check to:
JACKSON COUNTY HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION
Mrs. William T. Thomas, Treasurer
Post Office Box 305
Scottsboro, Alabama 35768

Please provide: NAME _____
 ADDRESS _____
 CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

Members receive JACKSON COUNTY CHRONICLES mailed prior to quarterly meetings in January, April, July, and October.

April 25, 1981

PEDIGREE CHART

DATE
Frances Grider Allison
NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART
504 College Street
STREET ADDRESS
Stevenson, Alabama 35772
CITY STATE

NO. 1 ON THIS CHART IS
THE SAME PERSON AS NO. _____

ON CHART NO. _____

1 Frances Grider

BORN 4-6-11
WHERE Stevenson, Al.
WHEN MARRIED 12-18-29
DIED _____
WHERE _____

2 Alley Jackson Grider

BORN 12-8-1877
WHERE Stevenson, Al.
WHEN MARRIED 2-28-1906
DIED 2-1-1959
WHERE Sheffield, Al.

NOTE: This chart is
same for Frances' sister
Neil Grider Gonce

GIVE HERE NAME OF RECORD OR
BOOK WHERE THIS INFORMATION
WAS OBTAINED. REFER TO NUMBER
OF NUMBER.

George Milton Allison
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

3 Ananias Allen Grider

BORN 1826
WHERE Jackson Co., Al.
WHEN MARRIED 1918
DIED near Stevenson, Al.
WHERE _____

4 Nancy Caroline Cox

BORN 1832
WHERE Stevenson, Al.
DIED _____
WHERE _____

5 Amos Grider

BORN 11-24-1793
WHERE _____
WHEN MARRIED 7-17-1840
DIED Big Coon, near Stev
Anne Allen

6 Hopkins Muse Cox

BORN 1796
WHERE East Tennessee
WHEN MARRIED 183_
DIED _____
WHERE _____

7 Samuel D'Orr (Ore)

BORN 1800
WHERE _____
DIED _____
WHERE _____

8 John Grider (Revolutionary War)

9 Isabel Tabitha Blair

10 Ananias Allen (Rev. War)

11 Anne Laxton

12 William McMahan

13 Sanders McMahan

14 Nancy Reed

15 Jacob Tally

16 Mourning Roberts

17 Dr. George H. Moore

18 Ann Hoskins

9 Samuel Houston McMahan

BORN 2-5-1836
WHERE Stevenson, Al.
WHEN MARRIED 2-28-1861
DIED 12-9-1909
WHERE Stevenson, Al.

10 Frances (Fannie) Moore

BORN 2-25-1843
WHERE Larkinsville, Al.
DIED 2-12-1914
WHERE Stevenson, Ala.

11 Dr. Andrew Moore

BORN 3-18-1800
WHERE near Memphis, Tenn.
WHEN MARRIED 10-26-1840
DIED Larkinsville, Al.
WHERE Eilen Chatman (Chapman)

12 Dr. George H. Moore

BORN 10-25-1812
WHERE Marshall Co., Al.

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BORN 10-25-1812
WHERE Marshall Co., Al.

4-2-1905 Larkinsville, Al.

January 16, 1981

Rubilee Moore Smith (daughter of Martha E. Inglis Moore)

NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

STREET ADDRESS

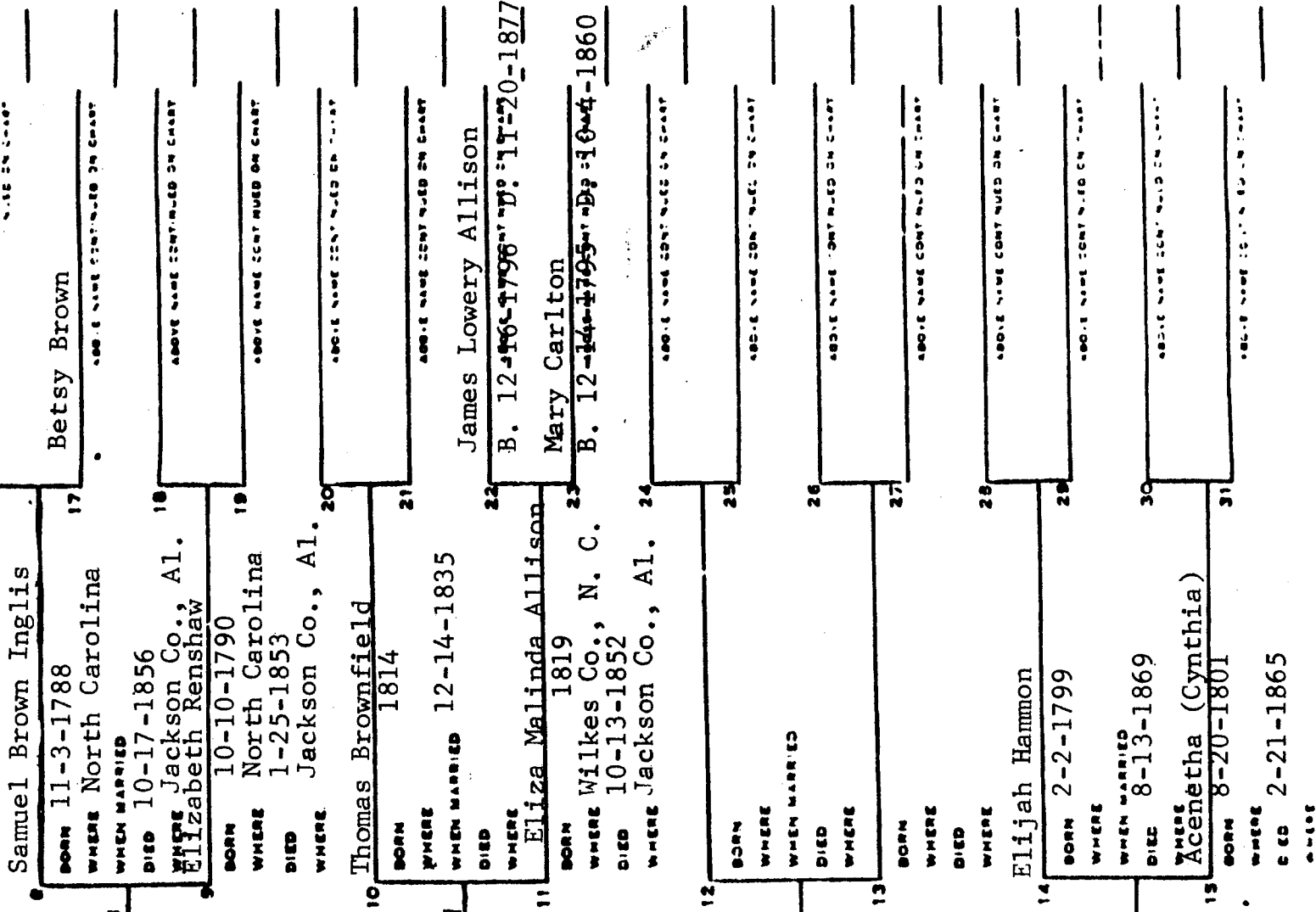
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ON CHART NO. _____

PEDIGREE CHART



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1866 SPECIAL ALABAMA STATE CENSUS

The original Special Alabama 1866 Census is found in the Department of Archives and History in Montgomery, Alabama. Editor Ann B. Chambless has printed Ranges 3, 4, 5, and 6 in the four preceding editions of THE JACKSON CHRONICLES. The five townships within Range 7 East are:

TOWNSHIP 1, RANGE 7 EAST:

NAMES	MALES			FEMALES		
	Under 10	10-20	Over 20	Under 10	10-20	Over 20
W. Farris		1	1	2	2	1
M. Bain			1			1
G. Rose		2	4			1
B. Hogwood		1	1		2	2
J. Smith	3		1	2	2	2
T. Hogwood	1	2	2	1	1	
J. Tally		3	1			1
M. Barrier	2		1		1	1
N. ? Bayeel	2	2			2	1
E. Tally	1	2				1
W. Jacoway	1	2	2	2		2
M. Walls	2	2	2		3	
J. Walls	2		1	1		1
M. Barrier			1		2	1
J. Shirley	1	2	1	3		1
J. Brisco		1	1	1	2	2
G. Brisco		1				1
J. Nelson		1				1
Jesse Nelson		2	1			2
W. Pack	3	1	1	2	2	
A. Jones	2	1	1		1	3
G. Mason			2			2
J. Mason			1	1	3	1
S. Harris	1	2	1			1
M. Holder	1	1	1	3	1	1
J. Peacock	2	2	2		2	1
B. Bryon	2		1			1
R. Coals			1	1	1	1
W. Bryant	1	1	1		1	3
G. Thomerson			2			2
W. Thomerson			1			1
P. Gambol			1			1

SPECIAL ALABAMA 1866 CENSUS (Cont.)

TOWNSHIP 1, RANGE 7 EAST:

NAMES	MALES			FEMALES		
	Under 10	10-20	Over 20	Under 10	10-20	Over 20
A. Cox	2		1			1
T. Rice	1	1	1	2		1
H. Pary	1	1		1	1	
L. Mitchell	1			2		1
J. Arnold	1		1	3		2
W. Gambol			1	2		1
J. Lupkins	1	2	1	3	1	2
J. Mago	1	1		1	2	1
B. Matthews			1	3		1
E. Sutton						1
A. Gambol				2		2
E. Davis					1	1
D. Dorcy				4		1
J. Sutton	3	2	1	1		1
R. Jones		1	2	1	2	1
W. Gonce	2		2	1		1
M. Conner						2
E. Rogers	2	1		1	1	1
W. Conner	1	2	1	4	1	2
R. Champion		1	3			2
J. Champion			1	1	1	1
J. Swaringen			1		1	1
J. Arnold			1	2		1
A. McCoy			2		2	1
W. Champion	2		1	3		1
J. Arnold	2	2	3	1	1	2
M. Tally		1	1	2	1	2
J. Scarbrough	2	3	2	1	1	3
A. Douglas	2		1	1		1
J. Walls			1			1
A. Kelsaw	1	2	1	1		2
A. Corbit		1				1
S. Sampley		1	1		3	1
J. Pougé	1	1	1		3	1
R. McCoy	1		1	1		1
W. Walls	1	2	1	2	1	1
S. Swearingin	3	1	1		2	2

SPECIAL ALABAMA 1866 CENSUS (Cont.)

TOWNSHIP 1, RANGE 7 EAST:

NAMES	MALES			FEMALES		
	Under 10	10-20	Over 20	Under 10	10-20	Over 20
N. Hackworth	5	3	1	1	1	1
M. Hackworth	2		2		1	1
J. Brock		1	1			1
J. Henderson		2	1	2	1	1
J. Holder	1	1	1	1	1	2
J. Kelsaw	3		2	3	2	2
W. Nichols	1	2	1	1	1	1
J. Scott	1		1	2		1
J. Sampley	1		1			1
L. Willis	3	4	1	2	1	1
J. Douthard			2			1
A. Scott	1		1			1
H. Hawkins	1		1	1	2	1
M. Sampley		3				1
J. McCoy	1		1	3		1
I. Istell or S. Stelll			1	2		1
J. Alford	2	1	1	1	2	1
M. Bean	2		1	4	1	2
P. Glaspy(Gillispie)	2	1			1	1
J. Bond			2			
J. Walker			2			
L. Williams				2		2
S. Gambol		1			2	1
J. Moon		1	1	2		3
E. Gambol	1				1	2
F. Connors		1	1		1	
S. Hughs		1	2			1
E. Connors						3

TOWNSHIP 2, RANGE 7 EAST:

Nancy Gentry		1	2		1	1
S. W. Shipp	2	1	1	3	1	1
AnnGrider			2			2
Jos. Potts			3	1		2
W. Lovelady	1		1		1	1
A. C. Austin	2	4	1	2	1	1
R. or K. Gerren	3		1		2	1

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TOWNSHIP 2, RANGE 7 EAST:

NAMES	MALES			FEMALES		
	Under 10	10-20	Over 20	Under 10	10-20	Over 20
John Sanders	1				2	2
John Walker	1	1	1	2	1	1
B. Willson	2	1	1	2		1
J. Walker	2	1	1	2		1
J. Walker			1	1		1
T. W. Chastain	2		1	1		1
Mary Busby	2			1	1	1
W. O'Neal			4	3		2
? E. Tanner		1				3
L. Willbanks			1	2		1
L. W. Willbanks			2			2
H. Ditmore	1		1			1
Z. Summers	1		1	1		1
H. Stewart		2	1	1	1	1
C. Culver	1		2	2		1
F. Terry	1	2	1	1	1	
W. Peacock	1	1	1	1	2	1
S. Malone	1		1	3	1	1
P. Helton			1		2	1
T. Cats	2		1	1		1
D. Paterson	4	2	1	1		1
J. Owens	1	3	2		1	1
H. McDaniel			1	2		1
W. Austin		1	2		1	2
W. Longacre	1	2	1	2	1	2
A. Foshee	2	1	2		2	1
J. Cargile			2			1
W. McMahan	1	2	2		4	1
R. Hill	1		1	1		1
L. Cargile			1	1		2
J. Sampley	2		1	1	2	1
J. Compton	2	2	1	1		1
R. Hollis	3	1	1	3	2	1
P. Watson	1	1		3	1	1
W. Jones	3		1			1
W. Cooper	2		1		1	1

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TOWNSHIP 2, RANGE 7 EAST:

NAMES	MALES			FEMALES		
	Under 10	10-20	Over 20	Under 10	10-20	Over 20
W. Jackson		1	1		1	1
P. Hockersand	1		3		1	1
R. McCrary	2	1		2		1
J. Peacock		1	2	1	2	1
H. Helton		1	1	1	1	1
H. Shirley		1	1	2		1
H. Galspy (Gillispie)		1	1		1	1
S. Lovelady	1	1	1	2	1	1
P. Lovelady			1			1
James Mason		1	1			1
John Henon	3		1			1
A. Middleton		2			1	1
J. Middleton	1		1	1	1	1
W. Bryant		1	1	1	3	1
A. Roberts	1	1			2	1
William Rorex	2	1	1		3	2
John Rorex	2	6	2	3		2
E. Stogsdill	1		1			3
B. Tipton						1
L. Guinn	3	3	1		1	1
J. Hamons	3		1	2		1
P. Russell			2	2		1
W. Moore			1	1		1
B. Bruce		3	2	1		3
E. Wells		1		1	1	2
George Holoway			1			1
S. Gant			1			1
C. Burch	1			1	2	1
J. Timberlake			2			1
W. Womack		1	1		1	1
N. Yarber (Yarbrough)	1		1	2	1	2
S. Bolton	1	1	1	3	3	2
C. Cross		1				
G. Sartin	3	1	1		1	1
B. Blancett		1			2	2
P. Blancett			1	1		1
T. Bass			1			1

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TOWNSHIP 2, RANGE 7 EAST:

NAMES	MALES			FEMALES		
	Under 10	10-20	Over 20	Under 10	10-20	Over 20
W. Burch			2			1
H. Rose	1			1	1	2
P. Holinsworth				1	2	

TOWNSHIP 3, RANGE 7 EAST:

G. Morgan	1		1		1	3
E. Roach	1	3	3	1	1	3
P. Kitchens			1			2
W. Stevens	1		1	3		1
W. Bryant			2	1		1
J. Sellars	1		1	1		1
W. Wann	1	3	2		3	2
M. Lewallen	3	2	1	3	2	2
G. Holoway	2	2	1	1	2	1
T. Webb	1	1	1	1	1	1
J. Burton		2	1		1	1
W. Hayes			3	3	1	1
J. Hayes	1		1			1
M. Roach	1		1	1	2	1
J. Mahall	1		1			1
J. Taylor	1					1
P. Lewallen	2		1	2	2	1
J. Baker	2		1	1		1
C. St. Calir		1	1	1	1	2
J. Baker		1	2		2	1
N. Coulson				1	2	1
J. Anderson	1		1	2	1	1
M. Darwin			1		1	1
J. Clark			1			1
J. Lee			1	3	1	1
J. Holoway	3		1	4	2	1
A. Holoway	2	1	1	1		1
J. Morgan	1		1		1	1
W. Hayes			1		1	1
J. Hayes	2		1			1
E. Ledbetter		2	1	1		1
J. Starkey	2		1	2	2	1

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TOWNSHIP 3, RANGE 7 EAST:

NAMES	MALES			FEMALES		
	Under 10	10-20	Over 20	Under 10	10-20	Over 20
E. Holder	2	4	1	2	2	2
M. McDuff	3		1		1	1
A. Earls	3		2	1	1	2
L. Armstrong	2		2			1
J. Matthews	1		1	1	1	1
J. Colwell	3	2	1	2	3	2
J. Rutherford		2	1	3		2
M. Rutherford			1	2	1	1
M. Morrice		1		2		1
A. Black	3		1	1		1
S. Hester	1	1	1	1		2
S. Blancett	1	2	1		2	1
C. Thornton	1	1	1		1	1
D. Stogsdill		1	2		1	1

TOWNSHIP 4, RANGE 7 EAST:

Mrs. Jane Carter		1			1	1
Mrs. J. McKinney	1	1	1	2	1	2
Willaim Shelton	2		1			1
M. L. Swann			1	2	3	1
Albert Russell			1			1
M. Colston (Coulson)			1	1		2
James Powers			1	1		1
Mrs. M. Babb			2			2
David Sterne	1		1	2	1	
S. St. Clair	2		3	2		1
John Hembree	2		1	1	1	
F. Fennell	2		1	1	2	1
D. M. Martin	1	1	2	3	1	1
Mrs. N. Coulson				1	2	1
James Baker	2	3	4	2	3	2
Joseph B. Sublett	2	1	1	1	1	1
Rufus Lollace	1	1		1	1	
N. Chapley	1		1	5	3	3
John Baker	1	2	1	1	1	
C. B. St. Clair			1	2	1	1
Mrs. D. Hains (Haynes)	1	1			1	2
				1		1

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NAMES	MALES			FEMALES		
	Under 10	10-20	Over 20	Under 10	10-20	Over 20
<u>TOWNSHIP 3, RANGE 7 EAST:</u>						
J. Haynes		1	1		1	2
W. McReynolds		1	1	1		1
J. Lawless		2	2		1	3
R. Lawless			1	1		1
J. Sublett	2		1	1	1	1
J. St. Clair	2	1	1	2		1
M. Fennell		2	1		1	3
J. Henry	2		1	1	1	2
D. Martin	1	1	2	1	2	2
C. Hamtom (Hampton)			1	5	1	3
P. Holoway	1			2		1
C. Washington		1	2	1	2	4
D. Kitchens			1			1
O. Bohannon	2		1	1	1	
J. Stafford	1	1	1	1	1	1
W. Ross			1		3	1
J. Bohannon	2		1	1		1
J. Carlton	2	2	1		2	1
W(illiam) Wann	1	2	1	1	2	1
W. Holder	3		1		1	1
J(oshua) Holder	1	3	2	1		3
P(leasnt) Ledbetter		2	1		1	1
M. Ledbetter		2	1		2	2
G(eorge) Swader			1			1
S. Blancett		2	1		2	1
J. Coffey	1	1	1		2	1
S.(olomon) Bass			1			1
M. Starkey		1	1	1		3
N. Tanner	1					1
S. Ballard	2			1	1	1
W. Starkey			1			1
J. Starkey			1	3	1	1
W. Gaugh			1			1
M. Camel	1	1	1		1	3
W. Harper		1	1			2
M. Roberts		1		1	1	1
R. Russell		3			1	1

SPECIAL ALABAMA 1866 CENSUS (Cont.)

TOWNSHIP 4, RANGE 7 EAST:

NAMES	MALES			FEMALES		
	Under 10	10-20	Over 20	Under 10	10-20	Over 20
James Lolace(?Lawless)	1	1	1	1	1	1
Nelson Kyle	2	1	1	2	2	4
Wm. Robertson		1	2	1		
James Gurley		1	1	4	1	
Z. Jones			1			
John Gillilan	1		1	2		1
Mrs. R. Davis	2	1	1	1	3	1
<u>TOWNSHIP 5, RANGE 7 EAST:</u>						
P. Clendenan	4	1	1	1	1	2
William Clark	2	3	1	1		1
James Gullatt	3	2	2	2	2	1
Peter Gullatt			1	1		1
Lofty Henry		1	1		2	1
Mrs. N. Scruggs			1		1	3
William Burgess	1	1	1	1	1	
Charles Shelton	1	3	1	1	3	2
William Shelton		1	1	1		1
William Jernagan		2	1		1	3

HISTORY OF CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIANS IN JACKSON COUNTY

Mrs. Harrison (Rubilee) Smith is researching and plans to write history of the Cumberland Presbyterians in Jackson County, Alabama. Rubilee is a member of the Church History Committee appointed by J.C.H.A. President Harry Campbell. To date, she has uncovered 24 and possibly 25 Cumberland Presbyterian congregations. Most of these are still active churches whose members have been most helpful and interested in Rubilee's project. Some of the congregations are now dissolved and are known by name only. Therefore, Mrs. Smith solicits assistance from anyone familiar with any of the following churches. If you can add to this list, please contact Mrs. Smith at P. O. Box 145, Scottsboro,

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|--------------------------------------|---|
| 1. Liberty - McBroom Hollow | 14. Holly Grove - Princeton |
| 2. Goosepond | 15. Tally/Dry Cove - Bass |
| 3. Bellefonte | 16. Abbott's Chapel - Abbott Mtn. |
| 4. Union Chapel - above Hollywood | 17. Beech Hill - ?? Location where?? |
| 5. Pleasant Grove/Cumberland - Gonce | 18. Peter's Pond - Wannville |
| 6. Pleasant Springs - Rash | 19. ?? Long Hollow/Sauty Bottoms |
| 7. Edgefield/Bolivar | 20. Bostic Hill - Paint Rock Valley |
| 8. Stevenson | 21. Mount Olivet - Woodville area |
| 9. Langston | 22. McCoy's Grove - Old Fabius/Yucca |
| 10. Unity - Maynards Cove | 23. Liberty Hill - Sand Mountain |
| 11. Boxes Cove | 24. Mount Carmel - ??Paint Rock Valley or near Gurley?? |
| 12. Larkinsville | |
| 13. Scottsboro | |

Does anyone know what denomination(s) worshipped at Ligon's Chapel in Sauty Bottoms?

Was Beech Hill in Tate's Cove near the Narrows?

PRESERVATION AWARD OF THE QUARTER GOES TO MR. NELSON VARNELL

The Preservation Award of the Quarter is hereby extended to Mr. Nelson Varnell of Scottsboro, Alabama for his compilation: THE FIRST ONE HUNDRED YEARS OF THE BAPTISTS IN JACKSON COUNTY, ALABAMA. Mr. Varnell spent three years researching association and church records, family histories, land records, censuses, maps, and numerous other works related to his labor of love. He personally hired a typist and compiled two volumes covering the history of Mud Creek Association of Primitive Baptists from its inception in 1821 through 1852, and of the Tennessee River Baptist Association, 1853-1921. Mr. Varnell went the extra mile and indexed both volumes which include thousands of names. He wrote biographical sketches and provided family data on early Baptist ministers and lay leaders in Jackson County, including photographs when possible. Mr. Varnell's history does not cover the Sand Mountain Association of Baptists. Perhaps we can entice him to cover that subject in Volume III.

Mr. Nelson Varnell is not only a thorough and dedicated researcher, he is also a gracious, generous, kind gentleman. After having his work reproduced for his own use, he presented a copy to the Tennessee River Baptist Association, the First Baptist Church of Scottsboro, Samford University Library, Scottsboro Public Library, and the Jackson County Historical Association. Thank you, Nelson Varnell, from the Jackson County Historical Association for filling a longstanding void in this phase of Jackson County history!

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JACKSON COUNTY HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION MEETING - APRIL 17, 1983 - 2:30 p.m. -
Scottsboro City Hall, Scottsboro, Alabama

The Jackson County Historical Association will meet Sunday, April 17, 1983, 2:30 p.m.,
Scottsboro City Hall auditorium. Program Vice-President David Campbell has invited
Ms. Carolyn Roberts employed by TVA in their Records Administration Section to speak
on TVA's Oral History Project. She will show many documents of interest to local
historians.

Please invite a friend and join us on Sunday, April 17, at 2:30 p.m. in Scottsboro.

1983 JACKSON COUNTY HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION OFFICERS

President Anna Ruth Campbell - Scottsboro
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JACKSON CHRONICLES EDITOR - Ann B. Chambliss, Scottsboro

NEWS RELEASE

Dr. Lindy Martin, Dean of Students at Samford University, who is also Chief, Jackson
County Cherokees Band, will teach a continuing education course on Cherokee history
and culture during the summer term at Northeast Junior College. Details may be
obtained by calling Gary Green at Northeast Junior College.

NEWS RELEASE

Plan now to be a part of the 50th Anniversary Celebration for the Tennessee Valley
Authority the first week in June, 1983. Call Carlus Page, Wendell Page, or Olivia
Brewer for more details. The TVA World's Fair barge will be docked at Goose Pond
Marina. YOU are needed to participate in all the fun activities being planned for
your enjoyment. Watch your local newspaper for activities schedule.

If you would be interested in providing Bed and Breakfast for Jackson County's visitors
during the TVA 50th Anniversary Celebration week, please call Jerry Brunton at Brunton
Bed and Breakfast in Scottsboro for more information.

NEWS RELEASE

Walter Hammer will present a paper at the April 22 and 23, 1983 meeting of the
Alabama Historical Association which will be held at Reid Chapel, Samford University,
Birmingham, Alabama. The Jackson County Historical Association is proud of Walter
for many reasons, this invitation being one of the most current honors he has received.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

In spite of snow and threatening weather, our last meeting, a banquet at the
Holiday Inn, was a big success. Sixty-one members gathered for an evening of
fellowship and a good program presented by our own Walter Sumner. Thank you,
Walter!

Dr. David Campbell has a very interesting program for our April 17 meeting.
Please make your plans to come and bring someone with you.

To carry out our purpose as stated in the By-laws, we need a large membership
from every area of Jackson County. We had over 200 members in 1982, and I hope
that we can significantly increase this number in 1983. I feel deeply honored
that you have elected me to this office. Following Harry Campbell will not be an
easy job, and I am depending on all of you to help me carry out my duties success-
fully. My main qualification for this office is that I love Jackson County and
its people.

See you at 2:30 p.m. on April 17, at the Scottsboro City Hall Auditorium.

Anna Ruth Campbell, President

JACKSON COUNTY, ALABAMA SETTLERS 1820-1830

Jackson County, Alabama was created on December 13, 1819, and Alabama gained statehood the following day. The fertile coves and valleys had attracted many adventuresome men even before Alabama was admitted to the Union. An August, 1819 memorial from white "squatters" in this area was directed to the Secretary of War and stated: "There are at least 1000 families living in the land lately ceded to the United States by the Cherokees north of the Tennessee River." The 1820 Federal Census enumerated Jackson County's population as:

8129 whites
83 free colored
539 slaves.

Since the 1820 census listing heads of households and court records of this period are not extant, it is extremely difficult to identify Jackson County's earliest white settlers. The Civil Register (of) County Officials, Volume I - 1819-1832 (found in the Alabama Archives) is both a rare and valuable tool, as it dates the commission of the earliest county officials. This document includes Justices of the Peace who served as a combination magistrates-legal counselors. Generally, these men were among the better educated and were already recognized as community leaders.

Eliza Mae Woodall and Judge William Page furnished your Editor copies of the original document which identifies the Justices of the Peace. Editor Ann B. Chambless obtained names of other county officials and added the footnotes for brief personal sketches when possible.

CIVIL REGISTER (of) COUNTY OFFICIALS, VOLUME I - 1819-1832 - JACKSON COUNTY

NAMES OF OFFICIALS	OFFICE	COMMISSIONED	REMARKS
George W. Higgins ¹	Clerk Circuit Ct	Aug., 12, 1820	Term expired
Stephen Carter ¹	Clerk County Ct	Aug., 12, 1820	Term expired
David Griffith	Sheriff	Apr. 12, 1820	Resigned
George McNeil	Coroner	Apr. 12, 1820	
James Russell ²	Judge County Ct	Apr. 12, 1820	Term expired
David Caulfield ³	Sheriff	Jul. 19, 1822	Resigned 8-6-1822
Silas Parsons ⁴	Sheriff	Aug. 31, 1822	Resigned 10-23-1824
John O. Burton ⁶	Sheriff	Oct. 23, 1824	Executive appt.
Robert C. Hawkins	Judge County Ct	Jan. 4, 1823	Resigned 11-17-1824
George W. Higgins ¹	Clerk Circuit Ct	Aug. 23, 1824	Term Expired
Stephen Carter ¹	Clerk County Ct	Aug. 23, 1824	
Samuel B. Moore ⁵	Judge County Ct	Dec. 23, 1824	
John O. Burton ⁶	Sheriff	Aug. 15, 1825	
Wm. S. Compton ⁷	Judge County Ct	Nov. 27, 1826	Vice: <u>Wm.</u> B. Moore
Thomas Scruggs ⁸	Clerk Circuit Ct	Sept. 9, 1828	
Richard B. Clayton ⁹	Clerk County Ct	Sept. 9, 1828	
Henry Norwood ¹⁰	Sheriff	Sept. 9, 1828	
Daniel Lucas ¹¹	Sheriff	Aug. 13, 1831	

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NAMES OF OFFICIALS	OFFICE	COMMISSIONED	REMARKS
John Looney ¹²	Justice Peace	Aug. 4, 1820	
Matthew Babb ⁶²	Justice Peace	Aug. 4, 1820	
David Buzart (Boshart) ¹³	Justice Peace	Aug. 4, 1820	
Daniel Payton ¹⁴	Justice Peace	Aug. 4, 1820	
John Hammonds	Justice Peace	Aug. 4, 1820	
Thomas Russell ¹⁵	Justice Peace	Aug. 4, 1820	
Benjamin Langford	Justice Peace	Aug. 4, 1820	
George W. Hopkins	Justice Peace	Aug. 4, 1820	Resigned Jun. 1, 1822
George Gifford ⁷⁷	Justice Peace	Aug. 4, 1820	
David Parkhill ⁴⁶	Justice Peace	Aug. 4, 1820	
Charles Connelly	Justice Peace	Aug. 4, 1820	
John McNairy ¹⁶	Justice Peace	Aug. 4, 1820	
John Carr ¹⁸	Justice Peace	Aug. 4, 1820	Resigned 9-27-1822
Alexander W. Dulaney ¹⁹	Justice Peace	Aug. 4, 1820	
William Dotson ¹⁷	Justice Peace	Aug. 4, 1820	
Joseph Elledge ²⁰	Justice Peace	Aug. 4, 1820	
James Bird	Justice Peace	Aug. 4, 1820	
Jeremiah H. Cloud	Justice Peace	Aug. 4, 1820	
James G. Holmes ¹⁹	Justice Peace	Aug. 4, 1820	
William Leg ¹⁹	Justice Peace	Sept. 9, 1820	
David Harper	Justice Peace	Sept. 9, 1820	
John Nelson ⁶⁴	Justice Peace	Nov. 8, 1821	
John McAllister	Justice Peace	Jun. 1, 1822	
Alexander Suiter ²¹	Justice Peace	Oct. 5, 1822	
Nathan Abbott	Justice Peace	Oct. 5, 1822	
John Justice ²²	Justice Peace	Jan. 1, 1823	
John Tilley ⁶³	Justice Peace	Jan. 1, 1823	
John Holland ²³	Justice Peace	Jan. 1, 1823	
Joseph Snodgrass ²⁴	Justice Peace	Jan. 17, 1823	
Clinton Kirby ²⁵	Justice Peace	Jan. 17, 1823	
Nathan Abbott	Justice Peace	Mar. 3, 1823	Resigned 8-9-1823
John M. Netherland ²⁶	Justice Peace	Mar. 3, 1823	
John Hammond	Justice Peace	Mar. 3, 1823	
John Price ⁴²	Justice Peace	Mar. 3, 1823	
Robert Payse	Justice Peace	Mar. 3, 1823	
Isaac Acre (Aker) ²⁷	Justice Peace	Mar. 3, 1823	
Thomas Rich	Justice Peace	Mar. 3, 1823	
John McCallister	Justice Peace	Mar. 3, 1823	

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NAMES OF OFFICIALS	OFFICE	COMMISSIONED	REMARKS
John B. Nelson ⁶⁴	Justice Peace	Mar. 3, 1823	resigned Nov. 11, 1823
Alexander Suiter ²¹	Justice Peace	Mar. 3, 1823	resigned Nov. 11, 1823
Clinton Kirby ²⁵	Justice Peace	Mar. 3, 1823	
Joseph Snodgrass ²⁴	Justice Peace	Mar. 3, 1823	resigned Mary 14, 1825
Joseph Elledge ²⁰	Justice Peace	Mar. 3, 1823	
John B. Walker ⁹⁶	Justice Peace	Mar. 3, 1823	
Moses Tharp ⁶⁵	Justice Peace	Mar. 3, 1823	
John Holland ²³	Justice Peace	Mar. 3, 1823	
George W. Sanders ⁶⁶	Justice Peace	Mar. 3, 1823	
Ansel Ward	Justice Peace	Mar. 3, 1823	resigned Jun. 12, 1825
George Dougerty	Justice Peace	Mar. 3, 1823	
Benjamin Langford	Justice Peace	Mar. 3, 1823	
Benjamin Cloud	Justice Peace	Sep. 3, 1823	resigned 10-25-1824
Archibald Jacoway ³¹	Justice Peace	Nov. 11, 1823	
William Usery ³²	Justice Peace	Nov. 11, 1823	
Matthew Young	Justice Peace	Mar. 5, 1824	
William P. Stovall	Justice Peace	Nov. 11, 1824	Vice: Benj. Cloud
Thomas Bradshaw ⁶⁷	Justice, Peace	Dec. 23, 1824	
William Edwards	Justice Peace	Dec. 23, 1824	
John Vault (Vaught) ²⁸	Justice Peace	Dec. 23, 1824	
Terry Nichols	Justice Peace	Jan. 17, 1825	Vice: Robert Tays
James Luttrell	Justice Peace	May 28, 1825	Vice: J. Snodgrass
Daniel Price ²⁹	Justice Peace	Jun. 12, 1825	Vice: H. Dougherty
James Simpson	Justice Peace	Jan. 26, 1826	Vice: J. H. Cloud
Thomas Rich	Apr. 21, 1826	Apr. 21, 1826	
John Reed ⁶⁸	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
John Clapp	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	resigned 3-29-1827
Hezekiah Bayless ³⁰	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
Archibald Jacoway ³¹	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
William Usery ³²	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
Daniel Price ²⁹	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
Robert C. Price	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
Robert McCarny ³³	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
James P. Posten ³⁴	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
Ephraim Guffey ³⁵	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
Anthony Jordan	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
Robert Davidson ³⁶	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	

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Colbert Luttrell	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	resigned 3-17-1827
Terry Nichold	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
Levi Rash ³⁷	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
John Kirby ³⁸	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	resigned 4-5-1828
Clinton Kirby ²⁵	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
W. H. E. Wheeler ³⁹	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
David Rickets ⁶⁹	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
James Latham ⁴⁰	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
Samuel McGehe ²⁶	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
John M. Netherland ⁴¹	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
Lyman James ⁴¹	Justice Peace	Apr., 21, 1826	
Phillip Hammond ⁶²	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	resigned 4-5-1828
John Price ⁴²	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
Francis Young ⁴³	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
Hardy Doyal ⁴⁴	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
George Brown	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
William Stewart ⁴⁵	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	removed 4-5-1828
Jacob Gross ¹³	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
D. (avid) Boshart ⁴⁶	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1826	
Isaac Whitecotton ⁴⁷	Justice Peace	Apr. 6, 1827	Vice Anthony Jourdan
David Parkhill ⁴⁸	Justice Peace	Apr. 6, 1827	Vice John Clapp
John Redman ²³	Justice Peace	June 16, 1827	resigned 12-27-1827
John Holland ⁵⁰	Justice Peace	June 16, 1827	Vice Colbert Luttrell
Thomas Briggs ⁵¹	Justice Peace	June 16, 1827	Vice Robert C. Price.
James P. Daniel ⁵¹	Justice Peace	Jan. 7, 1828	removed Jan. 8, 1831
Thomas Province	Justice Peace	Jan. 7, 1828	
Smith Kirkham	Justice Peace	Jan. 7, 1828	
Jesse McBroom ⁵²	Justice Peace	Jan. 7, 1828	Vice John Redman
Robert Price ⁵³	Justice Peace	Apr. 5, 1828	Vice John Kirby
Joshua Wann ²⁰	Justice Peace	Apr. 5, 1828	Vice Phillip Hamman
Joseph Elledge ⁵⁴	Justice Peace	Apr. 5, 1828	Vice Wm. Stewart
Bartlett Gentry ⁵⁴	Justice Peace	Apr. 5, 1828	Vice Robert Davidson
Benjamin W. Holloway ⁵⁵	Justice Peace	Apr. 5, 1828	Vice John Basham
Moses Whitecotton ⁵⁶	Justice Peace	Oct. 16, 1828	
John Smith ⁵⁶	Justice Peace	Oct. 16, 1828	
John J. Law	Justice Peace	Oct. 16, 1828	
Elias Moore ⁵⁷	Justice Peace	Jan. 10, 1831	Vice George R. [unclear]

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John Berry ⁵⁸	Justice Peace	Jan. 10, 1831	Vice Joel T. Paltin?
Elijah Hansbrough ⁵⁹	Justice Peace	Apr. 25, 1831	or Paltin Vice James P. Daniel
Joel D. Lewis ⁶⁰	Justice Peace	Apr. 25, 1831	
John Redman ⁴⁸	Justice Peace	Apr. 25, 1831	Vice Thos. Mahan
Thomas Wood <u>or</u> Word	Justice Peace	Apr. 25, 1831	Vice Robert Pierce
Henry Johnson	Constable	Mar. 3, 1823	
John Griffin ⁴⁹	Constable	Mar. 3, 1823	
Levi Rash ³⁷	Constable	Mar. 3, 1823	resigned 7-12-1824
Woodson Hammonds ⁶¹	Constable	Mar. 3, 1823	
Thomas Fondren ⁶²	Constable	Mar. 3, 1823	
Thomas Dixon	Constable	Mar. 3, 1823	resigned 4-25-1825
Joel Matthews	Constable	Mar. 3, 1823	
John Gentry ⁷⁰	Constable	Mar. 3, 1823	resigned 2-26-1825
Daniel M. Price ²⁹	Constable	July 12, 1824	Vice John H. Ridge
James Stone	Constable	July 12, 1824	Vice Levi Rash
Solomon B. Pierce ³⁸	Constable	Apr. 25, 1825	Vice T. Dickson
John Gentry ⁷⁰	Constable	Apr. 25, 1825	Vice W. Garner
John King	Constable	Apr. 25, 1825	Vice J. Gentry
John Usery	Constable	May 28, 1825	Vice R. Morris
John Smith ⁵⁶	Constable	Jan. 11, 1826	Vice M. Chitwood
Littleberry Bray	Constable	Apr. 6, 1826	
Archibald McKissack	Constable	Apr. 6, 1826	
John Griffin ⁴⁹	Constable	Apr. 21, 1826	
Henry Loy	Constable	Apr. 21, 1826	
William Orrick	Constable	Apr. 21, 1826	
George H. Dougherty	Constable	Apr. 21, 1826	
_____ Smart	Constable	Apr. 21, 1826	
John Smith ⁵⁶	Constable	Apr. 21, 1826	
James Campbell ²⁰	Constable	Apr. 21, 1826	
James Stone	Constable	Apr. 21, 1826	
Claiborne Stinnett	Constable	Apr. 21, 1826	
John Starnes ⁷¹	Constable	Apr. 21, 1826	
Isaac McCartey	Constable	Apr. 21, 1826	
Thomas Fondren ⁶²	Constable	Apr. 21, 1826	
John Griffin ⁴⁹	Constable	Apr. 21, 1826	
W. C. Price	Constable	Apr. 21, 1826	
Elias Moore ⁵⁷	Constable	Apr. 21, 1826	
Jason Pendergrass ⁷²	Constable	Apr. 21, 1826	

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John Campbell ⁷⁴	Constable	June 16, 1827	
John Browning ⁷⁵	Constable	June 16, 1827	Vice P. Russell
Nathaniel Hillian ⁷⁶	Constable	June 16, 1827	Vice J. Pendergrass
Joseph P. Frazier ⁷⁹	Constable	Sep. 17, 1827	
John H. Derrick ⁸¹	Constable	Oct. 16, 1828	
Wm. Moorely	Constable	Oct. 16, 1828	
John O. Burton ⁶	Constable	Dec. 20, 1828	
William Babb ⁶²	Constable	May 18, 1830	Vice Wm. Camp
Thomas Mahan	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
James P. Daniel ⁵¹	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
Joseph Elledge ²⁰	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
John S. Burks	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
James Latham ⁴⁰	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
David Maloy ⁸²	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
John Hill ⁸³	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
James Fletcher ⁸⁸	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	resigned 5-18-1830
James P. Poston ³⁴	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
John Owen ⁸⁴	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
Archibald R. Barclay ⁸⁶	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
Wm. H. E. Wheeler ³⁹	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
Ananias Allen ⁸⁵	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
William Rash ³⁷	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
Wm. M. King ⁸⁷	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
David Price	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
Robert Pierce ⁸⁹	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
John Stinnett ⁹⁰	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
Benjamin Rector ⁹¹	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
Lyman James ⁴¹	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
Joshua Wann ⁵³	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
Woodson Hammonds ⁶¹	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
Jacob Gross ⁴⁵	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
Isaiah Walker ⁹²	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
William Haney ⁹³	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
John J. Brown	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
William Reynolds	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
Thomas Rich	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
Jesse Sisk	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	resigned 5-18-1830

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John Williams	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	resigned 9-17-1830
Hardy Doyal ⁴³	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
Charles Grayson	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
George Loy	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
William Dodson ¹⁷	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
Moses Jones ⁹⁷	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
William Masei	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
Archibald Jacoway ³¹	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
Joel L. Potter	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
John Reed ⁶⁸	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
Firman Fowler ⁷⁸	Justice Peace	May 18, 1829	
Ephraim Guffey ³⁵	Justice Peace	Jan. 7, 1830	
Jeremiah Brown ⁹⁸	Justice Peace	Apr. 21, 1830	
Samuel Davidson	Justice Peace	May 18, 1830	Vice John J. Brown
Jesse McElyea ⁹⁹	Justice Peace	May 18, 1830	Vice Jesse Sisk
Jacob Kenemore	Justice Peace	May 18, 1830	Vice James Fletcher
Francis Young	Justice Peace	Sep. 25, 1830	Vice John Williams
William Rash ³⁷	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Ananias Allen ⁸⁵	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
James Woosley ⁹⁹	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Ebenezer Byran	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
William M. King ⁸⁷	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Robert S. Raulston	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Joshua Wann ⁵³	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Woodson Hammons ⁶¹	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Jesse McElyea ⁹⁹	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
William Jones	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Edmon Bridges ⁹⁵	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Peter Tidwell	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
William Morison	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Matthias Chitwood ⁷³	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
John Farr	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Clinton Hunt ⁸⁰	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Archibald Woods ⁴⁰	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Daniel Kirkpatrick ¹⁰⁰	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
John Cunningham	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	

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Alfred Beason ²²	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Archibald Jacoway ³¹	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Jeremiah Hester	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Jacob T. Bradford ¹⁰¹	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Benjamin Rector ⁹¹	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Ezekiel Harris ¹⁰⁴	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
James P. Poston ³⁴	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Joel D. Lewis ⁶⁰	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Hardy Doyal ⁴³	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Francis Young	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Lewis T. Black	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Jacob Gross ⁴⁵	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
John C. Johnson ¹⁰⁵	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Archibald R. Barclay ⁸⁶	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Gardner C. Ledbetter	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Peter Maples ¹⁰²	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
James Latham ⁴⁰	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
William Stephens ¹⁰⁶	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Benjamin Rush ¹⁰⁷	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Henry W. Rhodes	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
John Read ⁶⁸	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Joseph Elledge ²⁰	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
George Brown ⁴⁴	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
John Berry ⁵⁸	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Alexander Riddle ⁹⁴	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Joshua Browning ¹⁰³	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
Abner C. Womack	Justice Peace	June 5, 1832	
George M. Higgins ¹	Clerk Circuit Ct	Aug. 29, 1832	
Richard B. Clayton ⁹	Clerk County Ct	Aug. 29, 1832	
Thompson M. Rector ¹⁰⁸	Judge County Ct	Nov. 10, 1832	

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 104. Ezekiel Harris was in Bonham's Co., Chisolm Battalion in Florida Indian War 1837-1838. He patented land south of Langston in 1852, but lived near Larkinsville in 1830.

105. John C. Johnson enumerated on 1840 and 1850 Marshall Co. censuses.

106. William Stephens (born 1799), son of Josiah and Nancy (Vann) Stephens, married Sally Phillips on 5-28-1821 in Madison Co., Al. Stephens Gap near Limrock is named for this family. His son, Wm. Green Stephens married Mariah Derrick, daughter of Henry and Catherine (Branner) Derrick.

107. Benjamin Rush lived near Mount Olive Church at time of 1830 census.

108. Thompson Mason Rector advertised in HUNTSVILLE REPUBLICAN in Nov., 1829, as an attorney in Bellefonte. He later bought large acreage which came to be called Johnstontown when Rector moved to Texas and sold land to M. Johnson.

FOOTNOTES for JACKSON COUNTY CIVIL REGISTER compiled by ANN B. CHAMBLESS

1. George W. Higgins and Stephen Carter bought James Riley's 640-acre Cherokee reserve in 1820. (Re: 8-3-1827 SOUTHERN ADVOCATE) Higgins and Carter sold lots and secured the incorporation of Bellefonte in 1822. In 1831, G.W. and Nancy Higgins deeded to Stephen Carter Lot No. 9 where Lusk and Carter formerly "done" business as merchants. (Jackson Co. Deed Bk D, p. 115) G. W. and Nancy Higgins moved to Decatur, Alabama in late 1834 or early 1835, and G. W. became president of the Decatur bank. He died on September 13, 1835, and Nancy died exactly one week later. Both are buried in Decatur, Alabama. (Obits are in 1835 SOUTHERN ADVOCATE.)

Stephen Carter married Sarah Terrel (Lewis) Patton, daughter of James Lewis of Franklin Co., Tn. (Re: Franklin Co., Tn. will of James Lewis.) Stephen Carter died in the mid 1840s. Info obtained from deeds of the early 1840s and Chancery Court records show that Stephen Carter and his family experienced financial difficulties in the early 1840s. Most likely Stephen is buried in an unmarked grave in Section 1, T4, R6E, just north of old Bellefonte. S. T. C. on a handmade stone probably marks the grave of Sarah Terrel Carter. Lewis White Carter, born 9-24-1836, died 8-7-1837, most likely is son or grandson of Stephen and Sarah T. Carter. Stephen's daughter, Catherine, married Elijah Hansbrough. Another Carter daughter married McNary Harris, and a younger daughter married James H. Moore of Winchester, Tn., on 6-10-1840.

2. James Russell, born circa 1769, was the son of Matthew Russell who died in 1813 in Pendleton County, S.C. James married Eleanor "Nellie" Blair. He was elected Jackson County Court Judge on April 12, 1820 and served until his term expired on Jan. 1, 1823. He served three terms in the Alabama Legislature (1827-1830.) According to the 1830 Jackson Co. census, the James Russell family was living near Sauta and were neighbors of Richard B. Clayton, Clerk of the County Court (1828-1836.) On Sept. 28, 1830, James Russell purchased the North half of the SW quarter, Section 22, Township 2, Range 7 East, under Certificate No. 3169. (Re: Jackson Co. Plat Book for T2, R7E.) He later acquired more land by purchasing adjoining acreage. He built the Cedars, a log house which has been added to over the years, and raised ten children, one of them being Israel Pickens Russell I, who was named for Governor Israel Pickens at the Governor's request.

3. David Caulfield (Cawlfieid) was a Lt. Colonel in the Florida Indian (Seminole) War 1837-1838. He married Orlena Copeland on 3-11-1852.

4. Silas Parsons lived in Bellefonte where he practiced law before moving first to Marshall and then to Madison County, Alabama by 1850.

5. Samuel B. Moore is the only Governor Jackson County has furnished Alabama. He is said to have lived near Spout Springs between Peters Cove and Woodville. Sam Hambrick of Scottsboro was named for Gov. Moore, and Sam's full given name is Samuel Blair.

6. Did not find John O. Burton in 1830 or 1840 census, but did find males with given name of John O. Burton in two early settlers' families.

7. William S. Compton lived in Bellefonte. He was born 1800-1810, according to 1830 Jackson County census.

8. According to 1840 census, Thomas Scruggs, born 1790-1800, lived near Bolivar. Possibly he is related to James Scruggs who was appointed to help choose permanent county seat in 1821. This James Scruggs lived near and is buried at Mount Carmel.

9. Richard B. Clayton married Sarah Rutledge on March 4, 1819, in Sullivan Co., Tn., and was brother-in-law of David Larkin. Richard B. Clayton signed August, 1819 Memorial (Re: See Oct., 1980 JACKSON CHRONICLES) In 1821, Richard B. Clayton and David Larkin purchased Richard Riley's 640-acre Cherokee reserve which included Coosauda (Goose Pond) Island. R. B. Clayton's wife Sally was buried on the island in 1828. (Her marker has been moved to Cedar Hill.) Their daughter, Eleanor, married John Compton on Jan. 21, 1854 in Jackson Co., Al. A Clayton son moved to Mississippi.

10. Henry Norwood also served as Jackson Co. sheriff in 1840. He represented Jackson Co. in the Alabama Legislature 1831-1836 and was Captain of Norwood's Company of Alabama Mounted Volunteers in Creek Indian War, 1836-1837. He married Sophia (Greene) Metts as his second wife. Owen's Vol. IV, p. 1288, states Henry Norwood was both sheriff and a Major General of the Alabama Militia at the time of his death. He died before 1850 census.

11. In 1830, Daniel Lucas lived near Stephens Gap and what became Limrock. He was in Armbruster's Co., Norwood's Battalion, Cherokee Removal in 1838.
12. John Looney signed August, 1819 Memorial. (Re: JACKSON CHRONICLES Oct., 1980.) Several Looney families moved to Crow Creek Valley at very early date.
13. David Boshart was son of Rudolph Boshart, a Revolutionary soldier, who moved from South Carolina to Madison County, Al. by 1809. David married Rachel Kennamer, daughter of Hans Kennamer, on June 8, 1811, in Madison Co., Al. In 1821, David Boshart was appointed commissioner to help select the Decatur County seat of justice. The Boshart family gave their name to Boshart Springs near Preston Island near Jackson-Marshall County line.
14. Daniel Payton represented Jackson County in Alabama Legislature for three terms (1823-1826) Daniel and Mary Payton were charter members of the Mud Creek Primitive Baptist Church in November, 1819. By 1820, they had moved their membership to Friendship Primitive Baptist Church. The Paytons came to Alabama from Virginia by way of Kentucky.
15. Thomas Russell (1761-1850), was son of Matthew Russell who died in 1813 in Pendleton County, S.C. Thomas married Tabitha Jenkins in 1784 in York District, S.C. Thomas was living in Mecklenburg, N.C. when he enlisted in Revolutionary War, according to his pension application. He and Tabitha are buried in Doran's Cove Cemetery very near Russell Cave which is named for Thomas Russell.
16. John McNary's first wife was Ann Riley, daughter of Samuel Riley and his Cherokee wife, making John a brother-in-law of James and Richard Riley. John and Ann McNary were given a 640-acre Cherokee reserve near west end of B. B. Comer Bridge. After Ann died, John married Milly (Hampton) Martin. John McNary died in 1856, and is thought to be buried in the McAnelly Cemetery which is located on the McNary Reservation. John and Ann McNary's daughter and her family moved to Oklahoma in 1838.
17. William Dodson was born June 10, 1793 and died May 11, 1872. He is buried in Dodson Cemetery at the southern tip of the ridge which separates Berry's Cove and Shiffman Cove (near Limrock.) William Dodson's brother, Jesse, was a preacher and lived near Mink Creek in 1830. Most likely, the post office, Dodsonville, took its name from the preacher, Jesse Dodson. William and Jesse Dodson, Jr. are sons of Jesse Dodson, Sr. of Middle Tenn.
18. John Carr, born 1770-1780. Lived near Sauta at time of 1830 census.
19. Alexander W. Dulaney, James G. Holmes, and William Leg were three of the commissioners appointed to help select Decatur County seat in 1821.
20. Joseph Elledge (1794-1848), son of Whitefield and Rachel Elledge, Sr., moved with his parents from Kentucky to Cannon County, Tennessee and then to Jackson Co., Al. in 1820. Joseph and his wife, Malinda, were members of the Mud Creek Primitive Baptist Church. (Re: Church Minutes.) Joseph Elledge was brother-in-law of James Campbell who married Jane (Jennie) Elledge. James Campbell was son of William Campbell of Ky. & Cannon Co., Tn.
21. Alexander Suiter lived in Crow Creek Valley adjacent to the Tenn. line near Anderson, Tn. Alexander (ca. 1775-1847) was a well-to-do planter, and his elaborate grave marker bespeaks the elegance to which he was accustomed. He is buried in what is now called the Willis Cemetery because the Willis family later purchased this property. According to Eliza Mae Woodall, this rightfully should be called the Suiter Cemetery of Gourneck Cove.
22. John Justice is thought to be the father of Ellender (Justice) Thompson Beason, and, therefore, the grandfather of John Justice Beason. Ellender (Justice) Thompson married Alfred Beason as his second wife.
23. John Holland, son of William and Martha (Sherrill) Holland married Rhoda Davis, daughter of William and Mary Ann (Black) Pogue Davis. Family tradition states John Holland was born in Greene County, Tennessee in 1791. John Holland was in Critz's Co., Norwood's Battn., in Cherokee Removal in 1838.
24. Joseph Snodgrass was progenitor of Snodgrass clan in Jackson County having moved here from Virginia in 1821 or 1822.

25. Clinton Kirby (1792-1867) was the son of Joseph and Eliza (Freeman) Kirby who married August 11, 1791 in Surry County, N. C. The father, Joseph, was appointed in 1822 to help select the seat of justice of Jackson County. Clinton Kirby served in the War of 1812. He married (1) Mariah Trice of Blount County, Tn., and (2) Lucia Guffey on May 25, 1853, in Jackson Co., Alabama.
26. John Mosby Netherland (1790-1835) came from East Tennessee to Bellefonte and built one of first store buildings in Bellefonte. The Netherland-Norwood cemetery is enclosed in an iron fence on the farm purchased by John M. Netherland near old Bellefonte. His daughter, Mary, married John H. Norwood of Civil War fame. See Oct., 1979 JACKSON CHRONICLES for story about Netherland house.
27. Isaac Acre (Aker) - early member of Mud Creek Primitive Baptist Church.
28. John Vaught - early settler in Paint Rock Valley. Thought to have come to Jackson County from Blount County, Tn. He married Nancy Hatfield, daughter of John Hatfield, Sr. Some of the Vaughts and Hatfields moved to Arkansas and some to Langston, Alabama by 1850.
29. Daniel Price lived near Mount Carmel. He died August 25, 1833. Daniel served in the Alabama House of Representatives 1827-28, 1830-32.
30. Hezekiah Bayless moved from Virginia to Knox County, Tn., to Madison Co., Ala., by 1809. He was a Revolutionary War soldier and served as County Judge of Decatur County (1821-1825.)
31. Archibald Jacoway (1784-1844) is buried in Cumberland Cemetery on Little Crow Creek as is his wife, Susana (Gilreath) Jacoway. Archibald served in the 7th Regiment, Kentucky Mounted Volunteer Militia, in the War of 1812 and in the Florida Indian War (1837-1838) in Company I, Snodgrass Battalion. His is a boxed-in limestone block grave with one very large limestone slab on top.
32. William Usery lived in Crow Creek Valley according to the 1830 census. He served as a private in Latham's Co., Norwood's Battn, Florida Indian War.
33. Robert McCarny has also been written Robert McCamey in Mr. J.R. Kennamer's HISTORY OF JACKSON COUNTY. Robert's name was spelled M'Carny in the 1821 Acts of Alabama Legislature. He was one of the commissioners appointed in 1821 to fix a seat of justice in Decatur County. He was State Senator 1822-1826.
34. James P. Poston (Posten) lived near Larkinsville according to 1830 and 1840 censuses. He was a neighbor of Sanford Poston who was near James' age.
35. Ephraim Guffey married Sarah Underwood. He served in the War of 1812.
36. Robert Davidson lived in Township 3, Range 5E near Larkinsville in 1830.
37. According to Wm. Rash, Sr.'s estate settlement in 1868, Levi Rash lived in Lincoln Co., Kansas and was son of Wm. Rash, Sr. Levi married Gilla (Gilley), and she was member of Forks of Crow Creek Church until she was dismissed by letter in September, 1838. Shortly thereafter, she and Levi moved to Missouri. They were enumerated on the 1850 census in Polk Co., Mo. Wm. Rash, Sr. and family moved from Wilkes Co., N.C., to Jackson Co., Tn., by 1811, and then to Jackson Co., Al. before 1830.
38. John Kirby, son of Richard Kirby of Blount Co., Tn., married Jane Adair on June 13, 1791 in Montgomery Co., Va. They were the parents of Richard Lawrence, James, John, Jr., and Virginia Kirby who married Solomon B. Pearce (Pierce). Solomon was son of James and Celia Pearce.
39. Wm. H. E. Wheeler lived in Claysville, and his name appears often in early Marshall Co. records. He was overseer of the poor in Marshall Co. in 1839 (Marshall Co. Deed Bk A, p. 561.)
40. James Latham died in 1835 in Jackson Co., Al. HUNTSVILLE DEMOCRAT, 10-7-1835: Jackson County Orphans Court-6-27-1835 - Archibald Woods and Jonathan Latham, administrators of estate of James Latham, deceased.
41. Lyman James married Maria C. Goodrich, daughter of John Goodrich, on 3-17-1825, in Nashville, and they moved to Bellefonte where Lyman James practiced law. Lyman James was shot by James Morton while James was attempting to arrest Morton. Lyman James died on 12-16-1830 and is buried in Bellefonte Cemetery with an inscribed marker. Morton moved to Missouri.

42. One John Price signed the August, 1819 Memorial. John Arlington Price (1798-1866), sold 160 acres of land to John F. Anderson and Vernon Stevenson in 1852. See Eliza Mae Woodall's THE STEVENSON STORY for details.
43. Hardy Doyal founded Doyal's Mill, later called Bolivar, before 1821. Doyal's Mills was established as a voting place in Jackson Co. by Alabama Legislature in 1821. HUNTSVILLE DEMOCRAT - 12-30-1834 - Jackson County Orphans Court, Administrator of Hardy Doyal, DECEASED, summoned to Court.
44. George Brown was first and only postmaster at Brown's Cove Post Office (9-26-1829 through 7-23-1839.) He owned land in T3, R6E, Sections 3 & 4 and is thought to be father of Preston Brown, the Baptist preacher.
45. Jacob Gross, son of John and Eve (Little) Gross was postmaster at Dodsonville for more than 20 years. He married Gincey Pendergrass and lived near Mink Creek.
46. Isaac Whitecotton lived between Aspel and old Woodville. According to descendants, Isaac was father of James Whitecotton who was born in Kentucky in 1811. Isaac appears to be brother of Moses Whitecotton.
47. David Parkhill (born 1770-1780) lived near Columbus City in what became Marshall Co. One David Parkhill married Martha Washam on August 2, 1799, in Blount County, Tennessee.
48. John Redman married Mary Ann Frazier and operated a store in Camden (later changed to Paint Rock). Redman was postmaster at Camden 1839-1855.
49. John Griffin was store and ferry owner when he died in 1837 in Marshall Co. His widow was Sarah. (Re: Marshall Co. Orphans Court Minutes 1826-1837, pages 51-58.)
50. Thomas Briggs, Sr. lived near Bolivar in 1830. His widow, Esther, born 1775, was in household of Daniel and Sarah Price in 1850 census.
51. James P. Daniel, son of Robert and Elizabeth (Lucas) Daniel, lived near Paint Rock River in 1830.
52. Jesse McBroom lived in same neighborhood as James P. Daniel in 1830. The McBroom family were among very earliest settlers of Madison County.
53. Joshua Wann (1796-1851) married Lydia Collins in Rhea Co., Tennessee circa 1820. Joshua was Captain of Wann's Co., Norwood's Battalion, in the Cherokee Removal in 1838. He died in Lawrence Co., Arkansas in 1851.
54. Bartlett Gentry lived near Mud Creek at time of 1840 census. He purchased land in Section 17, T3, R 6E on 2-11-1834.
55. Moses Whitecotton lived between Aspel and old Woodville.
56. There were 3 John Smiths in Jackson County on 1830 census. The JP John Smith appears to be son of James Alfred and Hannah (Parker) Smith who married August 2, 1787, in Washington Co., Va. Brooks Smith was also son of James A. Smith, a Revolutionary War soldier, who lived with Brooks at time of 1850 census. In 1830, Brooks, John, and James Smith were next-door neighbors in the Aspel community.
57. Elias Moore was also commissioned Constable on April 21, 1826. In 1830, he lived near Francis Renshaw and Randolph Bryant in T3, R6E. Elias Moore served in Ambrestor's Company, Norwood's Battalion, Cherokee Removal.
58. There were 3 John Berrys in 1830 census. One lived in Paint Rock Valley and the other two lived at Bellefonte at time of census. John Berry served as Jackson Co. Representative 1835-1837.
59. Elijah Hansbrough advertised in 11-27-1829 HUNTSVILLE REPUBLICAN as attorney in Bellefonte. He owned a store and was postmaster at Bellefonte in 1830. He was also county surveyor in Jackson and Madison Counties. He married Catherine Carter, daughter of Stephen and Sarah T. Carter. The Hansbroughs lived in Huntsville at time of the 1850 census.
60. Joel Daniel Lewis, born 1801, son of John and Susannah (?Daniel) Lewis, married Rebecca Ingle.

61. Woodson Hammon(d)s served in Wann's Co., Norwood's Battalion in the Cherokee Removal in 1838. He lived near Yucca, but moved to Madison Co. before 1850.
62. Matthew Babb is probably husband of Catherine Babb (born 1770-1780) who lived near Poplar Ridge in what became Madison Co. at time of 1830 Jackson Co. census. Catherine was mother of William Babb who married Elvira Lewis on 2-1-1827 in Madison County, Al. and of Alcy Babb who married Wilson Davis and moved to Langston, by 1840.
63. Edmond Tilley was enumerated on 1840 Marshall Co., Al. census.
64. John B. Nelson (born 1780-1790) lived near Bass in 1830. In 1830, he bought land in Section 19, Township 1, Range 7 East.
65. Moses Tharp (born 1790-1800) bought land in 1830 between Tupelo and Pikeville in Sections 24 and 25, T3, R5E.
66. George W. Sanders lived near Bolivar in 1830. He may be the same George W. Sanders who lived in Warren Co., Tn. circa 1824.
67. Thomas Bradshaw (born 1760-1770) lived north of Trenton. In 1830, he bought land in Section 30, T3, R4East.
68. John Reed (Reid) (born 1770-1780) died between 1830 and 1840. He married Isabella Slaven and was father of Alexander Hamilton Reid. Reid's on Larkin Fork was established as a voting precinct in 1821 by Alabama Legislature.
69. David Ricketts lived in what became Marshall County.
70. John Gentry lived in Big Coon Valley next-door to Hugh Gentry in 1830.
71. John Starnes, Sr. and Jr. are often mentioned in Marshall County Court records. In 1830, John Starnes lived next to Wilson Word.
72. Jason Pendergrass was enumerated on 1840 Marshall County census.
73. Matthias Chitwood (born 1790-1800) lived near Poplar Ridge in 1830.
74. John Campbell and wife, Mary, were charter members of the Friendship Missionary Baptist Church organized in 1827 near what became Fackler.
75. John Browning (born 1790-1800) bought land near Pikeville in 1836 in Section 30, T3, R6E.
76. Nathaniel Hillian was a Captain in the Jackson Co. Militia in 1820. He lived south of Langston in what became Marshall Co.
77. George Gifford (born 1780-1790) lived near Hollytree (1840 census.)
78. Furman Fowler was in Scurlock's Co., Cawlfild's Battalion in Florida Indian War, 1837-1838. He lived near Hollytree, S7, T3, R4E.
79. Joseph P.(arks) Frazier, son of Samuel and Mary (Parks) Frazier, married Lucinda A. Williams, daughter of Eldred W. Williams, on 2-21-1837. Joseph served in Bishop's Co., 2nd Alabama Mounted Volunteers in Creek War, 1836-1837.
80. Claiborn Hunt was in Co. M, Snodgrass Battalion in Florida Indian War.
81. John H. Derrick does not appear on 1830 or 1840 Jackson/Marshall Co. censuses. He did not receive an original land patent in Jackson Co. Did he die between 10-16-1828 and 1830?
82. David Maloy was in Norwood's Co. in Creek War, 1836-1837. He purchased land near Princeton in Section 19, T2, R4E on 8-9-1830.
83. John Hill (born 1760-1770) lived near Estill Fork in 1830. A John Hill signed the August, 1819 Memorial (See Oct., 1980 JACKSON CHRONICLES.)
84. John Owen (1800-1875) married (1) Nancy Jackson, daughter of Rev. War soldier John Jackson, and (2) Elizabeth King, sister of Mrs. Daniel Freeman. John Owen lived at Sauta and Woods Cove. Came to Jackson Co. from Madison Co. before December, 1819.

85. Ananias Allen (1756-1840) volunteered in Oct., 1781 for Revolutionary War service. He married Ann Laxton in Wilkes County, N.C. before moving to Adair Co., Ky. They moved from Jackson Co., Tenn. to Jackson Co., Al. and settled on Big Coon where he is buried in the Allen Cemetery.
86. Archibald Rhea Barclay was son of William and Mary (Rhea) Barclay who bought William Ore's 640-acre reserve and founded Barclay's Mill on Tennessee River near Jackson-Marshall Co. line. Barclay's Mill was later sold to the Henrys when the Barclay family moved to Talladega. William Barclay represented Jackson Co. in State Legislature 6 terms (1821-1824, 1826-1827, and 1829-1831.) Archibald R. Barclay was postmaster at Claysville before it was added to Marshall Co. He and his wife, Martha, moved to Talladega in 1837. He represented Talladega Co. in Alabama Legislature in 1842 and at constitutional convention in 1861.
87. William M. King married Frances Gaines on 6-19-1818 in Roane Co., Tn. He owned a store at Bolivar and represented Jackson Co. in Alabama House of Representatives 1835, 1838, 1841, and 1842. He was member of Antioch Church of Christ in 1827. He got into financial difficulty in the early 1850s and moved to Missouri in 1853, and established Kingsville in Johnson Co., Mo.
88. James Fletcher, Sr. (born 1780-1790) lived old Woodville and died before 1850. His widow, Ann, and son Jasper N. are on 1850 Jackson census.
89. Robert Pierce was enumerated on 1840 Marshall Co., Al. census.
90. John Stinnett (born 1770-1780) lived in Bellefonte and later bought land adjacent to present-day intersection of Highway 72 and 35 in eastern section of Scottsboro.
91. Benjamin Rector (born 1760-1770) bought land near Pikeville in Section 25, T3, R6E, in 1830.
92. Isaiah Walker died in 1836 in Marshall Co., Al. (Re: Marshall Co. Probates Minutes, 1836-1839, pages 13-14.)
93. William Haney was postmaster at old Woodville in 1825. Mrs. Wm. Haney died at Woodville in 1828. Her obit found in SOUTHERN ADVOCATE.
94. Alexander Riddle, son of Randolph and Jamima (?Hawkins) Riddle, also served as sheriff of Jackson Co. 1834-1840. He lived first near Bellefonte and then at Kyles. His mother and sisters were members of the Mud Creek Primitive Baptist Church from early 1820s until their deaths and/or removal from Jackson Co. Alexander was one of trustees of the Bellefonte Academy. (Jackson Deed Bk A, p. 266 - 7-24-1839.)
95. Edmund (Edmond) Bridges was postmaster at Cottonville near Honeycomb. On January 9, 1836, the Alabama Legislature appointed Edmond Bridges (and others) to help settle the Marshall-Jackson tax dispute after Marshall Co. was created. (Re: J.R. Kennamer's HISTORY OF JACKSON COUNTY, p. 30.) Edmond Bridges married the daughter of William and Nancy Manning.
96. John B. Walker lived in Marshall County (1840 census.)
97. Moses Jones (born ca. 1800) moved from Madison Co. to Jackson Co., settling first at Bellefonte and then in Jones Cove which bears his name. He married (1) Delilah Derrick and (2) Delilah Ambrester. He was commissioned County Court Clerk on August 29, 1836, and again on August 14, 1840.
98. Jeremiah Brown (1800-1866) lived in Caney Cove between Aspel and Limrock. He married (1) Lavina Moore on 8-17-1826 in Madison Co., (2) Sarah _____, and (3) Mary Williams, daughter of Samuel Williams. Jeremiah was father of John A., Charles W., and Maggie Brown Payne (Mrs. W. H. Payne.)
99. Jesse McElyea and James Woosley both lived near Mount Olive Church in 1830. J. Woosley later moved near Larkinsville where he lived in 1850.
100. Daniel Kirkpatrick, born 1784, married Margaret Shaddon, and they were parents of Edward J. Kirkpatrick who married Nancy Derrick. He bought land in Section 34, Township 3, Range 3 East in 1830.
101. Jacob Tipton Bradford moved from McMinn Co., Tn. to Bellefonte where he engaged in business with John R. Coffey. In 1831, he bought land in Section 33, T4, Range 6 East.
102. Peter Maples (1804-1885), son of Wm. Caswell and Nancy (Long) Maples, married Mary Moon. Peter was grandfather of Dr. W.C. Maples of Scottsboro.
103. Abner C. and Isabella (Patton) Womack were members of Mud Creek Primitive Baptist Church in late 1820s. Abner Clements Womack bought land in Sections 2 and 27, T3, R6E near Carnes and Kyles.

BACKTRACKIN' IN JACKSON COUNTY THROUGH THE OLD NEWSPAPERS
(Or Things You would never Know UNLESS You read the Newspapers)
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THE SCOTTSBORO CITIZEN - May 21, 1908

"Mrs. Evie Robinson thinks that every cemetery ought to have a suitable name and suggests that the Scottsboro cemetery should be named the CEDAR HILL CEMETERY. The suggestion made by this excellent lady is a good one."

THE PROGRESSIVE AGE - November 10, 1938

"BUCK'S POCKET FLASH"

"Judge Jim Benson came running out here Wednesday with two real estate land sellers and put on a big auction of the lot he has owned here a long time. He sold it pretty quick and was looking happy until he glanced up the road and saw a crowd of fellers running his way, all of them having a plate in one hand and a pie knife in the other. Jim took one good look and started running for parts unknown." NOTE BY ABC: written by Parker Campbell, Editor.

THE STEVENSON CHRONICLE - February 7, 1888

"General John R. Coffey had the misfortune to lose his handsome residence near Fackler, by fire, last Thursday night. Almost the entire contents of the house were also destroyed."

THE SCOTTSBORO CITIZEN - February 9, 1888

"The handsome residence of General John R. Coffey was destroyed by fire near Wannville one day last week. The General and his son, Macklin, had gone away from the house on business, and on returning late in the afternoon, found the house on fire. All the household effects destroyed, but fortunately the General saved his private papers."

THE SCOTTSBORO CITIZEN - June 7, 1888

"General John R. Coffey is REBUILDING his brick residence near Wannville."

THE SCOTTSBORO CITIZEN - April 26, 1888

"The handsome country residence of Mr. Miles Moody was recently destroyed by fire near Mud Creek. Mr. Moody's loss is more than \$2,000."

NOTE BY ABC: These two articles prove that the Coffey House near Coffey Ferry and the Moody Brick near Kyles were both built or rebuilt in 1888.

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JACKSON COUNTY HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING - October 31, 1983
6:00 p. m., Scottsboro Holiday Inn - DINNER MEETING WITH SPEAKER.

Dr. David Campbell, Jackson County Historical Association Program Vice-President, is pleased to announce that Judge William W. Page, 23rd Judicial Circuit Judge of Madison County, Alabama, will be the speaker for the J.C.H.A. Annual Meeting on October 31, 1983, 6:00 p.m. at the Scottsboro Holiday Inn. Judge William W. Page is a past president of the Tennessee Valley Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution and of the Tennessee Valley Genealogical Society. He is the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Milton Page of Woodville, Alabama. Judge Page and his talented wife, Wilma, have supported the Jackson County Historical Association since its founding through membership, research, and good public relations throughout the Southeast.

Please make your reservations NOW by calling: Rubilee Smith, 574-1299, Elizabeth Thomas, 259-1375, or Billie Hammer, 259-4315. The price of the meal including tax and tips will be \$7.50 for the buffet dinner.

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Members receive JACKSON COUNTY CHRONICLES quarterly in January, April, July, and October.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

The July, 1983, meeting of the Jackson County Historical Association was held at Russell Cave National Monument and afforded a most enjoyable afternoon. Delicious homemade ice cream and cake was served by several of our members after which park personnel presented an interesting program followed by a tour of the cave.

We have again served as one of the sponsors of the second annual Cherokee Fall Festival which was held on October 1 and 2, 1983. Several of our members are due a special thanks for working very hard in preparing for this educational and entertaining event, which is co-hosted by the Scottsboro-Jackson Heritage Center and the Jackson County Cherokees.

Our next meeting will be the annual business and banquet meeting to be held at 6:00 p.m., October 31, 1983, at the Scottsboro Holiday Inn. Last year the banquet was well attended, and we hope to make our second dinner meeting even "bigger and better." Please make your reservations now with Rubilee Smith (574-1299), Elizabeth Thomas (259-1375), or Billie Hammer (259-4315). Reservations should be made by October 22.

See you October 31 at the Holiday Inn!

Anna Ruth Campbell, President
Jackson County Historical Assoc.

200 YEARS OF ALABAMA WEATHER REPORTS

by Ann B. Chambless

Cold winters, hot summers, floods, and droughts have been key topics of conversation in Alabama since the Frenchman Pierre Lemoyne, ~~Sieur~~ d'Iberville, established a colony at Twenty-Seven Mile Bluff on the Mobile River in 1702. Severe flooding 1710-1711 resulted in the decision of d'Iberville's brother, Jean Baptiste Lemoyne, Sieur de Bienville, to move the colony south to the present site of the City of Mobile in 1711.

When L. D. Miller published his HISTORY OF ALABAMA in 1901, he included weather notes taken mostly from the Bulletin on Climatology of Alabama written by Dr. P. H. Mell. Mr. Miller also included personal weather observations and temperatures which he had recorded for 28 years prior to his publication.

In 1901, Mr. Miller reported the normal average temperature ranged from 58° in the counties of DeKalb, Jackson, Marshall, and Etowah to about 67° on the Gulf coasts of Mobile and Baldwin Counties. At the turn of the century, the normal annual rainfall ranged from 42 inches in Tuscaloosa to 64 inches in DeKalb County, the State average being 52.15 inches. Alabama's heaviest rainfall in the 19th century was 106.57 inches at Mt. Vernon in 1853. The lightest was at Huntsville in 1839 - 29.08 inches.

The following chronological Alabama weather reports are taken verbatim from Appendix VI, HISTORY OF ALABAMA, by L. D. Miller. Mr. Miller's comments re: "the year without a summer," "the year without a winter," frozen sap in the trees making the tree bark explode with a noise like the firing of pistols, and "the year the stars fell on Alabama" expand our vision of the early settlers versus nature in the State of Alabama.

"A.D. 1711 - Mobile visited by a destructive storm and flood, which caused settlers to remove to present site of the city.

1740 and 1746 - Destructive storms and floods, which destroyed the rice crop near Mobile.

1748 - The Mississippi at New Orleans was frozen 30-40 feet from its banks.

1768 - Another cold winter.

1772 - A cold winter followed by an extremely hot summer. August 31 to September 3, a terrible storm, which blew the water from the bay over the city of Mobile. Vessels were stranded in the center of the town.

1779-1780 - Cold all over the South. No thaw from November 15 to middle of February, and constant succession of snows. Domestic fowls and wild turkeys were frozen. Deer sought shelter around the cabins of the settlers.

1783 - Winter clothing worn in July and August. White frosts in September.

1793, 1794, 1796, and 1799 were cold winters.

1807 - February 7 was first "Cold Friday. Afterwards turned warmer and then suddenly cold again, with high wind from the North. On February 16, the frozen sap in the trees caused the bark to explode.

1816 - This is known as the year without a summer. On April 16, spray blown from the waves would freeze in the rigging of vessels at Mobile. June 8 there was a killing frost south to latitude 33°, and frost every month of the year north of latitude 34°. (NOTE BY ABC: Jackson County, Alabama, lies between latitudes of 34° and 35°.) Corn meal sold at \$5.00 per bushel in Tuscumbia the following winter and spring.

1817 - A year of constant rains.

1819 - August 25 to 28, a gale from the Gulf flooded Mobile and stranded a large brig on Dauphin Street.

1823 - February 16 - thermometer down to 5° at Mobile, the lowest on record at the time. (NOTE BY ABC: Think what it must have been in Jackson County if 5° in Mobile.)

1825 - Dry summer. Year without a winter. The cotton crop, which seemed almost ruined by the drought, was open early in the fall. Showers in September caused a second growth and fruitage, which matured a fine crop during the winter. This entailed great loss on speculators who had bought up the first crop in the fall and were holding it for higher prices.

1827 - A killing frost 27th of May.

1829 - A year of continuous rains and poor crops.

200 YEARS OF ALABAMA WEATHER REPORTS (Continued)

- 1832 - Year of heavy rains and extraordinary floods. Cold winter. The thermometer dropped to 9° below zero in Huntsville.
- 1833 - Great floods. Rivers higher than ever before. The great meteoric display occurred on the night of November 13. Most people thought the world was coming to an end, and they confessed their sins and prayed as never before.
- 1834-1835 - Extremely cold winter. February 6 and 7, 1835, have since been known as the "Cold Friday and Saturday." The writer (L. D. Miller) has been told by early settlers of Calhoun County that the creeks, where not very swift, were frozen over so as to bear the weight of a horse. They say also that the frozen sap in trees caused the bark to explode with a noise like the firing of pistols in the forests.
- 1839-1840 - Extremely dry. Alabama River got too low for navigation, but good crops were made in this State.
- 1844-1845 - Both very dry, but full crops were produced in Alabama. The last named - 1845 - is known as the dry year in the States of the South farther east. Crops in South Carolina and Georgia were a complete failure.
- 1846 - Cotton caterpillars first made their appearance north of the black belt. Damage from them and from boll worms was fearful this year in Middle and South Alabama.
- 1847 - A year of rains and floods. Crops much below the average.
- (1848 - Entry from diary of James M. Rosson of Jackson County, Alabama: April, 1848: Spring season is backward. The Tennessee River has been out of its banks three times since Christmas.)
- 1849 - Unusually mild up to the middle of April and all vegetation well advanced. Wheat in some sections was ripening and corn waist high. Cotton up with from four to six leaves, and the leaves of the forest about grown. On April 16 there was a killing frost, and ice formed on still water. Corn and cotton had to be replanted. Small grain crops were killed. In the States east there was a heavy snow, being four inches deep in Charleston, S. C.
- 1851 - High waters in April. Summer hot and dry.
- 1852 - Thermometer down to 8° at Mobile on January 20. Much rain in July and August, causing cotton insects. Equinoctial gale flooded Mobile.
- 1853 - Heavy rains and floods. Cotton crop greatly reduced thereby. Rainfall at Mt. Vernon 106.57 inches.
- 1855-1856 - Cold winter. Standing water in ponds near Mobile at one time frozen hard enough to skate upon.
- 1857 - Spring backward. On April 13, a heavy snow storm. Vegetation not being advanced was not injured as in 1849, except wheat, in Middle Alabama, which was killed.
- 1858 - 1859 - Heavy spring floods, but good weather later made fine crops.
- 1860 - Summer very hot. (NOTE BY ABC: Record cotton crop in Alabama.)
- 1865 - 1867 - High waters in the spring.
- 1868 - Great damage from cotton caterpillars.
- (1870 - From Friendship Baptist Church Minutes (Jackson County, Alabama): No church service third Sunday in April "because of heavy snow about 4 inches deep laying on the ground.")
- 1871 - Great damage from cotton caterpillars.
- 1874 - 1875 - Winter mild. No frost of consequence until December 8.
- 1876 - Heavy snow storm March 19, especially in West Alabama. December 30 heavy snow storm, which culminated in extremely cold weather during first week in January, 1877.
- 1877 - Thermometer fell to zero on the 1st of January at Columbus, Ms., where the Bigbee was frozen over. In Calhoun County, Alabama, the mercury fell to 10° below zero. All mill ponds not immediately below large springs were frozen hard enough to skate upon.

200 YEARS OF ALABAMA WEATHER REPORTS (Continued)

1881 - Noted for being the hottest summer recorded in this State. Temperature during June, July, and August at many places 3 degrees higher than the average for thirty years. Heavy rains in March caused the rivers to be higher than in 1865. This was followed by a protracted drought, but average crops were made. Eggs are said to have been hatched by the temperature of the atmosphere ten days after the hens abandoned their nests during the hottest spells in July and August. The writer's (L. D. MILLER's) thermometer in Calhoun County reached 102° in the shade one time in July and 101° once in August - the only times it has gone so high in 28 years, the nearest approach being 98° in July, 1897.

1883 - Long drought during the summer and fall. Many wells dried up. More sickness from malaria than ordinary.

1884 - Noted as the year of freshets, tornadoes, wet summer, dry fall, and poor crops. In parts of Northeast Alabama the streams in April were higher than ever before. Probably a total of less than two dozen people were killed by the 18 tornadoes in this State during the spring of 1884, the greatest fatalities from storms in the history of the State. Two or three of these tornadoes passed into Georgia, and according to newspaper reports, each of them wrought ten-fold greater destruction of life and property in that State than in Alabama. Notwithstanding the April flood, and the wet weather of June, when only two days plowing was done in Calhoun County during said month, the total rainfall of the year was less than usual. Following winter cold.

1885 - This year noted for number of tornadoes next to 1884.

1886 - Very cold in January. Thermometer down to 8° below zero in Northern Alabama on the 8th of January. From the 3rd to 5th of December, 1886, the heaviest snow storm recorded in this State - 12 inches deep in South Alabama to 20 inches deep in portions of North Alabama. Rivers in the spring of 1886 higher and more destructive than for many years past.

1889-1890 - Mild winter.

1891 - January, February, and March wet. April and May dry. Good rains July and August. Crops good. Cotton crop first reaches 9,000,000 bales. Alabama's crop amounted to 1,000,000 bales for the first time - only a few thousand ahead of that of 1860, but about double any after THE WAR up to 1875 in this State.

1892 - Much rain in the spring. Crops short.

1894 - Very mild and vegetation was more advanced than ever before up to March 25. Leaves of the forest half grown in Northern Alabama. On the 25th it turned cold suddenly and there was a killing frost on March 26. Corn that was up and all garden vegetables were killed, also such trees as white mulberry, mimosa, etc. Wheat and oats thought to be killed but recovered.

1895 - First week in January and about the middle of February considerable snow and extremely cold. For a few hours during each of these two spells the mercury stood below zero throughout a large part of the State. All the blue birds, which were very numerous, were killed by the February freeze. The snow extended farther south in Florida than ever before, and the orange trees were killed in the main orange belt of that State. Few blue birds have reappeared in Calhoun County up to this time. (1901.)

1896 and 1897 - Each hot and dry during the summer and fall, especially the latter year. Many wells and springs dried up.

1898 - May and June very hot. Fall very wet, so that cotton picking was much delayed, and the cotton badly stained. Much fine bottom corn was destroyed in the Fall by overflow of the creeks.

1899 - Very cold for a week previous to February 11, when a heavy snow storm began and continued until 9 a.m. the next day, when the snow was 8 inches in Calhoun County. The next morning the thermometer dropped to zero everywhere in this State for the first time on record. At Mobile it was 1°, Montgomery 5°, Calhoun County 7-10°, and at Valley Head 17° (all below zero.) Thus we see it ranged from 1° below zero at Mobile to 17° below at Valley Head. For the second time in 28 years the peach blooms were killed in the bud, so that there were no peach blooms in the spring throughout a large part of this State. Strangely to the writer (L. P. Miller), the mill ponds were not frozen so hard as twice before during his observations since 1873, although the snow in the roads furnished good sledding for nearly a week. Several tornadoes in this State during March, 1899. Owing to wet weather but little plowing was done before April and much good land lay out.

1866 SPECIAL ALABAMA STATE CENSUS

The original Special Alabama 1866 Census is found in the Department of Archives and History in Montgomery, Alabama. Editor Ann B. Chambliss has printed Ranges 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 in the six preceding editions of THE JACKSON CHRONICLES. The four townships within Range 8 East are:

TOWNSHIP 1, RANGE 8 EAST:

NAMES	MALES			FEMALES		
	Under 10	10-20	Over 20	Under 10	10-20	Over 20

(NOTE BY EDITOR: Initials only were given for heads of households in Township 1, Range 8 East.)

J. Wimberly	2	2	1	2	3	1
J. Cameron		2	1	1		
J. Austin		1	3			3
W. Felps	1		1			1
L. Roberts			1	1		2
J. Hackworth	4	2	1	1	1	2
F. Graham	4	1	1	1	1	2
A. W. Christian	1	1	2	1	2	1
J. Tally		3	3	1	1	2
J. Cloud	1	3	2		1	2
G. McMahan			1			1
J. Hawk	1	1	1	2	3	2
S. Urby	1	3	1	1	1	3
J. Blackwell	2		1			1
D. Box		1	2			
E. Wallace	2		2	1	3	3
G. Cloud	3		1			3
A. Maxwell			1	3		1
S. Pain	1		1			1
J. Austin	3	1	1	1	1	1
D. Holon	3	1			1	1
M. Loveless	1	2		1	1	
J. Smith			2			1
C. Hough	1		1	2		1
M. Hamilton	1			1	1	2
W. Warrenton	1	2	1	1	1	1
J. Carvin	1	1	2	1		1
P. Hawk		2	1		1	1
H. Long	2	4	1	1	1	1
M. Jenkins			4		1	2
W. Brown	2	1	1	2	1	1
L. Sampley		2	1		1	1
W. Kirkpatrick	3	1	2	3	1	1
W. Pain	1		1	1		1

1866 SPECIAL ALABAMA CENSUS (Continued)

NAMES	MALES			FEMALES		
	Under 10	10-20	Over 20	Under 10	10-20	Over 20
<u>Township 1, Range 8 East:</u>						
G. Thomas	2		1	1		1
J. Herron	2	1	1	4		1
J. McCoy	2		1	1		2
W. McCammel	1		1	1		1
W. Thomas	2		1	4		1
W. Freeman	3	1	1	2		1
S. Selars	1	1	1	2		2
R. Ridge		1	1			1
J. ?Jacks			1	1	1	
W. ?Jacks	1		1			1
N. Hill	2		1			1
W. Ridge	3		1			1
W. Lee		2	1		1	1
J. Evitt	1		1		4	1
D. Short	2	1	1		1	1
J. L. Tally		2	1	4	2	1
D. Russel	2		1	1		1
W. Russel	1	1	2	2		1
G. Pain		2	2		3	2
J. Arndale			2			
C. Herron	1		1			1
J. Sampley	1		1	2		1
H. Drain	1	1	1	3		2
G. Kelly	1		1	1		1
J. Drain			1			1
D. Drain	3	1	1		2	1
S. Raulston			1			3
J. Thomas		1	4	2	2	3
A. Alley	1	3	1	1	1	1
J. Williams	1		1	2	1	2
J. Fetherston	2	1	3	3	2	2
W. Glasscock	2		1	1		2
G. Hawk		2	1		2	2
J. Verner	1	2	1	1	1	2
J. Scurggs	1	2	1		1	2
W. Scruggs	1		1	2	2	1
S. Price		1	2		1	2

1866 SPECIAL ALABAMA CENSUS (Continued)

NAMES	MALES			FEMALES		
	Under 10	10-20	Over 20	Under 10	10-20	Over 20
<u>Township 1, Range 8 East:</u>						
G. Scruggs	2		1	3	2	1
W. Hughs	1		1	3		1
W. Price	1		1	2		2
R. Gillum	1		2	1		3
W. Blancet	1		1			1
S. Dilard			1	2	1	1
B. Wynn		4	1	2	1	2
C. Sartin	1	2	2	1	1	2
C. Melton	1		2		2	2
R. Hughs	1		1			1
J. Miller			1	1	1	1
J. Hornbeak		3	2		1	3
J. Jenkins	2		1	2		3
J. Bone		1	1	2		1
E. Price	2	1	1	1		1
J. Sartin			1	1	1	1
P. Hughs	2		1	2	1	1
J. Maxwell		1	2		1	1
J. Witherspoon	1		1	3		1
R. W. Hill	2	1	2	2	1	2
J. Sitslar		2	1		1	1
J. Wigley	3		1		1	1
D. Arndale			1		1	1
J. Gillum		1	2		1	2
G. Warren	1		1			1
P. Parten			3	3	3	1
G. Crofford	1		1	1		3
A. Price	1	1	2	2	1	1
J. Fagg	3	4	1	1		1
L. ?Gaugh	3	2		3		2
J. Sharp	1		1		2	1
M. Beavers	1	2	2		2	1
M. Henson	2			1	1	2
J. Bigly		1	3	1	1	
E. Troxell	1	2	1		2	1
S. Price		1			1	1
E. Dean	3			2	1	1

1866 SPECIAL ALABAMA CENSUS (Continued)

NAMES	MALES			FEMALES		
	Under 10	10-20	Over 20	Under 10	10-20	Over 20
<u>Township 1, Range 8 East:</u>						
D. Jones			4		1	3
P. Oneal	2		1	1	1	1
D. Purkston	1		1	2	1	1
J. Wren	1	2	1	3	5	1
T. ?Snibs		1	2		1	1
J. Holen	1		1		1	
<u>Township 2, Range 8 East:</u>						
M. Thompson			2		1	4
W. Thompson	1		1		1	1
M. Blancet			1	1		2
T. Blancet			1	2		1
A. Scott	1			1		1
John Young		1	1		1	1
A. Comstock		1				1
E. Venerable	2		1	2	1	1
W. Scott	4		1		1	1
T. Scott			1			1
Joseph Bryant	2		1	2	1	1
W. Young			1			
John Hamons	5	2	1		1	1
James Lolar		1	2		2	3
J. Caperton			2	1		2
M. Cluck			1		1	1
D. Haney	1		1		2	3
W. Wynn		3	1	1	3	1
W. Parker	3		1	2	1	1
H. B. ?Gecas	1	1	2		2	2
T. E. McMahan	2	1	1	3	2	1
M. Graham			1			1
Jane Fondlen	1	1				2
W. Gossett	1		1		1	1
O. Crafford		1	1		1	1
E. Rudder		1	3		1	2
John Guest	1	1	3	1	2	2
H. Cluck			1			1
J. Busbay		1	1	2	2	1

1866 SPECIAL ALABAMA CENSUS (Continued)

NAMES	MALES			FEMALES		
	Under 10	10-20	Over 20	Under 10	10-20	Over 20
<u>Township 2, Range 8 East:</u>						
J. Colfield (Caulfield)	1	1	1		2	2
H. Hunt	2	1	2	2	1	1
John Pike	2		1	1		1
M. Allen		1			1	3
H. Price		2	2	1	1	1
J. Walker	3		1	1		1
S. Smith			2		2	3
M. Childers	1	1	2	1	1	2
Joseph Sharp	1		1			1
J. Wilson	2		1		1	1
R. Steel		1	3	3	1	2
B. Abett	1		1		2	3
M. Reeves	2	1	1		1	2
M. Henson		1	1	1	1	1
W. Colias	2	1	1		2	1
A. Lawson		1	2			1
J. Troxell	1	1	1	1		1
J. Fry	1		1	3	2	1
J. B. Ragsdale		1	2			1
M. Mitchell	1	2	1		1	1
J. D. Jenkins		1	1		1	2
J. Holoway	1	1	1	2		1
A. Owen		3	1	1	2	1
L. D. Austin			1		1	2
H. Carlock	1		1		2	1
?T. Heare		1				1
E. More				1		1
C. Wiseman			1			1
T. Hardin			1	2		1
W. Ashley	1	1	2		1	1
M. Payne			1			1
A. Benton					1	1
H. Mason	2	1	2		1	3
M. Colwell		1		1	1	2
H. Bunn	2		1		1	1
George Jones	2	1	2	1	2	2

1866 SPECIAL ALABAMA CENSUS (Continued)

NAMES	MALES			FEMALES		
	Under 10	10-20	Over 20	Under 10	10-20	Over 20
<u>Township 2, Range 8 East:</u>						
?J. Omohunder			1			
S. Capleno	1	1		2	1	2
G. W. Graham		1	1		1	1
L. Metts	1	1	1		1	1
John Bems (?)		1	1	1	2	1
N. Howard		2				2
H. <u>Wesmalan</u>		2	1			1
G. Rice	1		3			2
W. Henderson			2			2
G. Newcomer(?)	1		1			1
J. Butlan			1		1	1
W. Briton			1			1
A. Caperton			1			1
B. Davis			1			
H. Marsh			1			1
C. Rodenbaugh	2	2	4		2	1
W. McMahan			1			
W. Johnson		1	1	1		1
John Bankston		1	1		1	
J. Ashley			1			1
Joseph Vangraft		1	1	2	1	1
C. <u>Beanes</u>	1		1	1		1
D. Wilkerson	2			3	1	1
L. Cargile			2		2	2
John Cargile			1			1
D. Cameron	2		1	2	1	1
J. Williams	2	3	1	4	1	2
H. Brown		1	1		3	1
J. Cox	1	1	1	1	3	1
R. Hatfield			1			2
J. Daily			1			1
M. Dunn	1					1
N. Burch	3	1				1
J. Swinford	1	1	1	3		1
D. Hicks	1		1	1	1	
A. Sampley	2	1	1	1	2	1

1866 SPECIAL ALABAMA CENSUS (Continued)

NAMES	MALES			FEMALES		
	Under 10	10-20	Over 20	Under 10	10-20	Over 20
<u>Township 2, Range 8 East:</u>						
R. Ridge				3		1
A. Gordon			1		2	1
R. Lee					2	2
S. Caperton			2			2
T. Foster	1	1	4	1	3	1
G. Caperton		2	4	3	2	2
W. Gaugh			1		1	1
A. <u>Danill</u>			1		1	1
S. <u>Danill</u>	1			1		1
P. Oneal	1		1	3		1
<u>TOWNSHIP 3, Range 8 East:</u>						
Thomas Gibson			1			1
A. H. Caperton		1	3		1	1
George Cowan		1	1			2
H. Gentry			1			1
G. H. Mason			1			3
G. House	2		1			1
J. Keys	2	2	1	2	1	1
J. <u>Ranes</u>			1		1	1
B. Jones	2		2	1	2	2
T. Adkins	2	1	1	3	1	2
A. Haney				1		1
S. Mason	2	2			1	1
T. S. McCoy		1	1		2	1
A. Rutherford	1	1	1	4	3	1
D. Holder	1	2	1		2	1
John Jones	1	1	1			1
Mary <u>Lovas</u>		1				2
W. Blancet			1		1	1
J. Blancet	1	2	1	2	1	2
A. Smith	2	2	1	3		1
Mary Graves	1	2	1	1	1	1
Sarah Crafford		1	3		1	3
R. Hunter	4	2	1			1
R. Nichols	2		1	3		1
W. Baker	1	1	1	4	2	1
James Evins	2		1	2		1

SPECIAL ALABAMA 1866 CENSUS (Continued)

NAMES	MALES			FEMALES		
	Under 10	10-20	Over 20	Under 10	10-20	Over 20
<u>Township 3, Range 8 East;</u>						
W. Mason	2	2	1	1	1	1
A. Wheeler		1	2		2	1
J. Blancet	1	1		3	1	1
A. Nichols	1	1	1	1	2	1
S. Swader			1	1	1	2
H. Cameron		2	1			1
W. King	3		1			1
S. Haney		2		1		1
M. Keith			1		1	1
R. Keys	2	1	1	3	1	1
M. McKinney	3			1		1
M. Gay			1	1		1
A. Freelan	1	1		1	2	1
James Ross	4		2			1
W. Smith		2	2		2	2
<u>TOWNSHIP 4, RANGE 8 EAST:</u>						
Josephine Hamilton	1	1		3	1	1
Mrs. ?P. Hamilton	2					1
Mrs. M. Thornhill		1	1		2	2
Mrs. M. Stegall			2			1
Mrs. Frances Huffman						1
Mrs. E. Davidson	1	1	1	1	2	2
Samuel Wilson	1		1	3		1
Mrs. S. Gilison						1
J. C. Church	1			3		1
Mrs. J. C. West	1			1		1
G. W. Ambrester		2	2	1	2	1
A. Gay	1	2	1		2	
J. Sarrett		2	3	2		1
J. Gay	3		1	1	1	
W. A. Thornhill	1		1			1
Mrs. A. Clifton		2		1		1
Gideon Starkey			1	4	2	
William Gray			3	2	3	1
Willis Jones			1	3	1	1

1866 SPECIAL ALABAMA CENSUS (Continued)

NAMES	MALES			FEMALES	
	Under 10	10-20	Over 20	Under 10	Over 20
<u>TOWNSHIP 4, RANGE 8 EAST:</u>					
Mrs. E. Clark	1	2		1	1
Thomas McIntire			1	2	2
C. Mason		4	1	2	1
William Blansett		1	3	1	1
William Wilson	2	1		1	1
John McIntire			1	3	2
James Howard	1	2	1	3	1
J. P. Starkey	2	2	1	3	1
Phillip Smith		2	3	1	1
Eligah Wilson	1	1	3	1	1
John Gay	1	2	1		2
Jessiw Shelton	1	2	1	2	2
Richard Barber	2	1	1	2	1
James M. Sanders	2		1	2	
B. House	1	1	2	1	2
Mrs. L. Henderson			1		3
Mrs. M. Wilson		2	1		

200 YEARS OF ALABAMA WEATHER REPORTS (Continued)

1900 - Like the year previous preparation of land for planting greatly delayed by wet weather. Continuous rains in June ruined low bottom corn, greatly injured other crops by preventing work in the fields, and almost destroyed early peaches just as they began to ripen.

With the exception of 1816 - which had no summer and of which we know very little as only a small part of the State was settled up - there is not a year when two-thirds of the cultivated land devoted to food crops would have failed to produce an abundance for man and beast. Many of our people fear drought - probably on account of disaster from droughts in other States - but a study of the weather notes here given shows that the wet years in Alabama produce the short crops."

EDITOR'S NOTE: L. D. Miller was Superintendent of Education in Calhoun County, Alabama during the last quarter of the 19th century. He published his HISTORY OF ALABAMA for use in schools as well as for public use, in 1901. He also did an excellent coverage of the Civil War in Alabama in this publication.

YUCATAN HISTORICAL TOUR

After consultation with committees representing the JACKSON COUNTY HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION and LANDMARKS OF DEKALB COUNTY, the Cramer Travel Agency is pleased to present a special YUCATAN HISTORICAL TOUR.

January 17-23, 1984, the tour group will visit the ancient Mayan ruins of Merida, Uxmal, Chichen Itza and relax in the island paradise of Cozumel. Merida was called the "White City: because of early Spanish Colonial influence on its architecture; it was built on the site of a former ancient Mayan city. Uxmal was once the Mayan ceremonial city. Here the group will see the Pyramid of the Magician, the Nunnery, Palace of the Governors, House of the Turtles, and the Ball Court where the losers in ballplay sometimes paid with their lives. Chichen Itza once was known as the ancient Mayan Holy Place. The world famous El Castillo Pyramid is located here. Each architectural feature has a mysterious chronological significance relating to the days of the year or seasons of the year.

Space limits further discussion of these sites, but be sure to join us at the annual business meeting on October 31, 1983, at the Holiday Inn in Scottsboro, for more details of the trip.

For more information before October 31 meeting, call Lee Dell Grimes at the Cramer Travel Agency in Scottsboro, Alabama (205-259-6101.)

Prices range from \$877 for triple occupancy. Prices are based on 40 reservations which are open to J.C.H.A. and DeKalb Landmarks membership as well as to non-members. If you have a friend who might be interested in this historical tour of the Yucatan, please share this information and invite your friend to share our annual meeting on October 31 as well.

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