

No. 1 on this chart is the same as No. _____ on Chart No. _____

COMPILER OF RECORD:

James Milton Christian son of # 1

8 Isaac Christian

BORN 7-14-1787
WHERE Va.
MARRIED 2-12-1807
WHERE Elbert Co., Ga.
DIED after 1860
WHERE

9 Mildred (Milly) White

BORN 4-30-1789
WHERE Ga.
DIED Between 1850-1860
WHERE

4 Rufus Christian

BORN 6-7-1815
WHERE Ga.
MARRIED 1-28-1838
WHERE
DIED 6-5-1892
WHERE Rockdale Co., Ga.
Milton Rufus Christian

2

BORN 2-5-1847
WHERE Ga.
MARRIED 11-28-1872
WHERE
DIED 11-6-1912
WHERE Rockdale Co, Ga.

5 Serene E. Christian

BORN 1820
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

10

BORN
WHERE
MARRIED
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

11

BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

1 George Cunningham Christian

BORN 10-9-1873
WHERE Rockdale Co., Ga.
MARRIED 12-29-1917
WHERE Bogart, Ga.
DIED 11-29-1942
WHERE East Point, Ga.
George M. Cunningham

12 George Cunningham

BORN 1771 + - one yr.
WHERE Va.
MARRIED 3-6-1798
WHERE Oglehorpe Co., Ga.
DIED 3-3-1859
WHERE Newton Co., Ga.

13

Agnes Patrick
BORN 1781
WHERE
DIED ?
WHERE

3

Mary Lou Cunningham

BORN 8-18-1855
WHERE Newton Co. Ga.
DIED 3-19-1920
WHERE East Point, Ga.

7 Martha H. Pullen

BORN 1831
WHERE
DIED 9-21-1905
WHERE Covington Ga.

14

BORN
WHERE
MARRIED
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

15

BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

SPOUSE OF NO. 1 Martha Reese Jarrett

BORN 1-22-1889
WHERE Jackson Co. Ga.
DIED 4-14-1977
WHERE East Point, Ga.

16

BORN
MARRIED
DIED

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FORM 2-D
PEDIGREE CHART

| | | | |
|-----------------|--|--------|------------------|
| HUSBAND | CHRISTIAN, Rufus | Father | CHRISTIAN, Isaac |
| Born | 6-7-1815 | Mother | WHITE, MILDRED |
| Flourished | | | Georgia |
| Married | 1-28-1838 | | |
| Died | 6-5-1892 | | |
| Buried | Rockdale Co. Ga | | |
| Other Marriages | MRS. L. J. CHRISTIAN (Listed as Dower) | | |

| | | | |
|-----------------|---------------------------------|--------|--|
| WIFE | CHRISTIAN, Serena E (Elizabeth) | Father | |
| Born | 1820 | Mother | |
| Flourished | | | |
| Died | | | |
| Buried | | | |
| Other Marriages | | | |

| SEX | CHILDREN | DATA | DAY MONTH YEAR | TOWN/CITY COUNTY/PROVINCE STATE/COUNTRY | NAMES OF SPOUSES |
|-----|---------------------|---------|----------------|---|---------------------|
| 1 | M Milton Rufus | Born | 2-5-1847 | Rockdale Co. Ga | Mary Lou Cunningham |
| | | Married | 11-28-1872 | " " " | |
| | | Died | 11-6-1892 | " " " | |
| 2 | M William | Born | 1838 ± 1 | | |
| | | Married | | | |
| | | Died | | | |
| 3 | (Martha Jane Smith) | Born | 1840 ~ 1848 | | Smith |
| | F Martha R or J | Married | | | |
| | | Died | | | |
| 4 | | M James | Born | 1844 | |
| | Married | | | | |
| | Died | | | | |
| 5 | F Mildred E. | Born | 1851 | | |
| | | Married | | | |
| | | Died | | | |
| 6 | Mary L or | Born | 1859 | | Rendisill |
| | F Mattie L | Married | | | |
| | | Died | | Rockdale Co. | |
| 7 | | | Born | | |
| | Married | | | | |
| | Died | | | | |
| 8 | | Born | | | |
| | | Married | | | |
| | | Died | | | |
| 9 | | Born | | | |
| | | Married | | | |
| | | Died | | | |
| 10 | | Born | | | |
| | | Married | | | |
| | | Died | | | |
| 11 | | Born | | | |
| | | Married | | | |
| | | Died | | | |
| 12 | | Born | | | |
| | | Married | | | |
| | | Died | | | |

BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

James M. CHRISTIAN

COMPILER OF RECORD

MISCELLANEOUS

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FORM 1-C

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

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FORM 1-C FAMILY GROUP RECORD

HUSBAND **CHRISTIAN, Isaac** Father **CHRISTIAN,** Mother
 Born **7-4-1787** Virginia
 Flourished
 Married **2-12-1807** Elbert Co. Ga
 Died **After 1860**
 Buried **?**
 Other Marriages

WIFE **White, Mildred (Milly)** Father Mother
 Born **4-30-1789 ± 1** (Reference Lost)
 Flourished
 Died **1810-1860**
 Buried **?**
 Other Marriages

| SEX | CHILDREN | DATA | DAY MONTH YEAR | TOWN/CITY | COUNTY/PROVINCE | STATE/COUNTRY | NAMES OF SPOUSES |
|-----|----------|---------|----------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|
| 1 | | Born | 1809 or 1819 | | | Ga | Mary C. |
| M | Milton | Married | | | | | |
| | | Died | | | | | |
| 2 | | Born | 6-7-1815 | | Ga | | Serena Elizabeth |
| F | Rufus | Married | 1-28-1838 | | | | CHRISTIAN |
| | | Died | 6-5-1892 | Rockdale, Ga | | | |
| 3 | | Born | 1817 | | | | Eliz. Sappington |
| M | Presley | Married | | | | | |
| | | Died | | | | | |
| 4 | | Born | 1821 | | | Ga | Mary S |
| M | James D | Married | | | | | |
| | | Died | | | | | |
| 5 | | Born | 1822 | | | Ga | Mary |
| M | Isaac | Married | | | | | |
| | | Died | | | | | |
| 6 | | Born | 1824 | | | Ga | Frances Ann (N.C.) |
| M | Reuben | Married | | | | | |
| | | Died | | | | | |
| 7 | | Born | | | | | |
| F | Girl | Married | | | | | |
| | | Died | | | | | |
| 8 | | Born | 1834 | | | Ga | Susan A |
| M | Thomas | Married | | | | | |
| | | Died | | | | | |
| 9 | | Born | 1831 | | | | |
| M | Elijah | Married | | | | | |
| | | Died | | | | | |
| 10 | | Born | | | | | |
| | ? | Married | | | | | |
| | | Died | | | | | |
| 11 | | Born | | | | | |
| | | Married | | | | | |
| | | Died | | | | | |
| 12 | | Born | | | | | |
| | | Married | | | | | |
| | | Died | | | | | |

I suspect # 10 was a girl -
 Both may have been born
 between Milton + Rufus -

BIOGRAPHICAL DATA
James M. CHRISTIAN
 COMPILER OF RECORD
 MISCELLANEOUS

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

ELBERT COUNTY, GEORGIA, TAX DIGEST DATES UNKNOWN (1794-1806)
 10/82 Reel 404 Box 10-82

| NAME | NEGROES | LAND | WATERS | SURVEYED BY | JOINING GRANTED TO |
|-------------------|---------|-------------------|----------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------|
| CHRISTIAN, Wm. B. | 3 | 125a | Falling cr. | | HUGH McDonald |
| " Rufus | 8 | 200 | Doves cr. | | Peter Stovall |
| " Isaac | 2 | 200 | Doves cr. | John Deforest | John Faulgner |
| " " | | 179 $\frac{1}{2}$ | Doves cr. | | Rufus Christian |
| " Robt. B | 9 | 477 | B. river | | Thos. Oliver |
| " Reuben | 6 | 336 | Doves cr. | | Thad. Ogliby |
| " Chas. W. | | 362 | Millshale | B. Wilson | Marbel Stone |
| " " | | 100 | " | Jno. Barnett | Wm. Addams |
| " " | | 150 | " | Jno. Gorget | Wm/ Addams |
| " " | | 39 $\frac{1}{4}$ | " | | Mark Smallwood |
| " " | | 210 | Beaver Dam cr. | Robt. Brown | Abraham Brown |
| " " | | 124 | B. river | Chas. W. Christian | Rich Watherton |
| " " | | 197 | Deep cr. | Wm. Richardson | Wm. Christian |
| " " | | 120 | Fork cr. | W. Hatcher | Rich. Hilly |
| " Gabriel | 8 | 435 | Doves cr. | Rich. Colter | John Ham |
| " Wm. P. | | 110 | B. river (Ogle. Co.) | | Jas. McClusky |
| " Wm. P. | | 133 $\frac{1}{2}$ | Deep cr. | Walter Richardson | Oziah. Hathcock |
| " " | | 187 $\frac{1}{2}$ | " | | Saml. Bently |
| " " | | 187 $\frac{1}{2}$ | " | Walter Richardson | Wm. Penn |
| " " | | 37 | " | " | Turner Christian |
| " Turner | | 237 | B. r. | Jesse G. Christian | Saml. Bently SR. (Madison Co.) |
| " " | | 182 | Bever Dam | Thad Maxwell Jr. | Claborn Sandridge |
| " James | 7 | 350 | Dovzes cr. | M. Woods | Saml. Lawirmore |
| " John (minor) | 1 | | | | |
| " James | 7 | 204 | W. Doves cr. | | Wooxws and Wade |
| " Wm. Jr. (?) | 2 | | | | |
| " Chas. W. | 5 | 150 | Millshale | Harris | Whited Hendricks |

John Christian
 5-4-81

EXTRACT FROM 1850 CENSUS

State Ga County or Parish Newton Township, Ward or Beat _____ Post Office _____

Index compiled by _____ Extract by _____ Date of Enumeration _____ Publication No. _____ Reel No. _____

| Page | Dwelling No. | Family No. | Names | Age | Sex | Color | Occupation, etc. | Value of real estate | Birthplace | Married within year | School within year | Cannot read or write | Remarks |
|------|--------------|------------|------------------------|-----|-----|-------|------------------|----------------------|------------|---------------------|--------------------|----------------------|---------|
| | | 4 | Christian Isaac | 62 | M | W | Farmer | 2,500 | VA | | | | |
| | | | Mildred | 61 | F | | | | GA | | | | |
| | | | Elijah | 19 | M | | | | GA | | | | |
| | | | Isaac W | 14 | M | | | | GA | | | | |
| | | 4 | Isaac | 28 | M | | Farmer | 500 | GA | | | | |
| | | | Mary | 22 | F | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Elizabeth | 3 | F | | | | | | | | |
| | | | JAMES | 1 | M | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Christian Isaac (1860) | 72 | M | | Farmer | 3,000 | | | | | |

John Christian

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Aug. 14, 1981

Mrs. Agnes B. Pearlman
2001 North Westwood Ave
Santa Ana, Calif., 92706

Dear Agnes:

I was delighted to hear from you and am looking forward to rec.
the CHRONICLES.

You and I may not be thinking of the same Milton Christian. I
find a Milton wed to Mary Clark Posey on 10 June, 1831 in Henry
Co. Ga. I suspect he is a son of Isaac (1788) and a bro. of
Rufus and Presley. Rufus married Serena E. Christian 28 Jan.,
1838 in Newton Co. and Presley married Elizabeth O. Sapping-
ton 13 Dec. 1839, in Newton Co.

I am attaching family group records and I think they are
correct. Please let me know if you find errors. *or can add to -*

Relative to Milton; I do not find him, or a Milton, in the 1820
Cencus of Newton Co. Ga.

| | | | | |
|-----------------|---------------|-------------------|---------------|------------|
| Newton Co. 1830 | I find Milton | 15- 24 | 1M | |
| | | ? 50-60 | 1M | |
| | | ? 70-80 | 1F + 3 slaves | |
| Newton Co. 1840 | Milton | under 5 | 1M | |
| | | 5 -10 | 2M | |
| | | 30-40 | 1M | |
| | | 5-10 | 1F | |
| | | 20-30 | 1F + 3 slaves | |
| Newton Co. 1850 | Milton | 43 | Farmer | Ga. \$5000 |
| | Mary | 38 | | |
| | Lucy | 18 | | |
| | James | 16 | | |
| | John | 13 | | |
| | Thos.. | 3 or 5 | | |
| Newton Co. 1860 | Milton | 51 | Farmer | Ga. \$250 |
| | Mary C. | 48 | Seamstress | |
| | Thos P. | 15 | | |

This is about all I have on Milton. However, my grandfather was
Milton Rufus and I am James Milton.

I suspect I need to search more in Franklin Co. Ga. for the father
of old Isaac.

I thought I would pass along some Ga. gleanings. I guess on
the next page.

From the Hollinsworth cards I find these men early in Ga.:

| | | | | | |
|------------------|-----|----|--------------|----|---------|
| George Christian | was | in | Franklin Co. | in | 1795. |
| John | " | " | " | " | " 1796. |
| Elijah | " | " | " | " | " 1801. |
| James | " | " | " | " | " 1803. |
| Gideon | " | " | " | " | " 1830. |
| Reuben | " | " | " | " | " 1824. |
| Presley | " | " | Elbert C/ | " | " 1818. |

A card in files at the Archives shows that William Christian was.... Dragoon Ga., "Troop of Malitia Dragoons" Nov. 1, 1794, "sick absent". He may have been passing through and not a resident.

Turner and Thos. were on Elbert Co. Grand Jury in 1796.

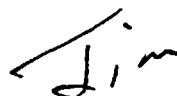
I continue to gather more and more information on the family but , so far, no father of Isaac nor of Serena E. Christian.

My latest correspondent is Percy Lee Christian of Deer Park, TX. We have exchanged a couple of letters.

I fear i have rambled too long but one thing leads to another.

Again, I look forward to hearing from you and the CHRONICLES.

Sincerely,



FAMILY GROUP RECORD

| Wife | | Husband | |
|---------------|-----------------------------|----------------|------------------------------|
| Mildred White | | Name | Isaac CHRISTIAN |
| GA | 1767 [±] Apr 30 | Born | July 4-1788 [±] VA. |
| | | Married | 2-12-1807 ELBERT G. GA |
| Between | 1770-1860 | Died | after 1860 |
| | ? | Burial | ? |
| | | Father | |
| | | Mother | |
| | husband | Other (if any) | wife |

Notes I suspect Serena E. CHRISTIAN was known as Elizabeth -
Her parents are unknown to me -

Date married & spouse

| # | Sex | Children in order of birth | Born Day Month Year | Where born | Died Day Month Year | Where died |
|----|-----|-------------------------------------|------------------------|------------|------------------------|------------|
| 1 | M | Milton (?) | 1819 | GA | | |
| | | 6-10-1831 Mary Clark Posey | | | | |
| 2 | M | Rufus | 1815 | " | | |
| | | 1-28-1838 Serena E. CHRISTIAN | | | | |
| 3 | M | Presley | 1817 | " | | |
| | | 12-13-1835 Eliz. O. Sapington | | | | |
| 4 | M | James D | 1821 | " | | |
| | | 11-26-1846 Mary S. Mildred Brooks | | | | |
| 5 | M | Isaac | 1822 | " | | |
| | | Mary | | | | |
| 6 | M | Reuben | 1823 | " | | |
| | | 11-7-1848 Frances ANN (N.C.) Bishop | | | | |
| 7 | F | Girl | | " | | |
| 8 | M | Thomas | 1824 | " | | |
| | | Susua A. | | | | |
| 9 | M | Elijah | | " | | |
| 10 | | ? | | " | | |
| | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |

Source

By

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

| Wife | Husband |
|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| Mary Lou Cunningham | Name Milton Rufus CHRISTIAN |
| 8-18-1855 | Born 2-5-1847 Ga |
| | Married 11-28-1872 |
| 3-19-1920 | Died 11-6-1912 |
| Rockdale Co | Burial Rockdale Co, Ga |
| Geo. M Cunningham | Father Rufus |
| Martha H. Dallen | Mother Serena E. |
| husband | Other (if any) wife |
| Notes | |
| | |
| | |
| | |

Date married & spouse

| # | Sex | Children in order of birth | Born Day Month Year | Where born | Died Day Month Year | Where died |
|---|-----|---------------------------------|------------------------|------------|------------------------|--------------|
| 1 | M | Geo. Cunningham | 10-9-1873 | Ga | 11-29-1942 | EAST BENT Ga |
| | | 12-29-1917 Martha Reese Jarratt | 1-22-1889 | " | 4-14-1977 | " " " |
| | F | Kate | ? | | | |
| | | Wilson, Kanabe, Simpson | | | | |
| | | William | ? | | | |
| | | Rufus | ? | | | |
| | | Ed. | ? | | | |
| | | Stewart | ? | | | |
| | | Harry Brown | ? | | | |
| | | Mary | | | | |
| | | John Henry | ? | | | |
| | | Marion | | | | |
| | | Thos. G. | ? | | | |
| | | Mary | | | | |
| | | Raymond | ? | | | |
| | | Mary (3) | | | | |
| | | Lizzie | 1875 | | 1895 | |
| | | Wayman P | 1889 | | 1890 | |

Source

By

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

| Wife | | Husband | |
|---|--|----------------|-------------------|
| Eliz. O. Sappington | | Name | Presley CHRISTIAN |
| | | Born | 1817 |
| | | Married | 12-13-1839 |
| | | Died | ? |
| | | Burial | Godyers, GA |
| | | Father | Isaac |
| | | Mother | Mildred |
| husband | | Other (if any) | wife |
| Notes * Maybe Mildred Eugenia Stovall Hayden Coe + T.J. were Methodist Preachers | | | |

Date married & spouse

| # | Sex | Children in order of birth | Born Day Month Year | Where born | Died Day Month Year | Where died |
|---|-----|---------------------------------|------------------------|------------|------------------------|------------|
| | | James F | 1840 (?) | | | |
| | | 9-26-65 M.T. Kennon | | | | |
| | | Mary J. | 1843 | | | |
| | | Sarah Fanny (Francis) Ramsey | 1845 | | | |
| | | Hayden Coe ** | 1848 | | | |
| | | Thos. Jefferson | 1852 | | | |
| | | Eugenia * | 1856 | | | |
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Source

By

File
copy

Georgia Gordon County

Know all men by these presents that I Rufus Christian. Junr am held and firmly bound unto James W. Beaman in the sum of ~~Five thousand~~ ^{Five hundred} dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made I hereby bind myself my heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with my seal and dated this seventh day of October 1851.

The condition of this obligation is such that whereas the above bound Rufus Christian has this day bargained and sold for the price of Two thousand five hundred dollars unto the said James W. Beaman a certain Lot of land known and distinguished as Lot Number Two hundred and two (202) in the Sixth (9) District of the Third (3) section of originally Cherokee but now Murray County and has taken of said Beaman his notes for the price of said land due and payable on the 25th day of December next now if upon the true payment of said notes by the said Beaman with all lawful interest that may have accrued thereon the above bound Rufus Christian Junr shall execute and deliver to the said Beaman good and lawful

7
presumptive warrants tithing to the above
described lot of land then this obligation
to be void else to remain in full force
in law.

Signed Sealed and acknowledged
the day and date above written

Test

Rufus ^{his} Christian ^{mark} [Signature]

Thos. Christian

Refuse to

Return to

Go to

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12th day
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Ball for 14

To May 1952
Chicago Ill

Dear Jim:

Had an opportunity to visit one of the Federal Archives + Record Centers and the attached is the result.

This Thomas (Gleby) Christian is the brother of Rufus Jr. and they were the signers of the bond dated 7 October 1851.

I was surprised at the number of people residing in Murray Co., Ga., according to the Census of 1850.

In the 1820 Census information which I have from another source Rufus had three sons under ten years of age one of these is Rufus Jr. born around 1815, and now we know ¹⁸⁰⁸ Thomas C. was the ten to sixteen son listed. Rufus Sr. had three daughters under ten years, and one ten to sixteen. This leaves to prove to be identified plus any others who might have been born after 1820. I would be inclined to think that Thomas C. Christian b. 1822 was a son of Rufus Sr.

~~When~~ I don't envy you the responsibility of administering an estate I had the experience a few years ago and it entailed the disposal of one business and the many details were very time consuming. Since I was already retired I was fortunate.

Murray Co., Ga. - 1850 Census

| Year | Name | Age | Sex | Occupation | Notes | Location |
|------|-------------------------|-----|--------|-------------------|--|-----------|
| 1829 | Thomas T. Christian | 21 | Male | Editor of a paper | | Born S.C. |
| 1839 | Prophelus R. Christian | 11 | Male | | With Wm H. Forester MD family | S.C. |
| 1822 | Thomas C. Christian | 28 | Male | Farming | Refugee Sr. May have been son of son of Thomas C. Christian? | Ga |
| 1829 | Samantha | 21 | Female | | | " |
| 1846 | Francis L. | 2 | Female | | | " |
| 1808 | Thomas C. Christian | 42 | Male | Farming | S/o Refugee Christian + Mary Oglesby d. 1852 Murray Co. Ga. | Ga. |
| 1810 | Martha (Ann) Harmon | 40 | Female | | McLennan d. 13/1887 McLennan Co. Tex. | " |
| 1834 | Frederick A. | 16 | Male | | | " |
| 1836 | Elender L. | 14 | Female | | | " |
| 1838 | Emily R. (nee) Caroline | 12 | Female | | d. 12/14/1916 Lorena McLennan Co. Tex. | " |
| 1840 | James M. W. | 10 | Male | | | " |
| 1841 | George T. | 9 | Male | | | " |
| 1843 | John W. | 7 | Male | | | " |
| 1846 | Mary S. | 4 | Female | | | " |
| 1820 | Mary Christian | 30 | Female | | With Samuel Connolly Parrena (Parrena) family | " |
| 1827 | Rufus Christian | 63 | Male | Farmer | S/o Capt John + Mary Maynard | Va. |
| 1829 | Mary (Oglesby) | 63 | Female | | | " |

Cegnes - a copy of my letter to Frank Arthur
Christian

8-16-82

Dear Frank -

I visited the Sr. Archivist last week
& turned up a couple of wills which
are interesting and add fuel to the
fire of my research.

Newton C. Wills Vol 2 - 1851-71

Will of Leuben ^(m) Christian.

He lists his brothers & sisters:

James H., Wm. B., Melinda,
Elizabeth S., Manerva, Martha A
& Luiza A.

Executor: Presley F. Christian - "Friend
and cousin";

Witnesses by: Richard F. J. ...?

H. L. Christian?

Mary J. Christian?

The signatures were verified by Presley Jan 24-1864.
I presume he died of his war wounds.

Will of James D. Christian

Lists wife Mary A.

Executor: Presley F. Christian "Brother"

Written 2. Aug. 1862 -

signature verified 6 March 1865

Elijah Willis was not mentioned in Leuben
M. Christian's will. I presume he
had died of his war wounds.

It is known that:

Capt. John Christian - Mary Maynard

Reuben Christian - Mary Ann Clark
b. 1770
d. 1839

Elijah Willis Christian
b. 1803 - d.

and
12-19-1827

Mary Clark Christian
b. 1805-7

* died
war wounds +
fever.

- ① James Hamilton
- * ② Reuben M.
- ③ Wm. Bradley
- * ④ Elijah Willis
- ⑤ Malinda
- ⑥ Elizabeth S. (Elizabeth Serena??)
- ⑦ Manerva
- ⑧ Martha F.
- ⑨ Louisa A. out of Mary - 2^d wife

Please note how:

Refer J. 1. 5/0 Refer S. 1. 5/0 Capt John + Mary Maynard

Refer J. married Serena S. (Elizabeth) Christian
b. 1815 or 17 1-24-1817 b. c. 1820
d. 6-5-1852

Family history * has it that Presley F. Christian¹⁸¹⁷
was a son of Isaac^{b. 7-4-1787±} & Mildred White^{b. 4-30-1787±} - d. post 1860.
The lines on page one indicate that
James D + Presley F. were brothers.

* Tom Swift's pedigree.

The Census of 1820 - Elbert C. shows that:

| | | | |
|--------------|---|---------|-------|
| <u>Isaac</u> | 3 | males | 0-9 |
| 5-1787 | 1 | " | 26-44 |
| | 2 | Females | 0-9 |
| | 1 | " | 10-15 |
| | 1 | " | 26-45 |

Presly^F + James D. could have been two of the sons 0-9.

Is it possible that Serena E. Christian could be a daughter of Isaac?
She could fall into the age range -

Consider that:

Reuben M. Christian + (Presly F. + James D.) were cousins -

Reuben M. father was Elijah Willis.
+ his mother was Mary Clark Christian

Presly F. father was Isaac.

∴ Was Isaac a brother of Elijah Willis or was his sister Mary Clark Christian - I suspect Elijah Willis -

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Presley Christian:

1820 Census Albert Co. 45 and over
1822-24 Sheriff of Albert Co
died - prob. before 1830

It is possible that Presley could
be the father of Isaac ¹⁷⁸⁷ + possibly
Elijah Willis b 1803 - It is also
possible that all three were
brothers. But not likely due to
age differences

Here the story ends - I have
checked your letters to me - the data
from Fred O. Brooks + Portia +
my notes + still find no
proof to the Isaac, Presley +
Serena S. Christian problem.

I will search on

Kindest regards.

Jim

Capt. John + Mary Maynard

Refus Sr

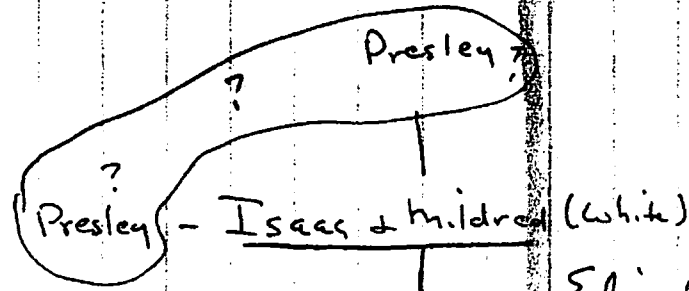
Refus Jr

md. Serena E. Christian

Milton Refus

bro. Cunningham

James Milton



Elijah Willis

Cousins

(Possible only)

Capt. John + Mary Maynard

Reuben + Mary Ann Clark

md. Mary Clark Christian

1 James Hamilton

2 Reuben M.

3 Wm. Bradley

4 Elijah Willis

5 Melender

6 Elizabeth S. (Elizabeth Serene) ???

7 Manera

8 Martha F

9 Susan A

∴ Isaac + Elijah Willis + Possibly Presley could be brothers

...testify that I have
sold my entire
interest in my father
and Christian Decreas of
county my one fifth and division
in the real and personal
+ also my interest in Widdow
to my mother H. H. Christian
value received of him
December 5th 1892
Mollie G. Rindell

State of Georgia, *Rockdale* County:

This Indenture, Made this *fifth* day of *December*

in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and *ninety two* between

Mrs M L Rudisill of the County of *Rockdale* and State of *Georgia* of the first part, and

M. R. Christian of the County of *Rockdale* and State of *Georgia* of the second part;

Witnesseth, That the said part of the first part, for and in consideration of the sum of *Twenty five Dollars* Dollars,

in hand paid at and before the sealing and delivery of these presents, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, hath granted, bargained, sold, and conveyed, and by these presents do grant, bargain, sell and convey unto said part of the second part, heirs and assigns, all that tract or parcel of land, situated, lying and being in

all of my one *5th* undivided interest in and to the following described tract and parcels of land to wit: my entire one *6th* undivided interest of one hundred and ninety acres more or less including my interest in widows Dower, set apart to Mrs L J Christian the same lying and being in the *10th* District of originally Newton now *Rockdale* county being parts of Land lots Nos *170 171 and 186* in said District, and bounded as follows: on the west by Lands of *L R Scott and Mrs G H Christian* on the North by Lands of *M D Irwin and J W R Park* on the East by Lands of *G B Almand* on the South by Lands of *G B Almand and J S Fincher* also my one *6th* undivided interest in and to *thirty six* acres of Land more or less, lying and being in the *10th* District of Newton county and being parts of Land lots Nos *169 and 170* in said District, and bound as follows on the North west and south by Lands of *G B Almand* and on the East by the old Taylor place also my one *6th* undivided ^{*tenth*} interest in and to *sixty six* acres of Land more or less in the *10th* District of originally Newton now *Rockdale* county and known as the *Will Coker* place being a part of the *McDonald* homestead and bounded as follows on the South by Lands of *John Stowers* on East by *W H Brimline* and the *Willingham* Estate on the North by *B C Good* This deed is intended to convey to the said *M R Christian* all my title and interest in and to the Lands of *Rufus Christian* late of said county deceased, I being a daughter of said *Rufus Christian* and entitled as an heir of said deceased to one *6th* of his Estate and this deed covers all my interest in the real estate of said deceased including the resulting interest in the widows dower in said lands as

To have and to hold the said bargained premises, together with all and singular, the rights, members and appurtenances thereof to the same being, belonging, or in anywise appertaining, to the only proper use, benefit and behoof of the said part of the second part, his heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, in fee simple. And the said part of the first part, her heirs, executors, and administrators, the said bargained premises, unto the said part of the second part, heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, against the said part of the first part, heirs, executors, and administrators, and all and every other person or persons, shall and will warrant and forever defend, by virtue of these presents.

In witness whereof, said part of the first part has hereunto set her hand and affixed her seal the day and year first above written.

SIGNED, SEALED, AND DELIVERED IN PRESENCE OF—

J J Longford
A N Hill N.P.

Mollie G. Rudisill (Seal)
(Seal)



STATE OF GEORGIA,

● Rockdale County.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That George L. Christian

of the County and State aforesaid, part 1 of the first part, am held and firmly bound unto Mr. R. Christian part 1 of the second part, his heirs and

assigns, in the penal sum of Three Hundred & forty DOLLARS,

for the payment of which well and truly to be made, the said part 1 of the first part hereby bind his heirs, executors and administrators, jointly, severally and firmly by these presents, signed with his hand

and sealed with his seal, this 28th day of June in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and twelve.

THE CONDITION of the foregoing obligation is, That whereas the said part 1 of the first part ha th this day agreed to sell to the said part 1 of the second part a certain tract or parcel of land situated,

lying and being in the 10th District of originally Henry now Rockdale County the same being a one half

undivided interest in and to 68 1/2 sixty eight acres of

more or less and parts of original land lots nos

170 & 171 and known as the Dower lands of Mrs

L. J. Christian widow of Rufus Christian deceased

and bounded as follows; on the north by lands of Mr R

Christian and J. Will Lowan on the east by lands of

J. Will Lowan and E. B. Almond, on the south by lands

of E. B. Almond and the J. S. Fincher place on the west

by lands of J. Will Lowan and Mr R. Christian and better

known as the Rufus Christian home place and owned and

controlled by his widow Mrs Christian during her life time as her Dower

for the consideration or sum of 169 75 One hundred sixty nine 75 DOLLARS, said sum to be paid as follows:

no cash

Dollars, this day paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged;

One hundred and sixty nine & 75/100 Dollars to be

paid on or by July 1st 1913.

for which deferred payments the said part 1 of the second part ha th given his promissory notes, dated this day, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum from this date until paid, and stipulating that said part 1 of the second part shall pay attorney's fees and cost of suit, should suit be instituted.

Now if the said part 1 of the second part shall well and truly pay the said several sums of money at the times specified, then the said part 1 of the first part is bound to make and execute to the part 1 of the second part or his assigns a good and sufficient title to the above-described lot or parcel of land; but on failure of the said part 1 of the second part to pay the said sums of money, or either of them, at the times specified, then the said obligation to be void and of no effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The said part 1 of the first part ha th hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal the day and year above named.

ATTEST: R. L. Hudson CYP } G. L. Christian (SEAL)
Rockdale Co Ga } (SEAL)

In your info

17 May 1982

708 Hillside Dr.

Wetumpka, AL 36092

Dear Mrs. Christian:

Your query in Family Puzzles # 755 re. the Christian family furnished a small bit of info that helps my new puzzle re. the Dobbin family. Too I may offer you a small bit of information. So here is my contribution to you: William B. Christian married Jane Waddel Dobbin 4 Nov. 1834, Newton Co Ga. They had children: Isaac White Christian b. 22 Oct. 1835 and Nancy William Christian, b. 10 Dec 1837. In the spring session of Newton Co. Ga 1838 ^(or several) many Superior Court actions are on record regarding the administration of the estate of Wm. B. Christian, deceased. Isaac Christian was appointed adm. of said estate. Wm. C. Dobbin, father of Jane, made bond with her so that at that time she functioned as guardian of the ^{2 or 3} orphans. My question (until now) was whether or not Isaac the administrator was father or brother of Wm. B. With your info, Isaac the son was too young to qualify as administrator of any estate; therefore Jane's father-in-law was the administrator. Wm. B. had purchased part of the land of Ezekiel Stanley (1743-1828), grand father of Jane; made down payment, rather. I believe that lot of land was eventually the property of Isaac Christian - you'd need to go into Newton County, get copies of the deeds, adm. of the Stanley estate, etc to get all that info. Jane's father, Wm. C. Dobbin was adm. of the Stanley estate and that was

not settled until 1836. I do not know the date of
birth of Wm. B. Christian - Jane W. his wife was born
1 Jan. 1815. Wm. B. May have been several (4-6) years
older. Jane married (about 1843) Charles R. Floyd and
had several Floyd children. I believe the Christian
family took Isaac White in hand for educational
purposes; annual returns of the Wm. B. estate showed
board, tuition and other school expenses in 1850
the Floyds lived in Pike County, Ga. Nancy was
a member of their household but Isaac W. was
not. In the 1860's Isaac W. was Court ~~solicitor~~
solicitor (or some public office) ^{in Newton Co.} I don't have my
notes readily available. Too, this may have been Wm. B.'s bro.
- My interest in Wm. B. Christian: Jane was a
sister of my gr. grandfather, James Lewis Dobbin,
(1819-1869). I sincerely hope my contribution fills in
a wee bit of your puzzle

Sincerely yours,

Mary Lair Dobbin

Thomas
|
Thomas

Robert — Lucy Bradley

Thomas
|
Thomas

Robert m. Lucy Bradley

Capt. John — Mary Maynard

Capt. John m. Mary Maynard
b. c. 1750 VA
d. 1805
Franklin Co. GA
Mary Maynard
b. ?
d. 1820-21
Franklin Co. GA

Rufus Sr m. Mary Oglesby
b. c. 1787 VA
d. c. 1850-60
Murray Co. GA
Mary Oglesby
b. 1777-78 VA.
d. after 1850
Murray Co. GA

Reuben m. Mary Ann Clark
D. 1771? VA
d. 12-13-1829
Newton Co. GA
Mary Ann Clark
b. 1780?
d. ?
Newton Co., GA

Rufus Jr m. Serena E. CHRISTIAN
b. 6-7-1815 or 17 GA
d. 6-5-1892
Rockdale Co. GA
Serena E. CHRISTIAN
b. c. 1820
m. 1-26-1838

Presley
over 45 in 1820

Isaac m. Mildred White
b. 7-4-1787-81 VA
d. after 1860
Mildred White
b. 4-30-1788
d. ?
m. 2-12-1807
Elbert Co.

Elijah Willis m. Mary Clark Christian
D. 1803 Elbert Co. GA
Mary Clark Christian
b. 1805-07 Elbert Co.
d. c. 1848-50 - Newton Co.

Milton Rufus m. Mary Lou Cunningham
b. 2-5-1847 GA
d. 11-6-1912
m. 11-28-1872
Mary Lou Cunningham
b. 8-18-1855 GA
d. 3-19-1920

b. 1817 ① Presley F
b. 1822 ② James D
Plus others
③ Serena E (Elizabeth)
Possible ?

Cousins

- ① James Hamilton 1827
- ② Mary Ann 1831
- ③ Reuben m. 1833
- ④ William Bradley 1835
- ⑤ Elijah Willis 1837
- ⑥ Malenda ?
- ⑦ Elizabeth S 1839
- ⑧ Manerva 1841
- ⑨ Martha F 1843
- ⑩ Luisa A. 1848 - by 2nd wife Mary

George Cunningham m. A. Reese Jarrett
b. 10-9-1873
d. 10-30-1946
A. Reese Jarrett
b. 1-22-1889
d. 4-14-1977
m. 12-29-1917

James Milton m. Josephine Wilson
b. 7-14-1925
m. 3-25-1961
Josephine Wilson
b. 9-9-1924

Charlotte b. 10-7-1962
Caroline b. 12-23-1964

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WHITE - Mrs. Eva Snelson, 815 Cherokee Road NE, Gainesville, GA 30501 has found another descendant of LETITIA WHITE, daughter of JEREMIAH WHITE and MARY MARTIN-- Mrs. Lockett Nunn, 8801 Petersburg Road, Evansville, IN 47711. Mrs. Nunn's ancestress Letitia, Lettice, Lettie White was born 1-27-1737, and was the daughter of Jeremiah and Mary Martin White. Lettie m. WILLIAM MELTON who d. 1772, probably in VA. The Melton children were all born VA and were:

Reuben d. 1825 IN, m. SARAH JONES

John, Jr.

Sarah d. 1836 NC, m. JOHN MELTON (1749-1813)

Jesse

Mildred m. before 1783 JAMES EUBANKS

Eli

Daniel

Mary m. before 1793 WILLIAM JONES.

Mrs. Snelson asks if anyone has records of the oldest son of Jeremiah White and Mary Martin, JEREMIAH WHITE, JR. Some records say that he m. ESTER HERNDON. DAR INDEX shows him m. to ESTHER WATTS.

The 1782 Pittsylvania Co., VA tax lists show names familiar in the Georgia White family:

| | |
|------------------|--------------|
| Daniel White | Reuben White |
| John Shackelford | Webb Kidd |
| Jeremiah White | |

In 1785 Jeremiah White is again listed in Pittsylvania Co. tax list, but others mentioned in 1782 list are then in Wilkes Co., GA.

DANIEL WHITE was in Elbert County [created from Wilkes] and the court appointed him guardian of CHRISTIAN children:

| | |
|-------|---------|
| Asa | John |
| Eppy | Mildred |
| Isaac | |

Was Daniel's wife POLLY BALLENGER? Did she die before Daniel?

Have found nothing on Ann White. The children of Jeremiah White and Mary Martin were as follows:

| | |
|----------------|------------------|
| Jeremiah (Jr.) | b. 1728, d. 1805 |
| Daniel | b. 1746, d. 1806 |
| Ann | b. 1746, d. ? |
| Reuben | b. 1746, d. 1811 |

EDITOR'S NOTE: There is a much better source of information available to you in the "Jeremiah White Diary" which is now in the possession of the Virginia Historical Society, Richmond, VA. It shows that Jeremiah White, father of the family in question owned the book "May ye 11 - 1722" and includes some home remedies, business notes, as well as the births of his children, and slaves. He set down that his children were:

Jere White born Octo 11th 1728

Lettice White born Apl 9 1732

Mary White Born Jany 27 1735

Millie [Mildred?] White born Mar 20, 1740

John Martin born June 27 1743

Danill[,] Ann and Reuben White born at one birth on Thursday the 19th of June 1746

Betty White 1 [blank] 1749....

Jeremiah White y^e son of Jeremiah and Mary White he was born October y^e 11 in y^e yare of our Lord God 1729 [1728 elsewhere]

The Bible transcribed by Albert Crayton White in 1913 at a time when he had the Bible shows the birth of Jeremiah White, parent, as 8th [October] 1695.

This Bible places the birth of Jeremiah, Jr. as October 11, 1728.

The Ballengers enter this Bible record through the marriage of John Martin White, son of Jeremiah, Sr. and Mary Martin White, to Milly Ballenger b2-14-1758, dau. of Joseph and Sarah Ballenger.

Eppy White, son of John Martin, married neighbor Catherine Herndon in 1815.

The Bible places the death of Jeremiah White, Sr., father of John Martin White as Oct. 25, 1776 "being 81 years olde." Mary Martin White died Sept. 23, 1796, "being 91 years olde." Jeremiah White, Jr., brother of John Martin, died May 1st, 1788, "being 60 years old"

Albert Crayton White who owned the White Bible was buried in the John Martin White cemetery near Eagle Grove School, Hart Co., GA, on land belonging to Mr. Vandiver Gaines. Crayton died 6-16-1941 according to his tombstone.

This Bible record does NOT follow the marriage or descent from Jeremiah White, Jr. and only his death date was included with no location given.

FROM EVA SWELSON
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Jeremiah White b 1695 d 9-25-1776
Book 2, p 354 Will Albemarle Co Va

Mary Martin b 4-19-1709 d 9-23-1776

Children

1. Jeremiah b 10-21-1728 d 5-1-1825 m Ester Hercules
Lived in Va.

* 2. Letitia "Leticia" b 4-19-1732 d ca 1785 m Wm Martin
Riv. Patriot ^{MEITON} 1772
Left Va.

3. Mary b 1-27-1735 d m Martin

4. Mildred "Milly" b 25-1742 d 11-5-1815 m ¹⁰⁻¹⁶⁻¹⁷⁵⁶ Jacob Childers?
(my ancestor)

5. John Martin b 6-27-1743 d 2-6-1833 m ⁵⁻²⁸⁻¹⁷⁷⁵ Maria Ballenger
Riv. Will Elliot Co Va

* 6. Daniel b 6-19-1746 d 11-7-1806 m Mary Ballenger
Will Elliot Co Va

7. Anne b 6-19-1746 d m Shadblow

8. Reuben b 6-19-1746 d 8-12-1811 m Elizabeth
Will Elliot Co Va

9. Elizabeth b 6-19-1749 d 8-6-1807 m Walt Kidd (Riv)
Will Elliot Co Va 1805
had 12 children
p 57

They had 2 other children who
did not marry

FROM EVA S NELSON

Jeremiah + Mary Martin White's son

{ RW's

John M. White b 6-27-1754 d 2-8-1833

m 5-29-1775

Meliodus Thornton Ballinger b 10-23-1756 d 9-2-1840

Children:

- Reuben b 3-3-1776 m Estey Head
- Lally (Polly) 4-10-1777 m John Morris
- Polly (Mary) 11-16-1778 m Wm Jones
- John 7-5-1780 d 6-9-1781
- Betsy 2-23-1783 d 12-12-1789
- Nancy K 1-22-1785 m Jesse Mann
- P (Mary) 2-23-1787 m Thomas Thornton
- Patsy B 12-25-1788 m Martin Herndon
- Eppan 3-16-1791 m Catherine Herndon 5-11-1815
- Betsy 2-17-1793 m Asa Mann
- Franky 7-14-1795 m Robert Rockwell
- John M Jr 2-14-1798 m Elizabeth Harper
- Eliza J 8-1-1801 m Richard Rice

no Melly in this family who married
 Isaac Christen
 Daniel and John Martin White both
 married Ballingers

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| 221 | | | " C. W. | 33 | M | W | Farmer | | | Pa | | | 1 | | |
| 221 | | | " P. | 28 | M | W | | | | Pa | | | 1 | | |
| 221 | | | " A. | 8 | F | W | | | | Pa | | | 1 | | |
| 221 | | | " E. | 20 | F | W | | | | Pa | | | 1 | | |
| 764 | | | " W. H. | 12 | M | W | | | | Pa | | | | | |
| 764 | | | " J. M. | 7 | M | W | | | | Pa | | | 1 | | |
| - | | | " B. B. | 5 | M | W | | | | Pa | | | | | |
| 765 | | | " C. F. | 3 | M | W | | | | Pa | | | | | |
| 217 | | | " C. W. | 71 | M | W | Doctor | 74 | | Pa | | | | | |
| 220 | | | " M. W. | 40 | F | W | | | | Pa | | | 1 | | |
| 220 | | | " W. P. | 21 | M | W | Farmer | | | Pa | | | 1 | | |
| 223 | | | " J. L. | 17 | M | | | | | Pa | | | 1 | | |
| 224 | | | " E. G. | 12 | F | W | | | | Pa | | | 1 | | |
| 284 | | | " W. C. | 31 | M | W | Farmer | | | Pa | | | 1 | | |
| 310 | | | " L. | 38 | F | W | | | | Pa | | | 1 | | |
| 340 | | | " W. R. | 25 | F | W | | | | Pa | | | | | |
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| ? | | | " H(?) E. | 11 | F | W | | | | | | | | | |
| 351/228 | | | " W. G. | 35 | M | W | Farmer | 250 | | Pa | | | | | |
| 39- | | | " E. | 32 | F | W | | | | | | | | | |
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| 442 | | | " A. C. | 2 | M | W | | | | Pa | | | | | |
| 446 | | | " J. | 39 | M | W | Farmer | 500 | | Pa | | | 1 | | |
| 446 | | | " A. | 33 | F | | | | | | | | | | |

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| Christian, E. | 8 | F | Gr. | 1 |
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| " , A. | 4 | F | Gr. | |
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John Hubbs Christian

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| ✓ 158 | Christian, Presley | 1 | 2 | 1 | | 2 | 1 | | | 3 | | | | | | | | |
| ✓ 161 | " , Isaac | 3 | | | 1 | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | |
| ✓ 162 | " , Robert B. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | | 1 | | | | | | | | | 10 | |
| ✓ 162 | " , Reuben | 1 | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | | | | | | | | 10 |
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| ✓ 188 | Christian, Elyiah | 4 | | | | 1 | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | |
| ✓ 188 | Christian, John | | | | 1 | | | 3 | 1 | | 2 | | | | | | | 2 |
| 188 | " , Elyiah | | | | 1 | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| ✓ 189 | " , James | | 1 | | 2 | | | 1 | 1 | | 1 | | | | | | | 10 |
| 189 | " , Tom P. | 3 | 2 | | | 1 | | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | 5 |

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Burke Co. Tutors - 1790-91

Christie, W.

Chatham Co. Witnesses in deeds & etc

Cunningham, JNO.

1790 Tax digest: Earliest surviving digest in Chatham Co

Cunningham, Alexdr.

Cunningham, Harry

Kelbert Co. Deed book "A" 1789-1792

Grantors

Cunningham, Ann

" , JNO

Witnesses + other documents in Deed Bk. "A"

Cunningham, J.

" , JNO.

Tax defaulters - 1793

Christa? Relijak

Franklin Co. Headrights & Bounty Grants 1790-1791

Cunningham, JNO.

Master Roll Oct. 25 - 1793

Capt. Ben Kenstley - Co

Cunningham, JNO

Wit. & those owning adj. land.

Cunningham, JNO

1820 Census

| Name | County | Pop. # | District |
|------------|--------|--------|--------------|
| Christian | | | |
| ✓ Charles | Bolton | 058 | M. Henderson |
| ✓ " W. | Elbe | 169 | No Twp |
| Edward L. | Mad. | 042 | " |
| Elizabeth | " | 053 | " |
| Gabriel | Oyle | 183 | " |
| ✓ Isaac | Elbe | 161 | " |
| ✓ James | " | 159 | " |
| ✓ John | " | 188 | " |
| John | Hall | 138 | " |
| Joseph | Hanc | 098 | " |
| ✓ Presley | Elbe | 158 | " |
| ✓ Reuben | " | 162 | " |
| ✓ Robt B. | " | 162 | " |
| ✓ Rufus | " | 162 | " |
| Simon | Mad. | 051 | " |
| Turner | Elbe | 169 | " |
| ✓ William | " | 162 | " |
| William | Hall | 134 | " |
| ? " H | Elbe | 159 | " |
| Christians | Rufus | Elbe | 196 |

Gen. Census 1830

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|-----------|-----------|-------|-----|---|---|---|---|
| Christian | Charles | Madi | 104 | N | T | P | L |
| ✓ | " W. | Elbe | 119 | " | " | " | " |
| ✓ | Elizah | " | 153 | " | " | " | " |
| | " W. | Madi | 105 | " | " | " | " |
| | " W. | Newt. | 035 | " | " | " | " |
| | Igdeen | Muth | 151 | " | " | " | " |
| ✓ | IRA | Elbe | 140 | " | " | " | " |
| | Isaac | Newt | 051 | " | " | " | " |
| | JOANHAN | Madi | 117 | " | " | " | " |
| | JOHN | Craw | 411 | " | " | " | " |
| | Marshall | Jack | 322 | " | " | " | " |
| ✓ | Mary | Elbe | 160 | " | " | " | " |
| | Melton | Newt | 043 | " | " | " | " |
| | Nancey | Madi | 112 | " | " | " | " |
| | Ransom | Pike | 109 | " | " | " | " |
| ✓ | Robt P | Elbe | 160 | " | " | " | " |
| | Simcon | Hall | 127 | " | " | " | " |
| ✓ | Thos. J. | Elbe | 131 | " | " | " | " |
| ✓ | TURNEN | Elbe | 142 | " | " | " | " |
| ✓ | William P | " | 131 | " | " | " | " |
| | " S | Henry | 224 | " | " | " | " |
| CHRISTIAN | Gabriel | Moras | 196 | " | " | " | " |
| CHRISTIAN | William | Hall | 070 | " | " | " | " |
| CHRISTIAN | Geo. m. | Madi | 101 | " | " | " | " |

No Rufus + no Purley

I could have missed some - but don't see how

GA 1840

no Presley

Christiana

| | Co | Page | Township |
|--------------------|-------|------------------------|--------------------|
| Allen | Pike | 113 | 301 DIST |
| ✓ C.W. | Elbe | 182 ⁽²⁾ | 201 ² " |
| Chas. | Chev. | 178 [?] | 823 " |
| Edward | Walk | 072 ⁽¹⁾ | N Twp L |
| Elijah W. | Troup | 334 | 804 |
| " W. | NewT | 028 | 461 |
| Elizabeth | Rich | 267 | 122 |
| G | Monr | 152 | 634 |
| Henry | Town | 128 | Grisham |
| ✓ Ira | Elbe | 146 (149) | 189 |
| Isaac | NewT. | 030 | 461 |
| J.G. | Henr. | 355 | 486 |
| James | Wash | 201 | 99 |
| " T.P | Foye | 220 | Capt. Mo. |
| John A | Colu | 296 | 5 |
| Joseph | Cobb | 276 | 898 |
| Mary Ann | NewT. | 028 | 461 |
| Milton | " | 029 | 461 |
| Nathan G.* | Rand | 248 | 777 |
| Rufin | Elbe | 180 | 201 |
| ✓ Rufus | Newt | 016 | Town DIST |
| Samuel | Mari | 140 | N. Twp L |
| Thos | Masc | 321 | 724 |
| " J. | Ogk | 076 | 238 |
| ✓ Washington | Elbe | 180 | 201 |
| William | Trou | 222 | 699 |
| " A | Mari | 048 | Polky Dist. |
| ? " J. (I) | Elbe | 151 | 197 |
| Willis | Chev | 178 | 823 |
| Christina - John M | Rand | 231 | 811 |
| NATHAN G.* | Rand | 248 | 777 |
| Christina, John L. | Newt. | 049 | 476 |
| Christina, Robt B | Rand | 231 | 811 |

CHRISTON, Abba De La 048 531

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GA. 1850 -

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|-------------------|-------|------|-----------|
| CHRISTAIN, E.C.B. | Cass | 171 | 12 |
| CHRISTAN Jm. | Elbe | 431 | Albert D. |
| CHRISTIAN, Reuben | Newt | 477 | 65 sub. |
| " Addison | Colu | 246 | n. Top L |
| " ANN | Rick | 495 | 73 Div |
| B.F. | Chat | 401 | District |
| C. | Chat | 244 | 13 |
| Cathrine | Cobb | 090 | Murietta |
| Charles | Cher | 488 | 15 |
| " | Chat. | 261 | 13 |
| Cphus | Newt | 487 | 65 sub |
| D.W. | MONK. | 043 | 60 |
| David | HARR | 089 | Goodman |
| Drewry | Cass | 129 | 12 |
| E.T. | Trou | 072 | 629 |
| E.W. | Newt. | 477 | 65 sub |
| Edward | Musc. | 407 | MS Norte |
| Edwund | " | 393 | " " |
| G.W. | Elbe | 381 | Albert D. |
| George | Stew | 046 | Panhandle |
| H.H. | EARL | 339 | 25 |
| H.R. | CHAT | 244 | 13 |
| Harriet | Faye | 016 | 27 |
| Henry | Jone | 209 | 47 |
| ISAAC | Newt | 479 | 65 sub |
| " | Newt | 487 | 65 " |
| J.K.A. (TRA) | Elbe | 430 | Albert D |
| J.S. | Newt. | 498 | 65 sub |
| JAMES | " | 476 | 65 sub |
| " | Stew | 137 | 21 |

Christian

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|--------------|-------|-----|-------------|-----|
| James | Cash. | 270 | 41 | |
| " T.P. | Keri | 337 | 59 | |
| Jesse R. | Murr | 043 | 60 | |
| John | DeK | 208 | 172 | 172 |
| " G. | Stew | 139 | 21 | |
| Marsha | Harr | 088 | Goodman | |
| Mary | Camp | 465 | 10 | |
| " A. | Carr | 520 | 11 | |
| Matthew | Chat | 321 | 3 | |
| Milton | Newt | 430 | 35 | Sub |
| Nancy W. | Pike | 159 | 68 | |
| Obrd | Chen | 488 | 15 | |
| Presly | Newt | 460 | 65 | Sub |
| Rufus | " | 482 | 65 | " |
| Sims | Jose | 215 | 47 | |
| Susan | Morse | 012 | 60 | |
| Theophilus R | Murr | 163 | 63 | Sub |
| Thos. | Musc | 377 | Harris D. | |
| " C. | Murr | 212 | 63 | Sub |
| " T. | " | 158 | 63 | Sub |
| " W. | Musc | 377 | Harris D. | |
| W. | Elbe | 383 | Elbert D. | |
| W.P. | " | 378 | " | |
| W.W. | " | 378 | " | |
| Wm. A. | Mud | 165 | 58 | Sub |
| " A. | Camp | 421 | 10 | |
| " J. | DeK. | 156 | Casey Dist. | |
| Wm. * | Cwin | 194 | 36 | |
| C.W. | Elbe | 382 | Elbert D. | |
| G. | " | 386 | " | |
| T.J. | " | 394 | " | |
| W | " | 390 | " | |

CHRISTON

Newton
Ga

over

EXTRACT FROM 1860 CENSUS

State _____ County or Parish _____ Township, Ward or Beat _____ Post Office _____

Index compiled by _____ Extract by _____ Date of Enumeration _____ Publication No. _____ Reel No. _____

| Page | Dwelling No. | Family No. | Names | Age | Sex | Color | Occupation, etc. | Value of real estate | Value of personal property | Birthplace | Married in year | School in year | Cannot read or write | Remarks |
|------|--------------|------------|-------------------|-----|-----|-------|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------------|---------|
| 66 | 33 | 33 | Christian William | 23 | M | | Student | | | | | | | |
| | 71 | 71 | John | 23 | M | | (Living E J W Russel) | | | | | | | |
| | 701 | 622 | E. W. | 57 | M | | Farmer | 7500 | 2922 | | | | | |
| | | | Millissa G | 30 | F | | Seamstress | | | | | | | |
| | | | Elij W. | 22 | M | | FARMER | | | | | | | |
| | | | Eliz. | 20 | F | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Manerva | 17 | F | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Martha | 15 | F | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Luisa A | 12 | F | | | | | | | | | |
| 705 | 661 | " | JAS D. | 39 | M | | F | 1400 | 4600 | | | | | |
| | | | Mary S | 32 | F | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | JANE J | 12 | F | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Thos S. | 7 | F | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | ? Peter S. | 8 | F | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Isaac A | 6 | F | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Jackus A | 4 | F | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Wm. A | 2 | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Claudia | 1 | F | | | | | | | | | |
| 766 | 667 | | CHRISTIAN ISAAC | 72 | M | | | 3000 | 13,400 | | | | | |
| 743 | 704 | | P. F. | 43 | M | | FARMER | 3000 | 3365 | | | | | |
| | | | Elizabeth | 43 | F | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | JAMES F | 20 | M | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | MARY J. | 16 | F | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | SARAH F | 13 | F | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Huldenc | 11 | M | | | | | | | | | |

Thos J.
E. W.

7 m FA

"William Christian, Immigrant to Virginia and Some
of His Descendants" by Marshall F. McClanahan
Unpublished manuscript - 1958

Some material in unpublished manuscript of 1968
but titled Thomas Christian per letter from Marshall F. McClanahan
dated December 8, 1979

S/o John B' Christian + Judith Leake D/o Walter + Judith (Mark) Leake

1297 Elisha Christian appears to be the one granted relief by the Virginia Legislature in 1818. Probably for militia service during the War. In the Amherst 1830 census: 1 male of 15-20, 1 of 50 to 60; 2 females 15-20, 1 of 20-30, 1 of 60-70. Apparently not in the 1850 census. (in 1820 his bro., Elijah had: 1 under 10, 2 of 10 to 16, 1 under 45 y.; females, 2 under ten, 1 of 10-16, 1 over 45y'rs.). Their mother was probably listed thusly: Judith Christian, 8 of 40-50 y.; 1 female between 20-30 y'rs.). No, this was the 1830 census. In connection with this name, an Elisha C (lieut?) E. (lieut?) Christian was b. in Anderson Dist., probably at Pendleton, where he lived. He is also known to have lived in Charleston, S.C. He m. Aug. 7, presumably in 1829, Miss Phoebe Winter of Anderson Dist., (also) b. June 19, 1805. Elisha C.H. Christian was b. July 31, 1807. Their first child, Thomas, was b. Oct. 28, 1830, and presumably named for his grandfather on the Christian side. The son, Elem Christian, b. Pendleton, S.C., Oct. 28, 1832 was gr. father of Col. Wm. Henry Christian, Jr., M.D., who states that a Thomas Christian was in Pendleton, S.C. as early as 1807, but there is no family record. E.C.B. Christian and wife had parents born in Virginia, according to the census record. He, himself moved to across the river from the Elberton, Ga., Christians, but no connection is known. (for census record showing the parents b. in Va., see 1850 census for Dalton, Ga. E.C.B. Christian's father was supposed to have lived in Culpeper Co., Va., at least for a time before coming to S.C.

Elijah and
1/2 of 1825 Amherst Co Va.
Sally H. Martin

out?
Ct. pt.
Abbeville Co.
S.C. or full
Culpeper S.C.

Births

Helena Edith daughter of
 Ciann and Helen & Christian
 born Dec 9th 1887 at Tallapoosa
 Ga. Friday evening cold and
 rainy. Baptized by Rev. J. Adams at
 Tallapoosa Ga. 1896 - Easter Sunday.

Melvin Elam, Abbott, son of
 Walter L. & Katie P. Abbott, was
 born at Acworth, Ga. July 19th
 1892.

Walter Lafayette Abbott, son of
 Walter L. & Katie P. Abbott, was
 born at East End, near Atlanta
 Ga., December 25th 1894.

Sidney Martin
 son of Albert Sidney and
 Jessie Burr Channing, was
 born at Marietta, Ga., Friday,
 January 24th, 1894.

John Kenneth Christian
 son of Ciann & Helen
 Christian was born at
 Dorchester Ga. Sept 2nd
 1896. Baptized & joined Meth-
 odist church, March 31, 1907, by Rev.
 W. S. Pierce, pastor - Marietta, Ga.
 Entered army and died in
 Tucson, Arizona, June 22 1930.

Grace Helon, daughter of
 John H. and Leticia Lee, born
 July 24th 1888 at
 Acworth, Ga. (Friday morning
 clear weather.)

Bessie Lee Bate daughter of
 J. H. and Leticia Lee Bate was born
 Nov 14th 1887 at Acworth Ga.

Born, in Atlanta, Ga.,
 April 11, 1902, Warren
 Allen, son of Elam P. &
 Eula Lee Christian

Born at Decatur Ga.
 Sept 15, 1903, William Henry
 son of William H. & Sarah Maude
 Christian

Edna Lois Channing was born
 at Roswell Ga. July 20th 1912
 on a hot & sultry day.

Born in Marietta Ga
 Sept. 29 - 1912 - Charles F.
 Bolden - son of Charles
 F. and Helen Christian Bolden.

STRANGE HALLUCINATION—OUR LOCAL.—For some time past, the proprietors of this journal have noticed on the part of their local editor, a strange incoherency of conduct and expression, which led to many misgivings, as to the soundness of the young man's intellect. His conduct was so strange, unnatural, for one who is certainly sensible (if not brilliant) that we were at a loss to divine the cause. It even led us into labyrinths of vague psychological discussion, from which, we would extricate ourselves, without coming to any definite conclusion, regarding his particular case. Mental philosophy was consulted, but in vain. No opposite case of mental aberration could be found in all the annals of insanity, we consulted. Judge of our surprise and relief, however, when the following note greeted us, upon our table this morning, showing that our fears were not groundless, and explaining the cause of his infatuation, which finally culminated in this rash, impetuous act.

Messrs. CLAYLND & DUMBLE:—Married—and gone. Will return on Tuesday next.

ELAM CHRISTIAN.

Inconsiderate youth! To take such an irrevocable, final, fatal step, and that too, without consulting us. Well, what has been said, has been said; what has been done, has been done. The old proverb is applicable—"There's no use of crying over spilled milk. We promise the lady, however, who has been accessory to this act, who has won "our local's" young and tender affections, to give all our aid and assistance in restoring his reason, which we trust has suffered, only a temporary eclipse (in affinity, we suppose with the god of day) to its former sway. If our efforts prove futile to accomplish the result entirely, we sincerely hope, he will at least have lucid intervals; while his estimable partner can congratulate herself, in the knowledge that she has a "Christian" for a husband, which very few can say.

Gold pens and pencils, steel pens, lead pencils, sealing wax, instands, rulers, and all kinds of stationery goods, at BURKE & Co.'s book store, oct 11.

Methodist
Preacher

In
Clayland
Dumble
Ball

Family Record.

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DEATHS.

Wm Capers Christian
Departed this life July the
1st 1833

Mary Christian
Departed this life
the 25 of August
1836

DEATHS.

March 7 1837
E.C.B.
5/1/1837

ELISHA CLEMENT BENNETT CHRISTIAN

Was born at Culpepper Courthouse, Va., and married Miss Phebe Winter, of Winters Garden, London, Eng.

They moved to Charleston, S. C., where he operated a commission business, afterwards moving to Pendleton Courthouse, now known as Anderson, S. C. All of their children were born in South Carolina and they finally moved to Cass Station, Ga., where his first wife died, and is buried there. Born to them were nine children (two died in infancy); names follow: Thomas Turpin, Ariannah, Josephine, Theo, James Edward, Elisha Clement, John Rawls.

Tabatha

Elisha Clement Bennett Christian's second wife was the Widow Wright, with two sons, Jeff and Hayden (who afterward adopted the name of Christian); two children were born to this union—Mary and Annie. Mary died in infancy and Annie married Charlie Cook, who was a conductor on the train between Memphis, Tenn., and Paducah, Ky.

Wm Capers not mentioned - JMC
9 ?

Family Record.

BIRTHS

BIRTHS.

Tabitha A Christian
Born 1st of Nov 1849
Mary Christian
Born 7th day March
1852

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Family Record,

BIRTHS.

BIRTHS.

Phoebe Christian, born
June 19th 1805

E. C. B. Christian born
July the 31st day 1807

Thomas L. Christian
born the 28th of october
1830

Wm. C. Christian born
at ~~the~~ ~~13th~~ ~~of~~ ~~April~~ 1832

J. C. Christian born
the 15th of April 1834

Francis Josephine Christian
born the 20th of Sept. 1836

Theopholis M. Christian
born the 11th of Nov. 1838

Edw. Leonard Christian
born the 7th of January 1840

Elam C. Christian born
the 18th of December 1842
at Pundleton S.C.

John Christian
was born 12 of May 1845

Jalitha Ann Christian
Christian Born the
1st day November
1849

~~Departed this life the~~
~~15th of July 1833 aged 9 months~~

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* Gen. Hist. of ^{original} ~~Museum~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~South~~ ~~Carolina~~
Vol. I. Page 197 (1850)
Thos. T. age 22 S.C.
Editor of Paper -
Living in Roberts Hotel
Same T.T. ???

② The GA Enterprise at
Caynton Ga. 1865-1904
Rev T.T. Christian -
Editor of Wesleyan
Christian Advocate,
died at home -
College Park at 69 yrs
June 20, 1899

JME

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Wm C.

Judy
Arenah

Francis
Josephine

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Theopholis
Rieves

James
Eduard

Elam
C.

John

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~~THE~~
Theophilus R. CHRISTIAN

GA. Hist. of Original Murray Co Vol T

Census 1850

224 Forendow, Wm. T. MD
Christian, Theophilus
Wright, Flavours, J.P.

Second Listing - same book

224 Christian, Theophilus R. age 11 5-2
living with W.T. Forendow & Mary

June

Family Record.

MARRIAGES.

married to ~~my~~ an
of August 1829
E. B. Christian to
Phebe Winter
the elder son of
the same

E. B. Christian

MARRIAGES.

Married on the
of January 1841
E. B. Christian
Cap. County Ga.
Mrs. Sabetha
of Morgan Co.
Georgia

John T. Christian
~~Married~~
of October 1851
the City of Sal.
Miss Carolina
Roberts.

Family Record.

MARRIAGES. #1

Mrs. Christian to
Philip Winter
at Anderson district
at Charleston

MARRIAGES. #2

Marrain on the 25th
of January 1849
E. C. B. Christian of
Cape County Ga. to
Mrs. Sabatha Wright
of Morgan County
Georgia

Thos V. Christian, was
~~Marrain~~ the 10th
of October, 1830, in
the City of Dalton, to
Miss Caroline M
Roberts.

Kept
P. H.

Sacred
to the memory of
Mrs. Phebe Christian
Consort of
Capt. E. C. B. Christian
who departed this life Oct 10, 1848
aged 43 years & 10 months

Her ^{rest} mortal form to dust returned
Her happy spirit to heaven is gone
and I am left her loss to mourn
Until we meet in heaven our souls

Copied by
W. H. Christian
Jr.'s
wife
Mary Christian
(I think)
off
Phebe Winter
tombstone in
Cass Co., Ga.
loose in
Bible

E & B

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Etigah Clemons Christian
was born July 31st day 1807

wife of
Phoebe Christian was born
June 19th 1805.

&
Married 7th of August
1829 E & B Christian to
Miss Phoebe daughter of the
Anderson Dist S. C. D

MRS. A. P. BURR DIED
GRIFFIN, GA. JAN. 26, 1896

loose in Bible

In Eccl
Bible

Deaths.

From Calhoun Times,
Oct. 1869.

DIED,
In Calhoun, Ga., on Monday, 26th inst.,
ЕВЕНЪ САТЕНЪ, daughter of Elam and
Helen C. Christian. Aged nineteen months.
Why should we for the dear one weep?
She is not dead—only asleep.
'Tis not the soul, 'tis but the shell
We bury with the funeral knell.
This sorrowing life, thank God is brief;
But that's eternal—why this grief.

Spaulding Plaster,
1879

DIED,
In Millidgeville, Georgia, on Friday, the 2nd
Inst., from injuries received by an accidental
fall, Theophilus Rieves Christian, in his
thirty-eighth year.

The announcement of death, under any cir-
cumstances is always a source of sadness to a
sensible mind, but the receipt of a brief
telegram, in an unexpected hour, bringing tid-
ings of the sudden death of a dearly beloved
brother, is calculated to awaken feelings that
fill the heart beyond its capacity, and yet find
no vent in words.

Memory peeks backward, through the mist
of gathering tears, to those early hours of child-
hood, when a trembling child would naturally
turn for protection to the noble heart and ever
ready arm of an older brother; and sweet
memories span the succeeding years, with
sparkling recollections, and then she hurls
upon tented fields, noisy marches, roaring
cannons, and rattling musketry, and promi-
nent in every scene is the brave confederate
soldier, seeming to think only of the post of
duty, and the comfort and safety of his youth-
ful soldier-brother.

His faults and weaknesses we buried with
his poor mangled body. His gentleness of
spirit, his nobleness of heart, his tenderness
and love, are enshrined in our saddened heart,
as life's most precious jewels.

Soft be the winds that sway the boughs
Hard by his resting place;
Sweet be the dews that kiss the flowers
That spring will send space,
To beautify the humble mound
'Neath which his body lies
And drive the shadows from our heart
With thoughts of Paradise.

*Elam
Christian
Bible*

Helen Catherine Burr

DEATH OF A. P. BURR
It is our melancholy task to announce the
death of A. P. Burr, one of the editors of
the Macon Journal & Messenger. He died
yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock, of conges-
tion of the brain, after an illness of twenty-
four hours.

Mr. Burr had been connected with the
journals of Georgia twenty years, and
won a reputation as a bold, vigorous, yet
chaste and elegant writer. As a man, he was
of an impulsive temperament, yet all his
acquaintances forgave him that, for his many
good qualities of head and heart. In his
death, the press of Georgia has lost an able
contributor, the community a good citizen,
and his family a kind husband and father.
To all, we join in expressions of heartfelt
sympathy at the loss of him who has fallen
in the prime of life—in the vigor of man-
hood!

Macon, 1869.

Death of Mrs. A. P. Burr.

Sunday morning last, at 11:15
Mrs. A. P. Burr died in this
city at the home of her daugh-
ter, Mrs. J. P. Sawtell on South
Hill street.

The deceased was in her 74th
year, and two years past had
been a woman of wonderful vital-
ity and energy, which have al-
ways been at the service of loved
ones and friends when needing
aid or condolence from a true,
sympathetic heart.—Griffin Call.

Mrs. Burr was also the moth-
er of Mrs. Elam Christian, wife
of the editor of this paper. Our
first knowledge of her was when
we went to Griffin, a motherless
boy, to complete the printer's
trade with her honored husband,
who died some 30 years ago.
We were treated as a member of
the family, and soon learned to
look to her and love her as a
mother, and the passing years
have but strengthened that tie.
A more unselfish, self-sacrificing
spirit we have never known.
She literally lived for others.
No wonder she died peacefully,
and now sweetly rests in the
place her Savior had gone to
prepare.

Blairsville Banner, Feb. 1, 1896.

Blairsville Banner

OUR BABY IS DEAD.

ALICE CARLY, daughter of Elam and Helen C. Christian, died on the evening of the 25th inst., aged one year, one month and twenty-two days.

After a most beautiful and comforting funeral service at our home, conducted by Rev. W. A. Dodge, assisted by Rev. W. L. Wooten, the precious little form was laid away in the Acworth cemetery, to await the final meeting in the resurrection morn.

Her last illness was only of three days' duration—so short that almost the last picture left on memory's tablet is one of the smiling face and laughing eyes that bespeak a joyous spirit. None but those who have passed through this trying ordeal can know how the empty crib, the little worn shoes, the familiar play-things and sweet winning ways of the loved one, stand out before parents' eyes, sleeping or waking, to stir the great

sea of tears and grief. Nothing but the balm of heaven could ever assuage the burning grief, or rift the dark clouds that pile themselves up in the pathway of the bereaved.

Our hearts go out in deep gratitude and love to the good people of our dear old town, who mingled their tears so freely with ours, and strove to drive back the outbursts of grief with tender words of sympathy and consolation. God bless them.

Sofly I step on the door-sill,
So quietly open the door,
Lest I disturb the sweet slumber
Of one who will waken no more.
Baby is dead.

I catch myself almost whispering,
For fear louder voice might alarm—
But oh, the little crib's empty—
How the sad, sweet memories swarm!
Baby is dead.

So often I'm ready to ask,
Who's watching the baby now dear?
But think of the little new grave,
And would hide the burning hot tear.
Baby is dead.

Alice, I'm lonely without you;
Oh, where is my baby so dear?
From o'er the portals of glory,
The answer methinks I can hear—
"Baby is here!"

Through shadows faith's eye is peering
For her form in the heavenly throng,
Already faith's ear is hearing
Her sweet voice in heaven's new song.
Baby is there!

Died in Atlanta Ga, Sept. 25, 1911
Warren Allen, son of Elam
and Helen Lee Christian. aged
months and 13 days.

Died at San Antonio Tex. March 29, 1907
Lois Evelyn Bate. Daughter of J. H. & Lulu
age 17 yrs.

Died at San Antonio Tex Aug 10 1913
Lulie Lee Bate wife of J. H. Bate and
daughter of Elam & Helen C. Christian
age 48 yrs.

Died in Marietta Ga Dec 9th 1913
Rev Elam Christian age 71 yrs.

Died in Marietta, Ga Dec. 29, 1922

Mrs Elam Christian (Helen Catherine Bate)
Died in Kennestone Hospital, Marietta, Ga
Dec. 20, 1958, WILLIAM HENRY CHRISTIAN, age
84; buried in Old Cemetery, Decatur, Ga.

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Births.

(Wm Henry)

Elijah Clement Bennett

Elam Christian, son of E. C. B. and Probe Christian was born December 28, 1842. at Pendleton, South Carolina.

Helen Christian, daughter of Elam & Helen C. Christian, was born at Acworth, Cobb Co. Ga. June 7th 1874.

Helen Catherine Burr, daughter of Mrs. & Mrs. A. W. Burr, born Jan 25th 1850 at Macon, Bibb Co. Ga.

Paul Marvin Christian son of Elam & Helen C. Christian was born at Sparta, Hancock Co. Ga. Mar 12th 1876. Baptized by Bishop George F. Pirel Sparta Ga.

Lutie Lee Christian daughter of E. C. Christian was born July 25th 1864 Dawson, Serrell Co. Ga.

Jessie Burr Christian daughter of Elam and Helen Christian was born Jan 12th 1878 at Sparta Ga.

Blanche Catherine Christian daughter of Elam and Helen C. Christian was born at Sparta Ga. January 9th 1869.

Elam Patrick Christian son of Elam and Helen Christian was born June 19th 1880 at Middleburg Ga. Baptized by George Patten.

Catherine Probe Christian daughter of Elam & Helen C. Christian, was born February 12th 1871 at Cartersville, Ga.

Alice Carey Christian daughter of Elam and Helen C. Christian - born at Cartersville, Ga. June 4th 1885 Thursday - noon. Weather clear and warm.

Lutie Katie Willie
Baptized by Rev George Patten

Elam
Christian
Burr

Marriages.

Married
On the 19th October 1865,
by the Rev. J. J. Christian, in
Macon, Ga., Elam Christian
and Miss Helen C. Burr.

On the 19th of October,
1884, by Rev. Elam Christian,
in Newarth, Ga. John C.
Bate and Lulie Lee
Christians.

On the 7th of September,
1890, by Rev. J. L. Moore,
in Douglasville, Ga., Walter
L. Abbott and Katie P.
Christian.

On the 24th of April, 1895,
by Rev. Elam Christian, at
East End, near Atlanta, Ga.,
Albert Sidney Chewning
and Jessie Burr Christian,
daughter of H. C. Christian.

On the 12th of December, 1899,
in DeKalb county, William Henry
Christian and Sarah Maudie
Medlock, by Rev. Elam Christian.

Married,
In Atlanta, Ga., March
10th, 1901, by Rev. Elam Christian,
Elam Pattillo Christian and
Miss Eula Lee Gaar.

Married
On the 21st of December 1901
By Rev. Elam Christian.
Helen Edith Christian and
Charles F. Bolden at
Marietta, Ga.

Elam
Christian
Bald.

1899

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ELAM CHRISTIAN
AND WIRE

broth. → Family Bible of Elam Clement Christian - possession of
on (Chr 2-2, Thos) Elizabeth Christian Jackson 1983

s/o John B Christian + Judith Leake
s/o Eliza Christian
Eliza Clement Bennett Christian b July 31 1807 at Culpeper Court House

Culpeper Co Va. m'd (1) Aug 7, 1827 Min Phoebe Winter b 6/19/1805 England
d 10/10/1848 Cass Co Ga. She was of Anderson District S.C. They moved
Cass Station

to Charleston S.C. where he operated a commission business,
afterward moving to Pendleton Courthouse, now known
as Anderson, Anderson District S.C. All of their children
were born in S.C. and they finally moved to Cass Station,
Cass Co. Ga., where his first wife died and is buried there.
Born to them were nine children

EMC
F.A.C

I guess now
we need proof
that ECB was
s/o Eliza

1. Rev. Thomas Turpin Christian b. Oct 28, 1830 d. June 20, 1899 (69 yrs of age)
College Park (Douglas Co.) Ga. m'd 10 Oct. 1850 City of Dalton (Whitfield Co. Ga.)
Caroline Roberts. He was Editor of Wesleyan Christian Advocate.
2. Judy Ariannah Christian b. April 15, 1834
3. Francis Josephine " b. Sept 7, 1836
4. Theophilus Rieves " b. Nov. 11, 1838 d. Milledgeville (Baldwin Co.) Ga.
1876 (38 yr old) accident of jaw
5. James Edward " b. Jan. 7, 1841
6. Elam Clement " b. Dec. 28, 1842 Pendleton Anderson District S.C.
d. Dec 9, 1913 Marietta (Cobb Co.) Ga. age 71 years, m'd 19 Oct 1865
at Macon (Bibb Co.) Ga. by his brother Rev. Thomas Turpin Christian to
Helen Catherine Burr (b. Jan. 25, 1850 Macon (Bibb Co.) Ga. d. Dec 29, 1922
Marietta (Cobb Co.) Ga. No Mr + Mrs A.P. Burr
7. John Rawls Christian b. May 12, 1845
8. died in infancy Wm Capers Christian b. Nov. 15, 1832 d. July 1, 1833
9. unknown died in infancy

Continued

⁶
Elisha C. B. Christian mtd second 23 Jan. 1849 (new Barton) Cass Co. Ga.

Mr. Tabitha Wright (widow) of Morgan Co. Ga. She had two sons Jeff and Hayden who afterward adopted the surname of Christian; two children were born to this union.

10. Jeff⁷ Christian adopted

11. Hayden⁷ " " "

12. Mary⁷ " died in infancy b. 7 Mar. 1852 d. 25 Aug 1852

13. Tabitha Ann Christian b. 1 Nov. 1849 mtd Charlie Cook who was a conductor on the train between Memphis Tenn + Paducah Ky.

S/o Elisha Clement Bennett Christian + Phoebe Winter

Elam Clement Christian ⁷ b. Dec. 28, 1842 at Pendleton, S.C. d. Marietta (Cobb Co.) ^{Anderson District}
Dec. 9, 1913 aged 71 yrs mtd 19 Oct. 1865 Macon (Bibb Co.) Ga. by his brother
Rev. Thomas Turpin Christian - Helen Catherine Burr (b. Jan. 25, 1850
at Macon (Bibb Co.) Ga. d. Dec. 29, 1922 at Marietta (Cobb Co.) Ga. daughter
of Mr + Mrs A.P. Burr (1791-1865)

1. Leticia Lee Christian ⁸ b. July 25, 1866 ⁵ Dawson (Terrell Co.) Ga. d. Aug. 10, 1913
San Antonio (Bexar Co.) TX. 48 yrs old. Married 19 Oct. 1884 Acworth
(Cobb Co.) Ga. by Rev. Elam Christian to J.H. Bates

(a) Loin Evelyn Bates d. San Antonio TX. Mar. 29, 1902 age 17 yrs
2. Etienne Catherine Christian ⁸ b. Jan. 9, 1869 Griffin (Spalding Co.) Ga.
d. Oct. 1869 aged nineteen mtd. Calhoun (Gordon Co.) Ga.

3. Catherine Phoebe Christian ⁸ b. Feb. 12, 1871 Calhoun (Gordon Co.) Ga. married
Sept. 1890 Douglasville (Douglas Co.) Ga. - Walter L. Abbott
by Rev. J.Z. Moor

4. William Henry Christian ⁸ b. June 7, 1874 Acworth (Cobb Co.) Ga. d. 1958
Decatur (DeKalb Co.) Ga. - 84 yrs of age buried Old Cemetery, Decatur Ga.
He mtd. 12 Dec. 1899 by Rev. Elam Christian to Sarah Maude Medlock
(a) Col. Wm. Henry Christian Jr. M.D. mtd. Mary

5. Paul Marvin Christian ⁸ b. May 12, 1876 Sparta (Hancock Co.) Ga.

6. Jessie Burr Christian ⁸ dau. b. Jan. 12, 1878 Sparta (Hancock Co.) Ga. mtd
by Rev. Elam Christian 24 Apr. 1895 at East End near Atlanta Ga.
Albert Sidney Chubning

7. Elam Pattillo Christian ⁸ b. June 19, 1882 Milledgeville (Baldwin Co.) Ga.
mtd by Rev. Elam Christian Mar. 10, 1901 in Atlanta Ga. to Eula Lee
(a) Warren Allen Haar d. Sept. 25, 1902 aged 11 mtd 13 days

8. Alice Carey Christian ⁸ b. June 4, 1885 Cartersville (Barton Co.) Ga.
d. July 25, 1886 aged one yr. one month 22 days

9. Helen Edith Christian ⁸ mtd 21 Dec. 1911 by Rev. Elam Christian at
Marietta (Cobb Co.) Ga. to Charles F. Bolden



d'Estelle

THE ESTILL-CHRISTIAN-MASTEN FAMILIES.



Christian

d'Estelle's: Huguenots, Province, France.
Christians: First record "Isabela, The Christian."
Masiens: Migrated from Holland.

See "Estills," by John F. Estill, Savannah, Georgia,
for French records, 1525.

John Campbell

1 Patrick Campbell 2 Robert 3 David

1 William Estill=Mary..... 2 Daniel Estill=Margaret Browning. 3 Thomas Estill=*Lucia Wallace. Charles Campbell.

Gilbert Christian=Mary Richardson.

1 Robert Christian=Isabella Tifins. 2. Cap. John= 3 Capt. William=Mary Campbell.

Estill.

Wallace Estill=1

2 Mary Boude.

3 **Mary Ann Campbell.

1 Sally Christian=Andrew Wilson. 2 Gilbert. 3 John. 4 Mary=.....Ray, 5 William, 6 Rebecca=1 John Estill. 7 Col. Robert=Mary Huston.

2 Zachariah Estill.

1 Boude Estill. 2 Benjamin=Hetty Moffet. 3 Rebecca=Thomas Hughart.
b May 15, 1733 b Sept. 20, 1735. b Mar. 15, 1739

1 Margaret=Wm. C. Estill. 2 Sally=James McKinsey. 3 Isabella=John Porter.

4 John=Rebecca Christian. 5 Susannah=George McCreery. 6 Mary=James Gwinn.
b June 5, 1741. b Mar. 5, 1744. b June 4, 1747.

4 Rebecca=Daniel Snyder. 5 Elizabeth. 6 Mary Huston=1 John W. Lowe.
2 Thomas Maxwell.

Mary A.=Edward Scott.

b Jan 9, 1819.

m --- b ---

d --- d ---

1 Winfield D., 2 George W.

b ---

7 Cynthia=Edmund Adcock. 8 Narcissa=Carson Adcock. 9 Harriet=1 MacDonal.
2 Ware.

Capt. Cornelius Masten=*Catherine Jane* Christopher Nicholls=Meribah Keese.

1 Cornelius C. Masten=Rebecca Roosa. 2 Thomas C.=Margaret 3 Jacobas=Elizb'th 4 Catherine=Thomas Beckman.

b Nov. 22, 1754. b Dec. 28, 1750.
m Feby. 11, 1785. d Aug. 5, 1834.
d July 20, 1807.

1 Catherine. 2 Cornelius=Mariah Vosburg. 3 Henry VanWeyn=Hannah Nicholls.
b Aug. 30, 1786. b Aug. 17, 1787 b Nov. 25, 1789. b June 14, 1797.
d Aug. 16, 1787. m Oct. 18, 1815. d Feb. 7, 1856.
d Sept. 13, 1866.

1 William, Christian=Margaret Christian. 2 Sallie=Edmund Morris.
b May 10, 1783 b June 24, 1790. m June 10, 1804.
m Apl. 2, 1807. d 1818.
d 1818.

15 Ruth=Travis Booton. 2nd William Kavanaugh.
b Sept. 5, 1768.

7 Sarah=James Henderson. 8 **Capt. James=Rachel Wright. 9 William.
b Jan. 4, 1749. b Nov. 9, 1750. b Nov. 14, 1752.
d 1752.

10 Col. Samuel=Jane Teas. 11 Wallace=Jennie Wright. 12 William 2d=Mattie Wright.
b Sep. 10, 1755. b March 5, 1758. b June 16, 1760.

13 Abigail=James Woods. 14 Isaac=Elizabeth Strother Frogge.
b Nov. 22, 1762. b April 8, 1766.
d 1837.

1 Rebecca=Thomas Fife.

2 Maria A. Estill=John Hall.

b Jan. 6, 1808. | b _____
d Jan. 8, 1851. | d _____

Julia Hall.

b _____, 1848.
d Nov. 31, 1853.

3 ***Huston L., "C. S. A."

4 William M.=Catherine Fife.
"C. S. A." | b 1816, d 1895.
b 1815, d 1870.

5 Davis Hudson=Maria Vosburg Masten.
b May 8, 1816.
m Nov. 2, 1842.
d June 30, 1887.

- 1 Margaret, b 1835, d 1873.
- 2 William H., b 1837, d 1872.
- 3 Maria H., b 1840, d 1910.
- 4 Thomas E., b 1842, d 1842.
- 5 ***Davis II., b 1842, d 1865.
- 6 Rebecca F., b 1846, d 1909.
- 7 Stuart M., b 1848, d 1918.
- 8 Edwin M., b 1852, d 1892.
- 9 Kate A., b 1854, d 1882.
- 10 Charles M., b 1856, d 1887.

1 Thomas 2 Julia 3 William 4 Katherine=David Snyder
d Aug. 19, 1866.

1 Thomas Fife=Francis White 2 William=Isis Woodford.
b July 11, 1854. | b Dec. 5, 1872 | b July 28, 1859. | b Jan. 22, 1865.
m Oct. 18, 1893. | m Oct. 11, 1888. |
d July 22, 1903. | d Sept. 14, 1898.

Thomas Fife=Levis Larkin Thomas Alonzo=Pattie Hubbard.
b March 18, 1895. | b Nov. 20th, 1893. | b Sept. 4, 1889. | b Feb. 8, 1893.
m July 27, 1910. | m July 16, 1909.

Fred Lee Estill=Pollie Skiles.
b Jan. 3, 1880. | b Oct. 4, 1889.
m Feby. 22, 1911.

Graves Hubbard

Virginia Rebeka.
b Dec. 7, 1911.

1 Maria V. Masten=Davis H. Estill.
b Oct. 13, 1816. |
d Oct. 2, 1901.

2 Rebecca Roosa=1 Henry Masten. 3 Nathan Keese=Emelia Antonio Von Falkenburg.
b No. 13, 1818. | 2 David Newton. | b May 5, 1821.
d Oct. 1886. | m 1851.
Masten Newton. | d May 8, 1901.

3 James Quigley.

4 Richard C. 5 Henry=
b June 23, 1824 | b Mar. 12, 1828.
d June 3, 1826.

6 Cornelius Stuart=Josephine Russell.
b Sept. 5, 1832. | b Feby. 24, 1834.
m Jny. 6, 1857. | d Dec 4, 1928
d June 8, 1906. | 8 Frances.
"U. S. A." | b Nov. 20, 1838
d Jany. 6, 1846

- 1 William
- 2 Margaret
- 3 Frederica
- 4 Edm'd Benito Coffin
- 5 Josephine
- 6 Irene

- 7 Jose Manuel
- 8 Georgiana
- 9 Louis
- 10 Jane Flood
- 11 Alice

7 William Cullen M.=Nannie Leeds. * Mary=Dr. William Fine.
b Oct. 28, 1835.

1 Irene May=Dr. John P. Woodward.
b May 6, 1844. | m July 8, 1868.
d March, 1907. | d Sept. 1886.

1 Estill Woodward. 2 Frank Woodward.
b 1870. d 1894. | b 1872. d Nov. 27, 1906.

2 Ernest Masten.
b Aug. 24, 1846.
d Feby. 13, 1862.

1 Anna Susie=Wilmer Estill.
b April 10, 1858.
m May 27, 1882.

2 Helen Marguerite=Chair L. Montgomery.
b Jan. 21, 1865. | b _____
m Oct. 14, 1886.

3 Mary Emelia,
b June 24, 1871.

1 Gardner Masten=Anna Weyland. 2 Russell Francis
b Jan. 16, 1891. | b Oct. 24, 1896.

3 Robert Carter
b Feb. 28, 1918.

3 Reverdy=1 Edith Clagett.
b May 10, 1848. b April 9, 1854.
m Sept. 21, 1874. d Jan'y 5, 1880.
d May 23, 1911:

Henry Van Warren=Stephen Hendricks.
b Feb. 3, 1855. b Mar 14, 1862.
m June 10, 1895. d April 6, 1917.
d Dec. 1919

5 Wilmer R. Estill=Anna S. Masten.
b Oct. 12, 1858. b April 10, 1858.
m May 27, 1882.
d Dec 22 1927

1 Elizabeth Vosburg. 2 Reverdy Van Warren=Caroline Straub. 3 Barnes Clagett.
b Oct. 6, 1875. b Dec. 8, 1876. b _____ b Jan'y 12, 1878.
d Aug. 16, 1876. m June 28, 1905. d Jan'y 16, 1879.

1 Katherine Vosburg. b and d Mar. 17, 1887.
2 Huston Hendricks. 3 Frank Hartley. 4 Louise Damron.
b Dec. 5, 1888. b March 23, 1891. b Apr. 13, 1895.
d Feb. 3, 1891.

2 Louisa Merewether Christian, m Nov. 28, 1882.
b Jan'y 1, 1855.
d June 4, 1902.

5 Henry Van Warren Estill.
b Nov. 17, 1898.
d June 11, 1914.

Donald Peterson
Helin Williams
Aug. 3, 1920
Ann Elinor Sept. 8, 1925

1 Louisa Christian=Walter Russell Winfree. 2 Heath Jones Christian.
b Oct. 6, 1883. b Aug. 31, 1875.
m Nov. 12, 1902. d Oct. 20, 1892.

1 Louisa Estill. 2 Sarah Doniphan 3 Henry Lee 4 Reverdy Estill 5 Mollie Darling. 6 Russell.
b Feb. 19, 1904. b March 23, 1906. b Aug. 6, 1908. b May 1, 1910. b _____ b _____
d Aug. 23, 1908.

1 ††Davis Hudson=Julia Shay Lewis.
b Aug. 20, 1885. b Nov. 29, 1898.
m Sept. 21, 1918.

2 Josephine Russell=Frank S. Rodes.
b Oct 5, 1887. b Jan. 21, 1883.
m June 27, 1913.

3 Anna Masten=†Howard F. Wehrle.
b March 17, 1889. b Jan. 20, 1888.
m June 27, 1917. d Sept. 14, 1927

4 Cornelius Masten=Elizabeth R. Savage.
b Nov. 23, 1891. b May 18, 1896.
m June 14, 1916.
d Oct. 10, 1918.

2 † Rodes *Wainwright*

Wilmer Estill Rodes.
b Jan. 24, 1915.
Frances W. Tilden
13 June 14 1920

"The Little Captain."
b June 2, 1918.
d June 3, 1918.
Howard Franklin III.
b Oct. 30, 1919.

1 Bettie Lee Estill,
b March 13, 1917.
d Oct. 15, 1918.
2 Anna Louise Estill.
b Aug. 18, 1918.

*Niece of Sir William Wallace.
††Major U. S. A. 1918, Infantry

**Killed by Indians, 1782.
†Major U. S. A. 1918, Aviation Section.

***Killed in Civil War.
††Clan Campbell, Arzyle.

****Died in Federal prison. Ft. Delaware, 1865.

†Capt. N. Y. Mounted Infantry

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 "Item - I give to my daughter Annie Christian
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 Winston Christian I give my negro boy Charles"
 12 day of March 1784 - Sarah Henry.
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James Greenhow
B. Watson
3. Jan. 1813

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3 Sept. 1777. Will was presented to Ct.
by Col. Wm. Greene Munford & Richmond
Turrell - Executors then in named.

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And lastly I appnt. my son-in-law
Samuell Meredith, my son Patrick Henry,
my son-in-law Wm. Christian, & my son-in-law
Chas. Madison & my worthy friend Edmond
Winston Executors.
12 Mar. 1784 Sarah Henry
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Christian Chow.

Chow entered 1559 a. of land issued to John
and Chas. Christian the 3rd Sept. 1794 #742
for me to being at pts. - foot Campbell's
line C² to the Burch + Burch Vermilion
+ my own line. Chas. Christian 25 April 1794
To: Col James Higgintolan, Surveyor of Anshut^g Va

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I now send two lists of what I have rec.
since the 17th Dec. 1796 up to present date

N.B. one of these lists is from Wm + M. College
to keep the other for to give a receipt +
returned to me again - James Higgintolan -
(dots + address missing)

Christian, Charles - (numbers not listed here)

- " John Buffaloe
- " John Col.
- " Charles
- " John + Charles
- " John
- " Probid + Samuel
- " John Buffaloe
- " Drury

Christian, John
 Christian, Peter - Records of Hanover Co.,

The Larger Book -

Mar. 3, 1784. John Christian, and Judith,
 his wife, to Henry Burningsfield 1000.
 adj. - auctioneers Morris, Peter Christian -

Aug. 25 - 1787. John Christian - Judith, his wife,
 to Billy Timberlake 195³/₄ a. 21. fork of
 Stag Creek, St Pauls Parish on Morris
 Mill Rd adj. Lee's estate, Peter
 Christian, John Ragland -

Sept. 3, 1787 John Christian & Judith, his wife,
 to Peter Christian 839 Begging at
 Robt. Lee's, Stephen Morris, Geo. Proctor
 & Blackwells.

Sept 1, 1787. John Christian & Judith, his wife,
 to Nathan Finsley, Peter Ragland,
 & Son Walton, his securities in
 Bond apt 20, 1782 to John Wingfield
 (negro)

Oct. 10 1787 John Christian appt. B
 Park Goodall & John Priddy his attorney -

May 5, 1791 Peter Christian & Sarah, his wife,
 of St Pauls Parish to Matthew Pate
 103 a. in St. Pauls, wheelers shosh,
 Mat. Pate, Daniel Cameron, Johnson,
 Howard, Kilman, Morris, Henry,
 Burningsfield, Timberlake.

Christian, Peter -

July 7, 1791 Jas. Cross, Jr. & Sarah, his wife,
to Oliver Cross 218 a adj. - Peter
Christian, John Cross, said land
now occupied by Oliver Cross.

Christian Peter -

Oct. 29, 1790 Park Goodall & Mary, his wife,
to Peter Christian 190 a. a part of that
bought by said Goodall from Patrick
Logan on Falling Creek - Peter Rogland.

Records of Hanover Co

Christian, Peter -

July 21, 1790. John Tinsley of Hanover to
Peter Christian 100 a called "Bear Garden"
in St. Paul's adj. on N. Wm. Tinsley, Jas.
Cross, Henry Cross, John Penny, Richard
Blazebrook.

Witnesses. Robt. Criddy, Wm. Tinsley, Chas. Tinsley

Patents issued during the Royal Government -
The book in which the patent was recorded,
the page, the patentee's name, date of
issue, # a & the locality of the lands -

Jamaica City Co. Book # 4

Christian, Thos -

249 Thos. Christian, Jan 15, 1657 100 a on
N. side of James River & on E. side
of Chickahomny River, adj. land of
Capt. Bridgen Freeman.

549 Thos. Christian - Jan 15, 1657 -
same as # 249

Extracts of King Wm. G. Records
1795 - Wit. transactions of Wm. Richardson
& wife Ann to Wm. King.
(I must have omitted the Christa reference)

Christian, Henry R. & Christian John
1795 John Warren of King Wm. to Robt.
Warren act. adm. of James Warren Sec-
of New Kent. Bond.
Witness - Edward Warren, Henry R. Christian,
John Christian (341, 342)

Christian, John
1793 John Warren to John Christian, Mortgage
Witness - Robt Warren, Henry Finch Jr. (207, 208)

Christian, Dr. John T.
Ann Savage & Dr. John T. Christian were
married at Cedar Plains, New Kent 1827.

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Tax Digest - Elbert C. 1815

| <u>Capt. Christian's List.</u> | \$ | cts |
|--------------------------------|------|-----------------------------|
| Christian, Isaac | 1.31 | ³ / ₄ |
| Reft. B | 2.42 | ³ / ₄ |
| Rufus | 2.70 | |
| John (minor) | .06 | ¹ / ₂ |
| Capt Pressley | 1.53 | ¹ / ₂ |
| Reuben | 2.52 | ¹ / ₄ |

| <u>Capt. Sims List</u> | |
|------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Christian, Wm. B. | 1.06 ¹ / ₄ |

| <u>Capt Dudley List</u> | |
|-------------------------|------|
| Christian, Chas. W. | 3.71 |

| <u>Capt. Carters List</u> | |
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| Christian, Wm. P. | .89 ¹ / ₄ |
| Jarner | 55 |
| James | 2.85 |
| Gabriel | 3.22 ¹ / ₄ |

EXTRACT FROM 1870 CENSUS

State Ga County or Parish Newton Township, Ward or Beat _____ Post Office _____

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| Page | Dwelling No. | Family No. | Names | Age | Sex | Color | Occupation, etc. | Value of real estate | Value of personal property | Birthplace | Father foreign born | Mother foreign born | Months born in year | Months married in year | School in year | Cannot read | Cannot write | Impairment | Males eligible to vote | Males ineligible to vote |
|------|--------------|------------|---------------------|------|-----|-------|------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|------------------------|----------------|-------------|--------------|------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| 74 | 253 | 253 | Christian, Isaac A. | 17 | M | W | Farm work | 290 | | Ga | | | | | | | | | | |
| 166 | 1270 | 392 | " Henry T | 37 | " | " | " | | | Ga | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | (2) Silda Ann | 35 | F | " | House Keeper | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Martha E. | 15 | F | " | Farm work | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Benjamin | 13 | M | " | " | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Reuben | 11 | M | " | School | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | William | 7 | M | " | " | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Henry | 6 | M | " | " | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Nicy R | 4 | F | " | " | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Alley | 3/12 | F | " | " | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| 27 | 103 | 103 | Christian, John M | 33 | M | " | Teach School | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Susan S. | 32 | F | " | House Keep | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 109 | 109 | " Zera S. | 19 | M | " | school | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 124 | 124 | " Wm. H. | 29 | M | " | Farm | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Emily H | 27 | F | " | House Keep | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Thomas T. | 2 | M | " | " | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 149 | 149 | " Thomas | 25 | M | " | Farm | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Susan A. | 22 | F | " | House Keep | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Mary T. | 2 | F | " | " | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 157 | 157 | " Mary C. | 57 | F | " | at Home | Living & Geo Walton | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| 52 | 262 | 262 | " Wm. A | 13 | M | " | Farm work | " " M. Waldrup | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Claudia C.W. | 12 | F | " | School | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | T. Barton | 10 | M | " | " | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Mary J. | 6 | F | " | " | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Thos. | 20 | M | " | Farm work | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |

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| 66 | 312 | 311 | Christian Bates | 36 | M | W | Farm | | | GA | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | (?) MeKap | 30 | F | .. | House Keep | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Juliet | 6 | F | | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | John W. L. | 4 | M | .. | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Joseph | 1 | M | | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| 84 | 481 | 481 | " Rufus | 54 | M | .. | Farmen | 1750 | 750 | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Serena E | 56 | F | .. | House Keep | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Milton R | 22 | M | .. | Farm | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Mildred E | 19 | F | .. | at school | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Mary d | 11 | F | | " " | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| 483 | 483 | 483 | " Cephas A. | 42 | M | .. | Farm | 1000 | 300 | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Florida J. | 33 | F | .. | House Keep | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Columbus W. | 12 | M | .. | Farm | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Stovall W. | 8 | M | .. | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Delia J. | 5 | F | .. | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Gennie D | 3 | F | .. | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Mildred E | 3/12 | F | .. | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 484 | 484 | " James F. | 30 | M | .. | Farmen | 1000 | 270 | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Jane | 25 | F | .. | House Keep | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Leola | 3 | F | .. | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Elizabeth | 3/12 | F | .. | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 485 | 485 | Smith, James W. | 27 | M | .. | Farm | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Martha J. | 26 | F | .. | House Keep | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Mary J. | 1 | F | .. | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |

* Form 11
* Maybe % Rufus

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| 91 | 531 | 531 | Christian Zack | 14 | M | W | Farm work | Living & Lou Park Jr | | 6a | | | | | | | | | | |
| 96 | 565 | 566 | " Presley F. | 52 | M | " | " | 1820 | 500 | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Elizabeth O. | 52 | F | " | House Keep | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Sarah F. | 22 | F | " | at home | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Thos. J. | 19 | M | " | School | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Eugenia | 12 | F | " | " | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| 206 | 1588 | 713 | " Louisa O | 21 | F | W | House Keep | Living & Elizabeth S. Gammons | | | | | | | | | | | | |

4-21-84

Dear Legner -

I found your last letter most interesting - I, too, suspected that there might be some genealogical missing between the Tom people and the I.

I am still looking for a missing Puritan Christian but may take the easy way out & strongly suspect that my great grandfather was the Prof. Dr. of Murray Co. & North C. -

The Murray Co. 1870s + 1860s census were not indexed so I searched every page - I don't think I missed any Christians -

Next - I think I will try to trace the Turner Christian Bible - It was reported that, at one time, a lady in Augusta had the Bible - Maybe Guy Seymour of Dewey Rose can help me -

Must run - I still have three Legislatures in session & N.C. will begin their 30 day session in June -

Always with loving from you -
Look forward to the Chronicle -

Kindest regards,

Tim

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| 525 | 275 | 75 | Hammock, John G. | 17 | M | | | | | GA | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | CHRISTIAN, Mary | 29 | F | | No Occupation | | | GA | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | 1860 - Murray Co, GA | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 272 | 268 | | Ramsey, Malinda | 47 | F | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | CHRISTIAN, Geo. | 17 | M | | Student | | | GA | | | | | | | | | | |
| 325 | 321 | | Connally, Samuel W | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | CHRISTIAN, Mary | 40 | F | | | | | GA | | | | | | | | | | |
| 491 | 477 | | Hill, James | 43 | M | | Farmer | | | SC | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | XX | Lucinda (CHRISTIAN) | 41 | F | | | | | GA | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | William | 17 | M | | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Rufus | 15 | M | | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Thomas | 12 | M | | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Lafayette | 10 | M | | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Ira | 8 | M | | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Robt- | 1 | M | | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | * | CHRISTIAN, Mary | 71 | F | | | | | VA | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | * | Prob. Mary Oglesby, wife of Rufus Christian 6-1787 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 1/2 | Martin Bradley → 1/2 Wm. Bradley | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Thos Oglesby Jr (Eliz. Christian → 1/2 (Thos. ² Rebecca Price | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | XX | See mem & Bio. History - McKenna, Falls, Bell & Goyett Cts. TX. (you sent this in) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Application of John W. Smith for letters of administration upon the estate of Isaac Christian

And now at this term of the Court comes Presley D. Christian, J. P. Christian, John W. Smith & his wife, James Ogden, & Rufus Christian all parties in interest and Presley D. Christian Executor of James D. Christian deceased and the only legal representative of the minor children of said deceased and Robert the application of John W. Smith for letters of administration on the estate of Isaac Christian deceased

First For that said Smith is not the nearest heir nor has he any interest in said estate. Second Because the said Smith is unfit for the duties and responsibilities of said position should all this executor is ready to verify and prove

J. D. Christian

Newton County of Georgia

March 6, 1865

On a hearing to the Court that a citation issued in proper form has been published to show cause if any they can why letters of administration should not be granted to John W. Smith on the estate of Isaac Christian late of said County deceased. And it further appearing to the Court by consent of the parties at interest that Presley D. Christian was entitled to letters of administration and claims the same. Said letters and the said John W. Smith in open Court waive all rights to letters of administration on said estate of Isaac Christian deceased as aforesaid, and agree that Presley D. Christian brother of said deceased be appointed administrator in his stead on the estate of said Isaac Christian as aforesaid: It is therefore ordered by the Court that said Presley D. Christian be and he is hereby appointed administrator of

From: Mrs. M. F. Callaway

207 W. Fairlane
Longview, Tx - 75604

Isaac Christian on his giving bond and security in the value of four thousand dollars with James Oglesby and Rufus Christian as securities, and taking the usual oath of office.

Wm. Luckie, Notary

Ordered that Wm J Smith, Moses Mann, Thomas Melms, Alfred Ramsey and Green B Turner be and they are hereby appointed Appraisers of the estate of Isaac Christian deceased

Georgia }
Newton County } In the Court of Chancery of said County

The petition of Martha A. Turners respectfully sheweth that she desires the guardianship of the person and property of James A. Lucian, R. Rebecca A. and William K. Turners, her children and minor children of William A. Turners all residents of said County of Newton.

She asks the granting of an order of this Court allowing her to be entrusted with the guardianship as aforesaid, as in duty bound will ever pray

Martha A. Turners
In propria persona

Newton Court of Chancery
March Term 1847

The applications of Martha A. Turners to be appointed guardian of the person and property of James A. Lucian, R. Rebecca A. & William K. Turners all minor residents of said County having been duly made, and no objections having been offered, and this Court being moreover fully satisfied that said Martha A. Turners is a fit person to be appointed: It is ordered by the Court that said Martha A. Turners be and she is hereby appointed guardian of the said minors person and property, and that she give bond and security in the sum of five hundred dollars by stock and taking the usual oath of

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| | | | 1820 | 1830 | 1840 |
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| M | Isaac | c. 1788 | 1776-1794 26-44 | 1780-1790 40-50 | 1780-1790 50-60 |
| F | Mildred | c. 1790 | 1776-1794 26-44 | 1770-1780 50-60 | 1780-1790 50-60 |
| F | Mary | c. 1808 | 1805-1810 10-15 | 1800-1810 20-30 | - |
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| M | Thomas | | | | 1825-1830 |
| | | | | | 10-15 |
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| | | | | | 5-10 |

From Jeanette Christian Denton, Riceland, Ga

Isaac Christian b. July 4, 1788 m. Mildred (Milly) White Feb. 12

1807. Mildred b. April 30, 1789. ^{children} Ch. Melton, Rufus, Prestley, James D.

Isaac, ^{Isaac & Mildred} Reuben, Thomas, Elijah. Both died in Newton County.

Isaac Morgain b. Jan 1, 1822 m. Mary Antonett Christian, 1846.

b. Oct 30, 1827. ^{children} C. Elijah Jane, James Addison, Mary, Prestley.

Isaac M. ^{Morgan} d. July 2, 1854. Struck by lightning while sitting on

the front porch. James Addison b. March 10, 1849 m. Nancy Tulah

James 1870. Nancy b. May 7, 1851. C. Isaac M., Elizabeth, William

Singleton (her mother was a Singleton before she married.) Frank,

([?] Burket Deane) Sarah, Vennie, Nancy, Thomas, Catherine. James

Addison d. Feb. 24, 1935. Buried at Williams Chapel, Clayton County.

Mary Antonett d. Sept 15, 1923. Buried same.

William Singleton b. Dec 13, 1875 m. Luna Jane Laney Nov 15, 1908.

^{children} James Laney. Martha Tulah. Luna b. April 4, 1880, d. May 29, 1967.

William d. July 22, 1948. James L. b. Oct 24, 1909. d. April 13,

1976. Martha Tulah b. November 26, 1912. d. Dec. 10, 1963.

James Laney was married twice 1. Madge Imogene Christian, 2. Faye

Waldrop. C. Frances Jeanette, Rachel Ann.

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Ga

Records from Christian Bible..

James A. ^{Adison} Christian ^{b. Mar 10, 1849} d. Feb 24, 1925
Nancy T. ^{lah} James was married
legal 18, 1870.

James A.? Christian
d. 19-1846

Sarah Antonett
b. March 18, 1881
d. Aug. 14, 1881

John A. Christian
d. June 5, or 6 1862

Josephine Christian
April 7, 1851
d. 1881

Lucy Christian was sister of,

| | |
|----------------|------------------|
| Mary Antonett. | b. June 11, 1838 |
| | d. 1918 |

m. Burket Deane (orphan)
Deane B. 1830
d. 1902

Richard L. Bentley and Mary J.
Christian m. Oct. 27, 1870
Mary d. May 1, 1874

Thomas Jefferson d. March 12, 1889
M. or W. ?? Christian
d. Feb 28, 1893

Elizabeth Christian d. 7 May 1835

Elijah Jane Christian
July 6, 1847
April 20, 1866

Joseph Franklin Christian ?
d. 1803

William M. Christian ?
d. 1804

A few years ago his grandson was still living at age 86 in Fayetteville, a lawyer. (B.D. Murphy) Lucy and Burket Deane are buried Jonesboro Cemt. Burket Deane was in Civil War, fought in 27 different battles. Right arm was amputated. Enlisted Camp Moore-Farmer-Army record say he was born in GA. Troupe County. Later years Tax Collector for Clayton County.

Mary Antonett's brother:

Claborn A. Christian m. Mary E. Shields
b. March 20, 1845 b. July 3, 1845
d. Dec 31, 1916 d. Dec 17, 1928

Children

James Claborn m. Oda Elliott
b. Jan 22, 1876
d. June 14, 1946

Mary "Sis" m. Jim Tolbert
b. July 23, 1875
d. May 12, 1943

Minnie m. Columbus Estes
Julia m. Claude Hutcheson
Charlie m. ???

Columbus Lum m. Stella Powell
George Hillyer (Hill)m.
Capitola Garvin
Hattie m. Henry Oscar Askew
b. Aug 28 1871
d. March 1951

(Sp)
Buried in Annie Ark Cemt. across
Chevrolet Plant in Lakewood.

Claborn Christian Civil War. Feb 29, 1864. Wounded right leg Wilderness
VA. May 5, 1864. Wounded Winchester Va. Sept. 1864.

March Term 1867

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J. W. Christian

Atty. for Cave

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Wife of husband of father of

This would be Isaac W.

Isaac Christian on his giving bond and security in the value of four thousand dollars with James Oglesby and Rufus Christian as securities, and taking the usual oath of office
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Martha A. Flowers

In propria persona

Newton Court of Ordinary

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2 Deed for future expenses.

Georgia - Personally came before me G. D. Jackson a
 Newton County after being duly sworn deposed and
 said that the above return is just and
 true, and that the certificate of 4 percent Confederate
 Bonds & Treasury notes hereby returned are the same kind
 of currency which he received for the said estate.

Sworn to & subscribed before me this 28th January 1867

Wm. E. Luckie
 County

G. D. Jackson
 Town

Georgia - We Messrs Wm. B. Turner & Thomas Nelson
 Newton County who were appointed by the Court of Or-
 dinary of said County to appraise and set
 apart the lands of the estate of Isaac Christian deceased
 after having taken an oath to discharge our duties as ap-
 praisers we have proceeded and had all the lands of said
 estate surveyed out by the County Surveyor and have set
 said lands apart in the following manner, to wit. We began
 at original corner of lots No 172 & 182 and corner with Mary
 Christian and running with Mary Christians line S 86 N to
 a stake 10, 50 Thence down the meandering of the branch to stake
 near the mouth where it enters into Snapping Shoal creek - then
 N 86 E. To a stake in gully 34, 00 - thence due North to a stake
 by road leading from Mary Christians to Rufus Christians
 16, 25 - then North 86 E. to stake in field 7, 50 - then N 6 N
 to a bone corner 22, 50 - then S. 86 N. to stake in field on or-
 ginal line 15, 00 - then S. 6 E along the crop line to the begin-
 ing corner 23, 50 containing seventy five and one fourth acres
 more or less to the minor children of Isaac Christian deceased
 as their equal share which we value at two dollars & eighty
 eight cents making five hundred & sixteen dollars 72/100ths
 Again we began at a corner with Rufus Christian in
 Snapping Shoal Creek where the

and running the original line with G. B. Turner 8.76 to original corner Mose Mann line 26.25 then with Mann 9.40 to the original corner near Snapping Shoal creek. - 44.50 then N 86, 6 to creek - 2.00 then down the meandering of said creek to the beginning corner containing sixty seven and three fourth acres be the same more or less to the minor children of Isaac M. Christian deceased as their equal and distributive share of said lands which we value at two hundred and fifteen dollars and seventy two cents.

And lastly we began at cor in Snapping Shoal creek where the original line crosses the creek and running N 86 E 6 1/2 W 40 to corner in branch 10.00 then up the meandering of the branch to the head of the branch then along the lane N 20 E to road then along said road N 5 1/2 W 7.75 then S 86 W to stake corner 37.00 then N 4 W to corner with J. H. Ponder 22.00 then S 86 W with said Ponder to some corner 29.90 then S. & E with Mary Christian line to stake in field 22.50 then S. 86 W to stake by road leading from Rufus Christians to Mary Christians 7.50 then due South to a stake in gully 16.25 then S 86 W to stake near the mouth of branch where it enters into Snapping Shoal creek 34.00 then down the meandering of said creek to the beginning corner. Containing three hundred and fifty six acres more or less to Rufus Christian who claims and is entitled to five shares of said estate which we value at One thousand and eighty three dollars and sixty cents as his distributive share of said estate, all of which we have done by having it surveyed by county surveyor, and to the best of our judgement and understanding. We further decide that the expenses of the Administration shall be paid by each one of the parties at interest shall be paid in proportion to the amount received in said land as they received it. Made out and returned by us on the 10th of April 1867. Witness our hands and seals

Moses Mann
 G. B. Turner
 Thomas Nelson

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Georgia Gordon County

Know all
 men by these presents that I Rufus
 Christian Junr am held and firmly bound
 unto James W. Beaman in the sum of
~~two thousand~~ ^{two thousand} dollars for the payment of
 which well and truly to be made I hereby
 bind myself my heirs executors and admin-
 istrators jointly and severally firmly by these
 presents sealed with my seal and dated
 this seventh day of October 1851.

The condition of this obligation is such
 that whereas the above bound Rufus
 Christian has this day bargained and
 sold for the price of two thousand five
 hundred dollars unto the said James
 W. Beaman a certain lot of land known
 and distinguished as Lot Number
 two hundred and two (202) in the sixth
 (9) District of the Third (3) section of
 originally Cherokee but now Murray County
 and has taken of said Beaman his notes
 for the price of said land due and
 payable on the 25th day of December
 next now if upon the true payment
 of said notes by the said Beaman
 with all lawful interest that may have
 accrued thereon the above bound Rufus
 Christian Junr shall execute and deliver
 to the said Beaman good and lawful

presumptive warrants taken to the above
described lot of lands then this obligation
to be void else to remain in full force
in law

Signed Sealed and acknowledged
the day and date above written

Test

Rufus X Christian Judge

Thos. Christian

mark

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Memorial and Biographical History

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OCKANDER, a prominent street-railway and street-paving contractor of Waco, Texas, and a progressive and public-spirited citizen, was born in Sweden, in 1839, and is the oldest of three living children. He was educated in Germany, completing a prescribed course. He served in the Swedish army two years. He was afterward engaged in merchandising in Lubeck, Germany, for eight years, from which business he reaped a good profit. Being, however, of an adventurous and ambitious disposition, he decided to try his fortunes in the United States, the Mecca at that time of all dissatisfied people. Accordingly, in 1877, he emigrated to this country, settling in Fort Worth, Texas. He there engaged in street railway construction on contract, building twenty-five miles of track in that city. From there Mr. Ockander removed to Waco, in 1888, where he has taken large contracts for street paving, having already built eight miles of paved streets. For the paving material, Mr. Ockander has opened a large quarry in Waco, which supply is supplemented by large shipments of material from west Texas. In the prosecution of his business he employs about fifty men and owns the teams with which they are kept busy. He is comfortably off in this world's goods, owning besides his residence, property in Waco, desirable real-estate in Fort Worth, all of which he has gained by his own unaided industry and perseverance.

Mr. Ockander was married in Sweden, in 1867, to Catherine Lingston, daughter of a prosperous farmer. They have three children: Larz, who married Lizzie Peak; Hilda, a graduate of Burns Institute, Fort Worth; and Carl, foreman for his father, the older brother being the superintendent. Both sons were also educated at Burns' College. They are capable and worthy business men of their city.

In all his various relations in domestic and business life, Mr. Ockander has always been the same able, conscientious and genial man, winning both financial success and the regard of all worthy people.

F. A. CHRISTIAN, County Commissioner of McLennan county, Texas, was born in Georgia, in 1834.

His parents, Thomas O. and Martha A. (Harman) Christian, were also natives of Georgia, the Christian family having moved from Virginia to that State. Grandfather Rufus Christian, a soldier of the War of 1812, was a man of considerable wealth. He reared a family of ten children, namely: Mary, deceased, wife of Thomas Christian; Thomas O., father of F. A.; Mrs. Andrews; Pollie, deceased, wife of Thomas Phelps; Lucinda, deceased, wife of James Hill; Elizabeth, wife of Jasper Smith; Linda, deceased; Drew, deceased; Rufus, a resident of Newton county, Georgia; and Manerva, wife of Daniel Hickinsbotham. The maternal grandfather, John Harman, lived to the ripe old age of ninety-five. He was a Pennsylvania Dutchman and a man of much wealth. Following are the names of his children: Frederick, Elizabeth, Washington, Mary, Sarah, John, Martha and Caroline. Thomas O. Christian was born in Wilkes county, Georgia, and died September 21, 1851, in Gordon county, aged forty-three. He was a farmer and slave-holder, and was largely interested in raising grain and stock. His wife was born March 10, 1810, and died in Texas, January 21, 1887, at the age of seventy-six. Following is the issue from their union: F. A., the subject of our sketch; Ella L., wife of Dickson Connerly; Amelia A., wife of Alford Waddell; J. M. W., deceased; George T., deceased; William, who was killed at the second battle of Manassas; Mary I., wife of Thomas Connerly; Ophelia, wife of J. A. Monte; and Cordelia, wife of Jackson Estell. Ophelia and Cordelia are twins.

F. A. Christian was educated in the common schools of his native county. His father dying when he was a boy, the business of the farm and care of the family early developed upon him, so his opportunities for an education were limited. After reaching his majority he went to Port Gibson, Mississippi, and was employed as an overseer until the breaking out of the

Civil war. He then entered the Confederate service and fought bravely for a cause he believed to be just and right. He was with the forces that operated in the East, and took part in many of the important engagements of the war, continuing in the service till it closed. He was twice wounded. In May, 1864, he received a slight wound in the arm, and for gallant action on the field at that time, was promoted to a command. At Hatcher's Run he was severely wounded in the left leg below the knee, after which he was confined in the hospital at Richmond from January to April.

Returning to his home in Georgia after the surrender, Mr. Christian engaged in agricultural pursuits. In 1869 he disposed of his interests there and came to Texas. For five years he made his home in Henderson, Rusk county, from there went to Bell county, and a year later took up his abode in McLennan county, settling at Comanche Springs. In 1879 he purchased a farm of 100 acres, unimproved land, located six miles from Moody, for which he paid \$3 per acre. This property he improved, and in 1890 sold for \$22.25 per acre. His residence is now in the town of Moody. In 1884 Mr. Christian was elected Justice of the Peace, and served in 1885-'86, and in 1888 was elected to the same office. In 1890 he was elected a County Commissioner, which office he is now most acceptably filling.

Mr. Christian was married in 1866, to Mrs. L. R. Holmes, (*nee* Pophem) of Georgia. Both he and his wife are members of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, and are highly esteemed citizens of Moody.

JONATHAN HARRIS, a farmer and stock-raiser of McLennan county, was born in 1828, the tenth of twelve children born to Jonathan and Ann (Thompson) Harris. Of this large family of children only three survive: our subject, a brother who resides at Kinnandy, Illinois, and a sister at Oneida, Canada. The father was descended from an old Quaker Irish

family, whose ancestors date back to the Cromwell times. Mr. Harris emigrated to Canada in an early day, where he died, in April, 1866, at the advanced age of ninety-eight years; the mother survived him until July 12, 1869.

The subject of this sketch began life for himself as a farmer, and after his marriage he began work as a machinist and sawyer, in a saw-mill on Grande river, Canada. Eight years later he bought a farm near Lake Huron, but subsequently sold out and came to Waco, in 1874. After prospecting for a time Mr. Harris located at West Station, but three years later he bought his present farm of 360 acres of fine agricultural land. He has his place well improved, with a good barn and dwelling, and also abundance of water, having a never failing artificial reservoir.

Mr. Harris was married at the age of nineteen years, to Miss Eleanor Kernighan, a daughter of Samuel and Mary (McKnight) Kernighan. The father was a linen merchant of Belfast, Ireland, and owned and operated a line of vessels, which did business with Spain, Portugal and Morocco, and also plied on the Mediterranean and Baltic seas. Mr. and Mrs. Harris have had eleven children, namely: Annett, wife of Robert Kett, of Canada; Sarah J., deceased, was the wife of W. D. Austin; William T., who married Emma J. Carmichael and now resides at West Station; Samuel B., who married Miss Rebecca Eyrley, and resides at Waco; Adoline, wife of Thomas Foss, of Waco; Ezra A., who married Miss Josie Morgan, and resides near the homestead; Eleanor V., at home; Evana M., wife of W. E. Phillipa, who resides near the home place; Jonathan, of Waco; Frederick, at home; Herbert C., attending the high school at West Station. Mr. Harris is a member of the Church of England, and his wife of the Scottish Presbyterian Church.

D. LEWIS, of the firm of Lewis Brothers, hardware merchants, Gatesville, Texas, is a native of Ohio. He was born in 1855, the third in the family of four children of D.

Agree - Do you love the? Tram. M. CHRISTIAN
 Georgia } In the name of God Amen
 Newton County } I Reubin M Christian of said county and
 State being of sound mind and memory and
 deeming it right and proper that I should make a disposition
 of the property that the Almighty has blessed me with I
 therefore make this my last will & testament hereby revoking
 all others made by me.

Item 1 - It is my wish and desire that first of all that
 my just debts be paid by my executor

Item 2 - My wish is that after my death that my
 notes that now run with the notes I hold be turned into
 money with all the money that I may have on hand and
 an equal division be given to my following named brothers
 & sisters to wit my brother Jas G Christian and William
 B Christian and my sisters Malissa Christian, Elizabeth Chris-
 tian, Manerva Christian, Martha G Christian & Luiza Christian
 each one of the above named brothers & sisters having an equal
 share

Item 3 I hereby constitute and appoint my cousin and
 friend Presley G Christian Executor of this my last will
 and testament
Reubin M Christian

Signed sealed published and declared by Reubin M Chris-
 tian to be and contain his last will and testament who
 subscribed the same in the presence of us who subscribed
 our names hereto in the presence of the testator and of each
 other this 20 day of October 1869

Interlined before Assigned

Richard Fowell
 G C Christian
 Mary J Christian

Georgia }
 Newton County } Court of Orphans in vacation
 January 4th 1869

In vacation personally appeared Richard Fowell and
 G C Christian who being duly sworn deposed and sayeth
 that they subscribed the within will as witnesses - that they
 saw Reubin Christian sign the same and published the
 same as his last will & testament - that at the time of said
 signing & publication the said Reubin Christian in the
 opinion of deponents was of sound disposing mind and
 memory & that he executed the same freely or far as

All of these people mentioned in the Will are shown on the Census to be children of Elijah W. Christian and Mary.

Bring Mary Oglesby (1787-1860) 5/10 This Oglesby & Martha Bradley of Elbert Co. Ga. 7/10 Wm Bradley + Eliz. Christian
 no Refus Christian (1866) married
 5 1787-1860 Mary Oglesby
 Lindsay Oglesby - Will of Cass (now Bartow Co.) Fla. 2 Sept 1844

Pen
 Female Admin Christian

#7

Plantation on Pine Log Creek, Cass Co. Ga.
 Lot # 295 in 23rd district of 2nd section of originally Cherokee Co now Cass Co. Ga

1 Nephew Lindsay Morgan of Chambers Co, Alabama 5/10 Lucinda
 Son of William C Morgan + my sister Lucinda Morgan
 Above plantation under the control of Dr. Homer V. M. Miller

2 Lucinda Morgan - sister of Lindsay

3 William Oglesby - brother of Lindsay (1777-1852) 1870th Mary Christian 7/10 Capt John Christian + Mary Maynard

4 Harrett " " " " md. Ruth Bradley 7/10 Drury Bradley + Lucy Christian

5 Leroy " " " " md. Elizabeth 7/10 James Christian + Lucy Bradley

6 William C. Morgan - father of Lindsay + husband of Lucinda

7 Julius Oglesby - nephew of Trust Co. Ga.

8 Robert Oglesby - brother of Lindsay md. (6 co. 179 - d before 1823) NANCY CHRISTIAN 7/10 Capt John Christian

9 David Patterson - brother-in-law - wife's name NOT KNOWN

10 Polly (Oglesby) Christian - 1/6 part to brother William Oglesby in trust for my sister Polly Christian; for her sole and separate use the interest and such part of the principal to be paid to her annually or oftener at the discretion of the said William Oglesby as may be necessary for the support of her and her children comfortably during her life but by no means to be subject to the control of her husband and at her death the balance of any shall be left to go to the other legatees of this will in equal proportion

and Refus Christian 5/10
 Capt John + Mary Maynard
 Evidently wanted to sure
 his sister was always provided
 for. Perhaps he thought Refus
 had brought didn't need
 anymore

11 James Oglesby - 1/6 part to brother William Oglesby as a trust for the comfortable support of James

12 Drury Oglesby - 1/6 part to brother William Oglesby as a trust for the comfortable support of Drury

13 George Oglesby - 1/6 part to brother Leroy Oglesby for maintenance of George and then to his children in equal share

14 The part left in trust for James + Drury at their deaths to be equally divided

between William Oglesby, Robert Oglesby, David Patterson and
William C. Morgan and their heirs.

I do nominate and appoint the said Dr. Homer V. M. Miller
above mentioned of Cass Co, Robert Hest^{er} of Elbert Co. both of
said state and William C. Morgan my said Brother-in-Law
of Chambers County in the State of Alabama, Executors of
this my last will and Testament. Sealed and signed
and published this sixth day of July in the year of our Lord
One thousand Eight hundred and forty one.

Wit: Lindsay Oglesby Seal

T. A. Sullivan

Geo. S. Black

Chester Hawke J. D. C.

Jim: This is five long pages mostly pertaining to payments of
various amounts of money plus money and properties already
given to each Constituted each persons share of his estate.
Also provisions for the welfare and protection of two slaves.

Pen
Frank Ashburn
Christian

This² - New 3
" 3 - Price

#3

Leroy Oglesby's father was married to Martha Bradley
D/o William Bradley + Elizabeth Christian D/o Thomas Christian²
+ Rebecca Price (from this is your descent)

Issue of Wm Bradley + Elizabeth Christian

1. William Bradley (1745-1799) m'd Elizabeth Christian
D/o Robert Christian + Lucy Bradley He was S/o Thomas
Christian + Rebecca New (from your descent)

2. Martha b 1757 Bedford Co Va. d. ca 1825 Elbert Co. Ga. m'd

Thomas Oglesby Jr. (b. ca 1750 d. late 1833 Elbert Co. Ga.)

Issue at least: William, Garrett, Leroy, Dravery,
Lindsay, Robert, Lucinda Morgan m'd Wm C. Morgan Chambers Col. Va.
Mary (Polly) m'd Rufus Christian lived in Murray Co. Ga. They
were both 63 years of age in 1850 Census of Murray Co.

See will of Lindsay Oglesby will case Co (now Bartow Co. Ga.) dated 7/4/1841

3. Elizabeth b. ca 1751 d. post Nov. 1818 Elbert Co. Ga. m'd 10/24/1769
Bedford Co Va. Leroy Upshaw (b. ca 1750 Essex Co. Va. d. after
1803 Elbert Co. Ga.)

4. Lucy - Lived in Capt Dennis District Elbert Co. Ga. had
issue on 1820 Census 3 sons + 1 dau. M'd 1780 probably
James Christian Sr. some may have been James Jr.,
William + Drury dau probably Lucy or Elizabeth

5. Mary (b. Mar 15, 1770 Va. d. June 16, 1841 Elbert Co. Ga.)
m'd (1) James Stovall (his will June 12, 1785 probated
Oct 3, 1791 Oglethorpe Co. Ga. S/o James + Mary Stovall)
(2) George Stovall m'd Jan 16, 1807 Nancy Christian
of Elbert Co. Ga.
(2) m'd marriage of Mary Bradley - 10/10/1792 Thomas Johnson

6. Dewey Bradley b. ca 1830 Morgan Co Ga. died 12/6/1784
Bedford Co. Va. (D) Lucy Christian (D) Robert & Mary
Christian (D) Samuel Christian and Mary Waddell
Issue by Lucy

Ruth Bradley m. ca 1804/5 Elbert Co. Ga. - Garrett
Oglesby (b. ca 1780 Campbell Co. Va. d. Mar. 3 1845 Wilkes Co. Ga.)
2nd marriage of Dewey Bradley - Sally Ridgway
His will dated 4/16/1828 Morgan Co. Ga.
Recorded Mar. 20. 1832 Morgan Co. Ga.
Sarah Bradley Estx + Dewey T. Bradley
Issue mentioned in his will

| | | | |
|---|---|-----------------|----------------------------------|
| Presley & Dewey by 1st mar. Irwin, John + Marriam may have been grandchildren? | { | Presley Bradley | |
| | | Dewey T. " | administered his father's estate |
| | | Irwin " | |
| | | John " | |
| | | Marriam " | |

This should show the relationship of the Bradley
Christian + Oglesby's ?

Now you might determine who William Edmund Christian
b. 5/14/1856 d. 2/6/1936 Atlanta, Ga. was a famous
newspaper correspondent in the Spanish War served the N.Y.
Herald in Richmond Va. June 2. 1885 Julia Jackson
b. 1824 d. 1863 D/o of Lt. General "Stonewall" Thomas Jonathan
Jackson + his 2nd Mary Ann (a) Morrison (wrote a book 1892 on
his life) D/o of Rev. Dr. George Hall Morrison (1st President
of Davidson College, Davidson, N.C.)

Issue of Wm + Julia

1. Julia Jackson Christian b. 5/1887 mtd Edmund Randolph
Preston of
Lexington, Va. 8/8/1907

21 April 1985
Chicago, Ill.

Dear Jim:

Sometime ago I wrote you and mentioned that a Rufus Christian born in Rogersville Hawkins Co., Tenn. 1903 and had moved to Atlanta, Ga., and might be of interest.

In around about way of Kingman Arizona and Tarpon Springs I have learned the following:
Rufus Christian (Marvin E., Wm Allen, Allen, James Lewis, Thos 3-2-1)
b. July 29, 1903 Rogersville, Hawkins Co., Tenn s/o Marvin E. Christian & Carrie Anderson, they eventually resided at 159 W. Loethe St., Chicago, Ill. Rufus eventually lived in Atlanta, Ga., they resided at 357 Schoen St. S. E. He was a Railway Mail Clerk. Elder in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints (Mormon, in which case his pedigree and family tree should be in Salt Lake City as a requirement of the religion?). He served in the U.S Army 8th Brigade H.Q. Co., Fort McPherson Ga., from 1923 to 1926. He married March 24, 1925 at Charlotte N.C. O Ruby Nora McLeod (b. Sept. 16, 1905 D/o Frank and Edna (Hager) McLeod (2) and ca. 1950 Mrs. Mildred (Woods) Hager. June 23, Ridgeville, Jasper Co., S.C.

- Children by 1st wife:
1. Grace Virginia Christian b. Dec. 26, 1925
 2. Leonard Eugene " b. Sept 27, 1927 d. Jan. 20, 1933

His daughter evidently married a John J. Bertalanⁿ as he now lives in Tarpon Springs Fla and considers himself the "genealogist" in the family and has stated that he is the son-in-law of Rufus Christian. Have just written him hoping to receive some further details on this branch (Marvin⁸, Wm¹ Allen, Allen, James⁵, Lewis⁴, Thos.³⁻²⁻¹)
This would be related to Partia Christian?

The enclosed information might be of interest to you, and Agnes Pearlman and if you she has any info. regarding the Nancy Christian who was supposed to have married 1812 Robert C. Oglesby /o Thomas Oglesby and Martha Bradley, she should let us know we might be able to find the correct answer in the Newberry Library?

Regards
Frank

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#49.462
Newberry

#5

Albemarle & Amherst Co., Va - Abstract of Wills

Book 3 - (1786-1800)

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James Stovall (md. Mary Bradley - 782). Will
dated 23 June 1787 Probated 3 Oct 1791

Lands to wife Mary Stovall, all estate, ~~all estate~~
To son George Stovall, a negro when he arrives at the age of
twenty-one years, and my part of my father's estate that I have
not received, which is in the hands of Thomas Stovall the executor
of the estate. Exor wife, John Christian Sr. William Bradley
Wit: James⁴ Christian, Robert⁴ Christian & Thomas Oglesby - Page 28

James Christian - probably md. Lucy Bradley D/o Wm. Bradley
Thomas Oglesby - " " Martha "
Capt. John⁴ Christian Sr. " " Mary Maynard
(Brother of Robert Christian)
William Bradley " " Elizabeth^{Christian} Bradley

After 1791 began migrating to Georgia

James Stovall, was witness to marriage of Lucy⁵ Christian & Arury Bradley
Lucy⁵ was D/o Robert Christian & Mary Christian.

Read Lou Koenigs letter to you about his efforts to locate the missing Turner Bible. He sure covered a lot of territory and should get a big thank-you for his time and work.

Perhaps the fact Emie Stacy reported a Turner Bible in the possession of Guy Allen Christian in Athens, Ga. She might explain how this information came into her possession, also might have address of Guy Allen Christian. Louis Koenigs conclusion that the bible might still be in existence may turn out to be correct. It is possible that somebody in the Tabor family decided the bible should be in the possession of the "Christian family" for safe-keeping.

Do^{you} think that one of your daughters now attending the University at Athens, Ga. might be able to assist in some manner, by either contacting Guy Allen Christian or at least determining his home address?

Nancy⁶ T. Christian was the ^{great} grandmother of Zelma Allen Tabor. Nancy was W/o Wm Payne Christian⁵ & Turner Christian. Wm Payne Christian was brother of Charles W. Christian they were brothers of Jene George Christian and their mother was Anne Payne the first wife of Turner Christian.

1850 Fayette Co. Ga. Census
(County Seat Fayetteville)

| Born | | Age |
|-----------|---|-----|
| 1787 N.C. | Harriet (Mann) ^{nee} Christian | 63 |
| 1830 | Wm. M. | 20 |
| 1832 | James Jr. | 18 |
| 1834 | John A. | 16 |
| 1839 | Lucy F. | 11 |
| 1840 | Morgan F. | 10 |
| 1843 | Sarah A. | 7 |
| 1846 | Claiborn (L) A. | 4 |

Harriet was married Dec. 28, 1826 in Newton Co. Ga. to James H. (Richam) Christian 2/3 James Christian & Lucy Bradley. They had a daughter Mary Antonette Christian (b. ca. 1828 d. 1924 - 96 yrs old.) She was 22 yrs old on 1850 Newton Co. Ga. Census, was married April 30, 1846 to her cousin Isaac Morgan Christian (b. 1822 Elbert Co. Ga. d. 1854 killed by lightning) He was son of Isaac Christian & Milly White of Newton Co. Ga. They had at least five children per Janette Denton letter to you July 19, 1978:

- James Addison 1849-1935 - Harriet resided with him - Clayton Co. Ga.
- Bressley Franklin 1853-1901
- Elizabeth Jane 1847-1866
- Mary ca 1851-1871
- * Claiborn L. A. 1845-1916 buried in Atlanta

* Said she had found the great grand children - did she ever indicate to you who they might be?

Christian of Charles City - Eunice V. Christian Stecy

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This might be
only of the
family of
Thomas?
Identical?

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Thomas Frank Christian (Washington, Charles W. ⁵Woodson, Turner, Charles ³⁻²Thos. ¹)
b. Aug. 1835 Elbert Co., Ga., d. 16 May 1906 (Family Bible in
possession of Guy Allen Christian, Athens, Ga.)

Perhaps it is the
same bible but in
different hands?

Jim, here we have another "Family bible" with descent from
Turner only this one comes probably through Charles Woodson
Christian, the son of Turner Christian, who was a doctor, and
a member of the Georgia House of Representatives 1820-23, a member
of the Ga. Senate 1829 to 40, and Justice of the Inferior Court of
Elbert Co. Ga., 1837 to 41. Somewhere in the Georgia ^{governmental} records
there should be a biography for Charles W.?

Since he (Charles W.) was a doctor, and probably kept detailed
records, I would expect him to also maintain a detailed bible
about his family and his descendants. Also Washington Christian
had a very close, and special relationship with his ^{father's} family, which
was so indicated when Charles W. deeded 250 acres of land
to his son Washington with the notation it was given in appreciation
of his love for his son. This was strictly a gift before his will
was ever prepared. Charles died in 1854 (not 1859 as Stecy indicates)
Washington & his brother William ^{half} were administrators of the will ^{of} ^{James Christian}
and were approved 3 July 1854 by Elbert Co. Ga. Court. It was
only natural that Washington would come into possession of any
bible record that his father had maintained. Washington passed it to
his son Thomas Frank Christian. Guy Allen Christian was most
likely a grandson of Thomas? Thomas was also ^{also} a lawyer and

Mrs Nancy T. Christian, was the Wm. G. Christian
5/6 Turner Christian's home Payne. Wm. G.
was brother of Charles W. Christian (1776-1854)

miller, and being such probably maintained the bible.
If this bible can be located it might contain the same
information that the Turners bible possessed. <sup>of Zelma Z. Allen
of Lynn and daughter of Nancy
of Christian</sup>
At present time I am interested in a couple of books
by Mrs Jannette Holland Austin

1- Index to Georgia Wills - "Contains about 20,000 testators, the
name of the county in which the will was filed, and the
designation of the book in which the complete will can
be located. A proportion of entries derive from estate
records such as appraisals, inventories, divisions,
letters of administration, and guardian bonds, and
are identified by an appropriate reference."

This index formed from counties before 1832
169 p.p. cloth. (1976) reprint 1985

2. The Georgian - Genealogies of Pioneer Families
283 genealogies which she compiled over a period of
twenty years. The vast majority of the genealogies
deal with Georgians who descent from settlers from
other states. - 479 p.p. indexed 1984

If in fact the two bibles are actually
only one bible, it would be great a
story as to how the bible came into
my Allen Christian's possession.

By any chance ^{we} these two books available at any source
in your area?

There are some books that have been published which con-
sists of collections of family bibles that have been collected
over many years, before they were published. Might look
around the various libraries; found one at Newberry but
was it did not have any for the "Christian family"

copy
JPM/C

Referring to Agner letter of Dec. 28, 1984
my records show the following

Capt. John⁵ + Mary⁶ Maynard Christian may of had 7 sons + 3 daus⁷

- 1 John Harvey Christian mtd 1803 Susan D/o John Meriwether
- 2 Breiny " mtd Frances Carner
- 3 Abda " mtd Ann Barner (Carner)
- 4 Gabriel " mtd ca 1790 Harrison Blain Gilmer
- 5 Robert B. (ryant) " mtd Edna Lesuer (Lesurier)
- 6 Rufus " mtd Mary Ogleby D/o Thomas Ogleby and Martha Bradley
- 7 Reuben " mtd Mary Ann Clarke
- 8 Nancy ? " mtd 1812 Robert C. Ogleby D/o Thomas Ogleby and Martha Bradley

Dave Nancy?

" b. ca 1787 Va. she probably mtd Jan 16, 1807 Franklin Co. Va. George Stovall D/o James Stovall and Mary Bradley D/o Wm. Bradley and Elizabeth Christian. James Stovall will dated June 12, 1783 probated 10/3/1791 Va. Their son George was a miner, was still a miner in 1805 when he was mentioned as such in his grandfather's Wm Bradley's will. Mary Bradley Stovall mtd a second time to a Thomas Johnson (Johnston) they had issue and Wm. Ogleby, George Ogleby and George Stovall became guardians of the children - Bond 1000.00

Samlin quite often have named two children with the same name but gave them different middle names. Usually the second child is born after the other one has died or the first born mtd before the second has been born.

Pa. Genealogist No. 8-15 p 19
Mary Christian mtd Jan. 16, 1807
Franklin Co. Va. - George Stovall

George W. Stovall was a son of George Stovall Sr + Rebecca — ?

George^(w) Stovall Sr.
(Will 18 Feb. 1833 Franklin Co., Ga) George W. along with
his brother John were administrators of the will of George^(w)
Stovall Sr.

George W. Stovall died ca. 1858 and Abda C. Stovall
was administrator of his estate. Abda C. Stovall and
Shrewry (sic) Oglesby were principal and surety for
twelve hundred dollars as bond 19 January 1858.

Abda C. Stovall b. 1821 Ga. md 27 Feb 1838 Madison Co. Ga.

Mary L. Christian b. ca. 1819 d. prob. ante 1 June 1850
W/o Edward Leake Christian (George⁴, Charles³⁻², Thomas¹)
* Nancy Barner, she was his second wife and were md May 6, 1817
Edward L. Christian and 1st ex 1805 Rebecca ^{? Columbia}
b. 20 Oct 1789 d. ca 1815 Madison Co. Ga. they had a daughter Nancy
M. Christian b. 3 July 1807 who may of married Georg W.
Stovall, who probably was related to Abda C. Stovall

The name Abda C. Stovall would lead one to believe he might
have ^{been} named for a member of the Christian family. The Rev.
Abda Christian (1775-1815) died in Columbia Co. Ga., before
Abda C. Stovall was born, but he might of been a son of
George Stovall + Nancy Christian W/o Capt John Christian and
Mary Waynard (Honey)

10 Mary Christian and 1807/8 Wm. B. Oglesby W/o Thomas Oglesby and
Martha Bradley

Recently I checked Georgia Genealogist Nos 8-15 page 19 and found the
marriage Jan. 16, 1807 Franklin Co. Ga. for Nancy Christian and George Stovall.

MR. & MRS. JAMES M. CHRISTIAN
4189 SHELBORNE DRIVE
DUNWOODY, GEORGIA 30338
404-458-7217

7/5/85

Dear Agnes:

The information Frank Asbury provided re. Rufus Christian (1903) Rogersville, Hawkins Co. TN. was of interest to me. I attempted to contact him several years^{ago} but after his death.

I did meet another Rufus Christian from my line. He and his wife Ena lived in Atlanta. He died a couple of years ago. I think they had no children.

He was s/o Rev. Thomas Jefferson Christian (1852 - 1932) and Margaret E. Paine (1868 - 1927); who was s/o Presley Franklin (1817 - 1895) and Eliz. O. Sappington (1817 - ?); who was s/o Isaac (1788 - ?) and Mildred White (ca. 1789).

Both T. Jeff and his brother Hayden Coe were Methodist preachers. Coe Baptised me in 1925. Their siblings were: James F. 1840, Mary J. 1844, Sara F. 1847, Eugenia 1856, In 1850 a John H. Christian, age 20, was living with the Presley F. family.

Of passing interest. Sara F. Christian married a Ramsey and their son Coe married Sue Cunningham. Sue and my grandmother Mary Lou Cunningham were sisters. Mary Lou married Milton Rufus Christian.

I have asked L. H. Christian in Athens to check out Guy Allen and the Turner Bible. By the way; L.H. married Sara Bradbury who is my first cousin on mothers side.

Frank Asbury suggested I share his information with you so I will pass along your last letter to him. Maybe it will save you a letter. OK?

Things are moving too fast for me these days. When the legislatures "turn out" the meetings begin. I have squeezed in one weeks vacation but need more very badly.

Last weekend I attended a meeting of the National Legis. Service and Security Assoc. and the main topic was terrorism and it was frightening. Our state capitols are rather unguarded.

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If Dr. Pearlman needs any information re. third parties or info. relating to medical or pharmaceutical legislation or regulations in Calif. he should feel free to contact:

Miss Barbara Benson
Gov. Relations Manager
CIBA-GEIGY Corp.
2709 22nd. St.
Sacramento, CA 95818

She is the Jim Christian of the west coast.

It is always a pleasure to hear from you and I always feel I receive more from you than I contribute.

Kindest regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Jim", written in a cursive style with a horizontal line extending to the right.



Milton Rufus Christian

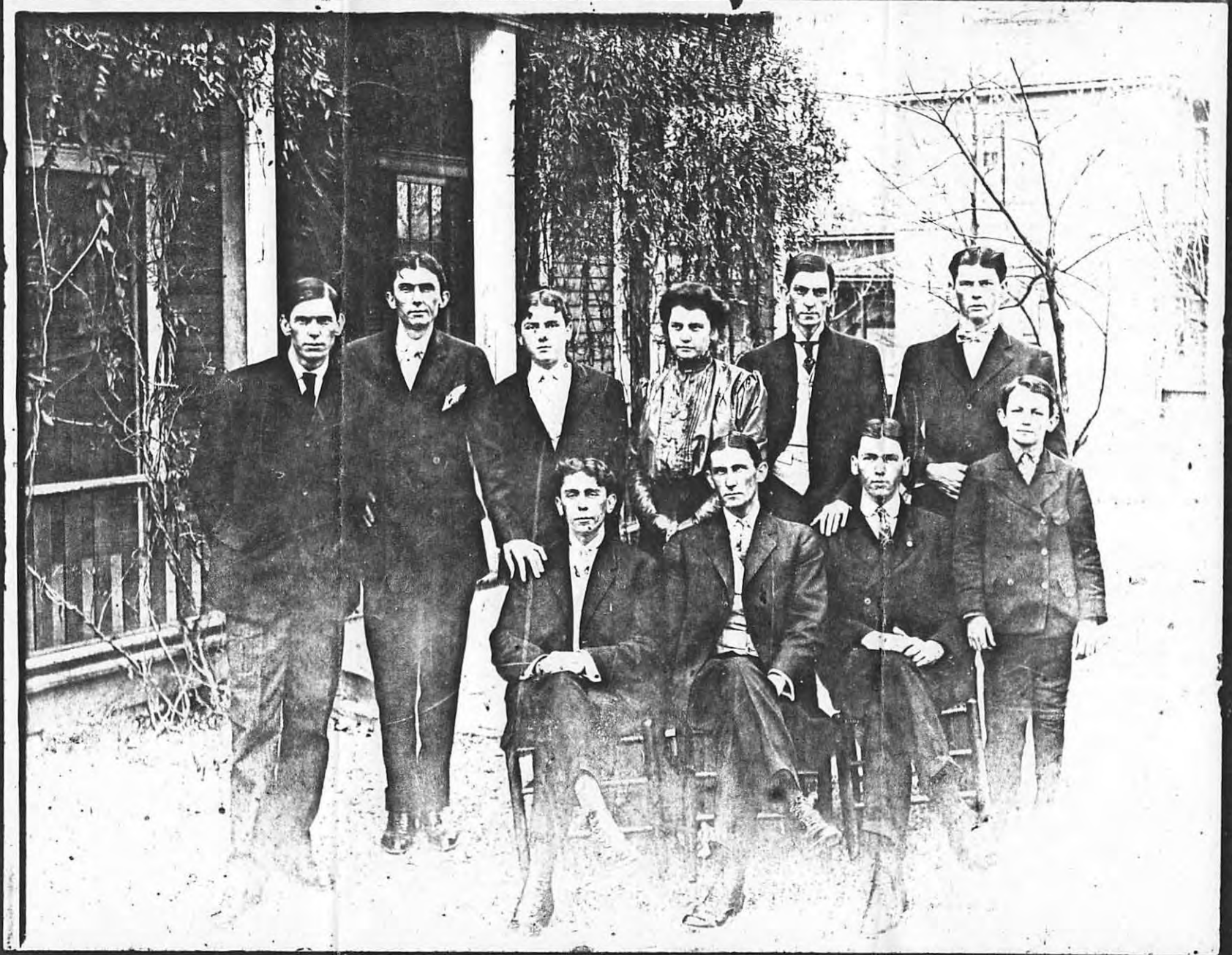
2-5-1847
11-6-1912

Canyons, Ga

m - 11-28-1872

Mary Lou ^(nee) Cunningham Christian

8-18-1855
3-19-1920



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← → RT

~~1873~~ - (1873)

Tom, George C. Kate, John H. Ed. Rufus

Raymond, H. Brown, Will, Stewart
(seated) (seated) (seated)



me

Agnes -

This "tin type" was for many years
in my father's safe deposit box. I never knew
who she was. She is not his grandmother
Cunningham - I have her picture - she must
be Serena Elizbeth - but I guess we will never
know - ??

J -

THE CHRISTIAN FAMILY

Information gathered and compiled by Lois J. Grier for

THOMAS MADISON SWIFT III

1. Thomas Madison Swift III is the son of Thomas M. Swift, Jr.,
Tom Swift Jr
Camden, Ga.
 b. 6/3/1884, Elberton;
 d. 4/8/1963, Elberton;
 and his wife Eugenia Christian,
 b. 8/2/1890, Atlanta, Ga.;
 d. 6/18/1967, Elberton, Ga.;
 married 6/10/1914, Elberton, Ga.

2. Eugenia Christian was the daughter of Thomas Jefferson Christian,
 Methodist Minister,

We need these three dates

b. 6/9/1852, *OK*
 d. 1914 *OK*
 and his wife Margaret Payne *daughter of*
April 1927 b. 4/26/1858, *At Payne*
 d. 1/26/1888 *Margaret Miller*
 married when 1888 *1889*

3. Thomas Jefferson Christian was the son of Presley F. Christian,
with photo

b. 5/25/1817, *OK*
 d. 10/23/1895, *OK*
 and his wife Elisabeth C. Sappington,
 b. 10/1/1815,
 d. 5/24/1896, *OK*
 married 12/13/1839, *Henry Co., OK*
 Ga., but recorded in Newton Co.;
 licence was secured in Newton
 Co. 12/10/1839 - Book B, p. 179.

Ref.: Ga. State Archives, Microfilm "Drawer 37, Box 22".

4. Presley F. Christian was the son of Isaac Christian,

b. 7/4/1787,
2. 2. 12. 1807 d. 1864,
 and his wife Mildred (Milly) White,
 b. 4/30/1789,
 d.

C-1858-1460

married 2/17/1807, Elbert Co.,
 Ga. (this date was given in the
 listing of the brides, p. 296,
 ALBERT COUNTY, GEORGIA, HISTORY,
 Stephen Heard Chapter, NE DAR -
 p. 226, same book, gives the
 date of 2/12/1807 in the listing
 of the grooms. Perhaps the
 earlier date was for the license.)

5. Isaac Christian was the son of

This is our first "Christian" problem
Living in New Ga in 1460 to 1864 maybe correct - where??

Family Record.

Births

Births

Rufus

Frederick Christian
Born April 13th 1879

Wayman J. Christian
Born November 26th
1889. Died April 10th
1890. Four months 17 days old

Joe

Stewart Christian
Born January
10th 1881

Henry Brown Christian
Born April 12th 1891

Kate

~~Frederick~~
Christian
Born January 29th
1883

J. H. Christian
Born Sep 23th 1891
12 Baby Born Sep
30th 1891

Edgar J. Christian
Born April 23th
1886

Remon Lewis

Thomas J. Christian
Born May 12th 1887

over

Not listed:

bro. Cunningham Chrinton b. 10-9-1873. d. 10-30-1942

William

no date available

Lizzie

1875-1895

10-19-85

Dear Agnes

Pauline Callaway was over this way last summer & turned up some very interesting info. on Rufus Christian & his bro. Thomas.

As you can see Rufus had his problems. Not just one problem but several.

Pauline thinks he was framed. The jury did not think so. One might presume he served time only for the charge of aiding in escape of prisoners in 1929. He would have been about 42 years old at that time -

As I recall from Lindsey Oglesby's will, he left his sister Mary (Poe) Christian, wife of Rufus, money in

I have been real busy for
the past several months - more
meeting than I like - & still more
this month.

I have not been able to take
many vacation days & will probably
take the month of December off.
Hope to get to Elbert County. Frank
Ashby suspects the marker marking
Turner's (1850) grave placed at wrong
cemetery. The Turner Bible sure
would be a big help wouldn't it?

Hope to get to the archives &
work on the Cunningham & Jarrett
lines - Haven't had much luck
to them -

See the Doctor I will be busy
this next year working legislation
dealing with therapeutic substitution,
Michigan prescription forms, generic
fee incentives for Medicaid prescriptions
& a host of other bills.

Must close -

Jim

57
Wednesday 6th day of September 1827

Joseph Darby }
John Floyd } Bell's County for Discovery Relief & Suspension
Dismissed

De. Arison Davis } Appointed
Ipsod Reid } It is agreed that the above case
of Perry & Cook and John M. Pender who in case of disagreement
shall have the power of choosing a third person whose award shall be
made up during the judicial Term and under the Judgments of the Court
from which either party may have the liberty of appealing as from a
Verdict of a single Judge

The State }
Rufus Christian vs } Appant, & Patton vs the Errors do
find the defendant guilty
The State find

John L. Darby adm^r }
& Municipal Public Adm^r }
of Anderson Darby dec^d. }
John Mangels & Sons Executors }
Debt. We the Jury find for the
plaintiffs the sum of Eighty Dollars
of the Court to be satisfied by
John Mangels find

- Special Jury
- | | | |
|-----------------------|----|-------------------|
| John Floyd | 9 | Hugh Mearns |
| McDon Lupton | 10 | Edmond Walker |
| William Tublin | 11 | Samuel C. Fortwit |
| Richard & Park | 12 | Shalburne Mearns |
| Thomas McGrogan | | |
| Leander Mearns | | |
| Calhoun Cook | | |
| Richard M. Pendergast | | |

Benjamin Williams Resp^t }
James Shepherd Appellant } Error. We the Jury find for the
Respondent, County just & lawful & correct
Point
John Floyd find

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Thursday Morning March 5th 1829. 78

W^o C. Cooper
 " "
 William Bonds
 & Daniel Bonds
 Co^{rs} of Lewis Bonds de^o

Fifa On Motion of Counsel for Off. It is ordered
 that the Sheriff shun Cause tomorrow morning at 9 O'clock or 10
 some thereafter as Counsel can be heard Why he does not pay to the
 Off^r after the amount of said Fifa

The State

~~John Christian~~

For aiding the Escape of prisoners Arraigned and plead not Guilty
 Mark A. Cooper Esq^r

The State

~~John Christian~~

Aiding the Escape of prisoners
 Not Guilty

The State

John Wilton
 Rufus Christian
 John Welch

Altering and publishing a bank Note
 John Welch Arraigned and plead Not Guilty
 Mark A. Cooper Esq^r

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| | | Settl. Term 1 st 2 nd | |
| 1 | William Lambolt | 7 | William Whaley |
| 2 | Joseph Merre | 8 | Archibald Wade |
| 3 | Isabel Jewer | 9 | Malachiah Bonds |
| 4 | William Cox | 10 | Augustus Allen |
| 5 | Charles Coleman | 11 | Thomas Ducker |
| | Septia Permin | 12 | David Anglin |

The State

~~John Christian~~

For aiding the Escape of prisoners
 Guilty We the Jury find him
 Joseph Merre Guilty

Henry Bailey serving
 adm^r of Wm Bailey de^o
 Wm Subbt Oliver Bells
 and Thomas Mordey

Fifa From Cyltrops Sup^r Court

The Same

Wm Bailey & Wm Subbt

The Same

The Same

The Same

On the ground that this was an action brought by Plaintiff to recover of the Defendant the difference in the price of certain property sold at Sheriff Sale under and Execution against Off and bid off by Defendant who refused to comply, and the price the same property sold for at a subsequent sale by the Sheriff to another individual, and was contended and proved that the Defendant withdrew his bid before the property was knocked off. This on

Motion of Counsel of Off ordered that the Defendant Counsel then came at the next Term of this Court, when the Plaintiff in the above case should not be set aside and the case remanded on the following grounds

1st Because the Sheriff is not, as an auctioneer the agent of the parties but that he is the officer of the Law is bound by virtue of his office to buy the highest bid

The State

~~James Christian~~

Indictment for aiding prisoners to Escape

Testimony on front of the State

Norman Bradley being sworn

Said that sometime between the last of July and September Court of last Term the Defendant, James Christian came to his shop in the County bringing with him a Iron Bar and an iron handle of a Auger defendant procured Witness to reduce the size of the Iron Bar and to round the one end of it the other having a Saw to it. That Defendant took them back with him telling Witness that he wanted the Iron Bar to pull down an old Chimney that he wanted the iron Auger handle because he was a strong man. Wanted strong tools sometime afterwards and not many days before Court at last September Term Thomas O Christian the son of the Defendant brought the same instruments again to the shop of Witness and procured Witness again to make them smaller. Thomas O Christian lived with the Defendant, his father the Iron Bar and the iron Auger handle were then produced to Witness, and he testified that they were the same which he had twice worked in. Witness said he was a Blacksmith and on being shown a Chisel produced said it was what is called a Cold Chisel but he had not seen it before

Witness Campbell

Said that for certain reasons he thought it necessary to examine the Jail for instruments when sometime short before last September Court in Company with Mr. Shaver he visited the Jail of this County and on examination found the Iron bar Chisel and Iron Auger handle testified to, and also two Augers all of which he produced before the Court and Jury. Witness was the Jailor of the County and held the prisoners in Custody by virtue of two Writings under the hands of Simeon Walker Justice of the Peace the prisoners Names were Coleman Strange William Berry & William M. Cow. The size of the Iron Bar was just fitted for the interstices between the iron bars in the Jail and if they were much larger it could not be inserted between them.

Saturday Morning 9th day of March 1829.

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| 37 George Finley | 43 Sarah Spear |
| 38 Wm. Rogers | 44 John Bond |
| 39 Thomas Sanders | 45 John R. Hendricks |
| 44 William Fursten | 46 Thomas C. Woods |
| 41 Robert Watson Jr | 47 John Edwards |
| 49 James Brown | 48 Joshua Phillips |

Ann Taylor & others
 Creditors of David Austin
 vs
 Thomas W. Harris
 atty of David Taylor Creditors

Rule nisi After hearing Counsel on the above
 Rule nisi it is ordered by the Court, that the said Rule
 nisi be discharged -

The State vs Indictment, Hunting a Slave
 vs Indict. Treason

Georgia Morgan vs Indict. You Thomas Harris son of
 William from his law to the Common Jail of said County, whence you last came and there you
 shall be safely kept and detained until you shall be sent, for by the keeper of the Penitentiary of
 said State through his messengers and guards to whose custody you shall be delivered, and
 by whom you shall be conveyed to said Penitentiary in Milledgeville where you shall
 remain at hard labor for and during the term of Two Years from the time of your
 arrival at said Penitentiary and then be discharged.

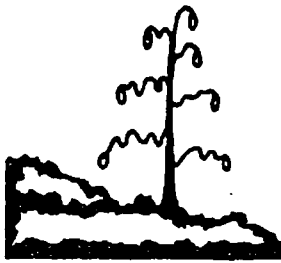
Georgia Morgan vs Indict. March Term 1829

The State vs Indict. Aiding the escape of Prisoners & aiding same

vs Indict. Treason You Rufus Christian shall be taken from the
 bar to the Common Jail of said County, whence you last came where you shall
 be safely kept and detained until you shall be sent, for the keeper of the Penitentiary
 of said State through his messengers and guards to whose custody you shall be delivered,
 and by whom you shall be conveyed to said Penitentiary in Milledgeville where you
 shall remain at hard labor for and during the term of Two Years from the time
 of your arrival at said Penitentiary and then be discharged.

On Motion it is ordered that the Calling of the Appearance Ticket, be and it is
 hereby dispensed with and that all pleas and word and exceptions shall be regular
 filed and taken on or before the first day of the next term of this Court, except
 pleas in abatement, which shall be filed as usual

Thomas Sumner vs Rufus Christian Morgan Superior Court



Dear Agnes - I have checked my "stuff" & have marked this letter - Also on sending some info from Frank Anthony - etc - this you will have - Will write later. Jim

Agnes B. Pearlman, 2001 North Westwood Avenue, Santa Ana, California 92706

January 17, 1986

James M. Christian, R. Ph.
4439 Shelborne Drive
Dunwoody, Georgia 30338

Dear Jim:

I have just received some information from another Christian family correspondent who, like you, is descended from the Georgia lines. If you have not yet heard from him, I thought you might be interested in the following from James K. Christian, 518 Hazelwood Drive, Florence, Alabama 35630.

I will contact him soon -

I believe you will be especially interested in the abstracts he sent from The History of Clayton County, Georgia listing the sons of Isaac and Mildred (White) Christian. Although it agrees in some respects with what we have been able to prove, it differs somewhat in significant respects. My comments and questions follow:

(A) Mary Christian, (not on history list) born c. 1808, was still in parents' 1830 household as female 20-30 years of age. She married 12 January 1832 James Oglesby.

(B) ?William Bradley Christian (not on history list--not proven but probable son), born 1810-1815, died 1838, married in Newton County, Georgia, 4 November 1834 Jane Waddell Dobbins.

(C) Presley Franklin Christian, born c. 1817, died 1895; married in Newton County, Georgia, 13 December 1839 Elizabeth O. Sappington.

Serena Elizabeth Christian, born c. 1820 (not on history list), originally thought to have been a daughter-in-law; married Rufus Christian (on history list as son) 28 January 1838. Careful analysis of all the Georgia families seems to establish Rufus as the son of Rufus and Mary (Oglesby) Christian. Rufus was born 7 June 1815 and died 5 June 1892 in Rockdale County, Georgia. He was, of course, mentioned in the estate papers of Isaac Christian, possibly allowing casual researchers to think he was mentioned as a son rather than as the husband of Isaac's daughter.

(D) James D. Christian, born c. 1821, died 1862-1867 Newton County, Georgia; married in Newton County 26 November 1846 Mary Ann S. Middlebrooks.

(E) Isaac Morgain Christian, born 1 January 1822, died 2 July 1852; married 7 November 1846 Mary Antoinette Christian, his first cousin, possibly daughter of James G. and Harriet (Mann) Christian. Middle initial shown as "W" on the history list.

I now believe this is true -

Mary Ann S. Middlebrooks is wife.

X *OK*
 ?Reuben Christian, born c. 1824, is on both the history list and on mine; however, I am still awaiting proof that he was indeed a son. He married Frances Ann Bishop 7 November 1848 in Newton County. I notice that P. L. Christian gives his name as Reuben James Jared Hudson Christian and lists him as a son of Reuben and Mary Ann Christian. *Prob. correct*

OK
 Cephus A. Christian, left off the history list, has been proven to be a son; born c. 1828; married 1) 2 September 1845 Elizabeth A. Neely and 2) 17 August 1857 Florida J. Watson.

Elijah Christian, born c. 1831, reputedly died in Kentucky; no record of marriage but all possible registers have not been searched.

? Thomas Christian, shown only on the history list and on some of my earlier lists, may have been a son; may have been the Thomas who married Mary Christian, daughter of Rufus and Mary (Oglesby) Christian. He may well have been a previously unidentified son since there were seven sons in 1830 household of Isaac and Mildred (White) Christian. *Prob NOT*

? Milton Christian, on the history list, a man who has gone on and off my lists of the family, born c. 1809; married 10 June 1831 Mary Clark Posey. Milton may have been a son (necessitating exclusion of one or another of the above-mentioned), but I now believe he was a younger son of James and Lucy (Bradley) Christian and that this elderly couple may have been listed in the younger man's 1830 household. There is no evidence that an older Milton Christian ever lived in Georgia.

As for Isaac Christian's place of birth having been in New Kent County, Virginia (as shown in the Clayton County History account: That is possible, even if his parents were James and Lucy (Bradley) Christian, who reputedly married in Buckingham County, Virginia. The latter locale was where William Bradley, Lucy's father, had moved prior to 1780. Exactly where in Virginia James and Lucy (Bradley) lived immediately following their marriage has not been established.

As yet, I have not been able to reconstruct the elder Presley Christian's family, about which James K. Christian inquired. One or another of the men named Thomas Christian might have been a son of his, and perhaps others about whose parentage we have puzzled.

That's about all for now. I look forward to your comments.

Sincerely,



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TIM CHRISTIAN FAMILY

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| HUSBAND'S NAME ISAAC CHRISTIAN | | | |
| | Date | Town | County |
| Birth | 7-4-1788± | | VA |
| Death | After 1860 | | |
| Marriage | 2-12-1809 | | Gibert GA |
| Father's Full Name | James Se (?) | B | |
| | | D | |
| Mother's Full Name | Lucy Bradley - Wm. Bradley | B | |
| | | D | |
| Other Wives | Eliz. Christian This, This, This! | | |

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| WIFE'S FULL MAIDEN NAME Mildred White | | | |
| | Date | Town | County |
| Birth | 4-30-1789± | | GA |
| Death | Ca. 1850-1860 | | |
| Father's Full Name | Daniel White - Jeremiah White 6-1835 Mary Martin 6-1799 | B | 1742 |
| | | D | |
| Mother's Full Name | Mary Ballengen - Joseph B. Ransom | B | |
| | | D | |
| Other Husbands | Sarae | | |

| CHILDREN | BIRTH | DEATH | MARRIAGE |
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| 1 Presley Franklin Eliz O. Sappington | 1817 | | 12-18-1839 |
| 2 James D. Mary S. Middlebrook | 1821 | 1862-67 | 12-26-1846 |
| 3 Isaac Morgan Mary Antoinette CHRISTIAN | 1822 | 7-2-1852 | Nov. 7, 1846 |
| ? 4 Reuben Frances Ann Bishop | 1823 | | 11-7-1848 |
| 5 Girl Mary James Oglesby | 1808 | | 1-12-1832 |
| 6 Thomas Susan A. | 1834 | | |
| ? 7 Elijah | 2-1831 | | |
| * 8 Serena Eliz. Rufus CHRISTIAN | Ca. 1830 - less | | |
| 9 Wm. Bradley Jane Laddell Dibbins | Ca 1810 | 1837 | 11-24-1834 |
| 10 Cephas A. * Eliz. Miller - Florida J. Lott | 1824 17-1857 | 1833 | |

* Rufus was % Rufus + Mary (nee Oglesby) CHRISTIAN % John P. Mary Morgan

I believe Serena E + Presley F. were Siblings.

I " Isaac had a brother named Presley

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| 525 | 235 | 95 | Hammock, John G. | 11 | M | | | | | Ga | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | CHRISTIAN, MARY | 29 | F | | No Occupation | | | Ga | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | 1860 - Murray Co, Ga | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 272 | 268 | Ramsey, Malinda | 47 | F | | | | | Ga | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | CHRISTIAN, Geo. | 17 | M | | Student | | | Ga | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 325 | 321 | Cunnally, Samuel W | | | | | | | Ga | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | CHRISTIAN, MARY | 40 | F | | | | | Ga | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 491 | 477 | Hill, James | 43 | M | | Farmer | | | SC | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | xx | Lucinda (CHRISTIAN) | 41 | F | | | | | Ga | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | William | 17 | M | | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Rufus | 15 | M | | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Thomas | 12 | M | | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Lafayette | 10 | M | | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Ira | 8 | M | | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Robt. | 1 | M | | | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | * | CHRISTIAN, MARY | 71 | F | | | | | VA | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | x | Prob. Mary Oglesby, wife of Rufus Christian 6-1767 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 1/2 | Martin Bradley → 1/2 Wm. Bradley | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Thos Oglesby Jr. (Eliz. Christian) → Thos. 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | | xx | See mem & Bio. History - McSherran, Falls, Bell & Coryell Cts. TX. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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| 74 | 253 | 253 | Christian, Isaac A. | 17 | M | Fruit Dealer | 290 | | 6+ | | | | | | | | | | |
| 166 | 1270 | 392 | " Henry T. | 37 | M | " | | | 6+ | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | " Silda Ann | 35 | F | House Keeper | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | " Martha E. | 15 | F | Farm work | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | " Benjamin | 13 | M | " | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | " Reuben | 11 | M | School | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | " William | 7 | M | " | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | " Henry | 6 | M | " | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | " Nicy R | 4 | F | " | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | " Alley | 3/12 | F | " | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| 29 | 103 | 103 | Christian, John M. | 33 | M | Teach School | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | " Susan S. | 32 | F | House Keep | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 109 | 109 | " Zera S. | 19 | M | school | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 124 | 124 | " Wm. H. | 29 | M | Farm | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | " Emily H. | 27 | F | House Keep | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | " Thomas T. | 2 | M | " | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 149 | 149 | " Thomas | 25 | M | Farm | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | " Susan A. | 22 | F | House Keep | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | " Mary T. | 2 | F | " | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 157 | 157 | " Mary C. | 57 | F | at Home | Living & Geo Walker | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| 22 | 262 | 262 | " Wm. A. | 13 | M | Farm work | " - M. Waldrop | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | " Claudia C.W. | 12 | F | School | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | " T. Barton | 10 | M | " | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | " Mary J. | 6 | F | " | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | " Thos. | 20 | M | Farm work | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |

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| 91 | 531 | 531 | Christian Zack | M | 14 | From work | Living & Lou Park | 62 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 96 | 565 | 166 | " Presley F. | M | 52 | " | 1820 | 580 | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Elizabeth O. | F | 52 | House Keep | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Sarah F. | F | 22 | at home | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Thos. J. | M | 19 | School | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Eugenia | F | 12 | " | | | " | | | | | | | | | | |
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P. O. Box 1314
Henderson, Texas 75652
October 20, 1981

Dr. Louis Koenig
Route 10, Box 108
San Antonio, Texas 78216

Dear Dr. Koenig:

Re: Christien Line

I saw your query in the CHRISTIAN FAMILY CHRONICLES of January, 1981. It would certainly appear that you and I are tracing the same people.

Briefly, my history is this:

CHRISTIAN, MILTON married POSEY, MARY CLARK (born in Elbert Co., Georgia on December 15, 1811) on 10 June 1831 in Henry Co., Ga. There seem to be several Milton Christians; however, the 1860 Georgia census reflects a Milton Christian and wife, Mary C., giving his birth date as 1807-which would be about the right age for the Milton Christian who married my great-great-grandmother, Mary CLARK POSEY. Their daughter, Lucy Elizabeth CHRISTIAN (born in Newton County, Georgia, May 5, 1832) married Frank ALEXANDER on February 5, 1851 in Georgia. The ALEXANDERS moved to Rusk County, Texas ca. 1878. I know positively that Milton and Mary Clark Christian had a son by the name of THOMAS HARRISON PRESTON CHRISTIAN (called "Bud"), who also came to Texas ca. 1878. I strongly suspect that they had another son who came at the same time but I have been unable to verify this yet.

You perhaps have had correspondence with P. L. CHRISTIAN, JR., P. O. Box 545, Deer Park, Texas 77536. He had secured my name and address from the "RESEARCHER" (Sept. 1979 issue) and wrote to me July 4, 1981. I answered his letter July 22, 1981 but have not had a reply from him yet. Mr. Christian believes that the MILTON CHRISTIAN (born 1807) and his own ancestor, ELIJAH WILLIS CHRISTIAN, were brothers and that they had another brother, HALL CHRISTIAN, who was a doctor and moved to Henry Co., Alabama. He theorizes that PRESSLEY CHRISTIAN was their father.

Mr. James M. Christian, 4439 Shelborne Drive, Dunwoody, Georgia 30338, also had a query in the Jan., 1981 CHRISTIAN CHRONICLES. He listed a MILTON RUFUS CHRISTIAN in his query and the area is right for my CHRISTIANS. It makes me wonder if his and mine were closely related, or if the pioneer ancestor to both our lines might not have been named MILTON CHRISTIAN.

I shall appreciate corresponding with you-maybe with all of us working together we can make some progress. I am sending copies of this letter to both Mr. James M. Christian and Mr. P. L. Christian because, obviously, we all are tracing the same line-or connections thereof.

Sincerely,

Edith Rives
(Mrs.) Edith Rives

White

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|--------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------|--|---|--------------|
| HUSBAND'S NAME | | Jeremiah White | | "His B.o.k May 9 th 11-1722" | |
| Birth | Date 1685 1695 Oct. | Town | | County | P. Hyslvania |
| Death | Oct 25, 1776 (S. 1924) | | | | VA |
| Marriage | | | | | |
| Father's Full Name | | | | B | |
| | | | | D | |
| Mother's Full Name | | | | B | |
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| Other Wives | | | | | |

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| WIFE'S FULL MAIDEN NAME | | Mary Martin | | | |
| Birth | Date (4-19-) 1705 or 1709 | Town | | County | |
| Death | Sept 23 - 1796 or 1776 (S. 1924) | | | | |
| Father's Full Name | | | | B | |
| | | | | D | |
| Mother's Full Name | | | | B | |
| | | | | D | |
| Other Husbands | | | | | |

| | CHILDREN | BIRTH | DEATH | MARRIAGE |
|----|--|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------|
| 1 | Jere White Ester Hendon or Esna Watts (Dan) | Oct. 11. 1728 + 29 | May 1 - 1768 (a) | |
| 2 | Lettie " Wm. Melton | Apr. 9 1732-33 | Ca 1765 1772 | |
| 3 | Mary " Martin | JAN. 27, 1735 | | |
| 4 | Millie White Jacob Cleveland Sr. | Mar. 20, 1740 | Nov 5 - 1805 June 13 - 1785 (S.) | 10-16-1756 |
| 5 | John Martin White Milly T. Balleger | June 27, 1743 Oct. 23, 1752 | 2-6-1833 | 5-25-1775 |
| 6 | Daniel " Mary Balleger | June (19) 1746 | Nov. 7 - 1806 (a) Sept. 25 - 1804 | |
| 7 | Gwen " Shackelford | " " " | | |
| 8 | Reuben " Eliz. | " " " | Aug 8 - 1811 (60 yrs) | |
| 9 | Bette " Webb. Kidd (ev.) | 6. - 1749 | 8. 6. 1814 | |
| 10 | John " | Mar 22, 1730 | Sept. 18, 1732 | |
| 11 | Rachel " | Aug. (24) 1733 (2). 1735 | | |

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Source - "In General"

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Nov 27, 1737

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| HUSBAND'S NAME <i>John White</i> | | | |
| | Date | Town | County |
| Birth | <i>1703</i> | | |
| Death | <i>1733</i> | | |
| Marriage | | | |
| Father's Full Name | | | B |
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| Mother's Full Name | | | B |
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| Other Wives | | | |

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| WIFE'S FULL MAIDEN NAME | | | |
| | Date | Town | County |
| Birth | | | |
| Death | | | |
| Father's Full Name | | | B |
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| Mother's Full Name | | | B |
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| Other Husbands | | | |

| | CHILDREN | BIRTH | DEATH | MARRIAGE |
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Rev. War

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| HUSBAND'S NAME <i>John Martin White</i> | | | | <i>Cont. Ga Trans. Rev. War</i> | | | |
| Date | | Town | | County | | State | |
| Birth | <i>Jun 27, 1743</i> | | | | | | |
| Death | Dec 13 - 1789 <i>(?) Feb 6 - 1833 (90y)</i> | | | <i>Heard</i> | | <i>GA</i> | |
| Marriage | <i>May 29 - 1771</i> | | | | | | |
| Father's Full Name | <i>Jeremiah White</i> | | | B | | | |
| | | | | D | | | |
| Mother's Full Name | | | | B | | | |
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| Other Wives | | | | | | | |

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|---|--|------|--|--------|---------------------------|-------|--|
| WIFE'S FULL MAIDEN NAME <i>Mildred Thornton Ballensen</i> | | | | | | | |
| <i>Milly White Ballensen</i> | | | | | | | |
| Date | | Town | | County | | State | |
| Birth | Oct 26 1756 <i>Oct 26 (71) (8) (OTL) 1756</i> | | | | | | |
| Death | <i>Jan 2 1840 (84y)</i> | | | | | | |
| Father's Full Name | <i>Joseph Ballensen Sr.</i> | | | B | <i>1736</i> | | |
| | | | | D | <i>1802</i> | | |
| Mother's Full Name | <i>Sarah</i> | | | B | <i>1787</i> | | |
| | | | | D | <i>Jan 8 - 1777 (60y)</i> | | |
| Other Husbands | | | | | | | |

Polly

| | CHILDREN | BIRTH | DEATH | MARRIAGE |
|----|---|----------------------|--|------------------------------------|
| 1 | <i>Reuben White</i> | <i>Mar 3, 1776</i> | <i>Feb 22 - 1820</i> | <i>Nov. 12 - 1798</i> |
| | <i>Betsy Heard</i> | | | |
| 2 | <i>Sarah F. "</i> | <i>Apr. 10, 1777</i> | | |
| | <i>John Morris</i> | | | <i>Oct 30 - 1793</i> |
| 3 | <i>Mary Martin</i> | <i>Nov. 16, 1778</i> | | |
| | <i>Wm. Morris Thomas Jones</i> | | <i>6-9-1741 (OTL)</i> | <i>Oct 8 - 1796</i> |
| 4 | <i>John "</i> | <i>July 5, 1780</i> | <i>Dec 13, 1789</i> <i>Mar 31 - 1840</i> | |
| 5 | <i>Nancy Kidd "</i> | <i>Feb. 23, 1787</i> | <i>Jan 22 - 1815</i> | <i>Feb 2 - 1801</i> |
| | <i>Jesse Mann</i> | | | |
| 6 | <i>Patsy Gaines "</i> | <i>Dec 25 - 1788</i> | | |
| | <i>Martin Herndon</i> | | | |
| 7 | <i>Eppy "</i> | <i>Mar 6, 1792</i> | <i>Sept 19 - 1814</i> | <i>May 11 - 1815</i> |
| | <i>Catherine Herndon</i> | <i>Feb 24 - 1797</i> | <i>Nov 11 1885</i> | |
| 8 | <i>Betsy Johnson "</i> | <i>Feb. 7, 1793</i> | | <i>Feb 17 - 1794</i> |
| | <i>Asa Mann</i> | | <i>Nov. 14 - 1834</i> | <i>Jan 25 - 1810</i> |
| 9 | <i>Franky "</i> | <i>July 14, 1795</i> | <i>Oct. 1822</i> | <i>May 27, 1810</i> |
| | <i>Robt / Robucks</i> | | <i>Sept 20 - 1829 (22) Oct.</i> | |
| 10 | <i>Lucy Thornton White</i> | <i>Feb. 23, 1787</i> | <i>Jan 25 - 183</i> | <i>Dec 25 - 1805</i> |
| | <i>Thos. Thornton</i> | | | |
| 11 | <i>Elizabeth Johnson White</i> | <i>Feb 18, 1794</i> | <i>2-1-1802 (Smeltin)</i> | <i>(Dec 13 - 1789) JAN 9, 1789</i> |
| | <i>Riland Rice</i> | | | <i>JAN 1 - 1822</i> |
| 12 | <i>John Jr</i> | <i>Feb 23 - 1798</i> | <i>MAR. 31 - 1840</i> | <i>OVER</i> |
| | <i>Eliz Harpen</i> | | | <i>Dec 26 - 1810</i> |

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| HUSBAND'S NAME <i>Reuben White</i> | | | | |
| | Date | Town | County | State |
| Birth | <i>Nov. 3, 1776</i> | | | |
| Death | | | | |
| Marriage | <i>Nov-12-1798</i> | | | |
| Father's Full Name | <i>John Martin White</i> | B | | |
| | | D | | |
| Mother's Full Name | <i>Milly Ballensen</i> | B | | |
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| Other Wives | | | | |

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| WIFE'S FULL MAIDEN NAME <i>Betsy Heard</i> | | | | |
| | Date | Town | County | State |
| Birth | | | | |
| Death | | | | |
| Father's Full Name | | B | | |
| | | D | | |
| Mother's Full Name | | B | | |
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| Other Husbands | | | | |

| | CHILDREN | BIRTH | DEATH | MARRIAGE |
|----|--|----------------------------|---|-------------|
| 1 | <i>Sally White</i> <i>Elija Moore</i> | <i>Oct 25-1802</i> | | <i>1811</i> |
| 2 | <i>James Franklin</i> " <i>Marta R.</i> | <i>Sept 13, 1804</i> | <i>May 1-1891</i> <i>May 27-1870</i> | |
| 3 | <i>John Martin</i> " | <i>Sept. 28, 1806</i> | | |
| 4 | <i>Eliz. Amelia</i> " | <i>May 2-1810</i> | | |
| 5 | <i>Sabrina Lucinda</i> " | <i>May 23, 1812 (1802)</i> | | |
| 6 | <i>Andrew Jackson</i> " | <i>Oct 25, 1815</i> | | |
| 7 | <i>Reuben Harrison</i> " | <i>Feb 2-1818</i> | | |
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| HUSBAND'S NAME <i>John M. White</i> | | | | |
| Date | | Town | County | State |
| Birth | <i>July 28, 1812</i> | | | |
| Death | | | | |
| Marriage | <i>Dec. 5, 1844</i> | | | <i>Dec.</i> |
| Father's Full Name | <i>Eddy</i> | | B | |
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| Mother's Full Name | <i>Mary A. L.</i> | | B | |
| | | | D | |
| Other Wives | | | | |

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|---|----------------------|------|--------|-------|
| WIFE'S FULL MAIDEN NAME <i>Mary D. Jordan</i> | | | | |
| Date | | Town | County | State |
| Birth | <i>Dec. 25, 1827</i> | | | |
| Death | | | | |
| Father's Full Name | | | B | |
| | | | D | |
| Mother's Full Name | | | B | |
| | | | D | |
| Other Husbands | | | | |

| | CHILDREN | BIRTH | DEATH | MARRIAGE |
|----|---------------------------|----------------------------|-------|----------|
| 1 | <i>Thos. Louisa White</i> | <i>Feb 12 - 1846</i> | | |
| 2 | <i>Emmy Laurita "</i> | <i>June 17 - 1847</i> | | |
| 3 | <i>Geo. Walton "</i> | <i>Mar 12 - 1849</i> | | |
| 4 | <i>Mary Ella C "</i> | <i>June 15 - 1850</i> | | |
| 5 | <i>John Martin "</i> | <i>Dec 18 - 1851</i> | | |
| 6 | <i>Eusevia Herndon "</i> | <i>Sept 25, 1853</i> | | |
| 7 | <i>Walter Tillman "</i> | <i>Feb 15 - 1853? 1855</i> | | |
| 8 | <i>Adolphus Herndon "</i> | <i>Jan 26 - 1857</i> | | |
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| HUSBAND'S NAME <i>Daniel White</i> | | | | |
| | Date | Town | County | State |
| Birth | <i>June (17/19) 1746</i> | | | |
| Death | <i>Nov 7, 1806 (60 yrs)</i> | | | |
| Marriage | | | | |
| Father's Full Name | <i>Jeremiah White</i> | | B <i>Oct. 16 95</i> | <i>VA</i> |
| | | | D <i>25-1776 (81 yrs)</i> | |
| Mother's Full Name | <i>Mary Martin</i> | | B <i>Apr. 19-1705 or 09</i> | |
| | | | D <i>Sept. 23 1796 (91 yrs)</i> | |
| Other Wives | | | | |

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| WIFE'S FULL MAIDEN NAME <i>Mary Ballenger</i> | | | | |
| | Date | Town | County | State |
| Birth | | | | |
| Death | <i>Sept 28, 1804</i> | | | |
| Father's Full Name | <i>Joseph Ballenger, Sr</i> | | B <i>1736</i> | |
| | | | D <i>1802</i> | |
| Mother's Full Name | <i>Sarah</i> | | B <i>1737</i> | |
| | | | D <i>JAN 8 1797 (60 yrs)</i> | |
| Other Husbands | | | | |

| | CHILDREN | BIRTH | DEATH | MARRIAGE |
|----|--------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| 1 | <i>Mildred White</i> | <i>4-30-1788-89</i> | <i>1850-1860</i> | <i>2-12-1807</i> |
| | <i>Isaac Christian</i> | <i>7-4-1788+</i> | <i>after 1860</i> | |
| 2 | <i>Asa White</i> | | | |
| 3 | <i>Epaphoditus White</i> | | | |
| 4 | <i>John White</i> | | | |
| 5 | <i>Martin White</i> | | | |
| 6 | <i>Isaac</i> | | | |
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XX - In 1808 Presley Christian was Guard. of EPHY White
 Martin White " " " John White
 Tessa Fontson " " " Asa " "
 In Swickson Report Mildred White

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| HUSBAND'S NAME ISAAC CHRISTIAN | | | |
| | Date | Town | County |
| Birth | 7-4-1788± | | VA |
| Death | After 1860 | | |
| Marriage | 2-12-1807 | | Elbert Ga |
| Father's Full Name | James Se (?) | | B D |
| Mother's Full Name | Lucy Bradley - Wm. Bradley | | B D |
| Other Wives | Eliz. Christian This?, This?, This! | | |

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| WIFE'S FULL MAIDEN NAME Mildred White | | | |
| | Date | Town | County |
| Birth | 4-30-1789± | | Ga |
| Death | Ca. 1850-1860 | | |
| Father's Full Name | Daniel White - Jeremiah White b. 1795 Mary Martin b. 1799 | | B 1745 D |
| Mother's Full Name | Mary Ballengen - Joseph B. Jensen | | B D |
| Other Husbands | Isaac | | |

| | CHILDREN | BIRTH | DEATH | MARRIAGE |
|----|--|----------------|----------|--------------|
| 1 | Presley Franklin Eliz O. Sappington | 1817 | | 12-13-1839 |
| 2 | James D. Mary S. Middlebrooks | 1821 | 1862-67 | 12-26-1846 |
| 3 | Isaac Morgan Mary Antoinette CHRISTIAN | 1822 | 7-2-1852 | Nov. 7, 1841 |
| 4 | Reuben Frances Ann Bishop | 1823 | | 11-7-1848 |
| 5 | Girl Mary James Oglesby | 1828 | | 1-12-1832 |
| 6 | Thomas Susan A. | 1834 | | |
| 7 | Elijah | c. 1831 | | |
| 8 | Serena Eliz. Rufus CHRISTIAN | Ca. 1830 =/ess | | |
| 9 | Wm. Bradley Jane Liddell Dibbins | ca 1810 | 1837 | 11-24-1834 |
| 10 | Cephas A. Eliz. ⁹⁻²⁻¹⁸⁴⁷ Wesley + Florida J. ⁸⁻¹⁷⁻¹⁸⁵⁷ Wesley | 1828 | 1833 | |

* Rufus was % of Rufus + Mary (nee Oglesby) CHRISTIAN % of John P. ³ ₂ ¹ ₁ Mary Morgan

I believe Serena E + Presley F. were Siblings.

I " Isaac had a brother named Presley over

For J. M. C.
file

"The Georgians - Descendants of Pioneer Families"
by James H. Austin

White

He was guardian after his wife's death before 1806 until his own death 1806

Daniel White (b. ¹⁷14 June 1746 Va. d. 7 Nov. 1806 Elbert Co., Ga., married
(she died before 1806) → Mary (Polly) Ballenger In his estate record Vol. K, p 90 Elbert Co.
(1812-1816) Ests, a receipt was given by P. (Capt.) really Christian guardian of
Eppy (Epaphroditus) White for his share of estate on 5/18/1812. Other
receipts for their portions of estate given same date by: Stephen Morgan
Isaac Christian (husband of Milly White) and Jesse Fortson (guardian of
Ara White) Martin White (guardian of John White).

The above information is from Returns of Administrators + Guardians
Elbert Co. Ga. Will Book K - 1812-1816

Daniel White deceased - Return of William Davis, Executor
for 1812 shows receipt in full of a settlement
[Stephen Morgan]

Martin White, guardian of John White, minor.

Isaac Christian mtd 2/12/1807 Millie White

Jesse Fortson, guardian of Ara White + Millie White

P. (really) Christian " of Epaphroditus " Eppy "

I. Milly White b. 4/30/1888 mtd 2/12/1807 Elbert Co. Ga., Isaac Christian

II Martin White mtd ^{2/11/1807 Elbert Co., Ga.} 2/2/1807 Patey White, s/o John White + Milly Ballenger. Ceremony
performed by Wm. Davis, Co-exr with Martin White of estate of
Daniel White, his father. Martin was guardian for John White
s/o Daniel White + ^{Polly} Mary Ballenger.

III Eppy White, farmer, mtd 5/11/1815 Elbert Co. Ga. Catherine Herndon (b. 1799 Va.)
After the death of Eppy White in ^{Sept 19th} 1854, she was on 1860 Hart Co. Ga. Census at
Bowersville. Eppy White on 1850 Elbert Co. Census. His last will and
(Continued)

testament dated 5/17/1854 proved 12/6/1854 Hart Co. Ga. names his wife and children. Issue follows:

1. Thomas Herndon White b. Feb. 20, 1816 Elbert Co., Ga. d. 1/2/1892 ^{3/19/1840} married ^{3/19/1840} Elzabete Martha Cheek McMillan ^{b. 3/15/1819 Pa.} d. 12/11/1864. They were on 1860 Hart Co. Census, Hartwell District. The last will and testament of Thomas H. White recorded in Hart Co. Will Book 1847-44, P. 315-319 dated 5/3/1889 proved 2/1/1892. He and 2nd 2/1/1866 Malissa C. Walters ^{b. 1837 Ga. d. 3/31/1917} named in Will and with him on 1870 Hart Co. Census. According to the Will, Malissa's children by Thomas were: Usa Lalmore White b. 5/20/1873
- 6) ^{12/12/1876} → Albert Crayton White (Who owned the White Bible was buried in the John Martin White Cemetery near Eagle Grove School, Hart Co., Ga. on land belonging to Mr. Vandiver Gainer. Crayton died 6/15/1941 according to his tombstone)

Issue of Thomas and Martha McMillan

- (a) Sarah C. White ^{Dec. 20, 1841} b. 1842 and Mr. Hicker
- (b) Eppy B " ^{May 27 12/21/1865 Hart Co.} b. 1843 and Lucy Duncan
- (c) Martha Ann ^{b. Jan 29, 1846} and Mr. Hayen, b. 1846
- (d) Mary W. ^{Oct 2 1852} and Mr. Hayen
- (e) Mildred M. " ^{Jan 6} b. 1841 d. 8/8/1904 and James Shiflet farmer - issue
(Wm Shiflet b. 1866; Martha M. Shiflet b. 1869 and Ophelia Shiflet b. 1864)

believe
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correct?
See page 4

2. John Martin White d. 12/31/1866 and 7/28/1843 Elbert Co., Ga. Naomi B. Kelch.
3. Mildred Elizabeth White b. 10/15/1819 and 10/24/1842 Elbert Co., Ga. James W. Jones - issue
Edward Claudius Jones b. 11/29/44; Lambert Lucius Jones b. 8/7/1849; Ella Catherine Jones b. Dec 1852
4. Dillard Herndon White b. 1/13/1822 Elbert Co., Ga. ^{Nov. 13, 1856} and wife Mary Ann Duncan ^{b. 1828 Pa.}

Listed 1860 Hart Co. Census. - Issue:

Eppy M., b. 1857 Hart Co. and Ella C., b. 1859 Hart Co., Ga.

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Correct
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Sherid
James P. White
New Malissa E. White
b. Nov. 26, 1871

6. 9/15/1826 d. 5/1/1898?
5. James Franklin White b. 1827[?] Elbert Co., Ga. md. 4/27/1854 Martha R. Johnson d. 5/13/1870
Mar 16
b. 1833 Ga.
md (2) 9/15/1870 Martha J. Cobb. James & Martha listed 1860 Hart Co. Census,
Eagle Grove, Hart Co. Returns Vol. 2, 1898-1903, p. 621, Estate of James F.
White dated 2/2/1903, ^{? approval date?} names issue.

6. 6/15/1854
6. 6/10/1860
6. 8/24/1863
6. 3/7/1865
6. 11/20/1871
6. 1858

(a) E. H. White
(b) Sarah C. " md Mr. Brown
(c) J. E. "
(d) T. E. V. "
(e) Mrs M. E. Moss
(f) Neal J. White b. 1858 Hart Co., Ga. wife Nora C.

This will, book B - 1895-1934 p 219-220 dated 4/19/1919 names children:

- 1. Thomas L. White
- 2. J. O. "
- 3. C. C. "
- 4. P. H. "
- 5. Elbert V. "
- 6. Martha "
- 7. Flora R. "
- 8. Noel B. "
- 9. Neal J. Jr.

These children
appear to have been
minors when their mother
Martha R. d. 5/23/1870
which is probably reason to
accept Martha J. Cobb as 2nd
wife as of Sept 15, 1870

Both died
at time of
will were
by 1st wife

(g) Ann H. White b. 7/14/1861 d. 12/17/1895 ^{at her death she was living H. Cobb.} probably md ~~_____~~ Cobb.
(h) Mary Mildred " b. 3/16/70 d. 7/7/1890

6. Ann H. White b. 1/9/1829 d. 5/15/1863 after long illness
7. Rachel E. White b. 4/10/1831 Elbert Co., Ga. md James E. Strickland 5/8/1851 Elbert Co., Ga.
8. Sarah Catherine White b. 11/3/1833 Elbert Co. Ga. md 3/31/1853 Charles W. Christian b. 3 Dec. 1830
4. Malissa F. White b. 11/14/1837 d. 4/4/1896 md 11/13/1856 Hart Co. Ga. (1) John L. Christian b. 23 May 1835
(2) _____ her 2nd wife Mary Walton Maxwell

(continues)

10. Edward Reicher White b. 4/8/1824 Elbert Co., Ga. and 1/8/1846 Elbert Co., Ga.

Martha Elizabeth Roberts and 2nd 3/6/1864 Hart Co., Ga. Miss Charlotte H. Roberts

Listed on 1860-70 Hart Co., Ga. Census. Having issue:

(a) Catherine E. White b. 1847 Elbert Co., Ga

(b) James P. " b. 1849 " " " 9/15/1870 Hart Co. Ga. dau Malina E. and Martha J. Cobb b. 11/26/1871

(c) Dillard E. " b. 1851 " " "

(d) Sarah F. " b. 1853 " " "

(e) Aquila T. " b. 1857 Hart Co., "

(f) John M. " b. 1859 " " "

(g) Rachael H. " b. 1866 " " "

(h) Louisa E. " and 12/23/1880 James T. Shiflet, Hart Co., Ga.

(i) Emma " b. 1867 Hart Co., Ga.

(j) Eugenia A. " b. 1868 " " "

1st wife
Martha E. Roberts

2nd wife
Charlotte H. Roberts

1st house

11. Mary F. White b. 5/7/1836 Elbert Co., Ga. d. 12/31/1838

b. 7/28/1817

John M. White (son of Eppy + Catherine White) and Dec. 5th 1844 Mary L. Jordan b. Dec 25, 1827

(a) Thomas Lowndes White b. 2/13/1846

(b) Emma Lauretta " b. 6/17/1847

(c) George Walton " b. 3/12/1849

(d) Mary Ella Catherine " b. 6/15/1850

(e) John Martin " b. 12/18/1851

(f) Eugenia Herndon " b. 9/25/1853

(g) Walter Tellman " b. 2/15/1853? most likely 1855

(h) Adolphus Herndon " b. 1/26/1857

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Jeremiah White b 1695 d 9-25-1776
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m

Mary Martin b 4-19-1709 d 9-23-1776

Children

✓ 1. Jeremiah b 10-21-1728 d 5-1-1805 m Ester Hendon
buried in Va.

* 2. Letitia "Lettie" b 4-19-1732 d ca 1785 m Wm Walton
1772
PW. Patriot left W.A.

✓ 3. Mary b 1-27-1735 d m Martin

4. Melobred "Melly" b 3-20-1740 d 11-5-1805 m ¹⁰⁻¹⁶⁻¹⁷⁵⁶ Jacob Cleveland
(my ancestor) Cleveland

5. John Martin b 6-27-1743 d 2-6-1833 m ⁵⁻²⁹⁻¹⁷⁷⁵ Maria Thornton
Ballenger
RHS Will Elliot Co Va.

* 6. Daniel b 6-19-1746 d 11-7-1806 m Mary Ballenger
Will Elliot Co Va.

7. Anne b 6-19-1746 d m Shackelford

8. Reuber b 6-19-1746 d 8-12-1811 m Elizabeth
Will Elliot Co Va.

9. Elizabeth b 6- -1749 d 8-6-1804 m Walt Kidd (RHS)
Will Elliot Co Va 1805
Will Book 1803-1806
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They had 2 other children who
did very young not

Jeremiah + Mary Martin White's son

{ RWS } John M White b 6-27-1734[?] d 2-2-1833
 m 5-29-1775
 Married Thornton Ballinger b 10-23-1756 d 9-2-1840
 Children:
 ✓ Beuben b 3-3-1776 m Betsy Head
 Sarah F. Sally (Milly) 4-10-1777 m John Morris
 Mary Polly (Mary) 11-16-1778 m Wm Jones
 ✓ John 7-5-1780 d 6-9-1781
 Betsy 2-23-1783 d 12-12-1789 ✓
 ? { Nancy K 1-22-1785 m Jesse Mann
 P (Ching)
 Susanna K 2-23-1787 m Thomas Thornton
 - Betsy B 12-25-1788 m Martin Herndon ✓
 - Eppay 3-16-1791 ~ 52 m Catherine Herndon 5-11-1815
 - Betsy 2-17-1793 m Asa Mann
 ✓ Franky ^{Orange} 7-14-1795 m Robert Roebuck
 ? John M Jr 2-14-1798 m Elizabeth Harper
 ? Eliza J 8-1-1801 m Richard Price
 ,

no Milly in this family who married
 Isaac Christian
 Daniel and John Martin White both
 married Ballingers

Andrew Jackson b. 18 Mar. 1888
Elijah Curry b. 1870, d. 28 Dec. 1928

Augustus Carey Beauchamp married Mollie Ann Stephens, daughter of Dick Stephens on 14 Jan. 1869. Children
Sarah Elizabeth b. 25 Dec. 1869
Laura b. 5 Aug. 1871
James Riley b. 17 May 1873
John Hudson b. 11 March 1875
Lucy Ellen b. 9 May 1877
Annie Eliza b. 2 Oct. 1879
Martha Alma b. 27 July 1885
Richard Simeon b. 25 Oct. 1887
Edward Augustus b. 6 Oct. 1889
William Chester b. 24 Aug. 1891

Mrs. Bray added that she had the marriages and children of all the Augustus Carey Beauchamp family if anyone needs them.

WHITE FAMILY "DIARY" AND BIBLE

Among the early settlers of Elbert County were the JOHN MARTIN WHITE family who came from Virginia at the close of the Revolution. Two extensive records of this family before and after their move to Georgia have been preserved by the Virginia Historical Society, Richmond, VA. The John Martin White Bible record came to them as a typescript copy of the original.

The "White Diary" was transcribed by Mrs. Sydnor Walker Hayes (Mrs. J.W.) for Mrs. Lula E. Jeter Parker of Bedford, VA, author of OUR KIN. The transcription was included in BIBLE RECORDS AND OTHER FAMILY DATA CONTRIBUTED BY THE PEAKS OF OTTER CHAPTER, DAR 1834-1952, Volume 2.

Mrs. Parker noted "She [Mrs. Hayes] says the diary or note book is written in several handwritings, showing that it descended through several generations. I heard of it first from Mrs. G.G. Rucker of Elberton, Georgia, a daughter of Eppie White who married Catherine Herndon. This Diary is now in possession of the Virginia Historical Society in Richmond, Virginia."

The Diary was begun by the father of John Martin White, and antedates the Bible record by a full generation. The diary typescript shows omission of items such as accounts of business, portions of the parent's property which several of his children received. We are publishing the Hayes transcription as it was published in BIBLE RECORDS...PEAKS OF OTTER, Volume 2.

JEREMIAH WHITE HIS BOOK May y^e 11 - 1722

Jerre White Born Octo 11th 1728

Lettice White Born Ap^l 9 1732

Mary White Born Jan'y 27 1735

Millie White Born Mar 20 1740

JOHN MARTIN WHITE Born June 27 1743

Danill [,] Ann and Reuben White born at one birth on Thursday the 19 June 1746

Betty White 1 [no month transcribed] 1749

I hereby promis to clear and pay all cost charges as Clarks Sherifs and Aloyers fees belonging to ye estate of ROBERT MARTIN and JAMES HOLL HOLLWAY as witnessed my hand, this 25 day of March 1727 [/s/] JAMES G. HOLLOWAY

966 weight of tobacco coming to JOHN HOLT These to MR. JOHN WHITE

[home remedies are omitted]

{ John Martin White was born June 27 1743 ✓
Milly [Martin] White was born October 23 1756 ✓
Reuben White son of John and Milly White was born March 3 1776
Sarah F. White was born April 10, 1777
Mary M. White was born November 16, 1778^d
John White was born July 5, 1780 Deceas^d December 13, 1789
Nancy Kidd White was born February 23 1787
Patsy Gaines White was born December 25, 1788
Eppy White was born Mar 16 1792
Betsy Johnston White [was born] February 7 1793
Franky White was born July 14th 1795

[Slave births 1777 to 1803 were recorded; omitted]

[Another home remedy, omitted]

March 23rd 1811 I do hereby Certify that my daughter FRANKY [White] ROBUCA has rec^d of my estate the underwritten articles--

| | |
|------------------------|--------------------|
| To 1 Negro girl Rachel | \$250.00 cts |
| To Bed & furniture | 32.50 |
| To 1 saddle | 16.00 |
| To 1 cow & calf | 10.00 |
| To 1 chest | 5.50 |
| To 1 Ewe & lamb | 3.00 |
| | <u>\$317.00</u> |
| To 1 Mare | "price rubbed out" |
| To 1 cow | 7.00 |
| | <u>\$397.00</u> |
| \$404 | |
| 167 To Cash | |
| \$571 amount | |

[signed] JOHN WHITE

"He leaves a similar list of articles to: daughter BETSEY MANN; son EPPY WHITE; son JOHN WHITE, daughter LUCY THORNTON; daughter PATSEY WHITE; daughter NANCY MANN; daughter POLLEY TONYHAY; daughter SALLEY MORRIS; son REUBEN WHITE to whom he gives besides articles named 'To Land in Franklin - \$428.00' "

Jeremiah White y^e son of Jeremiah and Mary White he was born October y^e 11 in y^e yare of our Lord God 1729

John White was born March y^e 22 1730 Deceased September y^e 15: 1732

Lettice White was born April y^e 9: 1732

Rachel White was born August y^e 28: 1733

Memorandum of my Dream on 24 night in the Yare of our Lord God 1723 in September Concerning the Last Day and the things thereof and ye Cock Crew - JEREMIAH WHITE

Again the 29 night of the same instant Concerning the beast in my dream I saw -
JEREMIAH WHITE

December 24, 1800 This day JOSEPH NIX and JOHN WHITE settled and Nix fell in
White's det [debt] five dollars.

Rece'd this 11th day of April 1750 from JEREMIAH WHITE by the hands of CAPT.
THOMAS MARTIN the sum of four pounds in part of judgment obtained by Copeland &
Co. in Albermarle Court agt [against] the said White. JOHN HARVIE
Jere White

WILLIAM WARD has had seven quarts & 1 pint of brandy
To three Quarts and a pine and a half.

| | |
|--|----------|
| SAMUEL BOBO Deto [debtor] to JOHN WHITE for one mar [mare] | 3 pounds |
| To one dollar lent | 4.8 |
| To one pear of horse shose [shoes] | 2 |
| To a pare of Shous & strap | 7 |
| To one half a bushel of wheat | 2.4 |

"Several other pages listed with articles for various men, among them: JOHN REDD,
CHARLEY PHILLP, JOHN PRICE, JNO. ROD, JOHN MACCY, MR. BENJAMINE, RICHARD THOMAS,
and JOHN GRIFFIN."

December 16, 1817 I hereby certify that my son EPPY WHITE has received since
December 12, 1817, the underwritten articles. [signed] JOHN WHITE

"On the back of this leaf, which is torn out of the book are these words:
Her [here] is a leaf of a book I have found I will it to LUCY send & it can be
return it has birth of our folks in Va.

No other page seems to be written in the same handwriting in pencil as this is."
+X+X+X+X+

Mss 6:4/ W5865:1 The White family Bible, 1695-1896, typescript (carbon copy)
Copy made from the original family Bible in the possession of ALBERT CRAYTON WHITE
in 1913.

Include records of the BALLENGER, JONES, MANN, MORRIS, ROEBUCK, THORNTON, WARREN
and WHITE families.

Gift of the Etowah Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution through
the courtesy of Mrs. E.D.Cole, Cartersville, GA 19 March 1913.

[Bibliographic information from VA Hist. Society's card file.]

Jeremiah White was born 8^{br} 1695 "this date is peculiar, it looks like 8br and
is almost obliterated by the corroding finger of time" [8^{br} is October]

John White was born March 22, 1703 "two records of this birth, one in the curious
manner described above, the other written out plainly in another hand."

Jeremiah White, son of Jeremiah White and his wife Mary Martin White was born the
year of our Lord God, Oct. the 11th, 1728

John White, son of Jeremiah and Mary White was born March 2, 1730, died 1732

Lettie, daughter of Jeremiah and Mary White was born April 9th, 1733

Rachel, daughter of Jeremiah and Mary White was born August 2, 1735

Lettice, daughter of Jeremiah and Mary White was born January 27th 1737

Mildred, daughter of Jeremiah and Mary White was born March 20, 1740
John Martin White, son of Jeremiah and Mary White was born June ye 27th 1743
Daniel, Ruben and Ann White were born at one birth Thursday ye 17th of June 1746

Ethan Ballenger son of Joseph Ballenger and Sarah Ballenger his wife was born April 21, 1754

- Milly Ballenger, daughter of Joseph Ballenger and his wife Sarah Ballenger, was born Oct. 23, 1767

Betsy Ballenger, daughter of Joseph Ballenger and his wife Sarah Ballenger, was born Feb. 14, 1758

Peggy H. Ballenger, daughter of Joseph Ballenger and Sarah Ballenger his wife, was born March 16, 1762

Charity C. Ballenger, daughter of Joseph Ballenger and Sarah Ballenger his wife was born June 14, 1764

Achilles Ballenger, son of Joseph Ballenger and Sarah Ballenger his wife was born September 20, 1766

Richard Ballenger, son of Joseph Ballenger and Sarah Ballenger his wife was born Jan. 18th 1769 (GAR)

James Ballenger son of Joseph Ballenger and Sarah Ballenger his wife was born April 21, 1771

Phoebe Ballenger daughter of Joseph Ballenger and Sarah Ballenger his wife was born July 14, 1774

Joseph Ballenger, Jr., son of Joseph Ballenger and Sarah Ballenger his wife was born Dec. 5, 1776

→ John White and Milley, daughter of Joseph and Sarah Ballenger were married the 29th of May 1775.

- Ruben, the son of John and Milley White was born March 3rd 1776

- Sarah White daughter of John White and Milly White was born Apr 10 1777

- Mary Martin, daughter of John and Milley White was born Nov. 16 1778

- John, son of John and Milley White was born July 5th 1780

- Elizabeth Johnson White, daughter of John and Milley White was born Feb. 18, 1782

- Betsy White daughter of John and Milley White was born "this date torn or worn out"

- Nancy Kidd White daughter of John and Milley White was born Jan. 22, 1785

- Lucy Thornton White daughter of John and Milley White was born Feb. 23, 1787

- Patsey Gaines White daughter of John and Milley White was born Dec. 25, 1788

- Eppe White, son of John and Milley White was born March 16, 1793

- Elizabeth Johnson (2nd) daughter of John and Milley White was born Feb. 17, 1794

- Franky daughter of John and Milley White was born July 14th 1795

- John Martin, Jr., son of John White, senior, and Milley White, his wife, was born Feb. 23, 1798

Elizabeth Johnson White [1st of this name] daughter of John and Milley White departed this life Jan. 9, 1789

- Ruben White and Betsy Heard were married Nov. 12, 1798

Sally White, daughter of Ruben White and Betsy, his wife, was born Oct. 25, 1802

James Franklin White was born Sept. 13, 1804

John Martin White was born Sept. 28th 1806

Elizabeth Amelia White was born May 2, 1810

Sabrina Lucinda Aseneth White was born May 23, 1802

Andrew Jackson White was born Apr. 25, 1815

Ruben Harrison White was born Feb. 2, 1818

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Eppe White and Catherine Herndon were married May 11th 1815. Ages of their children

- ✓ Thomas Herndon born Feb. 20, 1816
- ✓ John Martin July 28, 1817
- > ✓ Mildred Elizabeth Oct. 15, 1819
- ✓ Dillard Herndon Jan. 13, 1822
- ✓ Edward Rucker Apr. 8, 1824
- ✓ James Franklin Sept. 15, 1826
- ✓ Ann Herndon Jan. 9, 1829
- ✓ Rachel E. Apr. 10, 1831
- ✓ Sarah Catherine Nov. 13, 1833
- ✓ Mary F. May 7, 1836
- ✓ Malissa Frances Nov. 14, 1839

*P/W John Martin white
& Mildred Thornton Ballenger*

[These are children of Thomas Thornton (1782-1820) and Lucy Thornton White]

- Elzabad Thornton, son of Thomas and Lucy Thornton was born Sept. 28, 1806
- Betsy White Thornton was born 29th of Dec. 1807
- Memorable Thornton was born Monday Jan. 7th 1810
- Eppy White Thornton was born May 22, 1811
- John Martin Thornton was born Oct. 10, 1814
- Sally Thornton was born May 30, 1816
- Mark Thornton was born Oct. 31, 1819

- James Morris born Oct. 28, 1794
- John Morris and Patsy W. Morris [twins] born Dec. 15, 1798
- Lucy W. Morris born Dec. 18, 1800
- Milly White Morris born Apr. 5, 1804
- Bolley Morris and Eppy White Morris [twins] born at one birth Apr. 13, 1810
- Elizabeth Heard Morris was born Nov. 6 1812
- Susannah Morris was born March 17, 1815
- Franklin Ballenger Morris was born Dec. 9th 1816

- John Jones born Sept. 26, 1799
- Sally C. Jones born Jan. 22, 1801
- Stephen Jones born Jan. 1, 1802
- Mary Ballenger Jones was born March 7th 1805
- William Jones was born Oct. 12, 1806
- Lewis Jones was born May 11, 1808
- Allen Ballenger Jones was born Apr. 17, 1810
- Polly Simpson Jones was born Jan. 10th 1812
- Elizabeth Jackson Jones was born Nov. 18, 1814

- > Children of James M. White and Patsy White
- Polly Wade White was born Jan. 31, 1808
- Ruben Ballenger White was born April 18, 1809
- Jeremiah Franklin White was born Sept. 1, 1810
- Eppy Warren White was born Jan. 30, 1813
- Asa Jackson White was born Jan. 17, 1815
- Eliza Aphia White was born Sept. 26, 1816
- John Daniel White was born Oct. 1, 1818
- Patsey E. White was born Oct. 1, 1821

*Df Nancy Kidd white
& Jesse Mann.*

- Nancy Kidd Mann was born 29th of March 1807
- Jesse Martin Mann was born Feb. 22, 1809

Milly White Mann was born Oct. 15th 1810
 Eppy White Mann was born Aug. 22, 1812
 Judah John Mann was born April 14th 1814
 Sintha Eliza Mann was born April 5th 1816
 James Jackson Mann was born Oct. 10th 1818
 John Washington [Mann] was born July 1st 1820
 Naisai Mann was born Dec. 27, 1822
 Elbert Mann was born July 12, 1825
 Elbert Mann was born Feb. 20th 1828

*J. A. M. W. &
 Mildred T. Ballenger*

Children of Richard Rice and Elizabeth, his wife. (Richard Rice and Eliza J. White were married Jan. 1st, 1822)

Milly Ann Rice was born in Feb. 28th 1825
 Richard M. Rice was born Oct. 11th 1826
 Asa Rice was born Sept. 4th 1828
 Chas. Rice was born Jan. 5th 1830
 Eliza Rice died Jan. 8th 1830

*J. A. M. W. &
 Mildred T. Ballenger
 (nee Harper)*

James Washington White son of John and Elizabeth White was born Feb. 10, 1817
 Eliza Harriot White [twin?] was born Feb. 10, 1817
 Ruben White was born Aug. 28, 1820
 William Asa White was born March 16, 1822
 Elizabeth Francis White was born Jan. 29th 1824
 Thomas M. White was born Oct. 23, 1825
 Nancy Kidd White was born Jan. 7, 1828
 Lucy Ann White and Richard Livey White [twins] were born Aug. 6, 1830
 John Martin White was born Feb. 1837
 Polly M. White was born Dec. 25, 1839

(GAR)

*J. A. M. W. &
 Mildred T. Ballenger*

Milly Harriet Roebuck, daughter of Robert and Franky Roebuck was born Feb. 23, 1811
 Eppy White Roebuck was born Jan. 7th 1813
 Sally C.W. Roebuck Feb. 26th 1815
 William T. Roebuck April 24th 1817
 Robert Morris Roebuck was born Feb. 2 1811 [1819?]
 Jno. T. Roebuck was born Jan. 19th day of 1821

Polly Meeks, daughter of Littleton Meeks and Milley, his wife, born Jan. 13, 1824

Children of Jeremiah and Elizabeth Warren. Jeremiah [Stanfield] Warren and Elizabeth Thornton married Oct. 24, 1823 [Elbert Co., GA]
 Lucy Emily Warren born Sept. 30th 1824
 Mary Elizabeth Warren was born June 6, 1826
 Sarah Francis Warren was born Oct. 27th 1828
 William H. [Harrison?] Warren was born Sept. 26th 1830
 Thomas I. Warren was born June 1, 1832
 Mary A. Warren was born July 1834
 Thomas M. Warren was born Dec. 4th 1836

Elisha Coffee was born July 27, 1801. Children of Elisha Coffee and Mary his wife.
 Elisha Coffee was born July 27, 1801. Elisha Coffee and Mary Morris was married March 1825.

John Morris Coffee was born June 26th 1826
 Milly Coffee was born Dec. 15th 1827

John Alvin Coffee born Aug. 24, 1829
Sarah Ann Coffee born Nov. 12, 1827 [1831?]
Elizabeth Francis Coffee born July the 12th 1833
Eppy F. Coffee born April 22, 1835

Frances Elizabeth Johnson, daughter of Thomas and Mildred F. Johnson was born Oct. 1828

Bethena and Telena Vanderpool, [twin] children of Kinnon and Elizabeth Vanderpool were born Oct. 4th 1825

Leonard Vanderpool born Aug. 24, 1828

Martha J. Cobb born May g, 1833

Martha R. White, wife of James F. White was born March 16, 1833

Mary A.L., wife of John M. White was born Dec. 25, 1827

Children of John M. [Martin], son of Eppy White, and Mary A.L. his wife
John M. White, son of Eppy and Catherine White, and Mary L. Jordan married Dec. 5, 1844

Mary A.L. White, wife of John M. White born Dec. 25, 1827

Thomas Lowndes White, son of John M. and Mary A.L. White, born Feb. 13, 1846

Emma Lauretta White born June 17, 1847

Geo. Walton White, son of same was born March 12, 1849

Mary Ella Catherine White daughter of same born June 15, 1850

John Martin White was born Dec. 18, 1851

Eugenia Herndon White born Sept. 25, 1853

Walter Tillman White son of same born Feb. 15, 1853

Adolphus Herndon White son of same born Jan. 26, 1857

? Martha C. McMillian was born ^{5/10 Eppy & Catherine White} March 15, 1819 (nee McMillan)

Children of Thomas H. White and Martha C. White his wife

* Martha C. McMillan born March 15, 1819

Thomas H. White and Martha C. McMillan married March 19, 1840 ✓

Mildred M. White was born June t, 1841

Sarah C. White born Dec. 20, 1841

Eppy B. White born May 27, 1843

Martha Ann White born Jan. 29, 1846

Mary E. White born Oct. 2, 1852

wife #2
Melissa C. Walters was born April 9, 1837

M.C. Walters and Thomas H. White was married Feb. 1, 1866

Asa Lalmore White born Aug. 20th 1873

Albert Crayton White born May 12, 1876 [OWNER OF BIBLE WHEN COPIED 1913]

William, son of Merling Keith and Eliza Jones, his wife, born Sept. 3rd, 1836

Ruben Henry Jackson Garland born March 25th 1836

Sarah Ann Elizabeth Garland born Nov. 11, 1837

John Martin Vincent Harris born Dec. 9th 1831

Elizabeth Jane Harris born May 20, 1834

Martha Emily Harris born Apr. 13, 1830 [1836?]

Ruben Thomas Harris born Jan. 18, 1839

Edward Claudius Jones, son of James Jones and Mildred Jones his wife, born Nov. 29, 1844

Lambert Lucius Jones, daughter of James and Mildred Jones, born Aug. 7, 1849

Ella Catherine Jones, daughter of James and Mildred Jones, born Dec. 1852

Children of Memorable Thornton and Parmelia A., his wife.

James A. Thornton born Nov. 28, 1832

William M. Thornton born March 20, 1834

Thomas B. Thornton born March 20, 1836

Ages of Eppy Thornton Children

Lucinda K. Thornton born Oct. 4th 1833

Tabitha E. Thornton born July 22, 1836

Ages of Thomas Eavenson children

John M. Eavenson born Aug. 29, 1831

William Allen Eavenson Sept. 22, 1833

Thomas M. Eavenson born Oct. 2, 1835

Augustus Lafayette Allen born July 3, 1828

James F. Allen born June 14th 1830

Elizabeth Caroline Allen born March 8, 1832

Larat Ann Allen born Jan. 20, 1834

Lucinda Adaline Allen born Aug. 9, 1835

Reuben Thomas Allen born Nov. 15, 1837 (GAR)

John Wesley Allen born June 6, 1839

Children of James Stonecypher. James Stonecypher and [blank] Morris was married Jan. 1, 1821.

James F. Stonecypher, son of James Stonecypher was born Sept. 4, 1822

Benjamin Stonecypher was born March 21st 1824

Sarah Stonecypher was born Sept. 21, 1824 [1826?]

William Stonecypher born Aug. 30th 1830

Ages of William Jackson's children.

Sally F. Jackson born Aug. 5th 1820

Pacy Jackson born March 26th 1822

Mary Ann Jackson born Feb. 7th 1824

John M. Jackson born 7th [no month] 1824 [twins?]

John M. Jackson born Nov. 1st, 1820 [1826?]

Jos. B.F. Jackson born Jan. 31st 1829

James F. White family

James F. White born Sept. 15, 1826

Martha R. White Mar. 16, 1833

J.F. White and M.R. Johnson was married April 27, 1854

John M. White born Feb. 21, 1855

Eppy White born June 15, 1856

Neal J. White born April 17, 1858

Sarah C. White June 10, 1860

Ann H. White born July 4, 1861, died Oct. 17, 1895

Charles E. White born Aug. 24, 1863

Thomas E. White born March 7, 1863 [1865?]

Mary M. White born Mar. 16, 1870.
John M. White died Dec. 3rd 1856
Martha M. White died May 23, 1870
Martha W. Cobb born May 6th 1833
James F. White and Martha J. Cobb married Sept. 15, 1870
Malissa E. White born Nov. 26, 1871
Charles E. White and Lucinda Moss married Nov. 19, 1891

MARRIAGES

John White and Milly Ballenger, daughter of Joseph and Sarah Ballenger were married the 29th of May 1775
John Morris and Sarah White were married October 30th 1793 ✓
William Morris and Mary White were married December 8th 1796
Jessee Mann and Nancy Kidd White were married February 2nd 1801
➤ Martin White and Patsy White were married February 2nd 1807
John White, Jr. and Elizabeth Harper were married December 26th 1810
Ruben White and Betsy Heard were married November 12th 1798
Thomas Thornton and Lucy White were married December 25th 1805
Eppy White and Catherine Herndon were married May 11th 1815
Asa Mann and ^(Eliz. Jackson) Betsy White were married January 25th 1810
Edmund Murry and Patsy Mann, granddaughter of John White, were married January 19th 1819
William Jackson and Lucy Morris, granddaughter of John White were married November 11th 1811
Elijah Moore and Sally White, granddaughter of John White were married [blank] 1811
Richard Rice and Elizabeth J. White were married January 1st 1822
Robert Roebuck and Franky White were married May 27th 1810 -
Littleton Meeks and Milly Morris married March 16th 1823
Jeremiah Warren and Elizabeth Thornton married October 14th 1823
James Morris and Harriet Beall married May 18th 1823
John Morris and Polly Harrison married September 28th 1824
Elzy B. [Elzybad] Thornton and Nancy C. Harper married 13th of April 1826
Thomas Johnson and Mildred F. Roebuck married May 4th 1826
Elizabeth Mann, daughter of Jephtha Mann and Nancy Mann his wife, and Kinnon Vanderpoole married Jan. 27th 1824
Elisha Coffee and Mary Morris was married March 1825
John M. White, son of Eppy and Catherine White, and Mary L. Jordon married December 5th 1844
Thomas Herndon White and Martha Cheeke McMillan married March 19th 1840
Masling Y. Keith and Eliza Jones married February 14th 1834
Memorable Thornton and Parmelia A. Higginbotham married February 9th 1832
Edward Rucker White and Elizabeth Roberts married July 8th 1846
James F. White and Martha J. Cobb married September 18th 1870
➤ Charles W. Christian, Jr. and Sarah C. White were married March 31st 1853
James E. Strickland and Rachel E. White were married May 15th 1857
James F. White and Martha R. Johnson were married April 27th 1854
Dillard Herndon White and Mary Ann Duncan were married November 9th 1854
➤ John L. Christian and Malissa F. White were married November 13th 1856
➤ Joseph B. Chambers and Malissa F. [White] Christian were married August 19th 1863
James Jones and Mildred E. White were married October 25th 1842
James Stonecypher and [blank] Morris was married January 1st, 1821
Nathan Meeks and [blank] married December 24th 1822

Jeptha Jones and Rebecca Ramsey were married July 4th 1895
 Thomas Herndon White and Malissa C. Walters were married February 1, 1866
 Charles White and Lucinda Moss were married November 19th 1891

DEATHS

- John White departed this life 1733, being 30 years of age *b-1703 Parents?*
- Jeremiah White, father of John Martin White, departed this life October 25th 1776, being 81 years olde. *b 1685*
- Mary White, mother of John White, Sr., departed this life September 23rd 1796, being 91 years olde. *b-1705*
- Joseph Ballenger, Sr., father of Milly Thornton White, departed this life February 1802 being 66 years of age *b-1736*
- John Martin White son of John M. White and Milly his wife, departed this life March 31st 1840 ✓
- John White, son of John Martin White and Milly his wife, departed this life June 9th 1781
- Elizabeth Johnson White, daughter of John M. White and Milly White his wife, departed this life December 13th 1789
- Elizabeth Mann departed this life November 14th 1834
- Sarah Ballenger, mother of Milly White died January 8th 1777, age 40 years *b 1737*
- John M. White, Sr., the first owner of this book, departed this life February 6th 1833 in the ninetieth year of his age. *b 1743*
- Milly White, wife of John M. White, departed this life September 2nd 1840 being in the 84th year of her age. *b 1752* (GAR)
- Joseph Ballenger departed this life August 9th 1777
- Esthan Ballenger, son of Joseph Ballenger, departed this life August 12th 1777
- Ruben White, son of Jeremiah White departed this life August 11th 1811 being 60 years of age
- Daniel White son of Jeremiah White departed this life November 7th 1806 being 60 years of age *b-1746*
- ✓ Jacob Cleveland, Sr., departed this life June 13th 1799 [1791?]
- Milly Cleveland departed this life November 5th 1805.
- Webb Kidd departed this life April 1805
- Elizabeth Kidd departed this life August 1804
- Robert Roebuck departed this life April 28th 1829
- Mary White, wife of Daniel White, departed this life September 28th 1804
- Jeremiah White, brother of John White, died May 1st 1788, being 60 years old
- Elizabeth Jones, daughter of William and Mary Jones, died September 25th 1871, age 11 months. [1817?]
- Lewis Jones died June 15th 1818, age 10 years
- Ruben White, son of John M. White, departed this life February 22nd 1820, age 44 years
- John D. White departed this life August 9th 1821
- Patsy, wife of Martin White, died November 16th 1821
- John Roebuck died May 1822
- Elizabeth Rice died Jan. 8, 1830
- Betsy Mann died November 14th 1831
- Lucy Thornton died January 25th 1837
- William Jones, Sr., died January 6th 1838
- William Asa White, son of John White, died April 23rd 1825
- Elizabeth White, wife of Edward Rucker White died November 5th 1863
- Martha Cheeke White, wife of Thomas Herndon White died December 11th, 1864
- Martha R. White, wife of James F. White, died of consumption May 23rd 1870
- James F. White died May 1st 1898

Mary Mildred White, daughter of James F. White and Martha R. White died July 7th, 1890
Ann Herndon White died May 15th 1863 of consumption
Thomas Herndon White died January 2nd 1892
Lucy T. Thornton departed this life January 25th 1837
William Jones, Sr. departed this life January 6th 1837
William Asa, son of John White, departed this life April 23, 1825
Robert Roebuck departed this life October 1822 ?
Franky Roebuck departed this life October 1822
Mary Francis, daughter of Eppy and Catherine White, departed this life December 31st 1838, in the 3rd year of her life.
Sarah Morris died October 1856
Eppy W. Morris, son of John and Sarah Morris, died October 1857
Polly Coffee died in the year 1861
Eppy White departed this life September 19th 1854
John W. Morris departed this life October 27th 1854, age 57 years 8 months and 8 days
Malissa F. Gaines, daughter of Eppy and Catherine White, died September 9th 1896
Ann H. Cobb, daughter of James F. White, died December 17th 1895
John M. White died Dec. 31 1866
Martha M. White died May 23 1870

not shown before was husband?

This record was evidently copied into the Bible from a letter which was between the Bible leaves and contained the same record. The letter was dated Jasper County, Ga. Aug. 7th 1836, and evidently belongs to the Herndon family. It was sent in response to a request from Catherine Herndon wife of Eppy White, who owned the White Bible in 1836.

| | | | |
|--------------------|--------------|-------------|----------------|
| George M. Adams | 15 years old | Aug. 26 | [1836] |
| Edward H. Adams | 12 | Feb. 7 | |
| Sarah Ann Adams | 10 | Feb. 2 | |
| Catherine Adams | 9 | Mar. 20 | |
| Elizabeth L. Adams | 8 | July 10 | |
| William Adams | 6 | Feb. 2 | |
| Rachel Lane | 4 | Mar. 19 | |
| Martha W. | 1 | Dec. 15 | |
| Dillard | 4 months old | 4th of this | [August] month |

Sarah E. Baker was born August 3rd 1838
Betsy White, wife of Ruben was born Feb. 23, 1783

MARRIAGES

James Sheerick and Mildred M. White were married Sept. 28th 1865
Eppy White and Catherine Duncan were married Nov. 12, 1865
Elbert McDaniel and Martha Ann White were married March 12, 1866
James W. Hicks and Sarah Catherine White were married April 5, 1869
Charles E. White and Lucinda Moss were married Nov. 19, 1891

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"Epitaphs on gravestones in the family cemetery on the plantation." These graves were also copied in 1965, and were located on the property of Mr. Vandiver Gaines, near Eagle Grove School, Hart County, Georgia. There were estimated 32 graves in the lot, though all were not marked. Down the hill could be seen the old White log cabin and the Herndon log cabin across the north prong of Beaverdam Creek.

The grave of John Martin White had an additional, government tombstone. Text of his original gravestone was badly weathered and hardly readable. Text from the new stone will be given below in this type.

REV. JOHN M. WHITE born June 27th 1743, Died Feb. 6th 1833, age 90 years.
JOHN M. WHITE Georgia Capt. Ga. Troops, Rev. War February 6, 1833

Milly White born Oct. 23, 1756, died Sept. 2, 1840, age 84 years
Mary Frances White born May 7, 1836, died Dec. 21st 1838 [We did not locate this stone]

Infant daughter of Thomas H. White and Malissa C. White born Dec. 14, 1879, died Dec. 14, 1879

Eppy White born March 16, 1791, died Sept. 19, 1854, age 62 years

[Catherine White, wife of Eppy White, born Feb. 28, 1797, died Nov. 11, 1885

Martha C. White, wife of Thomas H. White, born March 15, 1819, died Dec. 11, 1864

Thomas Herndon White born Feb. 20, 1816, died Jan. 2, 1891

Sally, daughter of Eppy and Lucy White, born Jan. 19, 1879, died July 28th 1884

We copied some additional stones:

John M. White, son of J.F. & M.R.White, born Feb. 21, 1855, died Dec. 3, 1858, aged 1 year 9 months 17 days.

Nancy White 1829

M.B.White was born May 7, 18?? [stone eroded, couldn't read]

R.L.Hayes (1889-1954)

Mildred M. wife of James Shiflet born Jan. 6, 1841, died Aug. 8, 1904

James Shiflet Co. D 37th Ga. Inf. CSA [government marker]

Mildred White Jones October 15, 1819 - Sept. 2, 1865

Malissa G. White, born Apr. 9, 1837, died Mar. 31, 1927, Mother [Thomas H.White-father]

Albert Crayton White born May 12, 1876, died June 16, 1941 [who owned White Bible at time it was copied.]

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STRONG FAMILY BIBLE

Family record section of American Bible Society Bible published 1850, owned by Mrs. Henry Harris, and transcribed from the original 8-5-1956 by M.B.Warren.

MARRIAGES

Charles Strong was married to Jane Winfrey 12th of April 1832

Married the 28th of March 1844 Charles Strong to Adeline Brooks

John Hill Echols married Sarah Jane Strong Dec. 19th 1854

Thomas H.C.Strong married Susan A. Strong April 16th 1867

William Goldsmith Turner married Addie May Echols January 19th 1881

William Conyers Clark married Sarah Strong Echols January 22nd 1885

George Pinckney Shingler married Adele Strong Turner December 23rd 1908

John St.Claire Brooks married May Belle Clark November 26th 1917

Leila Pope Strong married Rufus L. Moss, Jr. Feb. 7, 1898 Columbus, Miss.

Charles Strong married Susie Meriwether Nov. 2, 1905 Montgomery, Ala.

Elisha Strong married Ann Scott Hill July 24, 1823

GENEALOGICAL CHART

Always record the source of each item of information.

ABBREVIATIONS USED ON CHART

- b. (date of birth)
- p.b. (place of birth)
- m. (date of marriage)
- d. (date of death)
- p.d. (place of death)

1

Milton Rufus
 b. 2-5-1847
 p.b. GA
 m. 11-28-1872
 d. 11-6-1912
 p.d. Rockdale Co. Ga
 Mary Lou Cunningham
 name of husband or wife
 b. 8-18-1855. Ga
 d. 3-19-1920

Rufus
 b. 6-7-1815 (17)
 p.b. Ga
 m. 10-12-1833
 d. 6-5-1892
 p.d. Rockdale Co
 Mary Oglesby
 b. ca. 1787 VA
 p.b.
 d. after 1860
 p.d. Murray Co. Ga
 Serena Elizabeth
 b. ca 1830 or 1835
 p.b.
 d.
 p.d.

#2 L.J. (nee Rudisill) CHRISTIAN

Rufus
 b. ca 1772± VA
 p.b.
 m.
 d. 1800-60
 p.d. Murray Co. Ga.

Mary Oglesby
 b. ca. 1787 VA
 p.b.
 d. after 1860
 p.d. Murray Co. Ga

Isaac
 b. 7-4-1788±
 p.b.
 m. 2-12-1807
 d. after 1860
 p.d.

Mildred White
 p. 4-30-1789±
 p.b.
 d. ca 1800-60
 p.d.

Cap. John
 b. ca 1748
 p.b.
 m.
 d. ca 1810±
 p.d. Mary Magrard

Thos. Oglesby Jr
 b. ca. 1750
 p.b.
 m. 8. JAN. 1773 Belfast Co VA
 d. Late 1833
 p.d. Martha Bradley

James ?
 b. ca. 1752
 p.b.
 d. ca. 1825
 p.d.

Lucy Bradley
 b. ca 1750 1780
 m. ca 1773
 d. 1833
 p.d.

Daniel White
 b. June 17(19) 1746
 p.b.
 m.
 d. Nov. 7. 1806
 p.d.

Mary Ballenger
 b.
 p.b.
 m.
 d. Sept. 28, 1804
 p.d.

Ruff³ Thos² Edmund New
 d. 1749 R. New Mary

Lucy Bradley
 b.
 p.b.
 d.
 p.d.

Thos Oglesby
 b.
 p.b.
 d.
 p.d.

William Bradley
 ? Thos³
 Elizabeth Christian

see page #2

William Bradley
 ? Thos³
 Elizabeth Christian

Jeremiah White
 b. 1685 or
 d. Oct. 25, 1776 (8142)
 Mary Martin

Joseph Ballenger
 b. 1709
 d. Sept. 33-1796 (8192)
 SARAH

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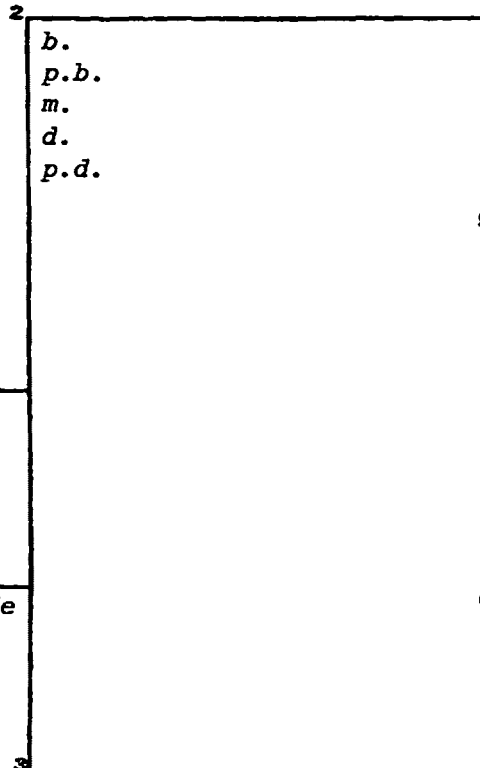
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 City _____ State _____
 Date _____

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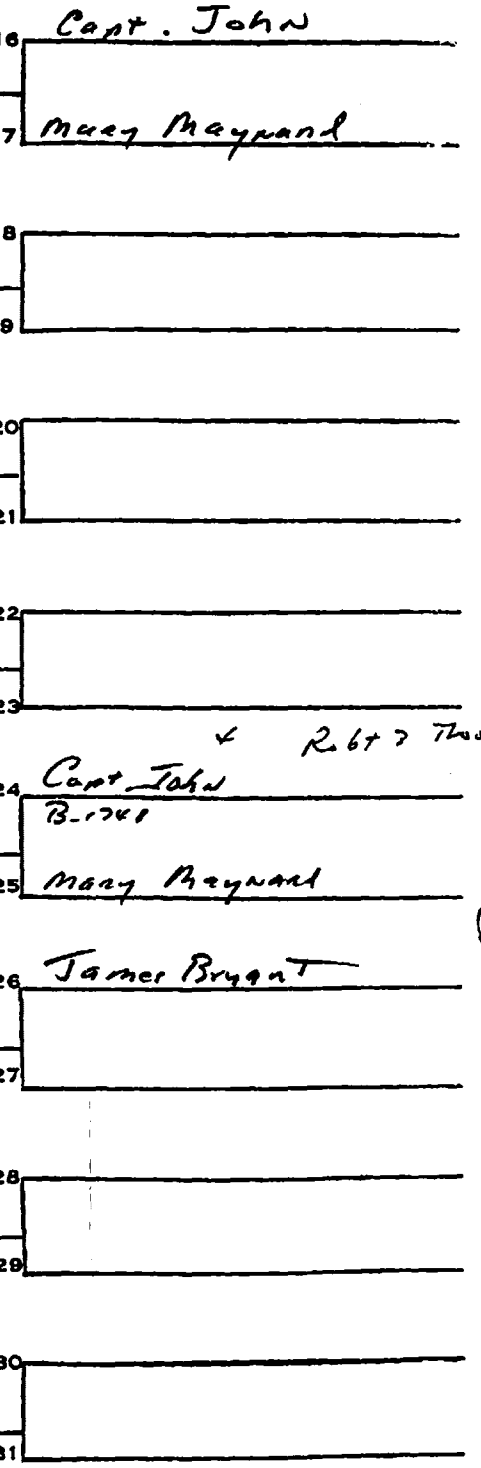
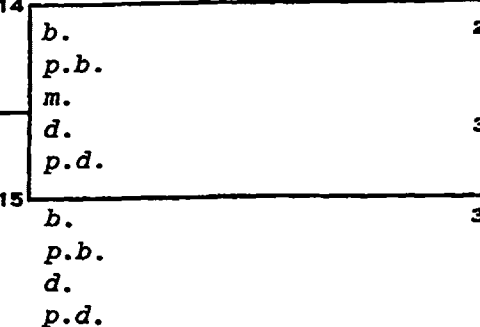
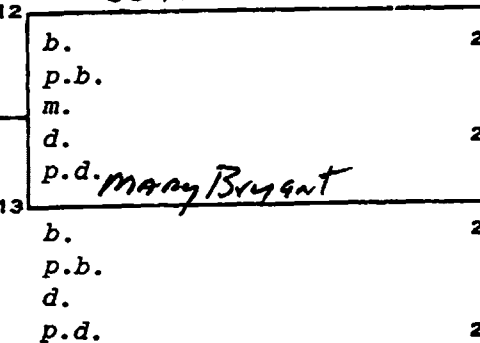
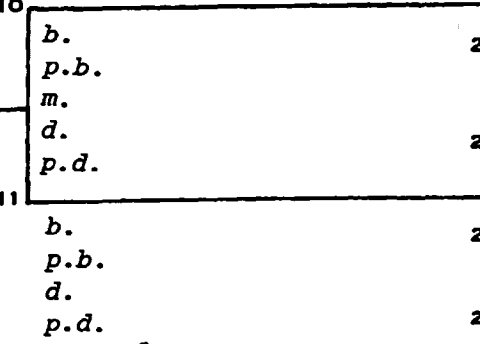
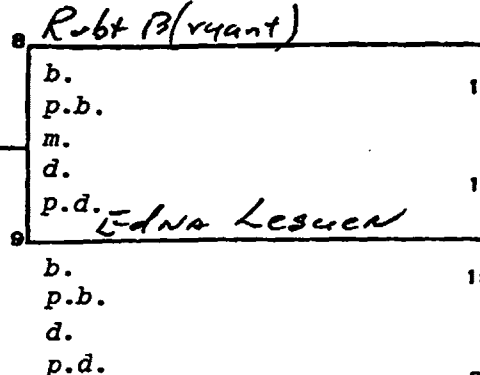
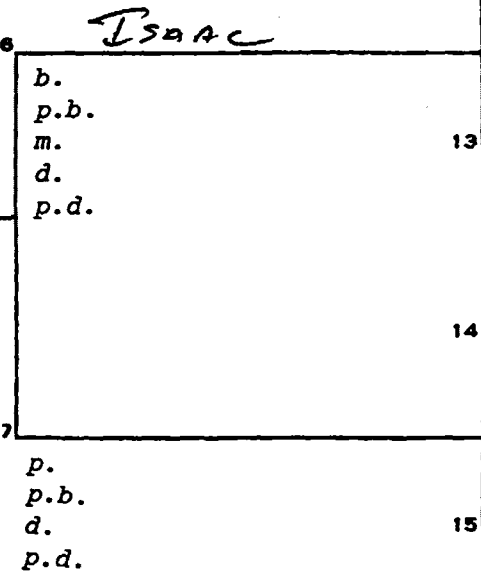
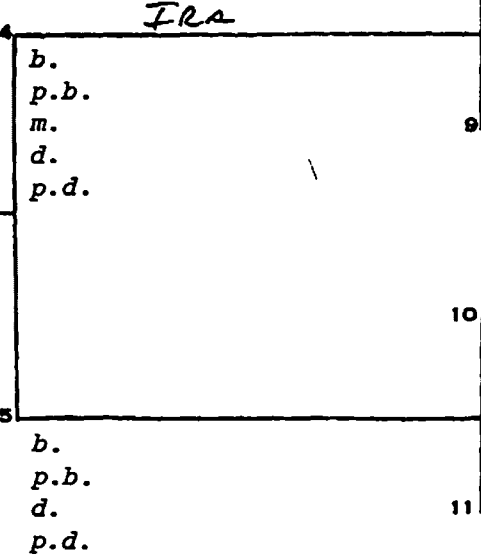
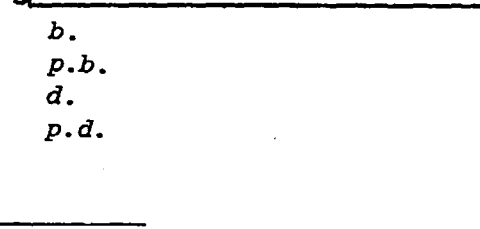
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- m. (date of marriage)
- d. (date of death)
- p.d. (place of death)



1

b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

name of husband or wife



#2
Presley
ISAAC
IRA
Per FAC
letter
6-24-86

CHART COMPILED BY:

Name _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____

Date _____

PER FAC

GENEALOGICAL CHART

Always record the source of each item of information.

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ABBREVIATIONS USED ON CHART

- b. (date of birth)
- p.b. (place of birth)
- m. (date of marriage)
- d. (date of death)
- p.d. (place of death)

James Milton
 b. 7-14-27
 p.b. East Point, Ga
 m.
 d.
 p.d.
Josephine Wilson
 name of husband or wife

George Cunningham
 b. 10-9-1873
 p.b. Rockdale Co. Ga
 m. 12-29-1917
 d. 10-30-1942
 p.d. East Point, Ga

Milton Rufus
 b. 2-5-1847
 p.b. Ga.
 m. 11-29-1872
 d. 11-6-1912
 p.d. Rockdale Co., Ga

Mary Lou Cunningham
 b. 8-18-1855
 p.b. Newton Co. Ga
 d. 2-19-1920
 p.d. East Point, Ga

Civil George Cunningham

b. 1823
 p.b. Newton Co., Ga.
 m. 12-21-52
 d. 1-3-1895
 p.d. Covington, Ga

Martha Hester Pullen
 b. 1831
 p.b.
 d. 9-21-1905
 p.d. Covington, Ga

Geo. Cunningham
 b. 1771 Va.
 d. 3-3-1859
 m. 4-6-1798
Agnes Patrick
 b. 1756
 d. ?
 Wm. Patrick
 b. 1756
 Lucy Hawkins
 1st
 2nd Ethel Parr

Arthur Pullen
 b. 1791
 Robt.
 b. 7-6-1756
 d. 1-12-1858
 Haddy Jewel

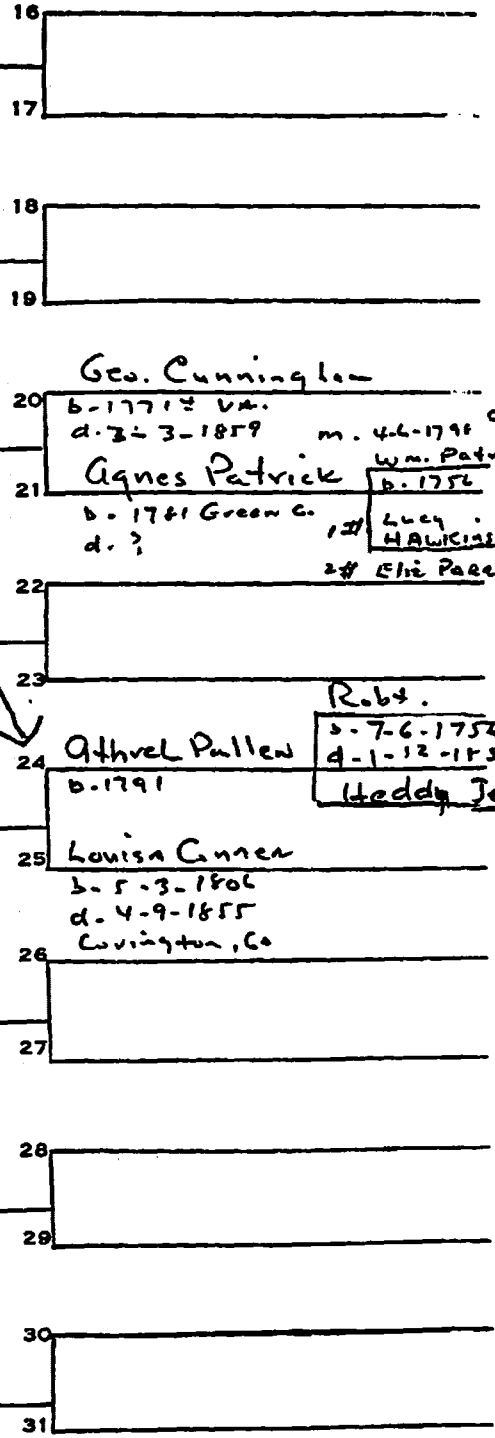
Louisa Canner
 b. 5-3-1806
 d. 4-9-1855
 Covington, Ga

CHART COMPILED BY:

James Milton Christian
 Name
4439 Shelboene Dr
 Street Address
Dunwoody Ga 30238
 City State
6-27-42
 Date

b.
 p.b.
 m.
 d.
 p.d.

b.
 p.b.
 m.
 d.
 p.d.



Christian, John.

Hollisworth cards

John of Amherst Co. Va.: granted
in deed - Frank Co. 1796 -
Bartholomew Pace

John Christian, Capt

(1)

Hollisworth cards

B. C. 1750 VA
d - on a before Feb 1805 Frank Co
m - 2-3-1768 - Mary Maynard
who was b - C - 1750 - VA
d - on a before 1821 Frank Co

Christian, John

DAR. Supplements #3

b - 11-1-1753 d - 1-9-1835

m - Jane Brown

Sgt. N.Y. P.M.S.R.

Christian, John

Va. U. in Revere

b - 10-16-1761

3/4 Israel + Martha

Siblings Geo. Reade, Bailey + Israel

Christian, John

Va U. in Revere

b - 8-28-1783

3/4 Will + Martha Evans

Christian, John

DAR. Supplements #3

b - 1752. d - 4-26-1823

m - Judith Lee

P.S. VA

Christian, John.

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Ord of Archival

J.P. Frank Co. Apr 13-1888

(J.P. 1799-1812. p. 71)

Christian, ^{Com} John & Mary

Franklin Ct. Ct. of Ordinary Mar 7-1814

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June 1829

Deputies agree to Reuben being Adm.

Reuben, William Oglesby (wife Nancy (T))

(T) m 1-16-1817, Drewry, Geo. Stwall

(M. 24) (wife?), Gab'l., Robert Bryant,

1-16-1807 Rufus Christian

Christian, John

Early Va. Masonry

J. m. Mary Maynard - 2-3-1768

Christian, John

Va. United Records

Obituaries - Family Visitors

John died - 10-11-1823
at Amherst Co.

"Eighty"

1823
80
1743

Christian, Capt John Estate - Frank. Co.

Returned by Wm. Speas, William Christian

Charles Wadson Christian 2-25-1805

Christian, John

Elb. Co Tx digest. 1794-1800

Christian, John

Found in Campbell Co. VA in 1810

Never been identified, however
he had an Isaac in his household.

FAC

Christian, John

"Marrage" 11th p.
Douglas Danah Register

m. Judith Leake 5-9-1771 -
Bordwell &

Christian, John.

Hallinsworth cart.

① John of Amherst Co. VA.: granted
in deed Franklin Co. 1796
from Barnabas Pace

② John sold to L. R. S.
Furnish on Coldwater Creek,
Elbert Co. - see reference in
m/s file Buzzards Shoals.

Christian, John

DAR. Pat. Index 1793 VA
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① b-1752 d. 4-26-1873

m. Judith Leake (PSVA)

* ② b. 11-1-1753 - d. 1-9-1835

m. Jane Brown(e)

③

* 1790 - b. VA - d. Franklin Co. GA - 1820 -

1st. Col. Vances VA. Troop -

m. M. —

Christian, John *

23V - 86 - 87 marriage Feb 3 - 1766

to Mary Maynard.

Christian, John

VA. Vital Records

Marriage

John to Judith Leake 5-9-1771



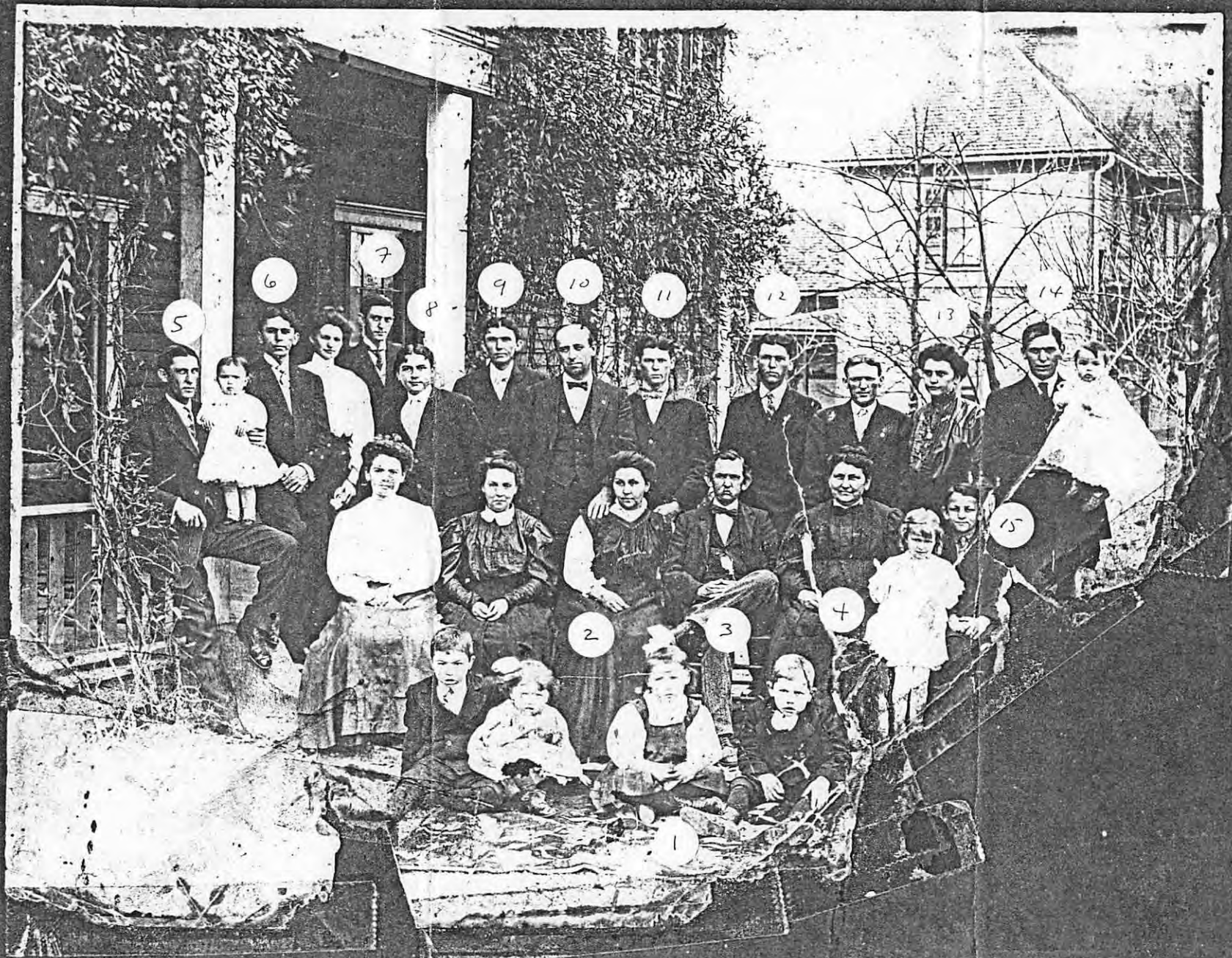
The families of Milton Rufus Christian & Coe
David Ramsey - They married sisters - My
grandmother Mary Lou Cunningham was the oldest
daur. of bro. C'ham - she was next to the youngest -

- 1 - Mary Sue Ramsey 2. Coe & Sue
- 2 - Sue Cunningham Ramsey
- 3 - Milton Rufus Christian
- 4 - Mary Lou C'ham Christian
- 5 - William Christian
- 6 - Joe Stewart " 1881
- 7 - bro. C'ham " 1873
- 8 - John H. " 1893
- 9 - Rufus " 1879
- 10 - Coe David Ramsey -
- 11 - shown as G. Christian - 1887
- 12 - Harry Brown " - 1891
- 13 - Kate " 1883
- 14 - Edgar " 1885
- 15 - Raymond L. " 1897

(she & my father were
approx. same age)

Others in picture unidentified. -

Picture made 1905[±]



1. Mary Sue Ramsey. P/O Coc & Sue Ramsey
2. Sue C'ham Ramsey - sister of Mary Lou
3. Milton Rufus Christian
4. Mary Lou C'ham "
5. William "
6. J. Stewart "
7. my father Bro. C'ham "
8. John H. "
9. Rufus "
10. Coc David Ramsey
11. Thomas B. Christian
12. H. Brown "
13. Kate "
14. Edgar "
15. Raymond L. "

In the name of God Amen, I, James Bryant of the county of Powhatan, being sick and weak but of perfect mind and memory blessed be God, do make and ordain, this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all other wills by me made heretofore.

Item, I lend to my beloved wife, Clark Bryant during her life the tract of land whereon I now live, also the use of seven negroes slaves, to-wit, Adam, Jupiter, Cesar, Jane, Jenny, Sarah, and Phebe, also all the plantation utensils, the stock of every kind, and the crop that is or may be on the said plantation at the time of my decease.

Item, I give and bequeath to my grandson Stinson Bryant, son of my son Tho. Bryant one hundred and twenty six pounds with lawful interest from the date thereof to him and his heirs forever.

Item, I give and bequeath to my granddaughter Elizabeth Bryant daughter of my son Tho. Bryant one negro girl named Lyddia, her and her increase to her and her heirs forever and if either of my grandchildren, die under the age of twenty one or before marriage then my will is that the survivors or survivor or their heirs shall hold and enjoy in equal proportion the legacy left to the said deceased to them and their heirs forever.

Item, My will and desire is that whatsoever, Estate real or personal I may have heretofore given to any of my children, they may have and hold the same, with their increase to them and their heirs forever.

My will and desire is that all my Estate lenty to my wife Clark Bryant, during her life, be after her death (as well real as personal) equally divided among my children, hereafter named, James Bryant Jr., Isaac Bryant, Judith Street, Elizabeth Sallee, Mary Christian, Martha Lesuer, Anne Stinson, Fanny Forsee and my granddaughter Fanny Bryant, daughter of my son Tho. Bryant, the said negroes with their increase to them and their heirs forever, and if any dispute should hereafter arise, relative to this my will, my desire is that the said dispute be referred to the then judges of the general court, or any three being first named in commission and their determination shall be good and valid, the party agreed giving proper notice, of time and place, to discuss the matter aforesaid and I do hereby appoint my son James Bryant, Isaac Bryant and son-in-law, John Christian, Executors of this my last will and testament, in witness where of I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, this 26th day of September 1783.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in presence of,

James Bryant, Seal

Tho. Tarpin, Jr.
Isaac Street
John Chodoin

At a Court held for Powhatan County at Scottsville the sixteenth day of October Anno Domini, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-three, this last will and testament of James Bryant deceased was presented to court by James Bryant, Isaac Bryant, and John Christian the Executors therein named and being proved by the oaths of Thomas Turpin, Jr., Isaac Street and John Chadoin the witnesses thereto was ordered to be recorded and on the motion of the said Executors who made oath and entered into bond with John Moxey & James Dupuy their securities in penalty of two thousand five hundred Pounds according to law, probate thereof was granted them in due form.

Teste. Th. Miller, C.

(This was transmitted by County Clerk of Powhatan, not Betsy Ammeck)

Agnes - sent the
Name, sent the
to you earlier?

Isaac -
Wm. B. -
Isaac White -

17 May 1982

708 Hillside Dr.

Wetumpka, AL 36092

Dear Mrs. Christian:

Your query in Family Puzzles # 755 re. the Christian family furnished a small bit of info that helps my new puzzle re. the Dobbin family. Too I may offer you a small bit of information. So here is my contribution to you [William B. Christian married Jane Waddel Dobbin 4 Nov. 1834, Newton Co. Ga. They had children: Isaac White Christian b. 22 Oct. 1835 and Nancy William Christian, b. 10 Dec 1837.] In the spring session of Newton Co. Ga 1838 ^(for several) ^{Superior Court} actions are on record regarding the administration of the estate of Wm. B. Christian, deceased. Isaac Christian was appointed adm. of said estate. Wm. C. Dobbin, father of Jane, made bond with her so that at that time she qualified as guardian of the 2 orphans. My question (now) was whether or not Isaac the administrator was father or brother of Wm. B. With your info, Isaac the son was young to qualify as administrator of any estate; therefore Jane's father-in-law was the administrator. Wm. B. had purchased part of the land of Ezekiel Stanley (1843-1848), grandfather of Jane; made down payment, rather. I believe that lot of land was essentially the property of Isaac Christian - you'd need to go into Newton County, get copies of the deeds, adm. of the Stanley estate, etc. to get all that info. Jane's father, Wm. C. Dobbin, was adm. of the Stanley estate and that was

not settled until 1836. I do not know the date of
birth of Wm. B. Christian - Jane W. his wife was b.
1 Jan. 1815. Wm. B. may have been several (4-6) yrs
older. Jane married (about 1843) Charles R. Floyd and
had several Floyd children. I believe the Christian
family took Isaac White in hand for education
(purposes); annual returns of the Wm. B. estate shd
beard, tuition and other school expenses; in 185
the Floyds lived in Pike County, Ga. Nancy was
a member of their household but Isaac W. was
not. In the 1860's Isaac W. ^(white) was Court ~~solicitor~~
solicitor (or some public office) ^{in Newton Co.} I don't have my
notes readily available. Too, this may have been Wm. B.'s bro.
- my interest in Wm. B. Christian: Jane was a
sister of my gr. grandfather, James Lewis Dobbin
(1819-1869). I sincerely hope my contribution falls in
a wee bit of your puzzle.

Sincerely yours,

Mary Lair Dobbin

14 Aug 1986

Dear Agnes + Betsy -

I spent some time at the Archive this week rechecking some Franklin & records. On my next visit I'll recheck some Walker & records.

I found:

1. The inventory of estate of John Christian, Dec 25 Feb 1805 Signed: Wm. S. -
Wm. Christian
Ch - - -
2. The inventory of John Christian, Dec 14 May 1808 Signed: Silas May - m.d.g. - ?
Bennet Ware
Barthel ... L - - ?
3. also noted at this time -
sale - Wm. Christian Adm. ^{May -} 18 - 1808
- #3 The amount of sale of John Christian, Dec Wm. Christian adm. May 18, 1808

The 1805 inventory was extensive - not so the 1808. In fact, it looked like items that Wm. could have held out until the entire estate was settled.

- 1. Sowed mace - - \$
- #. Bay colt
- 30 Barrels of corn
- 500 lb. seed cotton
- 400 lb. fodder
- 1 gun barrel
- 1 horse whip \$1 -
- Rozor + shov -

Is it possible that the inventories are for the estate of the same John, Dec ??

Tim

MR. & MRS. JAMES M. CHRISTIAN
4439 SHELBORNE DRIVE
DUNWOODY, GEORGIA 30338
404-458-7217

11/7/86

Dear Agnes:

Recently Jo. and I attended a meeting at Williamsburg and we visited Green Oak (Cherry Bottom). Pictures are to follow.

I have been reexamining some Franklin Co. records and am left quite frustrated. I hate to go over records which are well known but you never know.

However, I did turn up one bit of information which may be a correction. The microfilm of the original guardian papers for the children of Wm. B. Christian, dec. list them as Isaac White Christian and Nancy Dobbins Christian. Lois Dobbins, in the attached letter, shows Nancy William Christian. Jane, their mother, was appointed puardian. Isaac Christian and Wm. C. Dobbins were security. Date 17 Aug. 1839.

I am also attaching a page signed Lenn Archer which came to me via Betsy. Since we are searching for the John Christians I wonder if the John Christian s/o Elijah shown could be the 1808 estate John Christian. Frank Asbury indicates he did not marry so maybe he died ~~sons wife~~ ^{you're} and this might be the reason for the few articles in the estate.

Are you satisfied that Capt. John s/o Robert married Mary Bryant and not the widow Mary Maynard? I remain confused.

In your letters to me you contribute so much information an it seems that I can ans.so few of your questions. I may have a little time in Dec. so I will reread you letters and maybe the Ga. Archives will have some Answers.

Kindesr regards,

A handwritten signature, possibly 'J.M.C.', written in dark ink.

17 May 1982

708 Hillside Dr.

Wetumpka, AL 36092

Dear Mrs. Christian:

Your query in Family Puzzles # 755 re. the Christian family furnished a small bit of info that helps my new puzzle re. the Dobbin's family. Too I may offer you a small bit of information. So here is my contribution to you: William B. Christian married Jane Waddel Dobbin 4 Nov. 1834, Newton Co. Ga. They had children: Isaac White Christian b. 22 Oct. 1835 and Nancy William Christian, b. 10 Dec 1837. In the spring session of Newton Co. Ga 1838 ^(or several) many Superior Court actions are on record regarding the administration of the estate of Wm. B. Christian, deceased. Isaac Christian was appointed adm. of said estate. Wm. C. Dobbin, father of Jane; made bond with her so that at that time she qualified as guardian of the 2 orphans. My question (and now) was whether or not Isaac the administrator was father or brother of Wm. B. With your info, Isaac the son was young to qualify as administrator of any estate; therefore Jane's father-in-law was the administrator. Wm. B. had purchased part of the land of Ezekiel Stanley (1843-1848), grand father of Jane; made down payment, rather. I believe that lot of land was essentially the property of Isaac Christian - you'd need to go into Newton County, get copies of the deeds, adm. of the Stanley estate, etc. to get all that info. Jane's father, Wm. C. Dobbin, was co-admin. of the Stanley estate and that was

not settled until 1836. I do not know the date of
birth of Wm. B. Christian - Jane W. his wife was born
1 Jan. 1815. Wm. B. may have been several (4-6) yrs.
older. Jane married (about 1843) Charles R. Floyd and
had several Floyd children. I believe the Christian
family took Isaac White in hand for educational
purposes; annual returns of the Wm. B. estate show
board, tuition and other school expenses; in 1855
the Floyds lived in Pike County, Ga. Nancy was
a member of their household but Isaac W. was
not. In the 1860's Isaac W. was Court ~~solicitor~~
solicitor (or some public office) ^{in Newton Co.} I don't have my
notes readily available. Too, this may have been Wm. B.'s bro.
- my interest in Wm. B. Christian: Jane was a
sister of my gr. grandfather, James Lewis Debbins,
(1819-1869). I sincerely hope my contribution falls in
a wee bit of your puzzle.

Sincerely yours,

Mary Lain Debbins

MRS. ALBERT L. FISHER

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DECATUR, GEORGIA

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COUNTY RECORDS

FRANKLIN COUNTY MINUTES OF COURT OF ORDINARY 1786-1813

"The Honorable Court of Ordinary for the County of Franklin has met according to appointment on the 16th day of February 1803. . . "

"Ordered that William Christian have letters of administration on the Estate of Elijah Christian Dec'd.

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Inventory of the Property Sold by William Christian admr. of Elijah Christian Dec'd - April 5th 1805

nee Britt
Elizabeth Christian Dr.

- One negro woman Milly \$230.00
- 1 Sorrel mare Rachel 50.00
- Plantation tools
- 2 cows & 1 calf
- 7 Sheep
- 1 Feather Bedstead and furnituere
- 6 chairs
- 1 Table and Pewter
- 1 Lott of Books
- 4 Wheels and one Bee Stand
- 2 Pots 1 oven & Skillet
- 8 Geese
- 1 Chest
- 1 Padlock one pair scissors
- 1 Looking Glass and 1 jug
- 10 hogs, 1 but ter Pot, 3/ 3 chairs, 2 clevis pins

Other purchasers were:

- Charles Christian *Son - m. Eliza Bell - moved to Cherokee 1834*
- John Hunter *Son in Law m. Hannah Christian P. Elijah & Eliz. Britt*
- Cornelius McCarter *" " m. Mary (Billy) P. " "*
- John Christian *Son - never married*
- Patsey Christian *Daughter - Sewell - m. Nick Sewell - lived Menawatha Co*
- William Christian *Son - m. Eliza & Eliz Britt.*

The last entry is this:

William Christian Do. pr - Guard. pr small legatees
To one negro girl nancy \$301.00

Note : The above seems to be a sale rather than an Inventory.

Also Adm. for Capt John - Abda P. Capt Tsh may have died & Wm. appointed. But Abda m. Gen Morse a merchant Richmond Co. & d. 1815 in Columbia Co.

Lenn Arak

There was probably more Estate - Check Madison & Frank Co

Agnes - The copy looks better
than the original -

Also attached - first willent of Rufus 1935 -

1-30-88

Dear Agnes -

Jo & I are looking forward
to the next edition of the C.F.C. but
we are distressed that it is to be the
last. There are still so many un-
answered questions; they seem to multiply,
and you & Frank Ashby are the
primary family genealogists. And -
Frank is getting no younger -

In my particular line a
new element has arisen. It was
reported to me by Jim Rodgers of
McDonough, Ga. that Rufus Christian
(b. 1815/7 - d. 5 June 1892) had a wife by
the name of Louisa Lucinda Hawkins
Evans Christian (b. 1845 - d. 28 JAN. 1928)
This was news to me but Mr. Rodgers
seemed to know a lot about the family -
He is related to Louisa's sister -

I know that Rufus' first
wife was Serena Elizabeth Christian -
D. Isaac - Mildred - She was still
living in 1870 -

I have deeds which indicate
the widow of Rufus was L.J. or J.I.

Christians -

One of Refu's daughters deeds her share of Refu's estate and her share of the widow dower (Mrs L.W. Christian) to Milton Refu Christian.

I thought that the above meant that the widow was dead & the dower share had reverted to the heirs. Is it possible that the widow was still living?

At the Archives I located a request for a spouse support request by Refu's widow - Mrs. J. I. Christian. She selected "\$125" cost (How times have changed).

I have never seen any records that refer to the widow by name - so - I do not know if we have one person or three - I shall follow on -

One another subject - John Christian -
I ran across the reference to
John seeing 100 a. to Wm. Harvey in
1768 in St Paul's parish Sa.

Frank Ashby wrote to me re -
John's marriage to Mary Maynard +
his being guardian of her two daughters
Elizabeth + Ann. He attached that page
of his letter -

In the Will of Wm. Maynard 21. June 1764
+ ^{proved} recorded - 26 Sept. 1765 by wife Mary +
son Edward. As Frank suggests -
can Edward be an adult? If
so - she had children for many
years - did she not have children
by John as late as 1790+?

In case of this I dare not mention
Mary Bryant w/o John Christian - already
I am too confused.

Of one thing I am not confused -
I will retire from CIBA-6666y this summer -
I will be 63 + am tired of traveling some
week - My health is still good + I
plan to continue to work in the health
care field - I am keeping my options open -

I hope you & Dr. Brachman are
well. I keep hoping that one
of these days you will attend
a Medical meeting in Atlanta &
we will finally get to meet you -
It would be a pleasure for us -

We'll keep you posted if I
can discover any info on W. Harvey
in early Ga. records - might help
us to the Mary -

Yours truly,

Jim

(Guardianship Accounts) ^{Hent} of Edmund Christian, Turner, Christian, William Christian, and Susanna Christian orphans, by Susanna Christian, their guardian, recorded 7 Aug 1771. (There were the last four children of William Christian and ^{2nd wife} Susannah Browne. William's first wife was Anne Collier D/o Thomas Collier + Rebecca Hent)

this is my grand father's etc. great grand father's etc. to include you like him. I think to Christy Co. 1837 and cannot find all the early Turner who came to Va. in 1796.

Account of Elizabeth Maynard for 1770, with John Christian ^(Capt) guardian, reference of negroes: Dick, George + Fanny. Accounts of Ann Maynard, with John Christian ^(Capt) her guardian, reference of negroes: Davy, Sam, Kate and Sarah.

recorded 7 Aug. 1771

The above are evidently daughters of Mary Maynard who married 2 Mar. 1768 Chas. City Co., Va. (Capt.) John Christian? I wonder if there were any other adult children?

(See will of William Maynard dated 21 June 1764 Nottoway Parish Amelia Co., Va. ^{Proved} Recorded 26th day Sept. 1765 by wife Mary Maynard and son Edward.) Above children were minors, Edward adult?

They were designated along with John Maynard as executors of the Will of William Maynard. Edward was mentioned as son of William Maynard therefore the John Maynard might have ^{been} a brother ^{to} William Maynard. This John Maynard was not in Court 26th day Sept. 1765 when the Will was proved.

Amelia Co formed out of Prince George (out of Ches City Co. 1764) and Brunswick Counties 1735. ^{South side of James River}

Mary Maynard and son Edward

may a son by a previous marriage

State of Georgia, *Rockdale* County:

This Indenture, Made this *5th* day of *December*

in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and *Eighty Two* between

Mollie *Rudisill* of the County of *Rockdale* and State of *Georgia* of the first part, and

Wm. R. Christian of the County of *Rockdale* and State of *Georgia* of the second part;

Witnesseth, That the said part of the first part, for and in consideration of the sum of

Twenty five Dollars Dollars,

in hand paid *cash* and before the sealing and delivery of these presents, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, had, granted, bargained, sold, and conveyed, and by these presents do grant, bargain, sell and convey unto said part of the second part,

heirs and assigns, all that tract or parcel of land, situated, lying and being in

all of my one *24th* undivided interest in and to the following described tract and parcels of land to wit: my entire one *24th* undivided interest of one hundred and ninety acres more or less including my interest in widows dower set apart to Mrs *L. Christian* the same lying and being in the *10th* District of originally *Newton* now *Rockdale* county being parts of Land lots nos *170 171 and 186* in said District and bounded as follows: on the West by Land of *L. P. Seast* and Mrs *L. Christian* on the North by Land of *M. D. Irwin* and *J. W. P. Park* on the East by Lands of *G. B. Almond* on the South by Lands of *G. B. Almond* and *J. D. Fincher* also my one *24th* undivided interest in and to *Thirty five* acres of Land more or less lying and being in the *10* District of *Newton* county and being parts of Land lots nos *166 and 170* in said District and bound as follows on the North by *and south* by Lands of *G. B. Almond* and on the East by the *Old Taylor* place also my one *24th* undivided interest in and to *seventy five* acres of Land more or less in the *10* District of originally *Newton* now *Rockdale* county and known as the *Will Woker* place being a part of the *Ben* *honestead* and bounded as follows on the South by Lands of *John Stowers* on East by *W. H. Brismine* and the *Willingham* Estate on the North by *G. C. Gooden* this deed intended to convey to the said *W. R. Christian* all my title and interest in and the Lands of *Rufus Christian* late of said county deceased, I being a daughter of said *Rufus Christian* and entitled as an heir of said deceased to one *24th* of his Estate and this deed covers all my interest in the real estate of said deceased including the resulting interest in the *widows dower* in said lands as herein before mentioned.

To have and to hold the said bargained premises, together with all and singular, the rights, members and appurtenances thereof to the same being, belonging, or in anywise appertaining, to the only proper use, benefit and behoof of the said part of the second part, his heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, in fee simple. And the said part of the first part, her heirs, executors, and administrators, the said bargained premises, unto the said part of the second part, his heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, against the said part of the first part, his heirs, executors, and administrators, and all and every other person or persons, shall and will warrant and forever defend, by virtue of these presents.

In witness whereof, said part of the first part had hereunto set her hand and affixed seal and subscribed her name at her first above written.

WITNESSETH, SEALED, AND DELIVERED IN PRESENCE OF—

J. J. Langford
A. H. Hill N.P.

Mollie G. Rudisill
Mary Lou
Mary Lou
Rudisill

Rudisill
Rudisill

#61

Indenture Rockdale Co 5 Dec 1892
between Mrs M. ^{Mary} L. Radiaill W/o Rufus Christian
and her brother Milton Rufus Christian

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STATE OF GEORGIA, Rochdale COUNTY

To the Court of Ordinary of Said County:

The petition of John Zach Almond, Administrator of De-Bouis' estate of Rufus Christian, showeth that he has fully discharged all the duties of such administrator; that he has paid all the debts of his intestate, Rufus Christian; has turned over the residue on his books to the lawful heirs of Rufus Christian: He therefore prays the usual citation may issue, requiring all persons interested to show cause, if any they can, why he should not be discharged from his administration, and while such citation is running, his proceedings as such Administrator may undergo a thorough revision by this Court.

John Zach Almond, Administrator of De-Bouis' estate
by W. H. Woodruff, atty.

Rochdale COURT OF ORDINARY

Term, Oct., 1935

The above petition having been read and considered, ordered that the prayer of petitioner be granted, and that the petition be entered on the Minutes of the Court.

Thos H. Mastro, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, Rochdale COUNTY

Whereas, John Zach Almond, Administrator of De-Bouis' estate of Rufus Christian, represents to the Court in his petition, duly filed and entered on record, that he has fully administered Rufus Christian estate:

This is, therefore, to cite all persons concerned, kindred and creditors, to show cause, if any they can, why said Administrator should not be discharged from his administration, and receive Letters of Dismission, on the first Monday in

November, 1935

Thos H. Mastro, Ordinary.

Rochdale COURT OF ORDINARY

November Term, 1935

It appearing to the Court that the citation for a discharge from his administration of J. Z. Almond on Rufus Christian's estate has been duly issued and published, and it also appearing to the Court from a thorough examination of all the proceedings of said J. Z. Almond Administrator of Rufus Christian's estate, that he has fully and faithfully administered said estate, and is legally entitled to a discharge from his administration, and no sufficient objection being offered to his dismission, this Court orders that he be discharged from his administration of Rufus Christian's estate, and that as evidence of this discharge, Letters of Dismission issue to him.

Recorded 11-4-, 1935

Thos H. Mastro, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, ROCKDALE COUNTY.

TO THE ORDINARY OF SAID COUNTY.

G.C.Christian, respectfully shows to the Court the following facts, to-wit.

(1)

That he did on the 1st Tuesday in November 1932, purchase at administrator's sale, 68-8/10 acres land, of estate of Rufus Christian, late of said County, deceased at and for the price of \$500.00.

(2).

That the heirs at law of said Estate are the children of said deceased, or their legal representatives, that the children of said deceased are, M.R.Christian, Mrs. Minnie Christian Almand; Jim Christian; Tip Christian; Mrs. R.W. Rudisill; and Mrs. Martha J. Smith, each child or representative of deceased child being entitled to a one-sixth interest in said estate.

(3)

That under warranty deed dated Nov. 26, 1892, and recorded in Deed Book "N" page 33-34, Clerks Office Rockdale County, Mrs. Martha J. Smith, conveyed her one-sixth interest therein to M.R.Christian; That under warranty deed dated Dec. 5th, 1892, and recorded in Deed Book "N" page 35-36, Mrs. M.L. Rudisill conveyed her one-sixth interest therein to M.R.Christian; and that on the 28th day of June 1912, M.R.Christian by warranty deed, conveyed the above two-sixths interest, and his own one sixth interest therein to G.C.Christian, petitioner herein, last mentioned deed being recorded in Deed Book "K" page 469 and that by virtue of said deed he was the owner prior to this administrator's sale of a one-half undivided interest in said lands.

(4)

Wherefore petitioner, prays that John Zach Almand, Admr. De-Bonis-Non, be required by order of the Court, to pay to this petitioner the entire interest in said lands, which formerly belonged to Mrs. M.L. Rudisill; Mrs. Marth J. Smith and M.R. Christian, upon petitioner's receipting therefor.

G.C. Christian
Petitioner.

GEORGIA, ROCKDALE COUNTY.

The above and foregoing petition read and considered, upon examining the deeds therein mentioned and referred to, it appearing that G.C.Christian, owns the interest formerly owned by the grantors, in this land, to-wit a one-half undivided interest therein. It is hereby ordered and adjudged by the Court, that John Zach Almand Admr. De-Bonis-Non, of the estate of Rufus Christian, pay to G.C.Christian such amounts as would have been due Mrs. M.L. Rudisill, Mrs. Martha J. Smith and M.R.Christian, as heir at law of said Rufus Christian, had such deeds not been executed, said administrator taking the proper receipts therefor.

This 7th day of Nov 1932.

John H. Marston
Ordinary.

FINAL RETURN

John Zach Almand, Admr. De-Bonis-Non,

In Account With Estate of Rufus Christian.

| | | DR. | | |
|------|---|--|---------|--------|
| | | To Cash From | | |
| | | G.C.Christian, for rent for lands 1931. | 20. 00 | |
| | | G.C.Christian, for purchase of land | 500. 00 | |
| | | TOTAL RECEIPTS. | 520. 00 | |
| | | CR: | | |
| | | By Cash Paid | | |
| | | as per Voucher No. 1 | | |
| cher | I | Conyers, Times, for legal advertisements. Letters \$4.00; Debtors and Creditors \$4.00; Application to sell land \$4.00; Adv. sale of land \$8.00; Adv. for dismissal \$4.00; Total | | 24.00 |
| " | 2 | State and County taxes, 1931, plus \$8.00 Adv. | | 21.94 |
| " | 3 | G.C.Christian, refund for taxes paid, 1928-\$12.00 1929-\$11.20; 1930-\$12.00 | | 35.50 |
| " | 4 | Thos. H. Marston, Ordny. Costs of Court. | | 44.55 |
| " | 5 | John Zach Almand, Commissions as Admr. | | 26.00 |
| " | 6 | S. I. Cowan, for services as auctioneer | | 5.00 |
| " | 7 | C. R. Vaughn, fee as atty. for administrator (Vouchers to heirs at law, for their interest) | 181.99 | 25.00 |
| " | 8 | C. D. Almand | | 8.05 |
| " | 9 | J. Z. Almand | | 8.04 |
| IO | | Mrs. A. T. Hind | | 8.05 |
| II | | L. R. Almand | | 8.05 |
| I2 | | Rufus Cowan | | 2.02 |
| I3 | | Irwin Cowan | | 2.01 |
| I4 | | J. B. Cowan | | 2.01 |
| I5 | | S. I. Cowan | | 2.01 |
| I6 | | Mrs. J. W. Park | | 8.05 |
| I7 | | William Almand | | 2.01 |
| | | | | (Over) |

FINAL RETURN

In Account With Estate of _____

| | PAGE #, 2 DEBTS DISBURSEMENTS CONTINUED. | |
|---|---|----------|
| 18 | ##### Ben Almand | 2.01 |
| 19 | Louise Almand | 2.03 |
| 20 | Elizabeth Almand Twitty | 2.01 |
| 21 | Rufus Christian | 18.77 |
| 22 | Will Christian | 18.78 |
| 23 | Mrs. Clemmie Colvin <i>(Colvin)</i> | 18.78 |
| 24 | Mrs. Jim Christian | 11.28 |
| 25 | Clair S. Christian | 5.63 |
| 26 | David Christian | 5.64 |
| 27 | R.B. Maxwell | 3.75 |
| 28 | R.B. Maxwell Jr. | 3.78 |
| 29 | Douglas Maxwell | 3.78 |
| 30 | Allen H. Pittard | 11.27 |
| 31 | Walter B. Christian ### | 11.27 |
| ##### | | |
| 32, | G. C. Christian, (for shares of Mrs. M. L. Rudisil, Mrs. Martha J. Smith and M. R. Christian, he owning these shares by virtue of deeds thereto) three shares of \$58.33 each | 168.99 |
| 33 | Cash, for Rev. Stamp for deed | .50 |
| | TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS ----- | 520.49 |
| | Less difference borne by J. Z. Almand Admr. for stamps etes. | .48 |
| | Total net disbursements from estate funds ----- | \$520.00 |
| <p>NOTES: There were six children who were heirs to this estate, viz. M. R. Christian, Mrs. M. L. Rudisil and Mrs. Martha S. Smith, these three had sold their interest to G. C. Christian, of the other three children, Mrs. Minnie Almand was dead, her heirs being Mrs. J. V. Park, S. I. Cowan, J. B. Cowan, Irwin Cowan, Rufus Cowan, William Almand, Elizabeth Almand Twitty, Ben Almand, Louis Almand, L. R. Almand, Mrs. A. T. Hines, C. D. Almand and J. Z. Almand; T. F. Christian another child and heir was dead, his heirs being Rufus Christian, Will Christian and Mrs. Clemmie Colvin; Jim Christian another child of Rufus Christian intestate was dead, his heirs being Mrs. Jim Christian his widow, Claire Christian and David Christian, grandchildren by a son Nathan Christian; H. B. Maxwell husband of a deceased daughter Mrs. Mamie Maxwell and her children R. B. Maxwell Jr. and H. Douglas Maxwell grandchildren of intestate; Mrs. Sallie Pittard a daughter of intestate was dead her sole heir being her husband Allen H. Pittard; and one other living son of Jim Christian, Walter B. Christian.</p> | | |
| | | (Over) |

1
14 February 1998
Chicago, Ill.

Dear Jim:

Received your letter while in the hospital, seems the old prostate ^{gland} became enlarged and interfered with ^{the} lower regions. It was removed and every thing is in good order.

Let's begin with John Christian and deed of 1768 to Wm Harvey. If a copy of the deed is available it might be of interest. But I have a feeling that this John Christian is not in the Virginia family of settlers. Most likely he came from Barbados. With the founding of South Carolina Colony in 1663 by a grant of Charles II, which was acquired by eight ^{English} promoters. The first settlers were from the mother country and Barbados.

Perhaps this John Christian is related to the John Christian and Elizabeth Christian of St James Parish, Barbados, had a daughter Elizabeth, baptized Dec. 13, 1751.

Incidentally I notice in my book of Barbados list 23 Cunninghams, do you want their names?

As I recall there were three brothers Robert, John and Charles Christian of Scots/Irish whom came to America and enter at Charleston, S.C. in the mid-eighteenth century and their descendants proceeded to multiply and migrated across the south all the way to Texas.

2
It is always surprising to me that this group has not been in some sort of commingling with our family branches? They may be so of the Christians who have appeared in Georgia and Alabama that Agnes Pearlman has listed in various Christian Family Chronicles from time to time?

In regards to the possibility that Mary Maynard might have ^{been} a Harvie/Harvey it is quite possible, I am inclined to feel she was actually Mary/Maria Bryant ^{Bryan} a Huguenot and a daughter of James/Jacques Bryant/Brian ^{Bryan} a Huguenot of Manakin Town, Goochland Co., Va. At the present time I have the Clerk of Goochland, Goochland County, Va. checking their for the James Bryant/Brian family marriages.

King ^{William} Parish Va. Goochland Co. Va. included Manakin Town which is on the border of Goochland Co and Powhatan Co Va. (Powhatan Co formed 1777 out of Cumberland Co part of King William parish and Southam parish of Goochland Co.) James Bryant/Brian/Bryan will dated Sept 26, 1783 Powhatan Co. Va. in his will appoints sons James (Jacques) Bryant and Isaac Bryant/Brian/Bryan, Executors. He listed his daughters: Judith Street, Elizabeth Salles, Mary (Maria) Christian, Martha (Mart), Lesuer, Anne Shinn, Fanny (Frances) Forsee and my granddaughter, Fanny Bryant daughter of my son Tho. Bryant. Also James Bryant referred

To his wife as Clark Bryant, but here name may of
been Cleare/Clere/Cleet in French.

Referring to The Douglu Register page 380

King William Parish Records:

12 Aug. 1739 - Isaac Brian, son of Jague and Elizabeth Brian

15 May 1746 - Marie, dau. Jague and Clere Brian

15 Oct 17? - Thomas, son Jague and Clere Brian

12 Jany 1754 - Marté, dau. Jague and Cleet Brian

James Bryant also appointed his son-in-law John
Christian as one of the Executors of his will.

The Will was presented to a Court held for Powhatan
County at Scottsville the sixteenth day of October
Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and
eighty-three by James Bryant, Isaac Bryant and
John Christian the Executors and being proved by the
oaths of Thomas Turpin Jr., Isaac Street and John
Chardon the witnesses thereto was ordered to be
recorded and on the motion of the said Executors who
made oath and entered into bond with John Mayes and
James Dupuy their securities in penalty of two
thousand five hundred pounds according to law,
probate was granted them in due form.

Teste, Th. Miller, C. (Clerk)

(continued)

Since the Huguenot names are being translated to English form is it possible that John Christian was actually Jean Chastain?

If so we now have a new set of problems.

I have posed all these questions of name possibilities with the Goochland County Va.

Clerke officer. Will be interesting to see what they may find in their researching?

As you may of noticed in the Thomas²⁻³ line there appears to be a penchant for French names and this may be a carry over from the "Christians of the Flatt" F.O.M. They had the same penchant for marrying French women of quality and refinement. The "Flatt" was a section of land in Ramsey^{was} which owned and developed by descendants of Milntown. They were merchants and towns people of business inclination, rather than farmers. Their interests were strictly commercial. Even my branch James² married a Huguenot Amy/Anne Macon daughter of Gideon Macon of Manakin Town Goochland Co. Va. Gideon Macon came to Virginia around 1685 right after Edict of Nantes had been abolished in France and caused the immigration of the Protestant Huguenots to New York, Penn, Virginia and South Carolina (Charler Town which became Charleston in 1782) Gideon Macon had a very

high position and was an interpreter for the Governor of Virginia. His position enabled him to persuade the House of Burgers, Williamsburg, Va to create the Monakin Town for the benefit of the Huguenots, who prospered and intermarried with the other colonists.

Perhaps we shall resolve everything during the coming year to our satisfaction.

As always best regards to the family

Frank.

P.S. While I was hospitalized I received six (4 fat envelopes and two large flatt envelopes) from Ted O. Brooke of Marietta. I have refrained from opening, until I catch-up with my other correspondence. Perhaps you received the same material?

592 North Bethany Road
McDonough, Georgia 30253
telephone: 957-3004
February 29, 1988

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Christian,

Thank you for your kind letters of November 11, 1987 and the ^{Rodgers} Henry County Deed information and the Rockdale County Probate information on the estate of Uncle Rufus Christian.

We apologize for the delay in writing to you. We hope you will not mark us off your list.

Enclosed are copies of the Rodgers Deed information with a few notes identifying our ancestor, John Rodgers. As far as we can determine, he came to Henry County in 1849, with his second wife, Laura Ann Harris Rodgers, she being a sister of his first wife, Caroline Harris, our ancestor.

On studying the probate records, we believe that they concern the estate of your ancestor, Rufus Christian, who married our great, great Aunt, ^{Louisa} Lucinda Harkness Evans Christian. We have heard her referred to as 'Lucinda Jane' but we think her real name was Louisa Lucinda. As we all know, people in those days called family members whatever suited them at the time. Enclosed is the Xerox copy of her picture which we promised.

Rufus
Mary
Ostley

We were told that after Uncle Rufus's death, she continued to live at his home place until she became afraid and moved to Henry County with our grandfather, John Pinckney Rodgers, who was the son of Aunt Lou's sister, Mary Ann Harkness Rodgers Goodwin. James remembers Aunt Lou and said she was very industrious and always 'carried her weight' financially and otherwise. We only heard of Uncle Rufus having two wives. ⁶⁻⁵⁻⁹² Uncle Rufus Christian must have died sometime before 1892 when his heirs started selling their interest to other heirs. The portion set aside for his widow's dower, recorded in Book F, page 12, probably would indicate his death date. When you learn what his death date was, we would be interested in adding it to our records. We were told by someone that he is buried at the Christian Cemetery ⁴² near Old Salem Road and Peach Chapel Road.

If we get anything on 'Rogers' which might fit into your line, we'll be more than happy to share. I suppose you have 'worked out' Smyrna Presbyterian Cemetery where the Rogers-Hollingsworth graves are.

Thanks for sharing and we hope to hear from you again.

Sincerely, James Rodgers Virginia Rodgers

Estate records refer to her as Mrs. L. J. CHRISTIAN

HARKNESS FAMILY INFORMATION

Louisa Lucinda Harkness (Aunt Lou) Evans Christian.
Born 1845, died January 28, 1928. Buried Bethany
Baptist Church Cemetery, Henry County, Ga., beside
her sister, Mary Harkness Rodgers Goodwin.

Louisa Lucinda Harkness was second wife of John Evans,
and the second wife of Rufus Christian, who according to
1880 Census of Rockdale County, Ga., was born 1820.
Louisa Lucinda Harkness and Rufus Christian married
February 7, 1889, Henry County, Ga.

3/4 Mary Bradley m. Gen³ Strawn
Wm Bradley -

Lucy Bradley - Robt³
Rebecca Price - Thos.³
Pryor - Wm.³
- James³ } Brothers

CHRISTIAN

GENEALOGICAL CHART

Always record the source of each item of information.

ABBREVIATIONS USED ON CHART

- b. (date of birth)
- p.b. (place of birth)
- m. (date of marriage)
- d. (date of death)
- p.d. (place of death)

Work sheet only

Deed 1749

Robt³ m. Rebecca New

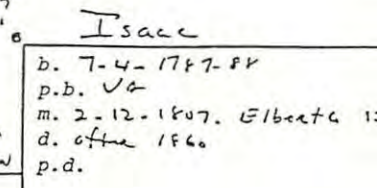
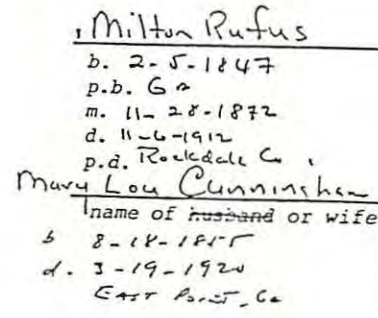
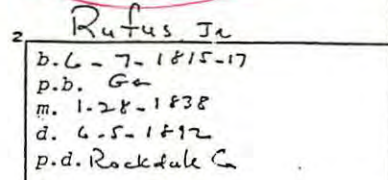
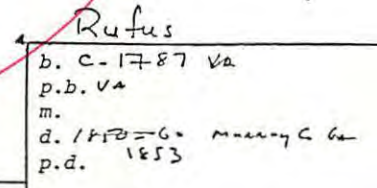
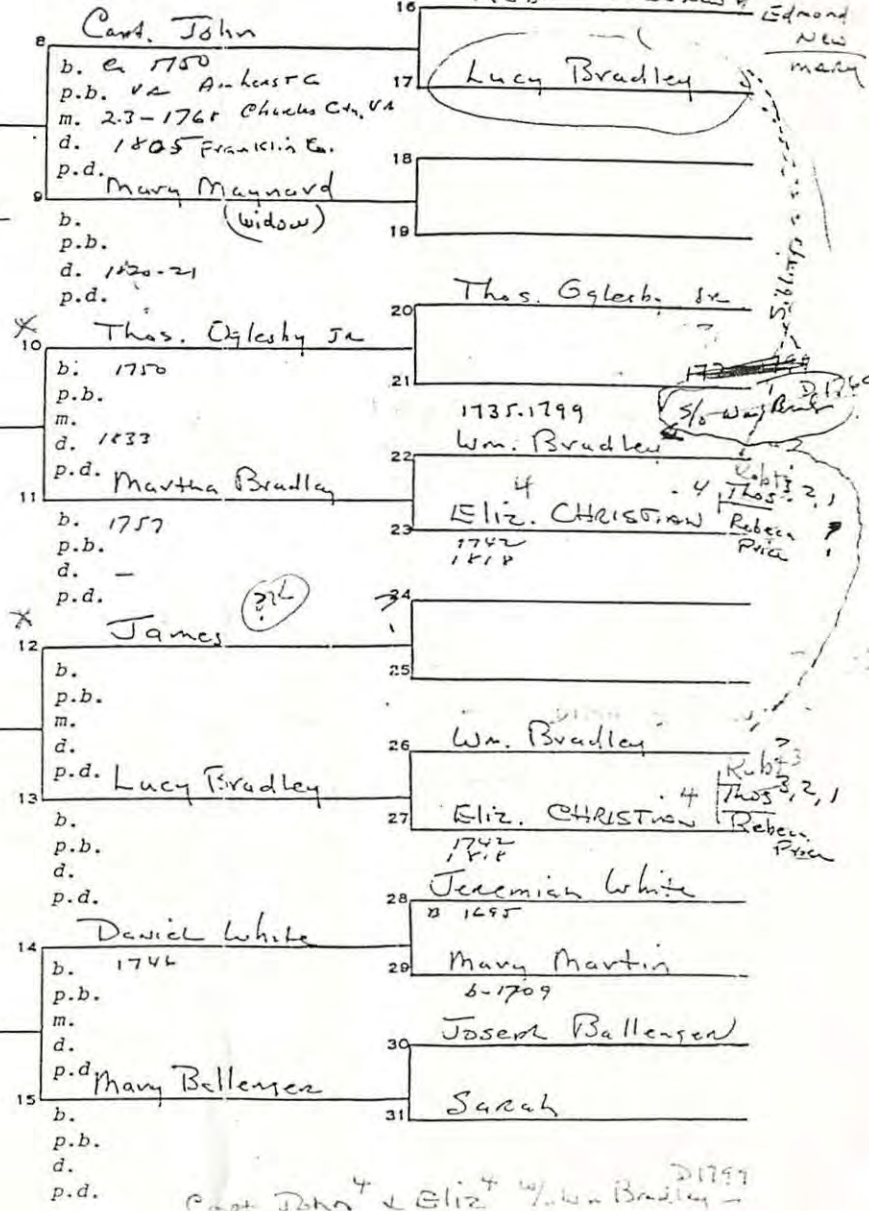


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Wm. Bradley married Thos. Oglesby

Robt John & Eliz w/ Wm Bradley - 1799