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THE GATES FAMILY

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Verdie is the one living at Lewisburg. After James H. Cain died, Sarah E. Stinson Cain married Finis Lear and had three more children, Charlie, Leslie and Bessie who married Seymore McElwain.

Joseph Riley and Callie Cain Gates lived their entire lives in Todd and Muhlenberg Co., Although Mom and Aunt Allie say he went to Il., for a short time, probably before he married. Both are buried at Joines Chapel Cemetery. He was never known by any name except Riley Gates. Even his children did not know his first name was Joseph. He is also listed in Rothert's History of Muhlenberg County as just Riley Gates.

Joseph Riley and Callie Cain Gates children:

Arbee (Beadie)	born	11 May	1893	m. Sylvester Sweeney	
Allie	"	7 Dec.	1894	m. Frank Skipworth	
Henry	"	5 July	1896	m. Gladys Clacke	d Dec. 1981
Elvina (Ellie)	"	Dec.	1898	m. Bilson Mayes	d Dec. 1982
Eunice	"	June	1901	m. Garfield Joines	d. 1956
Herbert	"	Mar.	1903	m. Mayme Lear	d. 1977
Criller (Cried)	"	15 Mar.	1905	m. Ernest Sears	
Chester	"	29 Sep.	1908	m. Helene Gary	
Alpha Mae	"	15 Oct.	1914	m. Harold Sweeney (my parents)	

Alpha M. Gates, the ninth and youngest child of J. Riley and Calla Cain Gates married 18 Feb. 1932, Muhlenberg Co. to Harold B. Serrney, born same county 28 June 1915. Son of Noah B. and Carrie Whitlow Sweeney. Noah was the son of Burgess Sweeney who came to Muhlenberg Co. 1852 from Smith Co. Tn. His wife was Nancy McClelland, daughter of Samuel McClelland. Burgess proceeded to populate Muhlenberg Co. with Sweeneys. No matter how they spell their name, the Sweeneys in Muhlenberg are decedents of Burgess (Bird) Sweeney.

Carrie Whitlow Sweeney was the daughter of Francis and Matilda Scarborough Whitlow of Logan Co. Ky. Francis was the son of Elliott and Nancy Thompkins Whitlow of Russell Co. Va. Matilda was the daughter of Jesse H. and Lucinda Callaway Scarborough also of Logan Co. Ky.

Harold B. and Alpha Gates Sweeney lived on the Sweeney place and tried their hand at farming until Carrie Sweeney died. They moved to Il. in 1942 --going by train to Madison Co. Il. Harold Sweeney died Monroe Co. Il. Mar. 1985. Alpha Gates Sweeney died Madison Co. Il. Oct. 11, 1986.

Harold and Alpha Gates Sweeney Children:

Melba L born 9 Jan. 1933 m. David B. Bailey (compiler of this)
 James H. " 10 Dec. 1937 Drowned 1947 (bur. Joines Chapel)
 Margaret A. " 21 Dec. 1939 m. Richard Buente
 Noah Elvis " 24 Jan. 1941 m. Wanda Black

Melba L. Sweeney, eldest child of Harold and Alpha Gates Sweeney, married 12 Oct. 1957, David B. Bailey at Shawneetown, Il. David is the son of Samuel M. and Maggie L. Osborn Bailey of Damascus, Ark. Samuel was the son of Stephen and Nancy E. Thomas Bailey of Floyd Co. Ga. Maggie L. was daughter of Daniel and Mary Shepherd Osborn of Jackson Co. Tn.. During the Civil War Stephen Bailey fought for the confederacy and Daniel Osborn for the Union. Daniel is buried in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, St. Louis, Mo.

Our Children:

David A. Bailey born Bond Co. Il. 2 May 1961 m. Jacque Upchurch
 Tracy Lynn Bailey " " " " 19 Sep. 1963 single
 Margaret A. Sweeney m. Richard Buente, 1 July 1960 Madison Co. Il.

Two Children:

Randall born Madison Co. Il. 1 Sep. 1962
 Ronnie A. " " " " 5 Aug. 1964 m. Tracey Coleman 1985

Noah Elvis and Wanda Black Sweeney married 29 June 1961 Madison Co. Il.

Four Children:

Debra born 22 Mar. 1962
 Michael " 15 Dec. 1964
 Mark " 28 Feb. 1967 married and has one child
 Kelley " 2 Sep. 1970

I have put this information together primarily for the Chester Gates family reunion held every year during July or August. Last year 1985 was the first time I had attended the reunion. I hope to be able to make it an annual event, because I sure enjoyed last year. I also hope to get to know some of you better, although I laughed and told someone, that I wasn't looking live relatives, only dead ones..... Seriously tho, some of the family members that attend this reunion are getting on in years. One day some of them won' make it.

I hope to put all our family history in book form sometime within the next three to five years. I am still looking for some information, such as a marriage record for John Gates, and was he the same man that died in N.C. around 1850. My research on the Jenkins and Stinson families is pretty

well complete. Am still researching Cain family, as well as my Sweeney line, that include families of Whitlow, Wells, Dukes and Scarbroughs. If you know of anyone connected with these families, please have them contact me. I need birth, marriage, and death dates, to whom married and names of children. Your co-operation will be greatly appreciated. Your Cousin Melba Sweeney Bailey, 413 Dearborn, Apt. #9 Hillsboro, Il. 62049.

PEDIGREE CHART for Melba Sweeney Bailey (her father's line)

Melba Sweeney Bailey, b. 9 Jan. 1933 (Muhlenberg Co. ?) m. David B. Bailey
 Harold Bernard Sweeney, b. 28 June 1915 Muhl. Co. m. 17 Feb. 1932 d. 1 Mar. 1985
 Alpha Mae Gates, b. 15 Oct. 1914 Muhl. d.
 Noah Bernard Sweeney, b. 1871 Muhl. Co. m. 17 Oct. 1907, Ky. d. 1922
 Carrie Agnes Whitlow, b. 1878 Logan Co. d. Nov. 1937 Muhl. Co.
 Joseph Riley Gates, b. 15 Apr. 1847 Muhl. d. 24 Mar. 1927, m. 26 Apr. 1891
 Caldonia Cain, b. 19 Nov. 1873 Muhl. Co. d. 1 Nov. 1938 Muhl. Co.
 David Sweeney, b. 1845 Smith Co. Tn. d. aft. 1880 Muhl. married ?
 Martha Jane Wells, b. 1845 Muhl. Co. d. 1900 Muhl. Co.
 Francis Marion Whitlow, b. 1843 Logan Co. d. 14 Dec. 1893 m. 21 Mar. 1866
 Matilda J. Scarbrough, b. 1850 Logan Co., d. 16 Dec. 1923 Muhl. Co.
 Joseph Gates, b. 1810 Muhl. Co. d. aft. 1880 Il. m. 10 Sep. 1830 Muhl. Co.
 Parkey Ann Jenkins, b. 4 Mar. 1809 Muhl. d. aft. 1852 Muhl.
 James H. Cain, b. 1851 Il.? d. ca 1879 Muhl. Co. m. 18 Oct. 1871 Muhl.
 Sarah E. Stinson, b. 1856 McLean Co. Ky. d. 1943 Todd Co. Ky.
 William Burgess Sweeney, b. 1820 N.C. m. ? d. aft. 1860 Muhl. Co.
 Nancy McClellan, b. 1827 Tn. d. aft. 1860 Muhl. Co.
 Noah Wells, b. 1812 Pa.d. ? m. 24 Dec. 1833 Muhl. Co.
 Mary Polly Duke, b. 1818 Ky. d. ?
 Elliott Whitlow, b. Russel Co. Va. ? d. 27 Jan. 1845 Logan Co. Ky. m. 1816
 Nancy Thompkins, b. ? d. 27 Jan. 1845, Logan Co. m. 1816 Russell Co. Va.
 Jesse H. Scarbrough, b. 1813, Tn. d. aft. 1860, Logan Co. m. ?
 Lucinda Calloway, b. 1817 Ky. d. aft 1870, Logan Co.
 John Gates, b. 1765 N.C., d. 1830-40.
 Marian ? b. N.C.
 Amos Jenkins, b. 15 Apr. 1784, Bedford Co. Va. d. 3 June 1839 Muhl. m. 24
 Grace Dearing, b. 13 Dec. 1788 Bedford Co. Va. d. Muhl. Co. Oct. 1804
 John J. Cain, b. 1825 Va. d. aft. 1860 Muhl. Co. m. 1850 In.
 Mary ? b. 1838 Ind. d. ca 1860 Muhl. Co.
 James A. Stinson, b. 11 Oct. 1824 Rutherford Co. Tn. d. aft 1860 Muhl.

Sarah J. Ghappel (1st) m. 1848 (2nd) Mary S. Arendell (Arnold).
 Samuel McClelland, b. 1763 S.C. d. 1859 Muhl. Co.
 Mary ? b. 1773, S. C. d. aft. 1850 Smith Co. Tn.
 John Whitlow, d. aft. 1820 Russell Co. Va. m. Mary Elliott no dates
 Robert D. Scarbrough, b. 1777 Va. d. aft. 1850 Logan Co.
 Francis, b. 1793 N.C. d. aft. 1850 Logan Co.
 Joseph Gates, d. 1798 Rowan Co. N.C. m. Mary no dates
 Jerimiah Jenkins, b. Va. no dates m. Sarah S. ? no dates
 Richard Dearing b. Va. d. 1792 Bedford Co. Va. decendants Eligable for DAR
 Jemima (Foster??) Bedford Co. Va.
 Archibald Stinson b. 6 Feb. 1798 Wake Co. N.C. d. 24 Dec. 1866 Todd Co.
 Tempy Lassitor (1), (2) Elizabeth Smothers, b. 23 Apr. 1803 Tn. d. 15 Aug.
 1893 Todd Co. Ky.
 John Stinson b. 1756-64 Va. father Roland Stinson b. 1736 Va.
 Sarah Tyson ?
 John Smothers, b. Rutherford Co. Tn. m. Catherine ?

Arward Cecil Williams, 1685 Plummer Dr. Rockwall, Tx. 75087
 sends us the following Ancestral chart, compiled 20 June 1986 This chart
 begins with his father.
Arward Clay Williams, b. 23 July 1902, Cerrogordo, Little River Co. Ar. m.
 26 Feb. 1927, d. 4 Nov. 1968, wife Anna Lois McDonald, b. 26 Aug. 1903 Inks,
 Polk Co. Ar.
 Asa Russel Williams, b. 21 Jan. 1877 Ololona, Ar. m. Nov. 1899, d. 30 Mar. 1937
 Lucinda Pauley, b. 6 Aug. 1874, Ar. d. 5 July 1947 Idabel, Ok. Foreman, Ar.
Robert Samuel Williams, b. 12 Jul. 1846, Polk Co. Mo. d. 3 Nov. 1924 Ar. m.
 30 Sep. 1869 Margery E. Ethridge, b. 25 Dec. 1852 Okolona, Miss. d. 1944, Ok.
William Valentine Pauley, b. 24 Oct. 1837, Columbia, Tn. d. 10 Feb. 1906 Ar.
 m. 16 Jan. 1866 (2nd M.) Elizabeth Elinor Brown, b. 4 Nov. 1839 Ar. d. 14
 Feb. 1917 Cerrogordo, Ar.
Asa R. Williams, b. 7 Aug. 1821 Muhl. Co. Ky. m. 31 Jul. 1845 (2nd M.) d. ?
 Rachel L. Ross, b. ca 1826 Ky. d. ?
Frank Ethridge, b. 1 Oct. 1823, Larence Co. Tn. d. ? m. ?
Nancy E. Buchanan, b. 12 Mar. 1833 Giles Co. Tn. M. ? d. .
Andrew B. Pauley, b. 3 Oct. 1800 Greene Co. Tn. d. 8 Nov. 1865 Rocky Comfort
Margaret Sevier, b. 7 Sep 1811 d. 17 Jul. 1886 Rocky Comfort, Ar.
William J. Brown, b. ca 1811 Fa. d. Ar. no wife listed
James Williams, b. ca 1780 d. aft. 1850
Patience Dukes, b. ca 1785, d. after 1850

James Ross, b. ca 1808 ???? wife Elizabeth ? b. ca. 1809 ????
Mathew Ethridge, b. ca 1803 ???? wife Mary b. ca 1805 ???
Jason Buchanan, b. 1804 ?????? wife Mary ? b. ca 1814 ????
Valentine Pauley, b. before 1775, d. 1821, wife Hanna Ray (Roy), b. ca 1780
Samuel Duke(s) Jr. , b. ca 1754, Granville Co. N.C. d. 1821 Muhl. Co. Ky.
Winifred (Winney) ? b. ca 1756, d. after 1830 Muhl. Ky.
Samuel Duke, b. ca 1721 Brunswick Co. Va. d. ca 1795, Franklin/Warren Co. N.C.
no wife listed
William Duke, b. 1700 Prince George Co. Va. d. ca 1773 Branville Co. N.C.
no wife listed
James Duke, b. 1700 James City Co. Va. d. 1751 Charles City Co. Va. wife
was Mary Byrd, no info.
Henry Duke Sr., b. ca 1642 James City Co. Va. d. 1714, wife Elizabeth ?
Thomas Duke b. Kent Co. England, d. ca 1660 wife Mary Barham, b. Kent Co.

CORRECTIONS::: For those who have the index to the 1986 issues of THE HERIT-
AGE, we would like to advise that you make the following corrections, rec-
ently noted, (my mother would have said, "too many hands, spoil the broth".
Ed.)

Following the names given, the page numbers should read:

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And the name following Korte, should read
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This is the last of the Vital Statistics from Carol Brown.
Dukes, Mary C. b. 18 Mar. 1855, to J.W. and Sarah Dukes, on Pond River.
Doss, Maranda, b. 10 Mar. 1855 on Pond Creek to John R. Doss and Susan E.
Dukes.
Dukes, Margaret M., b. on Caney Creek, 16 May, 1855 to Jackson Dukes and
Mary J. Walker.
Edwards, E.E., born 22 Dec. 1855 (m) on Long Creek to W.F. Edwards and Mar-
irah E. Dukes
Moore, Saretta, b. 7 May 1855 on Cypress Creek to George Moore and Amanda
Dukes.
Doss, J.J.B., b. 23 Feb. 1857 (f) on Cypress Creek to J.R. Doss and S.E.
Dukes.
Moore, John B., b. 11 Nov. 1857 to Geo. C. Moore and M.M. Dukes.
Walker, Rufus J., b. 18 July 1852, to Granville Walker, and Mary A. Jervis ?.

Continuing Mrs. Hammers exerps from Book #5 Muhlenberg County Order Book

- pg. 86 Nov. 27, 1843 pd. William B. Lawton \$5.00 for making Mrs. Vandiver's coffin
pd. Jacob Rickart \$48.00 at \$4.00 per mo. for benefit of Gracy L. Vandiver, a poor person
pd. Samuel D. Devenport \$12.00 for keeping Wm. Smith a portion of last year.
William Smith and wife, poor persons to be placed in hands of John Jenkins at \$8.00 per mo. pd. 96.00
Luraney Jones a poor person in hands of Joseph Adcock, pd. \$30.
pd. Mrs. Julie Edwards \$30.00 for maintance of her blind dau.
Mrs. Gainer a poor person, in hands of Simeon Bates. pd. \$30.
Polly Holloman in hands of John Bland pd. \$10.
- pg. 87 Nov. 27, 1843 Twenty dollars pd. for keeping Mrs. Vindiver, a poor person for part of last year. which was never collected, pd. to Charles Vandiver, and James Taggart pd. to keeping William Smith a poor person, be pd. over to Samuel T. Devenport.
- pg. 89 Nov. 27, 1843 Norflett B. Shurley, app. admr of Uriah Shurley, after John J. Wells had surrendered the admr. with Howard ? , John Duvall, his sec. \$1200. bond
- pg. 90 Dec. 25, 1843 David Oates, gdn for heirs of Lemuel Boggess, dec'd David Oates gdn. for Lemuel, Charles H., Richard, Presley, & Elizabeth Boggess.
- pg. 96 Lewis Watkins gdn for James W. Bennett, orp. of B.C. Bennett & John Bennett & Willis Bennett, orp. of B.C. Bennett, dec'd. Seth & Ste Len Watkins gdn to Samuel A. Bennett, orp. of B.C. Bennett, dec'd, also for Bryan Bennett orp. of B.C. Bennett, dec'd.
- pg. 98 Feb. 26, 1844, Andrew Craig, app. gdn for Mary Ann, Louranna, & Sarah Jane Robertson, orp. of Thomas Robertson, dec'd. The sec. James B. Hancock, Wiley S. Hay, & Jackson J. Robertson, bond of \$500.
- pg. 99 Settle with William Bell, curator of the est of C.W.H. Bailey, dec'd.
- pg. 100 Apr. 29, 1844 John Baxter app. admr. to est. of John Kittinger, dec'd. with Joseph Kittinger, & Joseph Milligan, his sec. bond \$500. James Stroud, George Young, James Tinsley & James W. Poag were apptd. appr. of the dec'd est.
- pg. 107 Apr. 1844 Mrs. Nancy Reynolds, the widow Relict of Richard D. Reynolds, dec'd a Rev. pensioner, applies for a pension. declares she is 78 yrs. of age, unable to attend Court due to bodily infirmity, her papers of application certified by court.
- pg. 112 June 24, 1844 Inv. & appr. of the est of Christopher Grable dec'd was returned to court & recorded.
- pg. 115 July 29, 1844 Co. Ct. Benjamin J. Shaver (Mrs. Polly Millers widow of the dec'd refused to take the burden) was app. admrs to the est. of Thompson Miller, dec'd with Isaac Miller & Andrew Shaver his sec. \$400. Benjamin Coffman, jr., Peter Johnson, Esram Hendricks, & Robert Stringer were apptd. apprs. of dec'd est.
- pg. 117 Aug. 26, 1844 John Campfield made adms. of Zita Campfield, dec'd the sec. Ira Campfield, Joseph Dupoister & John L. Roark, bond \$1000. app David Kimmel, Daniel Williams, Reuben Arndell & Israel J. Baker, or any three of them.
- pg. 119 Oct. 28, 1844 Sanders Eaves, app. admr. to est of Amos J. Pitty, dec'd with B.E. Pittman his sec. \$300. bond. Joseph Faith, Andrew Lynn, John Ellis, & William M. Moore were app. to est.
- pg. 120 Oct. 28, 1844 Division of the personal est. & slaves of Henry Stom, dec'd. A portion of the heirs being dissatisfied, Thomas F. Cundiff who intermarried with one of the heirs, made a motion that a summons issue against Lucinda E. Stom, Leaner Stom, Alney Stom, Udoxey Stom, Louisa Stom, Nancy Stom Martha Jane Carter, & Thomas Carter, her husb. to show cause why said division may not be set aside.
- pg. 121 Oct. 28, 1844 (a copy of will of Abraham Newton, which was rejected by the County Court of Muhlenberg) In Order Book 5 pg. 126, Nov. 24, 1844, the last will & testament of Abraham Newton was exhibited in court. It was proven in part at a former court. It is the opinion of the present

Court, that the sd. Newton was not capable of Making a will, that the writing here exhibited as his last will be rejected, set aside & be held for naught. James Taggart app. admr. after the widow refused the burden (of settling the est.) Abraham Dennis, William M. Blackwell, & Robert Welborn were sed. bond was \$5400. The app. Alexander McPherson, Everet Mitchel, O. V. Tolbert, Soloman Rhoads, or any 3 of them.

MUHLENBERG COUNTY KENTUCKY COUNTY COURT CLERKS OFFICE, in file cases(what's left of them). On March 14, 1974, I, Marion G. Hammers, found the Unrecorded will of Abraham Newton, in file box 1840-1850. On back of this will it shows it was filed October 1844 and rejected by the Court Nov. 1844 (it didn't say why)

January 13, 1842

I, ABRAHAM NEWTON, make this my last will and testament, etc. and asks for the usual burial in those days and after debts to be paid, the following to: wife: Dicy Newton, the tract of land I now reside and all my other lands in one third part of all my other estate both money notes and property during her natural life and after her death I give the same (land excepted) to my natural born grandchildren who are the children of my three daughters, Name-ly Mary, Phebe and Mariam to be equally divided among them my said grand-children and to my natural born grandchildren 2/3 of my surveys, notes, provided the sale of my perishable property be equally divided between them and to be enjoyed by them forever.

I give and bequeath to my son ABRAHAM NEWTON children who are my grand-child-
ren (namely) Eli, Alfred, Daniel, Singleton, William Carroll, Sary Jane and
Dythe Perly Newton my negro boy named Bill.

I give to my grandson Michael Newton, son of William Newton and to my son Hillery Newton one negro boy named George to be sold and equally divided by my executor to be enjoyed by my son and grandson. James Taggart was app-ointed executor.

Witt: William H. Whitaker, James Taggart and Jesse Whitaker.

A codicil was added giving 1/2 of proceeds of sale of negro George, to granson Michael Newton on Aug. 4, 1842. Wit: William H. Whitaker and Jesse Whitaker.

*****His children: Phebe Newton Hillery Newton
Mary Newton Abraham Newton
Mariam Newton William Newton
John Newton (mentioned in will of
wife, Dicy)

His grandchildren: Eli, Alfred, Daniel, Singleton, William Carrol, Sary Jane, & _____, Dythe, Perlu Newton, who were children of his son Abraham.

Michael Newton, son of his son William.

Note: The only other Newton showing at any time in Muhl. Co. Census 1820 to 1840, was son Hillery Newton. No Newtons are in the 1810. Abraham Newton was age 70/80 in 1840 Census. He is buried in Tolbert Cemetery, Muhl. Co. located about 1 mile NW of Dunmore, Ky. on Earl Tolbart farm, near Myers Chapel Rd.

In Memory of Abraham Newton Who departed this life
Oct. 16th 1844 aged 82 yrs. 11 mo. and 24 ds.
Built up coffin shaped grave of stones. A
like one beside it has no name or dates.
Probably that of Dicy Newton, his wife

pg. 120 Oct. 28, 1844 Thomas Terry (the widow in writing refusing to qual-ify) was app. admr. to est. of William A. Terry dec'd. with Kinard Hay, & Cirley S. Hay his sec. \$200. bond with John A. Allison, J.B. Staples, Charles Metzkee & Jacob Campbell the appr.

120. Oct. 28, 1844 Joseph R. G. Pool, jr. (the widow by her writing re-
fusing to qualify) was app. admr. on the est. of Aaron A. Smith dec'd with
Jacob Rhoads & Benjamin Linton, jr. & James F. Ward his sec. ordered that
Joseph Dupolister, Joseph R.G. Pool sr. Israel Baker & Gilbert Rhoads be
appr. to est.

pg. 129 Nov. 1844 Howard Kenny to be placed in the hands of Jacob Shut,
who was pd. \$20.

pg. 132 Dec. 30, 1844 John Culbertson dec'd. A writing purporting to be
the last will & test. of John Culbertson was exhibited in Court by Charlotte,
Betsy, Hannah & Solomen, slaves therein emancipated & their Atty. moved
the court to admit said will to record, and thereupon, John Culbertson,
James T. Quisenberry & Mary his wife, Adlia Boyd & Joannah his wife, Robert
Cessna & Nancy Cessna & Samuel Long, & Joannah his wife, heirs of sd. (decedant) objected to the recording sd. writing & moved the court for a
continuance until the next court. It is therefore ordered that further pro-
ceedings herein be contd.

pg. 134 Dec. 30, 1844 The Court apptd. Moses Wickliffe curator of the est.

John Culbertson. dec'd Adlai Boyd, James T. Quisenberry, Joseph C. Long, & John Culbertson his sec. bond of \$10,000.

pg. 134 30 Dec. 1844 Benjamin Casebier, app admr. to est of William Casebier dec'd (the widow refusing to qualify) with James Casebier his sec. Robert Wickliffe, Jacob Bodine, Moses Wickliffe & Thomas Bell were appr. of the est.

pg. 136 Jan. 27, 1845 The Court apps James T. Quisenberry gdn to Catherine Quisenberry, Edwin E. Quisenberry his children both being under the age of 14. They being the children of sd. Quisenberry & his former wife Jane Quisenberry, who was one of the children of & heirs of James Garnett dec'd late of Christian Co. dec'd. His sec. Thomas J. Anthony, Adlai Boyd & Robert J. Cessna \$3600. bond

pg. 137 Jan. 27, 1845 The last will & test. of John Culbertson dec'd was again exhibited into Court & after testimony of both sides it is ordered that sd. writing shall not be admitted to record. The slave Charlot & the other slaves in last term asked for an appeal to the Circuit Court which was granted them. Bond of \$100. with John McHenry the sec.

pg. 142 Feb. 24, 1845 On the motion of Abner Wood who made oath as the law directs & who produced a certificate of his being in Regular commission with the United Brethern, a branch of the Moravian Church, license granted him to celebrate the rites of matrimony in the Commonwealth according to the regulations of the Church which he belongs. his Sec. Hillery Newton.

pg. 143 Feb. 24, 1845 Joshua Tetterton made Admr. of the est. of Daniel Cox, dec' (the widow relinquished her right as admr.) The sec; Thomas L. Martin & Edmund Drake. Bond of \$1200. Henry Myers, Silas Drake, Absalom Love & John Jenkins, or any 3 of them to appr the est of Daniel Cox. Dec'd

pg. 145 Feb. 24, 1845 On the motion of Simeon Roark one of the heirs of Martin Roark, dec'd it is ordered that Thomas Morgan, Isaac Malone, Wm. D. Martin & Isaac Branscomb or any 3 of them be appd. Comm. to set a part to Rachel Roark, widow & relicof Martin Roark, dec'd her dower in the est. of sd. dec.

pg. 140 Jan 28, 1845 The will of Sekis Garris dec'd was exhibited into Ct. & proved by oaths of Charles F. Wing & Wm. H.C. Wing _____ of the est. James R. Stanley was admr. & his sec. were James Garris & Isaac Stanley. Bond of \$350. the appr. David Oates, Richard B. Earl, Maurice Moore & Beverly Coleman or any 3 of them. Mary Garris, the widow & her agent Stephen Harris moved to app. Comm. to set aside her dower.

pg. 144 Jan. 28. 1845 On the motion of Mary Garris widow & relict of Sikes Garris, dec'd Gillis Mercer, Bayles E. Oates, Isaac Wood, & Isaac Malone or any 3 of them set aside her dower in the est. the heirs of the decedant objecting to the appointment of sd. comm. But the court overruled. The heirs, there by their atty. rendered their bill of exceptions which was signed by J. Campbell, seq. one of the court & the other member of the court refusing to sign the same. Whereupon James B. Coleman, Isaac Stanley & James R. Stanley, bystanders signed the same which was made part of the record.

pg. 146 Feb. 24, 1845 John Huston sr. & John Huston, jr. were made admsr. to the est of William Huston, dec'd after the widow refused, renounced her right in writing. Benjamin Coffman, & William A. Eaves their sec. \$2400. bond. Isaac Coffman, John Vickers, Burrel Hurndon & E.S. Baker or any 3 of them were appr.

pg. 155 Apr. 28, 1845 On the motion of Russel Stanley, admr. of Sikes Garris, dec'd, James Stanley & Isalia Stanley two wit made oath that Sikes Garris a Revolutionary pensioner whose certificate no. 7059 bears date the 3rd day of Dec. 1836 departed this life the 23 day of Jan. 1845 & which is ordered to be certified.

pg. 161 June 30, 1845 The persons app. to assign Mrs. Mary Garris, widow & relict of Sikes Garris, dec'd her dower to & in the est of sd. dec. returned same be recorded to which the motion, the heirs by their atty. objected & after hearing arguments, it is ordered sd report be recorded to which opinion of the court, James Garris, Sikes Garris, Jr. Michael Garris & Rebecca Garris, children & heirs of the sd. dec. by their atty, excepted & prayed that the sd exception be signed & sealed by the court & was signed by John Campbell, William Martin, & Henry Myers. (see also pg. 170)

Muhlenberg County Militia for 1874

NAMES	No.	NAMES	No.
Highley, Robert Y.	1020	Kelly, James	1093
Hulman, Abraham	1021	Karnes, Jacob	1094
Humphrey, Timothy D.	1022	Kittinger, Saml. D.	1095
Humphrey, Jno. E.	1023	Kittinger, Geo. A.	1096
Haly, Calvin F.	1024	Kittinger, John M.	1097
Haley, Jno B.	1025	Kittinger, Martin	1098
Harris, Joseph D.	1026	Kittinger, John C.	1099
Harris, Robert	1027	Kirtley, Willis W.	1100
Hendricks, John B.	1028	Lockett, A. D.	1101
Hobbs, Thomas	1029	Leo, Richard W.	1102
Haley, Edward T.	1030	Leo, Stanford	1103
Harper, Jas. C.	1031	Leo, James F.	1104
Harper, Joel	1032	Latham, Geo. W.	1105
Harper, George	1033	Lyle, T. A.	1106
Haley, Thomas	1034	Lyle, John J.	1107
Harper, John	1035	Lyle, Jas. W.	1108
Hendricks, Rufus L.	1036	Lovel, Chas. W.	1109
Harrison, John	1037	Leo, Hiram	1110
Eaden, Hicks	1038	Lockett, D. A.	1111
Hurdey, Felix	1039	Lovell, Thos. J.	1112
Harris, Ellis N.	1040	Lovell, Wm. M.	1113
Henry, Wm. F.	1041	Lovell, John J.	1114
Hill, Saml. D.	1042	Leo, William	1114
Henry, Saml.	1043	Lewis, William W.	1115
Hill, Jesse	1044	Lewis, Thomas M.	1116
Hogan, Chas	1045	Lamb, Jas. W.	1117
Holman, Jesse	1046	Lamb, Wm. T.	1118
Hoagland, George	1047	Lamb, Peter	1119
Hopkins, Henry N.	1048	Lovell, Wm. M.	1120
Hay, W. M.	1049	Long, James	1121
Hinman, Wm. H.	1050	Long, George	1122
Imbler, Jno. F.	1051	Lewis, Wm. M.	1123
Ingrams, Thos. M.	1052	Lewis, John	1124
Isbell, F. N.	1053	Little, Wm. S.	1125
Jones, John M.	1054	Lyons, Jas. B.	1126
Jones, James M.	1055	Lewis, Jas. S.	1127
Johnston, A. G.	1056	Lockett, Jno. M.	1128
Johnston, Jos. F.	1057	Lockery, Jas. G.	1129
Johnston, Ben R.	1058	Lockery, John W.	1130
Jamison, James A.	1059	Lott, James W.	1131
Johnston, Francis H.	1060	Lockery, David	1132
Jackson, I. G.	1061	Lamasters, W. L.	1133
Jernigan, A. M.	1062	Lovell, Saml. B.	1134
Jernigan, John D.	1063	Lewis, Dayton L.	1135
Jernigan, M. M.	1064	Lewis, John W.	1136
Jernigan, David W.	1065	Myers, Wm. H.	1137
Jarvis, John W.	1066	Mathis, Nathan R.	1138
Johnston, N. B. R.	1067	Mitchell, Wm. A.	1139
Johnston, John C.	1068	Mullis, A. E.	1140
Johnston, Robert A.	1069	Mercer, Elbridge	1141
Jones, C. W.	1070	Mercer, James M.	1142
Jones, John R.	1071	McCown, Alexander	1143
Jarvis, Cish	1072	Monahan, Chas. M.	1144
Jones, B. W.	1073	Moore, Wm. J.	1145
Jenkins, A. B.	1074	McWhinter, Wm. F.	1146
Jarvis, J. F.	1075	McCain, John W.	1147
Jarvis, James M.	1076	Metzker, Wm. H.	1148
Jarvis, James F.	1077	Mercer, Martin R.	1149
Jackson, T. A.	1078	Moore, Elijah	1150
Josey, William	1079	Mitchell, John F.	1151
Johns, Ben W.	1080	Miller, Martin T.	1152
Jones, F. M.	1081	McDonald, Geo. W.	1153
Jones, Warner	1082	Morris, Joshua	1154
Jones, Wm. C.	1083	Morris, James A.	1155
Jones, David, G. W.	1084	Mitchell, Richard, T.	1156
Jernigan, Jno F.	1085	Mitchell, Jno. H.	1157
Jenkins, Jos. W.	1086	Millard, Jno. L.	1158
Jackson, Jno M.	1087	Morris, Wm. R.	1159
King, Wm. A.	1088	Miller, Samuel	1160
Kyle, James	1089	Miller, Isaac W.	1161
Kendall, Ira	1090	Moore, Wm. D.	1162
Kittinger, A. J.	1091	Morris, James H.	1163
Kates, William	1092	Miner, Thomas	1164

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NAMES	No.	NAMES	No.
Moore, Alankin	1165	Prewitt, Levi	1240
Moore, Thomas R.	1166	Pace, Moses G.	1241
Mercer, Dallas	1167	Parham, Wm. T.	1242
Moore, T.R.	1169	Pace, Wm. L.	1243
Martin, Geo. W.	1170	Powers, Berry	1244
		Prouse, Jesse S.	1245
McNary, Saml' F.	1171	Prouse, Mark L.	1246
McNary, John A.	1172	Putman, Hiram M.	1247
McNary, Wm. S.	1173	Poyner, James	1248
McNary, James D.	1174	Pitman, T.R.	1249
Martin, John H.	1175	Powers, Francis B.	1250
Miller, Isaac	1176	Philips, Philip	1251
Morgan, Chas. H.	1177	Peters, William	1252
Miller, Daul B.	1178	Philips, Lewis	1253
Moore, Jesse B.	1179	Philips, Joseph	1254
Markwell, Cooper E. *	1180	Philips, John A.	1255
Markwell, George *	1181	Philips, Geo. W.	1256
Miller, A. F.	1182	Peavler, William	1257
McLean, Lewis	1183	Pitman, Isaac	1258
McLevain, Wm. T.	1184	Rowe, Jno. C.	1259
McKinney, Philip	1185	Rogers, Wm. Sr.	1260
Miller, Isaac	1186	Rogers, Wm.	1261
Miller, J. D.	1187	Rose, Robert	1262
Miller, Essex	1188	Row, Jacob C.	1263
Markwell, John C.	1189	Row, Jas. W.	1264
McNeal, William	1190	Rigsby, Benj.	1265
McGraw, Martin	1191	Rice, Felix B.	1266
McCall, Ridley W.	1192	Rice, Jesse	1267
Mexer, John	1193	Roark, E. T.	1268
Mercer, Thomas	1194	Rice, E. C.	1269
Morehead, Hugh N.	1195	Rice, Lewis W.	1270
McDonald, Henry C.	1196	Rice, Wm. W.	1271
Morehead, Jno. W.	1197	Reno, John T.	1272
Miller, Wm. T.	1198	Rice, Saml' E.	1273
Mathis, Berry T.	1199	Rice, S. M.	1274
Miller, John H.	1200	Rives, James E.	1275
Miller, Ben	1201	Richardson, Wm. P.	1276
Morris, Thos. D.	1202	Randolph, Mathew	1277
Morris, John W.	1203	Raleigh, John	1278
Miller, Lewis	1204	Richardson, John H.	1279
McCown, Wm. A.	1205	Ruby, Abraham	1280
McDonald, Jno. W.	1206	Reno, H. F.	1281
Morehead, Presly	1207	Reno, Thos. R.	1282
McLeoron, Carroll L.	1208	Reno, Jesse L.	1283
Morris, Wm. A.	1209	Randolph, Edward J.	1284
Newman, Wm. Y.	1210	** Reynolds, Robert	1285
Newman, Thomas C.	1213	** Richey, Davis	1286
Nannie, James	1214	Richey, Elijah	1287
Nofsinger, Saul R.	1215	Reed, Jacob M.	1288
Nofsinger, Andrew	1216	Rich, Joseph F.	1289
Nofsinger, Peter I.	1217	Roberts, Arthur	1290
Nofsinger, Jas. H.	1218	Raney, James	1291
Nelson, James	1219	Rhoads, Jno E.	1292
Nofsinger, Saul	1220	Rhoads, Jacob B.	1293
Nelson, Josh P.	1221	Robertson, Henry	1294
Nofsinger, William	1222	Roark, Jesse	1295
Nofsinger, John L.	1223	Reed, John E.	1296
Nofsinger, John S.	1224	Rager, Henderson	1297
Nofsinger, Joseph R.	1225	Reed, A. J.	1298
Oglesby, Wade C.	1226	Rush, Saml' M.	1299
Oglesby, Wm. D.	1227	Rhoads, Isaac W.	1300
Oates, C. M.	1228	Robertson, James N.	1301
Oates, Lambertson	1229	Robertson, Wm. P.	1302
Oates, Edward G.	1230	Robertson, Chas. A.	1303
Oates, Lewis R.	1231	Shutt, Alfred	1304
Oates, Wm. W.	1232	Sweeney, Saml'	
Oates, Saml' B.P.	1233	Shutt, Henry	1306
O'Neal, John	1234	Sadler, Robt. T.	1307
Oates, Thos. J.	1235	Sims, Jesse	1308
Oates, James W.	1236	Shelton, James F.	1309
Oates, A. W.	1237	Stanley, Richard B.	1310
Ohara, James	1238	Spurlin, T. F.	1311
O'Neal, Dallas W.	1239	Sanford, E. P.	1312

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NAMES	No.	NAMES	No.
Shannon, W. C.	1313	Tyson, John	1385
Stovall, Z. G.	1314	Tinsley, Wm. F.	1386
Shaver, Prugirce (?)	1315	Tinsley, Robert	1387
Stone, Thomas	1316	Thompson, Saml' A.	1388
Stewart, Wm. C.	1317	Turner, John W.	1389
Stobough, John	1318	Turner, Geo. P.	1390
Stroud, John E.	1319	Turner, D. N. B.	1391
Stinson, John H.	1320	Turner, Owen W.	1392
Stewart, Wm. R.	1321	Taeaford, John	1393
Sparks, Chas. M.	1322	Terhoon, James D.	1394
Stanly, Wm. A.	1323	Tooley, Joseph	1395
Stuart, Willis B.	1324	Thompson, John F.	1396
Shank, Adam	1325	Tucker, Julius C.	1397
Stewart, Robert	1326	Taylor, John L.	1398
Stewart, Richard	1327	Taylor, Chas. T.	1399
Stewart, Ivy	1328	Taylor, Septimus	1400
Simmons, Chas. B.	1329	Terhoon, Joseph	1401
Stovall, Augustus	1330	Utley, Wm. C.	1402
Stovall, Richard	1331	Undward, Edward M.	1403
Stewart, Saml'	1332	Underwood, Robert C.	1404
Stewart, William	1333	Underwood, James F.	1405
Smith, Amos C.	1334	Underwood, Wm. T.	1406
Stewart, Geo. W.	1335	Unsel, John T. S.	1407
Stewart, Granville	1336	Unsel, Aralphus	1408
Spinks, William	1337	Unsel, Shederick	1409
Stewart, William	1338	Unsel, James W.	1410
Stewart, Ephraim	1339	Uzzel, Henry	1411
Stewart, Green B.	1340	Vick, P. N.	1412
Short, David W.	1341	Vick, Frank C.	1413
Shanks, Michael	1342	Vick, John M.	1414
Strader, Wm. D.	1343	Vick, Joseph L.	1415
Shanks, John	1344	Vick, Robert S.	1416
Steersman, John W.	1345	Vick, James D.	1417
Stringer, John H.	1346	Vincent, John C.	1418
Steersman, Leander J.	1347	Vincent, Jubal	1419
Stobaugh, James	1348	Vincent, Daniel	1420
Stobaugh, Lewis	1349	Vincent, Chas. P.	1421
Shaver, Wm. T.	1350	Vincent, Noah	1422
Scott, Geo. K.	1351	Vincent, Thomas W.	1423
Short, John W.	1352	Vincent, Geo. H.	1424
Short, Samuel	1353	Vincent, John C.	1425
Shanhorn, Geo. W.	1354	Wells, Micaiah	1426
Sloan, Robert	1355	Wells, Henry C.	1427
Simpson, Robert	1356	Weller, William	1428
Sparks, John S.	1357	Wagoner, James F.	1429
Shaver, Henry G.	1358	Welborn, James W.	1430
Scott, Nathan B.	1359	Welborn, F. G.	1431
Scott, John W.	1360	Welborn, E. P.	1432
Stobaugh, William	1361	Walker, Riley E.	1433
Stewart, Edward G.	1362	Wells, John R.	1434
Summers, Richard B.	1363	Walker, M. K.	1435
Stewart, John B.	1364	Wells, Wm. J.	1436
Stroud, Bradford N.	1365	Wells, W. G.	1437
Stroud, Martin	1366	Williams, Benjamin	1438
Shaver, Geo G.	1367	Whitehouse, Charles	1439
Stroud, Isaac T.	1368	Wells, James F.	1440
Stinson, John	1369	Wells, Ben D.	1441
Turner, Richard	1370	Wells, Frank	1442
Tate, Wm. H. C.	1371	Williams, Alexander C.	1443
Terry, Al M.	1372	Williams, Geo. C.	1444
Tuder, Hezekiah	1373	Williams, Andrew	1445
Townes, Marion	1374	Williams, B. M. D.	1446
Thompson, Henry	1375	Wickliffe, Kulin D.	1447
Turner, Alfred J.	1376	Wilcox, James I.	1448
Townesend, J. M.	1377	Walden, T. J.	1449
Tanner, John M.	1378	Withers, Isaac T.	1450
Tinsley, Alexander	1379	Withers, John W.	1451
Tyson, James	1380	Williams, John	1452
Tyson, C. P.	1381	Whitson, H. H.	1453
Tyson, Wm. F.	1382	Williams, Green B.	1454
Tuder, Robt. D.	1383	Williams, Jos. R.	1455
Tyson, Thomas	1384	Whitmer, Thomas L.	1456

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