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GARRIS and STANLEY FAMILIES of Kentucky

1. John Garriss
2. Amos Garriss, Jr.
3. Joshua Garriss (who had a son William; Amos Garriss, Sr., leaves grandson, William, a tract of land in Northhampton, N.C., which he had bought from William Arrington).
4. Benjamin Garriss
5. Hannah Garriss and daughter Liden
6. Susanna Garriss (wife of Haley Dupree)

It may be that Hannah was really Amos' daughter-in-law. Records show that a Haley Dupree married Elizabeth Garriss, widow, Jan. 12, 1782, in Greenville Co., Va., must be Susanna Garriss Dupree died sometime between 1771 and 1782.

Sikes Garris married in Duplin County, N.C. on October 22, 1793 to an Elizabeth Arnet. We have tried to find the relationship with the first James Arnett that settled in Muhlenberg and Elizabeth Arnet Garris, but can find nothing. However there must be some connection, because James Arnett was a witness to the will of Sikes Garris. Maybe it is just an odd happening that Sikes Garris had a son James, also in another generation there was an Arnet Garris. Sikes Garris stayed in North Carolina until the year 1798. His first two daughters were born there and possibly James Garris. In the early part of the 1800's Sikes Garris had many acres of land, but as the children grew up he gave or sold most of what he owned to them. Some of his children moved to Counties in Ill., just across the River from Kentucky.

Census of 1800 Muhlenberg County Ky.
Benjamin Garriss
Jospeh Garriss
Sharp Garriss
Thomas Garriss

Since Census records at that time only listed one person as head of a household, it may be that Sikes and Elizabeth lived with his father, Benjamin. Perhaps the other Garriss's above are also sons of Benjamin. Very little was found in Court records about Benjamin except that he sold some wolf skins and had a Grist Mill. No record or mention of his death. But we know from Sikes's records of pension that his mother, Betsey was still alive in 1832. Because she testified in open Court that he was almost destitute and needed financial help. The first wife, Elizabeth, of Sikes must have died sometime before 1825. Because he married Mary Harris in 1826.

Sikes Garriss died sometime between 1841 and 1846. His will, dated June 19, 1841, was proven in Muhlenberg County, Ky. Court in Jan. 1847. This will was witnessed by Beverly Colman, James Colman and James Arnett, and altered in the presence of Samuel W. Bennett. The abstract of this will only mentions; To my son James, 50 acres of land. Another set of papers in the Courthouse gives a list of people that Sikes owed. We found an article from a newspaper that Sikes also left his rifle gun to James.

We researched Garriss's in the County of Saline, Ill., and also found a Garriss Cemetery. We knew that we were near the Cemetery, but could not find it. A farmer was mowing his large lawn and we stopped and talked to him. He told us where to find it, but we found that the man's family originally lived in Muhlenberg Co., Ky.. It seems that Sikes Garriss, Jr. married in Muhl. County and he and his young bride left just a few days after for Ill, on horseback. Sikes, Jr. was born in Muhl. Ky.. He had a grist mill down off the river and his Grist wheel is on display in the little Park in the town of Stonefort. Sikes Garriss, Jr., died 1863/4. He was an Indian Authority and had a very good collection of Artifacts and his widow recieved a good price for it. One of his grandsons made all of the early Tomb Stones, engraved them and they are all kept up by his descendants. Originally, there was a church near the cemetery, called Jenny Ridge. After Church burned it was not restored.

There are many marriage records for Garrisses in the Court house of Muhl. Co., Ky., but we only used the ones we knew belonged to Sikes Garriss the Revolutionary War Soldier. At the time for our research we did not know Garriss was our line, but now there are at least 10/14 members of Daughters of Revolution War of 1776 who have been accepted under Sikes Garriss.

We think Sikes Garriss was buried in the old Cemetery behind the town of Graham, Ky. However, the coal Co., have long ago destroyed all the graves for Garriss. Stanley and allied families except two or three stones.

SIKES GARRISS b. Feb. 15, 1763 N.C. d. @1846/7 Muhlenberg County, Ky. Mar. Elizabeth Arnet Oct. 22, 1793 Duplin County, N.C.

Children;

- | | | | |
|---------------------|------------------|------------------------|--------|
| a. Clarissa (Clara) | b. @ 1794 N.C. | m. James Stanley, | in Ky. |
| b. Nancy | b. @ 1796 N.C. | M. John Stanley. | " |
| c. Sikes Jr. | b. Feb. 11, 1801 | m. Elizabeth Miller | " |
| d. James | b. @ 1804 | m. Sally Carter | " |
| e. Elizabeth | b. ? | m. Adam Stobaugh | " |
| f. Rebecca | b. ? | m. John Hill | " |
| g. Michael | b. ? | m. Mary Polly Jernigan | " |

There may of been more children, but these are the ones we are sure about. The only birth date we know for sure is Sikes Jr. He died in Saline County, Ill. His grandson Steve made most of the stones in the Cemetery and all the information is on the stone. He went to Ill., in 1818 and died April 18, 1864. Made his will Oct. 26, 1862.

CLARA GARRISS b. @ 1794 N.C. m. James Stanley

- Children;
- | |
|------------------------------------|
| a. Russell Stanley |
| b. Alfred Stanley |
| c. David Stanley |
| d. Gilbert Stanley |
| e. Elizabeth Stanley Dillender |
| f. Matilda Stanley m. Henry Thomas |

We have no birthdates or any other data on this family

NANCY GARRISS b. @ 1796 N.C. ** Ancestor of Virginia & Grace Arnet m. John Stanley Mar. 24, 1814 Muhl. Co. Ky., by B.W. Henderson, d. @ 1844 Ky. Nancy d. 1860/70 Ky.

- Children;
- | | | |
|-------------|-----------|----------------------|
| a. Isaac | b. @ 1816 | m. Mary Ann Williams |
| b. Polly | b. @1817 | m. John Cash |
| c. John Jr. | b. @ 1819 | m. ? |

d. Moses b. @ 1823 m. Lucinda _____?
 e. Mahala b.
 f. Nancy b.
 g. Joseph b. @ 1832 ** see Stanley Family for data.

SIKES GARRIS, JR. b. Feb. 11, 1801 d. Apr. 18, 1864 m. Elizabeth Miller, Dec. 3, 1823 Muhlenberg Co. Ky.

children; (of Sikes, Jr. & Elizabeth) from will

a. Lewis Garriss
 b. James Garriss
 c. Amos Garriss

Also mentioned was Nutley Aretha Campbell and Milly Campbell)

What connection ??? Maybe Steven Miller was the father of Elizabeth Garriss.
 Admin. Steven Miller

File box #7 Saline County, Ill.

Michael Garriss; born Muhlenberg Co. Ky. died will settled 1860

Heirs listed;

James Wilkins	\$100	(m. Abbey Garriss, 22 July 1847, Saline)
J.P. Wilkins	\$ 70	
Charles Garriss	\$ 72	
John Garriss	\$ 72.50	
Elizabeth Garriss	\$ 75	

Elizabeth Garriss (dau. of Sikes, Sr.) m. Adam Stobauh, Ky. We did not search on this family as we are not sure she was Sikes, Sr. dau., In the suit from Ill. Vers. Mary Garriss, the children says they want 1/6 of property and none to widow.

Rebecca Garriss, (dau. of Sikes, b. & m. in Ky.) m. John Hill

*** We found record in Greenville Court house with "Sikes Garriss, Michael Garriss and Rebecca Hill of State of Ill., suing the Court to set aside the widows rights of their father. Stating that she did not live with him in his old age, or take care of him. The Court ruled against them and ordered the Court to set aside her widows portion for her.

For proof of our Ancestor as Nancy Garriss wife of John Stanley we used a land deal in Muhl. court records of land Sikes sold to Nancy & John Stanly and later sold, with Nancy signing her Dower rights. Proving in those days a father only gave those rights to a dau., because we could not find any legal papers stating she was Sikes dau. "The Daughters of the Revolutionary War Soldiers" accepted one Grace Arnett Zanon, Virginia Arnett Korte, both born in Graham, Ky. Also their dau. and nieces.

They would love to put a marker up some place for their "Soldier" but can't find his grave. Maybe a marker could be put up in the Library or the School in Graham. Sikes Garriss, Major Jesse Cates, and Edward Jarvis were noted Soldiers of the War of 1776 and all three lived in Graham, Ky., before 1800 until their deaths.

WAR RECORDS - SIKES GARRIS

Kentucky Pension Rolls # S 13. 130 (7059)

SIKES GARRIS : Muhlenberg, was a Private in the Company under the command of Captain Herring with the Regiment commanded by Colonel Maybin in the North Carolina Line for three years in 1777.

Inscribed on the Rolls of Kentucky for the rate of \$80. per Annum from Mar. 4, 1831. Certificate of Pension issued Feb. 27, 1833, sent to the applicant in Greenville, Ky. Revolutionary Claim Act. June 7, 1832. Recorded by W.L. Williams, Clark Muhl. Co. Book E. Vol. 7 page 10.

Declaration: In order to claim the benefits of the Act of Congress of June 7th 1832, State of Kentucky. Before the Honorable Alney McLean in charge of the Muhlenberg County crt. not setting. Sikes Garriss, a resident of said County and State at age 70 yrs. 15th of Feb. last, who being first duly sworn according to the law, do here on his oath make the following Declaration of June 1832 that he on his faith enlisted in the Army of the United States of America, for 3 yrs. in the year 1777 with Capt. _____ Herring at Kingston, N.C. and served in the 10th

Regiment of the N.C. Line under command of Capt. Benjamin Coleman, Col. _____? Maybin commanded the Reg. He was marched to the North and there put under Regiment, and brigade of General _____? Hogan. He was then marched to Stoney Point and stationed there until the British marched against that place. Then retreated to West Point and stationed there where General Washington lay with his army. By then we had only a half regiment or Battalion. We then retreated up the West Point River. He then was marched by Philadelphia and took shipping at the head of Elk for Charleston, the weather was very cold and the river frozen and we had to take it on foot to Charleston. We arrived to that place before the British attacked it and was there during the siege and was in all the fighting there in defending the city and when Charleston was defeated he was taken prisoner. The Siege as well as he knew lasted 40 days and he was put in what was called the Prison bounds for some time, himself and some others of the prisoners kept at the Isles of Wright some time, then were taken to London. Pourtsmouth and most of the ports of Ireland. The Captain of the ship gave him three chances. 1. to enlist in the British land service. 2. Go on shore live in England. 3. To enter on ship and be a sailor as a prisoner of War. To which I assented. We sailed on the borders of England for some time, touching on the shores of the Irish Coast, from there to French Islands, thence to New York loading ourselves and sailing down to Charleston, then after we discharged our load we reloaded for Saint Augustine, Fla.. One night just before midnight I made my escape with two other prisoners. Went to our home in N.C. after staying with Marions Men for some time. He states that his term of service was nearly out when Charleston surrendered. From the time he made his escape as a prisoner was about six or seven years. He got no discharge papers or that he does not recollect of any other states that he got any aid., or pension. The Evidence in the War Department and the Certificate the Secretary of War Department hereto attached, marked (P) he prays may be taken as part herefore that the pension roll shortly after on account of his having some property (next few lines impossible to read) Something about his like 1/4 insofar as he remembers from Duplin City, N.C. to Muhlenberb County, Ky., the year of 1798). He hereby relinquishes every claim what ever to _____ or an annuity except the present and he declairs that his name is not on the pension roll of any other State afore said. Sworn to and subscribed the day and year aforesaid.

SIKES X GARRIS
his mark

State of Kentucky Muhlenberg Circuit Court August Term, 1832

I, Charles F. Wing, Clerk of the Court for Circuit aforesaid, do here by certify that the foregoing Declaration was this day produced in Court by Sikes Garris, whose name appears subscribed thereto, and who made oath that said Declaration is true to the best of his recollection, which is thereupon ordered Certified accordingly.

In testimony whereof I have here unto set my hand and seal of office this 28th day of Aug. 1832.

signed

C.F. Wing, clerk

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"SIKES GARRIS states that he resides in the County of Muhlenberg in the State of Kentucky., that as well as he now recollects in the year of 1777 his father enlisted in the 10th N.C. Regiment to serve for three years. He does not recollect the name of the Captain he enlisted with., that he took his father's place in a short time after he enlisted that he was marched North and was put under the command of Capt. Benjamin Coleman in the same regiment. He then marched to Charleston and was there taken prisoner by the British and was taken to England by ship, then brought back to New York and then went to Charleston and made his escape and made his way to General Marion's camp and was there until the end of the war.

signed; SIKES X GARRIS
his mark

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"Betsy Garris personally appeared in open court and made an Oath that Benjamin Garris, her late husband, enlisted in the State of North Carolina to serve in the War for three years and that shortly after he enlisted his son SIKES GARRIS took his place and that SIKES GARRIS was gone from home about six years before he returned home and that Sikes Garris has but little money and needs the assistance of his Country in his old age.

signed; BETSEY X GARRIS
her mark

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"Dempsey Westbrook also appeared in Court and made Oath that he knows that Benjamin Garriss, deceased, enlisted to serve for three years in the State of N.C. in the Revolutionary War of 1776 and that shortly after he enlisted, his son Sikes Garriss took his place, and that he was gone from home about six years. He swears that has but little land or money.

signed; DEMPSEY X WESTBROOK
his mark

Source: Washington, D.C. General Services Department Micro film National Archives, Raleigh, N.C.

Sikes Garriss was only about 15 years old when he took his Father's place in the War.

000 Please note this was copied as written from Mrs. Korte. Any errors in facts or spelling, not the responsibility of this paper000

QUERIES

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CAN YOU HELP Mrs. Terra W. Towle, 42383 Proctor Rd., Canton, Michigan 48188 She is apparently related to about half of Muhlenberg County. Those of you who are working on the following families should get in touch with her and find out just how you can help each other;;; CASH, FORRESTER/FORRESTOR, GOSSETT, GREEN, GROVES, JARVIS, LONEY, MERCER, METHENY, MOORE, RANDOLPH, STEWART/STUART, TYSON/TICE/TYCE/TISEN/TISON, UZZEL, WINCENT/VINSON. We know you are out there so get busy.

HELEN REDDING SLOOP, 129 S. Atwater Street, Monmouth, Oregon, 97361 is interested in any information relating to the date of death and place of burial of ELIZABETH (?) Duvall, wife of Benjamin Skinner Duvall, d. 1809 Muhlenberg County. Any information regarding date and place of death of LEWIS DUVALL, oldest son of Benjamin and Elizabeth; as well as MARGARET "PEGGY" (Putler) DUVALL, wife of Lewis, and daughter of Nathaniel Butler, Bedford Co., Va.. Was she related to Collier Butler of Todd County???. Will gladly exchange information on these.

MRS. LENNIE C. DENNIS, Route #4 Box #122, Lewisburg, Ky. 42256, would like some help on ROBERT and DAVID ROBERTSON who m. MARY and RACHAEL DENNIS (dau.s of John Dennis) in Logan Co., 15 May 1798. Mary and Rachael b. in Ga. Robert and David may have been, but not sure.

Our dues are still just \$6.00 per year.

We would like our members to contribute more material to be used in the Heritage. We also welcome your suggestions as to what you would like to read in the Heritage.

We will use your Bible records. Perhaps you have some interesting history about your ancestor, who was an early settler in Muhlenberg, or who was born in Muhlenberg County of pioneer parents.

We would also like to run some ANCESTOR CHARTS. Please include as many generations as you have proven. You never know, maybe some of these charts will give some one else that long lost missing link. We are still searching for a chart suitable to use here, so we welcome your suggestions.

To figure the birth date from information in a death date- .. Example; Eliz. Doe d. 27 Dec. 1859 aged 51 yrs. 5 mo. 15 days.

you subtract thus;

27	12	1859
12	5	51
12	7	1808

If numbers are reversed for the days and months, such as aged 51 yrs. 5 mos. 27

days, you would have to figure the day of the month the old way or simply back-tracking. Hope this helps some of our new researchers.

Another hint to our new researchers; Be sure to record the source of your information. Many times we read something, then later remember it may fit in our records, but can't use it because we simply do not have the source.

From the "OKLAHOMA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY QUARTERLY" we copied the following:
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STATE OF WISCONSIN vs BEATRICE BAYLEY

Early this year the State of Wisconsin, Office of Consumer Protection brought suit against Beatrice Bayley, Inc. The following quote is the press release of August 1, 1985, report the outcome of the court case. For further information, contact Assistant Attorney General Barbara W. Tuerkheimer; Wisconsin Department of Justice; 123 West Washington Avenue; Madison, Wisconsin 53707. Telephone 608-266-3187.

MADISON -- Attorney General Bronson C. LaFollette announced today that Beatrice Bayley, Inc., which publishes the "FAMILY HERITAGE BOOK" of alleged genealogies, has been ordered to pay a \$1,500 Civil forfeiture for violating a 1980 consent judgment.

= The State Justice Department's Office of Consumer Protection brought the action against the Sterling, Pa. Co.

Dane County Circuit Judge Richard Bardwell Ordered the forfeiture and also ordered the company not to call it's publication a "FAMILY HERITAGE BOOK". Bayley was ordered not to indicate that she herself worked on tracing personal genealogies.

Bardwell called statements from the solicitation card, which the defendant mailed to Wisconsin residents, grossly misleading and clear violations of the 1980 consent order.

Bayley has solicited orders for the \$30. Family Heritage Book by mass mailing postcards. The solicitation claimed Bayley, a retired school teacher, had spent thousands of dollars and hundreds of hours researching 70 million families.

The book consists of list of people with the same surname compiled from telephone books and driver registration lists. Part of the book provides advise on do-it-yourself genealogy.

Experts testified the book is no more than a starting point for anyone interested in family history. Witnesses for the state testified the book was not what they expected and that the computer lists of names were incomplete and useless for family tracing.

!!!!!! SO BE FORE*WARNED and remember you read it here!!!!!!

BORN IN VIRGINIA ????

I found this little "tid-bit" in Childress Chatter, Huffman, Texas

Any reference made to a person having been born in Birginia as early as 1728 or as late as 1863, could indicate that he or she was born in ;

Any part of Illinois from 1781 to Statehood, 1818
Any part of Indiana from 1787 to Statehood, 1816
Any part of Kentucky from 1775 to Statehood, 1792
Any part of Maryland from 1775 to Statehood, 1792
Any part of North Carolina from 1728 to Statehood 1779
Any part of Ohio from 1778 to Statehood, 1803
Any part of Pennsylvania from 1752 to Statehood 1786
Any part of Tennessee from 1760 to Statehood 1786
Any part of West Virginia from 1769 to Statehood 1863

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We begin here the names of heads of households living in Christian County as recorded in the Census of 1840. As in the past, only the names and reel page are given. If a researcher finds a name of interest, he or she will need to go to the microfilm to get the complete family record.

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Starling, Samuel M.
Palmer, Alpheus
Boatwright, David
Hawley, Rosanna G.
Tennery, Silvester T.
Price, William E.
Scates, Joseph
Gant, Archibald
Buckner, James
Ducker, James
Ducker, Thomas
Morton, Peter F.
Moore, William H.
Wood, John H.
Hawks, Thomas J.
Montgomery, Francis G.
Rowland, Reuben
Wood, Jesse C.
Ashford, Harrison
Buck, Thomas M.
Campbell, Benjamin S.
Buckner, John
Bradshaw, Edward
Lambeth, Cary W.
Harrison, William
Lovier, Richard M.
McCluer, John M.
Bobb, James
Trover, David
Harrison, Samuel

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Wortham, William
Guinn, Mary N.
Lottspitch, Nancy
Gawin, Margaret D.
Wheatly, Robert C.
Phelps, John H.
Gray, Ninian E.
Cooper, Jacob
Dunevan, Timothy
Rumsey, James D.
Poindexter, George
Carnahan, Margress (?) T.
Greenfield, Burgess
Dunnington, Elizabeth
Hall, Adison F.
White, Francis F.
Buckner, Richard
Stevenson, Edward
Trice, Tandy R.
Holeman, Leander D.
Hopson, Susan
Short, Robert H.
Garvin (?) Harrison
Overshiner, Gideon
Banks, David
O'Neill, Andrew
Guinn, Robert
Ewing, Lucetia
Locker, Nancy B.
Long, Lucy

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Talbott, William S.
Moore, James
Clark, Thomas P.
Torian, Robertson T.

Majors, Charles H.
Thompson, George O.
Stiles, Abraham (Stites?)
Buck, Collett
Hays, Daniel S.
Lindsay, Lunsford
Bryan, John
Boyd, Coleman
Latham, Robert T.
Hawkins, Strother J.
Goodall, Alexander
McCarroll, John
Wheatly, Francis F.
Underwood, Nathan
Woolridge, Powhatan
Landes, Isaac
Venable, George
Clopton, Reuben F.
Webber, Augustin
Coleman, James
Powell, Jesse
Smith, Henry -(?)
Corbin, Nathan
Coleman, Hardin H.
Steele, John H.
Glass, Zachariah

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Sharp, Fidella C.
Hooser, David J.
Harmer (?) William C.
Torian, Jacob
Garnett, Anthony
Kinkead, Guy
Mushon (?) Eli T.
Allen, Samuel
Preston, Susan
Barker, Ann R.
Campbell, John J.
Harding, Dexter
Johnston, Martha
Edgar, Squire L.
Murrell, William
Higgins, Edward
Glass, David
Giddinge, George P.
Reeves, William
Ward, George
Williamson, John
Crockett, Joseph B.
Sasseen, William
Piatt, Margaret
Gibson, Preston
Smith, John
Ford, Phillip C.
Starling, William
Lakin, Charlott
Patton, Elizabeth
Courtney (?), John

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Harrison, Robert
Harrison, John J.
Greenwood, William M.
White, Francis B.
Mulkey, Isaac
Hobbs, Benedict H.
McGee, John
Wright, Robert T.
Watson, Young E.

Golladay, Samuel
Gunn, Elisha
Hamilton, William
Watson, Samuel B.
Lawrence (?) Robert L.
Scott, Eli
Anglin, Hezekiah
Sullenger, James
Bacon, Charles A.
Franklin, Rowland
Torian, Andrew
Davis, Asher C.
Cary, Nathaniel
McKenzie, William W.
Girand, E. L.
Fort, McCajah (MicaJah?)
Bennison (?) Moses
Pickins, Andrew H.
Thaston, John (Thornton?)
Ezell, Gillam
Willson, Abel C.

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Lewis, Edgecomb S.
Farmer, Jeremiah
Goley, Elizabeth
Ezell, Slaughter
Stanford, Elizabeth
Ezell, William
Ezell, Gillum
Davinsport, Lucy H.
Armstrong, Andrew
Buck, (Bink?) Quinton A.
Buck, (Bink?) Thompson
Joiner, Thomas
Burk, Samuel
Gibson, Pitman
Farmer, Alexander
Farmer, George W.
Hester, Serene
Crews, Josiah
Hester, Eliza S.
Hester, Archibald P.
Atkinson, Thomas
Hester, Samuel
White, Samuel B.
Ross, Eli
Edwards, Nicholas M.
Gillum, James
Cromwell, Oliver
Rogers, John J.
Harvey, Joel
Crews, Alexander
Fort, James D.

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Hill, Garland
Enlow, James
Northington, William
Henry, Thomas
Casky, Robert
Jones, Wiley B.
Watson, William
Lofftus, George
Elgin, William
Tailor, Dickson M.
Hill, John
Bell, Rebecca
Sally (a free woman of color)

McLaughlin, Sally
Reeves, Brewer
(same agent for Lydia
Reeves)
McDermott, James
Means, Samuel A.
Long, Gabriel B.
Ship, William
Carpenter, Larkin
Pearce, John
Webster, George S.
Morris, John
Wood, Bartholomew T.
Fort, Laben T.
Thacker, Holt
Harris, John T.
Stevenson, James Y.
Lewis, Robert

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Higgins, Robert
McDaniel, John
Thompson, James
Adams, James
Boone, Nester W.
Majors, James M.
Western, William W.
Coleman, Thomas
Baker, Elison C.
Western, George
West, Clabourn D.
Adamson, Wilson
Boyd, Hardy
Thomas, Charles
Tailor, Calvin W.
Landes, Israel
Anderson, Josiah
Boatwright, Richard
Elliott, Rezin
Barnett, James T.
Worthington, John T.
Anderson, David
Pigeon, John R.
Simmons, John
Ellis, Nicholas M.
Ellis, Ira I.
Tetterington, Joseph
Major, Uriah
Major, Howard
Seargent, John G.

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Davie, Ambrose
Avery, Edward
Leavell, William A.
Hornbuckle, Franklin
Thomas, Isaac G.
Tribble (?) George W.
Fox, George W.
Darnal, William
Brame, Henry
Giles, Jesse
Ewing, Sophia G.
Hutchinson, Joseph
Hutchinson, James
Brown, Richard A.
Brame, (Beame?) Richins
Brame, (Beame?) James
Oliver, John
Hancock, Lewis
Kinzell, David
Hargis, Alfred
Sherril, Hugh B.
Shephard, Charles A.
Gregory, Thomas

Cates, Soloman
Scott, Thomas
Steger, James R.
Young, John
Owsley, Hans (?) P.
Casey, William (Cayce?)
Spencer, William O.

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Weathers, Abigail
Ford, Robert
Adams, Benjamin
Casey, Pleasant (Cayce?)
Sherril, Jacob
Long, Robert F.
Long, John C.
Thomason, Joel
Stevenson, John T.
Howell, Thomas
Davis, William L.
Dyer, Joseph
Malone, Mary
Coleman, James W.
Stevenson, Margarette
Payne, John L.
Davis, Henry J.
Stevenson, William L.
Shepherd, William
Scott, William C.
Munday, Henderson
Scott, Spencer
Jones, Robert
Mallory, Stephen
Bradshaw, Jesse
Ford, John
Covington, John L.
McGee, Sarah
McGee, James, Sr.
McGee, James, Jr.

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Clark, Ronall (?)
Wyatt, Henry
Herndon, Henry
Davis, Thomas
Moore, James S.
Morris, John J.
Torian, William
Tailor, Joshua
Tailor, Uriah
Rose, (?) John
Davis, David F.
Gee, Anderson
Degraffenreed, William
Pinckano (?) Richard A.
Worthington, Samuel
Torian, Jacob
Rose, Richard
Mallory, Thomas
Seay, Ann
Johnston, James
Neal, Nelson
Ottison, William
Merrill, Malcum
Rees, James
Tuck, Davis G.
Lacy, William S.
Lacy, Henry B.
Carter, Flemming
Cooper, John
Ferguson, Ane

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Lacy, John L
Walker, Elizabeth

Thacker, James
Baynum, Joseph
Chester, Henry
Reeves, William
Griffey, William
Griffey, George
Gholson, James
Cairy, Henry (Cary?)
Wills, John L.
Brewer (?), Thomas
Titterington, Adam
Minton, William
Gantier, David
King, George
Rickmon, John
Puckett, Isaac
Craig, William
Gillum, James
Chapel, Samuel
Wills, John
Watson, Henry P.
Jones, Albert L.
Chilton, Lynus (?)
White, Samuel
Frome, John
Gailbreath, Henry
Woodson, Miller
Wills, George

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Hunt, John J.
Flemmings, John
Metcalf, John C.
Whitfield, Needham
Brame, David
Poor, William
Anderson, Robert T.
Radford, Charles W.
Leavell, Benjamin
Moore, Jefferson
Radford, Miles G.
Steger, Samuel
Bradshaw, Carter L.
Puckett, Elijah
Jones, Davenport
Means, William, Sr.
Whitlock, John R.
Finley, John P.
West, Drewry (Drury?)
Vaughn, Benjamin W.L.
Hendron, Edmund G.
Woodson, Judith A.
Venable, Abraham
Hunt, Lion
Hunt, James M.
Quarles, Garrett M.
Thomas, John J.
White, Richard G.
Poindexter, John
Wooton, David C.

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Atkinson, Lewis, Jr.
Wootson, John C.
Reeves, Thomas
Pool, Burgess
Young, Henry
Moore, John M.
Poindexter, Nicholas J.
Gilmore, Nicholas M.
Parish, David W.
Hazelwood, Robert J.
Leavell, Levington L.
Gordon, Samuel
Ware, Edmund

Chen (?) William
McGuire, Thomas T.
Hopkins, Samuel
Fletcher, James
Clardy, John C.
Boggs, Robert
Bell, John F.
Peay, Austin
Wyatt, Richard N.
Moore, James W.
Kittlebrew, George W.
Waggoner, Patton R.
Radford, Benjamin
Garrott, Isaac
Burton, John H.
Garrott, Pleasant B.
Radford, Benjamin P.

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Lewis, Silvester
Walker, William
Holland, Shardy A.
Kelly, Benjamin
Coleman, George W.
Jasper, James
Waugh, Mary
Wilcox, Pleasant
Clark, James
Jones, William D.
Moss, Joel F.
Ellison, James
Hadon, John
Cox, Betsy
Latham, Rufus K.
Mills, C.W. & J.H.
Gregory, Isham
Boyd, William R.
Campbell, William
Carmmack, George
Downey, Mathew H.
Rickerson, Sarah (Richerson)
Payne, Nancy
Hubbard, John
Bernard (?), William V.
Adams, John
Casey, Elizabeth (Cayce?)
Berry, John
Lewn, Andrew
Tandy, Charles M.

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Avent (?), William
Gerry (Gary?) William B.
Adams, Nathan
Radford, Josiah G.
Weaver, Sarah B.
Spencer, James
Radford, John N.
Buckner, Francis W.
Campbell, Thomas P.
Steger, William M.
Radford, John B.
Radford, William
Simpson, James
Lloyd, Ezekiel
Baugh, John
Vaughan, William
Radford, Benjamin G.
Atkinson, Gregory B.
Young, John B.
Burt, William
Grisham, Archibald
Boyd, Drewry
Green, Edward H.
Ricketts, Hezekiah

Kelly, James H.
Means, Henry H.
Ducker (?) William
Cheaney, Joseph M.
Brink (?), Noah
Wooton, William

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Stapp, Willis
Radford, Joseph A.
Radford, Johnston
Settle, Josiah
Cannon, John M.
Wolf, Phillip
Henry, William
Landes, John S.
McComb, Jesse
Harrison, Davis
Torian, Jacob
Bradshaw, Albert
Jones, Albert G.
Cornelius, Levi
Torian, George L.
Scates, Isaac C.
Summers, William A.
Overby, Ludwell
Rogers, Jane
Rogers, Arnold
Rogers, Robert
Pool, Allen P.
Perry, Hardy
Childers, James
Colley, William
Mitcherson, William
Davis, William
Faulkner, James
Champion, Henry W.

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Wiggington, John B.
Lampton, James J.
Payne, Jesse
Tally, David
Price, Robert
Payne, Lewis P.
Faulkner, Richard C.
Roberts, Edward J.
Luckie (?), Joseph F.
Clark, John
Hook, Elijah
Matlock, David
Mason, Charles B.
Bradshaw, Benjamin
Kelly, Joseph
Kelly, Edwin F.
Whitfield, George N.
Brown, James L.
Boyd, John
Messemore, George
Messemore, Jacob
Keys, Stephen
Keys, Margaret H.
Hawkins, Benjamin F.
Watkins, Samuel
McCord, David J.
Hawkins, James W.
Henderson, William
Morris, Jacob
Moore, Hiram

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Thompson, John
Cato, Wiley C.
Sizemore, William
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Cato, Nathan
Bradly, William S.
Sasseen, Alexander N.
Howard, Francis
Walker, Daniel
Clark, James C.
O'Neill, Bryant
Waddill, Noah
Turner, Joseph
Coleman, William
Puckett, William
Turner, Robert
Harris, William
McWaters, Washington
Brockman, Charles J.
Fletcher, Archibald D.
Merriwether, Garrett
Dabney, Samuel H.
Clark, Henry
Thomas, Robert
Park, Dabney J.
Gailbreath, Duncan
McCrae, Alexander
Beasley, James
Rain (?) Katharine
Gordon, Joseph
Carsley, Seth

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Smith, George M.
Coleman, Thomas W.
Cockeril, John
Willis, Robert G.
Allensworth, Henrietta
Allensworth, Philip G.
White, Thomas
Williams, John L.
Walker, Abraham
Miller, James
Campbell, James
Pendleton, James A.
Winan, George
Rollins, John T.
Dickinson, Joseph S.
Snelson (?) William R.
Pettus, John
Bayly, George
Galbreath, Grissella
Knuckolls, John P.
Flack, Andrew B.
Carneal, Josiah
Allensworth, John T.
Sissel, John
Ferguson, Carroll
Smith, John C.
Allensworth, James
Grubbs, Jesse
Carpenter, Newton
Simmons, Thomas

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Moore, John
Fortson, William H.
Harrison, Robert
Lundermon, John
Beck, Jesse
Carneal, Walker
Rothwell, Joseph H.
Evans, Isaac
Willis, Clark
Wisdom, Richard J. (?)
Harmon, Ann L.
Garnett, Eldrid B.
Collett, Calmes
Minner (Mimms?) Daniel

These birth records found at the Court House were signed by C.C. Vincent

(1) no date (2) Atherton, Russell T. (3) M (4) A (5) Central City (6) W.P. Atherton (7) Mabel Tappan (8) W (9) Central City (10) blank (11) blank
 (1) 28 Nov. 1908 (2) Davis, Rita May (3) F (4) A (5) Central City (6) T.E. Davis
 (7) Sallie Richardson (8) W (9) Central City (10) blank (11) blank
 (1) 9 Oct. 1908 (2) Morgan, Mary E. (3) F (4) A (5) Central City (6) T.T. Morgan
 (7) Nettie Howerton (8) W (10) Central City (11) blank
 (1) 30 Oct 1908 (2) Wickliff, Ruddof (3) M (4) A (5) Central City (6) Faves Wickliff (7) Adcock (8) W (9) Muhlenberg (10) Muhlenberg (11) blank
 (1) 20 Sept 1907 (2) Vick, T.C. (3) M (4) A (5) Central City (6) T.R. Vick (7) L.A. C. ? (8) W (9) Central City (10) blank (11) blank
 (1) 17 Apr. 1908 (2) Wootton, Armilda (3) F (4) A (5) Central City (6) A.F. Wootton (7) Edith Brooks (8) W (9) Muhlenberg (10) Muhlenberg (11) blank
 (1) 17 Apr. 1908 (2) Muhphy, Thomas R. (3) M (4) A (5) Central City (6) T.W. Murphy (7) Winnie Greenwood (8) W (9) Tn. (10) Muhlenberg (11) Central City
 (1) 29 Apr. 1908 (2) Richardson, Bernice (3) F (4) A (5) Central City (6) T.R. Richardson (7) Nora Sharp (8) W. (9) Tn. (10) Muhlenberg (11) Central City
 (1) 23 Feb. 1908 (2) Williams, Eula May (3) F (4) A (5) Central City (6) Jesse Williams (7) Laura Watkins (8) W (9) Tn. (10) Muhlenberg (11) Central City
 (1) 30 Dec. 1907 (2) Edwards, Adaline (3) F (4) A (5) Central City (6) C. V. Edwards (7) Francis Ruffin (8) W (9) Tn. (10) Muhlenberg (11) Central City
 (1) 25 Feb. 1908 (2) Vincent, Mary Agnes (3) F (4) A (5) Central City (6) C.D. Vincent (7) Ada Ross (8) W (9) Tn. (10) Muhlenberg (11) Central City
 (1) 4 Mar. 1908 (2) Downs, Walter R. (3) M (4) A (5) Central City (6) J.O. Downs
 (7) Alice Sharp (8) W. (9) Tn. (10) Muhlenberg (11) Central City
 (1) 30 Apr. 1908 (2) Riley, Loretta (3) F (4) A (5) Central City (6) John Riley
 (7) Eller Chish (8) W. (9) Blank (10) Bland (11) blank
 (1) 18 July 1908 (2) Dennison, Not named (3) F (4) A (5) Central City (6) J.A. Dennison (7) Eula Johnson (8) W (9) Muhlenberg (10) Ohio Co. (11) blank
 (1) 8 Apr. 1908 (2) Johnson, Mildred (3) F (4) A (5) Central City (6) Jess Johnson (7) Eula Hodge (8) W (9) Muhlenberg (10) Butler Co. (11) blank
 (1) 13 May 1908 (2) Edwards, Pauline (3) F (4) A (5) Central City (6) Phil Edwards (7) Nell Brown (8) W (9) cant read (10) blank (11) blank
 (1) 6 Sept. 1908 (2) Landrum, Beulah (3) F (4) A (5) Central City (6) Joe Landrum (7) Onice Armour (8) W (9) Blank (10) blank (11) blank
 (1) 28 Dec. 1908 (2) Chandler, Flosy (3) F (4) A (5) Central City (6) John Chandler (7) Effie Neal (8) W (9) blank (10) blank (11) blank
 (1) 3 Dec. 1908 (2) House, Jim (3) M (4) A (5) Central City (6) J.M. House (7) Pearl Craig (8) W (9) blank (10) blank (11) blank
 (1) 7 June 1908 (2) Mitchell, Margie (3) F (4) A (5) Central City (6) Alex Mitchell (7) Bertha Roux (8) W (9) Scotland (10) France (11) blank
 (1) 13 Aug. 1908 (2) Cook, Robert E. (3) M (4) A (5) South Carrollton (6) R.B. Cook (7) Mary Rowan (8) W (9) blank (10) blank (11) blank
 (1) 23 Nov. 1908 (2) Blacklock, Mary (3) F (4) A (5) South Carrollton (6) J.O. Blacklock (7) Clona Finch (8) W (9) blank (10) blank (11) blank
 (1) Nov. 1908 (2) Priddy, Nellie (3) F (4) A (5) South Carrollton (6) M.E. Priddy (7) Rock (8) W (9) blank (10) blank (11) blank
 (1) 20 Oct. 1907 (2) Whitson, Gertrude (3) F (4) A (5) Graham (6) John Whitson (7) la Cornelius (8) W (9) blank (10) blank (11) blank
 7 Feb. 1908 (2) Saulsbury, Verlina (3) F (4) A (5) Graham (6) Brand Saulsbury (7) lente Taylor (8) B (9) Muhlenberg (10) Ohio Co. (11) blank

These three signed by T.R. Howell did not have the year. But is prior to 1911, and probably about 1910

(1) 10 Dec. ? (2) Walker, not named (3) M (4) A (5) Graham (6) J.W. Walker (7) Annie Safurnia Jarvis (8) W (9) Christian Co. (10) Muhlenberg (11) Graham
 (1) 11 Dec. ? (2) Stafferd, not named (3) F (4) A (5) Graham (6) Albert Stafferd (7) Lizzie Trusley (8) W (9) cant't read (10) Muhlenberg (11) Graham
 (1) 7 Jan. ? (2) Oldham, not named (3) F (4) A (5) Graham (6) Jessie Oldham (7) Delia Oldham (8) W (9) Hopkins Co. (10) Christian Co. (11) Graham

This sheet is signed by T.R. Howell, Graham Ky. and again the year not listed

(1) 25 Jan. ? (2) Brown, Not named (3) M (4) A (5) Graham (6) W.P. Brown (7) Addie Whitfield (8) W (9) Coffe, Tn. (10) Ky. (11) blank
 (1) 6 Feb. ? (2) Vincent, not named (3) M (4) A (5) Graham (6) A.W. Vincent (7) Delia Vincent (8) W (9) McLean Co. (10) Muhlenberg Co. (11) Graham
 (1) 11 Feb. ? (2) Stone, not named (3) F (4) A (5) Graham (6) Elmer Stone (7) Lena Tooley (8) W (9) Muhlenberg (10) Central City (11) Hillside, Ky.
 (1) 1 Mar. ? (2) Revler, not named (3) F (4) A (5) Graham (6) James Revler (7) Lena Vick (8) W (9) Muhlenberg (10) Muhlenberg (11) Graham

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We continue here Mrs. Marion Hammers abstracts from Early Muhlenberg County Court Order Books.

260. Jan. 30 1837 Stephen Wilcox (who produced a writing from his mother, consenting thereto) was app. Adm. to est. of James Wilcox with Wiley Hayes and William Robinson his security bond of \$200. Ordered that William Robinson & Wiley Hayes, Alfred Moorehead & John Salmon were the committee app. to the est.

260. Jan. 30, 1837 At the request of Susannah Sloan the clk. of the court binds James Sloan to Lewis McCown for 4 years to learn the art & trade of Blacksmith.

260. Jan. 30, 1837 On the motion of Henry Glenn & it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, by the oaths of James Sharp & Hetty Sharp, late Hetty Glenn, & wife of Samuel Sharp, Andrew Glenn, James Glenn, Nancy Glenn & Henry Glenn, the children & heirs of Rosannah Glenn, late Rosannah Sharp, dec'd & wife of Henry Glenn, the said Rosannah being one of the children of Robert Sharp, dec'd.

261. Jan. 30, 1837. Mary Moore, widow & relict of John Moore, dec'd Comm. App. to appraise the dec'd est. were; Joseph C. Reynolds, Hutson Martin, Richard Thompson.

262. Jan. 30, 1837 Wesley M. Calvert app. Admr. to est of Bennet G. Calvert dec'd, (with the will annexed) with Richard Calvert, Edward Rumsey, J.P. Bodine, Adlai Boyd, William Kittenger & L.R. Reno, his sec. 6000 cc bond. The Comm: Paschal L. Townes, Richard Webb, Jesse Ellison, & George W. Walker.

261. Jan. 30, 1837 The Court doth app. Henry Glenn, adm. to James S. Glenn, Nancy Glenn, & Henry Glenn, children of said Henry Glenn & orphans of Rosannah Glenn, dec'd late Rosannah Sharp, with James Sharp his sec. \$1000 bond.

263. Mar. 27, 1837 Jesse McPherson exempt from paying Co. Levies in the future because he is very old & Infirm.

263. Mar. 27 1837 William F. Stewart App. admr. to estate of Daniel Stewart Dec'd. (who produced a Certificate in writing from Pherba Stewart, widow & relict of Daniel Stewart, dec'd) with Alfred Morehead & Lewis Watkins his sec. bond; \$1200. — Bryan C. Bennett, Charles Tyler, Lewis Watkins & Charles Morehead were the app. of est.

263. Mar. 27, 1837 Daniel Plain app. Admr. of est. Of Susannah Kittinger, dec'd with Jesse Ross, Jacob Gish & John W. Kittinger, his sec. bond of \$600. — Martin Kittinger, Ralph Vickers, Wm. Moore & Amos Ray were the App. of the — est.

263. Mar. 27, 1837 Jesse Forehand app. Admr. to est. of David Forehand, dec'd with Jesse Barefield & Sampson Bethel his sec. \$600. bond — Isaac Ingram, Samuel Eades & Jesse Barefield were the Comm. app. to appraise est of the dec'd.

263. Mar. 27, 1837 William Uzzle, orp. of Thomas Uzzle made choice of Bailes E. Oates as his gdn. with John S. Atkinson & Gilbert Clark his sec. \$500. bond.

268. Mar. 27, 1837 Wesley M. Calvert app. gdn to Angeline A. Calvert, Orp. of Bennet G. Calvert dec'd, with Thomas Irvin his Sec. \$700 .. Also Wesley M. Calvert app. gdn to Mary E. Calvert orp. of B.G. Calvert-- 2nd also to Reuben C. Calvert, orp. of B. G. Calvert.

269. Apr. 24, 1837 Malinda Kittinger made choice of Joseph L. McLaughlin as her gdn.

274. Apr. 24, 1837 Yang J. Cravens app. curator to est. of Mrs. Harriet H.E. Cravens, dec'd which has descended to him & the other heirs of said Harriet. Now in the hands of Gallop D. Elkins of Christian Co. Ky. With Vachel L. Dillingham & John W. Johnson his sec. \$2000. bond.

275. June 26, 1837 Upon the motion of John Hunt (the widow being present & consenting thereto) Certificate is granted him to be admr. to est. of John Wilcox dec'd with David Fleming, Martin Blain, & Gesham Daves, his sec. \$500. bond — Bryan Y. Cundiff, John Campfield, Daniel Williams & Isaac Woods, the app't.

279. July 31, 1837 Esram Hendrix is app. Admr. to est. of Jacob R. Hendrix, dec'd with James Hendrix his sec. \$300 bond Benjamin Coffman, Peter Johnson, Benjamin Hinkle & Peter Shaver, were the app.

279. July 31, 1837 Peter Shaver app. Adms. to est. of Andrew Shaver, dec'd (the widows consent being filed in writing). with Benjamin Coffman, Jr. Daniel Plain his sec. \$800. bond. Ordered that Benjamin Coffman, sr. Jacob & John Whitmer & George Gish, app. the est. of the dec'd.

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The following Obits from a scrap book. They do not include the date, however we are certain they are after 1900 and can be verified with public records.

R.A. DENNIS, 81 dies at his home at Depoy, 10:30 a.m., Fri, January 31. Funeral services were conducted at the home at 1:30 p.m. the following afternoon, by the Rev. A.D. Lewis. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery here. Surviving Mr. Dennis are his wife; One son, Rufus Dennis, of Greenville, and one daughter, Mrs. Albert Jer-nigan, of near Greenville. ((Editor's note: Robert Alney Dennis was son of Alney McLean Dennis, (uncle Mac) grandson of Abraham Dennis and great grandson of Pioneer John Dennis.)))))

WELL KNOWN MAN DIES AT HIS HOME: LeRoy Craig, of the Graham Community, succumbs after an extended illness. LeRoy Craig, 73, a well known citizen of the Graham community, died at his home at 11:30 a.m. last Saturday, following a long illness. Funeral services were conducted at the Graham Baptist Church at 3 p.m. last Sunday by the Rev. John Grady. Burial was in the cemetery at Yeargin's Chapel church, with Masonic rites. Mr. Craig is survived by his widow and the following children: Howard Adlai Craig, Miss Velma Craig and George Craig, all of Graham; Urey Craig, of Birmingham, Ala.; Sam Craig, of Russell, Kans.; Mrs. Lonnie Bryan of Central City; Mrs. Guy Williams, of Akron, Ohio; and Mrs. Otis Craig, of Charlotte, N.C..

JAMES D EADES, formerly of this city, died at his home at Sacramento at 9 O'clock Thursday morning of blood poisoning, said to have been caused by the trimming of a corn. Several days ago he removed to an Owensboro hospital, and an amputation of his foot planned, but never performed. When it was found the operation could not be performed safely, he was taken back to his home.

Mr. Eades operated the Old Inn Hotel here for several years. He left here last Sept. after disposing of his hotel business.

We still have a few copies of 1870 Muhl. Co. Census, the Index to 1985 Heritage.

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