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The next old house is the Crawford Jonson house. It was built 75 to 100 years ago by Judge Joseph Rickett. The original house was two log room one over the other on the west side. The house was afterward enlarged into a 11 room house. The kitchen had a fireplace, nearly 16 feet across, that took 6 foot logs for fuel. The lot covered two acres, and there used to be old slave cabins in the back lot. The place was next owned by Charles Wickliffe, Sheriff of Muhlenberg County. He had a tobacco factory where he rehandled tobacco. In 1892 Colonel Jep. C. Jonson fought it. For several years previous, students from the college had boarded there. The woodwork of the house is solid black walnut, and the fireplace on the east side is hand carved.(26)

The next old house down the street is the old Shutt place, now owned by J.K. Long. The house was built by Mort Hay who sold to Ed Mann. The house later belonged to Branch Mann, who sold to the Shutts. The house is practically the same.(31 & 20 & 30)

The next house belongs to Mr. R.D. Brooks. This house was built 60 or 65 years ago by Dr. Relius Mann.(20) It had a two story front and a one story back. Mr. Brooks bought it from Mr. Mann. He has built several rooms on the back and modernized it.(31 & 30)

Another old house is the Tom Sumner place on lower Paradise. Years ago it was the only house any where around. This house was built by Nat Harris. It is practically the same now as it was then. Mr. Sumner bought it from Harris.(31)

The only other street in town with old houses on it is Main Street. Beginning on the left hand side and going down the street:

The first old house is the McNary place. This house was built by Mansfield Rowe. About 63 years ago Rowe sold the house to Will Rice. Will Rice was Mrs. McNary's step-father, and she inherited the house. There was a big dinner bell in the side yard. When Rice bought the place, he claimed the dinner bell belonged to him, but Rowe said it was still his. They had quite a dispute over this and suit was finally brought.(19)

The next old house is the Coontz place. This house was built by Peter Baker, a druggist. It was built after the style of the New Orleans homes of that day. Mr. Baker and his wife made several trips to New Orleans to sell timber, and they brought back lots of pretty furniture. Flowers were Mr. Baker's hobby. He had a beautiful flower garden in his side yard with a summer house in the center. (Where Weir's and Fred's houses are now) He had a greenhouse down below the depot. That was something unheard of in this country at that time. He had evergreen trees planted, and it was layed off in walks and paths. He had the first Arbor Virae hedge in the country. This was a popular place 60 years ago for the young people of the town to walk on Sunday afternoons. At commencement time at the College all of the young ladies got their bouquets from there.(27) Mr. Baker imported gardeners from out of the State to fix the green houses. He was sponsoring something that many people didn't appreciate then, and finally he had to give it up.(2) The only markers of his garden that are left are one or two old scraggly evergreen trees by the side of the Central City pike.(27)

The Freeland Lewis house has been told about. Roy Smith's house and John T. Reynold's, Jr. house are built where the garden belonging to Lewis house used to be.(19)

The Felix Martin house and two houses below have been mentioned.

The next house, now owned by E.A. Ewan, was built by Mrs. Myers, mother of David Myers who was for years a druggist in Greenville. It is the same frame cottage now that it was then.(19)

The Clarence Martin house is the next old house. It was owned by Boyd, an old Cumberland Presbyterian preacher. It was only a small two story frame house then. Finis Allison was next owner and the John T. Reynolds, Sr. The house has been changed and much added to it.(20 & 22)

Dr. Yost owned all of the land below there down to the Depot. He owned on both sides of the street, and for many years he wouldn't sell. There were only a few houses, and the rest have been gradually built up.(31)

On the right side of Main Street going down from town, The first house past the business section is Will Reynold's home. This is a very old house, has changed hands many times. It was owned by Luther Bard when it was only a log house. It has been made much larger and has been weatherboarded. Bard's wife came from Louisiana. They had a sugar plantation down there. At different times it was owned by John Reynolds, Sr., Liga Coppage, Napoleon Kingsley, John Landrum, Roe and Thompson.(20 & 22 & 2)

The next house, now owned by Mrs. Mollie Reynolds was built about 1840 by Ellington Martin. The house is practically the same. It was considered a beautiful house in those days, and still is. Martin was a tobacconist. His wife was a sister of Jesse Reno's wife. The next owner of this house was E. Rice, also a tobacconist. Edwin Reynolds was the next owner.(2)

The home of Harry Eaves, Jr. was owned once by a Mrs. Adkins, then by J.W. Jarvis, a druggist. It was later the Cumberland Presbyterian parsonage.(30)

Where Joe Long lives now there used to be a house 65 or 70 years ago owned by McEwan. Mr. Ewan drove the mail stage from here to Owensboro. The house was later owned by Charles Howard.(2)

Where Roy Rice's house stands, there used to be an old frame home owned years ago by Sam Arnold, later by a Mr. Bruce, who was Circuit Clerk. Next owner was a jeweller named Malm. Mr. Grundy was next owner.(31)

The Boggess and Crawford houses are where the Grundy garden was.

The house on the corner now owned by Finis Boggess heirs was owned in 1855 by Judge Charles Eaves. It was later owned by Tom Morgan. It hasn't been changed much.(20 & 31)

Charles Wickliffe's home was owned by Napoleon Kingsley 65 years ago. It was then owned by John Morton, County Judge.(20) and then by Morton K. Yonts. Mr. Yonts had the house improved. He moved away from here years ago, and is a successful lawyer in Louisville now.(31)

Another old house was a brick cottage about where the new Telephone Exchange is. It was a Methodist parsonage. Mansfield Rows bought it after he sold his house to Will Rice. When Rowe died, Miss Nannie Wickliffe was next owner. It burned a few years ago.(19)

The next house, now owned by John S. Brizendine, is built where John Howard's garden used to be. J.D. Yonts built the house more than 50 years ago. (2 & 31)  
 T.O. Jones, home was built about 1860. It belonged to John McIntyre in 1866. He sold to John Howard, father of Charles Howard. The house is the same, though of course modernized. (20 & 31 & 2)

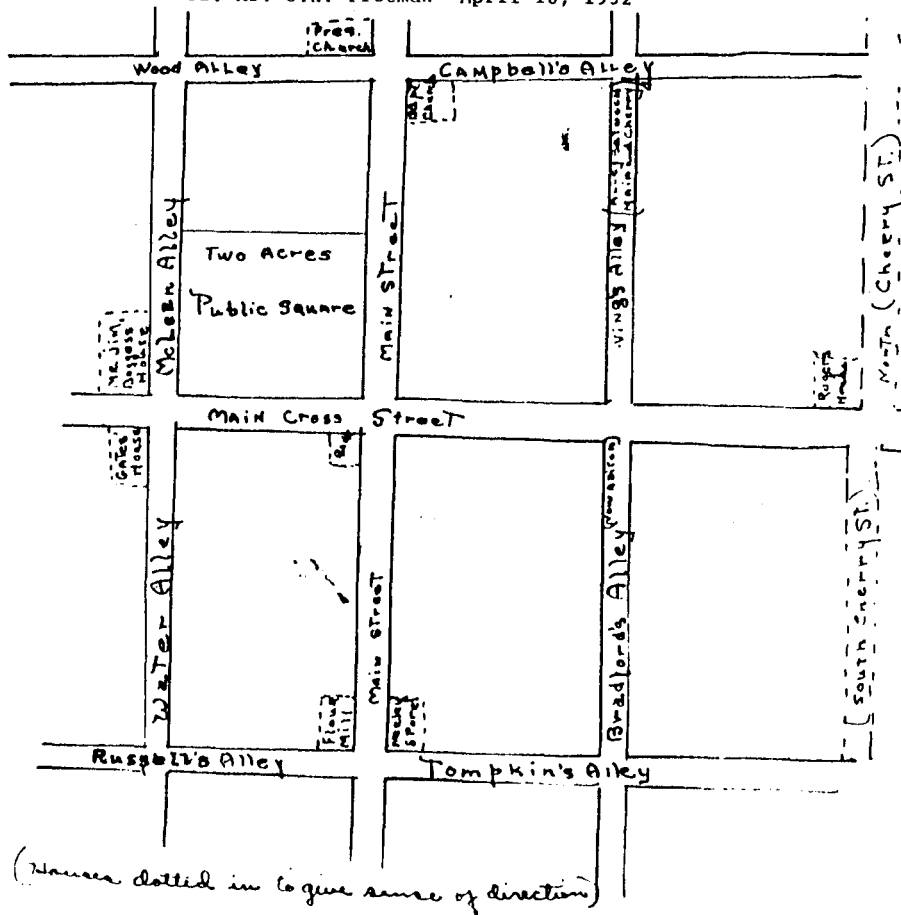
There were no houses below that on main street, for years.  
 That is all of OLD Greenville.

Martha Beth Shelton

NOTE: At, a grade I give very sparingly. Worthy of your splendid efforts. A very fine contribution. (written at the top of Miss Shelton's paper by her teacher).

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RICHMOND SCHOOL 1908-1909

Parent or Guardian	Names of Children	Date of Birth	Residence
J.S. Ham	E. Porter Ham	25 JL 1893	Nelson
	Howard Ham	27 JL 1896	
	Harry Ham	25 JL 1896	
	Dave S. Ham	17 OC 1899	
	Walter C. Ham	19 OC 1900	
Mrs. Dennis	Luther H. Roush	30 MR 1890	Nelson
	Lurra G. Roush	1 JA 1895	
	Willie Dennis	4 OC 1897	
J.K. Cundiff	Claud Cundiff	6 MY 1888	Nelson
	Jessie Cundiff	16 AP 1891	
	Hercial Cundiff	9 SE 1893	
	Lucy Cundiff	3 SE 1895	
	Raymon Cundiff	7 OC 1899	
Charlie Carr	Maggie R. Carr	27 FE 1889	Nelson
Willie Carr	Ora J. Carr	4 NO 1893	Nelson
	Cora A. Carr	28 SE 1895	
	Annie Carr	27 DE 1897	
	Willie J. Carr	24 AP 1900	
L.S. Spicer	Clara Spicer	9 MY 1892	Nelson
R.T. Johns	G.C. Johns	18 DE 1888	Nelson
	Jessie R. Pevler	6 FE 1897	
T.E. Harper	Clide M. Harper	19 JA 1894	Nelson
	Marlen L. Harper	29 MR 1896	
	Eddie M. Harper	1- MY 1899	
	Mary J. Harper	8 NO 1901	
M.L. Sumner	Clide Sumner	9 MR 1890	Nelson
	Claud Sumner	1 JE 1893	
	Robt. Sumner	22 MY 1897	
Frank Bastin	Dedie J. Bastin	20 SE 1897	Nelson
	Bennie Bastin	13 JE 1899	
	Frank Bastin	18 NO 1901	
James Yonce	Opla Yonce	5 MY 1895	Nelson
	Leonard Yonce	25 DE 1897	
Will Roup	J. Gorge Roup	22 FE 1901	Nelson
Toucp Wilson	Gorgie E. Wilson	25 NO 1901	Nelson
W.G. Wallace	Annie M. Wallis	8 SE 1895	Nelson
	Wilson L. Wallis	14 DE 1898	
J.W. Kinley	Rushel Wallace	29 MR 1900	Nelson
	Dovie Kinley	2 JL 1891	
W.M. Kinley	Jonni S. Kinley	18 -- 1890	Nelson
	Mary E. Kinley	3 MR 1895	
	Hazle D. White	1 MR 1896	
W.M. White	Nannie M. White	15 OC 1893	Rockport
	James Austin	7 MY 1896	
Ada Austin	Marvin Harper	2 FE 1892	Rockport
J.E. Harper	W.L. Harper	11 MR 1894	Rockport
	T.L. Roll, Jarr	5 JE 1894	
D.G. Roll	Joann Sullivan	22 MR 1890	Rockport
R.L. Sullivan	Lire--- Sullivan	25 SE 1888	Rockport
	Sarah B. Henton	25 -- 18--	
	George H. Henton	2 FE 18--	
Henry Henton	Leona M. Henton	-- MY 1897	Rockport
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J.L. Ham	E. Porter Ham	25 JL 1893	Nelson
	Howard Ham	27 JL 1896	
	Harry Ham	25 JL 1896	
	Dave S. Ham	17 OC 1899	
	Walter C. Ham	14 OC 1900	
Mrs. Dennis	Luther H. Roush	30 MR 1890	Nelson
	Larah Y. Roush	1 JA 1895	
	Willie Dennis	4 FE 1897	
J.K. Cundiff	Claud Cundiff	6 MY 1888	Nelson
	Jessie Cundiff	16 AP 1891	
	Hercial Cundiff	9 SE 1893	
	Lucy Cundiff	3 SE 1895	
	Raymon Cundiff	7 OC 1899	
Charlie Carr	Maggie Carr	27 FE 1889	Nelson
W.J. Carr	Ora J. Carr	4 NO 1893	Nelson
	Cora A. Carr	28 SE 1895	
	Annie Carr	28 DE 1897	
	Willie J. Carr	14 AP 1900	
L.S. Spicer	Clara Spicer	9 MY 1892	Nelson
R.T. Johns	G.C. Johns	18 DE 1889	Nelson
	Jessie Peavler	6 FE 1893	
T.E. Harper	Clide Harper	19 JE 1894	Nelson
	Martin Harper	29 MR 1896	
	Eddie M. Harper	10 MY 1899	
	Mary J. Harper	8 NO 1901	
M.L. Sumner	Clide Sumner	9 MR 1890	Nelson
	Claud Sumner	1 JE 1893	
	Robt. Sumner	22 AU 1897	
Frank Bastin	Bessie Bastin	20 SE 1897	Nelson
	Bennis Bastin	13 JA 1899	
	Frank Bastin	18 NO 1901	

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## Continued RICHMOND SCHOOL

Parent or Guardian	Names of Children	Date of Birth	Residence
James Yonce	Obhw Yonce	5 AU 1895	Nelson
	Leona C. Yonce	25 DE 1897	
Will Roup	Gorgie Roup	22 FE 1901	Nelson
Tomp. Wilson	Gorgie Wilson	25 NO 1901	Nelson
W.L. Wallace	Annie M. Wallace	8 SE 1895	Nelson
	Wilm Wallis	14 DE 1897	
	Rushel Wallis	20 MR 1900	
J.W. Kinley	Dovie Kinley	2 JL 1891	Nelson
W.M. Kinley	Johnie Kinley	18 JA 1890	Nelson
	Mary E. Kinley	3 MR 1895	
W.M. White	Hazle D. White	1 MR 1896	Rockport
	Nannie M. White	15 OC 1893	
Ada Austin	James Austin	7 MY 1896	Rockport
J.E. Harper	Marion Harper	2 FE 1892	Rockport
	W.L. Harper	11 MR 1894	
D.Y. Roll	T.L. Roll, Jur.	5 JE 1895	Rockport
Mrs. Sullivan	Lirnese Sullivan	25 MR 1889	
	Joran Sullivan	22 SE 1890	
W.P. Henton	Sarah B. Henton	25 OC 1892	Rockport
	George Henton	2 FE 1894	
	Leona Henton	30 AU 1897	
	Henry Henton	6 NO 1901	
James Wakeland	Gordon Wakeland	3 JL 1896	Rockport
	Carlis Wakeland	14 NO 1897	
	M. Ethel Wakeland	26 FE 1898	
	Owen Wakeland	26 SE 1900	
H.J. Harper	Oscar Harper	26 FE 1890	
	Frank Harper	17 JE 1894	
M.C. Welborn	Eonn B. Welborn	23 AU 1892	Rockport
	George T. Welborn	8 DE 1897	
	Nannie R. Welborn	4 DE 1900	

## ROLL SCHOOL

District #9

1908-1909

Parent or Guardian	Names of Children	Date of Birth
James T. Divine	Amy P. Divine	7 SE 1890
Julie A. Divine	Jacob Divine	10 FE 1892
	George M. Divine	10 MR 1891
	Mary A. Tate	1 MR 1893
	Grace L. Divine	11 JE 1902
Adam W. Mercer	James E. Mercer	1 NO 1894
Larra A. Mercer	Julia Mercer	12 JE 1896
	Yane M. Mercer	24 FE 1898
James F. Morris	Tomas M. Morris	12 DE 1890
Manerva J. Morris	Benjamin F. Morris	4 OC 1892
	Mary B. Morris	3 FE 1895
	Joe T. Morris	23 MR 1897
	Rolling Morris	5 DE 1899
James F. Casebiers	Ruby P. Casebiers	9 SE 1898
Annie Casebiers	Pauline M. Casebiers	3 MR 1901
Louis D. Vaught	William M. Vaught	19 AP 1890
Margret E. Vaught	George R. Vaught	11 AU 1892
	Sylvester Vaught	21 AU 1894
	Nora A. Vaught	18 SE 1896
	Annie M. Vaught	26 SE 1901
George Sumner	Fred D. Sumner	12 OC 1889
Merthy Sumner	Annie B. Sumner	13 MY 1892
	Mable B. Sumner	9 JE 1894
	Emmer B. Sumner	7 JA 1899
	Malinda J. Sumner	27 FE 1902
William D. Nofsinger	Elbert C. Nofsinger	27 AP 1889
Sally M. Nofsinger	Ama F. Nofsinger	24 AP 1892
	Ada D. Nofsinger	17 SE 1895
	Nat W. Nofsinger	31 JL 1899
Edward A. Nofsinger	Herbert Nofsinger	4 MR 1889
Mary J. Nofsinger	Leslie B. Nofsinger	7 JL 1891
	Dewey A. Nofsinger	5 AU 1898
	Ova J. Nofsinger	2 MY 1901
Samuel J. Avery	Tomas E. Avery	27 JL 1891
Mary J. Avery	Charley E. Avery	19 AP 1893
	Ollie E. Avery	25 OC 1895
	Benjamin F. Avery	2 JL 1899
John W. Nofsinger	Dallas C. Nofsinger	2 MY 1889
Green B. Rose	Mary E. Rose	20 DE 1888
Marthey E. Rose	Emet O. Casebier	2 MR 1890
Sarah Howerton	Pearl M. Howerton	8 JA 1892
	Paul T. Howerton	7 AU 1894
Ralph Uzzle	Wallace Uzzle	4 SE 1894
Mary R. Uzzle		
Dell Vick	Nora Vick	18 FE 1892
Mary E. Vick		

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BETHEL SCHOOL (EADES) District #46 1908-1909

Parent or Guardian	Names of Children	Date of Birth
J.R. Sanford	Mamie Sanford	13 SE 1898
	Gracie "	15 MR 1901
J.N. Danner	Verdie Danner	16 DE 1896
	Jessie "	2 NO 1898
D.V. Evitts	Dave Evitts	2 JL 1891
R.L. Durall	Luther Durall	16 MR 1895
	Albert "	18 AU 1898
J.F. Martin	J.W. Martin	15 MR 1894
	Alvis "	6 JA 1898
	Luzora "	24 JE 1901
W.A. Stobaugh	Gertie Stobaugh	2 OC 1891
	Lulie "	27 FE 1894
	Ader "	17 SE 1896
	John "	17 JA 1899
	Dannie "	2 FE 1902
W.L. Jarvis	Ethel Jarvis	12 JL 1901
	Maud "	18 JA 1891
	Eva "	22 DE 1893
	Owen "	1 MY 1897
Will Hall	Florence Hall	25 DE 1899
	Lawrence "	4 FE 1901
L.S. Stobaugh	Tom Stobaugh	25 OC 1888
	Bertha "	10 JL 1891
	Lillie "	24 OC 1893
	Herbert "	4 JA 1897
J.S. Thompson	Ruthie Tompson	17 NO 1899
	Ernest "	9 SE 1901
Henry Ezelle	Elenor Ezelle	29 MR 1894
J.H. Tudor	Walter Tudor	3 NO 1888
	Bernice "	2 FE 1890
	Vadie "	9 FE 1891
	Ola "	4 MY 1894
	Robert "	3 AU 1896
	Fredie "	5 MR 1898
P.A. Fulkerson	Joseph Fulkerson	11 OC 1891
	Willis "	4 SE 1895
	Ethel "	10 FE 1899
	Thomas "	27 JL 1900
A.B. Stewart	Ruthie Stewart	29 OC 1897
	Shelbie "	25 SE 1898
J.R. Cobb	Jessie Cobb	1 JA 1894
W.D. Tudor	Edger Tudor	13 AU 1899
	Emett "	11 DE 1901
A.T. Latham	Dora Latham	22 NO 1890
	Hubert "	31 MY 1899
	Leslie "	21 FE 1902
C.L. Watkins	Annie May Watkins	16 DE 1901
F.W. Geibel	Paul Geibel	28 AP 1898
	Lizzie "	16 AP 1900
	Marie "	3 NO 1901
Jessie Vincent	Nettie Vincent	9 AP 1895
Squire Vincent	Edgar "	17 SE 1894
J.T. Mercer	Elrue Mercer	20 AU 1891
	W.J. "	23 JE 1898
	A.T. "	31 JA 1902
L.A. Watkins	Sam Watkins	12 OC 1889
	Jennie "	28 JL 1892
	Jessie "	25 SE 1896
W.P. Henry	Homer Henry	2 AU 1894
Thomas Sumner	Bertha Watkins	6 JL 1888
J.A. Durall	Walter Durall	25 NO 1894
	Willie "	22 OC 189-
R.J. Reno	Eddie Reno	28 JA 189-
	Herbert "	3 OC 189-
	Alva "	30 JA 189-
	Roy "	19 JA 189-
J.E. Bailey	Arthur Bailey	15 FE ---
	Aubra "	11 AU 190-
J.B. Nofsinger	Shelbie Nofsinger	16 JE 189-
	Elmer "	5 MR 189-
	Berthie "	12 MR 189-
	Verdie "	17 JL 189-
	Omer "	17 MR 1900
	Mary "	12 AP 190-
John Huddleston	Ader Huddleston	14 JL 189-
S.R. Nofsinger	Lillie Nofsinger	8 JL 1893
	Garlie "	4 AU 189-
	Bessie "	27 JL 1900
Sam Vincent	Ila Vincent	16 OC 1893
	Virgil "	28 FE 189-
	Dollie "	11 NO 1897
	Vannie "	12 MR 1902

No. 7

ORIGINAL 7

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Department of Commerce and Labor
BUREAU OF IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION
DIVISION OF NATURALIZATION

DECLARATION OF INTENTION

(Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof)

County of Mullenberg in the Mullenberg Circuit Court
State of Kentucky ss: of Mullenberg County

I, Wolfgang Schwendner, aged 30 years,
occupation Coal Miner, do declare on oath that my personal
description is: Color White, complexion light, height 5 feet 6 inches,
weight 140 pounds, color of hair Brown, color of eyes gray
other visible distinctive marks

I was born in Miesbach Germany
on the 10 day of October, anno
Domini 1881; I now reside at Cleaton Kentucky
I emigrated to the United States of America from Antwerpen Belgium
on the vessel "Majestic" : my last
foreign residence was Harlan Germany

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to King
of Prussia & Emperor of Germany of which I am now a citizen subject; I
arrived at the port of New York in the
State of New York on or about the 18 day
of December, anno Domini 1907; I am not an anarchist; I am not a
polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith
to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

Wolfgang Schwendner
(Original signature of declarant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th
day of December, anno Domini 1911

[SEAL.]

C. S. O'Connell
Clerk of the Mullenberg Circuit Court.
By C. R. Bennett, Clerk.

\*If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given. 11-2526

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No. 8

ORIGINAL

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Department of Commerce and Labor  
BUREAU OF IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION  
DIVISION OF NATURALIZATION

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

(Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof)

County of Muhlenberg }  
State of Kentucky } ss: In the Muhlenberg Circuit Court  
of Muhlenberg County  
Kattar Add George White, aged 28 years,

occupation Merchant, do declare on oath that my personal description is: Color white, complexion dark, height 5 feet 10 inches, weight 170 pounds, color of hair black, color of eyes black, other visible distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ ; I was born in Hadley Laira, on the 7th day of Feb, anno Domini 1887; I now reside at Central City Ky

I emigrated to the United States of America from Baypoint Laira on the vessel French Line; my last foreign residence was Hadley Laira.

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to Mohamut

Sultan of Turkey, of which I am now a citizen subject; I arrived at the port of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 26 day of March, anno Domini 1908; I am not an anarchist; I am not a polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

Kattar Add George White  
(Original signature of declarant.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Feb, anno Domini 1912

[SEAL.]

Ed Lewis  
Clerk of the Muhlenberg Circuit Court.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk.

\*If the alien arrived otherwise than by vessel, the character of conveyance or name of transportation company should be given. 11-9074



No. 71

ORIGINAL 9

# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Department of Commerce and Labor  
BUREAU OF IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION  
DIVISION OF NATURALIZATION

## DECLARATION OF INTENTION

(Invalid for all purposes seven years after the date hereof)

County of Mullens In the Mullens Court  
State of Kentucky ss: of Mullens County

I, Thomas Parker, aged 21 years,

occupation Coal Miner, do declare on oath that my personal affirm

description is: Color white, complexion fair, height 5 feet 10 inches,

weight 140 pounds, color of hair light brown, color of eyes brown

other visible distinctive marks \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ ; I was born in Lancashire England

\_\_\_\_\_ on the 11 day of April, anno

Domini 1891; I now reside at Mullens Kentucky

I emigrated to the United States of America from Liverpool Eng.

on the vessel\* Battle; my last

foreign residence was Lancashire England

It is my bona fide intention to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign

prince, potentate, state, or sovereignty, and particularly to King George

V. King of Great Britain & Ireland of which I am now a citizen subject: I

arrived at the port of New York, in the

State New York on or about the 17 day

of September, anno Domini 1891; I am not an anarchist; I am not a

polygamist nor a believer in the practice of polygamy; and it is my intention in good faith

to become a citizen of the United States of America and to permanently reside therein:

SO HELP ME GOD.

Thomas Parker  
(Original signature of declarant.)

Subscribed and sworn to affirmed before me this 4

[SEAL.]

day of April, anno Domini 1917

C. S. Cunniff  
Clerk of the Mullens Court.

By A. R. Cunniff, Clerk.

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Muhlenberg County KY Marriages

1875 25 Feb.	George M. Kittinger, res: Muhl., age: 24, 1st m Farmer Sallie Daves, res: Ky. age: 21, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1875 18 Feb.	A.J. Stroud, res: Muhl., age: 23, 1st m Miner Martha E. Rowe, res: Ky. age: 20, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1875 18 Feb.	Washington Styles, res: Muhl., age: 23, 1st m Druggist Miss Kittinger, res: Ky. age: 18 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1875 25 Aug.	J.G. Durham, res: Muhl., age: 29, 2nd m Farmer M.F. James, res: Ky. age: 18, 1st m	Ky. N.C. N.C. Ky. Tn. Tn.
1875 9 Sept	J.E. Reeves, res: Muhl. age: 26, 1st m Farmer Eliza Lovelace, res: Ky. age: 21, 1st m	Al. Al. Al. Al. Al. Al.
1875 23 Dec.	E.B. Tate, res: Muhl. age: 24, 1st m. Farmer M.A. Driskill, res: Ky. age: 23, 1st m	Tn. Tn. Tn. Ky. Tn. Ky.
1875 22 Dec.	R.B. Wright, res: Muhl. age: 43, 2nd m Farmer M.J. Tomlison, res: Ky., age: 32, 1st m	Ky. Tn. S.C. Tn. N.C. N.C.
1875 17 Oct.	G.W. Ford, res: Muhl., age: 22, 1st m Farmer S.E. Allen, res: Ky. age: 16, 1st m	Ky. N.C. N.C. Ky. Tn. Tn.
1875 12 Oct.	A. Bivins, res: Muhl. age: 26, 1st m Farmer Martha Johnson, res: Ky., age: 20, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1875 1 Oct.	Jacob Gates, res: Muhl., age: 44, 2nd m Farmer Norka Bivins, res: Ky. age: 33, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1875 17 Oct.	J.S. Dukes, res: Muhl., age: 20, 1st m Farmer M.J. Dukes, res: Ky. age: 20, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Tn.
1875 11 Dec.	J.W. Johnson, res: Muhl., age: 31, 1st m Farmer Luoy Wells, res: Ky. age: 16, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Tn. Tn.
1875 5 Jan.	M.B. Welbourn, res: Muhl. age: 21, 1st m Farmer Nancy Hodge, res: Ky. age: 19, 1st m	Ky. N.C. Ky. Ky. Tn. Tn.
1875 ___ Jan.	John Johnson, res: Muhl., age: 46, 2nd m Farmer T.W. Faughender, res: Ky. age: 32, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Pa. Ky.
1875 18 Mar.	P.P. Hill, res: Muhl., age: 26, 1st m Farmer M.B. Hardison, res: Ky. age: 19, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Oh.
1875 6 Jan.	Thomas Waggoner, res: Muhl., age: 26, 1st m Farmer L. (or S.) Moore, res: Ky. age: 20, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1875 26 Oct.	C. Clemmons, res: Muhl., age: __, 1st m Farmer Allie Earle, res: Ky. age: 19, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1875 11 Feb.	A.T. Kittinger, res: Muhl. age: 23, 1st m Farmer S.G. Morgan, res: Ky. age: 23, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1875 ___ Dec.	George A. Bell, res: Muhl. age: 21, 1st Farmer M.R. Barnett, res: Ky. age: 21, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1875 17 July	A.B. Swiney, res: Muhl. age: 29, 1st m Farmer M.A. Chappel, res: Ky. age: 20, 1st m	Tn. N.C. N.C. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1875 20 Mar.	A.H. Cooper, res: Muhl., age: 23, 1st m Farmer M.E. Tinsley, res: Ky., age: __ 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1875 ___ Nov.	W.C. Farris, res: Muhl. age: 22, 1st m Farmer M.L. Skipworth, res: ____, age: 21, 1st	Ky. Tn. Tn. ___ . ___ .
1875 20 Dec.	J.M. Groves, res: Muhl. age: 24, 1st m Farmer S.E. Farris, res: ____, age: 21, 1stm	Ky. Ky. Ky. ___ . ___ .
1875 15 July	J.H. Smith, res: Muhl. age: 26, 1st m Farmer S. Keith, res: ____, age: 16, 1stm	Ky. Tn. Tn. ___ . ___ .
1875 5 June	H. Pittman, res: Muhl., age: 45, 2nd Farmer L. Weir, res: ____. age: 22, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky.
1875 ___ Aug.	Robert Gardner, res: Muhl., age: 20, 1st m Farmer Eliza J. West., res: ____, age: 16, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky.

1875 William Porter, res: Muhl. age: 35, 1st m Farmer Ky. Tn. Miss.  
12 Sept Rebecca J. Tate, res: \_\_\_\_\_, age: 17, 1st m

1875 Nathan Vincent, res: Muhl. age: 25, 1st m Farmer Ky. Ky. Ky.  
12 Aug. Lucy Vincent, res: \_\_\_\_\_, age: 15, 1st m

1875 W.H. Gibbs, res: Muhl. age: 24, 1st m Farmer Ky. Ky. Ky.  
23 Sept Fanny January, res: \_\_\_\_\_, age: 22, 1st m

1875 J.S. Allen, res: Muhl., age: 22, 1st m Farmer Ky. Va. Tn.  
3 Jan. Rosanna Dukes, res: \_\_\_\_\_, age: 20, 1st m

1875 W.B. Jeffers, res: In. age: 18, 1st m Farmer Ky. Ky. Ky.  
4 Jan. Sopha Simons, res: Ky. age: 18, 1st m Ky. Tn. Tn.

1875 James M. Chaney, res: Ky. age: 25, 2nd m Farmer Ky. Ky. Tn.  
7 Jan. Lucinda Hinton, res: Ky. age: 18, 1st m Ky. Ky. Ky.

1875 David J. Fleming, res: Ky. age: 40, 2nd m Farmer Ky. Tn. Ky.  
7 Jan. Virginia Westray, res: Ky. age: 21, 1st m Ky. Ky. Ky.

1875 G.H. Hunt, res: Ky., age: 23, 1st m Farmer Ky. Ky. Ky.  
7 Jan. O.E. Anderson, res: Ky., age: 16, 1st m Ky. Ky. Ky.

1875 W.S. Humphrey, res: Ky. age: 42 1st m Farmer Ky. Ky. Va.  
10 Jan. Surina Donivan, res: Ky., age: 20 1st m Ky. Ky. Ky.

1875 Tiberias Porrister, res: Muhl. age: 24, 2nd m Farmer Ky. Ky. Ky.  
25 Nov. Matilda A. Spinks, res: Muhl. age: 16, 1st m

1875 Peter C. am, res: Muhl., age: 22, 1st m Farmer Tn. N.C. N.C.  
1 Dec. Joanna Gish, res: Muhl., age: 25, 1st m Ky. Ky. Ky.

1875 T.D. Jones, res: Muhl. age: 22, 1st m Farmer Ky. Ky. Ky.  
15 Dec. Hannah Mercer, res: Muhl., age: 17, 1st m Ky. Ky. Ky.

1875 A.M. Terry, res: Ky., age: 47, 1st m Farmer Va. Va. Va.  
19 Dec. Laura A. Allison, res: Muhl. age: 49, 2nd m Ky. Va. Va.

1875 W.R. Miles, res: Ky. age: 26, 1st m Farmer Ky. England, Ky.  
23 Dec. Florence Buskill, res: Muhl. age: 21, 1st m Ky. Ky. England

1875 James A. Sallee, res: Ky. age: 21, 1st m Farmer Ky. Ky. Ky.  
23 Dec. Louisa France, res: Muhl. age: 20, 1st m Ky. Ky. Ky.

1875 George A. Bell, res: Ky. age: 20, 1st m Farmer Ky. Tn. Va.  
28 Dec. Martha B. Barnett, res: Muhl., age: 27, 2nd m Ky. Ky. Ky.

1875 William C. Hobbs, res: Ky. age: 30, 1st m Carpenter Tx. Tn. Tn.  
30 Dec. Nannie L. Lemastas, res: Muhl., age: 27, 2nd m Ky. Ky. Ky.

1876 N.C. Williams, res: Muhl., age: 25, 1st m Farmer Ky. Al. Ky.  
18 Oct. Elisabeth Kulley, res: Butler Co., age: 21, 1st m Ky. Va. Md.

1876 Everett Buchanan, res: Muhl., age: 18, 1st m Farmer Ky. Ky. Tn.  
23 July S.J. Kimmel, res: Muhl., age: 22, 2nd m (m in Tn.) Tn. Tn. Tn.

1876 T.G. O'Neal, res: Muhl., age: 22, 1st m shoemaker Ky. Ky. Ky.  
11 Oct. Mary J. Sears, res: Muhl., age: 19, 1st m. Ky. Tn. Ky.

1876 Ben W. Cundiff, res: Muhl. age: 27, 1st m Farmer Ky. Ky. Ky.  
17 Dec. Martha Wheno, res: Muhl., age: 19, 1st m Ky. Tn. Ky.

1876 A.J. Harris, res: Muhl. age: 18, 1st m Farmer Ky. In. Tn.  
20 Dec. Bell Roll, res: Muhl. age: 17, 1st m Ky. Ky. Ky.

1876 Ben Simmons, (Summons), res: Muhl., age: 43, 2nd m Farm Va. Va. Va.  
29 Oct. Emeline Martin, res: Muhl. age: 43, 1st m Ky. Ky. Ky.

1876 John Wood, res: Muhl., age: 19, 1st m Farmer Tn. Tn. Tn.  
14 Oct. Sallie L. Garrett, res: Muhl., age: 18, 1st m Ky. Ky. Ky.

1876 Ben Stewart, res: Muhl. age: 20, 1st m Farmer Ky. Ky. Ky.  
5 Oct. Mary S. Carver, res: Muhl., age: 17, 1st m Ky. Ky. Ky.

1876 J.S. Unsell, res: Muhl. age: 23, 1st m Farmer Ky. Ky. Il.  
15 Feb. Ellen Green, res: Muhl., age: 23, 1st m Tn. Tn. \_\_\_\_\_

1876 Willis W. Ray, res: Muhl., age: 19, 1st m Farmer Ky. Tn. Tn.  
28 Nov. Ruth L. Wyatt, res: Muhl., age: 17, 1st m Ky. Ky. Ky.

1876 14 Dec.	James W. Smith, resi: Muhl. age: 24, 1st m Farmer Sarah E. Ford, resi: In. age: 20, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky., N.C. Ky.
1876 7 Jan.	William P. Dwyer, resi: Muhl. age: 19, 1st m Farmer Sallie A. D. Calvert, resi: Muhl. age: 23, 1st m	Ky. Tn. Tn. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1876 4 June	James E. Unsell, resi: Muhl., age: 26, 1st m Farmer Nannie Welborn, resi: Muhl. age: 26, 1st, m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1876 20 Sept	J.G. Hansbro, resi: Louisville, age: 30, 1st m Expressman India E. Haden, resi: Muhl. age: 30, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1876 16 Nov.	A.O. Glenn, resi: Muhl. age: 48, 1st m Farmer Hettie H. Nurse, resi: Logan Co., age: 28, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Md. Del.
1876 4 July	John W. Newman, resi: Muhl., age: 34, 2nd m Miner Nancy J. Griffith, resi: Muhl., age: 23, 1st m	Pa. Pa. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1876 3 Oct.	William B. Bennett, resi: Muhl., age: 52, 3rd m Farm Mary E. Rhoads, resi: Muhl. age: 35, 1st m	Ky. Va. Va. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1876 30 Nov.	G.B. Roll, resi: Muhl. age: ____, 3rd, farmer Mary E. O'Neal, resi: Muhl, age: 26, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1876 4 July	I.J. Roll, resi: Muhl., age: 29, 1st m Farmer Curley Sohman, resi: Muhl., age: 19, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1876 18 Nov.	Harry Yearling, resi: Muhl. age: 31, 2nd m Miner Mary A. Thompson, resi: Muhl., age: 30, 2nd m	Eng. Eng. Eng. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1876 11 Nov.	Samuel A. Griffith, resi: Muhl., age: 20, 1st m Martha O. Weeks, resi: Muhl. age: 16, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. N.C. Ky.
1876 1 May	Andrew T. Miller, resi: Muhl., age: 19, 1st m Farmer Dioy Neighbors, resi: Muhl. age: 21, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Tn. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1876 __ Jan.	William Doss, resi: Muhl., age: 22, 1st m Farmer Margaret B. Whitehouse, resi: Muhl., age: 17, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1876 14 Jan.	Alfred Perry, resi: Muhl. age: 20, 1st m Farmer Molly Josey, resi: Muhl. age: 17, 1st m	Tn. Tn. Tn. Ky. Tn. Tn.
1876= __ Aug.	Ephraim Stewart, resi: Muhl., age: 27, 1st m Farmer Sarah J. Wakeland, resi: Muhl. age: 21, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1876 5 Oct.	George Titchener, resi: Ohio Co. age: 33, 1st m Farm Alicce Moore, resi: Muhl. age: 19, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1876 21 Dec.	John M. Vick, resi: Muhl. age: 33, 1st m Farmer Josephine Stroud, resi: Muhl., age: 20,	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1876 7 Dec.	Eldrew Jones (James), resi: Muhl., age: 23, 1st m teacher, Delia Crittenden, resi: Muhl. age: 18, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Tn. Ky.
1876 20 Aug.	George Cobb, resi: Muhl., age: 22, 1st m Farmer Mary Malin, resi: Muhl., age: 15, 1st m (Malice)	Ky. Tn. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1876 23 Mar.	James A. Tomerlin, (Tomesbye) resi: Todd Co., 34, 1st Ruth E. Shemwell, resi: Muhl., age: 24, 1st m	Ky. N.C. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1876 26 Dec.	James M. Tanner, resi: Muhl., age: 25, 1st m Farmer Henrietta Cobb, resi: Muhl., age: 20, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Tn. Ky.
1876 30 Aug	William S. Janus*(James), resi: Muhl., age: 55, 2nd m Martha A. Williams, resi: Ohio Co. age: 49, 1st m * was James in 1880 Census, was a blacksmith	Ky. Va. Va. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1876 20 Sept	Irvin Bagwell, resi: Muhl., age: 24, 1st m Farmer Molly Arnold, resi: Molean Co. age: 22, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1876 5 Oct.	*Ben T. Drake, resi: Muhl. age: 56, 2nd. m Farmer Sallie E. Barnard, resi: Ohio Co. age: 34, 2nd m	Ky. Ky. N.Y. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1876 25 May	**Elwood Fentress, resi: Muhl., age: 27, 1st m Farmer Elisa J. Kittinger, resi: Muhl., age: 19, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1876 16 Aug.	**William W. Langley, resi: Muhl, age: 18, 1st m Farm Martha C. Helsley, resi: Muhl., age: 23, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.
1876 30 Aug.	*Wilson Campbell, resi: Muhl., age: 37, 1st m Farmer Mary Lewis, resi: Muhl., age: 25, 1st m	Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky. Ky.

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KINCHELOE GRUNDY

Seeking info on the family of Elias KINCHELOE (b 17 JL 1819 in Nelson Co KY, d 31 OC 1873) and his wife Mary (b 26 MY 1821 in KY, d 2 OC 1875). Both are buried in Muhlenberg County KY. One of their daughters, Amanda Catherine "Kate" KINCHELOE (b 3 JL 1855, d 1 SE 1930) married (12 NO 1874 in Muhlenberg County KY) to William H. GRUNDY (b 1 JA 1853, d 27 JA 1924). Both are buried in Hall County TX.  
Jimmy W. Grundy, 9345 Carr Street, Broomfield, CO. 80021.

CATES LAMB

Peter Lamb (b1798 NC) m. (where?) Goodwin Cate (b1801 NC). They lived 1824 Maury Co TN; 1845 Calloway Co KY; 1850 Christian Co KY; 1851 bought land in Muhlenberg Co KY; buried Muhl. Co KY. Son Elijah Lamb m. Martha G. Cates (1844 Polk Co MO); was w/family in Muhl. Co by 1857. Seek confirmation that Martha G's. parents were Robert D. and Margaret (\_\_\_\_) Cates. Seek relationship between Martha G. and m-in-law Goodwin.  
Dorann O'Neal Lam, 102 Fourth Avenue SW, Glen Burnie, MD. 21061-3467

RUTHERFORD SEARS

Rotherf's "History of Muhlenberg County" relates a story about Archie Rutherford who was charged with and sentenced to die for murder of \_\_\_\_ Starks, Todd Co KY. The 1860 census lists him, age 27, in Muhl. Co jail. Circuit Court records follow the trial from 1857 to NO 1859 when he was sentenced to die JA 1860. An appeal was granted in MY 1860 but records state he escaped and fled. Believe Archie was s/o Samuel O. Rutherford, Logan Co KY. Seek proof and information on family as they might relate to Jemima A. Rutherford who m/1 John S. Sears and m/2 James Sears. Would love to know what happened to Archie.  
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TO ALL MEMBERS: Please take a few minutes to make out a 3 X 5 card with your name, address & phone number (if you wish), along with the surnames you are researching and send them in. This is the last chance before the OC NO DE issue of the Heritage for this year.

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