

GENEALOGICAL HISTORY
OF THE
FARLEY-COOK-KENTON-BROWN
FAMILIES

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THE FARLEY FAMILY

This story has a very ancient setting in the fair land of Normandy in France. Later it traversed the channel to the shores of England, where for centuries during the Middle Ages, members of the House of Farley contributed to the progress and well-being of the Norman Princes who established themselves at the coming of William the Conqueror in 1066.

From the sources we have found at hand, it appears that Wm. de Falaise was a courtier and trusted subject of Wm. the conqueror. Sir Wm. was of native Norman blood born within the castle of the lords de Falaise who traced their lineage to the ancient vikings.

Wm. de Falaise at the time of the conquest was the 27th. Lord of his castle. He responded instantly to the call of his sovereign to aid in the conquest of Great Britain. He was rewarded for his loyalty and bravery out of the distribution of the spoils of victory. His reward was 29 manors and Lordships in the Co. of Devon. He erected his castle in Somershetshire which he named in honor of his ancestral castle in Normandy, and anglicized his name and castle to Farley. A town sprang up outside the walls on the Frome River some 8 miles from Bath. Sir Wm. is the ancestor of all the Norman-English Farleys who are the ancestors of the present day Farleys in this community.

In the subsequent history of England we find the House of Farley loyal and faithful to the Norman Princes and engaged in the enterprises and the wars of these monarchs through out their long regime. At last there came a day when the male line of descent to the castle became extinct in the House of Farley.

After several generations the line of descent was finally established by the marriage of Reginald Farley a relative of the same descent and Barbara Hastings Farley who were the parents of several sons, namely; Thomas, Roger, Humphrey, George and Micheal. They were also the parents of another son, Fabyan who md. his fair kinsman, Jane Hungerford. To their male heirs was restored the ancient estate. Fabyan was b. in the yr. 1570, more than 5 centuries after the conquest. George and Michael Farley are reputed to have been the ancestors of the New England branch of the Farley family.

Roger Farley remained in his native land and located in the City of Worcester. He acquired large estates and founded many of the leading business enterprises of that city. Among them, he became a merchant clothier and attained a great reputation for his product, so much so, that at his death his clothmark was regarded of much value and was willed to his eldest son. Roger Farley md. a widow, Jane Allen, formerly Jane Evans. Ch: Robert, to whom he willed his trademark, William, Elliot, Edward, Thomas the original ancestor of the Farley family of Va. & W. Va., Humphrey and daus. Ceycill, Margaret Broadhurst, and Katherine Barnsley. Roger F. d. in Sept. 1622. Thomas Farley the ancestor of the Farleys in this community was b. about 1600 and had only attained his majority the yr. before his father's death. In the same yr. of his father's death, 1622, Thomas md. Lady Jane Sefton. She was of the line of the Earl of Sefton.

The spirit of adventure was in the blood of Thomas & Jane Farley transmitted in a long line of ancestors extending back to the Vikings about 600 A.D. the stories told of conquest and explorations of the Spanish in Mexico, and to the southward in which these adventures had in a few yrs. extracted fabulous wealth from the land. The Farleys arrived in Va. the Yr. after the terrible Indian massacre of 347 inhabitants of the colony of Jamestown 1622. A musterrol of the living inhabitants who had survived was taken in 1623. These muster rolls reveal that Thomas Farley & his family had arrived in the colony and were living at Archer's Hope in James City, County. Thomas F. the first Farley to come to America came in the Ship "Ann" on 23 Feb. 1623. Ann was the first child born to them. She, it is said, was b. at sea 1623. She later is rep ut to have become the wf. of Col. Richard Lee and therefore the mother of one of Va. most illustrious families-the Lees.

Thomas Farley acquired a large plantation at Archers Hope, across the James River from Jamestown, where he produced great quantities of tobacco. He was elected to represent the plantations of Harrop & Archers Hope & Martins Hundred at the session of 1629-1630 & Archers Hope in 1631-1632. There were 48 members in the House of Burgesses in 1629. He was a member of the Episcopal Church. Thomas & Jane Sefton Farley Ch: Ann b. 1623, George b 1625, martyred in Bacon's rebellion., Archer b 1627, md. Elizabeth Reade., Barbara b. 1628 killed by Indians., Phillip b 1633 no rec of his mg., Thomas b 1636 md. Barbara Rolf in 1666., Virginia b 1637 md. Henry St. John 1665, Fabyan b 1640., Bonnie Bell b 1642 d early in life., James b 1643, the ancestor of the Carolina family. Elizabeth b 1645, Richard b 1647, John b 1648 the direct ancestor., William b 1648 twin of John, Thompson b 1650.

Thomas Farley & wf. late in the century came to their last sleep. We do not know the date of their deaths or the exact place in which they rest. We do not know what disposition the father may have made of this considerable property, as the records were destroyed in the fire at Jamestown at the time of the siege by Bacon in 1676.

John Farley, Sr. (direct ancestor) 13 child of Thomas & Jane Sefton Farley b. in Charles City, Co. V. 1648 md. Mary ?

Children: Mary b 1668 md. Thoma Baugh
 John Jr. b 1670 md. Elizabeth ?
 Samuel b 1673
 Edward b 1678 d infancy
 James b 1679
 Matthew b 1682
 Wm. b 1685
 Archer b 1688

John Farley, Jr. b Henrico Co. Va. 1670 d 1754 in Dale Parish Chesterfield Co. Va. md. Elizabeth 1700. She d. 1761.

Children: John b 1702 md. Mary Willett
 Francis b 25 Oct. 1703 (grndf. of Drewry Farley, Sr.)

Peter b 19 Apr. 1718 md Turpin
 Mary md. Thomas Wamack
 Sarah md. Robert Thompson
 No rec of James, Joseph, Forrest, Matthew, Henry & Wm. have been found.

Francis Farley, Sr. son of John & Elizabeth b in Henrico Co. (later Chesterfield Co. 1703 d. 282 Oct. 1791. He and wf bur. 1 mile below mouth of Indian Creek on James Dickinson Farm, Greenbrier Co. later Monroe Co. and still later Summers Co. W. Va. 1st. wf. unknown md. 1720

Children: Francis, Jr. b 1726 in Henrico Co. Va. d. S.F. corner of Ill. 1829 age 103. Md. Nancy Blankenship

Page 3 Farley

Con't. with Francis Farley, Sr. Ch:

John b 1728 md. Nancy Blankenship ?

Booker b. 1733 went to Ga. wf unknown

Francis Farley, Sr. md. Elizabeth Crostic b. 19 apr 1718 in N.C.
and d. 29 Oct 1797. Elizabeth had a son Matthew b. 1759 d. 1828
Matthew b Blackwater, Bedford Co. Va. d in Henry Co. Ind. md.
Esther McMullen dau of Edward McMullen 30 July 1785.

Francis Farley II b. Chesterfield Co. Va. 1726 d. 1829 md. Nancy Blankenship
sister of Drewry Blankenship. Children:

Edward

Francis III

Drewry b. 1770 Bedford Co. Va. md. Mary Adkins 1794

Gideon md. Dinah Cook 1822

Adam

Nancy Elizabeth md. James Ellison II abt. 1777

Mary (Polly) b 1763 md. Samuel Pack b. 1760 d. 1853

Johanna (Ann)

Drewry Farley, Sr. b Bedford Co. Va. 1770 d. Summers Co. W. Va. 1851 md.

Mary Adkins dau of Jacob ca. 1794 or 95. Children:

Gideon md. Dina Cook

Andrew b 1797 md. Anna Cook

Francis b. 1809

Archibald b. 1803 Jemima Cook

Squire b. 1807 md. Mildred Farmbrough in 1827

Isaac b. 1820 md. Elizabeth Adkins

Henley

Drewry Jr.

Nancy

Rachel

Chloe

Gideon Farley son of Drewry Sr. md. Dina Cook 1822 dau. of Daniel Cook.

Children: Andrew J. b 1823 md. Judith Cooper

Ch: Oscar Jordan

Luverna

Malinda

Elizabeth

Sarah

Celia

Oscar Jordan b. 1857 md. Nannie Caperton dau of
Thompson. Ch; Waldo-Clint-Allen T.- Caesar-
Wm. Jennings Bryan Pear-Lou-&Rosie.

II. Levi b. 1827 d. 1888 (soldier in confed. Civil War. 60th.
Reg. Va. Inftry. Cap. Ryans Co. I.) md. Martha Miller abt
1848. 10 Ch:

Allen b. 1853 md. Amanda Garten 3 child.

George b 1857 md. Mary Farley (dau Joel & Celina
Ellison Farley) 3 child;

Henderson b 1859 md. Amanda Gore 5 dau.

Nelson b 1866 md. Winnie Quinn d ch. dau Grace
md. Caesar Farley son of J. Farley

Jane b 1855 md. Wm. McMahan 4 chl.

Sarah b. 1861 md. James Garten 4 ch.

Lucinda b 1863 md. Thomas J. Quinn

Alice (Mary Ann) b. 1868 md. J.C. Lilly 7 ch.

Minnesota b. 1870 md. Evert G. Farley only son
of Henley and Martha Justice Farley. 6 c

Nannie b 1872 d. 1885

con't. with ch. of Gideon & Dina Cook Farley.

III. Nelson H. b. 1835 md. Sally Runnels in 1854. Soldier in Civil W.
dau. Sarepta.

IV. Francis (Frank) b. 1834 md. Mary Lane

Ch: Marion b. 1864 Charles b. 1868
Levi b. 1866 Roxie
Jehue b. 1868

Frank left his 1st. wf. md. Julia Farley, dau.
of Joel. Went to Ohio to live.

V. John b. 1838 md. Rachel Farley, his cousin. Ch:

Isaac Thomas b. 1866
Elizabeth Catherine b 1865 md. James Lilly
John Alfred
Mary L. b 1872
Sarah
Andrew Lewis b. 1878

VI. Wm. C. youngest son of Gideon & Dina b. near Beech Spring 1844
d. Raleigh Co. W. Va. 1930. Md. Polly Ann Miller, sister of his
bro. Levi's wf. Martha in 1865. Ch:

Floyd b. 1866 Mary Jane b. 1868
Lewis R. Josephine b. 1876
G.W. b. 1873 Matilda b. 1879
Lurissa 1870 Henderson b. 1882

VII. Polly b. 1821 md. Jackson Petry.

Ch: Andrew
Mary

VIII. Rebecca md. Thomas Lilly son of Thomas Lilly Sr. & a Bro. of
Robert H. Lilly who md. Archibald Farley's Mahala.

Ch: Allen G. Geo. V.
Thomas H. Mary
Ballard P. Delilah

LX. Malinda b. 1832 md. Solon Meador

Ch: James Victoria
Benjamin Julia
John James md. Sarah Farley, dau.
Issiah C. of Andrew & Judith Cooper
Aden Thompson Farley.

Andrew Farley, Sr. son of ancient Drewry & Mary Adkins Farley was b. 1797
probably on Buffalo Run near New River. Andrew md. Anna Cook, dau. of Daniel
Cook & Rosanna Wilhoit 1820.

Ch: A. Wilson b. 1822 Md. Lucinda Houchins abt 1845 .

Ch; John G.

Wilson md. Martha 1 ch. Viola

Wilson md. 2nd. Nancy Roles 1 ch. Viola

B. James b. 1824 md. Martha Shields

Ch: James R. Andrew T.
Elbert John Rachel
Mary Ann

James md. 2 nd. Ellen Abbott Ch; Alfred & Albert

Con't with Andrew ' Anna Cook Farley Family.

C. Joel b. 1826 md. Elina Ellison

Ch: Chapman Julie
Allen Mary
Pearis Lena

D. Melvin Sarah

b. 1827

d. 1882 md. Cynthia Hatcher
6 ch;

E. Malinda b. 1820 md. Mason Petry

F. Savina

G. Andrew

H. Jackson b. 1836

I. Ida 1838 Md. Charles Abbott

Ch: Alexander Sarah Ann
Rufus Charles Ira

J. Mary 1839

K. Annie b. 1842 md. Wm. Diggins

L. Thomas b. 1843

Archibald son of Drewry & Mary Adkins Farley b. 1803 at Beech Springs md.
Jem ma Cook, 10 Ch:

A. Madison (Matt) b. 1833

F. Anderson P.

B. Henderson

G. Lewis Wm.

C. Albert

H. Louisa

D. Galiten Pendleton

I. Mahala

E. Henley b. 1818

J. Chloe 11ch ?

Henley C. (Chatty)

K. Philena

Issac Farley son of Drewry & Mary Adkins Farley b. 1820 md. Elizabeth
Adkins. Ch: A. Erastus B.

B. Wm.

F. Sarah

C. Robert

G. Susan

D. Rachel

H. Frances

E. Polly May

Francis and Squire Sons of Drewry and Mary went to Ind. with the Cook bro.
early in life .

Jesse Kelso Farley in his Hist. of 12 generations of Farley's makes the state
ment that John Farley the bro. of Francis, Jr., & Thomas Farley md. Nancy
Blankenship. He also says that Francis Farley, John's br. md. Nancy Blankens
the dau of Drewry Blankenship, the famous Indian Scout. Both statements may
be true. Their wives may have been cousins or they could have been Aunt & nie
John Farley came to the New River settlement with his bro. abt. 1775. He
went with his bro. to Walker's Creek in what is now Giles Co. Va. than to
Montg. Co. during the Rev. . After the war Francis & John returned to their
former holding on Indian Creek in what is now Monroe Co. W. Va.

In 1793 in the Militia of Cap. Hugh Caperon's Co. of New River against the In
in the Kanawha Valle as far as the mouth of Elk Rive. We find Drewry Farley,
Matthew, (his uncle), Edward & Francis his bro. in this Co.
Recorded in Hist. of Monroe Co. by Oren F. Morton that Drewry, Edward, Francis
Gideon, John & Matt Farley were residents of Monroe co. 1799. Drewry, Edward
Francis, and Gideon were bro. John & Matt were Uncles of Drewry.

Thomas Farley Jr. b. 1760 md. Patty Lester in 1785. d. Giles Co. 1839

Forest Farley md. Mary Mowry 2 march. 1786

Wm. Farley md. Elizabeth Thompson 1795

Clay Farley md. Letty Carter 26 May 1789

John Farley mdx born 1776 md. Jane Hammond

Chloe Farley md. Samuel Dillon

/Rebecca Farley md. John Thompson 1785

Judy Farley md. David Neiswonger 1800

(from 12 Gener. of Farley)

copied from Goldie M. Shaffer

Utah, Cal. 955 N. Pine
95482

From Hist. of North West Mo. By Williams Vol.I under Carroll Co.
J.J. Farley signed as a witness in 1878 27 June at Wild Moss Mills
owned by J.F. Lawton

Index to N.C. Wills Caswell Co. Co. seat Yanceyville

Nathaniel Farley 1788 B 294

George Farley 1799 C 355

Stewart Farley 1799 C 416

Isakiah Farley 1808 E 421 & 428

Joseph Farley 1811 F 244

Wills and Adm. Buchanan Co. Mo.

Nimrod Farley d. intestate. Adm. Chas. A. Farley. Sec. James Smith &
Samuel Martin 23 July 1847.

1870 Buchanan Co. Mo. so. ward St. Joe.

Fairleigh, Talbott 33 b. Ky. Ella 28 b. Ohio C.E. 5 Tenn. Alice 1 Mo.

Twtnshp

1880 Platte Co. Mo. Lee NIXX. 95 Dist.

Frances (?) Farley female 34 b. mo. pts by Ky.

Walter 9 b. Mo. Nellie 6 b. Kas. Mollie 4 b. Kas.

from: Mrs. Anna Coleman
411 Hawthorne St.
Smithville, Mo. 64089

dated: 26 July 1971

Creed Thomas Miller and Arisba Matilda Farley were my gr. gr. grandparents. They are buried at Fairview Cem. Lilly, Clinton Co., Mo. I copied from his stone: Creed T. Miller d. 9-1879, 63 years, 3 months, 33 days. On the same stone is oldest dau. Martha A. wife of Edgar J. Hamilton.

I have copied from 1840 census Buchanan Co., Mo.:
Margaret Farley, males 1-5 to 10, 1-10 to 15, 2-15 to 20,
females 1-10 to 15, 1-15 to 20, 1-30 to 40

I have corresponded with Goldie Shaffer, Ukiah, Calif. on Farley but so far have not connected anything.

from: Mrs. Doris Richards
R. R. #3
Jamesport, Mo. 64648

dated: 24 Sept. 1971

My gr. grandparents were Creed T. Miller and Arisba Matilda Farley of Va. She had a brother James J. Farley who was U.S. Sen. from Calif.

from: Carol A. Zerkle
612 Harvard
Las Vegas, Nevada 89107

Malinda A. Zirkle b. 1862 Va. md. 31 May 1877 to Harrison Farley Logan Co. W. Va. Parents of Malinda- George Washington Zirkle b. 5 Feb. 1818, Rockingham Co. Va. and Millie Malinda Neece b. 1838, Logan Co. W. Va.

*Child Female YONTIS Harrison Farley born 1879
Age 1 in 1880 Logan Co. Census W. Va.
Malinda A. Zirkle b 1862 Va. could have married
W. M. Chingenfell. Son born 12 Sept 1893 in
Aracoma, Logan Co. W. Va.*

from: Thella Irwin Jones
1408 Herbst
Borger, Texas 79007

dated: 14 Oct. 1971

These are my gr. grandparents:

William Nathaniel Farley b. 28 March 1829 Ky. d. 18 Sept. 1883 Collins Co.
Texas md. ca 1851 to :

Rose Anna Lindsay b. 24 April 1836 Ky. d. 24 Feb. 1908 Navarro Co. Texas
Ch:

John Lewis b. 23 Oct. 1852 Horse Cave, Hart Co. Ky md. Louann Francis Hamilton
Margaret Jane b. 24 April 1854 " " " " " md. Sam McDaniel
Mary A. (Molly) b. 7 Nov. 1856 " " " " " md. Ed Lindsey
Martha Belle b. 3 Dec. 1857 " " " " " md. Alfred H. Guinn
David A. b. 5 Oct. 1860 " " " " " md. Blanche
Jessie Thomas b. 18 Nov. 1862 " " " " " md. M. Joanna Hill
Sarah Francis b. 3 Dec. 1865 " " " " " md. Wm. H. Martin
Nancy Ann b. 21 Jan. 1867 " " " " " md. John J. Mitchell
Wm. Joseph b. 13 June 1869 " " " " " md. Anna F. Carlton
Lou Cynthia b. 19 April 1871 " " " " " md. Jim M. Arrington
Parthenia Haynes b. 6 Dec. 1872 " " " " " md. Geo. W. Cowan
James Henry b. 18 June 1875 " " " " " md. Fannie M. Cowan
Julia A. E. b. 18 May 1878 Altoga, Collins Co. Texas md. Marvin Brunner
Geo. Wesley b. 18 Dec. 1881 " " " " " md. Mary F. Hitchcock

William Nathaniel Farley's parents both born, Va.

Mrs. Kaye Farley Palacios is connected to the "Pinson-Farley's" whos write-
up was in the "East Kentuckian" Genealogical magazine in issues, Dec. 1969,
Mar. 1970, June 1970, Sept. 1970, Dec. 1970 - "Pinson" by Leonard Andrea.
Thomas Farley md. Nancy Pinson and had following ch: Jane, Elizabeth, Lucinda,
Martha, John, Anderson, Dr. Rush, Dr. William, Dr. Jeff, Dr. Allen, Dr. Hiram.
These people were in Pike Co., Ky.

This is her line as she gave it to me: Robert Lewis Farley md. Matilda Varney,
son: Henry H. Farley b. 1866 d. 1923 bur. Mingo Co. W. Va. md. Francis Justice
b. 1862 Pike Co., Ky. d. 1943 Mingo Co. W. Va. Ch: John B. md. Virginia
Amburgery, Samuel md. Bertha Meade, James md. Rose --, Francis md. Kelly
Vance, Matilda md. Daniel James, Lewis md. Martha Dutton, Arson H. md.
Martha Alley, George md. Magaline Dutton.

Thomas Farley b. 1822 d. 1893 bur. Mingo. Co. W. Va. md. Nancy Ann Maynard
Ch: William, Ira L., Samuel, md. Mary A. Varney, Lucinda md. Andy Rutherford,
Sally, Melvin, Lewis, Allen, Lydia md. Paul Alley (these are parents of
Martha Alley who md. Arson H. Farley)

I have the war records of the following Farley's: Thomas Farley and Patty
(Patsy)(Lester) Farley md. 8 May 1793 in Montgomery Co. Va. (now Giles Co.)
Thomas died 4 June 1839. He entered service in fall of 1776, Montgomery Co., Va.

Stephen and Mary Farley of White Co., Tenn. was put in Co. commanded by
Capt.*** of Regiment commanded by --- in Va. line for 7 months. Put on the roll
of W. Tenn. the -- of 23 dollars, 33 cents per annum. Commence of the 4th day
July 1838 Certificate of Pension issued the 22 day of -- 1833. Rev. Claim
Act June 7, 1832 Recorded by Daniel Boyd, Clerk Book E. Vol 7 p. 78. He was
born 18 June 1762 in Amelia Co. Va. After war he moved to Franklin Co., Va.
then to Rowan Co., N.C. for 2 years then to Lunenburg Co. Va. for 4 years then
to Nottaway Co. Va. for 2 years then to Prince -- Co., Va. for 3 years then
to Cassville Co., N.C. then to White Co., Tenn. d. 5 July 1838 there. He md.
Mary--2 Jan. 1788. John and William Farley were his brothers, Judith Farley was
hissister. His father was John Farley Sr. and I think Isham Farley a brother?

From- Mrs. Lewis G. Stott
515 North Northwest Hwy.
Park Ridge, Ill. 60068

dated: Nov. 1971

"Have a tiny bit on Finnegan in Ballyhaunnis, Tulluhan, County Mayo, Ireland. My grandmother was Ellen Patricia Finnegan. Came to this country as a young girl, with three sisters, married and raised a large family with my dad, James Patrick Monaghan leading the pack and weighing in at 18 plus pounds. (If we can believe the old family tales!) Elizabeth does not ring any bells as our line ran to Bridget, Margaret, Katherine and Delia. I was only able to take my Finnegan line back to my great great grandparents."

*note

*The above was in reference to the line of Postmaster Gen. James Farley who married Elizabeth A. Finnegan.

"David Comaway Inge b. 17 June 1928 Morganfield, Ky.
md. Marily Jeanne Stott 22 May 1949, Indianapolis, Ind.

- son of: Jesse Crafton Inge
md. Martha Comaway 27 Jan. 1911
- son of: James V. Inge
md. Mary Lee Crafton 16 Feb. 1882
- dau of: Madison Jerome Crafton
md. Pamela F. E. Farley 19 May 1861, Henderson Co., Ky.
- dau of: Robert Adkinson Farley b. Charlotte Co., Va. 5 Aug. 1802
md. Mary Moore Wood 16 Dec. 1828 Lunenburg Co. Va.
- son of: Seth Farley b. 4 July 1758 d. 3 Nov. 1844
md. Sarah Crafton 6 Feb. 1778 , b. 1761 d. 1844
- son of: Henry Farley 1721 - 1786 (Will) Lunenburg Co., Va.
md. Mary ***
- son of: James Farley 1713 - 1779 (Will)
md. Mary *** (of Henrico & Chesterfield Co.'s, Va.)
- son of: John Farley Jr. 1670 - 1754
md. Elizabeth Archer 1700, b. 1674 d. 1761
- son of: John Farley Sr. b. 1648 Charles City Co., Va. d. 1732 Chesterfield Co., Va.
md. Mary *** b. 1652 Henrico Co., Va.
- son of: Thomas Farley 1600 England
md. Lady Jane Sefton b. 1604
- son of: Roger Farley 1565 Worcester, Eng. d. Sept. 1622 City of Worcester, Eng.
md. Jane Evans
- son of: Reginald Farley b. 1530 Towthrope, Yorkshire, Eng.

Note: John Farley Sr. wife Mary, lived in Henrico Co., Va. & Chesterfield Co., Va. Dale Parish - left will 6 April 1754.

Note: Thomas Farley wife Lady Jane Sefton, came to America on ship "Anne" arriving Archers Hope, James City, Va. Feb. 1623. Member House of Burgesses 1629-1632.

Early data from "Twelve Generations of Farley":

Madison Jerome Crafton

- son of: Richard Crafton
md. Leona W. Godsey 15 Aug. 1836 b. 26 Dec. 1809 Lunenburg Co., Va. d. 22 Aug. 1862 Henderson Co., Ky.
- dau of: Charles Cooksey
md. Sarah Ann King
- dau of: Nathaniel King
md. Sally Gattis
- dau of: John Gattis

After Richard Crafton died , 1852 Leona took her four sons to Ky. and married second - James H. Farley, 10 March 1859, Henderson Co., Ky. 1861 - James H. Farley was guardian of the youngest Crafton boy (Aurelius S. Crafton) and trying to get "Crafton" property out of Va. (Aurelius was then 19 or 20 yr.'s old) Our Madison Jerome was eldest son. The Richard Crafton settlement, 24 June 1861, Lunenburg Co., Va. put cash into hands of James H. Farley. Dr. Thompson (dec'd) with whom I worked Farley, checked graves and our Leona W. Cooksey Crafton Farley was buried as Leona W. Crafton!

Will Book 3 p.185, Lunenburg Co. Va. 1786 - Henry Farley, names ch: Anne, Betty, Doshi, Edward, Martha, Polly, Seth, William. Henry owned 270 acres Ordinary in Amelia Co., Va. said to be second only to Raleigh Tavern or Ordinary in Williamsburg, Va.

dated: April 1972

Re: Will for Henry Farley mentioned in letter of Nov. 1971 - ch.

- Ann
- Betty
- Doshi md. 8 Dec. 1796 Wm. Powers
- Edward md. 4 Jan. 1800 Polly Lester
- Martha
- Polly
- Seth md. 3 Feb. 1778 Sarah Crafton
- Wm. md. 8 Dec. 1803 Judith Crafton (2) Fannie Baldwin

I know nothing of this Betty but she could be Mrs Whitlock's Elizabeth Farley who md. Robert Craddock. Marriage date-wise she could be his-(1802)

- 1734 - Amelia Co. Va. -from Brunswick & Prince George
- 1788 - Nottaway Co., Va. - cut from Amelia
- This Henry's father died in Chesterfield Co., Va.
- 1749 - Chesterfield Co, Va. - cut from Henrico Co.
- 1634 - Henrico Co. - Original Shire
- 1746 - Lunenburg Co., Va. - cut from Brunswick (since Henry's will was found in Lunenburg and both Lunenburg and Amelia cut from Brunswick, should be same Henry.) or - Lunenburg Co. Adjoins Brunswick - just west. Amelia Co. is two countys north of Lunenburg.

"Here tiz!" for Mr. Whitlock -

Henry Farley did have an appraisal of estate 6 Aug. 1811, Nottaway Co. Va. Recorded 6 Oct. 1814. Property sold 19 Oct. or Dec. 1811. signed by Frances Farley (her x mark) Names: Miles Wings and wife Dicey, Robert Craddock and wife Betsy, Edward Harper and wife Sally, Gruby Worsham and wife Polly, Henry Worsham and wife Patsey. So here is Mr. Whitlock's "Elizabeth" as Betsy and she dau. of Henry and Frances Farley.

from Virginia Gazette 23 Nov. 1769: Farley's Ordinary in Amelia Co., 270 acres. For terms apply to Mary Farley, John James Farley, Wm. Cross Craddock Farley Ordinary, second only to the Raleigh Tavern in Williamsburg.

Here's a note - some 20 yeass old -

Richard Craddock's brother was William Cross Craddock and he had a son, William Cross Jr. So Robert Craddock was son of Richard Craddock.

Tell Mr. Whitlock to write to: Mrs. John T. Kovaly (Lona)
519 North 5th Ave.
Hillsboro, Oregon

Her g.g.grandparents were Betsy (Elizabeth) and Robert Craddock. I have not contacted her since 1962 so she probably has it all solved by now.

I do want to make a point here - 25 Oct. 1703, Henrico Co.Va. Francis Farley md. Nancy Whitlow (md. 2) Elizabeth Crostic. Several places I've found that Whitlow and Whitlock were the same family.

Have another old note here - Craddock Family Bible now in Lexington, Ky. (1963)

Now - Do we have two Henry Farley's? Will p.1 this letter 1786 Lunenburg Co.Va. has a Betty and our Seth.

Estate of Henry Farley 6 Aug. 1811 recorded Nottaway Co.Va. 6 Oct. 1814- this is father of those listed on p. 2 this letter and this is Whitlocks Farley. Sorta believe there are two different Henry's (tho some data I have here is 18 yr's after old Wm. Stotts death and filed under his son Stephen's name -tho Stephen died long before his father Wm. -minor children caused this)

Now who fathered the Henry -1811-Nottaway. If our same line he would likely be a brother of our Henry -1786, and the brothers I have were, James, David, Edward. I just don't know but do know this is all proved data. With over 500 in our charts and over 2,000 in general files I just can't trace all of them. Still can't find your Arisba Matilda. With that name she should "stick out like a sore thumb" but I don't find her in this mess.

Your letter dated 18 Jan. 1972 lists another Henry Farley -no dates. This Henry had to be a younger one than (Henry-father of Seth) Following ch.'s names - if a later gen. our Seth had brothers; Edward and William md. Judith Crafton (2) Fannie Baldwin. See any connection?

We must remember tho often children were omitted in fathers will. I've no lines in Mo.

From - Mrs. John Farley (Marjorie) Day
Route 1 Box 848
Las Cruces, New Mexico 88001

dated: 8 Nov. 1971

From, Biographical Directory of American Congress 1774-1961 p: 875:
James Thompson Farley was born Albemarle Co., Va. 6 Aug. 1829. Went to
Missouri when young then to Calif. in 1850. He died in Jackson, Amadore
Co. Calif. 22/23 Jan. 1886, bur. in City Cem. there.

"I have among my notes and papers a copy of a letter from a Charles A.
Farley written, 13 March 1880 at Wooden Valley, Calif. He says- I am the
eldest son of Anderson Farley. My grandfather was Thomas Farley, lived
in New Virginia. My father was born about 1822. Grandfather Thomas Farley
was married to Margaret Ferguson. He died in Va. The family moved to
Mossville (?) There were six children. My father was the second. In 1846
he came to Calif., enlisted as a volunteer under Fremont and served to
1848. He then came to Napa Valley. Married in 1852 to ---Wooden, dau. of
John Wooden of Va. He died in 1872, July 29. Is buried in Wooden Valley.
Jackson Farley in Mendocino Co. in Long Valley is my Uncle. James F. Farley
of Amadore, Calif. that was Senator from Calif. was my fathers cousin.

Another letter (no date) from Jackson Farley says, My grandfather was
Henry Farley. Lived and raised his family in Va. but he died at the Falls
of Ohio. He raised three boys and five girls, Thomas, John & Bill, Betsy,
Iria (?) Sally, Nancy & Tilda. Thomas Farley (dead) was my father. I am
the oldest. Anderson, my brother, died in Napa City. Sister, Sally Thatcher,
lives in Iowa, Plum Hollow PO. Sister Emeline Martys lives at Arcato PO.
James is living here with me. He has had thirteen children, two boys and
eleven girls. Brother James is 68. I am 80. Anderson was 53 when he died.

Another letter from Jackson Farley dated 17 Dec. 1880, from Daytonville (I
suppose maybe this is in Mendocino Co., Calif) says, I have a cousin
living in Missouri, Anderson Farley PO address is Farley P.O. He is half-
brother to Senator Jim Farley.

Now to reconstruct these notes, Henry Farley had three sons-John, Thomas &
Bill (William). Thomas had, Anderson, Jackson, James and Iria (?) Anderson
Had Charles. If James Farley was Anderson Farley's cousin he must be the
son of John or Bill (William), sons of Henry.

Jackson also wrote another letter from Cahto, Mendocino Co., Feb. 9, 1880 -
No further info. given except that the name Iria is written Clovis (girl?)

These letters have been copied and recopied so errors are to be expected
and I assume they were handwritten to begin with. Another letter quoting
the letter from Jackson speaks of his brother, Ira and sister Sally Fletcher
of Plum Hollow, Iowa & sister Emeline at Arcato, Calif.

dated 21 March 1972

"About the same time you wrote I got a letter from another lady who is
working on a branch of the same family. She sent me a collection of Farley,
W. Va. notes among which was the following from, "History of Logan Co., W. Va.:
Capt. Henry Farley of Montgomery Co., W. Va. -3 sons & 5 dau. Sallie, Chloe,
Judith, Matilda, Mary, John, Thomas, William, Bettie.

There is enough similarity between these two lists to cause me to believe
that this decent is more likely than the William Farley-Elizabeth Thompson;
Nimrod Farley _____ Slater descent you mentioned in your letter of 2/14.

Please keep sending me any and all Farley info. you get from your various sources even tho they mean nothing to you. I have several families I am working on and I am sure they are all going to wind up together if I can just get the clues together. All these families came from W. Va. vicinity. Hopefully I can sort them all out someday.

P.S. Have you ever run across -Segus and/or Sigious Farley- not sure if one or two people. If two, one married Moses Collins and one married Rev. Thomas Harmon or else married twice in Putnam and/or Kanawha Co. W. Va.

Letter just came in from a lady in Mich. searching for an Eliza Farley, dau. of William Farley and Recie McCoy (of Hatfield - McCoy feud). She thinks William F.'s mother was Nancy Allen. Your letter mentions- William (Punch Bill) md. ___ Allen - this may be the one- do you know anything more about this family?

from: Mrs. Kaye Farley Palacios
801 Howell St.
Sheffield Lake, Ohio 44054

dated: Feb. 1972

I have a lot of odds and ends which have been sent to me by different people. The following is a copy of some of these odds and ends:

William Farley md. Elizabeth Thompson in 1795

Ch: 1. Wm. (Punch Bill) md. Allen

2. Thompson md. Chapman

3. Nimrod md. Slater (parents of late Sen. Farley of Calif.)

4. Henry md. Polly Starr in 1822

5. dau. name unknown

William is brother of Capt. Henry Farley. He lived at Buffalo Creek, in Mingo Co., W. Va.

From early East Ky. Marriages: Nimrod Farley md. Julit Clendeman 10 Aug. 1822

If this is the same Nimrod as listed above then of course someone is wrong. But it may be a different one. Although listed on the same marriage list is: Henry Farley Md. Polly Starr 10 Aug. 1822. Same date! Both being in Pike Co., Ky.

Now I will try to explain where I hope my line comes in. My g.g. grandfather was Thomas Farley b. 1822. I have not been able to find who his parents were or where he was born. The reason I am so hopeful of this William & Elizabeth being his parents is where they lived. My Thomas lived and died on Buffalo Creek. All my family was born there (at least three generations) in the home place built by Thomas. And since William lived on Buffalo Creek also it only seems likely that it would fit. Plus the fact that my Thomas named his first born William.

From "Twelve Gen. of Farley's": I have traced Capt. Henry Farley (son of Thomas Jr.) over three counties of Va. Montgomery, Wythe and Tazewell and into Cabell Co. W. Va. by 1810. Cabell later became broken up into Logan, and Logan was later broken up and part of it became Mingo. This Henry was the only one I could find in W. Va. until 1830 when three more showed up - William, Nimrod and Joseph. Now with the new info. I've received it seems that Henry and William were brothers and Nimrod was the son of William. Just who Joseph was I am not sure. He may be another son of either Henry or maybe William. Although he is not listed on any record I have as a son of either. But my records may very well not be complete for I am sure William must have had more children than those listed.

On the Alley side of my family there was also a John Farley, who md. a Polly Alley 3 June 1847, Pike Co., Ky. I am also wondering if this John is a brother of Thomas.

Thomas Farley b. 1822 d. 1893
md. 1841, Nancy Ann Maynard

P. S. I failed to make it clear- The reason the other three Farleys showed up on the 1830 census records may be because --Logan was formed 1824 from Cabell, Kanawha, and Giles. So it may be that the part that was Giles, which became Logan was the part the other three were living in. As Giles Co. Va. was the home of Henry and Williams father, Thomas Jr. and his father Thomas Sr. . It seems that all the Farley's were out of Va.

dated: 15 April 1972

I have found two more records on Nimrod Farley as follows:

Floyd Co., Ky. (before Pike Co. was formed from Floyd in 1821)

Nimrod Farley md. K. Harmon 1819 - have not seen the marriage bond.

Logan Co. W. Va. Deeds:

Grantees	Grantors	Bk.	p.	year	palce
Nimrod Farley	Willia M. Cummins	B	67	1837	?

I have some of the Farley names from a master index of old Logan Co. (Logan and Mingo Co. were one untill about 1898) And as I was born and raised inthis general area, I recognize most of the places named. And although there is no "place" named above for Nimrod, all the other deeds were within twenty miles of each other.

There is a long valley, which follows a winding creek, and the whole length of this valley is about twenty miles. Here at differnet points, such as, "left fork of Buffalo Creek", "Elk Fork", "Pigon Fork", Etc., is where all these Farley's had land. This proves out not only in the index but in the fact that the same area today is still a strong Farley community. This too is where all my family came from. The valley is located in what is now Mingo Co. W. Va. This is right on the border of Ky. I have recieved many more Farley names since I last wrote you and almost all of them lived at one time or another in this valley.

I have also found at least three mistakes in the "Ragland's History of Logan Co." The part that deals with the families of Capt. Henry Farley and his brother Wil iam. For this reason I have my doubts as to whether or not Nimrod was ever married to a "Slater", as stated by Ragland. For I have found two different marriages on him, the one above and the one I sent you in previous letter. (Nimrod Farley - Julit Clendemen 1822, Pike Co.) Pike Co. is just across the river, on the Ky. side from Mingo Co., W. Va. Most early marriages were performed there, for there was no waiting period in Ky.

Also I have found the marriages of some more Farley's. Some of which I believe to be the sons of Wm. And Capt. Henry, One of them, Thompson, I believe to be a brother to Nimrod. Am waiting for a marriage bond, in hope of proving it. Raglands History states: Thompson Farley md. a Miss Chapman. This may be, but I doubt it. For in old Floyd Co. there is a, "Thompson Farley md. Polly Phillips in 1820" This fits, as I KNOW, that the civil war veteran, Clay Farley, who was born at the head of Buffalo Creek about 1821, was the son of a Thompson & Polly (Phillips) Farley.

P. S. On Pike Co., Ky. marriage bond, Nimrod Farley signed as a witness to a letter for Henry Farley. Also signing was a John Nasmon. This was for the marriage of Nimrods brother, Henry to Polly Starr 9 Aug. 1822.

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from: Mr. Lapsley C. Whitlock
307 Dixie St.
London, Kentucky 40741

dated: 31 March 1972

Last Oct. a year ago I spent two days in Amelia and Nottaway Co.'s in Va. on mostly Farley and Craddock. Had dinner with a fifth cousin on Craddock land where my g.g.g.grandfather should have lived. I found references to many Farley's in the court records at Amelia and Farmville and another place or two and made some notes. I decided it would take a real pro to make heads or tails of the vast amount of records.

Here are some of my notes taken then:

Amelia Co. Deed Bk 1 p. 381: 4/16/1741 Willaim Wilkerson sold Henry Farley 200 acres of land for 34 pounds.

Deed Bk. 2 p. 88: 10/1/1744 Joseph Farley sold, for 30 pounds, one-half of a 400 acre survey to Joseph Farley. The record showed that Joseph had acquired the land from William Gooch 8/15/1737.

County Order Bk. 2 p.35: March 1746 William Farley appointed surveyor of roads.
" " " 1 p.11: 7/9/1737 Lawrence Farley takes oath he had not recieved his import allowance for entering colony.

Will Bk. 3 p.97: Joseph Farley's wife, Mary, son John, dau. Mary Hatchell, son Daniel, dau. Martha, dau. Rebecca, son William, son Forrest, dau. Sebellahan, son Joseph, grandson John ^Harrow Newman, Land to be equally divided between or among four sons, Daniel, William, Forrest and Joseph. Abram Hatchell was executor, along with wife and son, Daniel. Will dated 9/14/1780 and proved 5/27/1782.

Will Bk. 3 p.247: William Farley Sr., wife Martha, sons Stephen, Stuart, Daniel, William Jr., dau. Hannah, Betty Stuart, dau-in-law Sarah Farley. Final settlement of estate 4/14/1784.

Will Bk. 5 p. 156: 12/4/1784 and proved 7/25/1793 for Dnusilla Farley. She names sons, Mattew and Jeremiah and dau. Elizabeth Ellington.

Will Bk. 6 p.154: 6/23/1800 of Stephen Farley. He names wife, Martha, and children, Mary, Herod, Deccy, Isaac and James. His slave were to be set free after his death.

Will Bk 7 p. 86: 9/17/1812 of Matthew Farley. His sons Peter, George W., Phillip, daus. Polly Wells, Rebecca Smith, Elizabeth Roberts and her grand-children--I list one only, Polly.

Will Bk 1 p. 125: Peter Farley dated 8/22/1756. He mentions his land in Chesterfield Co. shall be equally divided between two of my sons as they shall come of age. The eldest to have his choice. He names his wife and her brother, Henry Turpin and Joseph Farley Jr. as executors. Witnessed by Joseph and Henry Farley. Proved 3/24/1757 by Peter Farley, John Farley, Henry Farley.

Will Bk 1 p. 5: George Farley names wife, Mary to get four negroes, names mother as Mary too. names brothers, John and James, a sister, Martha was wife of Andrew Woods. Dated 8/20/1771 and proved 9/26/1771.

Deed Bk 3 p. 69: 5/20/1748 William Farley Sr. sold to his son, John 243 acres on Flat Creek for five shillings.

Deed Bk 3 p. 70: 5/20/1748 William Farley Sr. sold to his son, Stuart 200 acres of land for five shillings.

Deed Bk 3 p. 72: 5/20/1778 William Farley Sr. sold his son, Wm. Jr. 198 acres of land which joins Henry Farley's line for five shillings.

Deed Bk 3 p. 79/80: 6/1/1778 Stewart and William swapped their farms!

Deed Bk 4 p. 54: 4/15/1751 Henry Farley sold Samuel Cobb 584 acres for five shillings.

Deed Bk 4 p. 134: 9/26/1751 William Farley of Ootaway Parish, Amelia Co. sold Abraham Basser 200 acres.

Deed Bk 4 p. 266: 2/7/1752 Edmond Booker Jr. sold Henry Farley 268 acres.

Deed Bk 4 p. 541: 5/5/1753 Edmond Booker Jr. sold Henry Farley for 250 pounds 268 acres.

Deed Bk 5 p. 95: 1/24/1754 William Farley Jr. sold Daniel Farley 200 acres for 100 pounds. Land granted to Joseph Farley and conveyed by him to Wm. Farley Sr. and by him to Stewart Farley and by Stewart Farley to Wm. Farley Jr.

Deed Bk 5 p. 358: 7/20/1755 Henry and Mary (his wife) of Parish of Raleigh in Amelia Co. sold 318 acres for 350 pounds which Farley had bought from Wm. Wilkerson on 4/16/1742 and another tract of 268 acres.

Deed Bk 5 p. 363: (no date) Henry Farley sold for 249 pounds, 10 shillings and 9 pence the following slaves, a man named Robin, 5 boys named Mingo, Ned, Frank, Jerney, Ecik, a woman named Jenny, and 4 girls named Lucy, Nancy, Rachel and Doll.

Deed Bk 1 mentions a John Forest Farley of Chesterfield.

Deed Bk 15 James Farley gives son, Henry 107 acres.

Deed Bk 15 p. 268: Mentions Mary as relict of George Farley on 9/30/1779 made a nuptial agreement with Ambrose Jeter.

There were records showing the name was often spelled Farlery.

To get Va. marriages for any given surname 1600-1800 send to Dorothy Fulbeck, 51 Park Ave., Naugatuck, Conn. 06770 \$3.00

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Dani~~ah~~ Farley m. Marietta Pryor Sept. 28, 1786 Amelia Co., Va.

Wampshire Co. Va. John Farley Sur. 6-20-1791

Thomas Farley App. 11-23-1782

Will 5-14-1781: Wife and children, John, Andrew, David, Mary, Margaret, Elinor

Monroe Co., Va. Francis Farley, inventory 1802

1600 Ky tax list, Henry Co., Daniel Farley 8/c/1800

1810 Ky. Census page and line: To get the readings send to Lowell

M. Volkel, 2715 So. McArthur, Springfield, Ill. 62704 25¢ per name.

Bourbon Co., Ky. William Farley, 856-5

(stamped envelope and page-line)

Garrard Co., Peter Farley 231-12

Henry Co., Ky. Daniel Farley 357-30

Daniel Farley Jr., 358-2

John Farley 357-3

Thomas Farley 358b-4

Livingston Co., Ky. Peggy Farley 154-17

1810 Va. Census Index listings:

Amelia County, William 2 of them, Martha, Matthew, Peter Jr. Peter Sr.

Campbell Co., Va. Edward Farley

Charlotte Co., Ann Farley

Chesterfield Co., Jno. Farley

Farquier Co., James Farley

Giles Co., Ada, Francis, George, Giddian, Thomas (two), John (two) Farly

Goochland Co., Thomas Fa----

Hanover Co., Pleasant Faler (?) There was a Pleasant Farley!

Lunenburg Co., Farler (?), Edward and Seth.

Monroe Co., Drury and Matt Farley

Nottaway Co., Henry and William N. Farley

Powhattan Co., Arthur, Berkely, Pleasant Farley

Prince Edward Co, Forest, Lewellin, Sarah, Stith, William Farley's estate.

Rockingham Co., Fawley (?) Anthony, George

1840 Iowa Territory: (same same as any 1840 Fed. Census)

Lee Co. Iowa, Ocelia Farley 012100000000/00210100000000

Drury Farley 00220010000000/10100100000000

Des Moines Co. Iowa George Farley 01001010000000/100100000000

Dubuque Co., Iowa J. P. Farley 21001000000000/00101000000000

Lee Co., Joseph Farley 00001000000000/00001000000000

Jackson Co., Iowa Ruth Farley 001100000000/21200100000000

Des Moines Co., Iowa Farlin (?) Jos. 111100100000/00110100000000

1855 Kansas Voter's List:

Dist. 4, L. Farley, District 4, north and east of Osage River toward So. line. He was from Iowa but not necessarily born there.

Dear Joyce,

Yes, I am happy to contribute what I can find from my files on the Farley's. I appreciate your service more than anyone, I am sure.

In Ky. there were Thomas Miller's in Fleming, Green, Hardin, Pendleton, Lincoln and Fayette Counties an/1800

1810 Ky. Census - Thomas Millers: Fayette Co. 62-3; Fleming Co. 71-21;

Hardin Co., 303-40; Lincoln Co., 120-4;

Index, Austin Texas will read census listing 1830 Ky. \$10 per surname.

1810 Ky. Creed's: Augustin, Shelby Co. 287-2; Woodford Co. Elijah

→ Sr. 286-748-5, 287-500-281, William Creed Co. 287-2, in your sendout. Please include my request for Watt, Benjamin, & Donald.

As ever,

Louise Hyatt Talbot

Vertical handwritten notes on the left margin: "shelby Co - Creed, Augustin & Elijah", "Green Co - Dec. 2, 1835, Thomas & Melville Emune A Embray", "1810 Ky. Creed's", "An/1800", "286-748-5, 287-500-281, William Creed Co. 287-2, in your sendout."

no date but Shelby Co. Ky. Robert Daniel's will witnessed
by Daniel Farley & Samuel Pugh. Ap. - John Miller
Harrison Co. Ky. Bk. A. Pg. 95 will Henry Coleman prob. Apr. 1808
mentions Exec. Thomas Miller
1550 - Warren Co. Ky - Margaret Miller b. Va. 1798
John Miller b. Ky. 1810 ~~b. Ky. 1828~~ - Jacob 1828
Mary Ky. 1815 Harriet - 1831
Chap. Ky. Thomas 1841 Jane - 1833
Chap. 4. 1845 John - 1835
John 1847 Wm - 1838
Blufford 1849 Francis - 1838 Fam.
Cynthia b 1829 Ky. Madison Co - Snow/walker
m. Martin Wilson 1800
b. 1826. Ky. L 801 E

from: Mrs. R. J. Sadlon
2032 Mary Queen Rd.
Green Bay, Wisc. 54302

My line is as follows:

Creed Thomas Miller b. 18 April 1814 Ky. d. 9 Aug. 1879 bur. Fairview Cem.,
Lilly, Clinton Co., Mo. md. 23 Feb. 1845, Buchanan Co., Mo.
Arisba Matilda Farley b. 1815 Va. d. 1902

Ch: Martha A.	b. 1845	Rushville, Buchanan Co., Mo.	md. Edgar J. Hamilton
Clarissa Jane	b. 1847	" " "	md. John Wilsey Berry
William Edgar	b. 1848	" " "	md. Ella Jane Bailey
Mariah.	b. 1849	" " "	md.
Lucy A.	b. 1850	" " "	md. Henry Harrison Todd
James Layfayette	b. 1852	" " "	md. Sallie Ann Berry
Nancy E.	b. 1855	" " "	md. Jacob H. Shaver
Francis Marion	b. 1857	" " "	d. age 18
Ida Janette	b. 1859	" " "	md. Richard Christian
Belle	b. ?		md. John Hyatt
Julia	b. ?		md. Wm. Townsend
John	b. ?		never md.

Certificate of Death for James Layfayette Miller, 17 Oct. 1924 lists as father, C. T. Miller b. Ky.; mother, A Matilda Farley b. Va.

Marriage Records, Buchanan Co. Mo. 1839-1855;
Creed T. Miller to Arisba Matilda Farley 23 Feb. 1845
Charles Anderson Farley to Sarah Farley 18 May 1845

Buchanan Co., Mo. 1850 Census;

# 494 Miller, Creed T.	36	Ky.
Matilda	35	Va.
Martha	5	Mo.
Clarissa	3	Mo.
William	2	Mo.
Mariah	1	Mo.

Miscellaneous Farley Records: found by researcher,

"Calif. Pioneer Register & Index 1542 - 1848
p. 137, Farley, Anderson, 1846 (year he came to Calif) Co. F Cal. Bat.
prob. an overland immigrant, claim for a Napa rancho '52.

Buchanan Co., Mo. 1850 census:

# 660 Farley, John	36	N.C.
Elizabeth	40	N.C.
Henry	17	Ind.
Michael	15	Ind.
Rachael	13	Ind.
Benjamin	6	Mo.
Frances	4	Mo.

Missouri History Biographical Indexes:

Adair Co. 1888 p. 724 Farley, Thomas Quincy, Ill. Sept. 9 1861 F. James M. Bridget
Boone Co. 1882 p. 859 Farley, Edward Co. Cavan, Ireland 23 Sept. 1832
F. Edward M. Mary Smith
Jackson Co. 1881 p. 767 Farley, R. B. Rockland, Ohio 9 Jan. 1850
Marion Co. p. 924 Farley, George E. Lenawee Co, Mich. 19 Feb. 1843
F. Benjamin M. Elmira Lamb

Albemarle Co., Va. Will Book 13 p. 44, Daniel Farley - dated 22 Sept. 1832, leaves to dau. Betsy Ann Farley, living at Joshua Grady's and to Joseph Fositt of Charlottesville, each of them getting equal share. Witness, John Tompkins, Nathaniel H. West, Samuel Thombs. Recorded 5 Feb. 1838 by Ira Garrett.

from: Lorene Hyatt Falleaf
411 Hill St.
Lebanon, Tenn. 37087

dated: April 1972

I have found an Isaac F. Dennison who md. Jennie Farley, and in another reference she is listed as Virginia Victoria Farley Dennison. I think this Isaac Dennison is related to my Narcissa Dennison as they are both connected with Hart Co. Ky., early 1800's. Isaac and Jennie were married at Sedan, Chautauqua Co., Kansas, in 1884 but I think they lived at Elgin, Kansas in the same county. He may have been married before and I am sure he made himself younger on the marriage license than he really was.

My connection is that Narcissa Dennison was the second wife and child bride of Benjamin Merritt Hyatt. She was b. ca 1830 and md. 1843-45. They just meandered about in a covered wagon and lived off the country. Two of their children were born in Mo., and at one time they were near Linneus. At this time I can use any Hyatt, Dennison or Farley connection.

from: Lucille Farley Speer
1012 Lake George Dr.
Hobart, Indiana 46342

dated: 8 Feb. 1972

Francis Marion Farley was my father, born Morgan Co., Ind. 1875, the son of George Washington Farley. I have since corresponding with Mrs. Stott been able to trace my line to Thomas Farley, James City, Va. 1623.

There was an Oscar Marion Farley living in Wheatland, Ind. who had a dau. Lucille back when I grew up in Sandborn, Ind. My father did not know him and knew that he was not directly related.

from: Mrs. Kathryn H. Baskett
426 Center St.
Henderson, Ky. 42420

dated: 4 Nov. 1971

The line I am interested in is: Robert A. Farley md. Mary Moore Wood, 15 Dec. 1818, Lunenburg Co., Va. They came to Henderson Co. and settled on a farm. Raised a large family and most of them stayed in this county.

This Farley line descended from "Thomas Farley". He and his wife, Lady Jane Sefton and one child, named Ann, came in the ship, Ann, in 1623 and settled at Archers Hope, Va. His other 14 children were born in Va. This Thomas Farley is thought to be the first of the name to settle in Va.

from: Dewey Donald Farley
426 Central Ave.
Newark, Ohio 43080

dated: Feb. 1972

My grandfather was William Farley, born 1829, died 1890. He is buried in Owl Creek Cem. about half way between Utica and Mt. Vernon, Ohio and has a Government stone. He served in the army having enlisted at Newark, Ohio 31 July 1865. He was married to Abigail Laymon, born 1840, died 15 Aug. 1912. They were the parents of 8 boys: Adolphus b. 1853, Lewis b. 1855, William b. 1856, James b. 1859, Gilliam b. 1860, Edward b. 1864, John b. 1866, Rufus Ward b. 1868, Benton b. 1871. Rufus Ward Farley was my father. We don't have any other info.

Jamesport, Mo.
April 25, 1972

#7

Dear Joyce:

Received the Farley bundle yesterday. I haven't thought to much about that family. I have so many families going I guess I thought that was minor. They are all so interesting, just one big puzzle. How I do love to untangle them. While in Arizona I didn't have enough time to look at all the film they had. I'm sure Salt Lake City has a lot more than they have there because you can rent them from Salt Lake. The charge was \$2.50 a film which I couldn't see as you run a slim chance in finding what you wanted.

This is only a thought. Did you think very much about the letter from Mrs. John Farley (Marjorie) Day of Las Cruces, New Mexico. In the paragraph which says "Another letter (no date) from Jackson Farley says" (continued on) The name Irial? could that have been Mariah and then the name Tilda could have been a short for Matilda. You know they didn't call her the whole name. Also the James Farley fits into the family also. Maybe my great Grandmother Matilda and her sister were named for those people.

Jewell Christian had a picture of Senator Jim Farley. That was the first time I had heard that story. My mother had always said she was related to James Farley Post Master General. Would it help to get the picture copied? I'll have to take all my material to see him one of these days. Sometimes hearing names and places bring back things they wouldn't have thought of other wise.

I have lots to learn in this researching. I really just have taught myself. The one I started on, I fell into. One day my first husband Jewell Houston, were watching Television. On the screen came a portrait asking "Who?". I told my husband that picture looked like him. After they gave a little sketch of his life the name came on as Samuel Houston. I told him he had to be kin to him. Jewell's ancestors came from Washington Co. Virginia. Back in 1964 we went to Washington Co. visited several places, cemeteries, court house at Abington, also Lexington

Virginia. His Great Grandmother was a Minnick.
He visited some people who had the list of the
first Minnicks. The old father John was born in
Scotland. I have filled in all the families
except the ones who stayed back there.

There were twelve in the family and I have
eight of them. There's one link I'm not sure of
in the Houdons. I'm looking for proof. I will
then have it completed back when the first
John came to the United States.

I'm working on the Brookshiers. Which
I have back to Levin Brookshier born in 1805
in North Carolina. The Lettons, Frenchs, McClures,
West's, Berrys, Millers (The last three I've just started
since I read your ad in the Genealogy Helper,
my Grandmother on my father's side (West) was
Bonham. I sure don't find that name very
often. My step son is working on his mother
and father's people. Richards, Kicks, Smith, Nettles,
Bousers, Nickerks, Schocks. I don't know too much
about his people. I did run across a
missionaries grave in Hawaii name. Richard
I copy a few things like that for him.

While in Mesa, an old Norman seemed
to be a care taker and he gave out
pamphlets. He told me he had his ancestors
traced back to Adam, I believe he said 36
generations. How far are you going?

Thank you for your information
Sincerely
Doris Richards

Copy from
of every list
5/19

From Henry Donald Perry!
426 Canal Ave.
Huron, Ohio 43055
Wm Perry Jr.
L. 1829
d. 1879
bur. Burr Oak Cem. - half way between Uter and
Mt. Vernon, Ohio

mid.
Margaret Chapman
L. 1840
d. 8-15-1912
Q.L.

1. Adolphus
L. 1853 - Uter, Ohio
bur. Burr Oak Cem.

2. Samuel
L. 1855 - Uter, Ohio

3. Wm. Gr.
L. 1856 - Uter, Ohio

4. Anna
bur. Burr Oak Cem. Uter, Ohio

5. Freeman
L. 1859

L. 1860 - Uter, Ohio
d. 2-4-1912

6. Edward
bur. St. James, Ohio

L. 1864 - Uter, Ohio

7. John
L. 1866 - Uter, Ohio

8. Rufus Chad
bur. Burr Oak Cem. Uter, Ohio

d. Sept. 1923
bur. Burr Oak Cem. Uter, Ohio

9. Barton
L. 1871 Uter, Ohio

d. 1934
bur. Burr Oak Cem Uter, Ohio

This page is all I'm enclosing
since Mr. Devery Donald Farley
send me thirty four written pages
of subsequent ch., grand children
and gr. grand children of Chm.
Farley Sr. and Abigail Gayman.
All of these Farleys were or are
in Ohio. Since this is abundantly
too much for me to copy I
am only sending first page which
is grandparents of Mr. D. D. Farley.
Mr. Farley is 74 years old. If
anyone is interested in this
particular line, I will try to
send a copy of the following
children up to present gen.

J. Sadlan

1860 Henderson Co. Ky District # 2
Census July 27, 1860

family 346	James H. Farley	51	b. Va	farmer (ev b. 1809)
	Leanna W	49	Va	(ev b. 1811)
	Charles E	21	Va	overseer
	Robert H	23	Va	"
	Joseph W	17	Va	
	Johnson H.	15	Va	
	Augustus J.	12	Va	
	Filding H.	10	Ky.	
	James G.	7	Ky.	
	Elizabeth	5	Ky.	
	Aurelias S. Crafton	19	Ky	overseer

All: original census - Washington D.C.
 This was 2nd m. of Leanna (Leamer)
 Cooksey. She m. st Richard
 Crafton Aug. 15, 1836. They had
 4 sons. Aurelius was her son &
 born in Va - not Ky as census has it.
 L.M.S.

Lunenburg Co. Va

William Farley
m Martha Farley, consent of Henry Farley
Nov 9. 1770

Seth Farley
m Sarah Crafton
Feb. 3. 1778 (m. Feb. 6. 1778 - Bible)

James Crafton
m Frances Staples
Dec. 10. 1777

Robert A. Farley
m Mary M. Wood
Dec. 15. 1828

1860 Census Henderson Co Ky.
Division # 2 23 June 1860

family 116	Farley, Robert A	57	Va	farmer
	Mary M	53	Va	
	Martha S	24	Va	
	Charles H	22	Va	
	James F	20	Va	
	Pamelia F	18	Ky.	
	Stirling A	15	Ky.	
	Mary C	11	Ky.	
Lucy E.	8	Ky.		

1870 Census Henderson Co Ky.

family 24	Farley, Robert A	67	Va	farmer
	Mary M	64	Va	cupinghouse
	William	2		
	Cornelia Vickers	3 or 8		
	Stirling	25		

Robert Adkinson Farley

b Aug 5, 1802 Lunenburg Co Va.
d April 10, 1892 Henderson Co. Ky.
m Dec. 16. 1828 Lunenburg Co. Va.
m Mary Moore Wood

b Oct. 26, 1806 Lunenburg Co Va.
d April 21, 1886 Henderson Co Ky.

Have Wood line if I havent sent
it to Mrs. Baskett. We discussed
this years ago #

1850 Census Henderson Co Ky.
District #1 4 Sept. 1850

family 428	Farley, Robert A.	48	b. Va.	farmer
	Mary M	43	Va	
	Sarah A. M.	20	Va	
	John W. L.	19	Va	
	Robert E. J.	17	Va	
	Martha J. S.	14	Va	
	Charles N. I.	12	Va	
	James J. C.	10	Va	
	Permelia F. E.	8	Ky	
	Sterling A. W.	5	Ky	
	Mary C. A.	1	Ky	
				#

Will Joseph Farley Amelia Co. Va.

- wife Mary Farley
- son John Farley
- dti. Mary Hatchett
- son Daniel Farley (not yet of age)
- dti Martha " " "
- dti Rebecca " " "
- son William " " "
- son Forrest " " "
- dti Jebellaham Farley " " "
- son Joseph Farley " " "
- gr son John Forrest Newman, not of age

Ex wife Mary Farley
 son Daniel "
 Abraham Hatchett
 14 day of Septembe 1760

Wit Lewis Lord
 P Ellington
 Martha Farley

signed Joseph Farley

Pro. Court May 23. 1782
 #

(Bel. James H Farley - below - same man
as " " " 51 - Pg 1 - with 2nd wife
Leanna) () = added by LmS - from other
data source.

Salem, Roanoke Co. Va.

will William Farley
Will BK 1- Pg 31
written 21 Nov. 1845

wife Fanny W. (Baldwin)
(2nd wife m. 8 Dec. 1834
dte of Geo. W. Baldwin) LmS.

ch by 2nd m.
Seth George Farley m Susan C. —
Ann Hazelton Farley
Sarah Mildred Farley
Harriet Amelia Farley

ch by 1st m (Prob Judy Crafton)
James H. Farley m. Elizabeth Littrell
5 Sept. 1831 - dte of John Littrell
Joseph Farley
Catharine Read (Reed?)
wife of William A. Read (Reed?)
Nancy Baldwin
wife of William Baldwin
Elizabeth Kenzie
wife of Christian Kenzie
Emeline Angel
wife of Jacob Angel

Pro. June Court 1846 Roanoke Co. Va.

Wm Farley
m. Judith Crafton
12-8-1803 Lunenburg Co Va.
Surety Thomas Crafton

(1st m proof)

Have a pg. copied from Bible of
Seth Farley of Henderson - copied
by Oliver Anderson - wife of Jack
(Washington Merry-Go-Round) as
it fitted my needs. Oliver was
Oliver Farley & we discussed Farley
in '61-'62. This quite busy now
helping Jack in his office - Believe
recent Newark covered them - with
picture.

Is this what you want - Adds
ends. In finalizing my work
I've destroyed many books & Pg. records
Keeping only Library call #s. Only
good for my use - When I started -
one worked alone - no sharing so
I proved data to me. Naturally I
now note Book - Pg - Author etc but

so much of mine was done years ago.

On my pages it should be
Connaway - and Marilyn

AND! James b 1713 fa of
Henry b 1721 HAS TO BE WRONG!

Can't solve this now - Su I have
it wrong in finalized book - Will
have to find original. One must be
a m date instead of birth!

Of course I'm disgusted but with
over 500 proved family lines &
interruptions & 17 littles in one day
& 67 yrs too - I just made a big
boo boo! When I say "I'm just not
as smart as I used to be - - -"

Lewis chimes in with "In fact you
never were!" Wonder if his right?!

Gen Soc. Salt Lake City Utah says:
James Farley was
son of: John Farley Jr.

Elizabeth Archer m. 1700.
born - 1674 Henrico Co Va. (Eliz.)

James Farley
born 1713 Henrico Co Va.

so that
clears James

Having "died" James Farley b 1713
(about 2am) next day I'm wondering
if it says born when it should
be married 1713 - Everything I find
says "born" but I wonder -

If! James was m 1713 -
Henry b 1721 would fit.
Several have sent the same
names but no dates - so no
help on this.

I find James will - Feb 19 - 1779
Chesterfield Co. Va - Nothing on birth!
Will John Farley Jr - Chesterfield Co Va
(b ca 1676) ch bca 1702 - 1721 &
our "James b ca 1713 - 7th child"

Wata I sent on our "Henry ^(?) 1721 - 1786
son of James ^(?) 1713 - 1779"
a birth of one or the other is WRONG.
I can't find one thing to correct this
Can't imagine how I missed it
? Wonder if a "3" was read as a "2" -
b 1731 puts 18 yrs between & that's OK.
Just about has to be explained this way

but nothing I've turned up here
today helps -

Does anyone have birth date for
Henry Fairly - father of Seth - born
4 July 1758? - and son of James
born 1713? HELP!

Others are awaiting replies so - I do
like your "clearing house" idea. We
~~see~~ use it on several lines - with
success. But once a month seems
too soon + too much work for you.
I'd say 3-4 times a year is enough.
Most of us are pretty "spread-out"
On some requests I'm days trying
to remember who (Lewis? - David? -
Carol? or I?) claims it.

"Someday I've got to get organized!"
(Not so I just need an assistant
Filing gets behind.)
Thanks a Good Luck
Luis

April 23-1972

April 24, 1972

Dear Joyce,

GREAT ----- GREAT --- I think this the best idea anyone has come up with yet. Now maybe we will all find out something about our Farleys. At least there is a much better chance now.

I thought I was the only one who had such a complete mess of Farley names. But from reading the other letters, I can see that alot of other people are in same boat as me. It seems that the Farleys left a good pot of " Farley Stew ", no matter where they went.

Now, --- I want to clear up some of my goofs. When I first started working on my family, I was told by my grandmother, that the name " Robert Lewis " was one of my ancestors. But I have since found out better. To make a very long story short I will just say, it was a made up name, by my grandmother, to try to keep the fact hidden that she and my grandfather were cousins. Something she has spent the last 50 years hiding. ----- So now that the truth is out, it would seem that I am a " double " Farley. -- At any rate, my 2nd g-grandfather, whom I thought was named Robert Lewis, is really Ira Lewis, the ~~son~~ son of Thomas. So at least, I have gotten my two lines, at last into one. END.

I am also enclosing some new info I have found. If you think it would be of help to anyone, just pass it on. Also, the lady in Mich. who is looking for a Eliza Farley, whom she thinks is the grand - daughter of Wm. & Nancy Farley. I would very much like to prove that this Nancy was the wife of Wm. (Punch Bill). It would then fit into place one more of the son's of Wm. Sr. And I believe this is the only way I shall ever weed out the parents of my Thomas.

On the census records, there is a Nancy Farley listed with ;	William A.	- 15
	Thomas B.	- 13
	Harriet	- 11
	Adison	- 8
	(1850)	

By 1860 Wm. A. is not listed with the family anymore. But their is a new family listed as ----	Anderson Farley	25
	Reesa or Rosa	27
	Elija	3
	Wm. H.	1

Now the main thing is that the " Elija " is listed a F, and by 1870 the name is Lisa. --- This ofcourse leads me to believe that this is the very Eliza, that the Mich. lady is talking of. -- So if this is correct, then she is the daughter of Wm. A., and grand-daughter of Nancy, --- and I would like to find out if this Nancy is the widow of Wm. (Punch Bill). The Thomas, who is the brother of Wm. Anderson, is also, I believe, the Thomas B. who married Nancy Pinson, and they were the parents of the Doctors of Delbarton, W.Va. To back this up even futher, I was told by the West Virginia Archives, that Dr. Wm. & Dr. Hiram, stated that their father was Thomas B. Farley, their mother Nancy Pinson Farley, and their grandfather was named William.

Also I would like to clear up one more thing, in my first letter I stated that Capt. Henry & Wm. were the son's of Thomas Jr. --- this is wrong. Thomas Jr. was their brother, and they were all son's of Thomas Sr. of Giles Co. Virginia. The Sr. died and is buried in Giles Co. Virginia, as was Tom Jr. Thomas Jr.'s will be-

ing recorded in that county in 1839.

You stated that you had not as yet found a Nimrod, in any of your searching. Well, it may very well be that, he was not the father of the Sen. James of Calif. This statement came from the Raglands History of Logan Co. And I stated I have found so many mistakes in that history. And since noone that I know of has found Nimrod yet, it would seem that he did not go to Mo. or Calif. ---- Oh well at this who can tell. But should you find out, please let me know, then I can at least fit in one more of these Farleys.

One more thing, which someone may know the key too.... on the 1850 Logan Co. W.Va. census their is listed this ;

Matilda Coleman	- 42
Anderson Farley	- 15
Patterson "	- 11
Nancy Coleman	- 3

Matilda is not listed again, at least not on the 1860 & 1870, which is as far as my census files go. Would anyone by chance know who she is, and who these Farley boys are ?

Well I guess, I have sent all I have to date. So will close and start to dig some more.

Again, I think this exchange of all Farley data, and people working on them, is a very good idea. It has lifted my hopes of being able to really find my Thomas's parents, and brothers - sisters. I had almost given up. ---- Hope to hear from you soon. And good luck.

Sincerely,

Kaye

Will of Samuel Farley
dated Jan. 22, 1876
will book B - page 103 (Pike Co.)
proven in court - Ap. 24, 1876

Names - wife Matilda

Sons - Thomas Grandville Farley
Monterville Farley (he married Elizabeth Smith)
Lewis Farley
Aly Farley
John P. Farley
James H. Farley

Daughter - Jane Farley

Apparently married daughter ;

Harriet Scott
Mary Ann Stafford
Nancy Scott
Vickey Scott

NOTE : I have yet to fit this Samuel into the Farley family. Mr. Henry P. Scalf told me that this Sam, came to Sandy Valley about 1830, from Scott Co. Virginia. Yet in a statement by a lady whom I do not know her name, only as : " the wife of Uncle Jim Stacy". It says;

Samuel Farley, her grandfather came from Illinios. He was born in Virginia but his family moved to Ill. when he was about 2 or 3 years old. Then when he was a young man, he came to Sandy Valley with his brother Thomas. Thomas now lives on Pigeon Creek. There was another brother John, who stayed in Ill.

Now, as alot of old personal statements go, so many are all mixed up. So I have no idea if this is true or not. I tend to doubt it, but there is one thing, even tho it is small, which makes me sometimes wonder. -- Samuel named his first born son, Thomas Grandville ---- and my Thomas, named his 3rd son Samuel Grandville . I am now trying to get in touch with someone who is work- Ill. branch of the family, in hopes of proving or dis-proving this.

Nimrod Farley & Juliet Farley, his wife
To
St. Clair Ballard
Aug. 16, 1839
A - page 92 (Logan Co. books in Mingo Co. W.Va.)

Nimrod sold 60 acres of land. This is the last court record I can find on Nimrod. Also he was gone from the census by 1840. Which leads me to believe, that he left area about this time. (1839). So if he was the father of Sen. James Farley of Calif. , as stated by Ragland, then he should be found on the 1840 census --- somewhere. But heavens, who knows where. I do know there was a mass movement of the moutnian people of the area, about this time to Indiana -- Illionis. Alot going to Edger Co. Ind.

Deed from J.M. Laidley, Special Commissioner
and James Starr and Anthony Lawson

To

G. W. Taylor

June 10, 1875

Deed book C - page 234 (Logan Co. W. Va. books in
Mingo Co.)

Conveyed 648 acres of land on Sandy River and Sugartree Creek, granted to Henry Farley by the Commonwealth of Virginia. Also 45 acres on Sugartree Creek, also 81 acres formerly belonging to James Slater on Tug Fork, also another tract formerly belonging to Wm. Slater on Tug Fork.

J.M. Laidley signed this deed for ; Wm. A. Farley ;
Thomas B. Farley
Harriett Farley
Addison C. Farley
Clay Farley
Elizabeth Champman
James Farley
Anderson Farley

Berry and Julia Berry his wife and all
other unknown heirs of Henry Farley, deceased.

NOPE : I am still at a loss as to which Henry Farley this is. And some of the heirs named are supposed to have been grandchildren of Wm. Farley the brother to old Capt. Henry. For this reason, it is all very confusing.

First Farley deed in Pike Co. Kentucky was :

Samuel McCoy to Samuel Farley -- both of Pike Co. dated - Jan. 27, 1849
Deed Book C - page 280

Attested by ; Benj. Williamson
Wm. Farley
George Duty

Land is on the Blackberry Fork of Pond Creek.

MARRIAGES - BONDS OF PIKE CO. KENTUCKY

- HENRY FARLEY - & Polly Starr - Aug. 7, 1822 . Polly daughter of Elizabeth Starr
witness to letter from Henry Farley ; Nimrod Farely & John Nasmon
File # 9
- NIMROD FARLEY & Juliet Clendennen - Aug. 7, 1822 File # 10
- WILLIAM FARLEY & Betsy Phillips - no date, most likely about 1823. Betsy daughter
of Henry Phillips File # 56
- POLLY FARLEY & Thomas Champman - Bonded July 18, 1829. Both of lawful age. Married
July 19, 1829 File # 213
- SAMUEL FARLEY & Matilda Taylor - April 14, 1839. Matilda daughter of Mary Ann Taylor
File 586
- JOHN FARLEY & Matilda Stafford - June 30, 1833. Matilda daughter of Nancy Stafford,
of Pike Co. who stated that Matilda was of lawful age. (This Nancy
is the widow of John Stafford, her maiden name was Runyan, they were
married on May 10, 1803 in Tazewell Co. Virginia. Runyan genealogy
states that this John Farley was the brother of Wm. above.) File # 586
- THOMAS FARLEY & Nancy Ann Maynard - May 6, 1841. Nancy daughter of Wm. Maynard. Bond
signed by Wm. Maynard & Thomas Farley. File # 673
- WILLIAM FARLEY & Polly Runyan - Aug. 6, 1846. Thomas Farley made oath that Wm. was
over 21 years old. Polly daughter of Henry Runyan, who gave oral con-
sent. File 874
- JOHN FARLEY & Polly Alley - June 3, 1847. Richard Keesee, guardian for John Farley
gave oral consent. Polly daughter of Paul Alley. File # 925
- JESSEE FARLEY & Elizabeth McCoy - Bonded Ap. 10, 1847. Bond signed by Jessee Farley
and Samuel Farley. Elizabeth daughter of John McCoy. File # 1029
- POLLY FARLEY (MRS POLLY FARLEY) & Joseph May - March 13, 1851. File 1176
- THOMAS FARLEY & Nancy Pinson - Dec. 25, 1860. Nancy daughter of Allen Pinson & 2nd
wife Elizabeth Lee Smith (former wife of Wm. Smith). File # 1583
- THOMAS G. FARLEY & Lucy Retnerford - Feb. 28, 1861. Both 21 years old and born in
Ky. Lucy daughter of Reuben Retnerford, and Thomas son of Samuel
& Matilda (Taylor) Farley. File # 1658
- MARY ANN FARELY & Monterville Stafford - no date on marriage. Bonded March 20, 1862
Mary Ann daughter of Samuel & Matilda Farley. File 1719

NOTE : Some of the information given above, such as some of the parents of those mar-
ring Farleys, is not on the Bonds, but I have it from other sources.

FARLEY'S WHO FOUGHT IN EARLY WARS: MOST OF THESE WERE FROM VIRGINIA AND WHAT IS NOW W. VA.

NATIONAL ARCHIVES, WASHINGTON, D.C. GENERAL INDEX 40067, REVOLUTIONARY WAR:

Francis Farley -- Capt. Adam Clement's Co. Va. Militia
 Cpl. Hins'l Farley -- 3rd Artillery Reg't, Continental Troops.
 James Farley --- Indpt. Companies of Artificers, Carpenters & Bakers, Continental Troops
 Jonathan Farley --- 8 Reg't Continental Troops
 2nd Lt. & Q.M. Michael Farley -- 26 Reg't Continental Troops
 Pvt. Samuel Farley (Farly) -- Indpt. Co. of Artificers, Carpenters & Bakers, Continental Troops.
 Solomon Farley --- 8 Reg't Continental Troops
 Thomas Farley --- 6 South Carolina Regiment.

REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIERS OF VIRGINIA * DAR

Stephen Farley S. of W. 1835 Pen. 3 Tenn. 109.
 Francis Farley (Halifax Co) S. of W. 1835 Pen 2, -9
 Daniel Farley (Amelia Co) Aud. acct. Xv534.
 Nathaniel Farley Aud. acct. XVIII 444
 Obe Farley Aud. acct. XVIII 683
 William Farley Aud. acct. XVIII 443.

Revolutionary War Pension Claim File No. W 78 Va.

Stephen Farley b 18 June 1762, Amelia Co. Va. d 5 July 1838, White Co. Tenn. Md. Mary Mitchell, 2 Jan. 1788, Amelia Co. Va. She b. 2 Jan. 1767.
 Judith Farley, widow of John Farley, brother of the soldier, was living in 1840 in White Co. Tenn. Isham Farley, the son of John Farley was living in White Co. Tenn. in 1840, Jeremiah Farley was living in White Co. Tenn. in 1840.
 Stephen Farley substituted for his brother William Farley. Stephen Farley enlisted in Amelia Co. Va. when he was 17 years old. He moved from Amelia Co. to Franklin Co. Va., lived there six years, moved to Rowan Co. N.C., where he lived two years. Stephen returned to Va. & settled in Lunenburg Co., where he remained for about four years, then moved to Nottaway Co. Va. and stayed about two years, moving to Prince Edward Co. Va. for a three year stay. Stephen then went to Coswell Co. N.C. for a short stay. He then moved to White Co. Tenn. where he lived untill he died.

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1793 Pvt. Jonathan Farley (Farlo) 9 Trotter's Reg't. Ky. Militia 1793
 " Stith Farleigh Va. Reg't. Cav. (Holcolne)
 " Ferris Farler 10 Reg't. (Boswell's) Ky.
 " Gideon Farler 5 Reg't. Va. Militia
 " Alexander Farley 2 Reg't. Va. (Lt. Col. Ambler, Lt. Col. Brown)
 " Berkeley Farley 2 Reg't. (Sharp's) Va.
 " Branch Farley 7 Reg't. (Saunders's) Va.
 " Clay Farley 14 Reg't. (Mitchisson's) Ky.
 " Daniel " 2 Reg't. (Lt. Col. Ambler, Lt. Col. Brown) Va.
 " " " 2 Reg't. (Sharp's) Va.
 " " " 13 Reg't (Gray's) Ky.
 " David Farley Montgomery's Reg't. Penn.
 " " " 5 Reg't. (Atkinson's) N.C.
 Sgt. Edward Farley Capt. Jeter's Co. Art'y Va.
 Pvt. " " 5 Reg't Va. Militia
 " " " 53 Reg't. (Aug. 1814 -Jan. 1815) Va. (Filed John Farley)
 " Forrest Farley Bradley's Reg't. Va.
 " George Farley I Reg't (Weirrick's) Penn.
 Cpl. Henry Farley Bradley's Reg't. Va.
 Pvt. Henry Farley Capt. Jeter's Co. Art'y Va.
 Pvt. Henry Farley 6 Reg't. (Sharps) Va. see also Jeter Boyer
 " " " 98 Reg't (Green's) Va.
 " Hugh Farley Jr. 50 Reg't (McCleary's) New York

Pvt. James Farley 1 Reg't (Yancey's) Va. Original filed under William Collier
 " " " 4 Reg't. (Lt. Col. Huston, Lt. Col. Wooding) Va.
 " Jesse Farley Austin's Reg't S.C.
 1st Lt. Jesse Farley Coffee's Brigade, Cav. & Mtd Gunmen Tenn. Vol.
 see also Jesse Farley 2 Reg't. Mtd. Gunmen (Williamson's) Tenn. Vol.
 Pvt. John Farley 1 Reg't Cavalry (Heth's) Va. Original filed under William Hill
 " " " 1 Reg't (Truehart's) Va.
 " " " 1 Reg't (Weirick's) Penn. Filed under John Fagley
 " " " 2 Reg't (Benton's) Tenn.
 Cornet John Farley 23 Reg't (Brown's) Va.
 Pvt. " " 53 Reg't (Aug. 1814-Jan 1815) Va.
 " John B. Farley 5 Reg't (Atkinson's) N.C.
 " John J. or I. Farley 3 Reg't (Dickerson's) Va.
 " John T. Farley 6 Reg't (Sharp's) Va.
 " " " 98 Reg't (Green's) Va.
 "-Cpl. Joseph F. Farley 2 Reg't (Thomas') mounted Ky. Vol's.
 " Labon Farley 5 Reg't (Atkinson's) N.C.
 Cpl. Lewellin Farley 1 Reg't Cav. (Holcombe's) Va.
 Pvt. Peter Farley 2 Reg't (Lotz's) Penn.
 Sgt. Pleasant Farley 1 Corp's d' Elite (Randolph's) Va.
 Pvt. Raleigh Farley 2 Reg't (Ballowe's) Va.
 " Richard Farley 4 Reg't (Lt. Col. McDowell, Lt. Col. Koontz, Lt. Col. Chilton) Va.
 " Robert Farley Nash's Reg't S.C. Vol's.
 " Thomas Farley Bradley's Reg't Va. Militia Original filed under Thompson Farley
 " " " 7 Reg't (Saunders's) Va.
 " " " 8 Reg't (Callaway's) Mtd. Ky. Vol's.
 " William Farley Rangers United States Vol's.
 " " " Bradley's Reg't Va. see also John Scott
 " " " 1 Reg't (Johnston's) Georgia Militia
 " William N. Farley 7 Reg't (Gray's) Va.
 Cpl. Henry Farlow 6 Reg't Va. (Lt. Col. Dickinson, Lt. Col. Scott, Lt. Col. Cloeman)
 Pvt. " " 83 Reg't (Scott's) Va.
 Ensign John Farlow 2 Reg't (Tisdale's) N.C. Original filed under John Farlow
 Pvt. John Farlow 6 Reg't (Coleman's) Aug. -Dec. 1814 Va.
 " Josiah Farlow 1 Reg't (Byrne's) Va.
 " Robert " 77 Reg't (Feb.-Mar. 1815) Va.
 " William " 26 Reg't (Auld's) Maryland

EARLY CENSUS RECORDS (1790) FROM THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES, WASHINGTON, D.C.

1790 Census of Va. (taken from some manuscript lists of state enumerations 1782, 1783, 1784, 1785, also the tax lists of Greenbrier Co. from 1783 to 1785.)

1782 Amelia Co. Va.

NAME	NO. IN FAMILY
John Farley	4
Stephen Farley	2
William Farley	3
Nathaniel Farley	4
Stewart Farley	6
Daniel Stewart Farley	1
Henry Farley	6
James Farley	7
William Farley Jr.	5
Sarah Farley	5
William Farley	5

1783 Powhatan Co. Va.

NAME	NO. IN FAMILY
Matthew Farley Jr.	9
1785 Halifax Co. Va.	
Hannah Farley	7
1783 Prince Edward Co. Va.	
Jeremiah Farley	6
1785 Prince Edward Co. Va.	
Jeremiah Farley	6

1785 Amelia Co. Va.

Stephen Farley	4
William Farley	7
James Farley	6

Matt Farley	9
Mary Farley	5
Henry Farley	6
Mary Farley	1
Nathaniel Farley	7

1782 Charlotte Co. Va.
Mary Farley

1783-86 Greenbrier Co. (W.) Va.
Francis Farley
John Farley
Matt Farley
" "
Hugh Farley

1820 Prince Edward Co. Va. Census	1-10	10-16	16-26	26-45	45-over			
Elizabeth Farley		1F	1M 2F	1F				
Branch A. Farley			1M 1F					
Seth Farley	1M 1F		1F	1M				
Jeremiah Farley	1F		1F	1M				
1810 Bedford Co. Va. Census					1M			
Edward Farley								
1820 Kanawha Co. (W.) Va. (Kanawha Co. W. Va. formed 1789 from Greenbrier & Montgomery)	1-10	10-16	16-18	18-45				
Elizabeth Farley	2M 1F	1M 1F	1M	1F				
1830 Kanawha Co.	1-5	5-10	10-15	20-30	40-50			
Bailey Farler	1F			1M 1F				
Elizabeth Farley		1M	2M		1F			
1840 Kanawha Co.	1-5	5-10	10-15	15-20	20-30	30-40	40-50	Over 50
Bayliss G. Farley	3F	1F		1M		2M 1F		1M
Wesley Farley	2M	1F 1M			1F	1M		
Gideon Farley					1F 1M			1M
Wesley Farley	2M	1F 1M			1F 1M			
Riley Farley		1F			1M			
Henry Farley	1M 1F				1F 1M			
William Farley					1F 1M			
Archibald Farley	2M 1F	1M	1M	2M	1F 1M			
Archibald D. Farley	1M 1F	1M 1F			1F		1M	1F
Snelling Farley	2M			1F	1M		1F	1M

1850 Kanawha Co.	Age	Sex	Born
Snelling C. Farley	43	M	Ky.
Sally Ferguson	50	F	
Sally Farley	11	F	
Julia A. Farley	7	F	
Archillis D. Farley	42	M	Va.
Sarah	36	F	
Ann E.	17	F	
James W.	14	M	
Mary F.	13	F	
Ellen	8	F	
Edgar	3	M	
Alice	1 Mo.	F	
John W. Farley	32	M	Va.
Elizabeth	20	F	Eng.
William P.	1	M	
John Cook	52	M	
Mary A.	43	F	
Margaret Farley	15	F	
Julia A. Cook	11	F	
Baldwin Cook	10	M	
Gideon Farley	26	M	

Name	Age	Sex	Born
Bayless G. Farley	45	M	Ky.
Helen	43	F	
Virginia	15	F	
Salina	13	F	
Almira	11	F	
Robert H.	9	M	
Francis Farley	37	M	
Frances	28	F	
Martha	12	F	
Alfred E.	1	M	
Fanny	1 Mo.	F	
Sarah E.	9	F	

1860 Kanawha Co. W. Va. Census	Age	Sex	Born	Name	Age	Sex	Born
Snelling C. Farley	54	M	Ky.	Bayliss G. Farley	56	M	Ky.
Fanny	30	F		Hellen	53	F	Va.
Julia A.	16	F		Virginia	23	F	
Fanny	4	F		Salena	21	F	
Harvey	1	M		Robert	17	M	
Walter	10	M		Elizabeth	78	F	
Gideon Farley	40	M		John Farley	43	M	Va.
Elizabeth	19	F		Elizabeth	30	F	Eng.
Susan Moss	26	F		William	12	M	
Hannah	10	F		Thomas	10	M	
				Anna	6	F	
				Harvey	4	M	
				Helen	1	F	
Francis H. Farley	47	M		Archillis Farley	52	M	Va.
Frances	40	F		Sarah	45	F	
Martha	22	F		Mary	21	F	
Alfred	11	M		Ellen P.	19	F	
Fanny	9	F		Edgar	13	M	
David	6	M		Alice	11	F	
Mary	4	F		Elizabeth	8	F	
Samuel	2	M					
George W. Farley	29	M		Berry Farley	60	M	
Elizabeth	27	F		Ann	44	F	
America	2	F					
George W.	9 Mo.	M					
Washington Farley	21	M		John Farley	56	M	Va.
Judith E.	21	F		Susan	50	F	Va.
John H.	4	M		Jackson	17	M	
				John H.	15	M	
Hezekiah Farley	38	M		Josephine	8	F	
Louisa J.	32	F		Marcena	6	F	
Serepta J.	12	F		Catherine	4	F	
Lauretta	10	F					
Genevive E.	8	F		Dreden Farley	26	M	
				Susan	19	F	
Columbus Farley	31	M		Vanilla	3	F	
Susan	27	F		Eliza A.	4 Mo.	F	
William H.	8	M					
Jane F.	6	F		Nathan Farley	66	M	
Francis M.	4	M		Margaret	71	F	
John C.	9 Mo.	M		Jane	20	F	
Dryden Pauley	2 9	M		Eliza	17	F	
				Lorinza	15	M	
				Noah	13	M	
1870 Kanawha Co. Census							
Adam D. Farley	63	M		Noah Drew Farley	54	M	
Sally	57	F		Catherine A.	48	F	
Mealy	18	F		Wesley	15	M	
Ann R.	37	F		Vanilla	12	F	
Stephen Rigg	41	M		Marietta	18	F	
Henry	9	M		Fannie C.	4	F	
Eddy	7	M		Luvenia	2	F	
Sally	4	F					
Annie	3	F					

Capt. Snelling C. Farley 64 M
 Fanny 37 F
 Fanny 13 F
 Harvey 11 M

Mary Farley 40 F
 John 15 M
 Mekiel 13 M
 Timothy 11 M
 Catherine 8 F

Bayless Farley 65 M Ky.
 Hellen 63 F Va.
 Robert 27 M

Columbus C. Farley 40 M
 Susan C. 39 F
 William H. 17 M
 Jane 15 F
 Francis M. 13 M
 John C. 11 M
 Columbus J. 9 M
 George S. 6 M
 Oscar S. 3 M

Frances Farley 48 F
 Fanny 19 F
 David 17 M
 Mollie 16 F
 Samuel 12 M
 Nannie 9 F

1850 Boone Co. (W.) Va. Census

Henry Farley 40 M
 Margaret 35 F
 Leanzy 18 F
 Charles 14 M
 Meredith 11 M
 Nicholas 7 M
 Elizabeth 5 F
 Malvina 2 F
 Gideon Farley Sr. 75 M
 Mary 64 F

John Wesley Farley 44 M
 Sarah 37 F
 Savinah 17 F
 Edward 14 M
 William 12 M
 Leonard 10 M
 Perry 8 M
 John 6 M
 Adam 3 M
 Noah 6 Mo. M
 Noah Farley 27 M
 Katherine 22 F
 Margaret 2 F
 Joseph Adkins 15 M

1860 Boone Co. Census

Joshua Bradley 23 M
 Caroline 23 F
 Sarah Farley 18 F
 Noah Farley 35 M
 Catherine 33 F
 Almeda 8 F
 John Wesley 6 M
 Julia E. 4 F
 Vanilla A. 1 F

John Wesley Farley 55 M
 Sarah 46 F
 Edward 24 M
 William 22 M
 Leonard 21 M
 Perry 18 M
 John 16 M
 Noah 10 M
 Cumberland 7 M
 Polly 3 F
 Sarah 1 F

1870 Boone Co. Census

John Wesley Farley 68 M
 Sarah 50 F
 Noah 20 M
 Cumberland 18 M
 Sarah 12 F
 Mary 13 F
 Leonard Farley 34 M

Perry Farley 28 M
 Harriett 25 F
 Louisa 3 F
 Blackburn 1 M
 Edward Farley 36 M
 Julia 30 F
 Corn O'brien N.P. 6 M
 John 4 Mo. M

1820 Cabell Co. (Cabell Co. formed 1809 from Kanawha Co.)

Name	1-10	10-16	16-26	45 & over
George Farley	1M 1F	2M 1F	2M 1F	1F
Henry Farley		1M		1F 1M

Wyoming Co. W. Va. Census

James Farley	34	M	Jackson Farley	55	M
Nancy J.	28	F	Elizabeth	40	F
Elbert Perdue	10	M (stepson)	John H.	17	M
Sarah J. Farley	4	F (dau.)	Lucy Jane	14	F
Susan V.	1	F "	Henry M.	12	M
			Joseph W.	10	M
			Masten J.	7	M
			Sarah L.	2	F

1830 Logan Co. W. Va. (formed in 1824 from Cabell, Kanawha, Giles Co.)

name	1-5	5-10	10-15	15-20	20-30	30-40	50-60	60-70
Henry Farley				1M	1F	1M		
Joseph Farley	2F	1F			1F	1M		
William Farley			1M		1F		1F	1M
Nimrod Farley	1F	1M 1F		1F	1F	1M		

1840 Logan Co. W. Va.

	1-5	5-10	10-15	20-30	30-40	40-50
Joseph Farley	1F	1M 1F	1M 1F		1F	1M
William Farley	1F	1M		1F		1M
Henry Farley	1F		1M	1M	1M 1F	
William Farley	1M 1F		1F		1F	1M
Samuel Farley	1M			1M 1F		

1850 Logan Co. Census

William Farley	20	M	John Farley	19	M
Eliza	20	F	Polly	27	F
Elizabeth	7	F	Rebecca	2	F
			William R.	1	M
Nancy Farley	47	F	William Farley	61	M
William A.	15	M	Jane	35	F
Thomas	13	M	Allifire	6	F
Harriett	11	F	Sally Ann	2	F
Adison	8	M			
Thomas Farley	28	M	Matilda Coleman	42	F
Nancy Ann	28	F	Anderson Farley	15	M
William M.	8	M	Patterson Farley	11	M
Ira L. (Lewis)	7	M	Nancy Coleman	3	F
Samuel	5	M	Henry D. Farley	20	M
Lucinda	4	F	Henry Farley	60	M
Sally	1	F	Polly	44	F
Melvin	7 Mo.	M	Elizabeth	14	F
Nancy Farley	11	F			

1860 Logan Co. Census

Thomas Farley	38	M	John Farley	30	M
Nancy Ann	38	F	Polly	36	F
William M.	18	M	Rebecca	12	F
Ira L.	17	M	William	10	M
Samuel G.I.	15	M	Martha A.	9	F
Lucinda	14	F	John H.	7	M
Sally	12	F	Paul	6	M
Melvin	10	M	Charity	3	F
Louisa	8	F	Floyd	1	M
Allen	6	M	Mary A.	2 Mo.	F
Polly	4	F			
Charlotte	3	F			
Blow Ann	1	F			

Con't-1860 Logan Co.

Jesse Farley	32	M	Va.
Elizabeth	28	F	Ky.
William T.	9	M	
John W.	7	M	
Polly	5	F	
Lucinda	3	F	
George W.			
Nancy Farley	57	F	
Thomas	23	M	
Harriett	22	F	
Adison	19	M	

(living with Conly family)

Sarah Farley	15	F	
Henry Farley	30	M	

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1870 Logan Co. Census

Anderson Farley	35	M	
Rosa or reesa	37	F	
Lisa	13	F	
Elizabeth E.	10	F	
Polly	7	F	
Mary Z.	2	F	
Laurie	3 mo.	F	
William Farley	72	M	
Elizabeth	41	F	
Thomas J.	16	M	
Harrietta	13	F	
Buragard	9	M	
Lee	9	M	
Lewis	4	M	

Thomas Farley	48	M	
Nancy Ann	48	F	
Melvin	19	M	
Louisa	18	F	
Allen T.	16	M	
Polly	14	F	
Charlotte	12	F	
Cloe	11	F	
Nancy J.	9	F	
Lydia	6	F	

Lewis Farley	27	M	
Matilda J.	26	F	
Samuel G.	6	M	
Henry C.	4	M	
Nancy A.	8 mo.	F	
Samuel Farley	25	M	
Mary A.	27	F	
Nancy J.	3	F	
Thomas	2	M	

William Farley	41	M	Sarah E.	16	F
Louisa	41	F	Harrison	13	M

William Farley	66	M	
Elizabeth J.	33	F	
Alifer	14	F	
Sarah Ann	11	F	
Margaret Ann	8	F	
Thomas J.	6	M	
James B.	4	M	
Harrietta	2	F	
Anderson Farley	25	M	
Reesa or Rosa	27	F	
Elija	3	F	
William H.	1	M	

Henry Farley	68	M	
Polly	55	F	

Nancy Farley	20	F	
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Patterson Farley	33	M	
Rebecca	38	F	
Harrison	12	M	
Matilda	5	F	
Nancy	2	F	
Gideon Farley	50	M	
Nancy	32	F	
Thomas B. Farley	33	M	
Nancy	26	F	
Martha	6	F	
William F.	4	M	
Elizabeth	3	F	
Sophia	1	F	

Anderson Farley	36	M	
Lucretia	36	F	
Sarah A.	9	F	
John B.	7	M	
Charles	6	M	
Thomas L.	5	M	
Lucinda	3	F	
William H.	2	M	
Margaret	5 Mo.	F	

John Farley	44	M	
Mary	47	F	
William	20	M	
John H.	18	M	
Paul	15	M	
Charity	14	F	
Floyd	12	M	
Perry A.	10	M	

Nancy Farley	67	F	
Harriett	29	F	
Addison	28	M	
Williamson	15	M	

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Madison, W. Va. 25130

Dear Mrs. Sadlon,

I am not a genealogist but I do dabble in it and in local history, and I saw your ad in the Genealogical Helper at the home of a friend. The mention of Senator James Thompson Farley of California rings a bell, but my notes show him as James B. Farley. It is unlikely that there have been two senators from Calif. named James Farley and the one I have in mind had an uncle named Thompson Farley, so it looks like you may be right. What I have is a long and complex story and perhaps uncomplimentary to Senator Farley, but one must tell it "like it is".

W. Virginia was a part of Virginia untill 1863, and in the portion of it adjacent to present Virginia the Farleys were a prominent family, and a large one, and there is much mention of them in records of the late 1700's. The portion of present W. Va. adjoining present Kentucky and Ohio remained empty because of the Indian menace untill after the Battle of Fallen Timbers in 1794. All of this area lay within Kanawha Co. from 1788 to 1809. Farleys were in this area early as hunters and ginseng diggers and a "Farley's Rooting Encampment" is mentioned in a 1795 survey and was on what is still called Farley's Branch, about 25 miles from where I live.

Two brothers, Capt. Henry Farley and William Farley, came from farther southeast and settled on Guyandot River, about 1800 or very soon thereafter. Where they settled was then Kanawha Co. but in 1809 it became Cabell Co. and in 1824 it became Logan Co. I mention this to show that although they may not have moved thereafter one still has to seek records of them in different counties.

Probably about 1825, Nimrod Farley, a son of the William Farley mentioned above, moved to a point on Spruce Fork, about 4 miles from where I now live. In this rough mountain country everybody lives on a branch or a creek or a fork, as the narrow valleys are designated. There is evidence that he had built a mill there in 1827, no doubt the small kind made to grind corn. It appears that it was not well located and that he had difficulty holding water in his dam, so in 1831 he bought a better location and built a new mill. It was still standing when I came here in 1922, and so was the dam, but all that is left now is a small section of the foundation.

* This area, as well as where I live, was a part of Logan Co. untill 1847, and I think Nimrod Farley had sold the land and mill and moved away by that time, as I find no mention of him in the records of Boone, the present county.

In 1896 Henry Clay Ragland, a lawyer of Logan, wrote a history of that county which appeared serially in a weekly newspaper, the Logan Banner. I was once able to borrow what was said to be the original manuscript and had my secretary make a copy, which I still have. He has a rather lengthy paragraph about Capt. Henry Farley and a short one about his brother, which is as follows:

William Farley, a brother of Captain Henry Farley of Peach Creek, settled near the mouth of Buffalo. He married a Miss Thompson of Albemarle Co., Va. and was the father of four sons and one daughter. His sons were William, known as "Punch Bill", who married a Miss Allen of Boone; Thompson, who married a Miss Chapman; Nimrod, (father of the late Senator Farley of Calif.) married a Miss Slater, and Henry, who married a Miss Starr. Henry was quite a prominent citizen and represented the county in the Virginia legislature.

About 1926 a Mr Swan also wrote a history of Logan Co. and included Raglands material almost verbatim, so there are now other sources for the above besides the old manuscript I mentioned. I might add that the Miss Allen, who married "Punch Bill" Farley, was a daughter of Henry Allen, whose tombstone dated 1837 is within sight of my house. Her name was Nancy and she and her children appear in the Logan Co. census of 1850, but Punch Bill was apparently dead. Except for Henry, the Farleys mentioned in the above paragraph are all gone, and I suspect some of them at least moved to Missouri, but have no positive evidence. Charles Harrison, who lived close to Nimrod Farleys mill, also married a daughter of Henry Allen and they moved to Mo. in 1842, at which time quite a few people from the neighborhood also moved to Mo.

But, we have to get back to Senator Farley. In the 1830's Griffin Stollings opened a store at no great distance from Nimrod Farley's mill, and perhaps in the early 1840's he employed Nimrod Farley's son, young James Farley as a clerk. James was born in 1827 and the time Stollings employed him is a guess on my part, but it was before the late 1840's. A little later Griffin Stollings opened another store near Whitesville, W. Va., and sent James Farley there to run it, and also his son, Joel Stollings, born 1833, to help him.

I mentioned ginseng digging before. In case you do not know, ginseng roots are highly prized in China for presumed medicinal values and the plant grew profusely in the Appalachian Mountains. This gave rise to the China trade in the 1700's when clipper ships carried ginseng to China and returned with porcelain, spices, and other Eastern products. All the stores would take ginseng as readily as cash, and they were still doing it in the country stores when I came here in 1922. Though the communists have forbidden its importation into China it is still smuggled there and a ginseng buyer in Charleston, our state capitol, still pays over \$20.00 a pound for it.

Along with other storekeepers of his time, Griffin Stollings took ginseng "in trade" and each spring he would build a little flatboat, load his years accumulation of ginseng on it, and catch the "spring tide", as usually high spring water was called, and reach Kanawha River, float down it and the Ohio, to Cincinnati, and there would sell it and buy his next years stock of goods. In the spring steamboats could get as far up Kanawha River as Brownstown, now called Marmet, and from there the goods would be wagoned to his stores.

In the spring of 1849, Stollings, for some reason, could not go to Cincinnati, so he sent James Farley, then 22 years old, on with the boatload of ginseng. But Farley did not return. There were river pirates in those days and Stollings thought of some misfortune for him, or foul play. As soon as he could he took the river trip, enquiring all the way, and at the places where he was to sell the ginseng and buy the goods. He found no one who had seen him or heard of him.

Joel Stollings, the son of Griffin Stollings, who had worked with James Farley and knew him intimately, went to Emory College, studied law, and returned here to practice. When the Civil War began he entered the Confederate Army and eventually became a colonel. At the end of the war he returned here, resumed the practice of law, and was thereafter known as Col. Stollings. His father Griffin died about 1878 and Col. Stollings then took over the store. He was from that time the leading lawyer as well as the leading merchant of this area.

About 1884 Fleming C. Leftwich came here from Virginia to teach school, met Col. Stollings, decided to "read" law in his office, the method in use then for most men who became lawyers and eventually married his daughter. Soon after Mr. Leftwich came here Col. Stollings made a business trip to Washington and while there went to see John E. Kenna, one of the Senators from W. Virginia, who was an intimate friend. While he was in his office, in walked James Farley. Col. Stollings recognized him immediately and he felt certain that Farley knew him too. Senator Kenna said: "Col. Stollings, I want you to meet Senator Farley from California". Stollings asked him if he had ever been in W. Virginia and Farley said he had not been there, and evidently quite ill at ease, excused himself and left. That ended the conversation and the ginseng incident as far as Col. Stollings was concerned and he related the incident to Mr. Leftwich as soon as he returned and talked about it many times thereafter. Mr. Leftwich became a prominent attorney in this area and in 1910 was made an official in a company owned by a New York family, which had extensive coal holdings here, and some oil production.

I am a native of Minnesota, was working for the Minn. Dept. of Mines on the Mesabi Iron Range when World War I began, did a hitch with the Army in France, returned to my job, then took a job with with the same concern that employed Mr. Leftwich and which had iron ore properties in Minn. In 1922 I was sent to W. Va. to assist Mr. Leftwich in the development of coal properties, which was then just beginning, and I worked under him until his death in 1939, which is how I entered the picture.

It was the thinking of Mr. Leftwich, as well as of the Stollings family, that since James Farleys trip with the ginseng was in 1849, the year of the California gold rush, he had joined it and gone there then. I doubt the correctness of this assumption. Once, when in Washington, I went to the Library of Congress and got a California Blue Book from the early 1880's. Sure enough, James Farley was one of the senators from California. There was a short biographical sketch for which he had no doubt furnished the information. It said he was born in Virginia in 1827. This is correct as at that time, the place four miles from here was in Virginia.

It also said he was educated in Missouri. I see no reason why this should be incorrect. He probably floated right on by Cincinnati, sold the ginseng in St. Louis, and joined relatives or friends from here who were already there, but this is assumption on my part. The sketch said he later went to California, practiced law, was elected to the legislature, later to the State Senate and served as its president for two terms. In 1880 he was elected to the U.S. Senate. Further research showed that he was a candidate for re-election in 1886, but was defeated. He probably died before 1896 as in his history of Logan Co. Ragland ** mentions him as "the late Senator Farley".

*** You are not looking for Senator Farley, but this is a long winded way of getting around to Arisba Matilda Farley, whom you are looking for. You say she was born 1825. If so she was two years older than the senator and could have been his sister. You are also looking for Millers. This is a shot in the dark, but at the close of the Revolutionary War many of the soldiers of Lafayette's Army did not want to return to France, so many of them deserted and lit out for the mountains. One of these, Emile Millard, settled right on the Kentucky-West Virginia border, reared a large family, all of whom took the name of Miller, which their decendents still bear. They lived not far from where William Farley, grandfather of the senator, lived, some on the Kentucky side and some on the W. Va. side.

This letter has gone on and on and it is time I ended it. I think it probable that research in this area would reveal further data about the Farley family. However one difficulty is that Union troops burned the Logan Co. court house in 1862, destroying all records from 1824 to that date.

Yours Very Truly,

Sigfus Olafson

Notes: R.J.S.

* Nimrod Farley died 1848, Buchanan Co., Missouri

** From "Biographical Directory of American Congress 1774-1961" p 875:

James Thompson Farley was born Albemarle Co. Va. 6 Aug. 1829. Went to Mo. when young, then to Calif. in 1850. He died in Jackson, Amador Co., Calif. 22 Jan. 1886, buried in City Cem.

(I have not found him on any of the 1850 census records I have of Mo. nor on 1850 census Calif. for any Co.)

*** Arisba Matilda was born 1815, not 1825, but family legend says she was half sister to Senator Farley of Calif.

FARLEY MAILING LIST AUGUST 1972

From: Dewey D. Farley

Mrs. Sadlon,

Where did you find that book, "12 Generations of Farley". I have tried Newark library, no luck. I tried the Ohio State Library and the Ohio Historical library and I asked Kaye Palacios where she got the copy she sent for. She said she got her copy last fall at Cleveland, Ohio but when she tried to get it this spring they would not let it out. The Licking County courthouse burned 3 April 1875 and burned all contents. Is there any place in the west where they have birth records? William Farley was born in Licking Co. in 1829 so we have no way of finding the name of his parents.

From: Thella Irwin Jones

Dear Joyce,

Thank you so much for what you are doing with the Farley line, and for keeping me on your mailing list. I have some Farley info. to send you as soon as I can sort it out from what you already have. Most of what I have was sent to me by Kaye Palacios and I don't know if she sent it all to you or not. I would have answered sooner but I was gone on a trip and got home just in time to start work in bible school which will be over after tomorrow. Then I can settle down to writing again. I just had to get this off to you to let you know how much I appreciate what you are doing as I am really stuck on my William N. (Nathaniel or Newman?) Farley who has the third name, "Gideon" or nickname. Etc.

From: Lucille Farley Speer (written to Lapsley Whitlock)

Dear Mr. Whitlock,

My Farley line has been accepted by DEFA and CDXVIII and DAC. There were no questions asked. In each generation I had wills, etc. to prove the line. I have not recieved the letter you said I might get from a fellow researcher. Perhaps later. I spend as much time as I can trying to get my genealogy written up for publication. Mr. Willard Heiss, Indiana's leading genealogist has given me advice and encouragement. I hope to finish it within a year.

Misc. Data found at branch Genealogical library, Snowflake, Arizona by Mrs. R. J. Sadlon

"Index to Va. Genealogies" Farley: the following books, etc. are available:

"History of Monroe Co. W. Va." by, Oren E. Morton, McClure Pub. Co. 1916 p 454

"Old Free State" Vol. II p 147

"Richmond Standard" weekly, Vol. II pp 14-44

"Early Settlers of Ala." or "The Decendents of John Stubbs" Stubbs

"Va. Magazine of Hist. & Bio." Va. Historical Society, Vol. I p 419, Vol. III pp 359-361, Vol. VII pp 69-319-322-432-434, Vol. VIII pp 97-98-206-209-424-427, Vol. IX pp 203-205-322-324, Vol. X pp 86-87-206-207-308-310, Vol. XIX pp 429-430, Vol. XXVIII p 219.

Va. Wills & Adm. 1632-1800 - Amelia Co. Wills are available on following:

Farley, Peter-1757, Geo.-1771, Jno-1766, Jas.-1782, Wm. Sr.-1782, Drucilla-1785;

Chesterfield Co.: Jno.-1754, Jas.-1761, Elizabeth-1761, Forrest-1767, Jno-1775, Jas.-1779;

Lunenburg Co.: Henry-1784; Montgomery Co: Thomas-1796

The above can be purchased from Va. State Library, Richmond, Va. give name, date & Co.

Aug. 1972

5408 33rd St.
Lubbock, Texas 79407
July 2, 1972

Dear Mrs. Sadlon:

I appreciate very much your sending me all of the material of the FARLEYS. Although, I did not find anything (yet) that will tie into my line, I want to continue to receive the info you collect. I am enclosing \$2.00.

Mrs. Sheila Jones of Borger, Texas (my cousin) has already sent you the most pertinent info about our line. Therefore, I am enclosing some other material you might want to edit before sending out to others. You may keep it. Thanks.

— C. G. Farley

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

I am sending a copy of this letter to several FARLEY families who live in the St Joseph, Missouri area. I am trying to locat descendants of JOHN & CLARRISSA FARLEY in order to make a family renom of these descendants. A son of the above came to your area, about 1842 or earlier, his name was WILLIAM BUTLER FARLEY, called WILL aby our family. It is his descendants I am hoping to find by writing this letter. Here is the information I have on his family: If my information is correct.

WILLIAM BUTLER FARLEY was born 28 July 1818 and ~~died~~ according to a letter written by his brother in 1890, he died in 1859, he married 24 October 1844 in Missouri I supose, although some say he returned to Indiana ^{later} to SARAH WILLIS. Their children were:

1. Anna Aliza born 8 May 1845
2. Margarät Ellen born 21 Oct 1848
3. Silas Francis born 11 July 1850
4. Joseph Steven born 31 Oct 1852

It is my hope that some of you might be descendants of Silas or Joseph, if you think this is possible, I would be very interested in hearing from you.

I would like to have each known family fill out a family record sheet on themselves and their children. That would mean, that those that I find would send me addresses of any of this family they know of.

WILLIAM BUTLER had

Brothers:

1. FRANCIS H. who migrated to California during the gold rush days
2. Sibelia Ann-- no further infromation
3. Mary (there is disagreement that she is a ^{sister} ~~sister~~) who married a Mr. Mock, and is said to have lived near St Joseph, on the Kansas side.
4. Elizabeth Ann who married William M. Hardee, who is my great grandmother *settled in Page Co. Iowa*

The father of these children--John Farley had the following brothers:

1. William
 2. Joseph Forest
 3. Joseph
 4. David
- } Some of these stayed in Tenn and possibly Ky- They were from Virginia*

his wife CLARRISSA'S maiden name may have been NEWMAN--or at least we believe there was a Newman connection.

If this sounds like a family that you might be descendant from, PLEASE write to me. Is there any members of your family who kept family records?

Please excuse the mistakes, this is astrange typewriter, and electric. It, is just too much for me.

Sincerely yours

Goldie Shaffer
Goldie M. Shaffer

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I will send record sheets (if necessary) later.

Birth Date

- 1745/80 Farelly, Bartholomew 1810 Nelson Co. Ky. p 341
2 m 26-45 yrs.
2 f 26-45 yrs
3 m under 10
2 f under 10
- 1765/70 Farelly, Andrew (spelled Fairleigh in the bond)
m. 16 July 1791 Letis Harte
dau. Edward & Rebecca Prawlings
surety: George Farelly
Marriage Bonds Nelson Co. Ky. 1785-1832 Stancliff
- 1765/70 Fairleigh, Andrew m. 10 Dec. 1795 Lettis Swan
dau. John Swan & Elizabeth Vertrees
marriage bonds Hardin Co. Ky. Stancliff
- ca 1798 Fairleigh, Wm. m. 4 Nov. 1819 Elizabeth Enlows
Surety: Thomas B. Enlows
Marriage Bonds Hardin Co. Ky. 1813-1822 Stancliff
- ca 1800 Fairleigh, Elizabeth m. 25 Oct. 1820 Leonard B. Parker
Surety: Wm. Fairleigh
Marriage Bonds Hardin Co. Ky. 1813-1822 Stancliff
- ca 1800/1810 Fairleigh, Thomas 1830 Hardin Co. Ky. p 379
1 m 20-30 yrs.
1 f 20-30 yrs
1 f 5-10 yrs
2 f under 5 yrs
1 slave
- 1805 Fairleigh, Andrew m. 2 March 1829 Jane Talbot Ward of Daniel Talbot
Marriage Bonds Nelson Co. Ky. 1785-1832 Stancliff
1830 Hardin Co. Ky. p 323
1 m 20-30 yrs
1 f 15-20 yrs
1 m under 5 yrs
1850 St. Genevieve Co. Mo. Beauvais Twp. p 234
Andrew W. Fairleigh 45 b Ky.
Mary 53 b Ky.
Melinda 33 b Mo.
Dorothy 22 b Mo.
- ca 1808 Farleigh, George m. Elizabeth Quinn 28 Aug. 1833
dau. Sally Quinn
Marriage Bonds Hardin Co. Ky.
- 1812 Fairleigh, Mary (Kennedy) d. 15 April 1855 age 43
dau. Andrew Fairleigh & Lettie Swan
Hardin Co. Ky Death Records p 161
- 1813 Farleigh, John m. Sarah Fitch
1850 St. Genevieve Co. Mo. p 230
John Farleigh 37 b Ill (incorrect)
Sarah 37 b Tenn.
William 18 b Ill.
Margaret 15 b "
Elizabeth 13 b "
Andrew 7 b Mo.
Henry 2 b "

Birth Date
1813

Farleigh, John -continued:
 1860 St. Genevieve Co. Mo. Beauvais Twp. p 168
 John Farleigh 47 b. Ky.
 Sarah 45 b. Tenn.
 Elizabeth 21 b. Ill.
 Andrew 15 b. Mo.
 Henry 11 b. "
 Nancy A. 8 b. " b. 2 Oct. 1850 d. 23 Jan. 1928 Mo.

1814

Fairleigh, Wesley 1850 St. Genevieve Co. Mo. Beauvais Twp. p 232
 Wesley Fairleigh 35 b. Ky.
 Elizabeth 35 b. "
 Mary 17 b. Mo.
 Lucette 16 b. "
 Rhoda M. 10 b. "
 Augustus 6 b. "
 George 4 b. "
 1860 St. Genevieve Co. Mo. Beauvais Twp. p 172
 Wesley Farleigh 45 b. Ky.
 Elizabeth 48 b. "
 Augustus W. 16 b. Mo.
 George 14 b. "

1837

Farley, Elizabeth sister of my grandmother, Nancy Ann
 m. ca 1860-68 Ferdinand Thomure
 Ch: Marie Joan b. 5 March 1869
 Henry b. 25 Sept. 1871
 Jacob b. 7 Oct. 1873
 Sarah b. 2 Aug. 1875

1850/52

Farley, Nancy Anne my grandmother b 2 Oct. 1850 d. 23 Jan. 1920
 m. Felix LaRose 28 Oct. 1873 St. Gen. Co. Mo.
 Ch: August A. b. 19 March 1875
 Mary Jane b. 31 May 1876
 John Belle b. 14 Oct. 1877
 Magie M. b. 1879 (my mother Margaret May md.
 Frank b. 1881 James Calvin Tiehes May 1909
 William b. 1883

1844

Farley, Albertine 1870 St. Gen. Co. Mo. Beauvais Twp. p 8
 Albertine Farley 26
 Jane

1846

Fairleigh, George 1880 St. Gen. Co. Mo Soundex

We have yet to prove that our John Farleigh/Farley is the son of Andrew Fairleigh and Lettis Swan and that Wm., Elizabeth, Thomas, Andrew, George and Wesley are brothers and sister of John and ch. of Andrew and Lettis. Only proof is of Mary-her death record. But the dates dovetail and there are too many coincidences of same given names for this group not to be the same family - that our John was born in Ky. (1860 Census) and at least one proven Hardin Co. Ky. boy, Andrew, showed up in St. Gen. Co. Mo. Note that spelling of Farleigh was changed to Farley - on my grandmothers marriage and also shown on baltismal records of her sister Elizabeths children.

From: Mrs. L. G. Stott

Reginald Farley b. 1530 Towthrope, Yorkshire, England, md. Barbara Hastings wid/?Allen
Sons: Roger Farley b. 1565, Worcester, Eng. d. 1622 Worcester, Eng. md. Jane Evans
Sons: Thomas Farley b. 1600 md. Lady Jane Sefton
Sons: John Farley b 1648 Charles City Co. Va. d. 1732 Chesterfield, Co Va. Md. Mary b. 1652 Henrico Co.
Sons: John Farley Jr. b 1670 Henrico Co. Va. d. 1754 Chesterfield Co. Va. md. ca 1700 Elizabeth Archer b. 1674 d. 1761
Sons: James Farley b. b. 1713 Henrico Co Va d. 1779, Will Chesterfield Co Va. md. Mary
Sons: Henry Farley b. ca. 1731 d. 1786, Will Lunenburg Co. Va. Md. Mary
Sons: Seth Farley b 4 July 1758 d. 3 Nov. 1844, Pr. Ed. Co Va. md. 6 Feb. 1778 Sarah Crafton, dau. of Wm. & Mary Crafton
Sons: Robert Adkinson Farley b. 5 Aug. 1802 Charlotte Co Va. d. 10 April 1886, Henderson Co. Ky. md. 16 Dec. 1828 Lunenburg Co. Va. Mary Moore Wood
Daughters: Pamela F. E. Farley b. 25 Dec. 1841 d. 22 March 1925 md. Madison Jerome Crafton
(Here we lose the name Farley)

Have entire families and some "married into's" on this--our line of interest.

Ch: of Thomas and Lady Jane Sefton Farley
1. Ann b 1623 md. Col. Richard Lee
2. George b 1625 Martyr in Bacon's Rebellion
3. Archer
4. Barbara
5. Phillip
6. Thomas
7. Virginia
8. Fabyan
9. Bonnie Bell

Roger Farley md. Jane Evans (widow ? Allen)
Will 29 March 1622 Pro. 25 Sept. 1622, Worcester, Wng.
Daughters: Susannah md. ? Ceycill
Daughters: Jane md. ? Rogers
(from will) sister- Alice Kent; wifes son, Robert Allen; wifes brothers?, Thomas Evans, Edward Evans, brother, Thomas Farley; son-in-law, Thomas Rogers, Wm. Ceycill/

Will: James Farley, 19 Feb. 1779, Chesterfield Co. Va. Ch: James, Henry, David, Edward, Betty Phillips Hopkins, granddaughter, Elizabeth Woolridge.

Archer b 1688 had a twin brother, Edward Farley, (Sons of John Farley Sr. & Mary)

Francis - son of John Farley jr. & Eliz. Archer d. 1754
M. Nancy Whitlow
Peter b 1705
N. Drucilla Turpin
Wm. ca 1709
M. Martha Stewart
Sarah ca 1711
James ca 1713
M. Mary
Joseph ca 1715
M. Mary Ellington
Forrest ca 1717
Matthew ca 1719
Henry ca 1721
M. Mary

Additions - as found at Newberry Library - work done long before sharing - from Kelso, 12 Gen. of Farley - Wills & Co. Books. Various books on or including Farley data.

From: Lila Martin Wilch, 1218 Denver St., Caldwell, Idaho, July 1972

Grandfathers Name: John J. Farley (believe the initial J. was for Joel)
1860 to 1863 -Toronto, Canada-Canada to Boone, Iowa untill 1870,
Jackson Co., Kansas 1879 - Burt Co, Neb. -1882-Madison Co, Neb.
Was in Calif. when son George was born, 1877.

md.: Caroline (Emrette)? 28 July 1859, b. 16 Feb. 1841, Elkhart, Ind.

Son: George Marion Farley b. 10 Jan. 1877, Pattawatomat (?) Kansas d. 20 June 1953,
Portland, Ore. md. 28 Feb. 1898, Madison Co, Neb. Ella Grace Simpson b. 23 June 1879

Issue: Burdett Emmett Farley b. 28 March 1913, Norfolk, Madison Co, Neb. d.
23 Dec. 1939, Caldwell, Canyon Co, Idaho, md. Lila Susanna Ellen Martin

Burdett & Lila came to Oregon 1934 arriving in Portland at the home of Burdett's
uncle, Myron Farley. Sons: Lloyd Martin Farley b 22 Sept. 1935, Lebanon, Ore.
now resides: 665 E. 12th St. Bend, Ore.
Lyle Emmett Farley b. 28 July 1939, Caldwell, Idaho
now resides: 10200 Singapore, El Paso, Texas

George Marion Farley had cousins: 14 Feb. 1911 L. O. Langford, Los Angeles, Calif.
P.A. Perry (Parry) Farley Burbank, Calif. I have letter he wrote (1913) telling of
"Uncle Johns poor health" addressed to George Farley about his father.
A brother; John E. Farley, b. 15 May 1871 d. 19 Jan. 1900
A sister; Clara E. Farley md. P.A. Shurtz ? she d. Norfolk, Neb. early 1900's.

John J. Farley arrived home at Long Beach, Calif. 1911-1914
He had a brother Ozias or O.A. Farley who resided at Tekamah, Neb., wife, Lorinda June
She lived to be 106. They had children: Henry, Arthur, Ernest, Etta.

Mentioned is a Dr. B.F. Farley, York, Neb. 1912. I do not know how they were related
but from letter I believe he was a cousin of Georges Father, John J. Farley. There
were also Farley relatives in Fulton, Ill.

Mrs. Sadlom,

I was very happy to find your ad in the last issue of "Helper" saying that you were
interested in Farley family. I have been hoping I could find other persons interested
in this family who would be willing to share and compare notes. In hope it might make
searching of this illusive family a little easier. My first hush, was a Farley, died
in 1939, leaving me with two small sons. They have both asked me to do their family
history as they would like to know about their fathers family. As their line of Farleys
did much moving about I have found this rather difficult. Also I did inherit their
grandmothers trunk, containing some old letters, pictures, marriage invitations, news-
clippings which I have been using as clues. I still have not had much success. I am
starting a Farley file of all Farleys from all places, and covering all periods of time.
There is to be a Farley family reunion in Portland, Ore. July 30th. It will be a get-
together of my sons cousins, the decendents os George M. & Ella Grace Simpson Farley.
We are planning to be there and I hope I can interest some of the younger generation
to help with this research. I am enclosing brief pedigree of my Farley line, and if
you are interested in exchanging info. I will send more. Hoping we can work together
in this research.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Lila Martin Wilch

Formerly (1934-1939)
Mrs. Burdett Farley

From: Lapsley Whitlock

Written, 15 July 1972

Excerpt's: Found in Genealogy Column of Virginia Gazette, by Dorothy Ford Wulfeck, Published at Williamsburg, Virginia. Query no. 8397, dated 20 Jan. 1967; Wish parents of Elizabeth Archer d. 1761 md. John Archer Jr. of Chesterfield Co., Va. Ch: John, Francis, Peter, Mary, William, Sarah, Forrest, Matthew, Henry and Joseph Farley. Reply to: Mrs. Donald Henry, 436 N. Lynhurst, Scottsburg, Ind. 47170. I wrote her and we shared a few items together. She might be of real help to you. I'd refer to the above query when I wrote. Another person who is most keenly interested and has made a pilgrimage or two to Farley Hall in Merrie Ol' England is, Ruth (Mrs. Linwood B.) Hall, 4524 North Versailles, Dallas, Texas 75302. She is convinced the New England Farley's connect with the Thomas who settled at Archers Hope. One letter closes with a significant sentence which shows her outstanding qualifications as a Farley fan: "After 21 years I finally solved a clue that I had stayed with." I haven't had time to really work with her in four years.

Lucille Farley Speer 1012 Lake George Dr., Hobart, Ind. has done a fantastic job of locating old wills and documents and getting photocopies. Do you have a copy of "12 Generations of Farley" If you don't have a copy and want to buy one you might try where I bought one for \$15.00. Goodspeeds Book Shop, Inc. 18 Beacon St. Boston, Mass. 02108

Written, 4 Aug. 1972, w/enc. from Lucille Speer (see other page for copy)

I got this about four days ago and have tried to squeeze in a minute to drop you a note and forward the letter I got from Lucille Speer. I have been most impressed with her genealogical zeal and talents. I have no doubt she will have valuable records which you may find more than useful in what you hope to do.

Have you run across anything by a Mr. Crook of Richmond, Va. He may be deceased by now. In any event he did a vast research on the Farley's and shared a bit with me-- without the documentation I would prefer. If you ever plan to get to Richmond, a personal contact with him and his heirs to his genealogical efforts would be most fruitful.

From: Mrs. Doris Richards

Green Cemetery, Weston, Mo.

Thaddeus Farley b. 1842 d. 1876

Frankie-his-wife b. 1845 d. 1925

Mary dau. of J. & N. Farley b. 2/4/1856 d. 4/11/1863

Annals of Platte Co. Mo by Paxton

Josiah Farley children:

1. Thaddeus
2. Robert
3. Sarah
4. James
5. Josiah Jr.
and others

His widow was Nancy and he had a brother Nimrod who died in July 1848.

*Note- I have edited and condensed this letter as it is too lengthy to copy, if anyone wants a complete copy of it please let me know and I will send the rest, RJS

Louisville, Kentucky, December 13th, 1878

I, James LaRue Fairleigh, here record the following statements in ref. to my immediate family and family connections, and such incidents as may occur to my mind as taking place in the regions where we have resided. My only object in so doing is to leave to my children some account of their ancestors, and of the times in which they lived, as I may recollect, and such as I may remember as coming to me by tradition.

My grandfather, Andrew Fairleigh, came from Maryland at an early day, when quite a young man, and settled at or near Elizabethtown, Ky. perhaps before the town was laid off. The place was then known as "Hines Station." (Paragraph follows which tells of geographical locations, fighting Indians, etc.) Grandfather settled and opened a farm on Valley Creek, Hardin Co. about a mile east of Elizabethtown, where he lived up to the time of his death. He was twice married- first to Letis Hart, 16 July 1791, Hardin Co. His last wife, my grandmother, was Lettitia Swan of French decent, md. 16 Dec. 1793 Hardin Co. His ancestors were English. By his first wife he had two dau. Rebecca and Sarah, who married two brothers, Miles and Isaac Chenoweth, sons of old Major Chenoweth of Nelson Co. Uncle Miles with all his family moved to Mo. many years since and I know nothing more of them. Uncle Isaac raised a large family, he lived and died in Hardin Co. I never knew any of my grandfathers blood relatives and have heard my father say that his Uncle George Fairleigh (brother of Andrew Sr.) went to the state of Mo. at a very early day, but was never able to locate him or any of his family. Grandmother Fairleigh had a brother, Thomas Swan who lived and died on a farm a short distance above Grandfathers on Valley Creek. (Paragraph follows-geographical locations, etc.) Grandfather and Grandmother Fairleigh had the following children: William (my father) Thomas, Elizabeth, George, Andrew, Mary and John. Thomas lived and died in Hardin Co. leaving two dau. Jane Phillips, wife of Thomas Phillips and Sarah Sandage. They both now live in Meade Co. Elizabeth md. first Leonard B. Parker, who died in Iowa or Ill. and second to Miles Thomas of Hardin Co. where they died. George lived and died on Middle Creek, LaRue Co. Andrew md. Jane Talbott, 2 March 1829, Nelson Co., moved 1843 to Mo. From there he went to Calif. where he died. His two sons, William and Talbott remained in St. Joseph, Mo. Mary md. Robert Kennedy, lived and died on the old home- stead near Elizabethtown. John went to Arkansas many years since and lived and died in the vicinity of Jacksonport. William (my father) md. Nov. 1819 to Elizabeth Enlows, dau. of Isham and Mary Enlows. After their marriage they settled in Elizabethtown and lived there untill spring of 1824. Brother Henry and I were born in Hardin Co. (Several paragraphs about moving, geographical locations, Brandenbergs Ferry, etc.) Sister Mary (now Judge Stuart's wife, of Owensboro) was perhaps the first child born in Brandsberg. (Following paragraphs give much of the history of the area and people who lived there, etc.) On 28 Feb. 1843 I was married to Mary E. Murray at her father, John Murray's house on Buck Creek, Harrison Co. Ind. I was then 23 years old. In Jan. 1846 my Mary was taken from me by death and I left disconsolate with the dear little Lizzie to care for. I married again 15 Jan. 1850 at the house of Col. David R. Murray in Cloverport, Breckenridge Co. Ky. to his dau. Jane. Mary and Jane were cousins, their fathers being brothers. (Follows much info. on the families of Murray and decendents)

(Signed) Your father

James L. Fairleigh

This letter is eleven pages long and mentions many locations, names, dates, etc. which I have had to leave out-anyone interested please let me know, RJS

From C. D. Farley

1st Generation:

Reginald Farley b 1530 md. Barbara Hastings; Ch:
 Thomas Farley
 * Roger Farley
 Humphrey Farley
 George Farley
 Michael Farley
 Fabyan Farley b ca 1520 md Jane Hungerford

Above George and Michael are reputed to be ancestors of the New England branch of Farley's.

2nd Generation:

Roger Farley b 1560 Worchester, Eng. ;Will 29 March 1622; md. Jane Evans (widow of --Allen)
 Robert Farley
 William Farley
 Elliott Farley
 Edward Farley
 * Thomas b. ca 1600 md. Lady Jane Sefton 1622
 Humphrey
 Susannah md. Ceycill, William
 Margaret md. Broadhurst
 Katherine md. Barnsley
 Jane md. Rogers, Thomas

Will of Roger Farley includes his sister, Alice Kent, wifes son, Robert Allen, wifes brethern, Thomas Evans, Edward Evans, his brother, Thomas Farley, Son-in-laws, Thomas Rogers, William Ceycill

3rd Generation:

Thomas Farley md. Lady Jane Sefton in 1622; Ch:
 Ann b 1623, at sea, md. Col. Richard Lee
 Archer b 1627 md. Elizabeth Reade
 Barbara b 1628 killed by Indians
 George b 1625 d 1676 Martyr in Bacon's Rebellion
 Phillip b 1633
 Thomas b 1636 md. Barbara Rolfe 1666
 Virginia b 1637 md Henry St John 1665
 Fabyan b 1640 md B---
 Bongie Bell b 1642
 James b 1643
 Elizabeth b 1645
 Richard b 1647
 * John b 1648 Charles City Co. Va. md Mary---
 William b 1648
 Thompson b 1650

1629, Thomas Farley was a member of House of Burgesses. Came to America in ship "Ann". Arrived 23 Feb. 1623.

This daughter, Ann, md. Col. Richard Lee and became the mother of one of Virginias most illustrious families - the Lee's of Virginia.

Thomas Farley owned a large plantation at Archers Hope, across the James River from Jamestown.

4th Generation

John Farley Sr. b 1648 Archers Hope, Va. md. Mary---b. 1652, Henrico Co. Va. Ch:
 Mary b ca 1668 Henrico Co md. Thomas Baugh
 * John Jr. b. ca 1670 md. Elizabeth Archer (of Archers Hope line) Will 6 April 1754
 Samuel b ca 1673
 Edward b ca 1678 died early
 James b ca 1679
 Matthew b ca 1682
 William b ca 1685
 Archer b ca 1688 twin
 Edward b ca 1688 "

Note: Name Edward used twice.

5th Generation

John Farley Jr. b ca 1670 Chesterfield Co. Va. md. Elizabeth Archer b ca 1674 d 1761 Ch:
 John b ca 1702 Henrico Co. Va. md. Mary Willett
 Frances b 25 Oct. 1703 d 22 Oct. 1791 md. 1. Nancy Whitlow (He had six wives!)
 Peter b ca 1705 md. Drucilla Turpin
 Mary b ca 1707 md. Thomas Womack
 William b ca 1709 md Martha Stewart
 Sarah b ca 1711 md Robert Thompson
 * James b ca 1713 md Mary---
 Joseph b ca 1715 md Mary Ellington

Forrest b ca 1717
Matthew b ca 1719
Henry b ca 1721 md Mary ---

Will of Joseph Farley, 8th child of John Farley J
Amelia Co. Va. Will Book 3 p 97 Prob. 1782
Names wife, Mary, son, John, dau. Mary Hatchett,
son Daniel Farley, dau. Martha, dau. Rebecca,
son William, son Forrest, dau. Jebellaham (?)
son Joseph, grandson John F. Newman, son Daniel,
14 Sept. 1780 signed: Joseph Farley

6th Generation

James Farley b ca 1713 Chesterfield Co. Va. (Will 19 Feb. 1779) md. Mary--- Ch:

- James
- * Henry
- David
- Edward
- Betty md. (?) Phillips Hopkins
- gr dau. Elizabeth Woolridge

These are all the children mentioned in
James will, there may be more.
There was another dau. who md. ---Woolridge.

7th Generation

Henry Farley - Lunenburg Co. Va. Will Bk 3 p 185-Proved 1786 names ch: Anne, Betty,
Doshi, Edward, Martha, Polly, Seth, William.

- Doshi md. William Powers 8 Dec. 1796
 - Edward md. Polly Lester 4 Jan. 1800
 - * Seth md. Sarah Crafton 3 Feb 1778
 - William md. Judith Crafton 8 Dec. 1803 md. 2. Fannie Baldwin in Williamsburg, Va
- *****

Henry owned 270 acre
Ordinary in Amelia Co.
second only to Raleighs Tavern

Early Virginia Records, The Gulf States Historical Magazine, Vol. 1 No. 6, May 1903

John Farley will dated 1754 Thomas Farley, patent, James City Co. Va. 1623 as
Archers Hope. Wife Jane and daughter Ann; earliest mention of the name Farley
in Virginia.

Virginia Magazine of History Vol 20 p 178: Will of Roger Farley 1622; son, Robert
Farley recieved "my clothmark."

Have family of Robert A. Farley and wife Mary Moore Wood if anyone wants it -
Henderson Co. Ky. from 1850 and 1860 census and family bible.

Sep. 1972

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

In the 1850 census of Mercer Co, W. Va. is Isaac Gore, age 45, born in Va. His wife is listed as Ida, 43, and the following who are probably children are listed: Henderson F. 16; Lafayette 14; Virginia 12; Minerva 10; Harmon 6; Alabama 1. Also listed in this household is Henley Farley, age 32.

Although I do not have the proof which would establish that this Isaac is the one who md. Ida Woodram, I believe this to be the case. If so this Isaac Gore is probably the son of Robert Gore, born about 1783, and wife Thomsie Jarrell, who were md. 5 March 1802. Isaac's brother, Henry Gore married Jane Farley; and a sister Polly Gore married Ball Woodram.

Did I mention in my earlier correspondence that Sarah (Sally) Farley was the second wife of James Gore? I do not have th name of his first wife, but he had a son named William C. Gore who md. Jennie Farley.

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From: Kaye Farley Palacios

Grantor - Nimrod Farley & Juliet Farley do et-al
Grantee - Eli Gore
50 Acres - Guyan River Logan Co., dated 1838

As to the Gore/Goar family, and the Farley tie in--It looks as though you may have hit on a good clue. I noticed that this whole line comes from Capt. Matt Farley, of Va. and later Ind. But from others linked to this line, I know that a lot of his children and grand-children stayed in the home Va. area. So it is very likely that some of them also moved to Mo. This Capt. Matt was half brother to Thomas Farley who md Judith Clay (first settlers in Summers Co. W. Va. - driven out by Indians and went back to Giles Co. Built home place on Sugar Run of Walkers Creek) This Matt was the son of the second marriage of Francis Farley d. 1791 and Elizabeth Crostic Farley b. 1718 d. 1797 - Both supposed to be buried at the old Farley Fort, in Monroe Co. Va.

Also the area that Mr. Goare is speaking of in the letter is mostly around what I call the "Farley Stronghold" of near Bluestone in W. Va. This is very near the home place in Giles, the Farleys seem to have just about covered the whole area! He is also speaking of what is now Huntington, W. Va. and even on the very early Cabell and Kanawha Co. records you will find Farley names.

This new bit of info. about Nimrod having a brother named Josiah, really has me wondering. Who in the world is Josiah Farley - I have never seen a Farley by this name yet. About two days before I got your packet with the Josiah data, I got a letter from a friend of mine who is also working on the same Farley line as me. She had seen this James Farley of Farley, Mo. on T.V. at one of the conventions and had chanced a letter to him asking for Farley history. This is what he sent:

"Thank you for your letter of July 18, 1972. I was mostthappy to hear from you though it is the only direct response I recieved from anyone other than some of my friends. The town of Farley, Mo. was platted in 1850 by Josiah Farley. I enclose copies of some pages from Paxton's Annals, which is a history of Platte Co. Please note that there was a Nimrod Farley who died there in 1848. I do not know anything about the family beyond Josiah Farley but I hope to determine this info. et al

Now to pass on a bit of "hear-say" -- Same friend who sent the James Farley letter above-said that a woman who was a DAR member and a Farley granddaughter said that our Thomas was the son of John & Polly Ferguson Farley, and the grandson of Capt. Henry. But the lady was never able to prove it. She was supposed to have been very strict about her family data. The info. about John and Polly was told her by her grandfather. I have tried to pick up the trace of John & Polly but with no luck. I found their marriage bond in Cabell Co. W. Va. 4 Feb. 1813, but nothing further. Does anyone know of these two?

Follow up on Thompson Farley line:

Condensed from: "Presidents, Soldiers, Statesmen" by H.H. Hardesty ca 1898

Clay Farley

Clay Farley was born in Logan Co. W. Va. 6 March 1819, and settled in Martin Co. Ky. in May 1861. He married Polly Runyan in 1844, in Logan Co. Her father was Adam Runyan Jr., born in Va. died in Martin Co. Ky. in 1895. Her mother was Martha Hansen b. Va. d W. Va.

Clay's father was Thompson Farley born in Va. died in W. Va. ; his mother Polly Phillips Farley also died in W. Va.

Offspring of the marriage of Clay and Polly:

1. Martha A.
2. Elizabeth
3. Lewis G.
4. Thompson F.
5. America
6. Emariah
7. Thomas ?
8. Bertram
9. James T.
10. Melvina

Clay Farley was in Union Forces (Co. I 39th Ky. V.I.) He died on Wolf Creek, Martin Co. Ky. 6 July 1891.

From Kaye - dated 16 Sept. 1972 --

Just found this: Grantor - Nimrod & Juliet Farley do et -al

Grantee - Eli Gore

50 acres - Guyan River Logan Co. dated 1838

Thomas Farley md. Judith Clay

Ch:

- | | |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. Thomas Jr. b. 1760 | md. Patty Lester |
| 2. Forrest | md. Mary Monsey in 1786 |
| 3. Jessee | |
| 4. John | md. Jane Hammond in 1797 |
| 5. Clay | md. Lettie Carter |
| 6. Chloe | md. Samuel Dillon |
| 7. Rebecca | md. John Thompson |
| 8. Judy | md. David Nieswonger |
| 9. Henry | md. Sally_____ |
| 10. William | md. Elizabeth Thompson in 1795 |

This is list of children from "Twelve Generations of Farley"

Capt. Henry Farley (son of Thomas & Judith Clay Farley) md. Sally ? came to Logan Co. W. Va. about 1801-02, with grown children. Lived Peach Creek, Logan Co. Dead by 1833.

Ch: (as given in Ragland's History of Logan Co.)

1. John md. Miss Pinson
2. Thomas md. Miss Pinson

-these must be wrong- never found a record of them- plus am a Pinson decendent on my mothers side and have the Pinson line back to 1715 - no record of these marriages. I think there is a strong chance that these brothers married two Ferguson girls. Have found this in Cabell Co.-dated 4 Feb. 1813- John Farley - Polly Ferguson. Also note letter written by Jackson Farley (Calif.) naming his father as Thomas and mother Margaret Ferguson.

3. William md.
 1. Bettie Phillips
 2. Phoebe Muncy
 3. Polly Williams
 4. Jane Jones

-Do not know how correct these are -have not checked them.

4. Bettie md. Garland Conley -they were md. when they came with Henry from Va.
5. Sallie md. Peter Dingess - have not checked
6. Chloe md.
 1. Thomas Thompson
 2. Robert Hensley

Con't. Ch; of Capt. Henry Farley & Sally ?

8. Matilda md. Carter T. Clark -Cabell Co. Marriage dated 11 July 1813

9. Mary md. 1. Stephen Hensley 2. Pyrrhus McGinnis - Cabell Co. Marriage 19 April 1814 -
deeds show that the McGinnis marriage
was most likely correct also.

Note: The letter from Jackson Farley speaking of his grandfather, Henry states that he
died at the Falls of Ohio - this would be Louisville. Have found deeds where a
"Sally Farley, widow of Henry" deeds land in estate of Henry to many. Dated 1833
Logan Co.

Note: Just found this--Letter from Henry Phillips asking for license for his daughter,
Betsy and William H. Farley. Letter attested by James Easetep and Pyrrhus McGinnis -
but no marriage record found or date of bond. This bond file no. 56, and file
no. 55 is gone - could have contained marriage record.

William Farley (brother to Capt. Henry) md. Elizabeth Thompson, Albemarle Co. Va. 1795
Settled on Buffalo Creek, Logan Co. (now Mingo Co. W. Va.) date of death unknown.

Ch:

1. William (Punch Bill) md. Nancy Allen - unchecked, but decendents say it is correct.

2. Thompson md. Miss Chapman - have not found this marriage but have found: Old Floyd
Co. Ky. 10 Dec. 1820 Thompson Farley & Polly Phillips.
Also, "Presidents, Soldiers & Statesman" H.H. Hardesty-
lists, Thompson & Polly as parents of Union Vet. Clay
Farley. Decendent of Clay says this is correct.

3. Nimrod md. Miss Slater - have not found this but have found following: Old Floyd Co.
Ky. 6 June 1819, Nimrod Farley to Kitura Harmon.
Pike Co. Ky. 9 Aug. 1822, Nimrod Farley & Juliet Clendennen

4. Henry md. Polly Starr - Pike Co. Ky. 9 Aug. 1822

5. daughter - name unknown - (MAY have been this one -? - Pike Co. Ky. Bond 18 July 1829
Thomas Champman to Polly Farley - letter dated 17 July 1829
requesting license stating both are lawful age - signed
Thomas Champman & Polly Farley - attested by Alex Coleman
and Henry Farley - married 19 July 1829.)

ODDS AND ENDS - FARLEYS IN AREA I CAN NOT ACCOUNT FOR ?

1. Samuel Farley -came to Logan Cao. by 1840 -moved over to Pike Co. Ky. by 1850 -died
there in 1876 (Will)

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| Ch: 1. Thomas Grandville | 6. James H. |
| 2. Montrville | 7. Jane |
| 3. Aly | 8. Harriett |
| 4. Lewis | 9. Mary Ann |
| 5. John P. | 10. Nancy |
| | 11. Vicey |

2. Joseph & Madison Farley - lived in Boone Co. W. Va. by 1830.

3. John Farley md. Matilda Stafford - Pike Co. Ky. 30 June 1833

4. John Farley md. Polly Alley, Pike Co. Ky. 3 June 1847 - Bond states this John is
Ward of Richard Keesee - Polly Alley sister to my 2nd g grandfather
Alley.

5. Jessee Farley md. Elizabeth McCoy - Pike Co. Ky. Bond - 10 April 1849

6. Segis Farley md. Moses Collens - Kanawha Co. W. Va. 21 Nov. 1821

7. William Farley md. Elizabeth Chetwood - Cabell Co. 4 Feb. 1816

8. Mrs. Polly Farley md. Joseph May - Pike Co. Ky. 13 March 1851 (widow or divorcee ?)

From Kaye Farley Palacios:

MY THOMAS FARLEY -

Thomas Farley b ca.1822 died 1893 md. Nancy Ann Maynard 6 May 1841 Pike Co. Ky. Bond signed by Thomas Farley and Wm. Maynard.

Lived and died at the head of Buffalo Creek, Mingo (then Logan Co.) W. Va. Both buried in family cemetery there, by the house, that they built, which is still standing.

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| Ch: 1. Wm. Montraville | b. 1842 | md. Lydia Rutherford |
| 2. Ira Lewis | b. 1843 | md. 1. Matilda Varney 2. Curry |
| 3. Samuel G. | b. 1845 | md. Mary Ann Varney |
| 4. Lucinda | b. 1846 | md. Andy Rutherford |
| 5. Sally | b. 1848 | md. ? Harris |
| 6. Melvin | b. 1850 | md. Louisa Chafin |
| 7. Louisa | b. 1852 | md. George Browning |
| 8. Allen | b. 1856 | md. Martha L. Browning |
| 9. Cloann | b. 1859 | md. John Curry 2. Pete Staton |
| 10. Charlotte | b. 185? | md. ? Duty |
| 11. Polly | b. 185? | md. Floyd Browning |
| 12. Nancy Ann | b. 1861 | md. ? |
| 13. Lydia | b. 1864 | md. Paul Z. Alley |

All children
born on home place,
Buffalo Creek.

Note: First record of Thomas acquiring land was in 3 grants from the state of Virginia, to land on Buffalo. Dates - 1849/1849/1854

Note: Family tradition says that Thomas was related to; Clay Farley (son of Thompson) Thomas Benton (son of William (Punch Bill) but no one knows what the relationships were - bro./cousin/or what?

Kaye wrote four letters to me this month --I think she should have a medal!!!

OCTOBER 1972

From: Kaye Palacios

Dear Joyce,

Well I am so excited right now I can hardly type. I guess I should not get too carried away, at least until I can check this story out that I am sending you. But it just rings so many bells, of family stories, I have heard over and over. Places, people and such, just never paid any attention to them till now.

I am enclosing a statement given by George Curry. Now I will back up and explain who he is. He is the grandson of my Thomas, and is of course well up into his 80's. He is now living just out of Logan, W. Va. and a friend of mine who is working on the Thomas Farley line with me, went to see him last week. She talked to him all day and took his story down as he told it. Then she sent it on and I have copied it just "as is" to send on to you.

This is the first person we have found that is old enough to have a good knowledge of Thomas and his people. I did not even know he was still alive till all this came up. But Thelma (lady who talked to him) assures me he is very sharp and alert. He has a perfect memory and his mind has not wandered at all. Thelma had asked about him from younger members of the family. She also told me that he would only make positive statements to the things he KNEW were true. And if there was something that he was unsure of he would say so.

Now, I will try to explain why I am so excited about all this....

When I first started on this Farley line I was told by my grandmother that our Farley's came out of Illinois. But I had learned from past history not to pay too much attention to my grandmothers "stories". So I just forgot it. Then about a year ago I was sent a statement given by a very old lady, who was a Farley decendent, and this statement said that old Thomas and his brother Samuel came from Illinois. They were born in Virginia, but moved to Illinois as children with their parents. Then when they reached young manhood they came to W. Va. to visit cousins, and here they stayed. I thought about this a bit but then just forgot it also. As I was so sure that my Thomas must be from the Farley's of this area.

And lastly, it has always been told in my family that we are of Indian blood, and the looks bear this out. But as I had never run into any Indians in my search I thought no more of it.

Now when I put all these things together, plus the statement given by Mr. Curry, I guess you can see why I am so excited about this. I have already seen that some of the statements made by Mr. Curry are true. It also explains who some of the Farley's on the census records are, that I could not place before. And if the whole statement is true then it would explain why I just can not find any record of my Thomas's parents in W. Va. Maybe I should have been looking in Illinois all this time.

Now, this is only guesswork, but to try and put this all together I am wondering if... One of the brothers of Capt. Henry and William went to Illinois and after a few years a son left to visit his cousins in W. Va., liked it and stayed.??? It would almost have to be the case, if these family stories are true, because it has always been well known in the family that my Thomas was a cousin to the Dr.'s Farley of Delbarton, and to Clay Farley, the Union veteran. Since these were the grandsons of William, then old Thomas MUST have been from the same Farley line of Giles Co. Va. Like I said this is IF the family stories are true. And after this week I am beginning to believe more and more in family tales. Ha!

Since this is the first real break I have had in two years, I sure want to find out more about it. Would you know of anyone who is working on the Farley line of Illinois who may be able to help me?

I do know that the book "12 Generations.." states that John Farley b 1776 md Jane Hammond 1797 - moved to Illinois, and is supposed to have died there, in Galena, Ill. in 1836. But the book said his wife Jane died in St. Louis, Mo. This John was a brother to Capt. Henry and William ... They also had at least one uncle who went to Ill. A Francis Farley b 1726 Chesterfield Co. Va. died 1829 Ill.

I sure would appreciate your putting all this in the next packet, and please ask if anyone can help. I hate to ask for this favor but since I know nothing of the Illinois clan, I could use some help. And I think if I found the parents of old Thomas I would have to go to the Dr. just because of the strain on my heart!! It seems I have been looking for them forever. But just never dreamed they could have been from anywhere other than W. Va.

I want to tell you before I forget it how much I loved that letter about Nimrod and James Farley. It sure explains a lot of unanswered questions. Of course James does not throw too favorable a light on the Farley honesty, but he is not the first one, and probably not the last.

One more thing I want to pass on to you. A while back I was working on my Dixon line and I found that my second g grandfather was born in 1797, yet his parents were not married till 1800. After a lot of checking I was ready to believe it was either a complete mistake (tho I could not understand how) or I had just run across a good old family scandale. After speaking of this to Mr. Henry P. Scalf, the editor of the "East Kentuckian" and well known East Kentucky historian, he cleared it up for me. It seems that in those days it was sometimes months or longer before the couples could get to the county seat for a license, and even longer before the "preacher rider" got to some of the back woods areas. So the couples very often had what Mr. Scalf called a "home made wedding". They held their own wedding with the family present and someone, usually the oldest member of the family, acting as preacher. Then they set up housekeeping. Later on, when they could, a legal wedding was held. This he said explains why so many dates do not fit where we think they should. He also told me that this was not looked down on but rather quite common in that area. It was such a wild country and hard to get to the county seats.

This may be what happened in the case of your Arisba Matilda, and then again it just may be that Nimrod was married to a Slater. But anyway it is something to think about.

I am also sending some records you may want to copy for the packets, they are of later Farley's but maybe someone can use them.

Statement made by George Curry, grandson of Thomas & Nancy Ann Maynard Farley:

"The first Thomas Farley came to West Virginia from the state of Illinois. He and his Indian wife came up the Tug River and settled on Pigeon Roost, West Virginia. (Now near Delbarton, West Virginia) They had three sons; John, who left home when he was about 15 years old, and was never heard from again. Jessee - I know nothing of. And Thomas, who married Nancy Ann Maynard - and they are my grandparents.

The first wife of Thomas died, and he remarried to a white woman. They had three more sons, and I do not know about daughters, but one. The sons were:

1. Anse - married ? and had only two known sons, Will and Tom Jack, and a daughter who married U.M. Conley.
2. Add - married a daughter of Malachi Staten, and they had two sons, John and Anse.
3. Patterson - married twice; first to ?, then to a McNeedly girl. Patterson raised the oldest child of his sister, Nancy Coleman. The child's name was Morgan.

My grandfather, Thomas met and married Nancy Ann Maynard, they moved up the valley, to the head of Buffalo. The whole spring they lived in a cliff cave, back of where the house now sits. All the cooking and living was done in that cave till grandpa finished the one room cabin he was building. This cabin was later built onto, till it has become the house that is there today. Grandpa and Grandma lived out their days in that house, and now lay buried in the graveyard out from it.

I do not know when my great grandfather Thomas died, or the name of his wives. But the fact that he married an Indian and that three of his sons were half breeds was well known all through the area. You have to but look at the decendents and see the Indian lines still running in the family looks today.

I do not know if this is true or not but my mama told me that great grandpa Thomas had a brother who also married an Indian girl. But I do know that great grandmother Farley was an Indian and came here from Illinois with her husband Thomas.

Logan County , West Virginia Marriages WPA 1936

Groom	Bride	Date	Solomonizing
Duty, Albert (21)	Farley, Charlotte (15)	9/21/73	Peter McNeeley
Farley, Addison (30)	Staten, Nancy (29)	3/5/74	Comfort Brewster
Farley, Allen 20	Browning, Martha L. 17	3/3/74	John L. Browning
Farley, Wm. D. 22	Bryant, Lucinda 18	4/10/74	Peter H. Dingess
Farley, John 22	Chambers, Art 15	9/23/75	R. Brooks
Dempsey, Matthew 18	Farley, Minerva 16	6/18/76	Peter Dingess
Curry, Calvin 19	Farley, Martha 17	8/20/76	James Glending
Curry, Eli 18	Farley, Nancy Jane 15	8/24/76	Peter McNeeley
Farley, Harrison 21	Zirkle, Malinda A. 16	5/31/77	Peter Dingess
Maynard, Daniel 22	Farley, Sarah A. 18	6/24/77	Comfort Brewster
Farley, James B. 21	Dingess, Mary A. 17	8/2/77	Canaan Adkins
Workman, John L. 30	Farley, Harriett 21	3/17/78	J. Workman
Chafin, John 20	Farley, Martha 18	2/11/79	J. Estep
Farley, Harrison 22	Romans, Celia A. 18	9/21/80	C. Brewster
Curry, Samuel F.	Farley, Polly 18	11/7/81	C. Brewster
Alley, Paul Z.	Farley, Lydia 18	8/17/82	J. Estep
Shannon, Griffie R. 22	Farley, Louisa 20	11/13/82	U.S. Hirschman
Curry, John F. 22	Farley, Chloe Ann 23	12/27/82	C. Brewster
Varney, Lewis 17	Farley, Elizabeth 16	2/15/83	C. Brewster

Boone County, West Virginia Births, Marriages, Deaths, Wills & Inventories 1865-1899 WPA 1936

BIRTHS

Name	Place	Date	Parents
Farley, Julia	Spruce Fork	10-8-74	Thomas and Rebecca Farley
Farley, Savina	Big Coal	9-10-74	Ned and Julia Farley (grandfather-John Wesley Farley)
Farley, William	Kanawha	6-5-74	Perry and Harriett Farley
Farley, John	Boone	3-5-75	Perry and Harriett Farley (grandfather-John Wesley Farley)
Farley, Leonard	Boone	3-19-75	Noah and Abigail Farley
Farley, Wlater	Boone	12-6-82	Noah and Abigail Farley

DEATHS

Name	Date	Age	Place	Parents & Reporting Death
Farley, Rozeller	7-12-76	11 mo.	Sherman	Anna L. & C. Farley J. W. Farley, friend
Farler, Harriett	4-18-83	38	Boone	Simeon _____ Commodore Farley, husband
Farley, Blackburn	5-5-83	13		C. H. P. & Harriett Farley Commodore Farley, father
Farley, David	4-27-88	5		Noah & Abigail Farley Mother
Farley, Cumberland	1-3-89	17		Noah & Abigail Farley Father
??	10-28-90	1 day		C. P. & C. M. Farley Father

MARRIAGES

Groom	Bride	Date	Solomonizing
Farley, Perry (22)	Bradley, Harrot (21)	2/22/66	Rev. Wm. Walker
Farley, Noah (21)	Cantley, Abigail (20)	4/25/72	Rev. R. Workman
Owen, Richard (60)	Farley, Louisa (?)	1/31/89	Rev. E. Estep
Farley, C. P. (24)	Petry, C. M. (22)	6/7/89	Rev. S. O. Estep
Farley, C. P. (48)	Halstead, L. (25)	1/5/92	Rev. E. Estep
Farley, W. G. (25)	Ferrell, Lundora (18)	10/4/92	Rev. J. C. Thomas
Richards, L. H. (44)	Farley, Sally J. (17)	2/29/96	Rev. E. Estep
Nelson, George S. (29)	Farley, Annie (22)	10/22/96	Rev. E. Estep

Sigfus Olafson
507 Kanawha Avenue
Madison, West Virginia 25130
Sept. 29, 1972

Dear Mrs. Sadlon

Your letter of Sept. 23 is very interesting and clears up some matters about Sen. Farley that had puzzled me. He had disappeared from here in 1849, the year of the California gold rush, and later turned up as a senator from California, so it had been assumed here that he had participated in the original gold rush. However in the brief biography that I saw in a California blue book of the 1880's, for which he presumably furnished the information, it was stated that he was born in Virginia and educated in Missouri. He could not have had much of an education here as he was only 22 years old when he left and had been a clerk in a store for several years. Yet he must have had some education as he began the practice of law in California, was elected to the legislature and later to the State Senate, of which he was president for two years. He must have had something on the ball to accomplish this, but even so he could hardly have done it without some education.

Buchanan County, Missouri is not far north of Kansas City and St. Joseph is its county seat, and he perhaps "read" law in some lawyers office, in one of these places, and was already a lawyer when he went to California. As he did not appear in the U.S. Senate after 1886 I had assumed that he was not re-elected in the election of that year. You give the date of his death as 22 Jan 1886, which means that he died before the expiration of his first term. You have the death record of Nimrod Farley in 1848 in Missouri, so one may assume that young James Farley floated right on by Cincinnati with his boatload of ginseng sold it in St. Louis, and went right on to join his family near St. Joseph.

As to Henry Clay Ragland, he was a Virginia lawyer who came to Logan, West Virginia, probably in the 1870's. I have talked to people who knew him and they say that though he was frequently in his cups, he was always a polite and affable Virginia gentleman. He got his information by talking to local residents and seems to have made little, if any, use of records. Actually there were few records locally as the Logan courthouse and its contents except a few deeds books and surveyors books, had been burned during the Civil War. He was truthful and accurate in recording what he was told but was perhaps given a lot of mis-information by people with poor memories.

You may rest assured about Ragland having been told that Nimrod Farley married a Slater if he said so in his history. However, Nimrod had been living some 30 or 40 miles from the Farley "Settlement" for 15 or more years before moving to Missouri and Ragland was writing about him 50 years after that, which is plenty time for people to forget and for errors to creep into traditions.

Nimrod's marriage to Juliet Clendenen, of which I was not aware, sort of rings a bell. One of Nimrod Farley's near neighbors was Robert A. Clendenen when he was operating his mill near here and there must be some connection as he was the only Clendenen who ever lived in this portion of our county. He appears in land records of the 1830's and 1840's but about 1847-48 moved to Michigan. A son, Ancil R. Clendenen, born 1823, was married and had a child born 1848, and then also moved to Michigan, where he had a child born in Cass County of that state in 1850, but he came back here in time to have a child born here in 1852 and spent the rest of his life here. His birthplace is shown as Giles Co. Virginia but at the time of his birth, 1823, Logan County had not yet been formed and Giles extended to the present borders of Logan and even to the headwaters of the stream (Spruce Fork) where Nimrod had his mill. I mention this in case you should want to check the Clendenens and I suspect that something may be learned about old Robert in Cass Co. Michigan. There are still Clendenen decedents here.

I enclose a sheet about Capt. Matthew Farley and his family which I obtained from a local genealogist friend, David A. Turner. He had obtained it from Aubrey O. Smith who does have considerable Farley data. It would not do any harm to write to him as you might learn something from him. I have a copy of the Joseph Gore letter, to which you refer. It was given to me by Mr. Smith and is a remarkably accurate document. There are a number of Gores here, related to the same family, also a number of Negro Gores, decedents of their slaves.

Mr. Turner's father was from Chesterfield County, Va. where Capt. Matthew Farley's people came from. He says there are a number of Farley records in Chesterfield but he has not specialized in them.

Getting back to Arisba Matilda Farley, her name certainly has a local ring. Appearing as Arrisba, Arisba, Arrispah, and even Rispah, perhaps depending on how well the recording officer could spell, that was in common use untill about 1850, but now has entirely disappeared. Matilda, likewise was in common use but is now seldom used.

More than half a century ago, when I was a rookie in World War I, the corporal of my squad was named Theisen (?) and was from Green Bay. Some 30 years ago, while passing through Green Bay, I looked in the telephone directory but could not find him.

I have not seen the book Twelve Generations of Farley but it may be in our state historical library in Charleston.

There are still a lot of Farley's in Logan County, also in Mingo County which was a part of Logan untill 1895 and which is bordered on the west by Pike Co. Kentucky. There were in one Farley family four brothers who became doctors and all were practising in this general area when I came here 50 years ago.

You need not mention paying for anything I may do. I have retired, am old, a widower, and live alone. Genealogy is one of my hobbies and I dabble in it only because I like to do it. I have other hobbies and between all of them I manage to keep myself quite busy, which is perhaps good for me.

Sincerely,

Enclosure:

Francis Farley was born 25, Oct. 1703, in what is now Chesterfield County, Virginia. He married Elizabeth Crostic, born 18 April 1718, in North Carolina. Francis died 22 Oct. 1781, and Elizabeth 29 Oct. 1797. Both are buried on New River, about one mile below the mouth of Indian Creek, in present Summers County, West Virginia.

Capt. Matthew Farley, was the son of Francis and Elizabeth Farley, date of birth unknown, On July 3, 1785, he married Esther McMullen, who was born 14 Feb. 1764. Their Ch. were:

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|--------------|------|---------------|---------|----------------------------------|
| 1. Elizabeth | born | 18 Feb. 1786 | married | Lemuel Jarrell |
| 2. Sarah | born | 29 Jan. 1788 | " | James Gore |
| 3. Esther | born | 2 April 1790 | " | John Abbott |
| 4. Matthew | born | 29 Nov. 1792 | " | Jane Laffert (Laverty) |
| 5. James | born | 11 April 1795 | " | Nancy Paul |
| 6. Joseph | born | 27 Nov. 1797 | " | Rebecca Pine |
| 7. John | born | 22 April 1800 | " | Polly Crawford |
| 8. Nancy | born | 12 March 1803 | " | Joel Cook |
| 9. Jennie | boen | 3 Feb. 1806 | " | 1. Henry Gore 2. William C. Gore |

Capt. Matthew Farley moved to Henry County, Indiana which is east of Indianapolis, and died there in 1837. At that time his wife, Esther was still living.

Lemuel and Elizabeth Farley Jarrell moved to present Raleigh Co. West Va. about 1820, and spent the rest of their lives there. Lemuel was a distant relative of the David Turner mentioned in my letter. Lemuel and Elizabeth have a large number of decendents in this area.

John and Esther Farley Abbott also moved to present Raleigh County. John was a distant relative of Mrs. David Turner.

Capt. Matthew Farley was active in the Indian wars of the late 1700's and in many affairs along New River in West Virginia then and later. I do not know when he moved to Indiana.

From: Mrs. R. J. Sadlon

Marriages of Some Virginia Residents 1607-1800 by Dorothy Ford Wulfeck Series I-Vol. 3

FARLER, Anna	md. Elijah Young			
Forest	md. Mary Munsey	7 March 1786	Wit. Nathaniel Munsey	Montgomery Co. Marriage Rec.
Sarah	md. William Stanfield			
FARLEY, Doshie	md. William Powers			
Edward	md. Polly Lester	4 Jan. 1800	Rev. James Shelburne, Babtist	Lunenburg Co. Ministers Ret.
Elizabeth	md. Jesse Cox			
George	md. Catherine Scott	23 June 1792	Halifax Co. Marriage Rec.	
Hannah	Md. Jacob Thomas			
Hannah	md. Thomas Lawson (second wife)			
James	md. Lucy Evans		Served in Rev. War DAR #28857	
James Parke	md. Elizabeth (Betsy) Hill Byrd	2 March 1771	died 1816 dau. of Col. Wm. III of "Westover". She md. 2. Rev. John Dunbar 3. Col. Henry Skipwith	
Maria	md. Champe (or Wm. Champe) Carter			
Martha	md. William Farley			
Mary	md. Abraham Stanfield			
Seth	md. Sarah Crafton	3 March 1778	Sur. Wm. Crafton Lunenburg Co.	
William	md. Martha Farley	9 Nov. 1770	Consent of Henry Farley Lunenburg Co.	
William	md. Martha Bailey	9 Nov. 1780	Sur. Wm. Rucks Lunenburg Co.	
FARLO, Edward	md. Lettece McM_____	27 Jan. 1791	Rev. John Alderson Rockingham or Greenbriar Co. Min. Ret.	
FARLOE, Elizabeth	md. Daniel Steuart			
FARLOW, Elizabeth	md. John Burch			

Platte Co., Mo. Abstracts of Wills & Admr. from Will Books A & B-1841-1861 and Bond Books A & B-1847-1851

Cleason, William, decd. Admr., A. W. Mason. Sec., Josiah Farley & Abraham Zabrisky 15 Sept. 1847. (Bond B-94)

Mason, Robert F., appointed guardian of estate of Emily, a free girl of color about 11 years old. Sec., Robert Farley. 17 April 1847. (Bond B-40)

Powell, Colby, will dated 9 Oct. 1847. Wife, Martitia Powell. Daughter Lucretia and her children. Son, Benjamin F. Powell and his wife and children. My seven children: et alMulatto girl, Emily Jane, not yet 21, to remain with wife as long as wife wants to keep her, and then to be set free and taken out of this state to some state within the U.S. which provides full freedom, and given sufficient papers for proof and \$100, exclusive of expense. Admr., wife, Marticia Powell. Wit: Randolph Jones and George Coakley. Recorded 11 Dec. 1848. (Will A-200) Court appointed Robert F. Mason, exr. Sec., Robert Farley, Lewis Burns, Martitia Powell, Elijah Powell, Washington Mason. 9 July 1849. (Bond B-233 & A-94)

Russell, James, died intestate. Admr., Andrew Russell. Sec. James Dyer and Nimrod Farley. 6 Aug. 1851. (Bond A-238 & 329)

Buchanan Co. Mo. Abstracts of Wills & Admr. from Books A & B 1839-1857

Farley, Nimrod, died intestate. Admr., Charles A. Farley. Sec. James C. Smith and Samuel Martin. 23 July 1847. (A-189)

Gore, Isaac, died intestate. Admr. Henry Gore. Heirs are Mary F. Gore (Mary Francis Farley Gore), the widow, and Henry K. Gore, son of said decd. both of Buchanan Co. 21 Feb. 1857. Sec. Lewis Gore and Green V. Gore. (B-422)

Stultz, Phillip, died intestate. Admr. Green V. Gore. Heirs are Rebecca Stultz, widow of decd. Francis E. Stultz, James M. Stultz, Sarah Allcorn, Francis F. Gore, Margaret Elizabeth Gore, Eliza J. Andrews, Allice Stultz, and Phillip Trower Ready, minor son of Mary Josephine Ready, children of said decd. all residents of Buchanan Co. save Sarah Allcorn who resides in Calif. and Francis E. Stultz who resides in Kansas Terr. 23 March 1855. Sec. Henry Gore and Isaac Gore (B-335)

1850 Platte County, Mo. Census

#216- Charles, A. Farley farmer	27 m	Va.
Sarah "	25 f	"
Georgian "	4 f	Mo.
#70 - Josiah Farley farmer \$3000	38 m	Tenn.
Nancy "	27 f	Ky.
Thaddeus "	8 m	Mo.
Robert "	6 m	Mo.
Sarah "	5 f	"
John W. "	3 m	"
James "	6/12 m	"
Nancy Farley	73 f	Va.
Josiah Farrister	15 m	Mo.
William Mason	29 m	Ky.
Samuel Windley	17 m	Mo.
#72 - Robert Farley farmer \$1545	32 m	Tenn.
Lydia "	20 f	Ohio
William	2 m	Mo.
John	6/12 m	Mo.
Robert Forrister	9 m	Mo.

1850 Andrew Co. Census

#213 Riggins, John	35 m	Va. farmer
Rebecca	31 f	"
Mary F.	11 f	Mo.
Emazella	9 f	"
Caroline	5 f	"
Virginia	3 f	"
James	1 m	"
Stokes, Nancy J.	61 f	Va.
Blankenship, Nancy	58 f	Va.
Farley, Amanda	2 f	Mo.
#739 Gates, G. B.	37 m	Ky.
Elizabeth C.	39 f	Ill.
Farley, Emaline	4 f	Mo.
Powers, Milford	21 m	Ky.
Dixon, Francis	20 m	
#447 Forman, Joseph L.	22 m	Ky. merchant
Wood, William	19 m	" merchant clerk
Gore, Henry G.	20 m	" " "
#893 Gore, James	41 m	Va. farmer
Frances	41 f	"
Green L.	18 m	"
Noah J.	16 m	"
Susan E.	11 f	"
Loretta	9 f	"
William R.	7 m	"
James W.	2 m	Mo.

Letter recieved from Mr. David Turner, Madison, West Virginia:

"A bit you may be interested in is a note in Kegley's "Virginia Frontier" which says, "Phillip Lybrook appears to have been on the river below the mouth of Sinking Creek in 1750 and Andrew Culbertson at Culbertson's Bottom in 1853 followed soon by Thomas Farley."

From: Doris Richards

Virginia Marriage Bonds 1700 to 1800 by Flora Fora Richardson

Amelia Co., Va.

Martha Jane Farley	md. James Allen	23 Feb. 1832
Martha W. Farley	md. John Binford	16 Nov. 1842
Martha Farley	md. William Butler	8 July 1782
Celia O. Farley	md. Jonathan Chapman	28 Oct. 1833
Mary A. Farley	md. Richard H. Covington	4 July 1832
Polly Farley	md. Francis Drake	26 Feb. 1807
Creed Farley	md. Lucy McGlasson	13 Jan. 1820
Daniel Farley	md. Martha Pryor	28 Sept. 1786
Henry Farley	md. Tabitha Holt	10 Feb. 1807
John Farley	md. Elizabeth Simmons	27 Nov. 1788
John Farley	md. Mary H. Burton	3 Oct. 1818
Nathan Farley	md. Sarah Farley	27 Jan. 1778 (dau. of James Farley)
Peter Farley	md. Mary Bowman	5 Nov. 1809
Pleasant H. Farley	md. Sarah C. Nunnally	13 Dec. 1848
Stephen Farley	md. Mary Mitchell	27 Dec. 1787
Stephen Farley	md. Elizabeth P. Allen	7 Aug. 1812 (dau. of Richard Allen)
Stith Farley	md. Mary C. Overton	18 March 1844
Stith Farley	md. Francis A. Foster	3 Nov. 1848 (sn-Thompson Farley)
Paschal Green Farley	md. Mary Ann Farley	14 April 1824
Tabitha Farley	md. Pleasant Hazelgrove	16 May 1835
Mary Farley	md. Richard Holt	17 Jan. 1782
Sally Farley Willson	md. Clarborn Hood	16 Oct. 1791
Polly Farley	md. Thomas Wills	June 1803

Halifax Co., Va.

Mary Farley	md. Abraham Standfield	26 Oct. 1789
Sarah Farley	md. William Standfield	20 Dec. 1791

1850 Buchanan Co., Mo. Mortality List

Thomas Farley 22 M B. Tenn. D. June

Platte Co., Mo.

Joseph Farley	md. Rebecca Mitchell	23 July 1852
Almira G. Farley	md. Peter M. Berry	14 Oct. 1854
Bridget Farley (from Kans.)	md. Patrick R. McLockin	6 Sept. 1858 Weston, Mo.
Sarah Farley	md. Charles A. Mune	4 June 1866

Court Settlement at death: Husband James W. Farley; Wife Emma S. Farley d. 1936;
Son Wallace J. Farley

From: Agnes Pearlman

As soon as I can I will make a copy of an AGREEMENT dated 15 May 1825 between Matt Farley (teacher) and James Gore, Anderson Painter, Tandey Dempsey, Ligah Dike, Joseph Meadow, Wm. Damsey, John Abbott, Henry Gore, and Alexander Halstead (Scholars). Actually those shown as scholars are really the parents and guardians of the actual scholars, I believe. Although no county is shown, the location seems to be Monroe Co. West Virginia. There is no indication as to which Matt Farley is involved.

Your readers might be interested in the following: Marshall McClanahan in a manuscript on the Christian family quotes Crozier's Williamsburg Wills, Vol. 3 page 25:

Simon Farley, Isle of Antigua, 13 June 1756, willed to wife; son, Francis; daughters, Elizabeth, Ann, Rebecca; to son, John; land in Virginia and North Carolina; to uncles, Robert Christian, and Mathew Christian; to brother Francis Farley. Witnesses: John Holliday, Alexander Crawford, John D. Murphey, Proved before his Excellency, George Thomas, Esq., Captain General and Governor over His Majesty's Leeward Carribee Islands.

Also of possible interest is this quotation which McClanahan took from Mrs. Nell Nugent's Vol. 1 page 275 (He does not give book title).

Patent Book 3: Mrs. Jane Harmer was granted 2,000 acres in Northampton Co. Va. 1652 for the transportation of forty persons, among them William Christian and William Farley.

It would appear from Simon Farley's will that the mother of Simon and Francis Farley was a Christian.

Another Farley you might wish to add to your southwestern Virginia/southern West Virginia puzzle is the Nancy Farley who Married George Ferrell Jr. I have information on their fourteen children, one of whom married a Christian. One of their grandsons is living and is a first cousin to my mother through the Christians. Nancy Farley was born about 1815 in what was then Giles County, Va. Her mother (or grandmother) was said to be a Wolfe "from Germany".

From: Anna Coleman

History of Christian & Trigg Counties, Kentucky by Perrin.

J. E. Summers md. Corinne Farley 22 Oct. 1861. She was born Va. died 4 April 1866. Had two dau. and one son. Mr. Summers md. second Mattie Gill 26 Sept. 1870

Index to North Carolina Wills: (Photostat or certified copies of these wills can usually be obtained for a nominal fee from the clerk of court at the courthouse in each county seat, or from the Archives; P.O.Box 1881, Raleigh, N. C. 27602.

Caswell County, Yanceyville, N. C. 27379:

	date of Probate	Vol. & Page no.
Nathaniel Farley	1788	B 294
George Farley	1799	C 355
Stewart Farley	1799	C 416
Isakiah Farley	1808	E 421 & 428
Joseph Farley	1811	F 244

1840 Buchanan Co. Mo. Census

	Males	Females
Margaret Farley		
Under 5		
5-10	1	
10-15	1	1
15-20	2	1
20-30		
30-40		1

1840 Platte Co. Mo. Census

Nancy Farley		
20-30	1	
60-70		1

1840 Garrard Co. Ky. Census

Peter Farley		
Under 5		1
5-10		1
10-15		
20-30	1	
30-40	2	1
40-50	1	
60-70		1
70-80	1	

Andrew Co., Mo. Marriages 1841-1856

Jackson Farley	md. Caroline Stokes	23 Oct. 1845
James Farley	md. Nancy Ann Davis	25 March 1851

From: Mrs. Claude S. Fowler
 1716 Colgate St. N.E.
 Roanoke, Virginia 24012

I am very interested in belonging to your group and am enclosing a check to cover fee for one year. Kaye Palacios told me about the group and gave me some information. I also noticed in your group, Mrs. Pearlman and Mrs. Day. I have written to both but have not kept up the correspondence.

The relationship with Farley's is on my husband - enclosing what data I have on them. I am also enclosing some notes on the sheets that she sent me. My mothers people were from Pike County, Ky. and Logan County, so I am related to half the people there - the other half is related to my husband.

I will not guarantee that what information I have is all correct, some of it I have put together by guess. Of course with the similarity in names who knows what mistakes I have made. I am attempting a project, 1850 census with data on the families. I will be going thru the vital statistics of Logan County and will send the data on to you.

1. William Farley	md.	Elizabeth Farley
only Farley listed in 1810		b. 1782
Bourbon Co. Ky. census - this		d. 25 July 1860
is strictly a guess ?		F. John Farley
		M. Mary
m 3 (0-10) 1 (26-45)		Kanawha Co. Death Register-Elizabeth Farley
f 2 (0-10) 1 (10-16) 1 (26-45)		d. 25 July 1860, Kanawha Co. cd. old age
		78 yrs. p. John & Mary Farley, pb. Kanawha Co., widowed, inf. Bayless Farley son.

	1810	1820	1830	1840	1850	1860
	Bourbon Co.	Kanawha Co.				
William	(26-45) (1784-65)					
Elizabeth	f(26-45) (1784-65)	18-45 (1802-75)	40-50 (1790-80)			78 (home of Bayliss)
	f(10-16) (1794-1800)					
Bayless	m(0-10) (1800-10)	16-18 (1802-04)	b. 1804			
Snelling	m(0-10) (1800-10)	10-16 (1804-10)	b. 1806			
	m(0-10) (1800-10)					
Segus ?	f(0-10) (1800-10)	10-16 (1804-10)				
	f(0-10) (1800-10)					
		m 0-10 (1810-20)	10-15 (1815-20)			
		m 0-10 (1810-20)	10-15 (1815-20)			
		f 0-10 (1810-20)				
			m 5-10 (1820-25)			

known children:

1. Bayliss b. 1804 Ky. md. Helen
2. Snelling b 1806

"History of Kanawha Co. from 1789 - 1876" by G. W. Atkinson p 294 - Capt. Snelling C. Farley was born four miles from Paris in Bourbon Co. Ky. 3 Feb. 1806. His father lived on a farm and when the subject was 7 years of age he moved to Kanawha Co. Va. now West Va., where his father-in-law, Mr. Forquerian, formerly of Bedford Co. Va. had located in the spring of 1813. In Charleston young Farley attended the Mercer Academy, under Mr. Jacob Rand. At 15 years he entered the tailor shop of Mr. James Truslow, untill 1826. Deputy Sherriff under Col. Andrew Donnally for 4 years. (Rest of article concerns his career w/no names.)

Snelling Farley b. 3 Feb. 1806 d. 24 April 1889 (The obit gives date of 1888 but md. -1. 3. Feb. 1838 Ky. to Minerva Forquerian date at top of page changed from 18 md. 2. 1850-60 to Fanny J. Harvey widow of to 1889, Kanawha Book)

? Thacker

3. Hudson (family gives this name)
4. Segus md. 2 Nov. 1821 Moses Collins

1 dau- Segious b. 8 Nov. 1824

Segus married in early teens and died when daughter was an infant or very young. Family says that Moses arrived at the home of Elizabeth Farley on horseback carrying Segious in his arms. He left Segious with her grandmother and went out west, where he remarried and had at least two daughters. I have seen a picture of his

Segious md. 14 July 1842 Kanawha Co. W. Va. Thomas Harmon (John & Mary Harmo
 b. 8 Nov. 1824 both buried Antiock, Putnam Co. W. Va. b. 10 Jan. 1814
 d. 1 Feb. 1908 at Antiock Babtist Church which d. 29 Nov. 1891
 Rev. Thomas Harmon established. Thomas was a missionary Babtist preach
 Church is no longer active.

Segious was sent to a boarding school to become a lady. She was a lady but too big to beco
 the dainty lady her grandmother had hoped for. They had 11 children.

dau. - Emma Jane Harmon md. 1. 25 Nov. 1869 James Hutton (1848-89) 7 children
 1851-1906 2. William Tyron no children

dau. - Annie Belle Hutton md. 11 Sept. 1892 James Robert Fowler 7 children
 1870-1945 1871-1934

son - Orville Sayre Fowler md. 8 Nov. 1917 Marbra Reado Lafferty 8 ch
 1896-1950 1901-1967

son - Claude S. Fowler md. 3 Oct. 1947 Vicie Jane (Babe) Waskey 4 ch.
 1922 1926

Andrew Farley md. Anna Cook
 Mercer Co. W. Va. -Andrew Farley d. March 1860 pd Monroe Co. cd killed in fight age 63 y
 p Dura ? & Mary pb Giles Co. c. Ann Farley inf. Joel Farley, son.

James Farley . 16 Nov. 1856, age 34, widowed, b. Mercer Co. Andrew &
 Ellen W. Abbott age 33 single b. Monroe Co. St. Clair & Sally Ar

Wm G. Deuiggums 8 Mar. 1861 age 26 single b. N.C. Thomas C. & ?
 Anna Farley age 20 single b. Mercer Co. Andrew & Anne

Ida Farley 11 Mar. 1858 age 24 single b. Mercer Co. Andrew & Anne
 Charles Abbott age 25 widowed b. Monroe Co. St. Clair & Sarah

Louisa Farley 27 Dec. 1860 age 31 single b. Mercer Co. Archibald &
 John Cauley age 40 widowed b. Bedford Co. Berry & Rhoda Jeminna (Cook)

Henderson F. Farley 15 Jan. 1860 age 24 single b. Mercer Co. Arch. &
 Araminta D. Hughes 18 single Giles Co. Wm. & Louisa Jeminna (Cook) Farl

Archibald Farley m^r. 8 Feb. 1827 (bond) Giles Co. Va. Jemina Cook

Drewry Farley Sr. b. 1770 d. 1851 Summers Co. Will recorded March 1852 Mercer Co. W. Va.

The marriage register of Giles Co. Va. does not have all data listed in the books. The cler
 discovered that information on the bonds, consent papers, etc. (that they have) were not al
 ways recorded. They decided not to change the book so the files must be checked. Clerks are
 very helpful.

Kanawha Courthouse, Charleston, W. Va. will hardly give you the time of day. Marriage reg
 isters (2) prior to 1853 ? are kept from public. You have to raise a fuss to see them -
 at least I did. The first one is a typed record with many errors, the second book is the
 original register.

Records for Russell Co., Va. are available exc pt marriage records prior to 185? were des
 troyed.

Mercer Co. W. Va.

Francis Farley 8 Nov. 1860 age 20 single b. Mercer Co. p. Gideon & Dinah

Marietta Lowe age 24 single b. Mercer Co. p. Moses & Cynthia

Gideon Farley md. Mary ? b. 1786 Chi Noah. b. 1825 Monroe Co. md. Catherine
 b. 1775 p. Francis & Nancy John Wesley b. 1805 md. Sarah

1850 Boone Co.

Mercer Co. W. Va. John W. Farley d. 14 May 1879 pd. Mercer Co. W. Va. cd. consumption
 age 64 yrs. 2 mo. 14 days pb. Harlaw Co. Ky. c. Elizabeth, inf. F. H.
 Farley, son.

1850 Kanawha Co. Census

Bayless G. Farley
Almira 11 f

Kanawha Co. Deaths Bk. 1 Almira Farley 12 Feb. 1860 d. Ohio cd. Scarlet fever, 17 years, p. Bayless & Helen Farley, pb. Kanawha Co. W. Va. single, inf. Bayless Farley, father.

Kanawha Co.	1850	1860	1870		
Francis H. Farley	37	47		d. 1861, Charleston	md. 8-19-1835 Kanawha Co.
Frances Shelton	28	40	48	d. 1902	
Martha	12	22			md. James Johnson (Union soldier)
Alfred E.	1	11			
Fanny	1 mo.	9	19		
Sarah E.	9				md. ? Hiner
David T. b 2-22-1852		6	17	b. Malden	md. Mary Cavin
Mary (Mollie)		4	16		md. Geo. D. Cornwell, Charleston
Samuel		2	12		
Nannie			9		md. Wm. William ? Greenbriar Co.

Achilles D. Farley md. 1-14-1831 Kanawha Co. to Sally Leffler

Noah Farley md. 11-24-1867 to Sydney A. Pauley

Ellen Farley md. 1-15-1867 to Julian M. Johnson of Malden

(Is Achilles D. 1850-1860-Kanawha Co. same person as Adam D. - 1870 Kanawha Co. ?)

1870 Kanawha Co. Census

Adam D. Farley

Stephen Rigg 41 (The journal of the Greenbriar Soc. Vol. II #2 Oct. 1970 p. 62- story by Capt. Wm. Bahlmann- captured by Union forces. At Cannelton, I found Stephen Riggs. He invited us to the house of his father-in-law, Capt. Farley, an old river man.)

Kanawha County Death Register p. 136

Sarah Farley widow, 15 April 1891, Charleston & Elk City Dist. cd. old age, 85 years, b 1806

Kanawha County:

18 July 1819 - Conrad Smith md. Lousancy Farley

July 1846 - Samuel Ingram md. Mary Farley

18 Nov. 1847 - John Farley md Elizabeth Scott

13 Feb. 1827 - Henry Bailey md. Lethia Farley

History of Fayette County. p 590 William Rigg md. Cynthia Montgomery - 7 ch.

Stephen ---- Nannie md. Thomas W. Farley

d. 1923, Charleston, W. Va.

William H. Farley b. 1789-94

md. 26 Aug. 1823

Betsy Phillips

(Capt. Henry & Sally ?)

md. 25 Feb. 1836

Phoebe Adair

Lawerence Co. Ky.

Mercer Co. W. Va.

26 Oct. 1854 Nelson Farley 19 S b. Mercer Co. Gideon & Dinah

Sarah Runnels 20 S b. Montgomery Co. John & Anna

11 April 1861 Samuel Hopkins 24 S b. Franklin Co. Jonathan & Jemimah

Rachel Farley 24 S b. Mercer Co. Gideon & Dinah

9 Jan. 1855 William Pettry 20 S b. " William & Polly

Jane Farley 25 S b. " Gideon & Dinah

John Wesley Farley b. 1805, Monroe Co. F. Gideon, M. Mary, md. Sarah ? b. 1813, Montgomery Co.

Ch: 1. Devinah (Lavina) b. 1830 md. James Estep (1828-1881) F. Shadrack m. Elizabeth

2. Savinah md. Enoch Estep F Joel

3. Edward md. Julia

4. William

5. Leonard d. 3-2-1892 md. Rebecca Brinkley F. Willis M Judah

- 6. Commodore Perry md. 1. Harriett Bradley F. Simeon M. Eva, md. 2. Leatha Halstead F. W.
- 7. John
- 8. Adam
- 9. Noah md. 25 April 1872, Boone Co., Abigail Cantley
- 10. Cumberland md. Ann Massey F. Squire M. Wilnouth ?
- 11. Polly
- 12. Sarah md. Samuel Pettry F. St. Clair

 Matt Farley md. 2-15-1920, Monroe Co. W. Va. Jane Laverty Sur. Matt Farley & Wm. McDaniel

Aly Farley 1845-1920, (Samuel & Matilda md. 4-14-1839 ?) md. Nancy Bevins 1844-1932
 F. Thomas M. Eliz. Williamson

- Ch: 1. John B. 1867-1944, md. 1889 Lucinda Mullins of Logan
 2. Pricy ? 1869-?, md. Crit ? Scott
 3. Roland T. 1884-?, md. 1. Nancy Lowe 2. Myrtle (Bevins) Harris, widow of John B. others ?

Peter Dingess md. 17 Jan. 1806, Sarah Farley (Capt. Henry)
 1776

John Dingess md. Chloe Farley " " (This is debatable-have seen two other marriages for him- although John & Chloe are on Logan Co. census.)

(Both sons of Peter Dingess and Mary Smith Dingess)

 Joseph Gore md. Martha Pine of Mercer Co. F. Alex M. Mary Gatliff

- Ch: 1. I. James md. Malinda McDaniels went west
 2. John md. Margaret (Peggy) Dingess b. 1814 (John Dingess & Chloe Farley Ding
 3. Eli b. 1817 md. Nancy Ellis b. 1818 (Evans & Margaret Hines Ellis
 4. Levi b. 1818 md. Mero Hinchman b. 1819 (William & Mary A. Perry Hinchman
 5. Delilah 1806-1877 md. James Bailey Jr. 1806-1874 (James & Margaret Stinnett Bailey
 6. Rebecca md. Jacob Ellis (Evans & Margaret)
 7. Rena (Rea) 1810-1888 md. 1831 James Henderson Shannon 1808-1890 (Layne & Mattie)
 8. Celia md. Jacob Pettry
 9. Kalis ?(Catherine) md. Robert Massie
 10. Martha b. 1823 md. James Harvey Hinchman 1818-1905 (William & Mary)
 11. Nancy b. 1808 md. Robert (Cuddy) Acord b. 1802 (John Sr. & ?)

 John Harvey (F. John M. Margaret) md. Elizabeth ?

- Ch: 1. Dicca md. 1811 Bartley Pack
 2. Elizabeth md. 1805 Ephraim Broyles
 3. Nancy 1. 3-13-1815 Thomas Paul 2. 1818 James Farley (F. Matt M. Esther)
 4. Polly md. 1805 Edmund Dunn
 5. ? md. Matt Farley

 Could Ball Woodrum be the same man as Archibald Woodrum ? Nickname "Ball" ?

 Alexander Pine md. Mary Gatliff F. James M. Martha

- Ch: 1. James
 2. Alexander
 3. Rebecca md. Thomas Christian
 4. Martha md. Joseph Gore
 5. Thomas
 6. Nancy
 7. Mary

Alexander Pine b. 1818 md. Rebecca Smith b. 1820 F. Benjamin M. Martha Staton Smith
 (this must be Alexander Pine Jr. ?)

 Additional info. from Agnes Pearlman:

- Abstracts of Cabell Co. West Va. Marriages;
 4 Feb. 1813 John Farley to Polly Ferguson
 4 Feb. 1814 or 1816 William Farler to Elizabeth Chetwood
 19 Apr. 1814 Stephen Hensley to Nancy Farler

Researcher-Mrs. R. J. Sadlon

From Buchanan Co. Mo. Abstracts of Wills & Adm. from Books A-B 1839-1857:

FARLEY, NIMROD, died intestate, Admr., Charles A. Farley. Sec. James C. Smith and Samuel Martin. 23 July 1847. (A-149)

Buchanan Co. Marriages, Mo.

Isaac Gore to Mary Francis Farley, 1851

From: "12 Gen. of Farley" by Jesse Kelso Farley

p 98: For the benefit of his decedents Matthew Farley was b on the Blackwater in 1759, died in Ind. 1837, md. Esther McMullen, dau of Edward McMullen, 3 July 1785. Ch: Elizabeth b 18 Feb. 1786, md Samuel Jarrell 1804; Sarah b 29 Jan. 1788, md. James Gore 23 Dec. 1807; Esther b 22 April 1790, md. John Abbott 1807; Matt b 29 Nov. 1792, md. Jane Harvey; James b 11 April 1795, md. Nancy Harvey; Joseph b 27 Nov. 1797, md. Rebecca Paul; John b 22 April 1800, md. Polly Crawford; Nancy b 12 March 1803, md. Joel Cook; Jennie b 3 Feb. 1806, md. 1. Henry Gore, 2. William C. Gore.

John Farley, brother of Francis, Thomas and half brother of Matthew has left us very meager records of his life. He was b 1728 in what is now Chesterfield Co. migrating with his father to the Blackwater, then to New River where we find him at the outbreak of the revolution.

Francis Farley, brother of John, Thomas and half brother of Matthew was the eldest son, b 1726, Chesterfield Co. died in Ill. in 1829 at the extreme age of 103 years. He md. Nancy Blankenship probably sister of Drewry Blankenship, the scout. He like the two elder brothers migrated with his father to the Blackwater. They later came to New River where we find them at Culbertson Bottom and immediate vicinity before the Revolution. During the conflict they removed to Walkers Creek and after the peace, with the exception of Thomas, came back to their former claims. Francis lived on a tract of 300 acres on Indian Creek in present Monree Co. It is likely that his father and stepmother died while residing with him. He became noted as a frontiersman and border scout and helped to engage the savage foe at Point Pleasant. Like John, we know but little concerning the identity of the family of Francis and Nancy Blankenship Farley. Their ch. were probably: Edward, Francis, Drewry, Gideon, Adam, Nancy, Polly, Johanna

p 72: Revolutionary Service; Command of Capt. Michael Woods, Rich Creek 16 Sept. 1774; Drafted, Philip Cavanaugh, John Farley, Richard Blankenship, John Humphrey, Francis Farley, George Pack.

p 74: Charles Cavanaugh, Philiman Cavanaugh, Wm. Cavanaugh, James Odear, Samuel Pack, George Pack, Charles Hoyt, Thomas Farlor, Francis Farlor, John Farlor, Mitchel Clay.

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From: Lucille Farley Speer

Lucille wishes to inform that she will definately not have her work on Farley line ready for publication this year although she will appreciate any additional info.

From: Doris Richards

Josiah Farley md. Nancy --- Ch: Thaddeus b 1842 d 1876 bur. Green Cem. Weston, Mo. md. Frankie--- b 1845 d 1925

Robert

Sarah

James

Josiah Jr.

Mary b 4 Feb. 1856 d 11 April 1863 bur. Green Cem. Weston, Mo.

dated November 10, 1972

From: Kaye Palacios

Received by Kaye from Agnes Pearlman: 1815 Tax list of Cabell & Giles Co.'s.

first number refers to white males over 16
second number refers to slaves
third number refers to horses, asses, etc.
fourth number refers to cattle

Date: 8 April 1815, Giles Co. Va.

Place: Sycamore Fork & Clear Fork of Cole River

Names of Taxpayers (among Others):

Farley, John Sr.	1	0	1	2
Farley, Matt	1	0	1	0
Farley, Thomas Jr.	1	0	1	0

Date: 28 Feb. 1818, Giles Co., Va.

Place: Little Stoney Creek & Big Stoney Creek & Perrisburg & North side of How's Mountain

Names of Taxpayers (among others):

Farley, Thomas	1	1	4	9
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Date: 6 April 1814, Giles Co. Va.

Place: Loop Creek & Lick Branch & Clear Fork of Gayandotte River

Names of Taxpayers (among others):

Farley, John Jr.	1	0	3	0
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Date: 3 April 1815, Giles Co., Va.

Place: Big Bluestone & Pipestem & Tom's Run & Loop Creek

Farley, Gideon	1	0	1	0
Farley, Drury	2	0	3	2
Farley, George	2	0	0	3

Giles County volumn has abstracts from deed books showing that Thomas Farley owned land on Sugar Run and Walkers Creek.

One entry for 1809, Giles Deed Bk. 1, p. 140, and another on p. 137 show Judith and Jesse Farley (exr.'s of Thomas Farley) selling segments of 700 acres of land granted to Thomas Farley on Walkers Creek. (This must be the widow Judith Clay Farley, wife of Thomas Farley Sr. died ca. 1796.)

No Farley's listed in Tazewell County.

Cabell Co., Va.

Farley, Henry	2	1	3	8
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(No place given for Henry, but date: 17 April 1815)

(This was Capt. Henry, son of above named Thomas of Giles.)

Page 143, Deed Bk. 1 reference to Thomas Farley, Jesse and Betsy Farley to Jacob and John Peck, 487 acres, a part of tract conveyed to Jesse by Clay Farley, the balance being sold to Archibald Clyburn, 97 acres, on southeast side of Walkers, part of four tracts (described) adjoining James Stafford Jr. Contains entry of 40 acres by Thomas Farley which patent has not been recieved for.

Another entry on p. 141, Forrest Farley: Samuel Dillon & Cloah his wife: Rebecca Thompson (co-heirs and legatees of Thomas Farley, dec'd.) To John Walker, 300 acres on Richland Creek, a branch of the Bluestone. corner to Clay's, 1807.

Sent to me in answer to a letter I had written to Fred Penney Jr. of Sacramento, Calif. He is a researcher on the Farley's of Ill. , I had hoped he would know something of my Thomas being from Ill. He didn't.

Francis Farley Jr., son of Francis Farley Sr. and Elizabeth.

Francis Jr. married Nancy Blankenship,
Children:

1. Francis b. ca 1756, Va. md. Rachel McMullen about 1794. He died, Va. about 1800.

2. Nancy Elizabeth b. ca. 1758, Va. md. James Ellison 1777.
3. Gideon b. ca. 1760, Va.
4. Adam b. ca. 1762, Va. md. Katie Boyd. He died, Ill. 1828
5. Polly b. ca. 1766, Va. md. _____ Adkins
6. Johanna b. ca. 1768, Va. md. John Christian
7. Drury b. 1769, Va. md. Mary Adkins (probably sister of Polly's husband)
8. Edward b. 27, Oct. 1770, Va. died 1832, White Co., Ill. md. 1. Lettice McMullen, 27 Jan. 1791. She was half sister of Esther McMullen, wife of Matthew Farley, and Rachel McMullen, wife of Francis Farley, above. The McMullen girls were the daughters of Edward McMullen. Lettice McMullen Farley b. 7 April 1774, at Sweet Springs, Va. died 1821, White Co., Ill. After Lettice died, Edward md. 2. Polly Hatchett, b. ca. 1772. There were no children known to this mg.

The above information is from the Genealogical Society of Salt Lake City, Utah, an article by Eben C. Farley printed in the Richmond, Va. Standard dated 3 July 1880; a diary held by Edward Farley Humphreys, Caldwell, Idaho and the D.A.R. Patriot index.

Edward Farley Sr., son of Francis Farley Jr. and Nancy Blankenship
Edward Farley Sr. and Lettice McMullen had the following children:

1. Francis b. 7 Jan. 1792, Bedford Co., Va. md. Sarah Groves, March 1829. He d. ca. 1830
2. Drury b. 6 Feb. 1793, Bedford Co., Va. md. Polly Tade, 6 Feb. 1821. She b. 22 June 180 He probably died in San Diego, Calif.
3. Edward Jr. b. 12 Nov. 1797, Greenbriar Co., Va. d. 2 Aug. 1867, Ogden, Weber Co., Utah md. Mary Moore, 9 Aug. 1821. She dau. of Moses Moore and Priscilla Miller, she probably b. N.C., 9 Oct. 1807, d. 15 Oct. 1884, Ogden, Weber Co., Utah. Edward Jr. was also md. to Sarah Moore (sister of Mary) and md. 3. Polly Boone.
4. Sarah b. 19 Sept. 1795, Greenbriar Co., Va. d. ca. 1811 at age of 16
5. Silas b. 12 Nov. 1799, Monroe Co., Va. md. Celia Tade, 1824. She was sister of Polly Tade, wife of Drury Farley above. Silas d. ca. 1834.
6. Eliza (Elias) b. 1801, Monroe Co., Va. d. young ca. 1813.
7. Nancy b. 3 Oct. 1806, Gallia Co., Ohio, md. John Edmondson, 19 May 1825. Md. 2. Ira Parker after John died, 1840. She d. 23 Oct. 1897, Kalona, Washington Co. Iowa.
8. John R. b. ca. 1806, Ohio. He could have been a twin to Nancy above.
9. Sylvester b. ca. 1811, Ohio. He lived and probably d. Keeta, Keokuk Co, Iowa not far from his sister Nancy.
10. Joseph b. 16 Nov. 1812 Shawneetown, Gallatin Co., Ill. md. Sarah Marie Robeson, 16 Feb. 1836. He d. 4 Jan. 1887, probably San Diego, Calif.
11. Jane nothing known
12. Lovian b. ca. 1802, Monroe Co. Va. md. John Chenault, 1820. She d. about 1838.

(This family was all over the place!!!) R.J.S.

dated 4 November 1972

from Agnes Pearlman:

Following are records of marriage bonds for Jane "Jennie" Farley, daughter of Esther (_____ widow McMullen) and Capt. Matthew Farley:

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| 13 Sept. 1824 | Monroe Co. Va. | Jane Farley to Henry Gore |
| | | bondsmen: Henry Gore & Joseph Farley |
| 28 Nov. 1831 | Giles Co. Va. | Jane Gore to William C. Gore |
| | | (no parents or bondsmen listed) |

dated 4 November 1972

From: Kaye Palacios

On the marriage bond (enclosed) for John Farley, the name "Wm. H. Farley" is marked out, and written in another ink is the name, Wm. McCoy. I copied it just "as is" for I love that spelling they used. It makes me feel better, knowing that someone was as bad at it as I am. Maybe it runs in the family!

Got a letter the other day who is working on a Caleb Farley b. 1839, W. Va. and went to Ind. I may be wrong but I would think her Caleb was of the New England branch as I have not seen the name Caleb in any of the Va. lines. But it is in the New Eng. Farley's. Also was sent a short history of the New Eng. Farley's which was given to this person by Mrs. Day, I believe. The paper stated that the ancestor of the New Eng. branch was George Farley, who immigrated to America 1640. And that this George was the brother of Thomas (came 1623, Va.), both sons of Fabyan Farley. This is where I am confused. I thought that Thomas was the son of Roger Farley and Jane Evans. **

**NOTE-R.J.S. - According to my files, George would not have been a brother to Thomas, but his uncle; a brother to Thomas Farley's father, Roger.

In Raglands History of Logan Co. W. Va., he stated that Capt. Henry's daughter, Mary, married Stephen Hensley. On the marriage bond sent by Mrs. Fowler shows: Nancy Farley, and Stephen Hensley, 19 April 1814. Could this Nancy and Mary be one and the same? Or is this an error?

Talked to Thella Jones on the phone this morning and she has found a Farley in Texas, whose father was from Scotland. Just adds to the pot even more!

Any idea who this John Farley who died in 1838, Pike Co., Ky. may be? I am still looking for John & Polly Ferguson Farley and their children.

A FEW FARLEY CHILDREN LIVING WITH OTHER FAMILIES:

1860 Pike Co., Ky.

Living with family of James and Isabell Burris:

A.F.B. Farler	13 m
Jane "	8 F
Montraville Farler	4 m
James H. Farler	3 m

1870 Pike Co., Ky.

Samuel Farley	52
Matilda	54
John P.	21
Lewis	19
Vicy	17
Jane	15
Montraville	13 *
James H.	12 * - these are the same ones listed above.

1850 Logan Co. W. Va.

Living with William Dingess:

Henry Farler	20
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Living with John Dingess:

Nancy Farler	11
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Living with Sarah Dingess

Gordon Farley	13
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1860 Logan Co. W. Va.

Living with a Conley family:

Sarah Farley	15
Henry Farley	30

*Does anyone know who the parents of these children are?

Pike Co. Ky. Court Orders, Book A, page 333, December Court - 1838

"Ordered that the collector of Pike County for 1838 do not collect of the estate of John Farler Deceased his County Levy for said year and the estate is exempt from paying the same." Monday, December 3, 1838

Wayne County, West Va. - 1870 Census
Butler Township - P.O. Cassvill

Jesse Farley	41	Va.
Elizabeth	35	Ky.
Pollie	15	Va.
Lucinda	13	"
George M.	9	"
Jesse	7	"
Laesizade (?)	4 f	"
Elvira	3	Ky.

Wayne Co. West Va. - 1870
Grant Township - P.O. Wayne

Alferd Farler	35	Va.
Elizabeth	37	"

Marriage Bonds of Pike County, Ky.
File # 352

John Farley and Matilda Stafford - Bond June 29, 1833

"This is to cirtify I autherise my brother ^{Wm. McCoy} ~~Wm. H. Farley~~ to write or make use of my name to the marriage bond to the clerk of Pike Cty whare as I have sent him for licens for my self to marry and in obtaining them I impower him to make use of my name given from under my hand this 26th day of June 1833

John Farley"

William ^{his} ~~x~~ McCoy
mark

"Mouth of Pond Pike Cty, Ky. June the 24th 1833. To the honerable Clark of the Cty Cort - Sir this is to authorize you to Ishue marriage licens between my dauter Matilda and John Farley as She is of Lawful age given under my hand this day amd date above written.

her
Nancy x Stafford
mark

Teste

H. Smith
William H. Farler
William McCoy

*Note: It would appear from this marked out part of the bond letter that this John is the brother of Wm. H. Farley. So there is little soubt that this John is the son of Capt. Henry Farley.

Kaye

dated November 1972

from: Lois Stett

The page on marriages from Dorothy Ford Wulfeck..these were brothers & sisters:

Will..Henry Farley, Lunenburg Co.Va. Bk. 3 p. 185, Proved 1786, names as children:
Anne, Betty, Doshi, Edward, Martha, Polly, Seth, William.

John Farley Jr., Chesterfield Co., Va. md. Elizabeth Archer, children:

- John md. Mary Willett
- Francis md. Nancy Whitlow
- Peter md. Drucilla Turpin
- Mary md. Thomas Womack
- William md. Martha Stewart
- Sarah md. Robert Thompson
- James md. Mary
- Joseph md. Mary Ellington
- Forrest
- Matthew
- Henry md. Mary

Above copied in Library of Congress, Wahsington, D.C.

dated November 1972

from: R. J. Sadlon (research from various sources, records, etc.)

Missouri Pioneers, County & Genealogical Records, Vol. VII

p. 11 FARLEY, JACKSON, appointed guardian of Emeline and Amanda Farley, minor children of Jackson Farley and Caroline Farley. 5 March 1849. Sec. John Riggins.(Bend A-178)

Scott Co., Mo. Marriage Records Book I 1840-1855:

16 Dec. 1841 Farlow, Andrew to Martha Leach by Wm. Logan JP

dated 10 Nov. 1972

From: David A. Turner

In checking through the marriages of Cabell Co., W. Va. I found the marriage of Matilda Farley to Carter T. Clark. They were married 11 Aug. 1817. According to the Logan 1850 Census, Carter T. was born 1791. Evidently Matilda died before 1850 for Carter T. is shown living with his brother, John B. Clark, who married one of the McDonalds.

The wife of Meredith Burgess born 1797 was a Matilda Farley, b. 1800. The name Matilda seems to have been a family name.

I found the following marriage records, Chesterfield Co., Va. :

- 13 June 1779. John Farley and Judith Moore. Isham Farmer consents for Judith.
- 5 March 1796. John Farley and Elizabeth Cheatham, dau. of Elizabeth Cheatham who consents.
- 19 Oct. 1801. Matthew Farley and Martha Ashurst, daul of Robert Ashurst who consents.
- 3 Jan. 1811 . Phillip Farley and Alice E. Calvin, dau. of Wm. Calvin Sr.
- 3 Nov. 1773 . William Walthall and Sophia Farley. Sur. Archibald Walthall.

The Chesterfield Co. Va. Farleys were probably a spill-over from the ones living in Amelia Co. The records of Amelia Co. show many Farley's.

dated 12 Nov. 1972

from: Babe Fowler (Mrs. Claude)

Personal Property Taxes for Logan Co., W. Va. (Va. State Archives)

- 1. Males (white) over 16; 2. blacks over 12; 3. blacks over 16; 4. horses; 5. stud horses;
- 6. total sum of tax. (I got the impression that it was in cents.)

All names listed are Farley's.

year-1824

1825

1826

1827

Nimrod: 1m 1h -12¢
 Wm. P.: 1m
 George: 2m
 Joseph: 1m
 Thompson: 1m 1h -12¢
 Wm. Sr.: 1m 1h -12¢
 Henry Jr.: 1m 1h -12¢
 Wm. Jr.: 1m 1h 48¢
 Henry Sr.: 1m 1s over 16 =47¢
 John: 1m
 Thomas: 1m

Joseph: 1m
 Wm: 1m -12¢
 Thompson: 1m 1h -12¢
 Nimrod: 1m
 Wm. Sr.: 1m 2h -24¢
 Henry Jr.:
 John: 1m
 Thomas: 1m wh -24¢
 Wm. H.: 1m 1h -12¢
 Henry Sr.: 1m

Joseph: 1m
 Thompson: 1m 1h -12¢
 John: 1m 1h -12¢
 Nimrod: 1m 1h -12¢
 Thomas: 1m 2h -24¢
 Henry Sr.: 1m
 Henry: 1m
 Henry Jr.: 1m 1h -12¢
 George: 2m
 Wm.: 1m 1h -12¢

Nimrod: 1m
 Wm.: 1m 1h -12¢
 Thompson: 1m 1h -12¢
 Joseph: 1m
 George: 2m
 Thomas: 1m
 John: 1m
 Henry Sr.: 1m
 Wm. H.:
 Henry P: 1m 2h

If you know what records you want the Archives will make a xerox copy for 10¢ a page-microfilm for 50¢ a page. They have the early tax records of the counties of Va.-W. Va.

"Montgomery Co., Va.-Circa. 1790" - Netti-Schreiner-Yantis p. 28;

Attending Muster--fined for not attending-- Henry Farley--removed to Wythe Co. 1787

Person charged with taxes white males over 21 white males 16-21 slaves horses

Tax List C (includes part of what is now Fayette, Raleigh, Summers, Mercer, Giles, Montg.)

1789, May 20: Thomas Sr. - Thomas Sr. 0-2-6 (one stud horse, covering rate 15 shillings)

(b) 20: William Wm 0-0-3

20: Henry Henry 0-0-3

20: Forest Forest 0-0-5

July 1: Thomas Jr. Thomas Jr. 0-0-5

(b) A person of this name appeared in the 1788 list, with no tithable, and one male in 16-21 age group. Probably turned 21 this year.

Survey Book D

p. 48: p 84: Thomas- 76 on Sugar Run adj his own and Thomas Shannon, 23 March 1789

p. 49: p. 140: Forest - 39 between Root: Br and the Gum Br. 30 Oct. 1787

p. 141: " 90 on sugar Run at Sang Br. 28 April 1788

p. 95: Locating residences of taxpayers - list C

p. 96: 19 May 1789 (Walkers Cr. from mouth to Sugar Run & Whitleys Br. Wolf Cr. & Sinking & Doe Cr. near mouths)

Henry, Thomas & William - all appears in list M of Montgomery Co, 1792/3

21, May (Sugar Run at Sang Br.) --Forest

p. 97L 1 July 1789 (Sugar Run, Walkers Cr.) Thomas Jr. - appears in list M of Montgomery Co. 1792/3.

From Sigfus Olafson

dated, 3 Nov. 1972

That was quite a wad of material you sent me and some time will be required to digest it, so for the present I will comment only on the contents of Mrs. Palacios letter. Though most of my genealogical work has pertained to Boone County I have some familiarity with Logan and Mingo. In fact I might claim I am the leading authority on those counties, which sounds like boasting but unfortunately isn't. As far as I know I am the only person who has done any general genealogical research there since the time of Henry Clay Ragland in the 1890's. A man named Swain came to Logan briefly in the 1920's and wrote a history of the county but all he did was to publish verbatim what Ragland had written and add to it brief sketches about the then leading business men. So, though I am not really well informed about the people of those counties, I do think I have more source material than anyone else, which is something like the one-eyed man being king in a country of the blind!

Now first as to George Curry, who interests me. I have no doubt about his telling the truth as he knows it, but I am skeptical about the Indian wives because I have heard that tale so often and never could find any actual proof. I was born and grew up in what was a new settlement in northern Minnesota where there were, and still are, a good many Indians, and I can testify that the social gulf between them and the whites was wide and deep. Though there were such things as occasional "squaw men" there was no such thing as intermarriage, and though the feeling between the two races has undergone a lot of change, there still is none. This is not altogether the fault of the whites for the Indians do not want to integrate or to be assimilated. Looking at some of the doings of the white race one may think they have a point. The Indian was separated from the rest of mankind for a thousand generations and it is very difficult for him to adapt himself to the mores of another race. With things the way they are and have been in other places it is difficult to believe they were different on the Illinois frontier in the 1830's

Let us turn to what Mr. Curry said and compare it with the records that are at hand. In part he said about the family of the first Thomas Farley and his Indian wife:

"They had three sons; John, who left home when he was about 15 years old, and was never heard from again. Jesse, I know nothing of. And Thomas, who married Nancy Ann Maynard - and they are my grandparents."

Logan County included all of Mingo until 1895 and turning now to the Logan Co. census of 1860, see listed there John Farley, age 30, and his birthplace is shown as Illinois! Could there have been two John Farley's who came from Illinois to Pigeon Creek in Mingo County? I think not. I think this confirms Mr. Curry's statement but he evidently had lost track of this John Farley which is understandable in view of the lapse of time.

He says he knows nothing of Jesse Farley but there is also a Jesse Farley listed in the Logan 1860 census, age 32, but his birthplace is not indicated. He is married and five children are listed. I might add that John was also married and had eight children.

And there is a Thomas Farley age 38 (born 1822) whose wife's name is Nancy Ann and who must have been the Nancy Ann Maynard who Mr. Curry says was his grandmother. Again his statement checks out. In the 1860 census the names and ages of their eleven children are as follows: William M. 8, Ira L. 17, Samuel G. 15, Lucinda 14, Sally 12, Melvin 10, Louisa 8, Allen P. 6, Polly 4, Charlotte 3, Chloe Ann 1.

Going further with Mr. Curry's statement he says there were three sons of his great grandfathers second marriage, who were Anse, Add, and Patterson. Anse was a nickname for Anderson, as for instance, Devil Anse Hatfield who was Anderson Hatfield, and Add for Addison. Both Anderson and Addison were frequent male names in the earlier part of the last century.

Turning again to the Logan 1860 census we see two Anderson Farley's, both married and each having two children. One of them must be the Anse that Mr. Curry mentions but presently I do not know which one.

And there is a Patterson Farley whose family is listed as follows:

Patterson Farley	age 23
Rebecca	" 30
Harrison	" 3
Matilda Coleman	" 50
Nancy	" 13

This is a little puzzling. Mr. Curry says that Patterson raised Nancy Coleman, the oldest child of his sister, and here she is. But if we turn to the Logan 1850 census things become even more puzzling, for there we see this household listed:

Matilda Coleman	age 23
Anderson Farley	" 15
Patterson "	" 11
Nancy Coleman	" 3

Now what do we do. My guess, and it is only a guess, is that Matilda was the second wife of the first Thomas Farley who after his death married someone named Coleman and was again a widow by the time the 1850 census was taken. This would make Nancy Coleman a half-sister of Patterson instead of his niece. This is a side issue and does not enter into the ancestry of Mrs. Palacios. It does strengthen the statement of Mr. Curry and I feel certain he is telling the truth as he knows it, but there is always a possibility that he was misinformed about certain things.

I find no Addison Farley in the Logan 1850 census but there is one in 1860, in the household of a widow named Nancy Farley. He is 19 years old and I have no other information about him.

I think that if someone went to Mr. Curry with the names that are in the census records it would jog his memory and bring certain things back to him. I have tried that method and at times it has led to interesting results. I go to Logan occasionally - in fact, I was there day before yesterday - and I would not mind trying it if I knew where he lives.

I think I have other material that will help round out what you have and will try to get to that later.

Mrs. Palacios speaks of the apparent discrepancy in the marriage record of her second gr. grandfather but there may be another explanation. Ministers were supposed to report to the county clerk all marriages performed during each calendar year at the end thereof, but I know of cases where they put this off for as much as three years, creating such apparent discrepancies, and there must have been cases where they did not report them at all, even though the parties had complied fully with all laws.

November 1972

From: Sigfus Olafson
507 Kanawha Ave.
Madison, W. Va. 25130 letter dated 24, Oct. 1972

Your letter was recieved to day. I have just been looking through some old notes of 30-40 years ago and find some more Farley references. One is a sketch from Bancroft's History of Calif. Vol. 7 page 431, as follows:

James T. Farley, democrat, was elected United States Senator from California by the legislature of 1877-8 and served untill Leland Stanford was elected to succeed him by the legislature of 1885. Farley was born in Virginia in 1829, educated in the common schools of Missouri, and migrated to Calif. where he studied law and began to practice in 1854. He was a member of the assembly in 1855 and in 1856 was a speaker of that house. He served eight years as state senator and was president pro tem one session. Resided in Jackson, Amador Co. This has the date of his birth two years later than what I have previously given you. Ginseng or no ginseng he must have had something on the ball to accomplish what he did.

I also found some census records pertaining to this region which I copied long ago. One consisted of excerpts from the 1820 census which at that time included the area where Nimrod Farley later had his mill. The 1820 entry for the household of Nimrod Farley in Cabell Co. Va. (now W. Va.) shows 2 males 0-10, 1 male 18-26, 1 male 26-45, 1 female 0-10, 1 female 26-45. The oldest male and female were no doubt Nimrod and his wife. The male in the 18-26 bracket could have been a relative of either or a hired hand. In case you wonder why the unusual age grouping, it had to do with militia service. All able bodied males from 16 to 26 were in the active militia, had to attend monthly drills and annual musters, and were subject to call at any time. Males from 26 to 45 were in the reserve, subject to call in an emergency, while males over 45 were exempt. For no good reason, unless they had womens lib in those days, females were placed in similar age brackets.

In 1824 Logan Co. was formed and included the portion of Cabell Co. where Nimrod had lived. The 1830 census of his household shows 1 male 5-10, (this would be James T.) 1 male 30-40, 1 female 0-5, 1 female 5-10, 1 female 15-20, 1 female 20-30. This does not match up well with the preceding census but one might surmise that Nimrods first wife had died and that he was remarried to a younger woman.

The 1840 census adds more confusion. In it Nimrods household has 1 male 15-20, (too old for James T.) 1 male 40-50 (Nimrod) 2 females 0-5, 1 female 5-10, 1 female 10-15, 1 female 20-30, 1 female 30-40. It is possible of course that the census taker erred in placing them in these age brackets and perhaps even more likely that I erred in copying them.

In 1847 Boone Co. was formed and included the portion of Logan where Nimrod lived but when its 1850 census was taken he was no longer there. I think he moved to Missouri about 1842 as I have information that some of his near neighbors moved to Missouri then. In fact there was quite an exodus from here to Mo. in the early 1840's.

I have no information about James T. Farley having been married. Divorces were not unknown at that time and the marriage you cite could be his. It is not unlikely that other Farley's moved to that area then and this could have been a cousin. The same applies to the two Nimrod's you found in Mo. One was no doubt the senator's father and the other one a relative.

In that connection I might say that a James Russell of Flat Top had a jointing friend Farley's name in his will. This was the same James Russell who was the administrator of James Russell's will in Flat Top Co. and was a neighbor of the south. I think this is our Nimrod and the Nimrod who died in 1842 is a relative, unless there is a typographical error. Nimrod should have been born in the early 1790's. He was over 26 in 1820, and under 40 in 1830.

Of course you may place me on your mailing list and I will contact Aubrey C. Smith of Beckley, W. Va. who has far more information about the early Farley's than I have.

NOVEMBER 1972

From: Sigfus Olafson
507 Kanawha Ave.
Madison, W. Va. 25130

The material you sent me relates to several subjects and families and I will, in due time, make comments on the ones I know of and in cases where I have some information. I am now sending you herewith some papers relating to the Farley family which were given to me by Aubrey O. Smith, of Beckley, W. Va.

I note that you are in touch with Mrs. Agnes Pearlman. I have corresponded with her for some time and she came here once and spent two 18 hour days copying some of the things that David Turner and I have. She is a very nice person, as well as a capable and reliable genealogist.

I have marked each one of the enclosed papers with a letter at the upper left hand corner and they are as follows:

- A-Relates to litigation involving properties owned by Simon and Francis Farley.
- B-Is a list of some marriages in Montgomery Co. Va. which once covered a large area including the West Va. region where the early Farley families lived. You will see that several Farley marriages are listed, some of them more than once and at different dates. I am unable to explain this unless it is the time lag between the actual marriage and the time the officiating minister reported it for recording. That is just a guess on my part.
- C-Is a school teaching contract made with Matt Farley, apparently the same one that Mrs. Pearlman will send you. There is nothing genealogical in it but it is an interesting sidelight on educational matters of that time period.
- D-Is a contract between some merchants of present Monroe Co. (then Greenbriar) and Francis Farley and relates to the preparation of a bridle path or road from Monroe to either Prestonsburg, Ky., or Vancouvers Trading Post which was at the forks of Sandy River, in or near present Louisa, Ky. This was perhaps an impossible task as the route was more than 150 miles over some of the roughest terrain in the Appalachians. Anyway, Farley's path was not accepted and he was never paid for his work.
- E-Is the will of Matt Farley, of Henry Co., Ind.
- F-Is a penciled paper relating to a suit by James Byrneside against the heirs of Thomas Farley and from it we can learn that the name of his widow was Judith, his sons were Henry, William, Thomas and Clay, his daughters were Chloe, wife of Samuel Dillon, Rebecca, wife of John Thompson, and Judith, the last named unmarried at the time of the suit. I know nothing about this affair but think it definitely relates to the branch of the Farley's that were in this part of Va. It must have taken place soon after 1800 as James Byrneside (he has decedents here) did not live long after that time. It is my guess that the suit involves property in Monroe Co. and that the Thomas Farley family was living in Ky. at the time of the suit.
- G-Is the marriage bond of Lemuel Jarrell and Elizabeth Farley. Lemuel was a brother of the gr gr grandfather of my local friend, David A. Turner.
- H-Relates to the Farley and Gore families and lists photos of which I do not have copies.
- I-Is a list of some early Gore wills.
- J-Relates to Gore family bible records, etc.

In my next letter I will give you what records I have of the decedents of Gideon Farley b. 1775, who settled in Boone Co.

JOHN SIMON FARLEY and Elizabeth Morson, plaintiffs, and

THOMAS LEE SHIPPEN and Elizabeth Carter, late Elizabeth Carter Banister, his wife, Champe Carter and Maria, late Maria Farley, his wife, Mary Byrd Farley, and Rebecca Parke Farley; which two last named parties, being infants, appear by John Dunbar, their guardian, defendants

FRANCIS FARLEY and Simon Farley, brothers, british subjects and fathers each of several children, in the year 1755, bought of William Byrd 26000 acres of land, called the Saura town, or the land of Eden, in Northcarolina, for 1000 pounds of sterling money. the conveyance was to Francis Farley, and Simon Farley and to their heirs. they bought also, together with one Francis Miller, several parcels of land, in the County of Norfolk, in Virginia, which were conveyed to the three purchasers and to their heirs.

Simon Farley paid one-half of the purchase money for the land in Northcarolina, and one-third part of the purchase money for the land in Virginia. slaves belonging to both the brothers were employed in cultivating the Northcarolina land; and Francis Farley debited with one-half of certain expenses incurred many years after the death of the latter on account of that estate.

The whole business of treating for the purchases, taking the conveyances, and managing the estates, was transacted by Francis Farley, who was several times in Virginia, his brother residing in Antigua, West Indies.

Simon Farley died about the year 1756 and by his testament, whereof he appointed his brother Francis one of the executors, his children, the plaintiffs, to whom the said Francis was appointed testamentary guardian, with others, clame what they now demand, which is one-half of the Northcarolina land, and one-third part of the Virginia land. After his death, Francis Farley bought from Francis Miller his third part of the land in Virginia.

25 of january 1757, Francis Farley wrote to Francis Miller a letter in these words: " i pray the favor of you to send me by the first opportunity a copy of the sale or conveyance to my brother and myself of the land bought from col. Byrd, which, after my brother is dead, i am as survivor intituled by law to the whole, so i want the sale that i may have a conveyance drawn for one-half my brothers share: for god forbid i would ever take such an advantage as his death gives me; and, for this reason, i want copies of those other lands bought between you, him and myself *** the sooner you send me these papers the better, and the more will you oblige me; for life is very uncertain and i want to get this business done for fear of accidents."

In another letter, dated 14 of August 1758, from Francis Farley to Francis Miller are these words: " i imagine some of my last letters to you have miscarried, as you take no notice in yours to me of some things i mentioned to you particularly the sending me copies of the conveyance made by col. Byrd to my brother and myself of the land we bought of him in Carolina, i have mentioned this two or three times, and must beg you will furnish me with it, by the very first opportunity: do not send the original deed but copies by two opportunities. i want it prodigiously that i may settle the matter, lest any accident should happen my life: and god forbid that i or mine should take the advantage the law gives by my surviving my poor brother; and i find you are of the same honest and honourable way of thinking. so you will be so kind to have this matter settled with you by a proper deed as to your survivorship, with regard to the lands we purchased in partnership in Virginia. charge me for all expenses that may attend your doing it, and sending copies of the deed from col. Byrd."

In a letter from Francis Farley to his son, James Parke Farley, dated the 31 of March 1772, are these words: " i believe Jack Farley will soon be obliged to go with the regiment to Ireland &c. that poor family will i feel be infallibly ruined, and obliged to sell their share of the land of Eden."

In a letter from Francis Farley to John Simon Farley, dated 11 of June 1777, are these words: " i am very apprehensive, that, if the americans find out you are one of the kings officers they will confiscate your lands in America, in that case you will have nothing to depend upon but your commission and i shall lose above 3000 pounds."

In a letter from Francis Farley to John Simon Farley, dated 13 of July 1778 are these words: " if you do not quit the army you will certainly lose your property in Northamerica, which i trust is worth more than a colonels commission and a regiment or two or three regiments *** surely you can not have the least doubt whether it will be best to preserve valuable property, in such a country or to continue a slave in the army of a very declining almost ruined country *** in my last i said, i should not again presume to advise you but in a very short time things are so vastly altered i can not help attempting it once more, i then thought that all of us who had property in Northamerica and were absent from that country, would forfeit it, but from the late accounts we have, we find the congress acts upon more liberal principals, and intend to give time to all absentees to return and clame their property, even those who deserted them in the day of distress, and bore arms against them; but, if they do not return in a certain limited time their property is to be confiscated and you may take for granted they will have no partiality towards an officer in the kings service. i therefore hope you will see this matter in the light i do and think it better to part with the commission you now have and come over to be ready to go to America to clame your property soon as matters are settled, than to lose considerable property in a very growing country.

If you have purchased a Captains commission before you recieve this i must beg you will let it &c then go to America to clame the land, if you should not like to remain in that country you may sell the land, and live in a country you like better, you can not afford to lose that land."

The writing which, after the death of Francis Farley, was proved for his testament, and by which all his estate in Northcarolina and Virginia was devised (a) to the children of his son, James Parke Farley, the female defendents, without making any declaration in favor of the plaintiffs, was lodged in the hands of Thomas Warner, attorney general of Antigua, West Indies, the counsil of that testator, with a paper on which were written by his direction the following words: "my late brother, Simon Farley, was half concerned with me in the purchase of a tract of land from the honourable William Byrd, Esq. and Elizabeth, his wife, and known by the name of Saura town, or the land of Eden in the province or state of Northcarolina, he was also one-third concerned with Mr. Francis Miller of Virginia merchant, and myself in the purchase of the following tracts of land, viz:

one tract purchased from Robert Ives and Keiza, his wife, one tract purchased from Anne Ludgall widow, John Biggs and Bathia his wife, William Dale and Mary his wife, and Sarah Ludgall Spinster, one tract purchased from John Ivy and Elizabeth his wife, one tract purchased from James Tucker. note i have since purchased Francis Millers title to his one third part so that i now possess two third parts of these several tracts of land.

My late brother is no how concerned with me in the great dismal swamp or any other lands that i have in Virginia or Northcarolina, except the five parcels above mentioned. and a man who in March 1779, had been sent for the said testamentary writing in order to return it to Francis Farley had wished to make a declaration in his will as to the title of John Simon Farley to the said lands in America, which the counsil as he informed the messenger declined to do from reason of policy, and brought to him with that information lamented that such declaration should not be made."

(a) Francis Farley, who appeareth to have expected that the property in America of british subjects would be confiscated, probably hoped to prevent the loss of these lands by devising them to his grandchildren, who were american citizens, praetermitting his brothers children, because a devise to them might be in vain. Note in edition of 1795.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY MARRIAGES

3-1-1782	Brown, Lo	Jane Davisson	Simeon Cockrell*
1785-1791	Farley, Forest	Mary Munsey	
same	" William	Elizabeth Thompson	
same	" Thomas	Patty Lester	
3-7-1786	" Forest	Mary Munsey	Nathaniel Munsey, sty
5-20-1789	" Thomas	Patsy Lester (Henry & Ann)	Richard Pugh, Henry Low
9-1-1789	" William	Elizabeth Thompson (Wm)	John Thompson, sty
list dated			
5-8-1793	" Thomas	Patty Lester	Richard Witt*
1796-1797	Farlow, John	Jane Hammons	Alexander Ross*
1-24-1797	Farley, John	Jane Hammon	John Hammon, sty.
5-10-1798	" Clay	Letty Carter	
3-4-1806	" Ezekial	Judy Markham	John Markham, sty
2-11-1798	Adkins, Shadrack	Christina Adkins	
6-9-1785	Smith, John	Hannah Wynatt	Richard Witt*
2-1-1787	French, John	Betty Clay	"
6-14-1797	" Isaac	Elizabeth Stowers	Alexander Ross*
1785-1791	" Mary	Isaac Hatfield	
"	" James	Susannah Hues	
1-1-1787	" James	Ann Chapman (John)	George Chapman, sty
1-16-1787	" John	Bidde Clay (Mitchell)	Jas. French-Ralph Stewrt
2-17-1787	Hurt, William	Elizabeth Good (Abraham)	
11-1-1797	Toney, Poindexter	Jane Lilly (Robert)	Robert & William Lilly, sty
11-10-1796	Smith, Joseph	Elizabeth McCoy	Issac Renfro*
8-30-1798	Lilly, Thomas	Rosanna Meador	Alexander Ross*
5-26-1798	Stroud, Absolam	Tabbath Clay	
5-8-1797	Bennett, Robert	Fanny Adkins	"
6-18-1797	French, David	Polly Dingess	"
1785-1791	Adkins, Randall	Charity Adkins	
3- -1820	Smith, Sovine	Sarah Scott	Richard Buckingham*
12-2-1824	Hurt, John	Loury West (came to Raliegh Co.)	Peter Howard*
8-4-1825	Trump, William	Malinda Hawkings	Richard Buckingham*
3-2-1826	Sovine, Henry	Catherine Thomas	"
9-9-1786	McDonald, Edward	Kezia Stephens	Jos. McDonald, sty
9-29-1825	Carper, John	Sally King	J.G. Cecil*
10-22-1829	Smith, Joseph	Lydia Scott	Richard Buckingham*
1-6-1810	Pate, Jeremiah (Jacob)	Polly Howerton	John Howerton, sty
6-16-1785	Straley, Jacob	Martha French (Matt & Sarah)	
1785	Farley, Rebecca	John Thompson	
9-24-1786	Farler "		
	d. Thomas	"	George Chapman*
1798	" Judy (Henry)	Patton Thompson	Wm. Hickman, Wm. Farley
9- 1800	" Judith	David Nicewonger	Alexander Ross*
9-26-1786	Hale, Edward of Lunenburg	Martha Perdue (William)	Peter Blankenship, Jesse Perdue, Thomas Addair, sty
8-23-1832	Covey, Elijah	Malinda Hall	
1-31-1826	" Daniel	Rebecca Pate	J.G. Cecil*
9-14-1789	Bailey, James	Margaret Stinson	Robert Stinson, sty
8- 1844	Carper, Russell	Malinda Warden	
10-3-1844	Hurt, Patrick H.	Nancy Ann Duckwiler	Wm. L. Hatcher*
9-18-1849	Beatty, Samuel J.	Ann Francis Furrow	"
10-5-1852	Ashworth, Armstead	A. Parthena Dobbins	Owen Summers*

*Minister performing marriage ceremony

***Note: Don't ask me to explain any of this! I just copied "as is". R.J.S.

"ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT between Matt Farley of the one part and we the subscribers to this article of the other part. Farley obliges himself under the penalty of one hundred dollars to teach school at his own house for the term of six months-it being the months as follows next ensuing-August, September, October, December, January, February, to keep five days a week in the above several months and to use his best endeavors to the best of his skill and judgement to learn those that may be sent to him in reading writing and arithmetic, so far as his and those abilities will permit, to find a house or room for the above purpose with a writing table, and many as need may require, to find his own boarding lodging and washing during the above time and if he should lose any time by sickness or other ways in the above time of keeping school, he obliges himself to make it up immediately at the end of the above six months, for which we the subscribers hereunto oblige ourselves to pay to Matt Farley, four dollars for each scholar we may agree to send to be paid as follows:

two dollars to be paid by the twenty fifth of December next ensuing at his house in well handled skins, at the price given in Union Town by Hirne or Alexander in discharge of debts, the other two dollars to be paid in good sound merchantable corn at two shillings and six pence per bushel to be divided at Farleys own house on the last day of February next, and oblige ourselves to find firewood for the school the last three months and we set our names with the number of scholars we agree to send, this 15th day of May 1825.

(Signed) MATT FARLEY

Scholars:

JAMES GORE 3
 ANDERSON PAINTER $\frac{1}{2}$
 TANDEY DEMPSEY 2
 LIGAH DIKE 1
 JOSEPH MEADOW $\frac{1}{2}$

WILLIAM DEMPSEY $\frac{1}{2}$
 JOHN ABBOTT 2
 HENRY GORE send but not to pay
 only for the time he does send
 ALEXANDER HALSTEAD

Article of agreement made and entered into between Francis Farlie of the county of Greenbriar and state of Virginia of the one part and Isaac Estill, James Alexander, & John Byrnside of the county and state aforesaid of the other part and as followeth viz:

Article 1st the said Farlie doth hereby agree to cut, mark and open a bridle way, about six feet wide, so as a man may with conveniency ride, from the ford of Bigg Blue Stone, about one mile from the mouth of the same, to Prestons Burgh or Vancevers station on Sandy, & to continue the nearest and best way he can, for the benefit of travellers, and also, to be upon such ground as will admit of making a sufficeint wagon road over, without any considerable difficulty, except cutting of timber & in some places digging, without any rocks or stones of any consequence to interfere.

Article 2nd. Said Farlie further agrees that he will go upon the same this fall now ensuing and as soon as he has completed the same he will then make report to said Isaac Estill, James Alexander & John Byrnside that same is completed.

Article 3rd. It is further agreed between the contracting parties that as soon as such report is made, the said Estill, Alexander & Byrnside shall call the committee for having the same carried into effect, whereupon the said committee is to appoint two judges to view the same without delay.

Article 4th. The said Isaac Estill, James Alexander, & John Byrnside doth hereby agree, that if the said judges so appointed to view the road are of the opinion that the said road is done according to contract, and that the same is or will admitt of a wagon road as aforesaid then the said Isaac Estill, James Alexander & John Byrnside doth hereby agree to pay to the said Francis Farlie the fulfillment of what the said judges would judge to be the value of the labour expended on the same, so as not to exceed three hundred dollars out of which the said Farlie agrees to quit twenty dollars for his own subscription.

Article 5th. The said Farlie further agrees that if the said road is not done according to the true intent and meaning of the above contract, and also that the way for a wagon road can not be had as above mentioned then the said Farlie agrees to loose the whole amount of his trouble and expense—and to the true performance of each and every of the above articles we bind ourselves and each other in the penal sum of six hundred dollars of the United States in witness whereof we have each for his own part set his hand and seal and signed duplicates this fifth day of September one thousand seven hundred & ninety seven.

FRANCIS x FARLIE (SEAL)
mark

Witness present:

ISAAC ESTILL (SEAL)

Robert Young

JAMES ALEXANDER (SEAL)

Margaretta L. Stuart

JOHN BYRNSIDE (SEAL)

We the undersigned subscribers being appointed to view a road from the ford of Blue stone to Sandy River agreeable to an agreement entered into between Francis Farley of the one part and ourselves and James Alexander of the other part we then contracting for the committee for having the same carried into effect have according to said appointment viewed the said road or a considerable part thereof and do consider that the road so far as viewed falls short of the contract on the part of Farley both as to the work done as well as the ground on which it is taken that we were of the opinion that it was entirely unnecessary for us to go any further. Given under our hands this 15th day of May, 1798.

ISAAC ESTILL

JOHN BYRNSIDE

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF MATT FARLEY

Feb. 27, 1837

STATE OF INDIANA, HENRY COUNTY, SS:-

In the name of God, amen, I Matt Farley, Senior, of the county of Henry and State of Indiana, being confined with sickness, but of sound mind, memory and understanding do hereby make this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following to wit:

First of all at my death, I recommend my soul to God who gave it to me and my body to be buried in a decent manner, at the discretion of my friends. As to all my real estate in the county and state aforesaid, it being the West half of the North East quarter of Section 17 in Township Sixteen East of the principal meridian line, containing eighty acres be the same more or less. It is my pleasure that my son John Farley remain on his present improvement on the east side of the above described tract of land, it being a cleaning and deadening of fifteen acres, be the same more or less, and that he have the right to make any improvement thereon that he may think proper, and to enjoy the same, free from any rent, until the fourth day of March in the year of our Lord One Thousand and Eight Hundred and Forty Five. Also that he have use of timber adjoining on his improvement on the other parts of said land for the keeping up of his fences, firewood, sugar trees and in consideration thereof that he furnish his mother Esther Farley with fifteen pounds of good sugar, each year during her natural life, on until the expiration of his right on said premises, prior to the above time, that he be debarred from renting, leasing, or disposing of said improvement, provided however, that should any arrangement take place between my son John and the person to whom I shall will the above described tract of land, whereof the said John Farley may be enabled to obtain a piece of land by transferring of his right to said premises to that individual, he be at liberty to do so and such arrangements meets my entire approbation, but in default thereof that the foregoing part of this will, relative thereto remain in full force as though this provise had not been made, the above described tract of land, with the exception of such thereof as has been disposed of to John Farley until the 10th day of March 1845. I will to my son Joseph Farley at the death of his mother and the remaining part thereof at the expiration of that time on his complying with a provision relative thereto, in the foregoing part of this will. It is my wish that my wife Esther Farley, have possession of and all profits arising from the above described tract of land, with the exception of that part above described to John Farley, that she may rent out or any way dispose thereof during the period of her natural life. As to my Real Estate in the county of Monroe and state of Virginia, I dispose of it in the manner following to-wit: It being a part of a survey of ninety acres and bearing date the 11th of September 1837, that part thereof that I have not previously disposed of, I give to my daughter, Sally Gore of the county and state aforesaid. As to my personal property, I dispose thereof in the following manner:

To my son John Farley, one cow and yearling, that I bought of Dolphin Weaver and the remainder of my personal property of what kind soever it may be to be sold, and that my wife have the privilege of taking on third of said property at the appraisement, if she shall see proper, otherwise the whole to be sold and after the payment of my just debts,

I will to my son Matt Farley one dollar, and to my son James Farley one dollar, and the remainder to be equally divided between my three daughters, Elizabeth, Esther and Jane.

And I do hereby appoint my two sons Matt and Joseph Farley, Executors to my will and declare this to be my last Will and Testament and do hereby revoke all will or wills by me heretofore made as I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 27th day of February 1837.

MATT FARLEY (SEAL)

ISAAC PARKER :
JOSEPH FARLEY :
NORMAN BALLARD :

JAMES BYRNSIDE -vs- THOMAS FARLEYS HEIRS

Defendants:

Henry Farley, William Farley, Thomas Farley, Clay Farley, Samuel Dillen, and Chloee his wife, John Thompson and Rebecca his wife, Judith Farley jr, children and heirs of Thomas Farley, dec'd and Judith Farley sr., Admr. of said Thomas Farley- Jesse Farley

Witnesses:

Plaintiff

John Farley
 Mitchell Clay Sr.
 Nancy Farley & Francis
 Peter Blankenship
 William Lafferty
 Henry McDaniel
 Hugh Caperton
 Henry Farley
 H. McDaniel
 George Parsons

Defendants

Henry Patton Sr. (Montgomery)
 Charles Clay
 John Carter (Montgomery)
 Thomas Caul
 Christian Snidow
 Mary Pack w Samuel
 John Handley Sr.
 Thomas Cecil
 Adam Clendennen (Barren Co., Green River, Ky)
 Archibald Woods (Madison Co. Ky.)
 Michael Woods (Madison Co. Ky.)

William Renick, John McFarren & Andrew Walker, Justices of Barren Co., Ky.

Humphrey Jones, Asa Learey, John Kincaid, Justices of Madison Co., Ky.

Notice:

4-15-1802	Mrs. Judy Farley	-	served by John Cole -	Montgomery Co., Va.
4-16-1802	Jesse Farley	-	"	"
"	William Farley	-	"	" (del. to wife)
"	Clay Farley	-	"	"
4-17-1802	John Thompson	-	"	Isabella Cail - " (del. to wife)
"	Thomas Farley	-	"	" "
4-16-1802	Forest Farley	-	"	John Cole " "
"	John Farley	-	"	" "

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Know all men by these presents that we Lemuel Jarrell & James Browde are held and firmly Bound unto John Page, Esq. Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia and his successors in the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars with condition that there is no lawful cause to obstruct a marriage Intended to be solemnized between the said Lemuel Jarrell and Elizabeth Farley of this County then the above obligation to be void Else to Remain in full Force and Virtue witness our hands and seals this 3rd day of September 1804.

LEMUEL JARRELL (SEAL)
 his
 JAMES x BROWDE
 mark

Atteste

Isaac Hutchison

WILL OF THOMAS GORE, AUGUST 26, 1797

WORCESTER COUNTY, MD.

Daughter, Comfort, Wm. Quinton, son of Phillip; Phillip son of Phillip Quinton.
Probated September 1, 1797.

Jas. Gore, son of Henry and Ann Catherine Keller, 12-25-1787, married Saray (Sally) Farley, 12-29-1807, died April 13, 1855, buried, Elkton, Ind.

Children: Joseph Oct. 8, 1808; Elizabeth, Jan. 8, 1811; Nancy, Jan. 16, 1813; John Sept. 29, 1815; Benjamin Oct. 27, 1818; Henry Nov. 16, 1821; Matt F. Jan. 25, 1825; Ancahrie Feb. 5, 1828.

His parents were old pioneers and Indian fighters. He was a farmer and moved from Monroe Co., Va. to Indiana and settled near his wifes fathers place. (Capt. Matt Farley)

SARAH (FARLEY) GORE, daughter of Capt. Matt Farley and Esther McMullen Farley, was born Jan. 28, 1788, in Va. Married Dec. 29, 1807 to Jas. Gore. Died Dec. 3, 1862 and buried near Elkton, Ind. She was the third of nine children and the mother of eight.

EMILY (GORE) WHITE, daughter of Joseph and Clarissa Gore, holding the old Jas. Gore bible, now in possession of Dr. C. S. Gore, Indianapolis, Ind. This bible was loaned to Jos. E. Gore, Kansas City, Mo. who had photostat copies made of the family records.

(Photo of Emily (Goar) White standing between the head stones of Jas. and Sarah (Farley) Gore in cemetery near Elkton.)

Head stone of Jas. Gore, born Dec. 25, 1787, died April 13, 1855 near Elkton, Ind.

Head stone of Sarah (Farley) Gore born Jan. 28, 1788, died Dec. 3, 1862 " "

The following is copied from a book made by Jas. Gore in Logan Co., Va. in the year 1795. He made the book to write his examples in when he went to school, as there were no slates at that time. The book is made of unruled paper and covered with pigskin that he tanned. He did not go to school long enough to fill the book, so his son, Joseph Gore, born in 1808, when he was 17 years old (1825) finished the book. The writing is all done with quill pen.

Book now in possession of Dora (Goar) Hoskins, 524 La Purrisima Way, Sacramento, Calif. Given to her at the death of her father, Matt Alexander Goar.

WILL OF MAXIMILIAN GORE, ACCOMACK CO., VA. MARCH 30, 1696

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Bequest to Son in law Thos. Smith, Son Daniel, Alex., Son in law John Smith, Son in law Jas. Smith, Son in law Arthur Roberts, Son in law John Purnell.

Recorded 25 June 1696.

WILL OF DANIEL GORE, ACCOMACK CO. VA. JAN. 3, 1719

Son Wm. Gore, Selby Gore, daughters Joyce and Mary

WILL OF JONE GOARE, ESSEX CO., VA. AUGUST 15, 1727

Wife, Eliza, daughter Lelyann, Betty. Probated 15 Aug. 1727

WILL OF JOHN GORE, CULPEPPER CO. VA. SEPT. 3, 1766

Grandson Rueben, son of my daughter Mary, son John, wife Mary, four children and two grandchildren, Henry Gore, Joseph Gore, Mary Breedlove, Sarah Oneal, Reuben Gore, and Rachel Parks. Probated Dec. 21, 1769

WILL OF DANIEL GORE, ACCOMACK CO. VA. NOV. 7, 1770, PAGE 475

Son John, Thos., Teackle, daughters Mary, Eliz., Susanna, Ann, wife Susanna. Probated Nov. 29, 1770

WILL OF JOHN GORE, ORANGE CO. VA., AUG. 29, 1777

Cousin Caleb Sisson, brother Stanley Gore, father John Gore of Richmond Co. Probated Oct. 23, 1777.

WILL OF HENRY GORE, SHENANDOAH CO. VA., APRIL 23, 1785

Wife Catherine, son Isaac land adj. John Gores, son Joseph, daughters Lydai, Sarah, Eleanor, Margaret, Ann, Elizabeth. Probated April 28, 1791

WILL OF THOMAS GORE, LOUDEN CO. VA. NOV. 25, 1789

Wife Ann, sons Joshua, Mark, daughter Elizabeth, daughter Hannah, brother Joshua. Probated May 10., 1790

FROM PHOTOSTATIC COPIES OF OLD BIBLE RECORDS

James Gore	born	12-25-1787
William C.	"	4-22-1807
Joseph	"	10- 8-1808
Elizabeth	"	1- 4-1811
Nancy	"	1-16-1813
John	"	9-29-1815
Benjamin	"	10-27-1818
Henry	"	11-16-1821
Matt F.	"	1- 5-1825
Ancatherine	"	2- 5-1824
Louisa Jane Walker	"	2-24-1849
Benjamin Alexander Stuart	"	2-18-1831

J. AND NANNY PAULS CHILDREN:

Sally	born	8- 7-1833
James	"	9- 5-1834
Louisa Jane		

James Gore	married	Sally Farley	12-29-1807
Jesse Paul	"	Nancy Gore	11- 1-1832
Henry Gore	"	Martha E. Smith	5-27-1844
M. T. Maze	"	Kate Gore	9- 7-1881
Bart Pack	"	*****	

Anathene Keller-Gore-McDaniel	born	9-30-1761	died	10- 2-1840
Henry Gore			"	12-16-1905
Martha E. Gore			"	3-12-1906
Charles S.	"	8-17-1865		
Joseph M.	"	2-15-1869		
Thomas L.	"	11- 4-1878		
John Gore, son of James & Sally	"		"	8-27-1839
James Gore			"	4-13-1855 *67 yrs. 3 mo. 18 da.
Sally			"	12- 3-1862 *74 " 10 " 5 "
Robert Gore	"	8-15-1825	"	4- 7-1876 md. 3-25-1852,
Eliza A.	"	3-15-1835	"	3-17-1876
Allen Taylor Gore	"	12-20-1852	"	1-26-1925 " 12-25-1877,
Emma Phipps				
Anita Gore	"	10-12-1854	"	8-18-1876,
William Thompson				
Charles W. Gore	"	12-25-1855	"	1-22-1888,
Mary Holms				
James M. Gore	"	5-24-1858	"	12-26-1882,
Mary B. Gore				
Lucy A. Gore	"	12-19-1860		
Nannie B. Gore	"	8-22-1864	"	2-7-1884,
Henry J. Gore				
Mary B. Gore	"	7-18-1866		
Elizabeth Gore	"	5-24-1868		

Allen T. Caperton (U.S.Senator) married Lucy Ann Gore 6-19-1884

Eugene Edwin Caperton	3- 1-1885
Robert Sturgeon "	8- 5-1887
Rupert Ernest "	12-27-1889
Allen Woodson "	1-19-1896

From, Kaye Palacios;

"State of Kansas, County of Montgomery."

I, Charles Anderson Farley, son and heir at law of Nimrod Farley and heir at law or legatee of Henry Farley deceased late of Logan County, Virginia.

Appoints Oliver A. McGinnis of Warren County, Missouri as his attorney to collect any money due him in Logan County, West Virginia or other West Virginia Counties which he may possess by virtue of will....."of my uncle, Henry Farley, deceased, late of Logan County, Virginia."

This power of Attorney dated 29 April 1878

Signed; C. A. Farley

Deed Book C - page 493 (Logan County Books in Mingo Co., West Virginia)

R. A. Clendenen, Adam Clendenen, Nimrod Farley, and Juliet his wife, Alexander McNeely and Polly his wife, James Russell and Amanda his wife, and Elmore Clendenen, to Eli Gore, all of Logan Co., Virginia. (Cons. \$150.00)

24 Oct. 1838

B-125 Logan Co. W. Va.

50 acres on Guyandotte River about 4 miles above Logan Court House adjoining land sold by Hiram Hinchman to Joseph Gore and Wards line, "to include all the land sold by Peter Dingess to Robert Clendenen, deceased. We the aforesaid heirs of Robert Clendenen, deceased do warrant and defend"...etc.

Signed; R. A. Clendenen

Adam Clendenen

Nimrod Farley

Juliet Farley

Alexander McNeely

Mary McNeely

Elmar Clendenen

Note; I believe this is the estate of Henry Farley ,named above;

Deed from J. M. Laidley, Special Commisioner for, William A. Farley, Thomas B. Farley, Clay Farley, Elizabeth Chapman, James Farley, Anderson Farley, _____Berry, and Juliat Berry, his wife, and from James Starr and Anthony Lawson to

G. W. Taylor - 10 June 1875

C - 234 Logan Books in Mingo County

Conveys 648 acres granted by Commonwealth of Virginia on Sandy River and Sugar Tree Creek also tract of 45 acres on Sugar Tree Creek of Sandy River granted by Commonwealth of Va. to said Henry Farley, adjoining survey for James Slater.

Also 81 acres formerly belonging to James Slater on Tug Fork of Sandy River adjoining corner to Dingess and Ballards survey, also another tract formerly belonging to William Slater on Tug Fork of Sandy River.

From: Mrs. Frank M. Carroll

"I have done pretty well with my line up to Obediah who was born in Virginia. We have two dates, 1746 and 1757. He, we suppose, served in the Rev. War although denied a pension because he lacked a few days of having six months service. We think this is our man but have not been able to verify his marriage to a Phoebe Hatcher which would be our proof. This Rev. soldier served from Virginia then went to Tenn. for several years. We have land records showing where his sons got land in Tenn. about 1809. The family went to Alabama in 1819 where my grandfather was born in 1820, which makes us think there is a connection but we have not been able to put it together although there are still quite a few Farley's in Shelby Co., Ala. and environs. Obediah and Phoebe Hatcher Farley had Matthew and Daniel, Daniel was my great grandfather and he brought his family to Tenn. in 1826 and then to Cooper Co., Mo. A daughter, Sarah married a Casteel who was a Methodist minister.

January 1973

From: Lorene Hyatt Falleaf

Chautanqua Co. Kansas 1880 - Joseph Fairley 62 Va. Ohio Va. Casper C. 20 Mo. Ohio Ind. Victoria V. 14 Mo. Ohio Ind. James H. 31 Mo. Ohio Mo. Minerva 29 Va. Va. Va. Hadley B. 3 Kansas Mo. Va. brother of James H. - Casper W. 20 Mo. Ohio Mo.
Butler Co. Kansas 1880 - Mary A. 31 Ill. Vt. Vt. Charles B. 6 Mo. Olive M 12 Wm. 10 Andrew E. 8 Rosa 6 Nancy E. 4 Cora E. 1 b. Kansas.

From: Kaye Palacios

As you can see I have proven that John Farley was the father of at least these two, Patterson Farley, and John Farley. Now if I can just prove that he was in fact the father of my Thomas, I have it made! I have been told that Thomas was a half brother to Patterson, as you know, and have long believed that this John Jr. may have been a brother also.

From earlier data I have sent I have also proven the two marriages of John Sr. , that is of a John, which I believe is the same man.

Dea th Records - Mingo Co. W. Va. Book I;

Patterson Farley - white male, died of acute retention of urine. Sept. 25, 1921 Williamson, W. Va., age 85 years - 2 months - 21 days, parent, John Farley.

Pike Co. Ky. County Court Order Book A, October Term 1839 - 2nd Day;

"Richard Keezee is appointed Guardian for the infant heirs of John Farler, Decd."

Pike Co. Ky. Court Order Book A, Jan. Court 1839;

"Henry Smith is appointed administrator of the Estate of John Farler, Decd. who together with George Powell his security entered into and acknowledged their bond to the commonwealth in the penalty of 600.00 who afterwards took the oath of an administrator according to law."

same page as above;

"Richard Kezee, Ali Smith, Isaac Jackson, John Kezee appointed Appraisers of the Estate of John Farler Decd. on the motion of H. Smith Admstr."

NOTE: Now, if I can just find something to prove that my Thomas was also the son of this John. Since Thomas would have been 16 years old at the time of Johns death, then he most likely did not have a guardian. Now how do I prove he was a son.....?

By the way this young John who was a ward of Kezee, later married Polly Alley, the sister to my 2nd g-grandfather Alley, Peter H. Alley. I have Farley's all around Me!

"GOLD RUSH DAYS" County - Eldorado - State - California 1850 Census;

Name	Age	Place of Birth
On Canon Creek		
Christopher Farley	28	Pa.
On Missouri Canon		
Wm. D. Alley	27	Ia (or Ind.)
On the Middle Fork of the American River		
Henry Clendenning	20	Ia.
Milton Clendenning	23	Ia.
John H. Campbell	24	Ky.
Pilot Hill and Vicinity		
John Farley	24	Ia.
John Farley	24	Ill.
On the South Fork of the American River		
Daniel A. Farley	30	Ky.

From Sue Henry

Sending the following will I found in Trimble Co., Ky. since I don't think it is in any publications. Will Book I, pg. 156, 3-7-1855; Joseph W. Farley's will, names sons, Forrest Farley, John W., Joseph H. Wm. James and Dau's. Frances Jane Duncan, Phebe Wright, con't.

Jemima R. Farley, Polly Farley, and his wife, Emmy (?).

Here is one more tidbit, Ann Caroline Farley is buried in New Bethel Cemetery, Jefferson Co. Ind. She was the wife of a Daniel Farley, and she died 7-10-1851, but her birth date was buried.

From: Research by R. J. Sadlon from books by Nettie Schreiner-Yantis as follows:
"1815 Tax List of Cabell County, Virginia"

April 17, Henry Farley 2, white males over 16 yrs. 1 slave, 3 horses, 8 cattle.
(There are many allied names in this list also.)

"Montgomery County, Virginia Circa 1790"

Lists of persons who were fined for not attending muster, and others who had removed from Montgomery: Henry Farley---Wythe Delinquents for the year 1798.

Tax List C	Person Charged with Tax	White males over 21	16 to 21	slaves	horse
May 1789	Farley, Thomas Sr.	Farley, Thomas Sr.	0	2	6
	Farley, William	Farley, William	0	0	3
	Farley, Henry	Farley, Henry	0	0	3
	Farley, Forest	Farley, Forest	0	0	5
	Farley, Thomas Jr.	Farley, Thomas Jr.	0	0	5

Survey Book D:

- (81) Gordon Cloyd--540 acres on North side of Walkers Creek on the head of Littles Sugar Run adjoining lands of Thomas Farler Sr. and John White. 10 Nov. 1790.
- (83) Samuel Coburn--42 acres on Gum Branch of Sugar Run of Walker Creek adjacent to Thomas Farley. Transferred to Ralph Stafford. 23 Oct. 1787.
- (84) Thomas Farley Jr.--76 acres on Sugar Run adjoining his own and Thomas Shannon. 23 March 1789
- (85) Thomas Shannon--150 acres on a branch of Wlakers Creek called Sugar Run adjoining Thomas Farley on the West side. 14 Feb. 1789.
- (125) Thomas Farley--700 acres on Walkers Creek on south side of land he lives on, adjacent to Taylor. 16 Jan. 1791.
- (140) Forest Farley--39 acres between Root ? Branch and the Gum Branch. 30 Oct. 1787.
- (141) Forest Farley--90 acres on Sugar Run at Sang Br. 28 April 1788.
- (771) John Smith--5000 acres on Bluestone. Chainmen: John Farler and Mat Farler. 28 March 1787
- (836) James Byrnsides--223 acres on Cole River; and 470 acres on north fork of Cole River on left hand fork of a Creek which the Toney's had a rooting camp. Plat sent to him by Francis Farley. 14 Oct. 1787.

Locating residences of taxpayers--list A (m--This name is in list M of Montgomery Co. 1792/3)

- May 20 (Little Sugar Run of Walkers Creek, east end Sugar Run Mt., Neck Creek, Back Creek.)
Henry Farley, Thomas Farley Sr., William Farley,
- May 21 (Sugar Run at Sang Branch)
Forest Farley
- July 1 (Sugar Run, Walkers Creek)
Thomas Farley Jr.

NOTE: There are many, many allied names of people who married into the Farley family in these books. For anyone doing research on any of these families I can not reccommend the books of Nettie Schreiner-Yantis highly enough. They are very well written and documented. RJS

From: Goldie Shaffer

Odds and Ends of Farley Information;

Farley--Records in Humbolt Co., Calif.

Clarence V. b. 29 Dec. 1893 Franklin Co. Ind. d. 4 July 1937 ae. 43y 6m 5d a printer by trade; his wives name given as Marie, a resident of Alameda Co., Calif. burial in the Fortuna Cemetery, Fortuna, Calif.

Sarah S. d. 27 March 1942 80 years old, born in Calif.

Walter Hawthorne md. Verna Mae Bensley 7 Sept. 1919 by R. E. Crichton, Eureka, Re. R-28/

George Raymond md. Maude Douglas Cornnick 28 Dec. 1920 by C. E. Farror, Eureka, Calif

John James Farley md. Edith Mildred Bush 17 Sept. 1922 by G. W. Butcher, Fortuna, Calif.
James T. md. Dorothy E. Kraft 7 Sept. 1926, by A. B. Adams, Eureka, Calif.
Rexford Eldon md. Katherine Caroline Elich 30 Sept. 1949.

Farley--Tax Records of Ky. 1789-1792 no Farley's are found.

Daniel was an appraiser of a will March 1795, Shelby Co.
William -Rev. Soldier of Mass, N. H. R-6707, wife, Elizabeth
Samuel - Rev. Soldier (Mass) S-43541
Robert - Rev. Soldier (Mass) W-19251 Sea Service wife, Susanna K.
Benjamin --Rev. Soldier (Mass) W-14709 wife, Polly
Benjamin --N.H. W-7243, BLWT. 19611-160-55 wife, Susanna
Jebez-- Rev. Soldier (Mass) W-24172 wife, Susanna S.
Jonathan--Rev. Soldier (Mass) S-43544 BLWT 1668-100
Thomas--Rev. Soldier (Va.) W-7244 wife, Patty (Patsy)
Stephen --Rev. Soldier (Va.) W-78 wife, Mary
Obediah --Rev. Soldier (Va.) R-3437

Farley, Obed B. --Spanish American War, Company C. 12th Reg. Milton National Guard, under
Capt. William H. Straub

Farley, Luke -- Resident of Nesquehoning--born Coven Co., Ireland, was on a list of subscribers
for Penn. Co. History published 1845.

Farley, (includes Fairleigh, Fairlie, Farlee)

Andrew b. 1745/50 d. 3-14-1814 1. md. Barbara Combs 2. md. Hannah Templeton, Capt.
from Penn.

Andrew b. ca 1761 d. 3-1-1829 md. Letitia Rawlings Hart, pvt. Penn.

Benjamin b. 10-17-1708 d. 4-25-1824 md. Mary Tenny pvt. Mass.

Benjamin b. 8-28-1708 d. 12-23-1789 md. Joanna Page Lt. N. H.

Caleb b. 10-19-1730 d. 4-5-1833 1. md. Elizabeth Farley 2. md. Lucy Shipley Lt. N.H.

Daniel b. 12-20-1762 d. 1-20-1843 md. Marietta Pryor pvt. Va.

Ebenezer b. 9-19-1747 d. 1-28-1827 md. Betty Wheeler pvt. N.H. and Mass.

Francis Sr. b. 1726 d. 1829 md. Nancy Blankenship pvt. Va. (and PS)

Francis Jr. b. ca. 1745 d. 1805 md. Ann PSVA

Jabez b. 1755 d. 4-5-1805 md. Susan Swasey Lt. Mass Pension

James b. 1757 d. 10-11-1830 md. Marie Wates Major N.Y.

James b. ? d. 4-15-1808 md. Sarah Afr. PSVA

John b. 10-1-1746 d. 10-20-1812 md. Sarah Dennis Major Mass.

John b. 4-10-1750 d. 5-19-1832 md. Ganne Gray 2nd. Lt. N.J.

John b. 1715 d. 7-4-1799 md. Margaret Stuart PS NC

John b. 8-21-1754 d. 11-5-1827 md. Elizabeth Diemer Pvt. Pa.

John b. 10-14-1751 d. 2-27-1837 md. Judith Moore Farmer Sol. Va.

Matthew b. 10-29-1759 d. 2-27-1837 md. Mrs. Esther McMullen Sct. Capt. Va.

Meindert b. 9-17-1720 d. 1790 md. Barbara Van Dieren PS NJ

Michael b. 1719 d. 6-20-1789 md. Elizabeth Choate Major Gen. CS Mass.

Samuel b. 3-14-1747 d. 1795 md. Polly Merrill Sgt. N.H.

Stephen b. 1-28-1754 d. 1-13-1837 md. Mary Shattuck Sol. N.H.

Thomas Sr. b. ca. 1725 d. 1796 md. Judith Clay Pvt. Va.

Thomas Jr. b. 1760 d. 6-12-1839 md. Patty Lester Pvt. Va. pension

William b. 1752 d. 1848 md. Martha (Farley) Pvt. Va. from DAR Index.

Farley, Rev. Soldiers graves in New Hampshire:

Benjamin

Caleg

Joseph

Stephen

Samuel (in Brookline Town)

Farley, Matthew (RW) Va. a descendent is Mrs. Charles E. Sampson (Thoma Alice) 8th Ave. St. Alban
W. Va. From DAR Magazine

Farley, Survey of American Census in 1790 1st. Census Farley, Fareley, Farlee, Farly, are
carious spellings, there were 58 heads of families, average family size, 6.5.

Farley, Mike --named in a ledger #3 of Dr. L. S. Brown MD Edena, Knox Co. Mo. 1886-1891

Farley, Amos A. 1869, Prove. d. before 1907. "Old Settlers on the Border" for Border Tele.
1907 in Hume, Missouri.

Farley, Henry of Halifax Co., Va. 1751-1800

Farley, Mary the wife of Patrick Bergen md. Luzerne Co. Pa. in 1862

- Farley, James his name is on a list of descentors to Resolutions proposed in the colonies called the Res. of August 10, 1774 - in which only a selected few at the meeting. Colonists felt, this was not representative of the whole - Rev. War records by Chandler.
- Farley, Land Patents, Richmond, Va. 1623-1666
Ann--1643 by John Sweet --Isle of Wright Co.
John--1655 by Edward Pettaway --Surrey Co.
Frank--1655 by Edward Pettaway--Surrey Co.
Joyce--1655 by Edward Pettaway--Surrey Co.
William--1652 by Mrs. Jane Harner--Northumberland Co.
Joseph--1655 by Edward Pettaway--Surrey Co.
- Farley--From Humbolt Standard, Washington Jan. 19 (UP)
Postmaster General Farley will remain in the cabinet and at the head of the Demo. National Committee, but it was learned today. President Roosevelt will carry to the limit his efforts to sepearate the committee lawyers who are practicing in Wash. Farley is tired of the combination of political and Federal responsibilities, he now possesses but does not contemplate early retirement from either of his party chairmanships, or his associates. It is possible he may resign the chairmanship after the elections next fall. Mr. Roosevelt determination to clear Washington of political legatists might enable him to agree to speedy consideration of the bill introduced yesterday in the senate by Senator Vanderbery, Rep. Mich. The President has not seen the bill but his advisors intimate not if it would do the job properly it might find White House favor. Farley is expected next week to tell Orman H. Ewing Utah National Committeeman and Arthur P. Mullen committeeman from Neb. to abandon their Washington activities or resign from the committee. Farley has no authority to enforce resignation but a mere word from the White House earlier this week sufficed to bring announcements that Robert Jackson from N.H. had resigned.
- Farley--1830 Mo. Census Index
Mrs--- St. Gen.
Heziahiah Jefferson
Samuel St. Louis
- Farley, Owen--Sailed from Dublin and arrived N.Y. 1 July 1816 on ship "Bristol" 47 passengers
Farley, Perrence of Covan, on passenger list of ship from Ireland to America 1811.
Farley, John, signed a petition objecting to tax, etc. of Britain 1830/33 in East Boston History.
Farley, Francis -same as above.
Farley, Isaac, 1875 Andrus Co., Mo. Atlas, an attorney in Franklin Co. 1854
Frank, photographer " " "
James b. Saratoga Co. N.Y. went to Iowa 1869 was supervisor of bridges, Wapello Co.
J. P., Supervisor of railroads born Rushville, Tenn. went to Iowa 1833, Davis Co.
J. H., Woodbury Co. and Twp. Sec. 30, born Warren Co. Iowa 1850
- Farley, Mrs. J. P.-bought hominy for 50¢ and turnips for 25¢ 2 Feb. 1861, at the Harvey Brothers Store, Dubuque, Iowa. This is for account books that appear to be from the above store and place.
- Farley, Jackson, appointed guardian of Emeline and Amanda Farley minor children of Jackson Farley, 5 March 1849, Sec. John Riggins. Court Rec. (Bond A 178) Buchanan Co. Mo.
- Farley, Thompson, Abstract of Notice Published in the St. Louis Inquirer 31 March 1819.
"Thompson Farley and Franky his wife late Whitton; Edmund Howard and Polly his wife late Whitton, Benjamin Griffin and Betsy his wife late Whitton, Heirs and representatives of Coleman Whitton, desc'd. late of Co. of St. Genevieve in the Territory of Mo. Will apply to Circuit Court at July term for order to divide estate land in St. Gen. Co. on which the said Coleman Whitton lived at the time of his death. Five miles south of the town, St. Genevieve and the same land that was sold by John H. Valle and James Griboid to John Meyers and by said John Meyers to Whitton and Bass.
- Farley, John Dennis appriviate under Lt. J. Chickering's Detachment of Volunteers Militia 8 Oct. to 7 Nov. 1814, service at Newburgport, Mass.
- Farley, John Madison Twp. Jackson Co., Ohio 1820 Census, film page 140.
- Farley---California and Claifornians, Vol. III by Huht, Pub. 1932 pg. 318;
"John R. Cronin is an able lawyer of Stockton Bar born in County Cork, Ireland, 1 Nov. 1873. His father John Cronin, was also a native of County Cork and his mother Mary Roche, died when her son was a child. Mr. Cronin married in 1901, Miss Elinor Josephine Farley, her father, James Farley was a well known newspaperman in Lake Co., Calif. They have two children, Josephine and John R. Jr.

- Farley, From Political History to 1901, Chpt. XXXVI pg. 412
 In the meantime Leland Stanford Rep. had been elected U.S. Senator to succeed James T. Farley.
- Farley, Fred, lived in Tipton Co., Ind. and worked in Elwood, Ind. in the early 1900's, his mother was a Clouser (either Hetta, Catherine or Susan)
- Farley, Mary, md. John I Woverton 1811-1880
- Farley, ---md. 24 Feb. 1915 in Madison Co. Wisc.
- Farley, Craven md. Mary Lind 23 July 1848, Clark Co. Mo. by A. W. Harlan JP of Sweet Home Twp.
- Farley, Arisba md. Creed T. Miller 23 Feb. 1845 Buchanan Co. Mo.
 Elizabeth md. David H. Harris 29 June 1848 Buchanan Co. Mo.
 Charles Anderson md. Sarah Farley 18 May 1845 Buchanan Co. Mo.
 Mary Frances md. Isaac Gore 16 Feb. 1851 Buchanan Co. Mo.
- Farley, Abraham, md. 3-29-1863 Union Co. Pa. to Rebecca Wolf dau. of Michael
- Farley, Michael, md. 5- 1857 Hannah Hoy Union Co. Pa.
 Jacob md. 6-4-1868 Union Co. Pa. to Mary E. Brown
- Farley, Elizabeth md. 2 Aug. 1832 Washington Co. (Marietta) Ohio to Joseph Metheny
- Farley Records known to those of the family, compiled by Goldie Shaffer, 639 N. Stanislaus Apt. 24, Stockton, Calif. 95202 (955 N. Pine, Ukiah, Calif.)

Francis	26	farmer	Ky.
Elizabeth	25		Ind.
Catherine	9		"
Matilda	6		Iowa
Jane	2		"
William	5/12		"
Mary Jean McKinsey	21		Ind.
Harry	1		Iowa
Cynthia	1		Iowa
Sarah	1		"

1850 Census Page Co. Iowa Dist. 4

John	65	farmer	Va.
Clarissa	67		"
Rebecca Owens	36		Ky.
William "	15		Ind.
Amanda "	13		"
David "	9		"
Catherine Owens	7		"
Rebecca A. "	5		"

1850 Census Union Twp. Montgomery Co. Ind.

- Farley, Elinor md. John Stump 12-22-1846 Mont. Co. Ind.
 William B. md. Sarah Willis 10-24-1844 Mont. Co. Ind.
 Rebecca md. John Owen 24 April 1834 Mont. Co., Ind.
 Elizabeth Ann md. William Hardee 11 Aug. 1836 Mont. Co. Ind.
 Viola Virginia age 17, resident of Ferndale, md. John Milton Sweet, native of Calif. md. 3 Dec. 1913. Her mother, Margaret Farley Witt; Ambrose Farley, Mable Hanson, Humboldt Co. Calif. mg. rec.

Farley, Embly, md. Limion Loveland 16 Oct. 1845, Atchinson Co. Mo. by John Leggett

Farley, James	36		b. Pa.
Mary	38		NC
Elizabeth J.	15	in school	Ind.
Mary A.	12	" "	"
John	10	" "	"
Lucinda	8	" "	"
Thomas	6		"
William	4		"
Hester	2		"

1850 Census, Monroe Co. Ind. Indian Creek Twp.

Farley, Henry	30	Carpenter	Va.	Sarah C.	1/12	Ind.
Mary	28		Ohio	William	8	Ind.
				Nancy E.	5	"

1850 Census Monroe Co., Ind. Coal Creek Twp.

Farley, Thomas J. H.	26	farmer	Va.
Lucinda	23		Ind.
Matthew	3		Iowa
Thomas J.	2		Ind.
Betsy J.	8/12		Iowa

Farley Births in Mo. (Jackson Co Rec. ?) Cass Co ??

John, male, white, 5th child born, three miles northeast of Belton, 6 Dec. ca. 1884, at 9:00 PM to John B. age 27, an American born in Iowa, farmer, and Sarah A. McSpadden Farley age 26, American, born in Jackson Co., Mo. Resident of Jackson Co., Mo.

Harold (Fairley) white, male, 10th child born, Raymore Twp. Cass Co., Mo. 26 July ca 1886, to Olive Perry Fairley age 47, Citizen of U.S., born Ind., and Herpalica (Homige) Fairley age 43, U.S. Citizen, born Brownsville, Pa. Resident of Raymore Twp.

---boy, white, 5th child born, 3 1/2 miles southwest of Everet, Cass Co., Mo. 29 Nov. 1885 to George Washington Farley age 36, American, born Mo., farmer, and Sarah E. Andrews Farley age 37, American, born Ky.,

Farley, Elizabeth was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ at Fairlieville, Mo. 10 July 1852

FAMILY OF JOHN FARLEY

Compiled by Goldie M. Shaffer

JOHN FARLEY b. 17 Aug. 1781 probably Virginia d. 1 July 1852 Union Twp., Mont. Co., Ind. He married sometime before 1813 probably Va. or Ky. to CLARISSA NEWMAN b. 8 Feb. 1782 ?, d. 13 Jan. 1858, Mont. Co., Ind. both are buried in Mont. Co., Ind. Cemetery unidentified at this time.

Children:

1. REBECCA FARLEY b. 18 Oct. 1813 (Henry Co. ?) Ky. md. 24 April 1834, Rec. Bk. #I pg. 139, Mont. Co., Ind. to JOHN OWENS b. 1809, d. 1846; their children were; William H. b. 18 Feb. 1835, Ind. Amanda E. b. 16 Dec. 1837 Ind., O.(I ?) W. b. 16 Dec. 1838 Ind. d. 30 Dec. 1839, David Frances b. 22 Sept. 1840 Ind., Catherine b. 23 Dec. 1843 Ind. , Rebecca Ann b. 9 July 1845 Ind.

2. ELIZABETH ANN FARLEY b. 31 July 1815 Henry Co., Ky. d. 31 Jan. 1892 Clarinda, Page Co., Iowa, burial Shearer Cemetery near Braddyville, Iowa, md. 11 Aug. 1836 Rec. Bk. #I pg. 172, Mont. Co. Ind. to WILLIAM H. HARDEE b. Bourbon Co., Ky. d. 29 May 1902 Clarinda, Buchanan Twp., Page Co., Iowa, burial Shearer Cemetery (son of John Michael Joseph Hardee who fought in the Rev. War. Virginia Line) First white family to settle in Page Co., Iowa in spring of 1842. Children: Joseph Butler Hardee b. 14 April 1837 Mont. Co., Ind. d. 31 Oct. 1875 Kirksville, Mo. 1. md. Mary Jane Haynes 2. md. Mary Stone. John H. Hardee b. 29 Oct. 1838, Ind. d. 31 Oct. 1838 Mont. Co. Ind. Theressa Ann Hardee b. 9 Feb. 1840 Mont. Co. Ind. d. 1912 St. Joseph, Buchanan Co., Mo. md. 4 Nov. 1856 Mo. to Orville Francis Fenley. Greenberry Franklin Hardee b. 9 Feb. 1840 Mont. Co. Ind. d. 5 April 1840 Mont. Co. Ind. Oliver Perry Hardee b. 26 Aug. 1842 Buchanan Twp. Page Co, Iowa d. 31 Aug. 1927 Wyoming. buried at Mt. View Cem. Basin, Big Horn Co., Wy. He md. Elizabeth Ann Bridgewater Siam, Taylor Co. Iowa, he was first white child born in Page Co. Iowa. Clarissa Jane Hardee b. 20 Feb. 1845 Buchanan Twp. Page Co., Ia. d. 12 June 1882 Hopkins, Nodaway Co. Mo. burial in Hopkins Cem. md. 4 Jan. 1867/9 to William Cannon Bain. Rebecca Elvessa Hardee b. 29 Oct. 1847 Page Co. Ia. d. 1 April 1927 Sheridan Co. Wyo. md. 23 March 1871 to Vincent Woodrow Pointer. William Doniphan Hardee b. 22 March 1850 Page Co. Ia. d. 11 Dec. 1937 Taylor Co. Ia. burial Old Memory Cem, New Market. md. 23 March Siam, Taylor Co. Ia. to Frances Delilah Collins. Sylvester Newman Hardee b. 3 March 1853 Buchanan Twp. Page Co. Ia. d. 28 Aug. 1938 Sheridan Co. Wyo. md. 4 Oct. 1874 Nodaway Co., Mo. to Harriett Vesta Whittington. Frances Elizabeth Hardee b. 11 Oct. 1855 Page Co. Ia. d. 28 Nov. 1905 Siam, Taylor Co. Ia. bur. Shearer Cem. Page Co. Ia. md. 14 March 1875 Andrew J. McFarland. Larinda Isabelle Hardee b. 18 Aug. 1858 Page Co. Ia. d. 6 Aug. 1863 Page Co. Ia. Ezra Pulaski Hardee b. 26 Sept. 1861 Page Co. Ia. d. 20 Jan. 1949 Hopkins, Nodaway Co. Mo. md. 1. Nancy Jane Adams 2. Mary L. Martin. (I have most of the descendents of this family. My grandfather was Sylvester Newman Hardee.)

3. WILLIAM BUTLER FARLEY b. 28 July 1818 Prob. Henry Co. Ky. d. ca 1850 St. Joseph, Buchanan Co. Mo. md. 24 Oct. 1844 Mont. Co. Ind. to SARAH WILLIS b. 5 Feb. 1824. Children: Ann Aliza Farley b. 8 May 1847, Margaret Ellen Farley b. 21 Oct. 1848, Silas Francis Farley b. 11 July 1850, Joseph Stephen Farley b. 31 Oct. 1852. (Nothing else on this family)

4. SIBELLA ANN FARLEY b. 30 April 1801 Henry Co. Ky. wife of _____ Stump. Nothing else known, An Eleanor Farley married John Stump 12-22-1846 Mont. Co. Ind. Don't know if any connection.

5. FRANCIS HALL FARLEY b. 27 July 1823 Henry Co. Ky. migrated to Marin Co. Calif. ca 1830's, d. Nov. 1890 Sonoma Co. Calif. burial in Cypress Hill Cem., md. 28 May 1840 Mont. Co. Ind. to ELIZABETH KROUT b. 6 March 1818 Ky. d. 1 Jan. 1865 Sonoma Co., Calif. May be the dau. of Simion Kroust of Mont. Co. Ind. or at least a kinswoman. Children: John M. Farley b. 27 July 1841 Mont. Co. Ind., d. 28 July 1842 Ind. Catherine Mary Farley b. 21 Nov. 1842 Mont. Co. Ind. d. 15 June 1931 Marin Co. Calif. md. ca 1864 Calif. to John McAllen Brown. Rebecca Ann Farley b. ? d. ca 1919 Sonoma Co. Calif. md. William Jones. Matilda Elizabeth Farley b. Page Co. Ia. d. Sonoma Co. Calif. md. Jefferson Thompson. Miranda Jane Farley b. 8 June 1847/8 Page Co. Ia. d. Feb. 1911 Sonoma Co. Calif. William Tillman Farley b. 25 Sept. 1849 md. Margaret Borum. Robert Krout Farley b. 29 Feb. 1852 Page Co. Ia. md. Emma Roberts. Henry Maylon Farley b. 15 June 1854 Sonoma Co. Calif. never md. an odd person, he just dissappeared. (Note: the last three dates may be off, the next ones are more likely correct.) James Milton Farley b. 15 Jan. 1854 Sonoma Co. Calif. d. 20 Oct. 1926 Humboldt Co. Calif. md. 11 Sept. 1884 San Francisco, Calif. to Margaret Elizabeth Winters, (Have Desc's.) Melvina Estella Farley b. 23 April Sonoma Co. Calif. d. 5 Aug. 1897 Santa Barbara Co. Calif. md. Byard Davidson. Joseph Butler Farley b. 21 Aug. 1859 Sonoma Co. Calif. d. 6 Jan. 1906 Marion Co. Oregon md. Lizzie Roberts. Baby Farley b. 22 Nov. 1862 d. 22 Nov. 1862 Sonoma Co. Calif.

From letter from Marjorie Day:

"Recently I recieved copies of old Farley letters. This one might interest you. Written in San Francisco, Calif. 20 Feb. 1880, by Francis H. Farley."

"My father was born in Va. 1781, his name was John the oldest of the family, he had brothers, William, Joseph, Forest, and David. David lived in Ky. in 1833. He had a family, rest lived in Va. and Tenn. Father died in 1823. I had one brother only, he was William Butler and he died in Mo. in 1859. I have five sons and 5 daughters living in Marin Co., Calif. Youngest will be 21 next Aug. Eldest born 1849, named W. T. Farley, second son, R. K. Farley born in Iowa in 1852, J. M. 1854, H. M. 1855, J. B. 1859. As I can remember grand-father was born in Va."

Will of Joseph Farley Amelia Co. Va. 1780 pro. 1782, names his wife Mary, sons, John, Daniel, William, Forrest, Joseph. Daughters, Mary Hatchet, Martha, Rebecca and Sebellahanna, grand son John Farrow Newman

Will of John Ellington Amelia Co. Va. 1783 (father of Mary) This will was witnessed by Rice Newman among others, he had a daughter Nancy who married John Hunt in 1795.

1850 Page Co. Ia. Census

FARLEY, Francis	26	farmer	Ky.
Elizabeth	25		Ind.
Catherine	9		Ind.
Matilda	6		Ia.
Jane	2		Ia.
William	5/12		Ia.
McKinsey, Mary Jane	21		Ind.
Harry	1		Ia.
Sarah	1		Ia.

1830 Census Henry Co. Ky.

FARLEY, John	males	1 (5-10)	females	1 (5-10)
		1 (10-15)		2 (15-20)
		1 (40-50)		1 (40-50)

1850 Census Montgomery Co. Ind.

FARLEY, John	65	Va.	Owens, Amanda	13	Ind.
Clarissa	67	"	David	9	"
Owens, Rebecca	36	Ky.	Catherine	7	"
William	15	Ind.	Rebecca A.	5	"

Cemetery Records of Montgomery Co. Ind. (Cem. not known)

FARLEY, John b. 17 Aug. 1781 d. 1 July 1852

Clarissa b. 8 Feb. 1782 d. 13 Jan. 1858

"The Brave Ones" written by Beverly Larsen, Pub. by Pioneer Press of Exira Iowa. This book tells of early Iowa pioneer women, not all counties are mentioned, but the following account was given for Page Co., Iowa.:

"This brave woman Betsy had been born Elizabeth Ann Farley, daughter of John Farley and Clarissa Newman Farley in July 1815, a sweet Kentucky girl.

When a young girl she moved with her parents to Montgomery Co., Ind. and there she met William F. Hardee. A few weeks after her 21st birthday they married but remained several years in Ind. to save money to come west. There they lost two sons in infancy.

Five years after their marriage they, a five year old boy, and a two year old girl, came as far as St. Joseph, Mo. staying with relatives while William went into Iowa to homestead. He returned for his family in a few months.

Page Co. thus received its first white settlers, but there were neighbors only a half mile away to the northwest.

Perry Hardee was born to Betsy and William in 1842, the first white child born in Page Co. According to a granddaughter still living Betsy had plenty of grit and spunk."

1850 Census Page Co. Iowa

HARDEE, William	35	farmer	Ky.
Elizabeth	35		Ky.
Joe	13		Ind.
Ann	10		Ind.
Oliver	7		Ia.
Jane	5		Ia.
Rebecca	2		Ia.
William	2/12		Ia.

1840 Morgan Co. Ind. Census

FARLEY, Henry	1 male	(1-5)		
	1 male	(20-30)		
	1 female	(20-30)		
FARLEY, John	1 male	(15-20)	1 female	(15-20)
	1 male	(20-30)	1 "	(20-30)
	1 male	(50-60)	1 "	(50-60)
FARLEY, John S.	1 male	(20-30)	1 female	(20-30)

1830 Henry Co. Ky. Census

FARLEY, John	1 male	(5-10)	1 female	(5-10)
	1 male	(10-15)	2 female	(15-20)
	1 male	(40-50)	1 female	(40-50)

FARLEY, Richard

FARLEY, Peter

(No data written down on these two by the copier.)

1850 Montgomery Co. Ind. Census

FARLEY, John	65	Va.
Clarissa	67	Va.
Owens, Rebecca	36	Ky.
William	15	Ind.
Amanda	13	"
David	9	"
Catherine	7	"
Rebecca A.	5	"
FARLEY, Henry	30	Va.
Mary	28	Ohio
William	8	Ind.
Mary E.	5	"
Sarah C.	1/12	"

History of Woodbury and Plymouth Counties, Iowa;

F. H. FARLEY, a barber, resident of Sloan, was born in Washington Co. Iowa 1841, son of Sylvester and Candace A. (Barnett) Farley. He belongs to a very long lived family, his ggg grandfather, Francis, who went through the Rev. War lived to the age of 104, his grandfather, Edward died at the age of 68 but he had four sons over the age of 70 years, one of whom, Drewry was 94. Edward Farley's children were, Frank, Silas, Elias, Drewry, John, Edward, Joseph, Nancy Parker, (in Iowa, age 86) Jane Hinkell (in Texas) and Sylvester, the father of our subject, who is 80. (Elias thru Joseph deceased at this time) F. H. Farley grew to manhood on the farm in Washington Co. and 17 Oct. 1861 enlisted in 13 Iowa and was in battles of Shiloh, Corinth, Vicksburg, and was taken prisoner 22 July 1864, during the seige of Atlanta and put in Andersonville prison. After three months he was transferred to Florence. He remained there untill March 1865, having been in prison 8 months 23 days when let out on parole, and the following June was mustered out at Davenport, Ia. at the expiration of service of his regiment, 11th, 13th, 15th, and 16th, known as Crocker's Brigade who made a special record through the war. He tried farming and several other businesses after leaving the army but his health had been too much impaired in prison to allow an active business, so in 1880 he went to Pottawattamie Co. and learned the barbers trade and in 1883 came to Sloan. In 1876 he married Mary Clemins and they have one child, Rolla and have adopted a daughter Susie. Mr. Farley is Sr. Warden a Charter member of the Masonic Order, Attica Lodge 502, also belongs to GAR and IOOF. He is a Republican and is liberal in religious views.

March 1973

From: Kaye Farley Palacios

I have a copy of the bible of Thomas G. Farley, 1840/1911, son of Samuel of Pike Co. Ky. Don't think any of us are working on this line, but if there is someone or if you want a copy let me know. By the way the lady who had the bible is a granddaughter of old Sam, and she too says that Sam was a brother to my Thomas. This makes three times I have been told this, just have to prove it now!

Clarke Co., Ill. Census 1830

John Farley	Males - 1 - 0 to 5 3 - 5 to 10 2 - 10 to 15 1 - 40 to 50	Females - 1 - 0 to 5 1 - 15 to 20 1 - 30 to 40
Thomas Farley	1 - 0 to 5 1 - 5 to 10 1 - 10 to 15 1 - 20 to 30	1 - 0 to 5 1 - 5 to 10 1 - 20 to 30
Henry Farley	1 - 70 to 80	1 - 70 to 80
William H. Farley	1 - 0 to 5 1 - 5 to 10 1 - 30 to 40	2 - 0 to 5 1 - 20 to 30
James Hensley	1 - 0 to 5 2 - 15 to 20 1 - 50 to 60	2 - 5 to 10 2 - 10 to 15 1 - 20 to 30

This Henry "could" very well be my Capt. Henry Farley - and each of these other Farley men were the right names and ages to have been his sons. As for the Hensley, two of Henry's daughters married Hensley men. Also checked back to the Logan Co. W. Va. Census 1830, and none of Capt. Henry's sons are listed there, just his brother, William and some of his children. I am going to prove out this old Illinois story yet!!

From: Edward Duncanson, Kevin Court, Bullville, N. Y. 10915

My line is as follows: Luke Farley, b. 1774/5
d. 8 Feb. 1861 age 86
md.
Margaret ? b. 1780, Ireland
d. 23 Dec. 1851 age 51

son:
Peter Farley, b. 1819
d. 1899
md.
Eleanor A. Reed, b. 1822
d. 1894

son:
John Edwin Farley, b. 3 March 1849
d. 5 Sept. 1928, Unionville, N. Y.
md. 23 March 1870
Sarah Wickham Barker

daughter:
Anne Farley, md. William David Moulton

their daughter was my wife's grandmother.

I have written also to Robert Howell Fryer, 221 Whitecomb, Kalamazoo, Mich. 49001. He has sent me a great deal of material, but none of it includes any of what I have.

March 1973

From: Mrs. Claude S. Fowler

Bayless Farley; William Farley was in Bourbon Co. Ky. in 1810- I believe he is the one that I am looking for - went to Kanawha Co. W. Va. about 1813 and died by 1820. His wife was Elizabeth Farley, daughter of John and Mary Farley. Elizabeth d. 25 July 1860, age 78. born ca. 1782, Kanawha Co. Her death was reported by her son, Bayless Farley.

William ? b. 1784-1765 - d. 1813-1820 md. (1800-1784) Elizabeth Farley (John & Mary)
 b. 1782 d. 1850

1810 Bourbon Co. Ky. William Farley, 3 m (0-5) 1 m (26-45) 2 f (0-5) 1 f (10-16) 1 f (26-45)

	1810 Bourbon	1820 Kanawha	1830 Kanawha
William	26-45		
Elizabeth	26-45	26-45	40-50
f	10-16		
Bayless b ¹⁸⁰⁴ m	0-10	16-18 (1804-1802)	in 1830 census md. & 1 ch.
Snelling 1806 m	0-10	10-16 (1810-1804)	1. md. 2/8/1838 Minerva Forqueran 2. md. 1850/60 Fanny J. Harvey
Hudson	m 0-10		
Seges	f 0-10	10-16 (1810-1804)	
	m	0-10	10-15
	m	0-10	10-15
	m		5-10

Snelling b. 2-3-1806 on a farm outside Paris, Bourbon Co. Ky. d. 4-29-1889/8
 (See "History of Kanawha Co. from 1789-1876" by G. Watkinson)

Hudson or Hutson (given by family)

Seges md. 11-2-1821, Moses Collins. Their only child, Sigious Hutson Collins was born 1824, and her mother died shortly after. Moses gave the baby to her grandmother, Elizabeth to raise and went west where he remarried and had at least two daughters. I was told that Elizabeth was wealthy and sent Segious to a boarding school so she would be a dainty lady. A lady, yes, but dainty, no for she was a big boned woman.

Bayless md. Helen ? They had a daughter Almira b. 1843, Kanawha Co. d. 2-12-1860, Ohio, death recorded in Kanawha Co. Bayless is in the Kanawha Co. Census records 1830, 40, 50, 60, 70.

Aly Farley (1845-1920) md. Pike Co. Ky. to Nancy Bevins. Aly was the son of Samuel, b. 1814, and Matilda Taylor, b. 1822, md 4-14-1839 of Pike Co. Ky. My g grandmother was a Bevins and I have quite a bit of data on them. The only two Farley's listed in 1850 Pike Co. census are Jesse and Samuel.

#649, Jesse Farler	22 m farmer \$50	b. Va.	
Elizabeth A. (McCoy)	20	Ky.	md. 4-12-1849 Pike Co.
Wm. T.	1/12		
#652 Samuel Farlee	36 m farmer \$500	b. Va.	
Matilda (Taylor)	28	Va.	md. 4-14-1839 Pike Co.
Granville	11	Ky.	
Harriett	8	Va.	
Margaret	7	Ky.	
Aly	5	Va.	md. Nancy Bevins
Nancy	3	Ky.	
John F.	2	Ky.	md. Pricey Bevins
William	8/12	Ky.	

1850 Logan Co. Census:

#162 William Dingess	39		
Henry D. Farley	20		
#172 William Farley	20 m farmer		
Eliza	20		
Elizabeth	7		
#167 John Dingess	68 m farmer \$400		
Chloe (Farley)	60		(Capt. Henry & Sally)
John	22		(md. 8-20-1854 Rutha Adams, John W. & Polly)

1850 Logan Co. Census, Con't;

- #167 Henderson 19 (md. Sarah Adams, Jos & Dicy)
 Nancy Farley 11
 David 32 farmer \$100
- #295 Sarah Dingess 65 farming \$3400 (widow of Peter, dau. of Capt. Henry & Sally Farley)
 Harriett 29 (b. 5/10/1826, md. 1/6/1859, John Justice)
 Charles 23 (md. 11/29/1855, Elizabeth Toney, Wm. & Mary)
 Gordon Farley 13
- #404 Nancy Farley 47 farming \$600 (widow of William)
 Wm. Anderson 15 (md. 4/7/1856, Rosa McCoy-Rutha ?, Daniel & Marg. Taylor)
 Thomas 13
 Harriett 11
 Adirch ? 8 m
- #408 Thomas Farley 28 farmer \$400 (md. 5/6/1841, Pike Co. d. 1893, Buffalo Cr. Mingo Co.)
 Nancy (Ann Maynard) 28
 William M 8 (Montraville) (md. Lydia Rutherford)
 Ira J. (Lewis) 7 (md. 1. Matilda Varney, Henry & Jane; 2. md. ? Curry)
 Samuel 5 (md. 11/9/1865, Pike Co., Mary Ann Varney)
 Lucinda 4 (md. Andy Rutherford)
 Sally 1 (md. ? Harris)
 Melvin 7/12 (md. Mary (Polly) Browning, Edmund & Jane; md. Louisa Chafin)
- #411 John Farley 19 farmer (md. 6/3/1847, Pike Co.)
 Polly (Alley) 27? (Paul & Rebecca (Williamson))
 Rebecca 2 (md. 1866, Aaron Runyon)
 William (P/R) 1 (md. Leticia Brewer)
- #413 Henry Farley 60 farmer \$6000 (Wm. & Elizabeth (Thompson))
 Polly (Starr) 44
 Elizabeth 14 (md. Lewis McCoy, Hiram & Polly)
 David S. Dennis 23
 John Vanderson 29 farmer
 Louisa " 7
- #478 William Farley 61 farmer (Capt. Henry & Sally ?)
 Jane 35 (Elizabeth Jane Jones - 4th marriage ?)
 Allifira 6
 Polly 2
 (1. md. 8/6/1823, Mary Phillips; 2. 2/25/1836, Phoebe Adair, Lawrence Co. Ky. (would this be Phoebe Mundy?) 3. md. Polly Williams)
- #555 Matilda Coleman 42 \$400
 Anderson Farley 15 (md. 10 July 1856, Lucretia Staten, Malchi & M.)
 Patterson 11 (b. 1837 Pike Co. Ky. d. 9/25/1921, Williamson, Mingo Co md. 3/29/1857, Logan Co. Rebecca Hensley, Daniel)
- Nancy Coleman 3

Vital Statistics, Logan Co. W. Va. :

1853-1860, no death of a Farley reported. Following Marriages:

- 7 April 1856 - Wm. A. Farley 21 single b. Logan Co. ? Wm. & Nancy
 Rica McCoy 25? " Pike Co. Ky. Daniel McCoy
 14 Feb. 1856 - Andrew J. Hatfield 22 " Cabell Co. Jas. & S.
 Eleanor Browning 20 " " Rachel Brumfield
 29 July 1856 - Anderson Farley 22 " Logan Co. John & Mat Farley
 Lucretia Staten 22 " " Malchi & M
 18 March 1857- James Allison 32 widow N.C. Davis & T.
 Anna Hatfield 27 single Logan Co. Jos. & Nan
 March 1859 John W. Hatfield 19 " " John & Isabel
 Mary A. Cline 20 " " Peter & Mary
 2 Aug. 1858 Al Hatfield 27 " " Jos & Nan
 Eda Cline 19 " " Peter & Eda

Logan Co. W. Va. Marriages, Con't:

20 Sept. 1858	Andw. M. Tolar	23	single	Raleigh Co.	David & M.
	Martha Hatfield	25	"	Logan	Aly & Ann
3 Feb. 1859	McGinnis Hatfield	27	"	Ky.	Jos. & Martha
	Minerva J. Cartwright	17	"	Logan	Elij. & Polly
21 April 1859	L. J. Sipple	24	"	Wythe Co.	John & E.
	Elizabeth Hatfield	23	"	Logan	Ephrain & Nancy
3 Nov. 1859	John W. Hatfield	22	"	"	Aly & Ann
	Martha Tiller	22	"	"	Wm. & Rachel
25 Nov. 1860	William Collins	53	widow	Russell Co.	M. Collins & Polly Holloway
	Molly Hatfield	27	single	Logan	?
3 Dec. 1860	Enoch Gibson	24	"	"	Enoch Gibson & Sarah Cooper
	Surilda Hatfield	24	"	"	John & Mary

Births for the year 1860:

April,	Manveria Virginia, f, pb. b. Island Cr., F. Wm. Farley, M. Eliza Lawson
2 Sept.	Henry, m, pb. Elk Cr., F. Lewis McCoy, M. Elizabeth Farley
1 Nov.	Almyra, f, Gyandotte, F. Wm. C. Browning, M. Jane Hatfield
18 Feb.	George, m, pb. Mate ?, F. James Hatfield, M. Polly Ferrel
20 Oct.	Sarah Ann, f, Mate ?, F. Ferrell Hatfield, M. Marion Brewster
5 Dec.	Leander Spurlock, m, Mate, F. Jno. W. Hatfield, M. Martha W. (Seller?)
25 May	Leroy Burkett, m, Mate, F. L. J. Sipple, M. Elizabeth Hatfield
2 June	Elizabeth B.M., f, Pigeon?, F. William Hatfield, M. Rosa McCoy
8 May	Perry Anderson, m, Buffalo, F. Jno Farley, M. Mary Alley

(This was the only year of births I got to copy, had the mothers names, the others do not)

Boone Co.

Eliz. Farley, f, d. Aug. 12, pd. Big Cole, F. Henry Farley, single year 1856
Gideon Farley, w, m, d. 31 March 1855, pd. Big Cole, cd. not known, p. John " & Sarah Farley, pb. Monroe & Montgomery, single, inf. John, father.
18 Dec. 1854 Enoch Estep 19 b. Kanawha Co. Joel & Rebecca
Savina Farley 22 Logan Wesley & Sarah

1850 Mercer Co. Census:

#51 Alex Pine	32 m farmer	Va.	
Rebecca (Smith)	30 f		(Benjamin & Martha (Stratton)
Elizabeth	2 f		(11/7/1847)
Sarah F.	9/12 f		(4 Oct. 1849)
#52 Sarah Pine	62 f	Va.	
James	23 m farmer		
Melinda	20 f		
Nancy Pennington	60 f		
#70 Drewy Farley Sr.	80 m farmer \$500	Va.	(d. 1851 Summers Co.)
Drewy Jr.	27 m		
Sarah	21 f		
James E.	2 m		
Alex	2/12 m		
#72 Archibald Farley	47 m farmer \$200	Va.	(Drewry & Mary (Adkins)
Jemima (Cook)	42		
Louisa	22		(md. 1860, John Cauley)
Mahala	20		(md. Robert H. Lilly)
Madison	17 m laborer		
Henderson	14 m		(md. 1860, Araminta D. Hughes)
Cloe	12 f		
Albert	9		
Henley C. (Chatty)	6		
Anderson P.	4		
Philena	1		

1850 Mercer Co. Census, Con't.

#75	Andrew Farley Jr.	27	(Gideon & Dina)
	Judith (Cooper)	27	
	Mary M.	11 ?	
	Luverna	3	
	Elizabeth	7/12	
#78	Gideon Farley	53	(Drewry & Mary)
	Dinah (Cook)	48	
	Mary (Polly)	29	(md. Jackson Petry)
	Levi	22	(md. Martha Miller)
	Jane	20	(md. William Petry)
	Belinda	18	(md. Solon Meador)
	Nelson	13	(md. Sally Runnels)
	Rachael	12	(md. Samuel Hopkins)
	John	9	(md. Rachel Farley)
	Francis	7	(md. 1. Marietta Lowe, md. 2. Julia Farley)
	William L. (C.?)	4	(md. Polly Ann Miller)
#79	George Farley	74	
#82	Joel Farley	23	(Andrew & Anna)
	Selina (Celina ? Ellison)	22	
	Ballard P.	1 ?	
	Julia A.	3	
#204	Isaac Farley	39	(Drewry & Mary)
	Elizabeth (Adkins)	32	
	Polly (May)	11	
	Rachael	9	
	Susan	7	
	William	5	
	Sarah E.	2	
	Ballard (Erastus)	4/12	
#270	Hiram Farley	22	
	Mary	22	
	William C.	10/12	
#272	John Farley	27	
	Lucy	22	
	William H.	2	
	Jane	4/12	
#273	Andrew Farley Sr.	57	(Drewry & Mary)
	Anna (Cook)	57	
	Melvin	22	
	Sevina	20	
	Ida	18	
	Jackson	15	
	Mary	12	
	Anna	10	
	Thomas	7	
#275	James Farley	26	(Andrew & Anna) (md. 2. 1856, Ellen Abbott)
	Martha (Sheilds)	24	
	Mary (Ann)	5	
	Richard (James)	3	
	Rachel J.	1	
	Alexander Kelly	19	

1850 Mercer Co. Census Con't.

#574	Wilson Farley	28
	Lucinda	24
	John	5
	Martha	2

Excerpt from letter sent by Sigfus Olafson to Mrs. Claude Fowler, 7 Nov. 1972:

"You (or someone) mentioned Gideon Farley who spent the last part of his life in Boone Co., and say that his father was Francis Farley. Aubrey O. Smith, of Beckley, who is a very reliable researcher, says that Gideon was a son of Drewrey Farley and a nephew of Francis. The trouble is that several men have borne the names of Francis, Matt, Drury, and Gideon Farley, so it is not surprising that there is some confusion. Then we run into the alternate use of first names, second names and even nicknames, which adds more confusion. A case in point is, a grandson of Gideon Farley, Commodore Perry Farley, who appears in various records as Commosore Farley, Perry Farley, and C. P. Farley.

In Mrs Sadlon's material, perhaps in your letter, is an enquiry about "Ball" Woodrum. This is wrong and should be "Balt" Woodrum, which definitely comes from Archibald. Unfortunately there have been several Balt Woodrum's. One married Molly McMullen in 1802, and another married Mary Meador in Giles Co. in 1825. We had our own Balt Woodrum too with a wife named Mary, but local tradition says she was a daughter of Robert Gore. I have no documentation confirming this.

Be that as it may, a Robert Gore did marry Tomsey Jarrell in Monroe Co. in 1802. She was a daughter of Daniel and Mary Jarrell and between 1818 and 1822, three sons of this couple settled on Pond Fork in present Boone Co. In the late 1830's Balt and Mary Woodrum came here from Mercer Co. and also settled on Pond Fork, two miles upstream from one of the Jarrell brothers and five miles downstream from another. If local tradition is right, these were uncles of Balt's wife.

A few years later, George W. Gore, who was positively a son of Robert, came here and settled one-half mile from Balt Woodrum. He too was from Mercer Co. Some time after 1850 old Robert himself came here and also settled on Pond Fork, directly across the stream from Balt Woodrum's home and perhaps about 200 yards from it. The 1860 census of Boone shows that he was 76 years old, was born in Shenandoah Co. and he was living alone. I have a fairly complete record of the local Woodrums down to about 1875. "

From: Mrs. D. Valley Stuart, 20146 Doyle Court, Grosse Point, Mich. 48236; 17 Feb. 1973

Re; Farley, I think I tie into this line myself in Oneida Co., N. Y. First, there is a Protestant family from Mass., New Hampshire - one son John Farley md. Susan Somebody from Vermont and went to Trenton, Oneida Co. John was born in Hollis, N.H. in 1777.

Then there are the RC Farleys - the immigrants being William and Robert who came to Boonville, Oneida Co. in 1825 and 1841. I think this is my line. I can give yoy lots more info. on either of these and also on above mentioned John.

I think my ancestor, Charles Valley, married Lois Farley around 1832 in Oneida Co. and that she died around 1840 and is the mother of my g grandfather, Francis, born 1836. I have not been able to prove this. These Farley's were from Ireland. I have just read the 1850 census for Orange Co. N.Y. and there are loads of Farley's. I will be glad to give more information if you will be specific - meantime did you ever hear of my Lois?

From: D. W. Mason, 1100 Wenonah Ave., Pearisburg, Va. 24134; 11 Feb. 1973

Note: sorry this is very hard to read - handwritten - RJS)
Summers Annals of Southwest Va. Vol.I p. 852, shows my ancestor, McComas, reccomended or Lt. in Henry Farley's Co. There are several other ref. to Farley's in Summers Vol. II."

I recieved this in the mail, if anyone is interested--it is from:

Walter R. Sanders
RR #3 Box 130A
Litchfield, Illinois 62056

Mrs. R. J. Sadlon,
2032 Mary Queen Road,
Green Bay, Wisconsin, 54302

Noted your query in GENEALOGICAL HELPER concerning your interest in name of FARLEY from anywhere.

Collecting data on all of a family name in Illinois records has been my speciality over these many years and I have done this work for many seekers. I have indexed location of data in Illinois county histories and on Farley name I find five references to name. \$3.00 for briefs on these ;if you wish xerox copy of those which might be long- \$1.00 per page. I frankly do not know how many are long, or how many consist of a sentence or a paragraph.

2. Illinois archives has indexed all Illinois census (1810, 1818, 1820, 1830, 1840, 1850) except some ten from 1840 and two from 1850. Some state 1855 have also been indexed. All are indexed by HEAD OF FAMILY, AND PAGE- so one has to check each book or reel to complete data. Will complete all Farley names from this file for \$20.00.

3. Illinois men serving in Civil War have been indexed; again only company and regiment has been indicated, but I have the books which show (usually) where the man lived, and often some pertinent data on him.- Will complete this file for \$8.00.

3. The Illinois soundex system of 1880 lists all families who have minor children in 1880- same data as found in the regular 1880 census except the birthplace of the parents not given. For example:

John Smith, 56, b. Ohio; parents born Virginia. (it is this liast part which is NOT given).

This certainly locates all your family name in Illinois. For checking and completing data: \$20.00.

4. Lastly, if I do this work, then there are other sources which can be checked: marriages for some thirty counties of Illinois are on file- they usually take up to about the 1850-1860 period.

b. there are mortality schedules for 1850 and 1860- those counties where your name was found in census could be checked.- none indexed.

c. agricultural census for 1850 and 1860 shows the material worth of a family- number of acres, number of bushels of each product raised, amount of cattle, sheep, pigs, etc.- again not indexed.

d. there are cemetery records for some thirty counties on file- these could be checked for counties where your people have been found in census.

I have checked some of my other records and I find three marriages from three different counties; also find an estate file in this county. Farley is not a Montgomery county name, but there is an estate file.

This covers first survey of Illinois; there are other sources. If I can be of help to you let me know.

WRS.

507 Kanawha Ave.,
Madison, W. Va. 25130
Feb. 10, 1973

Mrs. R. J. Sadlon,
2032 Mary Queen Road,
Green Bay, Wisconsin, 54302

Dear Mrs. Sadlon:

This will acknowledge receipt of your recent distribution of Farley material.

Quite some time ago I told you I would send you some material about the family of Gideon Farley which came to this county (Boone) about 1835, and I now enclose it. As written, I think it is much too lengthy to be reproduced in the material you distribute, but I am sure you will have no difficulty in condensing it in case you want to distribute it.

Most of this is taken from census records and some from local records. I have never met any of Gideon's descendants, though I am certain that there must be some in this county, so I have never had an opportunity to learn anything from them. I have about the same kind of a record of every early family in this immediate area.

The area where the Farleys lived was in Kanawha County at the time of their arrival and remained there until 1847. Just a short distance away was ~~the~~ part of Fayette County that became Raleigh in 1850. I feel quite certain that there must be some records in these three counties that pertain to this Farley family, but I have never had occasion to look for them.

I have noticed quite a bit of material from Kaye Palacios in what you distribute. She seems to be working on Logan and Mingo County material. I have quite a little material on the Farleys in that region and may have something that can help her and would like to have send me her address.

Sincerely

Sigfus Olafson

Farleys in Boone County, W. Va.

About 1835 Gideon (also known as Gidd) Farley, his wife Mary, and their family, moved from Monroe County, W. Va., and settled on Big Coal River in what is now Boone County, W. Va., at the mouth of a small tributary still known as Gidd's Branch. By the ages shown in the 1850 census of Boone County it appears that Gideon was born in 1775 and his wife in 1786. Both probably died before 1860 as they do not appear in census records of that year. It has been reported that Gideon Farley was a son of Drury, or Drewry, Farley, a Revolutionary soldier, and also that he was a first cousin of Capt. Henry Farley, prominent in frontier affairs in the latter 1700's. Neither of these reports has been documented by the writer. The maiden name of his wife Mary is not known.

Three sons of Gideon and Mary Farley were living near them on Big Coal River when the 1850 census was taken, who were John Wesley Farley, Henry Farley, and Noah Farley, all of whom were born in Monroe County. It is presumed that there were other children but presently their names are not known to the writer.

In the 1850 census Gideon and Mary Farley are listed as living alone. The family of the son Henry is listed as follows:

Henry Farley	age 40
Margaret "	35
Leanza "	18
Charles "	14
Meredith "	11
Nicholas "	7
Elizabeth "	5
Malvina "	2

This family, as far as the writer knows, does not appear in any later Boone County records, and appears to have moved away soon after 1850.

In the same 1850 census the family of Noah Farley is listed as follows:

Noah Farley	27
Catherine	22
Margaret	2

In the 1860 census it is listed as follows:

Noah Farley	35	born Monroe County
Catherine "	33	" Montgomery Co.
Almeda "	8	Boone
West (Wesley ?)	6	"
Julia E.	4	"
Venila E.	1	"

This family does not appear in later Boone County records and probably moved away during the Civil War.

In the 1850 census the family of John Wesley Farley is listed as follows:

Wesley Farley	age 44	(full name John Wesley)
Sarah	"	37
Savina	"	17
Edward	"	14
William	"	12
Leonard	"	10
Perry	"	8 (full name Commodore Perry)
John	"	6
Adam	"	3 (died young)
Noah	"	6/12 (full name Noah Brook)

In the 1860 census it is listed as follows:

John Wesley Farley	55	born Monroe County
Sarah	46	" Montgomery Co.
Edward	24	" Kanawha Co.
William	22	" " "
Leonard	21	" " "
Perry	16	" " "
John	14	" " "
Noah	9	" Boone "
Cumberland	7	" " "
Polly (Mary)	3	" " "
Sarah	1	" " "

It will be noted that the older children are shown as having been born in Kanawha County. All were actually born in the same place but this was a part of Kanawha County until 1847, when Boone County was formed and it has since been in Boone.

It will also be seen that the daughter Savina is no longer with the family. She had married Enoch Estep, son of Joel Sr. and Nancy Estep, and in 1860 this family is listed separately as follows:

Enoch Estep	age 24	born Kanawha Co.
Savina	"	28 " "
Arminda	"	3 " Boone
Reuben	"	2 " "

Getting now to the 1870 census of Boone County we see the family of John Wesley Farley listed as follows:

Wesley Farley	68
Sarah	" 50
Noah	" 20
Mary	" 13
Sarah	" 12

Of the sons, the oldest, Edward Farley, was now married and listed separately as follows:

Edward Farley	36?
Julia "	30
Comm. O. H. Perry "	6
John "	4/12

The son Leonard is listed as a farm laborer with Adam Coon

The son Perry Farley, now also married, and his family, are listed as follows:

Perry Farley	28
Harriet "	25
Louisa "	3
Blackburn "	1

The daughter Savina who had married Enoch Estep, and her family, are listed as follows in the 1870 census:

Enoch Estep	34
Savina "	31
Armina "	13
Reuben "	11
Letha A. "	8
Juliantes "	6
Lewis "	5

In the 1880 census are the following listings of Farley or Farley related families:

John Wesley Farley	76
Sarah "	46 ?
Leonard Farley	43
Rebecca A. "	35
Noah Brook Farley	28
Abigail "	25
Creem ?	6
Daniel "	5
Simond "	3
Frederick "	2

This Noah Brook Farley was a son of John Wesley Farley, as shown on the preceding page. He had married since the 1870 census, as had his brother Leonard, just above him.

Perry Farley	38
Harriet "	37
Louisa "	13
Blackburn "	11
Joshua L. "	9
William J. "	6
John "	3
Sally "	3/12

The family of the daughter, Savina, had probably moved from Boone County as it is not listed in the 1880 census.

Miscellaneous Information

The wife of John Wesley Farley, son of Gideon, was born in Montgomery County, Va., as was the wife of his brother, Noah Farley, which might furnish a clue for learning their maiden names, which are presently unknown. No record has been found of the marriages of any of the children of Henry Farley and Noah Farley, sons of Gideon.

Of the children of John Wesley Farley, the marriage of the eldest daughter, Savina, to Enoch Estep, has been noted.

The eldest son, Edward, married Julia _____, maiden name unknown. Their son, Commodore Oliver Hazard Perry Farley, married M. C. Pattrey, of Raleigh County, W. Va,

We have no record of the marriage of the second son, William.

The third son, Leonard, married Rebecca A. Brinkley, daughter of Willis & Judah Brinkley of Boone County. They had no children when the 1880 census was taken.

The fourth son, Perry Farley, married Harriet Bradley, daughter of Simeon and Eva Bradley of Raleigh County. She died in 1883 and in 1892 he married L. Halstead.

We have no record of the marriage of the fifth son, John Farley.

The sixth son, Noah Brook Farley, married Abigail Cantley of Raleigh County, W. Va.

The seventh son, Cumberland Farley (see 1860 list), married Ann Massey, daughter of Squire and Wilmouth Massey of Boone County.

The youngest daughter of John Wesley Farley, Sarah, married Samuel Pettrey, son of St. Clair Pettrey of Raleigh County. Sarah died in 1934.

Of the children of Perry and Sarah Farley (see 1880 list), Louisa married Owen Richards and Sally married L. H. Richards.

Presumably there are now many descendants of Gideon Farley living in the portion of Boone County where he settled about 1835, and in nearby portions of Raleigh County. but the writer has never met any of them. The material herein is taken entirely from records of various kinds, both U. S. and local.

Sigfus Clafson

March 1973

From: Robert Pryor, 221 Whitcomb, Kalamazoo, Mich. 49001

This is copied from "One Line of the Farley Family" by George E. Foster 1897

THE FARLEY FAMILY

Bristol, a place of great antiquity, an important maritime city in the west of England, upon the rivers Frome and Avon, partly in the countries of Gloucester and Somerset, was the early home of one Fabyan Farley. He married Jane Hungerford of Farleigh Castle, Somersetshire. They had seven children and most of the Farley's now living in America can trace their pedigree to this marriage. The Farley name is one of the oldest in England. It can be traced back to the home of William the Conqueror, Castle Falaise in Normandy A. D. 1000.

Duke Robert before starting on his journey of pilgrimage to the Holy Land, left his castle in the custody of William and Walter as Lords of Falaise, and upon his death, Walter being the eldest became the Lord and William became the Conqueror, as is shown in English history. Walter had a son William, who went with his half brother to England as William De Falaise, to whom was given 25 Lordships in County Devon.

In tracing the pedigree of the Farley family starting with De Falaise, eleven different spellings of the name are found; De Falaise, Ffar-lea, Ffarle, Fairley, Farlea, Farly, Farle, Farlegh, Farlee, Farley.

Fabyan Farley, who as above mentioned married Jane Hungerford, was a descendent of this before mentioned William De Falaise. After his marriage he resided in Torothorpe, County York, England, where he had two sons. His first son, Thomas was born in 1602. His second son, George was born in 1615. In the lives of these two sons of Fabyan Farley the American Farley's have special interest.

Thomas emigrated to Virginia with his wife and one servant, Nicholas Shotter. They landed at Archer's Hope, a projection of land opposite Jamestown, Virginia, 4 Feb. 1623 on the ship Anne, the third ship after the Mayflower. They had a child Anne, named in honor of the ship that brought them over. She was the first Farley born in America.

But the movements of Fabyan's other son, George are of the greatest interest to those for whom this brochure is written. He emigrated to America in 1640. He came to this country on the ship Lion and landed at Charleston, or Roxbury, Mass. The cause of his coming to this country may be found in religious persecution of those days growing out of the difference between the Protestant dissenters and the Church of England. Soon after his arrival in this country he moved to Wolburn, Mass. where he married 9 April 1641, Christian Births, a Swede, who had come over in the same ship. She was an orphan, her father having died at sea during the passage over. They lived at Wolburn untill the year 1653, his name being on the first list of county tax assessed at Woburn 8 Sept. 1645, this being the first on record. In 1653 they moved to Shawehin, afterward known as Billerica, Mass. where they were among the first settlers of that ancient village. On 19 Nov. 1656 he disposed of his house and lot of twenty acres at Woburn to Richard Snow.

FARLEY CASTLE

The remains of Farley Castle, once so distinguished as the residence of Sir Thomas Hungerford and his proud line of successors are now recognized only by a few embattled turrets and by monumental effigies and inscriptions.

A curious fragment of painted glass in the window of the parish church (not the apse within the castle walls) commemorates the purchase of this manor of Farley in the portrait of Sir Thomas Hungerford. This relic confirms what is related by Dugdale, that Sir Thomas was buried in the north aisle of the church of St. Ames at Farley. Richard Colb Hoare, Bart. says that the portrait of Sir Thomas is an accurate tracing from the glass window in the parish church.

The following account of Farley Castle, taken from an old survey, will prove interesting as throwing light on its ancient state, and the etching indicates the relative situations of the chapel and the principal entrance into the area of the castle:

? (Note: I don't know if part of this is missing or what-but this is the way it continues on next page sent me. RJS)

was succeeded by his son Walter, who died 27, Henry, VI, A. D. 1449, leaving two sons, Robert, his heir, and Edmond, on whom he settled the Down Ampney Estate which continued in the family of Hungerford untill from failure of male issue it devolved to Edmond Dunch, who married the heiress of Hungerford. The residence of the Duchess was at Willenhad, County of Berke.

Farley Castle, 20 March 1794, Somersetshire, England, Manor of Roger De Curcelle, to whom it was granted by the Conqueror, descended through the families of Montfort, Burgath and Hungerford to Joseph Houlton, its present owner.

FROM GENTLEMAN'S MAGAZINE

The Hungerford family are all buried in the chapel of this castle. In a window in the north side of the chancel are two large sheilds, one of them containing the arms of the Hungerford family, with an impalement which is entirely ? (can't read).

FROM HISTORY AND ANTIQUITIES OF SOMERSETSHIRE
BY WILLIAM COLLINSMAN

Hungerford's of Willow, County of Somerset: By an inscription to the monument of Sir Thomas Hungerford of Farley, bearing the date of 1396, we find that the family was at that early period possessed of the manor of Willow. The parish register at this place does not go back further than the year 1638. Giles Hungerford died 1638. Jane Hungerford wife of Giles, died 11 Oct. 1679. John, third son of Giles, died 18 Jan. 1655. Ursula, second daughter of Giles, died 18 July 1645. Giles, second son of Giles, died 6 Oct. 1668, aged 33. Susanna, daughter of Giles, died Sept. 1652. Edmond, son.

Hungerford's of Windrush, County of Oxford: This branch of the Hungerford family appear to have been originally derived from Edward, second son of John of Down Ampney and Margaret Blount. He married Margaret, daughter of Sir John St. John, and departed this life 1531. Inscription on a flat stone in the church is as follows:

"Here Lieth George Hungerford and by him Katherine, his wife, daughter of Edward Fabian of Compton, County of Burkesheere, England, by whom he had nine children: Edward, Anthony, Thomas, John, Jane, Alna, Martha, (unintelligible), Eleanor, was interred 16 June 1597."

Jane Hungerford at Farley Castle married Fabyan Farley of Bristol.

Sir Thomas Hungerford was first known speaker of Parliament.

From data sent to Mr. Robert Pryor by Mrs. John F. Day, concerning Farley info:1968
(NOTE: These are copies and very hard to read-RJS.)

This certifies that in the auditors journal for 1793, a manuscript volumn in the Virginia State Library, there appears on page 534, under date of 16 Sept. 1783, the following entry: "Warrent to Daniel Farley for his services in the Militia under Capt. Gabl. Faulke from Amelia ordered to the aid of So. Carolina in 1780..."

"Know all men by these presents that we Daniel Farley and Grieff Talley are held and firmly bound unto His Excellancy Patrick Henry, Esqr. Govenor of Virginia in the sum of fifty pounds current money, to the ___ payment, well and truly to be made to the said Govenor and his successors we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and Adm'rs, jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this 28th day of September 1786.

Whereas a marriage is shortly intended to be solemnized between the above bound, Daniel Farley and Martha Pryor, the condition of the above obligation is such that if there be no lawful cause to obstruct the said marriage then the above obligation to be void. Otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Daniel Farley (Seal)
Grief Talley (Seal)

Sealed and delivered
in presence of
James Townes Jr.

A Copy
Teste:
S. L. Farrar, Clerk.

I certify that I am willing to marry Mr. Daniel Farley.
Martha Prier (Seal)
28 Sept. 1786

Test:
Abraham Hatchett
Grief Talley

(The underlined items have been proven)

- (1) JOSEPH FARLEY md. Mary Ellington
- (2) John Farley md. Daniel Farham
- Rebecca Farley md. Abraham Hatchett
- Mary Farley b. Amelia Co. 12-20-1762
- Daniel Farley md. " " 10-26-1786
- md. Martha Pryor d. Shelby Co. Ky. 1-20-1843
- Martha Farley
- William Farley
- Forest Farley
- Sebellaham Farley md. 1. Wm. Hatchett 2. Abner Watkins
- Joseph Farley

(Grandchild: John Farrow Newman)
(William D. Farley d. 1844)

(Above names obtained in will of Joseph Farley, dated 14 Sept. 1780.)

- (2) DANIEL FARLEY md. Martha Prier b. 1-18-175
- md. 10-17-1786
- d. 1-1-1823
- (3) Nancy A. Farley b. 3-14-1789
- Joseph Forrest Farley b. 4-15-1791 Shelby Co. Ky.
- md. 1-11-1815 Sarah Hardin
- d. 8-6-1868 Ind.
- William Farley b. 2-21-1793
- md. 5-7-1814 Amelia Butler
- Martha Farley b. 3-4-1795
- Sarah Farley b. 2-28-1798

(Do not know if these are Euclid Farley same fam.)
Moses Farley md. 11-8-1801 Ann Alexander
Euclid Farley d. 5-22-1835
Felix Farley d. 1-28-1842

(3) JOSEPH FORREST FARLEY

(4) Samuel Pryor Farley

Melvina Farley

Daniel Alexander Farley

John Hardin Farley

Semiramis Farley

William Warren Farley

Mary Ellington Farley

Martha Pryor Farley

Elizabeth Payne Farley

?? (Joseph Addison Farley)

(3) WILLIAM FARLEY

(4) William T. Farley

John Farley

Elizabeth Farley

James Farley

_____ Farley (dau.)

(4) SAMUEL PRYOR FARLEY

(4) MARTHA PRYOR FARLEY

(5) Harry Burley

Jessie Burley

Belle Burley

(4) ELIZABETH PAYNE FARLEY

(1) _____ HARDIN

(2) JOHN HARDIN

(2) JOHN HARDIN

(3) Eli Hardin

Ennis Hardin

Mark Hardin

John Hardin

Sarah Hardin

(4) WILLIAM WARREN FARLEY

(5) MARK HARDIN FARLEY

md. Sarah Hardin

b. 11-1-1815 Ky.

md. 10-19-1836 Margaret McCall

b. 11-1-1817 Ky.

md. 5-31-1845 William T. Farley

d. 1-17-1846

b. 2-13-1840 Ky.

md. ? Ann E. Blake d. 10-27-1871

d. 8-5-1909

b. 2-15-1827 Shelby Co. Ky.

md. 10-7-1850 Cynthia Allen Van Cleve

Blakenburg, Ia.

d. 8-10-1892 Rapid City, S. D.

b. 9-20-1824 Ky.

md. 10-22-1846 Erastus Washburn

b. 3-15-1829 Ind.

b. ? Ind.

d. Infancy

b. 1836

md. 11-15-1851

b. 11-21-1838 Ind.

md. 1862 Dr. H. Taylor

b. 8-29-1828 (error) (Do not know if he belongs to this family)

d. 5-11-1827

md. Amelia Butler

b. ?

md. 5-31-1835 Melvina Farley

md. ? _____ Bondy

md. Margaret McCall

md. John Burley

md. John R. Dishington

md. C. S. Hammond

md. Dr. H. W. Taylor

md. ?

md. Elizabeth Payne

md. Elizabeth Payne

b. 1795

md. 1-11-1815 Joseph Forrest Farley

d. 1875

md. Susannah Marguis Silvers 12-24-1850

b. 3-13-1828

d. 11-7-1861 war casualty Belmont, Mo.

b. 9-4-1851 Greencastle, Ind.

md. 1. ? Maria L. Webb. ? 30 Sept. 1872,

Mary T. Spe..

d. 5-1-1928 Sullivan, Ind.

Ind.

Cousins

Cousins

(5) FORREST SILVERS FARLEY

b. 1854
md. ? wa Louise Eaton
d. 1934

Here is a brief of the lineage:

Martha (Marietta) Pryor (Farley)	md. Daniel Farley
Joseph Forrest Farley	md. Sarah Hardin
William Warren Farley	md. Susannah Marquis Silvers
Mark Hardin Farley	md. Mary Timothy Spores
Ruth Belle Farley	md. Ewart G. Day
John Farley Day	

Sincerely,
Marjorie F. Day

APRIL 1973

From: Robert Pryor, 221 Whitcomb, Kalamazoo, Michigan 49001

My principal interest in Farley is to try and trace ancestors of Martha Pryor, who married Daniel Farley in Amelia Co. Va. in 1786. I believe that she was a sister to my gg grandfather John Alexander Pryor Sr., who was born in Amelia Co. in 1750 and married Martha Vaughn b. 1751, Amelia Co. They had ten children, the youngest was my g grandfather, Daniel Farley Pryor, b. 7-14-1779, Ky. As soon as I can I will zerox my Farley material and send you a copy.

From: Mrs. Daniel E. Kopp, 230 E. Walnut, Ashland, Ohio 44805

I am looking for a Elizabeth Farley b. 10 March 1814, Monroe Co., Ohio. She was the daughter of A. & M. Farley. She married 2 Aug. 1832, Joseph Matheny. She died 26 April 1903 and is buried in Cow Creek, Pleasants Co., W. Va.

From Kaye Palacios:

My "right hand" down in Logan has made another trip to the area of the home place and had found the man that Georg Curry sent her to see. He is Jesse Farley, son of Patterson Farley, and grandson of John. He gave her the data that I have included about the second family of John Farley. He even took her to see the grave of John, now dead 134 years. He knew that his grandfather John was married twice, and even named the wives. But he never mentioned who the half brothers of his father were. Thelma did not ask...for in the mountains you just do not ask too many questions, till the people are ready to tell you on their own. Even more so in this family mess, for it is clear that there was bad blood between the half brothers and sisters. They did not mix together, nor have their families down through the years. This we believe, to be caused by the fact that upon the death of their father, John, his second wife, Matilda, kept only the children that were hers. She even gave up young John Jr. as a ward of the court, and he was only nine years old. And add onto that the fact that she had raised him since he was three years old and you can see what must have been the case. Thelma is going back in a week or so and hopes by then to have gained his trust enough to learn more.

By the way I failed to mention the fact that Perry Anderson Farley, brother of Patterson was also married twice, but I do not know the name of his second wife as yet.

I believe that these were the son's of John by his first marriage, not sure.

1. Samuel
2. Thomas
3. John Jr.
4. William
5. Jesse
6. ?

As earlier stated only John Jr. had been proven.

Thomas Farley Cemetery, Buffalo Creek, Mingo Co. West Virginia:

L. Farley born Dec. 27, 1825 died Dec. 25, 1839

E. Farley born March 18, 1874 age 8 mo.'s

NOTE: These two old graves in the family graveyard are completely unknown to any of us. Notice that the first one, L. Farley was born only three years after my Thomas was born. And he built the house that sets beside the graveyard. ??????

Con't. from "Kentucky Ancestors"

Trimble Co. Ky., Bedford Courthouse;

Will, Thomas Hardin, 27 June 1837 / May 1842, page 82.

Sons: Jas. Hardin, ex.; Charles Hardin; Thomas Hardin.

Daughters: Amanda Hardin; Charity Hardin married Edward Farley;

Elizabeth Nichols; Nancy King; Polly Hardin; Kitty Hardin.

Witness: Victor Buchanan, Jno. Fresh, Madison Mayfield.

Pennsboro, Masonic Cemetry.- W. V.

- 1. Matilda Farley- 1876- 1954- Wife of W. F. Farley.
- 2. James Wade Farley- 1899- 1962 & Bessie H. Farley- 1905- 1966.

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Heleron Church Cemetry- W. V.

- 1. Noah Farley- 1839- 1929 & Mary, his wife- 1843- 1927.
- 2. A. A. Farley- 1868- 1912.

Sent to me by- Edward J. Gill, III 3 Granville Drive, Newport Beach, Calif.

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John	" "	955
Peggy	" "	1209
Thomas	" "	961
William	" "	137
Peter	" "	737

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 (Only Farley listed in any Co.)

His Line of Farleys****

- * IX. George Andrew
- B. 25 Nov. 1857
- P.B. Ind.
- M. ca. 1881
- D. 26 Oct. 1896
- P.D. Chapman (Dickinson) Kansas

- * VIII. Franklin Farley
- B. 21 Sept. 1827
- P.B. Morgan Co. Ind.
- M. 24 Dec. 1848, Morgan Co. Ind.
- D. 28 June 1889
- P.D. Beaver (Carroll) Arkansas

Wife- Dora Victoria Puett

Wife- Mary Eliza Erwin

- B. 12 Jan. 1867
- P. B. Unknown
- D. 7 July 1904

- B. 22 Aug. 1832
- P.B. Ky.
- D. ca. 1891

P.D. Neosho, Missouri

P.D. Rich Hill (Bates) Missouri

Children Were ****

Children Were *****

~~Order~~

~~Order~~ *Johnson*

- 1. ~~George Elmer~~ George Elmer- B. I June 1882) P.B.
- D. 30 May 1900 in Soloman, Kans.

- 1. Mary Jane- B. 22 Aug. 1850
- P.B. Knox Co., Ill.
- D. 7 Dec. 1925 in Beaver, Ark.

- 2. Anne Eliza (Dobson)- B. 3 Mar. 1884
- P.B. Exeter, Mo.
- D. 10 Feb. 1966 in Neosho, Mo.

- 2. James Marcus- B. 30 Aug. 1855
- P.B. Vndrog. Co., Ind.
- D. 10 Dec. 1949 in Bristow, Okla.

- 3. Charles Franklin- B. 25 Feb. 1887
- P.B. Cassville, Mo.
- D. 25 Jan. 1969 in Pasadena, Tex.

- * 3. George Andrew- B. 25 Nov. 1857
- P.B. Ind.
- D. 26 Oct. 1896 in Chapman, Kana.

- 4. William Lloyd- B. 17 July 1888
- P.B. Beaver, Ark.
- D.

- 4. Benjamin Franklin- B. 1860
- P.B. Iowa
- D. 1885 in Beaver, Ark.

- 5. Bertie Orvis- B. 15 April 1890

- 5. Charles Hiram- B. ca. 1864

P.B. Red Cloud, Neb.
 D. Sept. 1937 in Souix City, Iowa
 6. Claudie John- B. 13 Feb. 1892
 P.B. Rich Hill, Mo.
 D. 12 Aug. 1892 1968 in Smithville, Mo.
 * 7. Gracie Sophie (Walters)- B. 21 May 1894

P.B. Iowa
 D. in Beaver, Ark.
 6. William- B.
 P.B.
 D. in Bever, Ark.

* VII. Thomas
 B. ca. 1789/90
 P.B. Rowan Co., N. C.
 M. 29 Aug. 1819 in Scott Co., Ind.
 D. 7 Nov. 1868
 P.D. Mt. Pleasant (Henry) Iowa

* VI. Stephen
 B. 18 June 1762
 P.B. Amelia Co., Va.
 M. 2 Jan. 1788
 D. 5 July 1838
 P.D. White Co., Tenn.

Wife- Mary Clark
 B. Prob. 1898 in Ky.

Wife- Mary Mitchell
 B. 2 Jan. 1767

Children Were* *****
 I. Thomas C. Jr.- B. 7 Dec. 1820
 P.B. Scott Co., Ind
 D. 22 Dec. 1887
 2. Mary Ann (McNaabb)- B.
 D.
 3. Sinai Rebecca (Bragg)- B. ca. 1824
 P.B.
 D.

Children Were*****
 Order Unknown
 I. Obedience- B.
 D.
 2. William- B.
 D.
 * 3. Thomas- B. ca. 1790
 P.B. Rowan Co., N.C.
 D. 7 Nov. 1868 at Mt Pleasant, Iowa

4. Harriet (Hancock)- B. ca. 1825?
 5. Jane- B. ca. 1826?
 * 6. Franklin- B. 21 Sept. 1827
 P.B. Morgan Co., Ind.
 D. 28 June 1889 at Beaver, Ark.
 7. Caroline (Brown)- B. ca. 1832
 8. Nancy- B. ca. 1835 in Ind.
 9. Charles Hiram- B. ca. 1838? in Ind.
 10. Milton- B. ca. 1840?
 II. Andrew George- B. 24 Aug. 1842
 P.B. Morgan Co., Ind.
 D. 11 Mar. 1911 in Wichita, Kans.

4. John- B.
 5. Jeremiah- B.
 6. Nancy- B.
 * 7. Stephen- B.
 (Either Obedience or Nancy married Thomas Tallant, a son-in-law mentioned in will)

* V. John Farley
 B. ca. 1730/ in Amelia Co., Va.
 D. ca. 1764 in " " "

* IV. William Farley Sr.
 B. ca. 1704 in Amelia Co., Va.
 D. 1782 in Rawleigh Parish, Amelia Co., Va.

Wife- Sarah
 Children Were*****
 Order Unknown
 I. John- B.

Wife- ~~Elizabeth Apper- B. D. 1761~~
Martha Stewart
 Children Were*****
 Order Unknown
 I. Stephen- B.

- 2. William- B.
- 3. Jeremiah- B.
- * 4. Stephen- B. In June 1762
P.B. Amelia Co., Va.
D. 5 July 1738 in White Co. Tenn.
- 5. Sarah- B.

- 2. Stuart- B.
- 3. Daniel- B.
- 4. William- B.
- 5. Hannah- B.
- 6. Betty(Stuart)- B.
- * 7. John- B. ca. 1730 in Amelia Co., Va.
D. 1766 In Amelia Co., Va.
(John dec. not in will, but Dau-in-law,
Sarah was.)

* III. John-Farley Jr.
B. 1670 in Henrico Co., Va. Prob.
M. ca. 1700
D. 1734 in Dale Parish(Chesterfield)Va.

* II. John Farley Sr.
B. 1648 Near James City Co., Va.

Wife***Elizabeth Archer- D. 1761
Children Were*****
Order Unknown

Wife- Mary
Children Were*****
(Record of children from Randolph W. Farley

- 1. John- B. ca. 1702
D. 1775 in Dale Parish(Chesterfield)Va.
- 2. Francis- B. 25 Oct, 1703 in Va.
D. 22 Oct. 1791 in Monroe Co., Va.
- 3. Peter- B. 19 April 1718 in Va.
- 4. Mary(Womack)- B.
- * 5. William- B. ca. 1704
P.B. Amelia Co., Va.
D. 1782 in Rawleigh Parish,
Amelia Co., Va.
- 6. Sarah(Thompson)- B.
- 7. James- B.
- 8. Joseph- B.
- 9. Forest- B.
- 10. Mathew- B.
- II. Henry- B.

- Nashua, N.H. & not confirmed from any sources, except John Jr.)
- 1. Mary(Baugh)- B. 1668
- * 2. John Jr.- B. 1670
- 3. Samuel- B. 1673
- 4. Edward(?)- B. 1678- Prob. died in infancy
- 5. James- B. EB
- 6. Mathew- B. 1682
- 7. William- B. 1685
- 8. Archer- B. 1688 a twin
- 9. Edward- B. " " "

* I. Thomas Farley (Immigrant Ancestor)
B. ca. 1600 in England---- Married --- Jane Sefton- B. in England

Children Were*****
Record of children not confirmed(See above), except for John Sr.

- 1. Ann- B. 1623
- 2. George- B.(1631)? 1625- A martyr in Bacon's Rebellion
- 3. Archer- B. 1627- Prob. M. Elizabeth Reade
- 4. Barbara- B. 1628- Killed by Indians
- 5. Phillipp- B. 1633
- 6. Thomas- B. 1636- M. Barbara Rolfe, 1666
- 7. Virginia- B. 1637- M. Henry St. John, 1665
- 8. Fabyan- B. 1640
- 9. Bonnie Belle- B. 1642

- 10. James- B. 1643- Ancestor of this branch of family in Carolina
- 11. Elizabeth- B. 1645
- 12. Richard- B. 1647
- *13. John Sr.- B. 1648
- 14. William* B. 1648 - A twin of John Sr.
- 15. Thompson- B. 1650

From Anne Hill Creamer, 125 Meadows St., Vidalia, Georgia 30474

My grandmother, Rosa Anne Farley, B. 12 May 1888 at Blocton, Bibb Co., Ala., married Reubin Madison McDaniel. She was daughter of John Cleveland Farley & Senie Teresa Hannah, both borned in Bibb Co., Ala.

A Mrs. Joe Farley, Fountain Run, Ky. 42133--(She is not working on Ancestors)
"Said her husbands Father was Alvin W. Farley & his Mother was Jane Shockley, and Alvins family came from Va. to Tenn. & later to Ky."

Sent to me by- Nellie Mae Burns Sparks, 25 East Penny Way, Sparks, Nevada 39431
Jessamine Co., Ky. wills 1798-1813

Jane Farley was named a sister in the will of John Gilmore- dated 16-6-1807;

Shelby Co., Ky. wills 1795-1804

David Farley was apprs' on the inv. of John Felty-dated 22 July 1795;

Lincoln Co. Ky. wills 1781-1790

~~Joseph~~

HENDERSON CO. KY. CEMETERY RECORDS:

- Robert A. Farley- b.5 Aug.1802- d. 10 April 1886 age 83 years.
& from Nottoway Co. Va.- wife- Mary M. Woods- b.24 Oct.1806-d.21-4-1877
- Mary C. dau. of R.A. & Mary Farley & wife of L.M. Grafton b.17-5-1849
d. 25-12-1881;
- John W.S. son of R.A. & Mary M. Farley b. 22-6-1831 d. 15-10-1897
wife- Kate Walker;
- "Children of J.W.S. & Catherine Farley as follows...
- 1. William Robert Farley b.21-July-1861. 17-Sept.1860;
- 2. Jesse M. Farley b.17-Oct.-1861. 22-Oct.-1861;
- 3. John J. " b. 21-Dec. d.29-Dec.-1863;
- 4. Georgia " b. 4 July 1871 d. 17 Mar.1873;
- 5. infant son b.& d. 2 May 1865;
- 6. Annia E. Farley b.21 Jan.1867 d.30 Jan.1868;
- 7. infant dau. b. & d. June 1869;

Georgia A. Walker younger sister of Catherine Walker Farley & wife of Wm. B. Swana b.27 Feb.1843 d. 15 Mar.1886;

S. A. Farley b.1844 d.8 April 1915 wife Roberta b 7 July 1834 d.22-7-1901;

Lucy E. Farley b. 8 Mar. 1851 d. 7 June 1861;
Charles E. Farley b. 27 Mar. 1839 d. 16 Feb. 1896;
Mary S. Farley Clay b. 13 July 1839 d. 25 Oct. 1914;

TRIGG CO. KY. Cemetery records--

Susan A. E. wife of R.E. Farley b. 24 Dec. 1820 d. 24 Feb. 1860;

~~BOURBON CO. KY. Cemetery records.....~~

Floyd Co. Ky. marriages 1822-65

- Farley, Henry M. Polly Stare 10 Aug. 1822;
- " Jesse E. Elizabeth McCoy 12 April 1849;
- " John M. Matilda Stafford 30 June 1833;
- " Nimrod M. Juliet Clendennen 10 Aug. 1822;
- " John M. Polley Alley 3 June 1847;
- " Samuel M. Matilda Taylor 14 April 1849;
- " Sam G. M. Mary Ann Varney 9 Nov. 1865;
- " Thomas M. Nancy M. Mannard 6 May. 1841;
- " " - Y. " C. Pinson 25 Dec. 1860;
- " Thomas G. M. Lucy Retherford 28 Feb. 1861;
- " W. H. M. Betsey Phillips 6 Aug. 1823;
- " William M. Polly Runyon 6 Aug. 1846;

FLOYD CO. KY. MARRIAGES 1808-44

Thomas Farley M. Polly Phillips 10 Dec. 1820;

LAWRENCE CO. KY. MARRIAGES 1822-59

William H. Farley - M. Pheobe Adair 25 Feb. 1836;

ODDS & ENDS.....

Warren Co. Ky.-- Ellen Farley- M. Timothy J. Madden 17 June 1881;

DEED BOOK 41-P.270 Warren Co. Ky.

Farley, Johanna:

"State of Ky., Grayson Co:

I, Edwin Thomas Clerk of the Co. aforesaid do certify that on this day Dennis McCarty personally appeared before me in my office & acknowledged this deed to Johanna Farley as & for his act & deed all which is certified for record, Given under my hand this last day of July 1873.

\$555.00 one acre of ground in the town of Bowling Green--a stable on Green St., toward -- corner to the land heretofore sold by J.R. Underwood to C.A. Grafford & later owned by Richard W. Potter thence with Green St., toward @ the riser 108 ft. 9 in. to stake thence at right angles to Green St., North westwardly 200 ft. & 8 ft. 9 in. to a stake in the line of the land sold to said Grafford thence with his line to the beginning to Johanna Farley & heirs".

REV. WAR RECORD.....

Thomas Farley- M. Patty Lester 8 May 1793 in Montgomery Co. Va. now Giles Co. Va. Thomas d. 4 June 1839. He entered the service in fall of 1776.

1830 INDEX CENSUS OF MO.

Farley, Mrs.	Ste. Gen.
" Hezekiah	Jeff. Co.
" Samuel	St. Louis

1880 Census Limestone Co. Tex.

Farley, W. D.	--age 34--farmer--	b. Scot--	father b. Scot--	Mother b. Scot.
Mansy---	" 24	b. Ark.	" b. Geo.	" b. Geo.
Thomas	8	b. Tex.	" b. Scot.	" b. Ark.
Clara	5	"	"	"
Lula	4	"	"	"
Davis	2	"	"	"
Fredrick	7/12	"	"	"

NOVEMBER 1973

A.

Letter forwarded to me by Lapsley Whitlock, sent to him by;
Mr. Gary Farley, Associate Professor of Sociology, Carson-Newman College,
Jefferson City, Tennessee 37760

Obediah Farley

Birth--in application for a pension filed in Shelby Co, Ala. 1832, he gives his birthdate as 1757. My uncle has a 1746 date, and in 1747 appears in Va. Rev. War records. Was born in Amelia Co. Va. We do not know his father's name but I am guessing that it was Daniel, who owned property both there and in Prince Edward Co.

Life--In 1777 he was drafted for three months into the militia from Amelia Co. He used his discharge to pay his taxes (but Amelia has no record of him owning property). In 1778/9 he moved to Bedford Co. Va. At this time it included a portion of West Va. In this area was a family of Farley's which built a fort on Walker's Creek and the New River in the Pipestem Area of what is now Summers Co. W. Va. I rather imagine that these were his cousins and he went to join them. In any case he volunteered for service again in 1779 from Bedford. This was a forty day service. He was again drafted in 1781 from Bedford and was present at Yorktown for the surrender. He makes no claim of actually fighting. It seems that he always got there a day or two late. Rejected or Sispended Rev. Pensions lists an Obe Farley "did not serve six months" p.318. He is listed as Obediah Farler in Va. Tax Payers 1782-87 in Bedford Co. He married a Phoebe Hatcher. A Farley Hatcher appears here in 1782. Mentioned in Will of his father, Edward Farley. Appears in Wears Valley, 1811 (Sevier Co. Tenn.) Probably not a brother of Phoebe. I am not sure of the date, place or if it were the first marriage. We believe it to be in Bedford and after the war. To this union were born five children; Matthew, 1790; Daniel 1792; Sarah; Jane; and Anna. Sarah md. Rev. Frederick Casteel, (ME), and lived for a while in Roane Co. before migrating to Mo. Census records indicate that the other girls remained maidens. Anna may have married later in Ala. (My line traces through Daniel.) In his pension request he states that he moved to Washington Co. Tenn. in 1789. He appears on the tax returns there from 1790-1794. In the last year he is listed as owning 50 acres. Subsequently he moved to Sevier Co. perhaps 1794/5 when it was opened up. I believe that he lived in the Wears Valley section. There is mention of several Hatchers there, including a Farley Hatcher, perhaps a nephew or brother-in-law. In 1808 his sons Daniel and Matthew took land grants on Gist Creek in Sevier Co. In 1818 he moved to Shelby Co. Ala. and this is confirmed with his name being listed in the 1820 and 30 censuses for that county. In 1832 he requested a pension but was rejected. He was considered to be a truthful man in the community. He does not appear in the 1840 census of Shelby Co. but Obediah Farley married in 1842 in the adjoining St. Clair Co., yet was not listed in the 1840 census for the county, but a younger Obediah (25) was in 1850 census.

Daniel Farley

Birth--second son of Obediah and Phoebe Farley. Born in Washington Co. Tenn. in 1792. Took a land grant on Gist Creek in 1808, Sevier Co. Tenn.

Life--In 1817 he married Frances Ballard (Fannie) daughter of John and Elizabeth James Ballard. (A John Ballard of the right age is listed in Roane Co. in the 1830 census, so the marriage might have taken place there, but I find no records in the courthouse, or perhaps back in Sevier Co. as family tradition states that the Ballards came from N. Car., these records not being available.) Also a Betsy Ballard in Sevier Co. in 1830 census. We can locate him in Alabama in 1820, (but they had moved to East Tenn. in 1826, by obit.) Children born from 1825-30 last to form in Tenn. in 1850. (?) A John Ballard, heir of Joseph Ballard sold land in 1797 located in the New Market section of Jefferson Co. Tenn. The obituary of his second son, Matthew Anderson states that he was born in 1820 in Jackson Co. Ala. The 1830 census places him in Shelby Co. Ala. I am told, although I did not find a Daniel there. (Interestingly there is a Daniel Farley listed for Monroe Co. Tenn.) The Ballards lived near Painted Rock, Meiga

1. No will listed in DAR Index To Alabama Wills.

Co. No deed is recorded there. In any case he moved to Cooper Co. Mo. in 1832 and is listed in the 1840 and 50 census for that place. He died in 1857. He had a farm near Otterville. His widow moved to Granby, Mo. Sons; Elijah Newton, 1818; Matthew Anderson (Rev. M.P.) 1820; Will 1829; John 1831; Irwin 1835; Samuel 1837; daughters, Elizabeth 1822; Jane 1824; Mary 1825; Sarah 1827; Ellen; Martha; Nancy 1839; Permelia 1845. Permelia's son, Will Farris, 90, still lives in Granby and is the source of much of my information. He has a keen mind and does landscape painting. Family tradition has them moving to Mo. in flat boats with several other families.

Elijah Newton

Born--1818, perhaps in Sevier Co. Tenn. Married Mary DeWitt 1842, Mo. I have an affidavit to this effect in his request for a Civil War pension. He is listed in the 1850 census of Jackson Co. Mo. as a farmer. In the 1860 census of same county as a minister. He is listed in both as being born in Tenn. He served briefly in the Union Army. Was captured in the battle of Lexington, Mo. one of the earliest land battles in the war. He died in 1863 as a consequence of a disease contracted while in service. Mary (Polly) DeWitt was the daughter of Larkin DeWitt, a native of New York. Likely his father was also a Rev. War Veteran. Elijah and Mary had sons; John Thomas (Babp. Minister) 1844; William Franklin 1846; Francis Marion 1848; Jasper Newton 1850; Larkin DeWitt 1852; Daniel Lee 1855; George Washington 1857; John Henry 1859; Andrew Jackson 1862; and Susan Hannah 1864, born five months after his death.

Daniel Lee

Born--1855 and was my grandfather. He married three times, the first two wives dying. My father born in 1907, Elijah Marion, was the last of seven children born to these marriages. He lived all his life in Johnson and Pettis Co's. Mo. He was a farmer and was concerned that his last four children all completed college. In turn my son is named for him.

This summarizes the information I have gathered thus far which might be of interest. The connection to Obediah remains pretty circumstantial. The fact that no Sevier Co. Tenn. records antedate 1857 will make the task more difficult. Also Bedford Co. was in a state of flux.

B.

From : Mrs. Frank M. (Grace) Carroll, 4008 Campbell St., Kansas City, Mo. 64110

Obediah Farley md. Phoebe Hatcher

Ch: m Matthew b. 1790

* m Daniel b. 1792

 f Sarah b. ? md. Meth. Minister ? Casteel and lived Casper Co. Mo. in 1820.

 f Jane

 f another daughter (name unknown)

*Daniel md. Frances Ballard (Perhaps in Sevier or Monroe Co. Tenn. He had land grant Monroe in 1809.)

Ch: m Elijah b. 1818, Ala.

* m Matthew b. 1820 "

*Matthew Anderson Sr. md. Ann Casteel 1839/40, Cooper Co. Mo. d. b/4 1866

 md. Rachel White Pitman 1866, b. Boone Co. Tenn. 1836

Ch: Matthew Anderson Farley Jr. md. Allie DeWalt b. Richey, Newton Co. Mo

Ch: m Mark b. 1898 md. wife dead--no ch.

 m Kirk b. 1900 d. 1971 md. wife dead--no ch.

* f Grace b. 1904 md. Frank M. Carroll 1935

Frank M. Carroll and Grace Farley

Ch: m Michael b. 1937

 m Robert L. b. 1938

 f Nora Lee b. 1944

We have pension papers of an Obediah Farley from Shelby Co. Ala. made out in 1812. My DAR sisters are trying to locate this grave to see if it is my gggf. Our records show Obediah was born 1746. Gwathmay shows Rev. soldiers--b. 174-. The pension papers show 1747. I would like to prove one way or another if this man is ours.

Daniel and Frances Ballard Farley were in Ala. for birth of first son in 1818. Obediah says in pension papers that he moved to Ala. in 1817 and families usually went together but we want to be sure. Records of that time in Ala. are scarce due to negligence and ravages of CW, when it seemed to be the thing to burn the courthouses and records before they did anything else.

Daniel and Frances Farley moved their family from Ala. to Tenn. ca. 1826, and then to Cooper Co. Mo. in 1832. Matthew Anderson Sr. married his cousin Ann Caston. Will send family sheets and also hint of ancestry and give more detail later when I am up to it.

(NOTE: Grace has spent a great deal of the summer in and out of hospital, very ill, and is just now home again--hopefully recovering completely. RJS.)

C.

From Mr. D. W. Mason, 1100 Wenonah Ave. Pearisburg, Virginia 24134

Opposite page 165 of David E. Johnston's "History of the Middle New River Settlement" there appears a picture of Thomas Berry Farley taken in 1903 when he was 103 years old.

The first white settlement in what is now Mercer County, W. Va. was by Andrew Culbertson in 1753, at Culbertson. This is now Crump's Bottom, to which title became vested in Thomas Farley in March 1775. This Thomas under Capt. George Pearis and Major Cloyd participated in the battle of Yadkin River in 1780.

My list of marriages from Montgomery and Fincastle Co's. 1773-1831:

- John Farley to Jane Harmon 1797
- Joseph Farley to Barbara Davis 1790
- Ezekiel Farley to Judy Marcum 1804
- Thomas Farley to Patsy Lester 1789

NOTE: Mr. Mason has no direct interest in the Farley's, but has just been kind enough to send me whatever data he runs across in the hope that it may be of some help. RJS.

D.

From Phella Jones, 1408 Herbst, Borger, Texas 79007

Hart County, Kentucky 1880 Census;

Thomas F. Farley	age 37	b. Ky. (1843)	He owned 135 acres of
Manerva	33	"	land in 1880--was nearest
Mary F.	?	"	neighbor of William N.
Sarah F.	5	"	Farley--(related?)
John F.	4	"	
Rebecca	6/12	"	

Hart County, Kentucky 1840 Census;

A James Farley and a Jonathan Farley was listed. The former living at Rowlett and the latter a citizen of Hart Co. was listed for taxes, and three children between 5-16.

Hart Co. Kentucky 1860 Census;

Louisa Farley, age 21, living at Woodsville.

A W. H. Farley, age 21 had a land grant in Hart Co. Ky. on Green River as of 29 March 1871.

Does anyone know anything about these Farley's?
